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1 November 1944

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS FOR PERIOD 1 October TO 31 October 1944

MAPS: Thionville, Uckange, Briey, Audun Roman 1/50000

1. In support of T/F Polk with primary mission of establishing Anti-Tank Defense and secondary mission of Arty Support.
2. Bn employed in secondary mission (ARTY Support) during entire period.
3. Bn C.O. in addition to other duties appointed AT Officer for T/F Polk. Anti-Tank defense plans drawn up for T/F Polk sector.
4. Bn Command Group: Location vic WEYMERANGE (82208520). Normal duties carried on.
5. Hqs Company (-2Rcn Platoons): Location vic VOLKRANGE (80808610). Normal duties of Administration and Supply carried on. Enemy patrols reported operating in area during period.
6. Company "A": From 1-12 October in direct support of 83 Div Arty in vic of ZITTIG. From 13-31 October under control of this Hqs. Location vic of BOUST (88808610). Harassing missions fired throughout period during the night. Targets of opportunity fired on during day. Rounds of ammunition expended during period 3255.
7. Company "B": From 1-13 October located in vic of WEYMERANGE. From 13-31 October in vic SCHRAMANGE (81208050). Harassing missions fired throughout period during the night. Targets of opportunity fired on during day. Rounds expended during period 4792.
8. Company "C": Location vic of WEYMERANGE. Harassing missions fired throughout period during the night. Targets of opportunity fired on during day. Rounds expended during period 4260.
9. Effective 24 Oct 1944 ammunition limited to ten rounds per gun per day. Thereafter firing was limited mostly to harassing missions and registration.
10. RCN Platoons: During period 1-8 October engaged in patrolling and observation in Vic THIONVILLE. From 9-12 October occupied the town of CATTENOM. On the night of 11-12 Oct enemy patrols came into area but were driven out after a short fight. No casualties reported. One German Sgt was taken prisoner. During night of 12-13 Oct the area was shelled by enemy fire. Two men were killed and two were seriously injured. Relieved from CATTENOM by 43 CAV SQD at 1650 hrs 13 Oct. Closed into Hqs Co area(80808610) at 1730 hrs 13 Oct 1944. From 14-19 Oct did Rcn work in connection with establishing AT Defense for T/F Polk sector. At 2000 hrs 19 Oct attached to 43 CAV SQD. Moved into new positions at Koecking. Primary mission patrolling and observation. Effective 2000 hrs 30 Oct relieved of attachment to 43 CAV SQD and reverted to control of this Hqs. Now located Hqs Co area.

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