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G-2 PERIODIC REPORT

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35th Inf Div
181600 January 1945

NO. 190

Maps: France & Belgium 1/50,000. Sheets 106, 107, 121 & 122.

1. ENEMY SITUATION AT END OF PERIOD:

- a. Enemy front line - The Div was not in contact at end of period. Enemy front line along the Corps front: No change.
- b. Defensive organization - No defensive organization in the Div sector.
6th Armd Div - Small number of enemy personnel observed vicinity F6462 at 0940A. Only enemy activity reported until 1200A.
90th Inf Div - Enemy continued to strongly defend high ground vicinity F666586 and F658576 and counter-attacked in the OBERMATTACH area F6559.
26th Inf Div - Enemy continued to defend his position S of the "ILTZ RIVER".
- c. Units in contact - Units identified in contact thru PWs taken in the Corps sector are listed as follows:

UNIT	LOCATION	MEANS	DATE
6th Armd Div			
340th Div			
694 Regt	F6361	PW	16 Jan
695 Regt	F6361	PW	16 Jan
696 Regt	F6160	PW	16 Jan
340 Arty Regt	F6460	PW	16 Jan
340 Fus Bn	F6460	PW	16 Jan
9th Pz Div			
10th Pz Gren Regt			
1st Bn	F6460	PW	18 Jan
2nd Bn	F6263	PW	18 Jan
Reiner Brig	F6460	PW	16 Jan
90th Inf Div			
1st SS Div	F6659	PW	17 Jan
2nd Pz Div			
2nd Pz Gren Regt			
Elms 1st & 2nd Bns	F655594	PW	18 Jan
26th Inf Div			
9th VC Div			
116 Regt	F6752	PW	16 Jan
276th Div			
586 Regt	F7052	PW	16 Jan
588 Regt	F6851	PW	16 Jan

- d. Artillery - Decreased artillery fire was reported along the entire Corps front during period.
- e. Reserves and other forces capable of intervention - Elements of the 2d Pz Div were identified in counter-attack against the 90th Div in OBERMATTACH area. PWs state that tanks being used in that area were those collected from the 2d and 9th Pz Divs.

2. ENEMY OPERATIONS DURING PERIOD:

- a. General summary - Enemy continued defensive action in the Corps sector with one counter-attack reported in vicinity of OBERMATTACH at 0100A.
- b. Operations of component elements:
 1. Armor - Two tanks, supported by infantry, were reported in the counter-attack in the OBERMATTACH area.
 2. Artillery - Artillery fire was much lighter in the Corps area during the period covered by this report.
 3. Infantry - Supported the tanks in the OBERMATTACH sector, strength undetermined. Infantry activity in the rest of the Corps zone was of defensive nature.
 4. 90th Div reports encountering booby-trapped tank, fox-hole and pistol. This is the first indication of booby-traps in this area during the operation.

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3. MISCELLANEOUS:
- a. 4 enemy dead buried.
 - b. Prisoners - Total PWs for this operation 1,034. Grand total 12,368.
 - c. Weather - Generally cloudy throughout the period with occasional light snow or drizzle. Visibility restricted to 1 mile during morning improving to 2 miles by late afternoon. Temperature - minimum 24, maximum 32.
 - d. Password - LATCH reply KEY from 191200 to 201200 January 1945.
4. SNOWY CAPABILITIES: - No change.

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DISTRIBUTION

26th Div	1	Div AT Off.	1	Hq Co	1
6th AD	1	C/S	1	III Corps	2
90th Div	1	G-1	1	134	4
Ron Trp	1	G-2	4	137	4
CIC	1	G-3	1	320	4
IPW 60	1	G-4	1	QM Co	1
PI	1	Air Supt	1	Med Bn	1
WII	1	CA	1	Ord Co	2
Engr Off	1	CWO-ORD	1	Sig Co	1
Engr Bn	1	War Room	1	654 TD Bn	1
188 Engr	1	Surge-Chap	1	448 AAA	1
1123 Engr Cp	1	Sig Off	1	PRO	1
Div Arty	7	Hq Comdt	1	AC	1
6th Armd Arty	1			PW	1

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