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From: 280001 OCT 1944

To: 282400 OCT 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (1035%)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0105		4472	280100	FROM 505 TO G-2: OP CROSSING TELEPHONE LINE AND WIRED A SIGNAL YARD HEADQUARTERS SWITCHBOARD AND SEVERAL VOICES, ENEMY NATURE OF WORK (0210)	
0105		4472	280100	FROM 505 TO G-2 BY RADIO: CHECK IN	
0110		4474	280100	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0110		4475	280100	FROM 325 TO G-2: OP AT 155063 REPORTS WHITE FLARE DIRECTLY TO FRONT (0105)	
	0145	4476	271800	FROM G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 MOVE SECTION A	
	0145	4472	272400	FROM G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 PERIODIC REPORT NO 131	
0200		4473	280301	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
		4479	280300	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0205		4480	280300	FROM 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0210		4481	280300	FROM 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	

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Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

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0520		4481A	280500	FR 505 TO G-2: Neg (RADIO & PHONE	
0510		4482	280500	FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL "G" Co fired ON BY MG AT DEN HEUVEL.	
0540		4483	280540	FR 504 TO G-2: Neg (phone)	
0540		4484	272030	FR G-3 TO G-2: G-3 Periodic No 13 (For staff circulation)	TO G-1
0705		4485	280700	FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0710		4486	280700	FR 504 TO G-2: 4-MAN PATROL WENT 1000 YDS TODS VOSSENVEER, RCVD SA & MG FIRE. Sent TEAMS	
0715		4487	280700	FR 504, 505, 325 TO G-2: RADIO NEG REPORT	
0719		4488	280600	FR 504 TO G-2: [redacted] PATROL RPT	G-3, DIV ARTY C/S, 30 CORPS
0730		4489		FR 325 TO G-2: OVERLAY CONCERNING V OP. VISIBILITY.	

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Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0755		4490	280600	FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL ACT	XXX CORPS, C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY
0800		4491		FR 504 TO G-2: "I" Co Security Patrol NOW IN WITH NEG REPORT	
0810		4492	272359	FR 43 DIV TO G-2: SUM #65	G-2, C/S, G-3, TO WAR TENT
0830		4493		FR 30 CORPS ARTY TO G-2: WEATHER FORE- CAST 280900 TO 282000. OFF.	
0845		4494	272030	FR G-3 TO G-2: G-3 PERIODIC	TO G-1
0930		4495		FR 335 TO G-2: TRUCK CONVOY 291549	45 DIV
0940		4496		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: TRUCKS 291549 (3)	
0945		4497		FR CHIEF ENGR, FTOUSH TO G-2: SPECIAL BULLETIN #1 LSP	TO WAR TENT
0945		4498	280900	FR 504 AND 505 TO G-2 NEGATIVE REPORTS	

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0700		4499	280900	FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0755		4500		FR MIRROR PLOUGH TO G-2 UNIT H-10	TO WAR TENT
1000		4501		FR 505 TO G-2 PERIODIC, 27 OCT	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
1030		4502	272400	FR G-1 TO G-2 CASUALTY REPORT	
1030		4503		FR AA TO G-2 TRAFFIC INSTRUCTIONS	
1030		4504		CORPS COURIER	
1100		4506		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT 27/28 OCT. 44	XXX CORPS, C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY.
1100		4507	281100	FR 325, 504 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
1110		4508	281100	FR 325 TO G-2: OBJECT UNDER CAMOUFLAGE NET [illegible]	DIV ARTY
1115		4509		FR 505 TO G-2: MISC RPT	
1115		4510	281100	FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	

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1120		4511	281100	FR 504 TO G-2: NEG RAI	
1130		4512		FR CO TO G-2: MOVEMENT ORDERS	
1130		4513		FR 2 ARMY TO G-2: GI SITREP TO 26 OCT	
1130		4514		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
1130		4515		FR 325 TO G-2: SUMREP	
1130		4516		FR PRO TO G-2: CORRESPONDENTS (LIST)	
1145		4517		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
1300		4518	281300	FR. 325 To G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1300		4519	281300	FR. 504 To G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1300		4520	281300	FR. 505 to G-2: NEG. REPORT.	
1305		4521		FR. 325 To G-2: Ey Soldiers RUNNING N AT 791550. 12 Ed's [illegible] in Br. Sector. Nebelaufn 17 7965 53	43rd Div.

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1310		4522		FR 504 TO G-2, 376th FLD HOSP MOVED [illegible]	
1320		4523		FR 505 TO G-2, FACTORY AT 782636 SEIZED [illegible] BY 101 DIV ARTY (G-2)	G-2
1410		4524		FR G-3 TO G-2, 508 ADV C.P. AT 706602 WILL OPEN BEFORE 2000 HRS ON THIS DATE	
1400		4525		FR 325 TO G-2; REPORT FR. OP	
1400		4526		FR 101 DIV TO G-2; PERIODIC NO. 40	TO 101st A/B DIV. FILE IN WAR TENT
1415		4527		FR MET. SECTION 30 CORPS TO G-2; SUN AND MOON DATA FOR NOV.	PUBLISHED AS ANNEX TO G-2 PERIODIC NO. 132
1435		4528		FR 325 TO G-2; CONSIDERABLE TRAFFIC ON ROAD AT 855564.	
1450		4529		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2; CONSIDERABLE ACTIVITY ON ROADS FROM 855564.	

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1145		4530		FR. ETOUSA TO G-2: CIR. 103	TO PERMANENT FILE
1500		4531		FR 2ND ARMY TO G-2: TAC R BROADCAST 1300 HRS. 1400 HRS	
1500		4532		FR 2ND ARMY TO G-2: A R RESULTS.	
1500		4533		FR 82 BASE TO G-2: GERMAN METALS AND DECORATIONS.	
1500		4534		FR BASE TO G-2: FLAK INTERPRETATION RPT. NO. 505.	TO PIS-WAR TENT
1500		4535		FR BASE TO G-2: AMENDMENT # 5 TO SHAEF INTELL. NOTES NO. 25.	TO WAR TENT
1500		4536		FR BASE TO G-2: M.I. AA INTELL. SUMMARY NO 573.	TO WAR TENT
1500		4537		FR. BASE TO G-2: AIR OPNS. INTELL. SUMMARY NO. 855.	TO WAR TENT
1500		4538		FR. BASE TO G-2: AIRFIELD ACTIVITY REPORT.	TO WAR TENT

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1445		4530		FR. ETOUSA TO G-2; CIR. 103	TO PERMANENT FILE
1500		4531		FR 2ND ARMY TO G-3; TAC R BROADCAST 1300 HRS. 1400 HRS	
1500		4532		FR 2ND ARMY TO G-2; A R RESULTS.	
1500		4533		FR 82 BASE TO G-2; GERMAN METALS AND DECORATIONS.	
1500		4534		FR BASE TO G-2; FLAK INTERPRETATION RPT. NO. 505.	TO PIS-WAR TENT
1500		4535		FR BASE TO G-2; AMENDMENT # 5 TO SHAEF INTELL. NOTES NO. 28.	TO WAR TENT
1500		4536		FR BASE TO G-2; M.I. AA INTELL. SUMMARY NO 573.	TO WAR TENT
1500		4537		FR. BASE TO G-2; AIR OPNS. INTELL. SUMMARY NO. 853.	TO WAR TENT
1500		4538		FR. BASE TO G-2; AIRFIELD ACTIVITY REPORT.	TO WAR TENT

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1500		4539		FR BASE TO G-2. OVERLAYS A.P.I.S. 402B - 417 - 415 - 420 - 419 - 418 - 414 - 413 - 412 - 411 - 410 - 400.	TO PI's - WAR TENT
1620		4540		FR G-2 BASE TO G-2 FWD; DOCUMENTS SENT FWD:	TO PERMANENT FILE
1640		4541		FR DIVARTY TO G-2 - EY PLANE DROPPED SMOKE AT 7453573, THENEY SHELLED AREA	
1645		4542		FROM ASP TO G-2 - TAC R BROADCAST.	
1645		4543		FROM 505 TO G-2 - EY PLANE OVER AREA AT 1615	
1645		4544		FR 505 CORPS TO G-2 - PROPAGANDA LEAFLETS FIRED YESTERDAY OVER 505 LINES	
1645		4545		FR 504 TO G-2 - PATROL PLAN NIGHT 28/29 OCT	DIVARTY, G-3
1650		4546		FR 504 TO G-2 - S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	TO UNITS PERIOD. FILE
1650		4547		FR 505 TO G-2 - S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	TO UNIT PERIOD FILE
		4548		FR 505 TO G-2 - PATROL PLAN NIGHT 28/29 OCT.	DIVARTY, G-3
1700		4549	281700	FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2 - NEG REPT (RADIO)	

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1700		4550	281700	FR 504 TO G-2 - NEG REPT	
1700		4551		FR HQ. ASF TO G-2 - MEMO - CAMP NEWS PERIODICALS	TO PERMANENT FILE
1730		4552		FR 2ND ARMY TO G-2 - ALL SITUATION REP.	
1730		4553		FR 325 TO G-2 - : SHELLRED & REPT OF EY PLANES OVER AREA	
1730		4554		FR AG TO G-2 - : CIC ALLOWANCE OF ONE DOLLAR A DAY	
1730		4555	26 OCT 44	FR BASE TO G-2 - : LIST OF DOL SENT ETOUSA. FWD	TO PERMANENT FILE
1730		4556	22 OCT	FR CHIEF ORD OFF TO G-2 - : LETTERS REGARDING FRAGMENTS OF ROCKETBOMB FOUND	
1730		4557	272100	FR 50 DIV TO G-2 - : INT SUM NO. 104	O/S G-3 DIV A PHI TO WAR TENT
1730		4558		FR 504 RCT TO G-2 - : INT SUM NO 112 - APP A, B, C, C/S, G-3 DIV ARTY, IPW DIB	TO WAR TENT

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1800		4559	281510	FR 2ND ARMY TO G-2 - ALL STNS REPORT	
1800		4560	281500	FR ASP TO G-2 - TAC R BOOST	
1800		4561	281700	FR ASP TO G-2 - TAC R BOOST	
1800		4561A		FR CAPT WALDSCHMIDT TO G-2 - ALL PERSONNEL PUNCH ALL DOC BEFORE SENDING TO WAR ROOM	
1850		4562		FR G-2 OVERLAY OF PATROL PLANS FOR NIGHT 27/28 OCT 1944	TO WAR TENT
1855		4563	281900	FR 325 TO G-2 SHELREP	
1855		456H		FR 20TH AA TO G-2 NEG REPORT. NO S-2 REPORT.	
1900		4565	281900	FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
1900		4566	281900	FR 504 TO G-2 SHELREP	
1900		4567	281900	FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT (RADIO)	

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1900		4568	281900	FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1900		4569	281900	FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO -	
1950		4570		FR. DIV. ARTY TO G-2. 456 FA. 1960-1940 SHOOT STIRRED GERMANS ON OTHER SIDE WAHLER MEER	
2000		4571		FR. 325 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT, WITH OVERLAY.	TO UNIT PERIODICS FILE
2000		4572		FR 325 TO G-2. PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT 28/29 OCT. 44	DIV ARTY, G-3
2000		4573		FR. 325 TO G-2: BORDER BREEZE (3 COPIES)	1 COPY TO C/S, 1 G-1, 1 G-3, DIV ARTY
	2000	4574		FR. G-2: TO 505. LONG RANGE PATROL (AMPHIBIOUS) VIC. LEUTH. WITH DUPLICATE, RECEIPTED BY 505	
2025		4575	28 OCT. 44	FROM XXX BRIT. CORPS TO G-2: OPERATIONAL NEWS	TO G-3
2025		4576	271800	FROM XXX BRIT. CORPS TO G-2: CORPS ADMINISTRATIVE STATE AND CASUALTY REPORT	TO C/S

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2025		4577	18 OCT 44	FROM WAR OFFICE TO G-2, WAR OFFICE WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE REVIEW No. 62 (3 COPIES)	1 TO G-3, 1 TO DIV ARTY, 1 TO WAR ROOM
2030		4578		FROM 504 TO G-2; SHELL FRAGMENTS, WHICH LANDED VIC. 759581 AT 281335, FROM APPROX. AZIM. 95°.	FRAGMENTS AND NOTE TO ORDN. OFF.
2045		4579	281800	FROM 307 ENGR TO G-2; ENGINEER SITUATION REPORT	
2045		4580	281800	FROM 307 ENGR TO G-2; ENGINEER INTELLIGENCE REPORT	
2045		4581	280044	FROM 307 ENGR TO G-2; REPORT ON TOTAL MINEFIELDS IN DIV. AREA REPORTED TO DATE, PLACED BY OUR TROOPS (10 COPIES)	9 COPIES TO G-3 1 TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
2050		4582	270044	FROM G-3 TO G-2; XXX BRITISH CORPS AIR NOTES No. 63	TO G-1
2100		4583	282100	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO); CHECK IN	
2105		4584	282100	FROM 325 TO G-2; SHELLREPS FOR 100 RDS NEBELWERFERS FROM ALL AREAS; MOST PROMINENT AREA S OF KRANENBURG, ILLUMINATING FLARE, RED RRCHT FLARE ON GROSBECK AT 1920	

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders Reports	Action taken
2110		4585	282100	FROM 505 TO G-2: OP REPORTS NEBELWERFER FIRING 6 RDS IN BURSTS OF TWOS FROM SE, LANDING SW OF OP (2040)	
2115		4586	282100	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEBELWERFER SEEMS TO BE MOVING, LOCATED AT 776575, 761581, 771570, 773573.	
2255		4587	282300	FROM 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2300		4588	282300	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2305		4589	282300	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2310		4590	282300	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
2310		4591		FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: DUTCH CIVILIAN SAID GERMAN TANK SPENT LAST NIGHT AT 736587. REPORT FROM 153 FA REGT. (NAME OF CIVILIAN, MR. W. KRAMER, 727 GROESBEEK ROAD)	
2314		4592		FROM XXX BRITISH CORPS TO G-2: THERE MAY BE AN ATTEMPT ON NIJMEGEN BRIDGE TONIGHT BY MOTORBOAT OR SWIMMERS	505, G-3

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2320		4593	28 OCT 44	FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: REPORT ON EN ARTY AND MORTARS AND MG'S LOCATED 28 OCT AND SHELREPS	
2300		4594		FROM XXX BRITISH CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST FOR 282000 TO 290900.	
		4595		FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: CHECK ON SHELREP	
2315		4596	27/28 OCT 44	FROM SOA TO G-2: 1st IND OF LETTER BY HQ NETHERLAND FORCES OF THE INTERIOR RE INTERPRETER FOR SOA.	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 24-Oct-44

TO : G2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 0105

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 2320 - AT OP ONE OF the men was checking Tel. Line. He answered a signal and heard an explosion + several noises that were either German or Polish.

Message File No. 4472 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): STANGER 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 28-Oct-44

TO : G2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT: 0110

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

OP AT 75505635 (C Co) Reports one white flare directly to their front at 0105

Message File No. 4475 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stanger, 1st Lt.

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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
27 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This review of the day's news was compiled at 82d Airborne Division Headquarters from reports heard over BBC:

British and Canadian troops who landed on BEVELAND Island in the SCHELDT Estuary are now firmly established and have taken over seven square miles of territory, while the Canadians moving west on the causeway have only six miles to go to join forces with the amphibious elements.

The initial landings, made during a blinding mist, caught the enemy by surprise. Returning craft brought back some enemy prisoners. There are thought to be 7,000 to 8,000 Germans on the islands.

Use of the port of ANTWERP by the Allies will be possible when the SCHELDT Islands, especially the port of FLUSHING, are cleared of the enemy. The Navy and land artillery are blasting strongpoints on the islands. On the other side of the estuary the Canadians continued to push the Germans back, near BRESDENS.

The British and Canadians are fighting the Germans 10 miles south of BREDA and two miles from ROOSENDAAL. They hold 's HERTOGENBOSCH, but the Germans are on the outskirts. The Allies are closing in on TILBURG from the South and East.

On the East side, from the area of VENLO, the Germans today launched a 10-mile, four-pronged counterattack, but the British Second Army had the situation under control.

Four more heavily-fortified positions have been captured in EAST PRUSSIA and the death of one German general is announced. Soviet bombing and shelling has been especially successful on the East Prussian front within the past 24 hours. Groups of German tanks have tried futilely to get through to Russian battery positions. The Infantry was in action at close quarters many times and the Germans were known to have had 3,000 more troops killed.

GOERING's elaborate East Prussian hunting estate is now in the hands of the Russians.

Russian aircraft raided BUDAPEST during the period. Considerable street fighting is reported in YUGOSLAVIA. Further Soviet advances marked the day in CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

North of LARISSA, a newly-occupied Greek town, British patrols

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and Greek guerrillas are harassing the German rear guard.

U. S. Navy Secretary FORRESTAL today told newsmen that the known Japanese sea losses consist of 9 vessels, including two carriers, sunk, and some 20 other vessels damaged. Mr. FORRESTAL declared that our ships did not go "scott free" during the encounters and that some of our vessels had been lost.

A TOKYO spokesman declared tonight that the Japanese fleet had withdrawn and that aircraft were continuing the battle.

On land the Americans and Australians now hold the complete eastern shore of LEYTE and have seized some of the central highlands

Sometime within the next two months, Prime Minister CHURCHILL told the House of Commons today, he hopes to meet with President ROOSEVELT and Marshal STALIN to discuss at further length the international problems studied recently in QUEBEC and MOSCOW.

Mr. CHURCHILL told the Commons that RUSSIA agreed to an independent POLAND, and that BRITAIN would join in supporting a free POLAND but emphasized that "pre-war frontiers" probably could not be guaranteed.

Asked about the delay in recognizing the DeGAULLE government in FRANCE, Mr. CHURCHILL told the Commons that the delay was to insure that the French people wanted the DeGAULLE government. When conditions permit, he declared, the Greeks will be permitted to elect the own government.

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FROM: 270001 OCT 44.
TO : 272400 OCT 44.

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
272400 OCT 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 131.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today at 78555981, 77905822 and 7790-5837 and engaged by our arty (Div Arty); mortar at 785567 (325), 50mm mortar at 77156127 (50).

(2) Ey reinforcing road block at VOGELSANG with mines and wire (504).

(3) Ey digging vic 773566 between DEN HEUVEL WOODS and woods to South.

(4) AT ditch approx five meters wide at top but narrower at bottom, and four meters deep begun at WYLER 5 Sept with intention of extending it to BIMMEN and RHINE Rivers. Similar trench b gun same day vic 829553 with intention to extend it to REICHSWALD (Civ report to 505). See recent aerial photos.

(5) Road blocks at 805563, 82644940, 846490 and 838556 constructed of steel bars hinged on concrete posts. Three bunkers, believed to be of reinf concrete, located on E, W and S side of church at 846561. They are well covered with earth and growth and are believed to be situated so as to cover road block at 838556 (Civ repor to 505).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber: Est of ey arty vic 82d A/B Div front - One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two heavy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No chang

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary: Light artillery and mortar fire fell in the division area.

b. Operation of Component Elements:

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(1) Infantry:

(a) Ey patrol made three unsuccessful attempts to infiltrate F Co line night 26 - 27 Oct (325).

(b) Ey patrol vic 775622 night 26 - 27 Oct (505).

(c) Ey patrol entered sector night 27 - 28 Oct but was driven out (325).

(2) Tanks: Tracked vehicles heard in DEN HEUVEL WOODS area during night 26 - 27 Oct (325).

c. Miscellaneous:

(1) Rowboat seen on WYLER MEER night 26 - 27 Oct (504).

(2) Soldiers in tan or brown uniforms seen late 26 Oct at NW end of WYLER MEER (505).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 1.
(b) Taken to date: 2,990.

NOTE: PW reported taken today was member of "Home Guard" unit who put on civ clothing 17 Sept.

b. Terrain Not Under Our Control: Civilian interrogated by 505 does not believe tks could travel cross country North of main road from WYLER to DONSBRUGGEN due to mud and water in the KRANENBURG - NUTTERDEN area. He said water could be pumped out of this area through pumps in NIJMEGEN but that another pump station is located vic 806564 which ey could use to flood area again. Civilian stated area south of main road would be suitable for any vehicle. He said soil in this area is a mixture of sand and clay. Secondary roads in the general area of the main road are of either asphalt or gravel and are in good condition. These roads are from five to seven meters wide.

c. Weather:

(1) During period: Clear to cloudy, with some light rain after dark 27 Oct. Considerable ground haze and fog. Visibility limited.

(2) Forecast for coming 24 hours: Intermittent showers.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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One Annex: Enemy Front Line Positions.
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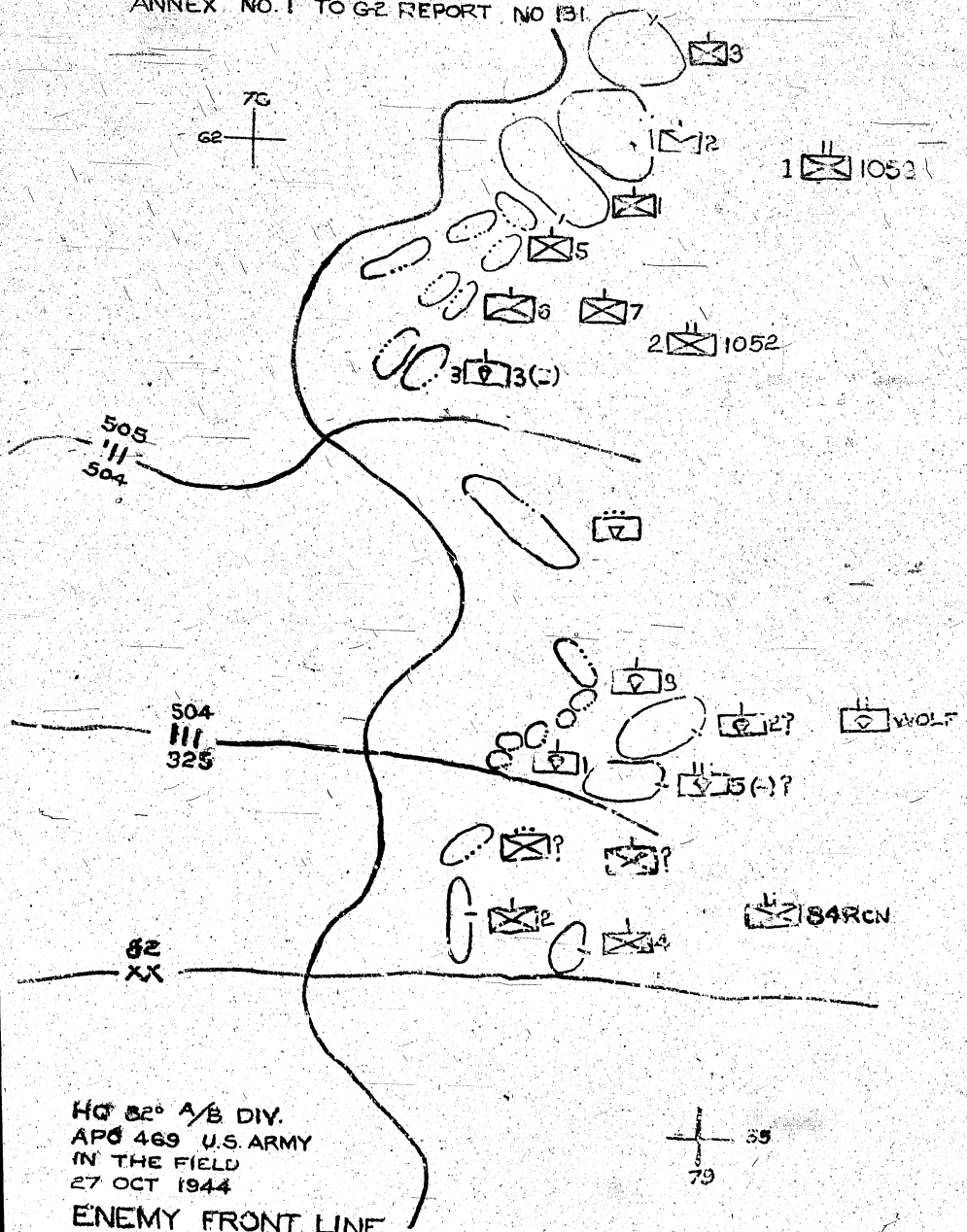
ANNEX NO. 1 TO G-2 REPORT NO 131



HQ 82d A/B DIV.
APO 469 U.S. ARMY
IN THE FIELD
27 OCT 1944

ENEMY FRONT LINE
INFANTRY POSITIONS

MAPS: GSGS 4427, 1/25000
SHEETS 6 SW, 12NW; GSGS 4414,
1/25000, SHEETS 4102, 4202

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 3 25

DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : 05-12

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0530

TRANSMISSION: ~~Telephone~~, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

PATROL - "G" Co
fired on by MG at Ben
Hamel.

Message File No. 448 G-2 Sender - ~~Receiver~~: Gains C+PT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 28 OCT 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

4-MAN PATROL

WENT 1000 YDS TOWARDS VOSSENDAAL

WHERE EY FIRED FLARES,

AND OPENED UP WITH RIFLES AND MG's.

HEARD GRINDING NOISE (LIKE TELEPHONE BEING RUNG) EVERY TIME THE PATROL MADE ANY NOISE. THEN A FLARE WAS FIRED IN THEIR AREA.

Message File No. 4486 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James, Cpl

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
280600 October 1944

Subject: Results of Patrol Activities for night 27-28 October 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division.

The following are the results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during the night 27-28 October 1944:

British and 504 Rcn patrol of four (4) men left "D" Co OP at 2000. Contacted friendly mine laying party about 100 yds down road towards VOSSENDAAL. Was informed by mine laying party that enemy OP was located at cross roads (77255765).

Patrol started to move on down road but enemy must have heard noise made by mine laying party as they fired flares from vic (775579) and (774575). Ey MG and MI rifle opened up from (77405775). Direction of fire SW along west side of road.

Patrol hold position and observed.EEnemy kept firing flares. During a period of 15 minutes Ey fired 6 white flares, one prcht flare and one red flare.

Enemy OP located at (77255763). Patrol heard enemy moving along road from (771575) to (774577). Enemy tank fired from vic VOSSENDAAL. It is believed that Ey OP at cross road has telephone, as every time a noise was made patrol could hear grinding like a telephone being rung then a flare would be fired from vic 200 yds behind OP.

Patrol returned to "D" Co OP at 2145, stayed at OP untill 2230. Mortar fire was placed on Ey positions but Ey kept firing flares. Ey has moved OP to cross road (77255765) and other OP's forward in an effort to spot our patrols which have been going to VOSSENDAAL.

The night was too bright and the Ey too aleart for a Rcn patrol. Ey fired two flares along fround, this gives much better observation than does a flare which is fired into the air.

"C" Co 307 Engrs. To much Ey activity observed along proposed route to enable patrol to move out.

"D" and "E" Co's conducted routine security patrols during the night.

"H" Co carried out routine security patrols during night and at 0645 "I" Co security patrol had not reported in.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
S-2

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
280700 October 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 27/28 Oct:

3rd Bn Patrols

1. Patrol No 1, six man combat and rcn of Bn S-2 Section, lseft 2055 and went to 775623 then South along stream to 776619. Then W along ditch four feet deep and three feet wide to dyke. Ditch is tank obstacle. Followed dyke along Eastern side of OOIJSCHE GRAFF to bridge at 77776157. Patrol was fired on once by MG at strong point and once by MG vic 781616. Along OOIJSCHE GRAFF all holes were investigated and found to be filled with water. Numerous wires with dirt mounds at the end were found--apparently booby traps. Inspection of bridge showed all boards to be loose and with wires attached. Barbed wire on eastern end of bridge. Patrol returned same route by 0155. No PWs, no casualties.

2. Patrol No 2. five man rcn, left 784631 at 2115 in an assault boat and went out into the river and circled behind and went into enemy position in vic of 787632. Patrol reconnoitered area without trouble. Patrol went after a PW but met light resistance from two or three men and threw grenades and withdrew. Came back same route. Back at 0400 with no PWs, no casualties.

3. At 2300 hr the line from Regtl CP to Regtl OP at 761599 was out and man chasing trouble tapped into line and heard voices which he believed to be either Polish or German. A loud explosion was also heard over phone. No more was learned and units through whose areas line passes were alerted.

4. No reports of enemy activity during night.

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HQ 505 INF

28 OCT 44

PATROLS

NIGHT 27/28

2115-0400

#1 2055-0155

BOOBY TRAPS

MG

MG

BARBED WIRE

80

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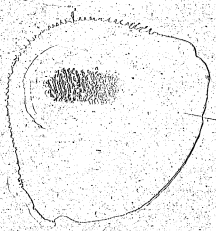

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 28 OCT 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0745

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

I Co. Security patrol now in with a negative report.

Message File No. 4496 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Pvt, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0915

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Truck convoy 791549

Sent to 43 Div

Message File No. 4496 G-2 Sender (Receiver:) Smith 2-45

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 0925

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

320th - Trucks at 791549

Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - (Receiver): [signature]

CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 27 October 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH DO NOT TYPE

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	33	238	22	562	24	495	22	440	91	1735		
504	31	197	36	499	34	491	36	370	137	1557		
505	26	233	40	469	38	411	38	505	142	1620		
508	34	247	32	353	30	362	28	360	124	1322		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WIA & DNA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM @	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	78	13	253	26	526	5	299	54	1156	91	1735
504	8	84	3	84	28	368	4	115	43	651	137	1557
505	6	99	1	34	25	328	9	156	41	637	142	1620
508	15	114	4	109	26	385	5	117	50	725	124	1322
INF	39	375	21	500	105	1607	23	687	188	3169	494	6234
ARTY	2	26	7	95	26	155	4	71	39	347	147	1796
ENGR	2	23	1	5	7	75		26	10	129	35	502
MED				2	1	18		10	1	30	28	279
SIG						2		2		4	7	114
80 AA		18	1	4	5	44	1	28	7	94	34	465
OTHERS		4		6	3	25		4	3	39	79	439
TOTAL	43	446	30	612	147	1926	28	828	248	3812	825	9825

STRENGTH (ESTIMATED):
991 Off - 12,916 EM.

OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
28 October 1944.

PATROL REPORT - NIGHT OF OCT. 27-28.

Sgt. Leahy and five men of Co E left the Co CP to investigate houses at 772571. It was necessary for patrol to crawl to get into position and only effective approach is down a slope over open ground. Patrol got close to the road opposite the houses and heard talking and movement of approximately 8-10 cy. In attempting movement across the road cy fired two flares but patrol was not spotted. Sgt. Leahy brought his patrol along the road and investigated the RJ at 770570, which they established clear. Patrol could not maneuver across road.

S/Sgt Gline, of Co G, and 3 men left Road Block at 769568 to establish listening post at 772566. Patrol reached its objective at which time it drew MG fire from 772568 and 771565. Listening post remained in position. Leader states the only cy action that could be noticed was movement of personnel of about a squad within the Den Heuvel. Reason for movement could not be determined.

Sgt Gold, of Co G, with 2 men established listening post in vic of 771563. Action observed:
Heard cy patrol moving to the front, estimated strength, 4 men.
Heard MG firing from right front, vic 771562, at British propaganda broadcast.
Heard mortar firing from deep right front; could not estimate range.
Patrol returned at dawn; no additional activity observed.

Patrol led by Sgt Durant, of F Co, left from British contact point; went south about 100 yds to trail leading East; followed trail for about 700 yards. During this time saw or heard nothing. Returned at 0430.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1040 Chamber (757573) REPORTS AT 784565

object under camouflage net

Enemy firing on it.

1050 3 Enemy soldiers 797563

(P)

Message File No. 19 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Smith, 2nd Lt

82 Div (10)

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HQ 508th Prcht. Inf.
In The Field.
230600 Oct. 194..

PATROL REPORT 27/28 OCT 194..

A standing patrol was in position at 742700 from 2000 hr to 0200 hr. The patrol reported an exceptionally quiet night.

The combat patrol was in position at 732700 at 0200 hr when the arty preparation started. One battery of arty fell short. The short rounds landed at the patrol killing 10 casualties, 4 of which were seriously wounded. The patrol reported receiving light enemy mortar fire. The patrol returned to our lines at 0300 hr.

A 3 man contact patrol was active from 1900 hr to 0530 hr between outposts at 741695 and 744696. The patrol reported very little activity and only slight enemy MG fire from the vic of the bridge 747697.

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WL 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FOR** [redacted] Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: Jack R Broadcast | Date-Time of Origin.: 1800hrs | Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jack R tea 0735 ⊙ Clear VIS 6 miles ⊙ Area E2847 - E3151 - E3552 - E3530 - E3248 flooded however Rds appeared above water ⊙ Bridges demol E191445 E293519 (E300520 middle span out) E999427 ⊙ Bridges appeared intact at E208446 - E178468 - E176473 - E171482 - E160496 - E193519 - E096493 - E147490 Two at E015485 E023465 - E057474 - E067468 - E083469 - E070436 - E000415 - E992426 - E035506 ⊙ E245487 fresh met tracks ⊙ E263527 and E252525 ferry N Bank ⊙ E223525 ferry S Bank ⊙ E143495 3 barges moored N Bank E095504 1 ferry S Bank ⊙ E096508 fresh digging both sides of Rd ⊙ E064517 1 met and trailer and poss gun veg unknown ⊙ E036475 5 tracks mvg W ⊙ Broadcast to GCC ⊙ E013485 8 plus amb veg E ⊙ E0851 slight inacc LAA ⊙ Tea 0800 hrs ⊙ NMS River E3577 to E7577 ⊙ NMS area E4077 - E4063 - E5669 - E5675 ⊙ E5373 to E5171 dist trenches E end of dyke ⊙ E823672 ferry mvg E & W ⊙ E797703 poss ferry moored mouth of stream ⊙ E854819 2 met mvg S W ⊙ E874869 to E885852 15 barges moored E side of canal ⊙

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1130

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1127 Chief (755056351) 2 NBWFR [illegible]

from 796548 24 rds [illegible]

British sector

Arty notified

Message File No. 4515 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Smith, 2 [illegible]

W 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 210428.51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: Jac/R Broadcast — For Action. | Date-Time of Origin: 1100hrs | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR.

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 0800 ⊙ Flooding east side of River for half mile eastwards from E820349 to 835300 also half mile westwards from River E815335 to E820317 ⊙ E8401 6 moored barges W bank of River otherwise NMS K7789 - VENLO - E8139 ⊙ NMS area E8430 - E7726 - VENLO ⊙ E875085 2 met W O No ferry traffic observed on River ⊙ NMS Rd VENLO to WELN E8528 and Rd Venlo to E8418 ⊙ Intense acc L and H AA E865158 ⊙ Toa 0800 ⊙ E932754 1 S/C E ⊙ E953755 1 white amb mvg S ⊙ E916648 2 met fcg SE otherwise NMS area E8582 - E9778 Emmerich and E7477 E7175 E7463 E8365 No signs of flooding seen in area ⊙ mod inacc L AA E8873 and E855717 and E8471 ⊙ E5982 2 met mvg S ⊙ E5493 1 met N ⊙ E3998 m/Y 100 plus trg T50 percent closed ⊙ E2091 NMS ⊙ NMS E2091 to E0852 ⊙ E0963 1 ferry N Bank ⊙ Slight inacc L AA E2494 ⊙ Toa 0750 ⊙ E815150 1 Large mot S ⊙ E815150 3 met fcg unknown ⊙ E771052 1 large mot towing field gun ⊙ E798062 1 amb S ⊙ E6202 and E6302 5 Houses on fire ⊙ Area well covered but No evidence of enemy concentration ⊙ mod inacc L AA E793074 E800160 E776049 ⊙ NMS Rd E2138 E0042 ⊙ E005483 several poss gun posns ⊙ E150470 to E165473 trench works ⊙ E157402 to E152403 trenches and diggings ⊙ E060400 NMS ⊙

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 28 Oct 1944

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1305

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Gray soldier running N on road at 791550.

12 rds FR NW landed in British sector Time at 1210

gun located at 796553

Truck moved to W from 818547.

(phoned 43 Div (Br)

Message File No. 4521 G-2 Sender - Receiver: H.B., 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 28 Oct. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1345

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1235 3 Bn reports that 376 F.A. made direct hit on truck in Lagewald.

Message File No. 452 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asst Adj't.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Division DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME: (RECEIVED) OR SENT 1300

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Factory at 783636 reported by friendly artillery at 1240

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Message File No. 1523 G-2 Sender - (Receiver) ABEL, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 32 DATE: 28 Oct 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1370

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

A 1345 Chief reported 6 rds INCOMING fired from 796 VV 3. Rds landed vic Chief. Bn Arty was notified by 32 V

Message File No. 425 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abel 1st Lt

METEOROLOGICAL SECTION R.A.F. H.Q. 30 CORPS

ANNEX NO 1 TO SECRET
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HR SUNRISE AND HR SUNSET ARE GIVEN IN THE TABLE BELOW

SUN AND MOON DATA NOVEMBER 1944 MET SECTION, 30 CORPS

Date	SR Sunrise	SS Sunset	FL 1st Light	LL Last Light	MR Moonrise	MS Moonset	Phase
Nov. 1	0729	1708	0634	1807	1809	0815	
2	0731	1706	0637	1805	1842	0937	
3	0733	1704	0639	1804	1923	1053	
4	0735	1703	0641	1802	2011	1200	
5	0737	1701	0642	1800	2107	1256	
6	0738	1659	0644	1759	2209	1340	
7	0740	1658	0645	1758	2314	1415	Last Qr
8	0742	1656	0647	1756	—	1444	
9	0743	1655	0649	1755	0020	1507	
10	0745	1653	0651	1754	0126	1527	
11	0747	1652	0652	1752	0231	1545	
12	0748	1650	0653	1750	0337	1603	
13	0750	1649	0655	1749	0443	1620	
14	0752	1648	0656	1748	0550	1639	
15	0753	1646	0658	1747	0659	1701	New
16	0755	1645	0659	1745	0808	1727	
17	0757	1644	0700	1744	0918	1759	
18	0759	1642	0702	1743	1025	1839	
19	0801	1641	0703	1741	1126	1929	
20	0802	1640	0705	1740	1219	2031	
21	0804	1639	0706	1739	1303	2141	
22	0805	1638	0707	1738	1338	2257	
23	0807	1637	0708	1738	1408	—	1st Qr
24	0808	1636	0709	1737	1433	0017	
25	0810	1634	0711	1736	1456	0138	
26	0811	1634	0713	1736	1518	0300	
27	0813	1633	0714	1735	1541	0422	
28	0814	1632	0715	1734	1606	0545	
29	0816	1632	0716	1734	1636	0707	
30	0817	1631	0717	1733	1712	0827	Full

NOTES

(1) All times qouted are clock time i.e. British Summer Time.

(2) The tables are for latitude 52° N and longitude 6° E. To correct for places east of this subtract from all tables 4 minutes of time for each degree of longitude. For places further west add 4 minutes. The corrections for variations in latitude are not sufficiently large to be needed for operational purposes.

(3) The times given for first and last light are the means between civil and nautical twilights.

(4) The latitude and longitude of Nijmegen are 51°50'N 05°51'E.

(2) LEGEND: SR - SUNRISE, SS - SUNSET, FL - FIRST LIGHT, LL - LAST LIGHT, MR - MOONRISE, MS - MOONSET.

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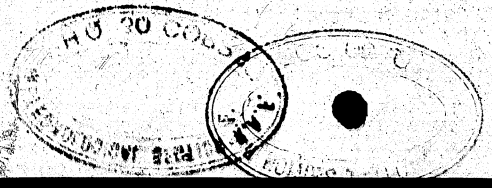

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325

TO : G-2

DATE 28 Oct. 44

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1425

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 0700 an ambulance seen moving on Wyler - Kranenburg road going to Wyler.

at 0800 764 Civilians Confirmed traffic on road in scattered groups.

Message File No. 4528 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asst 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Hdtq. DATE ~~1944~~ 28 OCT 1944

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 1800

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Fr. 320 FA. Considerable activity on roads from 8955645 - 8005665. Time 1435. Movement in scattered groups to Wyber.

Message File No. 4529 G-2 Sendor - (Receiver) ABEL, 1ST LT.

WL 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	Jay/R Broadcast	1400 hrs	

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 1115 O E704100 5 met nwg W turned S at E7104 E720098 to E728073 met activity along line Pines Road O E720098 to E728073 30 moved bangs O E742113 4 met nwg WO E726144 2 met fm WO NMS square E7012 LAA at E8610 - E7904 - E7411 HAA E7411

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Srl. No. | Priority | Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 281257

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR

Originator's No.

AIR 18 o A/R results o 15 trg z5310 straffed 2 smokers 30 trg z8143 stopped o 3 trn m/y E3897 toa 1050 - 11300 5 barges stat E. bank E0051 strikes seen on 303 met NZ4503 dest toa 11300 5 met mvg W 701100 att 1125 stopped on approach of aircraft and pulled into side of road

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Signed	Signed	4532

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Time cleared		

(GY 412) Wt. 32154 1445. 650,000 Pads. 10 45. R. & S. Ltd. 51-7552

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 28 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1650

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Ly plane flew over & dropped smoke at 743573 about 1640 hours & thereafter there was ly shelling at same coordinates.

(P)

Message File No. 454 G-2 Sender (Receiver): Price, Capt

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: Jac/R Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin: 1200hrs — Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R tba 0830 hrs ⊙ NMS Rd E4380 - Z5401 - Z7803 - E5785 - E4678 ⊙ ⊙ E4592 tm 35 trg clo 15 opn fcg EO E5498 tm 30 trg clo 10 opn fcg WO E4098 100 plus trg in M/Y ⊙ Z7803 100 plus trg ⊙ Z8007 10 plus barges ⊙ E4392 10 trg clo ⊙ LAA E4392 and E5985 ⊙ E2092 tm fcg SO NMS Rd ARNHEM E5885 - UTRECHT ⊙ E4887 15 plus trg opn ⊙ E4878 2 met fcg EO E5774 Large steam boat moored ⊙ E6276 4 barges moored ⊙ NMS Rd UTRECHT E5876 Arnhem ⊙ E9985 LAA ⊙ E7898 3 pass half tracks SO Z8914 1 met N into Wood ⊙ NMS Rd E3495-7577 -7803-9595 - 9577 and Rd E9595 - Z9208 - Z8836 ⊙ E9495 1 ENG 100 trg tm M/Y ⊙ Z8935 much activity M/Y tm 30 trg opn loaded fcg S.E and 11 trg shunting 200 trg ⊙ Z8836 large area flooded W of town ⊙ Z9208 100 trg and 50 plt trg ⊙ LAA intense E7979 inacc E9595 ⊙ Ref 1080 Broadcast tba 0735 ⊙ Second line for map ref E3530 Read E3550

4542

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 28 OCT, 1944

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 1652

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1615 one plane over area traveling W-E at about 1000 ft. — no attack by it.

Message File No. 4543 Sender (Receiver): Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps Perpignan DATE 2 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1400

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Document found yesterday afternoon at 1700 hours

Message File No. 4542 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abel, 1st Lt

Wie ihr kommen sollt:

Benuetzt die Strassen bei Nacht oder bei Tageslicht.
Kommt ohne zu zoegern.
Versucht nicht, durch unsre Linien zu kriechen.
Kommt mit ueber dem Kopf verschraenkten Haenden.
Kommt in kleinen Gruppen oder einzeln.
Entledigt Euch Eurer Waffen.
Tragt ein weisses Erkennungszeichen.

EURE RECHTE als Kriegsgefangene sind gewahrt im Einklang mit der Genfer Convention vom 27. Juli 1929.
(Kap. 2, Art. II, Abschnitt 846)

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dass Ihr schwere Verluste durch unsere Artillerie erlitten habt;

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SECRET

PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
281515 October 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 28-29 OCTOBER 1944

UNIT	TYPE OF PATROLS	NO OF MEN	TIME OUT	TIME IN	PLACE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	REMARKS
"I" Co	Combat	9	1830	2400	77365836	77565820 Hope to permanently OP house at 77465828	To take PW
"H" Co	Rcn	4	Dusk	Daylight	77465896	775589	To establish LP
"H" Co	Rcn	5	Dusk	Daylight	77445868	77545856	To take PW. Hope to establish permanent OP at this point.

Second Bn: Routine security patrol from MLR to OPLR

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORMAN
Capt., 504th Prcht. Infantry
S-2

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28 OCT 44

PATROL PLAN NIGHT 28/29

(BY 3RD BN)

80

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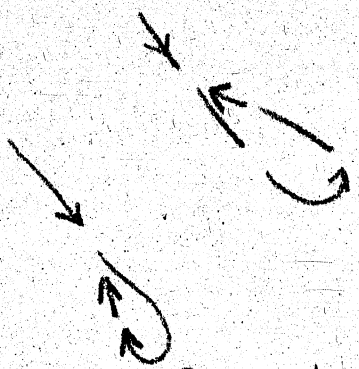

PTLS LEAVE BETWEEN 2100 - 2200

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DIST:

4-G-2
1 EA BN
1 CO 504
1 CO & STAFF
1 FILE

AGEE

(4548)

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 281225

Office Date Stamp

TO For Action: All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: O/M — O/R

Originator's No.

AIR 150 A/R results much met W Z 5501 to E 512975 loa 1015 ammo train E5698 attacked whole thing left burning o loa 1015 o orchard E035511 black smoke o NMS MAAS one steel barge W of ZALTBOMMEL attacked trn 25 plus trs fey S E 2578 strikes on Engine and some trg.

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SIGNED C/S 52

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

Time	System	Op
THI TOR 1258	W	48

Despatch

(GV412) Wt. 32154/1445. 650,000 Pads. 10/43. B. & S. Ltd. 51-7552

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 28 OCT 1944

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT: 1900

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 743566 about 20 rounds have just fallen coming in singly, one a minute. They come generally from 806558 (located by sound of report).

2 eny planes over 325 area flying North at about 500 feet, made no attack.

Typhoon apparently hit by ground fire, burst into flames & fell somewhere to our front.

G Co receiving mortar fire.

Eny ambulance on road Kranenburg — Wyler just out of Kranenburg.

Message File No. 4553 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Price, Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: AG DATE: 28 OCT 1944

TO : G-1 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Orders allowing 14 members of one CIC one dollar a day petty expense money received for the men involved, & passed to them.

Message File No. 4554 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price - Capt

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Srl. No. | [redacted]ority | [redacted]mission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army | Date-Time of Origin: 281510

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM | GR

Originator's No.

AIR 27 ⊙ A/R results ⊙ ToA 0900hrs ⊙ trn plus 25 trg NW E915082 eng Dest 5 trg Dest ⊙ trn 15 flats W A1603 eng Dest 5 trg ⊙ trn 30 trg N and S A 2306 Dam ⊙ H eng trg W A1803 2 Dest 2 Dam ⊙ ToA 1200-1230hrs ⊙ 1 very large SP barge A0017866 exploded ⊙ 3 met 1 hit NW E980510 1 smoker 2 Dam ⊙ smoke screen S bank river A0651 covered 3DG at RIES ⊙ ToA 1240 hrs ⊙ 10 trg Dest ⊙ scatt met mvg W at EH399 at H8980 ⊙ H met Dam ⊙

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Signed	Signed 4559		Time cleared		

(CT412) Wt. 32154/1445. 650,000 Pads. 10/43. B. & B. Ltd. 51-7552.

W1 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	Tac/R Broadcast	1500hrs	

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Tac/R Coa 1130 Rec'd NMS all Rds in and out of ~~FIRST~~ Forest Reichswald ~~Last~~ ⊙ A01409 1 S/C N ⊙ A1334 3 met mvg NW on Supply Rds ⊙ H0923 1 S/C mvg E and 2 met mvg N ⊙ E9833 1 met NWO A0127 M/Y empty ⊙ E88?53 2 Inf Running into wood ⊙ mod ACC in AA E87480 Tac 1205 NMS ⊙ A2314 50 trg opns then 50 trg clo ⊙ A4643 45 trg clo 25 opns M/Y ⊙ A6250 100 trg opns 180 trg clo 15 opns ⊙ A2962 M/Y empty ⊙ A2962 25 trg opns and 25 clo ⊙ Coa 1220 hrs E147216 2 tanks met SO Coa 1230 ⊙ No guns located at E1240 E1240 to E1540 NMS ⊙ E143452 1 met fcg N and 1 met fcg W otherwise NMS Rd E1540 to E1447 ⊙ E180520 prepared arty positions but NMS ⊙ E1450 to E2752 fresh digging S side of Rd ⊙ E145435 2 met fcg NO E165420 1 met towing medium gun SO NMS woods E1240 ⊙ Coa 1300 ⊙ Bridges down at E714101 E728074 ⊙ Bridges intact at E709121 foot bridges intact at E724047 Bridge intact E710039 ⊙ E718012 3 met N ⊙ E709069 40 plus met in village ⊙ E720088 to E729067 20 plus moored barges ⊙ E720150 cleared strip approx 500 yds long 50 yds wide

(45-60)

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W. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions.

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Jag/R Broadcast. For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 1700 | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jag/R Koa 1445 O E270443 Bridge completely demolished O E265465 Bridge appeared down O E264470 Bridge intact O E1543 I met fcgN otherwise NMS Rd E1540 to E1547 O E1545 post Rd block O NMS Rd E1540 to E0745 O E1545 to E0746 scattered civilians on Rd mvg both directions O E1245 I met E O E1544 I dmb N O

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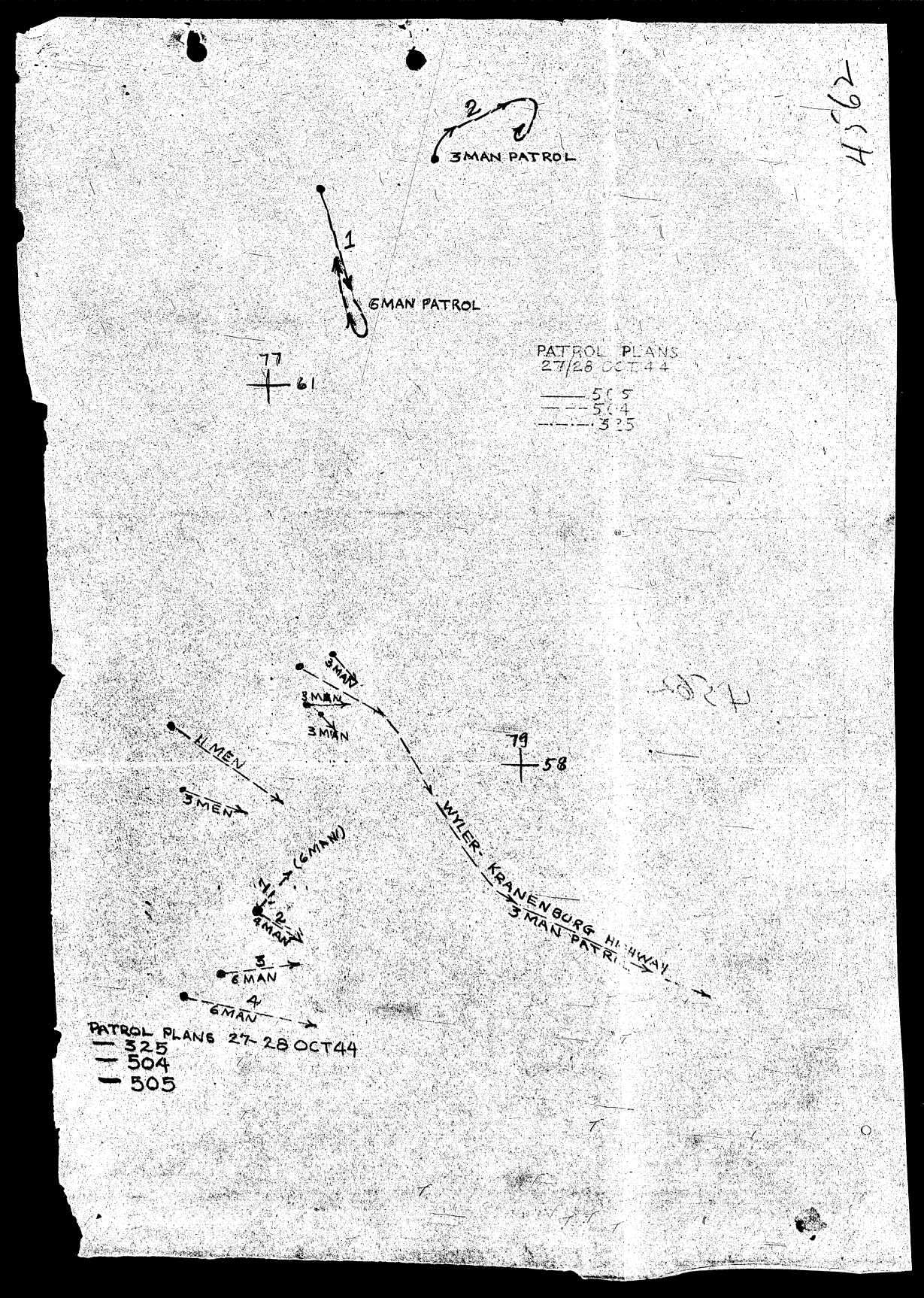
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 28 Oct 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1855

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2nd Bn Arty from Kranenburg
" SP " Den Heuvel
" HE " Rochusmald

Arty notified

Message File No. 4563 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Smith 2nd Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1900

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2 Mortars at 772613

Forty fired on mortars.

(P)

Message File No. 4565 G-2 Sender - (Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1905

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1730

3rd Bn H + I Cos receiving 50 mm + 81 mm mortar fire from WYLER. Also 88 mm thought to be from Tank.

One friendly casualty

Message File No. 4566 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Smith 2nd Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 28 Oct

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1940

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

4/56 FA 1900-1940 shoot 5 TOT's
up Germans on other side of WYLER
MEER. Vic 765596. MG & 7 Cannon &
mortars.

Message File No. 4570 G-2 Sender - (Receiver) Sgt 2nd Lt.

(4572)

SECRET

Hq 325 Glider Inf.
In the Field
28 October 1944

PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT OF OCT. 28-29.

Maps: GSGS 4427, HOLLAND, 1/25,000, Sheet 12 NW

Type Patrol	No. Men	Unit	Time Out	Time In	Point of Departure	Point of Return	Destination	Mission
#1 Ambush	6	2nd Bn	1900	0400	769568	769568	772571	1
#2 Ambush	5	2nd Bn	1930	0400	769568	769568	773566	1
#3 Ambush	5	2nd Bn	1930	0400	766563	766563	772564	1
#4 Long Dist	4	2nd Bn	2100	?	763561	763561	Kranenburg vic	2
Contact 1	3	1st Bn	2000	?	743580	743580		3
Contact 2	6	1st Bn	2400	?	743580	743580		3

Mission 1: To ambush ey patrols or OPs in their vic.

Mission 2: To gather information on terrain, with particular emphasis on suitability for operations involving armor.

Mission 3: To effect contact at points indicated on overlay.

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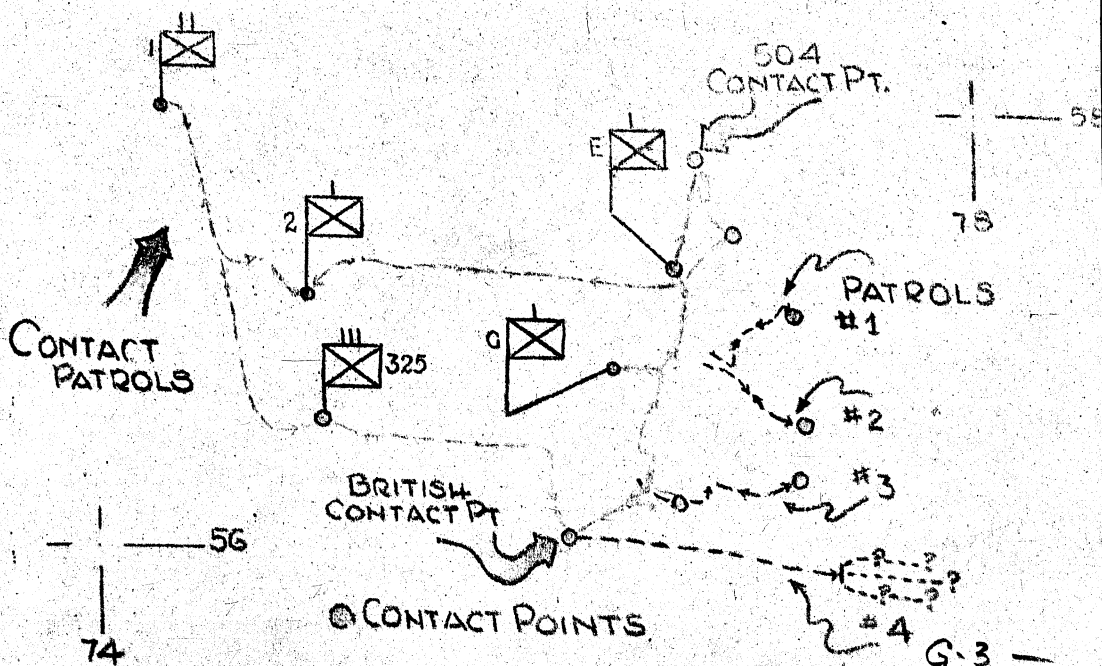
Commanding.

OFFICIAL:

BERKUT
S-2



G-3 —
DIV ARTY —

(4572)

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MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE) (CLASSIFICATION)

No. _____ DATE 28 OCT 1944

To S-2, 505

LONG RANGE AMPHIBIOUS PATROL NIGHT 29-30 TO PROCEED TO VIC LEUTH TO OBSERVE BY MOVEMENT VIC LEUTH DURING DAYLIGHT 30 OCT

OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF SENDER: C.O. 82nd Plt | TIME SIGNED: 2100 H

AUTHORIZED TO BE SENT IN CLEAR | SIGNATURE OR OFFICER: (4574) | SIGNATURE AND GRADE OF WRITER: [illegible] 1st Lt

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2030

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Several pieces of shell or Bomb fragment, apparently part of what was described by Ettrea Ordnance from fragments previously sent as a ~~rocket~~ new type German rocket were found at 759581, where 6 projectiles landed about 28/1375 Oct., coming from az. 95°. Fragments received, & forwarded to Div. Ord. Officer

Message File No. 4578 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 28 OCT -44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2105

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

100 RDS NEBLIN FIRE - come from all areas MOST prominent is S of KRANKENBERG.

CHEROKEE - Az. 125° - Range 4000 yds - 6 RDS. - TIME 2020
FCO - Az. 100° - " 1500 yds - ? - 2035
Mohawk - Az. 122° - ? - ? - 2035
" - GUN Flash - Az. 95°
Cherokee - 6 landed 500 yds to left. - 6 Rds. - 2035

CHEROKEE 757573
MOHAWK 760574
CHIEF 75505635

Chief - 24 Rds - burst bet. chief & cherokee - Az. 930 - 4800 yds Range 2035
Molah - NEBLIN - Az. 1200 - Range 2000 yds 2045
FCO - NEBLIN - Az. 90° - Range 1500 yds. 2045 } same one.
ECO - NEBLIN - Az. 1100 - Range ? - 2045 }
Cherokee - 6 shells - burst 500 yds straight N. - Az. 125° - Range 3500 yds. 2050

Message File No. 4584 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 28-10-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2105

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

CHIEF - 12 Rds - AZ. 109° - Range 4600 yds - 2 GUNS. - Time 2052

Mohawk - AZ 115° - Range 3000 yds - 12 rds. AT 2103

FCO - AZ. 120° - Rge 3000 yds - 12 rds.

Illuminating flare AZ. 10° from Cherokee - Rge 1500 yds.

Red Para flare shot over Crockett at 1920.

They're informed Div. Arty.

Message File No. 4584 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANCEK, 1st LT

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505

DATE 28 - Oct -44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 2040 OP Reports - NBLWFR from SE.
firing 6 Rds in burst of 2s landing SW. of O.P.

Message File No. 4585 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504

DATE 28-10-44 e CT

TO : G2.

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2115

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2nd BN Reports.

NBI [illegible] - seems to be moving. located at following co-ords:-

776575 - 761581 - 771570 - 773573

4 RDs loaded in E Co AREA.

Message File No. 4186 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): STANGER, 1ST LT.

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82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 28 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2310

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Mrs. W. Kramer said German tanks spent last night at 736587

He lives 727 Groesbeck Road

(153 FA Regt Com)

Message File No. 4591 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Lieutenant Major

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps DATE: 28-OCT-44.

TO : G2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT: 2314.

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~Motorboat or swimmer attempt possible on~~
~~Nijmegen Bridge but do not~~
~~not by radio~~

Alert our people - but not by radio.

There may be an attempt on Nijmegan Bridge to-night by motorboat or swimmers.

Informed Capt Harris of 505 AND G-3

Message File No. 4592 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): STANGER 1st LT

To: G-2 (4593) 28 Oct

From: S-2, Div Arty

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located Today

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
	791550	Nebel	320 FA
	796554	Nebel	320 FA
Yes	803531	Arty Btry	Air OP
Yes	77205690	SP Gun	320 FA
Yes	77205744	MG	376
Yes	77446002	MG	376
Yes	77905822	Mortar	376
Yes	812518	Btry	CBO

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvd	Impact	Az	No Shells	Cal
320	0710		730564	1700 mils	2	155
320	0830	730575	733572	2100 mils	25	75
376	1845	768595		92°30'	3	150
376	1900	768595		92°30'	3	150

Hostile Arty - No Change

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps

DATE 28-Oct-44

TO : G2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000 to 0900.

Surface wind W. S.W -10 MPH veering to W-NW.

weather will be cloudy at first becoming fair or fine.

Vis - 4 to 8 miles

cloud - 5 to 8/10 at 1500 ft at first with Med cloud above. Breaking + lifting to 3 to 5/10 at 4 to 5000 ft

outlook for tomorrow - fair with occasional showers

Message File No. 4594 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st Lt.

SECRET

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HEADQUARTERS NETHERLANDS FORCES OF THE INTERIOR.

Nijmegen, 27.October 1944.-

Subject: Loyalty Check.
To : Capt.F.Gorham, S-2 504 Prcht.Inf.

HENRI DOMINICUS MARIA SCHRETLEN, living at Nijmegen, Twaalf Apostelenweg 12, born at Nijmegen 3 October 1924, P.F. Nr. W 53 / 030158, has been checked by me and I have no objection against him being used by you as interpreter.

A. D. Bestebreurtje.

A.D. Bestebreurtje.
Captain Royal Netherlands Army.

1st Ind. FG/jmp
HEADQUARTERS 504TH PRCHT INF REGT., APO 469, U. S. Army, 28 Oct 1944.
To: A. C. of S., G-2 82d A/B Division, APO 469, U. S. Army.

Request that the above mentioned person be assigned this headquarters as an interpreter in lieu of proposed persons to be sent us from 325.

For the Commanding Officer: F. Gorham

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

OK by
Col W
TDK
504 informed

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To: 292400 OCT, 1944
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Place: NIJMEGEN (103586)

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0100		4597	290100	FROM 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
0100		4598	290100	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0100		4599	290100	FROM 504 TO G-2: TRUCKS AND MOTORCYCLE REPORTED IN WYLER NEAR CHURCH (0015); NEBELWERFER FIRE FROM VICINITY VASSENDAAL, LANDING R FLANK OF E Co	
0130		4600	290100	FROM 325 TO G-2: SHELLREPS - NEBELWERFER FIRE	
0300		4601	290300	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0305		4602	290300	FROM 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
0305		4603	290300	FROM 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0310		4604	290300	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
	0325	4605	291800	FROM G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
	0325	4606	292400	FROM G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 PERIODIC REPORT NO. 122 WITH SUN AND MOON DATA NOV. 44	

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0500		4607	29 [illegible]	FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0515		4608	29 [illegible]	FR 325 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0530		4609	290500	FR 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0705		4610	290700	FR 325 TO G-2. E CO OUTPOST SAW EY PATROL [redacted] MOTORCYCLE HEARD VICINITY DON HEUVEL.	
[redacted]		[redacted]			
0205		4611	290100	FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0210		4612	290200	FR 504 TO G-2 EY PATROL CONTACTED	
0715		4613	290[illegible]	FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT 28/29 OCT. 44.	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY XXX CORPS
0745		4614	29[illegible]	FR 505 TO G-2 PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT 28/29 OCT. 44	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY XXX CORPS
0810		4615 4616		FR A3P TO G-2: TAC/R	
0910		4617		FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: CHECK ON SHELLREP	
1120		4618		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL RPT FOR NIGHT 28/29 OCT. 44	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY XXX CORPS
				FR [illegible] CORPS MET TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST 290800 TO 292000	DIV ARTY, G-3

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0715		4619	282400	FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
0720		4620	290900	FR 504 TO G-2 [illegible]	
0925		4621	290900	FR 504, 505, 325 TO G-2: MED RADIO RPT	
0720		4622		FR G-1 TO G-2: REVISED FISCAL SOP	
0920		4623		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: [illegible]	
0910		4624	290900	FR 325 TO G-2: SITREP D	
0730		4625		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY
~~1130~~		4626		FR 505 TO G-2: BUILDING SOLDIER 7853, 975	
1030		4627		FR C/S TO G-2: MAP OF W HEMISPHERE ASKED	BOLLES & DAVIS ON IT
1030		4628		FR QM TO G-2: JET PLANE GUIDED BOMB	

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1100		4629		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
1100		4630	291100	FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
1100		4631		FR AG TO G-2: GLIDER PAY MEMO	TO PERMANENT FILE
1100		4632	291100	FR 325 TO G-2: TR ACTIVITY AT BLDGS AT 813557: PATL SAID ONLY	
1135		4633	291100	FR 505 TO G-2: NEG RPT	
1135		4634		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
1200		4635		FR RCN TO G-2 - ANSWER TO COL WINTON'S INQUIRY IN REGARDS TO O/S IN STN	
1200		4636		FR QM TO G-2 -: 5 PERSONNEL BOMBS AT 1030	
1200		4637		FR 504 TO G-2 -: I CO Reports ACTIVITY IN WYLER-LALEWALD-VOSSENDAL AREA	
1230		4638		FR 504 TO G-2 -: SHELLREP	
1230		4639	291200	FR/ASP/TO/G-2 -: TAC/RCN REPORT	
1230		4640		FR/ASP/TO/G-2:- RADIO/INTERCEPT/TALK ON/NIJMEGEN BRIDGE	C/S-G-3

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1ST	1230	4641		FR G-2 TO DIRECTOR INFO EDUCATION DIV ASF: REPLY TO INQUIRY REGARDING G-2 SUMMARY	
	1230	4642		FR G-2 TO GSI - 30 COPIES: CAPTURED ENEMY INSIGNIA WITH EXPLANATION	
1300		4643	291300	FR. 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1300		4644	291300	FR 504, 505 TO G-2 - NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1390		4645	291251	FR ASP TO G-2 - ALL STNS TAC R.	
1390		4646	291300	FR ASP TO G-2 - TAC R ON REPORT	
1325		4647	291300	FR 325 TO G-2 - NEG REPORT.	
1410		4648		FR QM TO G-2 - ANTI PERS BOMBS DROPPED IN AREA (1351)	
1445		4649		FR. 325 TO G-2: 2 GPS MEN (30 EASN) MOVING NE ALONG RD AT 850632.	
1496		4650		FR. 505 TO G-2: SHELREP:	
1500		4651		FR. ASP TO G-2: TAC. R. REPORT	

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1500		4652		FR. 101 To G-2: G-2 REPORT	TO 101st A/B DIV. FILE IN WAR TENT
1500		4653		FR. 43 DIV To G-2: INT SUM No. 66	C/S. DIV. ART., G-3 TO WAR TENT
1500		4654		FR. 30 CORPS To G-2: SITREP.	TO ENGR.
1500		4655	291500	FR. 504 To G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1500		4656	291500	FR. 505 To G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1500		4659	291500	FR. 325 To G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO	
1500		4658		FR. 50 DIV To G-2: SITREP:	TO WAR TENT
1500		4660	281800	FR. 30 CORPS To G-2: ADM. STATE AS AT	TO C/S
1500		4660	11 OCT. 44	FR. WAR OFFICE: To G-2: WEEKLY INT. REVIEW	TO WAR TENT
1500		4661	281900	FR. 508 To G-2: S-2 REPORT	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE

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From: 1[illegible]000 OCT 44
To: 2[illegible]2400 OCT 44
(Date and Hour)
Place NIJMEGEN
(703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1515		4682		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2. 454 REPORTS VERY PLANE DESTROYED SMACK LATER	
1530		4683		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2. HARASSING FIRES NIGHT 29-30 OCT. ARTY	G-2
1535		4684		FR 505 TO G-2. SHELLED	
1540		4685		FR AG TO G-2. DEPT BOARD OF OFFICERS	TO PERMANENT FILE
1600		4686		FR ASP TO G-2. TAC/R REPORT FOR 1400, 1500 - 1800 HRS	
1620		4687		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2. SHELLED	
1650		4688		FR 504 TO G-2 - PATROL PLAN NIGHT 29/30 OCT 44	DIV ARTY
1700		4688A	291700	FR 505, 50, 325 TO G-2 - NEG CRADLO	
1700		4689	291700	FR 325 TO G-2 - NEG REPORT	
1700		4690	291700	FR 504 TO G-2 - NEG REPORT	

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1700		4681	291700	FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1730		4682		FR. CIC TO G-2: SITRED	TO CIC FILE
1730		4683		FR. ASP TO G-2: TAC/R REPORT	
1830		4684		FR. 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT 29-30	DIV ARTY; G-3
1830		4685		FR. 504 TO G-2: G-2 REPORT	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
1830		4686		FR. 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN (29/30 OCT FOR NIGHT)	DIV ARTY; G-3
1830		4687		FR. 505 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT.	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
1830		4688		FR. G-2 PATROL PLANS 28/29, OVERLAY.	
1855		4689		FR 325 TO G-2 PATROL PLAN NIGHT 29/30 OVERLAY.	DIV ARTY; G-3
1905		4680	291900	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
1907		4681	291900	FROM 505 TO G-2, NEGATIVE REPORT	

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1920		4682		FROM 82 AA BN TO G-2: NOTHING TO REPORT, NO PERIODIC REPORT FOR TODAY	
1915		4683	291900	FROM 325 TO G-2: EY SMOKE SCREEN ON RIGHT FLANK (1730), NEBELWERFER SHELLREPS (1747 AND 1830), GUN AT 803523 (1747); NEBELWERFER AT 7900 7600 (1830).	
1925		4684	291900	FROM 504 TO G-2: EY ACTIVE IN WOODS AT 776588. MORTAR FIRE HAS BEEN LAID ON (1830); EY STILL ACTIVE IN SAME SPOT (1910), MORE MORTAR FIRE ON EY, AS SOON AS PERMISSIBLE PATROL WILL GO TO INVESTIGATE	
2000		4685	291800	FROM 307 ENGR TO G-2: ENGINEER SITUATION REPORT	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
2000		4686	291800	FROM 307 ENGR TO G-2: ENGINEER INTELLIGENCE REPORT WITH MINEFIELD REPORT ("TOTAL MINEFIELDS IN DIV. AREA REPORTED TO DATE")	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
2015		4687	291600	FROM 325 TO G-2, S-2 PERIODIC REPORT No 49 WITH OVERLAY "EY SITUATION FOR PERIOD 281600-291600	2 COPIES OF MINE FIELD REPORT TO G-3
2015		4688	29 OCT 44	FROM 325 TO G-2: BORDER BREEZE No. 19 (3 COPIES)	1 C/S, XXX CORPS, 1 TO G-1, 1 TO DIV ARTY, G-3, TO FILE

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2030		4689	29 OCT 44	FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: REPORT ON EY ARTILLERY, MORTARS AND MG's LOCATED 29 OCT AND SHELREPS	
2100		4690	292100	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2105		4691	292100	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
2108		4692	292100	FROM 505 TO G-2: SOME SHELLING IN AREA, MOST OF IT SEEMS TO BE LANDING IN 504 AREA	
1800		4693		FROM XXX BRITISH CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST FOR PERIOD 292000 TO 300900	
2115		4694	292100	FROM 325 TO G-2: HORSE AND WAGON MOVING AROUND IN DEN HEUVEL, FIRED ON. EY ACTIVITY IN FRONT OF 504, EY MG POSITION AT 775562, FIRED ON, RESULTS UNKNOWN BUT MG HAS NOT FIRED SINCE	
2135		4695	292100	FROM 504 TO G-2: H Co OP RECEIVED MG FIRE (2015), VEHICULAR MOVEMENT AND HORSE AND WAGON IN WYLER (2045). EY DIGGING ALONG HEDGEROW TO LEFT OF HOUSE AT 775584, EY MG VIC BUNKER (77565856). 3 HVY LOADED TRUCKS MOVING BETWEEN WYLER AND ZYFFICH	

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	2210	4696		FROM G-2 TO 456 FA BN: QUERY RE REPORT OF EY PLANE SHOT DOWN. REPLY: EY PLANE SEEN SMOKING AND IN DIVE VIC GRID SQUARE 7560 ABOUT 1430	
2235		4697		FROM XXX CORPS TO G-2: GENERAL SITUATION AND DEVELOPMENT ON 21ST ARMY GROUP FRONT	
2300		4698	292300	FROM 325 TO G-2: EY DIGGING IN FRONT OF SD4. HEAR DRIVING OF STAKES, MORTARS PLACED ON THEM.	
2300		4699	292300	FROM SD4 TO G-2: EY MOVEMENT ON FRONT. ARTY PLACED ON IT. 13 RDS MORTAR LANDED AT 771583 FROM RIGHT FRONT (215D). ENGR. PATROL NOT GOING OUT - TOO BRIGHT	
2340		4700		FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: TRACKED VEHICLES BETWEEN ZYFFLICH AND QUER-DAM, VICINITY 77506010). SOMEONE CHOPPING WOOD IN VASSENDAAL; LIGHTS VICINITY EITHER 783572 OR 789571; HORSE AND WAGON IN VASSENDAHL.	
2315		4701	292300	FROM SD5 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	

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From: 290001 Oct, 1944

To: 292400 Oct. 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN C103586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2310		4702	292300	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO). CHECK IN	
2400		4703		FROM 504 TO G-2: A TANK MOVED FROM 2911CH TO WYLER (2316), FOLLOWED LATER BY 3 MW VEHICLES. HEAVY TRUCK MOVING FROM DEN HEUVEL TO VASSEN DAL. 25 EY DIGGING IN ALONG LINE 773577	
		4704	290800	FROM 43 RD BRITISH DIV TO G-2: 43RD DIV. LOCATION STATEMENT	TO G-2

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 29-Oct-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0100

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 0015 TRUCKS + MTCL REPORTED IN Wyler near CHURCH.

NEBELWERFER fire – Landing right Flank of E Co + in c. 325 AREA. COMING FROM VIC VOSSENDAAL

Message File No. 4599 G-2 Sender (Receiver): Stanger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 29 Oct 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0130

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

0011 NEBIWFA - 6 shells - AZ. 125° - Landed 400 yds from CHEROKEE (757573) 220 AZ.

FCO reports same as above at AZ. 140°
Mohawk (760574) " " " " at AZ. 135°

CHEROKEE - REGT'L OP. AT 757573

AT 0018 NEBIWFR fired from 1150 - CHEROKEE
chief reports same from 1090
mohawk reports same from 1150

MOHAWK - 2ND BN OP AT 7600 5740

CHIEF - OP AT 7550 5635

AT 0109 NEBIWFR - 4 rds - AZ 140° - Landed 220° AZ. from cherokee.
chief reports same from 1280
mohawk " " " 135°

Message File No. 4600 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): STANGER, 1ST

They informed Div. Arty

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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
28 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news report is from radio broadcasts:

Scores of Allied planes roared over HOLLAND this afternoon on reconnaissance and assault duty in efforts to prevent the fleeing German Fifteenth Army from getting across the MAAS and back to the REICH.

The Nazis have apparently been taking advantage of recent inclement weather to get part of the Fifteenth Army out of SW HOLLAND, but the rapid advances of the British and Canadian troops indicated that the next few hours may decide whether Hitler's men will be successful in their flight.

In striking contrast to the recent leaden skies over much of the Dutch homeland, the sun shone brightly today and made ideal conditions for the Allied airmen.

An American radio report said TILBURG, vital communications center, is in our hands. BERGEN OP ZOOM, another key point, has also been captured and the Allied forces are on the outskirts of ROOSENDAAL.

Canadian units pushed forward on the SCHELDT causeway and were less than six miles away from the British beachhead on BEVELAND Island. This beachhead was considerable expanded today. Allied aircraft blasted enemy strongpoints on the SCHELDT Islands.

British armored columns pushed several miles beyond TILBURG and were within a few miles of BREDA, forcing the collapse of the German left flank south of the River MAAS. The recent German counterattacks from the VENLO area are being handled well by the Allies and are in no way interfering with the British thrusts. The British had advanced to within 10 miles of a bridge over the MAAS.

Elsewhere on the Western Front there was no major change. Small local gains were reported in the VOSGES Mountains.

Allied airmen raided HAMM, MUENSTER, BERLIN, and other cities in GERMANY.

While the Germans and Russians issued conflicting reports concerning the warfare in EAST PRUSSIA, one fact seemed definite: The Armies are fighting on a scale perhaps larger than ever before in their histories. In five days the Germans are known to have had between 15,000 and 16,000 men killed and to have lost and had crippled between 400 and 500 tanks. The Soviet losses are much smaller, and

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Red Star newspaper says the Soviets have continued to gain ground. As yet, however, there is no indication the battle has reached its climax.

The Japanese in the PHILIPPINES are finding the Americans too much for them. In one week they have had 14,000 casualties as compared with 2,000 suffered by the Americans.

The Americans now hold the eastern half of LEYTE, as well as another island.

Prime Minister CHURCHILL today sent a message to President ROOSEVELT congratulating him on the land and sea successes in the PACIFIC.

In YUGOSLAVIA the Russians have taken a railroad center 40 miles NW of BELGRADE and they have also driven the enemy out of the most strongly held position in CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

MOSCOW today announced that Armistice terms have been signed with BULGARIA by RUSSIA, GREAT BRITAIN, and the UNITED STATES.

Torrential rains have hampered operations in NORTH ITALY for the past 48 hours.

ARGENTINA has petitioned for an immediate meeting of the Pan-American Union. The request stated that ARGENTINA did not like the "action of certain American countries" and that ARGENTINA wished a "solution to present differences".

Floodlights are on the ACROPOLIS again today, celebrating GREECE's freedom. The lights were turned on today on the fourth anniversary of GREECE's entry into the war. It was four years ago that MUSSOLINI made his unsuccessful attack on GREECE and had to be saved from disaster by assistance from GERMANY.

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FROM: 280001 OCT 44
TO : 282400 OCT 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD
282400 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 132
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today and engaged by our arty: Nebelwerfers at 791550 and 796554, and mortar at 77905822 (Div Arty).

(2) MGs at 772568 and 774565 (325), MG at 77405775 (504), MGs at 781616 and 777616 (505).

(3) Barbed wire at western end of bridge at 77776157. All boards on bridge are loose and have wires attached (505).

(4) Booby traps along northeast side of OOIJSCHE GRAAF (505)

(5) Ey OP near RJ at 773577 reoccupied by ey (504)

(6) Two mortars at 772613 (505).

c. Units In Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Calibers

(1) Est of ey arty vic 82d A/B Div front - (No change) One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two heavy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty).

(2) Ey SP gun at 77205690 and ey btrys at 803531 and 812518 located today and engaged by Allied Arty (Div Arty).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change

f. Supply and Evacuation Establishments: What is believed to have been gasoline dump at 783636 set afire by our arty (505).

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD

a. General Summary: The clear weather today afforded our observation posts a view of brisk, though scattered, foot and motor movement in the enemy rear areas.
After dark the enemy staged a short period of Nebelwerfer

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shelling through our area, abetted by artillery and some small arms fire.

These stirrings may indicate a change in troop dispositions, or may be connected with the offensive activities of the 9th Pz Div and Div Erdmann to our south. These divisions are exerting pressure in an obvious attempt to distract force from against the German Fifteenth Army south of the MAAS.

b. Operation of Component Elements:

(1) Antiaircraft Artillery: Plane, believed Allied, apparently shot down by ground fire about five miles from 761598 on az of 55°. (505, 325).

(2) Artillery:

(a) Shelreps

Unit Reporting	Time	Location of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No of Rds	No of Guns	Caliber	Interval
325	0700	755571	140	6	?	Hvy	?
320 FA	0710	7305?4(x)	1700m(y)	2	?	155	?
320 FA	0830	7305?5	2100m	25	?	75	?
325	1127	755534	796548(z)	24	2	Nebelwfr	?
325	1140	757568	791550(z)	?	1	Nebelwfr	?
505	1145	754614(x)	30plus110	?	2	105	?
325	1200	757588	796553(z)	12	1	Nebelwfr	?
505	1230	753619(x)	E	2-3	1	75	?
325	1345	755564	796553	6	1	Nebelwfr	?
325	1354	757568	796554(z)	6	1	Nebelwfr	?
325	1700	743566(x)	806558	20	1	?	?
376FA	1845	768545	92.5	3	?	150	?
376FA	1900	768545	92.5	3	?	150	?

(x) Location of Impact. (y) Azimuth from Impact. (z) Location of Gun

(b) Increase in Nebelwerfer fire after darkness 28 Oct (325)

(3) Aviation, Combat: Ey plane dropped smoke at 743573 about 1640 and thereafter ey arty fire landed at same coordinates (Div Arty).

(4) Engineers: Object which appeared to be camouflage net observed at 784565 (325)

c. Miscellaneous:

(1) Scattered vehicular and pedestrian traffic vic KRANENBURG during daylight (325)

(2) Ey continued free use of flares to light up front night 27-28 Oct. Ey listening posts may be equipped with telephones to permit calls for flares. (504 Prcht Inf patrol reported hearing a grinding noise, such as a field telephone would make, every time patrol made a noise. Flares then would be shot from vic to rear of listening post.)

3. MISCELLANEOUS:

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate

(2) Prisoners of War:

a. Taken during period of report: 0
b. Taken to date: 2990

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Generally fair, with some ground haze, during hours of daylight; cool.
(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Occasional showers.

c. Other Intelligence: At 282300 the line from Regt CP to Regt OP at 761599 was out. Wireman making repairs tapped into line and heard voices which he believed to be either Polish or German (505).

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change

ONE ANNEX: NOV SUN AND MOON TABLE

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50 Div (Br)	-1
30 Corps (Br)	-1
43 Div (Br)	-1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	-5
2 Bn Irish Gds	-1
3103 QM Trk Co	-1
JEDBURGH Team	-1
PHANTOM	-1
TOTAL	81

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ANNEX NO. 1 TO
G-2 REPORT NO. 132.

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
28 OCTOBER 1944

SUN AND MOON DATA - NOVEMBER 1944

Date	SR	SS	FL	LL	MR	MS	PHASE
1	0729	1708	0553	1847	1609	0815	
2	0731	1706	0557	1845	1642	0857	
3	0733	1704	0559	1844	1725	1955	
4	0735	1703	0601	1843	2011	1040	
5	0737	1701	0603	1840	2307	1136	
6	0738	1659	0604	1839	2309	1240	
7	0740	1658	0606	1838	2314	1345	
8	0742	1656	0607	1836	--	1445	Last Qr
9	0743	1655	0609	1835	0020	1537	
10	0745	1653	0611	1834	0136	1622	
11	0747	1652	0612	1832	0251	1656	
12	0748	1650	0613	1830	0357	1723	
13	0750	1649	0615	1829	0503	1750	
14	0752	1648	0616	1828	0559	1816	
15	0753	1646	0618	1827	0650	1841	
16	0755	1645	0619	1826	0808	1907	New
17	0757	1644	0620	1824	0914	1929	
18	0759	1642	0702	1823	1025	1959	
19	0801	1641	0703	1821	1136	1989	
20	0802	1640	0705	1740	1319	2031	
21	0804	1639	0706	1750	1503	2141	
22	0805	1638	0707	1738	1636	2257	
23	0807	1637	0708	1738	1408	--	1st Qr
24	0808	1636	0709	1737	1453	0017	
25	0810	1634	0711	1736	1456	0138	
26	0811	1634	0713	1756	1518	0300	
27	0813	1633	0714	1735	1541	0432	
28	0814	1632	0715	1734	1606	0548	
29	0816	1632	0716	1734	1636	0707	
30	0817	1631	0717	1733	1712	0827	Full

NOTES

(1) The times given for first and last light are the means between civil and nautical twilights.
(2) Legend: SR - Sunrise, SS - Sunset, FL - First Light, LL - Last Light, MR - Moonrise, MS - Moonset.

SOURCE: MET SECTION, 30 CORPS

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 29 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0705

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 0514 hours E Co. outpost saw ey patrol to its front, fired on it, & sent out detail to try to ambush it; it got away.

Motorcycle heard vicinity den Hemel about 0615 & 0640 hours.

At 0645 tracked vehicles heard to front, vicinity Vossendaal.

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Message File No. 4610 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 29 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0710

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 0645 hours H Co reported tanks & vehicles heard vic. Wyler.

At 0649 hours enemy crawled to vic. 775-585 & fired 6 Panzerfaust toward our OP. Two did not explode; one man in OP crawled to origin of fire & threw gammon grenade, & heard two enemy get up & run.

At 0655 motor movement heard vic. Hofflich

Message File No. 4612 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt.

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
290600 October 1944

Subject: Results of Patrol Activity for Night 28-29 October 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division, APO 469

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night of 28-29 October 1944:

"I" Co Combat Patrol consisting of nine (9) men, left (77365836) at 281830 October 1944. Patrol went to hedgerow (77965838) and found Double Apron barb wire fence about 20 yards North of, and parallel to, hedgerow. Heard enemy movement vic of house (775582) and hedgerow. Freshly dug positions between hedgerow and fence unoccupied. One of the enemy was observed running from South side of road to house and 50mm mortar fire was promptly brought down on the patrol. Motor movement was heard in LAGHALD. Patrol withdrew and returned to our lines at 2240. 60mm Mortar fire was put on these positions and arty on motor vehicular movement in LAGHALD. At 0230 another patrol was sent out to establish Listening Post in vic of (775582). Heard movement in same house at (775582). Listening post returned to our lines at 0445. No casualties, no PW's.

"H" Co Recn Patrol consisting of five (5) men left (77445868) at Dusk. Patrol ran into squad of enemy with MG dug in at (77565886). Bunker at this point with positions dug on our side of it. Fire fight ensued at close range. One grenade was thrown into Foxhole occupied by enemy. Patrol withdrew under S/A fire and 50mm mortar fire. One of the patrol LWA - Evacuation unnecessary. The patrol was under constant fire from time it left OPL until it returned at 2325. No PW's.

"H" Co Recn Patrol consisting of four (4) men left (77465896) at Dusk to establish a Listening Post at (775589). Patrol not returned at time of this report.

Second Bn Maintained routine security patrols from MLR to OPLR.

For the Commanding Officer:

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F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
290700 October 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for [illegible] 28/29 Oct:

3rd Bn Patrols

1. Patrol No 2, two men [illegible]llo, ptl ldr, left 774624 at 2015 hr. Went East to approx 7[illegible]d then South to 778617. Here the patrol was stopped--unable t[illegible] the open terrain because of eny flares. Patrol returned with [illegible] no casualties--having made no contact with the eny.

2. Patrol No 1 did not go out. [illegible]as planned to keep the sector quiet in preparation for night activities of 29/30 Oct.

3. There was some intermittent shelling in the Regimental area during the night, but it was light. At 0610 Outpost at 780624 reports what they believed to be a robot bomb at distance of 15 miles at MA 90. This was seen at approx 0545.

4. No other enemy activity to report.

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1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO and Staff
1 File

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~~Div Arty~~ JAM

Returned to G-2
(Wm. Ramsay)

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Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428-51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
	Yae/R Broadcast For Action.	2008hrs	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Yae/R 16a 1535hrs ⊙ E8809 2 met EO E215612 2 met W ⊙ E190254 5 scatt met SWO Bridge D999426 confirmed intact ⊙ Bridge E900415 and E018408 down ⊙ Yae/R to 1700 ⊙ NMS Bridge at E1344 ⊙ E0748 30 plus moored barges N and S Banks otherwise NMS area E0248 E1448 E1640 E0640 ⊙ To 1640 ⊙ E3177 2 met mvg E ⊙ E3777 50 plus barges moored in inlet ⊙ E4378 and E4578 ferries on S Bank ⊙ E5375 10 plus moored barges in inlet ⊙ Bridges out at E515750 and E707765 and E747769 ⊙ E778761 Bridge intact ⊙ E453762 2 troop carriers S ⊙ E3474 2 troop carriers S otherwise NMS area E4077 - E4063 - E5669 - E5675 ⊙ E5373 to E5171 scatt zig zag trenches and poss unoccupied gun posns along dyke ⊙

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
29 October 1944

PATROL REPORTS FOR NIGHT OF OCT. 28-29.

Lt. Harple, of Co F, with 4 men, left at 2130 thru F Co outpost. They advanced about 200 yds to the front, but were handicapped in their movements by the light. Listening post and ambush post was established about 200 yds to the front of the outpost. MG was reported firing from vic of woods south of Den Heuvel. Patrol returned at 0535 to 2nd Bn CP.

Lt. Pope, of Co E, with 4 men left about 2200 from E Co's center CP and advanced to the vic of houses at 772571, where one of the houses was burning. Ky could be heard talking near the house during the 1½ hours the patrol maintained a listening post in that vic. Patrol leader reported an ey patrol of 8-10 men moving thru the area. Returned about 0130.

Lt. Mehler, of Co G, with 4 men, moved out about 2130 to point 771568, where a listening post was established. Movement and voices were heard in Den Heuvel and the patrol leader said a MG position is location at the RJ 770570, altho it did not fire on the patrol's position. Returned about 0300.

Long range patrol, consisting of Lt. Steffens, 1 British officer and 2 EM from G Co, left the British contact point at 2100. At point 764561 they found the body of an ey, clothing of which had been stripped of all identification, except for Luftwaffe insignia. Patrol was unable to advance beyond point 772558, where they received frontal fire and fire from MG in houses vic of 773557. Heard positions being prepared to the rear of the houses. Returned to the CP at 0200. Light conditions, which made visibility about 300 yards, hampered their movements.

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 28 October 44)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	23	236	23	566	24	494	22	443	92	1739		
504	30	196	32	481	34	488	35	364	131	1529		
505	26	235	40	465	38	412	38	506	142	1618		
508	34	248	30	342	30	359	28	359	122	1308		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA-DOW		MISSING		WIA+NIA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	78	13	253	26	526	5	300	54	1157	92	1739
504	8	84	3	84	28	369	4	120	43	657	131	1529
505	6	99	1	54	25	328	9	160	41	641	142	1618
508	15	114	4	109	27	396	5	115	51	734	122	1308
INF	39	375	21	500	106	1619	23	695	189	3189	487	6194
ARTY	3	27	7	97	25	156	4	75	39	355	145	1783
ENGR	2	23	1	5	7	75		27	10	130	35	503
MED				2	1	18		10	1	30	27	264
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
80 AA		18	1	4	5	44	1	33	7	99	34	462
OTHERS		4		6	3	25		4	3	39	78	434
TOTAL	44	447	30	614	147	1939	28	846	249	3846	813	9755

OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

SUBJECT:- Tattooing of SS

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Main HQ 30 Corps

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28 Oct 44

GSI Gds Armd Div G-2 82 US Airborne Div
GSI 43 Div G-2 101 US Airborne Div
GSI 50 (N) Div
PW Int Sec
GSI(b)
19 FSS 45 FSS 57 FSS 74 FSS 77 FSS 1009 FSRD 82 A/B Div CI Det 101 A/B Div CI Det

1. A PW has stated that all full-time members of the Waffen SS and All genuine SS, but NOT part-time (nicht hauptamtliche) members, may be identified by their having their blood-group tattood on the left arm about an inch below the armpit.

2. Preliminary investigation at Kempton Park has discovered twenty SS men so marked who had changed into Wehrmacht uniforms at the PW embarkation camp at STEENIE EGLISE in order to escape identification as SS. It is requested that further investigation of the reliability of this marking should be made in a way that will not lead prisoners to associate it with SS identification.

3. The twenty SS men had changed uniforms on the advice of a German battalion leader at the embarkation camp, who had been told that no Waffen SS members were being sent to America.

4. It is important that this information be strictly restricted to essential recipients.

[signature]
Brigadier
General Staff

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 29 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0910

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

No more movement of AFVs since daylight.

Shelling: O at 767572

Ag. from O, shells from 160°-165° by report,

Shells landing sporadically about 0800 in vicinity of O.

At 0815 shell from 130° landed at 767574, range 2000 yds; another 0900 hours. (Q)

Message File No. 4/24 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505

DATE 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1000

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 7855 5975 a building burning past two hours, set afire by arty; apparently contained store of ammunition.

Message File No. 426-2 Sender - Receiver: PRICE, capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: C/S DATE 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1030

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Request a map of western hemisphere (covering itinerary of 82nd A/B Div) approx. 2' X 2'.

(Bolle put onto a search)
Sat Dawn " " " "

Message File No. 427 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

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MESSAGE FORM

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TO: All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

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Message Instructions: QYM | GR

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AIR 1 0 F/F/B attack 28 oct close support tgts incl successful attack on Bridge E708123 trks were attacked E7167° 1 dest 3 dam very successful attack + hvy guns E200505 0 claims locos 4 dest 20 dam trucks 34 dest 92 dam 0 barges 1 dest 3 dam 1 ferry dest met 12 dest 19 dam trk 1 dest 4 dam rly cuts 39 cuts inv 21 places 4 enemy a/c dest 1 probable dest

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Time: THI or TOR 0815 | System: W | Op: [illegible]

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(6V412) Wt. 32154 1445. 650,000 Pads. 10/43. E. & S. Ltd. 51-7552.

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 10[illegible] 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 21[illegible] **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: GR

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Jac/R toa 0735 ⊙ NMS K7890 ⊙ K7893 Rly bridge intact ⊙ K7890 Rd Bridge out ⊙ E9109 to K7890 10 scatt barges L/T Bank of River ⊙ E903090 Bridge appears intact ⊙ E7320 to E7718 fresh tank tracks otherwise NMS area E8330 - 7925 Vehs along river to E8330 ⊙ Toa 0800 ⊙ 10/10 cloud 7000 ft Vis 15 miles to 20 miles ⊙ NMS Rd Junc E0436 - E0640 - E0642 - E0584 - E0142 - E0435 ⊙ No furniture seen River E0050 to E3052 ⊙ Bridges intact at E035506 and E193519 - E197526 - E238529 ⊙ E2952 all Bridges down ⊙ E072472 1 met W ⊙ E072472 1 met WO ⊙ Bridges intact E016488 E023465 ⊙ E005443 10 moored barges ⊙ E046398 Bridge (Not on map) intact ⊙ E134438 1 prob tank transporter mvg WO E189473 Bridge intact ⊙ E179468 Bridge down ⊙ E036361 3 met mvg NO Toa 0750 ⊙ F0393 1 met with trailer mvg S ⊙ Toa 0800 ⊙ Bridges down E001430 and E017407 ⊙ Bridges intact D999423 and E000415 ⊙ E094504 ferry activity and digging on N Bank and intense L AA ⊙ E094502 ferry active and 2 met 6 inf S Bank ⊙ NMS entire area E7218 - 7006 - 6500 - K7592 - E8810 ⊙ NMS E708122 to 7204 to K6299 to 7186 ⊙ K630999 10 barges ⊙ E728075 10 plus barges ⊙ Bridges E709121 and 724047 and 7110 and 7209 appeared intact ⊙ Bridge E7206 appears down ⊙ E7206 Raft

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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TO (W) For Information (INFO) | Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jag/R toa 0755 hrs ⊙ Bridges at E709121 and E724047 and 7117 and 7207 appear intact ⊙ Bridge E7206 appears down ⊙ Pods Raft 50 yds N of Bridge at E7206 ⊙ 10 plus barges E7207 to E7204 ⊙ Jag/R toa 0725 ⊙ E2092 NMS and 20 dam brg in M/Y ⊙ E6583 1 met stationary ⊙ E6084 - 2 met mvg W ⊙ E7477 NMS and No brg in M/Y ⊙ E7277 # Barges moored ⊙ Bridge at E515751 down ⊙ on line E513712 # to E530737 searched but NMS and no digging seen ⊙ 6 Inf ran off road at E488699 going W ⊙ Area E3847 - 4063 - 5668 - 5674 carefully searched but NMS ⊙

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: QM (Capt MAYES) DATE 29 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1037

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Jet propelled plane dropped anti-personnel bombs IN QM AREA AT 1030

One MAN slightly wounded

(P)

Message File No. 412 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [redacted] whitey, S/Sgt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 29 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 0955 the activity observed at 813557 & artly has been firing at it this 4/0 mm. Sporadic shelling during past 2 hours, all reported to arty.

(P)

Message File No. 1632 Sender - Receiver: Bde, Engr.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Srl. No. | Priority | Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army | Date-Time of Origin: 290105A | Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM | GR

Originator's No.

AIR100 AIR results too 0715-0745 fighters attacked KREFELD aerodrome 2 a/c dam 0 strafed 2 tin 30-40 tns W 2204 dam also eng N 2398 dam factory 1903 left smoking 40 net NW 2398-1902 nos 0 too 0800 hrs 6 rms area VENLO—ROERMOND attacked bridge E708122 believed dest

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

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(GV412) Wt. 32154/1445. 650,000 Pads. 10/43. B. & S. Ltd. 51-7552.

W1 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 210428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Lar[illegible]) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	Jack R Broadcast For Action.	1100 hrs.	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Jack/16a 0845 O 10/10 cloud 5500ft VIS 10 to 15 miles O E293520 Bridge down O E290552 2 met fig SO E290565 1 met SO E255677 3 unexploded gun pits O E292604 2 met figs O E292608 Rd Bge appears available O E293608 Rly Bge down at N end much smoke from town O E292605 1 met SO E155678 4 met fig NW O E088622 10 plus barges both sides O E090623 ferry moored O E063553 2 met SO E062520 2 met EO E067517 1 met EO ferry at E097503 and at E096502 O E095501 1 met fig NO E270530 4 met fig EO E284528 2 met NO Jack 0750 O E9919 1 S/E SO A0816 tm SO clo tkg mvg NO A0809 tm 20 clo tkg mvg NO A0405 tm 40 clo tkg mvg EO F0898 tm 15 clo tkg mvg EO A1701 tm 60 tkg mvg NE O A1904 tm 1/9 2/3 full mixed tkg O A2317 50 tkg O

1634

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE: 29 OCT 44

TO : Lt Renard TIME RECEIVED OR SENT:

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Col. Winton would like to know what your instructions were from the C/S this morning.

[redacted]

OVER

Message File No. 4/635 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, capt

(Reply on back)

G-2

C/s wants me and a handful of men to be on hand when BREDA falls — with mission of "retrieving" some liquor stocks.

We are leaving at 1230

1/LT/V Omari
RCN Co

(4635)

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 407 QM ~~CLOSTER~~ DATE: 29 Oct.

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1205

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

5 Personnel bombs in QM ~~Closter~~ area at 10:30 A.M.

Message File No. 4436 G-2 Sender - Receiver: JOHN H. BACKER
2ND LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1145

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

I Co. Report

About 0500 were 15 trucks, 2 halftracks

2 motorcycles in Uyhen - Fayenvald - Vorembosh

sector. Came up towards

Rattling equipment, talking, etc.

H Co has had 3-man patrol come in

nightly to 767594

Message File No. 4637 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1220

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Landing at 733651 10 rds med. arty coming from 100° M Az. O at point of impact 8 second interval between muzzle blast and burst.

Message File No. 4638 G-2 Sender - Receiver: D. Abel 1st Lt

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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Office Date Stamp

FROM (A) Originator: TacR Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin: 1200

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

TacR Report from air O Bridges destroyed E709121 and 724047 and 7110 and 7206 O E7207 no bridge O K665829 no activity but pilot ~~cannot~~ [unsure] SHY if Bridge exists or not O TacR Toa approx 1100 hrs O Bridges destroyed E709121 and 724047 and 7110 and 7206 O no ~~bridges~~ [barges] seen E7207 O Bridge under construction E720045 O No activity K665829 O NMS MET EN O E723067 7 plus MET E O ~~NMS~~ [NMS] E733047 O Toa 0926 O A4141 convoy 15 plus large MET moving N O A132415 50 plus inf unloading 3 ferries pilot believes traffic SW to NE

4639

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ARMY FORM C2136 (

MESSAGE FORM

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(Intercept)

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FROM (A) Originator: 30 Corps

Date-Time of Origin: 291200

Office Date Stamp: C/S [illegible] GB ABB.

For Action

TO: C/S G-3

2nd Army

(W) For Information (INFO)

Return, GL

Message Instructions — GR

Q

Originator's No.

Bomrep O A O ADD B 0291035 O C O 7176330 D O south end of NIJMEGEN O RD bridge O E O NO plane in d F O 5 bombs O G O 1 small crater rest of bombs fell in river killed 1 sapper seriously wounded 5

4640

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Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority

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Signed Rec'd 291400 AB

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(G 483) Wt. 49325 567. 996,000 Pads. 2-42. B. & S. Ltd. 48-344.

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MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE)

No. ______ DATE 29 Oct

To G-2 XXI Corps (Br)

Enclosed insignia taken off dead German soldier in front of 325 Gli Inf Position night of 28-29 Oct. Position on uniform not known

4642

Champagne
OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF SENDER

1240
TIME SIGNED

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SIGNATURE OF OFFICER

Abel 1st Lt
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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Sct. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 29/1251

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 46

Originator's No.

AIR 180 F/B results 0 toa 0920hrs attacked twn 50 plus twa W KREFELD M/Y incl oil wagons 7 large expl flames and black smoke exp dam large shed N side M/Y exploded toa 1105 hrs attacked barges stat K81984 dam otherwise NMS area VENLO – ROERMOND

This Message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means {except / } wireless	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority: 4045	Time: THI or TOR 1305 Time cleared	System: W	Op.
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(GV463) Wt. 49325/567. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 46-244

W1 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	TAC/R Broadcast	1300 hrs	

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

TAC/R TOA 0930 ⊙ A6655 150 plus open and close TRG 2 ENG S/H in reding ⊙ A6655 4 large MET and must act probably intending ⊙ A2393 TRN 10 TRG mvg S ⊙ A2341 2 ENG 150 plus open and closed TRG ⊙ A2439 TRN 40 tracked TRG mvg S ⊙ TOA 1000 ⊙ A4643 TRN 15 TRP 15 TRG mvg W ⊙ A5147 TRN 30 plus TRG mvg S ⊙ A6250 M/Y TRN being formed cafe ⊙ A6453 TRN 30 TRG mvg S. ⊙ A6563 TRN 40 TRG mvg NW ⊙ A5866 TRN 30 TRG mvg SW ⊙ A4790 TRN 10 open and 5 closed TRG mvg NW ⊙ A5384 TRN 10 TRG open 6 closed mvg SE ⊙ A2419 unidentified construction in fields ⊙ TOA 1100 hrs ⊙ E720045 bridging going on ⊙ No act at E7207 ⊙ E723036 4 plus met mvg E ⊙ TOA E733047 and E8323 and A6656

1646

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			THI or TOR 1320	R/T	McLean
Signed.	Signed.		Time Cleared		

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 407 Qm DATE: 24 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1420

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

4 A P bombs dropped in area at 13.7 hrs. No injuries in area.

Message File No. 4648 G-2 Sender - Receiver: ABell 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1420

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Clear at 755773 Mat 150763 2 groups of men - 30 each moving NE along road at 1415 hrs.

Message File No. 4649 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [signature] 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1420.

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

6 rds H. Vel. 105 mm landed 76906195 coming by A 2 820. at 1415 hrs Observer at point of landing.

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Message File No. 4650 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Hasel 1st Lt

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Larg[illegible]

MESSAGE FORM

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions	Register No.

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	TAC/R BROADCAST	1400 hrs	

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No

TAC/R TOA 1030 hrs ⊙ NMS E2655 and E1447 ⊙
E2445 2 met ⊙ w/o ferry E0050 - E2052 ⊙ E0349
6 met NE ⊙ K7790 rd bridge down ⊙ K7085 50
plus barges moored ⊙ K7589 ferry active ⊙
Bridges intact K7744 and E9009 ⊙ Ferries active
E913189 and 911250 ⊙ E901148 tug and [illegible]
TCK TKV [illegible] to loading [illegible] ⊙ E813268
to E850277 [illegible] ⊙ E821314 - 850187 - 840144
- 835143 slight met cont. ⊙ E765060 [illegible] barges ⊙
E720045 bridge under construction ⊙ E722068
4 plus met E ⊙ E734047 4 HAA guns ⊙ K6277
to K712867 all major bridges out ⊙ TOA 1115 hrs ⊙
E824669 [illegible] boat ferrying ⊙ E775165 [illegible]
seen ⊙ E776680 2 [illegible] transporters [illegible] ⊙
E946699 to E895721 20 plus [illegible] met [illegible]
ways ⊙ E899688 to 897707, 20 plus M/C and [illegible]
TAC/R [illegible] E8874 - E9574 - E9597 - E8969 [illegible]
rd E899721 - 982671 ⊙ LAA E912650 and 900720 ⊙
E8943 scatt met ⊙ E8943 to 9935 [illegible] S ⊙
E A1432 to 0635 5 met NW ⊙ A1942 to E9056
scatt both ways

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Hq

DATE 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

456 FA Bn reports 1 eny plane destroyed more details later.

Message File No. 4662 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asst 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: VVV DATE 29 Oct. 44

TO : G-V TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1VV

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

6 rds from 1 gun launch
7VV96448 at 1445 hrs. Rounds
coming from due North.

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Message File No. 4664 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abell 1st Lt.

W1 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 210428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	Jac/R Broadcast For Action.	1500 hrs	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R Doa 1225 hrs O NMS Ward area E1540 to E1542 O No signs of ferries and NMS River E2652 to E0050 O Bridges intact at E035504 E192519 and E199526 and E 9009 K7894 O E007490 3 barges O E070490 20 plus barges O E095503 No activity ferry sight O E095502 to E097494 many craters O E097494 No bridge seen O E096505 2 barges 4 small boats O NMS Rd Venlo to E81380 E8763 2 met NO K8497 tm 12 tkg NO K8499 tm in sidings O K7869 M/Y 15 tkg O K7584 6 barges and 1 Dredger O K7890 Rd Bridge down O NMS 4 mile radius all roads K7890 O NMS Venlo O HAA E8318 and E8414 and E8800 and K7198 O Jac/R Doa 1345 hrs O Bridges down E708122 and 724047 and 714100 and 728075 and 729065 O Bridge under construction E720045 O K665829 No bridging seen O K705663 NMS O otherwise NMS area E7218 - 7006 - 6500 K7592 - E8810 O Meijel burning and NMS O NMS AMERIKA O AAA E720080 and 755072 and K780845 O

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div. Arty DATE 29 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Grids 105 mm FR. 1 gun.
Loaded 780629 - observed FR.
793626. At mz 50°.

Message File No. 4667 G-2 Sender - Receiver: FOURT

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PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
291515 October 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 29-30 OCTOBER 1944

UNIT	TYPE OF PATROL	NO OF MEN	TIME OUT	TIME IN	PLACE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	REMARKS
"H"Co	Recn	2	1900	0530	H Co OP	WYLER-KRANENBURG HIGHWAY	
"I"Co	Recn	6	1830	2300	774584	778584	To obtain P W
"I"Co	Listening Post	2	Dusk	Daylight	Co Position	774583	

2nd Bn to maintain usual security patrols

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A)	Originator: 2nd Army	Date-Time of Origin: 291400	OFFICE DATE STAMP
	For Action:		
TO	All Stns		
	(W) For Information (INFO)		Message Instructions: QYM — GR:

Originator's No.

AIR 36 ⊙ A/R results ⊙ Trn 10 trg SW w2814 Eng dam trg straffed ⊙ Trn 4 trg SW 2410 eng dam ⊙ Trn SE b2685 eng dam trg straffed ⊙ Trn 40 trg NE b0992 eng Several dam many trg dam ⊙ Trn 5 trk SE w1415 eng blew up ⊙ 200 Rlwy trg incl many oil trg b1197 btn 1400-1500

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin
	2nd Army	291430

For Action

All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Office Date Stamp

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Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 62

Originator's No.

HIR/210 A/R results 0 tor 1105-1125 hrs nms areas AMERSFOORT-APPELDOORN-ZUTPHEN-EMMERSCH except exat met eH185 9479 9579 2 dest 2 dam tor 1149 nms areas GORINCHEM-UTRECHT-AMERSFOORT-TEEL 0 attacked dump Z6203 arty nko 0 tot 1140 attacked 10 brg mvg NE of 9446 0 several expls and black smoke brg and 23 barges mvg W of 3939 all dam 0 nms all rds

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			THI or TOR 1153	W	[illegible]
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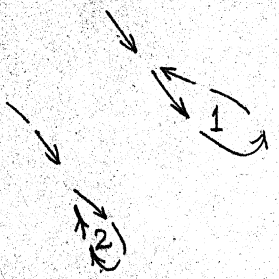
(G 7483) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.



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PATROL PLANS FOR 28/29 OCT 44

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 29 OCT. 1944

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 1915

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1730 En smoke screen being laid down on right flank of 504.

1747 - 757572 - 3 rds How. M Az 120° to sound of gun Az to burst 140°

(75505635) 1747 - Chief 16 rds How - Az 109° Rng 5000 Grnd burst 800 - 90

Message File No. 468 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): ABEL, 1st LT.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ______________________ DATE ______________________

TO : ______________________ TIME RECEIVED OR SENT ______________

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

(760574)
Mohawk - 1747 hrs -
Az to gun 110° - gun at 803523
~~[illegible]~~
1830 - AIR OP reports
Nbw 7600 76[illegible]
(N blwfr)
~~[illegible]~~

Message File No. 4683 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

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Read to C.S. 1 PHONE Liblah
Maj Alle
G.A. [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 29-Oct-44.

TO : G2. TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1925

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3rd BN Reports -

At 1830 - Ey active in wood at 776588. Mortar fire has been laid on.

AT 1910 - H Co reports Ey still active in same spot & more mortar fire has been laid on.

As soon as permissable patrol will go out to investigate.

Message File No. 4684 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 29 OCT. 1944

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 2108

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SOME SHELLING IN AREA, MOST OF IT SEEMS TO BE LANDING IN 504. AREA

Message File No. 4092 G-2 Sender - (Receiver) RAINER, M/SGT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps Met Section DATE 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1800

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000 to 0900 — Surface wind S.E, light at first becoming calm.

Weather fine with mist patches.

Visibility 2 to 4 miles decreasing to 1,000 to 3,000 yards.

Cloud — little or none.

Slight frost expected to develop tonight. 2 degrees.

Outlook for tomorrow: Fair.

Message File No. 4693 G-2 Sender - (Receiver) Kettleman, Wyo.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2115

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Hamel wagon moving around in Den HEUVEL. FIRED on by 81MM.

Enemy activity in front of 504 Front reported by E Co OUTPOST. FIRED MORTAR by MG pos AT 775562. Results unknown but MG has not fired since.

Message File No. 4694 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stenger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 29-JUNE 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2135

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3rd BN - AT 2100 -

H Co OP got MG FIRE AT 2015. PUT MORTAR FIRE ON IT.

AT ~~2107~~ 2045 ARTY OBS. reported vehicular movement & horse + wagon in Wyler. ARTY FIRE put on it.

AT 2127 - I Co OP reports Ey digging along hedgerow to left of house at 775584

Ey MG opened fire in VIC BUNKER (77565856). We fired 8 rifle grenades at them.

3 Hvy loaded trucks moving along hedgerow Wyler + Zyfflich.

Message File No. 4695 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
G2D A/E DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE: 29 Oct 44

TO : S-2 456 FA TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2210

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

[redacted] ~~[redacted]~~

QUERY RE REPORT BY PLANE SHOT DOWN

BY PLANE [redacted] SEEN SMOKING AND IN DIVE

VIC GRID SQUARE 7560 ABOUT 1430

Message File No. 496 G-2 Sender (Receiver) [illegible] MA JDW

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps DATE: 29 Oct. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2235

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Main event on 8 Corps front. — 2 en attacks NW ward reached 6714 and 6709.

7th Armd Div (US) bore front. Still resisting at 6711.

Northerly attack was regt of 15 Pz G Div, regt of 9 Pz Div + 12 Tigers

southern — other regts of 15 + 9 Divs and 30 Panther

Further S a [illegible] regt got [illegible] & dug in at 6302

Message File No. 4697 G-2 Sender - Receiver: K C Cotterman Major

Not anticipated they will continue their attack — 10 we've [illegible] 2 divs + 2 tk brigades inc 7 Armd.

On 12 Corps front we have [illegible] + have found Beveland forces.

Civ report of element 10 SS Div in area of Ensdhell + almost A1188. May be there Frundsberg may [illegible] out. DF shows major pattern still in line.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 29-Oct 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Ey digging in front of 504 POSITIONS; Heard driving of stakes. Mortar Placed on it.

Message File No. 4698 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 29-OCT-44

TO : G2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Ey Movement in FRONT of ~~504~~ ARTy placed on it.
Received mortar FIRE - 13 RDS - AT 2150. Landed at
771583. It came from nightpost.

Ey patrol is not going out - too light.

Message File No. 4699 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stamaga, 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE: 29 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2340

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

376 - Tracked veh believe Zyfflin x Inver - Dam (vic 7750 6010).

Same body chopping wood in Vossendaal

Lights vic cutha 783572 or 789571

Horses + wagon in Vossendaal.

Message File No. 4700 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Kastner, Major

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 29-OCT-44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2400

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 2316 a Tank moved fr. ZYF to WYLER. FLICH
LATER a few vehicles followed tanks.
A Hvy Truck MOVING from DeHEUVEL
TO VOSSEVAL
25 Ey DIGGING IN AT — ALONG LINE
773577.

Message File No. 4708 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

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From: 300001 OCT. 1944
To: 302400 OCT. 1944
(Date and Hour)
Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		4705	300100	FROM 325 TO G-2: FIRE AT AZ. 200° FROM F Co, RANGE 1200 YDS (COTS)	
0105		4706	300100	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
0110		4707	300100	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0105		4708	300100	FROM 504 TO G-2: [illegible] IN AT 7[illegible], HEARD CLANKING OF AMMUNITION BOXES 120 YDS S OF ABOVE CO-ORDINATES, NEAR A HAYSTACK. 1 VEHICLE MOVING FROM [illegible] TO [illegible] PARALLEL TO WYLER [illegible].	
0200		4709		FROM 504 TO G-2: 5 RDS OF 155 MM FELL IN G Co AREA, [illegible] RANGE 1000 YDS TO [illegible] OF A Co.	
0200		4710		FROM 505 TO G-2: SHELLED. [illegible] SEARCH[illegible], [illegible]ING, SEEMS TO BE COMING FROM ZANDPOOL	
0030		4711	292230	FROM 504 TO G-2: S-2 ESTIMATE OF THE ENEMY SITUATION, WITH OVERLAY LOCAL ENEMY DISPOSITION	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 300001 OCT, 1944

To: 302400 OCT, 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0305		4712	300300	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
0300		4713	300300	FROM 504 TO G-2: EY MOVEMENT IN VASSENDAAL WOODS. SOUNDS OF SAWS BEING POUNDED AND TREES BEING FELLED (0212), ARTY PUT ON. VEHICULAR MOVEMENT IN WYLER (0230), ARTY PUT ON IT; ROCKET LANDED IN 325 SECTOR (0240)	
0305		4714	300300	FROM 325 TO G-2: EY DIGGING AT 774572, ALSO AT 772574. ARTY NOTIFIED	
0310		4715	300300	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
	0315	4716	291900	FROM G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
	0315	4717	292400	FROM G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 PERIODIC REPORT No. 133	
0500		4718	300500	FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0500		4719	300500	FR 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0500		4720	300500	FR 325 TO G-2: TRUCKS MOVING NEAR WYLER.	

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(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0530		4721	300500	FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0650		4722	300600	FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT 29/30 OCT. 44	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY, XXX CORPS
0700		4723	300700	FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0700		4724	292030	FR G-3 TO G-2: G-3 PERIODIC	TO G-1
0715		4725	300700	FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0130		4726		FR CIC TO G-2: CIC SITREP 23/26 OCT	T/CIC FILE
0715		4727	300700	FR 325, 504, 505, 508 TO G-2 NEG RADIO INT	
0730		4728	300700	FR 325 TO G-2 OUTPOST GOT INTO FIRE FIGHT WITH 8-9 MAN ENY PATROL, KILLED COUNTS	
0813		4729	300600	FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT 29/30 OCT, 1944	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY 30 CORPS
0813		4730	300600	FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT 29/30 OCT. 1944	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY 30 CORPS
0815		4731		FR. 30TH CORPS MET O. TO G-2; WEATHER FORECAST FOR 300900 TO 302000	C/S, G-3

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Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0700		4732	300900	FR 325 TO G-2: SHEAF REP	
0710		4733	300900	FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
0920		4734	300900	FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0930		4735		FR 505 TO G-2: REQUEST INFO ON KEY ACCROSS R.	
0730		4736		FR 6TH ARMY TO G-2: [illegible]	30 CORPS
0730		4737	291515	FR FUSP TO G-2: TAC/R	
0930		4738	300915	FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
0740		4739	28 OCT 44	FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: G/C SITREP	G/S, G/C TO WAR TENT
0740		4740		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: ISUM # 531	G/S, G-3, DIV ARTY TO WAR TENT
0750		4741		FR ETOUSA TO G-2: RPT # 128	OB, IPWs, TO WAR TENT
0750		4742	292400	FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY RPT	

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From: 300001 OCT. 1944

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Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0950		4743		CORPS COURIER	
0950		4744		FR ~~12~~ 12 ARMY G-2 TO G-2: BATTLE EXPERIENCES C/S, G-3, DIV ART	
0950		4745		FR AG TO G-2: AWARD FOR CAPT MITSCHER	
0950		4746		FR CHIEF ENGR (ETOUSA) TO G-2: BULLETIN # 139	ENGR O TO WAR TENT
0950		4747		FR CHIEF ENGR (ETOUSA) TO G-2: BULLETIN # 140	ENGR O TO WAR TENT
0950		4748		FR CHIEF ENGR (ETOUSA) TO G-2: BULLETIN # 141	ENGR O TO WAR TENT
0950		4749		FR 505 TO G-2: DETAILS ON WIRE TAPPING INCIDENT 27/28 OCT	C/S
1000		4750		FR SHAEF TO G-2: INT. NOTES # 33	TO WAR TENT
1100		4751	301100	FR 504, 325 TO G-2: NEG RPT	
1100		4752	301100	FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: NEG RADIO RPT	
1230		4753		FR 505 TO G-2 - MEMO REGARDING WIRE TAPPING NIGHT 27/28 OCTOBER	C/S

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From: 300001 OCT 1944

To: 302400 OCT 1944
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Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1250		4754		FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: S/A FIGHT IN ZYFFLICH SINCE 1140 (REPORT FROM 456 F A BN)	
1330		4755	301200	FROM 504 TO G-2: REPORT ON CAPTURED MACHINE PISTOL '43 AND ITS OPERATION IN FIELD	1 COPY WITH COL W. NOTE TO C/S; 1 COPY TO DIV. ORDN. OFF.
1400		4756	301200	FROM 2ND BRIT. ARMY TO G-2: TAC/RCN REPORT	
1400		4757	301306	FROM 2ND ARMY TO G-2: BOMB LINE AS FROM 301300	
1415		4758		FROM AG THROUGH G-1 TO G-2: MEMO WITH ATTACHED CORRESPONDENCE RE. RECOMMENDATION OF CAPT. WITSCHER, SIGNAL CORPS FOR BRONZE STAR MEDAL. (ATTACHED TO G-2, 82D AIB DIV AS 1ST LT. DURING NORMANDY - CAMPAIGN)	TO C/S WITH NOTE BY G-2
1300		4759	301300	FROM 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1300		4760	301300	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1300		4761	301300	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1305		4762	301300	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	

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From: 300001 OCT. 1944

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(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1300		4763	301500	FROM 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1445		4764	30 OCT 44	FROM 325 TO G-2: OVERLAY "ENEMY DISPOSITIONS ON 325 FA DEFENSIVE SECTOR	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
1510		4765	301500	FROM 325, 504 AND 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
1445		4766	300950	FROM GUARDS ARMD DIV TO G-2: TELEGRAM AMENDING WARNING ORDER, DATED 29 OCT. 44	TO G-3
1445		4767	292400	FROM 101ST AIB DIV TO G-2: G-2 PERIODIC REPORT (No. 42)	TO 101ST AIB DIV
1515		4768	301500	FROM 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	FILE IN WAR DIARY
1525		4769		NOTE: [redacted] CIC CALLED AT DIV. C.P.	
1527		4770	301500	FROM 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1700		4771		FROM G-3 TO G-2: DID CO[redacted]ON OKAY LT. BRAZELTON'S REQUEST TO SEND CR[redacted]ON TO BRUSSELS?	
1705		4772	30 OCT 44	FROM CIC TO G-2: REPORT ON WIRE TAPPING ON 505 OP LINE ON 27 OCT. 44	CIC

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From: 300001 OCT. 1944

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(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (103586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1705		4773		FROM 505 TO G-2. 3 RDS 105 MM LANDED VIC. 7761 OBSERVED FROM 773623, AZIM. 80°, FLASH-BANG 6 SECONDS	DIV ARTY
1720		4774	301515	FROM 504 TO G-2. S-2 PERIODIC REPORT No. 43	
1720		4775	301530	FROM 504 TO G-2. PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT 30/31 OCT. (2 COPIES)	1 COPY G-3, DIV ARTY
1725		4776	30 OCT. 44	FROM 505 TO G-2. PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT 30/31 OCT. (2 COPIES)	1 COPY G-3, DIV ARTY
		4777		PASS THIS NO.	
1725		4778	301600	FROM 505 TO G-2. S-2 PERIODIC REPORT No. 43	
1730		4779	28 OCT 44	FROM SHAEF, G-2 TO G-2. INTELLIGENCE NOTES No. 33 (1 COPIES RECEIVED)	1 TO ENGR, 1 TO [illegible], 1 TO DIV ARTY, 1 TO WAR TENT
1745		4780	301800	FROM 307 ENGR TO G-2. ENG[redacted]TUATION REPORT	
1745		4781	301200	FROM 307 ENGR TO G-2. ENG[redacted]ELLIGENCE REPORT WITH LIST OF TOTAL [redacted]LDS IN DIV. AREA, REPORTED TO DATE BY OUR TROOPS.	3 COPIES OF THIS FIELD REPORT TO G-3

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 300001 OCT. 1944

To: 302400 OCT. 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (7/3556)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1705		4782	301700	FROM 325, 504 AND 505. TO G-2 (BY RADIO): CHECK IN	
1710		4783	301700	FROM 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1820		4784		FROM AFIS, XXX CORPS TO G-2: 5 PRINTS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS, WHICH WERE REQUESTED BY OUR PI'S	TO CAPT WALD-SCHMIDT - PI'S.
		4785	29 OCT 44	FROM G-2 TO FILE: OVERLAY - PATROL PLANS, CONSOLIDATED FOR NIGHT 29/30 OCT. 44.	
1500		4786		FROM 325 TO G-2: F Co OP REPORTS BY MG AT AZ [redacted] 180°, RANGE 600 YDS; LOUDSPEAKER IN DISTANCE, COULD NOT MAKE OUT ANY OF THE ATTEMPTED PROPAGANDA	
1800		4787		FROM XXX [redacted] CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST FOR PERIOD 302000 TO 312000	
1830		4788	301530	FROM XXX CORPS TO G-2: [redacted] SITREP AS OF 301500. NEGATIVE REPORT	TO G-3

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 300001 OCT. 1944

To: 302400 OCT. 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (7033586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1835		4789	301325	FROM XXX BRITISH CORPS TO G-2 : TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTIONS RE USE OF DUTCH INTERPRETERS, VISIT OF CAPT FROINS, ROYAL NETHERLANDS BRIG. ON 31 OCT 44 TO 82d A/B DIV; REQUEST FOR LIST OF DUTCH PERSONNEL EMPLOYED	LIST SUBMITTED AS REQUESTED 31 OCT 44
1800		4790		FROM 504 TO G-2: S/A FIRE IN ZYFFLICH	
1845		4791	301730	FROM XXX BRITISH CORPS TO G-2 ; TELEGRAM RE MOVEMENT OF BARGES ON 31 OCT AND 1 NOV, MUST NOT BE ENGAGED BY OUR TROOPS.	TO G-3 301900
1900		4792	301900	FROM 504 TO G-2; NEGATIVE REPORT	
1900		4793		FROM 80 AA TO G-2; NOTHING TO REPORT, NO PERIODIC REPORT FOR TODAY WILL BE SUBMITTED.	
1900		4794	301900	FROM 505 TO G-2; NEGATIVE REPORT	
1900		4795	301900	FROM 325 TO G-2 ; HEARD VEHICLES IN DEN HEUVEL WOODS	
1905		4796	301900	FROM 325, 505 TO G-2 (BY RADIO) ; CHECK IN	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 300001 OCT. 1944

To: 302400 OCT. 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (7035S6)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1915		4797	30 OCT. 44	FROM DIV ARTY TO G-2: REPORT ON SP ARTILLERY MORTARS AND MG's LOCATED TODAY AND SHELLREPS; NO CHANGE IN ESTIMATE OF HOSTILE ARTILLERY	
1915		4798	30 OCT. 44	FROM 325 TO G-2, PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT 30/31 OCT. 44	DIV ARTY, G-3
1915		4799	301600	FROM 325 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC REPORT No. 50	TO UNIT PERIODIC REPORTS FILE
1915		4800	30 OCT 44	FROM 325 TO G-2: BORDER BREEZE No. 20 (3 COPIES)	1 CS, G-3 DIV ARTY; TO UNIT REPORTS FILE, 1 TO G-1, 1 TO [illegible]
1950		4801		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: 12 CORPS ART OOSTERHOUT E04. THEY ARE NOW NEAR RIVER MAAS (KAPELLE) AT 1047	
1950		4802		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: EY HELD BY 5 CORPS 115 P-Rcn Bn Identified AT 6716	
2100		4803		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2 RADIO NEGATIVE REPORT.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2115		4804		FR 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2115		4805		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
2115		4806		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 2015, 3 RDS SP AT 50 MRC AZ LANDING AT 780626 (ALSO UP)	
2200		4807		[redacted] COPY OF NEWS SUMMARY DAILY TO	CORRES, FILE
		4808		DIRECTOR, INTMN & EDUCAT. DIV, ASF, WASH. D.C. PAST TIME NO.	
2300		4809		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT.	
2300		4810		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
2315		4811		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELREP (NEGATIVE)	
2315		4812		FR 505 TO G-2: FLARES & SHELREP	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 30-10-44

TO : G2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT: 0100

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 0015 F Co reports fire at Az 200° - Range 1200 yds

Message File No. 4705 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stanger, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 30-Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0105

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

I Co Report

12 Ey Digging IN AT 774583

Heard clanking of ammo boxes 120 yds S of above co-ord., near a haystack.

HCo Report (P)

1 Vehicle moving from ZYFF/LICH to Quercken parallel to Wyler Meer.

ENG. not going to cross Wyler - too light

Message File No. 4708 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 30 OCT, 1944

TO : G TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 0405

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

G Co Report.
5 RDS of 155 MM fell in area.

F Co Reports
Amber flare 1000 yds to front.

Message File No. 4709 G-2 Sender (Receiver): Stanger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 30-Oct-44

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 0200

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone,) radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

OBSERVER	AZ	Range	Rds	cal
78456285	100°	1½ miles	BTRY FIRING (SEARCHING)	Med

Seems to be coming from Zandpad.

Info DivARTY

(P)

Message File No. 4710 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): STANGER, 1st LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 30-00-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0300

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 0212 - 2nd BN RPTS Ey movement in Varendaal woods. Sound of stakes being pounded + tree being felled. ARTY PUT ON.

AT 0230 - 3rd BN Rpt - Vehicular movement in Wyler. ARTY LAID ON.

AT 0240 - Rocket landed in 325 Sector. 504 saw it go over.

Message File No. 473 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 30-Oct-44

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 0305

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

G Co Report Digging at 774572. Also at 772574. ARTY has been notified.

Message File No. 4714 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Slaughter, 1st Lt

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HQ 82D A/B DIV.
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
29 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

FOOTBALL RESULTS

EAST: Army downed Duke 27 to 7, Navy trimmed Penn 26 to 0 and Dartmouth nosed out Brown 14 to 13. Other games: NYU 45, CCNY, 0; Boston College 19, Syracuse 12; West Virginia 28, Penn State 27; Lafayette 19, Rutgers 6.

MIDDLE WEST: Notre Dame scored in the fading minutes to win, 13 to 7, over Illinois. Other games: Ohio State 34, Minnesota 14; Great Lakes 40, Wisconsin 12; Michigan 40, Purdue 14; Nebraska 24, Missouri 20.

SOUTH: Alabama's stars fell on Kentucky, 41 to 0. Other results: LSU 15, Georgia 7; Georgia Tech 13, Georgia Pre-Flight 7; Tulane 27, SMU 7; N. Carolina State 19, Wm and Mary 2; Virginia 34, V.M.I. 0.

SOUTHWEST: Rice nosed out Texas 7 to 0. Other games: Texas Aggies 61, N. Texas Aggies 0; Oklahoma Aggies 46, Tulsa 40; Texas Tech 35, W. Texas State 6; Arkansas 26, Mississippi 18.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN: Denver defeated Utah State 36 to 6, but Utah won over Nevada 19 to 14.

FAR WEST: Washington's Bears downed California 33 to 7 and Southern Cal stopped St. Mary's Galloping Gaels 34 to 7.

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(The following is a resume of BBC newscasts heard at the 82d A/B Div CP 29 October 1944).

Canadians driving westward and British troops holding the BEVELAND beachhead are within two miles of each other.

Meanwhile, German rear guards are fighting stubbornly to gain time for the Fifteenth Army to cross the River MAAS but with Allied planes in the clear skies above, the enemy is having to hold daylight movement to a minimum. Allied planes operating west of the Rhine cut German communications in some 60 places.

The Germans, for their part, threw in 15 tanks and assault guns in their attack on the lower eastern sector of the NIJMEGEN salient and at one point gained three miles. Typhoons and Spitfires gave German reinforcements, moving up, a working over.

Allied bombers were active last night, and Lancasters made a 2,400-mile round trip to drop 12,500-pound bombs on the much-bombed TIRPITZ. No announcement of damage inflicted on the battleship has been made, but it has been moved to a new location.

Other Allied bombers gave Cologne its heaviest bombing to date, Typhoons and Spitfires forming the covering force and driving off German jet-propelled planes which attempted to interfere.

Photos show that the great industrial city of ESSEN is almost entirely destroyed.

More flying bombs have fallen in southern England, including London.

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Aside from patrolling, there was little activity on the Italian front. In the Balkans, Czechs, Yugoslavs and Bulgars made small gains against the Germans. Bulgarians are aiding Marshall Tito's troops.

The Russians beat off two German counterattacks and continued to push west from BELGRADE.

In the PACIFIC, General MacArthur's communique stated that the Jap army on LEYTE has disintegrated and that apparently all Jap ships attempting to destroy the American landing forces were themselves destroyed. However, General MacArthur warned against over-optimism and said the Americans did not win without loss.

The Japs, meanwhile, are driving in China toward KRULILIN in their campaign to wipe out American air bases.

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FROM: 290001 OCT 44
TO : 292400 OCT 44

HQ., 82D A/B DIV
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
292400 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 133

MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today and engaged by Allied arty: Nebelwerfers at 79285678, 78875538, 78825508, 78485509, 796553, 80476231, 79105672 and 8103554575; mortars at 78475992 and 80225502 (Div Arty)
(2) MG at 770570 (325), MG in bunker at 77565856 (504), MGs at 772613 and 769613 (505).
(3) Two mortars at 772613 (505)
(4) Double apron barbed wire fence around house at 775584 (504)
(5) See also Annex No. 4.

c. Units in Contact: No known change.

d. Artillery - Location and Calibers:

(1) Est of ey arty vic 82d A/B Div front - (No change). One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two hvy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty).
(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by Allied arty: SP guns at 78676120 and 79356270, med gun at 79986131, hvy btry at 81886005, and guns at 80806429 and 79556412 (Div Arty).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD

a. General Summary:

The early morning passage of some twenty-one trucks in the vicinity of WYLER, in addition to an unusual amount of movement in enemy rear areas, indicates that a relief may have been effected in this sector.
There was an increase in enemy artillery fire during the period.

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b. Operation of Component Elements

(1) Artillery

(a) Increase in Nebelwerfer fire and some increase in arty fire, especially hvy arty.

(b) Shelreps

Unit Reporting	Time	Location Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No of Rds.	No of Guns	Caliber	Interval
		(755571	135)				
325	0111	(757568	135)	12	1	Nblwfr	?
		(758568	140)				
504	0115	77055780	135	6	1	?	?
325	0018	(755564	109)	?	?	Nblwfr	?
		(757568	115)				
		(755571	140)				
325	0109	(755564	128)	4	?	Nblwfr	?
		(757574	135)				
504	0400-0800	768584	?	31	?	Hvy	
325	0905	(767574	130)	9	?	Hvy	?
		(755571	140)				
325	0935	755564	116	2	?	Hvy	?
505	1210	735651(x)	100(y)	10	?	Med	8
325	1235	755564	796553	6	?	Nblwfr	?
505	1415	76906195(x)	82(y)	6	1	Hvy	?
505	1450	75596448(x)	N	6	1	?	?
325	1530	755564	808550(z)	12	?	Nblwfr	?
325	1533	(757568	806547(z))	12	?	Nblwfr	?
		(758568	115)				
505	1600	793626	50	6	1	?	?
325	1747	755564	109	6	?	Nblwfr	?

(x) Location of Impact; (y) Azimuth from Impact; (z) Est location of gun.

(c) Shells which landed in 504 area weighed approx. 300 pounds and had diameter of 9.76 inches (504)

(d) Some duds were among six shells landing in 505 area at 1415.

(2) Aviation, Combat:

(a) Jet-propelled ac planes dropped AP bombs vic 407 QM Co area at 1030 and again at 1400.

(b) Ey plane seen smoking and in dive about 1430 after having been engaged by Br AA (456)

(3) Chemical Warfare

(a) Several rounds smoke shells landed vic Regt CP between 1610 and 1620; three smoke shells reported in Co E area at 0943 (325)

(b) Ey laid smoke screen between 325th and 504th Posns at 1730 (325)

(4) Infantry

(a) Ey apparently is increasing his patrolling, at least three having been sent out night of 28-29 Oct and one being reported shortly after darkness night of 29-30 Oct.

(b) 50 Ey troops moving up draw at 777587 at 1020 (504), and two groups of ey, each of 30 men, moving NE along road at 850563 at 1415 (325)

(c) All front line units report increased movement of ey individuals during daylight hours.

c. Miscellaneous: Convoy of 21 trucks and half-tracked vehicles in LAGEWALD - VOSSENDAAL - DEN HEUVEL area at dawn (504), unusual activity on part of tracked vehicles in VOSSENDAAL - DEN HEUVEL area during night 28-29 Oct.

3. MISCELLANEOUS

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate
(2) Prisoners of War:
(a) Taken during period of report: 0
(b) Taken to date: 2,990

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Generally clear, with some ground haze. Cool.
(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Fair. Temperature of 30 degrees expected in early morning.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change

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FOUR ANNEXES:
#1. Ord Report on Rocket Fragments
#2. ETO Ord Tech Report No. 49
#3. ETO Ord Tech Report No. 50
#4. P.I. Report

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50 Div (Br)	- 1
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43 Div (Br)	- 1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	- 5
2 Bn Irish Gds	- 1
3103 QM Trk Co	- 1
JEDBURGH Team	- 1
PHANTOM	- 1
TOTAL	81

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ANNEX NO. 1 TO
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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
28 OCTOBER 1944

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ORDNANCE OFFICER, HQ COM.Z, ETOUSA, APO 887, US ARMY,, 25 Oct 1944
TO: Ordnance Officer, Hq 82nd Airborne Division, (Forward echelon) APO 469, U. S. Army.

1. Fragments of the aerial bomb or rocket found in the 82nd Airborne Division area on the 27 September 1944 were examined by this Headquarters. It is believed that the two tubular fragments are power units of a new type German Rocket.

2. The fragments matched perfectly with a dummy rocket, recently captured from a museum display. This dummy rocket is presumed to be of German origin and in the experimental stage of development. Dimensions of this rocket are as follows:

Overall length	26-3/4 inches
Diameter of body	3 inches
Length of warhead	5-3/4 inches
Length of power tube	13-1/2 inches
Length of tail section	7-1/2 inches
Width of tail	7-7/8 inches
Color	Olive drab

The warhead, power unit and tail section screw together to form a complete rocket.

3. If any unused rockets of this nature are captured, UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD THE FUZE OF THESE ROCKETS BE REMOVED OR TAMPERED WITH BY OTHER THAN BOMB DISPOSAL PERSONNEL.

4. The two fragments of aluminum included in the same shipment are thought to be from the body of a German Sea Mine. Some instances are known where the warheads of these Mines have been used for demolition purposes.

FOR THE CHIEF ORDNANCE OFFICER:

H. N. TOFTOY,
Colonel, Ord.Dept.
Chief EEIST (Ord).

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This ordnance report concerns rocket fragments turned in by the 325th Gli Inf and aluminum fragments turned in by the 307th A/B Engr Bn.

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ANNEX NO. 2 TO
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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
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29 OCTOBER 1944

ORDNANCE REPORT ON MP 43
CAPTURED BY 504TH PRCHT INF 28 SEPT 44

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HEADQUARTERS
COMMUNICATIONS ZONE, ETOUSA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ORDNANCE OFFICER
APO 887

18 October 1944

ETO ORDNANCE TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE REPORT NO. 49.

SUBJECT: Results of Preliminary study and test-firing of German Machine Pistol, Cal. 7.92 mm, MP-43.

Observations by: 1st Lt. H.G. Burkett, Ordnance Technical Intelligence Unit "E", Hq., Com.Z., ETOUSA.

1. General Description:

a. The technical details of the German Machine Pistol, MP-43 caliber 7.92 mm (.319 in.) have been fully described in Appendix "A" of War Office Technical Intelligence Summary No. 136. The cartridge which appears to be a shortened design of the standard German 7.92 rifle cartridge is fully described in Par. 2, War Office Technical Intelligence Summary No. 144.

b. The gun is a gas operated, air cooled, magazine fed, shoulder weapon which fires semi or full automatic on selection. Overall length is 36-3/4 inches, one inch longer than our Carbine M1, and weighs approximately 10½ lbs, with empty magazine which is twice that of our Carbine.

2. Results of Preliminary Test Firing:

a. Semi-automatic fire: The gun was first fired semi-automatically for five rounds. Performance was normal as to accuracy and functioning but felt clumsy in handling.

b. Automatic Fire: The weapon was fired automatically for fifty-five rounds in bursts of five rounds, with ten seconds interval between bursts. It was not possible to hold the gun on a 6 x 6 foot target at thirty-five yards during these bursts. At the completion of the fifty-five rounds of automatic fire the gun could not be held forward of the magazine because of the heat, and the danger of a "cooked-off" round was imminent. It is believed that an additional one hundred rounds fired in bursts of five, with the same time of delay between bursts would have rendered the weapon unserviceable.

c. Cyclic rate: Approximately 400 rounds per minute.

d. Malfunctions: In approximately 100 rounds fired, one malfunction developed, a failure to eject caused a jam between the round being fed and the empty case.

3. Advantages:

a. It can be produced quickly. The manufacturing time of production is greatly reduced by the wide use of stamped parts.

b. It can be produced comparatively cheaply.

c. It fires from a closed-bolt position in semi-automatic fire; the action being locked at the time of firing.

d. It is of simple construction and design; an admirable feature, considering issue to troops.

e. It is quickly and easily disassembled for cleaning.

4. Disadvantages:

a. It heats rapidly.

b. The use of thin metal stampings in this weapon is a weakness, because certain parts can easily be dented and render the gun unserviceable.

c. It fires from a closed-bolt position in automatic fire. Between bursts of automatic fire the closed bolt allows no air passage in the bore for cooling.

d. It can be dangerous when hot. When the gun is very hot from firing, and a "live" round is chambered, the danger of a "cooked-off" round is obvious.

e. Due to the high velocity and light weight, this gun has a marked tendency to climb when fired; it cannot be held on a target, even for short bursts.

f. Only the simplest repairs can be made in the field because of the general use of rivets in assembly.

g. The addition of a totally different type of cartridge such as this gun requires, small arms ammunition would complicate ammunition procurement and supply.

For the Chief Ordnance Officer:

H. N. TOFTOY
Col., Ord. Dept.
Chief, EEIST (Ord)

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ANNEX NO. 3 TO
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ORDNANCE REPORT ON FRAGMENTS TURNED IN BY 376TH FA BN

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COMMUNICATIONS ZONE, ETOUSA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ORDNANCE OFFICER
APO 887

21 October 1944

ETO ORDNANCE TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE REPORT NO. 80.

SUBJECT: Multiple Exploding Missile.

Observations by Capt. H. L. Karsch, Ordnance Technical Intelligence, Hq Com.Z.

1. GENERAL:

A unit reported that a multiple exploding shell landed in a gun battery position. Reporting sources estimated the missile as 155mm caliber. From the main projectile three charges were thrown to a radius of 150 yards, where they exploded on the ground. The main projectile was not found. Sheet metal fragments from the missile were collected and investigated.

2. FRAGMENTS:

The sheet metal fragments appear to be parts of the tail fin assembly of a small bomb. The stampings on the fragments and their color indicate French origin. It is the custom of the Germans to paint French Ordnance, which has been taken over by them, a dirty yellow color.

3. CONCLUSIONS:

From the information received from the reporting source and from examination of fragments it is believed the missile could be a 10 kg French Incendiary Bomb (Model 1927) with dimensions as follows:

Overall length.....	22.1 inches
Diameter of body.....	3.54 inches
Length of tail.....	10.2 inches
Width of tail.....	5.5 inches

This bomb is divided into three sections: nose, central body, and tail portion. The nose is filled with high explosive; the central body consists of triangular tubes filled with incendiary composition; and the tail portion is filled with an exploder-tube and incendiary composition. The various sections of the bomb functioning could cause a multiple exploding effect.

FOR THE CHIEF ORDNANCE OFFICER:

H. N. TOFTOY
Colonel, Ord Dept
Chief, EEIST (Ord)

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APO 469 US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
29 OCTOBER 1944

1ST AND 2D PHASE INTERPRETATION
(Sortie 400/1395, photos Nos. 3292-3317 and 4292-4324, scale 1/8,000)

DEFENSES

PHOTO NO.	COORDINATES AND DESCRIPTION
4293-5) 3294-5)	- Zigzag communication trench with MG saps begins at road at 875607, runs SW crossing rd at 866603, then S to 866600, SE to old SL positions at 867596, SW to 864590, S to join existing trench at 863584. - MG emplacement at 87206100
4295-6	- MG emplacement on N bank of AT ditch at 855612 - 3 gun Lt AA at 860610 is unoccupied. There are numerous weapon pits about the old AA emplacements. No track activity seen.
4299-4300	- 3 gun btry FA is located in N-S hedgerow, at 8312-6100. Camouflaged apparently with foliage. Tracks lead from btry to Kruzweghof (828614) probable billet.
4300-4302	- Heavy track activity around 3 AA emplacements at 826604. Emplacements, however, are unoccupied. - 3 emplacements (1 AT and 2 MG?) at 825605 on NS road - 3 unoccupied arty emplacements (crescent shaped revetments) in field SE of RJ. Foxholes behind each emplacement. (825602) - Foxholes and track activity around house at 823603. Probable Hq or billet.
4301-2	- 3 FA emplacements in hedgerow. Slight track activity - no other digging. Although objects are seen in the emplacements, it is possible this is a dummy for the btry at 83126100. - 3 MG emplacements at RJ 82106125
4302-3302-3	- 3 gun camouflaged FA btry. 1 emplacement unoccupied. Track activity and foxholes (817597) - Foxholes and tracks around Blankenstein: Probable billet (818597) - 4 weapon pits in a line down center of big open field S of church (817598) - MG emplacement in corner of garden wall rear of house at 81366100.
4302	- Foxholes along N-S hedgerow at 81766030 and in field 817603 - 2 short zigzag trenches in field east of house at 81466005. Weapon pit across road west of the house

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3294-5 - Short stretch of trench from 868592 to 871593
Short stretch of trench from 867588 to 867585 with a connecting trench running from 867587 west to trench system at 864587.

3303-4 - Line of weapon pits from 809598 to old searchlight positions at 813594.

3306-7 - Foxholes and shelter trenches in area S of house at 796595.

4319-20 - Communication trenches: 773567 to 773565; 775567 to 777568, and on N-W-S side of house at 77955666.

4320-1 - Numerous foxholes at 789560

4322-3 - Foxholes on W and S side of house at 799565
- Communication trenches connecting highway at 803563 with railroad at 801559, then south of railroad to 800558.

4324-5 - Road block at western end of bridge at 806562.
- Shelter trench at 807562.

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CHARLES R GAINES
Capt., A.G.D.
OIC PI Team No 11.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 0433 reporting trucks heard moving vic. Wyler.

At 0443 chow wagon reported about 800 yds to front.

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Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Paine, Capt

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
300600 October 1944

Subject: Results of Patrol Activity for night of 29-30 October 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division, APO 469.

The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night of 29-30 October 1944.

"H" Co Mtn patrol cancelled because it was to bright a night.

"I" Co Mtn patrol of six (6) men moved out at 1830. Patrol found riflemen in hedgerow at (77605846) with semi-automatic rifles, patrol was fired on by these riflemen. Patrol moved towards bunker (77565856) and drew fire from the bunker, patrol also drew fire from a ditch that run to house at (776586). About five positions were observed along this ditch. Two Ky riflemen fired from little house at (77665867). Rifle-grenade fired from (77525860) (about 60yds N of bunker). At 2100 patrol returned to starting point. Worked over Ky positions with 81mm mortar. At 2130 the patrol went out again. Heared dog growl at (77605846) and Ky was heard trying to quiet dog. Heard another dog bark from vic (77585830). First dog heard seemed to be behind hedge. Two or three Ky riflemen heard in front of hedge at (77605846). Rifle-grenade & MG fire from bunker. Patrol returned at 2300. No casualties, no PW's.

"I" Co Listining post reported digging at (774583) by at least 12 men.

Second Bn maintained routine security patrols from MLR to OPLR.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
300600 October 1944

Subject: Results of patrol activity for night of 29-30 October 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division, APO 469.

The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night of 29-30 October 1944.

"E" Co Men patrol cancelled because it was to bright a night.

"I" Co Men patrol of six (6) men moved out at 1830. Patrol found riflemen in hedgerow at (77605846) with semi-automatic rifles, patrol was fired on by these riflemen. Patrol moved towards bunker (77565856) and drew fire from the bunker, patrol also drew fire from a ditch that run to house at (778586). About five positions were observed along this ditch. Two Sy riflemen fired from little house at (77665867). Rifle-grenade fired from (77525860) (about 60yds N of bunker). At 2100 patrol returned to starting point. Worked over Sy positions with 81mm mortar. At 2130 the patrol went out again. Heared dog growl at (77605846) and Sy was heard trying to quiet dog. Heard another dog bark from vic (77665830). First dog heard seemed to be behind hedge. Two or three Sy riflemen heard in front of hedge at (77605846). Rifle-grenades & MG fire from bunker. Patrol returned at 2300. No casualties, no P W's.

"I" Co Listining post reported digging at (77453) by at least 12 men.

Second Bn maintained routine security patrols from MLR to OPLR.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. G. [illegible]
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 30 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0710

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Just at dawn our 3-man outpost at 769575 engaged an ey patrol of 8-9 men, ~~Patrol~~ forced it to retire; outpost believes it killed a couple, but it had become too light to investigate or to stay in their position, which was only a night position.

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Message File No. 472 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
30 October 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OCT. 29-30.

Patrol No. 1: S/Sgt. Zionse and 5 men from G Co, left E Co outpost at 2200 and moved 100 yds to their left front, where listening post was established. Sounds of digging about 400 yds east of Voxhill were heard at intervals during the entire the patrol was out. Returned at 0100.

Patrol No. 2: S/Sgt Clarke and 5 men from F Co, moved out at 2300 thru F Co's outpost on an az of 90 for 125 yds, where they set up a listening post. Record of events and sounds:

a. At 2340 heard horse and wagon on hard surfaced road.
b. At 0045 heard ey talking and heard truck in vic of Den Heuvel.
c. At 0100 truck heard again.
d. At 0220 heard loud talking in vic of Den Heuvel and woods to south.
e. At 0235 heard vehicle, accompanied by motorcycle, moving rapidly.
f. At 0330 heard vehicle, tracked, moving south.
g. At 0335 Nblwfr fired (patrol believes possibly from tracked vehicle heard at 0330).
h. At 0340 vehicle moved North.

Patrol returned thru outpost at 0415.

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
300700 October 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 29/30

1. Ong range amphibious patrol to Leuth was called off because of the brightness of the night. This was done upon approval of G-2, 82nd Div.

2. There was considerably more arty and mortar shelling during the night than for the past several nights. That portion which fell into our area did not fall where there was any great number of our troops.

3. At 0140 3rd Bn heard noises which sounded like half tracks or lighr armored vehicles at 793630. There was much noise and talking at 790620.

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1 CO and Staff
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0900

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3 rounds on 115° az. Landed at 766569

" on 130° az., 1200 yds. range, landed at 766574.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0930

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Request information on ~~en~~ across river from us: identification and strength of ~~en~~ troops, + estimate on and plotting of ~~en~~ artly that might fire on us.

Message File No. 735 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ~~CA~~ Div Arty DATE 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0930

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Tank at 763657 shooting at something at 745659. Somebody, not us, shooting at tank with arty. Reported by Air OP.

To 30 Corps

Message File No. 736 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Pvt, Capt

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

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TO	All Stas.		
	(W) For Information (INFO)		

Message Instructions: QYM — GR: 14

Originator's No.

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FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	Jac/R Broadcast	1900hrs	

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Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R Hdq 1635 ⊙ K699874 and K681886 Bridges down ⊙ E. Rly Bridge K777932 intact ⊙ K775904 Rd Bridge down ⊙ E9009 Bridge up ⊙ NMS Rd K7890 to E9109 to E5138 ⊙ K707848 to K706859 50 plus Barges ⊙ Z4713 2 large ships ⊙ E400410 to E560720 all Barges intact ⊙ E516150 used as foot bridge ⊙ E542737 Army at 11 Shoe ⊙ E542731 Rd junc destroyed by bombs ⊙ Rd Blocks at E540731 and E546734 ⊙ Barges intact at E1991 ~~and~~ E1920 ⊙ E2092 19/Y 1/3 full ⊙ NMS Rds E4077 E7076 ⊙ E571743 8 mined barges ⊙ NMS Rd E4778 to E7078 ⊙ NMS Rd E7030 to E5485 ⊙ NMS E4789 to E2092 ⊙ NMS canal E2090 to E4270

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W 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (La) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: Jae/R Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin: 1800hrs — Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: GR

Originator's No.

Jae/R tfc 14-25 O No Rd or Rail movement Unknown to E4495 O LE7578 m/y 20 clo trg O E4495 to Z8004 NMS Rd and Rly O Z8004 No activity or trg O Z6304 3 Hdt and 2 met movg EO E3798 3 met SE otherwise NMS Rd Z8004 to E4098 O E4098 to E2192 No Rd or Rly movement O E7784 2 Hdt and 3 met NO E7734 to E7097 diggings both sides of Rd O Z6202 8 to 10 pods Caltex or garages O Tfc 14-25 O A2317 m/y 100 plus trg 75 clo and 25 flat O A2315 tfc 15 trg trg Unknown O A2314 tfc 10 clo trg movg NO A3031 tfc 40 trg NWO A4741 175 clo and 50 open trg O A4538 tfc 20 clo and 5 flat O Tfc 1510 O E7104-K6299 -K4237 No bridge or factory along canal O E7004 to 7104 14 Garages O E6661 10 Garages O E6200 10 Garages O E7012 Bridge down O E7107 Bridge intact O E7105 4 amb 2 Half Tracks 2 ants in town O K7858 3 met Unknown otherwise NMS Rd E7104 to K7392 to K8099 O SCALWAG Contacted O

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Lar[illegible]) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: Tac/R Broadcast

Date-Time of Origin: 2000 hrs

Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Tac/R Toa 1650 O NMS E0248 to E1647 O
NMS Rd. E1444 to E0947 O E005445 25 plus barges
O Bridge intact E145490 E097494 E034507 O
E095503 ferry at N Bank O D997447 Bridge intact O
E014408 Bridge down O E021926 15 Fy [illegible] O
Toa 1635 O NMS Reichswald Forest O E944397
4 met Fy S O NMS Rd E9937 to A0325 to A0215 to
A0914 to A0927 to A1723 to CLEVE O Toa 1640 O
A0204 4 met SW O A3001 2 met SE O A0605 M/Y
15 plus a/o Fy O A0312 2 met NW O E9615 1 S/C
SW O NMS E9109 under [illegible] Rail leading in O E0435
NMS O NMS E0043 E0642 E0142 O E295520
Rd and Rly Bridge down O E035507 Bridge
intact O E000415 Bridge down O Toa 1700 O
E292520 Bridge down O E291517 pontoon
Bridge under construction O E235543 10 manned
barges O E261600 ferry in operation O E191519
Bridge intact O E225560 ferry grounded O
E163555 5 plus met S O E195585 Bridge intact
O Intense acc L and H AA E097630 O

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Wt. 9533/63727[illegible] [illegible]100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Lar[illegible]) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: Yac/R Broadcast — For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 2100hrs | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO) | Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Yac/R toa 1645 ⊙ Bridges down from EY15104 to E723045 and at K643956 K647948 K653936 K668910 K681886 K631879 K699875 K711868 K695880 K675795 K661774 ⊙ E723045 pontoon bridge intact ⊙ E710039 new bridge up old one down ⊙ KY52895 ferry in operation ⊙ K739894 2 met fcg NO K802923 3 cam met NEO Bridge works E slde of river K8580 K708900 K685829 No bridge or bhaging activity ⊙ K705865 60 plus barges ⊙ K678720 5 met SO K7774 diggings and pass gun posns ⊙ K820809 2 met W ⊙ K770897 barge tug boat ⊙ toa 1615 ⊙ A4643 150 plus clb tug ⊙ 3 tow 15 plus tug each at A4643 ⊙ A6249 400 plus tug ⊙

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			Time Cleared		

ARMY FORM C2136-(Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Srl. | Priority | Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 300910

Office Date Stamp

For Action

All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

Originator's No.

AIR 3 o F/B and Fighter results 29 Oct O bridges over river 1000 attacked successfully o tanks plus half-tracks attacked in MEIJEL – HEITRAK area O not 7 dest 9 dam tanks 1 dam locos 45 dest 99 dam barges 11 dest 20 dam tugs 2 dam o enemy a/c 3 dest 2 dam in air and 2 dam on ground

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT BY ANY MEANS { EXCEPT / WIRELESS } **AS WRITTEN**

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT **IN CIPHER**

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

SIGNED

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Time Originated: THIS FOR 8732

System No.: W 0/B

(G7463) Wt. 49325/567. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: TAC/R BROADCAST For Action. | Date-Time of Origin: 0915 | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO) | Message Instructions: GR

Originator's No.

TAC/R ~~TOA 0015~~ ⊙ Night visuals ⊙ TOA 2136 hrs E8708 ~~E2/6~~ horse transport mvg E ⊙ E9009 4 barges moored at canal ⊙ E9912 4 met SE ⊙ E9818 4 met mvg S ⊙ ~~TOA 0055~~ ⊙ A030253 ~~2 met at station~~ TRN loaded with 18 lorries ~~3 S/C~~ 4 med guns and TRN NO ENG loaded 17 lorries ~~3 half tracks~~ 3 S/C fcg NE ⊙ TOA 2305 NMS rds E8813 excl VENLO K8297 E8906 E9711 A0313 ⊙ ~~12 barges~~ area VENLO ⊙ TOA 2220 ⊙ K7397 2 large lorries or x rds but NMS rd E8318 VENLO K9299 ⊙ TOA 0115 ⊙ NMS K9299 to VENLO ⊙ TOA 2215 ⊙ NMS E5802 E7302 ⊙ NMS canal E7404 to E6915

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 29 October 1944

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	23	257	25	369	24	492	21	430	93	1728		
504	30	194	32	480	33	483	35	365	130	1522		
505	26	235	40	463	36	413	38	306	140	1617		
508	34	249	30	347	30	399	28	357	122	1312		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES DO NOT TYPE

	KIA-DOW		MISSING		WIA-NYE EVAC.		SICK-EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	87	12	242	27	528	5	300	54	1157	91	1728
504	8	84	3	84	28	369	4	120	43	657	130	1522
505	6	99	1	54	25	328	9	160	41	641	140	1617
508	15	114	4	109	27	397	6	120	52	740	122	1312
INF	39	384	20	489	107	1622	24	700	190	3195	483	6179
ARTY	3	27	7	93	25	158	4	76	39	354	145	1773
ENGR	2	25	1	5	7	75		27	10	130	33	489
MED				2	1	18		10	1	30	22	232
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
80 AA		18	1	4	5	44	1	35	7	99	33	492
OTHERS		5		2	2	24	1	15	3	42	73	419
TOTAL	44	455	29	595	147	1943	30	861	250	3854	796	9659

OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYP

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TO

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505

DATE 30 OCT 44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1015

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Further circumstances of reported tapping into 505 line report of 27 Oct.:

Wire from Regtl CP to an OT was cut (definitely broken, not cut). In searching for the break, lineman who was making a tap thought he heard foreign voices on wire. Since then it has been checked throughout its length and no positive evidence of tapping can be found.

The mystery is unsolved.

Message File No. 4753 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Rice, Capt.

To C/S to note; Return to G-2

Gr

My comment is that
Gr is too prone to report
incidents which on the surface
look funny -
Check before you put it out

RRS

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE: 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1250

TRANSMISSION: ~~Telephone~~, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

456 FA rpts a SA fight
w 2 y F-F-h1CH since 1140 hrs

Message File No. 4754 G-2 Sender - ~~Receiver~~: Asst 1st Lt

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File

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
301200 October 1944

Subject: Report on Captured Machine Pistol '43 and it's Operation in the Field.

To : Commanding General, 82d A/B Division, APO 469, U. S. Army (Attention: A.C. of S., G-2)

1. The following is a brief summary of accounts gathered from talking to the men of "E" Company, 504th Parachute Infantry, who now have several specimins of the German Machine Pistol '43 on the line at this time. The personnel interviewed seemed to know what they were talking about and it may be assumed that their judgement is f airly good.

a. Private Ernest M. Stewart, 39117029, Co "E", 504th Parachute Infantry:

Stewart states he has used the gun for the last four weeks and likes the gun very much. He stated he has fired it in full clips, both semi and full automatic, up to ranges of 250-300 yards, and it shoots very accura te on semi-automatic fire and fairly accurate on full automatic fire. The gun has a destinct tendency to rise but can be compensated by shooting low. Private Stewart claims the gun has excellent penetration of light underbrush and believes the gun would be ideal for jungle fighting. Private Stewart states he likes the velocity which he believes in excess of our TSMG. He also states that the stock and weight are very comfortable and does not tend to tire anyone carrying it, a lso a great deal of ammunition already in magazines may be carried at once. Private Stewart stated that he has jumped all types of weapons, including our LMG without Griswald containers and believes that this machine pistol would jump the best of all. Private Stewart has taken this gun on patrols and under extended firing claims the gun does not tend to heat on semi-automatic fire. Also, he is one of the few men who have fired it from the hip and finds it an excellent functioning gun from this position. He also claims that the gun has one disadvantage due to all light projectile weapons, namely, lack of stopping power, due to light projectile and extreme velocity which leaves, in his opinion, a clean cut hole. Private Ernest M. Stewart stated he would like to be issued a gun similar to this in place of our Carbine and Thompson Sub-machine Gun, but not to replace the BAR.

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b. Private Robert A. Lynn, 32560579, Co "E", 504th Parachute Infantry:

Private Lynn is in full accord with Private Stewart having operated the gun in the field for some four weeks. He claims there is one drawback, the main drawback, is the special type of ammunition which does not fit any other weapon the German Army has. At the time of interview, Private Lynn had three remaining clips of ammunition and when this is expended, he will be without any other source of supply. Private Lynn also states that he likes the gun because it is so simple to maintain and clean in the field. Private Lynn also stated that he would like to be issued with a gun similar to this but with a better construction, a little heavier in the receiver parts and not so "tinny looking". The stock does not meet with Private Lynn's approval because he sawed his off shortly back of the receiver and fires his gun exclusively from the hip.

c. Sergeant Roy E. Tidd, 19076785, Co "E", 504th Para chute Infantry:

(Special Note: Sergeant Tidd's observations are of special importance, as small arms are his hobby)

Sergeant Tidd finds the gun easy to clean and much better than the former issue machine pistol '40 Schmeisser, also that the cyclic rate is better and general all-around construction better than the machine pistol '38 and '40. Sergeant Tidd is having trouble with the ammunition supply and has about 200 rounds left, and when this is expended he is going to keep his gun for a souvenieer only. Sergeant Tidd states the big problem with the pistol is the flimsy receiver construction is easily damaged in transportation and careless handling. Sergeant Tidd is of the opinion that a better constructed pistol along the same general lines and the same principle of breech-locking as well as cartri ge would work out very well. Sergeant Tidd mentioned that he would like to ha ve a gun like this issued to him in the caliber .257 REMINGTON-ROBERTS or .250/3000 SAVAGE or possibly .220 WINCHESTER-SWIFT. Sergeant Tidd believes that in these calibers ammunition would be easy to transport in clips and one would have the velocity and killing power necessary.

c. Private First Class Harry O. Williams, 36051418, Co "E", 504th Parachute Infantry:

Private Williams states that he is neither pro or con and that he is perfectly satisfied with the gun as issued and when his becomes worn out or he runs out of ammunition he will throw it in a ditch and pick up something else.

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Private Williams is an ammunition carrier in a MG section and states he carries his gun only for curiosity and besides he only has 70 some rounds of ammunition left. Private Williams is unique in that he has never cleaned his piece in a month of constant use in the field, and while his piece is very rusty, very muddy, and in the worse possible condition, both the gun, ammunition and magazine, when fired this morning, functioned perfectly for 4[illegible] rounds on full automatic. Private Williams has no desire to be issued with any form of light machine pistol because he says, "I have enough to do in taking care of my own machine gun."

d. Sergeant William C. Boyle, 15057957, Co "[illegible]", 504th Parachute Infantry, Communications Sergeant:

Sergeant Boyle states that it is a very good gun, very accurate on semi-automatic up to 350 yards and quite good on full automatic fire at the same ranges. Sergeant Boyle believes the gun would be excellent for jungle and close-in fighting, and would like to use it if he were in the South Pacific, providing the conditions there are as he imagines them to be. Sergeant Boyle's main complements of the gun are its easiness to carry, light, comfortable to fire, one may carry lots of already clipped ammunition, plenty of fire power, easy magazine change, accurate, not given to many stoppages, and functions perfectly under very adverse conditions. Sergeant Boyle states in his own words, "I just dump oil in mine and it cooks right along without any trouble". "I haven't noticed any over- heating, but of course I haven't used mine much except to shoot at tin cans". "I like mine pretty good but will keep it only as a souvenieer and it would look good in a gun cabinet at home". Sergeant Boyle states that it is accurate at about 300 yards when on full automatic fire in three round bursts but he is having trouble getting off only three rounds. Sergeant Boyle further states, "I believe this gun would make an easy weapon to jump and is ideal for paratroops on the initial assault but would not hold up under extremely rough handling because of the "tinny" receiver. Sergeant Boyle now has a gun and carries it steadily but is reluctant to fire at the enemy for fear of drawing fire of his companions. He states that the gun sounds, looks, works like all "Kraut" equipment, and is easily distinguished from friendly weapons and as a result dangerous to use.

f. First Lieutenant William E. Sharp, 0-1012280, Co "[illegible]", 504th Parachute Infantry:

Lieutenant Sharp finds the gun very accurate, better to jump than a BAR (he has not jumped it, only supposition), good in heavy cover, likes the velocity,

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claims it has stopping power, and holds up good under adverse conditions. Lieutenant Sharp also claims that the gun must be kept clean to function perfectly. He com plains about its being troublesome to carry the bulky magazines without a special kit.

g. Observations of Captain F. Gorham, 504th Parachute Infantry, interviewer of the aforementioned individuals:

(1) Rivets appear to hold up very well.

(2) Gun works quite well when very dirty. Needs no maintenance and little or no cleaning.

(3) Easy to carry in all phases of parachute operations.

(4) Cheap to produce.

(5) Disadvantage appears to be ammunition supply, which would disappear if the gun was an issue in our Army.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: Lae/R Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin.: 1200hrs

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Lae/R flash ⊙ Loa 1100 large col all atms mvg N from D8653 to D8760 ⊙ Col Hdt mvg E D9065 to E0963

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 301306

Office Date Stamp

For Action

All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM | GR

Originator's No.

AIR 9 0 B/K 301300 0 As before to E/~~ECQVXB~~ 712067 Excl nd ~~FHSDEH~~ 682128

and nd ~~WEPJEQ~~ 709127 ~~BIGEI~~ don as before

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Signed: 4757

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1705

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3 ROS 105 landed vic 7761 grid square.
Observed from 773623 AZ 80
Artillery 6 men.

Informed DIVARTY.

Message File No. 4773 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]
Major

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PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
301500 October 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 30-31 OCTOBER 1944

UNIT	TYPE OF PATROL	NO OF MEN	TIME OUT	TIME IN	PLACE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	REMARKS
"D" Co	Recn	11	1900	2400	761582	Area NW of/and VOSSENDAAL	See 1 below
"H" Co	Combat	12	1800	2200	Co Position	77595880 and 77605877	See 2 below
"I" Co.	Combat	7	1800	2200	Co Position	775584	See 3 below

2nd Bn-to maintain local security patrols throughout the night

NOTES:

1 - Patrol will check houses along road from ~~771567~~ 771576 to 774575 and proceed from there to check from 773577 to 776576 for enemy installations.

2 - Weather permitting, the patrol will operate in two groups; one going to 77595880 and the other to 77605877. If the weather is not permissable, the patrol will proceed as a group to 77605877. The patrol has the mission of obtaining a PW.

3 - Patrol to coordinate with "H" Co patrol. To harrass enemy installations at destination.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

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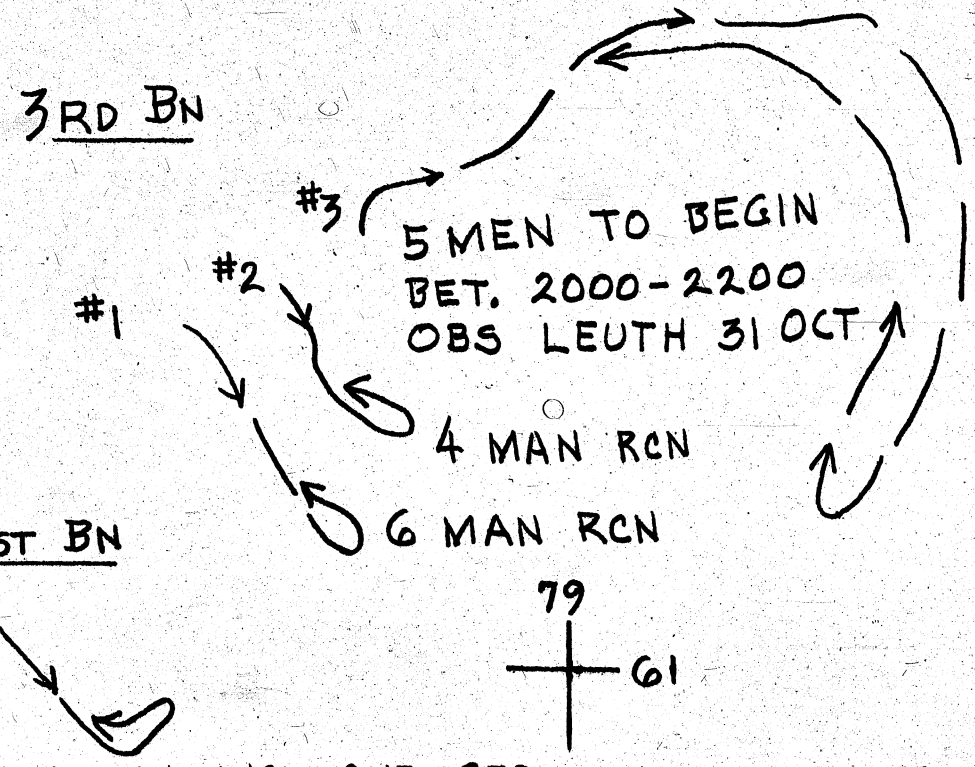
PTL PLAN FOR NIGHT
30/31 OCT



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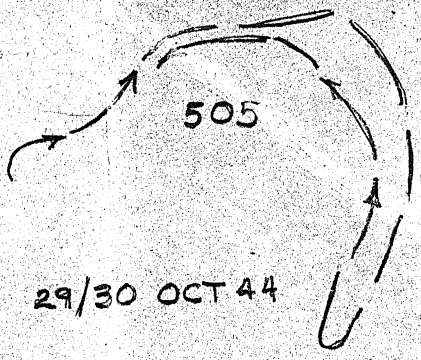

PATROL PLANS 29/30 OCT 44

— 505 PATROL
— 504 PATROL
— 325 PATROL

2 MAN

3 MAN
2 MAN

5 MAN

5 MAN

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 30 Oct 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1800

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

F Co OP reports MG AT AZ. 1800
Range 500 yds.

loud speaker in Distance - could not
make out any of the attempted propoganda

Message File No. 4786 G-2 Sender (Receiver): Stanger, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Inf Div DATE: 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1800

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000 – 0900

Surface winds NE 10 MPH becoming 5 to 10 MPH.
weather – cloudy with intermittent rain at first
Vis – 2 to 4 miles generally
cloud – 9/10 to 10/10 layer cloud at 2000 – 3000 ft.
with fog at 1000 ft or below at times
outlook for tomorrow – mainly cloudy

Message File No. 4787 G-2 Sender – Receiver: Stenger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps Br DATE 31 Oct

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1835

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Rendu to 30 Corps a complete list of all Dutch personnel employed as liaison or as interpreters who do not form part of the liaison

(list submitted to Capt Downes of 30 Corps.) RTM Bel

Message File No. 4789-2 Sender - Receiver: Hale McNutt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 30 Oct 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1800.

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SA FIRE IN ZYFFLICH.

Message File No. 4790 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stanger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 30 Oct 44.

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1900

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Heard vehicle in Den Heuvel woods - ARTY Put on.

Message File No. 4795 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stayer 1st Lt.

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To: G-2 30 Oct

From: S-2, Div Arty

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located Today

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	81446215	SP Gun	456 FA
Yes	79946302	Btry	CBO
Yes	78425541	Nebel	320 FA
?	778544	SP Gun	320 FA
Yes	80085218	Btry	SR
Yes	78405748	Mortar	376 FA
Yes	77806500	SP Gun	456
Yes	80236163	Gun	456
Yes	79005672	Nebel	320 FA
Yes	77475656	MG	320

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal	Est Range
320	0830		764569	115°			
320	0830	766574	?	130°			
456	1035	757573		145°	8		
456	1053		763596	146°	? (1 Gun)		
376	1225		78146280		1 Gun	Hvy	
376	1315	768595		92°30'		Med	4500-5500
376	1315	768595		82°15'		Med	4000
376	1315	773585		{2000 112°			

Hostile Arty - No Change

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HQ 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
30 October 1944

PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT OF OCT. 30-31.

Maps: GSGS 4427, HOLLAND, 1:25,000, Sheet 12 NW

Patrol # & Type

Patrol # 1: Reconnaissance - Lt. Griffin and 4 men - leave at Co E OP at 2300 - route as shown on overlay - objective: 7745574S.

Patrol # 2: Ambush Outpost - NCO and 4 men from G Co - leave Co G OP at 2100 - establish outpost at 77105665. Return: 0430.

Patrol # 3: Ambush Outpost - NCO and 4 men from F Co - leave Co F OP at 2100 - establish outpost at 77055620. Return: 0430.

Contact Patrols as shown on overlay below.

BILLINGSLEA
Commanding.

OFFICIAL:

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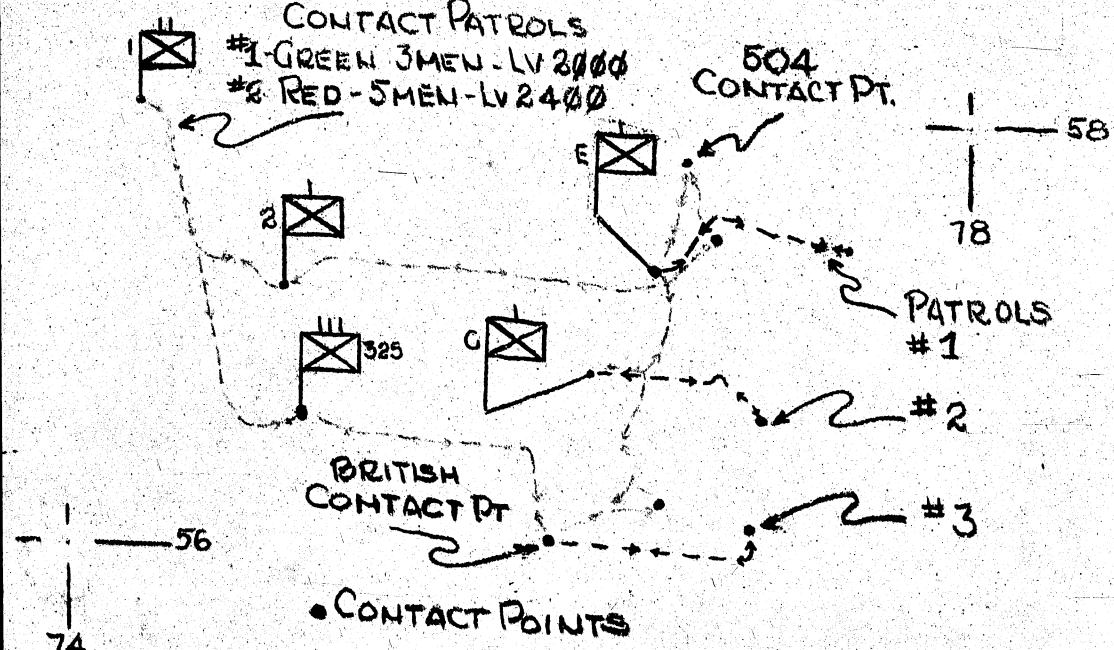

DIV ARTY
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps - 91 SI DATE: 30 Oct - 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1950

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

On 12th Corps FRONT - Very successful day captured OOSTERHOUT [redacted] E 04.
they are now near R. Maas at KAPELLE at 1047. Ey withdrawing fast.
In West Poles moving up in conj. with 12 Corps. at S. Beveland, Canadians have reached Western coast of Beveland & the Causeway with Walcheren.

Message File No. 1801 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st & LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps - 9 SI DATE: 30 Aug 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1950

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Ey is being held on 8th Corps front although they still have offensive ideas

Identified — 115 Pz Recce BN - at 6716

Message File No. 4802 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE 30 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2105

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2015 - 3 ROS SS 5 MIG A2
(landing at 780626 (also OP).

Message File No 4806 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Lawrence

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 32d DATE 30 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2315

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELKEP: 2310 HRS

OP; Chief; 6 RDS NEBELWERFER.

(7555 5635) AZ. 109 Range. 4 000

Message File No 4811 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gavin, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 S 5 DATE: 30 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2315

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

B 3 flares: Red, white, green in front of D Co coming from 7760627. (7785-6159 is location of observer)

3 RDS NBL. Coming from 135° MAG AZ. 2310 hrs

Message File No. 482 G-2 Sendor - Receiver: Gaines, CAPT

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 310001 OCT 1944

To: 312400 OCT 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (7035b)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0020		4813		FR 505 TO G-2: NBW FR SHELREP	
0110		4814		FR 505, 504 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
0130		4815		FR 505, 504 TO G-2 INEG RPT	
0100		4816		FR 325 TO G-2: TRACKED VEH RPT W DEN HEUVEL, BLVD TK [redacted]	DIV ARTY
0105		4817		FR 325 TO G-2: TRACKED VEH RPT (MSG 4816) BLVD KO'D BY ARTY, WILL REPORT INTERROGATION AT FIRST LIGHT.	
0110		4818		FR 504 TO G-2: REQUEST QUICK CENSOR SHIP CLEARANCE FOR 504 ARTICLE FOR INFANTRY JOURNAL	
	0200	4819		FR G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 PERIODIC RPT	
	0200	4820		FR G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 310001 OCT 1944

To: 312400 OCT 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NJMEG N (703596)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0200		4821		FR 505 TO G-2; NBWFR SHEZCRLP 70A 0130 — 4 RDs, 180°, 1200 YDS, OBS=703562	DIV ARTY
0200		4822		FR 505 TO G-2; NBWFR SHEZCRLP, 4 RDs AT 0205 HRS	DIV ARTY
0300		4823		FR 505 TO G-2; NEG REPORT	
0300		4824		FR 325 TO G-2; NBWFR SHEZCRLP	DIV ARTY
0300		4825		FR 504 TO G-2; NBWFR SHEZCRLP	DIV ARTY
0500		4826		FR 325 TO G-2; NEG. REPORT (PHONE)	
0500		4827		FR. 505 TO G-2; NEG. REPORT (PHONE)	
0500		4828		FR. 504 TO G-2; NEG. REPORT (RADIO — 0640) PHONE	
0700		4829		FR 505 TO G-2 - NEG REPORT (PHONE - RADIO)	
0700		4830		FR. 325 TO G-2; NEG REPORT (PHONE - RADIO)	
0700		4831		FR. 504 TO G-2; NEG. REPORT. (PHONE - RADIO)	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 310001 Oct 1944

To: 312400 Oct 1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0730		4832		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT - 30/31 OCT	C/S, G-3, DIV, GST 30 Corps
0815		4833		FR CG TO G-2 - COMBAT NOTES	1 TO CIC
0820		4834		FR 505 TO G-2 - PATROL REPORT NIG 11 30/31	C/S G-3, CORPS
0820		4835		FR 505 TO G-2 - NAMES OF DUTCHMEN WORKING WITH 505	
0900		4836		FR 505 TO G-2 - NEG. REP.	
0910		4837		FR 325 TO G-2 - PATROL REPORT NIGHT 30/31 OCT	C/S, 30 CORPS
0910		4838		FR 325 TO G-2 - NEG. REP.	G-3.
0910		4839		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2 - WEATHER FORECAST	G-3
0910		4840		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2 - NEG REP (RADIO	
0930		4841	28 Oct.	FR HQ. ETOUSA TO G-2 - SPECIAL INT BULL. 143	ENGRO
0930		4842	29 Oct	FR. HQ. ETOUSA TO G-2 - SPECIAL INT BULL 142	ENGRO
~~0935~~		~~4843~~		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2 - SIGNAL MESSAGE BOOKS BETWEEN 30 DIV & 101ST AIRBORNE	
0935		4844		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2 - SECURITY RULES ON NIJMEGEN CURFEW 2300 HOURS	
0935		4845		FR G-1 TO G-2 - CASUALTY REPORT	
0935		4846		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2 - 30 CORPS ADM STATE AS AT 1800 HRS 29 OCT 44	

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G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 310001 OCT 44
To: 312400 OCT 44
(Date and Hour)
Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1100		4847		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2 - NEG REP (RADIO)	
1100		4848		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELL REP	DIV ARTY
1115		4849		FR 505 TO G-2 - NEG REP	
1115		4850		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REP	
1325		4851		FR. 18 A/B CORPS TO G-2: INFORMATION ON MANUFACTURE OF ONE (1) MAN TORPEDOES REPORTED AT [illegible]	COS, TO CORPS (RR) NOTIFIED BY CAPT. PRICE
1330		4852		FR 325 TO G-2: [illegible] VAN DE L[illegible] REMBRANDT STREET 87 NIJMEGEN. AGE 2[illegible] [illegible] USED BY 325	
1415		4853		FR 504 TO G-2: NAMES OF DUTCHMEN ATTACHED TO 504	
1415		4854		FR 505 TO G-2: NAMES OF DUTCHMEN ATTACHED TO 508	
1450		4855		FR 325 TO G-2: NAMES OF RELEASED AND ATTACHED DUTCH PERSONNEL	
1500		4856		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG REP (RADIO)	
1502		4857		FR DIV ARTY NEG REP	
1505		4858		FR 101 A/B DIV G-2 PERIODIC REPORT	C/S, G-3
1506		4859		FR 504 TO G-2 NEG REP	
1507		4860		FR 325 TO G-2 NEG REP	
1508		4861		FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REP	
1709		4862		FR 309 CM (ATTACHED) TO G-2 REQUESTS NEWS SUMMARY EVERY MORNING	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 310001 OCT 44

To: 312400 OCT 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1715		4863		FR 504 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	
1715		4869		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	
1715		4865		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLANS	TO G-3, DIV ARTY
1715		4866		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLANS	TO G-3, DIV ARTY
1719		4867		FR 325 TO G-2: REPORT ON INK AT 772568 - NOTHING NEW ON TK REPORTED IN DEN HEUVEL WOODS	
1720		4868		FR G-2 TO 30 CORPS (BR): NAMES OF DUTCH PERSONNEL ATTACHED TO 82d A/B	
1800		4869		FR G51, 50 DIV TO G-2: INT MESSAGE FORM	
1815		4870		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER REPORT	
1900		4871		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG REP (RADIO)	
1900		4872		FR 505 TO G-2: RPTS TRACKED VEHICLES IN LANDPOL	DIV ARTY
1907		4873		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REP	DIV ARTY
1907		4874		FR 325 TO G-2: AT LONG RANGE - 6-BARREL MORTAR OBSERVED FROM (760574) AT AZ OF 105°	
1925		4875		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLANS (30/31 Oct)	
1927		4876		FR 325 TO G-2: PERIODIC REPORT	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 310001 Oct 44

To: 312400 Oct 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1930		4877		AR 505 TO G-2: 2 GER W/AT WPNS AT 7828 6270. FROM 7900 6232 TO RD 7900 6186 2 PLTNS OF GERMANS DIGGING IN AT 1700 HRS. TRPS WITH FULL-FIELD EQPT WHICH IS NOT NORMAL. 2 MG AT 7830 6188 — OBSERVED BY EO OF 456 FA BN	G-3 DIVISION
1950		4878		FR PHANTOM TO G-2: PW CAPTURED AREN 7115 STATES 3 MORE DIVS IN BRIDGEHEAD 8 CORPS, 1 ARMR, 1 INF DIV.	C/S G-3
1955		4879		FR 325 TO G-2 PATROL ~~REPORT~~ PLAN.	G3/DIVARTY
2005		4880		FR DIVARTY TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	
2020		4881		FR 307 ENG: TO G-2 ENGINEER SITUATION REPORT	
2055		4882		FR 505 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	DIVARTY
1925		4883		FR 505 TO G-2 - TWO GERMAN PLATOON DIGGING IN AT 7900 6232 TO 7900 6186	
2100		4884		FR 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2105		A995		FR 325 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
2105 2220		A996		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
~~2100~~		A997		FR 505 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	
~~2258~~ ~~2045~~		A998		FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
2300		A999		FR 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
2100		A990		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2 NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
2300		A991		FR 325 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE 30 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0020

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELREP

2330 — HRD NBLW FR [redacted] OBSERVED FR 7725 6202 ABOUT 1800 YDS AWAY ON MAG AZ OF 91°.

Message File No. 48B G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 31 OCT 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

"F" and "G" Cos report hearing tank
noise N of Den Neuvel.
"E" Co reports hearing heavy
tracked vehicle in same vicinity.

(ARTY AND MORTARS PLASTERED ON)

Message File No. 4816 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 31 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

TRACKED VEH. REPORTED WEST
OF DEN HEUVEL WAS WELL
COVERED BY OUR ARTY AND
BELIEVED TO BE KNOCKED OUT.
WILL REPORT IDENTIFICATION AND
CONFIRM K.O. AT FIRST LIGHT.

Message File No. 487 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0110

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

REQUEST THAT MANUSCRIPT BY
504 WRITER FOR INFANTRY JOURNAL
BE ~~EXPEDITED~~ CLEARED BY CENSORS
FOR PUBLICATION IN SHORTEST
TIME POSSIBLE.

Message File No 4818-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

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FROM: 300001 OCT 44
TO : 302400 OCT 44

HQ., 82D A/B DIV.
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
302400 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 134

MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4203.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today and engaged by Allied arty; Nebelwerfers at 78425541 and 79005672, and mortar at 78405748 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey digging at 774572, 772574 and 400 yds East of VOXHILL (325); ey digging at 774583 (504); ey working in VOSSENDAAL WOODS night of 29/30 Oct, work including driving stakes and felling trees (504)

(3) Ey dug in along hedgerow to North of house at 775584 (504)

c. Units in Contact: No change

d. Artillery - Location and Calibers:

(1) Est ey arty vic 82d A/B Div front - (No change) - One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two hvy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty).

(2) Ey Arty located today and engaged by our arty: SP guns at 81446215, 778544 and 77806500; btry at 79946302, btry 80085218, gun at 80236163 (Div Arty).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD:

a. General Summary:

The enemy activity consisted mainly of artillery and mortar fires. There was some unaggressive German night patrolling.

b. Operation of Component Elements:

(1) Artillery

(a) Shelreps

Unit Reporting	Time	Location Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No of Rds	No of Guns	Caliber	Interval
505	0200	78456285	100	?	4	med	?
325	0830	764569(x)	115(y)	?	?	?	?
325	0830	766574	130	?	?	?	?

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Unit Reporting	Time	Location Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No of Rds	No of Guns	Caliber	Interval
456 FA	1053	765596(x)	146(y)	?	1	?	?
376 FA	1315	768595	92.5	?	?	med	?
376 FA	1315	768595	82.15	?	?	med	?
376 FA	1315	773585	2000m	?	?	?	?
505	1705	778623	80	3	?	105	6
505	2015	780626	5	3	?	88	?
325	2310	75505635	109	6	?	Nblwfr	?

(x) Location of Impact (y) Azimuth from Impact

(2) Infantry: Ey patrol of 8-9 men attempted unsuccessfully to penetrate our lines 29-30 Oct (325)

(3) Tanks: Tank at 763857 at 0930 (Div Arty)

3. MISCELLANEOUS:

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate

(2) Prisoners of War:
(a) Taken during period of report: 0
(b) Taken to Date: 2,990

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Generally overcast

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Cloudy

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change

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DISTRIBUTION:
G-2: "A" plus

50 Div (Br)	- 1
30 Corps (Br)	- 1
43 Div (Br)	- 1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	- 5
2 Bn Irish Gds	- 1
3103 QM Trk Co	- 1
JEDBURGH Team	- 1
PHANTOM	- 1
TOTAL	81

HQ 82D A/B DIV
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
30 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

(The following is a resume of BBC newscasts heard at the 82d A/B DIV CP 30 October 1944)

Hard fighting on both sides of the NIJMEGEN bridgehead, continued bombing of GERMANY, additional Russian successes and details of damage suffered by the Jap fleet feature the news.

Some 40,000 Germans may be caught in a pocket forming South of the MAAS River, according to Field Marshall Montgomery. Polish troops, who liberated BREDA, are on their way North toward the two main crossings over the MAAS, and British troops have reached a village four miles West of the MAAS.

Meanwhile, very heavy fighting continues on the lower Eastern side of the NIJMEGEN salient. The Germans are employing two panzer divisions, including some 50 tanks. American troops have knocked out 15 tanks and are firmly holding their ground.

In the same general sector the enemy counterattack West from VENLO made no progress, even though he is employing heavier artillery support. Canadian and British troops continue to make progress in the S. Boveland fighting.

Bombs dropped by Mosquitos on much-bombed COLOGNE today started new fires to join those still burning from Saturday's raid. Heavy bombers from both English and Italian bases also struck at the railway centers of HAM and MUNSTER, oil plants South of COLOGNE, and targets in MUNICH, STUTTGART and BERLIN.

The Luftwaffe has shown increased activity and in some cases is flying in formations of 20 to 30 planes.

Patrol activity is increasing in ITALY, but the general front is still waterlogged.

Under pressure from Russians and Bulgarians on the East and Partisans on the West, the Wehrmacht is retreating North through YUGOSLAVIA. The Red Army's principal success was to seize a key communication center in Eastern CZECHOSLOVAKIA. The Russians continue to commit huge forces in the TRANSYLVANIAN sector where heavy fighting is in full swing. The Red Army is switching to winter equipment as heavy snow and biting temperatures envelop the Eastern front.

Meanwhile, General MacArthur's forces have occupied two-thirds of the island of LEYTE, and the General's communique adds that 1,500,000 persons have been liberated in the adjacent island of SUMA.

In BURMA American air forces have bombed railway and communication centers, and American ground forces are continuing their series of attacks.

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Details of damage wrought to the Jap fleet during the recent great naval battle continue to trickle out. It is announced that twenty-four Jap ships were sunk and that only two out of sixty Jap warships escaped damage.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE 31 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0200

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Shelling - NEBELWERFER 0130 HRS.

Obs: 7835 6285

MAG AZ: 180°

RANGE: 10000 — 1200 YDS

4 ROUNDS.

(P)

ARTY NOTIFIED.

Message File No. 4821 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Lawn CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0210

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELREP : NEBELWERFER

771618 130° AZ. } 4 RDS 0205 HRS
776614 140° AZ }

ARTY INFORMED

Message File No. 4822 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Game CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 31 OCT 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELREP: NEBELWERFER

0137 { Chief 75505685 109° MAG AZ
Mohawk 76005740 72° "
E Co 1st Ron 50
F Co 45° }

(P)

ARTY INFORMED

Message File No. 2824 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELREP:

0200 3d BN REPORTS N BLWFR

775589 65°

76855950 90°

ARTY INFORMED

Message File No. 4825 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Graves Capt

G-2
82D 1/13 DIV.

SECRET

Hq 50th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
010600 October 1944

Subject: Result of Patrol Activities for Night 30-31, 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/ B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night 30-31 October, 1944:

"D" Co Patrol consisting of 1 Off and 10 EM left "F" Co OP at 1000. Patrol went to CR (77 577). Checked area houses on both sides of CR. Found many dug in positions, standing type fox-holes, which seem to have been occupied within the past 24 hours. Continued up road toward IMTHAL. Within 100 yards of IMTHAL-LAGHALT ROAD, found two man MG position empty. Proceeded south from there towards VOS ENDAAL, in open field (Waldgraff) and hit VOS ENDAAL ROAD (Waldgraff). Patrol went within 200 yards of VOS ENDAAL but did not draw fire. Pin pointed mortar position in LAGHALT at (7730-5780) (81mm Mortar). Returned by WALDGRAFF ROAD through "F" Co OP at 2200. No casualties, no PW's.

"I" Co Combat Patrol consisting of 1 Off - 4 EM left (77 350[illegible]) at 1000. Patrol proceeded along Hedgerow and at a point five (5) yards past a log at (77505850) where they ran into an enemy minefield. Sgt White set one mine off and lay wounded. Lt Kennedy, in going to his assistance, set off another mine, blowing off his left leg below the knee. Another EM also received wounds from this mine. It was agreed by the remaining two men and Sgt White, to carry Lt Kennedy back first. Returning, they could not find Sgt White. They returned our lines and were sent out with two different patrols to comb this area, but couldn't find Sgt White. Although considerable noise was made by patrols, not one shot was fired. No enemy activity whatsoever. Upon investigation the mines were identified as "S" mines. Original patrol returned at 2130. Two men WIA, 1 man MIA. No PW's.

"H" Co Combat Patrol as previously scheduled did not go out.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. CONRAD
Capt., 50th Prcht Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
1 - 3d Bn
4 - G-2
1 - G-3
1 - Desk
1 - 325
1 - 175
1 - 376
2 - File

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
310700 October 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 30/31 Oct:

1st Bn Patrol

1. Patrol of 5 men led by Sgt O'Neil started 76256125 in canvas boat and preceded in water along dyke to 765610 where they stopped to listen and observe. At 0110 an eny flare was fired. Left boat and moved forward along canal about 50 yds. Heard eny at 76556086 driving stakes into the ground. (Possibly for barbed wire, mines, or booby traps). At 0125 four eny came walking along inside slope of dyke near top and saw patrol. Ptl fired and killed all four eny. Eny MG began firing from NE and rifle fire came from area in which sound of stakes being driven had come. Voices were also heard. Ptl returned to boat and eny sent up two flares. Ptl returned to lines by boat by 0320 hr.

3rd Bn Patrols

1. All three of 3rd Bn ptls went to the jump off points, but never did advance because of the light. One ptl did advance a very short way but immediately came under eny fire in the open, so it returned.

Other activity

1. Nebelwerfers were active during the night. At least 6 rds fired singly landed in our area, but units reported firing flashes of more. No eny ground activity was reported during the night.

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1 CO 504
1 CO and Staff
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31 October 44

TO: G-2

Dutchmen working with 505:

1. William Stoppernshale, 25
2. Stephen W Kaak, 24, Hunze. Albertinem 1, Nijmegen
3. Walter Becking, 21, "

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
31 October 1944.

PATROL REPORTS FOR NIGHT OF OCT. 30-31.

Patrol # 2: Ambush Outpost patrol, consisting of Sgt. Shaffins and 4 men from Co G, left G Co OP at 1930. They moved out about 200 yds when a MG opened up from 773568; the patrol continued 300 yds east to approx 771566, where a listening post was set up. At 0030 they reported an 88 fired from an as of 1L0; at 0045 a vehicle was heard moving North from vic of Den Heuvel; cy was heard digging in at 772568, near Den Heuvel. Patrol returned at 0415.

Patrol # 3: Ambush Outpost patrol, consisting of Cpl. Hydrick and 5 men from Co F, moved out at 1900 to 770562, where listening and ambush post was established. Only cy movement reported was the sound of the vehicle moving north from vic of Den Heuvel at 0045. Returned at 0400.

Patrol #1: Lt. Griffin and 4 men from E Co left the CP and MG outpost at 768574 at about 2330 and traveled to the Northeast. Patrol advanced to 768676 unopposed, then turned east toward 771 575; patrol investigated position west of CR at 771575 and found them unoccupied. Further reconnaissance was made up 200 yds North to RJ and house at 772577, where unoccupied MG emplacements and large vehicle pit were found. Bodies of cy dead quite old lay around positions. Patrol returned SE across trail to 773574 and made circle in the area between the glider at 772575 and Vossendaal. Glider was found to be unoccupied. Patrol returned without making contact. Only 1 cy MG was heard, fire of which was directed toward general vicinity of patrol from Den Heuvel-Vossendaal road, though it was not determined where it fired from. Patrol returned at 0330.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Brer O. 30 Corps DATE: 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0910

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

G-3 Wtd.

0900 — 2000 hours. Weather Forecast

Wind — light northerly

Weather — overcast with mist & fog.

Cloud — 10/10 layer cloud at 800 - 1000 ft lifting slowly to 1000 - 1500 ft. this afternoon.

Visibility — 500 - 1000 yds at first improving slowly & becoming about 1 mi. this afternoon, but patches less than 1000 yds persisting.

Message File No. 4839 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price Capt.

Outlook for tonight — fog re forming.

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(DR)

SIGNAL MESSAGE

~~82 US~~ ~~ATR.85.~~ 30 1430 A

From: 'G' 30 Corps

To: ~~Gds Armd Div 43 Div 50 Div 8 Armd Bde~~ 82 US A/B Div ~~101 US A/B Div 5 AGRA 100 AA Bde CRE 30 Corps Tps~~

Info: ~~DA & QMG~~

O 221 (.) Existing rules re SECURITY are NOT being observed by formations (.) This refers particularly to curfew (.) Curfew rules will now be modified to the extent that in NIJMEGEN town curfew will be put back from 2200 to 2300 (.) Existing security rules with this one modification will be tightened up now and strictly enforced as from incl 5 Nov (.) All informed

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As written

Maj K what are they? WFW

Corps pulling our leg for rules TBK

Distribution:

~~GSI(b)~~ CCRA CE CSO
CC 30 Corps Sigs.Camp

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 30 October 44)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	23	237	25	371	24	492	21	431	91	1731		
504	30	199	31	479	33	488	34	365	128	1525		
505	23	235	40	464	36	417	38	503	137	1617		
508	30	239	28	338	28	552	26	349	112	1278		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WIA & KIA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	87	12	242	27	529	5	304	54	1162	91	1731
504	8	84	3	84	29	371	4	124	44	663	128	1525
505	6	99	1	54	25	331	9	161	41	645	137	1617
508	15	114	4	109	27	397	6	124	52	744	112	1278
INF	39	384	20	489	108	1628	24	713	191	3214	468	6149
ARTY	3	27	7	93	25	158	4	80	39	358	145	1769
ENGR	2	23	1	5	7	75		28	10	131	33	489
MED				2	1	18		10	1	50	22	252
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
80 AA		18	1	4	5	44	1	33	7	101	33	450
OTHERS		3		2	2	24	1	13	3	42	75	415
TOTAL	44	455	29	595	140	1969	30	881	251	3880	781	9619

OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYP:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1110

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1055 hours 18 rounds mortar from 120° Mag az. from Cherokee (755773) and Mohawk (760774) and 110° Mag az. from Co. F OP (766784)

Arty suppressed

Message File No. 1818 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

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APPROVED BY THE PRESIDENT
MARCH 10, 1926

TELEGRAM

OFFICIAL BUSINESS—GOVERNMENT RATES

FROM: WAR DEPARTMENT

BUREAU 41A

3—10499-1

TO WINTON GEORCE DASH TWO EIGHT TWO AB DIV FWD

ONE MAN TORPEDOES ARE MANUFACTURED AT THE JONGERIUS RPT MONGERIUS FACTORY AT UTRECHT RPT UTREJHT PD PAREN PAREN FIVE HAVE ALREADY BEEN DELIVERED AND THERE ARE STILL ANOTHER FIVE THERE PD THEY ARE INTENDED FOR SXXXRPT THE TORPEDOING OF THE COLUMNS OF THE AAL RPT WAAL[redacted] BRIDGE AT NIJMEGEN RPT NIJMEGEN PD FOR THIS PURPOSE THERE IS A HEADCHARGE ON THE TORPEDO CMA FOR THE DESTRUCTION OF NETS

505 + 30 Corps
Notified WFC
31930

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FROM JACK SIGNED RIDGWAY

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~LOOST, VAN DELOO~~

Joost van de Loo, Rembrandt Straat, 87, Nijmegen. Age 20.

Data on civilian used by 325.

8577

Message File No. _____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Priv, capt

I.P.W. TEAM #45
504TH PARACHUTE INF. REGT.
APO 469 U.S.ARMY.

Berg en Dal, Holland.
October 31, 1944.

DUTCH PERSONNEL ATTACHED.
For Duty and Rations.

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A. Glasser		Amsterdam	33
D. Jenniskens	Paterbrugmanstraat, 22	Nymegen	23
	For Duty Only		
H. Brinkhoff	Timorstraat 28,	Nymegen	25
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ALFRED LANDGRAFF,
1st. Lt., AUS.
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OIC IPW TEAM #45.

AL/jjh.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 508 DATE 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1410

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

LIST OF DUTCH PERSONNEL EMPLOYED BY REGT.

Agardus (NMI) LEEGSMA

AGE: 21

193 BERGEN DAHLEWEA

NIMEGEN

Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: _____ DATE: _____

TO : _____ TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: _____

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

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Message File No. _____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: _____

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
31 October 1944

SUBJECT: Dutch Interpreter

TO : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Div.

1. In reply to your request of this date for the name of Dutch interpreter now in use by this Regiment, the following is submitted:

JOOST van de LOO, Rembrandt Straat 87, Nijmegen. Age: 20 (Born 14 Dec 23)

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BENDIEN, G. W. V 4 Santstraat 54, Nijmegen.

van Linssen, Gerrit, Marialaan 16, Nijmegen.

M. K. BERKUT,
Capt., 325th Glider Inf.
S-2.

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S-2.

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PATROL PLAN

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
011515 October 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 31 OCTOBER 1 NOVEMBER

UNIT	TYPE OF PATROL	NO OF MEN	TIME OUT	TIME IN	PLACE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	REMARKS
"D"Co	Recn	21	1800	0100	(761582)	(773577)	See 1 below
"H"Co	C/R	15	1845	2200	"H" Co Position	RB (777587)	Take PW
"G"Co	Combat	20	0200	0400	"I" Co Position	(776585)	See 2 below

"E" and "F" Cos to maintain routine security patrols.

NOTES:

1 - Patrol will proceed to CR at (773577); then check road and houses along road from (773576) to (774578) and also a house at (773576). The patrol will then split up into groups and maintain listening post at (773576), (773578), and (774578). At 0100 the patrol will assemble at (771578) and then return to the Co CP via the RAILROAD ROAD.

2 - Patrol will split into two sections. Section "A" will protect the [redacted] flank of Section "B" from enemy fire by counter-fire and fi te smoke gre nades. Section "B" will attack enemy positions in and around (776585) in an effort to secure PW. A double green flare will be used to order a general withdrawal of patrol if the situation demands same. If so, the patrol will assemble at (7[illegible]). 81mm mortars will be prepared to smoke area vic (777585) on call.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Infantry
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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
31 October 1944

PATROL PLAN for night 31/01 Oct:

1. During the relief of 3rd Bn by the 2nd Bn night of 31/01 only screening and lateral contact patrols will be operating.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: _____ DATE _____

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MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2, 325 DATE Oct 31 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

if study photos
AT 772568, X can pick out object that
very closely resembles tank.

Nothing new on the repeated in Den Hawel
woods. Believed by attempted to repair broken out
tk in Den Hawel and that motor combed out
again when no pers motor and atty fire out

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Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Kittrell
MAJOR

HEADQUARTERS 82D AIRBORNED DIVISION

31 October 1944.

DUTCH PERSONNEL ATTACHED

504th Parachute Inf, Regt

For Duty and Rations

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508th Regt

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325th Regt.

Joost van de Loo	Rembrandt Straat 87,	Nijmegen	20

505th Regt.

W. Stoppernshale			25
S. W. Kaak	Huize Albertinem	Nijmegen	24
. Becking	Huize Albertinem	Nijmegen	21

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps DATE: 31 Oct 44

TO : 6-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1815

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Weather: 2000 - 0900

Surface wind, northerly light

Weather - Cloudy with risks of rain toward end of period.

Visibility: 500 - 1500 yds at first, deteriorating to 200 - 500 yds -

Cloud - 10/10 layer cloud at 600 - 1000 feet.

Outlook - Cloudy with rain at first; fair later.

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Message File No. 4870 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Cass

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 31 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1800

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Rpt [illegible]

[illegible]

Div Arty [illegible]

Message File No. 4872 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325   DATE 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2   TIME RECEIVED OR SENT [illegible]

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

[illegible]

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Message File No. ______ G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

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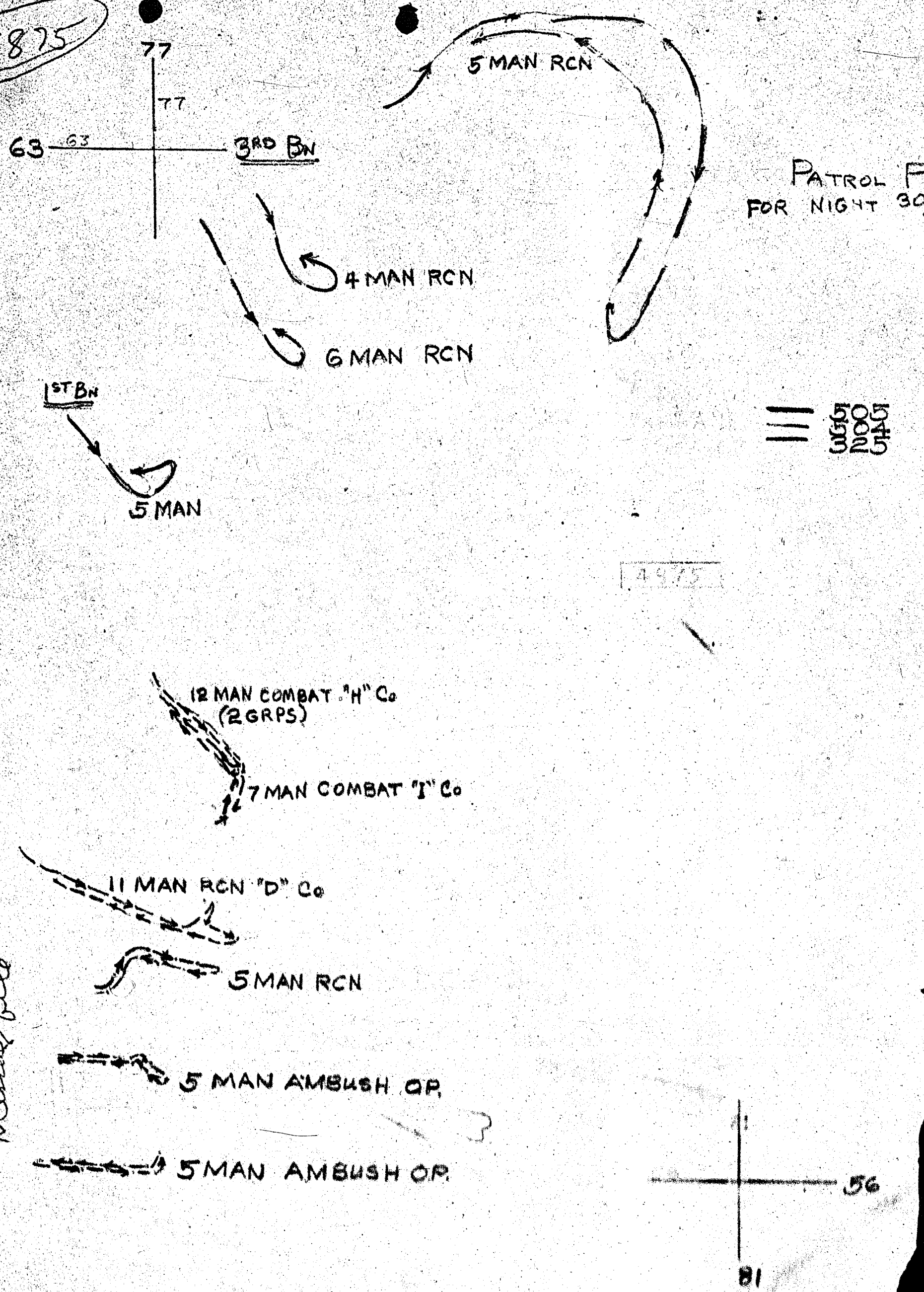
PATROL PLANS FOR NIGHT 30/31 OCT



Memo file

To: G-2 31 Oct 44
From: S-2, Div Arty

ARTY, MORTARS, MG's LOCATED TODAY

ENGAGED	LOCATION	WEAPON	SOURCE
YES	78225739	NEBEL	CMO
YES	78805988	NEBEL	CMO
YES	81136003	BTRY	CBO
YES	76776107	MORTAR	456 FA
YES	77686115	NEBEL	456
YES	78305494	NEBEL	CMO
~~YES~~	~~78~~		
YES	81826015	3-MED GUNS	CBO

SHELREPS

RPTD	TIME	OBSVR	IMPACT	AZ	NO RDS	CAL	EST FN
376	1857	76495995		64°		H.V. 75-88	

HOSTILE ARTY - NO CHANGE

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 5 0 V DATE 31 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2100.

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Obs from T 75 62 V on MA 2120
a ~~A~~ WGLWFK, by 2 Bn at 2040 hrs.
Div Arty informed

Message File No. 1882 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asst 1st Lt

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 31 Oct. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1925.

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2 Germans w/ AT weapons at 78786270

from 79006232 to rd 79006186

2 pltns of Germans dug in at 1700 hrs

Tps wearing full field equipment which is not normal. 2 MG at 783068 8. (also seen by 505 OP)

Observed by FO of 456 FAB.

Message File No. 4883 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Bell 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
3RD A/B DIVISION

FROM: 15R DATE: 31 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2220

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~NEW DOOFF~~ NOBEWFR

At 2200 NW fwd 6 rd

As from 772622 W Az 118°

[illegible] 772622

Message File No. 4987 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 31 OCT 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

(FCo) ① White flare, az. 135°, Range 1200 yds
② S/A on right flank.
③ Shelter; Az 140°, Range 1400 yds
Time 2220 Relieved fm.

Message File No. 1891 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines Capt

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82d A/B Div - G-2 Jnl, Operation MARKET
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0055		4893		FR 505 TO G-2: Shell Report	Div Arty
0100		4894		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0110		4895		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
0115		4896		FR 504 TO G-2: 1ST BN 505 HAS TAPPED GERMAN WIRE	
0210		4897		FR G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
0210		4898		FR G-2 TO UN G-2 REPORT	
0210		4899		FR 325 TO G-2 PATROL REPORT	
0250		4900		FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0300		4901		FR 325 TO G-2 PATROL REPORT	
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0500		4905		FR 504 TO G-2 - NEG REPORT.	
0500		4906	31 OCT-1000	FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: CAPT FRVIN REQUESTS DATA ON DUTCH INTERPRETERS	
0500		4907		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REP	
0500		4908		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REP	
0500		4909		FR 325, 504, 505: NEG REP (RADIO)	
0700		4910		FR 504 TO G-2 - NEG REP	
0700		4911		FR 505 TO G-2 - NEG REP	
0700		4912		FR 504 TO G-2 - PATROL RED NIGHT 31 Oct/1 Nov 44	CG/CS/DIVARTY/CORPS
0700		4913		FR 504 TO G-2 - OVERLAY OF EY OPLR AND MLR	
0700		4914		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2 - NEG REP (RADIO)	
0700		4915		FR 325 TO G-2 - NEG REP	
0800		4916		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: PATROL N OF NEUVILLE RIEN (ER 101) Returned with 31 PRISONERS 502 SS ARTY REGT OF 255 PZ CORPS. 959 INF REGT.	C/S G-3

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:

(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0800		4917		FR. 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT - 31/0 OCT.	C/S, G-3, DIV. ART.
0800		4918		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT - 31/01 OCT.	C/S - G-3, DIV. ART.
0840		4919		FR. XXX CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST	G-3
0900		4920		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG REP (RADIO)	
0900		4921		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REP.	
0900		4922		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REP	
0920		4923		FR. 30 CORPS TO G-2: INT. SUM No 53.	
0920		4924		FR. 30 CORPS TO G-2: CI SITREP	C/C. C/S
0925		4925		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: SABOTAGE: PREVENTIVE MEASURES	505 - C/S - C/C.
0930		4926		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
0930		4927		FR. 30 CORPS TO G-2: REQUEST ~~REGULAR~~ WEATHER FORECAST (LOCAL)	
0930		4928		FR. 30 CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST	
		4929		PASS THIS NO.	

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To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1010		4930		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT.	
1010		4931		FR. HQ. ETO TO G-2: CIR. 104.	
1100		4932		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO-PHONE)	
1100		4933		FR. 505 TO G-2. NEG. REPORT (RADIO.	
1100		4934		FR. 504 TO G-2. NEG. REPORT (RADIO-PHONE)	
1110		4935		FR. 325 TO G-2: 2 VEHICLES MOVING E TOWARD KRANENBURG FR E ON MAIN RD	
1130		4936		FR. 505 TO G-2: SHELLED	DIV. ARTY
1145		4937		FR. DIV ARTY TO G-2: 325 OP SAW ONE TANK AT DEN HEUVEL. SUSPECT MORE.	
1155		4938		FR 325 TO G-2: 810557, GUN FLASHES OBS BY 2 OP'S - 2 GUNS FLASHED 9055674. 719505, (CAMOUFLAGE NET INLAID)	DIV ARTY

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:
(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1230		4939		FR ASP TO G-2 BOMB LINE	G-3
1300		4940		FR 504 TO G-2: 2 SHELLS WHICH FELL 2130 21 OCT: MACADAM ROAD = CRATER 28 INCHES DEEP; 81 INCHES DIAMETER GRAVEL ROAD CRATER 53 INCHES DEEP; 15 FEET DIAMETER	
1300		4941		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1300		4942		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1300		4943		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG [illegible]	
1320		4944		FR 325 TO G-2: AT 1310 [illegible] 808954 35; 2 MTC 807054 35, 1305 MG FIRING 774567-10 FY 781567 STAFF	DIV ARTY
1345		4945		FR PHANTOM TO G-2: 1ST A/B DIV RPT PW'S AT [illegible] FR 363 PIONEER BN 149 ARTY RGT — 116 PZ DIV REMNANTS 1ST BN 502 GG ARTY — PW'S AT 6176 IDENTIFIED AS 4, 5, 6 COYS 959 RGT.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: ______________________

To: ______________________
(Date and Hour)

Place: ______________________

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1500		4946		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL ROUTES OVERLAY OF 31/1 NOV ROUTES	
1500		4947		FR 101 A/B DIV TO G-2: G-2 PARKING	
1500		4948		FR 43 DIV TO G-2: ISUM # 67	
1500		4949		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1500		4950		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
[illegible]		4951		FR 2 ARMY TO G-2: DEFENSE OVERPRINTS 29 OCT 44.	
1500		4952		FR 325 TO G-2: SCATTERED EY ALONG RD 771569 TO 772568 AT 1330; SEV CAMOUFLAGING PSNS ALONG HEDGE 7951554 0 AT 1410; AT 1435 HRS EY IN BLDG 790155 7A; EY SEEN BLDGS 794554	DIV ARTY.
1600		4953		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 1530 HVY ARTY HIT 787637 — OBS 780624 — MAG 150	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1605		4954		FR DIV ART TO G-2 1ST CO OF INF W/ MAP & BIKES NE KRANENBURG	
1645		4955		FR 504 TO G-2 - PATROL PLAN NIGHT 1/2 NOV	DIV ART
1645		4956		FR 504 TO G-2 - S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	
1650		4957		FR 505 TO G-2 SHELLED - RE SHELLED DE 1530	
1655		4958		FR 325 TO G-2 RPT OF AA GUN WHICH FIRED AT CUB	
1700		4959		FR 504 TO G-2, "C" CO. 26 BARRAGE BLNS VIA KRANENBERG	
1700		4960			
1700		4960		FR 505 TO G-2 - PATROL PLANS	DIV ART
1700		4961		FR 325 TO G-2 - 50 BRGE BLNS OVER REICHSWALD, MAZ 1150 FT 1630	
1715		4962		FR 504 TO G-2 E CO 60 FT BARRAGE BLNS AZ 1000 - 20 RDS MORTAR AMM CAME FRO VIC WYLER	

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From:

To:
(Date and Hour)
Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1730		4963		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2 – BARRAGE BALLOONS REPEAT – ALSO AA GUN AT [illegible] RPT BY 320	
	1725	4964		FR G-2 TO G-2, 325: PROPAGANDA [illegible] MEETING AT 1100, ON 2 NOV.	
1750	[illegible]	4965		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG RADIO RPT	
	1600	4966		FR G-2 TO 505, 504, 325 (100 EA) 456, 376, 320, 80 AA (10 EA), DIV ARTY (5) DEFENSE OVERPRINTS 27 OCTOBER	130 TO DIV RES. 20 ON HAND
1750		4967		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: 787623 - 12 COAL CARS 780631 DOCKED BOAT SMOKING - 8005627[illegible] TO 8005628[illegible] LARGE PITS ALONG HEDGEROW (VEN?) FOX HOLES EVERY 5-10 YDS ALONG N-S RD 785624 - [illegible] FOXHOLES ALONG ROAD AT 788613 - 788613	
[illegible]		4968		FR 325 TO G-2: BUZZ BOMBS WENT UP AT [illegible] FR [illegible] HEADING DUE W AT 1830	

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From:

To:
(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1900		4969		FR 307 E TO G-2: ENGR SITREP	
1900		4970		FR 307 E TO G-2: ENGR INTELL REP	
1900		4971		FR 307 E TO G-2: FRIENDLY MINEFIELD	
1900		4972		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: RADIO NEG REP	
1900		4973		FR 504 TO G-2: 1140 [illegible] 90° AZ FR EASY CO OP – AT 1900 CONVOY 8?5554 (CONVOY: [illegible] N BURG) 1842 – 2 BALLS OF FIRE	
1900		4974		FR 2 ARMY TO G-2: INTERPRETATION OF FIELD ROCKET INCIDENT	
1900		4975		FR 505 TO G-2: BARGE 7805 [illegible] THAT WAS BURNING WAS HIT BY OUR AA. 1 SUNK – 2 RIVER BOATS – [illegible] 1 SAILBOAT, 4 RIVER BOATS.	
1915		4976		FR ASP TO G-2: 1530 TAC/R	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1915		4977		FR ASP TO G-2: 1700 TAC/A	
1930		4978		FR 325 TO G-2: NATAL REAL	DIV ARTY, G-3
1930		4979		FR 325 TO G-2: "SUMMER BREEZE"	
1895		4980		FR ASP TO G-2: WILL CHECK BALLOONS TOMORROW	
1905		4981		FR 30 CORPS MET TO G-2: WEATHER RPT	
1910		4982		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2 - OBS AT 765 504 AT 1855 CORPS 2 BALLS OF FIRE AZ 90° - 10,000 FT HIGH	
1915		4983		FR 504 TO G-2: AT 775589 PICKED UP UNFRIENDLY DOG (WIA) DESCRIPTION: DOG IS - 30 IN HIGH, BLACK, WELL-FED	
1900		4984		FR 325 TO G-2: SIT OVERLAY	
1920		4985		FR 325 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC	
1930		4986		FR 325 TO G-2: OPN INSTR	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Logged	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1930		4987		FR 325 TO G-2 FLARES	
1930		4988		FR 325 TO G-2 [illegible] REQ AIR SUPPORT [illegible]	
1950		4989		FR 505 TO [illegible] BUZZ BOMBS 30 CORPS	
1935		4990		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2 [illegible] WOMBAT [illegible] LAND FLARE	
2010		4991		FR 204A TO [illegible] NOT	
2010		4992		FR Div Arty To G-2 156 observer Az 76615 Red lights in Easterly direction. Not FLARES 2000 yds. 320 FLARES 326 FLARES	
2030		4993		FR 2325 To G-2. 251 FLARES FR 75573 ON Az 100° OF Az 76005240 OBSERVED SAME	
2126		4994		FR 301 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
2000		4995		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2055		4998		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2 FLARE REPORT	
2055		4997		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2 FLARE REPORT	
2045		4998		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2 FLARE REPORT	
2045		4999		FR 505 TO G-2 FLARE REPORT	
2000		5000		FR 325 TO G-2 FLARE REPORT	
2110		5001		FR 504 TO G-2 PATROL REPORT	
2110		5002		FR 505 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	
2130		5003		FR 325 TO G-2 PW PICKED UP	
2150		5004		FR 505 TO G-2 S-2 REPORT	
2210		5005		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	
2210		5006		FR A3 (DIV) TO G-2 ~~SHELL~~ & GUN LOCATION	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2215		5007		FR 505 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	
2230		5008		FR 505 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	
2315		5009		FR 325, 505, 501 TO G2 NEG (RADIO)	
2300		5010		FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
2300		5011		FR 325 TO G-2 FLARE REPORT	
2330		5012		FR 504 TO G-2 ROBOT BOMB REPORT	
2325		5013		FR 376 FA TO G-2 BRITISH FIRED ON ENY INF AT 840555	

"P" (4892) 4 [illegible]

Main 30 Corps 312234A
82 A/B Div 013229. Secret.
Sitrep as at 2200 hrs. N.T.R.
all informed.

"P" 104A

Main 30 Corps 312306A
Action Guards Div 43 Div 50 Div
82 A/B Div 101 A/B Div 1328.
Info on VICTOR weapons may not
repeat not be disseminated in intelligence
summaries or G-2 periodic reports
but must be made subjects of
graded correspondence. Please ensure
destruction of summaries already
sent out

(Checked & attended to KRP) (4892)

Received by phone.
Cpl Small Div M/C

Capt Price; Phone 30 Corps & find out if
this means for us ~~to~~ collect and destroy the
[illegible] Notes which 30 Corps sent to us
TBK

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELREP;
0010 - 20 RDS MED OR HVY ARTY
LANDED 763635. FROM AZ. 135°

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Message File No. 1893 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Barnes, CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0710

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELREP: 2330: C Co OP 90° 12 RDS NBLWFR 2000
MOHAWK 95° " " "
2350: CHIEF 76005740 102° 12 " —
CHIEF 75505635 90° " " 1500 YDS
MOHAWK 80° " "
F Co

COMBAT PATROL DREW MG & MORT. FIRE FROM 77157 (3 HOUSES) AND VOSSENDAHL.

SHELREP 0100 CHIEF 120° 12 NBLWFR —

(R)

Message File No. 4995 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Garcia, CAO

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1ST BN 505 HAS TAPPED GERMAN WIRE.

Message File No. 4996 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gavin, CAPT

HQ 82D A/B DIV.
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
31 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

Following is a resume of BBC news broadcasts heard at the 82d A/B Division CP during 31 October 1944

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Canadian troops have added new lustre to their drive to clear the SCHELDT ESTUARY and have completed the occupation of S. BEVELAND island. Liberation of this area is another step toward making possible use by the Allies of the Port of ANTWERP.

Cheering news also comes from the MAAS River front. British troops are continuing their drive in this sector. Late reports are to the effect that the Germans are slowly but surely losing their grip South of the MAAS and now are employing every available means to evacuate their troops across the river.

Meanwhile, Allied air power has again made itself felt in Hitler's domain. American heavies visited COLOGNE again, this time giving the already devastated city its heaviest bombing of the war to date. Some 5000 tons of bombs were dropped on COLOGNE.

1000 Allied planes were over Western Germany today. Air raid sirens blared twice in BERLIN as the RAF's Mosquitoes made two separate attac on the German capital.

The broadcasts carried little news from other Western front sectors from the Italian front, and from the Eastern front. But from GREECE came word that British troops continue to harass the retreating enemy. A German garrison only eight miles South of YUGOSLAVIA was wiped out.

In BURMA, British troops continue active patrolling, and Chinese troops are consolidating newly-won positions. There are no new reports from the PHILIPPINES.

Prime Minister CHURCHILL today predicted that the war with GERMANY will not be over until the Spring - earlier he had expressed belief that the war with Germany would extend "several months" into 1945.

Mr. CHURCHILL'S prediction was made in a meeting of the House of Commons during discussion of a bill to prolong the present Parliament. He said that the present Coalition Government should not be broken up until the defeat of the Nazis and indicated that from seven to nine months might pass before a new election could be held.

Thirty Bishops attended the funeral today of the late Archbishop of Canterbury.

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FROM: 310001 OCT 44
TO : 312400 OCT 44

HQ., 82D A/B DIV.
APO 469, US ARMY
IN THE FIELD
312400 OCTOBER 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 135

MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheet 3 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, 4102, 4202

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today and engaged by Allied arty: Nebelwerfers at 78225739, 78805988, 77686115 and 78305494; mortar at 76776107 (Div Arty)
(2) MG at 773568 (325)
(3) Ey minefield, consisting of AP mines, from 77535853 to 77555863 (504)
(4) Sound of stakes being driven at 76556086 by patrol (505)
(5) Mortar position in LAGEWALD at 77905780 (504)
(6) Nebelwerfer vic 78805980 (504)
(7) Digging at 772568 (325)

c. Units in Contact: No change

d. Artillery - Location and Calibers:

(1) Est ey arty vic 82d A/B Div front - (No change) - One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two hvy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty)
(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by Allied arty: Btry at 81136003, three med guns at 81826015 (Div Arty)
(3) Ey arty piece firing from behind church in BEGRAAFPL (782544) at 1508 (325)

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD:

a. General Summary:

Artillery and mortar fires continued through the period. The enemy was extremely alert during the hours of darkness.

4894 4898

b. Operation of Component Elements:

(1) Artillery:

(a) Shelreps

Unit Reporting	Time	Location Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No of Rds	No of Guns	Caliber	Interval
505	0130	(78356295	180)	6	1	Nblwfr	?
		(771618	130)				
		(776614	140)				
325	0137	(78505635	109)	?	1	Nblwfr	?
		(78006740	70)				
504	0200	(77556	65)	?	?	Nblwfr	?
		(76866950	80)				
376 FA	1857	78405695	64	?	?	75-88	?
505	2200	772622	158	?	?	Nblwfr	?
325	2220	762563	140	?	?	Nblwfr	?

c. Miscellaneous: Two plats ey dug in from 79006232 to 79006186 wore full field equipment at 1700 (FO of 456 FA). Other ey seen during day also wore full field equipment. Ey troops in line normally have not been wearing full field equipment (505)

3. MISCELLANEOUS:

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No Estimate
(2) Prisoners of War:
(a) Taken during period of report: 0
(b) Taken to Date: 2,990

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Generally overcast. Cool.
(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Cloudy, with possibility of rain during first part of period; fair during latter part of period.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change

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WINTON
G-2

DISTRIBUTION:
G-2: "A" plus

50 Div (Br)	- 1
30 Corps (Br)	- 1
43 Div (Br)	- 1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	- 5
2 Bn Irish Gds	- 1
3103 QM Trk Co	- 1
JEDBURGH Team	- 1
PHANTOM	- 1
TOTAL	81

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-3 DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0210

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Reinforced plat. which went on patrol met heavy fire for 3 hours between den Heneval + Vossendal: 1 KIA
4 WIA
3 MIA

Our Arty fired 1100 RDS IN SUPPORT; EY ARTY + MORTAR WAS AS HEAVY AS OURS.

UNABLE TO ACCOMPLISH MISSION.

Message File No. 4899 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Jarvis CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-3 DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

325 combat patrol was able to enter houses (objectives) vic Den-Heuvel-Vossendal, but details and enemy intelligence obtained are still lacking.

Message File No. 4901 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Harris Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0315

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Combat Patrol suffered 1 KIA,
3 MIA
10 WIA

It is believed the advance elements reached objective.

Mortars previously reported in Vossendahl are now believed to be definitely located in draw leading East from Vossendahl (Carty F.O.)

Message File No. _____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Jarvis Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps DATE: 31 Oct 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1000

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

To be reported in writing

Capt. Trim
Senior L/O
30 Corps
with GSD

full names, age + address (town) + unit to which attached to be sent him this afternoon

Capt Trim noted also like a close check to be made to ensure that no civilians are employed who are not reported.

Message File No. 4906 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

SECRET

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
010600 November 1944

Subject: Result of Patrol Activities for night 31-1 November, 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night 31-1 November, 1944.

772577

"H" Co patrol left "H" Co position at 1945. The patrols destination was at (777587). The patrol consisted of fifteen men. The mission of the patrol was to get a PW. The patrol went to (776576) through field, then N and back through woods along road. The patrol threw gammon grenades, fired flares, Bazookas. No My mines found along Western edge of woods. The patrol returned at 2100, no PW's, no casualties.

One (1) officer and six EM from "H" Co returned to the same area with the intentions of outposting the area for 24 hours. This patrol left "H" Co area at 2240.

"D" Co Mon patrol of 21 men left at 1830. Patrol was to proceed to CR at (773577); then check road and houses along road from (772576) to (774579) and also a house at (773576). The patrol carried out their mission and found no presence of the My. The patrol outposted the road from CR (773577) to (774579) for the next 24 hours. The patrol had no casualties. Secured no PW's.

772585

"G" Co combat patrol consisting of thirty men left I co position at 0200 for (776583). The house at this point and vic was thoroughly searched and nothing was found. The patrol returned at 0415. No casualties, no PW's.

"E" & "F" Companys maintained their routine security patrols. Encountered no enemy.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. CONNAR
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
Adj

DISTRIBUTION:
1 - ea bn
4 - G-2
1 - G-3
1 - Desk
1 - 325
1 - 505
1- 376
2 - File

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

101 A/B Div. advised [illegible] heading up returns of yesterday with [illegible] giving [illegible] identifications:

502 [illegible] Abty Regt (of 2 SS Pz Corps)

959 [illegible] Regt (of 363 Inf. Div.)

Please write more plainer legibly.

REW

O/S ✓

G-3 Info.

Return to G-2

Message File No. 4916 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt.

S E C R E T

HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
01 November 1944

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 31/01 Nov:

1. Screening patrols were out during the relief of the 3rd Bn by the 2nd Bn. As the relief was completed by 1945 hr, 2nd Bn conducted those patrols during the remainder of the night.

2. Nothing further was reprted during the night.

C/S RMW
G-3
Div Arty
Return to G-2
(War Room)

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DISTRIBUTION:
4 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO and Staff
1 File

S E C R E T

4917

SECRET.

Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
1 November 1944

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PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF OCT. 31-NOV. 1.

A combat patrol, consisting of 2 Officers (Lt. Wearley and Lt. Griffin) and 30 men left E Co's left flank shortly before midnight with the mission of raiding the "house area" along main road between DEN HEUVEL and VOSSENDAAL, to establish enemy dispositions and to obtain ey prisoners for questioning.

Patrol successfully maneuvered into position at 772572 unopposed prior to 2400 at which time, following an artillery preparation, moved on to their objective. Ey action initially encountered here was hvy artillery, presumed coming from an SP, estimated 500-700 yds east of VOSSENDAAL and mortar fire (81mm) coming from the draw immediately behind VOSSENDAAL woods. Ey automatic fire increased in volume as patrol made its flanking assault and began infiltrating into ey positions. Though the ey did not appear to have superiority in numbers within the immediate objective area he has taken advantage of the flat bare terrain to his immediate front. Patrol maneuvered throughout its operation in constant mortar and MG fire, sustaining heavy casualties.

Point of furthest advance: Approximately 10 riflemen and officers managed to get through the ey FPL to close proximity of the road. Patrol leader (Lt. Wearley) got to the road at 772572. Lt. Griffin and 2 men crossed the road and reached the house area at 773573. Ey rifle fire and MG fire from well dug-in positions around house and on road, and due to the fact that the patrol had heavy casualties, made any successful continued advance impossible at this point. Patrol withdrew under cover of smoke.

Results: Prisoners taken -- 0.
Our Casualties: 4 KIA.
3 MIA (Lt. Griffin and 2 men).
12 wounded.
Ey casualties: Unknown.

Facts established:

1. Ey Weapons:
   a. MG positions (all have previously been reported).
      LMGs at 77315728, 77125712, 77205708; also reported one vic 77005700 (?)
      HMG 77525750, 77605732, 77305692.
   b. Mortar Position: 2(?) vic 77725750.
   c. Machine Pistols: 2 reported firing from vic 77205710.
   d. S. P. Arty(?): 78185743, fired undetermined no. of rounds.
2. Strength and Dispositions:
   No additional information changing facts previously established other than it is now confirmed that the ey front line positions are supported by Hvy Wpns from positions in rear.
   Strength: Ey rifle platoon, plus possibly squad strongpoint at 770570 in well prepared position west of road and around buildings along line 77005700-773557300, supported by about 1 plat of Hv Wpns.
3. Enemy Action:
   1. Laid down strong and continuous volume of interlocking MG fire along a FPL 77005700-77355730.
   2. Heavy volume of small arms fire received from VOSSENDAAL area.
   3. Enemy shelled the following areas with mortars and arty during the operation:
      a. 20 rds area 759568.
      b. 20-30 rds along road 763568.
      c. Continuous shelling of E Co's defensive position.
      d. Intermittent shelling of Hill, 771574.
      e. Continuous shelling of combat patrol's position on advance and withdrawal.
   4. Enemy patrol of 3-4 men left VOSSENDAAL and made its way for short distance toward 773574.
   5. Enemy long range artillery from vic KRANENBURG, fell vic of DEN HEUVEL.
   6. Unconfirmed report that the ey laid down smoke following withdrawal of remainder of patrol.

The lack of any cover or concealment over the descending slope from any or our positions into those of the ey gives him an extreme advantage in holding his ground. The 50-75 yards of flat ground in front of his prepared positions is well covered by automatic and rifle fire. Mortars are zeroed in on the descending slope just west of this area.

1977

Patrol # 2: Ambush Outpost: Sgt Bojack and 4 men from Co F, left at 1945 thru G Co's outpost and made their way to 77105665, where a listening post was established. No ey movement was observed during the time the patrol was in position, except for the skirmish of our combat patrol. Patrol returned at 0430.

Patrol # 3: Ambush Outpost: Sgt Huhn and 5 men from Co F, left at 1930 thru Co F's outpost and established listening post at 77055620. They reported 2 ey MG firing from vic of "kitchen woods" south of DEN HEUVEL during the combat patrol skirmish.

BERKUT
S-2

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Met O, 30 Corps DATE:

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0830

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~Report~~

Weather Forecast, 0900 – 2000:

Wind – W to variable light

Weather – Cloudy with local rain at first becoming fair later.

Cloud – 8/10 – 10/10 layer at 800 – 1000 ft at first becoming 5/10 – 8/10 at 2000 – 3000 ft by 1400 – 1500 hours.

Visibility – # 1000 – 2000 yds at first improving to 2-4 mi, by end of afternoon.

Message File No. 4914 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

Outlook for Tonight - Fair.

To G-3

8205

CONFIDENTIAL

Subject:- Sabotage - Provontivo Measuros

Main HQ 30 Corps

111/9/GSI(b)

31 Oct 44

List A1 loss Serial 4
CE
APM

The following is an extract received by GI(b) Second Army from an interrogation report on one of the PW captured after an attack against the bridges at NIJMEGEN.

"PsW were agreed that by far the most effective deterrent to their activities was the placing of barbed wire rolls under water round piers etc, liable to attack. If their suits are torn they cannot continue. They also greatly fear hand grenades".

Further information is expected and will be passed on as soon as received.

Brigadier,
General Staff.

C/S

CIC Tac

Return to G-2

Communication to SOS

C/925

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : 30 Corps Info TIME RECEIVED OR SENT

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Request entered for daily forecasts by telephone ① of local weather, 0900 - 2000 hours ② of route Nijmegen to Rheims, both to be forwarded as early as possible. It was promised at 0830 hours regularly.

Message File No. 4927 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Met O 30 Comp DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0920

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

0900 - 1200, Route Forecast, Ie to Rheims.
Wind — Surface & at 2000 ft, light variable.
Weather — Cloudy with general mist at first, becoming fair.
Cloud — 8/10 — 10/10 of lifted fog at 600 - 1000 ft. at first, rolling to 4/10 - 7/10 at 1000 - 2000 ft.
Visibility — 1000 - 2000 yds at first, improving slowly to 3 - 4000 yds.
Freezing level — 3000 ft., icing index moderate.
Outlook for afternoon — fair [illegible]

Message File No. 42 G-2 Sender - Receiver: _____

Visibility — 2-3 mi until 1600 hours

Cloud — 5/10 - 8/10 at 1-2000 ft.

G-2

CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 31 October 1944

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	25	235	23	572	24	488	21	432	91	1727		
504	30	198	31	477	33	478	34	366	128	1519		
505	24	234	40	459	36	417	37	502	137	1612		
508	30	239	28	337	28	349	26	343	112	1268		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WIA & DNB EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	87	12	242	27	529	5	311	54	1169	91	1727
504	8	84	3	84	29	375	6	129	46	672	128	1519
505	6	99	1	54	25	333	10	172	42	658	137	1612
508	15	114	4	109	27	398	6	134	52	755	112	1268
INF	39	384	20	489	108	1635	27	746	194	3254	468	6126
ARTY	3	27	7	93	25	158	4	84	39	362	145	1769
ENGR	2	23	1	4	7	75		28	10	130	33	490
MED				2	1	18		15	1	35	28	232
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
80 AA		18	1	4	5	44	1	37	7	103	33	450
OTHERS		3		2	2	24	1	13	3	42	75	415
TOTAL	44	455	29	594	148	1956	33	925	254	3928	781	8297

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OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYP

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messanger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~A few Aberts~~
2 vehicles moving toward Kranenburg from E on main road at 1110 hours.

Message File No. 4935 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1130

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

6 rounds high velocity landed 761598 from due east ; five seconds intervals from report of gun to burst : at 1125 hours.

To Div Arty

(P)

Message File No. 4936 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1135

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At about Den Hewel woods one or more tanks, seen by 325 OP. One actually seen, more suspected.

(P)

Message File No. 4937 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1155

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 812557, 8 gun flashes, shells sent into ~~this~~ area. Time: 1130

At 815557, 2 gun flashes observed by different OP. Time 1130.

At 800556?4, flashes from two guns. Time 1130.

(4) At 784565, the camouflage net previously seen 3-4 days ago has been enlarged.

To Div Arty

Message File No. AA 1152 G-2 Sender - Receiver: (over)

At 818557, gun flash observed, at 1145 hours.
" 791585, " " " " " "
Both shells landed ~~area~~ 504 area.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 011150

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GH: 22

Originator's No.: AIR 5 ⊙ B/L 011230 as before to E/ ~~ATBGTD~~ 712067 encl road to ~~PAME~~ 7206 encl canal to ~~PHBH~~ 7109 encl canal to ~~OLZFYH~~ 737115 then as before

G-3

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SIGNED 4931

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

Time: TWX 1218

System: Wire

Time cleared

(GY 483) Wt. 49325/567. 990,000 Pads. 2/46. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 1 NOV 1944

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 800

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELLS WHICH FELL AT 2130 31 OCT IN 504 AREA PRODUCED FOLLOWING CRATERS:

MACADAM ROAD:
28" DEEP
81" DIAMETER

GRAVEL ROAD:
53" DEEP
15 FEET DIAMETER

Message File No. 1440 G-2 Sender - Receiver: PRICE, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 1 Nov

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1320

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

A+1310 hrs. ~~Cpt~~ Opt staff car at 80895435. Also 2 motorcycles at 80705435.

(P) A 1305 hrs. MG cptd by 2 Bn. firing from 774567.

10 Cyg at 7 8155 9. ~~[illegible]~~ at (P)

Bn lty [illegible]

Message File No. 4943 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Hal 1st Lt

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Pr[illegible]	Transm[illegible]n Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: Phantom — Date-Time of Origin: 011030

For Action: G2

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Office Date Stamp

Message Instructions — GR

17 3/44 QGHQPP 100M Pads

Originator's No.

Source Capt G2 101 US Div 1000 hrs 6 Yesterday Patrol 6 PWs at 6980 identified as 363 Pioneer Bn 146 ARTY Regt Col 116 Pz Div 1 Bn 52 SS ARTY REGT 0 PWs also taken at 6176 identified as 4, 5 & 6 Coys 959 REGT

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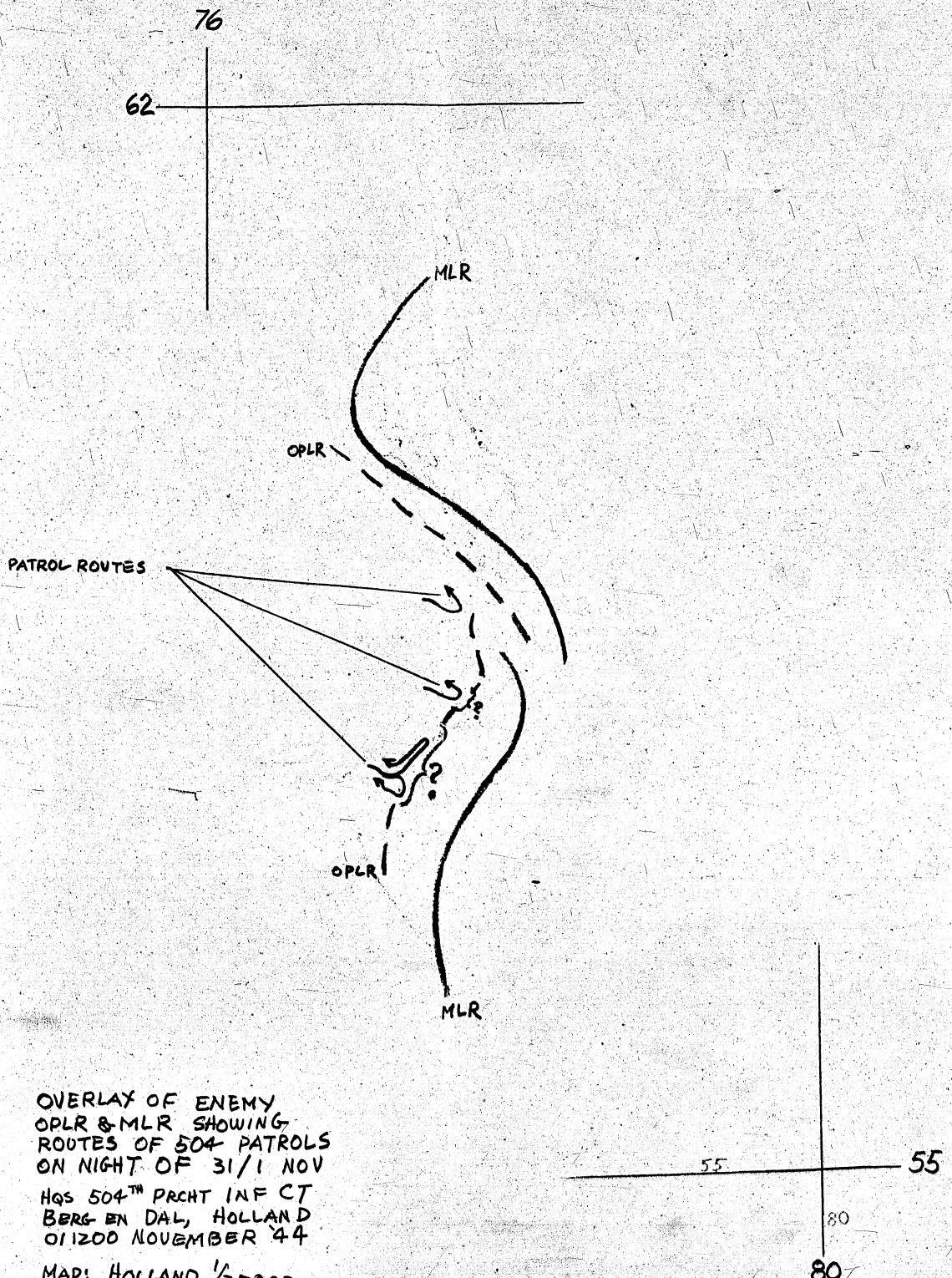

OVERLAY OF ENEMY OPLR & MLR SHOWING ROUTES OF 504 PATROLS ON NIGHT OF 31/1 NOV

HQS 504TH PRCHT INF CT
BERG EN DAL, HOLLAND
011200 NOVEMBER '44

MAP: HOLLAND 1/25,000
SHEETS 6SW & 12 NW

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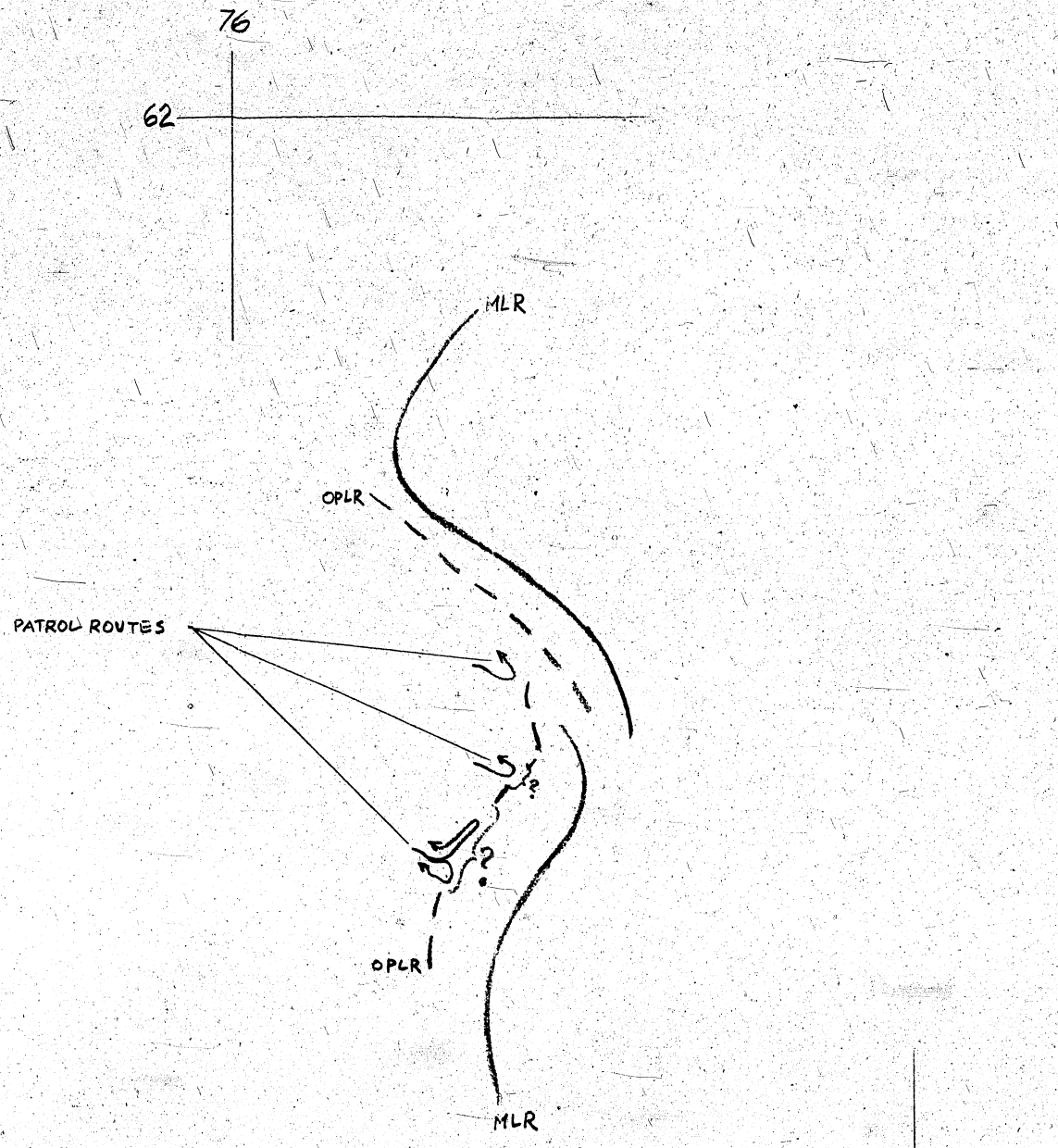

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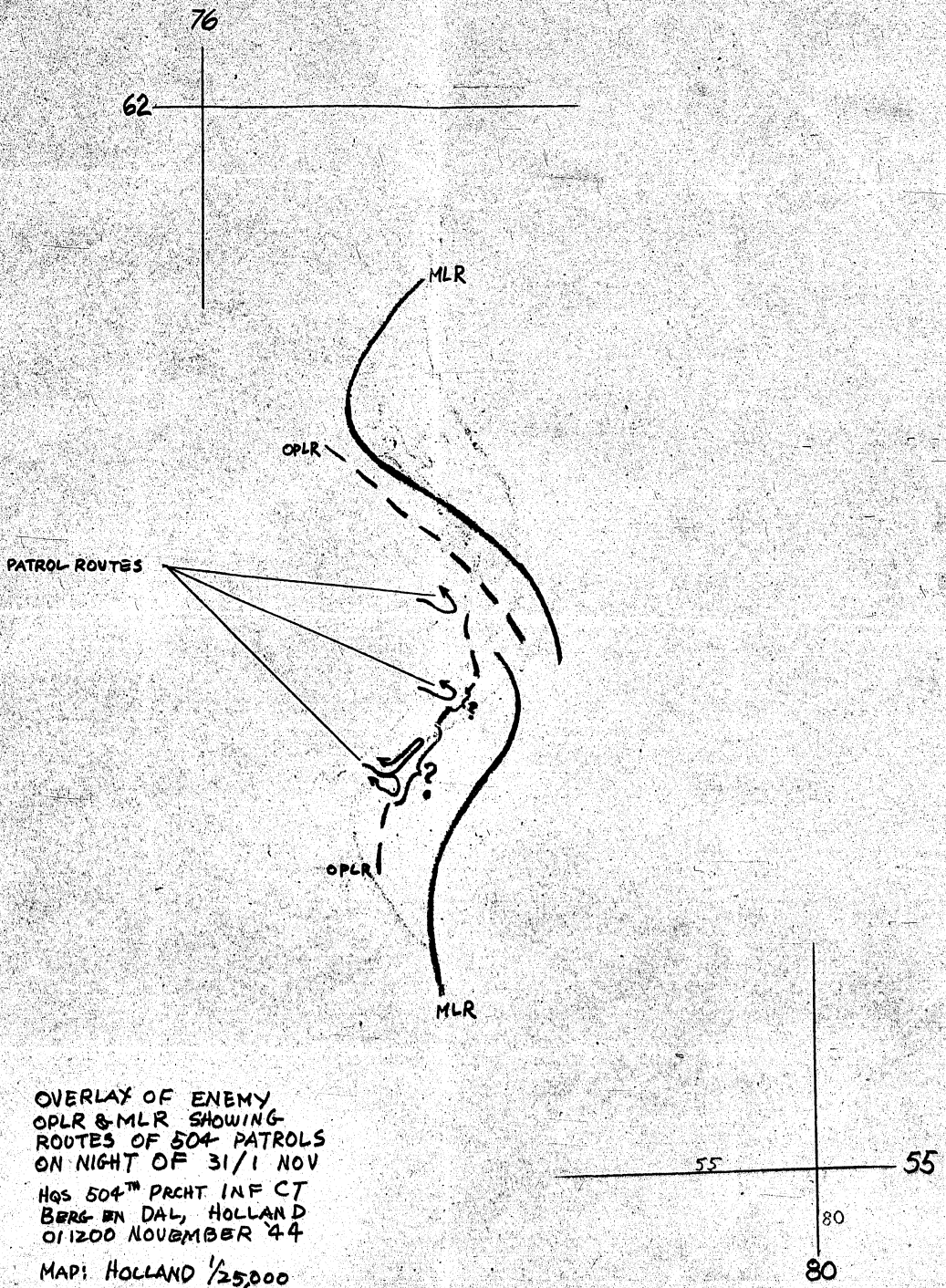

OVERLAY OF ENEMY OPLR & MLR SHOWING ROUTES OF 504 PATROLS ON NIGHT OF 31/1 NOV

HQS 504TH PRCHT INF CT BERG EN DAL, HOLLAND 011200 NOVEMBER '44

MAP: HOLLAND 1/25,000 SHEETS 6SW & 12 NW

GORHAM
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 17 Nov.

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1330 hrs. "G" Co obs. ~~eny~~ ey along rd at 771569 to 772568 in scattered groups

At 1410 hrs. CQR rpts 5 men doing camouflage on positions along hedge at 7951 5540.

At 1435 hrs. ~~eny~~ ey in bldg at 7901 5572.

Obs by Chief A

At 7896 5589 ~~eny~~ ey seen between bldgs.

Div Arty informed

RP

Message File No. 115 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Hall 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: VUV DATE 1 Nov. 44

TO : G-V TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1600

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At N30 hrs. 1 rd of My Vel artly
Landed at 782837. Obs fr 780624
M Avg VU

(P)

Message File No. 495 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Hall 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Dan Hoty. DATE: 1 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1605

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Est 1 Co of Inf w/ th mtrcyls & bicycles N/E of Nauenburg. Distance not known. Rptd by 376 FA Bn. Direction of movement not known. Arty fire will be laid down.

(P)

Message File No. 4954 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abl 1st Lt

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PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
011515 November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 1-2 NOVEMBER 1944

UNIT	TYPE OF PATROL	NO OF MEN	TIME OUT	TIME IN	PLACE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	REMARKS
First Bn - No patrol activities.							
Second Bn - Routine Security and Screening Patrols							
"H" Co	C/R	24	1815	Unknown	"H" Co Position	(77665876)	See 1 below
"G" Co	C/R	31	1830	Unknown	"G" Co Position	(77455825)	See 2 below

NOTES:

1 - "H" Co patrol will OP high ground at (77665876) and feel out enemy to front if mission is accomplished.

2 - "G" Co patrol will be in two sections. Section "A" (15 men) will occupy and hold house G8 (77455825); 5 EM will join section "A" when position is organized. Section "B" (16 men) will leave out when Section "A" communicates the "OK" by telephone. They will pass through Section "A" at (77455825) and proceed SW along road into LAGEWALD to contact enemy. If and when prisoner is secured, operation will be called off.
One Green flare recalls section "B"; Two Green flares recall both Sections.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GOMAN
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
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DIVARTY

Return to G-2

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1650

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1550 Msg re 1530 Shelnp

780624 TS

Correct point of obs.

782637 TS

Correct point of Impact

Message File No. 4957 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Winton

LT COL

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1655

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~Also~~ OP reports AA gun vic 7986 5460 w/MG's which fired at Cub.

54 Barrage balloons counted over REICHSWALD. Concentration estimated 1/2 of total.

(P)

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Message File No. 958 G-2 Sender, Receiver: Sgt 2-C

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ~~CHIEF~~ S-2 (504 DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

"E" CO

1555 20 BARRAGE BLNS
VIC KRANENBURG

(P)

DO NOT TYPE THIS IN CIRCLE

CHESTNUT SAID 50 OVER RECOGSWALD

Message File No. 4959 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

Wynne, S/Sgt

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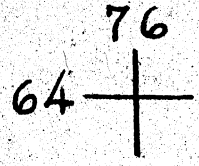
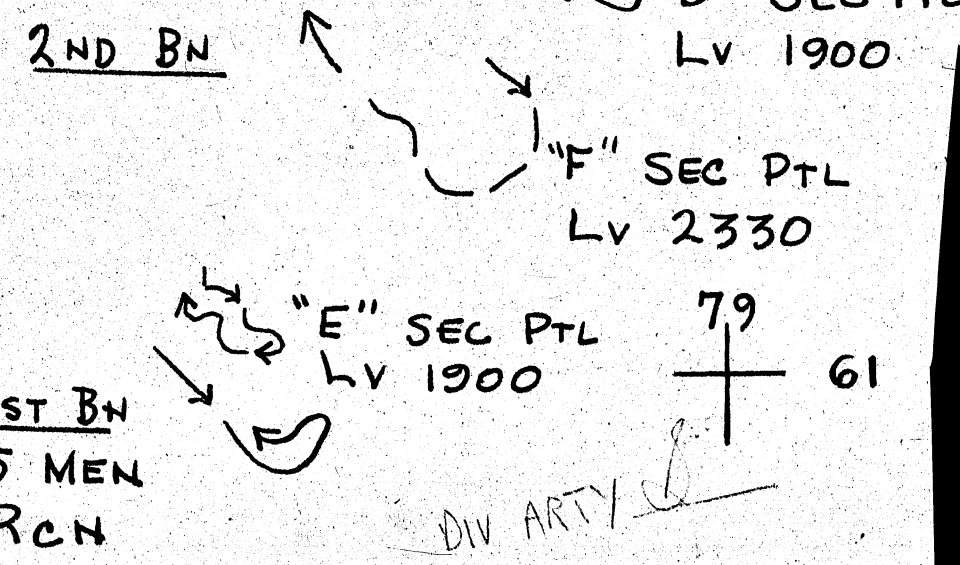
HQ 505 INF
01 NOV 44

PTL PLAN FOR
NIGHT 01/02





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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Chief obs vic to barrage balloons near
Reichswald MHz 115° 16 B 0.

~~"E" 0 obs 88 mm~~

(P)

Message File No. 4961 G-2 Sender - Receiver: ABEC, 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1715

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

E Co. Outpost reported barrage balloons on Hj 100°, Cannot estimate altitude.

E Co l/t flak reported 20 rds mortar fire coming from the WYLER church. 81 mm.

2ND Pln reports truck going S from 749595 on BERG EN DAL pulled over & let a jeep pass about 150 yds S of

Message File No. 4962 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Sgt Zaun

RJ: There was a loud explosion with no damage to truck, jeeps or personnel. No fragments found.

TO: G-2
FROM: [redacted] S-2 DIV. ARTY

325 REPORTS 50 BARRAGE BALLOONS OVER REICHSWALD. ALSO 25 OVER KRANENBURG.

320 REPORTS 1 A.A. GUN CAL? AT 7986 5460.

Sullivan

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RCD 1730

TO: G-2
FROM: ~~[redacted]~~ S-2 DIV ARTY

325 REPORTS 50 BARRAGE BALLOONS OVER REICHSWALD. ALSO 25 OVER KRANENBURG.

320 REPORTS 1 A.A. GUN CAL? AT 7986546O.

Sullivan

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RCD 1730

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G2 DATE: 1-NOV44

TO : CAPT BERKUT TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1725

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Informed Capt BERKUT OF PROP. SHOOT
Meeting at 1100 on 2 NOV.

Message File No. 4964 (G-2 Sender) - Receiver: Stanger, 1ST LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty. DATE: 1-11-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1750

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AIR OP

AT 787623 - 12 coal cars have appeared

AT 780631 - Smoke from docked boat.

Boat on ~~South~~ N side of wood R. in 79 +80 sq. Seemed to have decreased in No.

AT 800562 70 to 810562 60 large pit along Hedgerow suitable for vehicles.

Foxholes every 5 to 10 yds along N S Rd at 795624 to RS 794627.

Foxholes along rd at 788613 - 5 to 10 yds apart

Message File No. 4767 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER - 1st LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 1-NOV 44.

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1835

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Two Buzz Bombs. Went straight up at ~~AZ~~ AZ 70° from CHEROKEE + then headed due West. ATT 830

(P)

Message File No. 410 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 1-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1850

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 1740 E Co plotted fire Burning IN ZYFFLICH. AZ-90° from E Co OP.

AT 1800 E Co OP picked up convoy moving from CLEVE to KRANENBURG. AT 1830, convoy was then located at 835554. MOVING TOWARD KRANENBURG

TRUCK LIGHTS were seen.

AT 1842 - 3rd BN report — 2 BALLS OF FIRE ON 90° AZ from ARTY OP. Never came down.

Message File No. 1773 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 1-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1900

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

In Re Boats;—

one Barge at 780631 that had been hit by our ARTY + was BURNING. there is also 1 sailboat, 1 other barge, 4 River boats + 2 River boats that sunk.

AT 1830 - 2 long trails of white smoke (with flames) going straight up due East from 746604 (obscured)

Message File No. 1975 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1st LT

E7855 98 N M S + no digging
E9760 ferry on N Bank No activity
E9764 - 30 inf going in all directions
some on bicycles to E4075 in small
groups E9669 - 3 met fcg N W. E9574
3 trks fcg south. 15 + inf might be
civilians. E9364 - 3 Hdt moving
N W. E9379 10 barges but no
activity. E9080 to E7876 - 15
barges but no ferries seen E7876
bridge in tact. 1 staff car moving NW
2 trks + 1 staff car moving SE over bridge
E7477 N M S. 8564 two small
boats lashed together E8368 no
ferry seen 9156 two trks moving SW.
at 1600 hrs.

1530 RB

TAG/R.

1976

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

Office Date Stamp

FROM (A) Originator: Jag/R Broadcast | Date-Time of Origin.: 1700hrs

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. | GR

Originator's No.

Jag/R toa 1445hrs @ Co 1515hrs ⊙ observations difficult due weather ⊙ NMS E830185 ⊙ E820181 4 large met E ⊙ E719121 pontoon bridge intact no activity ⊙ E709121 to E720045 all bridges damaged ⊙ E720045 pontoon bridge intact no activity ⊙ E710041 bridge intact ⊙ E710041 10 met fcg S ⊙ E677021 pontoon bridge intact no activity ⊙ K629998 bridge intact 2 afv stationary N of bridge and 2 afv stat S of Bridge firing flak ⊙ K629998 to K7087 no bridges up ⊙ MVY RO EROND trn 20 trg clo fcg S ⊙ K743970 2 poss tiger tanks ⊙ E721008 6 afv N 2 amb S ⊙ K775982 Rly brdge intact ⊙ E780048 slight met activity ⊙ NMS E7717 ⊙ K732981 2 met stat firing flak ⊙ NMS meigel ⊙ Jag/R toa 1635 ⊙ Pilots report from air NMS area HORST E8718

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This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except ..... WIRELESS.	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.	Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.	Time	System	Op.
Signed.	Signed.		THI or TOR		
			Time Cleared		

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: AIR SUPPORT DATE: 1- NOV 44

TO : COL WINTON TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1645

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Lt Fraser — AIR SUPPORT.

Too LATE to check Balloons.

Will Do So FIRST THING IN MORNING.

Message File No. 1980 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Cavs - Met DATE 1-NOV/44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1905

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000-0900

Surface winds - light variable at first becoming Northerly 5 - 5 MPH.

weather - clouds

Vis - - 3 to 4 miles deteriorating slowly to 1 to 2 miles at 500 to 1500 yds by Dawn.

Clouds - 4/10 to 8/10 layer clouds at 2000-3000 ft. with patches at 1000 ft or below developing.

Message File No. 491 G-2 Sendor - Receiver: STANGER - 1st LT.

outlook - Vis. slowly improving otherwise little change.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div ARTY DATE 1-NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1910

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

[redacted]

OBS AT 765584 – Reports 2 balls of FIRE at AZ of 90° – Very great range – very high probably 10000 ft. AT 1632.

Info Forwd 30th Corps.

(P)

Message File No. 492 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 1 Nov 44.

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1915

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 775589 picked up a wounded dog. It is very unfriendly to our men. ~~Civilian~~. Dog is 18 to 20 inches high - MALE - Black - well-fed - good collar.

(P)

Message File No. 4983 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 326 DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1930

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 1934 - F Co CP - 2 white flares
AZ 130°, Range 2 MILES.
CHEROKEE - 2 Para yellow flares over Reichswald.

Message File No. 987 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stenger, 1st LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 1-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1930

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

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2 Flying Bombs - AZ 82° - from Mohawk at 1835.

AT 1930 - OBSN - chief - orange light over tree level of Reichswald.

AT 1931 - OBSN - Chirotte - yellow Para flare over same area

AT 1933 - 2nd BN - HQ CP - 2 RDS ARTY - AZ 140° - Range 2400 yds. white flare - AZ 130°

Mohawk - 2 white flares - AZ 135° over Reichswald

Message File No. 111 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/D DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 1-NOV 44

TO: G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1930

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Observed from 7695196 - MAG AZ 115°
about 5 miles out. 2 Flying Bombs AT 1910
Flying toward the observer.

Informed 30th Corps

Message File No. 494-G-2 Number - Receiver: STANGER, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE: 1 - NOV - 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1935

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

From Checker

505 stopped 3 women - 19, 21, 22 (ages) Going from Nimegen to Nielligen. Still being held.

Charcoal report - Red parachute flare AT 1920. Az 100° from 767616.

Message File No. 4990 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanyar, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div ARTY DATE 1-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2010

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

[redacted]

observer at 767615 - Red lights in Easterly N Easterly & Northerly Direction. Not Flare. AT 2000.

[redacted]

3rd flare - observed from 588563. 1 Red flare at AZ 160° - 2 red flares GRID AZ 50°.

[redacted] 1 double red flare - N of Leutzkirch 1 Red flare N of Kronenberg. 1 Red flare - N [illegible] near Leutzkirch

Message File No. 4992 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stonecipher

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 1 Nov 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2030

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 2030 CHEROKEE OBSERVED APPROX
25 FLARES, VARIOUS COLORS AT 100°
IN EDGE OF REICHSWALD.
MOHAWK OBSERVED THE SAME

Message File No. 4993 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Davis Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps - DATE 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2000

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Canadians attacked - D2537 ~~Day~~ landed from S into Walcheren. Fighting (in) Flushing.

In Brickens - S... + village of Knocke

12th Corps AT0248 entered Raamsdonksveer ~~[illegible]~~

→ # heavy fire from N. Bank. ~~they~~ we are up to Maas.

5 Div involved - 180 Div, 15 P.G., 9th Pz, Para Walther, Para Erdman.

Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: ____________

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ____________ DATE: ____________

TO : ____________ TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: ____________

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

we pushed ~~out~~ to 7014 -

~~[illegible]~~ Battle in area 6101 - Expect smoke screen up.

5896 ← attempt to be made there

15th army - lost 15,000 Pris - still have about 60,000 chaps to get away.

~~8th Corps~~

Message File No. 4995 G-2 Sender - Receiver: ____________

May attach Weert - 5896
May attach Venray -

955 Div is coming up again.
116th in area Steinstrass F/15

60th PG near Aachen.
3rd PG Div - now in area East of ~~Rhine~~ Roermond.

Civ. report - EDE - 89 Regt of 262 Div

~~AT DIDAM 8973~~ -

3 Para Div at Enchede
6th Para Div on Rd ~~Goch~~ GOCH to Cleve attached to 6th Div - ~~[redacted]~~

D—

2nd SS
353rd Inf - SE of Luxemburg.

STANGER 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 Div Arty DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2015

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

OBS. WHO REPORTED FLARE CLUSTERS AT 79086265 NOW REPORTS THOSE COORDINATES IN ERROR— THE FLARES ARE MORE DISTANT, AND APPEAR TO BE PATH FINDER FLARES DROPPED BY PLANES.

Message File No. 4996 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 BIZARRY DATE: 1-NOV-44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2055

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

VARIOUS COLORED FLARES AT 79086265
ANEARRY RADIO IS BEING JAMMED. (38.2)

Message File No. 4997 G-2 Sender - Receiver: GAINES, CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 DeAmicy DATE: 17 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2045

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

OBS. AT 766640 REPORTS RED WHITE & GREEN FLARES DURING PAST 5 MINUTES ON AZ. 160°.
POSSIBLY 50 FLARES IN AIR AT SAME TIME — IN DISTANCE CAN SEE AAK-ACK.

Message File No. 1998 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Lewis, Cpt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
C2D A/B DIVISION

FROM: J-2 505 DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2045

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

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CLUSTER OF FLARES AT TQ5622.

SAME THING OVER LEUTH.

2035.

THINK MIGHT BE BOMBING MISSION.

Message File No. 1999 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Jarvis CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

EY USE OF FLARE CLUSTERS, IN VIC OF REICHSWALD,

AA GUN ON A2. 90° FROM F Co C.P. (PICKED UP BY FLASH)

HIGH VEL GUN. 130° AND RANGE 2000 YDS, FROM F Co C.P. (Cord 763564 CENTER OF AREA

(P)

Message File No. 5000 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines, CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 S-09 DATE 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2110

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

BOTH PATROLS REACHED OBJS. AND FOUND NOTHING.

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Message File No. 5001 G-2 Sender - Receiver: _____

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 S'OS DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2110

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

PERIODIC:

1940 ; FR 780627 AZ. 135°

6 BARREL MORTAR 1500 - 2000 YDS.

2010 ; AR 780636 LANTERN BURNING

AR 779644 - 2 LANTERNS WERE BURNING

5002
4775

Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 82 SIGTY DATE: 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2130

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

PW - DESERTER WHO CAME THRU
6-Co RD BLOCK
4 Co 11TH PARA REGT
CAME INTO AREA LAST NIGHT
AND RELIEVED UNIT.
HAS BEEN IN GENERAL AREA
APPROX 6 WKS - WAS IN WYLER
ATTACK. Co 200 MEN - NO
OFFICER IN Co. SGT COMMANDS.
C.O. WAS KILLED IN COMBAT
PATROL 4-5 DAYS AGO, THOUGHT
THEY WERE FACING BRITISH AND
POLISH.

Message File No. 5603 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

OVER

HIS POSITION (GROUP OF 6) WAS

VIC 771570.

HEARD THAT 2 MEN OF OUR COMBAT PATROL WHICH WAS BADLY TREATED IN THEIR BEAUHEUVEL MISSION HAD BEEN TAKEN P.W.

Garnier, CAPT

To: G-2 1 Nov. 44

From: S-2, Div Arty

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located Today

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	78425760	Mortar	CMO
Yes	78816239	Gun	CBO
Yes	81525979	Btry	376 FA
Yes	80246164	Med Gun	376
Yes (BR)	781574	Btry	CBO
?	803543	20mm AA	Air OP
Yes	78306185	MG	456 FA
Yes	77806147	MG	456
Yes	77706159	Grenade Launcher (?)	456
Yes	78566109	Gun	456
Yes	77985773	Nebel	376 FA
Yes	77945815	Mortar	376
Yes	77705750	Mortar	376
Yes	77905822	SP Gun	376
Yes	81066189	Lt Gun	376
Yes	80606150	Lt Gun	376
Yes	78085801	Mortar	376

Hostile Arty - No Change (More Acting)

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal	Est Rn
376	0130		~~773583~~ ~~764583~~	113°	14	88	
376	0200	771589	773583	113	4	2-88	
320	0400	755563		65°	?	3-?	
320	1105		766640	120°	?	1-?	
320	1910		766640	145°	1	?	2400

5605 ~~2410~~

[signature], S-2

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G5/ 43 Div DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2210

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

NEBELWERFER

7830 6000 HEIGHT 10

(P)

Message File No. 506 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Jones, CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE 1 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2215

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Shelter —

2155 : OP # 12 - 150 mm
landed 760509.

2200 : 6-8 RDS WBLWFK OBSERVED
120° MAG AZ from 7800624S
(1000 YDS TO FRONT)

Message File No. 5007 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 1 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2230

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2207: 3 RDS NBLWFR
125° FR 765615
2000 YDS TO FRONT

2225: 6 RDS NBLWFR:
{FR 783626 175°}
{FR 77506215 170°}

(P)

ARTY NOTIFIED.

Message File No. 5004 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Haines, CAPT

4th Co

10 1/2 Btry 11 Para Flak Regt

4th Co

FR S-2 325 TO G-2

4 Nov 44
2300 Telephone

WHITE FLARE OBSERVED AT AZ. OF 43°
FROM 76005740.

50 $1

Gaines, CAPT.

Fr. 376 ~~AAB~~ Date: 17 Nov

To: G-2 Time: 2345

Telephoned:-

The Co of infantry observed this afternoon, was fired upon by British arty, our own being out of range. The Coordinates of final adjustment are 8to555. 376 AAB will furnish more details ~~later~~ as soon as they are obtained from the British.

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 NOV-1944

To: 022400 NOV-1944
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN-703586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		5014		FR 504 TO G-2: Neg. REPORT	
0120		5015		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
0130		5016		FR 325 TO G-2; PATROL PLAN NIGHT 1/2 NOV	
0130		5016A		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0140		5017		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
0255		5018		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0307		5019		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0310		5020		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
[redacted]	0310	5021		FR G-2 to UNITS: G-2 REPORT No. 136	
[redacted]	0310	5022		FR G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
0500		5023		FR 505 To G-2 Neg. REPORT	
0502		5024		FR 325 To G-2 Neg. REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 Nov 44

To: 021400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0503		5025		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0510		5026		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0715		5027		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPO	
0740		5028		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0800		5029		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0810		5030		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0815		5031		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
0830		5032		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
0830		5033		FR 325, 504, 505: NEG REPORT (RADIO) TO G-2	
0830		5034		FR HQ, ETOUSA TO G-2: SO 299, 28 Oct 44.	
0830		5035		FR CG TO G-2: ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION.	
0830		5036	311815	FR PHANTOM TO G-2: MESSAGE ON PW'S STATEMENTS	C/S, G3

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 Nov 44

To: 022400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0900		5037		FR CIC TO G-2: CIC REP ON CIVILIANS PICKED UP IN BEEK	
0900		5038		FR CIC TO G-2: CIC SITREP 29-30 OCT 44.	
0900		5039		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT.	
0915		5040		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0915		5041		FR 30 CORPS ARTY TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST.	
0935		5042		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
0940		5043		FR SHAEF DOC SEC TO G2: DOC REPORT NO 132	C/S, IPW, 013.
1100		5044		FR. 325 TO G-2: AT 1050 HRS. AT 785568 SMALL TRUCK STOPPED. NO SHELLING.	
1100		5045		FR 2ND ARMY TO G-2: FIGHTER/COMBAT RESULTS.	
1100		5046		FR 2ND. ARMY TO G-2: AIR FIGHTER REPORT.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 0Z000 1 Nov 44

To: 0Z2400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1115		5047		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG RPT.	
1115		5048		FR: 2ND ARMY TO G-2: TAC/R.	
1115		5049		FR. 2ND ARMY TO G-2: [redacted] A/R REPORTS BY F/B.	
1115		5050		FR: TAC/R BROADCAST TO G-2: TAC/R.	
1115		5051		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
	1145	5052		FR G-2 TO DIV ARTY: PROPAGANDA SHOOT REPORT	
	1145	5053		FR G-2 TO G2 1-30 CORPS: QUERY ON AIR RCN OVER PARRAGE BALOON AREA	
1305		5054		FR 325 TO G-2: OBS REPORT ON RADAR TOWER AND OTHER EY INSTALATIONS	
1307		5055		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1320		5056		FR 43 DIV TO G-2 Mine Field Report	Copy To G-3 & ENG.
1320		5057		FR 30 Corps. To G-2, Air Notes	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 Nov 44

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Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1320		5058		FR. ASP TO G2 : Planes cannot leave ground to obs. Barrage Balloons;	
1400		5059		FR. Div Hdqtr to G-2: 50 MAN WORK PARTY ON ROAD 850595, [redacted]	
1400		5060		FR 43 Div TO G-2 : INT. Summ. No. 68	
1400		5061		FR. Ch Eng. ETO TO G2: INT Bull. No 144	
1510		5062		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RADIO RPT	
1515		5063		FR 325 TO G-2: IPW RPT # 10	
1515		5064		FR 325 TO G-2: LITTLE HVY SHELLING. NO AZ TAKEN (NO FLASHES) 1432 OP (760057WO) MAP [redacted] - RPTS 3 HV VEH GOING E ON NUTTERDEN RD AT 850562	
1525		5065		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REP	
1525		5066		FR 505 TO G-2 NEG REP	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 Nov 44

To: 022400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1605		5067		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: SITREP AS AT 1200 NTR	ALL INFORMED
1615		5068		FR 376 TO G-2: SRS AT 766565. RECURRENCE OF FLYING BOMB AT 1355 HRS – 90° MAG AZ.	
1617		5069		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: AT 1550-325 REP – 1 VEH WITH 10 MEN FOLLOWING IT MOVING NE AT 855756	
1650		5070		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: EY LAYING SMOKE 780556 (325) 1620, EY AA GUN 834553 WHERE RD CROSSES R. AT 1625, 376 FIRING SUPPLY DUMPS	
1635		5071		FR 325 TO G-2: AA PSNS 816551	
1655		5072		FR 50 DIV TO G-2: 1 SUM-FT 100	
1710		5073		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG RADIO REPORT	
1710		5074		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE. RPT	
1710		5075		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 NOV-44

To: 022400 NOV-44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN 703586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages Orders	Action taken
1700		5076		FR 325 TO G-2: 15 BARRAGE BALLOONS OBSERVED FR 757573 - A 2 115 11P AT 1630 - AA GUN 816557 SMOKE, 782555	C/S, G3 30 CORPS
1800		5077		FR CIC TO G-2 11 CIVILIANS WATCH CROSSED WAAL R A 0730 2 WOU. 8 WERE NABBED BY 505 HAVE BEEN CLEARED	
1810		5078		FR 505 TO G-2: 2 SHELREPS	
1815		5079		FR 504 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	
1815		5080		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1815		5081		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1815		5082		FR 508 TO G-2: ISUM # 116	
1815		5083		FR KLONDIKE TO G-2: PATROL RESPONSE 301415 - 011745 (SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT)	
1815		5084		FR 501 TO G-2: S-2 PATROL RPT 30/1 NOV - 8 IPW RPT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 NOV-44

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Place: NIJMEGEN 703586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1815		5085		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: CONFIRMA OF ALLIED OPERATION KNOWN BY EY	
[illegible]		5086		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: NEW ARMD CAR	
1815		5087		FR AGIS TO G-2: 2ND PHASE INTERR #709, 710, 711	
1815		5088		FR 307 E TO G-2: ENGR SITREP	
1815		5089		FR 307 E TO G-2: ENGR INT. REP	
1815		5090		FR 307 E TO G-2: OUR MINE FIELDS	
1816		5091		FR 43 DIV TO G-2: MORTAR 80656355	DIV ARTY
1817		5092		FR 30 CORPS MET TO G-2: WEATHER RPT	
1820		5093		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 RPT + ATTCHD CIVILIAN REPORT	
1820		5094		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG RPT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 - NOV - 44
To: 022400 - NOV - 44
(Date and Hour)
Place: NIJMEGEN - 703586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1900		5095		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
1900		5096		FR 505, 325, 504 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
1915		5097		FR 80 AA TO G-2: NO PERIODIC WILL BE SENT	
1605		5098		FR ~~COL WIENECKE~~ C of S TO G-2: CAPT HARRY WILL SEE ~~COL~~ C of S IN MORNING	LT SMITH TO HANDLE
1920		5099		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: LT CORRIGAN SAYS EINDHOVEN PASSENGER DIDN'T COME LT BROADAWAY IS ON IT	
1945		5100		FR 325 TO G-2: FR 325 FWD AZ 1450 AA GUN OBSERVED	
1920		5101		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: FR 376 OBSERVED AT 764580 OBS SEARCHLIGHT AZ 800 AT 1830 OBSERVER 760575 SAW WH FLARE AZ 900 - RN 1500 YDS.	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 02 0001 - NOV - 44

To: 022400 - NOV-44
(Date and Hour)

Place: ~~NIJ~~ + NIJMEGEN - 1 0586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2045		5102		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT OF NOV 2-3	G-3, D.U Arty
2045		5103		FR 325 TO G-2 S-2 Report No 53	
2045		5104		FR 325 TO G2: Ey S.I.T FOR Period 011600 TO 021600 NOV 44	
2045		5105		FR 325 TO G-2: Border Breez	G1, STAFF 30 Corps
2100		5106		FR All Regts by RADIO TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
2100		5107		FR 504 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
2100		5108		FR 505 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
2130		5109		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
2115		5110		FR 504 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
2210		5111		FR DIV ARTY (TO G-2:) FLARE REPORT	

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G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 NOV-44

To: 022400 NOV-44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN 703586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2300		5112		FR 505, 325 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2230		5113		FR DIVARTY TO G-2: 3 GERMAN'S WONDERING AROUND AREA	Hq CO INFORMED
~~2305~~		[redacted]			
2305		5114		FR 325 TO G-2 HQ 3 EM REPORTED IN DEKERSWALD	
2300		5115		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
2330		5116		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
2330		5116A		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	

FR S-2 505 To G-2 020120 Nov 44

6-barrel mort landed approx
1300 yds 45° mag az fr 761598.
Apparently in Maastr dyke area.
Landed in ey-held territory.
Az 80° from 76986275
Az 40° from 761609

(P)

Telephone

Gaines, Capt

5015

FRS-2; 325 TO 6-2 020 30 NOV 44

Tel.

2320: ~~Mohawk~~ OP (760574) reported flying bomb on Az 83° Heading SW.

2325: ~~Mohawk~~ OP (760574); white flare. Az 77°, 5 miles away.

2326: ~~Cherokee~~ (OP) 757573; Red para flare. Az 60° Range 5000 yds.

2330: ~~Cherokee~~ (OP) 757573: 2 Red para flares Az 75° Range 5000 yds.

2332: 1 illuminating flare. Az 80°.

2333: 7 Co: yellow flare 45°, 1300 yds.

2345: (OP) 757573 red para flare, Az 120° (in Kirchsuelt). also German AA fire same place.

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2352: 7 Co: AA fire, Az 135°.

0007: 7 Co: 2 yellow flares, Az 120°, Range 1200 yds.

0009: (OP) 757573. 1 yellow flare, 45°, Range 3000 yds.

0013: (OP) 757573 2 yellow para flares, 195°, range 3300 yds.

0019: F Co: 2 yellow flares, 220°, 1000 yds.

0024: F Co: 3 guns firing on Az 150°.

0025: (OP) 757573 Ey arty 130°.

0046: (OP) 757573 Nebels 8 rds, 70°, shells landing at 50 A1.

5016

0050: (OP) 760574 Nebels, 62°, 5000-6000 yds.

D Co reports same guns at 45°

F " " " " 75° 1400 yds.

0105: F Co: 88 mm on Az 140°, 1400 yds, 15 rds.

[signature] CAPT

FR S-2 SQ5 TO G-2 020140 NOV 44

SHELRED: NBLWFR —

0043: Az 50° from 770629S .. at 0

0048: Az 80° from 770628 6rds

0050: Az 120° & 1ds from 750629 6.

0058: Az 110° from 7500624S 6rds

James CAPT.

(P)

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FROM: 010001 NOVEMBER 1944
TO : 012400 NOVEMBER 1944

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
012400 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

NO. 136.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

(Enemy night outposts vic VOSSENDAAL WOODS apparently withdrawn, as our patrols have found them absent for two consecutive nights.)

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Nebelwerfer at 77985773, mortars at 78425760, 77945815, 77705750, and 78085801 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey weapons, except mortars and arty, located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Grenade launcher at 77706159, and MGs at 78306185 and 77806147 (Div Arty).

(3) Nebelwerfer in ZYFFLICH (504), Nebelwerfer at 78306000 (43 Div).

(4) Ey minefield believed to be at 775588 (504).

(5) LMGs (previously reported and still in posn night of 31 Oct - 01 Nov) at 77315728, 77125712, 77205708 and vic 77005700 (325); HMGs at 77525750, 77605732, 77305692 (325); MG at 774567 (325); two MGs at 78306188 (505).

(6) Two mortars at 77725750 (325).

(7) Est one rifle plat (plus possibly squad strongpoint at 770570) in well-prepared posns west of road and around buildings along line 77005700 - 77355730 (325).

(8) Foxholes along hedgerow at 79515540 being camouflaged, dug in posns around building at 79015577 (325).

c. Units in Contact: PW was taken by 325th Gli Inf from the 11 Prcht Flak Regt. night 1 - 2 Nov. vic DEN HEUVEL. Tentatively, this identification moves the boundary between BG WOLF and the 84th Rcn Bn from just S of VOSSENDAAL WOODS to just S of DEN HEUVEL WOODS, and moves the boundary between the 84th Rcn Bn and the 1051st Inf to just N. of the GROESBEEK - CLEVE railroad.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty vic 82d A/B Div Front: (No change, but ey arty more active during period) - One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two hvy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty).

(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Gun at 78816239, btry at 81525979, med gun at 80246164, btry at 781574, gun at 78566109, SP gun at 77905822, 20 mm AA gun at 803503, and light guns at 81066187 and 80606150 (Div Arty).

(3) Gun flashes reported at 815557, 80055674 and 812557 (325).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: Reliable civilian report places 6th Front Div in bivouac along CLEVE - GOCH road (30 Corps).

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:

Enemy artillery was active throughout the period, and the enemy engaged in flare activity on a considerable scale during the hours of darkness.

Heavy, accurate fire of all weapons turned back our raiding parties on the night of 31 Oct - 1 Nov.

b. Operation of Component Elements:

(1) Antiaircraft Artillery: AA gun and MGs vic 79865460 fired at Cub plane about 1630 (325).

(2) Artillery.

(a) Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rds	No. of Guns	Cal.	Interval
325	312330	76005740	90	12	?	Nblwfr	?
325	312330	76005740	95	12	?	Nblwfr	?
325	312350	76005740	80	12	?	Nblwfr	?
325	312350	76005740	90	12	?	Nblwfr	?
325	312350	75505635	102	12	?	Nblwfr	?
505	0010	763635 (x)	135 (y)	20	?	Med or Hvy	?
325	0100	755563	128	12	?	Nblwfr	?
376 FA	0130	773583 (x)	113 (y)	14	?	88	?
376 FA	0200	773583 (x)	113 (y)	4	2	88	?
320 FA	0400	755563	65	?	3	?	?
320 FA	1105	766640 (x)	120 (y)	?	1	?	?
505	1115	761598	90	6	1	Hvy?	5 Secs
505	1530	780624	95	1	1	Hvy	?
320 FA	1910	766640 (x)	145 (y)	1	1	?	?
325	2100	763564	130	?	1	?	?
505	2110	780627	135	?	1	Nblwfr	?
505	2207	765615	125	3	?	Nblwfr	?
505	2225	(783626	175)	------6	?	Nblwfr	?
		(77506215	170)				

(x) Location of impact; (y) Azimuth from impact.

(b) Shells which fell at 312130 in 504 Prcht Inf area produced following craters: In macadam road, 28 inches deep and 81 inches in diameter; in gravel road, 53 inches deep and 15 feet in diameter. Fragments forwarded to Div Ord O (504).

(3) Infantry:

(a) Scattered ey tps observed along road at 771569 - 772568 at 1330 (325).

(b) Est. one co Inf with motorcycles and bicycles at 840-555 at 1600. Direction of movement not reported. Engaged by Br Arty (376 FA).

(4) Tanks: Tk in WYLER fired four rounds at Co H posns at 1145 (504), tk vic DEN HEUVEL WOODS at 1130 (325).

(5) Administrative Elements: Convoy of 20 - 25 trks at 835-554 at 1630, moving towards KRANENBURG. Engaged by Br Arty (504).

c. Miscellaneous.

(1) Approx 50 barrage balloons seen in direction of NUTTER-DEN in late afternoon (325, 504).

(2) Unusual amount of ey flares during early part of night 1 - 2 Nov.

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 1.
(b) Taken to date: 2,991.

b. Weather:

(1) Cloudy, with fog and some scattered showers in morning, to clear. Cool.

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Overcast, visibility poor initially but gradually improving.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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Two Annexes:
#1 - Enemy methods.
#2 - PI Report No. 11.

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50 Div (Br)	- 1	2 Bn Irish Gds	- 1
30 Corps (Br)	- 1	3103 QM Trk Co	- 1
43 Div (Br)	- 1	JEDBURGH Team	- 1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	5	PHANTOM	- 1
		TOTAL	81

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ANNEX NO. 2 TO
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HQ 82D A/B Div,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
1 NOVEMBER 1944

P. I. REPORT NO. 11

1st and 2d Phase Interpretation

SORTIE 400/1412, 29 Oct 44.
MAP REF: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

Photos	Coordinates	Description
4037	773588 - 775586	Comm. trench S side of rd, then SE to house.
4048	834592	Wpn pits N side of house.
4024	772617 - 772618	Wpn pits, running N and S.
4049	840592	2 unoc. circular emplacements.
4049	840593	6 foxholes in field S of house.
4049	842591	2 unoc. circular emplacements.
4056	880597 - 884596	Line of wpn pits
4075	865635	Comm. trench with MG SAPS. Runs W to 862635, then S to 862634, then E to 865635.
4075 to 4078	850646 - 864636 - 869633	Comm. trench with MG SAPS.
4084	816643	Wpn pits in front of house.
4125	796641	Line of MG pits. Runs to 796639, then east to 802638.
4130	833637 - 833640	5 MG pits on W. side of road.
4134	844650 - 850646	Comm. trench with MG SAPS.
4143	882650 - 887641	MG pits along both sides of dyke.
3036	765606	12 foxholes in area.
3036	766603 - 766601	Wpn pits in area.
3036	768601	Wpn pits in area.
3043	804604	Numerous foxholes and wpn pits around building. Possible CP.
3045	825602	3 circular unoc. open positions, typical of Nebl emplacement. Each surrounded by 4 foxholes.
3055	874606	MG pit.
3055	875606	MG pit.
3055	872601	Pillbox under construction.
3093	762637	Group of houses surrounded by numerous wpn pits and foxholes.

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Captain, F. A.,
OIC PI Team No. 3.

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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
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1 NOVEMBER 1944

ENEMY METHODS

1 Officer and 10 ORs were sent to WESSEM to verify a statement given by two civilians who came out of WESSEM that the enemy had evacuated the village. The patrol was ambushed and 6 are missing from the 11 who formed the patrol. (a similar incident was reported recently in Third US Army area where an entire patrol was wiped out under similar circumstances). (Source: 30 Corps Int. Summary No. 532)

A reliable source reports that a new type of booby trap consisting of mined beetroots manufactured at the FORT DE CRUYBEKE in EAST FLANDERS is used extensively by the Germans. A charge is inserted in the centre of the beetroot and two wires, each with a small green ball on the end, are attached to the side of the charge and protrude amongst the leaves at the top of the plant. Apparently the mine is detonated only when the tops of the wire "antennae" are knocked against one another. The explosion caused by one of the mines is said to have a wide range and to have killed three Germans. (Source: 2 Army Engr Intrep No. 131)

Quote from an SS officer PW at FUSA cage:-

"Do not get the impression that I am a coward because I have let myself become a PW. I would gladly have died a hero's death, but I thought it only fair and just to share the misfortunes of my men".
(Source: SHAEF)

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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
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G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news summary is from LONDON BBC accounts:

A German-reported Allied landing near FLUSHING, the battle for the MAAS bridges in HOLLAND, a general Russian advance in HUNGARY, and destruction of the Nazi headquarters in JUTLAND feature news accounts for the past 24 hours.

The Allies tonight had not confirmed the landing at FLUSHING, on WALCHEREN Island. It true, however, it is perhaps the decisive step toward clearing the SCHELDT of Germans and making ANTWERP available to us as a port.

The Canadians fighting on the causeway linking BEVELAND and WALCHEREN had been progressing but were meeting stiff resistance.

A news report today said the Germans had lost control of one of the two large bridges over the MAAS. This mile-long bridge is one of the two remaining escape routes for the Germans. Their rearguard is reported about 5 miles from the bridges and defending stubbornly.

News correspondents at SHAEF today discounted theories that the German action in HOLLAND is merely defensive. They pointed out that the Germans had been resisting strongly.

The Allies have the German counterattacks from the VENLO area well under control and we have retaken LIESEL, 15 miles east of EINDHOVEN.

The Russians have broken the major defenses on the HUNGARIAN PLAINS and for the first time MOSCOW reports fighting in the direction of BUDAPEST. The Reds have captured a town less than 50 miles from BUDAPEST. 4,000 German and Hungarian prisoners, including the staff of a Hungarian Infantry Division, have been taken.

Fierce artillery duels are reported in EAST PRUSSIA.

JUTLAND headquarters of the GESTAPO, located in the Danish University buildings, have been destroyed by the RAF. Valuable records of German military authorities were destroyed in the buildings. This, in addition to interfering with the Germans, will be an important step in the Danish Freedom Movement.

The British today announced that their patrols had reached SALONIKA in GREECE and a few hours later BERLIN issued a story that the Germans had evacuated SALONIKA.

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COLOGNE suffered again last night as 500 Allied planes dumped 2500 tons of explosives on it, bringing to 9000 tons the total of bombs left there by our planes since Saturday. While the Allies seem to be systematically destroying COLOGNE, news commentators pointed out that the Germans might continue some war production there regardless of the amount of bombing. They based this opinion on the fact that STALINGRAD never stopped turning out tanks despite all of the attacks on it.

TOKYO reported today that American bombers had attacked JAPAN. Admiral NIMITZ revealed that in two months 8000 Japanese planes have been destroyed, a majority of them in the PHILIPPINES area. Meanwhile, the Americans improved their positions in the PHILIPPINES today. The Allies took an important strongpoint in BURMA.

The Eighth Army improved a river bridgehead in NORTH ITALY and the Fifth Army repulsed several counterattacks. Allied aircraft had targets in both ITALY and YUGOSLAVIA.

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HQ 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
02600 November 1944

Subject: Result of Patrol Activities for Night 1-2 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night 1-2 November 1944:

"G" Co Patrol consisting of 2 officer and 29 EM split up into section "A" and section "B" (See Patrol Information for Night 1-2 Nov 44). At 011830 November 1944, section "A" moved out and took house at (77455825) without enemy opposition. At 2027, Section "A" called for Section "B" to move out. Section "B" passed through Section "A" on way to IAGERFELD. Section "B" was then held up by enemy fire from; two riflemen at (77855832), two riflemen at (77775812), one rifleman at (77635816), MG at (77945810) and MG at (77595812). Patrol then withdrew. At 2310 patrol (section "B") moved out again. Was challenged by lone rifleman at (77635816) and fired at by MG at (77595812). Patrol withdrew and set up MG to cover advance. At 0245 Patrol out again. Patrol fired on immediately by all above listed weapons, enemy smoked his position. Patrol withdrew after exchange of S/A fire. Due to brightness of the night and open terrain, patrol was unable to approach enemy po sitions without drawing considerable amount of rifle and MG fire. No casualties, no EM's. Section "A" maintaining OP at house (77455825).

"H" Co Patrol consisting of 2 officers and 25 EM moved out at 011800 November 1944, from (775589),to sieze and outpost ridge from (77405869) to (77655875) and move forward to contact enemy with a smaller force. At 2000, patrol was on objective with telephone wires laid and positions being dug. Engineers (who had accompanied p trol) with protection moved back to starting point through woods. Found one trip wire which they cut. At 2001 offensive patrol of 1 officer and 13 EM moved out to contact enemy. (This patrol armed with 3 BAR's, 2 TSMG's and rifles). Approx 75 yards beyond position in woods and along same, encountered a high concertina extending through woods to road at (77725872) Patrol attempted to flank obstacle on east side and received 1 grenade from enemy. Patrol retaliated with 2 grenades. Enemy fired MG, 2 bursts at close range, in woods behinds wire. Patrol fired 1 Panzerfaust at enemy MG. Enemy retaliated with 2 Panzerfausts. Fire fight at close range developed, with patrol forced to withdrew through a 50mm mortar barrage. One man KIA while withdrawing (mortar). Patrol received 81mm mortar at starting point.

Observation: Enemy strongpoint is well developed and organized with crossfire of MG's. 50mm mortar began to fall in 2 minutes of first contact. Fire fight developed and enemy was pressed hard. Red flare went up, aimed towards YLOW and prepared concentration of 81mm mortar fell across road to rear of patrol.

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Enemy weapons encountered: 1 TSMG (sound identification), Rifles, 2 LMG's, 50mm mortars, 81mm mortars and 2 panzerfausts.

Time of enemy actions:

2020 - Small Arms fire began
2022 - 50mm mortar barrage started
2025 - Red Flare
2027 - Small arms and grenades
2030 - (Our supporting MG opened fire)
2032 - Enemy 81mm mortar fire landed.
2045 - Small arms fire - close

Patrol returned at 2110. One friendly KIA, no PW's.

Second Bn maintained routine security and screening patrols. Encountered no enemy.

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For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt, 504th Prcht Inf.,
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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
2 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 1-2.

A patrol in charge of Sgt. Moates, with 3 men from G Co, left at 1945, with a mission of establishing a listening post and ambush post in the vic of 771566. They remained in position until after 0400 and reported the only cy activity was a MG firing in the 504 area.

F Co patrol, consisting of Sgt. Misorowski and 4 men, left F Co outpost at 2000 hours and moved out 200 yards where a listening and ambush post was set up. No cy movement of any kind was reported and they made no cy contact. Patrol returned at 0400.

Another patrol from G Co left at 1930 thru E Co outpost, consisting of Sgt. Zionce and 4 men. They established a listening post 150 yards out from the OP and remained in position until 0415 with detecting any cy movement.

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
02 November 1944

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 01/02 Nov:

1. 1st Bn ptl led by Sgt O'Neil started from 762613 by boat. Left boat at 764611 and proceeded by foot along the inside of dyke on the South side. Along herein barbed wire, and the eny is dug in behind the wire. On the top of the dyke, about 50 yds away, ptl saw 12 Germans sitting and talking to each other. Ptl could go no farther because barbed wire extended fr water to 767608. Moon was very bright and Germans were on the alert. Eny kept moving around field behind barbed wire and along dyke running into Mosterd Dyke. No mines were found any place along route taken by ptl. Small canal running E from 763611 is being drained and was approx eighteen inches lower than on previous ptl 30/31. Ptl returned at 0500 hr and encountered no eny in return. Eny foxhole and possible MG at 76566096.

2. There was no other ground activity to report.

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1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO and Staff
1 File

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FROM (A) Originator	Date-Time of Origin
Phantom	311815

TO

For Action: G 2

(W) For Information (INFO)

OFFICE DATE STAMP

C/S RW

G-3 [illegible]

Message Instructions — GR — 2

Originator's No.

PW captured area Q 7118 states three more Divs in bridgehead opposite 8 CORPS forming conc. area at 8318 are Army [illegible] SS [illegible] [illegible].

Considered reliable.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/E DIVISION

FROM: Met. O, 30 Corps DATE: 2 NOV 44

TO : [redacted] G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0915

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Local Forecast
0900 – 2000

Wind – Light variable

Weather – Becoming fair after morning mists and fogs

Visibility – 500 - 1500 yds at first, improving during morning to 1-3 mi., later to 2-5 mi.

Cloudy – Variable amount of low cloud with medium cloud above.

Message File No. 504 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

Patches of drifted fog locally at first.

Outlook — fair.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 2 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1050 hours at 785568 small truck stopped.
No shelling.
Cannot see to former site of barrage balloon.

Message File No. 5044 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Rice, Capt

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Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 020703

TO

For Action: All Sens

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 23

Originator's No.

Air 7 ⊙ fighter fighter/bomber results ⊙ 1st Nov ⊙ weather prevented flying until 1400 ⊙ no close support attacks ~~more~~ men than ~~—~~ usual on rds n of river maas ⊙ 30 plus inf straffed e 7869 claims 18 mts dest 24 dam 1 loco dest 20 eng dam

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Cfrmes

Date-Time of Origin: 011914A

OFFICE DATE STAMP

For Action

TO: All Stas

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 31

Originator's No.

AIR 11 O Fighter reports- TOA 1635-1710 hrs 30 Plns inf N E7894. strafffed O AIR results TOA 1610 2 met NW E226785 1 flamer 1 dem 1 met NW E394832 flamer otherwise NMS

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 020704

For Action

TO: All Secs.

(W) For Information (INFO)

Office Date Stamp

Message Instructions — GR

Originator's No.

air 20 26 0 DHCGC BENFH ICAET GCBLJ

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(G-463) Wt. 49325/567. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-344.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

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	Originator	Date-Time of Origin
FROM (A)	2nd Army	011750

For Action

TO All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

OFFICE DATE STAMP

Message Instructions	GR
QQY	25

Originator's No.

~~AIR~~ ~~GR~~931 O114O EIFQD QDDGD, KECAK GLMHK, JGAMG ~~OHGAQD~~ QIAGD, BPFJF LDAFP KLLMF FAAI13, FEBLC DHDEC, AMLPF BGKLF HFLGJ MKBCQ, LJIGA ABHGC, CKHJI BIPDB, DLACL KJFB, GMHD,

TAC/R TOA1600 E3490 PILOT SUSPECTS HQ 3MET PARKED BY BLD-GS WHICH FORM ~~CIRLE~~ CIRCLE

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

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(GV483) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

Wi 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
2nd army For Action.	011824A	

TO All Stns (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions:	GR
QYM	100

Originator's No.

AIR & O A/R reports by F/B O TOA 1420 - 1500 Hrs scatt met all mvg N on NE area E7894 - Z8305 - Z9500 6 flamers O TOA 1440 - 1520 Hrs 1 met flamer otherwise NMS vis poor O TOA 1600 - 1630 hrs scatt met E6495 - 2885 6 dem O TOA 1615 - 1710 1 met E5084 flamer also 2 met dam in area TOA 1650 - 1410 hrs scatt met APPLEDOORN area 1 tank E5374 dam many flamers seen in area O TOA 1536 - 1650 scatt met are Z540405 general movement NE claimed 6 smokers

Holmes W.

011848A
QYM 55

AIR 10 O fighter patrol TOA 1445 - 1510 Hrs O Met E7998 smoke 1 S/C E5396 dam O A/R results O TOA 1630 - 1710 Hrs 1 met S E8682 dem otherwise NMS O TOA 1620 - 1640 Hrs area UTRECHT - APPLEDOORN scatt met all N. claim 3 flamers O TOA 1635 - 1655 Hrs 1 AFV E3089 dam O Scatt met area E38 - E57 1 flamer 1 dem otherwise NRO

Holmes W

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: Jac/R Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin.: 2000hrs — Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 1550 ⊙ area E3654-3854-3852-E3652 flooded unoccupied gunposns at E281522 and E283528 and E330535 and E358565 ⊙ No bridges intact or fordes between E000500 to E192519 and E193519 to E360560 ⊙ Pontoon bridge under construction at E17545100 and E17505117 also E22435243 to E22425260 also E25155235 to E25205211 also E27386180 to E27505192 also E29385180 to E29325195 ⊙ E095503 3 barges 1 boat ⊙ E145495 12 plus sunken barges ⊙ E015485 3 Bridges down ⊙ Toa 1650 ⊙ E718044 probable pontoon bridge ⊙ E710039 no bridge seen no activity ⊙ E7012 to E6496 no activity canal ⊙ E830185 no activity Rds in area ⊙ E8308 2 met W ⊙ E8509 1 met W ⊙ E7104 intense acc LAA ⊙ Toa 1600 ⊙ E7839 large vessel with crane 1 tug ⊙ E7842 3 small boats ⊙ E7843 no bridge diggings ⊙ E7841 3 barges E bank ⊙ E8138 no ferry seen ⊙ E848293 100 ft barge ⊙ E908220 15 met and 15 Inf N and S into village ⊙ E1881 Bridge appears down ⊙ Toa 1620 ⊙ K630998 Bridge appeared intact ⊙ Intense acc LAA at K6894 ⊙ E192519 Bridge intact ⊙

Checked

RC 933 Ref Jac/R toa 1445 hrs ⊙ Pontoon Bridge at E719121 Shenld Road E709121.

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W 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: Jac/R Broadcast For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 1900hrs

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 16000 ⊙ 10/10 cloud 3500 ft showers ⊙ E785598 NMS modigging seen ⊙ E97680 ferry in N Bank No activity ⊙ E9764 to A0175 30 inf all directions Some on cycles E9669 3 met fcg NW ⊙ E9574 3 met fcg S ⊙ E9574 15 plus Boss inf ⊙ E9364 3 Hdt NW ⊙ E9379 10 barges no activity ⊙ E9080 to 7876 15 barges no ferries seen ⊙ E7876 Bridge intact 1 s/c NW 2 met 1 s/c SE over Bridge E7477 ~~Hdt~~ NMS ⊙ E8564 2 Small boats lashed together ⊙ E8368 no ferry seen ⊙ E9156 2 met SW ⊙ E4389 10 scatt met WO E6085 3 Hdt and 5 met NO NMS Rd and river E7477 - E4578 to E3877 ⊙ E4063 to E5668 50 scatt barges but NMS ⊙ E5883 30 plus clotg in M/Y ⊙ toa 1550 ⊙ E2665 3 met W E1964 4 met W ⊙ E090625 1 tug ⊙ E0963 100 plus barges ⊙ NMS E1163 to E0048 ⊙ NMS Rd E090608 - E067597 E035640 ⊙ area 3046 - 2847 - 3049 - 3046 and area E3248 - 3252 - 3652 - 3448 - 3248 flooded ⊙

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: Tac/R Broadcast

Date-Time of Origin: 2100hrs

For Action.

Office Date Stamp

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Tac/R toa 1610 ⊙ E7010 NMS 1 mile radius ⊙ E7207 2 poss tanks fcg W ⊙ NMS Rd E7008 to K74980 ⊙ NMS ~~&~~ Horst but intense LAA from E833185 ⊙ E712067 5 LAA and 3 HAA firing ⊙ E0351 to E1550 defences ⊙ E1550 to E3554 no diggings seen ⊙ LAA from E0953 and E175213 and E325526 and E251525 and E275220 ⊙ Toa 1600 ⊙ E151835 NMS and nothing of importance seen ⊙ E1992 M/Y not covered ⊙ E2392 20 s/c E ⊙ E3294 half track fcg W ⊙ E5299 2 met fcg unknown NMS E5399 to Z 7506 ⊙ E9292 2 s/c ⊙ E623845 Inf and small trailer ⊙ toa 1650 ⊙ NMS area E695100 ⊙ NMS E7210 - 7305 - 6801 ⊙ E ~~1664~~ 1364 to E2064 10 met parked N side of road fcg unknown ⊙ E2961 Bridge intact ⊙ E0248 30 plus barges ⊙ Bridges intact at E193519 and E198526 ⊙ E178467 Bridge west span down ⊙ E178473 Bridge down E2354 12 barges ⊙ E291519 no pontoon bridge seen ⊙ E2952 no bridges intact ⊙ E224524 and E252523 probable pontoon bridge under construction ⊙ Flooding in area E3350 and E3652 also 2852 to E3148 ⊙ NMS Rd E0361 to E0851 ⊙ NMS Rd E3052 to E2864 ⊙ NMS River E300529 to E370680 no diggings seen E3052 to E0050 no ferries seen ⊙ No gun posn seen at E3353 and E3556 and E2853 but many shell holes made observation difficult

Checked

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 1 November 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	25	235	25	372	24	488	21	432	91	1727		
504	30	199	31	479	33	479	34	357	128	1514		
505	24	234	40	459	36	412	37	503	137	1608		
508	30	239	28	333	28	350	27	343	113	1265		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

DO NOT TYPE

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WOUNDED & INJ.		SICK & EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	91	15	245	27	340	6	312	56	1186	91	1727
504	8	84	5	84	29	377	5	129	45	674	128	1514
505	6	93	1	54	25	333	10	174	42	660	137	1608
508	15	114	4	109	37	398	5	137	92	758	113	1265
INF	39	390	21	490	108	1648	27	752	195	3278	469	6114
ARTY	3	47	7	93	45	138	4	90	59	368	145	1765
ENGR	2	43	1	4	7	79		28	10	150	33	490
MED				2	1	18		15	1	35	22	232
QM						2		2		4	7	115
80 AA		10	1	4	5	44	1	37	7	109	35	450
OTHERS		5		2	3	24	1	15	3	42	73	415
TOTAL	44	459	30	595	146	1952	33	939	253	3908	782	9581

OFFICER CASUALTIES

5051

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE: 2 Nov. 44

TO : Div Arty TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1200

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Propaganda shoot to go on at 1630 hrs or later.

Targets:

783562 — 1st priority
780566 — 2nd priority
773572 — 3rd priority

5052

Message File No. _____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: ABN 1 SR/Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE: 2 NOV 44

TO: GSI - 30 CORPS TIME ~~RECEIVED~~ OR SENT: 1145

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

QUERY WHETHER CORPS HAD AIR RCN OVER BARRAGE BALLOON AREA THIS MORNING.

REPLY: NO REPORT YET. WE HAVE A LOW PRIORITY TODAY ON AIR.

OTHER BALLOONS HAVE BEEN SEEN TO THE SOUTH.

Message File No. 5053 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [signature]
MAJOR

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 21 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1305

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

"F" Co pts at 1105 hrs. At 1100 at 3570 yds radar Tower - British arty firing on it.

At 1120 hrs. smoke obs Coming out of house at 7755V68 by Chemical

At 1130 hrs "F" Co obs arty fire Coming from single gun located on Hwy 1200 range 11 00 yds.

OR [redacted] pts 6 gun emplacements hitting house 7897V584

Message File No. 5054 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Rec'd 1st

763584

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE:

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1305

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1 "C" Co spts smoke Coming from house ~~at~~ on AL 7/120° mag & 400 yds. house at 773563 at 1245 hrs.

Div Arty informed of all targets.

~~A12~~ A+ 1245 - 3 rds. Coming from A2 of 128° obs at 755563. (P)

Message File No. 5054 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asst 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ASP DATE 2 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1320

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Planes cannot leave ground to obs barrage balloons. Will notify us when they Com

Message File No. 5258 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Pvt Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: DIV ARTY DATE 2 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1400

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

376 FA
~~CIRCLE~~ RPTS - ALONG RD
850595 — WORK PART/
ABOUT 50 MEN — WORKING
ON 5-600 YD STRETCH
BEFORE NOON — AT NOON
HVY LOADED VEH PULLED UP TO HOUSE
AT RJ (950595) LAYING MINES (GERMAN ARTY)

Message File No. 5059 G-2 Sender - Receiver: ~~Sgt~~ Wynne, S/SGT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 2 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1515

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

LITTLE HVY CAL SHELLING
NO AZ TAKEN, (NO FLASHES)
OP (76065740)
1432. [redacted] spt 3 HD VEH
going E on NUDDERDEN RD AT
856562

Message File No. 5064 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Sgt Murphy

THESE SPACES FOR MESSAGE CENTER ONLY

TIME FILED [redacted] MSG CEN NO. 674 MOVEMENT MSSR

P

MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE)

(CLASSIFICATION)

No. 0133 DATE 2 Nov 44

To CG 82 A/B Div

SECRET. SITREP AS AT

1200 NTR. ALL UNCHANGED

MAIN 3d Corps

OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF UNIT

[redacted]

TIME RELEASED

[redacted]

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER

SIGNATURE AND GRADE OF WRITER

Received by phone
at 02/1553
Sgt Buehler Div M/C.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 376 DATE: 2-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1520

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, (in person,) messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

observer at 764585

Recurrence of flying Bomb at

1355 hrs. 90° MAG 172

Roundball of fire followed by wavy trail of smoke.

Informed 30th Corps.

Message File No. 5068 G-2 Sender (Receiver) Stanger, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty. DATE: 2 - Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1600.

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 1550 - 325 Reports
1 Vehicle with 10 men following it
moving NE at 8553 5640.

Message File No. 5069 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger 1st Lt

TO: G-2

FROM S-2 DIV ARTY

1615 Chestnut 325 rpts by smoking his line w/arty on smoke pots vic 780556

1620 by A.A gun (arty) cal unknown at 834553 where road crosses R-R. rpt'd by 325 (P)

1625 376 rpts firing upon suspicion at 804/53-97 set. 300 boxes in 3 piles. 8-10 feet high. each box 3-5 feet long, 1 ft wide, 1 ft high, yellow green in color. When hit no explosion occured.

Sullivan
1st

(P)

5070

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 2 - Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1635

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

O.P. upto A.A. position at 816551. It is behind windmill

Message File No. 507 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Waldschmidt, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 82 ~~D~~ DATE 2 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

15 barrage balloons observed from 757573. At very great height. Northernmost balloon at MAz of 115°. Southernmost on MAz of 118°. Time 1630 hrs. At 1630 hrs area in vic of 782555 smoked. Div Arty informed and states it is flak. AA gun at 816551. Div Arty informed.

C/S G-3
30 CORPS

Message File No. 3076 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abel 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: CIC ~~Patrol~~ DATE 2 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1800

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

11 Civilians which crossed the Waal River at 0730 hrs 2 Nov. and who were picked up by the ISOS, have been cleared by the Chief of the Frontier Guards in Nijmegen. They are now released and are at home in Nijmegen. Formal report will be submitted tomorrow.

Message File No. 577 G-2 Sender - Receiver: A Bel 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 2 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1810.

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1745 hrs. 12 rds Hy Vel
Ist 75 mm fired from
783619. Obsd by 2 Bn

~~4 rds 88 mm Landed 783626~~
~~at 1730.~~

9 rds 75 mm Landed at 761631 from
MV 115° at 1645 obsd by 2 Bn. range 4700 yds.

Message File No. 5078 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

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PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
081515 November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 2-3 NOVEMBER 1944

UNIT	TYPE OF PATROL	NO OF MEN	TIME OUT	TIME IN	PLACE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	REMARKS
Second Bn - Maintaining local security and screening patrols							
First Bn - No patrol activities							
"I" Co	C/R	(6)?	?	?	"I" Co CP	776585	Provide security for OP and Rcn area
"G" Co	C/R	?	?	?	"G" Co Position	77755830	Rcn houses in vic.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
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1 - 376
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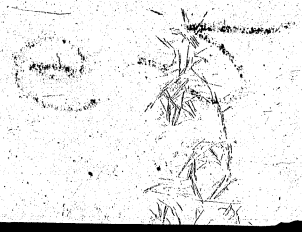
1 - CO 504
1 - Div G-3
2 - Div G-2
2 - File



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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 43 Div DATE 2 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1810

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 806625 locates active mortar.

Div Arty informed

(P)

Message File No. 5094 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asst / S/Sgt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps Met. O DATE 2 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1545

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

For 2000 - 0900

Surface wind light variable,
Weather fair becoming Cloudy with mist
or fog patches by dawn. Visibility 1-3 miles
deteriorating 1000 - 3000 yds by midnight with
Small amount of cloud 1-3 000 ft increasing
to 7-10 10 000 ft. Outlook for tomorrow
Cloudy with risk of occasional slight

Message File No. 5092 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: C of S [redacted] DATE 2-Nov 44

TO : G-2. TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1605

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Capt Harry — See C of S [redacted] in morning.
Re:- Postpone meeting scheduled for to-morrow.

Lt Smith on errand

Left

Message File No. 509 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanley 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Air OP (Dunfrey) DATE 2 Nov 44

TO : G-2 (Col Winton) TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1720

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Lt. Corrigan phoned and stated that the "Cub" which flew to Eindhoven to pick up a passenger, had to return without him because of darkness. Lt. Broadaway has remained in Eindhoven to receive the passenger when he does arrive

Message File No. 599 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Axel, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 2 Mar 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1945

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

325 FWD

[redacted] on MA A 2 of 1450 AA guns observed. Cannot give range estimation from

Message File No. 5100 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Arld 1 Sta

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 2 Nov, 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1920

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Fr 376 FA - observer at 764756 observed a searchlight on MAv of 80° (P) seen at 1830 hrs.

Fr 320 FA - observer at 760575 - white flare on MAv of 90° - Range 1500 yds. Seen at 1900 hrs.

Message File No. 510 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Hart 1st Lt.

SECRET.

Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
2 November 1944

PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 2-3.

During the relief of the 2nd Bn by the 3rd Bn on the MLR tonight, patrol activity will be in the nature of strengthening of outposts. The strengthening will be in charge of the 2nd Bn until after the relief is completed, at which time the 3rd Bn will take over.

Two contact patrols will be operated tonight, following route as shown on overlay. Both patrols will be furnished by 2nd Bn, with No. 1 leaving at 2000 and No. 2 at 2400.

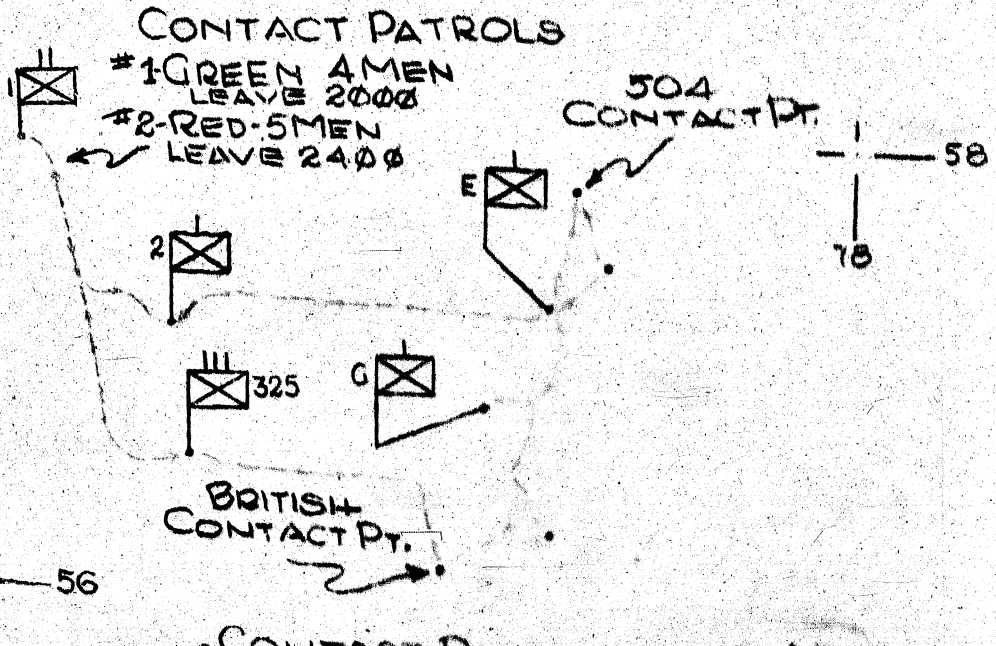
Map Reference: GSGS 4427, HOLLAND, 1/25,000, Sheet 12 NW

BILLINGSLEA
Commanding.

OFFICIAL:

BERKUT

DIV PARTY
G-3
Return to G-2



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To: G-[redacted]

From: S-2, Div Arty

2 Nov 44

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located Today

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	78306008	Nebel	43 Div
Yes	79346000	Nebel	CMO
Yes	79925842	Nebel	CMO
Yes	79185968	Nebel	CMO
Yes*	802531	Med Guns	Air OP
Yes	821622	1 Med Gun	376
Yes	80656255	Nebel	43 Div
Yes*	80055295	1 Med Gun	Air OP
Yes	77945815	Nebel	376
Yes	78555985	Nebel	456 FA
Yes	78786142	Mortar	456 FA
Yes	79525542	Arty - 88 mm	320 FA
Yes	79575562	Arty - 88 mm	320

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal	Est Rn
456	1645		765631	115°	9	75	4000
456	1645	78256278		105°	2	?	2000
456	1645	78256278		115°	?	?	?
320	1945	755563		135°	?	150	Reichswald

* Possible gun of same Arty.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2, 504 DATE 2 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

(76725777)

ON AZ 80° FROM BAKER ONE OP AT RANGE 800 YDS THERE IS AN 81 MM MORTAR.

One of our patrols ran into trouble, with one KIA and 2 LWIA. I Co patrol unable to get to top of ridge ~~but could~~ because of mortar fire.

Ten ey sighted in orchard at 77555817. Green flare from church in WYLER. Our arty is on it.

Message File No. 5110 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Kellam

MAJOR

G-2 MESSAGE FORM
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 DIV ARTY DATE: 2 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2210

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

456 FA ; RED FLARE AT 7888 6248 AT 2206 HRS

Message File No. 5111 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: SR- DIV ARTY DATE: 2 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2230

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2200; 3 Germans were reported on Road from Groesbeek to Nijmegen, and reported to have turned Jim's unit at 732579

(Source: 153 arty Regt.)

HQ COMPANY NOTIFIED AND GENERALLY ALERTED —

Message File No. 5113 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: CO 325 DATE: 2 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2305

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

IN RE REPORT OF 3 EY IN DERKENSWALD; DEFENSE UNITS ARE ALERTED AND 2 PLATOONS WILL COVER THE GENERAL AREA TO CHECK SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY.

Message File No. 5114 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gavin Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 2 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Shelreps:

2240 - 15 rds - 88-105 mm, 125° fr 753639, believed to have come from Hill 1 mehr

2230 - Landing 750690, 70° fr 753639, believed to have come from 780670.

2145 - 12 rds, 75-105 mm. landed 780624
4 guns observed firing 3000 yds on 85° from 780624.

2200: Red flare at 783625

2220: 3 guns firing on Az 90° from 77756270

2225: 20-105 mm shells landed 780627

Message File No. 5115 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines, Capt

OVER

2225-: 3 shells landed at 7625 6325.

Gaines Capt

SECRET.

Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
1 November 1944

PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT OF NOVEMBER 1 - 2.

Maps: GSGS 4427, HOLLAND, 1/25,000, Sheet 12 NW

Patrol # 1: (Ambush Outpost) 5 men from Co E — leave at 1930 — Establish Listening Post at 772575.

Patrol # 2: (Ambush Outpost) 5 men from Co G — leave at 1930 — Establish Listening Post at 77105665.

Patrol # 3: (Ambush Outpost) 5 men from Co F — leave at 1930 — Establish Listening Post at 77055620.

Contact Patrol # 1: 4 men from 1st Bn — leave at 2000 — route as shown on overlay.

Contact Patrol # 2: 5 men from 1st Bn — leave at 2400 — route as shown on overlay.

BILLINGSLEA
Commanding.

OFFICIAL:

BERKUT
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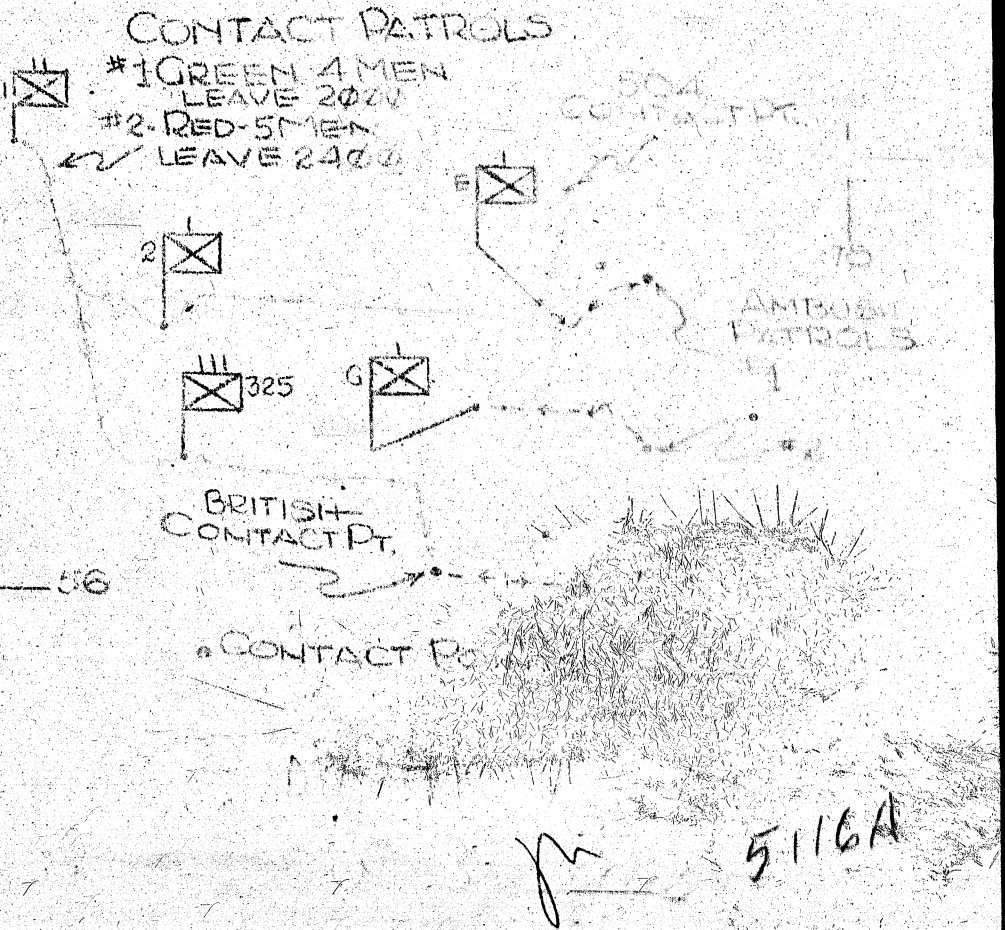

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

Cherbourg (757573) 1416

From: 030001 NOV-44

To: 032400 NOV-44 (Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN 103586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0030		5117		FR 505 TO G-2: BUZZ BOMB 100° MAG FROM BCO 75895683	
0100		5118		FR 325 TO G-2: BUZZ BOMB REPORT	30 COLD INFORMED
0101		5119		FR 325, 505 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0120		5120		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
[illegible]	0255	5121		TO UNITS: FR G-2 G-2 REPORT NO. 137	
[illegible]	0255	5122		TO UNITS: FR G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
0255		5123		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0301		5124		FR 325, 504, 505: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0302		5125		FR 325 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0315		5126		FR 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0415		5127		FR: DUTY OFFICER G-2: MEMO. RE: BR. CPL. BROUGHT IN FOR QUESTIONING.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____
(Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0500		5728		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (RADIO) (PHONE)	
0500		5729		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (RADIO)	
0500		5730		FR. 325 TO G-2; NEG. RPT. (RADIO) (PHONE)	
0500		5731		FR. 505 TO G-2: PATROL WITH 3 PW'S.	
0645		5732		FR. 504 TO G-2: RESULTS OF PATROL ACTIVITIES FOR NIGHT OF 2-3 NOV. 1944.	
0700		5733		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (RADIO) (PHONE)	
0700		5734		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (RADIO) (PHONE)	
0700		5735		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (RADIO)	
0715		5736		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELREP. BALL OF FIRE SEEN BY OP.	
0715		5737		FR. 505 TO G-2: 3 PW'S TAKEN 78766270 AT 0400 BY PATROL FR. 9 CO. OF 105 2.	30 CORPS (PW)

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0750		5138		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT 2/3 NOV 44.	
0830		5139		FR. 505 To G-2: PATROL REPORT 02/03 NOV.	
0830		5140		FR. 505 To G-2: INTER REPORT NO. 47.	
0815		5141		FR. 30 Corps To G-2: AIR NOTES No. 166	
0845		5142		FR. 30 CORPS To G-2: WEATHER REPORT.	
0850		5143		FR. ASP To G-2: TAC. R. REPORT.	
0900		5144		FR. ASP To G-2: ASP. REQUESTING AIR ATTACK ON NIEL.	
0900		5145		FR. 504 To G-2: NEG. REPORT: (RADIO)	
0900		5146		FR. 505 To G-2: NEG REPORT: (RADIO)	
0900		5147		FR. 325 To G-2: NEG. REPORT: (RADIO-PHONE)	
0905		5148		FR. 30 CORPS To G-2: INT SUM No. 533.	C/S-G-3, O.C.A.A.
		5149		PASS THIS NO.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 020001 Nov 44

To: 021100 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0920		5950		FR. 30 CORPS TO G-2: CI SITREP.	CIC
0920		5951		FR. ETOUSA TO G-2: DOC. REPORT NO. 133	G/S, G-3, DIV Hq
0930		5952		FR. Office of Chief ENGR TO G-2: Special INT. BUL No. 145.	ENGR.
1020		5953		FR. CIC TO G-2: UNABLE TO FIND SOURCE OF REPORT THAT 3 SUSPICIOUS FIGURES SEEN DARTING INTO Woods.	
1030		5954		FR. 505 TO G-2: DUD LOCATED AT 753260550	ORD.
1045		5955		FR. 2d ARMY TO G-2: 2d PHASE INTERR REPORT No. 115	P.I.
1045		5956		FR. E.T.O.U.S.A. TO G-2. CERTIFICATE OF DESTRUCTION	
1105		5957		FR. 30 CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST.	
1110		5958		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (PHONE-RADIO)	
1110		5959		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (PHONE-RADIO)	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1120		5960		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO - PHONE)	
1200		5961		FR CIC TO G-2: "TRANSMITTER" WAS REALLY ONLY MICE IN ATTIC OF HOUSE	
1300		5962		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
	1200	5963		FR G-2 TO C/S: 3 PW'S (505) FR 9 Co, 1052 Rgt	
1315		5964		FR 325 TO G-2: AT 1250 15 EY AT RJ AT 806 562; ALSO MD VEH S OF RJ	DIV ARTY
1330		5965		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
1430		5966		FR 101 A/B DIV TO G-2: PERIODIC RPT	
1530		5967		FR 325 TO G-2: 1420 3 EY ENTERED BDG 77705535 — 1445 2 EY W/MESS KITS ENTERED BDG — 4 EY ENTERED BDG 77705534	ARTY
1530		5968		FR 505, 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____

(Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
	1325	5767		FR G-2 TO G-2 SECTION 82 A/B DIV; HQ SORRY PLEASE SEND TAGS BY NON BOX TO G3 DIV APO 82 %	
1530		5770		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG RADIO RPT	
1630		5771		FR 325 TO G-2: TAC/R 030810	
1[illegible]		5772		AIR NOTE #166	C/S
1700		5773		FR 504 505 325 TO G-2 RADIO RPT NEGATIVE	
1730		5774		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1745		5775		FR 307 E TO G-2: ENGR SIT REPORT	
1745		5776		FR 307 E TO G-2: ENGR INT REPORT	
1745		5777		FR CORPS TO G-2: "CORPS COURIER" 1/2 MAP	
1745		5778		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	C/S
1745		5779		FR 504 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC	DIV ARTY

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1715		5980		FR 325 TO G-2: ONLY SCREENING PATROLS	
1760		5981		FR 505, 325 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) RPT	
1915		5982		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
1905		5983		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: EY TPS IN ZEDDAM (7868) RPT TO BE BG KNAUST - WERE AT ONE TIME IN ELST.	
1930		5984		FR 325 TO G-2: RED FLARE — AT 1100 GUN FLASH AT 140° AZ RN 5000 YDS — NEG LAUER 105° AZ — RN 2500 YDS LANDED 65° AZ FR CHEROKEE 1000 YDS AWAY	
1745		5985		FR 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG CONTACT AT	
1805		5986		FR 30 MP TO G-2: WITHDRAWAL RPT	
2030		5987		FR 325 TO G-2: OPERATIONAL OVERLAY	
2030		5988		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2030		5189		FR 325 TO G-2: BORDER BREEZE	
2105		5190		FR 504 & 325 ~~...~~ TO G-3: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2105		5191		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
2110		5192		FR 505 TO G-2 Neg (Radio) Report	
2145		5193		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
2250		5194		FR 505 325 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2255		5195		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
2100		5196		FR 504 TO G-2: EY PATROL REPULSED	C/S - G3 325 [illegible]
2100		5197		FR 504 TO G-2: EY HIT CO A OP.	
2300		5198		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
2300		5199		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: PW REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:

(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2335		5200		FROM 30 CORPS TO G-2: A236 SECRET SITREP. 2200 HOURS. FOR 23 BDE READ 214 BDE. ALL INFORMED.	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 3 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0030

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Buzz bomb. 100° MAG from B C. ([redacted])
75885683

Message File No. 5117 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Jarvis Capt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 3 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messengor (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Chief (755056 35) 2345: Direct hit, no casualties. Crater 4' deep 12' diameter (NIBLWFR)

Cherbourg (757573) 0010: Rotrt bomb 90° flying west.

80 CORPS INFORMED

Message File No. 5116 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaine Capt

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FROM: 020001 NOV 44
TO : 022400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
022400 NOV 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 137.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, [illegible] NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Nebelwerfers at 78306008, 79346000, 79925842, 79185968, 80356255, 7794-5815, 78555985; mortar at 78786142 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey concertina wire at 77725872 (504).

(3) MG at 77945810 and 77595812 (504).

(4) Ey dug in behind wire along dyke from 764611 to 767608 (505).

(5) Information on ey def N of WAAL River as gained from interrogation of 11 civs, inc a lieut in Dutch Res, who crossed river by boat night 1 - 2 Nov: Est 500 ey tps from ELLEREN (782675) to KOMMERDIJK (775650) and from HUIS TE GENT (780655) to ZANDBERG (782637). Co CP in house at 78056538. Outposts at CR 78286379 and house 78206369. Co mess at 0900 at 78556370. CP at 79366503 in smokestack of factory. Soldiers claim they have been told to use ammunition sparingly. Three Tiger tanks seen in HUIS TE GENT area (505).

(6) Mortar at 80656255 (43 Div).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty vic 82d A/B Div Front: (No change) - One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two hvy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty).

(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by Allied arty: Med guns at 802531 and one med gun at 80055295 (these possibly are from same btry), one med gun at 821622, 88mm guns at 79525542 and 795755-42 (Div Arty).

(3) Med guns on Az 140 from 757573, Az of 120 from 75505635 and Az of 125 from 763584 (325).

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e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change

f. Supply and Evacuation Establishments: 376 FA fired on three piles of ey supplies, each pile eight to ten feet high, at 80415597. Boxes did not explode when hit.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary: Action consisted of artillery and mortar fires, abetted by flares and small arms fire during darkness.

b. Operation of Component Elements.

(1) Antiaircraft Artillery:

(a) AA gun at 816551 behind windmill, AA gun at 834553 (325).

(b) Searchlight seen on Az 80 from 764586 at 1830 (376 FA).

(2) Artillery Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rds	No. of Guns	Cal.	Interval
505	0043	77006275	80	?	?	Nblwfr	?
325	0046	757573	70	8	?	Nblwfr	?
505	0048	770628	80	6	?	Nblwfr	?
325	0050	76005740	62	?	?	Nblwfr	?
505	0050	780629	120	6	?	Nblwfr	?
505	0058	76006245	110	6	?	Nblwfr	?
505	0101	(761598	45)	6	1	Nblwfr	?
325	0105	(760[illegible]275	30)		1		?
		(761609	27)				
325	0105	763564	140	4 - 5	1	88	?
325	1245	755563	128	3	1	?	?
456 FA	1645	765631	115	9	?	75	?
456 FA	1645	78256278	105	2	?	?	?
456 FA	1645	78256728	115	?	?	?	?
505	1745	783619 (x)	?	12	?	75 - 88	?
320 FA	1945	755563	135	?	?	150	?
505	2230	753639	70	?	?	?	?
505	2240	753639	125	15	?	88 - 105	?
505	2145	780624	85	12	4	75 - 105	?
505	2220	77756270	90	?	3	?	?

(x) Location of gun.

(3) Aviation, Combat:

(a) Ey plane operated over 325 area between 0730 and 0830 (325).

(b) Ey strafing in area at 1500 and 1530 (325).

(4) Chemical Warfare: Ey laid smoke screen vic 780556 at 1615 (325).

(5) Engineers: Party of about 50 men working along 500 - 600 yard stretch of road vic 850595 before 1200 and laying mines at RJ 850595 after 1200 (376 FA).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.
(b) Taken to date: 2,991.

b. Terrain Not Under Our Control: Small canal running East from 763611 apparently is being drained. Water level was approx 18 inches lower night of 1 - 2 Nov than it was on night 30 - 31 Oct (505).

c. Weather:

(1) During period: Clear to light overcast, with some ground haze. Cool.

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Cloudy, with occasional light showers.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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Three Annexes:

#1 - 325 Gli Inf IPW Report.
#2 - PI Report No. 18.
#3 - Miscellaneous.

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32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	-	5
2 Bn Irish Gds	-	1
3103 QM Trk Co	-	1
JEDBURGH Team	-	1
PHANTOM	-	1
TOTAL		81

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ANNEX NO. 1 TO
G-2 REPORT NO. 137

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
02 NOVEMBER 1944

HEADQUARTERS 325 GLIDER INFANTRY
APO 469 US ARMY

2 November 1944

INTERROGATION REPORT #10

PERIOD: As of 2400 1 November 1944.

Total Number of PW's interrogated: 1.
Total Number of PW's to date: 193.

Distribution:

No. of PW's	Unit	Captured by
1	4 Co 11 Prcht Flak Regt	2nd Bn

Strength:

This unit came into the area 21 September with 200 men (approx.); they lost approx. 130 men in an attack immediately after their arrival; however, recently they were brought up to their original strength by addition of replacements from various other Prcht. units.

PW's squad (2nd squad, 2nd platoon) consisted of 1 noncom and 6 men and had 2 MG's.

It is reasonable to assume from the PW's statements that this unit is a conglomerate outfit formed from various odds and ends of the original regiment. (Notice very large number of men in company, yet understrength squads.)

Unit History:

11 Prcht Flak Regiment was formed in the vicinity of Paris in spring of this year. Pressure was applied to the members of the outfit to force the majority to "volunteer" for parachute jumping. However, an Allied air raid on the unit's base destroyed both their flak and their jumping equipment, so that it was decided to commit the unit as an infantry outfit to plug a gap created by our landings in Holland. PW's Co arrived in WYLER-DEN HEUVEL sector 21 Sept while other parts of the regiment went to different sectors in Holland. After their abortive attack 21 Sept remainders of the unit (approx. 70 men out of 200) were withdrawn to the village of WYLER, where they stayed until 31 October. The unit manned the anti-tank ditch outside WYLER, spending two days in holes on both sides of the ditch and the next two days resting in the village of WYLER. At 312200 Oct the unit came up on line in the DEN HEUVEL sector to relieve another prcht. outfit (identity unknown to PW).

Positions and Identifications:

PW was manning a two-men foxhole at 77055700. He did not know of any German troops on his left but stated that his unit is manning foxholes on the southeast side of WIJLERSCHE BAAN road all the way up toward VOSSENDAAL and WYLER.

While manning the anti-tank ditch outside WYLER, PW states they had battlegroup 'LORENZ' on their right flank. According to PW this unit consists of both infantry and flak components. Its infantry units were relieved several days ago to go to the vicinity of KLEVE to rest and reform, while the flak units remained in their positions. These infantry components of battlegroup 'LORENZ' are expected to return to their position outside WYLER today or tomorrow.

Rations are brought up to WYLER by motorcar nightly, just after dusk, approx. 1830. Troops of PW's unit called for their chow every night about that time in the windmill at WYLER.

Miscellaneous:

PW stated that they received heavy Allied artillery fire while in position outside WYLER, but that a large part of this fire fell short of their positions. He was unable to give a reliable estimate of casualties.

Sometime last week PW overheard conversation of two officers who seemed surprised to find other than American troops facing them. They were speculating as to whether these apparently newly identified troops were of British or Polish nationality. They said that it was now necessary to send out patrols and procure prisoners at all cost to get unit identifications. A couple of days later, PW's company commander (a 1st Lt.) personally led a patrol into our lines. The officer and most of his men were killed on this mission and the rest of the patrol returned without prisoners.

In the evening of 31 October, shortly after effecting relief in DEN HEUVEL sector, heard violent firing around his position (probably 325 combat patrol). Later that night PW was told by his non-com that they had brought in two wounded Americans as PW's.

PW also states that road has been dynamited and AT road block prepared where anti-tank ditch crosses road.

Interrogator's Note:

PW was of Yugoslav origin and deserted. He was slightly below average in intelligence; he was willing to give information but like the plain doughfoots of any army knew few facts and what he did know was mostly second and third hand information or latrine rumors.

EVACUATED THRU REGULAR CHANNELS: 1.

(Interrogation by IPW Team #43)

W. A. HAUFF
IPW #43
325 Gli Inf

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ANNEX NO. 2 TO
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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
03 NOVEMBER 1944

P. I. REPORT NO. 12

1st and 2d Phase Interpretation

SORTIE 400/1412, 29 Oct 44.
MAP REF: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

Photos	Coordinates	Description
4015	821613	3 LAA cam. at rd junction.
4015	82356125	3, possibly 4 lt guns cam in line facing west.
4059	(87206015)	
	(87105972)	2 prepared gun emp.
4059	866507	2 prepared gun emp.
4046	829608	2 bunkers or dugouts in hedge.
4046	826605	3 fd gun emp u/c
4045	825603	3 LAA astride road ? D. P.
4046	904648	2 A/Tk gun emps with additional wpn pits around emp.
4009	85506125	Hvy M/G post.
4044	809599 - 815593	Cont. curvilinear line of wpn pits.
4044	81[illegible]	Group of wpn pits.

HUGO E. LDSCHMIDT,
Captain, F. A.,
O-C PI Team No. 3

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ANNEX NO. 3 TO
G-2 REPORT NO. 137

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
02 NOVEMBER 1944

MISCELLANEOUS

1. Order of the Day by von DEWITZ, Comd 1036 GR.

Regt HQ
26 Sep

GERMANY is being defended on the WEST WALL, and in the SOUTH still on French soil. That now for the first time after five years of war the battle is being fought on German soil must be accepted.

We are committed in the fortress of HOLLAND, from where V-1 is still launched, to keep strong enemy forces engaged. Our fighters are ready; they will establish air superiority so long as enough pet is produced. After the destruction of our refineries we are now building new ones under 4m of concrete. That is not a quick job. Three months are required. He who gives up the struggle has lost his courage in the last round. He who continues to fight in spite of illness and danger is brave, wise and faithful.

If taken prisoner everyone of us is confronted with the fate of being handed over to the Russians for forced labour. A return to a defeated Germany cannot be envisaged.

Our resolve is: Resist and shoot.

v. DEWITZ,
Regt Comd.

(Gds Armd Div IS No 112)

2. Syrup Tin Booby Trap.

A dump was found in OISTERWIJK E 23 area of Dutch syrup tins filled with explosive and having in the base a screw threat to take a standard pull igniter. The tin is the size of a standard 1 kg Golden Syrup tin with a red, white and gold label and the following inscriptions:

DINTELOORD'S ONTBIJTSIROOP
ZUIVERE TIETSUIKERSIROOP
COOPERATIEVE SUIKERFABRIEK'S
RAFFINADERIJ DINTELOORD
STAMPERSGAT

With typical Teutonic cunning, each tin is surrounded with a white paper strip with black letting: "250 gramm ROST-KAFFE".

(Gds Armd Div IS No 113)

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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
02 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news digest was compiled from BBC summaries:

News readers of the entire world kept their eyes on the military situation in the SCHELDT Estuary today, where substantial advances by our soldiers brought nearer the hour of liberation for the shipping lanes to the port of ANTWERP.

FLUSHING, overlooking the harbor entrance, claimed principal interest as we occupied a good half of the city and inflicted heavy losses on the Germans who are defending the remainder of it.

We now hold several miles of the SCHELDT Coast. British Infantry Battlaions have firmly established themselves on WALCHEREN Island and personnel reinforcements and additional supplies continue to reach them. Meanwhile, the Canadians, who had once captured the causeway linking BEVELAND and WALCHEREN only to be thrown back, fought their way to WALCHEREN again and secured a position on the island. Reconnaissance units found NORTH BEVELAND unoccupied.

The estimated 7,000 to 10,000 Germans remaining on WALCHEREN are gradually losing their grip. A major problem for our forces is neutralization of the big guns overlooking the estuary. The guns are set singly in casemates and must be blasted out one at a time. Many have been silenced.

CHESTER WILMOTH, a British correspondent, sent back word that tactical airmen made over 400 flights clearing out strongpoints on WALCHEREN ahead of the infantry. The Allies bagged 600 German prisoners on the island, but their biggest haul was south of the SCHELDT, where they took 2500 prisoners, including a German general.

South of the MAAS our troops are progressing, but the enemy continues his big delaying action and at at least one point has brought up heavy reinforcements.

The German counterattacks east of EINDHOVEN have been checked and we have thrown the Germans back S and SE of LIESEL, previously recaptured.

During the past 24 hours Allied airmen made plenty of trouble for the Germans by attacking their factories and traffic centers.

At 2030 hours yesterday our planes raided OBERHAUSEN, near ESSEN, and other bombers went to COLOGNE and BERLIN. The attack on COLOGNE was the fifth consecutive after-dark assault there.

The Allied planes shot up and bombed 46 trains, 10 barges and 4 small ships in HOLLAND and Western GERMANY.

2,000 British and American planes were over GERMANY today and 1100 of them dropped bombs on oil plants at MERSEBURG.

Latest news available on the Hungarian front was that as of last night the Russians were within 35 miles of BUDAPEST and had captured one of HUNGARY's largest cities during their approach. The Germans threw a Panzer Division into this city after the Soviets took it, but Marshal STALIN's men threw them back out again and secured the city. In another direction from BUDAPEST the Russians were only 50 miles away, their advance being so rapid that they seized 48 good German airplanes on a field. They captured 1500 Germans and Hungarians.

BERLIN radio continues to tell of the tremendous offensive the Russians are waging against EAST PRUSSIA from the South, but MOSCOW was silent concerning any advances there.

In NORTH ITALY the Allies reached a point halfway between RIMINI and BOLOGNA, along the ADRIATIC WAY. The German observers in the APENINES can plainly see our troops, but their gunners are chary and do little firing on sunny days.

Allied aircraft in the PACIFIC raided BORNEO.

CHICAGO is host to the International Conference on Civil Aviation, with 51 nations represented. It was brought out that immediately after the war the UNITED STATES will have the majority of available [illegible] of civilians.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DUTY O DATE: 3 NOV 44

MEMO TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0330

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

MP AND MEMBER OF HQ DEFENSE PLATOON BROUGHT IN BRITISH CORPORAL FOR QUESTIONING. THE CORPORAL WAS TAKEN FROM A HOUSE ACROSS THE STREET WHERE A CIVILIAN REPORTED THE SOUND OF A WIRELESS TRANSMITTER. CORPORAL IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS CORPORAL ROOK, 61ST RECCE, 50 DIV. ON HIS WAY TO HIS UNIT FROM LEAVE IN ANTWERP. HE OBTAINED THE BILLET TONIGHT IN THE HOUSE ACROSS THE STREET THRU A SGT HE MET IN THE NIJMEGEN CANTEEN WHERE HE WAS AWAITING TRANSPORTATION BACK TO HIS UNIT (IN WINNSEN). HE MISSED THE TRUCK AND HAD TO STAY OVERNIGHT IN NIJMEGEN.

Message File No. 5127 G-2 Sender - Receiver: _____

(OVER)

(A PHONE CALL TO 50 DIV CONFIRMED EXISTENCE OF 61ST RECCE, AND A CHECK OF THE CORPORAL'S IDENTIFICATION PAPERS SHOWED THEM TO BE IN ORDER, HE WAS RELEASED AFTER QUESTIONING AS TO UNIT LOCATION, ETC.)
THE SOLDIER WHO BROUGHT IN THE CORPORAL WILL BRING IN THE HOUSE NUMBER WHERE THE TRANSMITTER SOUNDS PRESUMABLY ORIGINATED, AND IT IS BELIEVED ADVISABLE THAT CIC CHECK THE IMMEDIATE NEIGHBORHOOD FOR A POSSIBLE TRANSMITTING SET — OR RECEIVER WHICH MIGHT HAVE BEEN USED TO RECEIVE KEY-TRANSMITTED MESSAGES. IT IS POSSIBLE A BRITISH TANK OR ARMORED CAR IS PARKED IN THE AREA, AND CONTAINS A RADIO.)

James CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 3 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Combat Patrol returned at 0445 with 3 PWs; one member of patrol was slightly wounded.

Message File No. 5 / 31 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Pinci, Capt.

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Hq South Front (Inf) NCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
[illegible] November 1944

Subject: Results of patrol activities for night 2-3 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-, Hqs, A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night 2-3 November 1944.

"I" Co 6th patrol of five men left house (776558) at 1600 to reconnoiter houses at (776158) & (776158). Patrol started out on left side of road. At 1650, while at 776158, the patrol had six or eight rifle grenades fired at it. This fire was very accurate. At 1655 the patrol returned to house (776558) and reorganized. At 1910 S/Sgt Engerbretson moved out across road to right alone. He was about 75 yds S of house (776158) at 1945 when a green non-parachute flare was fired to S.W. from corner of house (776158) nearest him. At 1945 the Sgt moved back to the house (776558). At 2000 S/Sgt Engerbretson moved back alone to within 50 yds of S.W. edge of house (776158). While there the Sgt heard movement like walking and hitting of butt of rifle against wood-very softly. He listened until about 2030 then returned to house at (776558). No casualties, no P/W's.

"H" Co 6th patrol of 5 men left (775559) at 1600 hrs. to reconnoiter rd block at (776158). At 1815 the patrol was near objective and observing rd block. While there the patrol heard 5-8cm mortar fire and decided to seek cover. While the patrol was seeking cover Lt. Wright entered fringe at S edge of woods and stepped on a mine. Both of Lt. Wright's legs were blown off at the upper thigh-no shirt [illegible] was found, according to the medics. The patrol returned at 1[illegible] A.M., no P/W's.

"G" Co C/S patrol of 5 men left house at (776558) to reconnoiter houses in vic of (776158). The patrol moved out along hedgerow toward E from (776558). At 1840 the patrol observed a green, non-parachute flare about 800 yds to the E. A 88cm mortar barrage fell immediately afterward about 50 yds NW of the patrol. At 1845 6 or 8 rifle grenades fell on the patrol. There was about a 10 or 15 minute second interval between grenades. These grenades were apparently fired from the rifle in vic of (776558). While the SV was firing the grenades the patrol withdrew to (776558) where they met the 6th Co patrol which had crossed in on the slower moving "G" Co patrol. At 2000 the patrol started down the left side of hedgerow. When the patrol was about 125yds out it was fired on again with grenades. 88cm mortar fire again fell about 50yds NW of the patrol. The patrol withdrew to (776558). No casualties, no P/W's.

The First Bn engaged in no patrol activities during the period. The Second Bn maintained local security & screening patrols during period.

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For the Commanding Officer:

F. [illegible]
Capt., S.[illegible]th Front, Inf.,

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 3 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

from Observer at 757573

A few rounds of Rebel type A.A. fired at 0630 hours from mag az. 115° at about 757587

Ball of fire seen by Cherokee (757573) to rise vertically from mag. az. of 90° at about 0645 hours and disappear into clouds.

Today Activity:

Message File No. 5736 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 3 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0705

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3 PWs taken 78766270 at 0400 hours by patrol from 9th Co of 1052nd. 10th & 11th Cos on their left. 9th Co. - 60 men strength. Men were in units stationed in this area at time of bombing, now reorganized and redesignated.

To 3D G4/20
To 1 PW
To C/S

Message File No. 5737 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In The Field
3 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 2-3.

During the relief of the 2nd Bn by the 3rd Bn on the MLR last night, the only activity in the nature of patrolling was a strengthening of the outposts. Negative reports were given by these outposts except for sounds of a cart moving along trail at 777573. They reported it at 0410.

2nd Bn, moving to the RRL furnished two contact patrols, the first moving out at 2000 and the second at 2400. Their routes were completed without incident.

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
050700 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 02/03 Nov:

1. Patrol led by Lt Liesing, asst Off, and three Engr NCO and one S-2 German speaking man left CP 505th CP No 1 at 761598. Proceeded to 761612 and picked up canvas assault boat and went East paralleling ostend Dyke. Received slight MG and mtr fire at 2300 fr vic of stroag point. Firing came down and across the canal from that direction.

Saw one guy who was apparently on a wire detail and who headed East. Guy was dug in along dyke from 767613 to 766605 and have an OP at this point. Barbed wire was strung along top of dyke from 767613 to 766605.

Ptl started south but could not due to extreme moonlight and my observation. Changed plan and went along south bk of canal. Time 0145. Heard motor vehicles in the distance to south but could not see anything. Ptl kept moving and reached point 769360 where heard more voices and coughing. Stayed at this point and listened to any conversation going on below us. Essence of conversation was this:

One man kept asking another, a sgt, what time it was. Also what time they were going to be pulled out of the outposts for the night. The reply was four o'clock.

Ptl observed guy dug in a ditch running from 769360 to 766605. Guys were dug in about fifteen to twenty feet apart.

Barbed wire, merely an improvement of a fence, was in front of this dyke. One guy soldier was dug in side of dyke directly under ptl. Ptl wanted to capture this man, but his close contact with other posts prevented them from doing so. It was now 0245 so Ptl began to return. Encountered no resistance on way back. Ptl was under sniper fire from 766606 to 761601, which made it difficult to go directly to CP. Sniper was located as firing at 766605 in water holes. Ptl received nebelwerfer shelling at 761601. Shells landed in flats at 763604. Ptl back at CP at 0330. No casualties, no POWs.

2. Combat patrol of one officer and twelve men of 2nd Bn left as scheduled at 0400--following closely behind our arty barrage. At house 76766270 patrol found six enemy. Ptl killed three and captured three and was back in less than ten minutes. Three were killed when they refused to come out of their positions. Ptl had one man slightly wounded. See separate interrogation report.

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1 CO 504
1 CO and Staff
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Met O, 30 Corps DATE 3 Nov 44

TO G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0830

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Weather, 0900 - 2000:

Wind - Variable, light

Weather: Fair to cloudy generally with rain by end of period

Visibility - 1-3 thousand yds during morning gradually improving to 2-4 miles.

Cloud - 4-8 tenths at 2-3 thousand ft.

Outlook for tonight - cloudy with occasional rain.

Message File No. 142 G-2 Sendor - Receiver: Price, Capt

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) Sac/R — Originator — Broadcast — For Action.

Date-Time of Origin. 1600hrs

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Sac/R loa 1450 ⊙ NMS Horst E8318 ⊙ Loa 1430 ⊙ Bridge at E300520 and E296520 blown ⊙ Pontoon bridges under construction at E293529 and E274519 "No change from yesterday" ⊙ E224525 ferry-vessel ~~&~~ loading alongside ⊙ E263525 ferry ⊙ E252522 ferry or possible pontoon bridge under construction ⊙ E257523 4 u/s barges S Bank ⊙

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large)

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FROM (A) Originator: Sac/R Broadcast — For Action.

Date-Time of Origin: 17 0ohrs

Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Sac/R Koa 1500 O NMS E8318 and radius 2 miles O NMS River E8336 to K7839 O E8138 to E7839 no activity or fumes seen O K647947 Bridge down O K653936 No bridge O K630998 bridge down O K633999 poss pontoon boat O E639004 8 barges 1 poss pontoon boat O K680890 to K686883 Zig-zag trenches O K7186 40 plus barges O K684886 bridge down O K6094 to 7790 to 7079 NMS O K704934 2 met and 6 cycles N O K723888 1 met NE O K7890 NMS O K776933 bridge probably damaged but visibility very bad O K775904 bridge appeared down at W end O K820809 2 met W O K854763 4 met N O K8575 10 cycles N and 2 S/C W O K782877 to 792850 to 850838 probable anti-tank ditch O E067593 poss gun posn O E195524 machine gun fcg SO E237546 10 barges O E345662 15 plus barges SW bank O

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For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 1500 O E823317 1 barge W bank O E902147 poss ferry and 1 boat E Bank O NMS Venlo - E9109 Bridges intact O K7890 NMS also Ras 4 miles radius Rd bridge down O E885125 2 met NW O E900220 1 scout car fcg W O NMS balance of area O Slight ace HAA E8809 and 83180 Toa 1445 O Bridges destroyed at E177473 - E197444 - E207443 - E248443 - E270443 - E281470 O NMS Rd E018488 - E107645 - E271651 - E295520 O NMS Rd E090508 - E067597 - E035610 O E338535 prob gun pit O E361596 new diggings probable gun posns O E349605 4 guns a/a posns O area E300480 E310468 E308460 E295463 flooded main roads above water secndary Rds appeared submerged O area E317497 - E354593 - E355505 - 318288 flooded O area E305507 - E312510 - E317498 - E310496 flooded O E3556 no gun posns seen O E2853 well cratered but no gun posns found O E280588 to E287590 new trench works O E286 574 suspected gun posn O Toa 1545 O E1992 M/Y 200 trg O E4889 3 white met fcg W 10 Hdt 8 mvg W 2 mvg E several Inf O E5585 2 met E O E6583 8 Hdt and 1 S/C mvg W O E4578 2 Hdt mvg W otherwise NMS E7477 to E33770 area E3877 E4063 E5668 E5674 10 to 12 scatt met and 2 Hdt pilots impression all mvg to ferry at E434787 O E521723 - E508705 trench works 50 ft intervals

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AIR 20 ⊙ B/L 021800 as before
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~~BEHXVH~~ as before
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	For Action	
TO	All Sites	
	(V) For Information (INFO)	

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AIR 18 Fighter patrol area E4263 3 ac 262 ckm
toc 1440 - 1540

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ASP O DATE 3 NOV. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0905

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

ASP requesting air attack on Kiel, Probably Typhoons. 3 houses as aiming points: 874603, 817547, 818104. XKT-1 is no. 9 target.

Target not yet accepted.

Message File No 5144 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
GSD A/D DIVISION

FROM: CIC (Capt Davis) DATE 3 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1010

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Unable to find source of report that 3 suspicious figures seen darting into woods.

Message File No. 152 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Davis, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 3 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1015

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Dud located at 7532605 0 on intersection. Would like to get removed as soon as possible. Another dud in "B" Co. area. Location not pinpointed yet.

Reported to Ordnance

Message File No. 5454 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Lt Hay, Cml.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps Met O DATE 3 NOV 44

TO G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0830

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Rheims route forecast for Maj. Thornton

Surface wind SW to W 5-10 mph

~~2000 ft~~ wind 320° 10-15 mph

Weather cloudy with occasional rain & widespread mist

cloud 8-10 tenths at 1800-2000 ft.

visibility 1-3 thousand yds

freezing level 3000 ft.

icing index moderate to high

Message File No. 357 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: CIC (Fort Davis) DATE: 3 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1200

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Investigation of house where transmitter was reported by Def Platoon personnel last night and questioning of personnel reporting shows that the false signals originated with nurse in the attic of the house involved.

Message File No. 5961 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE

TO : G-3 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1200

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3 PWs captured by 505 patrol last night about 0400 hours vicinity Erlekom; from 9th Co., 1052nd Inf. Regt. They state 10th + 11th Cos also on line. This is first identification of 3rd Bn., 1052nd, which has apparently relieved 1st Bn., 1052nd, in Erlekom area. These PWs were amalgamated into 1052nd from units in this area on 17th Sept.

Message File No. 5162 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 3 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1315

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1230 hrs Chin Recpt pts (757573) 15 eny

to rt of RJ at 806762. Also saw team

of horses pulling a wagon to house at

rt of RJ.

Di Arty informed

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Message File No. ~~5164~~ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abel 1st

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 2 November 44)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	25	235	25	570	25	470	22	445	91	1720		
504	30	189	31	479	33	478	32	352	126	1498		
505	25	242	39	449	36	412	37	303	137	1606		
508	30	259	28	533	28	350	27	343	113	1265		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

DO NOT TYPE

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WIA & DWA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	91	13	245	27	340	6	320	56	1194	91	1720
504	9	85	5	84	29	379	3	129	46	677	126	1498
505	6	99	1	34	25	335	10	177	42	666	137	1606
508	15	115	4	109	27	399	6	137	52	760	113	1265
INF	40	390	21	490	108	1654	27	765	196	3297	467	6089
ARTY	5	27	7	95	25	198	4	93	39	371	159	1700
ENGR	2	23	1	4	7	78		33	10	138	30	459
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	24	226
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
80 AA		18	1	4	5	44	1	33	7	101	33	452
OTHERS		4		6	3	25	1	16	4	51	73	496
TOTAL	45	462	30	599	149	1979	33	956	257	3996	775	9497

5765

OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S 2-5 DATE 3 Nov, 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1530

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1420 Chief rpts 8 buy teen entering (7550 5635)
bldg 7770 5535.
1445 Chemtee rpts at 7825 18, 8 men (7575 73)
carrying mess kits entered bldg.
Chief rpts 7760 5534 buy teen entering
bldg. Alty adjusted. Target hits observed.

5761

Message File No. 870 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asst. 1st Lt

THESE SPACES FOR MESSAGE CENTER ONLY

TIME FILED [redacted] MSG CEN NO. HQ [redacted] NT

MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE)

(CLASSIFICATION)

No. DATE 3 NOV 44

To

NO SUPPLY. PLEASE SEND BOX OF
T SHT BEYNON TO ADDRESS ON BOX
055 DET. APO 87 AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE ANSWER RIGHT AWAY
IF IT IS IN YOUR SUPPLY

SIGNED 5169

C2

1505

TIME SIGNED

OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF WRITER

A L [illegible]

SIGNATURE AND GRADE OF WRITER

[illegible] SIGNATURE OF RELEASER

[illegible]

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin
	2nd Army	030810

For Action

All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Office Date Stamp

Message Instructions: QYM

GR

Originator's No.

AIR 20 F and F/B results 2 NOV 0 weather restricted ops but several successful SP attacks carried out on tgts incl bridges at K629997 and pontoons at E677022 and 710039 and 720045 5 hits on 88mm guns E8208 and area concntn and gns E614815 0 50 plus barges reported area K7885 and 30 plus barges attacked between E2154 and 20560 claims 2 FW 190's Dam 3 ME 262's Dam in combat 0 9 eng Dam 2 tug Dest 10 Dam 1 barge Dest 4 prob Dest

This Message may be sent { EXCEPT / AS WRITTEN } by any means { / WIRELESS }

If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority

Signed

Signed 5871

Time	System:	Op.
THI or TOR 0915	W	e
Time cleared		

(G-483) Wt. 49325/367. 996,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 030905

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM — GR: 31

Originator's No.

AIR 30 Night Bomber results 2/3 nov. a1353 50 acft se attacked successfully o appox 15 trains attacked with success in HENGELO - RHEINE and BORKUM - VENLO areas o convoy attacked at a3h600 no flying after midnight

This Message may be sent AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS { EXCEPT / WIRELESS }	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority
Signed	Signed 5171	

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR 0955 Time cleared	W	CHB

(GY463) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 49-244.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 030938

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 7

Originator's No.: HIR/4 0 Report enemy air act 2 Nov.

(GV485) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-344.

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT **AS WRITTEN** BY ANY MEANS { EXCEPT / WIRELESS }

SIGNED

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT **IN CIPHER**

SIGNED 5171

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

Time	System	Op.
Originator 1012	W	276
Time cleared		

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority		Transmission Instructions
		OP	1615	

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 031230

Office Date Stamp

For Action

All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 18

Originator's No.

AIR 60 B/h 031230 as before to E/~~H000~~ 8318 excl rd ~~GKZA~~ 8122 excl rd ~~GYVF~~ 8026 rly ~~KKPTGS~~ 801300 then as before

This Message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means {except / wireless}	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority	Time	System	Op.
Signed	Signed		THI or TOR 1307 Time cleared	W	WB

(GIV 483) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 46244.

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
	Lac/R Broadcast For Action.	1500hrs	
TO	(W) For Information (INFO)	Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Lac/R Loa 1330 ⊙ Bridges destroyed at E708122 - E740045 - E628098 - K646947 - K668910 - K6808850 ⊙ Bridges intact at E729065 and E710039

Lac/R Loa 1335 ⊙ Bridge intact E728067 ⊙ OK626998 Bridge down ⊙ E718047 Bridge seem but pass has object in same across canal ⊙ infantry crossing E716018 3 mels S ⊙ E725050 10 plus barges ⊙ E6300 15 plus barges ⊙ NMS square K7395 ⊙ K723944 5 pass can not log unknown ⊙ K774904 Bridge down ⊙ K776633 Pontoon bridge intact ⊙ E703090 west end of bridge appears damaged ⊙ AA E817144 and E839188 ⊙ Loa 1240 ⊙ K6680 ⊙ K7891 freshly dug trench works 300 plus yards SE from River ⊙

5171

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Signed.	Signed.		Time Cleared		

SECRET

PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
031515 November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 3-4 NOVEMBER 1944

UNIT	TYPE OF PATROL	NO OF MEN	TIME OUT	TIME IN	PLACE OF DEPARTURE	DESTINATION	REMARKS

First Bn: No patrol activity
Second Bn: Maintaining local security and screening patrols from MLR to OPL
Third Bn: Maintaining local security and screening patrols from MLR to OPL

For the Commanding Officer:

F. CORMAN
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
1 ea Bn
1 505
13325
1 376
1 desk
1 Div G-3
2 Div G-2
1 CO 504
2 - file

SECRET

5978

Right

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: [redacted] 505 DATE 3-Nov-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1745

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Only screening patrols to-night.

Message File No. 588 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stenger, 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps DATE 3-Nov-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1905

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Civ Report:

Ey tps in Zeddam (9808), reported to be Battlegroup KNAUST. Thy were in Elst at one time.

Message File No. 183 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 3-Nov 44

TO : G2. TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1630

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~Red Flare~~ ~~[illegible]~~ - AZ 150 - 1500 yds Range.
AT 1850

AT 1900 - GUN Flash at 140° AZ - Range 5000 yds

~~[illegible]~~ WFR at 105° AZ - Range 5000 yds (757573)
Landed 65° AZ FROM CHEROKee - 1000 yds away.

Message File No. 5984 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanley, 1STX

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ~~82d~~ 30th Inf Regt DATE 3-Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1805

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

FR 2000 hrs TO

0900 4-Nov-44

Surf. wind SW 10 to 15 MPH
veering westerly
Weather - Cloudy with occasional rain
or drizzle at first, becoming fair & clear
by dawn
Visibility - 2 to 4 miles at first, deteriorating

Message File No. 906 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stengar, 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Met. DATE 3-11-44

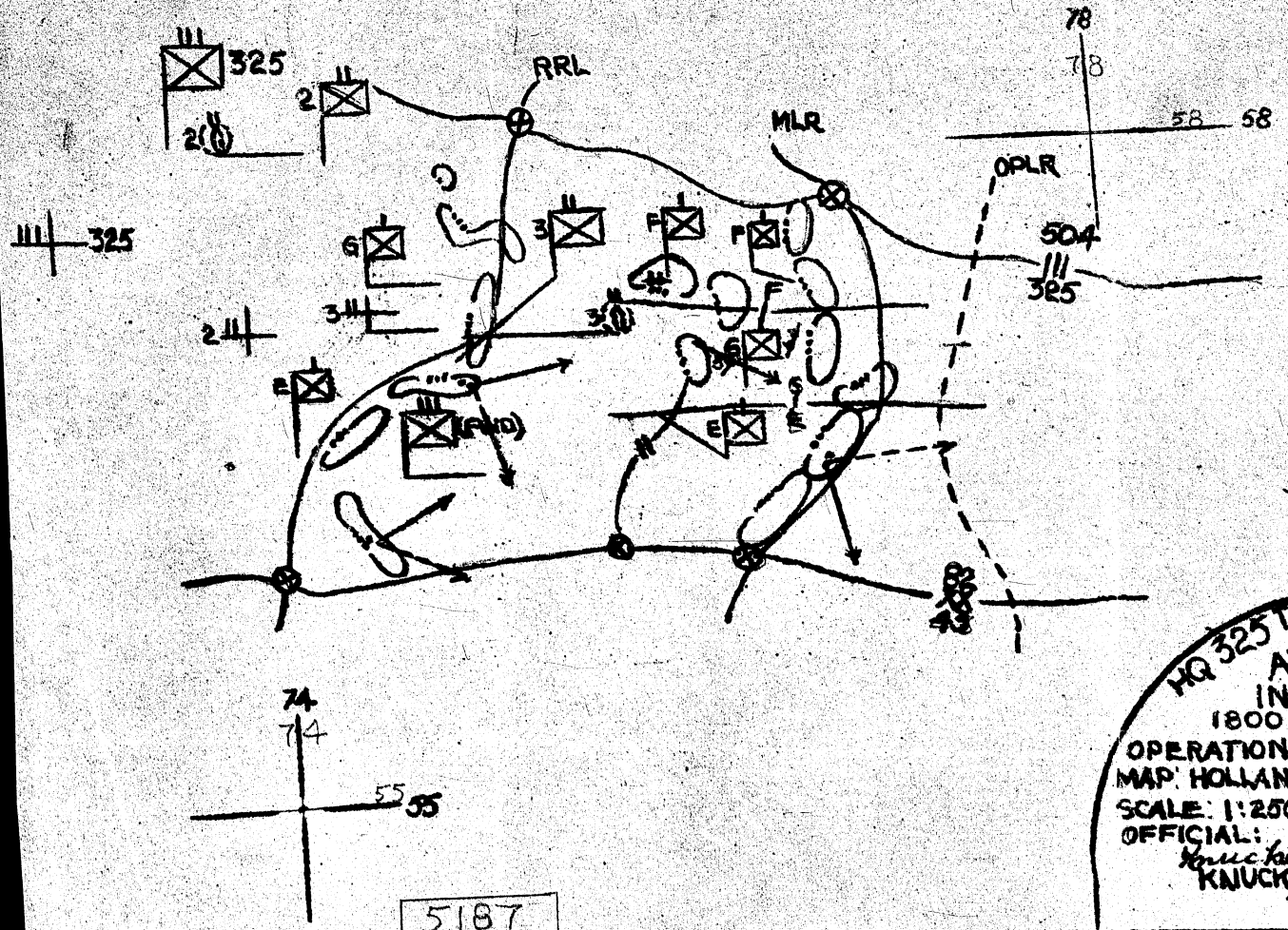
TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1805

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

to ~~=~~ 500 to 1500 yds. Later, improving to 2 to 4 miles. Cloud 8/10 to 10/10 layer clouds - 2000 to 3000 ft., lowering to 1000 to 2000 ft. later, breaking to small amounts before dawn. Outlook for tomorrow fair with showers later

Message File No. 5186 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stenger, 1st Lt



HQ 325 GLIDER INF
APO 469
IN THE FIELD
1800 03 NOV 1944
OPERATIONS OVERLAY
MAP: HOLLAND SHEET 12 NW
SCALE: 1:25000
OFFICIAL:
KNUCKLES, S-3.
BILLINGSLEA, COMDG.

5187

To: G-2
FROM: S-2, Div Arty

3 Nov

ENEMY ARTY, MORTARS, MGs LOCATED

ENGAGED	LOCATION	WEAPON	SOURCE
YES	784554	GUN	320
YES	81306183	BTRY	CBO
YES	82206299	BTRY	CBO
YES	79005635	NEBEL	CMO
YES	77725680	NEBEL	CMO
YES	779578	GUN	43 AIROP
NO	77675815 X	MORTAR	43 DIV
NO	789515	4-88's	AIR OP
YES	80615464	AA GUN	376 FA
YES	79375993	MORTAR	376
YES	78346000	MORTAR	376
YES	78855535	NEBEL	320 FA
YES	78395571	NEBEL	320
YES	77185688	MORTAR	320

5193

HOSTILE ARTY - NO CHANGE

S-2

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: [redacted] 504 DATE: 3-11-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

In Re: Ey attack on OP.
Exchanged hand GRENADES. ALL QUIET NOW.
Seems to have been Ey patROL.

Informed - C/S, 325, DivARTY, GSI, G3

Message File No. 5196 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: [redacted] 504 DATE: 3-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2140

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Ey of UNKNOWN STRENGTH hit CO A OP

VIC 773578. Later some EY were sighted at

775580.

Info'd - C/S, S2S, G3, DIV. ARTY, GSI

Message File No. 5198 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER, 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-1 - 30 CORPS DATE: 3 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

IDENTIFICATION OF PW CAPTURED BY BRITISH IN NIJMEGEN: 16 PANZER ENGR REINF. BN.

FORMED IN COLOGNE
ARRIVED CLEVE FRIDAY.

BN WAS BROKEN UP AS REINFORCEMENTS, AND IS MANNING THE DEFENSE LINE BEHIND THE LONG AT DITCH.

VS. 8TH CORPS ATTACKED S OF AACHEN. CAPTURED SEVERAL HUNDRED PW'S.

28TH DIV { 101ST — F 0231 - D132 - 0030.
112 — 0332 - 0533
109 — 0435 - 0336

BA. 8TH CORPS — SLOW PROGRESS; 6400 - still 2 Kilom.

Message File No. _____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: _____

Rpt'd Mijdl in area 700090. Gaines Capt

P

FROM 30 CORPS

032330A

TO 82 USA/B DIV

0236. SECRET. SITREP. 2200 HOURS. NTR.
AMEND MID DAY SITREP. FOR 231 BDE READ 214
BDE. ALL INFORMED

H.J.C.

Received by phone at 032325
by Sgt Burke Div M/C.

5200

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

L-455

From: 040001 NOV-44

To: 042400 NOV-44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN 703586

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		5201		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0100		5202		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
0110		5203		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0115		5204		FR ~~SHELL~~ 325 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
0210		5205		FR 325 TO G-2: EY PATROL ACTIVTY	
~~0210~~	0210	5206		FR G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 REPORT NO. 138	
~~0210~~	0210	5207		FR G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
0251		5208		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0255		5209		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0300		5210		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0317		5211		FR 325, 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 040001 NOV-44

To: 042400 NOV-44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN 7035E

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0330		5212		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0500		5213		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE - RADIO) REPORT	
0500		5214		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE - RADIO) REPORT	
0500		5215		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE) REPORT	
0700		5216		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG. (PHONE) REPORT	
0700		5217		FR. 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT. 3/4 NOV-44.	INCorp. C/S. A.L.T.
0700		5218		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE) REPORT	
0730		5219		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0745		5220		FR GDS ARMD TO G-2: MESSAGE ON RELIEF OF BRITISH UNITS	
0800		5221		FR. 505 TO G-2: PATROL ACTIVITY SPT.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 040001 NOV 44

To: 042400 NOV 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0800		5222		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0810		5223		FR. 30 CORPS TO G-2: AIR NOTES NO. 167	
0845		5224		FR. 504 TO G-2: GLIDER AT 770574 USED AS GERMAN OUTPOST.	
0845		5225		FR. G-2 BASE TO G-2 FWD: LIST OF DOCUMENTS SENT FWD. - 1 NOV 44	
0845		5226		FR. G-2 BASE TO G-2 FWD: LIST OF DOCUMENTS SENT FORWARD - 2 NOV 44	
0900		5227		FR. 325 TO G-2: (PHONE - RADIO) NEG	
0900		5228		FR. 504 TO G-2: (RADIO) NEG (PHONE) REPORT	
0900		5229		FR. 505 TO G-2: (RADIO) NEG REPORT	
0930		5230		FR ETOUSA CENSOR TO G-2 - LOST CENSOR'S INITIALS	
0930		5231		FR ETOUSA ENGR TO G-2 - ENT BOOK 146.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 040001 Nov 44

To: 042400 Nov
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0930		5232		FR SHAEF TO G-2 :- DOC REP NO 134	
0930		5233	04 0750	FR ASP TO G 2 : TACR 040737 (TIME)	
0730		5234	040910	FR ASP TO G 2 : INTERCEPT FOR TODAYS TARGET	
0930		5235	040917	FR ASP TO G 2 : TACR FROM 2ND ARMY	
1050		5236		FR USP TO G 2 : TAC/R REPORT	DIV ARTY
1110		5237		FR 21 TG 2 : PHOTO RECCE 3/4 OCT	
1110		5238		FR [illegible] : NIL (NIL) REPORT	
1110		5239		FR [illegible] : NIL (NIL) REPORT	
1110		5240		FR [illegible] : NIL (NIL) REPORT	
1115		5241		FR [illegible]	
1140		5242		FR 505 to G 2 Msg on Captured Balloon	

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From: 040001 Nov 44

To: 042400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1200		5243		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R 041120	
1300		5244		FR 504 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT ON EY INST BETWEEN WYLER AND CLEVE THRU REICHSWALD	
1300		5245		FR G1 TO G-2: HAVE SOI WILL BE CHANGED	
1300		5246		FR 504, 505, 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1300		5247		FR 504 505 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (INFO)	
1320		5248		FR CIC TO G-2: CIC SITREP	
1320		5249		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R 041200	
1320		5250		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R 041200A	
1340		5251		FR G-3 TO G-2, G-3 PERIODIC OVR	
1340		5252		FR G-3 TO G-2: DIV OPER. INST. No. 47	
1400		5253		FR FAAA TO G-2: CIC INFO BULLETIN	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 040001 NOV UU

To: 042400 NOV UU
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1420		5254		FR FAA TO G-2: CIC INFO BULLETIN	
1500		5255		FR CoC TO G-2: NEG RPT	
1500		5256		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG RPT	
1515		5257		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: NEG RADIO RPT	
1530		5258		FR 508 TO G-2: INTERROGATION RATE 19	
1540		5259		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R 041347	
		5260		FR AG TO G-2: TACTICAL REPORTS	
1630		5261		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 1545 HRS TWO 500-LB BOMBS IN VIC OF 730620. WITHIN 200-300 YDS OF BAILEY BRIDGE. NO DAMAGE. NO CASUALTIES.	G-3 INFORMED
1700		5262		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1700		5263		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	

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From: 040001 Nov 44

To: 042400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1715		5264		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2 INTEG (RADIO) REPORT	
1705		5265		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: FR 320 – AT 7969623 BARN WAS HIT & ERUPTED INTO LARGE FIRE EVIDENTLY GAS & OIL STORAGE	
1700		5266		FR 325 TO G-2: HAYSTACK AT 7969623 WITH DOUBLE DOORS BURNED WITH HEAVY BLACK SMOKE AFTER ARTY HITS (LIKE OIL FIRE	
1700		5267		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL OVERLAY	
1700		5268		FR 505 TO G-2: PERIODIC REPORT	
1715		5269		COMPOSITE PATROL OVERLAY NIGHT 3/4 NOV	
1715		5270		FR 504 TO G-2: PERIODIC REPORT	
1715		5271		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1715		5272		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 040001 Nov 44

To: 042400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1800		5273		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: SEC	
1800		5274		FR 505 TO G-2: REQUEST TO ~~[illegible]~~ G-2 TO COMMENT ON REPLACEMENT REQUEST	
1815		5275		FR 307E TO G-2: ENGR SITREP	
1815		5276		FR 307E TO G2: ENGR INTREP	
1830		5277		FR 325 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC	
1830		5278		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1830		5279		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: 376 — 7675965 OP REPORTS FLYING BOMB AT 64° AZ — 1410 " " " " 84° AZ — 1805 HEADED W	
1830		5280		FR 325 TO G-2: 1804 AZ 80° FROM CHEROKEE (757573) 1808 2 FLYING BOMBS HEADED W	
1830		5281		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: 320 2 ROCKETS LAUNCHED AZ 90° AT 730575. FIRST AT 1820, SECOND 4 MINUTES LATER	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 040001 Nov 44

To: 052400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1830		5282		AR 30 CORPS TO G-2: CORPS COVRGE	
1915		5283		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1915		5284		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
1905		5284A		ER 325 TO G-2: 6 ROS AZ 140° FR CHEROKEE, F CO, REC'D MORTAR FIRE AZ 100°; 1830 1 GUN (MEDIUM) AZ 135° FR CHEROKEE, 18 ROS LANDING VIC 325 CP (757573)	
1840		5285		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER RPT (757573)	
1840		5286		FR 504 TO G-2: F-BOMB LAUNCHED 1810 FR 7750589; 1818 - F-BOMB 930 FR 7750589 — OP 772858 OBS 2 F-BOMBS AT 1810 & 1820 PROBABLY SAME.	
2025		5287		FR 82 RECN TO G-2 FLAK INTERPRETATION RPT REPORT	
2025		5288		FR 82 RECN TO G-2 FLAK INTERPRETATION REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
050700 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 04/05 Nov:

2nd Bn Patrols: (Security patrols only)

1. "E" Co patrol returned at 2130. They had been challenged by Germans at 77056175 77056175. They fired a BAR at him and immediately drew MG fire from 771612 and rifle fire from dug in positions in front of dyke. Patrol returned with no casualties, but believe that the challenger was wounded.

2. "D" Co patrol returned at 2030 hr. They had come upon Germans at 785625 and a grenade fight developed. One man of the patrol is missing one man was lightly wounded in the hand and shoulder, and the third man of the three man patrol was unhurt.

Upon later investigation, the TSMG of the missing man was found--leading to the belief that this man might be a prisoner.

3. Patrols reported no other eny activity.

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INTERROGATION REPORT No. 19

From: 031600 Nov 44
To : 041600 Nov 44
Hq 508th Prcht. Inf.
In The Field.
041600 Nov 1944.

1. PRISONERS CAPTURED: 2

Total PWs taken to date - 483

NAME: San. Gefr. Heinz Emil SIEGLER. (Medic)
Gefr. Wilhelm DOHRMAN

2. UNIT IDENTIFIED:

2nd Co. 959 Grenadier Regt., 363 Volksgrenadier Div.
APO: 17720 c

3. PREAMBLE:

PWs are deserters who went along with a patrol in order to escape one of them: Gefr. DOHRMAN, had been fighting in Russia for 2 1/2 yrs and had been wounded in April 1944. The other one, Gefr. SIEGLER, had been redrafted in Sept. 1944 after having been medically discharged in Aug. 1943. Both are glad to get out of the war; their information can be considered reliable.

4. HISTORY OF UNIT:

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5. ORDER OF BATTLE:

363rd Volksgrenadier Division.

Composition: 957 Gren. Regt.
958 Gren. Regt.
959 Gren. Regt.

Location: 957 Gren Regt)
958 Gren Regt) vic Koersteren
3rd Bn 959 Gren Regt)
2nd Bn 959 Gren Regt in Heelsum

1st Bn 959 Gren. Regt.

a. Composition: 3 Rifle Cos
1 heavy weapons Co.
Rifle Co. has 2 platoons of 2 squads each.
Heavy weapons Co has 2 (?) MG platoons and 1 morter platoon.

b. Disposition: 2 Cos in line, 1 plat of weapons Co reinforcing lines at night.

c. Strength: Total strength of Bn approx 100 men (40 men average per Co)

d. Equipment: Rifle Co - 4 LMGs, 42 rifles, MP 44's and Panzerfaeuste.
HEavy Co - 8 (?) MGs 42, 6 81mm mortars.
1 platoon of bazookas attached to Bn.

e. Locations: Boundaries: 1st Co. 741697-752693
2nd Co. 752693-754687

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2nd Co. CP - 752695
Mortar positions in orchard NE of 2nd Co. CP.

f. Personalities: CO 1st Bn - Capt. FACH
CO 1st Co - 1st Lt. STIER
CO 3rd Co - 2nd Lt EHRENTHALER

6. REMARKS:

a. System of enemy patrolling. - This Bn sends out combat patrols of 5-8 men strength heavily armed, at least every second night. The terrain is patrolled to a certain assigned sector, which is being extended on every other mission to make contact with our outposts and find weak-spots for possible employment of raiding party. They carry a ladder to cross the canal, which is being removed when the patrol returns. Their concern to create work for their interrogators is as great as that of our unit, since it is SOP to return with prisoners. One of our outposts at approx 747688 is known to the ey and their movements is being observed during the day. Their estimation of our MLR is approx correct but ey has no evidence to support his guess.

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c. Mess Arrangement - 3 men of the 2nd Co. go to the the Co. CP at approx 2000 hr every night to bring hot food to the men in line. At approx 2200 hr, 2 more go back to draw rations for consumption during day time.

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f. Mines - PWs have no knowledge of minefields or booby traps.

Interrogated by:
M/Sgt L. ENGELSKY
S/Sgt W. T. AMGRESS

NICK C. EMANUEL
2nd Lt., Inf.

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c. [illegible]

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2nd Co. 753673-754687

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APO #469, U. S. Army,
4 November 1944

SUBJECT: Tactical Roports.

TO : See Distribution.

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By command of Major General GAVIN:

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2d Lt., A. G. D.,
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OVERLAY: SHOWING SECURITY PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT OF OCT 4/5 '44.-

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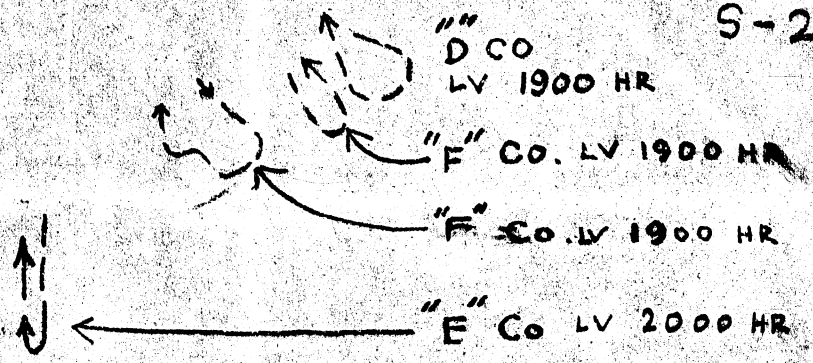

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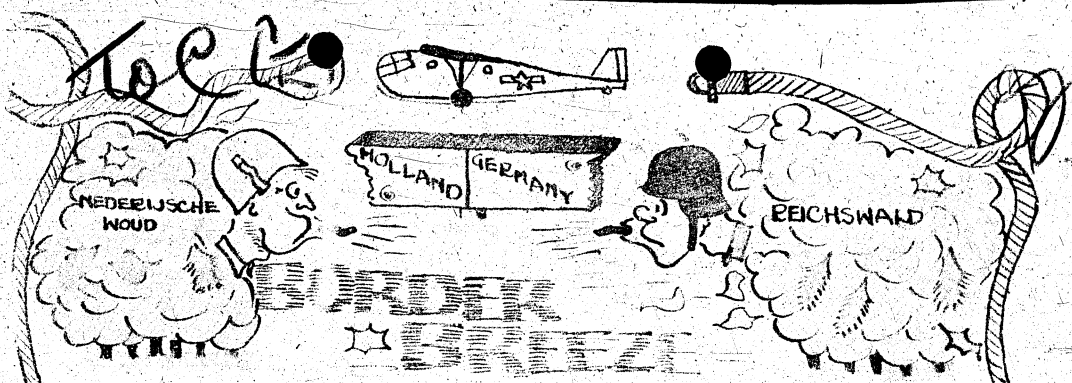


325th Glider Infantry — November 4, 1944 — VOL. I, No. 25

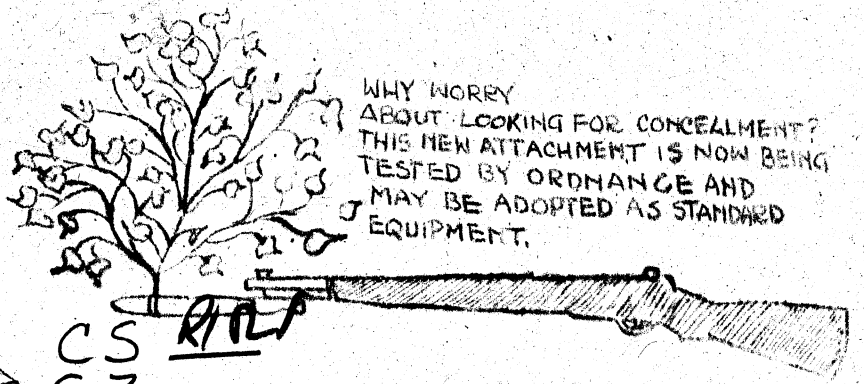
Sixteen seconds from the time the flash of the Nebelwerfer is seen until the shells land—This observation is the basis for some pretty important activity of one ? the arty FOs; he has a system for locating Nebelwerfers that are firing at his position and yet provides himself with a reasonable degree of safet when the shells land. This FO has an aiming circle set up in a house fron ich he observes. Experience has taught him the general direction from which the cy guns fire so he looks that way until he sees the flash of the guns; t en very quickly he sets his aiming circle on the point where the flash was seen. As soon as it's set he takes off like a flash for the cellar and trys to get there before the shells land. Knowing it will take 16 seconds for the shells to land at his position, and also knowing 3 seconds is the minimum amount of time it takes to get to the cellar from where the aiming circle is set up, it's a simple problem in arithmetic to figure he has a maximum of 13 seconds to get the aiming circle set before he has to dash to the cellar. After the shells land he calmly walks up to the aiming circle and has an accurate direction reading to the cy gun location.

Pfc. Jas. H. Sams, of A Co, has come up with a novel and very practical idea. Sams is a gunner in a light machine gun squad. Firing a machine gun at night has always presented problems, both in the attainment of accurate effective fire and the safety of units to the flanks and to the front. These problems have been successfully solved in several different ways, but there is always room for improvement. Sams has taken the luminous indicator needles from the instruments in some gliders and with them marked his right and left limits of fire, as well as his final protective line.

Last night the Jerries were out for no good. About 2000 an cy force of unknown strength hit an outpost of A Co., 504 Prcht Inf. The first sign of this was when some of the 504 wiremen were checking the line to the outpost and all of a sudden there was a shower of hand grenades close to them. The 504 immediately laid mortar and LG fire on the attacking force and they were driven off. By 2200 all was quiet again. At 0042 G Co, of our Regt, reported an cy combat patrol of plat strength was advancing toward their right flank. The patrol was spotted by G Co outpost and rifle and LG fire was directed against the cy, followed by an arty and mortar barrage. The attempted attack was frustrated and the cy was seen to carry away 3 casualties. A small amount of cy small arms fire had been received but this stopped with the arty fire.

REMEMBER: 41 SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

—S-2 Section, 325th.



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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 4 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

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1 RD NBLWFR AT 1500 YDS ON AZ. 160° FROM 773617.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
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FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

0008: Nblwp barrage lauded vic E Co C.P. (757573) Cherokee 1: 105° 18 rds 2 guns

0023- (757573) Cherokee 19 rds Nblwp.

SA fire in front 9 lines — ceased when we laid down mortar + arty.

Message File No. 5204 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Grant Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 4 NOV 1944

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0210

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Ey patrol activity.
0042: 3d Bn received mortar concentration
then strong patrol appeared on "G" Co
Flank
0135: Second mortar concentration on
Den Neural-~~Westandadl~~ Sector.

No Pws or Ey KIA reported

(G-3 informed)

Message File No. 5205 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gairs Capt

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FROM: 030001 NOV 44
TO : 032400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
032400 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

NO. 138.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Nebelwerfers at 79005635, 77725680, 78855535 and 78395571; mortars at 79375993, 78346000 and 77185668 (Div Arty).

(2) Mortar at 77675815 (43 Div).

(3) Road block at 769602 (504).

c. Units in Contact: See interrogation report herewith.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty vic 82d A/B Div Front: (No change) - One hvy btry, five med btrys, five light btrys, two hvy AA btrys, three dual purpose btrys (Div Arty).

(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Gun at 784553, btry at 81306183, btry at 82206299, gun at 779578, and AA gun at 80615464 (Div Arty).

(3) Four 88mm guns at 789515 (Div Arty Air OP).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: Deserter reports 16 Fz Engr. Reinf. Bn. manning the defense line to the east of the long AT ditch east of KRANENBURG.

f. Supply and Evacuation Establishments: Kitchen at 782558 (325).

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:

The 505th Prcht Inf combat patrol vic ERLEKOM at 0400 hours found three Germans who surrendered, and killed three who refused to leave their positions. Our patrol was back in our lines before the enemy could react effectively. However, our daylight patrol vic QUER DAMM met strong resistance.

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Enemy artillery and mortar activity was light during the period.

At about 2100 hours a German patrol ventured close enough to the 504th Prcht Inf outpost line vic 773578 to exchange grenades. There were no known casualties on either side.

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties.

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 3.

(b) Taken to date: 2,994.

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Fair in morning, intermittent showers later. Cool.

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Fair in morning, showers later.

c. Other Intelligence: Green flares (non-parachute) used by ey as signal for preaarranged mortar concentrations night 2 - 3 Nov (504).

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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Two Annexes:
#1 - IPW Report No. 18.
#2 - PI Report No. 13.

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2 Bn Irish Gds	-	1
3103 QM Trk Co	-	1
JEDBURGH Team	-	1
PHANTOM	-	1
	TOTAL	81

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ANNEX NO. 1 TO
G-2 REPORT NO. 138.

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
03 NOVEMBER 1944

INTERROGATION REPORT NO. 18

1. Unit Identified	No PW	Place	By
9th Co, 1052 Inf Regt	3	(787627)	505 Inf

2. Unit Organization and Strength.

The 9th Co, 1052 Inf Regt, consists of only 2 platoons 16 and 18 men respectively. This is the weakest of the 3 Cos of which the PW have any knowledge. The 10 and 11 Cos were supposed to be considerably stronger with 3 platoons in each totalling approximately 80 men per Co. The 9th Co has 2 LMGs 34 and 3 LMGs 42 plus 2 bazookas. PW have no information about the 12th Co but state that men were recently taken from each Co for purpose of heavy weapons training. This, plus the fact that PW state that on occasion they have had close-up mortar support, might help confirm the existence of a 12th Co.

3. Order of Battle.

The III Bn 1052 Inf Regt, like the I and II, is made up of all the spare parts which the enemy had sitting around here unclaimed after the initial emergency following our landings had been somewhat countered. This Bn includes remnants of the 6th Pz. Tng Recce Bn, the 66th Security Regt, and the old 284 Landesschuetzen-Bn. All of these units have been previously identified in this sector. PW state that approximately 90 men of the 6th Pz Tng Recce Bn were incorporated into III Bn. 1052 Regt. In the 66th Security Regt only 32 men were found sufficiently battle-worthy to be assigned to the Regt. Apparently a distinct effort was made to strike a happy balance between the younger and older men who were put into the unit.

4. Troop Locations and Installations.

a. Bn front extends approximately 900 yards toward THORENSCHE MOLEN from (786628). The 9th Co is deployed from house at (787627) to the North while the other platoon is South of the road. The 10th and 11th Cos are on the left of the 9th Co. The Bn has been in these positions since 24 Oct., when they relieved I Bn., which is now in reserve vicinity MILLINGEN.

b. The III Bn trains are located in KEEKEN vicinity of school house (857619).

c. PW claims there are no mines in their immediate area although they do have barbed wire strung across their front.

5. Personalities.

Col VIEBICH - O. C. 84th Inf Div.
Maj GRESCHNIK - O. C. 1052 Inf Regt.
Capt ROTTER - O. C. III Bn 1052 Regt

Lt. BISCHOFF - O.C. 9th Co
Lt BALSER - " 10th Co
Lt HAJEK - " 11th Co

6. Miscellaneous.

One PW was 18 years old but looked to be about 15. He spoke rather colorfully about the effect of our mortar fire. He didn't fully appreciate the bargain we were giving them by "returning 50 rounds for every 5 that we fire". He was also rather ungrateful for the air-cover which our arty cub planes gave them. Every time he saw one of them he knew they "were for it".

Irvin Bushman

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Captain, F.A.,
Interrogator.

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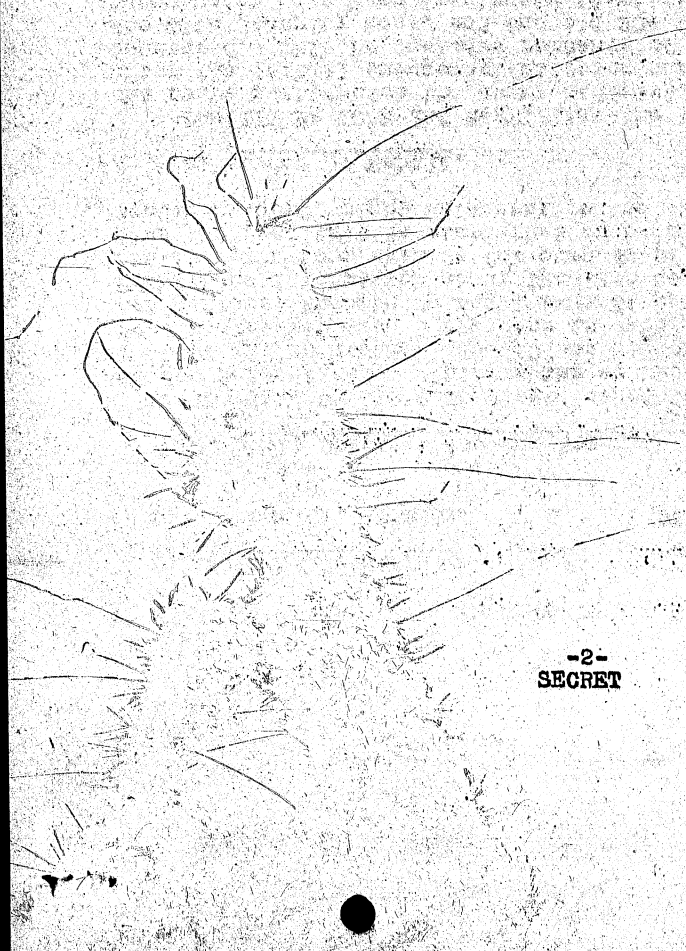

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PI REPORT NO. 13

First and Second Phase Interpretation

SORTIE NO. 400/1426 2 NOV 44 Scale 1:9000
MAP REFERENCE: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

Photo		Coordinates	Description
4014	-	777584	5 wpn pits in front of trench.
4014	-	781584	Bridge out over canal.
4018	-	800580 - 804582	Trench along NW edge of rd.
4018	-	804582	6 wpn pits.
4021	-	814572	1 M/G emp. protecting bridge over canal.
4027	-	852568 SW to 854567	Extention of trench 50 yds; from house 853568 SW to road at 854567; parallel and west of NS road from 854574 to 854-572.
4055	-	894628	10 wpn pits.
4055	-	894626	Trench in front of factory.
4059	-	869630 - 872632	Trench running SW - NE along bank.
4064	-	844638	3 wpn pits.
4064	-	838636	2 large emplacements along hedge row.
3010	-	774604	Delete "shelter cam as hay-stack".
3010	-	767601	Road block at N end of WYLER bridge. Log construction.
3011	-	773599	Foxholes or wpn pits in or-chard at 774598.
3024	-	844585	3 field gun emplacements with accompanying foxholes.
3028	-	865583 - 867531	Additional trenches to de-fense belt.
3028	-	868583	A short stretch of trench N of house.
3028	-	863577	A large excavation, probably for dugout or pillbox with 4 M/G saps just W of house.
3057	-	86966125	Shelter trench around house

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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 439, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
03 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news summary is from LONDON BBC accounts:

Disaster overtook the Germans almost hourly today as the Allied use of the port facilities at ANTWERP seemed virtually assured within a short time.

The enemy's troubles began at 0730 hours when we overwhelmed the last of the German troops in the SCHELDT pocket and thus ended the last of their opposition in BELGIUM.

A new bridgehead landing was made on WALCHEREN Island and later in the day FLUSHING fell, except for the persistence of snipers. Fierce fighting continued east of FLUSHING as one after another of the enemy's big guns was silenced.

Next came the fall of DOMBURG. Our men were also within 2½ miles of MIDDELBURG tonight.

We have established two bridgeheads over a canal 5 miles from the only German escape route over the MAAS.

Russian successes on the Eastern front were also great as the Red Armies moved to within earshot of BUDAPEST, capital of HUNGARY. The MOSCOW report early in the day said the main Soviet troops were only 28 miles from the capital, advance elements were within 20 miles of the capital, and that by tonight it was expected that the outer defenses of BUDAPEST would be reached.

A "panic evacuation" of BUDAPEST was reported as the Germans apparently found it impossible to live up to their pledge to furnish ample defense for the city. Normally its population is 1,250,000.

Allied planes in the BALTIC sank nine more enemy ships. Marshal TITO's men liberated an important harbor on the ADRIATIC Coast.

The American First Army has moved forward two miles SE of AACHEN. Gen. HODGES' men captured a village only 27 miles from the ruins of COLOGNE

Flying bombs were reported over NE FRANCE, but there has been no damage. LONDON had no flying bombs during the night.

Jet-propelled fighters came up last night to oppose an Allied raid on DUSSELDORF, but they were unsuccessful. One group of our fighters shot down five of the jet planes. They didn't interfere

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in the least with the dropping of 4,000 tons of bombs on DUSSELDORF.

The Luftwaffe displayed considerable power during our raid over GERMANY yesterday. We destroyed 155 German planes in the air and on the ground and we lost 20 fighters and 40 bombers.

Yugoslavian troops are harassing the Germans in their retreat from GREECE and the British and the Greek guerrillas are assaulting the rear guard of the German forces only 6 miles from the Yugoslav border. In the ADRIATIC two British ships sank three enemy vessels.

With the conquest of LEYTE virtually over, the Japanese have had 30,000 casualties, according to a communique from Gen. MACARTHUR's headquarters.

Indian troops took a Jap strongpoint 8,000 feet high which had been delaying them for some time beyond TIDDIM in BURMA. The British consolidated their positions in NORTH BURMA.

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
040600 November 1944

Subject: Result of patrol Activities for Night 3-4, November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command durin night 3-4 November 1944:

Second and Third Battalion conducted routine Security and Screening Patrols. Encountered no enemy.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
S-2

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
040700 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 03/04 Nov:

1. Security patrols as scheduled reported only one incident of any activity. At 2225 hr 2nd Bn reported a pltn of any advancing on house 78806260. No further reports.

2. Report on daylight patrol 03 Nov 44:

a. Under supporting fire a five man patrol crossed bridge over Wyler Meer 765599 apparently without being seen. Ptl kept on the left (Northwest) side of the road and advanced to 76716016. One man moved to the top of dyke to observe to the East and drew fire at once. This was the first indication of being seen by the enemy. Then red and green flares were fired from house 76956018.

Two men stayed on Northwest side of dyke road and the other three advanced along ditches West and North to vic 76656040. Here they came under heavy Mortar and small arms fire. Meantime, the two men who had stayed at 76716016 came under fire and were forced to withdraw Southwest across the bridge. The original patrol had started approx 1530 hr.

A six man relief patrol started out to get the three men remaining across the Wyler Meer. Before they crossed the bridge, they tripped a mine at 76435987. Three men were wounded and patrol brought them back to the aid station.

Weather was now rainy and dark and units were alerted to fact that three men might be returning from across Wyler Meer.

In the morning of 04 Nov at approx 0330 hr a second relief patrol went by boat. An assault boat was taken to edge of Wyler Meer at 76436015 and two men crossed the water to 76596020. As they landed on the East side of Wyler Meer they saw two Germans with a MG at the junction of ditches 76636020. These Germans did not see the patrol, and, apparently waiting relief (at 0400 hr), they left their MG and walked along ditch Eastward toward Huer Damm road. One man of the patrol took over the MG in its location and the other man went North along waters edge to vic ater holes 76656038. He searched the area thoroughly and found no trace of the three missing men. The two Germans who had manned the MG returned--not directly to the gun, but toward a point which would separate the two men on the patrol. The man left with the German MG promptly killed the two Germans with his TMMG and threw their MG into Wyler Meer. Both men then retreated to their boat as they heard more Germans approaching along ditch from the East. Enemy fired flares and small arms at the retreating patrol. Patrol reached West bank of Wyler Meer 76466035 and returned to starting point.

This two man patrol stated that there were numerous foxholes along East bank Wyler Meer but were not occupied. They covered thoroughly the area in which the three men on the daylight patrol were last seen and found no trace of them. Relief of outpost at 0400 is the same as relief of outposts along Mustard Dyke was effected on night 04/05 Nov.

Two enemy known killed. Our casualties: Three wounded, three missing.

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
4 November 1944

PATROL REPORT NIGHT OF NOV. 3-4.

767575

Ambush Outpost patrol from E Co, consisting of Sgt. Parrigan and 4 men, with mission of establishing listening and ambush post in vic of 771575. Reported hearing horse and wagon on main road near Den Heuvel three different times after midnight. Saw ey patrol which hit G Co shortly after 0100. Out at 1900; in at 0430.

769563

Patrol from E Co, consisting of Cpl. Goldman and 4 men, with mission of establishing ambush outpost and listening post in vic of 772566. Reported section of MGs firing from edge of woods about 773568, firing due west high over our front lines. In at 0430.

Patrol from E Co, consisting of Sgt. Frottaman and 4 men, with mission of setting up ambush and listening post at 771562. Post was pulled back 100 yds due to our arty barrage which was laid on the ey patrol in front of G Co.

768570

Ren patrol from G Co, consisting of Sgt. Polland and 2 men, with mission of investigating house near RJ at 770570. Patrol moved up to a point opposite the RJ when they were fired on by a Machine Pistol from vic of the bldg. Two white flares were sent up from the same vic where the MP was firing and there followed a couple of fairly hvy mortar barrages. Patrol then withdrew without occupying the house.

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All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 45

Originator's No.

AIR 20 F/F/B results 0 flying restricted to fighter patrols and recce and tac/R 0 engine and 6 tra containers ammo attacked 0383 whole train left in flames 0 claims 0 loco 1 dest 1 dam Truck 10 dest 6 dam 2 rails cut 1 ME 262 prob dest 0

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0745

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Glider at 770574 has a German outpost sheltered under its wings. Relief of the outpost was observed this morning.

P To DIV Arty

Message File No. 5224 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

Army Form C 2138. (Pads of 100).

AIR SUPPORT DEMAND FORM

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FROM	30 Corps	Date—Time of Origin	040910
TO	2 Army	Demand No.	YUF 1

TARGET (To include any special purpose not obvious in description of target).	A. as XKT 1
TIME OVER TARGET	B. ASP
POSITION OF FORWARD TROOPS	C. as XKT 1
SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS (If any)	D. nil
SIGNATURE	**Inside this space for Signals use only.** Operator
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For Action: All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 18

Originator's No.: AIR 50 webster recce 040815 dest large staff car

042840 well dressed long coated officer seen lying

by wreckage

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

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TO

For Action: 30 Corps.

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYI | GR: 9

Originator's No.

AIK 10 ⊙ conc 12 lt aa guns reported active e 8167

Possibly informed

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FROM (A)	2nd Army	040000

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For Action

TO All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions — GR

OYM — 20

Originator's No.

AIR 90 F/B results too 0835 30 tra e7889 several hits ○
50 bangs K7085 ○ 15 tra NE e2040 ○ rdy cut 0641

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 3 Nov 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	23	236	23	588	23	466	22	444	91	1734		
504	30	189	31	478	33	477	32	348	126	1492		
505	26	242	38	444	35	414	36	500	135	1600		
508	30	239	28	336	28	349	26	335	112	1259		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA - DOW		MISSING		WOUNDED EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	91	13	245	27	542	6	328	56	1206	91	1734
504	9	87	3	85	29	379	6	137	47	688	126	1492
505	6	99	1	57	25	340	11	178	43	674	135	1600
508	15	115	4	109	27	402	7	144	53	770	112	1259
INF	40	392	21	496	108	1663	30	787	199	3338	464	6085
ARTY	3	27	7	93	25	158	4	93	39	371	139	1699
ENGR	2	23	1	4	8	79		34	11	140	33	483
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	24	226
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
80 AA		18	1	4	5	45	1	35	7	102	33	452
OTHERS		4		6	3	26	1	16	4	52	73	456
TOTAL	45	464	30	608	190	1990	36	981	261	4040	773	9296

OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1145

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messonger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1800 last night barrage balloon came down at 752639. Found this morning.

Spherical rubber balloon 5' in diameter.

505 will forward balloon as soon as possible

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Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: [signature]

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

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FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin
	2nd Army	8th/20

For Action

All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Office Date Stamp

Message Instructions: QYM

GR

Originator's No.

AIR 130 F/B results smoke dump E965519 blown up flames 300 ft smoke 1500 ft tos 1115 o 50 plus ships Z/1145 o both roads cut V057352 o rly dam V074354 o road cratered V063355

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

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FROM: MAJ. IRELAND DATE 4 NOV. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0920

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Have Col. Winton call Maj Orr Col. G-1 (MAJ IRELAND)

Message File No. 5245 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Smith, 20 CT

W1 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	Jac/R Broadcast For Action.	1200hrs	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R Area 0835 O K7396-K7496-K7395-K7495 No activity in woods but visibility poor O NMS area E7218-7006-6500-K7592-E8610 O K629998 to E660020 10 plus barges S side O Intense acc HAA E815105 and 650000 O Loa 0825 O E2192 M/Y tow 5 O clo trg O NMS Rd E2192 to E5885 O E5885 2 a/c mvg E O E5186 4 unkt mvg E O E6484 10 mixed met all unkt crossed 5 mvg E and 5 mvg W O NMS E6484 to E7579 O NMS River and bank E7478 to E4478 O E434784 Jerry operating N to S O E398766) equipment on S Bank 45 barges loaded with supplies much A/C O NMS O E440208 2 S/C mvg E O NMS area E 3877-E4063-E5668-E5674 O Loa 0915 hrs O M/Y E1993 2 eng S/L 100 trg O E2792 1 met towing gun SE O E34946 20 plus flak O M/Y E9098 4 tow with 20 plus trg each and 60 trg in M/Y O E4599 tow 20 trg clo mvg W fast O E3596 1 met and towed W O M/Y E 7903 tow of 30 plus trg and 150 mixed trg in M/Y O M/Y E9596 2 tow of 10 trg each O E9497 3 met N 3 met S O E9494 to E9590 extensive diggings E side River O E8293 LAA O Loa 1120 hrs O NMS Forest E8318 O Loa 1015 hrs A2172 6 Hvy met flg unknown

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Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 37

Originator's No.

HK160 F/B reports toa 0900 1 hit mail a29610 TRN 30 TRG 0 Enq dam a10550 toa 1025 mail cut E9058780 TRN 20 TRG N V2237 Enq flowers 0 dam 15 toa fqs V2036 many strikes 3 toa flowers

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FROM (A)	Originator: 2nd Army	Date-Time of Origin: 04-1235	Office Date Stamp
TO	For Action: All Stns (W) For Information (INFO)		Message Instructions: QYM GR: 35

Originator's No.

AIR 17 O F/B results rely fly over a6164 attacked believed successful O Eng Dam NE a6776 eng Dam NE a7660 Eng 2 trg SE Dam a7257 eng dam a6455 O eng 2 trg W a3260 Dam a tor 1030

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Date-Time of Origin: 04/1300

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For Action

TO: All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 11

Originator's No. AIR 200 F/B results 10 barges Dest 20 Dam K7086

tsa 1150

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 141317

TO For Action: All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: CYM

Originator's No.

AIR760 F/B results 0 15 barges moving E E135575 2 dest 2 dam 0 3 barges stat at E1055?0 1 dest 1 dam 0 many barges in area not much act.

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Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) MESSAGE FORM Register No.

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FROM	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
(A)	Jae/R Broadcast For Action.	1500hrs	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Jae/R toa 1200 ⊙ NMS E830183 ⊙ K7585 2 met SW ⊙ K7788 2 met SW ⊙ K7991 1 S/C N.E. ⊙ K7893 Rly Bridge intact ⊙ K7994 12 barges E bank ⊙ E8303 1 S/C NE ⊙ E903090 Bridge appears intact ⊙ E9218 1 Met N ⊙ No ferry activity seen at E913189 – E879271 – E820290 – E815348 ⊙ E8837 ferry PIERS but no activity and no bridge ⊙ E788396 No activity at crossing ⊙ E779401 ferry crossing ⊙ E7840. Dam lock and walkway appear serviceable ⊙ LAA and HAA at E9110 and E9109 – K7890 ⊙ Toa/R toa. 1305 ⊙ Bridges intact E904090 E910039 E729065 E728067 K699875 K776833 ⊙ Bridges down K774904 K668910 K648948 ⊙ E718044 8 to 12 barges S bank but no bridge or activity seen ⊙ K7396 K7496 K7395 K7495 vessels observed but no activity or trades seen ⊙ HAA E8812

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FROM (A) Originator: Jac/R Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin.: 1400hrs — Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 1105 ⊙ many tank tracks loading into wood E694065 ⊙
E694077 NO mortars seen but many tank tracks loading into wood also at E718038 ⊙ NMS squares E7103 and E7300 and E7402 ⊙ E715042 4 barges moved pass crossing ⊙ E701045 LAA ⊙ Toa 12400 ⊙ EQ109 cloud obscured bridge ⊙ EQ119 4 met fcg NO LAA E701045 bridges down at K631886 K668918 K648948 K629998 and at E709121 ⊙ Bridges intact at E710039 E729065 and E728067 ⊙ Toa 13300 ⊙ E788748 4 Hvy com dug in vehicles in orchard ⊙

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			Time Cleared		

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 1630 4 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1630.

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one)

MESSAGE (Use back of page if necessary):

At 1545 hrs. two 500 lbs bombs
in vic of 730620. Within 200-300
yds of Bailey Bridge. No casualties,
no damage.

G-3 phoned

(P)

Message File No 5261 G-2 Sender - Receiver : Asst 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
8th A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty

DATE: 4 Nov

TO: G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1705

TRANSMISSION (Telephone, radio, in person, messenger. (Circle one)

MESSAGE (Use back of page if necessary):

320 7969523 Barn hit and
completely destroyed by large fire. Probably gas
and oil storage.

Message File No. 5265 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1700

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one)

MESSAGE (Use back of page if necessary):

Hangstacle with double doors fired on and is burning with heavy black smoke. Looks like oil fire. Location is 7969523

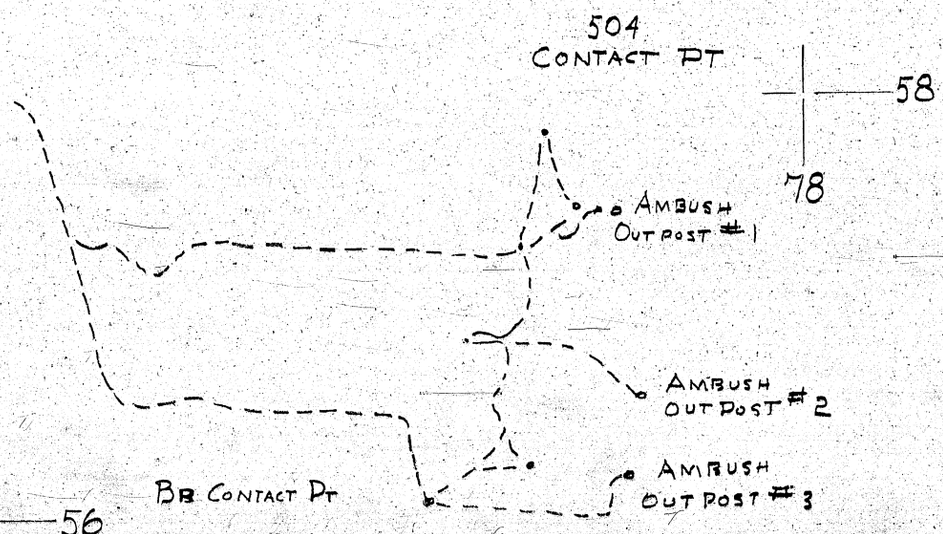
(P)

Message File No 526 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Smith 2nd G

PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT
OF 3-4 NOV-44

- 325

NO PATROLS FOR 504 & 505



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PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
041515 November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 4-5 NOVEMBER

First Bn - No patrol activity.

Second Bn - Maintaining local security and screening patrols.

Third Bn - Maintaining local security and screening patrols.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
1 - ea Bn
1- 505
1 - 325
1 - 376
1 - CO 504
1 - desk
1 - Div G-3
2 - Div G-2
2 - File

SECRET

5271

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 01/1540

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO: CAC Main

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 39

Originator's: AIR 38 ⊙ A/R results ⊙ Enemy strong Ar 890465 3 bldg dam and on fire 6a 1510 ⊙ Z 8329 20 Mus cam bldgs attacked strikes and hits on 6 bldgs seen ⊙ Factory E 9461 bombed ⊙ 112 bombs. Factory 1 large explosion 6c 1240 ⊙

This Message may be sent AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS except / WIRELESS	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority	Time	System	Op.
Signed	Signed 5272		TIME OF TOR 1625	W	
			Time cleared		

W. 4252/30. 500,000 Pads. 2/41. E. & S. Ltd. 4/41.

Wt 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: SacfR Broadcast For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 1600hrs | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

SacfR tra 1342 ⊙ K630998 and K647947 and K653936 and K681886 Bridges down ⊙ Rd K6694 -8790 -7079 not covered ⊙ K5897 -K6790 -K6880 -8575 -780898 -9897 not covered ⊙ ~~290524 to Hdl mssg~~ E ⊙ Yoo 1440 ⊙ E290524 10 Hdl msg E

5272

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except ..... } WIRELESS.	If liable to be Intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.	Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.	Time	System	Op.
			THI or TOR		
Signed.	Signed.		Time Cleared		

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
84D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty

DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1815

TRANSMISSION : Telephone, radio, in person, messenger. (Circle one)

MESSAGE (Use back of page if necessary):

376 - 7675 5965 OP

Reports flying bomb at ~~75~~ 64° 1410

" " " " 84° 1805

"

Headed W

Message File No. 5279 G-2 Sender - Receiver : [signature]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 4 Dec 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1820

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1804 [redacted] 84 [redacted] [redacted] (755773)

2 [redacted]

Message File No. 5280 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE: 4 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1830

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

320 SAW 2 Rocket Launched
FF3 90° fr 730575 first
at 1820 second 4 minutes later

Message File No. 5281 G-2 Sender Receiver: Lt 2=Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1905

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1728 Cherokee (757573) NW / 1 med 6 rds
landing / front line Bg 140°

1750 3d Bn FC. rec'd mortar / fire
/ from Bg 100°

1800 Six more rds Bg 120° (mortar)

1827 One more Bng's bomb same Bg

1830 One gun med cal. obs / from Cherokee (757573)
Bg 135° landing vic CP 325. 18 rds.
One gun Bg 95° landing 3d Bn FC.
one

Message File No. 5 8 4 4 2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

1876 Light in Dan Hummel 24 yds. northeast
line placed on light

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps Met Sect DATE 1 Jan 44

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT 1[illegible]

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000 - 0900 - Surface wind SW
20 mph becoming W 25 X 30 mph
Gusting to 40 kts at times in exposed places
Weather - Rain becoming cloudy with slight intermittent rain or drizzle
Visibility - 2-4 miles becoming 1-2 miles
1000 - 2000 yds in mist patches
Cloud - small amount of [illegible]
2000 - 3000 ft. increasing to 8/10 cover
1500 - 2000 ft.
Tomorrow - Cloudy

Message File No 528 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1915

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1815 Flying bombs launched /r 87° /r 7750 5890

1818 Flying bombs Tj 93° /r 7750 5890

— OP 77285848 obs 2 flying bombs 1810 & 1820. Possibly same.

Message File No. 5286 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

5290

4 Nov 44

To: G-2
From: S-2, Div Arty

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located Today

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes*	79605665	Nebel	CMO
No	771552	Nebel	320 FA
No (At Time of Report)	795540	Nebel	Air OP
No	777582	Mortar (Area)	Br AOP
Yes	77205744	MG	376 FA
Yes	77945815	Mortar	376
Yes	80516118	Wpns Pit	376
Yes	79815825	Mortar	376
Yes	79275854	Mortar	376
Yes	77806140	MG	456 FA
Yes	76676070	MG	456

* Determined Active By Reps Forwarded By 320, 456, & 376

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal	Est Rn
320	1620	760575		39°	?	?	
320	1845	759568		125°		88 (SP)	1500

5290

Hostile Wpns (Cont'd)

Yes	77485650	Mortar	CMO

Hostile Arty Estimate Attached

HHL, S-2

Hostile Arty

* Has AA Protection

No/Type	Location	Date
2/FD	77204871	29 Oct
3/FD	77634868	29 Oct
2/FD	77934880	29 Oct
2/FD	78835119	2 Nov
4/75mm	80085222	30 Oct
3/FD	81225284	2 Nov
4/FD	82366202	2 Nov
3/FD	82175970	2 Nov
2/SP *	82875443	2 Nov
2/FD	82815476	2 Nov
3/FD	82065190	2 Nov
3/FD	83186108	29 Oct
3/SP *	83825507	2 Nov
2/SP *	83615448	2 Nov
3/SP *	83145484	2 Nov
2/FD	83085413	2 Nov
4/SP *	83075355	2 Nov
3/FD	83574701	29 Oct
4/FD	84435903	2 Nov
3/FD	85434527	28 Oct
3/FD	87575796	2 Nov
?	779578	3 Nov
3/?	79766157	26 Oct
?/88	80616352	2 Nov
2/FD	81736459	30 Oct
2/FD	81136003	31 Oct
3/FD	82206299	2 Nov
4/MED	81306182	2 Nov
3/MED	81826015	2 Nov
2/MED	83036088	2 Nov
3/MED	84185851	2 Nov
3/MED	84705830	2 Nov
3/MED	80645208	28 Oct
2/MED	81225179	28 Oct
1/HY	83625106	2 Nov
3/HY	88204923	25 Oct
1/17cm	89904876	25 Oct
3/DP	81744841	29 Oct
3/DP	84534678	29 Oct
3/DP	85425573	2 Nov
5/DP	86544475	29 Oct
4/DP	88235321	2 Nov
4/HAA	84725461	2 Nov
4/HAA	89175396	2 Nov
4/HAA	91425832	2 Nov

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 Div Arty DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2050

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Rocket: 760575 Az. 79° 2040

(Corps informed)

Message File No. 5807 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines Capo

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

OP No 1 OBSERVED FLYING BOMB AT 2050 HEADING SW (FROM DUE E)

(Corps informed)

Message File No. 5309 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
3D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2105

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

On Az. 145° observed our bombers on bomb-run. Enemy Ack-Ack burst with a yellow flame.

2 Ey. Riflemen fired 2 shots each on 2d Bn front.

Flying bombs:

(1) Chief - 80° Cherokee 90° ~~2040~~

(2) No azimuth — 2040

Message File No. 5309 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Lance Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2130

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2d Bn B Co - 785.625 fire fight. 1 man is missing, 1 wounded, 1 returned (2030).

5311

Message File No. _____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Davis

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2130

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3rd BN: 2055 2 PANZER FAUST & 2 RIFLE GRENADES LANDED AT 775-75819.

3-50 mm mort shells landed 77405836

2037 - Flying bomb, 45-50° from 77205848

2050 - 2-50 mm mortar shells. LANDED IN 1ST BN AREA.

2050 - Flying bomb: 75° from 77205922

Message File No. 5312 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 DIV ARTY DATE: 4 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2130

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

LIGHTS MOVING OVER REICHSWALD
2 SETS OF 7 LIGHTS MOVING
SW.

Message File No. 510 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2120

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 2115 sy plane flew over F Co and dropped flare. At same time sy mortar barrage fell. At same time red flare seen in distance

Message File No. 534 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Kelly MAJOR

FROM G2I 30 CORPS TO G-2 04 2245 NOV 44

— G-2 SUMMARY —

WEST HOLLAND: WESTERN HALF OF WALCHEREN IS IN OUR HANDS. STIFF EY OPPOSITION BY REMNANTS OF 70 DIV, WHO YESTERDAY YIELDED 600 PWS, 2000 TODAY.

MAINLAND: ① RHINE IS 5341 - 7744 - 9041 - 0049 - 1847.

② ALONG CANAL 2746 - 2246 - 1945 (3 BRIDGEHEADS) ONLY 60 PWS, LIGHT OPPOSITION BY 59 DIV SUPPORTED BY HVY ARTY.

MAAS BRIDGEHEAD: NE OF VIERT (6802).

EY IDENTIFICATIONS: 7TH PARA, 15 PG DIV, 344 INF DIV. (THE 9 PZR HAS BROKEN CONTACT, AND THE 180TH IS HOST.)

AACHEN: THE VILLAGE OF SCHMIDT (S 0629), CAPTURED YESTERDAY BY OUR TROOPS, WAS RETAKEN TODAY BY THE ENEMY. THE 15 PEOPLES GREN. DIV IS IN THE FIGHT.

3 UNITS IDENTIFIED ARE FROM THE 3 PG DIV.

SHAEF: DIV TETTAU IS THE 361. (CIV. SOURCE SAYS IT HAS MOVED SOUTH.).

THE 955 GR IS NOW ON THE 50 DIV FRONT.

MUCH DIGGING ON NW BANK OF WAAL.

CONSIDERABLE ARTY BUILD-UP ON CORPS FRONT:

FACING 101ST	:	36 GUNS
" 50TH	:	40 "
" 82D	:	35 " (BETWEEN WAAL AND KRANENBURG ONLY)
IN REICHSWALD	:	60+
TOTAL ON CORPS FRONT		160 — 200 GUNS

CIV. REPORTS: BATTLE GROUP KRAUSE HAS MOVED. 10TH SS HQ HAS LEFT DIDAM.

10000 CIVILIANS ARE DIGGING DEF. FR EUTRECHT — 4605 - 4295 - 4291 - 4584 - 4856

363 DIV SIGNAL CENTER IS AT 5856 8012.

5318

James, CO?T

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2140

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

THE WELL-KNOWN "DOUBLE DOOR HAYSTACK" WAS FIRED ON TODAY. A HIT PRODUCED BLACK SMOKE. THE FIRE IS STILL BURNING AND TOW OUR OP REPORTS BY TROOPS SILHOUETTED IN THE FIRELIGHT TRYING TO PUT OUT THE FLAMES. ARTY HAS BEEN ORDERED.

Message File No. 535 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2310

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

E Co Patrol returned 2155:
Challenged by Germans at 760561 75,
fired BAR, & received MG fire from
771612, rifle fire from diagonal positions
on front & right. Returned, NO
CASUALTIES. NO PW's.

D Co Patrol believed MIA to be OW.

5318B

Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Davis, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 4 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2310

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, (radio), in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2150: Seminole (761573) white cluster, 100°, 2½ miles
2205: Cherokee (757573) 2 reds Nbloop, 180°, 1 mile
2240: Seminole (761573): small white lights blinking on and off, 90°, 1 mile.
2310: ——— F Co left flank received 6 rds of mortar.

5318A

Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: (Jarvis), Capt.

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 Nov '44

To: 052400 Nov '44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN (703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		5319		FR 504, 505, 325 TO G-2: Neg by RADIO	
0110		5320		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0100		5321		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
0110		5322		FR 504 TO G-2: FLYING BOMB REPORT	
0110		5323		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
[illegible]	0110	5324		FR G-2 (TO UNITS) G-2: NEWS SUMMARY	
[illegible]	0110	5325		FR G-2 (TO UNITS) G-2 REPORT NO. 139	
0302		5326		FR 325 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
0303		5327		FR 504 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
0307		5328		FR 505 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
0315		5329		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 Nov '44

To: 053400 Nov '44
(Date and Hour)

Place: Holmegaard, Holland

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0500		5330	3 Nov 44	FROM BASE TO G-2: LIST OF DOC SENT FWD	TO DOC FORWARDED FROM BASE FILE
0500		5331		FR 504 TO G-2: REPORT ON ESTAT RUCS & CASUALTIES	
0500		5332		FR 325 TO G-2 SITUATION REP.	
0500		5333		FR 505 TO G-2 NEW REPORT	
0500		5334		FR 504 TO G-2 PATROL REPORT NIGHT 3/5	C/S, CORPS, DIVARTY
0700		5335		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE) REPORT	
0700		5336		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE) REPORT	
0700		5337		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE) REPORT	
0701		5338		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0702		5339		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0703		5340		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 NOV 44

To: 05 2400 NOV 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN, Holland

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0730		5341		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R DATED 050717, 050630 041750-	
0810		5342		FR 325 TO G-2: 325 PATROL REPORT:	CS, G-3-Info
0910		5343		FR 505 TO G-2: 505 PATROL REPORT	C/S, G-3-Info
0930		5344		FR AG TO G-2: MEMO-16 CLEARED, PASSES TO GROSSE (6)	
0945		5345		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORCAST TO REAMS	
0945		5346		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER FORCAST	
0900		5347		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG RPT (RADIO) (PHONE)	
0900		5348		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG RPT (RADIO) (PHONE)	
0910		5349		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELLREP	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 Nov 44

To: 0500C Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0934					
0930		5350		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: C I SITREP	C/C, C/S.
0930		5351		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: INT SUM NO 534.	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY
0930		5352		FR SHAEF TO G-2: DOC REP NO 135	
0930		5353		FR ASP TO G-2. TAC/R DATED 050910, 0915, 0920, 1000	
1030		5354		FRG-1 TOG-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
1100		5355		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1100		5356		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1100		5357		FR 325 TO G-2: REPORT ONEY ACTIVITY IN BLDG AT 7984506.	
1128		5358		FR DIVARTY TO G-2: REPORT FR A TROOP SURVEY REST, ON EX WEAPON FIRED FROM 7909562	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 Nov '44

To: 052400 Nov '44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN Holland

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1245		5359		FR Sig C to G-2: Telephone Traffic Dmg.	
1320		5360		FR 325 to G-2: Report on Ey Activity	
1320		5361		FR 504 to G-2 Neg Rep	
1320		5362		FR 505 to G-2: Neg Rep	
1330		5363		FR 504, 505 to G-2: Neg Rep (Radio)	
1350		5364		FR ASP to G-2: Air Obs Rep.	
1400		5365		FR 82 Units to G-2: Corps Courier	
1430		5366		FR G-2 to G-3: Est of Ey Kia + Captured From 17 Sept to 4 Oct: 2400 Killed, 2977 Captured	
1500		5367		FR 325, 504 to G-2: Neg Report	
1500		5368		FR 504 to G-2: Neg Rep Report	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 Nov 44

To: 052400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1500		5369		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
1520		5370		FR 325 TO G-2: CHIEF RPTS DUG IN POSITIONS 78005615. POSITIONS ARE NEW. MORTAR AT 78245610 DIV ARTY FIRED AT BOTH.	
[illegible]		5371		PASS THIS NO.	
1530		5372		FR 505 TO G-2: EST 75MM HOW AT 79K623. FIRED ON WITH MORTAR AND ARTY FIRE AT 1515	
1600		5373		FR 325 TO G-2: 2 HOUSES 78245610 HAD DIRECT ARTY HITS AND SET AFIRE.	
1605		5374		FR G-2 TO G-3: EY CASUALTY EST	
1615		5375		FR 101 A/B TO G-2: PERIODIC RPT	
1615		5376		FR ORD NO TO G-2: TUBES OF STEEL, DIA OF 12" ARE TAIL SECT OF A NEBELWERFER. WINDHEAD SCREWS ONTO THIS.	
1715		5377		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: O/207 SITREP AS AT 1600 HRS. NTR ALL INFORMED.	ALL INFORMED
1730		5378		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 Nov 44

To: 052400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1750		5379		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1750		5380		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT	
1610		5381		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: 3 AT NIC END AT DITCH AT 777572	
1610		5382		FR CIC TO G-2: SITREP 4/5 NOV 44.	
[redacted]		[redacted]		[redacted]	
1610		5383		FR ASP TO G-2: SITREP (1600 HRS)	
1755		5384		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER ADV	
1810		5385		FR 505 TO G-2: MESSAGE AT 1736 ERRONEOUSLY GAVE TWO INCORRECT COORDINATES FOR DEFENSIVE LINE. CORRECTION IS: 775616 TO 774626	
1815		5386		FR 307 ENGR TO G-2: SITUATION REPORT	
1845		5387		COMPOSITE PATROL PLAN	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 050001 Nov 44

To: 05-2400 Nov
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1845		5388		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: S EDGE REICHSWALD AFIRE	
1859		5389		FR 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG RPT	
1820		5390		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: SIGNAL LAMP 750605 FLASHING SIGNALS TO EY	
1900		5391		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: NEG RADIO RPT	
1910		5392		FR 504 TO G-2: "H" Co - KO'D MACHINE GUN AT 727518 AT 1400 W/ 60 MM MORTAR FINISHED BY ARTY TO	
1930		5393		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	G-3, DIV ARTY
1930		5394		FR 325 TO G-2 PERIODIC REPORT	
1930		5395		FR 325 TO G-2: BORDEN BRIDGE	
1945		5396		FR 504 TO G-2: S-2 PERIODIC REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2022		5397		FR 307 ENGR TO G-2 AT 2015 plane cut loose Multi-Colored flares	
2055		5398		FR S-2 DIV-ARTY TO G-2: SHELREPS	
2105		5399		FR 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2105		5400		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2105		5401		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
2110		5402		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 2030 2 PLANES FLYING TOWARDS GERMANY FLASHING LIGHTS AND DROPPING FLARES	
2110		5403		FR 504 TO G-2: AT 2010 EY PLANE FLYING LOW OVER I CO. TOWARDS 3d BN CP DROPPED 2 FLARES IN FRONT OF OP (71135836), ALSO OP (77345864) (CONTINUED)	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

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To:

(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
		5403	(CONT'D)	SP IN FRONT OF 505 BEING FIRED ON. WBLWER	
				FIRE FR WYLER BEING RETURNED. SA FIRE	
				FR WYLER BEING MORTARED	
2115		5404		FR 325 TO G-2: FLARE ACTIVITY TO FRONT	
				AND MG. ACTIVITY ON LEFT FLANK	
2135		5405		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: NEWS SUMMARY	
2305		5406		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO)	
2310		5407		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
2310		5408		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
2310		5409		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
2310		5410		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 5 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0110

TRANSMISSION: ~~Telephone~~, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 2355: Flying bomb 90° from 7750580

AT 0045: 1ST BN - A Co OP -
Ey patrol est 12 men approached.
Challenged - fire fight 15 min -
3 EM LWIA - Ent & EY KIA OR
WIA. OP RECEIVED LIGHT MORTAR
BARRAGE PRIOR TO ATTACK -

NOTIFIED: 30 corps, G-3

Message File No. 5522 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Davis, CPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 5 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

757573

12 ROS NBLWFR 170° FROM CHEROKEE.

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Message File No. G-2 Sender - Receiver: Grimes Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 5 Aug 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0110

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

8 rds Pblwfr 180° from Cherbourg (7515 7 5)

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Message File No. 5323 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Jane, Capt

G-2 EXTRA

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
04 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY
(From BBC Reports)

Although most of the SCHELDT Coast is in our hands and the use of ANTWERP seems assured, the German troops east of FLUSHING, on WALCHEREN Island, continued bitter resistance tonight.

As the enemy is fighting hardest in the center of the island, between the causeway and MIDDELBURG, it seemed he was probably only attempting to keep an escape route open.

The defeat of the Germans in FLUSHING failed to produce any of the last-minute fanfare that has accompanied the surrender of other vital ports, there being no final message to the Fuehrer. The German commander, himself a prisoner, wandered through the flooded streets, urging snipers to cease their fire. He tried to explain to his men that he found it impossible to fight to the last man, according to HITLER's orders, because of the flood. This made little impression on the Allies, who also fought in the deep water. Most of the warfare on WALCHEREN now is on dry ground.

In HOLLAND we took STANDDAARBRUITEN and patrols got closer to the German escape bridges over the MAAS.

Russian heavy guns shelled BUDAPEST tonight as the Reds were reported some nine miles from the city.

Refugees crowded the highways out of BUDAPEST and the Hungarian government began moving to VIENNA. The diplomatic corps had already gone to VIENNA and the remainder of the QUISLING government was preparing to depart.

Swedish eyewitness reports said barricades were going up in BUDAPEST for the defense of the city.

In another advance toward BUDAPEST the Russians have taken 100 towns and villages, including one key traffic center. The Hungarians, according to Russian reports, are deserting in large numbers and are fighting only when Germans are present with them.

The Japanese attempted to land reinforcements in the PHILIPPINES, but two of their transports were sunk by dive-bombers. Admiral NIMITZ revealed that one of our carrier groups had been attacked Wednesday near the MARIANAS and that some of our vessels were damaged.

The Soviet government has turned down a suggestion by the Swiss government that diplomatic relations be started between them.

Except for small individual parties of Germans, GREECE is free of the enemy. The German rearguard got across the Yugoslav border Thursday night.

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The First United States Army made fresh headway during the day on most of its front but lost one village to the Germans when they counterattacked.

1100 American and British bombers, accompanied by 800 fighters, today hit oil plants in the HANOVER area and the railroad yards at SAARBRUCKEN. Allied aircraft also had a variety of other targets in HOLLAND and GERMANY. Heavies based in ITALY raided MUNICK and two other German cities.

Prime Minister CHURCHILL and Foreign Secretary EDEN will visit PARIS soon at the invitation of Gen. DEGAULLE. Mr. EDEN has arrived back from MOSCOW after stopovers in CAIRO and ITALY.

Bad weather limited action to patrolling on the Italian front, but aircraft blasted targets in the PO Valley.

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FROM: 040001 NOV 44
TO : 042400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
042400 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

NO. 139.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey weapons located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Nebelwerfer at 79605665; mortars at 77945815, 79815825, 79275854 and 77485650; MGs at 77205744, 77806140 and 76676070 (Div Arty).

(2) Nebelwerfers at 771552 and 795540 (Div Arty).

(3) Road block at 767601. It appears to be five to six feet in height and to be constructed of ten-inch lodgs (505).

(4) Two MGs in edge of woods at approx 773568 (325).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber: There has been a buildup of ey arty within the past few days, and it is estimated that there are now approx 123 ey arty pieces of all types on the front from the WAAL River to the REICHSWALD (incl). These are divided as follows: 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:

Enemy artillery and mortar activity was light during the period.

325th Glider Infantry repulsed a patrol estimated at platoon size about 0100. The Germans continued to offer strong resistance to our patrols.

German aircraft made occasional sorties over the Division area during the afternoon and early night. Two bombs were dropped in the vicinity of 730620 on the NIJMEGEN - BEEK road, at 1545, and an illuminating flare, which was followed by a mortar barrage, was dropped over the 504 Parachute Infantry area at 2115.

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3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.

(b) Taken to date: 2,994.

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Clear to cloudy. Cool.

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Cloudy.

c. Other Intelligence: Two white flares preceded mortar fire from posns near RJ 770570 night 3 - 4 Nov. (325).

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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One Annex - PI Report No. 14.

DISTRIBUTION:

G-2 "A" plus

50 Div (Br)	-	1
30 Corps (Br)	-	1
43 Div (Br)	-	1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	-	5
2 Bn Irish Gds	-	1
3103 QM Trk Co	-	1
JEDBURGH Team	-	1
PHANTOM	-	1
TOTAL		81

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ANNEX NO. 1 TO
G-2 REPORT NO. 139

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
04 NOVEMBER 1944

PI REPORT NO. 14

First and Second Phase Interpretation

SORTIE 400/1429, 2 Nov 44, Scale 1:8700.
MAP REFERENCE: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

Photo		Coordinates	Description
3005	-	870595 - 870597	Comm. trench with MG SAPS.
3010	-	833586	4 wpn pits in rear of house.
3018	-	774585	12 wpn pits
4004	-	883601	House surrounded by wpn pits.
4004	-	883602	Wpn pit.
4004	-	884602	Wpn pit.
4005	-	874604 - 874603	Comm. trench.
4005	-	871602	Wpn pit area.
4005	-	87256035	2 wpn pits
4005	-	86856015	Comm. trench with 5 wpn pits.
4005	-	86806025 - 86856020	Comm. trench.
4007	-	857611 - 860612	Wpn pits along N side of rd.
4020	-	767603 - 767602	Wpn pits along dyke.
4031	-	771571 - 775752	Wpn pits along W side of rd.
4031	-	772571 - 772569	Comm. trench.
4031	-	773564 - 773557	Comm. trench with MG SAPS.
4031	-	781559	4 MG pits.
3071	-	793554 - 795556	Continuation of trenches.
3071	-	797557 - 800561	Continuation of trenches.
3071	-	775551 - 790548	Trenches along N side of road.
3068	-	812547	3 field gun emplacements unoccupied.
3069	-	818546	Trenches around KLINKENBERG.
3069	-	819551 - 823548	Trench along south side of road.
3066	-	826550 - 826543	7 additional saps along trench at this point
3065	-	834548	3 field guns with 2 dugouts.
3065	-	827545 - 838555	Trench with 4 M/G saps.
4031	-	780565	Comm. trench with wpn pits around house.
4031	-	77755650 - 77805665 - 78005665	Comm. trench & wpn pits around house.
4033	-	785572 - 788570	25 wpn pits along S side of rd.
4034	-	799566 - 802565	Wpn pits along S side of ditch.
4034	-	804563 - 800557	MG SAPS along entire length of trench.

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Photo	Coordinates	Description
4035 -	804564 - 803564	Comm. trench.
4035 -	802566 - 807563	Wpn pits along N side of ditch
4036 -	806564	3 circular emplacements - field guns; surrounded by foxholes.
4036 -	807564	3 circular emplacements - field guns; surrounded by foxholes.
4036 -	807564 - 809563	Comm. trench on N side of ditch with wpn pits.
4036 -	807567 - 809570	Wpn pits & foxholes along E side of A/T ditch.

Hugo E Waldschmidt

HUGO E. WALDSCHMIDT,
Captain, F. A.,
OIC PI Team No. 3.

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As for G-2 Report No. 139.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504

DATE 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Search of position where our patrol last night attacked A Co. outpost revealed only bloodstains and weapons: our patrol had evacuated their casualties.

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Message File No. 538 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 0303 two Nebelwerfers fired simultaneously, one from 110° + one from 130° from 757573. Landed about 757574.

At 0308 several rounds of Nebelwerfer from 110° from 757573, Rage fire at 200°.

Message File No. 533-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
050600 November 1944

Subject: Results of patrol activities for night 4-5 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night 4-5 November 1944.

The second and third battalions conducted routine security and screening Patrols. No encounter with enemy.

The third bn reports that a 307 engr recon patrol of one (1) officer and two (2) EM left at 1615 and searched for mines between (7770591?) - (7768826). No mines were found in this area. Patrol back at 2015.

For the commanding officer:

T. [illegible]
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
G-2

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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 050630

For Action

TO: ACL Stag

(W) For Information (INFO)

OFFICE DATE STAMP

Message Instructions: QXYM — GR

Originator's No.

Air 1 O B/L 050700 as before
to ~~E/PETER W~~ incl canal to ~~[illegible]~~
E/284513 165505
then as before

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SIGNED 5341

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Date-Time of Origin: 050717

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO: All SIGS

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QQY

GR: 4

Originator's No.: Ant 30100 JPKCD H'AAFK'

weather forecasts attacks

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MESSAGE FORM

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	Originator	Date-Time of Origin
FROM (A)	2nd Army	041750

For Action

TO All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

OFFICE DATE STAMP

Message Instructions: QYM — GR: 35

Originator's No.

AIR 45 O A/R results O K 7085 40 barges attacked NRO word Z 8302 attacked NRO tot 1610 O HQ. E774052 attacked all bldg NW side heavily damaged E774049 NE CORNER of house damaged tot 1615

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
5 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 4-5.

Three Ambush Outposts were operated by the 3rd Bn last night, from approximately 1900 until 0430.

Patrol # 1: Sgt. Starzic and 4 men from Co F established post at 771574. Negative report.

Patrol # 2: Sgt. Davis and 4 men from Co E established post at 77125650. Negative report.

Patrol # 3: Cpl. Head and 4 men from Co E established post at 77075625. Reported MG firing from 774563. (previously reported posn).

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
050700 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 04/05 Nov:

2nd Bn Patrols: (Security patrols only)

1. "E" Co patrol returned at 2130. They had been challenged by Germans at 7706175. They fired a BAR at him and immediately drew MG fire from 771612 and rifle fire from dug in positions in front of dyke. Patrol returned with no casualties, but believe that the challenger was wounded.

2. "D" Co patrol returned at 2030 hr. They had come upon Germans at 785625 and a grenade fight developed. One man of the patrol is missing one man was lightly wounded in the hand and shoulder, and the third man of the three man patrol was unhurt.

Upon later investigation, the TSMG of the missing man was found--leading to the belief that this man might be a prisoner.

3. Patrols reported no other any activity.

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4 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO and Staff
1 File

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0915

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

On az. of 140° from 757573, estimated range 2½ mi., gun flash seen; ~~[redacted]~~ 3 rounds landed S of (757573) Eberbach, at 0830 hours.

At 0855 hours, bldg at 79845646 seen to have smoke + 2 dispatch riders to enter bldg. Arty fire being sent on it. Arty has both.

Message File No. 5349 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Prince, Capt

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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	Jae/R Broadcast	1000hrs	

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Jae/R toa 0800hrs O K8291 10 met E O K7889 to E9109 Rd and River NMS O E7839 2 moored barges O NMS Rd and River Venlo to E8138 O NMS Horst E8818 O E8916 1 afv mvg NO E8624 1 afv mvg W and 15/c mvg S O Toa 0805 O E724047 to 729066 20 moored barges O E725080 to 719040 10 barges O E726080 to 729066 7 scott barges O E745067 1 met W otherwise NMS area 2 miles E of canal O E7107 to 7104 5 scott met mvg S O E7104 to 7201 8 scott cycles mvg S O E713063 1 met S otherwise NMS O Bridge E729065 intact O E710039 Bridge intact O E705038 2 barges Bulk received from Coal O E719045 3 Barges N Bound

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Jae/R FLASH toa 0953 A1812 60 met vic white tops mvg S O

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(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

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TAC/R o ToA 0750 O Z 7145 no shipping 10 mile roads O E1852 Bridge Bloom control position down 1/2 of Bridge submerged O Bridges down at E709121 - E726104 - K624998 - K625948 - K665910 - K631886 - K699875 - K774964 O Bridges up at E729065 and E710039 O E715044 small part of foot bridge

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	2nd Army	050910	

For Action

All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions	GR
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AIR 5 0 22 0 JPAAD JGNIP' GQAHG MAHAL' IB'

FLYING NOW

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Date-Time of Origin: 050920

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR

Originator's No.

AIR 60 F/F/B results of 4th Nov 0 tgts incl hq 7777049 successfully attacked: inf plus mortar posns e7187 barges on river MAAS 0 claims 0 nct 1 dest 4 dam barges 21 dest 23 dam tugs 2 dam locos 2 dest 13 dam tug 2 dest 23 dam coal cuts 20 cuts in 14 separate places 0

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 4 November 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	22	235	23	569	23	463	22	442	90	1709		
504	30	196	33	494	32	470	32	363	127	1193		
505	28	243	37	442	35	405	30	477	130	1567		
	29	238	28	335	28	347	26	331	111	1251		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WIA & DWA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	92	13	243	27	513	7	338	57	1226	90	1709
504	10	87	3	85	29	379	6	239	48	690	127	1193
505	6	99	1	57	25	314	11	180	43	680	130	1567
508	15	115	4	110	27	406	7	146	53	777	111	1251
INF	41	393	21	495	108	1672	31	803	202	3363	458	6020
ARTY	3	27	7	93	25	158	4	94	39	372	142	1696
ENGR	2	23	1	4	8	79		34	11	140	33	483
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	24	226
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
90 AA		18	1	4	5	45	1	35	7	102	33	462
OTHERS		4		6	3	25	1	16	4	51	73	456
TOTAL	46	465	30	604	150	1999	37	998	263	4066	769	9448

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OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 5 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

At 0915 15 men entered bldg at 7845646.

At 0945 vic. 78485675 ~~At 78~~ ay activity. and also 78755850; arty fire in latter, + stalk car pulled out toward Wyler. At least two ay killed by arty.

At 1035 stalk car observed at bldg at 78455641 + arty fired on it.

Message File No. 357 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Pvt, Cpl.

Arty informed.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE: 5 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1125

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

About 1045 flak spotters of A Troop (Br), Convoy Regt, saw "flying dustbin" fired from 7909582, fired from house; leaving a brown smoke trail, tracer in front of projectile, high trajectory & most great range.

(Div Arty asking for explanation)

Message File No. 5358 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Price, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 5 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1315

TRANSMISSION: ~~Telephone~~, Radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1218: ~~ACTU~~ 79845646 ACTIVITY WAS OBSERVED THIS MORNING. ARTY FIRED ON IT, AND AN AMBULANCE WAS SEEN TO PULL AWAY FROM THE SPOT.

Message File No. 5360 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines, Capt

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TIME FILED | MSG CEN NO. | H[illegible]SENT

MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE) (CLASSIFICATION)

No. 1 DATE NOVEMBER 5TH

To FROM ASP

INCREASED ACTIVITY AREA NE ARNHEM MASS CANAL E9867 2 MEL S, 1 N E9967 2 MEL E9872 1 MEL SW E9671 1 MEL SW E9573 2 MEL N E952748 ACTIVITY SEVERAL GROUPS INF 5+ MOTORCYCLES ENTERING AND LEAVING WOOD N SD VOLKSWAGONS DUCK TANKS 4 15 A HD

OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF SENDER | TIME SIGNED

AUTHORIZED TO BE SENT IN CLEAR | SIGNATURE OF OFFICER 5364 | SIGNATURE AND GRADE OF WRITER

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TIME FILED | MSG CEN NO. | H[illegible]SENT

MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE) (CLASSIFICATION)

No. 2 DATE NOVEMBER 5TH

To

E9375 2 MEL E9497O1 2 LRG MEL LEFT WOOD AND MOVED NORTH DUCK BELIEVES POSSIBLE HARBOUR IN WOOD E9570 AL E9570 TWO MEL SE9066 1 MEL N AL VILLAGE 8541 4 MEL ENTERED FROM N VILLAGE 8980 7 MEL PARKED A ROAD TRANSPORT AND 1 MEL N E8673 - 4 GROUPS OF

OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF SENDER | TIME SIGNED

AUTHORIZED TO BE SENT IN CLEAR | SIGNATURE OF OFFICER [illegible] | SIGNATURE AND GRADE OF WRITER

☆ U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE : 1943 16—27880-1

THESE SPACES FOR MESSAGE CENTER ONLY

TIME FILED | MSG CEN NO. | H[illegible]SENT

MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE) (CLASSIFICATION)

No. 3 DATE NOVEMBER 5TH

To

6 INF EACH ON BYCYCLE. 878606 FERRY ANCHORED 8562 2 MEL E AND 8067 1 MEL N AND 1 MEL S.

OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF SENDER | TIME SIGNED

AUTHORIZED TO BE SENT IN CLEAR | SIGNATURE OF OFFICER [illegible] | SIGNATURE AND GRADE OF WRITER

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Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C[illegible]6 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Jac/R Broadcast For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 1300 | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO) | Message Instructions. | GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R Loa 1020 O E785598 NMS O E9867 2 met S 1 met NO E9967 2 met E O E9872 1 met SW O E9671 1 met SWO E9573 2 met N O E752748 activity inf m/c and small met O E9375 2 met E O E949701 2 large met leaving wood possible harbour E9570 O E9370 2 met SWO E8571 4 met O E8980 4 met S pass transporters and 1 met N O E8673 4 groups of 6 inf on bicycles S O E878606 pony moved O E8562 2 met E O E8067 1 met N 1 S O E868677 Bridge intact O Loa 1045 hrs E472743 3 Hdt W O E8007 25 LAA O

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This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except WIRELESS.

Signed.

If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.

Signed.

Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR		
Time Cleared		

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 5 Nov 44.

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1520

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

(75595635)
Chief pets dug in positions 780056 15. (P)
Positions are new.
Mortar at 782456 10. (P)
Div Arty fired at both

Message File No. 53 70 G-2 Sender - Receiver: H Bell 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: [illegible] DATE [illegible] 44

TO : G-[illegible] TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1530

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Am est 75mm how located at 794623
Fwd'd with mortar and art'y fire at 1518.

(P)

Message File No. 53 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Asel 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 82 V DATE 5 May 44

TO : G-2 V TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1600

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2 bodies 7124 5610 had
direct duty hits and set afire. Personnel
removed bodies with clothing aflame.

Message File No. 5373 G-2 Sendor - Receiver: Abel 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ORD CO (LT HAILE) DATE: 5 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1400

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Tubes of steel with dia of approx 12" are tail sections of a Nebelwerfer Warhead screws onto this.

Can this be Capt. Price's attention

Message File No. 5376 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Kellum
MAJOR.

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TIME FILED	MSG CEN NO. 64A	HOW SENT

MESSAGE (SUBMIT TO MESSAGE CENTER IN DUPLICATE)

(CLASSIFICATION)

No. ______ DATE 5 NOV 44

To 82nd A/B DIV

0/247. SITREP AS ...

1400 HOURS. NTR ALL

INFORMED.

Received by [illegible] 1710.

OFFICIAL DESIGNATION OF SENDER	TIME SIGNED
MAIN 30 CORPS	051530A

AUTHORIZED TO BE SENT IN CLEAR

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SIGNATURE AND GRADE OF WRITER

SECRET

PATROL PLAN

HQ 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
051530 November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 5-6 NOVEMBER 1944

First Bn - Maintaining local security and screening patrols from MLR to OPL.

Second Bn - No patrol activities.

Third Bn - Maintaining local security and screening patrols from MLR to OPL.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Parachute Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
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SECRET

S E C R E T

HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
051600 November 44

PATROL PLAN for night 05/06 Nov:

Serial No.	Unit	Type	Mission	Area	Time out
1.	S-2, 2ad	Rcn	Locate eny outpost	775623-778617	0300
2.	"E" Co	Rcn & Sec.	Locate eny outpost	764612-769611	1900
3.	1st Bn	Ambush	Ambush eny Engr workers	~~766609~~ 766609	2000

AGEE
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
1 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO 508
1 CO and Staff 505
1 File

DIV ARTY
G-3

S E C R E T

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE: 5 Nov

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1610

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3 AA [illegible] of A5 [illegible] at 778572. Believed occupied

Message File No. 5381 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

Wt. 9533/63727P 490M (Pads of 100) 5/43 MP 710428 51-6736

ARMY FORM C 2136 (La[illegible]) **MESSAGE FORM[illegible]** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Jae/R Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin.: 1500 hrs — Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jae/R toa 1115 hrs O A2442 tm 20 trg fcg N O E9831 to E9734 5 met N O E9635 to E9439 4 met 2 m/c 1 cat mvg NW O hAA E8356 A1426 E9044 E8660 O Toa 1130 O E1856 1 S/C fcg E O E2364 1 S/C SO

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Signed.

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Signed.

Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR		
Time Cleared		

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Revised)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
Jae/R Broadcast	1600hrs	

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Jae/R Doa 13350 ⊙ E6284 NMS and nothing seen ⊙ NMS Rly E5273 to TIEL ⊙ E6185 15 plus met incl HDT mvg E ⊙ E5286 1 met SE ⊙ E5187 1 met S ⊙ E4889 1 met W ⊙ NMS E2191 to E4889 ⊙ NMS area E3877-4063 along river to E5668 to E5674 ⊙ E674765 2 gun flashes ⊙ Doa 1400 ⊙ E705133 2 barges E bank ⊙ E702145 to E709122 7 small salt boats ⊙ E709122 2 met 4 Inf small boat E Bank ⊙ Bridge intact at E728065 ⊙ E727070 Bridge intact ⊙ E722060 to E724048 20 barges ⊙ E763071 1 met parked ⊙ E735061 4 met W ⊙

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 CORPS DATE: 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1755

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

WEATHER: PERIOD 2000-0900 FORECAST.

— SURFACE WIND: SW 30-35 MPH THEN 40 MPH, VEERING TO W 25-30 MPH THEN 30-35 MPH.

— WEATHER: CLOUDY, TO PERIOD OF LIGHT RAIN, BECOMING FAIR LATER.

— VISIBILITY: 4—8 MILES, THEN 1-3 MILES, ~~BECOMING 10/10 IN RAIN~~.

— CLOUD: 7-10/10 AT 1000-2000 FT AT FIRST, BECOMING 10/10 IN RAIN. 10/10 MEDIUM CLOUD AT 6000 FT, LIFTING AND BREAKING 4-7/10 AT 2000-3000 FT LATER.

— OUTLOOK FOR TOMORROW: UNSETTLED.

Message File No. 335 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines, CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 5 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1730

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

MESSAGE AT 1230 ERRONEOUSLY GAVE TWO INCORRECT COORDINATES FOR DEFENSE LINE. THE CORRECTION IS: 77556105 TO 77406088

Message File No. 538 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Haines Capt

PATROL PLANS

For Night of November 4/5 1944

505
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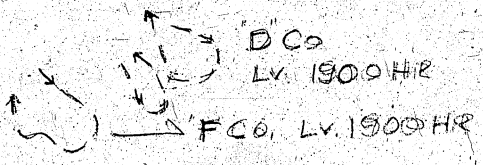
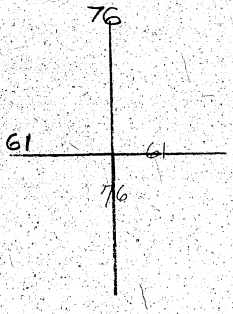
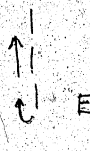
Note: ONLY Security Patrols sent out By 504







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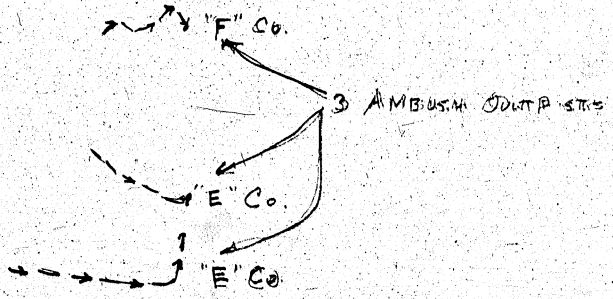

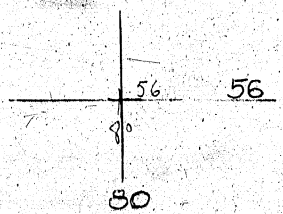

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 5 Nov.

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1545

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

South edge of Reichwald set on fire. Will now attempt the NW edge.

DIV ARTY

Message File No. 338 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abel (Capt)

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 DIV ARTY DATE: 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1820

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Signal lamp in house at 750605 apparently flashing signals to ay. (AIR OP)

Pointing in NE direction.

505 Infantry

Message File No. 390 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Signal Opn

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1410

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 1880 BLUE RPTS "H" CO
HO'D HALF TRACK AT
779598 — AT 1700 — VERIFIED
BY ARTY FO — HO'D
BY 60 MM MORTAR.

(P)

Message File No. 5392 G-2 Sendor - Receiver: WYMAN

SECRET.

Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
5 November 1944

PATROL PLAN - NIGHT OF NOV. 5-6.

Map: Sheet 12 NW, 1/25,000, HOLLAND.

Ambush Outpost # 1: Co F -- 771574 - Out: 1900; in: 0430.

Ambush Outpost # 2: Co E -- 77125650 - Out: 1900; in: 0430.

Ambush Outpost # 3: Co E --77075625 - Out: 1900; in: 0430.

For route of Contact Patrols operated by 2nd Bn see Overlay below.

BILLINGSLEA
Commanding.

OFFICIAL:

BERKUT
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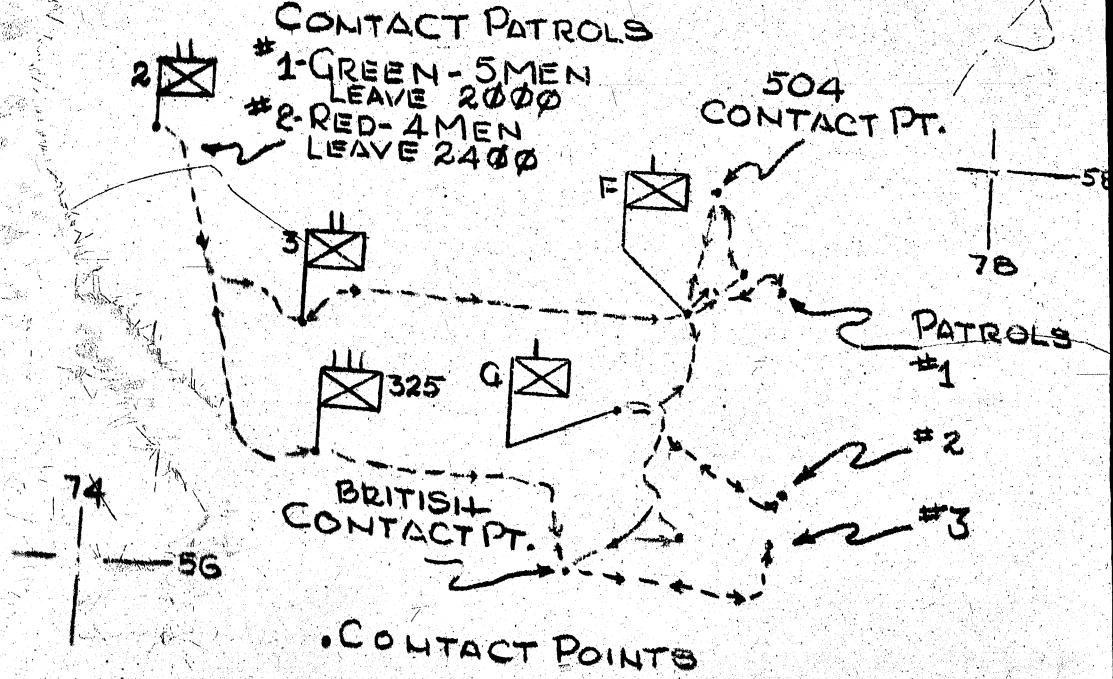
DIV ARTY
G-3



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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Boy Engr DATE 5 Nov 44

TO: 2 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1813

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1 Plane at 2015 at base multi-colored
flares & bombs 1/2 mi SE of 307 position.
AA opened on plane after flares were dropped.
Nationality of plane unknown.

Message File No. 5397 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Sgt 2nd

To: G-2
From: S-2, Div Arty

5 Nov 44

Hostile Arty, Mortar, MG's Located Today

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	82175970	3-FD	CBO
Yes	77366005	MG	456 FA
Yes	78726268	MG	456
Yes	76676038	Mortar	456
Yes	77485650	Mortar	320 FA
Yes	77325628	Mortar (Suspect)	320
Yes	78245610	Mortar	320
Yes	77825828	Mortar	376 FA
Yes	78775714	Mortar	376
Yes	79215987	Mortar	376
Yes	77905838	MG	376

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Fz	No. Rds	Cal	Est Rn
456	1725	76505861		1120m	?	Lt	3500

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE 5 MAY 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2100

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone, radio, in person, messenger) (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2030 2 PLANES FLYING
TOWARDS DZ PROWLING FLASHING
LIGHTS AND DROPPING FLARES

Message File No. 5401 G-2 Sender (Receiver) S. A. 2/C

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2105

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2 OD BY PLANE FLYING LOW
OVER I Co TOWARDS 3RD PM
CP DROPPED 2 FLARES.
ONE IN FRONT OF CP (1713 5836)
OTHER NEAR CP (1734 5864)

Message File No. 5403 G-2 Sender - Receiver: 2nd

SP IN FRONT OF SOF BEING FIRED ON.

NW FIRE FR WYLER BEING RETURNED

SA FIRE FR WYLER BEING MORTARED

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2115

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

① flare Activity to front
② MG Activity on left flank

Message File No. 5404 G-2 Sender - Receiver: ~~S/Sgt~~ White S/Sgt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps DATE 5 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2/35

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

28th (US) Div meeting stiff resistance at Schmidt
Not quite sure who really has it

116 Pz Div
18 Volksgrenadier Both in Schmidt area

8th Corps

15 P.G Div at 707083. We have about 30 PW.
Little change in situation. Enemy been making slight infiltration at 716095

Message File No. 5405 G-2 Sender - Receiver: ____________

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ______________________ DATE ______________________

TO : ______________________ TIME RECEIVED OR SENT ______________________

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Further near Gennep (7746) have ident.
Am RIEGEL. Further news 12 Corps front we
have cleared enemy from whole area between
Canal just west of 's Hertogenbosch and the Maas.
One small pocket left just east of HEUSDEN
(7252). Using ferry to cross ferry. 372 PW
count from 59 Div

Message File No.______ G-2 Sender - Receiver: ______________________

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ______________________ DATE: ______________________

TO : ______________________ TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: ____________

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

On Canadian front now 1000 S of Middleburg 300 PW Took 2000 PW yesterday Among them naval cmdr of island. Inf from 89 Fortress Bn.

Message File No. ______ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Keller [?]

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MAJOR

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 5 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2310

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Shelreps: ① Mblwfs, Ind, 90° fr 7732 6170 at 2250 hrs.

② Hvy arty (240 mm?), 4-6 rds at a time, with "flutter" sound, coming from beyond Mulhausen.
fr 7828 6279 Az of 100°
Long range arty

(P)

Message File No. 5109 G-2 Sender - Receiver: _____

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: VBV DATE: 7 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2310.

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

E Co patrol fired on by auto weapon at 769610.

Flashes from 765605 M A270° 6 to 8 rds. A+225 yds. Shelling coming from long range. Rounds not landing in area. Fluttering sound heard as rounds pass over.

Message File No. 5410 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Abel 1st Lt

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(28970)
Master

82d A/B Div - G-2 Jnl, Operation MARKET
and Message File

6 - 13 November 1944

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON

DO NOT REMOVE FROM THIS OFFICE

WAR DEPARTMENT RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

HISTORICAL RECORDS SECTION

ROOM MB-858 PENTAGON

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G-2 SECTION
82D A/B DIVISION
JOURNALS AND MESSAGE FILES
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HOLLAND (MARKET)

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CLASSIFICATION CHANGED TO:
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BY AUTHORITY OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
DOWNGRADING COMMITTEE .....
JUN 18 1947
28970
Master

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

1-115

From: DG 0001 NOV. 44

To: DG 2400 NOV. 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No:	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0105		5411		FR 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0105		5412		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0106		5413		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0115		5414		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
~~0200~~	0200	5415		FR G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
~~0200~~	0200	5416		FR G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 REPORT NO. 140	
0300		5416A		FR 325 TO G-2: CHECKING IN (PHONE)	
0300		5417		FR 504 TO G-2: CHECKING IN (RADIO)	
0300		5418		FR 505 TO G-2: CHECKING IN (RADIO)	
0315		5418A		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0315		5418B		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	

TELEPHONE MESSAGE
TELEPHONED TO
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BY

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 060001 NOV. 44

To: 062400 NOV. 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN HOLLAND

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0500		5419		FR 505 TO G-2: Negative REPORT	
0500		5420		FR 504 TO G-2: Negative REPORT	
0503		5421		FR 325 TO G-2: Negative REPORT	
0700		5422		FR 505 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
0700		5423		FR 325 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0705		5424		FR 504 TO G-2 RADIO CHECK-IN	
0705		5425		FR 505 TO G 2 RADIO CHECK-IN	
0710		5426		FR 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
0720		5427		FR 325 TO G-2 RADIO CHECK-IN	
0735		5428		FR 504 TO G-2 PATROL REPORT NIGHT 6/7.	C/S, DIV ART, CORPS.
0815		5429		FR 325 TO G-2; PATROL REPORT;	C/S, G-3, DIV HQ, 30 Corps

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME CUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0830		5430		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	C/S, DUAT, G-3 30 Corps
0845		5431		FR 30 Corps TO G-2: WEATHER FORECAST	C/S - G-3
0900		5432		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0900		5433		FR ASP TO G-2: TM/R 051700, 051741, 060700	
0900		5434	051250	FR 505 TO G-2: BY DEFENSE ON QUER DAM	
0900		5435		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0900		5436		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0900		5437		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0901		5438		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0902		5439		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0945		5440		FR ENGR ENGR TO G-2: INTSUM 19	ENGR
0945		5441		FR ~~ENGR~~ ENGR TO G-2: INTSUM 19	ENGR

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To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0945		5442		FR SHAEF TO G-2. DOC REF 137	C/S
				FR SR DUTCH L.O. 30 CORPS TO G-2 - REQUEST	
0945		5443		RE LIST OF DUTCH INTERPRETERS	
0950		5444		FR AIROP TO G-2: REPORT ON COMM TRENCHES	
				FR DENHEUVEL EASTWARD	
1000		5445		FR G-2 TO SR DUTCH L.O. 30 CORPS - LIST OF DUTCH	
				INTERPRETERS ATTACHED TO DIV.	
1050		5446		FR G-1 TO G-2. CASUALTY REPORT	
1050		5447		FR. 508 TO G-2. S-2. REPORT	
1050		5448		FR. 2d ARMY TO G-2. REGTS IN GEN. DIV	
1050		5449		FR. AG TO G-2. MEMO 17 - AWARDS OF PURPLE HEART.	

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To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1100		5450		FR. 505 TO G-2. REQUEST CLEARANCE TO DROP MESSAGE FR CUBPLANE.	
1100		5451		FR G-2 TO G-2. 505 WISHES TO DROP 3 MSGS TO EY BY CUB	
1110		5452		FR. 325 TO G-2: SHELLER	
1245		5453		FR 2ND ARMY TO G-2: TACTICAL RECC.	
1300		5454		FR 504 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1305		5455		Fr 505 TO G-2 Neg REPORT	
1305		5456		Fr 325 TO G-2 Neg REPORT	
1[illegible]	1245	5457		Fr G-2 TO REAR CP. Query regarding jet plane	
~~1440~~ 1440		~~5458~~ 5458		Fr 101 A/B Div To G-2: G2 Report SNDV.	
1500		5459		Fr 504 To G-2: Neg REPORT	

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To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1500		5460		Fr All Regts To G-2: Neg radio	
1500		5461		Fr 2d Army to G-2: TAC/R results	
1500		5462		Fr 43 Div To G-2: Ey Hq in bldg AT 795548	
1500		5463		Fr TAC/R TO G-2: TAC/R 25 or 0810	
1506		5464		Fr 325 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1527		5465		Fr 505 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1620		5466		Fr G1 TO G2: Strength report as of 2400, 4 Nov.	
1625		5467		Fr 2d Army To G-2: TAC/R Results	
1625		5468		Fr TAC/R TO G-2: TAC/R	
1715		5469		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1715		5470		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1715		5471		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1800		5472		Fr 307 Engr To G-2, Engr. Int Report 061800 Nov	
1800		5473		Fr 307 Engr To G-2: S.I. Report	
1815		5474		Fr 30 Corps To G-2: Weather Rpt	
1900		5475		FR 80 AA TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1900		5476		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1905		5477		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1920		5478		Fr 504 To G-2: S-2 periodic 061815	D.v Arty
1935		5479		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1950		5480		FR 11 Div TO G-2: RIECHWALD FIRE	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME CUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1945		5480A		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
2010		5481		FR. 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN 6/7 NOV	DIVARTY.
2010		5482		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT NO. 50.	
2015		5483		FR: 30 CORPS TO G-2: SITREP	G-3 FILES
2030		5484		FR. DIV. ARTY TO G-2: EY DROPPING FLARES ON 320th FA	
2040		5485		FR 504 TO G-2: 504 PATROL PLAN 06/07 NOV.	DIV. ARTY.
2045		5486		FR 325 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT: NO 57	
2045		5487		FR. 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN 06/07 NOV.	
2050		5488		FR: 325 TO G-2: BORDER BREEZE	
2051		5489		FR. DIVARTY TO G-2: ARTY ESTIMATION	
2115		5490		FR. 325 TO G-2: EY PATROL IN FRONT OF "E" CO HARASSED BY MORTAR FIRE	

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From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME CUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2125		5491		FR: 504 To G-2: ADDITIONAL INFO ON SEC. 'C" OF S-2 REPORT - ALSO SHELREPS.	
2125		5492		FR 504 To G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2125		5493		FR. 505 To G-21 NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2125		5494		FR. 325 To G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2130		5495		FR 505 To G-2: SHELREP	
2145		5496		FR G-3 To G-2: WEATHER FORECAST.	
2145		5497		FR. 80 Corps To G-2: V-WEAPON: DIVER.	
2200		5498		FR 30 Corps To G-2: PW Report	
2305		5499		FR 504 To G-2: Suspected EY use of SCR 300	SIG O notified
2305		5500		FR 325 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
2305		5501		FR 505 To G-2: F-Bomb Report	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____
(Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
~~2310~~		~~5502~~		~~FR 504 To G-2 : Suspected Employ use of SCR 300~~	~~Sig O notified~~
2310		5502		FR 325, 504, 505 : Negative by RADIO	
0340		5503		FR DIV ARTY To G-2 : Report on Flares & Shells	
2845		5504		FR: 30 CORPS To G-2: PW FR 3 Co. 1051 REGT 84th DIV - PW ER Hq. Co. (773557)	

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
05 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

The following news is from American and LONDON radio broadcasts:

FOOTBALL SCORES

East

Navy 32, Notre Dame 13
Army 83, Villanova 0
Coast Guard Academy 20, Brown 0
Bucknell 26, N. Y. U. 0
Yale 6, Dartmouth 0
Cornell 25, Columbia 0
Penn State 41, Syracuse 0
Sampson Naval 39, Scranton 0
Michigan 49, Pennsylvania 19
Rochester 19, Case 0
West Virginia 6, Temple 0
Maine 26, Norwich 6

Midwest

Ohio State 21, Indiana 7
Iowa 7, Nebraska 6
Oklahoma 12, Iowa State 7
Missouri 13, Michigan State 7
Minnesota 14, Northwestern 14
Kansas State 15, Wichita 0
DePaul 9, Illinoise Wesleyan 7
Missouri Valley 25, Rockhurst 13
Iowa Pre-Flight 47, Tulsa 27

South

Tennessee 13, Louisiana State 0
Virginia 14, Alabama 7
Wake Forest 13, Clemson 7
Duke 19, Georgia Tech 13
North Carolina State 21, V. M. I. 6
South Carolina 6, North Carolina 0
Jackson Air Base 10, Mississippi 0

Southwest

Texas Tech 13, Rice 7
Colorado 39, New Mexico 0
Arkansas 7, Texas Aggies 6
Texas 34, Southern Methodist 7
Randolph Field 68, North Texas Aggies 0

Far West

Alameda Coast Guard 12, California 6
Southern California 28, San Diego Naval 21
March Field 35, UCLA 13

President ROOSEVELT and Gov. DEWEY have made their final big speeches before Tuesday's general election in the UNITED STATES. Gov. DEWEY charged the Democratic administration was inefficient and flayed President ROOSEVELT's foreign policy. President ROOSEVELT declared that never in his lifetime had there been "a campaign filled with such distortion and falsehood. Win or lose, I want next Tuesday's poll to be the biggest in American history."

Most states will elect governors Tuesday and the composition of the next congress will be decided.

Large German guns on the North Coast of WALCHEREN Island continued to fire on the Allies tonight as the Allied Commandos were ported in the outskirts of MIDDELBURG, capital of WALCHEREN, and

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most of the Germans had been defeated.

The Allies revealed that 80% of their close support bombardment craft, manned by British Navy and Marine personnel, were sunk or damaged during the early stages of the WALCHEREN campaign.

THOLEN Island, it was revealed, has been in our hands the past four days.

Some ten miles inland Allied troops were tonight within a mile of the estuary of the LOWER MAAS and the LOWER RHINE. The Canadians had advanced to within 3 miles of the German escape bridges. The German rear guard continues to resist bitterly.

The First United States Army regained most of the ground it lost earlier east of AACHEN, when the Germans had counterattacked.

French troops in the VOSGES Mountains moved forward a few miles.

More than 2,000 Allied bombers struck at targets in HOLLAND and GERMANY during the period. German cities raided included SOLINGEN, BOCHUM, HANOVER, FRANKFORT, and LUDWIGSHAVEN.

Seventy-one locomotives were shot up by Allied aircraft which attacked the BRENNER PASS Rail Line. Bad weather handicapped operations on the ground in NORTH ITALY, with some action around an important airport between RIMINI and BOLOGNA.

The Russians inflicted heavy losses on the Germans when the enemy counterattacked in EAST PRUSSIA.

BERLIN admits that the Russians are within seven miles of BUDAPEST, capital of HUNGARY.

The Japanese announced that 300 American bombers had attacked targets on LUZON, principal island in the PHILIPPINES. The Americans are pressing the Japanese toward their escape route in LEYTE and are succeeding despite the recent Jap reinforcements. On two islands west of LEYTE the Americans raided airfields and destroyed 57 Jap planes.

American aircraft raided SINGAPORE for the first time. They also raided in FRENCH INDO-CHINA and at RANGOON.

Field Marshal Sir JOHN DILL, head of the British Joint Mission to the UNITED STATES, died in a government hospital at WASHINGTON.

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FROM: 050001 Nov 44
TO : 052400 Nov 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
052400 NOV 1944

G-2 REPORT

No. 140.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars and MGs located today and engaged by our arty; mortars at 76676038, 77485650, 77325628, 77825828, 78775714, 7921-5987; MGs at 77366005, 78726268 and 77905838 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey construction work from 77556105 to 77406088 appears to be line of single posts 15 to 20 feet apart on the eastern shoulder of QUER - DAMM. The posts are about eight inches in diameter and project about three feet above the ground. (505).

(3) Ey squad dug in from 783624 to 785625 (505); new dug in posns at 78005615 (325).

(4) MG at 774563 (325), MG at 771612 (505).

(5) Ey CP believed to be in bldg at 79845646 (325).

(6) Mortar at 78245610 (325).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty from WAAL River to REICHSWALD (incl): (No change) - 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

(2) Three field pieces located at 82175930 engaged by Allied Arty today (Div Arty).

(3) Ey How, est. 75mm, vic 794623 (505).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:

Enemy mortar volume increased somewhat during the period, but

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artillery fire continued to be light. The German outposts continued to give sharp resistance to our patrols. Only one enemy patrol was reported during the night of 4 - 5 November.

b. Operation of Component Elements.

(1) Artillery Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rds	No. of Guns	Cal.	Interval
325	0100	757573	170	12	?	Nblwfr	?
325	0110	757573	180	8	?	Nblwfr	?
325	0303	757573	110 & 130	?	?	Nblwfr	?
325	0308	757573	110	?	?	Nblwfr	?
325	0915	757573	140	?	?	Nblwfr	?
456 FA	1725	76505861	1120 M	?	?	Light	?
505	2150	77326170	90	1	1	Nblwfr	?
505	2150	78286279	100	4 - 6	?	Hvy	?

(2) Aviation, Combat: Ey plane over Div area at 1515 (505), and two ey planes dropped flares in front line areas about 2015 (504, 505, 307 Engrs).

c. Miscellaneous: Ey halftrack knocked out 779598 by 60mm mortar 1850 hrs (504).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.
(b) Taken to date: 2,994.

b. Weather.

(1) During period: Generally overcast, with light rain during night 05 - 06 Nov.

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Unsettled.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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DISTRIBUTION: G-2 "A" plus

50 Div (Br)	-	1
30 Corps (Br)	-	1
43 Div (Br)	-	1
32 Gds Bde Grp(Br)	-	5
2 Bn Irish Gds	-	1
3103 QM Trk Co	-	1
JEDBURGH Team	-	1
PHANTOM	-	1
TOTAL		81

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82d A/B Div

SECRET

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
060600 November 1944

Subject: Result of Patrol Activities for Night 5-6 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during night 5-6 November 1944:

First and Third Battalion conducted Security Patrols from MLR to OPL. Encountered no enemy.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt,, 504th Prcht Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
4 - G-2
1 - G-3
1 - ea Bn
1 - 505
1 - 376
1 - 325
1 - Desk
2 - File

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
6 November 1944

PATROL REPORT NIGHT OF NOVEMBER 5-6, 1944.

Patrol of 5 men from Co F, in charge of Sgt. Sturm, with mission of establishing ambush outpost in vic of 771574, moved out about 1900. They reported small arms fire in the British sector and mortar fire against our F Co front; were unable to determine where mortar fire was coming from. Returned: 0430.

Sgt. Johnson, of Co E, was leader of a 5-man patrol, with mission of setting up ambush-listening post in vic of 77125650. They reported no ey activity during the time they were out from 1900 to 0430.

Patrol No. 3, with mission of establishing ambush outpost vic of 774563, was in charge of Sgt. Wedge, with 4 men from Co E. They reported a MG firing into the British sector but could not pinpoint it. Patrol also was in operation between 1900 and 0430.

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
060700 November 44

PATROLA AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 05/06 November:

1. 2nd Bn S-2 Patrol left 0200 hr from 775623 and went to vic of 774618 and returned without making contact with enemy or discovering enemy installations.

2. "E" Co Patrol of three men left 1900 hr from 764612 and went East until pinned down by fire from MG which had fired on them night of 04/05 Nov. This MG is located on dyke between 769610 and 771620. Patrol returned same route and was back at 2200 hr. No casualties.

3. 1st Bn Ambush Patrol started down canal 761613 but had to turn back because of boat failure which drenched the men and their equipment. The same patrol was planned to be carried out 06/07 Nov.

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DISTRIBUTION:
4 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO 508
1 CO and Staff 505
1 File

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Met Sec XV Corps DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO : 6-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0830

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Weather, Local (0900 - 2000 hours)

Wind: westerly, 10 MPH

Weather: Bright periods & scattered showers

Cloud 4 - 7/10 cumulus & strato-cumulus at 2000 - 3000 ft increasing at times to 8 - 10/10 with base falling to 1000 feet in showers.

Visibility: 4 - 8 miles

Outlook for tonight: fair or fine

Message File No. 5431 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Davis Capt

Return to G-2

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Met, 30 Corps DATE 6 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 0820

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Weather to Rheims (0700 - 1200 period)
Surface wind - westerly 5-10 MPH becoming SW 15-20 MPH towards Rheims. 2000 ft: 280° 20 MPH becoming 250°, 35-40 MPH towards Rheims
Weather: fair in first half of route becoming cloudy at 50 N with rain in Rheims.
Cloud: 2-5/10 at 2000-3000 ft increasing S of Brussels to 7-10/10 at 1000-2000 ft
Cloud base lowering to 600-1000 ft at times near Rheims, well-broken medium & high cloud in N increasing S to 7-10/10 in Rheims area

Message File No. G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: DATE:

TO : TIME RECEIVED OR SENT:

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Visibility 4-8 miles, deteriorating to 1-3 miles in Rheims area.
Freezing level: 4000 ft, icing moderate
Outlook for afternoon: mainly fair with broken cloud at 2000-3000 ft and scattered showers in the north.

Return to G-2

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Message File No. G-2 Sender - Receiver: Clark CAPT

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Sig. No. | Pri[illegible] | Trans[illegible]n Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 051741A

For Action

TO: All Stas

(W) For Information (INFO)

OFFICE DATE STAMP: SY32

Message Instructions: QYM — CR: 24

Originator's No.

AIR 12 ⊙ A/R abortive due weather ⊙ Fighter sweep toa 1500-1530 I met SW E8483 dam TRN 25 TRG W a 0898 ENE dam

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS { EXCEPT / WIRELESS }

SIGNED

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER

SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY: SY33

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR		
1500 Time cleared	W Holmes	

(GY463) Wt. 49325/367. 999,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

	Originator	Date/Time of Origin	OFFICE DATE STAMP
FROM (A)	Rnsi : Army	060700	5432
	For Action		
TO	All Sris		
	(W) For Information (INFO)		Message Instructions — OR
			QYM

Originator's No.

ur 2 F and F/B attacks 5 nov () weather prevented close support () claims () engines 4 dam met 1 dest 3 dam 3 rail cuts in 2 places

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS EXCEPT ... WIRELESS	IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER	ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY	Time / System / Op.
		3	THI or TOR
SIGNED	SIGNED		Time cleared

(GV483) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-944.

M40738/1444 350M 14/43 M. Ltd. 51-7553

ARMY FORM C 2138 (La[illegible]) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Lac/R Broadcast — For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 1700 hrs | Office Date Stamp

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

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Lac/R Clear 1450 hrs O EQ109 NMS and NMS all Rds leading into town O KQ095 1 met W O KQ592 2 met SW O A1002 ~~km~~ 12 trg 6 clo SW O A1504 1 met and trailer W O otherwise NMS area Venlo - KQ290 - A1000 - A2314 O NMS Rd GELDERN - VENLO O F0886 ~~km~~ 40 trg empty E O F2298 2 eng S O F1289 ~~km~~ 40 trg 20 clo W O HAAEQ009 O K630998 No brage or sign of activity all Bridges damaged on canal K620995 to K713867 O NMS Rd K6694 - K7790 - K7079 O K670823 1 large met W O otherwise NMS area K5897 - K6790 - K6880 - K8575 - 7889 - 5897 O

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This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except WIRELESS.	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER.	Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.	Time	System	Op.
Signed.	Signed.		THI or TOR		
			Time Cleared		

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 1 0 5 DATE 6 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1230

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Along top of Quer Damm from 775610 to 768602 on night 4-5 Nov ~~enemy~~ constructed line of posts vertically in ground 15-20 ft apart. Post 8 inches in diameter. Approx 3 ft of post above ground. Construction appears heavy enough for an anti-vehicle line.

On road at 767601 the ~~enemy~~ constructed road block on 2-3 Nov. Rd block 4 ft high, made of logs lying horizontally, 2 logs in depth. Supported

Message File No 5432 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

at each end by 2 vertical posts on ground.
So far no signs of tanks mid.
Construction covered by MG.

~~G-3~~ Corps called.
G-3 [illegible]
Return to G-2

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: SR. DUTCH L.O., 30 CORPS DATE: 6 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0915

TRANSMISSION: (telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SR. DUTCH LIAISON OFFICER
30 CORPS MAIN G.H.Q.

REQUEST LIST OF UNOFFICIAL DUTCH INTERPRETERS ATCHD TO DIV.

REQUEST THAT THIS LIST BE SENT IMMEDIATELY —

LIST DISPATCHED

Message File No. 5443 G-2 Sender (Receiver): Dennis Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: AIR OP DATE: 6 NOV 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT:

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

COMMUNICATION TRENCHES FROM DEN HEUVEL EAST HAVE BEEN DEEPENED AND MADE CONTINUOUS

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Message File No. 5441 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): James Catt

A-2

DO NOT TYPE

CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 5 November 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	22	252	19	544	22	461	27	444	90	1681		
504	29	186	35	485	32	469	32	352	128	1492		
505	27	240	37	445	32	409	36	497	132	1589		
508	29	236	28	336	28	548	26	329	111	1451		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA-DOW		MISSING		WIA-DA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	92	13	245	28	545	7	350	58	1232	90	1681
504	10	87	5	85	29	370	6	140	48	681	128	1492
505	6	99	1	58	25	345	15	183	47	685	132	1589
508	15	115	4	110	27	406	7	150	53	781	111	1451
INF	41	393	21	496	109	1675	35	823	206	3387	450	6013
ARTY	3	27	7	95	25	159	4	99	39	378	141	1695
ENGR	2	25	1	4	6	79		55	11	163	55	482
MED				2	1	16		14	1	34	32	226
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
80th A A		18	1	4	5	45	1	35	7	102	35	452
OTHERS		4		6	5	35	1	16	4	61	72	456
TOTAL	46	465	30	885	151	2006	41	1034	269	4097	709	9439

OFFICER CASUALTIES

5446

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

C/S — for your info. CG | File W
says he will see SOS on this.
Request he be reminded. W F W

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 SOS DATE 6 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1120

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

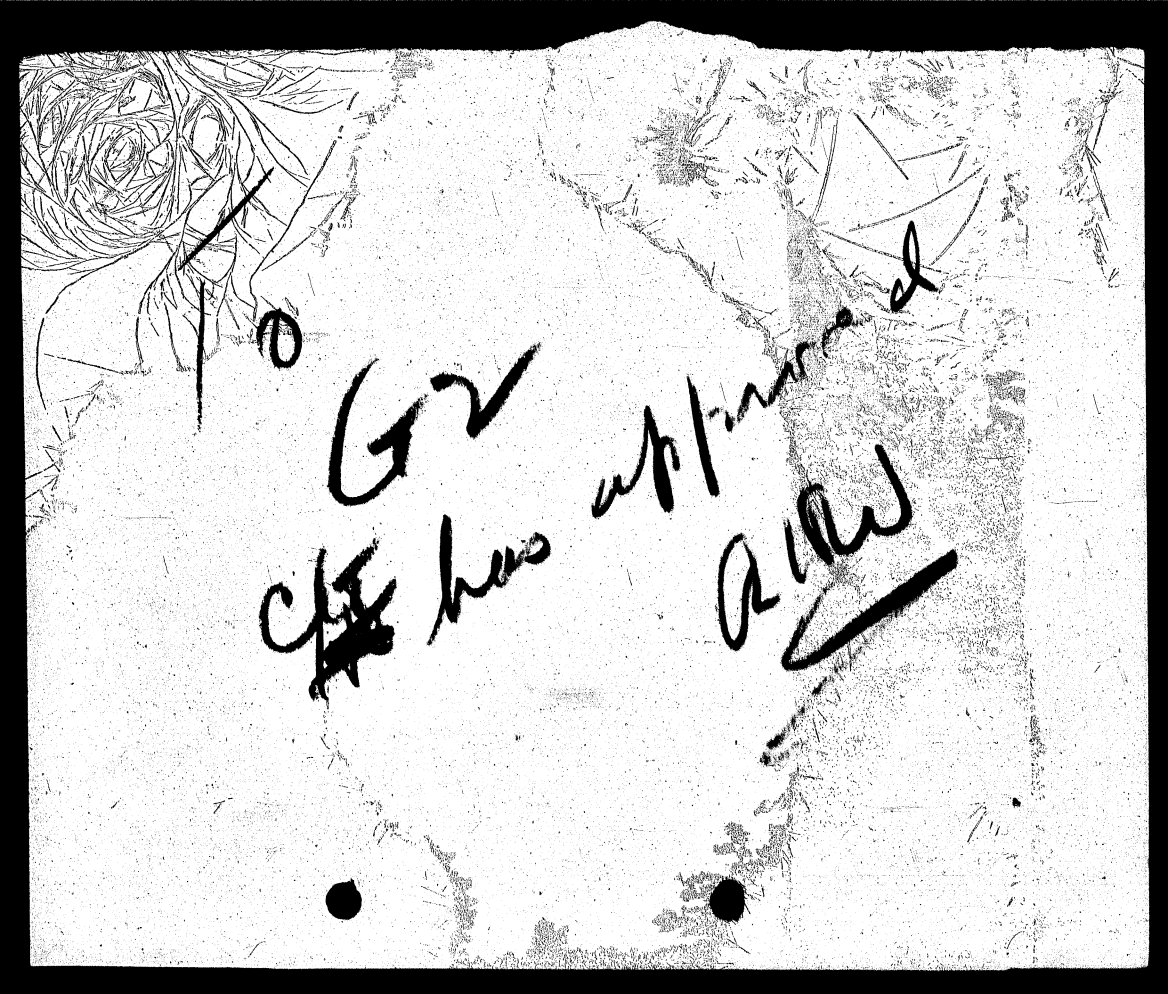
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

REQUEST CLEARANCE TO DROP THIS MESSAGE FROM CUB PLANE TO EY TROOPS (IN EFFECT):

" Commanding officer - - -
YOU HAVE TOO MANY HOSPITALS IN THE FRONT LINES. YOU WILL BE PERMITTED ONLY ONE HOSPITAL, TO BE IN THE REAR. YOU HAVE 24 HOURS TO COMPLY. "

(S-2 INFORMED TO LAY OFF UNTIL COMMAND DECISION HAS BEEN MADE AND PROPER CENSORSHIP REQUIREMENTS MET.

Message File No. 5 4 50 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines, Capt.



G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 DIV ARTY DATE 6 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1110

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

505 WISHES TO DROP 3 MESSAGES TO EY BY CUB PLANE. REQUEST INFO. AS TO CLEARANCE REQUIRED.

Message File No. 5-451 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Jones CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE 6 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

SHELLING:

1046: Cherokee : A2 130°, INTERMITTENT APPROX 10 RDS

1055: Seminole " 140°, " " "
(SAME GUN)

Message File No. 445 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Pri	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army — For Action

TO: All Stns — (W) For Information (INFO)

Date-Time of Origin: 061200A

Office Date Stamp

Message Instructions: QYM — GR: 67

Originator's No.

AIR O 114 O ARMD RECCE results rlys O to 1000hrs O ZWOLLE HEPPE ASSEN v2100 bm 15 clo tra fcg n v2082 eng dam strikes on tra bm 50 clo tra 1 eng dschrd stat v2185 both eng dam strikes on trg O eng E v2583 dam O ng attacks on following tgts 15 clo tra 5 v2882 O 3 tks 20/30 clo trg each rly ZWOLLE O many clo trg rly ossen

(GV483) Wt. 49335/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS, DEGREE OF PRIORITY: 5453

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR	W	
Time cleared		

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Srl. No. | Prio[illegible] | Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 061021A

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM — GR: 17

Originator's No.:

AIR 7 o A/R results o/a 0845 0905 hrs poor weather rms area except 1 tkr S a 0532

Dom

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THI or TOR 1040	W	WB
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ARMY FORM C 2138 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
	Yael/R Broadcast For Action.	1100	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No

Yael/R toa 0735 ⊙ NMS E9717 to A0225 to E9143 ⊙ F0698 trn Y&P mvg S ⊙ F0296 18 large met fcg S ⊙ Balance of area not covered ⊙ LAA E9833 ⊙ Yoa 0820 E2092 n/y 1 eng 100 trg 50 percent opns most appeared loaded ⊙ NMS in town ⊙ NMS E2092 to E4189 ⊙ NMS E5985 - E7477 - E4380 ⊙ E434786 ferry moored S Bank ⊙ E411754 6 dispersed met mvg NO E416727 1 arty tractor and trailer mvg S ⊙ NMS E2962 to E5668 ⊙ NMS Rly E4168 to E5272 ⊙ E456707 6 opn trg ⊙ E626845 NMS wood ⊙ LAA from E6184 and E62820 Yoa 0840 ⊙ E8138 and E7839 crossings no activity ferries or barges ⊙ E8528 2 large barges ⊙ E902090 bridge and approaches appear intact E9009 to K8198 3 barges ⊙ K792972 1 small boat S ⊙ K776932 Rly bridge intact ⊙ E910153 large white met S ⊙ E758400 to E902090 NMS Rly and area to River ⊙ NO observation of HORST due cloud ⊙ LAA E906086 ⊙ weather 6 to 10/10 cloud 2000 ft vis 5 miles.

5753

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			Time Cleared		

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: JaefR Broadcast For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 1115 hrs | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO) | Message Instructions. | GR

Originator's No.

JaefR toa 0815 ⊙ E2292 to 2394 5 scatt met fcg E Z 7801 1 met SO E5985 to E6384 5 scatt met both directions otherwise NMS Rd E2291 - E3998 - Z 7803 - E9595 to Arnhem ⊙ E2192 m/Y 500 trg 90 per cent clo 3 eng 1 trn 40 clo trg fcg SE ⊙ E3898 m/Y 500 plus trg 90 per cent clo 6 eng ⊙ Z 7903 trn 60 hp with red crosses fcg SE ⊙ E9396 m/Y 200 plus trg 90 per cent clo ⊙ E625845 nothing seen in area ⊙ E941952 Rd and Rly Bridge intact ⊙ E959969 Rly Bdge intact E961969 Rd Bdge intact ⊙ E292608 Rd Bdge intact E293608 Rly Bdge down LAA E6384 ⊙

~~5 Scatt met f~~

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			THI or TOR		
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G 2 DATE: 6 - NOV - 44

TO : Rear CP TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1245

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Query in re: jet plane overhead
Spoke to Sgt. TRUJILLO who stated
that plane dropped BOMB 3 BLOCKS WEST
of schoolhouse.

Message File No. 5457 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1ST LT.

Army Form C 2138. (Pads of 100).

AIR SUPPORT DEMAND FORM

Call		Transmission Instructions	
FROM	Above this line for Signals use only. 43 Div.	Date—Time of Origin	061405A
TO		Demand No.	BIG 1.

TARGET (To include any special purpose not obvious in description of target).	A. enemy H.Q. and 2 Mortars in prominent bldg at 795548 (5462)
TIME OVER TARGET	B. ASP
POSITION OF FORWARD TROOPS	C. 764360 770550 770544 765528 all West of 77 grid line
SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS (If any)	D. Red smoke available (P)
SIGNATURE	Inside this space for Signals use only. Operator 1435 Well/B
	THI or TOR
	Time Cleared

[27755]. Wt. 46403/218. 3,000 pads. 1/44. J.D. 51-8049.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) — Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 060957A

TO — For Action: All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

OFFICE DATE STAMP

Message Instructions: QYM — GR: 17

AIR 6 O A/R results too 0810 hrs O abortive due walker weather attached alternative tgt com bldgs E713822 orta nms.

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

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Time	System	Op.
1038	W	[illegible]

Time cleared

Wt. 42525 B.&S. Ltd. 51-4394

M40738/1444 350M 11/43 M. Ltd. 91-7553

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: ~~Jac/R Brigadecast~~ 2nd Echelon — Date-Time of Origin: 0900 — Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO ~~2nd Echelon~~

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 0810 ⊙ E4689 2 tnk 4 afv stat by side of Road

1000hrs.

Jac/R toa 0745 hrs ⊙ K620993 to 710867 all Bridges down ⊙ NMS area K7989-7079 -8377 ⊙ NMS Rd K7079 to 7889 ⊙ Balance of area not covered due to cloud ⊙ Loa 0745 ⊙ K8575 to F0176 nms ⊙ Balance of area not covered ⊙ LAA and HAA from K9484 ⊙ Loa 0800 ⊙ E904090 Bridge appeared intact ⊙ E3455 20 barges SW bank ⊙ E295534 1 met N ⊙ E289572 1 met N ⊙ E291607 Bridge intact ⊙ E270651 1 met W ⊙ E233644 1 met fcg. W ⊙ E172638 1 met mvg E ⊙ E115666 1 tug S ⊙ Nil activity or signs of digging area E300619 to E367573 ⊙ NMS E020485 to E106646 ⊙ NMS Rd E066696 to E081550 ⊙ NMS Rd and River E120610 to E165567 ⊙ River E0550 to E2551 not covered ⊙ LAA E0347 ⊙ Loa 0745 E801656 3 boats SE bank ⊙ E910620 to 970605 no observations ⊙ E965660 3 met mvg NW ⊙ E936788 to E900805 15 scatt barges ⊙ E898812 Rd and Rly Bridge up ⊙ E778762 Rd and Rly Bridge up ⊙ E765598 NMS ⊙ Balance of task not covered due to cloud ⊙

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CONSOLIDATED STRENGTH
82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

(As of 2400 Hours, 4 November 1944)

DO NOT TYPE

UNIT	FROM CHAMPION FORWARD		FROM BASE U.K.		STRENGTH BASE U.K.		CAMP SIBTON		CAMP SUTTON		CHAMPION FORWARD	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
DIV HQ	4	14	2	22	33	91	6	5			58	297
HQ CO			4		5	113	4	31				
MP PLATOON				6		22		6			3	49
SIG CO		4	2	7	3	65	2	11			7	115
MED CO	6	56			3	56	6	56			24	226
Q M CO	1	7		10	2	62	1	17			5	72
ORD CO			1	4	3	54			1	4	8	38
80 AA BN	1	10	2	43	6	107			3	53	33	452
ENGR BN	2	15	2	55	6	176	4	70			33	483
AGF BAND					1	28						
PRCHT MAINT					20	516						
325 GLI INF	1	10	8	230	30	729	9	240			92	1715
504 PRCHT INF	7	20	11	230	28	567	18	250			126	1494
505 PRCHT INF	6	23	1	201	22	607			7	224	129	1577
508 PRCHT INF	11	33	4	215	36	827	15	248			111	1257
DIV ARTY	3	16			2	27			3	16	18	80
19 GL FA BN		21	2	4	4	82			2	25	28	347
0 GL FA BN	1	19	1	16	6	87			2	35	24	330
P FA BN	2	21			3	80			2	21	36	323
P FA BN	2	9		41	9	166			2	30	33	420
TOTAL:	47	278	40	1084	222	4262	65	954	22	428	768	9475

SECRET

5466

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority		Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) — Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 061507

OFFICE DATE STAMP

For Action: All Stns

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM — GR. 55

Originator's No.

AIR 18 0 F/B results 0 tot 1245 0 oil dump e963691 all bombs area 965604 one column black smoke otherwise nms 0 wood e8454 attacked nms nro 0 2 met dam NW E6094 toa 1140-1240 0 ZWOLLE-MEPPEL-ASSEN toa 1310 trn 3 trp fcg N V1773 engine dam 0 12 trg V1057 strikes seen 0 no attack 30 trg m/y assen 0

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

5167

Time	System	Op.
1529	W	elf/6
Time cleared		

(GV485) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

M40738/1444 350M 11/43 M. Ltd. 51-7553

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Jael R Broadcast — For Action.

Date-Time of Origin: 150 ~~1200~~ hrs

Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jael R toa 1210 hrs O Z 6672 10 tugs towing canal barges in direction of Z 3559

1600 hrs

toa 1300 O E2958 to E2855 1 poss stationary column of mot fcg S and 1 col fcg N O toa 1425 O E710040 Rd Bridge intact E705034 temporary bridge intact O E721044 ~~Railway~~ Bridge intact O E728864 small bridge intact O E728042 small bridge intact O E720084 foot bridge intact O K 99 728997 4 amb near farm buildings O K 745979 1 mot W O E729 079 1 large mot mvg E into woods

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Cargo Mtr DATE 6-Nov-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1745

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000 - 0400

Surface winds Westerly to Southerly - 10 - 15 MPH freshening to 15 - 20 MPH later

weather - fine.

Vis - 4 to 8 miles deteriorating to 2 - 4 miles by midnight + locally 1000 - 3000 yds by dawn.

clouds - little or no low clouds, increasing amount of high clouds late in period

outlook - Cloudy with rift of rain later

Message File No. 5474 G-2 Sender/- Receiver: Stanyan, 1st Lt.

S E C R E T

HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
061800 November 44

PATROL PLAN for night 06/07 Nov:

Serial No.	Unit	Type	Mission	Area	Time Out
1.	1st Bn	Ambush	Ambush any Enemy workers	Amphibious to 766509	2000
2.	2nd Bn	Security	Security across entire front during night.		

AGEE
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
1 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 G-3, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO 508
1 CO and Staff 505
1 File

S E C R E T

5481

S E C R E T

HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
060700 November 44

PATROLA AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 05/06 November:

1. 2nd Bn S-2 Patrol left 0200 hr from 775623 and went to vic of 774618 and returned without making contact with enemy or discovering enemy installations.

2. "E" Co Patrol of three men left 1900 hr from 764612 and went East until pinned down by fire from MG which had fired on them night of 04/05 Nov. This MG is located on dyke between 769610 and 771620. Patrol returned same route and was back at 2200 hr. No casualties.

3. 1st Bn Ambush Patrol started down canal 761613 but had to turn back because of boat failure which drenched the men and their equipment. The same patrol was planned to be carried out 06/07 Nov.

AGEE
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
4 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO 508
1 CO and Staff 505
1 File

5482

S E C R E T

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty. DATE: 6-NOV-44.

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2000

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

From ~~CHARCOAL~~ 320:

AT 1940 Ey aircraft dropped white flare at 731560. AT 1950 Hwy dropped a Red flare at same place.

Message File No. 5464 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stenger 1st Lt.

SECRET

Patrol Plan

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
061800 November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 06-07 NOVEMBER 1944

First Bn - Maintaining local security andscreening patrols.

Second Bn - No patrol activity.

Third Bn - Maintaining local security and screening patrols.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
1 ea Bn
1 505
1 325
1 376
1 desk copy
1 CO 504
1 Div G-2
1 Div G-3
2 File

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5485

To: G-2 6 Nov 41
From: S-2, Div Arty

HOSTILE ARTY, MORTARS, MG's LOCATED

ENGAGED	LOCATION	WEAPON	SOURCE
YES	81195503	GUNS	320 FA
YES	767608	MORTAR	C/O
YES	806596	BTRY	CBO
YES	81535590	NEBEL	FLASH SP
YES	79705656	NEBEL	"
YES	81305560	NEBEL	"
YES	79725691	NEBEL	"
YES	76905734	MORTAR	RADAR
YES	79115989	NEBEL	376
YES	78065794	MORTAR	320
YES	7872 5839	H.V. GUN	320
YES	79456240	GUN	456
YES	80036275	GUN	456
YES	79306225	NEBEL	456
YES	80236385	AT GUN	456

SHEL REP

RPTD	TIME	OBSVR	IMPACT	AZ	CAL	NO RDS
376	1800	76755965		89°	105	
376	2020	76755965		91-30	LT	
376	1800	76755965		87°-15'	105	
376	2020	76755965		89°	LT	
376	1800	750595		1500 yds	105	20
456	1940	78006262		2721 yds	?	6
456	1959	78006262		2755 yds	?	4

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2105

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2037 EY patrol on front of 1E Co.
Harrassed by mortar fire.

Message File No. 5490 G-2 Sender - Receiver

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 584 DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2110

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

C #1 4 rds. @ 2035 Periodic
#2 12 rds @ 2058 of 5 Nov
#3 12 rds @ 2213

Fr 7705 5779 Az 30° Hv Col.
4 rds h.t 400 yds S. @ 2030

1805 2nd Bn reports 10 rds Med Arty in area

1810 10 rds in R50 Area

Message File No. 5491 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: SDS DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

NW 1915 759602 160-165-1 KS

12 rds Land behind MKS Q.

[redacted]

Message File No. 5495 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Sm X 2-H

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-3 DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1920

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Div. Hq. - SW gale warning W
expected to develope about midnight.
30-35 mph increasing to 45-50 mph.

Message File No. 5496 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): 2nd Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 6 JUN 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2100

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1st Bn [redacted] Unknown station
contacted HQ Co 504 at 2100
Station could not understand message
"Sading sent through your lines"
Z4 need no call sign.

5499

Message File No. ~~5502~~ G-2 Sender - (Receiver:) Sm X 2365

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: [illegible] DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO : G-2 ✓ TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

[illegible] flying bomb observed at 7465085
[illegible] flying toward observer in Azimuth
of 35° passing overhead and continuing on
Course of 215°.

30 Corps informed.

Message File No. 590/G-2 Sender - Received: Hall 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2340

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1955 Flare dropped on 320 —
Battery 1 gun being rebelled that
plane dropped flares on. White flare
followed in ten minutes by red flare.

Message File No. 5503 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30 Corps DATE: 6 Nov 44

TO : G TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2150

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

PW 3 Co. 1051 Regt 84 Div

PW states Co Hq 773557 [illegible]

home. Co relieved [illegible] Troops 4-5 wks

ago. CO is Col. KOSSACK

First time 1st Bn has been identified.

Captured by 43 Div.

182 Regt 116 & 146 Arty [illegible] — Disregard

[illegible] Middelburg in our hands

12th Corps - all [illegible] [illegible] - [illegible] 84 54 [illegible]

Message File No. 5504 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 070001 Nov 44

To: 072400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN
(703586)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		5505		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0100		5506		FR. 505 To G-2: NEG REPORT	
~~0100~~	0100	5507		FR. GSI 43 Div. To G-2: Answer to request for info on PW	
0105		5508		FR. 325, 504, 505 To G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0215		5509		FR. 325 TO G-2: HARASSING FIRE PUT INTO WOODS. PATROL PULLED BACK AND ASKED FOR ARTY. FIRE. ALL QUIET NOW.	
~~0215~~	0215	5510		FR. G-2 TO ALL UNITS: PERIODIC NO. 141 AND NEWS SUMMARY.	
0300		5511		FR. 504, 505, 325, TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (RADIO)	
0300		5512		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (PHONE)	
0300		5513		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT. (PHONE)	
0300		5514		FR. 325 TO G-2 NEG. RPORT (PHONE)	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 07001 Nov 44

To: 072400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: Nijmegen

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages Orders	Action taken
0500		5515		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0500		5516		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: (RADIO) NEGATIVE REPORT	
0505		5517		FR 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0510		5518		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0700		5519		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0700		5520		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0702		5521		FR 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0703		5522		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: (RADIO) REPORT NEG	
0715		5523		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL [redacted] REPORT	[redacted], DIV ARTY, G/S 30 CORPS
0755		5524		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	DIV ARTY, G/S 30 CORPS

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 070001 NOV 44

To: 072400 NOV 44 (Date and Hour)

Place: HOMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME CUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0810		5525		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	DIV ARTY C/S 30 CORPS
0810		5526		ACofS, G-2 REPORTED INJURED IN JEEP ACCIDENT, HE AND DRIVER IN HOSPITAL	
0830		5527		FR 782 ORDN TO G-2: 6 STOP WATCHES HAVE BEEN RCD FOR G-2 & DIV ARTY REQUEST INFO AS TO BREAKDOWN	
0840		5528		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R 07/0734 SECT	
0840		5529		FR 30 CORPS MEM TO G-2: WEATHER APT	C/S
0900		5530		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0900		5531		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0900		5532		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0920		5533		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: ISUM #535	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 070001 Nov 44
To: 072400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)
Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0730		5534		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: CI SUREP	
[illegible]		5535		FR MIS, E.T.O.U.S.A. TO G-2: SPECIAL ORDERS F-50	
[illegible]		5536		FR SHEAF TO G-2: INTELLIGENCE NOTES	
0750		5537		FR ~~[illegible]~~ 30 CORPS TO G-2: AIR NOTES 169	
1000		5538		FR 505 ~~PRCHT INF~~ TO G-2: PATROL REPORT 6/7 & CONTEMPLATED 7/8 NOV. PLAN	
[illegible]		5539		[illegible] TO [illegible]	
[illegible]		5540		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: REQUEST 2 STOPWATCHES FOR ~~CHECKER~~ ~~340~~ 456	
1035		5541		FR G-3 TO G-2: G-3 PERIODIC REPORT	
1035		5542		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
1045		5543		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 070001 NOV 44

To: 072400 NOV 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME CUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1105		5544		FR 504, 505, 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
1105		5545		FR AG TO G-2: GEN. COURT MARTIAL ORDER NO. 93	
1115		5546		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1115		5547		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1100		5548		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: BR ARTY ENGAGING WORKPARTY AT 82735579	
1100		5549		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: AT 0942 CHECKER ENGAGED DIGGING 7296 98 - HTT 3 BUILDINGS WHICH ALL EXPLODED	
1120		5550		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT.	
1130		5551		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
1220		5552		FR 2nd ARMY: AIR 17 ⊙ A/R RESULTS ⊙ TOO	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 070001 Nov 44

To: 072400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN

TIME IN	TIME CUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
		5552	(cont'd)	0855-0920 6 PLUS BARGES ATTACKED @ 2560. 2 FLAMERS 2 DAMAGED OTHERWISE. NHS 0 2 TRAINS ATTACKED BAAL M/Y K9872 1 ENGINE DESTROYED, 1 ENGINE DAMAGED, ALSO SMALL OIL TANK DESTROYED AT 0830	
1220		5553		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC R	
1230		5554		FR 508 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
1305		5555		Fr 504 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1310		5556		Fr 325 TO G-2: OP Noted Activity AT 790559. Arty fired with good results.	
[redacted]		[redacted]			
1322		5557		Fr 505 TO G-2 Neg REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1325		5558		Fr 508 To G-2: Patrol Report 5/6 Nov	
1325		5559		Fr 30 Corps To G-2: Corps Courier	
1340		5560		Fr 504 & 505 To G-2: Neg by radio	
~~1410~~	1410	5561		Fr G-2 To MIS ETO: Promotion of Pfc Fred J. GUTMAN (IPW)	4 Copies SENT forward
	~~1410~~				
	1410	5562		Fr G-2 To MIS ETO (forward): Promotion of S/Sgt Burrer (IPW)	4 Copies SENT.
1410	~~1410~~	5563		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1440		5564		FR 101 A/B Div TO G-2: Security INFO.	
1440		5565		FR 30 Corps TO G2: Counter BATTRY INT	
1440		5566	6 NOV	FR 101 A/B Div TO G-2: Periodic No 50	
1440		5567	6 NOV	FR 43 Div TO G-2: INT SUMMARY No 70	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders (REPORT)	Action taken
1505		5568		Fr All Regts To G-2: Neg By RADIO	
1505		5569		FR 504 TO G-2 Neg (phone) REPORT	
1505		5570	6 Nov.	FR CG TO G2: Special orders NO 263	
1522		5571		Fr 505 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1500		5572		Fr 325 TO G-2: SHELREP	
1605		5573		FR 5AGRA TO G-2: ISUM NO 120	
1605		5574	6 Nov	FR 5AGRA TO G-2: TARGETS ENGAGED	
1606		5575		FR ETOUSA TO G-2: Appointment of CIC personnel As 2d Lts.	
1615		5576	12 Sept	FR CG TO G-2: Letter Orders Qualifying MAJ Ketterson, Cpl DeHay & Cpl Swanson as Parachutists	Copies to Those Concerned
1622		5576A		FR 2d Army To G-2: A/R Results	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1622		5577		FR TAC/R TO G-2: TAC/R AS of 1200	
1910		5578		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1715		5579		FR 307 TO G-2: ENEMY SITUATION REPORT	
1715		5580		FR 307 TO G-2: ENEMY INT. REPORT	
1725		5581		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELREPANDEX-T-7-1836	
1805		5582		FR 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	
1810		5583		FR G TO G-2: CLASSIFICATION of DOCUMENTS (100 Copies)	
~~1810~~		~~5583~~			
1810		5583A		FR G TO G-2: COMBAT QUESTIONNAIRE	
1905		5584		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1905		5585		FR 325 TO G-2: 3 CONCENTRATIONS OF MED ARTY - BTRY OF 4 GUNS - FIRED ON ROAD (cont'd)	
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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
		5585	(cont'd)	749573 TO 753558. FR. REGT. OP ILLU-	
				MINATING FLARE ACTIV DEEP IN ENEMY TER-	
				2 GUN FLASHES AZ. OF 70° FR. OP ABOUT	
				3 MILES OUT.	
1905		5586		FR 505. TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1905		5587		FR 30th CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER REPORT	
1925		5588		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1930		5589		FR 504 S-2 TO G-2: PERIODIC REPORT	
1930		5590		FR. 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1930		5591		FR 504 TO G-2: INTER. OF 2 MIA EM	
1935		5592		FR 505 S-2 TO G-2: REPORT S-2	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:
(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME CUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1935		5593		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1940		5594		FR DIV SSO TO G-2: PAMPHLET ON ARMY TALKS	
1950		5595		FR 30th CORPS G2 TO NEWS SUMMARY	
2015		5596		FR. 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN 7-8 NOV.	
2015		5597		FR. 325 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT NO. 58	
2030		5598		FR. 325 TO G-2: BORDER BREEZE	C/S, G-3, DIV ARTY, G-1 - XXX CORPS
2035		5599		FR. DIV ARTY TO G-2: HOSTILE EY. ARTY LOCATED	
2040		5600		FR: XXX CORPS TO G-2: TIME DATE FOR MAILING OF CHRISTMAS CARDS!	
2040		5601		FR XXX CORPS TO G-2: BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT	
2100		5602		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG. (PHONE-RADIO) REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____
(Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2100		5603		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2100		5604		FR: 325 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2130		5605		FR. 524 TO G-2: SHELREP:	
[redacted]	2200	5606		FR. G-2 TO. THEATER CENSOR: REQUEST CENSOR-SHIP CLEARANCE.	
[redacted]	2200	5607		FR G-2 TO G-1: REMINDER LT MAUTNER-Sgt. FUNK ARE ON TAP TO PROCEED TO [redacted] AREA	
[redacted]	2210	5608		FR G-2 TO 325: REQUEST KIND OF GUN LOCATED AT 805563.	
2210		5609		FR. XXX CORPS TO G-2: SIT REP.	
2230		5610		FR. DIV ARTY TO G-2: 376 REPORTS TKS AND TRACKED VEHICLES IN WYLER.	
2245		5611		FR. DIV. [redacted] TO G-2: TK COMING DOWN RD FR. SMOREN HOOK INSIDE WYLER-MEER-GOING BACK SAME RD.	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	action taken
2310		5612		FR 325 To G-2 : Report on Flares	
2310		5613		FR 504 To G-2 : TANK around ZYFFLICH	
2315		5614		FR 325, 504, 505 To G-2: Negative ~~Rep~~ (Radio) REPORT	
2315		5615		FR 505 To G-2 : Negative REPORT	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE: ~~07~~ 7 Nov 44

TO: G51 43 Div TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0015

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Query whether any additional information from Pw taken by 43 Div.

His Co extends about 400 yds to N of 773557. He believes 2 Co is on left but not sure but does not know what is on his right. Bn Hq at Elsenhof. Co been in line 4-5 weeks. Co about 70 strong, 2 Plats mostly Germans. He from 2 Plat & has 3 sections & his section has one MG and 5 men. His section has 1 MG, 2 Panzafaust, 1 MP. Had surrender leaflets in his pocket as well as one of the leaflets addressed to 84 Div.

Message File No. 5507 G-2 (Sender) - Receiver: Kelton

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 7 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0150

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2400 [illegible] fire put [illegible]. Ambush patrol fired on. Patrol pulled back & called for arty fire. All quiet now.

Message File No. 5509 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
06 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news is from LONDON BBC digests:

German commanders strove tonight to block Allied advances in both HOLLAND and HUNGARY, while in other sectors three American armies on the West Wall pushed the enemy back in local gains, the Yugoslavs cleared the Greek border in MACEDONIA, and Albanian patriots seized most of their capital from the Hitler troops.

News correspondents tonight declared that the Germans, who have withdrawn across the MAAS in HOLLAND and left only their rear guard, are establishing a line of defense north of the river. BERLIN claimed that the escape bridges had been blown, but a Canadian newsman broadcasting from the front declared that the bridges were intact. The German rear guard, according to SHAEF news correspondents, stubbornly defended yet today the approaches to the escape bridges.

Meanwhile, Allied sources announced that since the battles to make ANTWERP harbor available for our use began the German Fifteenth Army has lost 60% of its strength. The figures include 25,000 prisoners, 5,000 killed, 10,000 wounded, leaving the Germans some 20,000 men in fighting condition. In addition, the struggle for ANTWERP and its approaches has resulted in liberation of some 12,000 square miles of Belgian and Dutch territory.

The Germans clung desperately to the small acreage they still have on WALCHEREN Island, guarding the waterway approach to ANTWERP. The Allies have reached the outskirts of MIDDELBURG, but steady machine gun fire blocked additional advances. Other forces had reached the German escape port on the East Coast.

The Allies sank ten barges which were attempting to move across the MAAS yesterday. More than 200 sorties were flown in HOLLAND despite inclement weather.

A correspondent who witnessed the bombardment attack on WALCHEREN Island, in which four out of five craft participating were damaged or lost, said tonight that the assault beggared description. The men fought valiantly. One ship approached the shores after it had been hit by artillery six times and then struck a mine before going down. The original plans were for a 48-hour air bombardment of WALCHEREN, but weather conditions did not permit and the seaborne bombardment assault was substituted.

Fierce fighting is reported along the inland side of the NIJMEGEN salient, west of VENLO. It was in this sector that the Germans counterattacked a few days ago. Since then the Allies have forced the Germans back.

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FROM: 060001 NOV 44.
TO : 062400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
062400 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

No. 141.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey mortars locatedtoday and engaged by Allied Arty: Nebelwerfers at 81535590, 79705656, 81305560, 79725691, 79115989, and 79306225; mortars at 767608, 76905734, 78065794 (Div Arty).

(2) Mortar at 788615 (505).

(3) Co CP at 773557, Bn CP at ELSENHOF (PW to 43 Div).

c. Units in Contact: PW (deserter) taken by 43 Div (Br)said he was from 3d Co, 1051 Regiment. He said his Co CP was at 773557 and his Bn CP at ELSENHOF. He said that his company had come into the line four or five weeks ago.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty from WAAL River to REICHSWALD (incl); (No change)- 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Guns at 81195503, btry at 806596, high velocity gun at 78725839, AT gun at 80236385, and guns at 79456240 and 80036275 (Div Arty).

(3) Ey arty posn at 800557 (325).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary: The enemy continued his sporadic artillery and mortar fire.

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b. Operation of Component Elements.

(1) Artillery Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rds	No. of Guns	Cal.	Interval
325	1030-1130	(757573	130)	10	1	?	?
		(76105730	140)				
325	1230-1330	(757573	130)	?	1	?	?
		(76105730	140)				
376 FA	1800	76755965	89	?	?	105	?
376 FA	1800	76755965	87.25	?	?	105	?
376 FA	1800	750595	1500 M	20	?	105	?
456 FA	1940	78006262	2721 M	6	?	?	?
456 FA	1959	78006262	2755 M	4	?	?	?
376 FA	2020	76755965	91.5	?	?	Lt	?
376 FA	2020	76755965	89	?	?	Lt	?
504	2030	77055779	30	4	?	Hvy	?

(2) Aviation, Combat:

(a) Ey jet-propelled plane dropped bomb vic Div Hq (rear) about 1235.

(b) Ey plane dropped white flare at 1940 vic 731560 (Div Arty).

(3) Infantry: Ey believed to be setting up mortars at night in AT ditch near VOSSENDAAL (325).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.
(b) Taken to date: 2,994.

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Light rain during night 5 - 6 Nov. Clear to cloudy, with some light rain, during daylight. Cool.

(2) Outlook during coming 24 hours: Cloudy, with prospect of rain.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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G-2

DISTRIBUTION: G-2 "A" plus

50 Div (Br)	- 1	2 Bn Irish Gds	- 1
30 Corps (Br)	- 1	3103 QM Trk Co	- 1
43 Div (Br)	- 1	JEDBURGH Team	- 1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	- 5	PHANTOM	- 1

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf [illegible]
Bergen Dal, Holland
070600 November 1944

Subject: Result of Patrol Activities for Night 6-7 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during the night 6-7 November 1944.

First and Third Battalion conducted routine screening and security Patrols from FLR to OPL. Encountered no enemy.

For the commanding officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
S-2

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S E C R E T

HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
070700 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 06/07 Nov:

1. 1st Bn amphibious left 1830 and went to 766609 and set up an ambush. Returned at 2400. Made no contact and observed no activity or installations.

2. 2nd Bn security patrols across their front have nothing to report or enemy activity during night.

3. Other: Night was cold and windy with intermittent rain.

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DISTRIBUTION:
4 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO 508
1 CO and Staff 505
1 File

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C/S
Div. ARTY

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SECRET

Hq 325th Glider Inf
In The Field
7 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 6 - 7.

Patrol # 1: Co F, 4 men in charge of Sgt. Taylor, established ambush outpost in vic of 771574. Remained in position from shortly after 1900 until 0400 during which time the only activity observed was the normal use of flares on the part of the cy.

Patrol # 2: Co G, 4 men in charge of S/Sgt. Crane, who established ambush outpost in front of G Co lines, vic of 771565. The patrol moved out about 1900 and during the night heard cy activity at the southern tip of Ben Houvil, which included digging, driving stakes and the movement of wire. The patrol returned about 0400.

Patrol # 3: Co E, 4 men in charge of Actg Sgt. Carroll, who established ambush outpost shortly after dusk to the E Co front. At 1945 they heard cy of undetermined strength moving against E Co's regular outpost and the ambush patrol withdrew to this outpost, while we threw a mortar and arty concentration into the area where the cy was heard. At 2130 the ambush patrol returned to their position, which was in the vic of 770562, and remained there until 0430. They reported a MG firing from 774564.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 782 ORD DATE: 7 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0820

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

6 STOP WATCHES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED FOR ISSUE TO G-2 AND DIV ARTY. REQUEST INFO. AS TO BREAK DOWN AND DISTRIBUTION DESIRED —

Message File No. 5527 G-2 Sender (Receiver): Garner Capt

M40738/1444 350M 14/43 M. Ltd. 51-7953

ARMY FORM C 2136 (L[redacted]) — MESSAGE FORM — Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	[redacted] Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
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For Action.

TO All Stars

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions.	GR
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Originator's No

AIR 34 O A/R results 2 barges a 0298 1 smoker 1 dam TOA 1340 O Aerodrome strafed a 2858 O Scatt net Sat A 1550 loss dam O Attacked and dest 2 net S a 080100 O Attacked 2 Refl nw a 055110 1 dest O Attacked 10 barges moored S bank A 7186 4 dest 4 dam. 20 burned out barges seen N bank Tat 1510 Z 9745 bombed abtn No. Lift repair crew and eng at Z 7102 eng dam. 20 plus tug on line to w of break Z 7102 1 eng severely dam m/y a 224230 plus tug strafed

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061820
QYM 38

AIR 34 O Fighter-bomber results O Bombed dumps Z 289036 Z 286834 2 large explosions. Largest yet seen O No smoke no fire abtn Tat 1555 O Aerodrome Refge E 713832 attacked with and good fire started Tea 1335 O HG a 015594 85 Mng Lit TOA 1555

1555 (W) Holmes

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ARMY FORM C 2138 (Large) — MESSAGE FORM — Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
	For Action.	1800	
TO	(W) For Information (INFO)	Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No

Jae/R Loa 1600 hrs K643957 Bridge down O K776933 Bridge appeared intact balance not completed O Loa 1634 O K629991 Bridges down and K655932 60 O ~~AMS K6299~~ NMS K6299 to K6888 O No bridging activity seen in area K6896 nothing seen NMS in area O NMS Rd K6694 to KY591 O LAA KY0930 Toa 1735 NMS Rd E035505 - 085618 - 108645 271654 - 295520 O NMS Rd E066696 - 788510 - 295520 - ~~345569~~ ~~350587~~ 345559 - 380687 O NMS E120610 to 196527 O NMS Rd E178616 - 217547 - 240525 O NMS River E120610 - 199520 - 239524 O NMS and no foot activity River E035605 to 365575 O E300519 to 367513 No diggings seen on River O E2961 Bridge intact O E105576 1 mot WO O E220611 4 mot fcg WO E223624 3 suspected half track mat mot edge O

5528

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | 3rl. No. | ty | Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 0/0734

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYH | GR: 60

Originator's No.

AIR 2 0 Fighter F/B results 6 now 0 vis generally poor and a/c saw little red movement 0 tgts attacked incl Rumps Z2803 obtv using 2 huge explosions also hy a 0194 arty also Def posns houses 23251 arty 0 claims not 3 Dest 11 Dam eng 11 Dam brg 2 Dest 46 Dam barges 4 Dest 6 Dam rail cuts 20 at 12 points

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

Time	System	Op.
Time of Origin 0820	W	CYP
Time cleared		

(G 463) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & E. Ltd. 46-244.

M40738/1444 350M 11/43 M. Ltd. 51-7553

ARMY FORM C 2[illegible] (Large) MESS[illegible] FORM Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
For Action.	1900	
TO (W) For Information (INFO)	Message Instructions.	GR

Originator's No.

Dare/R tor 1650 0 Noact Venlo to E8138
and from E8138 to E7838 0 E8428 5 met NO
gun flashes from wood at E840200 and E882200
NMS Venlo - E7824 - E8330 0 NMS Hobbe 0 Hand
LAA from E8318 0 Balance of area not covered due
clouds

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To G-2

Hq 508th Prcht Inf
In The Field
061230 Nov 1944

Patrol Plan 6/7 Nov 1944

	Unit	Type of Patrol	Mission	Area of Operation	Time Out	Time In
1	1st Bn	Combat	Obtain prisoner	762662-762660	0200	0600
	1st Bn	Recn	Recn for combat patrol	762662-762660	1700	2300
	3rd Bn	Recn	Recn for ey operations	759683-762678	1700	2400
	3rd Bn	Recn	Recn for ey approaches	765665-765664	1700	2400
	2nd Bn	Security -Ambush	Recover and observe ey operations and movement - Obj	748693- vic	1700	2400
6	2nd Bn	"	" " " "	755685-vic	2200	0200
	2nd Bn	"	" " " "	751691-vic	2400	0400

Contemplated Patrol Plan 7/8 No[illegible] 44

1	2nd Bn	Security -Ambush	To cover & observe ey operations & movement	750691-vic	0800	2200
2	2nd Bn	"	" " " "	757[illegible]3-vic	2200	2400
3	2nd Bn	Recn	Recn dyke approaches/movement of ey outposts	752689-754687	2200	0300
4	1st Bn	Security	Observe ey movement	[illegible]-765672	2100	0400
5	1st Bn	"	" " "	[illegible]8-762662	2100	0400
6	1st Bn	"	" " "	[illegible]62-761660	2100	0400

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Rec'd 070130 #1994
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-4 DIV ARTY DATE: 7 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1010

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

REQUEST 2 STOP WATCHES FOR ARTY USE ~~[illegible]~~ '456 FA

Message File No. 544 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Gaines, Capt

CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, ~~6 November 1944~~)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	28	232	19	855	28	462	26	480	89	1689		
504	28	186	31	484	28	486	39	357	126	1513		
505	26	241	38	441	33	417	28	477	125	1576		
508	29	238	28	356	28	348	28	326	111	1468		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WIA & NYA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	100	13	248	28	567	7	554	58	1469	89	1689
504	13	87	5	85	29	582	8	141	46	895	126	1513
505	6	99	1	68	25	539	16	186	47	892	125	1576
508	15	115	4	110	27	406	7	150	53	781	111	1468
INF	41	401	21	501	109	1704	38	969	206	3436	449	6098
ARTY	5	27	7	95	25	159	4	93	39	378	141	1741
ENGR	2	25	1	4	5	70		39	11	145	55	472
MED					2	1	18		14	1	34	34	226
SIG							2		2		4	7	116
80th AA		18	1	4	5	65	1	36	7	123	35	461
OTHERS		4		6	5	35	1	16	4	51	75	498
TOTAL	48	473	30	610	151	2052	41	1355	288	4159	789	9416

Note: Status of 508 as of Nov 5.

OFFICER CASUALTIES

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RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 DIV ARTY DATE 7 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1100

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Brit. ARTY IS ENGAGING WORKING PARTY AT 82735579.

(P)

Message File No. 5348 G-2 Sender (Receiver): James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
SCD A/D DIVISION

FROM: S-2 Div Arty DATE 7 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1100

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 0942 456 FA engaged men digging eX772964538, one Rd cut building in area & building exploded. Fired on surrounding buildings and they too exploded. (TOTAL: 9)

(P)

Message File No 1549 G-2 Sender (Receiver) Gainey CAPT

M40738/1444 350M 11/43 M. Ltd. [illegible] 7553

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A)	Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
	Dael R Broadcast For Action.	0900	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Dael R Toa 0810 O E709121 Bridge down O E728066 E729065 E710040 Bridges intact O E718044 pontoon bridge not in use O.

1000

Dael R Toa 0805 O Bridges appeared intact at E710039 - E729065 - K776933 - E904090 and pontoon at E728067 O E718044 4 barges but no Bridge seen O No activity and no bridge seen at E709121 and E720045 and E705037 and E728070 O NMS in wood square K7396 - K7496 - K7395 - K7495 O E7106 NMS in town O E8109 LAA O Toa 0800 O E0657 2 met NO E0766 1 met NO Rd E0654 - 1065 - 2765 - 2952 NMS O E2958 3 met N O NMS River E0350 to E3657 no ferry activity seen O E353575 1 met & inf E across bridge O E853540 trench 50 ft long running N and S O E353550 2 trenches 20 ft long running N and S O E293607 Rly Bridge down Rd Bridge intact O E341565 20 plus barges O NMS River E120610 - 199520 - 239524 O E160570 to 200560 15 plus scatt barges O E197526 and E238529 Bridges intact O NMS Rds Balance of area O.

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 071153

For Action: All Stns.

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

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Office Date Stamp

Message Instructions: QYM | GR

Originator's No.

AIR 170 A/R results 0 for 0855-0920 6 plus barges attacked e 2560 2 flowers 2 dam otherwise. NHS 0 2 for attacked BAAL m/y K9872 1 eng Dest 1 eng dam also small oil tank Dest 0830

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Signed (5552)

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Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority

Time	System	Op.
THR or TOR 1215	W	dfb
Time cleared		

(GV483) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 46-244.

M40738/1444 350M 14/43 M. Ltd. 51-7953

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	-	-	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Lae/R Broadcast For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 071100 | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No

Lae/R toa 0845 O Sleet and snow O Vis 5 miles O ferry found moored at E bank E826664 O E823677 ferry E bank O E877606 ferry in operation mvg SO E898604 ferry in operation O E916656 1 met N O E980698 1 met N O E946707 1 met and 12 inf NO E958716 1 large met NEO E958717 1 large met NEO E962748 3 met N into town O E946733 pass tank transporter SO E980743 1 met E O E958776 1 met N O E933716 1 met S O E918696 1 met and 12 plus cycles NEO E928782 1 met W O E916800 2 met E O E898800 1 met S O E844812 1 met NE and 1 NW O E868677 1 met S crossing bridge and 1 met S approaching bridge O LAA at E9761 and E9080 and E8368 and E8869 O Lae/R toa 0900 O NMS E7207 and all Rds leading into town O NMS E7207 to E710040 O Bridge intact at E710040 - Crossing at E730065 - footbridge at E730074 and bridge at K629998 also intact O Intense acc Hand LAA K7890 O

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Hq 508th Prcht.Inf.
In The Field
070800 Nov 1944

PATROL REPORT 6/7 Nov 19--

Patrol #1 left our forward positions 760663 at 2400 hr. A covering force of five men was left at the long barns at 760662 and the remainder of the patrol moved into position at the ruined house 761661 without incident. At approx 0030 hr the patrol stormed the house with grenades and TSMGs. The house was found to be unoccupied. The ey retaliated immediately with MGs from green house 765664, twin house 764662 and about 25 yds behind the ruined house 761661. The patrol returned by fire and movement to our lines at 1330 hr.

Patrol #2 left our forward positions at 2215 hr for a route reconnaissance to vic 761661 to be used by the Combat Patrol. The patrol returned at 2315 hr without incident.

Patrol #3 was active in the vic 758677 from 2000 hr to 0200 hr without encountering the ey.

Patrol #4 went to the vic of the green house 765664 at 1930 hr and observed three Germans. One member of the patrol threw a grenade at them before the patrol returned at 2130 hr.

Patrol #5 went to 748691 at 1900 hr and remained there till 2145 hr. During this time there were many flares fired, and a MG fired intermittently from the brick ruins east of the bridge 747698. While returning the patrol drew fire from MG on the dyke at 749692 and 750692.

Patrol #6 went to 750690 at 2220 hr. At 2300 hr 2 MGs about 50 yds apart at 753690 fired to the front covering entire area with grazing fire. It is not believed the fire was directed at patrol, however, the fire did make the position untenable. The patrol returned at 0015 hr.

Patrol #7 left at 1945 hr and moved to 754685. At 2210 hr 2 MGs fired into Co D from 757688. There was a MG at 755686 on the canal firing down the ditch at this point. No tracer ammo was used. The patrol made no contact and returned at 0200 hr.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 7 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1310

① at 1200 from 7536 5573(OP) NOTED Activity AT 790559. Arty fired with good results.

② at 1225 from 75365573(OP) Noted flak gun AT 805563. Arty Notified

(P)

Message File No. 5556 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Capt White
S1Sgt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 7-Nov-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1430-1500

About 10 shells in area Het. 1430 + 1500.
No Az.

Message File No. 5572 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1ST LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 7-Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1725

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone) radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Concentration of Nebelwffe Nebl. + ARTy about 200 yds from CP. No AZ. or other data

(757573)

At 1610 church reported 2 Ey at 784545 in a camouflaged position

Message File No. 5781 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stanger, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
8CD A/D DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE 2-NOV-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1900

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

(P) 3 Concentrations of Med Arty - bearing of 4 guns - fired on round 749573 to 753558.

Chemical Equip.

Illuminating plane activity Sup a Ey Territory

2 Gun flashes Az of 70° from Chemical - about 3 miles out.

Message File No. 5515-2 Sender - Receiver Stanger, 1st LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps - Mist DATE 7-28-44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 1810

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messonger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000 - 0400.

Surface winds westerly 20-25 MPH - Gusty.

Weather - Cloudy with rain later

Vis - Over 4 miles diminishing to 2-4 Miles in Rain.

Clouds - 6/10 to 9/10 cumulus at 2000 - 3000 ft; becoming 6/10 to 9/10 layer clouds at 2000 - 3000 ft; & 7/10 to 10/10 at 1000 - 2000 later. 7/10 to 9/10 Med. clouds at 10000 ft.

Outlook - Cloudy at first becoming fair later

Message File No. 380 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Stanley 1st Lt.

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PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
071815 November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 07-08 NOVEMBER 1944

First Bn: Maintaining local security and screening patrols.

Second Bn: No patrol activity.

Third Bn: Maintaining local security and screening patrols.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
"To accompany S-2
Periodic Report No 51"

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The following was received from GSI at 071915 Nov 44:

"Very little to tell you, very quiet today on all fronts.

"From the W: There was still fighting in MIDDELBURG this morning. Nothing to report on XII Corps front. On VIII Corps front no operational news but some deserter from Bn Nickol states that the 1st Co is in the area E7748 and the 2nd Co in the area E7846.

"Farther South, near AACHEN, there are indications that the 3rd PZG Div is pulling out although the 10th Co of 8 PGR (in 3rd PZG) is still in WURSELEN, just to the NE of AACHEN.

"No further news from the 28th U. S. Div front although the BBC at lunch time stated that the Germans had recaptured VOSSENACH. This village is just to the NW of SCHMIDT.

"A few headquarters reported. Civilians say that [redacted]---- MODEL's Hq are at PRAEST A0359 (that amends what was shown in the summary last night). Also a report from a civilian of a headquarters, which one unknown, E309679. Submitted to Army, who expects to do something about it soon.

"West of the-[redacted] sector on our own front buildup of guns. Counterbattery officer thinks there may be 50 guns between the [redacted] WAAL and WAGENINGEN, along NW sector."

101 A/B Div

[redacted] told GSI that a Spitfire with RAF markings, apparently German-piloted, strafed their area today.

Above read. by SGT Strother

J-395

To: G-2 7 Nov

From: S-2, Div Arty

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	80355590	Nebel	320 FA
Yes	79985537	Nebel	Radar
Yes	80605508	Nebel	CMO
Yes	81305560	Nebel	CMO
Yes	80375518	Nebel	Div Arty
Yes	77945650	Nebel	Div Arty
Yes (Br)	788512	Btry (2 Fd)	CBO
Yes	79555554	Arty	320
Yes	79945642	Nebel	CMO
Yes	80506045	Gun	376
Yes	77365998	AT Gun	376
Yes (Br)	78135418	Nebel	CMO

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE 7 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2105

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

OP 7722586 2 B 110° Flying
bomb launched X mat NE & SW
2100

Cpl

Message File No. 5605 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-2 DATE 7 NOV 44

TO : 325 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2200

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

805563 what kind of flak guns were captured by Chief (75505635)?

No further information

Message File No. 5668 G-2 Sender - Receiver: 2 NOV 44

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: [illegible] DATE 7 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2145

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

[illegible] Moerdijk still held by en[illegible]

Willemstad has been captured — 2 W of Moerdijk

[illegible] all but [illegible] 200 prisoners so far — Many from DASER — Stomach Bn.

NE of Dinteloord ([illegible]) [illegible] only [illegible] of organized resistance.

VEEKEN talking.

Message File No. 5609 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
80D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div Arty DATE 7 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2025

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

376 report [illegible]

GUYLER

[illegible]

Message File No. 561 G-2 Sender - Receiver

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: DIV ArtY DATE 7 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT 2245

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle One).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

TK came down Road to Simmenhook inside mine field - seem to be going back same Road. Capt. Stafford thinks it is road to Zyfflich.

Message File No. 5611 G-2 Sender - Receiver: DeHay, Cpl

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 7 Nov 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

(575753)
Chamblee - Col Flint A3 85° 1100 yds;
" " " A3 90° 1100 yds;
" " " Den Hueval;
" " " A3 90° 200 yds;
" " Armstrong " " ".

Front exceptionally quiet. No shelling for 4 hrs. No mg. fire or mortar fire.

Message File No. 561 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Smith 2nd Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 7 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2140 - TK turned ZYFFLICH to WYLER. Thirty lined on talk on it went back to ZYFFLICH.

Very quiet except for planes.

Message File No. 5613 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): [illegible]

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

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From: 08001 Nov. 44

To: 082400 (Date and Hour)

Place: Nijmegen

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		5616		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO-PHONE) REPORT	
0100		5617		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. (RADIO) REPORT	
0100		5618		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO-PHONE) REPORT	
[redacted]	0115	5619		FR. G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 REPORT No. 142.	
0125		5620		FR. 504 TO G-2: TK MOVEMENT ON ZYFFLICH-WYLER [redacted] RD.	
[redacted]	0130	5621		FR. G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 NEWS SUMMARY	
0300		5622		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE-RADIO) REPORT	
0310		5623		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG (PHONE-RADIO) REPORT	
0320		5624		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO-PHONE) REPORT	
0500		5625		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0501		5626		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0510		5627		FR 325 TO G-2: EGO REPS A LIGHT BLINKING AT 100°AZ (VIC DAN HEUKEL)	
0520		5628		FR 505, 504, TO G-2: NEG REPORTS (RADIO)	
0650		5629		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	C/S Mtr Co & 30 Cal's
0700		5630		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0720		5631		FR 325 TO G-2: Negative Report	
0720		5632		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: Negative Report	
073[illegible]		5633		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0800		5634		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
100		5635		FR 505, 325, 504: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0900		5636		FR 2 ARMY TO G-2: 4 [redacted] VEH PLUS 20 I/V MOVING SE AT F3023	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:
To:
(Date and Hour)
Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0915		5637		FR 325, 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RADIO REPORT	
0930		5638		FR SHAEF TO G-2: WEEKLY REPORT NO 14.	C/S
0940		5639		FR SHAEF TO G-2: REPORT NO 138	
1100		5640		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R 0700	
1100		5641		FR ASP TO G-2: INTERCEPT 0755	
1100		5642		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG RADIO REPORT	
1115		5643		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
~~[illegible]~~	1115	5644		FR G-2 TO G-1: [illegible] (SGT FUNK) & LT [illegible] ARE ON [illegible]	
1118		5645		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
1115		5646		FR 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
1115		5647		FR 18 CORPS TO G-2: DIRECTIVE #9 - TRANSPORTATION TO ZONE OF INTERIOR (ETC.	

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To: _____ (Date and Hour)

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1200		5648		FR 30th CORPS TO G-2: CIVILIAN REPORT - NORTH QUENTIN 21 PARA REGT HAS LEFT KRANENBURG + CLEVE	
1230		5649		FR 2nd ARMY TO G-2: ~~AIR TO [illegible]~~ ABORTIVE WEATHER	
1230		5650		FR 2nd ARMY TO G-2: ~~AIR [illegible]~~ ABORTIVE WEATHER	
1230		5651		FR TAC/R TO G-2. TAC/R AS OF 051100	
1300		5652		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1302		5653		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1305		5654		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	

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		5655		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1315		5656		FR 325 TO G-2: WOODED AREA 793544 HIT By Typhoons	
1430		5657		Fr 30 Corps To G-2. CA Staff OP INSTR No 21	
1430		5658		Fr G1 To G-2. CIC Appointments As Officers.	
1430		5659	3 Nov.	Fr Base To G2. U. S. STRATEGIC AIR FORCE OPERATIONS ISUM No 861	
1430		5660	2 Nov.	Fr BASE To G-2. U.S. STRATEGIC AIR FORCE ISUM NO. 860	
1430		5661	4 Nov.	FR BASE To G-2 U.S. STRATEGIC AIR FORCE ISUM NO 862	
1450		5662		FR 50 DIV To G-2. Int Summary	
1500		5663		Fr 504 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1500		5664		Fr 505 to G-2: Neg. REPORT	

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1500		5665	7 NOV	Fr 101 TO G-2 Rendition No 52	
	1500	5666	7 NOV	G-2 TO C.O. MIS ETOUSA promotion of S/Sgt BOLLAC.	
1500		5667		FR 325, 505, 504 NEG REPORT (RADIO	
1500		5668		FR 325, TO G-2 AF 18315610 CAM. TRUCK	
1500		5669		FR 82 REAR (TO G-2) AIRFIELD REPORT	
1500		5670		FR 82 REAR TO G-2 ENGINEER REPORT	
1500		5671		FR 82 REAR TO G-2 ALTERATIONS TO FLAK MAPS	
1500		5672		FR 82 REAR TO G-2 AA INT. SUMMARY	
1500		5673		FR 82 REAR TO G-2 INT. SUMMARY	
1500		5674		FR 82 REAR TO G-2 INT. SUMMARY	
1500		5675		FR 82 REAR TO G-2 AMEND. TO LIST.	

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1500		5626		FR 82 REAR TO G-2: AA INT SUMMARY	
1500		5677		FR 82 REAR TO G-2: AMEND[M SNT] TO LIST	
1500		5678		FR 82 REAR TO G-2: AA INT. SUMMARY	
1520		5679		FR 30 CORP TO G-2: SITREP AS AT 1400 Hrs	
1500		5680		FR 82 REAR TO G-2: FLAK REPORT 513, 514	
1500		5681		FR 82 REAR TO G-2: EVIDENCE IN CAMERA	
1500		5682		FR 82 REAR TO G-2: WAR OFFICE INT. REVIEW	
1500		5683		FR 82 REAR TO G-2: WAR OFFICE INT.	
1535		5684		FR 2 ARMY TO G-2: TAC & R - INFORMATION	
1610		5685		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: INT. SUMMARY	
1610		5686		FR 82 BASE TO G-2: WAR OFFICE INT. REVIEW	

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1610		5687		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: NEWS SUMMARY	
1610		5688		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: SIT. REPORT	
~~1610~~		5689		~~FR 30 Corps To G-2 Sit Rep~~	
1610		5690		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2. ENQUIRY regarding MAURICE Debilde, A Belgian	
1630		5691		FR 505 TO G-2: Shelrep.	DivArty
1610		5692		Fr 30 Corps TO G-2. Sitrep	
~~1630~~		~~5693~~		~~FR 505 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT~~	
1655		5693		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1700		5694		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1100		5695		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
~~1735~~	1735	5696		FR G-2 TO UNITS: G-2 ELECTION NEWS SUMMARY	

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1735		5697		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1815		5698		FR 307 ENGR TO G-2: ENGR SIT. REPORT	
1830		5699		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: AIR LIAISON REC.	
1830		5700		FR ETOUSA TO G-2: INT SUMMARY	
1850		5701		FR 80 AA TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1850		5702		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1850		5703		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 SUMMARY	
1900		5704		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1905		5705		FR 30TH CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER REPORT	
1905		5706		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 1245 6 RDS HVY CAL. LANDED 7610639 DBE. FROM POINT OF LANDING MAG. AZ. 45°. INTERVAL 6 SEC.	

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1915		5708		FR 325 TO G-2 : NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1915		5709		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1915		5710		FR 505 TO G-2 : NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1925		5711		FR 504 S-2 TO G-2: PERIODIC REPORT	
1925		5712		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	
1943		5713		FR 325 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
2020		5714		FR [illegible] TO G-2: SAELREP	
2025		5715		FR 325 To G-2: Border Breeze [illegible]	
2025		5716		FR 325 [illegible]	
2025		5717		FR 325 To G-2: S-2 Report	
2020		5718		FR 325 To G-2: OPNS INSTRUCTIONS (OVERLAY)	

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2055		5719		FR 505 To G-2: Flare RPT	
2100		5720		FR 325 To G-2: Neg ~~fire~~ REPORT	
2105		5721		FR 505, 509, 325 To G-2: Neg (Radio) REPORT	
2105		5722		FR 504 To G-2: Neg ~~FIRE~~ REPORT	
2300		5723		FR 505 To G-2: Flare REPORT	
2300		5724		FR 325, 509, 505 To G-2: Neg by Radio	
2305		5725		FR 504 To G-2: Shell Rep.	
2350		5726		FR 508 To G-2: S-2 Periodic Report	

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FROM: 070001 NOV 44
TO : 072400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
072400 NOV 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 142.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) By Nebelwerfers located today, and engaged by Allied Arty, at 80355590, 79985537, 80605508, 81305560, 80375518, 77945650, 7994-5642, and 72135418 (Div Arty).

(2) Sound of digging, driving of stakes and movement of wire at Southern tip of DEN HEUVEL WOODS heard by patrol night of 6 - 7 Nov (325).

(3) By digging at 77296498 at 0045 (456 FA).

(4) By working party at 82735579 at 1100 (Div Arty).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est by arty from WAAL River to REICHSWALD (incl): (No change) - 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

(2) By arty located today and engaged by Allied Arty: Two field pieces (light) at 788512, gun at 80506045, and AT gun at 7736-5998 (Div Arty).

(3) AA gun at 805563 (325).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary: Enemy continued occasional artillery and mortar fire. The only enemy patrol reported during the night of 6 - 7 November was one heard to the front of Company E, 325th Glider Infantry.

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b. Operation of Component Elements:

(1) Artillery - Conc of Nebelwerfer and arty fire in 325 area about 1715. Ey btry med arty fired three conc. along road 749573 to 753558 about 1845 (325).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.

(b) Taken to date: 2,994.

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Clear to cloudy. Scattered showers, including a flurry of hail. Cool.

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Cloudy during first part, fair later.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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50 Div (Br)	-	1
30 Corps (Br)	-	1
43 Div (Br)	-	1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	-	5
2 Bn Irish Gds	-	1
3103 QM Trk Co	-	1
JEDBURGH Team	-	1
PHANTOM	-	1
TOTAL		81

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
070000 NOV 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news is from American and British broadcasts:

President ROOSEVELT and Gov. DEWEY voted early today in the U. S. presidential election, both of them in NEW YORK. News commentators reported that weather in the morning was ideal and that the voting was heavy. In NEW ENGLAND eight inches of snow blanketed the ground but there was a good early turnout there too.

AFF radio sports scribes tonight listed Army and Navy as the outstanding teams in the nation. They elevated Navy to the high place as a result of Navy's victory over NOTRE DAME Saturday. Glen Davis of Army, with 75 points to his credit, is the second highest scorer this season on the gridiron. He got three touchdowns when Army overwhelmed VILLANOVA 83 to 0 last week.

ROTTERDAM, DUNQUERQUE, and BOULOGNE kept in the war news spotlight tonight as the battles on WALCHEREN Island and south of the MAAS in HOLLAND dwindled to mopping up operations.

Often wading waist-deep in water and also using boats, the Allies today took MIDDELBURG, capital of WALCHEREN Island, and VEERE, the last German-held port on the WALCHEREN East Coast. The Allies found scores of people in the streets of MIDDELBURG to welcome them. In addition to the city's inhabitants, many refugees were found from throughout WALCHEREN. The remaining Germans on WALCHEREN are in the NW part and the British and Canadians continued mopping up operations.

Conflicting reports from the front told tonight of the situation south of the MAAS. One version was that all of the Germans are north of the MAAS or have been captured; the other story was that a pocket of Germans is still holding out near the escape bridges.

A Canadian description of the front said the last German garrison south of the MAAS has been liquidated, but that two spans of the railway bridge over the MAAS, as well as one span of the road bridge, are in the water and that several other spans of the two bridges have been damaged. A few miles farther on another bridge has been blown.

The Canadian commentator said we now hold a 50-mile strip south of the MAAS, and that at one point along this 50-mile stretch we are within 11 miles of ROTTERDAM. Yesterday a convoy of 40 enemy vehicles was wrecked by airmen, near ROTTERDAM.

Another assault on the DUNQUERQUE garrison yielded 200 prisoners and the Germans undoubtedly sustained heavy casualties. Following an early assault the German commander at DUNQUERQUE asked for and received a brief truce in order to bury his dead.

The Russians are re-grouping on the outskirts of BUDAPEST before beginning an all-out assault on the city. To the East of BUDAPEST the Reds established two important bridgeheads.

In EAST PRUSSIA the Germans did not demonstrate as much power as yesterday. The Reds are holding to their earlier gains in the GULDAG sector.

The First American Army regained some lost ground SE of AACHEN, but the town of SCHMIDT remained in German hands. A half dozen towns were freed in the VOSGES Mountains. French troops seized key ground in the MARITIME ALPS, dominating the Franco - Italian border.

Allied aircraft which for the second day running pasted oil plants in the RUHR found fires from the earlier raids still burning. COBLENZ also was a target.

Polish troops seized three villages in house-to-house fighting in NORTH ITALY, for the most important development in that sector recently. Bombers based in ITALY struck at AUSTRIA during the day.

Yugoslavian and Bulgarian troops are closing in on the Germans who recently fled GREECE and a major battle is expected in the valleys of MACEDONIA.

A summary today shows that in the Battle of the AEGEAN Sea the Allies sank 100,000 tons of German shipping. Germans on islands in the AEGEAN are now cut off from all possible re-supply.

KENNEDY PEAK, 9,000-foot peak beyond TIDDIM, fell to our troops, who moved forward eight miles in BURMA. Railways in SIAM were bombed by our planes.

The Americans on LEYTE Island pushed the Japanese 4 miles farther toward their escape port. In recent raids on LUZON the Americans are known to have damaged Jap vessels in MANILA harbor.

The Earl of Strathmore, father of the English queen, died today at the age of 89 years.

The British Minister to the Middle East, Lord Moyne, was assassinated yesterday. Mr. CHURCHILL told the House of Commons today that the assassins were not Egyptians, and paid tribute to the deceased diplomat.

LONDON had more flying bombs, but anti-aircraft got several of them before they reached the coast.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 8 NOV

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2359 3rd Bn G-3 Jnl

TX [illegible] in ZYFFLICH - WYLER

road

Message File No. 562G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 8 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0510

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 0325 3RD BN E Co REPORTS SEEING A LIGHT BLINKING AT 100° Az (Vic. DEN HEUVEL) (NO EST. ON TYPE OF GUN) AND A GUN FLASHING AT 105° Az.

AT 0410 CHEROKEE (757573) REPORTS 1 RED FLARE AT 115° Az AND 1 RED FLARE AT 120°, BOTH AT 1000 yds Range

Message File No. 5627 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [redacted] Wilson, P+S

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
080700 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 07/08 Nov:

1. 3rd Bn completed relief of 2nd Bn at 1940 hr and took over patrol responsibility at that time. 3rd Bn conducted screening patrols during night and have nothing to report on contact with the enemy. However, during latter part of night, especially around 0500, there was sporadic MG fire from vic strong point 777615 and to Southwest. 3rd Bn S-2 believed this might possibly be the enemy's screening for relief of troops on his side.

2. 1st Bn again sent an ambush patrol amphibiously to vic 769609 at 1830. Again no contact was made with the enemy. Patrol pulled back at 2400 hr.

3. No other activity during night to report.

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1 Each Bn 505
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1 CO and Staff 505
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HQ 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
080600 November 1944

Subject: Results of patrol activities for Night 7-8 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during the night 7-8 November 1944:

First and Third Battalions conducted routine security patrols from MLR to CPL. Encountered no enemy.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. C. [illegible]
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
8 November 1944

PATROL REPORT - NIGHT OF NOV. 7-8.

Patrol # 1: Co F patrol, consisting of 5 men, with Sgt. McAphee as leader, moved out shortly after dark and established ambush outpost in vic of 771574. Patrol reported hearing horse-drawn cart in area north of Den Heuvel three times between 2400 and 0400. Returned 0430.

Patrol # 2: Ambush outpost was established in vic of 771565 about 1900 by Cpl. Goldman and 4 men from Co E. They reported that no sounds of my movement could be detected because of the wind, but at 0400 saw dim lights between Den Heuvel and the small woods to the south. (Arty was laid into this area). Patrol returned at 0430.

Patrol # 3: Sgt. Pierce and 4 men from E Co established the third ambush outpost in vic of 770562. At 2300 they heard 4 rifle shots 600 yds to their front and reported that a MG fired one burst at great range in British sector. Patrol returned at 0430.

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ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator	Date-Time of Origin	Office Date Stamp
2nd Army	080738	
For Action		
TO: All Sqns		Message Instructions — GR
(W) For Information (INFO)		Q.Y.M.

Originator's No.

Ansr 2 O Fighter F/B activity 7 Nov O include airfield attacks O very successful attack m/t at BAAL 197872 2 tnks attacked 1 engaged 1 [illegible] O 4 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] SE [illegible] 3582 O [illegible] O Locomotives [illegible] [illegible] 3 [illegible] 32 [illegible] [illegible] 2 [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] cuts in 4 places

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ARMY FORM C 2138 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

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FROM (A) Originator: Jag/R Broadcast | Date-Time of Origin.: 080900 | Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

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Jag/R Toa 0800 ⊙ E728067 Bridge intact and in use ⊙ E718044 footbridge in use ⊙ K699875 main bridge slightly dam some activity A0708 & met in convoy MSty E 0820 hrs ⊙ E710029 several met approaching bridge and cross Roads marg N at 0805 hrs ⊙

1000

Jag/R Toa 0800 ⊙ Rd E035505 - 085618 - 106645 and Rd E066596 - 090513 not covered ⊙ E323520 1 boat SW ⊙ E300519 to 367573 and 1000 yds E no evidence of digging ⊙ E294550 1 met NO E290578 1 met leg NO E293609 Bridge intact ⊙ E2664 1 met EO E277531 2 met SW ⊙ E215553 15/c leg N ⊙ E186610 1 met EO E205555 to 239533 20 plus barges ⊙ area E158500 - 178474 - 120470 - 120490 flooded ⊙ other than above NMS entire area ⊙ Toa 0805 ⊙ E728067 Bridge intact ⊙ E726055 foot bridge intact also Bridge 100 yds S ⊙ E718044 Bridge intact E710039 Bridge intact also bridge 100 yds S W intact ⊙ K299998 Bridge not but passable to foot traffic K699875 Drawbridge span up 2 met S side waiting to cross ⊙ K776933 Bridge intact ⊙ E835074 2 met SO K814962 1 met WO K743969 1 Hdt and 1 met NO E718010 to E710039 6 met NO ⊙ attempted Reice NORST LAA and HAA E8113 to 8318 and E7905 ⊙ Toa 0810 ⊙ NMS River ROERMOND to VENLO to E8138 ⊙ E9109 Bridge intact E8138 to 7839 no activity at crossings ⊙ E830300 3 small boats W bank ⊙ E853285 9 small boats moored ⊙ E823190 2 met E ⊙ E845174 2 met NW ⊙ NMS Horst - E8318 ⊙ NMS area E8330 - 7824 - Venlo.

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FROM (A): Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 080965

For Action: 30 Corps

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

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AIR 40 Tgt accepted ETA follows 8 Typhoons No Smoke. (PAD 2)

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 281619

TO For Action: 30 Corps

(W) For Information (INFO)

OFFICE DATE STAMP

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 7

Originator's No.: AIR 80 PAD 20 Tgt accepted (1930 ETA) 8 9 ploons. e/o smoke.

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FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army | Date-Time of Origin: 080931

Office Date Stamp

For Action: All Stns

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM | GR: 24

Originator's No.

AIR 3 o A/R results o too 0800hrs. 1 net W e5615
Dest otherwise NHS due weather o too 0810 hrs
NHS ably line hits e9337 rro

(GV483) Wt. 49326/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S.,Ltd. 46-344.

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 7 November 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	22	236	22	569	26	457	22	426	92	1688		
504	28	184	31	484	26	466	31	358	116	1492		
505	26	241	38	440	33	407	28	470	125	1558		
508	29	238	28	335	28	344	26	327	111	1244		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA	DOW	MISSING		WIA&DIA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	100	13	248	28	569	7	328	58	1275	92	1688
504	10	87	3	88	29	383	6	144	48	702	116	1492
505	6	99	1	58	25	350	15	189	47	696	125	1558
508	15	115	4	110	27	411	7	156	53	792	111	1244
INF	41	401	21	504	109	1713	35	847	206	3465	444	3982
ARTY	3	33	7	86	25	159	4	99	39	377	141	1700
ENGR	2	24	1	4	8	79		41	11	148	33	472
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	24	226
SIG						2		2		4	7	115
0 AA		18	1	4	6	43	1	38	8	103	32	449
OTHERS		4		6	3	25	1	16	4	51	75	456
TOTAL	46	480	30	606	152	2041	41	1057	269	4184	754	9400

DO NOT TYPE

OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps

DATE: 2-Nov 44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1200

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Civilian Report

North QUENTIN 21 Para Reg't has left for Krefeld & Cleve

(P)

Message File No. 5648 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st LT.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 081203

OFFICE DATE STAMP

TO For Action: 30 Corps

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: H

Originator's No.

AIR 12 ○ PAD 2 abortive weather

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT **AS WRITTEN** BY ANY MEANS {EXCEPT ______} WIRELESS

SIGNED 5649

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT **IN CIPHER**

SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR 1217	W	el/B
Time cleared		

(GV485) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 46-244.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
			WJ

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date-Time of Origin: 081120A

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO: 30 Corps

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: 5

Originator's No.: AIR100 PAD1 ABortive weather

This Message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { EXCEPT / WIRELESS }

Signed: 5650

If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER

Signed

Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority

Time	System	Op.
THI or TOR 1143	W	WJ
Time cleared		

(GV485) Wt. 49325/367. 999,000 Pads. 2/42. E. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

M40738/1444 350M 11/43 M. Ltd. [redacted]553

ARMY FORM C 2136 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** [redacted] Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Jac/R Broadcast — For Action. Date-Time of Origin.: 08/1100hrs — Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jac/R toa 0800 ⊙ NMS VENLO and Ras into town ⊙ NMS E9109 - K9490 ⊙ K9999 2 met W ⊙ F0396 trn 20 trg W ⊙ A1200 trn 4 trp W ⊙ A1703 5 trn each off 30 mixed trg and 200 plus mixed trg in M/Y ⊙ A0506 trn 10 trg E and 15 trg Stationary ⊙ A0708 8 met E ⊙ A1308 15 met E ⊙ A0509 4 met W ⊙ A0710 3 met N.W. ⊙ A2317 10 large met each with trailer E ⊙ E9413 1 met NW ⊙ LAA and HAA F0598 and A0102 and E7906 and E9209 ⊙ A0808 2 eng SU 50 trg clo ⊙ F0599 and 0697 no activity F2089 trn 20 trg clo E ⊙ F2484 trn 40 trg clo N.E ⊙ F2572 trn 20 trg clo SE ⊙ F1978 100 trg and 2 eng SU ⊙ A0608 1 met SW ⊙ F1475 1 met SW ⊙ LAA E8214 and 8208 and F0197 ⊙ HAA E8404 and F0177 ⊙ Toa 0800 ⊙ NMS Rd K6694 - 7090 - 7090 ⊙ K630998 no flak or activity ⊙ K6896 nothing seen and NMS ⊙ NMS K7890 ⊙ K600994 to K72867 No bridges intact or activity ⊙ E7109 NMS all roads leading into town ⊙ E760132 large barge W bank and 2 planks to E bank from barge ⊙ E703071 small footbridge intact ⊙ E710040 Bridge intact E702035 small footbridge

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except ... WIRELESS. Signed.	If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands this message must be sent IN CIPHER. Signed. JBS/	Originator's Instructions. Degree of Priority.	Time THI or TOR / Time Cleared	System	Op.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 7-Nov-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1300

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Wooded Area 793544 - hit by Typhoons.

Message File No. 5656 G-2 Sender - Receiver: WINTON, Lt Col

HEADQUARTERS 82D AIRBORNE DIVISION
Office of the A.C. of S., G-2

7 November 1944
APO 469 USARMY

SUBJECT: Promotion of Enlisted Man.

TO : Commanding Officer, Military Intelligence Service (Forward), European Theater of Operations, United States Army, APO 887.

1. It is recommended that S/Sgt. MARCEL S. BOLLAG, ASN 32190158, of IPW Team # 47, be promoted to grade of Master Sergeant.

2. Promotion of S/Sgt BOLLAG to grade of M/Sgt will not exceed the allotment of grades and ratings for IPW Team # 47.

3. S/Sgt. BOLLAG's manner of performance as a soldier and interrogator has been excellent.

ALFRED LANDGRAFF
1st Lt., AUS.,
OIC IPW Team # 47

1st Ind.

HEADQUARTERS 82D AIRBORNE DIVISION, OFFICE OF THE A.C. OF S., G-2, APO 469, U.S. ARMY, 7 November 1944.

TO: Commanding Officer, Military Intelligence Service (Forward), European Theater of Operations, APO 887, United States Army.

1. Approved.

WALTER F. WINTON JR
Lt. Col., G.S.C.,
A. C. of S., G-2

PERSONNEL

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 7-V-44

TO: G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1500

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

FROM CHIEF

AT 7834561O - CAMOUFLAGED TRUCK. (P)

AT 796554 — 12 Ey soldiers around BUILDING

ARTY LAID ON BOTH.

568

Message File No. ____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stevens, 1st Lt

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call | Sel. No. | Priority | Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army

Date/Time of Origin: 081504

OFFICE DATE STAMP

For Action: ~~[illegible]~~ 30 Corps

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions: QYM

GR: HH

Originator's No.

AIR 170 F/B results ⊙ PAD 1 ⊙ enemy strong pt e824603 ⊙ tot 1345 arty house completely dest some hits and strikes in area surrounding ⊙ pad 2 ⊙ defended posn 3 houses e852057[illegible] ⊙ tot 1335 conf attack 1 large explosion from courtyard ⊙ most westerly house poss not hit

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SIGNED

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SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY: 5641

Time	System	Op.
THW TOR 1530	W	ulf
Time cleared		

(GMS) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. R. & S. Ltd. 48-244.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 7-NOV-44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1630

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Between 1605 & 1620 15 rds 105 MM
landed 77016244 obs. fr. 77276219 az 140°

Informal Div Arty

Message File No 5691 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Blunt white 3/Sgt

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
08 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 ELECTION NEWS SUMMARY

(The following news summary is based on American and British news broadcasts heard at the 82d A/B Div CP)

President FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT has been reelected for a fourth term, on the basis of incomplete but apparently decisive returns.

With more than 29,000,000 votes counted, according to a 1000 AEF broadcast, the President was leading in 36 states which have 412 electoral votes, and Gov. THOMAS E. DEWEY, the Republican candidate, was leading in 12 states which have 118 electoral college votes. (266 electoral college votes are needed)

The same broadcast said that President ROOSEVELT, the Democratic nominee, had approximately 15,750,000 popular votes to DEWEY's approximately 13,500,000.

Incomplete returns, according to the broadcast, also left the Democrats in control of the Senate and with a working majority in the House of Representatives.

Governor DEWEY has conceded the election. Two prominent Republican newspapers, The New York Herald Tribune and the Chicago Tribune, also have conceded the election to the President.

A broadcast at 1130 announced that Rep. HAMILTON FISH had lost his bid for a 15th term to A. W. BENNET. U. S. Sen. GERALD P. NYE had been defeated.

Broadcasts at 1200 said President ROOSEVELT carried NEW YORK, PENNSYLVANIA, ILLINOIS and CALIFORNIA and that he had a heavier vote in NEW YORK CITY than he received in 1940.

Otherwise, except that the "Solid South" is still solidly Democratic, little is known concerning the state-by-state balloting.

The 0700 broadcast heard by the Division Signal Company also announced that DEWEY held the lead by a small margin in NEW JERSEY but that the President was ahead in PENNSYLVANIA and ILLINOIS.

The first three per cent of the expected vote in CALIFORNIA gave ROOSEVELT a lead of 202,000 to 136,000 over the Republican candidate.

A broadcast heard at 0645 showed DEWEY ahead, 1,952 to 986, in COLORADO, and ROOSEVELT leading, 67,286 to 47,130, in IOWA.

A tabulation of the total popular vote, broadcast at 0715, gave

5696

ROOSEVELT 8,289,983 votes and DEWEY 6,889,093. A broadcast at 0800 announced that 53.6 per cent of the popular vote counted up to that time was for President ROOSEVELT.

Other results broadcast at 0600 included the following:

PENNSYLVANIA (½ of votes counted) -- ROOSEVELT 910,000, DEWEY 810,000.

NEW YORK (¼ of votes counted) -- ROOSEVELT 792,000, DEWEY 714,000.

ILLINOIS (1/3 of votes counted) -- ROOSEVELT 704,000, DEWEY 496,000.

CALIFORNIA (3% of votes counted) -- ROOSEVELT 202,000, DEWEY 138,000.

Following is tabulation showing the electoral vote of each state, results in 1932, 1936 and 1940 (whether Democrats or Republicans won), and latest available results in Tuesday's election:

STATE	ELEC. V.	1932	1936	1940	1944
Alabama	11	D	D	D	
Arizona	3	D	D	D	
Arkansas	9	D	D	D	
California	22	D	D	D	
Colorado	6	D	D	R	
Connecticut	8	R	D	D	
Delaware	3	R	D	D	
Florida	7	D	D	D	
Georgia	12	D	D	D	
Idaho	4	D	D	D	
Illinois	29	D	D	D	
Indiana	14	D	D	R	
Iowa	11	D	D	R	
Kansas	9	D	D	R	
Kentucky	11	D	D	D	
Louisiana	10	D	D	D	
Maine	5	R	R	R	
Maryland	8	D	D	D	
Massachusetts	17	D	D	D	
Michigan	19	D	D	R	
Minnesota	11	D	D	R	
Mississippi	9	D	D	D	D
Missouri	15	D	D	D	D
Montana	4	D	D	D	D
Nebraska	7	D	D	R	
Nevada	3	D	D	D	
New Hampshire	4	R	D	D	
New Jersey	16	D	D	D	
New Mexico	3	D	D	D	
New York	47	D	D	D	
North Carolina	13	D	D	D	

(Cont'd)

STATE	Elec V.	1932	1936	1940	1944
North Dakota	4	D	D	R	
Ohio	26	D	D	D	
Oklahoma	11	D	D	D	
Oregon	5	D	D	D	
Pennsylvania	36	R	D	D	
Rhode Island	4	D	D	D	
South Carolina	8	D	D	D	
South Dakota	4	D	D	R	
Tennessee	11	D	D	D	
Texas	23	D	D	D	
Utah	4	D	D	D	
Vermont	3	R	R	R	
Virginia	11	D	D	D	
Washington	8	D	D	D	
West Virginia	8	D	D	D	
Wisconsin	12	D	D	D	
Wyoming	3	D	D	D	
TOTAL	531				

Total electoral votes for candidates: 1932 -- Roosevelt 472, Hoover 59; 1936 -- Roosevelt 523, Landon 8; 1940 -- Roosevelt 449, Willkie 82.

Total popular vote by candidates:

1932 -- Roosevelt 22,821,857 Hoover 15,761,841, Thomas (Socialist) 884,781, Reynolds (Socialist Labor) 33,275, Foster (Communist) 102,991, Upshaw (Prohib.) 81,869, Harvey (Liberty), 53,425, Coxey (Farm-Labor) 7,309. Total popular vote: 39,816,522.

1936 -- Roosevelt 27,476,673, Landon 16,679,583, Lemke (Union) 882,479, Thomas (Socialist) 187,720, Browder (Communist) 80,159, Colvin (Prohib.) 37,647, Aiken (Soc. Labor) 12,777. Total popular vote: 45,646,817.

1940 -- Roosevelt 27,243,466, Willkie 22,304,755, Thomas (Socialist) 99,557, Browder (Communist) 46,251, Babson (Prohib.) 57,812, Aiken (Soc. Labor) 14,861. Others 48,612. Total popular vote: 49,815,312.

(Source: 1942 World Almanac)

STOP PRESS: At 1330 Radio News Summary gave President ROOSEVELT 18,500,455 votes to 16,240,577 for DEWEY. States listed as Republican included Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Colorado, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Nebraska and South Dakota. Listed as probably Republican were Oregon, Wyoming and Wisconsin.

Rep. CLARE LUCE, of Connecticut, was reelected by 400 votes.

Winton
WINTON
C-2

RETURN TO G-2

G-3 9000
DIV ARTY

SECRET

HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
081500 November 44

PATROL PLAN for night 08/09 Nov:

Serial No.	Unit	Type	Mission	Area	Time Out
1.	3rd Bn	Security ptls across entire front during night			
2.	1st Bn	Ambush	Ambush eny Ptl or Engr workers (Ptl goes to area by boat)	769609	1830

AGEE
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
1 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 G-3, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO 508
1 CO and Staff 505
1 File

SECRET

5702

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 30th Corps Met DATE: 7 Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1845

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Surface wind SW at 10 MPH
weather - cloudy with intermit + rain at
first becoming continuous later
Vis - 1 to 2 miles.
clouds - 10/10 Medium cloud at 3000 ft with
5/10 to 8/10 layer clouds at 1000 - 2000 ft
lowering to 600 - 1000 ft in rain + mist
to 8 to 10/10
Outlook - cloudy with rain at first, becoming
fair

Message File No. 5-105 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stewart, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 1505 DATE: 7-NOV 44

TO: G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1900

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 1845 – 6 RDS HVy Cal counted
76156345. obs. from point of landing.
Mag. Az. 45°. Interval 6 sec.

Informed Div-Arty.

Message File No. 5706 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stargen, 1st Lt.

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Div-Arty

PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
081815 November 1944
Berg en Dal, Holland

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 8-9 NOVEMBER 1944

First Bn: No aggressive patrols.

Second Bn: No patrol activities.

Third Bn: No aggressive patrols.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
"To accompany S-2
Periodic Report 52"

Return. To G-2

5712

SECRET

To: G-2

From: S-2, Div Arty

8 Nov.

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	✓ 80375657	Mortar	376
Yes	✓ 78205977	MG	376
Yes	✓ 79135988	Rebel	376
Yes	✓ 77465816	MG	376
Yes	✓ 79856256	MG	456
Yes	✓ 80036275	MG	456

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal	Nest Rn
376	1807	767594		88°M	3	Med	13 sec FB
376	1807	767594		89°M	4	Med	9 sec FB
456	1845		76156345	-45°M	6	Hvy	?
320	2000	760575		970 m/ (Harrass)	105		?

5714

[signature], S-2

SECRET

Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
8 November 1944

PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT NOV. 8-9.

Maps: Sheet 12 Mt, 1/25,000, HOLLAND.

Three ambush outposts will be operated again tonight by 3rd Bn. Patrols will move into position shortly after dark and will remain until 0430.

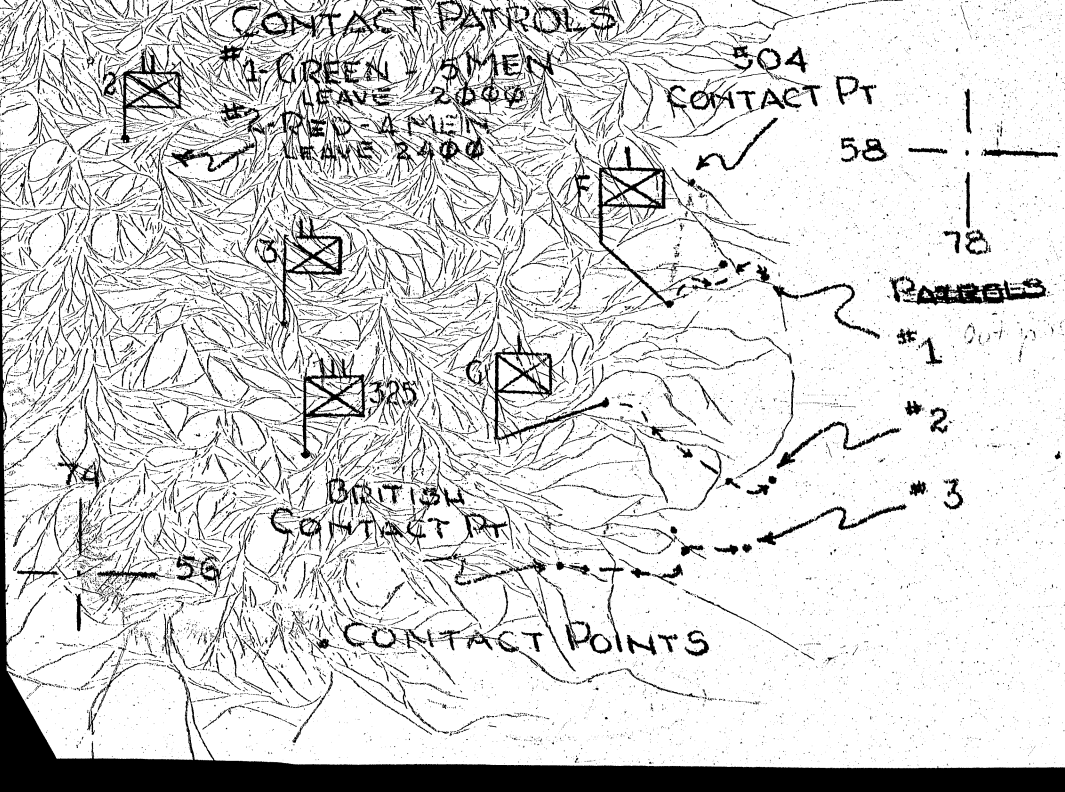
Outpost # 1: Co F - vic of 771574.

Outpost # 2: Co G - vic of 771565.

Outpost # 3: Co E - vic of 770562.

2nd Bn will operate Contact patrols as shown on overlay.

BERKUT
S-2



G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 8 Nov

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2055

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

G G white flare 1000 yds

B 90° from 7756189

Message File No. 579 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Don K 2-4

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 8 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2255

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2150 { 1 Green Flare 160° from Jr 7756 6189
2000 yds - Followed by 2 rds/6 shots Jr
778617 - 3rd Bn OP

2240 { 2 Green Flares obs Jr 7756 6189 1100 yds.
to rear 3rd Bn.

Message File No. 577 G-2 Sender Receiver SAME

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 8 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2300

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2123 3d Bn reported 3-4 inch of Hy arty gun unlocated

2125 H Co reported 8-9 inch of Med & Hy Arty gun unlocated

2130 Green flare sent from church in WYLER no enemy activity reported.

2230 Ely patrol moving towards area of P. W. Thomas after hearing fire reported on them.

Message File No 5725 G-2 Sender - Receiver: S. K. Zeller

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 090001 Nov 44

To: 092400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: Nijmegen (7035Bc)

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
~~2400~~	2001	5727		G-2 No. 0 (Summary)	
0100		5728		FR 325 To G-2: Daily Rep	
0100		5729		FR 504, 505, 325 To G-2: Negative (Radio) REPORT	
0100		5730		FR 505 To G-2: Final Rep REPORT	
0125		5731		FR 502 To G-2: Final Rep REPORT	
~~0130~~	0130	5732		G-3 Report # 45	
0130		5733		FR: SHAEF To G-2: Inform Re. Pay Books.	
0130		5734		FR: Hq. ETO. ENGR. OFFICE To G-2: SPECIAL INTEL BUL NO 150.	
0130		5735		FR SHAEF To G-2: WEEKLY INTEL SUM	
0130		5736		FR: Hq ETO - OFFICE OF ENGR To G-2: BULL No. 151	
0300		5737		FR 30[illegible] To G-2: NCO REPORT	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:

(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0300		5738		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0300		5739		FR 504 TO G-2: FIRES REPORTED	
0520		5740		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0560		5741		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0500		5742		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0505		5743		FR 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0610		5744		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT NIGHT 8/9 NOV	C/S, DIV ARTY 2 TO CORPS
0645		5745		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0700		5748		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0700		5749		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0700		5750		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
				FR 505 TO G-2 NEC	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:
To: (Date and Hour)
Place:

Time IN	Time OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0800		5751		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	C/S, DIV ARTY, 30 CORPS
0805		5752		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	C/S DIV ARTY 30 CORPS
0810		5753		FR 508 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN 8/9 NOV - 10/11 NOV	
0815		5754		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: AIR NOTES # 170	
0755		5755		FR G-1 TO G-2: CHAPLAIN GETS PURPLE HEART	
0815		5756		FR 30 CORPS MET TO G-2: WEATHER RPT SECT	
0700		5757		[redacted] PASS THIS NO.	
0900		5758		FR ASP TO G-2: TAC/R	
0920		5759		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG [redacted] REPORT	
1100		5760		FR 509 TO G-2: NEG [redacted] REPORT	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:

(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1100		5761		FR 505, 325 TO G-2: NEG [redacted] REPORT	
1130		5762		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY RPT	
1130		5763		FR AG TO G-2: SECURITY OF INFORMATION MEMO	
1130		5764		FR HQ, MIS TO G-2: 2T BACKER'S PROMOTION PAPERS	
1130		5765		FR HQ, MIS TO G-2: 2T SPITZER'S PROMOTION PAPERS	
1135		5766		FR 505, 325 TO G-2: NEG (CROSS) REPORT	
1210		5767		FR TAC/R TO G2: TAC/R AS of 091100	
1210		5768		FR TAC/R TO G-2: TAC/R AS of 091200	
1215		5769		FR S-2 Div Arty TO G-2; Air OP reports 0810 - 3 VEH IN BRANENBURG 0930 - Ey IN Trench AT 776575	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

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~~1210~~	1210	5780		FR G-2 TO 307 ENGR: REQUEST OF PLANS ON THE NIJMEGEN BRIDGE	
1310		5781		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1315		5782		FR 315 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1315		5783		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1330		5784		FR 325 TO G-2: EY AT GUN AT 295955520	
1400		5785		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
1505		5786		FR 505, 325, 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1510		5787		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1535		5788		FR 13 DIV(BR) TO G-2: INT REPORT	
1535		5789		FR 101st TO G-2: G-2 REPORT	
1655		5790		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	

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1710		5781		FR 505, 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1735		5782		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1755		5783		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
1835		5784		FR 301 ENGR TO G-2: ENGR REPORT	
1835		5785		FR 301E TO G-2: SITUATION REPORT	
1900		5786		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1905		5787		FR 325, 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1905		5788		FR 504 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	
1910		5789		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1920		5790		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1940		5791		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: SIT. REPORT	

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1940		5792		FR 509 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	G-3 Div Arty Informed
1940		5793		FR 509 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT	
2020		5794		FR 505 To G-2: Shell Rep	
2020		5795		FR 505 To G-2: S-2 Report # 55	
2025		5796		FR Div Arty To G-2: Shell Report	
2040		5797		FR 505 To G-2: PATROL PLAN	Div Arty informed
2045		5798		FR 325 To G-2: Border Breeze	
2045		5799		FR 325 To G-2: S-2 Report # 60	
2045		5800		FR 325 To G-2: PATROL PLAN	
2110		5801		FR 505 TO G-2: SHEL REP.	
2110		5802		FR 504 T. G-2: I. Co. REPORTS 2 TKS. APPROX LEUTH	

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TIME In	TIME Out	Serial No.	Time Rec'd	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2110		5803		FR. UNITS TO G-2: OVERLAY SHOWING PATROL REPORTS 08/04 NOV.	
2115		5804		FR. 325 TO G-2: SHELREP	
2115		5805		FR. 505 TO G-2. NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2115		5806		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2115		5807		FR. 325 TO G-2. NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
2205		5808		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELREP	
2214		5809		FR 505 TO G-2: D.S.I. Plan	
2245		5810		FR CDN Corps to G-2: Weather Forecast	
2300		5811		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
2300		5812		FR 325, 504, 505 Neg. (Radio) REPORT	
2305		5813		FR 505 TO G-2: Neg (illegible) REPORT	

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Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2330		5814		FR 325 TO G-2 NEG RPT.	

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
08 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news summary is from AEF and BBC broadcasts:

President ROOSEVELT tonight seemed assured of 413 of the 531 electoral votes in the U. S. presidential race; the Democrats were known to have maintained their majority in the Senate and to have increased their majority in the House of Representatives.

Of the 38,000,000 votes already tabulated, President ROOSEVELT had a majority of approximately 2,500,000. A BBC correspondent in WASHINGTON predicted the President would have a popular vote majority of some 3,000,000 when counting was completed.

Gen. PATTON's Third Army began a new offensive this morning between METZ and NANCY and his forces moved forward as much as a mile on a front of some 25 miles. Fierce artillery barrages and dive-bombing attacks preceded the assault. Several river crossings were established during the day, against light opposition.

The enemy is keeping up stubborn resistance on the First Army Front and little change took place in the line. The First French Army is threatening three passes through the VOSGES.

News commentators tonight predicted a lull in fighting in Western HOLLAND as all but a small pocket of German troops were north of the MAAS and a single battery remained to be taken on WALCHEREN Island.

Except for the pocket of German suicide troops at MOERDIJK, the Allies now hold a line south of the MASS running from the sea, 70 miles inland. But along this entire stretch, to a point south of ARNHEM, every single bridge across the river has been blown by the Germans.

Behind them on the North bank of the MAAS the Germans are hastening to form new divisions of whatever men are available. Thousands of Dutch civilians have been conscripted to dig trenches for the Germans and the German soldiers are working 16 hours a day on the project. Defenses are being set up north of the MAAS in HOLLAND and along the N - S line of the river where it almost forms the German frontier.

Polish troops are reported to be making headway against the pocket of German troops still at MOERDIJK. The blown bridges at MOERDIJK were among the largest bridges in Europe.

The German general who commanded the WALCHEREN garrison is a prisoner and the Allies tonight expected to silence the single 4-gun battery still firing within a short time, ending all organized German resistance. One of the guns has been neutralized. Snipers are causing considerable difficulty near MIDDELBURG.

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Allied bombers last night and today blasted oil plants at HAMBURG and near LEIPZIG, and rail yards near MUNICH.

Today was the anniversary of the MUNICH putsch, but so far as the remainder of the world knew HITLER had given no speech on the anniversary. On each previous anniversary he has addressed party members. Two years ago today, while HITLER was speaking, the Allies landed in NORTH AFRICA. Gen. WILSON, Allied Mediterranean Commander, today told his troops in a speech marking the occasion that "You set the pattern for other landings".

In NORTH ITALY the Allies took another small village and some hill positions, but the Germans clung to a vital airport for which fighting has raged several days.

In EAST PRUSSIA the Germans and Russians are preparing for a major battle. The Russians have moved against the 30 German divisions remaining in LATVIA. BERLIN radio declared that the Nazis have stopped organized resistance in CENTRAL SLOVAKIA.

Foreign Secretary ANTHONY EDEN today told the House of Commons that the Germans destroyed all raw products they could in GREECE before fleeing. Much valuable equipment was taken. Hundreds of trucks have been taken to GREECE by the Allies and moved inland so products there may be marketed in ATHENS and other Greek cities. The port of PIRAEUS is now partially open. Tonight the Yugoslavs were closing in on the Germans who escaped GREECE and a battle loomed in MACEDONIA.

Official figures today showed that the Americans destroyed 440 Jap planes in week-end attacks on MANILA. On LEYTE Island the Japanese are rushing up reinforcements to defend their last port, in Western LEYTE. The Japs are digging in, but long-range American artillery is shelling their positions.

BULGARIA today broke off diplomatic relations with JAPAN and notified the Nipponese minister in SOFIA of the action.

Two men in custody, according to an announcement in LONDON, have confessed they murdered Lord MOYNE, British Minister to the Middle East in CAIRO. The men confessed that they went to CAIRO expressly to kill Lord MOYNE because he was head of the political department which supported a policy against Jewish Nationalism. The men said they belonged to an organization known as the "Stern Gang".

(See Accompanying Notebook)

November 8, 1942 -- "D-Day" in [illegible] and the United Nations start up the road back.

American and British troops penned [illegible] in an operation described by Prime Minister CHURCHILL as the [illegible]. It was the 19th anniversary of Hitler's [illegible] at MUNICH. It was several days after [illegible] had begun to smash the German line at [illegible], but it was the day before Hitler's hordes reached their high water mark in RUSSIA.

The Germans won the race to TUNIS, but the Allied forces exerted inexorable pressure, and the enemy was driven from NORTH AFRICA, with heavy losses by mid-May. Meanwhile, the Red Army had sent the Nazis reeling back from STALINGRAD.

American and British troops had another "D-Day", July 9, 1943, and they threw the German and Italian forces out of SICILY, in 38 days. Before November 8, 1943, arrived, the Americans and British had invaded the continent and were north of NAPLES. The islands of SARDINIA and CORSICA had been occupied. MUSSOLINI had been deposed. The Italian Government had surrendered. The Russians' winter drive of 1942 - 43 had extended into the summer [illegible] attempted German offensive had been nipped.

Little progress was made in the West during the winter of 1943 - 44, but the ANZIO beachhead was established. German installations were bombed again and again and again. The blockade of GERMANY was broken. And, in the Spring, the American 5th and British 8th armies began to march. CASSINO fell. The main force of the Allied ANZIO defenders. ROME fell.

June 6, 1944. Parachutes and gliders floated over NORMANDY and seaborne craft disgorged thousands upon thousands of troops. The "second front was cracked open". PARIS was [illegible]. CHERBOURG fell. Meanwhile, the Red Army was at the gates of [illegible]. Hitler brought out his "V" weapons, and they [illegible] could not stop the attack.

Hitler's "Festung Europa" shrunk at a rapid pace. [illegible] of the second year since "D-Day, NORTH AFRICA", [illegible] ed their way into EAST PRUSSIA and [illegible] to [illegible] ican, British and French troops landed in South [illegible] helped liberate itself. Virtually all of FRANCE [illegible] BELGIUM and part of HOLLAND were liberated. [illegible] Rumanian and Bulgarian opposition collapsed. [illegible] a small portion of ITALY. GREECE and [illegible] HUNGARY was wavering. Soldiers of the [illegible] sold in the West as well as in the East. [illegible] on German industries in multiples of [illegible] ed every able-bodied citizen into a "[illegible]" probably were at their lowest ebb since [illegible] the "Beer Hall Putsch".

WESTERN AND ITALIAN FRONTS

Territory captured or recaptured by United Nations since 8 Nov 1942 from Axis Powers.

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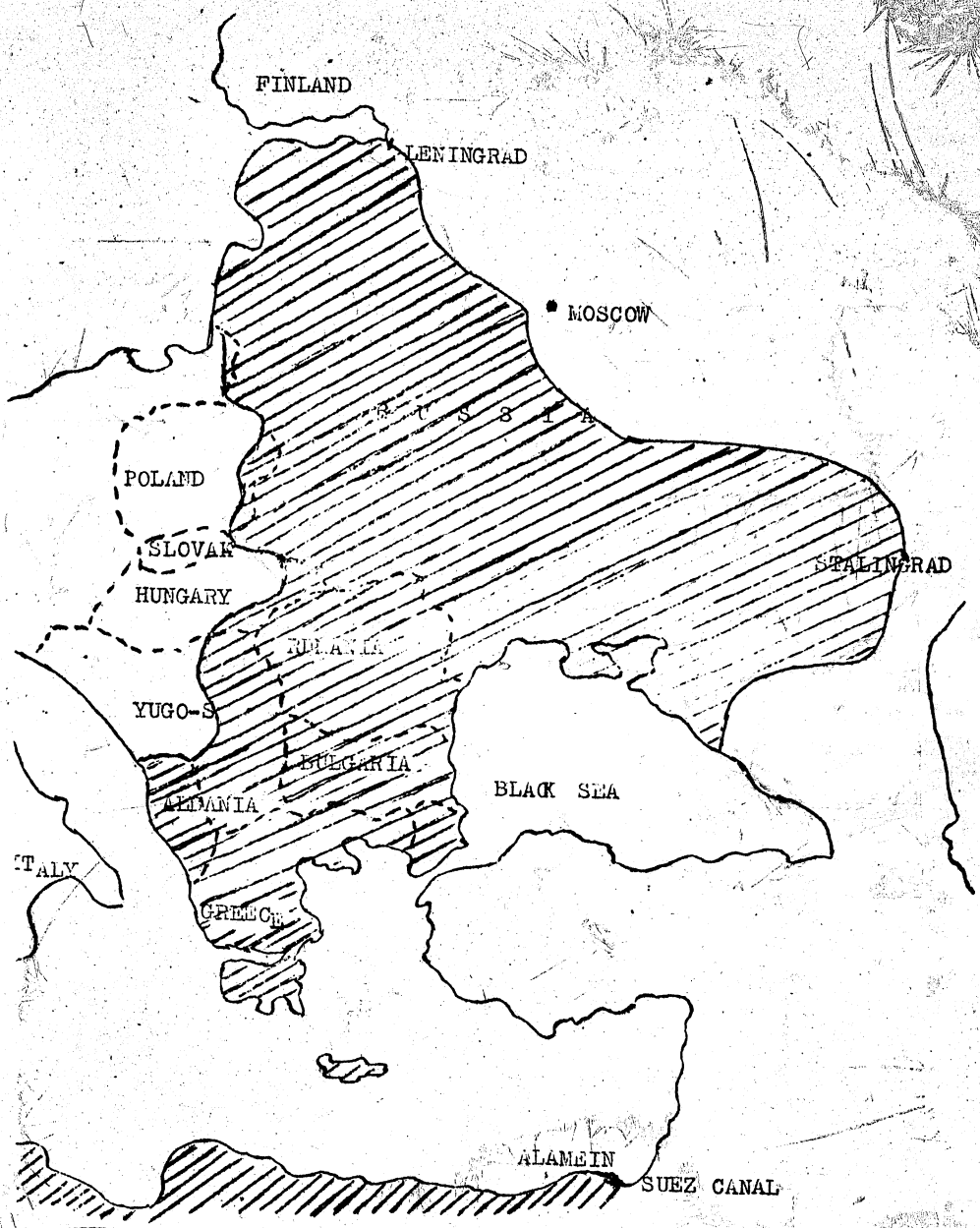

EASTERN FRONT EXCLUSIVE OF FINLAND

TERRITORY CAPTURED OR RECAPTURED BY UNITED NATIONS SINCE 8 NOV. 1942 FROM AXIS POWERS

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 9 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT: 0033

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Cherokee (7557573) 8 rds NUBLWFR Az 900 -

Chief (75505635) 6 rds NUBLWFR Az 102° -

Sammie (761573) 6 rds NUBLWFR Az 45° -

Message File No. 572 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0100

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2320 3d Bn Green Flare Ag 500

from 775761 200 yds range

5 rds 105 mm [redacted] Ag 105-0

from 77526275.

Message File No. 5730 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0115

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2305 Report of en patrol at 2230 was erroneous

2215 2325 OP 77505866 H Co en S/A fire going into I Co area.

[redacted] Green flare fired. 81mm mortar fire called for and S/A fire stopped

2220 2 yellow flares fired followed by S/A fire coming from Rd blk at Vogelsang. 81mm counterfire stopped S/A fire

Message File No. 5731 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

2325 Fr. 7750 [redacted]90 Hg 87° [redacted]e gun
shells landing H @ area

0015 3rd Bn fr 77465826 Hg 950 NW
4 sec flash-bang.

Found from 77465826 to @ block E WYLER
+ 350 yds beyond is 81 mm mortar
2 Kon I Co recd fire from both mortar + NW

0035 3rd Bn fr 77225862 Hg 900 NW
6 rds hit 77335835
6 rds " via I Co CP - med arty counter-fire

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FROM: 080001 NOV 44
TO : 082400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
082400 NOV 1944

G-2 REPORT

NO. 143.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey weapons located today and engaged by our Arty: Nebelwerfer at 79135988, mortar at 80375657, and machine guns at 78205977, 77465816, 79856256 and 80036275 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey believed to be using church steeple in KRANENBURG as an OP (325).

(3) MG at 777615 (505).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty from WAAL River to REICHSWALD (incl): (No change) - 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 4 SP (Div Arty).

(2) Arty which shelled 325 area 7 Nov believed to be vic 807-837 on BRANDEN BURG Ridge in REICHSWALD (325).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: A civilian reported to 30 Corps today that 21 Frcht Regt is en route to KRANENBURG and CLEVE.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary: The enemy continued his sporadic artillery, mortar and small arms fire.

b. Operation of Component Elements.

DO NOT TYPE

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(1) Artillery Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rds	No. of Guns	Cal.	Interval
505	1605	772 6219	140	15	?	105	?
376 FA	1807	767594	88	3	?	Med	13
376 FA	1807	76 594	89	4	?	Med	9
505	1845	76156345	45	6	?	Hvy	8
320 FA	2000	760575	970 M	?	?	105	?

(2) Aviation, Combat: Spitfire with RAF markings, believed piloted by German, strafed 101 A/B Div area 7 Nov (101 A/B Div).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.

(b) Taken to date: 2,994.

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Generally overcast, with occasional light showers. Cool.

(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Showers during first part of period. Fair later.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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DISTRIBUTION:

"A" plus:	
50 Div (Br)	- 1
30 Corps (Br)	- 1
43 Div (Br)	- 1
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	- 5
2 Bn Irish Gds	- 1
3103 QM Trk Co	- 1
EDEURGH Team	- 1
PHANTOM	- 1
TOTAL	41

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT:

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

RECEIVED NBLWFR

AT 0201 1st Bn [redacted] 76285830

Grid Az 84° 7 sec. Hank Lang.

Message File No. 5779 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
090600 November 1944

Subject: Result of Patrol Activities for Night 8-9 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2, 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command during the night 8-9 November 1944.

First and third battalions conducted routine security patrols from MIR to ORL. Encountered no enemy.

For the Commanding Officer:

E. [illegible]
Capt., 504th Prcht Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION
1 - G-2
1 - G-3
1 - ea Bn
1 - 505
1 - 376
1 - 325
1 - Desk
2 - File

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
9 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 8-9.

Patrol # 1: Sgt. Kay and 4 men from F Co established ambush outpost vic of 771574. Patrol reported MG firing at intervals on left flank into Glider area and at 0200 heard sounds resembling a motorbike in vic of DEN HEUVEL.

Patrol # 2: Asst. Sgt. Davis and 4 men from F Co maintained ambush outpost vic of 771555. At intervals during the night the patrol heard sounds of ey movement in the vic of the orchard south of Den Heuvel.

Patrol # 3: Sgt. Gumm and 4 men from F Co established ambush outpost vic of 770562. At about 2400 they heard a few shots from a Schmeisser and what sounded like a captured rifle fired to their front. The patrol commented about the decided lack of flares last night.

All ambush outposts were established shortly after dark and remained in position until about 0450.

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
090730 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 08/09 Nov:

1. 3rd Bn screening patrols made no contact with enemy during the night.

2. 1st Bn ambush patrol went out 1830 and returned at 0100, having made no contact.

3. There was some shelling in the Regimental area during the night, but it was scattered and light.

4. 3rd Bn reports that at 0410 hr a six man outpost at 776619 was hit from two sides by 8 to 10 enemy. Numerous hand grenades were thrown by both sides. One of our men was taken from his foxhole during the fight and is missing. Since this attack, 3rd Bn has conducted strong patrols to a point 300 yards in advance of this outpost (Outpost No. 5), and patrols have found only a soft cap of the enemy. Since this contact, Outpost No. 5 has been moved approximately 100 yards forward and made 8 men strong.

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DISTRIBUTION:
4 G-2, 82nd A/B Div
1 Each Bn 505
1 CO 504
1 CO 508
1 CO and Staff 505
1 File

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Hq 508th Prcht Inf.
In the Field.
081300 Nov 1944

Patrol Plan 8/9 Nov 1944

Serial No.	Unit	Type of Patrol	Mission	Area of Operation	Time Out	Time In
1	2nd Bn	Recn	To contact the enemy	748694 & vic	2200	0600
2	"	"	" " " "	752690 & vic	19[illegible]	0100
3	1st Bn	"	Greenhouse	764664	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	"	"	Twinhouse	762662	[illegible]	[illegible]
5	"	"	Ruined house	761661	[illegible]	[illegible]
6	Regtl.	"	To take PW if opportunity offers	7616[illegible]	1900	[illegible]

Contemplated Patrol Plan 9/10 Nov 1944

1	2nd Bn	Recn	Contact the enemy	75[illegible]682 & vic	2200	0600
2	"	Ambush	Ambush any ey this side of canal	At point [illegible] on 8/9 canal	1900	2[illegible]
3	1st Bn	Recn	Greenhouse - In preparation to plan combat patrol	764664	2[illegible]0	[illegible]
4	"	"	Twinhouse - In preparation to plan combat patrol	761661 7635	[illegible]200	0600
5	"	"	Ruined house - In preparation to plan combat patrol	761661		
6	Regtl	"	To take PW	761658	1900	0[illegible]

Contemplated Patrol Plan 10/11 Nov 1944

1	3rd Bn	Combat	To obtain prisoner	765673-763654	1900	[illegible]

SIGNED
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DIST:
1 - 50 Div
1 - 82 Div
1 - 505 Prcht Inf
1 - 151 Bde
1 - 482 Mort
1 - MG Co
1 - 319 F.A.
1 - 1st Bn
1 - 2nd Bn
1 - 3rd Bn
1 - ea Bn A.Ln.O.
1 - ea Patrol Leader
1 - route
1 - file

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G-1 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0755

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, (in person,) messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

24th Evacuation Hosp at 1015 hrs.

Have photographer there to meet G-1 [redacted] (at main entrance).

Purpose: To get picture of Gen. Gavin awarding the Purple Heart to Chaplain Riddle (who is being evacuated)

Bys. going to PRO (St Bragadier) who is sending photog.

Message File No. 5155 G-2 Sender - (Receiver) Lewis, Capt.

ARMY FORM C2136 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) Originator: 2nd Army — Date-Time of Origin: 090007

For Action

TO All Stns

(W) For Information (INFO)

Office Date Stamp

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Message Instructions: QYM — GR: 61

Originator's No.

Intr 1 O Fighter and F/B results ~~on~~ 8 Nov O Poor flying conditions rendered most a/+ abortive O F/B made successful attacks on ~~def~~ ~~[illegible]~~ posns at e8260 AHA Deel Korese and e8557 area large ~~exp~~ explosion also on mortar posns at e7954 area O F/B also scored direct hit factory u2150 causing much brown smoke O claims nil Ideal

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Signed 2dams eng 1

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Signed 5755

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

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(GV 483) Wt. 49325/367. 990,000 Pads. 2/44. B. & S. Ltd. 48-244

M40738/1444 350M 14/43 M. Ltd. 51-7353

ARMY FORM C 2138 (Large) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: Tac/R Broadcast For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 1500 Hrs | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No

TAC/R ToA 1250 ⊙ CLEVE M/Y 4 clo clam TRG ⊙ E9454 1 met W ⊙ A0248 1 met SE ⊙ A0844 1 AMB and M/C SE ⊙ A1337 1 tank transporter not loaded mvg S.E. ⊙ NMS A1633 to A0226 M/Y empty and NMS ⊙ E9635 2 met NW otherwise NMS A0226 to GOCH ⊙ E9434 track working NW & SE for 2 miles ⊙ E9343 M/Y ⊙ NMS all rds leading into REICHWALD ToA 1300 ⊙ NMS E785598 ⊙ E795603 digging 1 with fresh tracks ⊙ E865658 E9460 50 plus TRG ⊙ 12 moored barges ⊙ A003585 2 tred cranes barges ⊙ E759777 50 plus mixed TRG on rly ⊙ E774740 2 barges NE bank E825665 ferry mvg E ⊙ LAA E8167 - 8365 - 8867 - 8640

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ARMY FORM C 2138 (Large) — MESSAGE FORM — Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator: IaefR Broadcast — Date-Time of Origin: 081700 — Office Date Stamp

For Action.

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No

Iaefr toa 15350 10/10 cloud 1000 to 2000 ft O Vis 1 mile O NMS E8128 E7839 O E851289 to E852280 8 small boats moored O LAA E8318 O Balance of area not covered due low cloud O.

(P)

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 8 November 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	23	237	35	568	25	458	23	425	94	1688		
504	28	184	34	478	26	453	29	366	117	1483		
505	26	241	36	347	33	407	28	270	125	1555		
508	29	236	28	336	28	337	27	326	112	1235		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES DO NOT TYPE

	KIA & DOW		MISSING		WIA & DOW EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	100	13	248	28	571	7	363	58	1282	94	1688
504	10	87	3	89	29	386	6	148	48	710	117	1483
505	6	99	1	58	25	350	15	196	47	703	125	1555
508	15	115	4	110	27	415	7	166	53	806	112	1235
INF	41	401	21	505	109	1722	35	873	206	3501	448	5961
ARTY	3	33	7	86	25	159	4	99	39	377	141	1700
ENGR	2	24	1	4	8	79		41	11	148	33	472
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	24	226
SIG						2		2		4	7	111
80th AA		18	1	4	6	45	1	38	8	105	32	449
OTHERS		4		6	3	25	1	16	4	51	73	456
TOTAL	46	480	30	607	152	2050	41	1083	369	4240	758	9375

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OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

M40738/1444 350M 14/43 M. Ltd. 51-7553

ARMY FORM C 2138 (La[illegible]) — **MESSAGE FORM** — Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.

FROM (A) Originator	Date-Time of Origin.	Office Date Stamp
Jaef R ~~Broadcast~~ For Action.	091100	

TO

(W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No

Jaef R toa 0900 O E9739 2 met fcg SO E9818 1 met with trawler NE extension N NMS Venlo to G ELDERN O E9703 tow 15 tug pusg W O A1008 tow 8 clo tug pusg SEO K9898 tow 12 clo tug NWO A0506 3 met NEO A1808 2 met EO A1513 2 met SE NW O A0606 1 met N O NMS all roads into Venlo O NMS Rds K6694 - 7790 - 7079 O area K6896 not covered O K653936 to K701867 digging along E side all secondary Rds leading to canal O K680883 extensive digging K863960 100 open trg O NMS area K5897-6790 - 6860 - 8575 - 7980 O K705850 50 barges beek banks O toa 0855 O E913190 ferry in operation 1 met E bank O E800387 3 barges moored bank O E815347 ferry in operation O E906164 1 tug O E9109 NMS O E891075 1 tug O K792980 1 tug O K778921 4 barge moored barges O K775922 1 tug O E865228 1 met E O E8319 NMS also K739[illegible] O

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Signed.	Signed.	5767	THI or TOR		
			Time Cleared		

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ARMY FORM C 2136 (Blue) **MESSAGE FORM** Register No.

Call	Srl. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions

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FROM (A) Originator: Jack R — For Action. | Date-Time of Origin.: 090000 hrs | Office Date Stamp

TO (W) For Information (INFO)

Message Instructions. GR

Originator's No.

Jack R Coa 0715 O E7012-E7204-K6299-K7186all Bridges ont except E710040 and newly constructed bridge at E725056 O NMS and no tracks in woods ~~WO~~ K7396-K7496-K7395-K7495 O E770048 10 Inf in Town Stak E726079 10 plus barges E bank O NMS Balance of Stak Nil O Pilot impression area unusually quiet O E913 [redacted]910 ferry in operation O

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 DIV ARTY DATE: 9 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1145

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

FR AIR OP:

0810 – 3 VEH IN KRANENBURG

0930 + 1 MAN IN TILBURG AT 7776575

Message File No. 5769 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): Davis Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 9-NOV 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0300

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

OP Report

Ey AT GUN AT 7954 5520 - ARTY FIRED ON IT

Message File No. 574 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1ST LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 9-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1400

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

6 RDS HVY ARTY (2 AIR BURSTS - 4 GROUND)

AT 7765 6150 From Az. 30°. - Time Int-12 sec.

AT 1330

(P)

Message File No. 5715 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stamper, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1735

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Shelltrap:

1720: 8 rds 75mm landed 777626 (P)
(observation Post also) from 40°
Est. range 3000 yds.

(P)

1730: 2 rds 150 mm landed 7752627
from 40°.

1730: 12 rds 75-105 mm landed 770685
observed from 769628 Az 45-0
11 sec. interval.

Message File No. 5783 G-2 Sender - Receiver: (OVER

1730: MG observed from 7756 6199, Az 85° range 1000 yds

1725 - 12 men with full equipment
seen entering house at
7915 6210.

Gaenes Esq.

(P)

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1905

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary.):

1900 2nd Bn recd 14 rds 150 mm.
Gun emplacement - no casualties

5788

Message File No. G-2 Sender - Receiver: Lt # 2-4

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2020

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3-4 rds 75mm SP (?) landed 771616

obs fr 770461/5 Mag Bg 90°

Message File No. 5 7/G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible] 9 Nov 44

5796

To: G-2

From: S-2, Div Arty 9 Nov

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	78125824	Mortar	Radar
Yes	79395527	H.V. Gun	320
Yes	79156200	Mortar	456
Yes	76505737	Gun?	320
Yes	7755 5755	MG	376
Yes	77795806	Mortar	376
Yes	81756032	2 Guns	376
Yes	80375677	Mortar	376
Yes	79125985	Mortar	376

Shelreps

Rpt'd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal	Est Rn
456	1330		77656150	30°	6	?	
456	1720		777626	47°	8	75	3000
456	1730		770685	45°	12	75	
456	1730		77526275	40°	2	150	
320	1915	755563		110°	10	?	?
320	1950	757573		40°	6	?	4500
320	1940	757573		40°	4	?	4500

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2100

2055 3" TD Received 1rd 105 mm. observed flash,
shell
& landed at 775627 Rg 80

Message File No. 5801 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 9 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2100

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

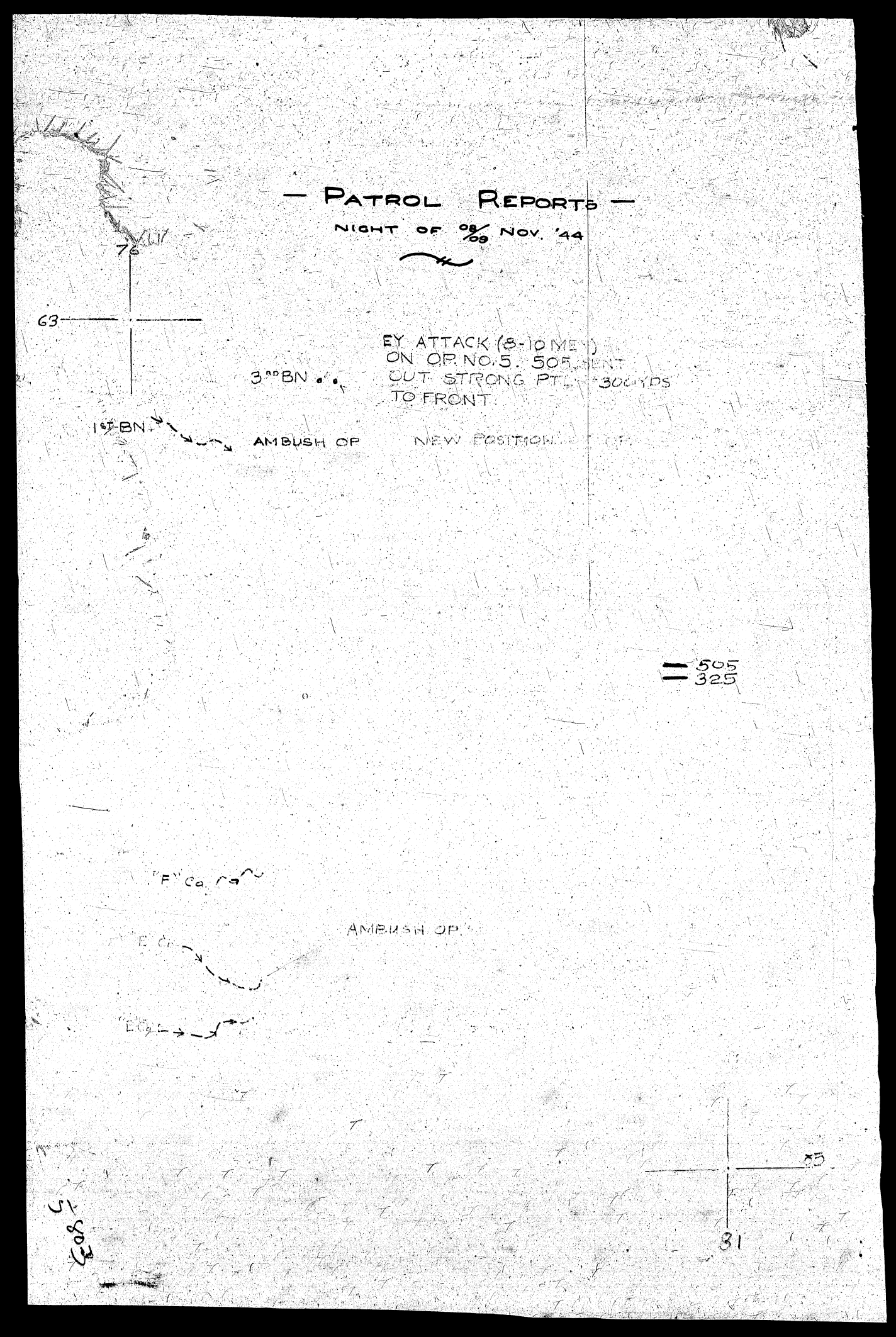
MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

1945 I.C. report 2 tanks on RR 43°-4
40° from OP. 3000 yds. range.
Approx LEUTH. [redacted]
Heard motors

Message File No. 5802 G-2 Sender - (Receiver): [signature]

— PATROL REPORTS —

NIGHT OF 08/09 NOV. '44



G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 9 Nov. 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2110

1932 Cherokee (757573) 4 gun flasher 1/3 40°
range 4500 yds

1954 Same as 1932

(P)

Message File No. 5864 G-2 Sender - Receiver: S-2-A

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2205

Small cal (20mm) also fr 759601
105° Mg 1500-2000 yds. Hatchering line
-thought to be flak wagon.

Message File No. 5808 G-2 Sender -(Receiver: Smith 2 LT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Canadian Corps Met Sect DATE: 9 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME ~~RECEIVED~~ OR SENT: 2245

Fr 2400 - cloudy w/ slight chance of fog
Wind - NW - light increasing to moderate
Visibility - 2-4 miles tonight
4-8 miles tomorrow
Outlook - chance of break tomorrow afternoon.

Message File No. 5810 G-2 Sender ~~Receiver~~: [illegible]

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

(45)

From: 10001 NOV. 44

To: 102400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: N. Finnegan, Holl

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		5815		FR. 505 TO G-2: Negative REPORT	
0100		5816		FR. 504 TO G-2: S/A FIRE	
0100		5817		FR. 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: Negative by radio	
~~0130~~	0130	5818		FR. G-2 TO ALL UNITS: G-2 PERIODIC NO. 144 AND NEWS SUMMARY.	
0130		5819		FR. 325 TO G-2; 2345 C CO. 4 FLARES. 2350 OP REPORTED ONE FLARE AZ. 95°.	
0300		5820		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (PHONE)	
0300		5821		FR. 325 TO G-2: NEG. RPT (PHONE)	
0300		5822		FR. 505 TO G-2: NEG. RPT. (PHONE)	
0300		5823		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G2: RADIO CHECK	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0430		5824		FR 504 TO G-2: PW PICKED UP AT ONE OF AT PSNS — WAS BAREFOOT, DAZED	
0500		5825		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0500		5826		FR 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0500		5827		FR 325 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0515		5828		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: RADIO NEG. REPORT	
0700		5829		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: (RADIO) NEG REPORT	
0700		5830		FR 325, 505, 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0700		5831		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	C/S, DIV ARTY, CORPS
0645		5832		FR 504 TO G-2: PW FR 2 PRCHT ELAM BN (2ND CO) — CO HAS 2 PWS	C/S, DIV ARTY, G-3
0700		5833		FR 504 TO G-2: "THE PANEL"	

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From: _____

To: _____
(Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0800		5834		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0810		5835		FR 2 CDN CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER REPORT	
0810		5836		FR 2 CDN CORPS TO G-2: ~~MOVEMENT ORDER~~ WEATHER	
0905		5837		FR 325 TO G-2: SHELREP	
0910		5838		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
0915		5839		FR 505, 504, 325 TO G-2: (RADIO) NEG REPORT	
0915		5840		FR 505 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0920		5841		FR IPW TO G-2: PW CAME TO WESEL as Replacements for "B G Lorenz.	
0930		5842		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: AIR NOTES #171	
0930		5843		FR ORDNANCE O TO G-2: CARTRIDGES TO BE USED IN GERMAN PISTOLS	

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From: ____________________

To: ____________________
(Date and Hour)

Place: ____________________

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1045		5843A		FR 504 TO G-2: INTERROGATION REPORT # 14	
1030		5844		FR 504 TO G-2: INTERROG RPT # 14 should read IN ¶ 2 - PW deserter capt IN "B" Co Area @ 10/0400 NOV, AT 761574 by "B" BTRY, 80 AA	
1100		5845		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
1110		5846		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
1110		5847		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. (RADIO) REPORT	
1110		5848		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. (RADIO) REPORT	
1110		5849		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG. (RADIO) REPORT	
1115		5850		FR 30 CORPS TO G-2: CORPS COURIER 8 NOV 44	
1115		5851		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1115		5852		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	action taken
1235		5853		FR 325 TO G-2 BALL of fire going STRAIGHT up TIME 0500 FR 767562 AZ 45° RANGE 1800yds	
1300		5854		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1300		5855		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1300		5856		FR 506 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1305		5857		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1312		5858		FR 505 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1317		5859		FR 325 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1350		5860		FR 508 TO G-2: PATROL Report 8/9 Nov.	
1400		5861		FR MC TO G-2: MAKE UNIT RUN AT 0900 & 1500.	
1720		5862		FR 508 TO G-2: Periodic REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME In	TIME GMT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1435		5863	7Nov	FR 101 TO G-2: Periodic No 53	
1500		5864		FR 504 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1500		5865		FR 325 To G-2: Bldg at 796555 which carried Red Cross hit by Arty exploded 4 times	
1510		5866		All Regts To G-2: Neg (RADIO) REPORT	
1520		5867		Fr 505 To G-2: Neg REPORT	
1700		5868		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1720		5869		FR All Regts To G-2: Neg (RADIO) REPORT	
1740		5870		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1740		5871		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
1815		5872		FR CND Corps MET To G-2: Weather Report	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:

(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1830		5874		FR G-3 TO G-2: POLICE OF DIV AREA	
1930		5875		FR 2ND CON CORP TO G-2: SIT. REPORT	
1930		5876		FR 2 CON DIV TO G-2: SIT REPORT	
1930		5877		FR SHAEF TO G-2: CAPTURED DOC.	
1930		5878		FR SHAEF TO G-2: INFORMATION FROM DOC.	
1945		5879		FR 301E TO G-2: ENGR SIT. REPORT	
1945		5880		FR 301E TO G-2: ENGR INT. REPORT	
1945		5881		FR 301E TO G2: MINEFIELDS	
1910		5882		FR ALL UNITS TO G-2 Neg (RADIO) REPORT	
1900		5883		FR 504 TO G-2: Shelrep.	
1920		5884		FR 505 TO G-2: SHELL REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____
(Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Date	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1920		5885		FR 504 TO G-2 SHELL REPORT	
1930		5886		FR 501 TO G-2 S-2 REPORT	
1930		5887		FR 504 TO G-2 PATROL PLAN	
~~1935~~	1935	5888		FR G-2: ~~MAPS~~ MAPS	
2000		5889		FR DIVARTY TO G-2: Shell Reps	
2015		5890		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL PLAN	To Div Arty, G-3
2015		5891		FR 325 TO G-2: S-2 Report	
2015		5892		FR 325 TO G-2: S-3 Report	
2100		5893		FR. 504, 505 AND 325 TO G-2, NEG REPT (RADIO)	
2100		5894		FR. 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
2100		5895		FR. 505 TO G-2: 3 BN. OBS. ONE FLARE 90° MAG. AZ.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2100		5896		FR. DIV ARTY TO G-2: ARTY. LOCATED 10 NOV.	
2120		5897		FR 325 To G-2: Neg ~~ative~~ REPORT	
2120		5897A		FR 505 To G-2: Patrol Plan	
2120		5898		FR 505 To G-2: S-2 Report + # 52 + overlay	
2120		5899		FR ETOUSA To G-2: Sp. Intelligence Bulletin # 152	
2130		5900		FR SHAEF (G-2) To G-2: ISTD/C/320 Plans 1-2, 2B 3-4, 6, 5+10, 8-52	
2140		5901		FR Div Arty To G-2: FLare report	
2250		5902		FR 505 To G-2: Shelling Rep.	
2300		5903		FR 325 To G-2: Arty Flash Report	
2300		5904		FR 325, 504, 505 To G-2: Neg, ~~ative~~ (Radio) REPORT	
2300		5905		FR 504 To G-2: Neg~~ative~~ REPORT	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 18 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0100

Outposts returning 5/10 [illegible]

Message File No. 5816 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

Hq, GSC A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD.
09 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This new is from AEF and BBC radio broadcasts:

On the gridiron this week-end, AEF sports commentators declared toni ht, principal interest will be in the Army - Notre Dame game. Interest has been added to this game by Navy's triumph over Notre Dame last Saturday.

Ohio State is leading the Big Ten Conference with four victories and no defeats or ties. In order, the other standings are Purdue Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Northwestern and Iowa.

Oklahoma tops the Big Six, followed in order by Iowa State, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, and Kansas State.

Three fresh American Infantry Divisions took their places in the line today and 1300 bombers gave support as General PATTON's famed Third Army moved forward on a 27-mile front east of METZ.

The Third Army elements were well established and moving well beyond a tributary of the MOSELLE River. They earlier by-passed the METZ garrison.

So far the Germans have not attempted a counterattack, but their artillery is firing heavy barrages.

An American bomber force of more than 1300 planes smashed tactical targets in the METZ area today as support for the new thrust. A terrific artillery barrage and dive-bombing attacks preceded the start of the new drive yesterday.

The First Army continues to meet determined German resistance in the AACHEN sector and sleet and snow increased the problems of Gen. HODGES' men.

The RAF attacked HANOVER last night and planes today bombed targets in the RUHR. Southern ENGLAND suffered from more flying bombs.

The town of MOERDIJK is in Allied hands, but approximately 400 fanatical Germans are holding out in defenses adjoining the approaches to the destroyed MOERDIJK bridges over the MAAS. Polish troops who are attempting to end the German resistance south of the MAAS used tanks and flame-throwers against the Germans today. The Germans seem determined to hold the approaches. They considered the bridges as the key to the defense of Southern HOLLAND.

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Resistance has virtually stopped on WALCHEREN Island. Two small groups of Germans, however, are marooned by flood waters and not yet in our hands.

In NORTH ITALY the Germans have been forced from all but the NW corner of FORLI airfield and the Allies are two miles from the town of FORLI itself. Three more villages have been captured in NORTH ITALY.

The Russians established a new bridgehead over the TISZA River in HUNGARY.

The Fifth Indian Division in BURMA has taken FORT WHITE and moved four miles farther on the road beyond TIDDIM which leads into the valley approaches to CENTRAL BURMA. The Chinese have scored a major success in NORTH BURMA. Using rubber boats and other equipment dropped from Allied planes, they crossed the river and established a 10-mile bridgehead, breaching the Japanese lines. The surprise element was so well carried out that only two personnel casualties marred the initial landings.

NEW ZEALAND airmen are operating in the PACIFIC in support of Gen. MACARTHUR's men.

President ROOSEVELT, Prime Minister CHURCHILL, and Marshal STALIN may meet again soon. The British press last evening forecast such a meeting and Mr. CHURCHILL pointed to the need for another triple conference during an address today in LONDON at a banquet honoring the new Lord Mayor. (The Governor of PARIS and the Burgermeister of BRUSSELS also attended the dinner.) "It is high time we had such a meeting", Mr. CHURCHILL said. "Such a meeting might abridge the suffering of mankind." Mr. CHURCHILL referred to the way the Germans had been hurled back on all fronts, declaring that they are suffering from "ten times as much bombing" as they ever inflicted on us. The Prime Minister paid tribute to both major political parties in the UNITED STATES for the democratic manner in which they conducted the presidential election and lauded the "sportsmanlike manner" in which Gov. DEWEY congratulated President ROOSEVELT.

Mr. MORRISON, Home Secretary, announced that pre-war lights will be turned on in LONDON after "1900 nights" of blackout. LONDON has been blacked out since 2 days before hostilities began.

The Netherlands Government, Mr. ATTLEE, Deputy Prime Minister, said, is requesting German territory as compensation for land damaged by the Germans. Mr. ATTLEE declared that all just Netherlands claims for German land will be given "energetic support".

Gen. EISENHOWER addressed both houses of the Belgian Parliament today in BRUSSELS, telling the legislators that he spoke for "all officers and men of the Allied forces" in thanking the Belgian people for their help. The Belgian Prime Minister replied that "BELGIUM wants to support the Allied armies with all the power she commands."

WUSA
G-2

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FROM: 090001 NOV 44
TO : 092400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
092400 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

NO. 144.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey weapons, except arty, located today and engaged by our arty: MG at 77555755, and mortars at 78125[illegible], 79156200, 7779-5806, 80375677 and 79125985 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey AT gun at 79545520 at 1300 (325).

c. Units in Contact: No known change. 505 Ircht Inf reported that 12 men with full field equipment entered a house at 79156210 at 1725. This might indicate that ey is effecting relief of tps within a company or battalion. 3d Bn, 1052 Regt, was identified (by PW) in this area on 3 Nov.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty from WAAL River in REICHSWALD (incl): (No change) - 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by our arty: High velocity gun at 79395527, gun at 76505737, and two guns at 81756032 (Div Arty).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:

A 505th Parachute Infantry six-man outpost at 776619 was attacked on two sides by eight to ten enemy at 0410. The fire fight included an exchange of hand grenades. One of our men is missing.

There was occasional artillery, mortar, Nebelwerfer and small arms fire during the period, Nebelwerfer activity showing a slight increase during the night of 8 - 9 November.

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b. Operation of Component Elements.

(1) Artillery.

(a) Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rounds	No. of Guns	Cal.	Interval
504	0015	77465826	95	?	1	Nblwfr	4 sec
504	0055	772258?2	90	12	1	Nblwfr	?
325	0055	757573	90	6	1	Nblwfr	?
		75365573	102				
325	0055	760574	45	6	1	Nblwfr	?
504	0201	762230	84 - 85	?	1	Nblwfr	7 Sec
325	1330	757573	75	?	?	?	?
505	1355	770620	30	6	?	Hvy	12
325	1555	757573	70	5	?	?	?
505	1720	777626	40	8	?	75mm	?
505	1730	775262?5	40	2	?	150mm	?
505	1730	76?2?3	45	12	?	75-105	11
320 FA	1915	755563	110	10	?	?	?
325	1940	757573	40	6	?	?	?
325	1950	757573	40	4	?	?	?
505	2020	77046175	90	3 - 4	1	75(SP?)	?

(b) Fourteen rounds of 105mm arty fell in 2d Bn area at 1900 (504).

(2) Infantry: See Par 2 a.

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.
(b) Taken to date: 2,994.

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Overcast, with rain and some sleet. Cool.

(2) Forecast for coming 24 hours: Cloudy, with slight drizzle. ossibility, however, of break in showers during the afternoon. Wind: V, light increasing to moderate. Visibility: 4 - 8 miles during day- ight.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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DISTRIBUTION: G-2 "A" plus

50 Div (Br)	- 1	32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	- 5	JEDBURGH Team	- 1
46 Div (Br)	- 1	2 Bn Irish Guards	- 1	PHANTOM	- 1
2nd Cdn Corps	- 1	3103 QM Trk Co	- 1	TOTAL	81

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 10 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME ~~RECEIVED~~ OR SENT: 0130

2345 C Co 4 planes in front of
Right Platoon 400 - 500 yds range

2350 Chrokee 1 plane Rg 950

0040 " Gun Halt Rg 40°
shell landed in 504 area

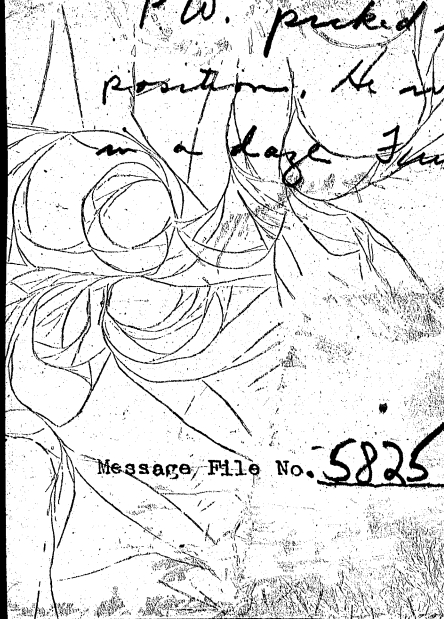
Message File No. 0819 G-2 Sender ~~Receiver~~: [illegible] 2-45

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 10 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0430

P.W. picked up at one of the A.T positions. He was barefooted and walking in a daze. Full details will be given later



Message File No. 5825 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Waldschmidt

S E C R E T

Hq 504th Prcht. Inf.
Berg en Dal, Holland
100600 November 1944

SUBJECT: Results of Patrol Activities for Night 9 - 10 November 1944

TO : A. C. of S., G-2, 82nd A/B Division.

1. The following are results of Patrol activities conducted by units of this command during the night 9 - 10 November.

First and Third Battalions conducted Routine Security patrols from MLR to OPL. No enemy encountered.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM,
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.
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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

1 Copy hereof circulated

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 10-NOV-44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0645

PW 2nd Regt flak Bn 2nd Co
1st platoon, Platoon 21 man strength, 2nd plat
has approx 40 men. His Company originally
had 3 plat but now only has two
P.W. was captured at 761577 (correction made by Capt Barnes after call from Capt Bakelman after further interrogation)
Location of kitchen 781356 21
assembly area of plat at 779583 4

Message File No. 3832 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Waldschmidt

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 10 - Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0645

His Co. is attached to Wolff combat team. He has been in line for 3 days. His gun position is at 778584. The weapons at this coordinate are 1 M/G, 2 carbines, and 1 mortar. Rumors have it that they will be released. The morale is low.

Message File No. _____ G-2 Sender - Receiver: Waldschmidt

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
10 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 9-10.

1st Bn relieved the 3rd Bn on the MLR last night, during which time the regular outposts were strengthened and two ambush outposts were maintained. Reports of the patrols revealed no ey activity to our immediate front.

Ambush Patrol #1: Sgt. Cummings and 4 men from C Co established ambush outpost vic of 771574, being in position by 1900 and remaining there until 0330. Only ey activity heard was some small arms fire from the vic of VOSSENDAAL into the 504 area.

Ambush Patrol #2: Cpl. Schraml and 4 men from Co A established ambush outpost at 1900 in vic of 770562. Negative report.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: MET SEC 2 CON CORPS DATE: 10 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0810

Route Forecast

Weather - frequent wintry showers in the N. fair with occasional showers in S

Cloud in N 5-8/10 at 1000-2000'
but 8-10/10 at 700-1000' in showers.
5-8/10 at 1500-2500' in S -

Visibility - 5-10 miles below clouds, but 2-4 miles in showers

Surface wind - NW 20-25 MPH and gusty in N. 10-15 MPH in S - at 2000'. Wind 350° 40 MPH in NORTH. 340° 30 MPH in SOUTH.

Freezing level 2000' (all heights are above sea level)

Message File No. 5835 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

James Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 10 NOV 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0905

CHEROKEE (757573) RPTS — AT 0845

10 RDS, FR 110° AZ, LANDED BETWEEN CHEROKEE (757573) & FWD CP

SAME SHELL — 768568 — AZ 900 COBSERVER

1500 YDS RN. —

Message File No. 5837 G-2 Sender - Receiver: ~~S/S~~ Owens S/S

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HQ 505TH PCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
10/0730 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 09/10 Nov:

1. 1st Bn ambush patrol to 769609 reported no contact with enemy.

2. 3rd Bn Recon patrol of six men and S/Sgt Bingam, Ptl Ldr, left 1900 hr and followed the following route: 772624--773623--775620--775617--776616--777615--779624--778615.

Ptl left at 1900 hr fr 772624 and went to 775620 and stopped for five min but heard nothing. Started again and one grenade was thrown at them at 776619. One man of ptl saw one eny withdrawing fr the vic. Ptl Ldr sent two men on E side of stream at 777618 with mission of cutting off retreating eny. Remainder of ptl continued to 777617, moving S, but was unable to locate retreating eny.

The two sections of ptl met at 776616 and continued across booby trapped field at 776616. Ptl reports 10 trip wires in field. Ptl then went through another booby trapped field at 778615 and then circled to house at 776615 and found 4 more trip wires in vic. Listened here for 10 min and moved to bridge 778615. Bridge was in excellent condition and was mined and booby trapped. 6 trip wires around bridge at 778615. Ptl then moved to 779616 and investigated foxholes in that vic. They appeared not to have been used for some time and were partially filled with water.

Ptl turned S and found 5 trip wires at 779614. Almost through booby trapped area two mines, believed teller mines by explosion, were set off by lead man of patrol and he was seriously wounded. Ptl applied tourniquet to shattered leg of injured man and started return.

On returning, ptl read MG fire fr 776615 and 778615. Position at 778615 was believed to be firing fr within KO'd tank at that spot. Ptl stopped for rest at 776617 and eny fired amber flare 776614. Patrol returned remainder of route unmolested. Ptl arrived 773624 at 2330 hr with the wounded man, and Ptl Ldr reported to Bn S-2 at 2400 hr. Arty was placed on 777615 and vic of tank, but MG believed in the tank continued to fire intermittently. (When Ptl has had time to study photos, they will submit booby trapped and mined areas and all locations in 8 place coordinates).

3. 3rd Bn Combat Patrol of 11 men and Sgt Blanck, Ptl Ldr, left 0230 hr and followed the following route: 780624--782624--782622--781619--783620--783623--782624.

Ptl left 0230 hr fr 780624 immediately hvy mtr barrage to their front. Ptl moved to 782624 and threw WP grenades into tank at side of house. Also threw WP and frag grenades into cellar of house receiving no eny fire. Ptl searched for dead eny and found none. Waited for arty and mtr fire as prearranged to fall on 784619. When arty and mtr fire lifted, ptl moved to 780618 where they heard two Germans talking. Threw 8 WP and frag grenades into vic fr which voices came. One eny seen running toward 780616. Ptl then moved to 780619 where they encountered very hvy fire fr 6 and 8 riflemen at very close range. Ptl opened fire with rifles, TSMGs, and grenades. During fight, Sgt Hayo of Bn S-2 Section was wounded three times. One eny constantly fired amber and green flares 780617. Ptl withdrew to house 782624 and part of ptl stayed here while Sgt Hayo was taken to 780624 ("B" Co CP for treatment.

Ptl assembled again at house 782624 and Ptl Ldr found one man missing. At the time of this report it is not known exactly at what point this man was lost, but he is not known to have been seen after the fire fight.

During entire ptl, communications was maintained with sound power phones to 782624 which was in contact with Bn S-2 through "B" Co.

Ptl returned at 0430 and reported to Bn S-2 at 0500 hr.

DISTRIBUTION: As for Patrol Report 08/09.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 1PW DATE: 10 NOV 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0970

PW. (with four others) came from Germany to Wesel as replacements, intended for B.G. Closeup" at Wesel were sent to Gronau (Enschede) (~~area which~~ 3d Para Div is reported to be). The replacements were then sent down to Wylre, where PW understands they should have reported at first).

[CAPT BUSHMAN IS ALSO CALLING 2° CON CORPS WITH THIS INFO]

Message File No. 5841 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Gaines Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 504 DATE: 10 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1020

Correct PW INTERPRETATION REPORT.
TP 2 should read:
"PW deserted & captured in B Co Area at 100400 NOV AT 761574 by D Btry 80."

Message File No. 5844 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

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To: N4

C/S NW
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DIV ARTY

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Hq 504th Prcht Inf.
Berg en Dal, Holland.
10 November, 1944.

INTERROGATION REPORT 14

From 261400 October to 101400 November, 1944.

I. During the above mentioned period, 1 PW cleared through the Regimental PW enclosure:

PW's previously reported	-	919
PW's during above period	-	1
Total to date	-	920

PW No.	Name	Rank	Unit.
920	K. Horviz	Pfc.	1st Platoon, 2nd Company, 2nd Para Flak Bn. (F.F.2)

II. PW deserted and captured by "B" Company 100400 November at 761574, by "D" Btry, 80 AA. AREA AT

III. Unit Identification and History:

PW is a member of the 1st platoon, 2nd Company, 2nd Para Flak Battalion (FF2) which had a strength of 21 EM, led by Hauptwachtmeister LEIER. PW was one of 4 men who came from NURNBERG as replacement on or about November 5th, 1944. PW was told he was to be a member of combat team Lorenz. PW states that the 2nd Company originally consisted of 3 platoons, individual strength unknown. On November 8th, the company was reorganized into two platoons, the 1st platoon consisting of 21 men, the 2nd of approximately 40 men. The 2nd company was led by a Lieutenant. (Name not known to PW).

The 2nd Para Flak Battalion consists of 3 companies. PW could not give any further information about 1st and 3rd companies, except that the 1st company was on his right flank and the 3rd on his left.

IV. Locations and installations.

TRUPPENVERBANDPLATZ (Aid-station) located at 7799-5814, in house, approx. 100 yds north-west of church. 1st Platoon kitchen located in house at 7813-5821. PW's squad position at RJ 778584, (4 men armed with 1 MG 15; 1 Schnellfeuer Karabiner and 2 rifles). Dugouts for 10 men in vic. of 779585 and 779586.

While being transported to the front on the night of November 5th, 1944 by truck, PW was caught in an artillery barrage near the western limits of KRANENBURG on main road to NIJMEGEN. PW and

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other passengers sought cover in a house on the right side of the road. They stayed in this vic. for 2 hours, and while here he heard German Nebelwerfers firing in front of him. After a 2 minute ride from this position to WYLER, PW claims he saw 2 SP Nebelwerfers behind trees in a dug in position about 10 yds to the right of the main highway. PW could not identify exact location on either GRAPHIC or PHOTOMAP.

V. Moral.

PW claims moral of his unit to be extremely low. As an example he cited an instance occurring on the night of November 8th. On this night volonteers were sought for night reconnaissance patrol into our lines. No volonteers were forthcoming. The moral of the men was so low that the entire patrol was called off. He himself claims he had planned desertion for quite some time. PW had fought in Normandy near St. Lo and was wounded by Artillery shrapnel on his fourth day in combat and was evacuated to the rear. On his arrival in this combat zone he spent his first 3 days doing KP duty and was first out into the lines at 1800 hours November 9th, 1944. Awaiting his opportunity to desert he wrote a message advising his comrades to do the same thing, placed this in his helmet, took off his boots, and sneaked out on hands and knees. As protection in case of combat, he carried with him 2 handgrenades. He headed due west, past the German MLR, then south to position where he was captured.

VI. Remarks:

PW states that a Lieutenant Oberkruber visited their lines on the afternoon of November 8th. One of his friends told him that this officer was the commander of a FLAK COMBAT GROUP. His friend, who claimed to be a former member of this combat group stated that it was equipped with 2x20mm Flak guns and was supposed to be brought up in support of F.F.2.

When asked about evacuation of civilians in the WYLER area, PW claimed many had evacuated on their own accord but that others were still residing in that area, living in the basements of their homes. PW also claimed that CLEVE had not yet been evacuated. PW also stated that railroad yards in CLEVE were destroyed and out of commission on by allied bombings.

From conversations with other troops PW learned that the 5PZ has been in present position for a period of 5 weeks without relief.

Interrogated by I.P.W. Team #45

ALFRED LANDGRAFF, 1st Lt.AUS,
O.I.C.

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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400 9 November 1944)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	23	238	23	565	25	458	23	424	94	1685		
504	28	184	35	476	30	454	22	357	115	1471		
505	25	241	37	457	32	404	31	470	125	1552		
508	29	239	28	335	28	337	27	326	112	1237		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA - DOW		MISSING		WIA - NOT EVAC.		SICK - EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	100	13	248	28	571	7	367	58	1286	94	1685
504	10	87	3	100	29	386	6	150	48	723	115	1471
505	6	99	1	58	25	351	15	199	47	707	125	1552
508	15	115	4	110	27	417	7	168	53	810	112	1237
INF	41	401	21	516	109	1725	35	884	206	3526	446	5045
ARTY	3	35	7	86	25	159	4	99	39	377	141	1700
ENGR	2	24	1	4	8	79		42	11	149	33	473
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	24	224
SIG						2		2		4	7	111
80th AA		18	1	4	6	45	2	41	9	108	31	449
OTHERS		3		7	3	25	1	16	4	51	79	456
TOTAL	44	479	30	619	152	2033	42	1098	270	4349	757	9758

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OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYP

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 10 NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1225

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AT 2100 LAST NIGHT and at 0500 to-day
OBSERVER at 767562 saw track of
fire going straight up + disappear (rocket)
at AZ of 45° - Range 1800 yards

Message File No. 5953 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stamper, 1ST LT.

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Hq 508th Prcht. Inf.
In The Field.
090900 Nov 1944.

Patrol Report 8/9 Nov 1944

Patrol #1 left our lines from 751684 at 1900 hr and moved to 753687. The patrol listened there for 30 minutes, and although there was no ey activity of any kind heard or seen along the dyke, machine pistol fire from 751698 and 754695 was noted. The patrol proceeded to field at 752688. No ey activity along canal was noted at this point, and the patrol returned at 2345 hr.

Patrol #2 left from 743689 at 2400 hr, and followed the route 748694 - 745693 - 746695. Only ey activity noted was MG fire from 747697 and 756696. Patrol also heard 3 rifle shots from approx 750692. Patrol returned to our lines 0250 hr.

Patrol #3 was a 2-man rcn patrol to determine if the ey occupied the green house 764664. At 2000 hr the patrol moved to the outpost located at the end of cottage row, 765665, and from there south to within 30 yds of the house. The patrol listened for approx 30 minutes and heard movement and talking. The patrol estimated that the green house was occupied by six ey. Patrol returned at 2230 hr.

Patrol #4 left our lines 760663 at 1900 hr and moved to twin house 763662. The patrol remained in a ditch by the road for 20 minutes. No movement was detected. The patrol returned at 2130 hr.

Patrol #5, a 2-man rcn patrol, left our lines at 760663 at 2330 hr. The patrol moved along the dyke and stopped and listened at each of the houses as far as the ruined house 761661. No movement was heard in any of the buildings. The patrol returned at 0030 hr without contacting the ey.

Patrol #6, a 3-man rcn patrol, left our forward positions at 759661 at 1900 hr. The patrol moved down a trail parallel to the dyke and about 75 yds away from it to approx 763657 and then toward the dyke. The patrol started back along the dyke cautiously, stopping to investigate holes and the buildings close by the dyke. At 761660 the patrol encountered a group of approx 5 ey moving south along the dyke. A quick decision was made by the patrol. The German speaking member of the patrol revealed himself and demanded that the group of ey surrender. The surprise was effective but the leader of the ey group recovered swiftly and motioned for the group to take cover as he continued the conversation to gain time. Another man of our patrol joined the German speaking member and both of them opened fire with their TSMGs. The patrol then withdrew to the flats and to our lines, covered by fire from the ey S/A and a MG located at 761559. The patrol also located an 80mm German mortar at 761660. Patrol returned at 2200 hr.

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DIST:

1 - 50 Div
1 - 82 Div
1 - 505 P.I.
1 - 151 Bde
1 - 319 F.A.
1 - 1st Bn
1 - 2nd Bn
1 - 3rd Bn
1 - Route
1 - file

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 10-NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1520

~~Took Rec 60~~

A BUILDING AT 796555 (HETTSTEG) which carried a Red CROSS was hit by our ARTY + 4 exploded 4 TIMES.

Message File No. 5865 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1ST

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 2ND Corps - Met Sect DATE: 10-Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1815

F/ 2000/20800.

fair and with slight risk of showers at first

Vis good becoming moderate to poor

Wind - Light WNW

warning - Ground frost expected in sheltered areas.

Message File No. 5872 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: ~~504~~ 325 DATE: 10-NOV-44

TO: G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1900

AT 1813 - ~~[redacted]~~ (757573) REPORTED CHEROKEE 6 RDS N of BLOWER

AZ 105° - Approx Range 3000 yds.
Landed about 4 rounds E and N of Cherokee

AT 1814 - Same ords. - 2 rds ~~[illegible]~~ of BLOWER

AZ 130° - Range 3000 yds - Landed same as above.

AT 1853 - ~~[redacted]~~ (757573) observed Cherokee - Gun flash at 85° - Range - 6500 yds. - Shell landed 1000 yds N of Cherokee (757573).

Message File No. 5883 G-2 Sender - Receiver: STANGER 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
G2D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 505 DATE: 10 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1920

Shelrips:

1725 - 769619, 8-10 MED., fr 80°, 2 sec

(P) 1735 - 77635624, 12 - 75mm 1gun, , 40°

1855 - 7704 6175, 8 - MED, 95°

1845 - Identified 7697623, 6 - 88mm, obs 7715624 2, 85°

1645 - 762649, 8-12 guns! 30-35° 22 sec

Message File No. 5884 G-2 Sender Receiver: Gaines Cpt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 10-NOV-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1920

AT 1845 - 3rd BN REPORTED

5 WIA from Ey ARTY Barrage.

2-OP's have picked gun flashes but can't locate reports therefore no location of guns as yet. We are firing in Direction of GUN Flashes.

ARTY HAS Been notified.

Message File No. 5885 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st LT.

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HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
10 NOVEMBER 1944.

MEMORANDUM TO: See Distribution.

MAPS

1. Issue of road maps will be available at 307 A/B Engr map depot by 110800.

2. Maps (including defensive overprints) desired for use as situation maps or for historical purposes will be retained by units.

3. Other maps will be turned over as follows:

a. Maps of front line areas (including defensive overprints) will be turned over to relieving units.

b. Maps of other areas will be sorted by scale and sheet numbers and will be turned over to 307 A/B Engrs.

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504 Inf
505 Inf
508 Inf
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376 FA
456 FA
307 A/B Engrs
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307 Med
407 QM
82d Sig
782d Ord
Div Hq Co
Hq Btry, Div Arty

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To: G-2
From: S-2, Div Arty 10 Nov

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	824544	2 Guns	376
Yes	804618	2 Med Guns	AOP
Yes	7780 5817	Mortar	376
Yes	77955990	MG	376
Yes	7760 5754	MG	376
Yes	7797 5831	MG	376
Yes	7795 5990	Mortar	376
Yes	80036275	SP	456
Yes	791 557	Nebel	326
Yes	7882 5545	2 SP	320
Yes	807633	1 H.V. Gun	456

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Shelrep

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal.	Est En
320	0845	757573	✓	110°	10	Med	
376	1050	731578	✓	2000yd	1	75	21" fk
456	1540	732599	✓	2000yd	1		
456	1720	761599	✓	53°		SP	3000
376	1730	768595	✓	86°30'	8	170	21" fk
456	1725	769619	X	80°	8	Med	
456	1935	776562		40°	12	75	
456	1930	782627		1459yd	10	Lt	8.5" fk

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
10 November 1944

PATROL PLAN FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 10-11.

Map Reference: Sheet 12 NW, 1/25,000, HOLLAND

Ambush Outposts will be maintained tonight by the 1st Bn, at the following points:

Ambush Outpost # 1: Vic of 772575.

Ambush Outpost # 2: Vic of 770563.

Outposts will be established shortly after dark and remain in position until 0h30.

Contact patrolling will be conducted as per overlay below.

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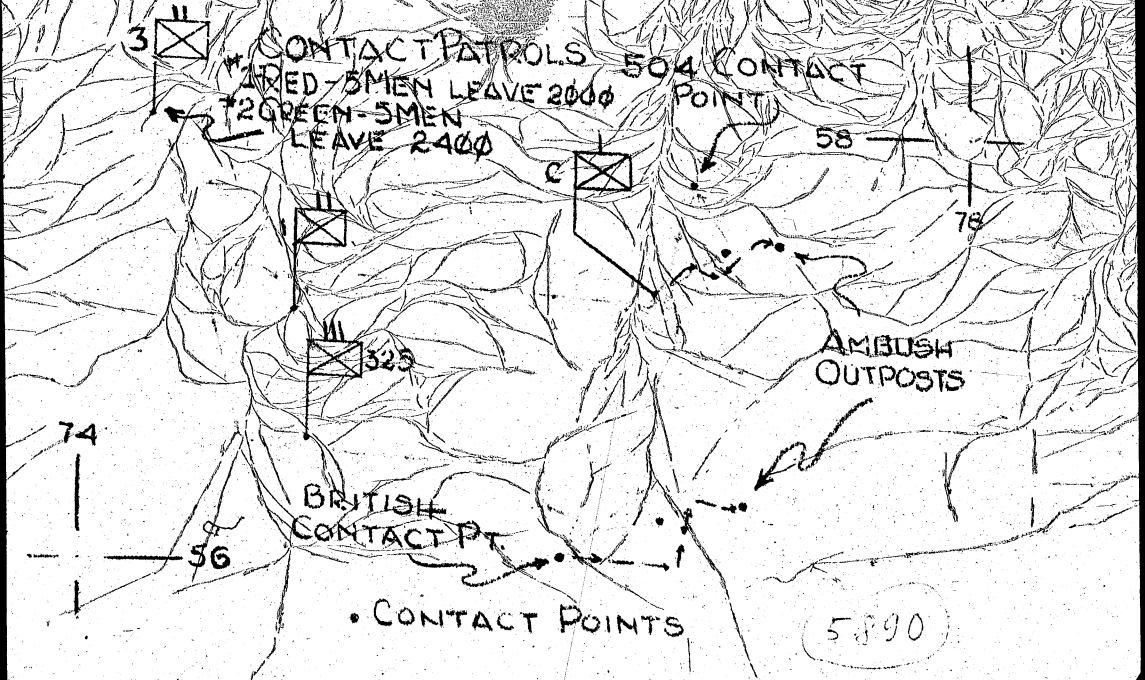

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505th

DATE: 10 Nov 44

TO : G-2

TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2100

At 2055 3rd Bn 77756199 obs one
enemy plane 90° Mag Hdg 4000yds range.

Message File No. 5895 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible] 2-45

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
101600 November 44.

PATROL PLAN for night 10/11 November:

Serial No.	Unit	Type	Mission	Area	Time Out
1.	1st Bn	Ambush	To ambush any eny coming into area.	769609	1830
2.	3rd Bn	Security Patrols	To keep protective screen across front	MLR to OPL	During Night

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(5897A)

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
G2D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Gen Arty DATE: 10 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2140

320 Repts Enemy plane dropped red flare at 731566 at 2135

Message File No. 5901 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 10/24/44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2330

3d Bn MG Bn 115-a 772618

Approx 500 yds range.

MG Bn 90° to 772619

Mortar firing at TS

Mortar at 702608

B/115 to 778626 at

1000 yds range NW

Message File No. 5902 G-2 Sender / Receiver: XZ-6

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 10 Nov 44

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2255

(757573)

Cherokee reports [illegible] range gun flash

Az 85°

H Co. reports [illegible] range [illegible] flash.

Az 140° from road block 768568

Message File No. 5903 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Sm #2 54

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 0000 Nov 44

To: 1200 [illegible]
(Date and Hour)

Place: Nijmegen

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0100		5906		FR 504 To G-2 [illegible] REPORT	
0100		5907		FR 325, 504 To G-2 [illegible] REPORT	
0100		5908		FR 82 To G-2: Flares	
0105		5909		FR 325 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
0140		5910		FR G-2: NEWS SUMMARY.	
0140		5911		FR G-2: G-2 REPORT NO. 144	
0235		5912		FR 325 To G-2 NEG (RADIO - PHONE) REPORT	
0235		5913		FR 504 To G-2 NEG (RADIO - PHONE) REPORT	
0235		5914		FR 504 To G-2 NEG (RADIO - PHONE) REPORT	
0500		5915		FR 504 To G-2 Neg. REPORT	
0500		5916		FR 325 TO G-2 NEG REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 110001 Nov 44

To: 112400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: Nijmegen, Holl

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0500		5917		FR 504 TO G-2: NIL REPORT	
0710		5918		FR [illegible] TO G-2: NIL [illegible]	REPORT
0710		5919		FR 325 TO G-2: NIL [illegible]	REPORT
0715		5920		FR 504 TO G-2: PTL REPORT	[illegible]
0745		5921		FR 325 TO G-2: "BORDER BREEZE"	
0745		5922		FR 325 TO G-2 PTL REPORT	[illegible]
0825		5923		FR 50 DIV TO G-2: SITREP	2ND CORPS
0825		5924		FR 2D CON CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER RPT	
0830		5925		FR 505 TO G-2: PTL REPORT	[illegible]
0845		5926		FR 504 TO G-2: [illegible]	
0900		5927		FR 504 TO G-2: NIL REPORT	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0905		5928		FR 325, 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE RPT	
0910		5929		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: RADIO NEG RPT	
0945		5930		FR G-3 TO G-2: MOVEMENT ORDER #1 W/ OVERLAY	
0945		5931		FR S-2 DIV ARTY TO G-2: MOUSE AT 807254 36 SUSDEYDEY C.P.	
1000		5932		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
1000		5933		FR EG TO UNIT COMMANDERS: SHOWDOWN INSPECTION	
1100		5934		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
1115		5935		FR 505 TO G-2: QUERY ON TURNING IN MAPS	
1115		5936		FR 325 TO G-2 THETSTEGD-ARTY FLUSHED SEY	
1130		5937		FR 505 TO G-2: NEGATIVE REPORT	
1130		5938		FR 325 TO G-2: WHITE SMOKE 818537	
1130		5939		FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: 3 WHITE VAPOR TRAILS	

TIME IN	TIME OUT	SERIAL NO.	MESSAGE	ACTION TAKEN
1235		5942	FR 508 TO G2: PATROL Report 9/10 NOV	
1150		5940	FR S1-505 TO G-2: Pvt STANGER (PRO) TO report to 505 CP AT 1300	CANT BE LOCATED 505 SD INFORMED
1235		5942	FR 2 Cdn Corps TO G-2: [redacted] CI Sitrep AS of 10 1800	2 copies
1235		5943	FR 508 TO G-2: Periodic Report No 49	
1400		5944	FR 505 325 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1310		5945	FR 325 TO G-2: AT 1250 SHELL HIT NEAR CHIEF GUN OBSERVED FIRED FR ROOF OF CHURCH STEEPLE IN KRANENBURG.	
1300		5946	FR DIV ARTY TO G-2: 6 ARMD VEH CAME DOWN ROAD AND TURNE EAST AT KRANENBURG	
1315		5941	FR 505 TO G-2: FLYING BOMB REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:
(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1340		5948		FR 504 TO G-2 SMOKE SCREEN REPORT	
1340		5949		FR 325 TO G-2: STEEPLE OF CHURCH POSSIBLE O.P.	
~~1515~~		~~5950~~			
1515		5950		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1515		5951		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1525		5952		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 1430 VEH. ACTIVITY ON N-S RD AT 79556190 ALSO TROOPS IN GRPS OF 5+6	
1525		5953		FR AC OFS TO G-2: PRINTS FOR NIJMEGEN BRIDGE.	
1535		5954		FR HQ 101st A/B TO G-2: G-2 PERIODIC REPORT	
1525		5955		FR 505 TO G-2. 3rd BN reports 5 MEN dropping by prcht Apprx 1 mile behind Ey lines. OBSERVED FR 771617 ON AZ 100°	d/s G-3

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1547		5956	11 NOV.	FR CIC TO G-2: INVESTIGATION OF loose talk CONCERNING departure of 82d Div. [redacted]	CIC file
1550		5957		FR 504 TO G2: Neg REPORT	
1600		5958		FR 325 TO G-2: AT 1554, S. PAT 771571 obs FR 757573, 1 ey sliding INTO Foxhole 100yds behind SP	
~~1300~~					
~~1300~~	1700	5959		FR G-2 to G1: PROMOTION OF LT GRAY	TO G1
	1705	5960		FR G-2 TO G1: INVESTIGATION of British soldiers (FROM 505)	
1720		5961		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: RADIO CHECK-IN.	
1730		5962		FR 325 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1730		5963		Fr 505 TO G-2 Neg	
1735		5964		FR [redacted] 2d CDN Corps. To G-2 Counter MORTER INT Report.	

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To: (Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1547		5956	11 Nov.	FR CIC TO G-2: INVESTIGATION OF loose talk CONCERNING departure of 82d Div. [redacted]	CIC file
1550		5957		FR 504 TO G2: Neg REPORT	
1600		5958		FR 325 TO G-2: AT 1554 S.P. AT 771571 obs FR 757573. 1 ey sliding into Foxhole 100yds behind S.P.	
~~1900~~					
~~1900~~	1700	5959		FR G-2 to G1: PROMOTION OF LT GRAY	To G1
	1705	5960		FR G-2 TO G1: INVESTIGATION of British soldiers (From 505)	
1720		5961		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: RADIO CHECK-IN.	
1730		5962		FR 325 TO G-2: Neg REPORT	
1730		5963		Fr 505 TO G-2 Neg	
1735		5964		FR [redacted] 2d CDN Corps. To G-2 Counter MORTER INT Report.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

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TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1800		5965		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1900		5966		FR 505 TO G-2: S-2 REPORT	
1905		5967		FR 2nd CND CORPS TO G-2: WEATHER REPORT	
1915		5968		FR 325, 504, 505 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1920		5969		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 1900. 90° MAG. AZ. - FROM 77526275 88 m. FIRING AT CLOSE RANGE - 8 RDS.	
1924		5970		FR 505 TO G-2: AT 1905, 30° AZ. FROM 77526275 88 m. FIRED 8 RDS.	
2000		5971		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
2000		5972		FR 325 TO G-2: REGT. OP RELIEVED BY CANADIANS.	
2015		5973		FR. DIV. ARTY. TO G-2: HOSTILE ARTY. LOCATED 11 NOV, SHELREPS, pel.	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2030		5974		FR. 504 TO G-2; RESULTS OF PATROL ACTIVITIES NIGHT OF 10-11 NOV.	
2100		5975		FR. 504 - 505 - 325 TO G-2; NEG. (RADIO)	
2100		5976		FR. 504 TO G-2; GUN FIRING, 5-6 RDS. LANDING IN 505 AREA.	
2105		5977		FR. 325 TO G-2; PERIODIC NO. 62.	
		5976		FR. 325 TO G-2; INFORMATION ON EY. INSTALLATIONS. (OVERLAY)	
2105		5979		FR. 504 TO G-2; PERIODIC NO. 54.	
2110		5980		FR. 505 TO G-2; SHELREP.	
2130		5981		FR. 325 TO G-2; NEG. RPT.	
2235		5982		FR 504 To G-2; Report of Flares	
2300		5983		FR 504, 505, 325 TO G-2; Neg. by Radio	

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From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2300		5984		FR 504 To G-2: Flash report	
2315		5985		FR 525 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
2330		5986		FR 505 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
2200		5987		FR 504 To G-2: PATROL PLAN	

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82D A/B[illegible]TION

FROM: 325 DATE: 11 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0100

3 Flares 2300 - 0100 Hg 180°

for 760855/35

Message File No. 5908 G-2 Sender - Receiver 2-4

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
10 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This news is from AEF and BBC reports:

The English Parliament today heard the first official news concerning V-2, the German long range rocket bomb which the enemy has been sending against ENGLAND for several weeks.

Two days ago the Germans began spreading colorful stories about the damage the rockets had been causing in ENGLAND, but Mr. CHURCHILL told the English legislators that the damage had been scattered and insignificant, although some casualties had resulted.

Emphasizing that there was no cause for undue alarm, the Prime Minister said no previous official announcement had been made concerning V-2 because the Germans were in doubt as to its effect.

Mr. CHURCHILL divulged that V-2 travels 60 to 70 miles up through the stratosphere and then falls, and that there is no means as yet of detecting it to give a warning of its approach.

He described the use of the rocket as "another attack on civilian morale in the vain hope of staving off defeat in the field." Some of the rockets, he said, had been fired from WALCHEREN Island, now entirely in our hands.

Efforts are being concentrated on locating the sources of the rockets. While the Allies have already overrun some of them, there is no way of telling, Mr. CHURCHILL asserted, whether the Germans may be able to extend the range.

Mr. CHURCHILL said the V-2 rocket contains about the same amount of explosive as the flying bomb but penetrates deeper. The damage from the blast, however, is not so extensive

Today's war news features Gen. PATTON's drive on the Western Front, in which substantial gains were made today against only moderate resistance.

The Third Army has reached a point 17 miles NE of NANCY and has captured a hub town for five roads. Farther north there is some progress beyond the MOSELLE. The Americans are reported to have committed elements of the 4th Armored Division.

At one point the Third Army is within 8 miles of the SAAR but in this sector the SIEGFRIED and MAGINOT Lines lie ahead.

The First Army made local gains near SCHMIDT.

Allied planes continued their attacks last night and today over HOLLAND and GERMANY. Targets in the RUHR and at COLOGNE were bombed.

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The Battle of ORMOC on LEYTE Island is developing into one of the war's fiercest struggles, latest development being the landing of enough Jap personnel reinforcements to replace their estimated 35,000 casualties. The Americans have observation on ORMOC harbor and are shelling it constantly. American bombers are likewise blasting targets in ORMOC.

In BURMA the Chinese advanced in the North, and other of our troops moved forward on the road beyond FORT WHITE.

The FORLI airfield and the cathedral city of FORLI are both in Allied hands, but the Germans have been shelling FORLI from newly-established positions. A news correspondent described the airfield as a mass of bomb craters, wrecked Tiger tanks, and dead horses and dead Germans. 36 miles to the NW lies BOLOGNA.

With new advances on two fronts, the Russians today prepared for the conquest of BUDAPEST. Some 50 places were captured North of BUDAPEST, the effect being to bring up the right wing, while advances 25 miles SE of BUDAPEST broadened the thrust. Still other troops have been in the BUDAPEST outskirts several days.

Soviet figures today showed that in HUNGARY the Russians have killed 100,000 Germans and Hungarians within a month and in the same period captured 42,000 prisoners, more than 1,000 tanks and SP guns, 2,000 other guns, and 4,000 motor vehicles.

The former Chief of Staff of the Hungarian Army has called on Hungarian soldiers to take their places with him behind the Russian lines. Simultaneously, he flayed the Quisling government which has taken over in HUNGARY.

The German forces which recently fled GREECE are fighting from valley to valley in their escape through YUGOSLAVIA and groups often find themselves hemmed in.

Figures given out today by the Allies showed that in ATHENS alone during the German occupation 4,000 Greeks, many of them women, were shot by the Germans. A 16-year-old girl was killed for displaying a sign, "Welcome, Allies".

Resignations have been made in the cabinet of the Persian government because of disagreements over sale of oil to RUSSIA.

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FROM: 100001 NOV 44
TO : 102400 NOV 44

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
[illegible] FIELD,
10 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

NO. 144.
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey weapons, except arty, located today and engaged by our Arty: Nebelwerfer at 791557, mortars at 77805817 and 77955990, and MG at 77955990, 77605754, and 77975831 (Div Arty).

(2) Trip wires in field at 776616, vic house at 776615, in field at 778615 and vic 779614. Bridge at 778615 mined and booby-trapped with trip wires (505).

(3) MGs at 776615 and 778615 (505).

c. Units in Contact: See Annex No. One (IPW Report No. 19).

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty from WAAL River to REICHSWALD (incl):-(No change)- 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 1 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

(2) Ey arty located today and engaged by our Arty: Two guns at 824544, two med guns at 804618, SP at 80036275, two SP at 78825545 and one hvy gun at 807633.

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:

The enemy continues to offer stout resistance to our patrols. A 505th Parachute Infantry patrol of 11 men engaged in a brisk fire fi with ey squad during the night of 9 - 10 November in the vicinity of 783619, after which one of our men was missing.

A small enemy patrol attempted to infiltrate 504th Parachute Infantry positions during the night of 9 - 10 November but was driven back by mortar and small arms fire. Otherwise, enemy offensive activity was limited to occasional artillery, mortar and small arms fire and one bomb from a jet-propelled plane.

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b. Operation of Component Elements:

(1) Artillery Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rds	No. of Guns	Cal.	Interval
20 FA	0845	757573	110	10	?	Med	?
76 FA	1050	731578	2000 M	1	1	75	?
56 FA	1540	732599	2000 M	1	1	?	?
56 FA	1720	761599	53	?	?	SP	?
05	1725	769619	80	8 - 10	?	Med	9 Secs
76 FA	1730	768595	86.5	8	?	170	?
05	1735	77635624	40	12	1	75	?
25	1813	757573	105	6	1	Nblwfr	?
25	1814	757573	130	24	?	Nblwfr	?
05	1845	77156242	85	6	?	88	?
05	1645	762649	30 - 35	8 - 12	?	?	22
25	1853	757573	85	?	?	?	?
05	1855	77046175	95	8	?	Med	?
25	2255	757573	85	Gun Flash			

(2) Aviation, Combat: Ey jet-propelled plane dropped one bomb vic Div Rear CP about 1630, and ey plane dropped red flare at 731566 at 2135.

(3) Infantry:

(a) See Par 2 a.

(b) Scattered troops along KRANENBURG - WYLER Road near RICHTER'S GUT at 1200. Twelve ey in truck at 1430 moving from HETTSTEEG toward HORST (325).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of Report: 1.
(b) Taken to date: 2,995.

b. Morale: See Annex No. One (IPW Report No. 19).

c. Weather:

(1) During period: Fair to cloudy, with occasional light showers. Cool.

(2) Forecast for coming 24 hours: Fair, cool.

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One Annex - IPW Report No. 19.

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CHANTOM	- 1	TOTAL: 90.	

47 Armd Regt (Cdn)	- 5
32 Gds Bde Grp (Br)	- 5
5103 QM Trk Co	- 1
EDBURGH Team	- 1

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ANNEX NO. 1 TO
G-2 REPORT NO. 145

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
10 NOVEMBER 1944

INTERROGATION REPORT NO. 19

1. UNIT IDENTIFIED.	NO. PW	PLACE	BY
2/ B. G. WOLF	1	(761579)	80th AA Bn

2. PW was a deserter and was actually a part of the Para Flak Regt II which disintegrated in FRANCE. Wounded in FRANCE, PW spent some time in a hospital in GERMANY and after much wandering reported for duty to the Battle Group WOLF on 5 Nov. He was assigned to 2nd Co and after spending several days on K. P. he was sent forward and was in position at (775585) when he decided to desert.

The prisoner knew very little about his present unit. He had been briefed by his platoon leader when he came forward. At that time he was told that the 3rd Co was on their right and the 1st Co on their left. His own company has 2 platoons with 21 men in the 1st platoon. The PW stated that there was a liberal mixing of paratroop and para flak personnel in the unit. This, however, only confirms previous information.

PW did not know whether his unit did or did not belong to the 3rd Para Div. He stated that his orders were to report to Para Flak Regt II. He was one of four men plus a non-com travelling on the same orders. The non-com was returning to his unit after a short illness and told the men that they were really going to the Battle Group LORENZ which was in the WYLER area. They arrived in WESEL and reported to the R. T. O. After inspecting their orders, he put them on a train for GRONAU (V510002). The non-com conjectured that perhaps the unit had been relieved. Upon arrival at GRONAU the 4 men waited while the non-com reported to a Hqs on the East edge of town from where he was sent to another CP somewhere between GRONAU and ENTSCHEDE. Upon his return he told the men that he had been to the 3rd Para Div Hq and that they had been misdirected and must go back to WYLER. PW confirmed previous information that the 3rd Para Div was assembled in the ENTSCHEDE area. The only hint which can be derived from this information regarding the relationship of the WOLF and LORENZ units to the 3rd Para Div is that the R. T. O. assumed them to be part of the division and sent the men to GRONAU. Upon arrival in WYLER the men were sent to the B. G. WOLF rather than LORENZ. PW heard the men discussing the LORENZ unit and that it was to be relieved shortly.

PW had a naive intelligence. He was convinced of GERMANY's defeat and could see no reason for any further useless bloodshed. He claimed that the civilian population in the RHINE area was being held in hand only by the most rigid control as exercised by HIMMLER's henchmen. When he left his sleeping comrades in their bunker last night, PW left them a note saying he was deserting and the only wise thing for them to do was to follow his example. He then proceeded to crawl on hands and knees, zigzagging constantly, feeling the ground thorough

[illegible] for mines with each step, assiduously avoiding every shadow. He moved thus for over 2 hours. He had 2 hand-grenades with him. In the event he ran into a German outpost, one would be for the outpost, and if he missed, the second for him.

Irvin Bushman
IRVIN BUSHMAN, K
Captain, F. A.,
Interrogator.

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As for G-2 Report No. 145.

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Hq 504th Prcht. Inf.
Berg en Dal, Holland
110600 November 1944

SUBJECT: Results of Patrol Activivities for Night 10- 11 November 44

To: A. C. of S., G-2 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of night activities conducted by units of this command durning the night 10 - 11 November 44.

First and Third Battalions conducted routine Security Patrols from MLR to OPL. Encountered no enemy.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.
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PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf NCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
10181, November 1944

PATROL INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 10-11 NOVEMBER 1944

First Bn: Maintaining local security and screening patrols.

Second Bn: No patrol activities.

Third Bn: Maintaining local security and screening patrols.

For the Commanding Officer:

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Infantry
S-2

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"To accompany S-1
Periodic Report 504"

ANNEX 1

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Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
11 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 10-11.

Ambush Patrol # 1: Sgt. Horton and 4 men moved out at 1900 and established ambush outpost in vic of 772575. No ey contact was made and their only reports were scattered rifle shots to the front of A Co at 0200 and the unusual number of flares. Patrol returned at 0400.

Ambush Patrol # 2: Cpl. Barker and 4 men established ambush outpost in vic of 770563 at 1900 and remained in position until 0400. Negative report, except for flares.

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HQ 505TH PRCHT INF
IN THE FIELD
110700 November 44

PATROL AND ACTIVITY REPORT for night 10/11 Nov:

1. 1st Bn ambush patrol made no close contact with the enemy.

2. 3rd Bn screening patrols made no report OF contact with enemy.

3. During early part of night there was sporadic enemy arty fire but nothing unusual was reported.

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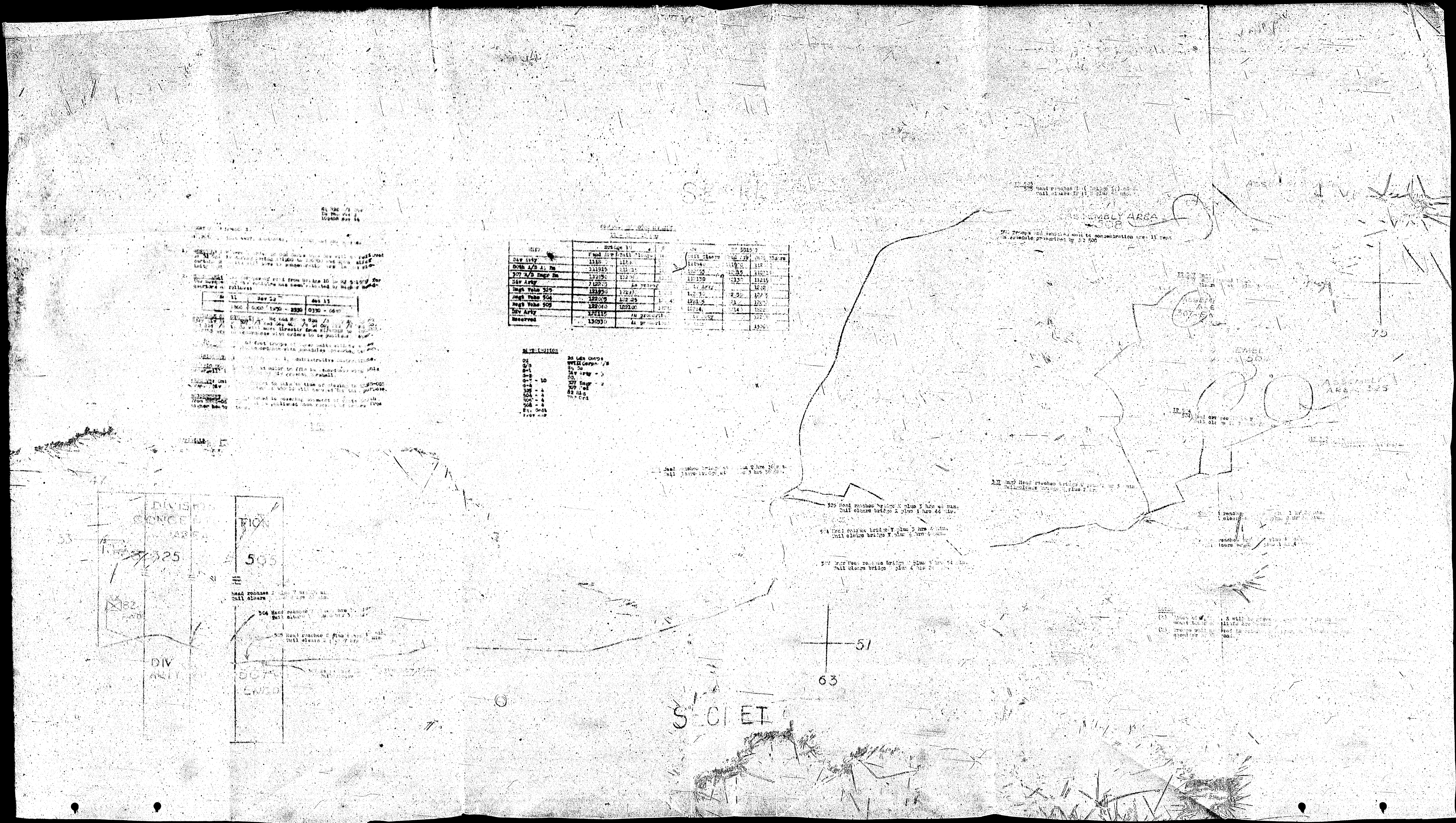

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 Div Arty DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0945

House at 807254360 is
suspected by C.P.
(Dispatch riders are frequently
seen coming and going)

(P)

Message File No. 5931 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 10 November 44)

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	25	233	25	565	25	460	24	421	99	1677		
504	28	182	25	475	30	460	34	351	127	1468		
505	25	241	39	442	33	416	32	461	129	1560		
508	29	239	28	335	28	356	27	327	112	1257		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES DO NOT TYPE

	KIA	DOW	MISSING		WIA & DNB		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
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325	10	101	13	248	38	572	8	375	59	1296	99	1677
504	10	87	3	100	30	392	6	151	49	730	127	1468
505	6	99	1	59	25	353	15	200	47	711	129	1560
508	15	116	4	110	27	419	7	170	53	815	112	1457
INF	41	403	21	517	110	1736	36	896	208	3994	461	5942
ARTY	5	33	7	85	29	159	4	99	39	377	141	1700
ENGR	2	24	1	4	8	79		42	11	149	53	475
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	24	284
SIG						2		2		4	7	111
80 AA		18	1	4	6	45	2	41	9	108	31	469
OTHERS		3		7	5	25	1	16	4	51	75	496
TOTAL	48	481	30	620	155	2064	45	1110	474	4475	774	9999

OFFICER CASUALTIES 59 52

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 Staff DATE: 7/7/44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1115

REQUEST INTERPRETATION OF MEMORANDUM DIRECTIVES TO BE TURNING IN MAPS (AND (AIR PHOTOS) TO ENGRS (AND G-2) IN VIEW OF RELIEVING UNITS DESIRE TO OBTAIN DIRECTLY AND IMMEDIATELY ALL PERTINENT DATA.

NOT ONLY THOSE MAPS AS ARE CONSIDERED PERTINENT TO RELIEVING UNIT (AS PER THEIR REQUEST) ARE REQUIRED TO BE TURNED IN. COMBAT MAPS ON HAND MAY BE GIVEN DIRECTLY TO RELIEVING UNIT

Message File No. 5935 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Lewis, Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1115

~~Haystack~~ House fired on by arty -
5 ey ran from house and
dived into foxholes. More arty
will be laid on

Haystack with double doors which
was burned down last week is
today clearly visible and burned
out. Oil cans are visible.

Message File No. 5936 G-2 Sender - (Receiver) Harris CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 325 DATE: 11 NOV 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1130

1125 6 high streamers of white smoke vic 818537.
12 RDS NBLWFR FR THAT POINT

1126 - 2 MORE STREAMERS
12 RDS NBLWFR FOLLOWED.
(P) NBLWFR IS SEEN AT 77635553

Message File No. 5932 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible], CAPT

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 Div Artx DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1130

3 white vapor trails over this area. No planes have been seen — horizontal streamers.

Message File No. 5939 G-2 Sender ~~Receiver~~: Gaines Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-1 505 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1150

PVT. STANGER (PRO SECTION)
IS TO PROCEED TO
505 CP AT 1300 IN
CONNECTION WITH AN
INVESTIGATION

Message File No. 5940 G-2 Sender - Receiver: James Capt

S E C R E T

Hq 508th Prcht. Inf.
In The Field.
100930 Nov 1944

Patrol Report 9/10 Nov 1944

Patrol #1 left our lines at 1900 hr and proceeded to listening post at 756683. Remained in observation there for 30 minutes, proceeded to second listening post at 759681. At both positions, sounds of digging 200 - 300 yds across canal were heard. Patrol then moved to 75956810. No ey activity of any kind was observed on the canal in section covered. Patrol returned at 2310 hr.

Patrol #2 followed route 759686 - 761690 (listening post) - 759692 (listening post) - 747689. Heard muffled cough at about 751691 while approaching first listening post but sound was not repeated and no further activity observed. Moved by crawling from post to post and did not see any activity. Heard movement in field at about 750688 but investigation by patrol leader in that area disclosed nothing. MG fired a few bursts from 747697 down road.

Patrol #3 & #4 left at 2400 hr with mission to reconnoiter Twin House 762662 and Ruined House 761661. Although slight movement was heard in v i c of these buildings, no contact was made with the ey. Patrol returned 0430 hr.

Patrol #5, a 4-man patrol to capture a prisoner, left 759660 at 0245 hr and moved to approx 760659. At this point, the patrol i separated into two 2-man groups with a plan to ambush an outpost once it gave its position away. The flanking element moved to approx 760659 to await the action of the decoy group. The decoy group oftwo men, while waiting for the flanking element to get in position, heard the movement and manipulation of a MG in a ditch to their left and soon thereafter the voices of a group in the ditch to their right. Thegroup could not successfully carry out their plan under the circumstances and moved back to our lines. The flanking element fired upon and drew fire from 5 riflemen on the dyke before they returned to our lines. Patrol returned at 0445 hr.

SILVER
S-2

DIST:

1 - 50 Div
1 - 82 Div
1 - 505 P.I.
1 - 151 Bde
1 - 319 F.A.
1 - 1st Bn
1 - 2nd Bn
1 - 3rd Bn
1 - Route
1 - File

S E C R E T

(10)

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT:

AT 1250 SHELL HIT NEAR Chief (75365573)
~~Gun~~ GUN OBSERVED firing from SOUTH
~~Height~~ of church steeple in Kranenburg.
Intermittent shelling in area

Message File No. 5945 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stauger, 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: Div ARTY DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1300

[redacted]

6 ARMD vehicles came down the road from FRASSELT + turned east at Kradenbach at 1302.

(P)

Message File No. 5946 G-2 Sender ✓ Receiver: Slaycum, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 11 - NOV 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1315

FLYING BOMBS

AT 1130 - 30 flying bombs launched from mag AZ 300 from 7765 6299.

AT 1140 - 60 flying bombs launched AT 120° from 746609.

2 CAD Copies

Message File No. 5941 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1ST LT.

NO MORE SEEN.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: ~~1340~~ 11-Nov-41

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1340.

Smoke screen - N of Wyler + Sag
Bayfflechahon + 1230. Light.

(P)

Message File No. 5998 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger / 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 11-Nov-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1342

(753655Z3)

CHIEF Reports -

Steeple of church in Koppelberg being observed.

A Panel appears to be taken out & observers see a reflection from glass. Possibly OP.

Informed Div-Arty. (P)

Message File No. 5999 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stonger, 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
G2D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: H-N[illegible]44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1520

At 1430 vehicular activity on N-S rd at 79556190 also 1 pzkw in grid of 5+6

Arty Notified

Message File No. 5952 G-2 Sender - Receiver ~~[illegible]~~ white, S/Sgt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 11-NOV-44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1535

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

3rd BN Reports.

5. Man dropping by parachute about 1 MILE Behind EY LINES. Men came down at Mag AZ 1000 from 771617 at range of 1 to 2 miles.

BRITISH BOMBERS IN AREA, However NONE seen shot down.

Informed
G3
CDN CORPS.

Message File No. 5955 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanyar, 1st LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 325 DATE: 11- NOV -44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1600

CHEROKEE (757573)

AT 1554 - Com. SP AT 771571

1 Ey sliding into pothole 100 yds behind SP.

(P)

Message File No. 5958 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stargardt, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 2nd CND Corps - Met Sect DATE: 11 - NOV - 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1740

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2000 - 0800

weather - Fine becoming misty during night

clouds - Small amount cumulus at 3000 - 4000 ft

wind - Lt W.

Vis - 6 to 8 mile at first - deteriorating to 1 to 2 to 3000 yds

outlook - fair.

Message File No. 5967 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1ST LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 11-Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1900

AT 1900 - 90 MAG AZ - FROM 7752627 5-
88m firing at close range - 8rds.

(P)

Message File No. 5969 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stanger, 1st Lt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 305 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO: G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1915

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

AT 1905 - 30 AZ from 7752 6225

88 m. fired 8 rds

(P)

Message File No. 5910 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Slonger 1st Lt.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: [redacted]/325 DATE: 14 Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1945

Regimental OP relieved by CANADIANS.

Message File No. 5973 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stamey, 1ST LT.

To: G-2
From: S-2, Div Arty

11 Nov 44

Hostile Arty, Mortars, MG's Located

Engaged	Location	Weapon	Source
Yes	7833618B	MG	456
Yes	78355618	Mortar	320
Yes	79845542	Gun	320
Yes	77605812	MG	376
Yes	78515679	2-Mortars	376

(P)

Shelreps

Rptd	Time	Obsvr	Impact	Az	No Rds	Cal	Est Rn
320	1235	757573	✓	140°	8	150	5500

[redacted]

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2100

Can firing - 5-6 mls Southeast

505 apparently

Details in report

Message File No. 976 G-2 Sender - Receiver:

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 505 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2110

3d Bn 2 rds Mag Hq 85° 1r.
76876147 3 secs. flash-bang
H Co. reports Germans making lot
of noise opposite their sector.

(P)

Message File No. 5980 G-2 Sender - Receiver: B. [illegible]

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: S-2 1504 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2235

?

"EX" SET OFF 3 FLARES, SOMETHING LIKE MAGNESIUM FLARES, TK WYLER THAT LIGHTED AREA MOMENTARILY AND THEN DIED OUT.

Message File No. 5982 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Kilgore

MAJOR

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 11 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME (RECEIVED) OR SENT: 2300

One more flash in vic of church of WYLER
to noise.

(See previous message)

Message File No. 5984 G-2 Sender - Receiver: S. H. 2-4

S E C R E T

PATROL PLAN

Hq 504th Prcht Inf RCT
Berg en Dal, Holland
111815 November 1944

INFORMATION FOR NIGHT 11-12 NOVEMBER 1944

First Bn - No Aggressive Patrols.

Second Bn - No patrol activities.

Third Bn - No Aggressive Patrols.

For the Commanding Officer;

F. GORHAM
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.,
S-2

DISTRIBUTION:
"To accompany S-2
Periodic Report 54"

S E C R E T

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G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

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From: 120001 Nov 44

To: 122400
(Date and Hour)

Place: Nijmegen

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders, Reports	Action taken
0100		5988		FR 505 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
0100		5989		FR 505, 504, 325: Neg (RADIO) REPORT	
0100		5990		FR 504 To G-2: Shelrep	
0100		5991		FR 325 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
0300		5992		FR 505 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
0300		5993		FR 325, 504, 505 To G-2: Neg (RADIO) REPORT	
0300		5994		FR 325 To G-2: Negative Report	
0300		5995		G-2 News Summary	
0300		5996		G-2 Report #146	
0300		5997		FR 504 To G-2: Negative REPORT	
0500		5998		FR 325, 504 TO G-2: NEG (RADIO) REPORT	
0500		5999		FR 505 TO G-2: NEG Report	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 120001 Nov 44

To: 122400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: NIJMEGEN, HOLLAND

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0510		6000		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
0510		6001		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0700		6002		FR 505 TO G-2. NEG REPORT	
0700		6003		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0700		6004		FR 325, 504 TO G-2 NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
0710		6005		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REPORT	
0730		6006		FR 325 TO G-2: PATROL ~~REPORT~~ (NIGHT 11-12 NOV)	C/S, DIVARTY, 2 COMPS, G/S, DIVARTY, CORPS
0730		6007		FR 504 TO G-2: PATROL REPORT	
0845		6008		FR 11 CAN MET SECT: WEATHER REPORT	C/S, G-3
0900		6009		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG REP.	
1000		6010		FR 505, 504 TO G-2: NEGATIVE (RADIO) REPORT	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 120001 Nov 44

To: 122400 Nov 44
(Date and Hour)

Place: Nijmegen, Holland

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1000		6011		FR G-1 TO G-2: CASUALTY REPORT	
1045		6012		FR SHAEF TO G-2: REPORT NO. 140	
1045		6013		FR ETOUSA TO G-2: SPEC INT BULL NO 153	
1045		6014		FR. SHAEF TO G-2: TECH. INT. BULL NO 1	
1100		6015		FR 325, 505 TO G-2: NEG REPORT (RADIO)	
1130		6016		FR G-3 to G-2: PERIODIC REPORT	
1205		6017		FR G OPS 2nd CDN CORPS TO G-2: GO-102 SITREP BASED ON INFM. RECEIVED UP TO 111630A.	G-3
1205		6018		FR G. OPS 2nd CDN CORPS TO G-2: GO-105 BRIG. HACHETT 1 A/B DIV. ESCAPED FR GERM. MAY SOON PASS THROUGH LINES.	
1205		6019		FR 2nd CDN CORPS TO G-2: GO-65 INTENTIONS 2nd CDN CORPS 12 NOV. 44.	G-3

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____
(Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1245		6020		FR G-3 TO G-2: MOVEMENT ORDER NO 2	
1305		6021		FR 325 AND 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1400		6022		FR G-3 TO G-2: OBJECT SIMILAR TO 2 BOATS FLOATING DOWN FROM 743675.	
1520		6023		FR 504 & 325 TO G2: Neg (RADIO) REPORT	
1522		6024		FR 504 TO G2: Neg REPORT	
1720		6025		FR 11 CDN MET SECT TO G-2: WEATHER REPORT	
1725		6026		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1730		6027		FR 504 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT (RADIO)	
1800		6028		FR 325 TO G-2: NEG. REPORT	
1800		6029		FR 504 TO G-2: FORWARD CP IS NOW SET UP	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From:

To:

(Date and Hour)

Place:

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
1900		6030		FR 325 TO 6-2 : NEG. REPORT	
1905		6031		FR 504 TO G-2 : NEG. REPORT	
1940		6032		FR 3 CAN. DIV TO G-2 SIG. INST. NO. 38.	
2000		6033		FR 325 TO G-2 : Periodic Report	
[illegible]		[illegible]		FR 325, [illegible] REPORT	
2100		6035		FR 504 To G-2 : Nege REPORT	
2100		6036		FR 504 To G-2 : S-2 Report # 55	
2140		6037		FR 325 To G-2 : Neg REPORT	
2200		6038		FR 9 CDN BDE To G-2 : Neg REPORT	
2320		6039		FR 325 To G-2 : Neg REPORT	
2320		6040		FR 9 CDN BDE To G-2 : Shelling	

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82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: _____

To: _____ (Date and Hour)

Place: _____

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
2320		6041		FR 325 To G-2 : Negative (RADIO)	REPORT
2330		6042		FR 8 BDE To G-2 : Report of Eq position	

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 504 DATE: 12 NOV

TO: G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 0105

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

2330 3 Panzer/armd vehicles
H & T. across WYLER/MEER
Roads with 81 mm mortar. No
location of activity

Message File No. 5990 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible]

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
11 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

FLASH! FLASH!

ARMY 59	NOTRE DAME 0

This roundup of international news is from AEF and BBC news broadcasts:

The Third Army's new thrust claimed principal attention in war summaries today as Gen. PATTON's men virtually encircled the METZ garrison, cut important German communications systems, and threatened industries in the SAAR basin.

SE of METZ the American tanks thrust toward one of the main highways to the SAAR; four miles north of the city the infantry seized a vital forest, and the highway between METZ and SARREBOURG was cut. The town of SALINS was in Allied hands tonight.

Gen. PATTON's men are at one point within 2½ miles of the Reich border. The enemy resistance is mostly light to moderate but is stiffening on part of the front. German communiques speak of big tank battles.

The Germans are withdrawing in some sectors behind screens, but it is believed that METZ is still full of enemy soldiers.

The First Army repulsed a counterattack on its front. Except for Allied air raids and exchanges of artillery, the NETHERLANDS fronts were quiet.

Formations of American and British bombers blasted synthetic oil plants in the NORTHERN RUHR and railways near COBLENZ. Targets in Occupied HOLLAND also were hit by our planes.

Disaster stalked the latest Japanese attempt to reinforce LEYTE Island and the Nipponese as a result are short three transports, seven of the fifteen destroyers which accompanied the transports, and 21 planes. We lost 9 planes.

The Japs have lost heavily in their recent counterattacks. Our artillery continues to pound ORMOC and bombers are attacking the harbor there almost constantly.

British submarine commanders today gave reports showing the subs had sunk 45 more Jap vessels while on patrols and damaged shore installations on Northern SUMATRA.

Chinese troops in Northern BURMA have advanced several miles alo

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other troops in a flanking movement have taken a place eight miles from a vital Jap supply center.

American superfortresses for the first time dropped bombs on NANKING, seat of the Chinese puppet government. The raid resulted in the damage of docks along the YANGTZE River, and destruction of warehouses.

Allied planes also blasted the southernmost island on the Japanese mainland and an island between JAPAN and CHINA.

TOKYO has taken a shipload of Red Cross parcels from VLADIVOSTOK, RUSSIA, for distribution to the Allied prisoners. The supplies had been in VLADIVOSTOK several months but the Japs previously did not move them.

The UNITED STATES, RUSSIA, and ENGLAND have invited FRANCE to join them as a fourth member of the permanent European Advistory Commission after the war.

The offer was made as Prime Minister CHURCHILL and Foreign Secretary EDEN today visited PARIS for the first time since 1940. Clad in RAF uniform, Mr. CHURCHILL accompanied Gen. DeGAULLE to the Grave of the Unknown Soldier at the Arc de Triomphe. Mrs. CHURCHILL and daughter, Miss MARY CHURCHILL, and high-ranking British officials accompanied the Prime Minister to PARIS. President ROOSEVELT and Secretary of State CORDELL HULL have also been invited by Gen. DeGAULLE to visit PARIS.

In NE HUNGARY the Russians have cut a major rail line leading to BUDAPEST and the Germans tried futilely to reopen it. The Germans have been making new and unsuccessful efforts between the DANUBE and TISZA. 80 miles to the south of BUDAPEST the Russians and Marshal TITO's men have gotten across the DANUBE on a wide front as another step in the growing threat to the Hungarian capital.

A British convoy has landed supplies in SALONIKA harbor, GREECE, as a help in relieving food shortages in the newly-liberated country.

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SECRET

FROM: 110001 NOV 44
TO : 112400 NOV 44

HQ 82d A/B Div,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
112400 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

NO. 146 (CORRECT).
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defonsive Organization:

(1) Ey wpns, less arty, located today and engaged by our arty: MGs at 78336188 and 77605812, mortar at 78355618, and two mortars at 78515679 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey CP believed to be in house at 80725436. Dispatch riders have been seen coming and going in vic of bldg (Div Arty).

(3) Nebelwerfer at 79635553.

(4) Movement seen in church steeple in KRANENBURG. One of panels removed in the tower, and reflection from a glass in the tower seen by our OP. This steeple had previously been believed to have been an ey OP (325).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty from WAAL River to REICHSWALD (incl): - (No change) - 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

(2) Ey gun at 79845542 located today and engaged by our arty (Div Arty).

(3) Camouflaged SP at 771571 (325).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:
The enemy's artillery, mortar and small arms fire was light except in one instance. At 1100 the 325 CT had an "Armistice Day Shoot" with its artillery, mortars and small arms. The enemy replied in kind about 1130, mixing some 24 rounds of Nebelwerfer projectiles with his artillery fire.
No enemy patrols were reported during the period.

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b. Operation of Component Elements:

(1) Artillery.

(a) Shelreps:

Unit Reporting	Time	Location Of Observer	Direction (Azimuth)	No. of Rounds	No. of Guns	Caliber	Interval
320 FA	1235	757573	140	8	?	150mm	?
505	1900	77526275	90	8	1	88mm	?
505	1905	77526275	30	8	1	88mm	?
505	2110	76876147	85	2	1	?	3

(b) 24 rds Nebelwerfer and some arty fired into 325 area about 1130 following 325 CT's shoot at 1100 (325).

(2) Chemical Warfare: Light smoke screen observed between WYLER and ZYFFLICH at 1135 (504).

(3) Tanks: Six armd veh moved along rd from FRASSELT and turned E on KRANENBURG - CLEVE road at 1302 (Div Arty).

c. Miscellaneous: About 25 cy tps and three veh in vic houses at 79556190 at 1430 (505).

3. MISCELLANEOUS.

a. Enemy Casualties:

(1) Estimated Killed: No estimate.

(2) Prisoners of War:

(a) Taken during period of report: 0.
(b) Taken to date: 2,995.

b. Weather:

(1) During period: Fair, cool.
(2) Outlook for coming 24 hours: Fair.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

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DISTRIBUTION:

2dn Cdn Corps	- 1	4 Armd Regt (Cdn)	- 5
2dn Cdn Div	- 1	3103 QM Trk Co	- 1
3rd Cdn Div	- 2	JEDBURGH Team	- 1
7th Cdn Bde	- 1	PHANTOM	- 1
8th Cdn Bde	- 1	TOTAL	86
9th Cdn Bde	- 1		
50 Div (Br)	- 1		

REPORT.

Hq 325th Glider Inf.
In the Field
12 November 1944

PATROL REPORT FOR NIGHT OF NOV. 11-12.

Ambush Patrol # 1: Patrol from Co A, in charge of Sgt. Nasium, with 4 men, moved out at 2200 and established ambush outpost vic of 770803. At 0130 they heard movement of trucks and distant to their front; could not estimate range. Patrol returned at 0430.

Ambush Patrol # 2: Patrol from Co C, consisting of five men, with Sgt. Jones in charge, left at 2200 and established ambush outpost vic of 772875. No ey activity reported. Patrol returned at 0400.

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82d A/B Div

Hq 504th Prcht Inf.
Berg en Dal, Holland
120600 November 1944

Subject: Results of Patrol Activities for Night 11-12 November 1944.

To : A. C. of S., G-2 82d A/B Division.

1. The following are results of patrol activities conducted by units of this command durning the night 11-12 November 1944.

First and Third Battalions conducted routine Security patrols from MLR to OPL. Encountered no enemy.

For the Commanding Officer:

W. GORHAM,
Capt., 504th Prcht. Inf.
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CASUALTY REPORT

(As of 2400, 11 November 1944

INFANTRY EFFECTIVE STRENGTH

DO NOT TYPE

UNIT	HQ-SV MEDICS		1ST BN		2ND BN		3RD BN		TOTAL			
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	25	235	25	363	25	460	24	421	99	1377		
504	28	183	23	475	30	460	34	351	117	1468		
505	25	241	30	442	28	416	30	461	129	1560		
508	29	230	28	335	26	336	27	337	111	1237		

ESTIMATED CASUALTIES

	KIA	DOW	MISSING		WIA-KIA EVAC.		SICK EVAC.		TOTAL LOSSES		EFFECTIVE STRENGTH	
	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM	O	EM
325	10	101	13	248	49	572	5	375	99	1296	99	1677
504	16	87	3	130	30	392	6	191	49	730	127	1468
505	6	90	1	89	25	358	15	200	47	711	129	1560
508	15	116	4	110	27	419	7	170	53	815	111	1237
INF	41	403	21	317	110	1736	36	896	208	3552	461	5942
ARTY	3	33	7	86	15	159	4	99	33	377	141	1700
ENGR	2	34	1	4	8	78		42	11	180	83	473
MED				2	1	18		14	1	34	34	224
SIG						2		2		4	7	111
QM AA		18	1	4	6	45	2	41	9	108	31	449
OTHERS		8		7	4	25	1	16	4	51	75	[illegible]
TOTAL	46	481	30	420	154	2064	[illegible]	1110	273	4275	772	9555

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OFFICER CASUALTIES

RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE	RANK	NAME	UNIT	TYPE

MSG FORM

FROM G OPS 2 CDN CORPS MAIN 112210 A

TO G 2 CDN DIV - G 3 CDN DIV - G 50 (N) DIV - 82 US AIRBORNE DIV - 101 US AIRBORNE DIV - 2 CDN ARMD BDE - 74 AA BDE

GO-105 . TOPSEC . brig HACKETT 1 airborne div likely escaped from GERMANS may soon pass through your lines. earliest notification to this HQ if this occurs so that arrangements may be made for his collection . all infm

If liable to be intercepted or to fall into enemy hands, this msg must be sent IN CIPHER

Degree of Priority THI or TOR

Signed C. F. Barclay Maj

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: G 3 DATE: 12 Nov 44

TO : G 2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1400

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

~~2 Boats~~ 2nd CNJ Corps Report
Objects looking similar to 2 boats floating
down stream at 743655. Fired at it. Rockets.

Message File No. 6022 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stamper, 1ST LT.

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G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 11 Cdn Met Sect DATE: 12 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1715

TRANSMISSION: (Telephone), radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

Weather - 1900 - 0800 period.

Cloudy with occasional rain or drizzle.
Cloud: 7-10/10 of low cloud at 1500 - 3000 ft.
Visibility: 3 - 4 miles
Wind: NW - Moderate
Outlook for tomorrow: fair to cloudy.

Return to G-2

Message File No. 6025 G-2 Sender (Receiver) Gaines Capt

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: RADIO DATE: 12 Nov 44

TO : G2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 1745

504 forward CP is now set up.

Message File No. 6029 G-2 Sender - Receiver: Stamper, 1ST LT.

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 9 Brigade DATE: 12 Nov. 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2115

AT 2100
Water risen 3 feet AT 762649 in 16 hours

763597 AA gun fired 5 or 6 bursts AZ88
believed a 50 mm.

(German & Coll. Engrs)

Message File No. 6040 G-2 Sender - Receiver: [illegible], Major

G-2 MESSAGE FILE
82D A/B DIVISION

FROM: 8 Bde DATE: 12 Nov 44

TO : G-2 TIME RECEIVED OR SENT: 2345

TRANSMISSION: Telephone, radio, in person, messenger (Circle one).

MESSAGE: (Use back of page if necessary):

771587 -

Gamma got 4th alone position link tonight.

Message File No. 6042 G-2 Sender - Receiver: S&A 2-4

G-2 JOURNAL

82D AIRBORNE DIVISION

From: 130001 Nov
To: 132400
(Date and Hour)
Place: Nijmegen

TIME IN	TIME OUT	Serial No.	Time Dated	Incidents, Messages, Orders	Action taken
0010		6043		G-2 News Summary	
~~00~~ 0040		6044		FR CG To G-2: Division relieved at 0030 BY 3RD CDN. Division.	
	0040	6045		FR G-2 To Radio: CLOSE NET	
0110		6046		DIV Communication Traffic Chart	
0200		6047		FR G-2 TO ALL UNITS: 2 2 MEDIC NO. 126.	
0~~8~~00		6048		FROM 3 CANADIAN CORPS TO G.W. WEATHER FORECAST	
	0920	6049		FR G-2 TO SIG: REQUEST STATUS OF HQ 30 MILE CANAL CROSSING BY CORPS FOR MILES GOT BACK LAST NIGHT	
1300		6050		CLOSED CP.	
~~1320~~	~~0815~~	~~6000~~		~~FR CG TO G-2: TELEPHONE CONTACT~~	

HQ 82D A/B DIV,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
12 NOVEMBER 1944

G-2 NEWS SUMMARY

This digest of world news is from AEF and BBC broadcasts:

FOOTBALL SCORES

East

Army 59, Notre Dame 0
Navy 48, Cornell 0
Michigan State 33, Maryland 0
U. S. Coast Guard 19, Dartmouth 0
Holy Cross 19, Colgate 0
Swarthmore 21, NYU 0
Pennsylvania 35, Columbia 7
Lafayette 39, Rutgers 0
Penn State 7, Temple 6
Yale 13, Brown 0
West Virginia 71, Lehigh 0

SW

Arkansas 12, Rice 7
Tulsa 51, Southwestern 6
Texas A & M 39, SMU 6
Randolph Field 25, Maxwell Field 0
Denver 41, New Mexico 0

Middlewest

Michigan 14, Illinois 0
Minnesota 19, Indiana 14
Iowa State 19, Nebraska 6
Purdue 27, Northwestern 7
Ohio State 54, Pittsburgh 19
Oklahoma 21, Missouri 21
Wisconsin 26, Iowa 7
Great Lakes 12, Third Air Force 1C
DePauw 6, Oberlin 0
Ohio Wesleyan 19, Illinois Nor. 0
Drake 31, Missouri Valley 0
Iowa State 19, Nebraska 6

Far West

UCLA 7, California 0
March Field 28, Washington 0

South

Alabama 34, Mississippi 6
Mississippi State 26, Auburn 21
Georgia 38, Florida 0
Duke 34, Wake Forest 0
Georgia Tech 34, Tulane 7
S. C. 28, Presbyterian 7
N. C. Preflight 33, Ga. Preflight, 18

On the war fronts interest during the past 24 hours was again centered on Gen. PATTON's Third Army, which is advancing in various sectors of the METZ area.

Many of the big guns at METZ have been silenced. To the SE of the city the Americans are only seven miles away; farther to the SE tanks got across a tributary of the MOSELLE. The Third Army men have cut two vital railways leading out of METZ and an escape road east of the city also has been severed. Two more Allied bridgeheads have been established on the east bank of the MOSELLE. North of METZ two German counterattacks were repulsed this morning.

The First Army ran into heavy machine-gun and mortar fire west of SCHMIDT.

Allied bombers blasted a variety of targets, including synthetic

oil plants and airfields, last night and today in the RUHR.

HIMMLER spoke in MUNICH today and GOEBBELS, addressing Home Guard recruits, delivered a message from HITLER, in BERLIN. The speeches celebrated the MUNICH putsch, the Germans claiming the celebration was late because of the Nazi war efforts and that HITLER was too busy at headquarters to attend. At the swearing in of the Home Guards GOEBBELS said it was expected to have 20 regiments of the Guards available for front-line duty within three months. As the recruits paraded in BERLIN they were said to have been quite unimpressive.

STOCKHOLM reports said SWEDEN is protesting the German declaration that the BALTIC waters constitute a war zone and that all ships therefore will be fired on when found in the BALTIC. The Swedish press pointed out that the German action would sever sea communications with FINLAND and make it impossible for SWEDEN to supply food to the Finns and avert a famine. One Swedish paper commented that "Hardly anyone would expect the Germans to listen to humanitarian arguments."

The Norwegian Foreign Minister, on a visit to MOSCOW, declared that "Friendly relations with RUSSIA will be one of the principles of Norwegian foreign policy."

In HUNGARY the Russians made some advances, but the Germans threw in reinforcements to slow up their progress.

For the second time within 48 hours the Japs tried unsuccessfully to reinforce Western LEYTE and this time American carrier airplanes sent every single vessel trying to land men and supplies to the bottom of ORMOC Bay.

Four large transports and six destroyers were in the convoy, which wave after wave of the carrier aircraft attacked until all vessels were beneath the water. Only a few of the 8,000 troops on board got ashore. Previously when the Japs tried to land men and equipment on LEYTE several ships were sunk.

A communique from Gen. MACARTHUR's headquarters said that the Japanese are putting up a strong defense line on LEYTE. The general who directed the Nipponese campaign in MALAYA has been put in charge of the enemy forces in the PHILIPPINES.

WANG CHING WEI, head of the Chinese puppet government in NANKING, is dead, TOKYO revealed today. One of his lieutenants has succeeded him, it was reported.

The British in NE BURMA are running into stiffer opposition. The Allied airmen continue to tangle up the Nipponese communications systems.

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THIS IS THE FINAL ISSUE OF THIS NEWS SUMMARY IN THE CURRENT CAMPAIGN.

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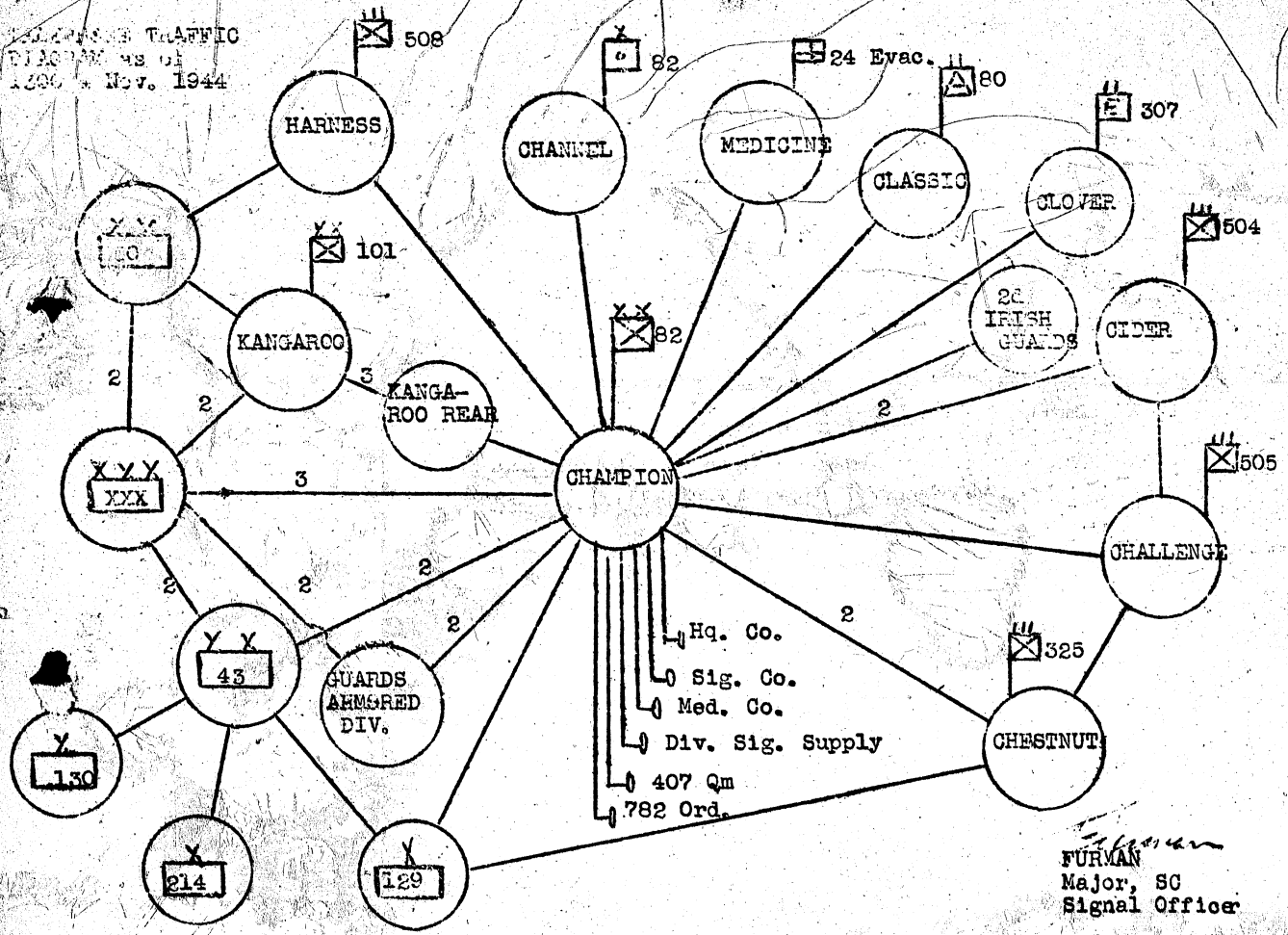
DIAGRAM as of
... Nov. 1944



FURMAN
Major, SC
Signal Officer

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FROM: 110001 NOV 44
TO : 112400 NOV 44

HQ 82d A/B Div,
APO 469, US ARMY,
IN THE FIELD,
112400 NOV 1944.

G-2 REPORT

NO. 146 (CORRECT).
MAP: GSGS 4427, 1/25,000, Sheets 6 SW, 12 NW; GSGS 4414, 1/25,000, Sheets 4102, 4202.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD.

a. Enemy Front Line: No change.

b. Defensive Organization:

(1) Ey wpns, less arty, located today and engaged by our arty: MGs at 78336188 and 77605812, mortar at 76355618, and two mortars at 78515679 (Div Arty).

(2) Ey CP believed to be in house at 80725436. Dispatch riders have been seen coming and going in vic of bldg (Div Arty).

(3) Nebelwerfer at 79835553.

(4) Movement seen in church steeple in KRANENBURG. One of panels removed in the tower, and reflection from a glass in the tower seen by our OP. This steeple had previously been believed to have been an ey OP (325).

c. Units in Contact: No change.

d. Artillery - Location and Caliber.

(1) Est ey arty from WAAL River to REICHSWALD (incl): - (No change) - 53 light, 21 med, five hvy, 18 dual purpose, 12 hvy AA and 14 SP (Div Arty).

(2) Ey gun at 79845542 located today and engaged by our arty (Div Arty).

(3) Camouflaged SP at 771571 (325).

e. Reserves and Other Forces Capable of Intervention: No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD.

a. General Summary:

The enemy's artillery, mortar and small arms fire was light except in one instance. At 1100 the 325 CT had an "Armistice Day shoot" with its artillery, mortars and small arms. The enemy replied in kind about 1130, firing some 24 rounds of Nebelwerfer projectiles with his artillery fire.

No enemy patrols were reported during the period.

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No. ______ DATE 13 Nov 44

To C.O. 307 AIB Engr

REQUEST STATUS HQ CO WAMS CARRIER BORROWED BY CULVER FOR MAPS AND DUE BACK LAST NIGHT

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