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G-2 PERIODIC REPORT

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From: 221600
To : 231600
35th Inf Div
231600 August 1944

No. 44

Maps: France 1/100,000 Sheets 10H and 11H.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

- Enemy front line - At the end of the period the enemy, except for scattered groups, had withdrawn in disorder into the woods E of MONTARGIS.
- Defensive organization - Many AT guns were captured or destroyed but reported at end of the period were 12 AT guns on the road between MONTARGIS and COURTENAY X 515485.
- Units in contact - Scattered units continue to be encountered. PWs were captured during this period from the 11th Pz Gren Regt, part of the 9th Armd Div.
- Reserves and other forces capable of intervention - The force previously reported at FONTAINELEAU has retreated out of that area.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD:

- General summary - Scattered units, commanded by a Lt Col, defended the town of MONTARGIS and then withdrew into the forest to the E of that town.
- Operations of component elements:
 - Anti-tank guns - Those anti-tank guns which were not destroyed on the entrances to MONTARGIS are believed to have been withdrawn along the road between MONTARGIS and COURTENAY.
 - Anti-aircraft Arty - The AA guns and infantry previously reported at VITRY-AUX-LOGES 9242 had withdrawn.
 - Aviation - 12 enemy aircraft identified as ME-109s and FW-190s strafed at SOUPES X 285661 and also SENS 6965. It was reported that 4 of these aircraft were shot down.
 - Infantry - Defended the town of MONTARGIS and withdrew to the forest E of the town in disorder.
 - Tanks - Enemy tanks knocked out at 1113 this morning and at 1355 in and around the town of MONTARGIS.

3. MISCELLANEOUS:

- Estimated enemy casualties 100, enemy dead buried none.
- Prisoners - 42 PWs captured during the period. Grand total 1,715.
- Weather - Continued cloudy with possible light showers.
- Miscellaneous - During the period the Germans maintained a road block approximately 4 Kilom NW of GIEN. At end of period estimated enemy force of approximately 50-100 men were defending this block.
- Password - BUCKLE reply BRONZE from 241200 to 251200 August 1944.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: - No change.

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