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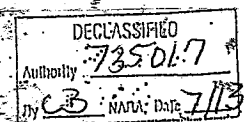
SUNDAY NO CHANGE
 8 OCT 44

MONDAY THE 669 TD BN. RELIEVED FR. ATCHMT.
 9 OCT. 44 TO 61ST FA BRIGADE NO. CAMP HOOD, TEX.
 EFFECTIVE 1425 HRS. THIS DATE.
 A, B, C, + RCN. PLTS. TRAINED THEIR
 GUN COMMANDERS + CANONEERS ON
 FIRE ORDERS, TRACKING, GUN DRILL,
 SIGHT PICTURE, + SERVICE OF THE
 PEICE (3" GUN, + 37MM). ALL (MAINTENANCE
 FROM 1500-1700 HRS) OFF + N.C.D.S. SCHOOLS

TUESDAY 28 E M TRFD. TO THIS BN. DUE TO REPORT
 10 OCT. 1944 FROM FT. BRAG, N.C. ASGD. + JOIN EFF.
 THIS DATE. THESE MEN REPORTED FR.
 5 OCT. THRU 10 OCT. 1944. SCHOOL FOR
 N. C. D'S + OFFICERS FR. 1815 TO 1915 HRS
 THIS DATE. SCHEDULE FOR A, B, C, + RCN. PLTS.
 SAME AS MONDAY. DAVID A. CRUMP CO. "B"
 RELEASE FR. CONF. POST STOCKADE, CAMP
 HOOD, TEX. THIS DATE.

WEDNESDAY A, B, C, + RCN. PLTS. FIRED SERVICE AMN.
 11 OCT. '44 WITH 3" GUN + 37MM. HQ. CO. SPECIALISTS
 PERFORMED THEIR REGULAR DUTIES.
 THE BN. FOOTBALL TEAM'S SCHEDULE
 TO PLAY BUTLER COLLEGE TEAM A
 GAME OF COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL SAT. 14
 OCT. 1944.

THURSDAY BN. MTR. MARCH FROM 0800-1500 hrs.
 12 OCT. 1944 1500-1645 hrs. MAINTENANCE OF ALL VEHICLE
 RCN. PLTS HAD THEIR CIT TEST. TEST
 CONSISTED OF DAY PATROLS + NIGHT PATROLS



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FRIDAY A, B, C Cos. + RCN PLTS. Service Firing (PRACTICE)
13 OCT. 1944 0800 - 1500 HRS. ALL CO'S MAINTENANCE 1500
- 1700 hrs.

SATURDAY All CO'S MAINTENANCE, INSPECTION CALL, & Army
14 OCT. 1944 ORIENTATION. 0800 - 1200 hrs.; MASS ATHLETICS
1400 - 1600 hrs. THE BN. FOOTBALL TEAM
WON over BUTLER College 25 TO 0

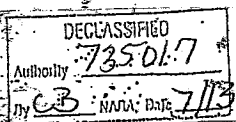
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15 OCT. 1944

MONDAY
16 OCT. 1944 All Companies - Maintenance of weapons and
vehicles, Radios etc. Orientation ON ACF
COMPANY Tactical Test. The 664th Band
was used for the first time at retreat, and
made a very good showing.

TUESDAY
17 OCT 44 All Companies - Preparation for
ACF COMPANY Tactical Test. "A", "B", "C"
+ RCN - ACF COMPANY Tactical Test.
An all Girl Orchestra played at the
all purpose Recreation Hall, and the
dance was highly enjoyed by all.

WEDNESDAY
18 OCT 44 ACF COMPANY Tactical. Companies
finished ACF firing, with an average of
70.2

THURSDAY
19 OCT 44 Orientation on ACF BN Tactical Test.
Preparation for ACF BN Tactical Test.
The BN was outstanding in the ACF Test



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IN that we made a "Superior" rating. This is a very good showing considering the time element and the continuously rotating personnel. Several questions on "Basic Medical" were asked the Exlisted Men, and most of them knew the answers.

FRIDAY

20 Oct 44 Continuation of Battalion Tactical test.

SATURDAY

21 Oct 44 All Maintenance, Inspection and Army orientation and Mass Athletics.

SUNDAY

22 Oct 44 No change.

MONDAY

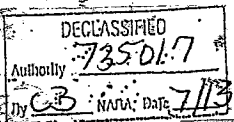
23 Oct 44 BN moved out for practice Air Ground Test.

TUESDAY

24 Oct 44 BN was given Army Air Ground test. BN Commander was called to the 61 FA Brigade, at North Camp Hood, Texas.

WEDNESDAY

25 Oct 44 Maintenance of vehicles and weapons. Retreat and Inspections. Lt. Tucker was relieved of duty as BN Adjutant, and Lt. Mattson assumed duties of BN Adjutant.



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THURSDAY

26 Oct 44

All Maintenance Call from 0800 to 0830.
 Radio Maintenance School for all drivers.
 Maintenance Instruction for all others.
 Showdown inspection of clothing and
 Individual Equipment - Fitting of
 Wool clothing. Night class on the odometer
 and Model M-1, IBN was conducted by
 Lt. Glick.

FRIDAY

27 Oct 44

All Maintenance Call - Radio Maintenance
 School for all drivers and Radio operators.
 POM processing of Company "A". Orientation
 and function of Small Unit Commanders.

SATURDAY

28 Oct 44

Orientation and Inspection.
 Saturday afternoon an exceptionally good
 football game was played between this BN
 and the 679th TD BN. Although our team has
 been organized much longer than theirs, our men
 had plenty of competition. The game was en-
 joyed by all.

SUNDAY

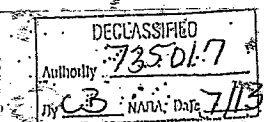
29 Oct 44

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MONDAY

30 Oct 44

Maintenance Call at 0800 hrs.
 Radio Maintenance school for all drivers
 and Radio operators. POM processing
 of 3rd Platoon Company "A". Artillery
 arithmetic, Mil Relation; Proportions,
 Fractions and Decimals.



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TUESDAY

31 OCT 44

Maintenance Call. Radio Maintenance school for all radio operators and drivers. 3rd Platoon Co "B" POM processing. BN alerted for Permanent Change of Station.

WEDNESDAY

1 NOV 44

Preparations being made to transfer the Battalion to its new station. 8 EM sent before screening Board.

THURSDAY

2 NOV 44

Equipment being checked and turned in preparation for movement.

FRIDAY

3 NOV 44

Telegrams sent to all enlisted men on furlough ordering them to report to this organization. Dance at TO Bldg Music by 659 TD BN Orchestra.

SATURDAY

4 NOV 44

BN continued cleaning up. EM were allowed to go on pass.

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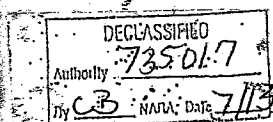
5 NOV 44

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MONDAY

6 NOV 44

Some of the enlisted called back from furlough reported. USO Camp Shows presented a fairly good show at the TO Building. Some of the best Radio Men operators of this BN were transferred to the 6794 TD BN.



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TUESDAY

7 Nov 44

Each Company reissued Mattress to the Men.

WEDNESDAY

8 Nov 44

No change.

THURSDAY

9 Nov 44

The Battalion Commander called the Companies together for his farewell speech. As much as we regret it, it seems that the 669th TDBN is soon to be redesignated. The CO made it quite clear that the Battalion was not being broken up because we failed in our mission. The men served well under the leadership of Lt. Col. Asa C. Black, and anticipated serving under him in combat. If TDs are no longer needed in this war, we can and will make good "Doughboys".

FRIDAY

10 Nov 44

No change.

SATURDAY

11 Nov 44

The BN moved to the 162nd St. Theater to see two films, "Know your Ally Britain", and "The Battle of Russia". After the films, the BN, led by the BN Commander, marched to catch the train. Music was furnished by the 659th TD Battalion's Band. Train #1 left Camp Hood, Texas at 1545 hrs.

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SUNDAY

12 Nov 44

Train #1 reached Ft. Huachuca, Ariz at 2130 hrs. The BN was met at the station by the Post Band, and was marched to the Company areas. Train #2 arrived at 2320 hrs Sunday 12 Nov 44.

Monday

13 Nov 44

The BN was given a welcome show by the Special Service Group. A welcome address was made by the Post Commander Col Hardy. The show was made up of Military Personnel, and was enjoyed by every one.

TUESDAY

14 Nov 44

BN records being prepared for turning over to the 312 Int Rect.

WEDNESDAY

15 Nov 44

Battalion inactivated at Ft Huachuca, Ariz. per GO^{#157} Fourth Army, Ft Sam Houston, Texas dtd 1 Nov 44.

LT Col
 COMMANDING: Asa C. Black

Staff: S-1 Rudolph L. Mattson, 2d Lt.

S-2 Charles Meyer, 1st Lt.

S-3 Edwin L. Seale, 1st Lt.

S-4 Everett E. McPheters, Capt

S-X Charles O. Mowder, Maj.

Company CO's Wince B. Walters, Capt HQ Co.

Reno H. Forsythe, Capt "A" Co.

John O. Friedlinhaus, Capt "B" Co

John E. Durst, Capt "C" Co.

Alfonso L. Lewis, Capt, Med Det.

Personnel Officer: Edward P. Lee Jr. CW O.

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Staff N.C.O's

Willie C. Lawrence, M/Set - Set Maj.
 Lee R. Porter, Set - Pers Set.
 James V. Duvall, TSet - S-2 Set.
 Earl J. Ned, TSet - S-3 Set.
 Charles R. Bray, TSet - S-4 Set.
 Clem W. Lockridge, TSet - Bn Mtr Set.

1st Sets.

Joseph F. Johnson, Hq Co.
 Wardell C. Crott, Co "A"
 Herman B. King, Co "B"
 Dorran R. Moore, Co "C"
 Harry J. Collier, SSet Med Det.

Strength of Bn:

Officers - 10
 Enlisted men - 760