

INTERROGATION REPORT  
I34TH INF REGT  
IPW TEAM 60

1 March 45

Report # 2 086

Ist and 2nd Co II76 AT Bn I76 VG Div.

Strength: Ist Co has 75 men, 2nd 85.

Weapons: Ist Co has 5 75mm guns and probably 3 more of the same type with the newly re-formed 3rd platoon.  
2nd Co has 9 assault guns of Mark III tank type. PW was told that 7 of these 9 guns had to be blown up by their own crew during recent fighting in the ERKELENZ area. The 2nd Co has also 2 light English or American tanks with 37 mm guns and three mgs. They had been captured with plenty of ammunition at SCHNIEERWALDENRATH (vic. WALDFEUCHT) in November. 8 more assault guns were expected shortly.

Locations: Ist Co was ordered yesterday to assemble in Dalheim ( 9184 ), where CP and trains had been, for assignment of new positions.

2nd Co left 4 days ago this area for ERKELENZ.

Div. amm. depot was in woods S of Rodgen at 92383).

CP Bn is supposed to have moved vic. Rheindahlen.

Personalities: CO Ist Co: Lt. Fischer  
CO 2nd Co: Lt Heefs.  
CO Bn Capt. Strattmann.

PW from 5th Co, 1218th Regt reports that the 1219th was taken somewhere to the north. The 1220th Regt is supposed to be being groomed for a counter attack. PW states that since October it has been a deliberate policy to send men who live in western Germany to that front for its defense, and men from eastern Germany to the eastern front, in the belief that these men will defend their home soil better.

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