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G-2 PERIODIC REPORT

From: 302400 July 1944
To : 312400 July 1944
35th Inf Div
312400 July 1944

No. 24

Maps: France 1/25,000. Sheets 34/14 NE, 34/14 NW, 34/14 SE, 34/14 SW.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

- a. Enemy front line - See overlay for location and nature of front line.
- b. Defensive organization - See overlay and mine map overlay attached.
- c. Units in contact - See overlay for the units in contact on the right, center and left sector of our zone.
- d. Artillery - See overlay.
- e. Reserves and other forces capable of intervention - No change.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD:

- a. General summary - The enemy withdrew, fighting a delaying action to present line.
- b. Operations of component elements:
 - 1. Armored Forces - 35 to 40 tanks were reported by reconnaissance aviation at 5646 - See overlay.
 - 2. Artillery - Front line units received medium intensive artillery fire during the period.
 - 3. Aviation - Between 0040 and 0107 unknown number and type of enemy planes were over the area, dropped flares and bombs. At 2345 unknown number of enemy planes over the area.
 - 4. Infantry - Continued delaying action and defense in zone of advance of the Division.

3. MISCELLANEOUS:

- a. Total of 7 PWs captured during the period. Total for operation 786.
- b. Weather - No change reported.
- c. Civilians report that the enemy is disorganized and that various groups of well disciplined soldiers are putting up resistance.
- d. Password - THEATER reply WHALE from 1200 1 August to 1200 2 August 44.

4. ENEMY CAPABILITIES: No change.

JOHN T. HOYNE
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