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Subject: Monthly Report of Activities.

To: Commanding General, Special Troops, 12th Army Group, APO 655, U.S. Army.

In compliance with Section I, Administrative Bulletin Number 71, Headquarters, Special Troops, 12th Army Group, dated 24 October 1944, the following report is submitted:

OCTOBER

During the month of October, the 825th TD Battalion extended itself over an even wider area of operation employing its troops simultaneously in Luxembourg, France, and Belgium. On 14 October, after six (6) weeks of bivouacking, the battalion (less detached units) marched with Headquarters, 12th Army Group TAC from Verdun to Luxembourg and moved indoors.

On 9 October Company "A" and Headquarters "T" Force had moved from Luxembourg to Spa, Belgium; but because of intense V-1 activity in the vicinity of Aachen, on 21 October they shifted approximately fifteen (15) miles west to LaReid, Belgium where spotters were established at points of vantage. With instruments these spotters have since been plotting V-1 to its points of origin.

Security of 12th Army Group signal installations was a priority mission and scattered detached units on a schedule best shown as follows:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>UNIT</u>	<u>PLACE</u>	<u>REMARKS</u>
2 October 1944 . . .	2nd Platoon, Co "C" . . .	Vic of Nancy . . .	None
7 October 1944 . . .	1st Rcn Platoon Hq Co . . .	Luxembourg . . .	None
14 October 1944 . . .	3rd Platoon, Co "C" . . .	Gerval-Bresil, Belgium . . .	(Relieved of similar mission at Arlon).
18 October 1944 . . .	3rd Platoon, Co "B" . . .	Verdun & Nancy . . .	(One section at Verdun; one section at Nancy; relieving 2nd Plat, Co "C" from Nancy to Bn Control)
20 October 1944 . . .	2nd Sec 1st Plat Co "B" . . .	Cour, Belgium . . .	None
22 October 1944 . . .	1st Sec 1st Plat Co "B" . . .	Odiene, Belgium . . .	None
22 October 1944 . . .	1st Sec 2nd Plat Co "B" . . .	Grevels, Luxembourg . . .	(One squad of this section was re-assigned to Luxembourg).

In Luxembourg a shelling by heavy German Artillery (thought to be a 280 MM railway gun) which began at about 0130 hours, 28 October, provided the month's most interesting news item but caused no casualties among military personnel.

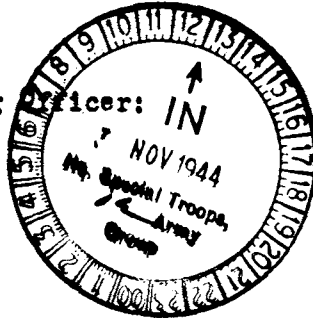
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