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ORGANIZATION 803rd Tank Destroyer Battalion



FROM: 1 November, 1944
 TO: 9 November, 1944, Incl.
 PLACE: Vic. of Kettens (K805290)

TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN	ORIGIN OF MESSAGE
IN	OUT					
1 November, 1944						
0830	1000	1.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 93 - VII Corps	T	
0830		2.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 148 - VII Corps	S	
2200	2210	3.		Lt. reported interrogating enlisted men - See message.	T	
2 November, 1944						
0930	0945	4.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 94 - VII Corps	T	
1600		5.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 149 - VII Corps	S	
3 November, 1944						
1030	1045	6.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 95 - VII Corps	T	
4 November, 1944						
1100	1110	7.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 96 - VII Corps	T	
1100		8.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 150 - VII Corps	S	
1230				Pass word was compromised by loss of message slip. This was reported to higher headquarters at once.		
1430		9.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 151 - VII Corps	S	
5 November, 1944						
0830	0900	10.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 97 - VII Corps	T	
1000		11.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 152 - VII Corps	S	
6 November, 1944						
0930	0945	12.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 98 - VII Corps	T	
0930		13.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 153 - VII Corps	S	
7 November, 1944						
0900	0930	14.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 99 - VII Corps	T	
0900		15.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 154 - VII Corps	S	
8 November, 1944						
1000	1030	16.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 100 - VII Corps	T	
1000		17.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 155 - VII Corps	S	
9 November, 1944						
1000	1015	18.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 101 - VII Corps	T	
1000		19.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 156 - VII Corps	S	

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IN	OUT					
10 November, 1944						
1000	1015	20.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 102 - VII Corps	T	
1000		21.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 157 - VII Corps	S	
1200		22.		Intelligence Annex No. 2 - 4th Inf Div.	S	
11 November, 1944						
1400	1430	23.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 103 - VII Corps	T	
1400		24.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 158 - VII Corps	S	
1800				1 M10 2nd plat. "B" Co. fired 4 rounds at OP vicinity FO39363. Range 4200 yards. Destroyed.	M	
12 November, 1944						
0945		25.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 123 - 4th Inf Div.	S	
1000	1000	26.	0955	5 tanks firing direct from FO31357. Counterattack at FO21358.	T	
1050	1050	27.	1030	6 tanks and 150 foot troops at FO31-352 brought under artillery fire.	T	
13 November, 1944						
0930		28.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 124 - 4th Inf Div.	S	
1400	1430	29.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 104 - VII Corps	T	
1400	1430	30.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 105 - VII Corps	T	
1400		31.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 160 - VII Corps	S	
14 November, 1944						
1800	1810	32.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 106 - VII Corps	T	
1800		33.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 161 - VII Corps	S	
15 November, 1944						
No entry.						
16 November, 1944						
0900		34.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 162 - VII Corps.	S	
0900	0910	35.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 107 - VII Corps.	T	
0900		36.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 127 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1300	1330	37.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 108 - VII Corps.	T	
1300		38.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 163 - VII Corps.	S	
1340	1345	39.		Large caliber AT Gun reported at FO98445 at 1330A.	T	
1350	1358	40.		Enemy tank at K973435 at 1338A. Air OP reports enemy tank on road at K973425 at 1342A.	T	
1430		41.		3rd plat. "B" Co. fired 9 rounds H.E. and 1 round AP on probable OP vicinity FO39363. Results unknown.	S	

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IN	OUT					
17 November, 1944						
0900		42.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 128 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1230	1245	43.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 109 - VII Corps.	T	
1230		44.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 164 - VII Corps.	S	
1600	1610	45.		Enemy reported using rockets.	T	
1603				"A" Company 3rd plat. fired 18 rounds H.E. 3 rounds APC at enemy personnel. Results unknown.	S	
1700				15 direct hits on OP FO52368. Large fire started by "B" Co. 3rd platoon.	S	
18 November, 1944						
0900	0910	46.		Wire lines being booby trapped.	T	
1015	1020	47.		4 enemy tanks spotted at FO02438.	T	
1015		48.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 129 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1030				3rd platoon of "B" Co. fired 12 rds H.E. at OP FO52368. Result neutralized.	S	
1130	1135	49.		Light tanks and vehicles at FO08378.	"C" Co.	
1845	1850	50.		Counterattack at FO09440 estimated 2 tanks with one company infantry. 3rd plat. "A" Co. knocked-out one towed AT gun caliber unknown at FO26421.	"A" Co.	
19 November, 1944						
0900	0910	51.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 110 - VII Corps.	T	
0900		52.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 130 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
0900		53.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 165 - VII Corps.	S	
1100	1110	54.		Enemy planes over sector.	T	
1410	1415	55.		Enemy planes over zone - reported by air OP.	T	
1430	1440	56.		Two guns firing from FO86365. From Air OP.	T	
				On 18 November - Direct fire (3rd plat. "A" Co.) in firing at AT gun, killed 2 captains and 45 enlisted men.		

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IN	OUT					
20 November, 1944						
1000	1000	57.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 111 - VII Corps	T	
1000		58.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 131 - 4th Infantry Division	S	
1000		59.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 166 - VII Corps	S	
1145	1150	60.		Enemy tanks vicinity FO35375.	T	
1530	1545	61.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 112 - VII Corps	T	
1530		62.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 167 - VII Corps	S	
21 November, 1944						
0930		63.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 132 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1030	1100	64.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 113 - VII Corps	T	
1030		65.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 168 - VII Corps	S	
1340	1340	66.		1 tank and 1 half-track at FO22394.	T	
1520		67.		"C" Company took 13 prisoners and two (2) 8.8cm Rakettenwerfer No. 43.		
22 November, 1944						
0900		68.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 133 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1345	1350	69.		Enemy tanks at FO38379.	T	
1500	1505	70.		Two (2) enemy tanks at FO22395.	T	
1600	1630	71.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 114 - VII Corps	T	
1600		72.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 169 - VII Corps 2nd platoon of "C" Co. fired 2400 rounds of .50 caliber at enemy personnel. Results unknown. 2nd platoon "C" Co. fired 3 rounds H.E. on MG nest at FO30376 range 25 yards - killed 5 enemy and destroyed MG.	S	
23 November, 1944						
0900		73.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 134 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1130		74.		2nd platoon "C" Co. captured enemy personnel, 8 men and 1 officer.	S	
24 November, 1944						
0900	0910	75.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 115 - VII Corps	T	
0900		76.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 170 - VII Corps	S	
1100		77.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 134 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1140	1200	78.		One (1) enemy tank at FO4203695.	T	
1350	1400	79.		One (1) tank at FO40370. One (1) truck at FO47366.	T	

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IN	OUT					
25 November, 1944						
0830	0900	80.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 116 - VII Corps	T	
0830		81.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 171 - VII Corps	S	
1200	1230	82.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 117 - VII Corps	T	
1200		83.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 172 - VII Corps	S	
1200		84.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 136 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
26 November, 1944						
0900		85.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 137 - 4th Infantry Division	S	
1000	1030	86.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 118 - VII Corps	T	
1600		87.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 173 - VII Corps	S	
27 November, 1944						
1000		88.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 138 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1330	1340	89.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 119 - VII Corps	T	
1330		90.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 174 - VII Corps	S	
1400	1400	91.		One (1) S/P gun at FO42369. On 25 November the 1st plat. of "C" Co. knocked-out an 88mm AT gun vicinity FO51384. Also 3rd plat. of "B" Co. destroyed a pillbox at FO51384.	T	
28 November, 1944						
0900		92.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 139 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1100	1130	93.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 120 - VII Corps	T	
1100		95.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 175 - VII Corps	S	
1130	1130	96.		15 tanks at FO78438.	T	
1250	1250	96.		11 tanks at FO73437.	T	
1515	1520	97.		7 enemy planes over Hurtgen.	T	
29 November, 1944						
0900		98.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 140 - 4th Infantry Division.	S	
1600	1610	99.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 121 - VII Corps	T	
1600		100.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 176 - VII Corps 2nd plat. "C" Co. spear headed attack into Grosshau. Expended 27 rounds H.E., 2 AP, 1000 rounds of .50 caliber and 120 rounds of .45 caliber. Results - neutralizing 2 pillboxes, 2 machine gun nests, 50 personnel killed, 45 PW's taken and passed them on to the Infantry. This action took place in vicinity FO5438B.	S	

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IN	OUT					
				29 November, 1944, Cont'd		
				3rd platoon of "C" Co. fired from FO52379 expended 88 rounds H.E., 2 rounds AP and 1100 rounds .50 caliber killing approx. 30 enemy personnel. Two (2) PW's taken and passed on the Infantry. -Morning Report.		
				30 November, 1944		
1130	1200	101.		Anti-tank Bulletin No. 122 - VII Corps	T	
1130		102.		G-2 Periodic Report No. 177 - VII Corps	S	
1330	1335	103.		6 SP's and 4 tanks reported.	T	
1730	1735	104.		8 tanks reported.	T	