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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
OUT	IN				
		1	2145 7 Jul	To: CO 1st, 3d Bn & Special Units: Sign and countersign from 072145 to 080700 Sign: Water; Countersign: Wheel	S F
		2	2150 7 Jul	To: CG 35th Inf Div: CP at 599819 Sheet 6E/6 Isigny Scale 1/50,000	S F
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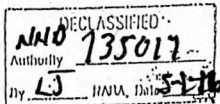
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		1	0800 9 Jul	To: All Bns & Special Units: Duffle bags and excess impedimenta will be stored in the barn vic Regt CP on following schedule: 1st Bn 0900 2d Bn 1000, 3d Bn 1100, Special Units 1200. Men mounted on vehicles may keep overcoats with them	S F
		2	1800 9 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: CP at 515713 1800  S-3 map of beach Regt landed on upon arrival in France.	F





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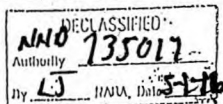
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OUT	IN				
		1	0200 10 Jul	Fr: G-3: G-3 report, administrative order and overlay.	F
		2.	0253 10 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Relief being made piecemeal. 119th Inf will pull out at 0600 instead of 0800 Will notify 2d Bn.	S F
		3	0300 10 Jul	To: G-2 35th Inf Div: Negative report 0300	F
		4	0400 10 Jul	To: G-2 35th Inf Div: Negative report 0400	F
		5	0500 10 Jul	To: G-2 35th Inf Div: Negative report 0500	F
		6	0600 10 Jul	To: G-2 35th Inf Div: Negative report 0600	F
		7	0600 10 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn moved into position	S F
		8	0645 10 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Overlay of positions	S F
		9	0645 10 Jul	Fr: Cn Co: Overlay of positions	S F
		10	0805 10 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report 0800	S F
		11	1000 10 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report 1000	F
		12	1100 10 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Location of Div PW Col Pt 512725 BT 1100	S F
		13	1100 10 Jul	Fr: CG:35th Div: Info re a panzer & panzer Lehr Div (unverified) location. Requested info re a fortified chateau.	S F
		14	1130 10 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Overlay of Positions	F
		15	1200 10 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report 1200	F
		16	1200 10 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: CO Co M injured 0100. Accidentally shot by guard.	S F
		17	1400 10 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: Any request for air recon or air photos must be in this Hq by 1700	S F
		18	1420 10 Jul	To: COs All Units: Caution concerning mines and booby traps. Shoulders of roads mined hedge lines booby trapped extensively.	S F
		19	1500 10 Jul	Div order issued 1500. See overlay	S F
		20	1500 10 Jul	FO #2	S F
		21	1530 10 Jul	To: CO AT & Cn Co: Report Regtl CP at 1630 to receive order.	F
		22	1550 10 Jul	To: 219th FA: Regtl order issued at CT CP	F
		23	1550 10 Jul	Fr: CO to Regtl Surg: Report to Regtl CP 1636 to receive order.	S F
		24	1700 10 Jul	Regtl Comdr issued FO #1 at 1700	S F
		25	1849 10 Jul	To: Amm O: Signal meaning "You are strafing friendly troops" is yellow smoke grenades	S F
		26	1914 10 Jul	To: CO 1st & 2d Bn, AT & Cn Co: Two pyrotechnic signal will be used in coming opera-	S F





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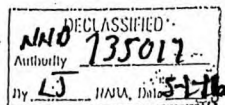
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		26 contd	1914 10 Jul	tion. Signal meaning "You are strafing friendly troops" will be yellow smoke grenades displayed for planes. Signal meaning "Your arty fire is falling short" is signal AN-M45 which is single star green.	
		27	1930 10 Jul	Enemy arty fire 1920 killed Pvt Owen J McBride wounded Pvt Robert G Reason and Pfc Robert Waugh, all of Co H.	S F
		28	1935 10 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Overlay	F
		29	2000 10 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: Overlay	F
		30	2000 10 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Overlay	F
		31	2000 10 Jul	Fr: Justice 3: Maintain contact with enemy during SWON #4 (N) (I) (G) (H) (T) by vigorous patrol	S F
		32	2010 10 Jul	Fr: S-2 1st Bn: Several rds mortar fire (4 or 5) on map 34-15 NW 496707 at 1920 size undetermined reported by Pfc McDermont.	S F
		33	2015 10 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: Latitude enemy tank 513664 6 men outside tank with MG set up time 1923	S F
		34	2100 10 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Overlay of Plan of Attack	S F
		35	2115 10 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: 4 enemy automatic weapons firing fr 49756860 at 2100	S F
		36	2115 10 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: Panzer recon Lehr elements believed to be SE fr Pont Herbert 465690 and E of river.	S F
		37	2200 10 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: (1) Report any enemy movement to the rear (2) Location of any unplotted strong point (3) Strength and fortification of strong points (4) Location of mines and booby traps.	S F
		38	2245 10 Jul	Fr: Jury Red OP: Neg report 2245	F
		39	2330 10 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: PW captured N of 470691 stated 902 Regt of Lehr Div was arriving by truck last night,	S F





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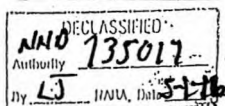
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0400		3	0400 10 Jul	To G-2 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.	F
0500		4	0500 10 Jul	To G-2 35th Div: Negative report as of 0500.	F
0600		5	0600 10 Jul	To G-2 35th Div: Negative report as of 0600.	F
0600		6	0600 10 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn moved into position.	S F
	1050	7	1050 10 Jul	Fr S-3, 2d Bn: Overlay of 2d Bn.	S F
0805		108	0805 10 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0800.	F
1000		109	1000 10 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1000.	F
1200		1610	1200 10 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1200.	F
1429		16	1100 10 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Location Div PW Col Pt 512725 BT 1100	S F
1535		17	1550 10 Jul	Fr: CO to Regtl Surg: Report to Regtl CP 1636 to receive order.	F
1849		18	1849 10 Jul	To: Amm O: Signal meaning "You are strafing friendly troops" is yellow smoke grenades. etc See msg #22	S F
1930		19	2000 10 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: Overlay	S F
1930		20	2000 10 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Overlay	S F
1930		21	1935 10 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Overlay	S F



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	36	30	2115 10 Jul	Fr: A G-2: 4 enemy automatic weapons firing fr 49756860 at 2100	S F
	37	31	2115 10 Jul	Fr: G-2: Panzer recon Lehr elements believed to be So/E from Pont Herbert 465690 and E of river	S F
	38	32	2200 10 Jul	Fr: G-2: (1) Report any enemy movement to the rear (2) Location of any unplotted strong point (3) Strength and fortification of strong points (4) Location of mines and booby traps	S F
	39	33	2245 10 Jul	Fr: Jury/Red OP: Negative report as of 2245	S F
	40	34	2310 10 Jul	Fr: G-2: PW captured N of 470691 stated 902 Regt of Lehr Div was arriving by truck last night	S F
	23	35	1530 10 Jul	To: 219 FA: Regtl order issued at CT CP	S F
	22	36	1530 10 Jul	To: CO AT & CN Co: Report regtl CP at 1630 to receive order (TP to AT and runner to Cn)	S F
	17	37	1200 10 Jul	CO Co M injured 0100. Accidentally shot by guard.	
	38	38	1930 10 Jul	Enemy art fire 1920 killed Pvt Owen J McBride, wounded Pvt Robert G Reason and Pfc Robert Waugh, all of Co H.	
1420	19	39	1420 10 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d, 3d Bn & Spec Units: Caution concerning mines and booby traps--shoulders of roads mined - hedge lines booby trapped extensively.	F
	13	40	1100 10 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Location Div PW Col Pt 512725 bt 1100.	S F
1105	14	41	1105 10 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Info re a panzer & panzer-lehr Div (unverified) location. Requested info re a fortified chateau.	F
	25	42	1700 10 Jul	Regtl Comdr issued FO 1 at 1700.	



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	20	43	1500 10 Jul	Div order issued 1500. See overlay.	
	35	44	1130 10 Jul	Fr: 1st Bn: Overlay of Positions	F
	7	45	2100 10 Jul	Fr: 2d Bn: Overlay of Plan of Attack	F
		46	0645 10 Jul	Fr; 2d Bn: Overlay of positions	F
				Fr: Cn Co: Overlay	
	27	47	0200 10 Jul	Fr: G-3: G-3 report, admn order and overlay	F
			1900 10 Jul	FO #1 (Filed)	
	21		1500 10 Jul	FO #2	F

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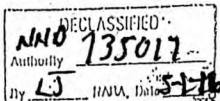
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		1	0120 11 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Confirmed reports fr 320th Inf enemy tanks moving to their front.	S F
		2	11 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d & 3d Bn: All following info came fr 119th Inf Regt. All gates, hedge corners, beaten paths in hedges, bodies of enemy dead & wounded, & friendly dead in enemy territory will be booby trapped.	F
		3	0336 11 Jul	Fr CO 137th Inf: Hedge rows behind advanced elements will be shelled by enemy mortar fire. Place weapons supporting advance elements in other position.	S F
		4	0400 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: E Co OP is under mortar fire. (Copy to Div)	S F
		5	0406 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Enemy patrol armed with machine pistols & LMGs hit Fox Co. Were driven off. (Copy to Div)	S F
		6	0415 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: F Co received mortar & MG fire. Thought to be combat patrol. Time 0330.	S F
		7	0430 11 Jul	Fr CO 137th Inf: S-2 contacted S-2 of 320th Inf. Negative report except receiving arty fire.	S F
		8	0445 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Germans attacked C Co & broke thru 1 Plat C Co. Lost 1 LMG & several rifles.	S F
		9	0455 11 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: C Co chased combat patrol out of position. Will cross LD on time.	S F
		10	11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 137th crossed LD on time.	F
		11	0600 11 Jul	Operations overlay from 0600 to 1345.	F
		12	11 Jul	Fr CO 1st BN: 1st Bn off on time. Receiving MG fire 400 yds to front.	
		13	0610 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Off on time.	S F
		14	0615 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 1st Bn is receiving MG fire fr 400 yds directly to their front. (Copy to Div)	S F
		15	0630 11 Jul	Fr S-2, Regt: Dud shell located 914716 0630. Lt Knight, 60th Eng, reported.	S F
		16	0630 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Dud shell located 914716. Lt Knight, 60th Eng, reported.	F
		17	0635 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: E & F Co not meeting any opposition.	S F
		18	0705 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: F Co moved forward 500 yds fr LD. Receiving MG fire fr front. Enemy behind F Co Right flank - strength unknown. E Co moved forward 200 yds. (Copy to Div)	S F
		19	0710 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Co F have small arms force to their right flank & slightly to their rear.	S F





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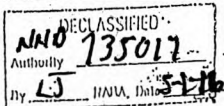
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		20	0715 11 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Col Layng ordered 1 plat Cn Co 48707005. Col Layng wounded. B Co held upon line with church.	S F
		21	0715 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn receiving mortar fire & small arms fire as of 0740.	S F
		22	0730 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn CP being fired on from left of sector.	S F
		23	0800 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1 prisoner, 2d Co, 897th Inf, captured at 505693. Captured by 320th Inf. Enemy mortars same location.	F
		24	0815 11 Jul	Regtl Comdr wounded in face and leg 0715. Type of fire undetermined. Evacuated.	
		25	0830 11 Jul	Gen Sebree assumed comd of Regt 0830.	
		26	0830 11 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: B Co held up by fire 200-300 yds N of church. Fire coming from church. C Co 300-400 yds ahead of B Co.	S F
		27	0855 11 Jul	Fr Regtl Ln O: 1 prisoner captured from 2d Co, 897th Inf, Location 505693. Captured by 320th Inf. Enemy mortars same location.	S F
		28	11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: B Co on line at 48707005. F Co receiving HMG fire vic LaFirmc. 2d Bn CP being attack by small arms fire from left.	F
		29	0930 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Grid coordinates by Slidex code of 1st & 2d Bns as of 0930.	F
		30	0930 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Request one company of tanks for use in 1st Bn area.	F
		31	0945 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn advanced to line 200 yds N of Lamarel.	S F
		32	0955 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: F Co moved to contact C Co & moved in between enemy strong points & now are pinned down on line 476697-480686.	S F
		33	1005 11 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Contact PT with 320th, 502698.	S F
		34	1020 11 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Negative report 1st Bn.	S F
		35	1020 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: F Co very low on ammunition.	S F
		36	1030 11 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Front line location sent to Div by phone.	S F
		37	1045 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Report of AT positions. Regtl reserve committed.	F
		38	11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: F Co in attempt to contact C Co on right moved in between two enemy strong points and now are pinned down on line 476687-480686.	F
		39	1100 11 Jul	Fr CO 320th Inf: Two prisoners captured, 3d Bn, 898th Inf, riding bicycles by 320th Inf in their area.	S F
		40	1330 11 Jul	Fr G-2: 1st Bn continued attack. Arty support.	S F





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		41	1335 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Overlay attached showing present positions as of 1330.	F
		42	1345 11 Jul	Operations overlay.	
		43	1415 11 Jul	Fr S-3, 2d Bn: Co F reports 8 casualties up till 1000.	S F
		44	1415 11 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Present location Div rear ech 529758. Time 1440.	S M F
		45	1415 11 Jul	To CO 137th Inf: 3d Bn available for Div reserve. 1240.	S F
		46	1458 11 Jul	EL your KE CD LM FP will be available for DQ LC BM Bns off at 0500 11 Jul.	F
		47	1458 11 Jul	Lt Knight Plat Ldr, 1st Plat, Co A, 60th Eng, reported 0600 mission to protect right flank in event it is exposed by advancing post 119th line on river. Lt went forward to contact Col Layng and S-3.	F
		48	11 Jul	General Sebree will take command of Regt at 110830. Maj Clark until the General arrives. General arrived at 0915.	
		49	11 Jul	Co G released to 2d Bn.	F
		50	1500 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Two tanks dug in at 4484704.	F
		51	1500 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: B Co on line W fr sta. A Co moved 400 yds fr sta on S of road. Are now being driven back. Co C in reserve SE of sta  Col Harold R Emery reported 2000 to assume command of Regt.	F
		52	1544 11 Jul	Situation overlay.	
		53	1955 11 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Keep AP 50 panels forward for marking front lines in connection with air party support mission in future operations.	S F
		54	2000 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Casualties (Missing in E Co) Co E 60 EM-1 Off, G Co 1 EM killed, 2 EM wounded, Co F & G dug in and holding.	S F
		55	2200 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2 LMGs short.	S F
		56	2035 11 Jul	To S-4: Tp Col Scott that 90 lbs Nescafe and 200 lbs sugar available at railhead. Should be picked up tonight.	F
		57	2130 11 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Casualties up to 2300 - I Co 4, K Co 3, L Co 17, M Co 2, Hq 1, Lt Scott - Battle Fatigue, Lt King evacuated.	S F
		58	2145 11 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Request granted to move B Co around A Co left.	F
		59	2150 11 Jul	Fr G-3, 35th Div: Recommend painting of Red Cross on white background on helmets of all Medical personnel to include Co aid men.	S F



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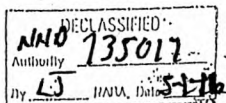
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		60	2200 11 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Coordinated arty fire by 30th Div and 219th FA on 2 tiger tanks at 484704.	F
		<del>61</del>	<del>2200 11 Jul</del>	<del>From G-2 to Bz:</del>	
				Fragmentary attack order, FO #2. Operations overlay, 137th Inf, fr 0600 to 1345. Operations overlay, 137th Inf, fr 1345 to 2400. G-3 report & overlay fr 0001 to 2400 10 Jul 44.	



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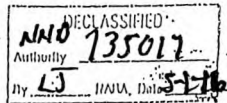
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		9	0455 11 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: C Co chased combat patrol out of position will cross LD on time.	S F
		10	11 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: 137th crossed LD on time	S F
		10	0610 11 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Attack jumped off on time Red Bn receiving MG fire 400 yds fr front.	S F
		12	11 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn off on time Receiving MG fire 400yds to front.	S F
		13	0610 11 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Off on time	S F
0630		15	0630 11 Jul	Fr S-2 Regt: Dud shell located 914716 0630. Lt Knight 60th Eng reported.	S F
0630		16	0630 11 Jul	TO CG 35th Div: Dud shell located 914716. Lt Knight 60th Eng reported.	F
0705		18	0705 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: F Co moved forward 500 yds from LD. Receiving MG fire from front. Enemy behind F Co right flank - strenght unknown. E Co moved froward 200 yds. (Copy to CG 35th Div)	S F
0715		20	0715 11 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Col Layng ordered 1 plat Cn Co 48707005. Col Layng wounded. B Co held upon line with church.	S F
0730		22	0730 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn CP being fired on from left of sector.	S F
0715		21	0715 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn receiving mortar fire & small arms fire as of 0740.	S F
0800		23	0800 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1 prisoner, 2d co 897th Inf	





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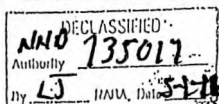
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				captured at 505693. Captured by 320th Inf. Enemy mortars same location.	S F
		24 19	0815 11 Jul	Regtl Comdr wounded in face and leg 0715. Type of fire undetermined. Evacuated.	
		25 20	0830 11 Jul	Gen Sebree assumed comd of Regt 0830.	
0855		27 21	0855 11 Jul	Fr Regtl LO: 1 prisoner captured from 2d Co, 897th Inf. Location 505693. Captured by 320th Inf. Enemy mortars same location.	S F
		28 22	11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: B Co on line at 48707005. F Co receiving HMG fire vicinity LaFirme. 2d Bn CP being attack by small arms fire from left.	F
		14 23	0615 11 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 1st Bn is receiving MG fire fr 400 yds directly to their front (Sent to Div)	S F
		17 24	0635 11 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: E & F not meeting any opposition	S F
		19 25	0710 11 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Co F have small arms force to their right flank and slightly to their rear.	S F
		33 26	1005 11 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Contact PT with 320th 502698	F
		34 27	1020 11 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Negative report 1st Bn	S F
		36 28	1030 11 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Front line location sent to Div by phone.	S F
		36 29	0830 11 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: B Co held up by fire 200-300 yds N of church. Fire coming from church. C Co 300-400 yds ahead of B Co.	S F
		29 30	0930 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Grid coordinates by Slidex code of 1st & 2d Bns as of 0930.	F
		30 31	0930 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Request one company of tanks for use in 1st Bn area.	F
		31 32	0945 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn advanced to line 200 yds N of Lamarel.	S F
		32 33	0955 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: F Co moved to contact C Co & moved in between enemy strong points & now are pinned down on line 476697-480686.	S F
		35 34	1020 11 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: F Co very low on ammunition.	S F
		37 35	1045 11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Report of AT positions. Regtl reserve committed.	F
		38 36	11 Jul	To CG 35th Div: F Co in attempt to contact C Co on right moved in between two enemy strong points & now are pinned down on line 476687-480686.	F
		39 37	1100 11 Jul	Fr: CO 320th Inf: Two prisoners captured 3d Bn 898th Inf riding bicycles by 320th Inf in their area.	S F



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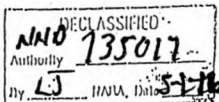
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OUT	IN				
		40 38	1330 11 Jul	Fr: G-2: 1st Bn continued attack--Arty support	S F
		41 39	1335 11 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Attached overlay showing present positions as of 1330	S F
		43 40	1450 11 Jul	Fr: S-3 2d Bn: Co F reports 8 casualties up to 1000	S F
		45 41	1458 11 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Present location Div Rear Ech is 529758 1440B	S M F
		46 42	11 Jul	To: CG 137th Inf: 3d Bn available for Div Res 1240	S F
		47 43	11 Jul	EL your KE CD LM FP will be available for DQ LC BM Bns off at 0500 11 Jul	S F
		48 44	11 Jul	Lt Knight Plat ldr 1st Plat Co A 60th Eng reported 0600 mission to protect right flank in event it is exposed by advancing post 119th line on river. Lt went forward to contact Col Layng and S-3	S F
		49 45	11 Jul	Gen Seebree will take command of Regt 110830B Maj Clark until the General arrives. General arrived 0915	S F
		50 46	11 Jul	Co G released to 2d Bn 1034B	S F
		51 47	1450 11 Jul	Fr: S-3 2d Bn: Co F reports 8 casualties up to	S F
		51 48	1500 11 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 2 tnks dug in at 484704	S F
		52 49	1500 11 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: B Co on line W fr station <i>ACQ MOVED BY 400 YDS SW TO 570 ON S OF RD. ARE NOW BEING DRIVEN BACK. CO C INKES SE OF 570</i>	S F
		53 50	1955 11 Jul	Col Harold R Emery reported at 2000 to assume comd of Regt	S F
		54 51	2000 11 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Keep AP 50 panels forward for marking front lines in connection with air party support mission in future operations	S F
		55 52	2000 11 Jul	Fr: Jury White: Casualties (missing in E Co) Co E 60 EM and 1 Off, G Co 1 EM killed 2 EM wounded, Co F and G dug in and holding.	S F
		56 53	2000 11 Jul	Fr: Jury White: 2 LMG short.	S F
		57 54	1458 11 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Present location Div Rear Ech 529758 1440B.	S F
		58 55	1955 11 Jul	<del>Fr CG 35th Div: Keep AP 50 panels forward for marking front lines in connection with air party</del>	
		59 56	2035 11 Jul	To S-4: Tp Col Scott that 90# Nescafe coffee & 200# sugar available at railhead. Should be picked up tonight.	F
		60 57	2130 11 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Casualties up to 2300B: I - 4, K - 3, L - 17, M - 2, Hq - 1, Lt Scott battle fatigue, Lt King evacuated.	S F





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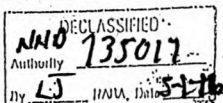
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		59 56	2145 11 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Request granted to move B Co around A Co's left.	F
		60 57	2150 11 Jul	Fr G-3, 35th Div: Recommend painting of Red Cross on white background on helmets of all medical personnel to include Co aid men.	S F
		61 58	2200 11 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Coordinated arty fire by 30th Div and 219th FA on 2 Tiger tanks at 484704.	F
		62 59	11 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Request permission to move Co B around Co A left, bypassing tanks which are holding us up.	S F
		63 60	11 Jul	Fragmentary Order for Attack, FO #2 - 2355B.	F
		64 61	11 Jul	Operations overlay, 137th Inf, from 0600 to 1345.	F
		65 62	11 Jul	Operations overlay, 137th Inf, from 1345 to 2400.	F
		66 63	11 Jul	G-3 Report & overlay from 0001 to 2400 10 Jul 44	F
		67	2355 11 Jul	FO #2: Fragmentary order for attack	F
		71	0600 11 Jul	Operations overlay from 0600 to 1345	F
		53	1544 11 Jul	Situation overlay	F
		42	1345 11 Jul	Operations overlay	F





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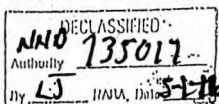
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OUT	IN				
		1	0040 12 Jul	To: S-4 Attack resumes at 0800 12 Jul 44	F
		22	0230 12 Jul	G-3 Report	F
		3	0800 12 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn jumped off on time	S F
		4	0807 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn jumped off on time	S F
		5	0815 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Butler & O'Connell executed mission on time. Will contact Alexander & report his situation.	F
		6	0821 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Moved out on time. Receiving light rifle fire in B Co area. (Copy sent to Div)	S F
		7	0845 12 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: 320th Inf jumped off on time.	S F
		8	0900 12 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Send patrol from E Co to LJ FB <sup>2</sup> IE- DMHG- BE to contact junipers left flank.	S F
		9	0910 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: A Co is 300 yds fr church C Co on left B Co is in reserve.	S F
		10	0930 12 Jul	To: CO 320th Inf: We are sending a patrol to contact your right flank.	S F
		11	0930 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Tank was reported in that area 255° az fr station 700 or 900 yds distant. Flame might have been muzzle blast.	S F
		12	0955 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Land mines 490696 possibly also AP	S F
		13	1000 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Land mines 490696	F
		14	1015 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: CP location 494700	S F
		15	1015 12 Jul	Fr: 137th Ln O: Enemy (Non German) captured this morning. 11th Co 898th Inf, Told that his unit was issued new mask filters about 3 weeks ago with strict orders to keep these filters from our hands. Also was told that gas warfare will be used as a last resort.	S F
		16	1030 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Both A & B Co 100 yds from church B Co moving down road rifle fire coming from church.	S F
		17	1045 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 1st Bn took church and surrounding buildings at 1045 Found body of Capt Kerr also French civilian operating German radio	S F
		18	1100 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: C Co has moved down past church and contacted Co L Found Guinnessy badly wounded and Col Wilson dead Guinnessy will live.	S F
		19	1110 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: C Co has contacted Co L Clear-area Lt Col Wilson found dead Lt Guinnessy badly wounded but alive.	S F
		20	1120 12 Jul	To: COs All Units: Check all captured and dead Germans for gas masks and gas mask filters. Turn in all captured gas equipment to Regtl S-2	S F
		21	1200 12 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Held up on hwy #3 by 4 MGs in orchard on 478680 Mines & booby traps in old position.	S F





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OUT	IN				
		23	1215 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Captured 1 German prisoner. Able Co vic of church 487701	S F
		24	1215 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: See Msg #23	
		25	1225 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: New CP is located at 496606 now open.	S F
		26	1230 12 Jul	Fr: S-2: Informed Lt P S Smith on gas mask & gas mask filter info obtained from German prisoner 11th Co 898th Inf. Captured by 320th Inf.	S F
		27	1230 12 Jul	To: COs All Units: 1. Challenges by friendly aircraft. (a) As prearranged for a specific mission (b) When friendly aircraft dive and throttle twice. (c) When friendly aircraft fire a succession of white or yellow very lights. 2. Airplane maneuver signals (a) Plane throttles 3 times Friendly plane (b) Plane zooms or throttles 2 times understood. 3. Fluorescent colored panels troops in forward areas will display either red or yellow panels (Panel set AP 50-A) to designate their position to friendly aircraft (if required) or when challenged by friendly aircraft. 4. Colored smoke (a) Troops in forward areas will display either yellow or orange smoke to designate their position to friendly aircraft if required or when challenged by friendly aircraft. (b) White or colored smoke except orange and yellow may be used to designate 1. Direction & lanes for tank attack. 2. To establish an emergency bomb line 3. To mark targets for air attack c. Impromptu landmarks - green & violet or green & blue.	S F
		28	1240 12 Jul	Fr: 60th Engr Plat: Lt Shamhart departed CP 137 at 1240 with 1 sqd plus 5 men to neutralize mine field at 490696. Balance of plat at CP 137.	S F
		29	1300 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Front line 3d Bn 485695-486693	S F
		30	1300 12 Jul	Overlay of CP 2d Bn	S F
		31	1307 12 Jul	Fr: G-2: Info regarding girls school at 482702 LWZ. Recon will check.	S F
		32	1315 12 Jul	Operations overlay fr 1315 to 2400	F
		33	1330 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: I Co S of route #2 and pinned down by MGs & 88s L Co on right farther ahead C Co is ahead and tied into L Co on river.	S F
		34	1330 12 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Inf Div: Request permission to fire 8 rds FA on point 478686 (Permission was granted by Col Butler, Col O'Connell and Maj Frink.	S F
		35	1335 12 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Enemy counterattack on 30th Div moving W across river at 478686.	S F
		36	1400 12 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Tell Butler not to move into into barrage area unless he checks with Div arty.	S F



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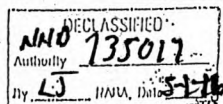
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		37	1400 12 Jul	Fr: I & R Plat: German gas mask taken from body of dead German on MG position at 478701 at 1230	S F
		38	1415 12 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Arty is lifted on river area	S F
		39	1420 12 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: New CP location 499702 now open.	S F
		40	1420 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Concerning prisoner captured in our area Pvt Leon Zalkowski APO 571726, 4th Co 897th Regt (Atahd Kampt Gruppe Kentner) Weapons 2 HMG, 2 H Mortars (81mm) PW was with MG sect. Deserted when sect retreated. PW is Pole. 8 other Poles in Co. All Poles desire to surrender but are closely watched by Germans. Approx 200 men in co. 6 casualties in MG sect. Had 17 boxes of ammo which were evacuated in MG sect. PW has no knowledge of Amm DP. PW mentioned seeing 2 enemy tanks dug in because of petrol shortage. PW mentioned totenkopf (SS) units - unable to furnish details. Issued new gas masks filters about week ago. Told to keep mask handy at all times. PW did not have mask.	S F Co 897th
		41	1440 12 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Co F hit strong point MGs & machine pistols. Now out of communication with F Co.	S F
		42	1535 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: A Co pinned down by sniper & MG fire & digging in at 493700. Road mined from 488700 - 492703. Could not get to school (at 482702 because of hvy enemy fire)	S F
		43	1545 12 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 4 MGs at 48986882, 2 MGs 498688 Mine at 490646.	S F
		44	1600 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Very little rifle fire or sniping No organized resistance for last 1 1/2 hours.	S F
		45	1600 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Strong point taken at 485686 Quite a bit of clothing left there is being collected.	S F
		46	1605 12 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Hvy MG fire in front of F & G Cos A lot of med arty fire.	S F
		47	1610 12 Jul	Fr: Regtl Ln O: L Co has withdrawn at 1200 due to hvy shelling. K Co holding fast. 1 Bn static It is estimated that 1 Co of Germans is now behind K Co. At 1630 2d Bn moved up to drive out the Germans.	S F
		48	1610 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Expecting counterattack. Request help from 1st Bn.	S F
		49	1615 12 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: Have Newman report to Col Butler	S F
		50	1630 12 Jul	To: Engr Plat (Lt Shamhart): Report to 1st Bn to patrol river bank after marking minefield at 490696.	S F





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		51	1630 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 2d Bn pinned down by enemy arty fire since 1300. Request liaison Obs plane	S F
		52	1645 12 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 20 rds estimated to be 150mm 494697 at 1640. Phoned to June 2, 1650	S F
		53	1650 12 Jul	320th Inf Situation.	F
		54	1655 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Co C now at 486696 and received 4 or 5 rds hvy gun fire estimated 150mm.	S F
		55	1830 12 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Sent positions of F, G, & E Cos. See overlay.	S F
		56	1832 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Info regarding 2d & 3d Bns Pinned down by MG & Mortar fire.	S F
		57	1840 12 Jul	Fr: Com O: 3d Bn moved too far forward. Receiving mortar fire. Front line 500 yds in front of old CP.	S F
		58	1842 12 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Report location of your present front lines.	S F
		59	1910 12 Jul	Fr: Ex O 3d Bn: Believe Bn is now 480684-485682. Will confirm.	S F
		60	1920 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Request litter bearers from Col Co. Also use of TDs to aid troops. Also 1 liaison plane to see lines.	S F
		61	1930 12 Jul	Fr: Ex O 3d Bn: Front line of 3d Bn 480687-489685 as of 1930	S F
		62	2400 12 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Low flying plane flew over CP twice at 2320--2330 Fired on by our AA Second plane heard at high altitude.	S F
		63.	2400 12 Jul	Fragmentary Attack Order FO #3	F

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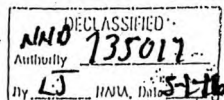
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		1	0040 12 Jul	To S-4: Attack resumes at 0800 12 Jul 44.	F
		2	0800 12 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn jumped off on time.	S F
		3	0807 12 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn jumped off on time.	S F
		4	0815 12 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Butler & O'Connell executed mission on time. Will contact Alexander & report his situation.	F
		5	0821 12 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Moved out on time. Receiving light rifle fire in B Co area. (Copy to Div)	S F
		6	0845 12 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: 320th Inf jumped off on time.	S F
		7	0900 12 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: Send patrol from E Co to LJ-FB-IE-DM-HG-BE to contact junipers left flank.	F
		8	0910 12 Jul	"A" Co is 300 yds from church - C on left - B is in reserve. Fr CO 1st Bn.	S F
		9	0930 12 Jul	To CO 320th Inf: We are sending a patrol to contact your right flank.	F
		10	0930 12 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Tank was reported in that area, az 265° from station 700 or 900 yds distant. flame might have been muzzle blast.	S F
		11	1015 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: CP location is 494700	S F M
		12	0955 12 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Land mines 490696 possibly also AP	S F
		13	1000 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Land mines 490696	S F
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		15	1045 12 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: 1st Bn took church and surrounding buildings at 1045 Found body of Capt Kerr also french civilian operating german radio	S F
		16	1110 12 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: C Co has contacted L Co cleared area Lt Col Wilson found dead Lt Guinnessy badly wounded but alive.	S F
		17	1100 12 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: C Co has moved down past church and contacted L Co found Guinnessy badly wounded and Col Wilson dead Guinnessy will live.	S F
		18	1200 12 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Held up on hwy #3 by 4 MGs in orchard on 478680. Mines & booby traps in old position.	S F
		19	1300 12 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Front line 3d Bn is 485695-486693.	S F
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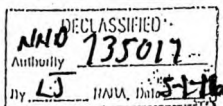
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		35 23	1335 12 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Enemy counterattack on 30th Div moving W across river at 478686.	S F
		36 24	1400 12 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Tell Butler not to move into barrage area unless he checks with Div Arty.	S F
		38 25	1415 12 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Arty is lifted on river area.	S F
		39 26	1420 12 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: New CP location 499702 now open.	S F
			12 Jul	Operations overlay, 137th Inf, from 0001 to 1315.	F
		20 27	1120 12 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d, 3d Bn & Spec Units: Check all captured and dead Germans for gas masks and gas mask/filters. Turn in all captured gas equipment to Regtl S-2.	F
		22 28	1200 12 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Held up on hwy 3 by 4 MGs in orchard LD DP DG BM HC ET. Mines & booby traps in old positions sector IC DO JQ JG IP CC JK IP GM JD IP CC JG.	S F
		24 29	1215 12 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Captured 1 German prisoner by Able Co. Vicinity of church 487701 at 1200.	F
		40 30	1420 12 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Concerning prisoner captured in our area - Pvt Leon Zalkowski APO 571726, 4th Co 897th Regt (Atcha Kampf Gruppe Kentner). Weapons 2 HMG, 2 H Mortars(81mm). PW was with MG sect. Deserted when sect retreated. PW is a pole. 8 other Poles in Co. All Poles desire to surrender but are closely watched by Germans. Approximately 200 men in Co. 6 casualties in MG sect. Had 17 boxes of amm which were evacuated. PW has no knowledge of amm DP. PW mentioned seeing 2 enemy tanks dug in because of petrol shortage. PW mentioned totenkopf (SS) units - unable to furnish details. Issued new gas mask filters about week ago. Told to keep mask handy at all times. PW did not have mask.	F
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		15 33	1015 12 Jul	Fr 137th Ln O: Enemy (Non German) captured this morn. 11th Co 898th Inf, told that his unit was issued new mask filters about 3 weeks ago with strict orders to keep these filters from our hands Unh was told that gas warfare will be used as a last resort.	S F
		23 34	1215 12 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Captured 1 German prisoner. Able Co, vicinity of church - 487701.	S F



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OUT	IN				
		35	1225 12 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: New CP is located at 496706 now open.	S F
		36	1230 12 Jul	Fr S-2: Informed Lt PS Smith on gas mask & gas mask filter info obtained from German prisoner 11th Co 898th Inf. Captured by 320th Inf.	F
		37	1307 12 Jul	Fr G-2: Info regarding girls school at 482702 LWZ. Recon will check.	S F
		38	1400 12 Jul	Fr CO I & R Plat: German gas mask taken from body of dead German on MG position at 478701 at 1230.	S F
		39	1545 12 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 4 MGs at 4898-6882, 2 MGs at 498688, mines at 490646.	S F
		40	1600 12 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Very little rifle fire or sniping No organized resistance for last 1½ hours.	S F
		41	1600 12 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Strong point taken at 485686. Quite a bit of clothing left there - is being collected.	F
		42	1605 12 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Heavy MG fire in front of F & G Cos A lot of medium arty fire.	S F
		43	1610 12 Jul	Fr Regt Ln O: "L" has withdrawn at 1200 due to heavy shelling. "K" holding fast. 1 Bn static. It is estimated that 1 Co of Germans is now behind K. At 1530 2d Bn moved up to drive out the Germans.	S F
		44	1610 12 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Expecting counter attack. Request help from 1st Bn.	S F
		45	1615 12 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Have Newman report to Col Butler.	F
		46	1630 12 Jul	To Eng Plat(Lt Shamhart): Report to 1st Bn to patrol river bank after marking minefield at 490696.	F
		47	1630 12 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn pinned down by enemy arty fire since 1300. Request liaison observ plane.	F
		48	1645 12 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 20 rounds estimated to be 150mm 494697 at 1640. Phoned to June 2 at 1650.	S F
		49	1655 12 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Co C now at 486696 and received 4 or 5 rounds heavy gun fire est 150mm.	S F
		50	1830 12 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Sent positions of F, G, & E. See overlay.	S F
		51	1832 12 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Info regarding 2d & 3d Bns - Pinned down by MG & Mortar fire.	F
		52	1840 12 Jul	Fr Comm O: 3d Bn moved too far forward. Receiving mortar fire. Front lines 500 yds in front of old CP.	
		53	1842 12 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Report location of your present front lines.	F
		54	1910 12 Jul	Fr Ex O 3d Bn: Believe Bn is now 480684-485682. Will confirm.	S F



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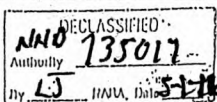
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		60 55	1920 12 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Request litter bearers from Coll Co. Also use of TDs to aid troops. Also 1 liaison plane to see lines.	F
		61 56	1930 12 Jul	Fr Ex O 3d Bn: Front line of 3d Bn 480687-489685 as of 1930.	S F
		58 57	1230 12 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d, 3d Bns & Spec Units: (Com O) 1. Challenges by friendly aircraft - a. As prearranged for a specific mission b. When friendly aircraft dive and throttle twice. c. When friendly aircraft fire a succession of white or yellow very lights. d. If a friendly aircraft attacks 2. Airplane maneuver signals - a. Plane throttles 3 times - friendly plane b. Plane zooms or throttles 2 times - understood. 3. Fluorescent colored panels - troops in forward areas will display either red or yellow panels (Panel set AP 50-A) to designate their position to friendly aircraft (if required) or when challenge by friendly aircraft. 4. Colored smoke - a. Troops in forward areas will display either yellow or orange smoke to designate their position to friendly aircraft if required or when challenged by friendly aircraft. b. White or colored smoke except orange and yellow may be used to designate - 1. Direction & lanes for tank attack 2. To establish an emergency bomb line 3. To mark targets for air attack c. Impromptu landmarks - green & violet or green & blue.	
		60 58	2400 12 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Low flying plane flew over CP twice at 2320--2330 fired on by our AAA second plane heard at high altitude.	S F
		2	0230 12 Jul	G-3 Report	F
		32	1315 12 Jul	Operations overlay fr 1315 to 2400	F
		39	1300 12 Jul	Overlay of CP 2d Bn	F
		63	2400 12 Jul	Fragmentary attack order FO #3  Gen Corlett Corp Comdr visited CP 1115	F  F
		53	1650 12 Jul	320th Situation	F





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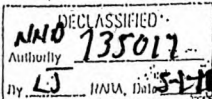
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		1	0005 13 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 4 bombs dropped near 2d Bn OP from small plane at 2245 10 88mm shells in bn area fr SW of OP at 2230	S F
		2	0010 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Same as #1	
		3	0100 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Neg report 0100	S F
		4	0200 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Neg report 0200	F
		5	0245 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Leaflets printed in German dropped into CP area at 0230 Will send one to G-2.	S F
		6	0400 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report 0400	F
		7	0500 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report 0500	F
		8	0600 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report 0600	F
		9	0700 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative other than med barrage of 88mm on 2d Bn area at 0700	S F
		10	0750 13 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Air support called off this morning.	S F
		11	0802 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn jumped off on time. Request mine plat report 3d Bn to clear road.	S F
		12	0815 13 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Have Lt Bond report to 3d Bn to remove mines on road.	F
		13	0815 13 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Road cleared to our front. Two TDs have gone forward.	S F
		14	0820 13 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn jumped off 0815.	S F
		15	0820 13 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Right Bn off on time. Arty is good.	S F
		16	0830 13 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Regt jumped off on time.	F
		17	0830 13 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Watch gap between right flank and river.	S F
		18	0833 13 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Watch gap between right flank and river.	F
		19	0850 13 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Request permission to fire Div arty 500685. May be a counter-attack. One Bn fr 320th will fill gap between you & 320th.	S F
		20	0851 13 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Fire on 500685.	F
		21	0855 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: TDs reported to Butler at front lines 0845.	S F
		22	0900 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Report no resistance for 500 yds.	S F
		23	0920 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: MGs holding up advance 500 yds S of LD. Will use TDs.	S F
		24	0922 13 Jul	Fr S-5, 3d Bn: MG holding up advance of 3d Bn 500 yds S of LD on Hwy 3. Will attempt to drive them out with TDs.	S F





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		25	0940 13 Jul	To: Juniper: Right bn jumped off at H hour. Received hvy shell fire. No marked advance has 4 TDs. Left Bn jumped off very good, and has advanced a couple of hedgerows. L Co extreme left has physical contact with 115 through a 40 man PTR.	S F
		26	0940 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Engrs (Lt Bond) removed and abatis a hasty mine field (32 mines) at 488701 hwy 3.	S F
		27	0945 13 Jul	Fr : Ln 0 (Kullander): 18 PWs of Polish, Czech and Austrian descent received. Believed to be result of loud speaker. PWs belonged to 897th, 898, 899th Inf.	S F
		28	0940 13 Jul	To: Com 0: Ref Inf Com with TK place SCR 300 rad in empty receiver space of SCR 528 TK. Rad SCR 300 must have its battery case removed connect antennae. SCR 300 to receiver antennae SCR 528. Connect SCR 300 to TK interphone system by teams of 2 double ended cords. SCR 300 will then work on TK aerial. CG Inf Div 131200.	S F
		29	1000 13 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Captured 8 PWs 480693-487688-494688.	S F
		30	1020 13 Jul	Fr: Ln 0 Div: Salvage property need not be segregated into classes such as Engr, Ord, etc. before turning in to QM.	S F
		31	1031 13 Jul	Fr: Corps: 7 tnks approaching St Lo.	S F
		32	1035 13 Jul	To: All Units: 7 tnks E and approaching St Lo	S F
		33	1040 13 Jul	Fr: S-5 3d Bn: Captured 8 German PWs on way back. Under I & R guard.	S F
		34	1050 13 Jul	Fr : G-2 35th Div: Friends on left attack at 130800. 116 and 175th Regts immediately encountered strong resistance. Friends on right attack delayed by counter at same day and time as above on front of 2d Bn 117th Regt.	S F
		35	1050 13 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: Same as #29	
		36	1100 13 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Both 2d and 3d Bn receiving hvy fr 88s fire az 180 degrees.	S F
		37	1110 13 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: 320th meeting MGs and mortars stubborn resistance.	S F
		38	1120 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Located possible German CP on captured German map. Location on 1/25,000 as approx 46.99-68.98. 3 How on uncontrolled mosaic Sending map to Div.	S F
		39	1140 13 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Crossroads at 494703 receiving arty fire on the odd hour, lasting for 5 min. Going to check more thoroughly.	S F
		40	1140 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Our troops receiving arty fire of 5 min duration every odd hour on hour, at 494703.	S F



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		41	1140 13 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: 5 AT mines placed in rd in a row connected by rope upon being pulled 3 mines exploded immediately, the other 2 exploded after about 3 min delay. Smoke issued from 2 delayed mines during delay. They were found near 486697	S F
		42	1145 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Our arty fire just knocked out 2 88s at 477672. Mobile 88s.	S F
		43	1200 13 Jul	To: CO All bns:& AT Co: Same as #38	
		44	1233 13 Jul	Fr: Ln O: Concerning Juniper: 2d Bn is now extending right to fill gap. No physical contact with Jury has been established.	S F
		45	1240 13 Jul	Fr: CG:35th Div: 30th Div reports 88mm guns located 48636922 and 49386862. Investigate and report.	S F
		46	1250 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 1st Bn patrol searched house near 1st Bn CP and found civilian still in house and concealed wireless equipment--roll of films. A Co area (Church area) 20-25 dead. Equip being forwarded.	S F
		47	1250 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: No 88s at 48646922. Cannot confirm 49386862.	S F
		48	1328 13 Jul	Fr: Ln O Concerning Juniper: Left Bn moving forward. Right Bn static--is receiving TD help.	S F
		49	1345 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Notified Div use of 105s & wooden bullets.	S F
		50	1350 13 Jul	Fr: CO 320th Inf: Request permission to fire arty at MG located 8B96 and 8C15.	S F
		51	1415 13 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Send TD Plat to CP now.	S F
		52	1420 13 Jul	To: CO 320th: Fire mission at Le Carrillon.	S F
		53	1425 13 Jul	To: All Bns: All documents maps personal items will be left on PW. Search for arms only.	S F
		54	1425 13 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Everything very quiet along entire front. No rifle, MG or arty fire.	S F
		55	1440 13 Jul	TO: COOTD:Plat: Report to 3d Bn CP to Maj Stansbury or Capt Newkirk.	S F
		56	1440 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Have 12 PWs. 2 wounded 10 will forwarded.	S F
		57	1500 13 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Have alerted TDs for movement to your area. Have guide at RJ above CP to guide them.	S F
		58	1510 13 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Tnks will report to this CP late in afternoon. Will send plat ldrs to your CP	S F
		59	1550 13 Jul	To: CO Med Det: Tec 4 Freddie Miller 20726754 admitted to 44th Evac Hosp thru 29th Div 11 Jul. Wounded condition Sv Diagnosis BC CW back lumbar region.	F
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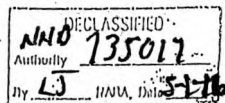
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		60	1550 13 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: In 1st Bn sector was found captured material including a gas mask (American) marked Lee, Raymond H 204256.	S F
		61	1605 13 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Request some recon unit be placed on our left to secure flank.	S F
		62	1610 13 Jul	Fr CO 119th Inf: Do you have any troops vic 478690.	S F
		63	1615 13 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Our lines receive very heavy fire 0950, 1150 and 1350. 1550 (Same time as air obs)	S F
		64	1620 13 Jul	To CO 119th Inf: Possibility our troops are vic 478690. Do not fire on them.	S F
		65	1700 13 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Tanks are here now. Plat Ldrs on way to your CP. Have guide to take them to OP.	S F
		66	1920 13 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: Suggest you do not use tanks tonight. (Ans: Will not use)	F
		67	1940 13 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d & 3d Bn: Germans mining road at 485698 every night between St Gillis and RJ of Hwys 2 & 3.	F
		68	2012 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn jumped off on time. Arty good.	S F
		69	2030 13 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Small counter-attack on 2d Bn left flank. Committed small unit to repulse.	F
		70	2045 13 Jul	To G-2: Enemy using time fire all along front. 7 wounded Co D, 1 wounded 1st Bn Hq.	F
		71	2110 13 Jul	To G-2: Two prisoners captured by 3d Bn at 2030.	F
		72	2136 13 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Left plat Co E counter-attacked after heavy barrage by 1 plat Germans. Our lines pushed back 50 yds. 2 prisoners taken.	S F
		73	2200 13 Jul	To CG 35th Div: List of casualties in ea Bn Intell section - 1st Bn, 1 Off & 5 EM, 2d Bn O, 3d Bn, 2 EM. (Copy fr CO all Bns)	F
		74	2220 13 Jul	Fr Div Arty: Enemy tanks unknown Nos reported at 47726736.	S F
		75	2250 13 Jul	To G-2: Counter-attack forced 3d Bn back to position held this morning.	F
		76	2315 13 Jul	To COs all Bns, AT & Cn Co: Meeting at Regtl CP 2330 13 Jul 44.	F
		77	2333 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Two enemy prisoners captured in 3d Bn area. Prisoners statements - Our arty working on their nerves. Been on line two weeks. Relieved SS troops. Been promised relief, but received none. 1st Co, 1st Inf. (Copy to Div)	S F

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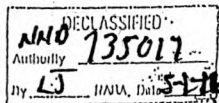
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	0650	2 3	0010 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Same as #2 above	
	0650	3 4	0100 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report as of 0100/0100	S F
	0650	4 5	0200 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200	S F
	0650	5 6	0245 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Leaflets printed in German dropped into CP area at 0230 Will send one to G-2	S F
	0650	6 7	0400 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400	S F
	0650	7 8	0500 13 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Negative report as of 0500	S F
	0650	8 9	0600 13 Jul	To: G-2 35 Div: Negative report as of 0600	S F
	0730	9 10	0700 13 Jul	To: G-2 35 Div: Negative other than medium barrage of 88MM on 2d Bn area at 0700	S F
		10 11	0750 13 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Air support called off this morning.	S F
		11 12	0802 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn jumped off on time Request mine platoon report 3d Bn to clear road.	S F
		12 13	0815 13 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Have Lt Bond report to 3d Bn to remove mines on road	S F
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		15 16	0830 13 Jul	Fr: CG 35 Div: Watch gap between right flank & river.	S F
		16 17	0833 13 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Watch gap between right flank & river	S F
		17 18	0830 13 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: Jury jumped off on time	S F
		18 19	0855 13 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: TDs reported to Butler at front lines 0845	S F
		19 20	0900 13 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Report no resistance for 500 yds	S F
		20 21	0920 13 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: MGs holding up advance 500 yds S of LD will use TDs	S F
		21 22	1020 13 Jul	Fr: Ln O Div: Salvage property need not be segregated into classes such as Engrs, Ord, etc before turning in to QM	
		22 23	0940 13 Jul	To: Juniper 0945: Right Bn jumped off at H hour received hvy shell fire. No marked advance Has 4 TDs. Left Bn jumped off very good and has advanced a couple of hedge grows. L Co extreme left has physical contact with 115th through a 40 man PTR	S F





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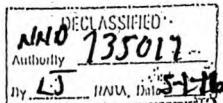
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		44 45	1240 13 Jul	Fr: CG 35 Div: 30th Div reports 88MM guns located 48636922 and 49386862 investigate & report	S F
		46 46	1250 13 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: No 88 at 48646922 cannot confirm 49386862	S F
		47 47	1328 13 Jul	Fr: Ln O Concerning Juniper: Left Bn moving forward Right Bn static is receiving TD help	S F
		49 48	1350 13 Jul	Fr: CO 320th: Request permission to fire Arty at MGs located 8B96 and 8C15	S F
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		51 50	1420 13 Jul	To: CO 320: Fire mission at Le Carrillon	S F
		54 51	1430 13 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Everything very quiet along entire front no rifle MG or arty fire	S F
		55 52	1440 13 Jul	To: CO TD Platoon: Report to 3d Bn CP to Maj Stansbury or Capt Newkirk	S F
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		65 55	0820 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Right Bn off on time Arty is good.	S F
		19 56	0850 13 Jul	Fr: CG 35 Div: Request permission to fire Biv Arty 500685 may be a counterattack. One Bn fr 320th will fill gap between you & 320th.	S F
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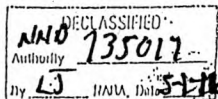
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		28 25	1000 13 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Captured 8 prisoners 480693 - 487688 - 494688	S F
		29 26	0940 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Engrs (Lt Bond) removed an abitis a hasty mine field (32 mines) at 488701 Hwy 3	S F
		30 27	1031 13 Jul	Fr: Corp: 7 tnks approaching St Lo	S F
		31 28	1035 13 Jul	To: All Units: 7 tnks E and approaching St Lo	S F
		32 29	1050 13 Jul	Fr: G-2: Friends on left attack at 130800 116 & 175 Regts immediately encountered strong resistance. Friends on right attack delayed by counter at same day & time as above on front of 2d Bn 117 Regt.	S F
		33 30	1120 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Located possible German CP on captured German map Location on 1/25000 as Approx 46.99-68.98 3 Hows on uncontrolled mosaic sending map to Div.	S F
		34 31	1050 13 Jul	Fr: G-2: <del>Fr</del> Same as #29	
		35 32	1100 13 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Both 2d and 3d Bns receiving hvy fire from 88s Az 180 degrees	S F
		36 33	1110 13 Jul	Fr: G-2: 320th meeting MGs and mortars stubborn resistance.	S F
		37 34	1140 13 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Crossroads at 494703 receiving arty fire on the odd hour lasting for 5 min going to check more thoroughly	S F
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		41 38	13 Jul	Fr: G-2: 5 AT mines placed in road in a row connected by rope. Upon being pulled 3 of the mines exploded immediately the other 2 exploded after about 3 min delay Smoke issued from the 2 delay mines during delay They were found near 486697	S F
		42 39	1200 13 Jul	To: CO 1st, 2d, 3d Bns and AT Co: Same as 38	S F
		43 40	1250 13 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: 1st Bn patrol searched house near 1st Bn CP found civilians still in house and concealed wireless equipment -Roll of films A Co area (Church area) 20-25 dead Equip being forwarded	S F
		44 41	1345 13 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: Notified Div use of 105s Wooden bullets	S F





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OUT	IN				
				Fr: CO 2d Bn	
		61 30	1605 13 Jul	Request some recon unit be placed on our left to secure flank	S F
		62 39	1610 13 Jul	Fr: CO 119th Inf: Do you have any troops vic 478690	S F
		63 60	1615 13 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Our lines receive very hvy fire 0950, 1150 and 1350 1550 (Same time as air obsn)	S F
		64 61	1620 13 Jul	To: CO 119th Inf: Possibility our troops are vic 478690 do not fire on them.	S F
		65 62	1700 13 Jul	To: CO 2d & 3d Bn: Tanks are here now plat ldrs on way to your CP have guide to take them to OP	S F
		66 63	1920 13 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Suggest you do not use tanks to-night (Ans: Will not use)	S F
		69 64	2030 13 Jul	To: CG 35Div: Small counterattack on 2d Bn left flank comitted small unit to repluse	S F
		68 65	2012 13 Jul	FR: CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn jumped off on time arty good	S F
		52 66	1425 13 Jul	To: All Bns: All documents maps personal items will be left on the prisone s. Search for arms only	S F
		67 67	1425 13 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Everything ver quiet along entire front No rifle MG or arty fire.	S F
		67 68	1940 13 Jul	TO: CO 1st, 2d, 3d Bn: Germans <del>mining</del> mining rd at 485698 every night between St Gillis and RJ of Hwys 2 and 3	S F
		56 69	1440 13 Jul	To G-2: Have 12 prisoners. 2 wounded. 10 will be forwarded.	F
		59 70	1550 13 Jul	To CO Med Det: Tec 4 Fred E Miller 20726754 admitted to 44th Evac Hosp thru 29th Div 11 Jul. Wounded condition sv diagnosis BC CW back lumbar region.	F
			<del>1940 13 Jul</del>	<del>To CO 1st Bn: Germans mining road at 485698 every night between St Gillis and RJ of Hwys 2 and 3.</del>	<del>F</del>
		70 71	2045 13 Jul	To G-2: Enemy using time fire all along front. 7 wounded Co D, 1 wounded 1st Bn Hq.	F
		71 72	2110 13 Jul	To G-2: Two prisoners captured by 3d Bn at 2030.	F
		73 73	2200 13 Jul	To CG 35th Div: List of casualties in ea Bn Intell section - 1st Bn 1 Off & 5 EM, 2d Bn 0, 3d Bn 2 EM. (Copy fr CO all Bns)	F
		74 74	2220 13 Jul	Fr Div Arty: Enemy tks unknown Nos reported at 47726736.	S F
		75 75	2250 13 Jul	To G-2: Counter-attack forced 3d Bn back to position held this morning.	F
		77 76	2333 13 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Two enemy prisoners captured in	

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OUT	IN				
				3d Bn area. Prisoners statements - Our arty working on their nerves. Been on line two weeks Relieved SS trps. Been promised relief, but received none. 1st Co 1st Inf. (Copy to CG 35th Div)	S F
		72 77	2136 13 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Left plat Co E counter-attacked after heavy barrage by 1 plat Germans. Our lines pushed back 50 yds. 2 prisoners taken.	S F
		76 78	2315 13 Jul	To COs all Bns, AT & Cn Co: Meeting at Regtl CP 2330 13 Jul 44.	F



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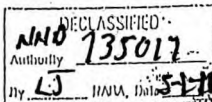
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		1		Situation overlay, 137th Inf, 140001 to 150001.	F
		2		FO #6, Hq 35th Div, fr 140001 Jul to 142400 Jul.	F
		3	0115 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Interrogated prisoner gave the following info: Co CP 3d Co, 897th Regt 479678.	F
		4	0200 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		5	0300 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		6	0400 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		7	0500 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8	0600 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		9	0634 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Everything going as per scheduled.	S F
		10	0712 14 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Request info in regards to enemy mine fields.	S F
		11	0715 14 Jul	To COs all Bns & Arty: Correct time given at 0650.	F
		12	0717 14 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Location of mine field St Gillis S along hard surface road.	S F
		13	0829 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn jumped off on time.	F
		14	0840 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn jumped off on time. Hit hot spot & held up by MG fire at 0840.	S F
		15	0840 14 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Positions are as shown. 12 prisoners captured. 2 plats of K Co following tanks around right.	S F
		16	0931 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn jumped off on time.	S F
		17	1000 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Arty & mortar fire RR crossing just past St Gilles - 40 or 50 rds. 5 MGs front of Co C.	S F
		18	1008 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Arty & mortar fire RR crossing just past St Gilles. 5 MGs front of Co C - pinned down.	F
		19	1040 14 Jul	Fr G-2: Please give location of capture of German prisoner Paul Hautman, 1st Co, 898th.	S F
		20	1045 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Location of capture of Paul Hautman, 1st Co 898th Inf, is vic RJ & RR - rd 3 south St Gilles.	F
		21	1050 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Our front lines are Ref C - K9, K37, K46, K66, K88, K100, S2, S23, S54.	F
		22	1140 14 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Info rec strong points in the vic of RJ of Hwy 2 & 3.	S F
		23	1143 14 Jul	Fr 1st Bn S-2: Very little activity in 1st Bn area at 1140. Scattered MG fire. Some Arty.	S F
		24	1145 14 Jul	Fr Ex O 3d Bn: 12 prisoners at 3d Bn CP.	S F





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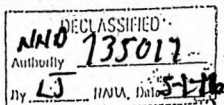
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		25	1145 14 Jul	To CG 3d Bn: Regtl S-2 sent Sgt Puskas after prisoners in 3d Bn area.	F
		26	1200 14 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: 2d Bn & 3d Bn are static & report decreasing 88 fire. 1st Bn is moving up behind a screen of 35th Recon to fill the gap between the Regts. Regarding own and enemys position, see overlay.	S F
		27	1230 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn Ref C - K8, K37, K56, 2d Bn ref c - S64, S54, S55, S66, 1st Bn ref C K78, S1.	F
		28	1250 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Co C adv 300 yds. Co A adv & meeting resistance vic Pt Lerme. Captured 12 prisoners.	S F
		29	1300 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Co C adv 300 yds. Co A adv & meeting resistance vic Pt Lerme. Captured 12 prisoners. 3d Bn tanks almost to road. 2d Bn moving S to obj behind tanks.	F
		30	1300 14 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: 17 prisoners captured 1130 - C Co area.	S F
		31	1300 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: About 25 prisoners taken. Being forwarded.	F
		32	1315 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Received 3 shells CP area.	F
		33	1330 14 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: Entrenchments & 37mm along trail from 475685 to 482682. 105mm at 475680-484684.	S F
		34	1400 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Received 6 rds arty - CP area.	F
		35	1405 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Received blanket from Johnson. Believed to be phosphorous.	F
		36	1410 14 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Submitted herewith position overlay this unit as of 1330 14 Jul. F & G moving steadily. E stopped until 1st Bn moves. Tanks are to be employed shortly which will help E. Get a wire crew on our line.	S F
		37	1420 14 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Ran into very heavy minefield. Lost 1 Off & 7 EM. Also 1 tank.	S F
		38	1420 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Regtl CP received shelling 1335 1400. 2d Bn lost officer & 7 EM, one tank in heavy minefield.	F
		39	1420 14 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: Received arty fire RJ just before entering St Gilles. (Copy to Div)	S F
		40	1430 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn lost 2 tanks. 2d Bn lost 1 tank. 3d Bn lost 3 tanks.	F
		41	1500 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Bldgs at 491684 very strongly held. Enemy troops reported assembling at that vic. (Copy to Div)	
		42	1515 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn front lines - Ref C, S3, S22, S31, S52. Two minefields laid vic Ref C S64, S51.	F





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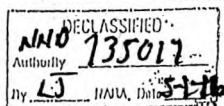
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		45	1540 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Zone of activity heavily mined & booby trapped. 7 EM & 1 Off casualties in 2d Bn.	F
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		47	1610 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1 ME 109 flying low over 1st Bn sector. Direction of flight 185° at 1510. (Fr CO 1st Bn)	F
		48	1630 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Suspected strong point vic La Marel. I am assaulting the position now. Have captured some prisoners.	F
		49	1630 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: We found enemy troops assembling vic La Marel stone bldgs etc. May be a strong point - now attacking it.	S F
		50	1723 14 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Pink piping with letter L enclosed found on enemy dead at 493697. (Copy to Div)	S F
		51	1745 14 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Some of my panels are still out on ground in rear - disregard them and use only front ones.	S F
		52	1900 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Our front lines are as shown on overlay.	F
		53	1930 14 Jul	Fr 654 TD Bn: Two American tanks M4s Nos D-11 and D-31 operated by German crews. Heard vic 425716.	S F
		54	2015 14 Jul	To G-2: CP 897th Inf Regt 471681. 4 heavy mortars on road 475683.	F
		55	2015 14 Jul	To G-2: Mission fired on 1st Co CP, 897th Inf last night. Was highly successful.	F
		56	2130 14 Jul	To all Bns, 119th Inf & G-2: Two American tanks M4s Nos D-11 & D-31 operated by German crews heard vic 425716.	F
		57	2245 14 Jul	To G-2 & all Bns: AT guns at 481681. Strong points from 491685 to 495685, at 473670-478666.	F
		58		FO #1, 137th Inf, 141820 Jul.	F





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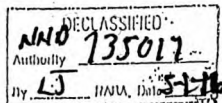
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		3 1	0115 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div & 219th FA: Interrogated prisoner gave the following info: Co CP 3d Co 897th Regt 479678.	F
		4 2	0200 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		5 3	0300 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		6 4	0400 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		7 5	0500 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8 6	0600 14 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		9 7	0634 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Everything going as per scheduled.	S F
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		29 17	1300 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Co C adv 300 yds. Co A adv & meeting resistance vic Pt Terme. Captured 12 prisoners. 3d Bn tanks almost to road. 2d Bn moving S to obj behind tanks.	F
		34 18	1330 14 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Receiving heavy 88 & mortar fire. 3 tanks knocked out.	S F
		16 19	0931 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn jumped off on time.	F
		17 20	1000 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Arty & mortar fire RR crossing just past St Gilles - 40 or 50 rds. 5 MG front of C Co.	S F
		18 21	1008 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Arty & mortar fire RR crossing just past St Gilles. 5 MG front of C Co - pinned down.	F
		19 22	1040 14 Jul	Fr G-2: Please give location of capture of German prisoner	





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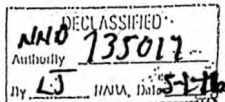
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				German prisoner Paul Hautman, 1st Co, 898th.	S F
		20 23	1045 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Location of capture of Paul Hautman, 1st Co, 898th Inf is vic RJ & RR - rd 3 south St Gilles.	F
		22 24	1140 14 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Info rec strong points in the vic of RJ of Hwy 2 & 3.	S F
		23 25	1143 14 Jul	Fr 1st Bn S-2: Very little activity in 1st Bn area at 1140. Scattered MG fire. Some arty.	S F
		25 26	1145 14 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Regtl S-2 sent Sgt Puskas after prisoners in 3d Bn area.	F
		27 27	1145 14 Jul	Fr Ex O 3d Bn: 12 prisoners at 3d Bn CP.	S F
		26 28	1200 14 Jul	Fr Liaison O (Kullander): 2d Bn & 3d Bn are static & report decreasing 88 fire. 1st Bn is moving up behind a screen of 35th Recon to fill the gap between the Regts. Regarding own & enemy's position, see overlay.	S F
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		37 36	1420 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Regtl CP received shelling 1335-1400. 2d Bn lost officer & 7 EM, one tank in heavy minefield.	F
		38 37	1420 14 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: Received arty fire RJ just before entering St Gilles. (Copy to Div)	S F
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		42	1400 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Received 6 rounds of arty - C P area.	S F
				G-3 report from 130001 Jul 44 to 132400 13 Jul 44	F
				Operations overlay, 137th Inf, 14 Jul.	F
		43	1500 14 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Bldgs at 491684 very strongly held. Enemy troops reported assembling at that vicinity. (Copy to Div)	S F
		44	1540 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Zone of action heavily mined & booby trapped. 7 EM, 1 Off casualties in 2d Bn.	F
		45	1550 14 Jul	To CG 35th Div: From info accumulated from all units - About 1 out of 5 88 shells are duds - AT 88 have been used for indirect fire.	F
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		53	2015 14 Jul	To G-2: CP 897 Inf Regt 471-681. 4 Hvy mortars on road 475-683.	F
		54	2015 14 Jul	To G-2: Mission fired on 1st Co CP, 897th Inf last night. Was highly successful.	F
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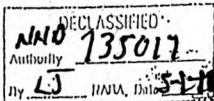
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				FO #1, 137th Inf, 141820 Jul.	F
				FO #6, Hq 35th Div, from 140001 Jul to 142400 Jul.	F
				Situation overlay, 137th Inf, 140001 to 150001.	F





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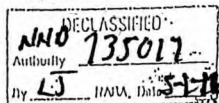
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		1	0030 15 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Captured 2 prisoners.	S F
		2	0030 15 Jul	To G-2: 2d Bn took 2 prisoners at 0030.	F
		3	0100 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		4	0200 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		5	0300 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		6	0400 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		7	0500 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8	0515 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Bn attacked on time. Adv slowly against MG & arty fire.	S F
		9	0520 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn jumped off on time. Meeting MG, mortar & arty fire.	S F
		10	0520 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Attack jumped off on time.	S F
		11	0520 15 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Attack jumped off on time.	S F
		12	0525 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Regt atkd on time. All units receiving heavy MG & arty fire.	F
		13	0530 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Attack jumped off on time.	F
		14	0545 15 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Two prisoners wearing green braid taken on our front.	S F
		15	0550 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Two prisoners taken on our front.	S F
		16	0555 15 Jul	To G-2: 2d Bn captured 2 men wearing green piping. 3d Bn took 2 prisoners.	F
		17	0600 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		18	0630 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Captured 2 enemy prisoners. Pick them up at bridge.	S F
		19	0715 15 Jul	Fr G-2: TDs knocked out several MG nest.	S F
		20	0720 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Pinned down by MG fire later removed by tanks. Now moving forward. Harrassed by 88mm fire & time fire.	S F
		21	0725 15 Jul	Fr G-2: Blue Bn of Juniper unit has adv 3 hedge rows after jumping off on time. MG & rifle fire with some 88s reported.	S F
		22	0805 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Captured 1 prisoner. Being sent back.	S F
		23	0840 15 Jul	Fr G-2: 134th moving forward slowly. Have committed their attachments.	S F
		24	0900 15 Jul	To G-2: Heavy time fire on front lines.	F
		25	0910 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Receiving very heavy arty time fire. Large caliber gun - getting many casualties cannot adv.	S F





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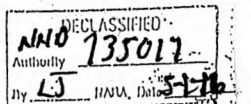
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		26	0928 15 Jul	To all Bns: Front line marking panels belonging to front line platoons will be cut into 18" strips & issued 1 per squad for marking of front line.	F
		27	0945 15 Jul	Fr 137th Ln Off: 1st Bn under Div control. May be used to clean out Sauent. 2d Bn adv 3 hedge rows supported by TDs. 3d Bn static - will attack pending adv by 2d Bn. Enemy MGs in salient at 502682 & 502 689. Horse led out by enemy sentry at 502688. (Concerning 320th Inf)	S F
		28	1040 15 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: Info rec fr a French civilian - Gun positions at 462672 - 75s or 88s. Gun positions at 462659. Above guns camouflaged & not dug in. Underwater bridge at Rampan. (Copy to 35th & 30th Div)	S F
		29	1045 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Our front line is now J88, J87, J97, K27, K45, K56, K75, K96.	F
		30	1100 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn being counter-attacked in force on present line.	S F
		31	1100 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn being counter-attacked on present line. Action local - no evidence of enemy tanks.	F
		32	1200 15 Jul	To G-2: Interrogated prisoner states - That Col Kentner of Kampfgrupp - Kentner - has been relieved of command. Also that pink piping is indicative of an artillery unit.	F
		33	1215 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: We have repelled counter-attack.	S F
		34	1215 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn repelled their counter-attack 1200.	F
		35	1245 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: French civilian states that troops in C-K24 are SS troops. Enemy arty position in location C-E89.	F
		36	1335 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Co A found much enemy wire & other material indicating communication center. Will check further.	S F
		37	1358 15 Jul	Fr Arty: German heavy wpns pulling out of area that was just shelled 474684. 30th Div arty to follow up if possible. Col Butler is going to attack. (Fr arty fwd obs)	S F
		38	1358 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: German heavy wpns pulling out of area that was just shelled 474684-482680.	F
		39	1358 15 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Air missions may be flown in front of our lines.	S F
		40	1400 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Suggest bldgs at Roulaur Godard as an air target. Please inform if you bomb.	F
		41	1400 15 Jul	Overlay of 35th Inf Div.	F





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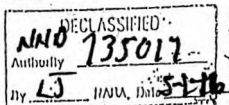
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OUT	IN				
		42	1405 15 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Enemy observation point at 486676. Can observe down road to present position. From French civilians.	F
		43	1430 15 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Report fr 134th that they adv 1500 yds in last 2 hours. Also 29th Div adv rapidly.	S F
		44	1500 15 Jul	Enemy situation as of 1500.	F
		45	1515 15 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Loud speaker to be used between 1730 & 1830. Will range over to us. Arty fire on strong point to our left between 1700 & 1730. Nothing between 1730 & 1830 (Use speaker during that time). Then hit again at 1830 when we are coordinated - call Maj Jamison - to be used by unit on our left.	S F
		46	1555 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: From St Gilles to Pt Hubert between RR & river is heavily mined - in potato field at 482694 unexploded bomb (American) Bridge at Pt Hubert passable for foot troops, but nothing else.	F
		47	1555 15 Jul	Fr 137th Ln O (Concerning 320th Inf): 1st Bn no change. 2d Bn no change. 3d Bn jumped off at 1000 & is receiving heavy arty fire. Co K then adv 1 hedge row & took about 30 prisoners. 12th Co, 898th Inf now in line to compensate for losses.	S F
		48	1555 15 Jul	Fr civilian: Fr St Gilles to Pont Hubert between RR & river is heavily mined. In potato field at 482694 unexploded American bomb. Bridge at Pont Hubert passable for foot troops only.	S F
		49	1630 15 Jul	To 1st, 2d, & 3d Bns: Re use of PA system by 320th at 499685 & 501689. 1700-1730 arty barrage, 1730-1830 use of PA, 1830 arty barrage.	F
		50	1630 15 Jul	To 320th, S-2: Re employment of PA system	F
		51	1700 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Info obtained fr a prisoner - Regt CP 897th - 480670, Bn CP 897th - 486683.	F
		52	1735 15 Jul	Overlay of 134th Inf.	F
		53	1737 15 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: PQ fr Co 3, 897th Inf states that the present strenght of his company is 30 men spread along line from house at RJ 985-683-483684.	S F
		54	1737 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #53.	F
		55	1800 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: My Bn is attacking again. Will keep you informed.	S F
		56	1800 15 Jul	Fr Crisis 3: My front is moving R. Is 1600 yds S of your position. Ech to left 600 yds to your front.	S F
		57	1800 15 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Unit on your right moved 600-1600 yds in last 4 hours.	F
		58	1800 15 Jul	To CO 1st, 2d & 3d Bn: Air missions may be flown.	F





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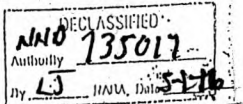
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		59	1800 15 Jul	Fr IPW Officer: Same as #53.	F
		60	1830 15 Jul	Fr Renfro : Air mission will be flown 1905.	S F
		61	1830 15 Jul	To CO 1st, 2d & 3d Bn: Air mission will be flown 1905.	F
		62	1925 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Air mission flew over target. Request info on bombing.	F
		63	2000 15 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Med bombers will fly mission S of St Lo 2130.	S F
		64	2005 15 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d & 3d Bn: Med Bombers will fly mission S of St Lo 2130.	F
		65	2020 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Two prisoners report that only 30 men left in their company. Arty killed most of Co. Co now holds line fr 485683 to 483684. Prisoners fr 3d Co, 897th Regt.	F
		66	2020 15 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Request Engs be notified of mines in 3d Bn area.	F
		67	2100 15 Jul	To all Bns: Request liaison between Inf & arty regarding patrols during hours of darkness.	F
		68	2100 15 Jul	To COs all Bns: All front line platoons will display air recognition panels daily until further notice on the following schedule: 0950-1000, 1450-1500, 1950-2000.m	F
		69	2147 15 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report.	S F
		70	2211 15 Jul	Fr G-2: Report to designated spot at 0900 16 Jul to pick up surrender leaflets. 50% go to 320th. They will call for them. Ask for twenty-five rds.	S F
		71	2300 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Notify patrols that a crew of men will be removing mines on road in our area.	S F
		72	2315 15 Jul	To 1st Bn: Same as #71.	F
		73	2320 15 Jul	Fr 119th Inf: Prisoner taken in our area states he is fr 11th Co, 14 Para Regt which moved in yesterday. Cos are full strenght of 120 men.	S F





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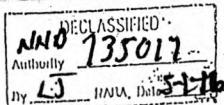
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OUT	IN				
		3 1	0100 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		4 2	0200 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		5 3	0300 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		6 4	0400 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		7 5	0500 15 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8 6	0515 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Bn attacked on time. Adv slowly against MG & arty fire.	S F
		9 7	0520 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn jumped off on time. Meeting MG, Mortar & arty fire.	S F
		10 8	0520 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Attack jumped off on time.	S F
		11 9	0520 15 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Attack jumped off on time.	S F
		12 10	0525 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Regt atkd on time. All units receiving hvvy MG & arty fire.	F
		13 11	0530 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Attack jumped off on time.	F
		14 12	0545 15 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Two prisoners wearing green braid taken on our front.	S F
		15 13	0550 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Two prisoners taken on our front.	S F
		16 14	0555 15 Jul	To G-2: 2d Bn captured 2 men wearing green piping. 3d Bn took 2 prisoners.	F
		17 15	0630 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Captured 2 enemy prisoners - pick them up at bridge.	S F
		18 16	0910 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Receiving very heavy arty time fire Large caliber gun - getting many casualties cannot adv.	S F
		19 17	0715 15 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: TDs knocked out several MG nests.	S F
		20 18	0720 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Pinned down by MG fire later removed by tks. Now moving forward. Harrassed by 88mm fire & time fire.	S F
		21 19	0725 15 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: Blue Bn of Juniper unit has adv 3 hedge rows after jumping off on time. MG & rifle fire with some 88s reported.	S F
		22 20	0805 15 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Captured 1 prisoner - being sent back.	S F
		23 21	0840 15 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: 134th moving forward slowly. Have committed their attachments.	S F
		24 22	0900 15 Jul	To G-2: Heavy time fire on front lines.	F
		25 23	1040 15 Jul	Fr S-321 Bn: Info received from a Fr civilian - Gun positions at 463672 75088? Gun positions at 462659. Above guns camouflaged - not dug in Underwater bridge at Rampan. ( copies to CG 35th & G-2, 30th Div)	





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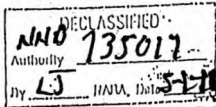
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OUT	IN				
	25	24	0910 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn & 1st Bn receiving very heavy arty time fire from large cal guns. K Co reached road & cannot adv further. Held down by MGs.	F
	27	25	0945 15 Jul	Fr 137th Liaison Off: 1st Bn under Div control. may be used to clean out Sauent. 2d Bn adv 3 hedge rows supported by TDs. 3d Bn static - will attack pending adv by 2d Bn. Enemy MGs in salient at 502682 & 502689. Horse led out by enemy sentry at 502688. (Concerning Juniper)	S F
	29	26	1045 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Our front line is now J88, J87, J97, K27, K45, K56, K75, K96.	F
	31	27	1100 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn being counter-attacked on present line. Action local - no evidence of enemy tanks.	F
	30	28	1100 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn being counter-attacked in force on present line.	S F
	32	29	1200 15 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Interrogated prisoner states - That Col Kenner of Kampfgrupp- Kentner - has been relieved of command. Also that pink piping is indicative of an artillery unit.	F
	34	30	1215 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn repelled their counter-attack 1200.	F
	33	31	1215 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: We have repelled counter-attack.	S F
	35	32	1245 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: French civilian states that troops in C-K24 are SS troops. Enemy arty position in location C-E89.	F
	36	33	1335 15 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Co A found much enemy wire & other material indicating communication center. Will check farther.	S F
	37	34	1358 15 Jul	Fr Arty: German heavy wpns pulling out of area that was just shelled 474684-482680. 30th Div arty to follow up if possible. Col Butler is going to attack. From arty fwd obs.	S F
	38	35	15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: German heavy wpns pulling out of area that was just shelled 474684-482680.	F
	42	36	1405 15 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Enemy observation point at 486676. can observe down road to present position from French civilians.	F
	45	37	1515 15 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Loud speaker to be used between 1730 & 1830. Will range over to us. Arty fire on strong point to our left between 1700 & 1730. Nothing between 1730 & 1830 (Use speaker during that time) Then hit again at 1830 when we are coordinated - call Maj Jamison - to be used by unit on our left.	S F
	46	38	1555 15 Jul	To CG 35th Div: From St Gilles to Pt Hubert between RR & river is heavily mined - in potato	





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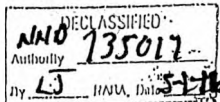
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OUT	IN				
		51, 56	1700 15 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Info obtained fr a prisoner Reg CP 897 Coord 480670, Bn CP 897 Coord 486683	S F
		53 57	1737 15 Jul	Fr: Ln O: (Kullander): PW fr Co 3 897th Inf states that the present strength of his company is 30 men spread along line from house at RJ 985683- 483684.	S F
		54 58	1737 15 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: Same as #57	
		59 59	1800 15 Jul	Fr: IPW Officer: Same as #57	
		60 60	2020 15 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Two prisoners report that only thirty men left in their company Arty killed most of Co. Company now holds line from 485683 to 483684. Prisoners from 3d Co 897th Regt.	S F
		61 61	2020 15 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Request Engr be notified of mines in 3d Bn area.	S F
		62 62	2100 15 Jul	To: All Bn: Request Liaison between Inf and Arty Regarding patrols during hours of darkness	S F
		63 63	0030 15 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: 2d Bn took two prisoners at 0030	S F
		64 64	0130 15 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Captured two prisoners	S F
		65 65	0300 15 Jul	To: G-2: Neg report as of 0300	S F
		66 66	0400 15 Jul	To: G-2: Neg report as of 0400	S F
		67 67	0500 15 Jul	To: G-2: Neg report as of 0500	S F
17		68 68	0600 15 Jul	To: G-2: Neg report as of 0600	S F
		69 69	2100 15 Jul	To: CO 1st, 2d, 3d Bn: All front line platoons will display air recognition panels daily until further notice on the follow ng schedule. 0950- 1000 1450-1500 1950-2000	S F
		70 70	2147 15 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Neg report.	S F
		71 71	2211 15 Jul	Fr: G-2: Report to designated spot at 0900 16 Jul to pick up surrender leaflets. 50% go to 320th. They will call for them. Ask for twenty five rds.	
		72 72	2300 15 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Notify patrols that a crew of men will be removing mines on road in our area	S F
		73 73	2315 15 Jul	To: 1st Bn: Same as #72	
		74 74	2320 15 Jul	Fr: 119th Inf: Prisoner taken in our area states he is fr 11th Co 14 Para Regt which moved in yesterday Cos are full strength of 120 men.	S F
		75 75	1735 15 Jul	Overlay of 134th.	S F
		76 76	1500 15 Jul	Enemy situation as of 1500	S F
		77 77	1400 15 Jul	overlay of 35th Inf Div	S F





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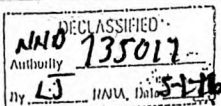
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UT	IN				
				field at 482694 unexploded bomb(American). Bridge at Pt Hubert passable for foot troops, but nothing else.	F
47		39	15 Jul	Fr 13 7th Liaison O(Concerning Juniper): 1st Bn no change. 2d Bn no change. 3d Bn jumped off at 1000 & is now receiving heavy arty fire. Co K when adv 1 hedgerow & taken about 30 prisoners. 12th Co 898th Inf now in line to compensate for losses.  FO #4, Hq 35th Div, 141500 Jul	S F
55	54	40	1800 15 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: My bn is attacking again will keep you informed.	S F
	56	41	1800 15 Jul	Fr: Crisis 3: My front is moving R is 1600 yds S of your position Ech to left 600 yds to your front	S F
	57	42	1800 15 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Unit on your R moved 600-1600 yds in last 4 hours.	S F
	58	43	15 Jul	To: CO 1st, 2d, 3d Bn: Air missions may be flown	S F
	44	44	1430 15 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Report from Joplin that they advanced 1500 yds in last two hours also 29th Div adv rapidly.	S F
	40	45	1400 15 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Suggest bldgs at Roulaux Godard as an air target. Please inform if you bomb.	S F
	39	46	1330 15 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Air missions may be flown in front of our lines.	S F
	40	47	1830 15 Jul	Fr: Renfree: Air missions will be flown 1905	S F
61	57	48	1830 15 Jul	To: CO 1st, 2d, 3d Bn: Air mission will be flown 1905	S F
	60	49	1925 15 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Air mission flew over target Request info on bombing.	S F
	63	50	2000 15 Jul	Fr; CG 35 Div: Med bombers will fly mission S of St Lo 2130	S F
	64	51	2005 15 Jul	To: CO 1st, 2d, 3d Bn: Med bombers will fly miss- on S of St Lo 2130	
	26	52	0928 15 Jul	To: All Bns: Front line marking panels belong- ing to front line platoons will be cut into 18" strips & issued one per squad for marking of front line.	S F
	48	53	1555 15 Jul	Fr: Civilian: Fr St Giles to Pont Hubert be- RR & river is heavily mined in potato field at 482694 unexploded Amer bomb. Bridge at Pont Hubert passable for foot troops only.	S F
	49	54	1630 15 Jul	To: Jury Red, White & Blue: Re use of PA system by Juniper at 499685 and 501689. 1700-1730 Arty barrage 1730-1830 Use of P. A 1830- Arty barrage	S F
	50	55	1630 15 Jul	To: Juniper 2: Re employment of P.A. system Situation overlay, 137th Inf, 150001 to 151800.	S F





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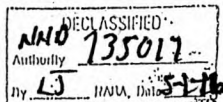
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OUT	IN				
		1		G-3 report #7, Hq 35th Div, 160200 Jul 44.	F
		2	0745 16 Jul	Fr CO 320th Inf: 1st Bn moving to clean out pocket between our units.	S F
		3	0800 16 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: 1st Bn 320th Inf moving N to Mon Blanche to turn around and attack due S.	S F
		4	0830 16 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Front line listening post received lots of activity rear of German lines - horse carts and movement.	S F
		5	0830 16 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Co E 200 yds S of road running E-W thru Carrillon. Co G to left rear receiving heavy mortar fire.	S F
		6	0830 16 Jul	To CO 137th: 1st Bn 320th is now at 501687 (General) and is placing smoke on Le Carillon. Still held up by MGs.	S F
		7	0915 16 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn jumped off on time. Co E 200 yds S of E-W road thru Carillon.	F
		8	0920 16 Jul	To CO all Bns: Place panels out at regular times.	F
		9	0945 16 Jul	Fr Ex O 1st Bn: CO 1st Bn wounded. Will be evacuated.	S F
		10	1045 16 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: In bend of road where tank was knocked out at 49506887 Eng are trying to remove mines. They appear to be set in concrete having very difficult time. Ropes are breaking that they are pulling mines with.	S F
		11	1045 16 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Co G sending up prisoners. 3 men fr I&R going after them.	S F
		12	1045 16 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: At 0845 20 rds of mortar fire in front lines. Three MGs at 490681. Not sure of Nos. 81mm fire all along front - no 88s as yet.	S F
		13	1100 16 Jul	Fr COL Barnes: One Co of 4.2 Chem mortars to be atchd to your Bn.	S F
		14	1105 16 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: One Co 4.2 Chem mortars to be atchd to your Bn.	F
		15	1115 16 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: 1st Bn CP of 320th Inf is now moving to 499694.	S F
		16	1220 16 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Get periodic report in to Div at 2400.	S F
		17	1315 16 Jul	Fr Amm Off: Mortar amm allowance for 3 days including today - 600 rounds each - HE light, HE heavy & HE smoke.	S F
		18	1340 16 Jul	Fr Tank Off: Am taking 1 tank & 1 recovery vehicle into 2d & 3d Bn area to recover tanks.	S F
		19	1405 16 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Co C, 320th has contact with Co G 137th Inf. Col O'Connell knows location 1st Bn CP 320th.	F





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OUT	IN				
		20	1530 16 Jul	To all Bns: Report location of all enemy arty received in your sector. Also cal & direction receiving fr by Az.	F
		21	1530 16 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Tank motors heard ahead of Co C Probably TDs attached to Co E.	S F
		22	1532 16 Jul	Fr G-2: Enemy tanks reported to be at 485674.	S F
		23	1545 16 Jul	To CO 1st & 2d Bn: Enemy tanks reported at 485674.	F
		24	1545 16 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: CG wants CO & S-3 to attend meeting at Div CP.	S F
		25	1545 16 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: 1st Bn 320th Inf making an attack 1615. 15 min arty preparation.	S F
		26	1550 16 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Pont Herbert 474683 clear of enemy. 3d Bn has 2 strong points covering it.	S F
		27		S-2 Periodic report #7, 137th Inf, from 151600 to 161600 Jul 44.	F
		28	1630 16 Jul	Fr Hvy Rd Able: Tell TD to turn radio on.	S F
		29	1635 16 Jul	To Com O: Contact TD to turn radios on.	F
		30	1642 16 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Possible OP or CP info fr PW - 4775663, 478669.	F
		31		Overlay of CP 2d Bn for 1700 16 Jul	F
		32		S-2 Periodic report for 1700 16 Jul	F
		33		Operations overlay 161700.	F
		34	1720 16 Jul	Fr IPW: 2d Bn, 897th Regt CP at 495677.	S F
		35	1855 16 Jul	To G-2: Heavy arty fire in 2d Bn front lines.	F
		36	1930 16 Jul	To CO 320th & 35th Div: Same as #34.	F
		37	1940 16 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: CP and front lines being heavily shelled by mortar fire.	S F
		38	1940 16 Jul	To G-2: 1st Bn OP & front lines being heavily shelled by mortar fire. Arty notified.	F
		39	2130 16 Jul	To all Bns: Fired 10 rds 105 propaganda leaflets on Regt front at 2100.	F
		40	2240 16 Jul	To G-2: Road along RR cleared from 485695 to 476686 area between road & river still mined. N & S road #3 cleared from 485695 to 485683. Will be checked again in morning.	F
		41		Situation & operations overlay 2300 16 Jul.	F
		42	2300 16 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Total no. of prisoners captured since 0300 - 50.	F



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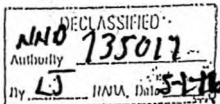
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		21	0745 16 Jul	Fr: CO 320th Inf: 1st Bn moving to clean out pocket between our units.	S F
		32	0800 16 Jul	Fr: Ln, O Kullander: 1st Bn 320th Inf moving N to Mon Blanche to turn around and attack due S	S F
		43	0830 16 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Front line listening post received lots of activity rear of German lines Horse carts and movement.	S F
		54	0830 16 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: E Co 200 yds S of Rd running E-W thru Carrillon G Co to left rear receiving hvy mortar fire.	S F
		75	0915 16 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 2d Bn jumped off on time Easy Co 200 yds S of E-W rd thru Carillon	S F
		86	0920 16 Jul	To: CO All Bns: Place panels out at regular times	S F
		907	1045 16 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: In bend of rd where tnk was knocked out at 49506887 Eng are trying to remove mines They appear to be set in concrete Having very difficult time Ropes are breaking that they are pulling mines with.	S F
		108	1045 16 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: G Co sending up prisoners 3 Men fr I & R going after them	S F
		129	1045 16 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: At 8:45 20 rds of mortar fire in front lines Three MGs at 490681 Not sure of Nos 81 MM fire all along front no 88s as yet.	S F
		1310	1100 16 Jul	Fr: Col Barnes: One Co of 4.2 Chemical mortars to be attached to your organization.	S F
		1411	1105 16 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: One Co 4.2 Chem mortars to be atchd to your Bn.	S F
		1512	1115 16 Jul	Fr: Ln O Kullander: 1 Bn CP of 320th Inf is now moving to 499694 6	S F
		1713	1315 16 Jul	Fr Amm Off: Mortar amm allowance for 3 days including today - 600 rounds each - HE light, HE heavy & HE smoke.	S F
				G-3 report #7, Hq 35th Div, 160200 Jul 44	
				S-2 Periodic report #7, 137th Inf, from 151600 to 161600 Jul 44	
				Overlay of CP 2d Bn for 1700 16 Jul	
				S-2 Periodic report for 1700 16 Jul	
				Situation Map or overlay <del>161</del> up to 2400 16 Jul	
				Situation and operations overlay 2300 16 Jul	
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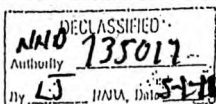
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Place:

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		14	1220 16 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Get periodic report in to Div at 2400	S F
		15	1642 16 Jul	To: Jury Blue: Possible OP or CP Info fr PW 4775663 478669	S F
		16	2130 16 Jul	To: All Bns: Fired 10 rds 105 Propaganda leaflets on neg front at 2100	S F
		17	2100 16 Jul	To: CG 35 Div: Re: Delayed symphatic detanator teller Min 85 1702 Min delay	S F
		18	1530 16 Jul	To: All Bns: Report location of all enemy arty received in your sector Also cal and direction receiving fr by Az	S F
		19	1530 16 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Tank motors heard ahead of C Co probably TDs attached to E Co	S F
		20	1532 16 Jul	Fr: G-2: Enemy tnks reported to be at 485674	S F
		21	2300 16 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Total no. of prisoners captured since 0300--- fifty	S F
		22	1545 16 Jul	To: CO 1st and 2d Bn: Enemy tnks reported at 485674	S F
		23	1545 16 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: CG wants CO & S-3 to attend meeting at Div CP	S F
		24	1855 16 Jul	To: G-2 35 Div: Hvy arty fire in Ju y White front lines.	S F
		25	1720 16 Jul	Fr: IPW: 2d Bn 897th Regt CP at 495677	S F
		26	1930 16 Jul	To: CO 320th & 35th Div: <del>2d Bn</del> Same as #25	S F
		27	1940 16 Jul	To: G-2: 1st Bn OP and Front lines being heavily shelled by mortar fire arty notified.	S F
		28	1940 16 Jul	Fr: 1st Bn: OP and front lines being heavily shelled by mortar fire.	S F
		29	1630 16 Jul	Fr: Hy Rd Able: Tell TD to turn radio on	S F
		30	1635 16 Jul	To: Com O : Contact TD to turn radios on	S F
		31	2240 16 Jul	To: G-2: Road along RR cleared from 485695 to 476686 area between rd and rive still mined N and S rd No 3 cleared from 485695 to 485683 will be checked again in morning.	S F
				Situation & Operations overlay, 137th Inf, 162300	F





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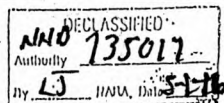
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		32	0745 16 Jul	Fr: CO 320th: 1st Bn moving to clean out pocket between our units.	S F
		33	0800 16 Jul	Fr: Ln O (Kullander): 1st Bn 320th moving N to Mon Blanche to turn around and attack due south	S F
		34	0945 16 Jul	Fr: Ex O 1st Bn: CO 1st Bn wounded. Will be evacuated.	S F
		35	0830 16 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: E Co 200 yds S of Rd running EW thru Garrillon G Co to left rear receiving hvy mortar fire.	S F
		36	0830 16 Jul	To: CO 137: 1st Bn 320 is now at 501687 (General) and is placing smoke on Le Carillon still held up by MGs	S F
		37	1100 16 Jul	Fr: Col Barnes: One Co of 4.2 Chem mortars to attached to your organization.	S F
		38	1105 16 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Same as #37	
		39	16 Jul	To: CO 137: 1st Bn 320 is etc Same as #36	
		40	1145 16 Jul	Fr: <del>S-3 1st Bn: Receiving fire from across river</del>	S F
		41	1200 16 Jul	To: <del>S-3: 1st Section 1st Plat Able Co knocked out enemy strong point at 476684 consisting of 6 MGs positions 3 auto rifles 2 mortars Took 3 prisoner and 1 German machine pistol (1st Section 1st Plat 488698 as of 1150</del>	S F
		42	1545 16 Jul	Fr: Ln O (Kullander): 1st Bn 320th Inf making an attack 1615 15 Min arty preparation	S F
		43	1405 16 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: <del>Alert/bhp/cp/tp/tp/bp/tp/tp/tp</del> C Co 320th has contact with G Co 137th Inf Col O'Connell knows location 1st Bn CP 320th	S F
		44	1340 16 Jul	Fr: Tank O: Am taking 1 tnk and 1 recovery vehicle into 2d & 3d Bn area to recover tnks	S F
		45	1520 16 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Pont Herbert 474683 clear of enemy 3d Bn has two strong points covering it	S F
				Operations overlay 161730	
				Operation overlay 161730	





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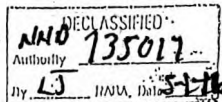
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		1	0020 17 Jul	Fr S-2, 2d Bn: Co E reports hearing armour moving due S of their position on hard surface road.	S F
		2	0025 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Reported hearing of armour to S of Co E on hard surface road.	F
		3	0025 17 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Armored vehicles heard to S of E Co. Requested confirmation.	F
		4	0026 17 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn closed in.	S F
		5	0028 17 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Can not hear any tanks only noises audible is airplane motor at long distance.	S F
		6	0030 17 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: 1st Bn in position 0030 17 Jul.	S F
		7	0035 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Change of 1st & 3d Bns completed at 0030 17 Jul 44.	nrF
		8	0057 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Armored vehicles reported to S of Co E unconfirmed by units on right & left.	F
		9	0342 17 Jul	To CO 320th: Attached find overlay of positions This information came from body of dead German officer. Unverified with no date.	F
		10	0445 17 Jul	Fr S-2, 2d Bn: 2d Bn jumped off on time. No opposition.	S F
		11	0458 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Regt jumped off on time. Slow going, poor visibility. No opposition or enemy fire.	F
		12	0555 17 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn began moving at 0430 very slow.	S F
		13	0557 17 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: Co C 150 yds adv. MG fire to front. Co B believed on road.	S F
		14	0559 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #13.	F
		15	0610 17 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: Co B definitely to black top road. Both Cos held up by MG fire. TDs moving up to help neutralize.	S F
		16	0615 17 Jul	To G-3: Co B now at black top road. Both 1st Bn Cos held up by MG fire. TDs moving up to help out.	F
		17	0622 17 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 3 prisoners fr 2d Bn on road to PW point. Little opposition to front.	S F
		18	0625 17 Jul	To G-2: 3 prisoners fr 2d Bn zone. Little opposition to front.	F
		19	0645 17 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 6 prisoners 1st Bn being sent back. I&R going for them.	S F
		20	0645 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #19.	F
		21	0940 17 Jul	Fr IPW: Several prisoners captured had propaganda leaflets. Were fr 915 & 916 Inf of 352 Div. Only 70 men in a Regt were put in line. 10 men to the Co.	S F





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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		22	0945 17 Jul	Fr Ex O 1st Bn: CO 1st Bn wounded. Will be evacuated.	S F
		23	0945 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Summary, 1st Bn jumped off on time. C adv about 150 yds - pinned down by MG fire - spotted blockhouses - called for TD - should be up by now - Co B reached road. 2d Bn pushed forward - ran into MG & sniper fire - now pinned down.	F
		24	1000 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #21.	F
		25	1145 17 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: Receiving fire fr across river.	S F
		26	1200 17 Jul	To S-3: 1st Section 1st plat, Co A knocked out enemy strong points at 476684 consisting of 6 MGs, 3 auto rifles, 2 mortars. Took 3 prisoners and 1 German Machine pistol (1st Sect 1st Plat 488698)	S F
		27	1225 17 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: Enemy tanks heard at 477678.	S F
		28	1230 17 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Unknown tanks heard at approx 400 yds ahead of Co C 477678. TD officers alerted - holding fast till more info gathered. 4 prisoners Co C area. No set MG positions said captured Sgt.	S F
		29	1240 17 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Ln O on way to CP with plan for taking obj this afternoon.	S F
		30	1245 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #28.	F
		31	1245 17 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: CO 2d Bn wants 1st Bn to coordinate on the attack this afternoon.	S F
		32	1401 17 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Previous reports on tanks to 1st Bn front false.	S F
		33	1405 17 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Alert one Co to be prepared to move to hill 89 in 2d Bn area.	F
		34	1407 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: As per reports fr CO 1st Bn a recon shows no signs of tanks. Possibility dug in tanks.	F
		35	1430 17 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Div Comdr directs that all Regtl CPs be placed not less than 2000 yds from the front. All Bn CPs not less than 1000 yds fr front lines. This must be accomplished immediately.	S F
		36	1440 17 Jul	To all Bns: Info concerning location of Bn CPs	F
		37	1450 17 Jul	To COs all Bns: All Bn CPs will be within 1000 yds of the front lines hereafter.	F
		38	1615 17 Jul	To CG 35th Div: CP opens at AC75 at 1615.	F
		39	1710 17 Jul	To G-2: The template coordinates of our CP is Ref AG75.	F



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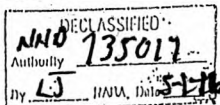
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OUT	IN				
		40	1800 17 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn 700 yds S of the blacktop road.	S F
		41	1800 17 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Alert Bn for movement. CO report to Col Emery.	F
		42	1830 17 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Alert Bn to move into old position occupied by 3d Bn yesterday. Be prepared to move SE and sieze high ground near Les Angeles. One Co moved to block St Lo road from SE at 475677. Mission was ordered accomplished at 2100.	F
		43	2015 17 Jul	To G-2: 1st Bn took 11 prisoners in adv. Total for day 23.	F
		44	2020 17 Jul	To G-2 & all Bns: PW now located AP 85.	F
		45	2112 17 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn moving out of reserve position.	S F





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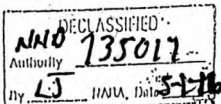
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		2	0025 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Reported hearing of armour to S of Co E on hard surface rd.	S F
		3	0025 17 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: Armored vehicles heard to S of E Co Requested confirmation.	S F
		4	0026 17 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn closed in <del>64</del>	S F
		5	0028 17 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Can not hear any tanks only noises audible is airplane motor at long distance.	S F
		6	0030 17 Jul	Fr: S-3: 1st Bn in position 0030 17 July	S F
		7	0035 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Change of 1st and 3d Bns completed at 0030 17 Jul 44	S F
		8	0057 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Armored vehicles reported to S of Co E unconfirmed by units on right and left.	S F
		10 9	0445 17 Jul	Fr: S-2 2d Bn: 2d Bn jumped off on time No opposition.	S F
		12 10	0555 17 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn began moving at 0430 very slow	S F
		13 11	0557 17 Jul	Fr: S-3 1st Bn: Co C 150 yds adv MG fire to front B Co believed on road.	S F
		11 12	0458 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Regt jumped off on time Slow going, Poor visibility No opposition or enemy fire.	S F
		14 13	0559 17	To: CG 35th Div: Same as #11	
				Overlay of CP 2d Bn for 1700 16 Jul	
		9 14	0342 17 Jul	To: CO 320th : Attached find overlay of positions This information came from body of dead German officer Unverified with no date.	S F
		15	0025 17 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: Armored vehicles heard to the S of E Co Requested confirmation.	S F
		16	0025 17 Jul	To: G-2: Reported hearing armoured to S of Co E on hard surface rd	S F
		17	0025 17 Jul	To: G-3: Change of 1st and 3d Bns completed at 0030 17 Jul 44	S F
		18	0057 17 Jul	To: G-2: Armored vehicles reported to S of Co E Unconfirmed by units on right and left.	S F
		19	0458 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Regt jumped off on time Slow going, poor visibility No opposition or enemy fire.	S F
		20	0550 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Co C 150 yds adv MG fire to front B Co believed on rd.	S F
		21	0940 17 Jul	Fr: IPW: Several prisoners captured had propaganda leaflets. Were from 915 & 916 Inf of 352 Div Only 70 men in a Reg Were put in line 10 men to the co.	S F





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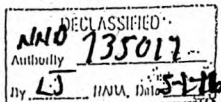
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		23	0945 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Summary 1st Bn jumped off on time C adv about 150 ys pinned down by MG spotted blockhouses called for TD should be up by now B Co reached rd. 2d Bn pushed fwd ran into MG & sniper fire now pinned down.	S F
		16-24	0625 17 Jul	To: G-3: B Co now at black top rd. Both red Cos held up by MG fire. TDs moving up to help out.	S F
		18-25	0625 17 Jul	To: G-2: 3 prisoners from 2d Bn zone little opposition to front.	S F
		20-26	0645 17 Jul	To: CG: 6 prisoners 1st Bn being sent back I&R going for them.	S F
		24-27	1000 17 Jul	To: CG: Same as #21	
		17-28	0622 17 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 3 prisoners from 2d Bn on rd to PW point Little opposition to front.	S F
		19-29	0645 17 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Same as #26	
		27-30	1225 17 Jul	Fr: S-3 1st Bn: Enemy tanks heard at 477678	S F
		30-31	1245 17 Jul	To: CG: Unknown tanks heard at app 400 yds ahead of C Co 477678 TD officers alerted holding fast till more info gathered. 4 prisoners C Co area 352 up 2 days ago No set MG positions said captured sgt.	S F
		28-32	1230 17 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Same as #31	
		32-33	1401 17 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Previous reports on tanks to 1st Bn front false.	S F
		34	1407 17 Jul	To: CG: As per reports from CO jury Red a recon shows no signs of tanks. Possibility dug in tanks	S F
		41-35	1800 17 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: 1st Bn 700 yds S of the black top rd.	S F
		37-36	1450 17 Jul	Fr: CG: Hereafter all regtls CPs will be within 2000 yds of the front lines & Bn CPs will be within 100 yds	S F
		39-37	1615 17 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: CP opens at AC75 at 1615	S F
		38	1500 17 Jul	To: COs All Bns: All Bn CPs will be within 1000 yds of the front lines hereafter.	S F
		40-39	1710 17 Jul	To: G-2: The template coordinates of our CP is Ref AG 75	S F
		42-40	1800 17 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Alert Bn for movement CO report to Col Emery.	S F
		43-41	1830 17 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn Alert Bn to move into old position occupied by 3d Bn yesterday Bn prepared to move SE and seize high ground near Les Angeles One Co moved to Bn	S F





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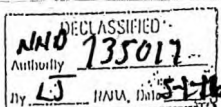
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		Contd 41		block St Lo rd from SE at 475677. Mission was ordered accomplished at 2100.	S F
		44-42	2015 17 Jul	To: G-2: Jury Red took 11 prisoners in adv Total for day 23.	S F
		45-43	2020 17 Jul	To: G-2& all Bns: PW now located AP 85	S F
				Overlay of CP of 2d Bn 17 Jul	
				Situation Map overlay 170001	
				G-3 Report No 8 170130	
		31-44	1245 17 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: CO 2d Bn wants <del>16</del> 1st Bn to coordinate on the atk this afternoon	S F
		29-45	1240 17 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Ln O on way to CP with plan for taking ogj this afternoon	S F
		33-46	1405 17 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Alert one co to be prepared to move to hill 89 in 2d Bn area	S F
		35-47	1430 17 Jul	Fr: CG: Div Comdr directs that all Regtl CPs be placed not less than 2000 yds from the front All Bn CPs not less than 1000 yds fr front lines This must be accomplished immediately	S F
		36-48	1440 17 Jul	To: All Bns: Info concerning location of Bn Cps	S F
		22-49	0945 17 Jul	Fr: Ex O 1st Bn: CO 1st Bn wounded. Will be evacuated.	S F
		25-50	1145 17 Jul	Fr: S-3 1st Bn: Receiving fire fr across river	S F
		26-51	1200 17 Jul	To: S-3: 1st Section 1st plat Able Co knocked out enemy strong points at 476684 consisting of 6 MGs 3 auto rifles 2 mortars Took 3 prisoners and 1 German Machine pistol (1st Sect 1st Plat 488698)	S F
		46-52	2112 17 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn moving out of reserve position	S F





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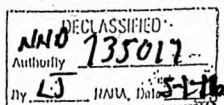
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OUT	IN				
		1	0015 18 Jul	To G-2: Liaison O from 1st Bn states they are on Div objective.	F
		2	0100 18 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		3	0100 18 Jul	Fr Lt Hack: 1st Bn reported on Div obj. Co K maintaining contact.	S F
		4	0120 18 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #3.	F
		5	0140 18 Jul	To G-2: Info from French civilians - Enemy gas DP & supply points at 443638 Chateau Hebecrevon and Chateau San Marie Agneaux.	F
		6	0200 18 Jul	To G-2: Request photo mission be flown covering all ground in 2d Bn sector to objective.	F
		7	0300 18 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		8	0400 18 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		9	0500 18 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		10	0733 18 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: My position 456655 to 464655. Awaiting orders.	S F
		11	0900 18 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: As soon as 2d Bn has crossed Hwy 2 your Bn will be used to police area N of road for snipers, etc.	F
		12	0900 18 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: Continue adv to Div obj. Leave F Co on hill 74 to maintain contact with 320th.	F
		13	0910 18 Jul	To S-4: 2d Bn needs Eng tape at once to mark mine field.	F
		14	0945 18 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: 1st Bn on Div obj. 3d Bn has orders to clean out area as soon as you pass Hwy 2.	F
		15	0955 18 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: All front lines will display panels every hour on the half hour. Arty fwd observers will report any change & neg report.	S F
		16	1000 18 Jul	Fr G-2: Be on lookout for mines & booby traps as you move forward.	S F
		17	1010 18 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: My vehicles have been using Hwy 2 from Pont Herbert to Junction of Hwy 3.	F
		18	1032 18 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: New CP 463663.	S F
		19	1100 18 Jul	Fr Ln O: Co A replacing Co C, 320th on right. 320th reports Co A patrol contact Co F, 137th.	S F
		20	1100 18 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn now 500 yds S of blacktop S of hill 74.	S F
		21	1105 18 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Start prearranged plan to scour area N of blacktop for isolated MG & snipers.	F
		22	1116 18 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: You have permission to move F Co along with your Bn. Keep them on your left flank.	F
		23	1140 18 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Request info on all units. Our Bn receiving arty fire also harrassed by snipers. Planes bomb and strafe of 120th.	S F





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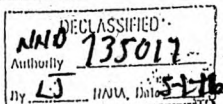
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		24	1153 18 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn CP moving to 476685.	S F
		25	1230 18 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Lost wrecker & 8 men. Hit mine at 475685.	S F
		26	1245 18 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: Forward R of 320th is 498681.	S F
		27	1300 18 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Truck blown up at B-N-11 blocking road. Is burning and an obstacle.	S F
		28	1310 18 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn CP now at Charley Jig 89.	F
		29	1350 18 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: R of 320th Inf now 497679 - 507679. Red Bn - Blue Bn 498668 - 504665.	S F
		30	1352 18 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: No passage of civilians thru our lines. Any civilian attempting passage will be arrested & this Hq notified. (Copy to all units)	S F
		31	1405 18 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: B Co, 320th, 500674. Minefield vic 505679. CP moving to 500677.	S F
		32	1415 18 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: My Bn 500 yds N of Hwy 4. Have located MG nest. Still moving.	S F
		33	1415 18 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn 500 yds N of Hwy 4. Located MG nest.	F
		34	1435 18 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: I am now 48256525. Held up by MG nests. Moving forward around them.	S F
		35	1445 18 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Am now on line 467667 - 477658. Where do you want me to go from here. Have cleaned area on way up.	S F
		36	1505 18 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: CO suggests you displace Bn in area around Aunay.	F
		37	2100 18 Jul	Fr S-2, 3d Bn: Request investigation of blinking lights in house - CP area.	S F
		38	2230 18 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Have 2 prisoners. A total of 20 prisoners have been taken this date.	F
		39	2315 18 Jul	To G-2: Enemy digging in S of river. OPs to be opened at dawn.	F
		40	2330 18 Jul	Fr G-2: Interr reports indicate that enemy will withdraw S of St Lo around 2400. (Copy to all Bns)	S F
		41	2343 18 Jul	Fr G-2: 35th Recon to patrol rear areas in search of snipers starting 0600 19 Jul 44.	S F
				Situation map, 137th Inf, from 0001 to 2300.	F
				Overlay showing RRL, MLR, & OPLR	F
				Situation map, 137th Inf, 2300 18 Jul.	F
				Plan of attack, 3d Bn, 137th Inf, 18 Jul	F
				Overlay of roads cleared of mines.	F
				Overlay of Cn Co 180915.	F





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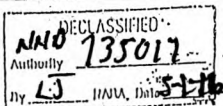
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		3-1	0100 18 Jul	Fr: Lt Hack: 1st Bn reported on Div Obj K Co Maintaining contact.	S F
		4-2	0120 18 Jul	To: CG: Same as #1	
		10-3	0733 18 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: My position 456-655 to 464655 Awaiting orders.	S F
		11-4	0900 18 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: As soon as 2d Bn has crossed Hwy 2 Your Bn will be used to police area N of rd for snipers, etc.	S F
		12-5	0900 18 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Continue adv to Div Obj leave Fox Co on hill 74 to maintain contact with 320th Inf.	S F
		13-6	0910 18 Jul	To: S-4: 2d Bn needs Engr tape at once to mark mine field.	S F
		15-7	0955 18 Jul	Fr: CG: All front lines will display panels every hours on the half hour arty fwd obsvrs will report any change and neg rpt.	S F
		14-8	0945 18 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: 1st Bn on Div Obj 3d Bn has orders to clean out area as soon as you pass Hwy 2	S F
		16-9	1000 18 Jul	Fr: CG (G-2): Be on lookout for mines and booby traps as you move forward.	S F
		17-10	1010 18 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: My vehicles have been using Hwy 2 fr Pont Herbert to Junction of Hwy 3	S F
		19-11	1100 18 Jul	Fr: Ln O: A Co replacing C Co 320th on right 320th reports A Co patrol contact F Co 137th	S F
		20-12	1100 18 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn now 500 yds S of Black top S of Hill 74	S F
		21-13	1105 18 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Start prearranged plan to scour area N of Blacktop for isolated MG and snipers.	S F
		22-14	1116 18 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: You have permission to move Fox Co along with your Bn Keep them on your left flank	S F
		23-15	1140 18 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Request info on all units Our Bn receiving arty fire also harrassed by snipers planes bomb and strafe of 120th	S F
		24-16	1153 18 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn CP moving to 476685 Overlay of Cn Co 180915	S F
		18-17	1032 18 Jul	Fr: Ju y Red: New CP 463663	S F
		25-18	1230 18 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Lost wrecker & 8 men, hit mine at 475685.	S F
		26-19	1245 18 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: Forward R of 320 is 498681.	S F
		27-20	1300 18 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Truck blown up at B-N-11 blocking road. Is burning and an obstacle.	S F
		28-21	1310 18 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn CP now at charley jng 89.	F
		29-22	1350 18 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: R of 320 Inf now 497679 -	





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	30	23	1352 18 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: No passage of civilians thru our lines. Any civilian attempting passage will be arrested & this Hq notified. (Copy to all units)	S F
	31	24	1405 18 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: B Co 320, 500674. Mine field vic 505679. CP moving to 500677.	m S F
	32	25	1415 18 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: My Bn 500 yds N of hwy 4. Have located MG nest. Still moving.	S F
	33	26	1415 18 Jul	To CG 35th Div: White Bn 500 yds N of hwy 4. Located MG nest.	F
	34	27	1435 18 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: I am now 48256525. Held up by MG nests. Moving forward around them.	S F
	35	28	18 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Am now on line 467667 - 477658. Where do you want me to go from here. Have cleaned area on way up.	S F
	36	29	1505 18 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: CO suggests you displace Bn in area around Aunay. PLAN OF ATTACK, 3DBN, 137TH INF 18 JUL (OVERLAY) Overlay of rds cleared for mines	F F S F
	1	30	0015 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: K Liaison O from Jury Red states they are on Div objective.	F
	2	31	0100 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0100.	F
	5	32	0140 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Info from French civilians - Enemy gas DP & supply points at 443638 Chateau Hebecrevon & Chateau San Marie Agneaux.	F
	6	33	0200 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Request photo mission be flown covering all ground in Jury White sector to objective.	F
	7	34	0300 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0300.	F
	8	35	0400 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.	F
	9	36	0500 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		37	2100 18 Jul	Fr S-2, 3d Bn: Request investigation of blinking lights in house - CR area.	S F
		38	2230 18 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Have 2 prisoners. A total of 20 prisoners have been taken this date.	F
		39	2315 18 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Enemy digging in S of river. OPs to be opened at dawn.	F
		40	2330 18 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: Interr reports indicate that enemy will withdraw S of St Lo around 2400. (Copy to all Bns)	S F
		41	2343 18 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: 35th Recon to patrol rear areas in search of snipers starting 0600 19 Jul 44.	S F
				Situation map, 137th Inf, From 0001 to 2300 18 Jul	F
				Overlay showing RRL, MLR & OPLR	
				Situation map, 137th Inf, 2300 18 Jul	F



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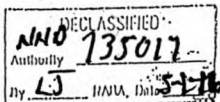
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OUT	IN				
		1	0030 19 Jul	To all Bns: 35th Recon to patrol rear areas in search of snipers starting 0600 19 Jul 44.	F
		2	0100 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		3	0200 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		4	0255 19 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Sounds of motors, wood chopping & digging heard on S bank of river in front of our sector.	S F
		5	0300 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300. 1st Bn reports noises of motors, woodchopping & digging S of river.	F
		6	0400 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		7	0500 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8	0600 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		9	0700 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0700.	F
		10	0955 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1000.	F
		11	1050 19 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Bns are to remain in same position as occupied 1700 18 Jul as per Corps plan this morning.	S F
		12	1100 19 Jul	To all Bn Comdrs: Do not move as per order 0700 this morning. Will occupy position as of 1700 18 Jul 44 and await further information.	F
		13	1135 19 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Receiving heavy mortar fire on RJ near CP. Seems to be coming from high ground across river SW. Arty FO has sent in location several times. (Copy to Div)	S F
		14	1210 19 Jul	Fr S-1, 1st Bn: 1st Bn wants civil affairs man as soon as possible.	S F
		15	1510 19 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 3 enemy fighter planes are moving SE. 1st Bn area 1510. ME 109 - low alt. (Copy to Div)	S F
		16	1600 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report.	F
		17	2000 19 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report.	F
		18	2000 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report.	F
		19	2045 19 Jul	Fr CO 134th Inf: CP location 515664. Contact patrol at previously designated place at 2300 this date and on the hour thereafter.	S F
		20	2100 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report.	F
		21	2200 19 Jul	To G-2: Negative report.	F
		22	2200 19 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 88 fire. One shell every 10 or 15 min.	S F





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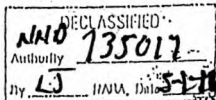
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OUT	IN				
		23	2230 19 Jul	Fr G-2: Division order taken from captured enemy prisoner messenger. Message dated 19 Jul issued to 6th Co, 2d Bn, part of 275 Div. This unit came along with 983 (part of 985). 100 to 120 men in Co. 984 called Campgruppe Heintz.	S F
		24	2255 19 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Bombing lasted approx 20 min. Seemed to be 4 planes - single engine bombers. Not too close to 2d Bn area.	S F
		25	2330 19 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn 4 green flares over front line 192257. 1st Bn 10 green flares over front line 2300. 4 orange flares over Pont Herbert 2300. Vic Pont Herbert bombed 2300. Justice line out 2315. Bombing lasted 15 min.	F
		26	2337 19 Jul	To all Bns: The 2d Bn will search the area shown on overlay for snipers between 200800 & 201200.	F
		27	2355 19 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Correction on location of 2d Bn CP 482672.	S F
				Situation overlay, 3d Bn, 137th Inf.	F
				G-3 report #10 from 180001 to 182400 Jul 44.	F
				FO #7, Hq 35th Div, 192000 Jul 44.	F
				Commendation fr Corps Comdr with indorsements.	F
				Overlay showing roads cleared of mines.	F





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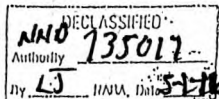
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OUT	IN				
		1	0030 19 Jul	To All Bns: 35th Recon to patrol rear areas in search of snipers starting 0600 19 Jul 44.	F
		2	0100 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		3	0200 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		4	0255 19 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Sounds of motors, wood chopping & digging heard on S bank of river in front of our sector.	S F
		5	0300 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0300. 1st Bn reports noises of motors, woodchopping & digging S of river.	F
		6	0400 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		7	0500 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8	0600 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		9	0700 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0700.	F
		10	0955 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1000.	F
		11	1050 19 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Bns are to remain in same position as occupied 1700 18 Jul as per Corps plan this morning.	S F
		12	1100 19 Jul	To All Bn Comdrs: Do not move as per order 0700 this morning. Will occupy position as of 1700 18 Jul 44 and await further information.	F
		13	1135 19 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Receiving heavy mortar fire on RJ near CP. Seems to be coming from high ground across river SW. Arty FO has sent in location several times. (Copy to Div)	S F
		14	1210 19 Jul	Fr S-1, 1st Bn: 1st Bn wants civil affairs man as soon as possible.	S F
		15	1510 19 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: 3 enemy fighter planes are moving SE. 1st Bn area 1510. ME 109 - low alt. (Copy to Div)	S F
		16	1600 19 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report.  Commendation fr Corps Comdr with indorsements 19 Jul 44  Roads cleared of mines, overlay.	F
		17	2000 19 Jul	Fr: OP: Neg report from OP	S F
		18	2000 19 Jul	To: CG: Neg report	S F
		19	2045 19 Jul	Fr: CO 134: CP location 515664 contact patrol at previously designated place at 2300 this date and on the hour thereafter	S F
		20	2100 19 Jul	To: CG: Neg report.	S F
		21	2200 19 Jul	To: CG: Neg report.	S F





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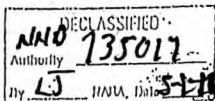
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OUT	IN				
		22	2200 19 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: 88 fire one shell every 10 or 15 min.	S F
		23	2230 19 Jul	Fr: G-2: Division order taken from captured enemy prisoner messenger message dated 19 Jul issued to 6th Co 2d Bn Part of 275 Div This unit came along with 983 (part of 985) 100 to 120 men in Co. 984 called Campgruppe Heintz	S F
		24	2255 19 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Bombing lasted app 20 min. Seemed to be 4 planes Single engine Bombers Not too close to 2d Bn area.	S F
		25	2330 19 Jul	To: CG: Jury Blue 4 Green flares over front line 192257 Jury Red 10 green flares over front line 2300 4 orange flares over Pont Herbert 2300 vic Pont Herbert bombed 2300 Justice line out 2315 bombing lasted 15 Min	S F
		26	2337 19 Jul	To: All Bns: The 2d Bn will search the area shown on overlay for snipers between 200800 & 201200	S F
		27	2355 19 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Correction on location of 2d Bn CP 482672	S F
		28	0030 19 Jul	To: All Bns: 35th Rcn to patrol rear areas in search of snipers starting 0600 19 Jul Situation overlay, 3dBn, 137th Inf. G-3 report #10 From 180001 to 182400 Jul 44 FO #7, Hq 35TH DIV, 192000 JUL 44.	S F F F F





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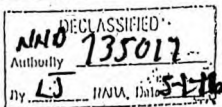
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		1	0300 20 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		2	0300 20 Jul	To CO 2d Bn, 320th Inf: Entire 137 Inf in position and assumes responsibility for sector on Div field order #7 as of 200100.	F
		3	0630 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Prisoner fr Inf Medics gave self up last night.	S F
		4	0745 20 Jul	To G-2: Markings on box and type dropped from plane of explosions from last nights bombing indicate butter-fly bombs may have been included.	F
		5	0800 20 Jul	Fr OP: OPs #1 & 2 report fog still too thick for observation.	S F
		6	0915 20 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Request inquiry of French civilians in this area.	S F
		7	0945 20 Jul	To CO all Bns: Hasty daisy chain field being constructed by our AT Co at following places: Ref E, E30 to K21 - K42 to K43 - K57.	F
		8	1000 20 Jul	To CO all Bns: Div order (German) - 1. Adv with left wing to X of Agneux. 2. In case no enemy resistance is encountered, left wing will adv further, but will remain at Vire River Sketch with exact location of occupied sector to be forwarded.	F
		9	1000 20 Jul	To CO 134th Inf: Hasty daisy chain field being constructed by our AT Co at the following places: 491646, 492648, 494653.	F
		10	1030 20 Jul	To G-2: Re mines & duds at June Hq Batt at 496697. Request removal of mines & duds blown.	F
		11	1045 20 Jul	Fr IPW: Sgt Kurt Thiel (164130) Medic PW taken by Co I last night. From 6 Co, 985 Regt (picked up at EF92) 275 Div. Col Schelea CO 983 Regt also in this vic. 984 Regt unaccounted for. (Copy to Div)	S F
		12	1100 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Discovered booby traps in area. Request Engs. Also stores of air bombs.	S F
		13	1100 20 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Found stores of German amm in a chateau in our area.	S F
		14	1100 20 Jul	To CO Co B, 60th Eng: Send squad to 3d Bn to clear out booby traps.	F
		15	1100 20 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report.	S F
		16	1125 20 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Receiving mortar fire in CP. Appears to be coming from 295°. Takes 4 sec. Known by arty observ.	S F
		17	1125 20 Jul	Fr OP obs: OP #1 negative report 1125.	S F
		18	1130 20 Jul	To S-4: Contact Capt Ross at 2d Bn for bodies at Bn coll point. Have Capt Raines also contact Capt Ross. Much abandoned U S equipment at old 2d Bn CP at 495699.	F





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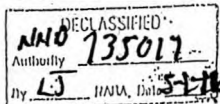
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		19	1200 20 Jul	Fr OP Obs: OP #2 negative report. Fog lifting.	S F
		20	1235 20 Jul	Fr Lt Roberts: 3d Bn, 137th Inf, in contact with 1st Bn, 134th Inf, Gap of 1 field between positions and is patrolled. Contact established 0600 20 Jul.	S F
		21	1300 20 Jul	Fr Ex 0 3d Bn: CP 3d Bn opened at 1255 at 483 648.	S F
		22	1300 20 Jul	Fr OP obs: OPs 1 & 2 negative report 1300. Visibility good.	S F
		23	1305 20 Jul	Fr S-2, 3d Bn: Unidentified plane hit & came down S of river. Parachute also came down S of river front of 1st Bn at 1305. (Copy to G-2)	S F
		24	1325 20 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: Recd the following info from a French civilian in 1st Bn area: From 4-12 pc artillery est 150mm in woods at LeBois De Mingret - 444 627. Verified by 2 civilians.	S F
		25	1345 20 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report OP #1.	S F
		26	1430 20 Jul	Fr OP #1: Received arty fire at 471651. Shell every few minutes. Fired from 160°. 14 sec till burst. (Copy to Div)	S F
		27	1450 20 Jul	To June: Info recd from patrol: Mobile arty position - 463638, gun positions - 46356433. (Copy to Div)	F
		28	1500 20 Jul	Fr 134th Inf: Joplin AT message from Hermh. Our tank now came. Black & brown. Partially sandbagged.	S F
		29	1500 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change.	F
		30	1505 20 Jul	Fr OP #1: Mortar fire received from due S. OP #2 - mortar fire coming from 290° (OP 471650) (Copy to Div)	S F
		31	1510 20 Jul	To 219th FA: 1st Bn CP receiving arty fire from az 185° at 464657 - 10 sec sound to burst.	F
		32	1600 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: CP location of 3d Bn - map Ref E J64.	S F
		33	1720 20 Jul	To G-2: From French civilians - A German Hq at 43506199.	F
		34	1726 20 Jul	To G-2: Teller mines at 49726909.	F
		35	1810 20 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1800.	F
		36	1810 20 Jul	To COs all Bns & Spec Units: Report of teller mines at 49726909.	F
		37	1955 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Flares dropped last night were on chute about 10ft square. Flare cylindrical about 3 in across, 1 ft long.	F
		38	2055 20 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Usual shelling of crossroad.	S F
		39	2200 20 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2200.	F





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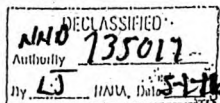
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		40	2300 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Ref E, D86 to D84 - smoke landed. Ref E-E6 - enemy strong point.	S F
		41	2315 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Single red star cluster over I Co. Smoke getting thicker.	S F
		42	2325 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 485639 to 485641 location of smoke	F
		43	2325 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #41.	F
		44.	2330 20 Jul	Fr CO 219th FA: Request CIC man at June 2, 21 Jul as early as possible.	S F
		45		To Cn Co: S-2 periodic report.	F
		46		To CO Med Det: S-2 periodic report.	F





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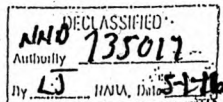
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		1	0300 20 Jul	To: G-2: Negative report as of 0300	S F
		2	0300 20 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn 320th Inf: Entire 137 Inf in position and assumes responsibility for sector on <del>on</del> Div field order #7 as of 200100	S F
		<del>3</del>	<del>0300 20 Jul</del>	<del>To: G-2: Neg report as of 0300</del>	<del>S F</del>
		<del>3</del> 4	0630 20 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Prisoner from Inf Medics gave self up last night	S F
		<del>4</del> 5	0745 20 Jul	To: CG --G-2: Markings on box and type dropped from plane of explosions from last night's bombing indicate butterfly bombs may have been included.	S F
		<del>5</del> 6	0800 20 Jul	Fr: OP: OPs #1 & 2 report fog still too thick for observation.	S F
				Situation overlay, 137th Inf, 1300 20 Jul.	F
				Overlay of roads cleared of mines.	F
				Map showing 137th, <del>134th</del> 134th & 320th RRL, MLR & OPLR.	F
				Overlay showing 30th & 35th Div RRL.	F
				Overlay showing 2d Bn, 320th.	F
				Situation overlay 3d Bn, 137th Inf, 20 Jul.	F
		<del>7</del>	1000 20 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d, & 3d Bns: Division order taken from captured enemy messenger - message dated 19 Jul - issued to 6th Co, 2d Bn, part of 275 Div. This unit came along with 983 (part of 985) 100 to 120 men in Co. 984 is called Kampfgruppe Heintz.	S F
		8	1000 20 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d, & 3d Bns: Division order (German) 1. Advance with left wing to X of Agneux. 2. In case no enemy resistance is encountered, left wing will advance further, but will remain at Vire River - Sketch with exact location of occupied sector to be forwarded.	F
		<del>7</del> 9	0945 20 Jul	To COs 1st, 2d, & 3d Bns: Hasty daisy chain field being constructed by our AT Co at following places: 491646 492648 49 4653.	F
		<del>9</del> 10	1000 20 Jul	To CO 134th Inf: Hasty daisy chain field being constructed by our AT Co at the following places: Ref E, E30 to K21 - K42 to K43 - K57.	F
		<del>12</del> 11	1100 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Discovered booby traps in area. Request Engs. Also stores of air bombs.	S F
		<del>13</del> 12	1100 20 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Found stores of German amm in a chateau in our area.	S F
		<del>14</del> 13	1100 20 Jul	To CO Co B, 60th Eng: Send squad to 3d Bn to clear out booby traps.	F





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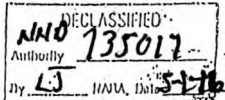
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		16 14	1125 20 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Receiving mortar fire in CP. Appears to be coming from 295°. Takes 4 sec. Known by arty observ.	S F
		17 15	1125 20 Jul	Fr OP obs: OP #1 negative report 1125.	S F
		18 16	1130 20 Jul	To S-4: Contact Capt Ross at Jury White for bodies at Bn coll point. Have Capt Raines also contact Capt Ross. Much abandoned U S equipment at old Jury White CP at 495699.	F
		19 17	1200 20 Jul	Fr OP obs: OP #2 negative report. Fog lifting.	S F
		20 18	1235 20 Jul	Fr Lt Roberts: 3d Bn, 137th Inf, in contact with 1st Bn, 134th Inf. Gap of 1 field between positions and is patrolled. Contact established 0600 20 Jul.	S F
		21 19	1300 20 Jul	Fr Ex O 3d Bn: CP 3d Bn opened at 1255 at 483648.	S F
		22 20	1300 20 Jul	Fr OP obs: OPs 1 & 2 negative report 1300. Visibility good.	S F
		23 21	1305 20 Jul	Fr S-2, 3d Bn: Unident, hit & came down S of river Parachute also came down S of river front of 1st Bn at 1305. (Copy to G-2)	S F
		24 22	1325 20 Jul	Fr 1st Bn: Recd the following info from a French civilian in 1st Bn area - From 4-12 pc artillery est 150mm in woods at LeBois De Mingret - 444627. Verified by 2 civilians.	S F
		25 23	1345 20 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report OP #1.	S F
		26 24	1600 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: CP location of 3d Bn map ref E J64.	S F
		40 25	2300 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Ref E, D86 to D84 - smoke landed. Ref E-E6 - Enemy strong point.	S F
		41 26	2315 20 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Single red star cluster over Item Co. Smoke getting thicker.	S F
		42 27	2325 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 485639 to 485641 location of smoke.	F
		43 28	2325 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Single red star cluster over Item Co. Smoke getting thicker.	F
		44 29	2330 20 Jul	Fr CO 219th FA: Request CIC man at June 2, 21 Jul as early as possible.	S F
		45 30	20 Jul	To CO Cn Co: S-2 periodic report.	F
		46 31	20 Jul	To CO Med Det: S-2 periodic report.	F
		10 32	1030 20 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Re mines & duds at June Hq Batt at 496697 - Request removal of mines & duds blown.	F
		33	1720 20 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: From French civilians - A German Hq at 43506199.	F
		34	1726 20 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Teller mines at 49726909.	F
		35	1810 20 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1800.	F





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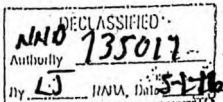
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OUT	IN				
		36	1810 20 Jul	To CQs 1st, 2d, & 3d Bns & Spec Units: Report of teller mines at 49726909.	F
		37	1955 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Flares dropped last night were on chute about 10 ft square. Flare cylindrical about 3 in. across, 1 ft long.	F
		38	2055 20 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Usual shelling of crossroad.	S F
		39	2200 20 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 2200.	F
		<del>40</del>		G-3 report #11, Hq 35th Div, from 190001 to 192400 Jul.	F
				Commendation to 35th Div from Hq XIX Corps.	F
				Mine clearance map.	F
		6-40	0915 20 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Request inquiry of French civilians in this area.	S F
		11-41	1045 20 Jul	Fr IPW: Sgt Kurt Thiel (164130) Medic PW taken by Co I last night. From 6 Co, 985 Regt (picked up at EP92) 275 Div. Col Schelea CO 983 Regt also in this vic. 984 Regt unaccounted for. (Copy to Div)	S F
		15-42	1100 20 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report.	S F
		26-43	1430 20 Jul	Fr OP #1: Received arty fire at 471651. Shell every few minutes. Fired from 160°. 14 sec till burst. (Copy to Div)	S F
		27-44	1450 20 Jul	To June: Info recd from patrol - Mobile arty position - 463638, gun positions - 46356433. (Copy to Div)	F
		28-45	1500 20 Jul	Fr 134th Inf: Joplin AT message from Hermh. Our tank now came. Black & brown. Partially sandbagged.	S F
		29-46	1500 20 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change .	F
		30-47	1505 20 Jul	Fr OP #1: Mortar fire received from due S. OP #2 - mortar fire coming from 290° (OP 471650) (Copy to Div)	
		31-48	1510 20 Jul	To 219th FA: 1st Bn CP receiving arty fire from az 185° at 464657 - 10 sec sound to burst.	S F





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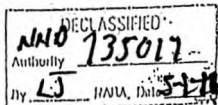
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OUT	IN				
		1	0205 21 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200, 0400, 0600, and 0800.	F
		2	0930 21 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 2 prisoners taken in 3d Bn area. (Copy to Div)	S F
		3	0945 21 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Div old CP closes 210945. Opens at same time at 530674.	S F
		4	1130 21 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: Execute plan to relieve 1st Bn at 2200 tonight.	F
		5	1135 21 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Execute plan to be relieved by 2d Bn at 2200 tonight.	F
		6	1152 21 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: Barbed wire arrived last night.	S F
		7	1207 21 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1200.	F
		8	1310 21 Jul	To G-2: 1 Pole, 1 German interrogated fr 3d Co 897th Regt - deserted. Picked up by Co I at 477 643.	F
		9	1320 21 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1300.	F
		10	1607 21 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1400, 1500, 1600, 1700, 1800, and 1900.	F
		11	2107 21 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Bn CP opened at 2054 at E-H 100.	S F
		12	2300 21 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Have completed occupying 2d Bn's positions.	S F
		13	2300 21 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2300.	F
		14	2345 21 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Have completed occupying 1st Bn's positions.	F
		15	2400 21 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn has completed occupying 1st Bns positions. 1st Bn now in Regtl reserve.	F
				Overlay showing front lines of 1st Bn, 119th Inf.	F
				G-3 report #12, Hq 35th Div, from 200001 to 202400.	F





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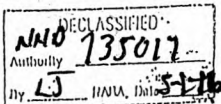
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		1	0205 21 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		2	0400 21 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		3	0610 21 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		4	0800 21 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0800.	F
		5	0930 21 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 2 prisoners taken in the 3d Bn area. (Copy to Div)	S F
		6	0945 21 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Div old CP closes 210945. Opens at same time at 530674.	S F
		7	1130 21 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: Execute plan to relieve 1st Bn at 2200 tonight.	F
		8	1135 21 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Execute plan to be relieved by 2d Bn at 2200 tonight.	F
		9	1152 21 Jul	Fr S-3, 1st Bn: Barbed wire arrived last night.	S F
		10	1207 21 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1200.	F
		11	1310 21 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: 1 Pole, 1 German interrogated fr 3d Co 897th Regt - deserted. Picked up by Co I at 477643.	F
		12	1320 21 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1300.	F
				Overlay showing front lines of 1st Bn, 119th Inf	F
				G-3 report #12, Hq 35th Div, from 200001 to 2400 Jul.	F
		13	1607 21 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 1400	F
		14	1609 21 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 1500	F
		15	1610 21 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 1600	F
		16	1707 21 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 1700	F
		17	1800 21 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 1800	F
		18	1910 21 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 1900	
		18	2345 21 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Have completed occupying 1st Bns positions.	S F
		19	2107 21 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Bn CP opened at 2054 at E-H 100	S F
		20	2300 21 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Have completed occupying 2d Bns positions.	S F
		21	2300 21 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 2300	S F
		22	2400 21 Jul	To: CG: 2d Bn has completed occupying 1st Bns positions. 1st Bn now in Regtl reserve.	S F





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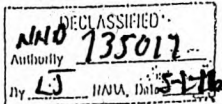
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		1	0015 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn OP reports sound of approx 15 German trucks moving S on S side of river. (Copy to Div)	S F
		2	0020 22 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: 134th Inf reports 3 red flares in front of their area.	S F
		3	0045 22 Jul	To CO 219th FA: Request fire on rd net & Hwy 3 at 449639.	F
		4	0100 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		5	0100 22 Jul	Fr 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		6	0110 22 Jul	To CO 137th Inf: Fire mission request granted.	S F
		7	0155 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Co E reports 2 lights close to ground 462667. Appeared at first to be flares but too low. (Copy to Div)	S F
		8	0200 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d Bn received some mortar & arty fire at 0255.	F
		9	0200 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		10	0250 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 14 shells 2d Bn fr 0245 to 0250. Sounded like mortar fr SE. 5 min later 6 more shells.	S F
		11	0400 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		12	0410 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		13	0500 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		14	0548 22 Jul	To 219th FA: Shells hitting 2d Bn CP appear to be coming fr S SE at 10 sec burst.	F
		15	0551 22 Jul	To CO 2d Bn & 219th FA: Trucks moving S on rd net reported by Co E.	F
		16	0600 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		17	0605 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Co E reports trucks moving S on rd nets 449639. Shells hitting 2d Bn area coming fr S SE at 10 sec bursts.	F
		18	0900 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0900.	F
		19	0700 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0700, 0800, 0900, and 1000.	F
		20	1030 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Received shelling to right of 2d Bn OP at 1016, 1019, 1021, 1022, 1025. Phoned to arty.	S F
		21	1105 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1100.	S F
		22	1120 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn spotted MG near group of houses at 47016375. on an az 240° 1300 yds fr our OP at 483643.	S F
		23	1130 22 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report as of 1100.	S F





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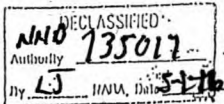
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		24	1145 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Our patrols are making contact with 134th Inf on boundary vic Montcocq.	S F
		25	1145 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn spotted MG near group of houses at 47016375.	F
		26	1200 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1200.	F
		27	1230 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Receiving some scattered arty fire on 2d Bn front.	F
		28	1255 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Spotted mortar position 205°, 1200 or 1300 yds fr OP #1.	S F
		29	1305 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn spotted mortar positions at 475637 and 483636.	S F
		30	1315 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: High towers may possibly be enemy OP located 220°, 225°, 240° from OP #1.	S F
		31	1400 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Bank amm near 6' high enemy side is gradual slope 50-75 yds - then steep. Near draw 5 or 6' deep is a foot deep there 200 yds either side of draws. Both directions away are steep banks. Current 1 MPH.	S F
		32	1400 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1400.	F
		33	1410 22 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Alert your Bn for movement to assembly position per Div Reserve. Bn will move by marching. Bn CO will report to GP at once to meet G-3. Bn billeting party be prepared to start at once.	F
		34	1500 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Power towers (possibly OPs) at 220°, 225°, 240°, from our OP which is at 472652. Is now being shelled.	F
		35	1530 22 Jul	Fr CO Co B, 737 Tk Bn: Prisoner taken in our area.	S F
		36	1530 22 Jul	Fr S-2, 3d Bn: Radios found in house at 48356445. Found by Lt Roberts & men fr Co I.	S F
		37	1600 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		38	1600 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report.	F
		39	1605 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		40	1615 22 Jul	Fr Capt Hein: Report TD Recon got German prisoner 2 miles S of St Lo. Bringing him to your PW. He has two stripes on his arm.	S F
		41	1635 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 60th Eng Bn requests we loan them our mine detector also want to use others in Regt.	S F
		42	1700 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1700.	S F
		43	1715 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1 PW picked up by 6J4 TD at St Geroge. Claimed to have left his unit 3 days ago. 2 from 343 Div, 898 Regt, 3 Bn, 11 Co.	F
		44	1720 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Green flares S of river twice, followed by arty each time. Coming from S of St Lo.	S F





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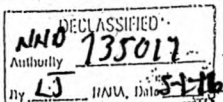
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		45	1725 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Report wire communication direct with Joplin Blue as of 1715.	S F
		46	1730 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: (US 304032) 27 May 44 (F/24) 11 10 PG #2088.	F
		47	1745 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Request two complete MG bolts 1919 A-4 for WC gun in M Co.	S F
		48	1745 22 Jul	To Ord O 35th Div: Request two bolts for 1919 A-4 WC MG. Urgent.	F
		49	1800 22 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Will send two MG bolts to your Bn CP.	F
		50	1800 22 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1800.	F
		51	1800 22 Jul	Fr Div Ord O: Pick up 2 MG bolts at Ord Co at once. Location of Co IK-BA BB BH BE BF.	S F
		52	1830 22 Jul	To I&R: Go to 735 Ord Co and pick up 2 bolts for heavy MG (WC). Take them to 3d Bn CP.	F
		53	1900 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1900.	F
		54	1900 22 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report as of 1900.	F
		55	2140 22 Jul	Fr 2d Bn: Negative report.	F
		56	2210 22 Jul	To CO 219th FA: 2d Bn reports that arty fire is coming from their left S SE.	F
		57	2245 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2200. Lines out to Div 2210.	F
		58	2247 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn (Div resv) was moved from 482673 at about 1630 closing into area at 528670, time unknown. No other change in own situation.	F
				Situation map, 137th Inf, 192300 to 222300 Jul	F
				Situation overlay, 137th Inf, 2300 22 Jul	F
				G-3 report #13, Hq 35th Div, from 210001 Jul to 212400 Jul.	F
				Situation map, 137th Inf, fr 222300 Jul to 271400 Jul.	F





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OUT	IN				
		1	0015 22 Jul	<del>FRCD 2DBN!</del> To: CG: 2d Bn OP reports sound of app 15 German trucks moving S on S side of river. (COPY TO DIV)	S F
		2	0020 22 Jul	Fr: CG: Joplin reports 3 red flares in front of their area.	S F
		3	0045 22 Jul	To: CO June: Request fire on Rd net & Hwy 3 at 449639	S F
		4	0100 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg report as of 0100	S F
		5	0100 22 Jul	Fr: Jury White: Neg report as of 0100	S F
		6	0110 22 Jul	To: CO 137: Fire mission request granted	S F
		7	0155 22 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: E Co rpts 2 lights close to ground 462667 appeared at first to be flares but too low (COPY TO DIV)	S F
		8	0200 22 Jul	To: CG: 2d Bn received some mortar and arty fire at 0255	S F
		9	0200 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt as of 0200	S F
		<del>10</del>	<del>0200 22 Jul</del>	<del>To: CG: Same as #7</del>	
		10-11	0250 22 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 14 shells Jury white time 0245 to 0250 Sounded like mortar Fr SE 5 min later 6 more shells.	S F
		<del>12</del>	<del>0200 22 Jul</del>	<del>Fr: CO 2d Bn: Same as #1</del>	
		11-13	0400 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt as of 0400	S F
		<del>14</del>	<del>0400 22 Jul</del>	<del>To: CG: same as #13</del>	
		12-15	0410 22 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Same as #13	
		13-16	0500 22 Jul	Fr: CG: Neg rpt as of 0500	S F
		14-17	0548 22 Jul	To: June 2: Shells hitting 2d Bn CP appear to be coming fr S SE at 10 sec burst.	S F
		15-18	0551 22 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Trucks moving S on Rd net reported by E Co	S F
		19	0552 22 Jul	To: June 2: Same as #18	
		16-20	0600 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 0600	S F
		17-21	0605 22 Jul	To: CG: E Co rpts trks moving S on rd nets 449-639 Shells hitting 2 Bn area coming fr S SE at 10 sec bursts.	S F
		19-22	0700 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 0700	S F
		23	0800 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 0800	S F
		24	0900 22	To: CG: Neg rpt 0900	S F
		25	1005 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1000	S F



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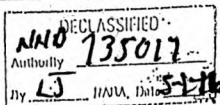
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OUT	IN				
		21-46	1105 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1100.	S F
		22-47	1120 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn spotted MG near group of houses at 47016375 on an az 240° 1300 yds from our OP at 483643.	S F
		23-48	1130 22 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report as of 1100.	S F
		24-49	1145 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Our patrols <del>are</del> are making contact with 134th Inf on boundary vic Montcogq	S F
		25-50	1145 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn spotted MG near group of houses at 47016375.	F
		26-51	1200 22 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1200.	F
		27-52	1230 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Receiving some scattered arty fire on 2d Bn front.	F
		<del>53</del>	<del>1255 22 Jul</del>	<del>Fr OP #1: Spotted mortar position 205° 1200 or 1300 yds from OP #1.</del>	<del>S F</del>
		29-54	1305 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn spotted mortar positions at 475637 and 483636.	S F
		30-55	1315 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: High towers may possibly be enemy OP Located 220°, 225°, 240° from OP #1.	S F
		31-56	1400 22 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Bank am near 6' high enemy side is gradual slope 50-75 yds - then steep. Near drawa 5 or 6' deep is a foot deep there 200 yds either side of draws. Both directions away are steep banks. Current 1 MPH.	S F
		32-57	1400 22 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1400.	F
		34-58	1500 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Power towers (possibly OPs) at 220°, 225°, 240°, from our OP which is at 472652. Is now being shelled.	F
		35-59	1530 22 Jul	Fr CO Co B, 737 Tk Bn: Prisoner taken in our area.	S F
		37-60	1600 22 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		39-61	1605 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1600.	S F
		42-62	1700 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1700.	S F
		43-63	1715 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1 PW picked up by 6J4 TD at St Geroge. Claimed to have left his unit 3 days ago. 2 from 343 Div, 898 Regt, 3 Bn, 11 Co.	F
		44-64	1720 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Green flares S of river twice, followed by arty each time. Coming from S of St Lo. (Copy to Div)	S F
		53-65	1900 22 Jul	Fr OP #1: Negative report as of 1900.	S F
		54-66	1900 22 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report as of 1900.	S F





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OUT	IN				
		22-26	1105 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1100  G-3 Report No 13 220130B Jul 44	S F
		28-27	1255 22 Jul	Fr: OP #1: spotted mortar position 205 degrees of 1200 or 1300 yds fr OP#1	S F
		28	1401 22 Jul	To: G-2-3: Neg rpt 1400 Mortar position 205 degrees 1200 or 1300 yds fr OP #1	S F
		31-29	1317 22 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Request 1000 short & 1000 long pickets for barbed wire.	SF
		33-30	1410 22 Jul	TO: CO 1st Bn: Alert your Bn for movement to assembly position per Div Reserve Bn will move by marching. Bn CO will report to CP at once to meet G-3 Bn billeting party be prepared to start at once.	S F
		36-31	1530 22 Jul	Fr: S-2 3d Bn: Radios found in house at at 48356445 Found by Lt Roberts & men fr I Co	S F
		38-32	1600 22 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Neg rpt.	S F
		40-33	1615 22 Jul	Fr: Capt Hein: Report TD Recon got German prisoner 2 miles S of St Lo Bringing him to your PW. He has two stripes on his arm.	S F
		41-34	1635 22 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 60th Engr Bn requests we loan them our mine detector also want to use others in regiment.	S F
		45-35	1725 22 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Rpt wire communication direct direct with Joplin Blue as of 1715	S F
		46-36	22 Jul	To: CG: (US 304032) 27 May 44 (F/24) 11 10 PG #2088	S F
		48-37	1745 22 Jul	To: Ord O 35 Div: Request two bolts for 1919 A-4 WC MG urgent.	S F
		47-38	1745 22 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Request two complete MG bolts 1919 A-4 for WC gun in M Co	S F
		49-39	1800 22 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Will send two MG bolts to your Bn CP	S F
		50-40	1800 22 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1800	S F
		51-41	1800 22 Jul	Fr: Div Ord Off: Pick up two MG bolts at Ord Co at once location of Co LK-BA BB BH BE BF	S F
		52-42	22 Jul	To: I&R: Go to 735 Ord Co and pick up two bolts for hvy MG (watercooled) take them to 3d Bn CP	S F
		18-43	0900 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0900.	S F
		44	1000 22 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report - no activity.	F
		20-45	1030 22 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Received shelling to right of 2d Bn OP at 1016, 1019, 1021, 1022, 1025. Phoned to arty.	S F



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OUT	IN				
		56-67	2210 22 Jul	To CG 219th FA: 2d Bn reports that arty fire is coming from their left S SE.	F
		57-68	2245 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2200. Lines out to Justice 2210.	F
		55-69	2140 22 Jul	Fr 2d Bn: Negative report.	F
		58-70	2247 22 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn (Div res) was moved from 482673 at about 1630 closing into area at 528670, time unknown. No other change in own situation.	F
				Situation map, 137th Inf, 192300 to 222300 Jul	F
				Situation overlay, 137th Inf, 2300 22 Jul	F
				G-3 report #13, Hq 35th Div, from 210001 Jul to 212400 Jul.	F
				Situation map, 137th Inf, fr 222300 Jul to 27 1400 Jul.	F



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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
OUT	IN				
		1	0035 23 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn reports OP all quiet. Heard plane circling to left. Scattered shell fire.	S F
		2	0035 23 Jul	To CO 137th: Shooting heard in vic of RJ 2 & 3. Lt Simpson sent out with patrol.	S F
		3	0155 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Have been out of communication with you since 2100. Some small arms fire heard vic RJ 2 & 3. Have patrols investigating.	F
		4	0200 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Line out to Div at 2210. Back in at 0200. Going thru 134th.	F
		5	0200 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Shooting heard vic RJ 2 & 3 Pont Herbert. Lt Simpson sent out on patrol.	F
		6	0210 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Amber flares shot up front 2d Bn back side of hill across river. Plane still circling.	S F
		7	0225 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2 more amber flares shot up over 2d Bn front.	S F
		8	0300 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0300.	S F
		9	0320 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Plane flew low over CP location at 0320. Line out to Div again.	F
		10	0400 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d reports enemy plane flew up & down their position for 30 minutes evidently taking pictures.	S F
		11	0550 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200, 0300, 0400, and 0500.	F
		12	0610 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report except for slight shelling at 0500.	S F
		13	0705 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0700.	S F
		14	0710 23 Jul	Fr I&R Plat: Both OPs in operation.	S F
		15	0800 23 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0800.	F
		16	0840 23 Jul	To S-4: Call fr 3d Bn 5 - 2 MG bolts as furnished are stripped. Need complete bolt assy or accessories that go with it. Also have Lt Boller contact Jury 5 this A M.	F
		17	0900 23 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report as of 0900.	S F
		18	0910 23 Jul	To all unit COs: Password fr 231200 Jul to 241200 Jul - Watchword-Vitamin.	F
		19	1000 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 1000.	S F
		20	1010 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 1000.	F
		21	1100 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 1100.	F



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OUT	IN				
		22	1105 23 Jul	To S-4: All units will disinfect & send to repair sta sufficient No of gas masks to furnish patients fr respective org evacuated to clr sta past 24 hrs. In future it will be SOP for ea unit to furnish clr sta daily with disinfected masks equal to No of patients evacuated to clr sta.	F
		23	1115 23 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative reports OPs 1 & 2 as of 1100.	S F
		24	1115 23 Jul	To 219th FA: Request leaflet shells (2) be fired at 465637.	F
		25	1125 23 Jul	To G-2: Requested leaflets shells (2) be fired at 465637.	F
		26	1200 23 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1200.	F
		27	1207 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change in situation as of 1200.	F
		28	1300 23 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report as of 1300 OPs 1 & 2 2d Bn OP.	S F
		29	1300 23 Jul	To G-2: No change as of 1300.	F
		30	1315 23 Jul	To S-4: Need equipment for 23 men coming back from battle fatigue today.	F
		31	1400 23 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report as of 1400.	F
		32	1400 23 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1400.	F
		33	1405 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 1400.	F
		34	1425 23 Jul	To 60th Eng: Request for rubber boats - 1 per ea front line Bn, delivered to Bn CP today. Request check on mine field reports from 137th.	F
		35	1515 23 Jul	To S-2, 134th Inf: Receiving continuous fire from az 210° on 462652 (EH 86).	F
		36	1530 23 Jul	Fr S-2, 2d Bn: Negative report.	F
		37	1600 23 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		38	1630 23 Jul	To S-4: 2d Bn require 1 HMG with cradle without tripod. Desire it tonight.	F
		39	1735 23 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 20 bundles short pickets needed by 3d Bn to complete fence.	S F
		40	1745 23 Jul	To 60th Eng: 20 bundles short pickets needed by 3d Bn to complete fence.	F
		41	1750 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 3 enemy observed moving toward Vire River to right of 2d Bn CP.	S F
		42	1750 23 Jul	To G-2: Same as #41.	F
		43	1755 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Germans smoked river to our front and are coming across. Will report details later. (Copy to Div)	S F



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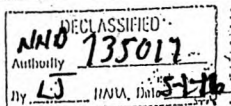
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		44	1820 23 Jul	To G-2: Mortar fire 12 rds, 300 yds SE of our CP.	F
		45	1900 23 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1900.	F
		46	1905 23 Jul	Fr S-2, 219th FA: 219th FA requests CAD investigate French civilians at C Btry at 497698.	S F
		47	2020 23 Jul	To G-2: Shell rep 7 shells vic 482673.	F
		48	2035 23 Jul	To Ord O, 35th Div: Reprot 1 truck load equipment and amm vic 482673. Please pick up.	F
		49	2055 23 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 4 to 6 ME 109 came fr rear of their position flying SE. Zoomed down. (Copy to Div)	S F
		50	2055 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 4 German ME 109 planes circling over 2d Bn. (Copy to Div)	S F
		51	2132 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Custom & Jury Blue coordinating a jig nan dog easy from easy dog 89 to dog 3. (Copy to 219th FA)	F
		52	2200 23 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2200.	F
		53	2230 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 2230.	F
		54	2255 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Rampan being shelled very heavy. 20 very heavy shells fell. Est to be 150s.	S F
		55	2255 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Rampan shelled by 20 rds. Very heavy - about 150s.	F
		56	2355 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Enemy planes flying over area for 15 minutes.	S F
		57	2400 23 Jul	To C <sup>G</sup> 35th Div: Enemy planes flying over 2d Bn area for 15 min 2400. Spasmoditic arty fire whole area.	F
		58	2400 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change as of 2400.	F
				To 60th Eng: 19 Celluloid map carrying cases for S-4.	F
				To S-4: Pick up signal equip at signal supply.	F
				Overlay from Hq 121st Eng(C) Bn to accompany minefield & barrier report.	F
				Mine clearance operations map, Hq 60 Eng(C) Bn.	F





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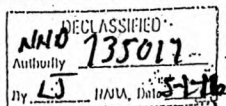
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		25-25	1125 23 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Requested leaflets shells (2) be fired at 465637.	F
		26	1200 23 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1200.	F
		28-27	1300 23 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report as of 1300 OPs 1 & 2 2d Bn OP.	S F
		29-28	1300 23 Jul	To G-3, 35th Div: No change as of 1300.	F
		31-29	1400 23 Jul	Fr OP #2: Negative report as of 1400.	S F
		32-30	1400 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 1400.	F
		33-31	1405 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 1400.	S F
		35-32	1515 23 Jul	To S-2, 134th Inf: Receiving continuous fire from az 2100 on 462652 (EH 86).	F
		36-33	1530 23 Jul	Fr S-2, 2d Bn: Negative report.	S F
		37-34	1600 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		39-35	1735 23 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 20 bundles short pickets needed to complete fence.	S F
		40-36	1745 23 Jul	To 60th Eng: 20 bundles short pickets needed by Jury Blue to complete fence.	F
		41-37	1750 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 3 enemy observed moving toward Vire River to right of 2d Bn CP.	S F
		42-38	1750 23 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Same as Msg #37.	F
		43-39	1755 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Germans smoked river to our front and are coming across. Will report details later. (Copy to Div)	S F
		44-40	1820 23 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Mortar fire 12 rds 300 yds SE of our CP.	F
		45-41	1900 23 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 1900.	F
		46-42	1905 23 Jul	Fr S-2, 219th FA: 219th FA requests CAD investigate French civilians at C Btry at 497698.	S F
		47-43	2020 23 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Shell rep 7 shells vic 482673.	F
		48-44	2035 23 Jul	To Ord Off, 35th Div: Report 1 truck load equip and amm vic 482673. Please pick up.	F
		49-45	2055 23 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 4 to 6 ME 109 came from rear of their position flying SE. Zoomed down. (Copy to Div)	S F
		50-46	2055 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 4 German ME 109 planes circling over 2d Bn. (Copy to Div)	S F
		51-47	2132 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Custom & Jury Blue coordinating a jig man dog easy from easy dog 89 to dog 3. (copy to 219th FA)	F
		52-48	2200 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2200.	F
		53-49	2230 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 2230.	S F
		54-50	2255 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Rampart being shelled very heavy. 20 very heavy shells fell. Est to be 150s.	S F





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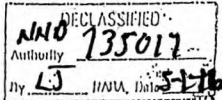
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		2	0035 23 Jul	To CO 137th: Shooting heard in vic of RJ 2 & 3 Lt Simpson sent out with patrol.	S F
		3	0155 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Have been out of communication with you since 2100. Some small arms fire heard vic RJ 2 & 3. Have patrols investigating.	F
		4	0200 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Line out to Justice at 2210. Back in at 0200. Going thru Joplin.	F
		5	0200 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Shooting heard vic RJ 2 & 3 Pont Herbert. Lt Simpson sent on patrol.	F
		6	0210 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Amber flares shot up front Jury white back side of hill across river. Plane still circling.	S F
		7	0225 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2 more amber flares shot up over Jury White front.	S F
		8	0300 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0300.	S F
		9	0320 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Plane flew low over CP location at 0320. Line to Div out again.	F
		10	0400 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn reports enemy plane flew up & down their position for 30 minutes evidently taking pictures.	S F
		11	0550 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500.	F
		12	0610 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report except for slight shelling at 0500.	S F
		13	0705 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0700.	S F
		14	0710 23 Jul	Fr I & R Plat: Both OPs in operation.	S F
		2115	1100 23 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1100	S F
		2716	1207 23 Jul	To: CG: No change in situation as of 1200	S F
		3417	1425 23 Jul	To 60th Eng: Request for rubber boats - (1) one per each front line Bn, delivered to Bn CP today. Request check on mine field reports from 137th.	F
		3818	1630 23 Jul	To S-4: 2d Bn require one HMG with cradle without tripod. Desire it tonight.	F
		1519	0800 23 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0800.	F
		1720	0900 23 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report OP #1 as of 0900.	S F
		1921	1000 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 1000.	S F
		2022	1010 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 1000.	F
		2323	1115 23 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative reports OPs #1 & 2 as of 1100.	F
		2424	1115 23 Jul	To 219th FA: Request leaflet shells (2) be fired at 465637.	





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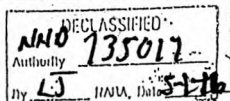
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OUT	IN				
		55-51	2255 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Rampan shelled by 20 rds. Very heavy - about 150s.	F
		56-52	2355 23 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Enemy planes flying over area for 15 minutes.	S F
		57-53	2400 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Enemy planes flying over 2d Bn area for 15 min 2400. Spasmodic arty fire whole area.	F
		58-54	2400 23 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change as of 2400.	F
				To 60th Eng: 19 celluloid map carrying cases for S-4	F
				To S-4: Pick up signal equip at signal supply.	F
				Overlay from Hq 121st Eng (C) Bn to accompany minefield & barrier report.	F
				Mine clearance operations map, Hq 60th Eng(C) Bn.	F
		16-55	0840 23 Jul	To S-4: Call fr Jury Blue 5 - 2 MG bolts as furnished are stripped. Need complete bolt assy or accessories that go with it. Also have Lt Boller contact Jury 5 this A M.	F
		18-56	0910 23 Jul	To All unit COs: Password fr 231200 Jul to 241200 Jul - Watchword - Vitamin.	F
		30-57	1315 23 Jul	To S-4: Need equipment for 23 men coming back from battle fatigue today.	F
		22-58	1105 23 Jul	To S-4: All units will disinfect & send to repair sta sufficient No of gas masks to furnish patients fr respective org evacuated to clr sta past 24 hrs. In future it will be SOP for ea unit to furnish clr sta daily with disinfected masks equal to No of patients evacuated to clr sta.	F





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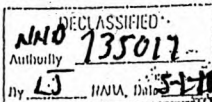
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		1	0020 24 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 7 amber flares shot up across the river at 1218 from 2d Bn OP. (Copy to Div)	S F
		2	0035 24 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Patrol reported at 2400 1.5 cm mortar located 470640. Same patrol reports enemy digging in along line 46856430 - 472638. Same patrol reports 1 81 mortar at 46856335. Co I report at 2400 carts around houses 478638. Co I also reports small arms & arty fire at St Lo. Also arty flashes at 483632. OP reports at 2400 4 or 5 amber flares either arty or plane flares in sq 47-63 drifting along river. (Copy to Div & 219th FA)	S F
		3	0100 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change as of 0100.	F
		4	0105 24 Jul	Fr 320th Inf: Info from 320th M1 officer - German troops either left in this area or infiltrated back. Are reported in vic of this CP hiding in bldgs. Posing as refugees. M1 got this from French underground.	S F
		5	0400 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200 & 0400.	F
		6	0455 24 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Crisis patrol in - no luck.	S F
		7	0600 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500 & 0600.	F
		8	0630 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Crisis patrol reported in. Neg.	F
		9	0700 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0700.	F
		10	0730 24 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: 134th patrol reports enemy is digging in at 508628. 6 prisoners surrender to Co E. Patrol also captured 6 paratroopers. Killed 2 S of St Lo. 320th patrol heard Germans 2330 vic 498628.	S F
		11	0900 24 Jul	To all Spec Units: Password from 241200 to 251200 Jul 44 - Puritan-muster.	F
		12	0907 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0900.	F
		13	0925 24 Jul	To June 2: Requested Info Re mine fields. Neg report.	F
		14	1005 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1000.	F
		15	1055 24 Jul	To G-2: Received 5 shells approx 300 yds SE of CP at 1040.	F
		16	1103 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1100.	F
		17	1130 24 Jul	To Cn Co: No firing from 1140 to 1315.	F
		18	1130 24 Jul	Fr 2d Bn S-2: Negative report.	F
		19	1145 24 Jul	To COs AT, 2d & 3d Bn: No firing at aircraft unless positively identified as enemy between 1140 and 1315.	F
		20	1401 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1200, 1300 & 1400.	F





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OUT	IN				
		21	1408 24 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Operation postponed.	F
		22	1430 24 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: Operation postponed.	F
		23	1501 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1500.	F
		24	1530 24 Jul	To Ord Off, 35th Div: Location of enemy dud shells, shown on overlay: No 1 - In corner of field; No 2 - 25 yds NW fr SE hedge corner; No 3 - 5 yds E of hedge row corner; No 4 - along hedge 50 yds SE of creek; No 5 - 40 yds SE of NE corner of orchard; No 6 - In orchard 10 yds N of road; No 7 - 15 yds E of SW corner of field; No 8 - 60 yds 75° fr rd junction; No 9 - 5 yds N of bldg; No 10 - junction of hedge & creek.	F
		25	1601 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		26	1610 24 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Some scattered arty fire on RJ near CP. No other activity.	S F
		27	1615 24 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Some mortar fire on RJ near CP. Friendly smoke S of river near St Lo.	S F
		28	1620 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Everything quiet except some scattered mortar and arty fire, mostly on RJs.	F
		29	1802 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1700 & 1800.	F
		30	1814 24 Jul	Fr June 2: Receiving enemy mortar fire from 471641. June is going to place fire on mortars.	S F
		31	2111 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2100.	F
		32	2300 24 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report 2300 except 1 man injured in leg by shell fire OP #3.	S F
		33	2315 24 Jul	Fr June 3: On everythin S of 458 and can fire on everything E of 645.	S F
		34	2315 24 Jul	Fr June 3: June can fire along NS grid line 458 and EW grid line 645 until it hits river then runs along river . Can fire on.	S F
		35	2357 24 Jul	Fr WO Bluhm: 25-60mm, 5-81mm light, 111 smoke, no limit MG, 48 cn.	S F
		36	2400 24 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 1 red flare 2355 2d Bn front. Heard sound of liaison plane.	S F
		37	2400 24 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2400.	F
				Mine clearance operations map, Hq 60th Eng(C) Bn, 24170044.	F
				G-3 report, fr 230001 Jul to 232400 Jul.	F
			1830 24 Jul	Col R Sears arrives at Regt C P	/
			2030 24 Jul	Col Emery evacuated to hospital	
			2030 24 Jul	Col R Sears assumed command of Regt	



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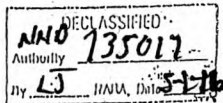
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		3	0100 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change as of 0100.	F
		4	0105 24 Jul	Fr 320th Inf: Info from 320th Mll officer - German troops either left in this area or infiltrated back. Are reported in vic of this CP hiding in bldgs. Posing as refugees. Mll got this from French underground.	S F
		5	0200 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: No change as of 0200.	F
		6	0400 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		6-7	0455 24 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Crisis patrol in - no luck.	S F
		8	0500 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		9	0600 24 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		10	0207 24 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Neg rpt 0900	F
		9-11	0700 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 0700	F
		13-12	1005 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1000	F
		15-13	1103 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1100	F
		16-14	1130 24 Jul	To: Cn Co: No firing from 1140 to 1315	F
		8-15	0630 24 Jul	To: CG: Crisis patrol reported in No report	S F
		10-16	0730 24 Jul	Fr: CG: Joplin patrol reports enemy is digging in at 508628 - 6 prisoners surrender to Co E Patrol also captured 6 paratroopers Killed 2 S of St Lo. Juniper patrol heard Germans 2330 vic 498628	S F
		12-17	0925 24 Jul	To June 2: Requested Info Re mine fields Neg report	S F
		14-18	1055 24 Jul	To: G-2: Received 5 shells approx 300 yds SE of CP at 1040	S F
		17-19	1130 24 Jul	Fr: White 2: Neg report.	S F
		18-20	1145 24 Jul	To: CO AT Co: No firing at aircraft unless positively identified as enemy between 1140 and 1315 ALSO 20 & 30 BN	S F





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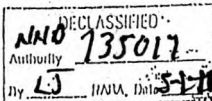
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		18-22	1145 24 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Same as #21	S F
		19-23	1200 24 Jul	To: G-2, G-3: Neg rpt 1200	S F
		24	1205 24 Jul	To: CG: Same as #23	
		25	1304 24 Jul	To: C <sup>tr</sup> : Neg rpt 1300	S F
		26	1400 24 Jul	To: G-2: Neg rpt	S F
		27	1401 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1400	S F
		20-28	1408 24 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Operation postponed	S F
		21-29	1430 24 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Operation postponed	S F
		22-30	1501 24 Jul	To: C <sup>tr</sup> : Neg rpt 1500	S F
		24-31	1601 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1600	S F
		28-33	1701 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1700	S F
		33	1802 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 1800	S F
		29-34	1814 24 Jul	Fr: June 2: Receiving enemy mortar fire from 471641 June is going to place fire on mo tars	S F
		30-35	2111 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 2100	S F
		34-36	2357 24 Jul	Fr: WO Bluhm: 25-60mm, 5-81mm light, 111 smoke, No limit MG, 48 Cn	S F
				G-3 Report NO 14 230215	S F
		11-37	0900 24 Jul	To: All Sp Units: Password from 241200 Jul to 251200 Jul 44 puritan-muster.	S F
		<del>38</del>	<del>1103 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: CG: Neg report 1100</del>	S F
		<del>39</del>	<del>1130 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: Cn Co: No firing from 1140 to 1315</del>	S F
		<del>40</del>	<del>1145 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: CO 2d Bn: No firing at aircraft unless positively identified as enemy between 1140 and 1315</del>	S F
		<del>41</del>	<del>1145 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: CO 3d Bn: Same as #40</del>	
		<del>42</del>	<del>1145 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: CO AT Co: Same as #40</del>	
		<del>43</del>	<del>1205 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: CG: Neg rpt 1200</del>	S F
		<del>44</del>	<del>1304 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: CG: Neg rpt 1300</del>	S F
		<del>45</del>	<del>1401 24 Jul</del>	<del>To: CG: Neg rpt 1400</del>	S F
		25-46	1610 24 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Some scattered arty fire on RJ near CP No other activity	S F





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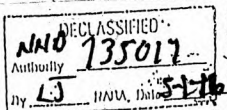
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		27-48	1620 24 Jul	To: CG: Everything quiet except some scattered mortar and arty fire mostly on RJs	S F
		30-49	1900 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt as of 1900	S F
		50	2000 24 Jul	To: Justice 2 & 3: Negative	S F
		51	2200 24 Jul	To: G-2 G-3: Neg rpt 2200	S F
		31-52	2300 24 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Neg rpt 2300 except 1 man injured in leg by shell fire OP #3	S F
		30-53	2300 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 2300	S F
		32-54	2315 24 Jul	Fr: June 3: On everything S of 458 and can fire on everything E of 645	S F
		33-55	2315 24 Jul	Fr: June 3: June can fire along NS grid line 458 and EW grid line 645 until it hits river Then runs along river Can fire on	S F
		35-56	2400 24 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 1 red flare 2355 2d Bn front hear sound of liaison plane	S F
		36-57	2400 24 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 2400	S F
		23-58	1530 24 Jul	To Ord Off, 35th Div: Location of enemy dud shells, shown on overlay: No 1 - In corner of field; No 2 - 25 yds NW fr SE hedge corner; No 3 - 5 yds E of hedge row corner; No 4 - along hedge 50 yds SE of creek; No 5 - 40 yds SE of NE corner of orchard; No 6 - In orchard 10 yds N of road; No 7 15 yds E of SW corner of field; No 8 60 yds 75° fr rd junction; No 9 5 yds N of bldg; No 10 junction of hedge & creek.	F
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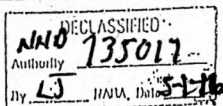
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		1	0030 25 Jul	Fr 2d Bn OP #1: OP #1 reports digging in at 180° approx 200 yds from them.	S F
		2	0055 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: CO 2d Bn reports sound of enemy motors laboring vic 460640 also vic Hwy 3, 455 635.	S F
		3	0100 25 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		4	0105 25 Jul	To G-2: German plane flying over our position. Appeared to be heading north.	F
		5	0210 25 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		6	0225 25 Jul	Fr 2d Bn, S-2: 450651 also MG fire at 452655. Co E reports firing at 452650. Possibly pistol or rifle fire and one hand grenade was heard. (Copy to Div)	S F
		7	0300 25 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		8	0330 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: At least 2 Germans talking to each other SW of OP #3.	S F
		9	0400 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: OP #3 reports 12 trucks moving up hill in front OP #3 to SE.	S F
		10	0406 25 Jul	To 219th FA: Trucks on road at 449640. Moving South to RJ.	F
		11	0408 25 Jul	To OP #3: Watch for fire of arty on RJ.	F
		12	0411 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Report trucks moving on road net at 449640. Also 457650 to 449639. Approx 12 in number. Arty interdicting RJ.	F
		13	0416 25 Jul	Fr Arty 2: A rty working up and down road.	S F
		14	0430 25 Jul	Fr OP #3: OP #3 reports fire on road fired on by arty.	S F
		15	0440 25 Jul	Fr OP #2: 240° from OP #2 600 yds to left flank hears trucks or tanks. OP #2 located 479657.	S F
		16	0600 25 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		17	0810 25 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0100, 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600, 0700 and 0800.	F
		18	0830 25 Jul	To COs Hq Co, Cn, AT, Sv & Med Det: Password fr 251200 Jul to 261200 Jul 44 - Omelet-thoughtful.	F
		19	0911 25 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0900.	F
		20	1115 25 Jul	Fr S-3, 3d Bn: A stick of bombs were dropped between E and G Co.	S F
		21	1118 25 Jul	Fr S-3, 2d Bn: 1 man fr Co E and 1 fr Co G killed, 2 men fr Co G wounded. Have not seen 30th Div moving across front.	S F
		22	1120 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Same as #20.	F





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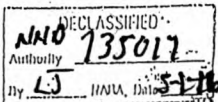
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		23	1140 25 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Found all but Hansen and Pierce Co B. They are not where killed. Sgt killed at same place has been buried.	S F
		24	1145 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Report sound of enemy trucks vic 464640. Enemy fire burning 454649.	S F
		25	1147 25 Jul	To CO 2d Bn: Report coordinates and circumstances concerning stick of bombs.	F
		26	1400 25 Jul	To AT, Sv Co & Med Det: Return to S-2 all copies of sheets #2 & #5 of uncontrolled photo map Vire River S 1/10,000 that do not have fields numbered.	F
		27	2010 25 Jul	To all units, 137th Inf(-1st Bn): Each Co will have 1 officer with transportation meet a recon detail fr the 28th Div at RJ at 487676 at 261115 for the purpose of guiding the recon detail to their respective Co zones. Spec Unit guides will guide the parties directly to their positions. All other guides will conduct their respective parties to Bn motor pools in vehicles where the parties will dismount & continue to Co areas on foot. The recon parties will be shown our disposition of routes thereto.	F
		28	2105 25 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2100.	F
		29	2120 25 Jul	To G-2: Summary as of 2100 - light arty on front. Little enemy activity. Also the 3 prisoners captured.	F
		30	2203 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: A <sup>+</sup> 45606405 heard what appeared to be either tank <sup>+</sup> or half track 210°. Arty informed OP #3.	S F
		31	2240 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: OP #3 located Easy Nan 53. OP #1 Easy How 86. OP #2 Easy How 59.	S F
		32	2345 25 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: 117th Inf now at P. Will patrol to S tonite.	F
		33	2355 25 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Location of 3d Bn OPs - Easy Dog 49, 3d Bn OP. Easy Easy 9 Co I OP.	S F
		34	2355 25 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 2255 tracers from AA 180° 3000 yds. Co I reports same from their OP 185°. To W of their OP large fires blazing - possible amm dump. Noise of carts 180° S of Co I OP. 2315 240° 1500 yds from OP trucks with motorcycle escort.	S F
		35		G-3 report #16 fr 240001 Jul to 242400 Jul.	F





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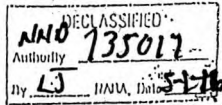
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		3-2	0100 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0100.	F
		4-3	0105 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: German plane flying over our position. Appeared to be heading north.	F
		5-4	0210 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		6-5	0225 25 Jul	Fr 2d Bn S-2: 450651 also MG fire at 452655. Co E reports firing at 452650. Possibly pistol or rifle fire and one hand grenade was heard. (Copy to Div)	S F
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		7-6	0300 25 Jul	To G-2, 35th Div: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		8-7	0330 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: At least 2 Germans talking to each other SW of OP #3.	S F
		9-8	0400 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: OP #3 reports 12 trucks moving up hill in front OP #3 to S E.	S F
		10-9	0406 25 Jul	To 219th FA: Trucks on road at 449640. Moving south to RJ.	F
		11-10	0408 25 Jul	To OP #3: Watch for fire of arty on RJ.	F
		13-11	0416 25 Jul	Fr Arty 2: Arty working up & down road.	S F
		12-12	0411 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Report trucks moving on road net at 449640. Also 457650 to 449639. Approx 12 in number. Arty interdicting RJ.	F
		14-13	0430 25 Jul	Fr OP #3: OP #3 reports fire on road fired on by arty.	S F
		15-14	0440 25 Jul	Fr OP #2: 240° from OP #2 600 yds to left flank hears trucks or tanks. OP #2 located 479657.	S F
		16-15	0600 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		17-16	0700 25 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0100, 0200, 0300, 0400, 0500, 0600 and 0700.	F
		17	0810 25 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 0800	F
		19-18	0911 25 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 0900	F
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		21-20	1118 25 Jul	Fr: S-3 2d Bn: 1 man fr Co E and 1 fr G Co killed 2 men fr G Co wounded Have not seen 30th Div moving across front	S F
		22-21	1120 25 Jul	To: CG: Same as #19	





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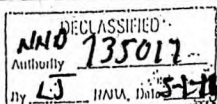
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TIME		SERIAL NO.	TIME DATED	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC.	ACTION TAKEN
OUT	IN				
		23-22	1140 25 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Found all but Hansen and Pierce B Co. The are not where killed. Sgt killed at same place has been buried.	S F
		25-23	1147 25 Jul	To: CO 2d Bn: Report coordinates and circumstances concerning stick of bombs.	S F
		2-24	0055 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: CO 2d Bn reports sound of enemy motors laboring vic 460640 also vic hwy 3, 455 635.	S F
		18-25	0830 25 Jul	To COs Hq Co, Cn, AT, Sv & Med Det: Password from 251200 Jul to 261200 Jul 44 - Omelet - Thoughtful.	F
		24-26	1145 25 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Report sound of enemy trucks vic 464640. Enemy fire burning 454649.	F
		24-27	1400 25 Jul	To AT, Sv Co & Med Det: Return to S-2 all copies of sheets #2 & #5 of uncontrolled photo map Vire River S 1/10,000 that do not have fields numbered.	F
		27-28	2010 25 Jul	To all units, 137th Inf(-1st Bn): Each Co will have 1 officer with transportation meet a recon detail fr the 28th Div at RJ at 487676 at 261115 for the purpose of guiding the recon details to their respective Co zones. Spec Unit guides will guide the parties directly to their positions. All other guides will conduct their respective parties to Bn motor pools in vehicles where the parties will dismount & continue to Co areas on foot. The recon parties will be shown our disposition of routes there to.	F
				Road clearance report, Map ref 34/16 SW.	F
				Map of enemy & friendly minefields.	F
		28-29	2105 25 Jul	To: CG: Neg rpt 2100	F
		29-30	2120 25 Jul	To: CG: Summary as of 2100 light arty on front Little enemy activity. Also the 3 prisoners captured.	F
		30-31	2203 25 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: At 45606405 heard <del>what</del> what appeared to be either tank or half track 2100 Arty informed OP #3	F
		31-32	2240 25 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Op #3 located Easy Nan 53 OP #1 Easy How 86 OP #2 Easy How 59	F
		33-33	2355 25 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Location of 3d Bn OPs Easy Dog 49 3d Bn OP Easy Easy 9 I Co OP	F
		34-34	2355 25 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: 2255 tracers from AA 180 degrees 3000 yds I Co reports same from their OP 185 degrees To W of their OP large fires blazing possible ammo dump Noise of carts 180 degrees S of I Co OP 2315 240 degrees 1500 yds from OP trucks with motor cycle escort.	F
				G-3 report #16 fr 240001 Jul to 242400 Jul.	F
		32-35	2345 25 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: 117th Inf now at P. Will patrol to S tonite.	F





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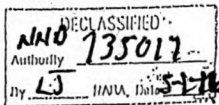
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OUT	IN				
		1	0005 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Tracers fr AA 180° 3000 yds fr OP. Large fires blazing to S. Appear to be amm dump.	F
		2	0120 26 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 2 tanks moving W 460641 260° az out of our territory.	S F
		3	0125 26 Jul	To S-2, 30th Div: Hear what appears to be 2 tanks 460641.	F
		4	0200 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		5	0205 26 Jul	Fr CO 119th Inf: Our present front line 440645 450658. One Co 444643 held up by dug in tanks, MG & arty fire.	S F
		6	0300 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		7	0302 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		8	0400 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		9	0425 26 Jul	Fr Ln O Hardy: Lt <sup>H</sup> Hardy has made arrangements for group which visits 137th to be separated so as to go to correct place upon arrival.	S F
		10	0500 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		11	0605 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		12	0800 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0800.	F
		13	0805 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Bombers are bombing in front of our position.	S F
		14	0805 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0800. Bombing mission now in progress.	F
		15	0810 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Bombers dropping their bombs in front of 2d Bn.	S F
		16	0830 26 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Corps reports vehicles reported by our unit at 0545 - are friendly. Unit on left jumped off per schedule. Right unit has irregular line. Right units left flank moving rapidly. Line generally 460645, 430660, 412658, 408667.	S F
		17	0835 26 Jul	Fr G-2: 134th patrol reports light MG fire 508629. Flares along entire front and vehicles moving at 0545. Juniper unit reports locating OP at 539629, 538630, 528628. Vehicles heard moving up to 536628 about 0100. Many flares used across front.	S F
		18	0900 26 Jul	To Hq Co, Cn, AT, Med & Sv: Password fr 261200 Jul to 271200 Jul - Knowledge-Moron.	F
		19	0950 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Custom moving across white front. No enemy resistance.	S F





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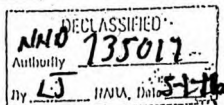
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OUT	IN				
		20	0955 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Custom moving forward in front of 2d Bn. Light enemy resistance.	F
		21	1000 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1000.	F
		22	1050 26 Jul	To G-2: Notified Div of location of unit on right as of 0700.	F
		23	1120 26 Jul	Fr OP obs: OP #1 reports friendly tanks receiving arty fire at 475646.	S F
		24	1205 26 Jul	To S-3, 219th FA: Same as #25.	F
		25	1210 26 Jul	To G-2: Info fr French civilian - Heavy arty piece at 487626 at old chateau Agneaux. Notified June.	F
		26	1245 26 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Indication of enemy withdrawal. Report all obsvs to this Hq. 117th now at 456643.	S F
		27	1245 26 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Same as #26.	F
		28	1300 26 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Enemy aid sta at 484. Visible fr our OP.	S F
		29	1315 26 Jul	To G-2: Same as #28.	F
		30	1330 26 Jul	Fr Col Renfro, G-3: 535678 is location of tank Dem O. Proceed on main rd to above point, turn west to guide. No change in time.	S F
		31	1400 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1400.	F
		32	1500 26 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Resistance is lessening on front of 30th Div. 2d Div advancing. Front now 6406106560 - 610650.	S F
		33	1530 26 Jul	To Custom: Same as #28.	F
		34	1600 26 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		35	1600 26 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative report.	F
		36	1645 26 Jul	Fr 137 Cooper: Smoked area front of Regt OP - up draw.	S F
		37	1645 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Friendly smoked area front of 2d Bn. Friendly plane in flames. 2 men out behind enemy lines.	F
		38	1700 26 Jul	Fr 2d Bn S-2: Negative report.	F
		39	1717 26 Jul	Fr 3d Bn: Believed amm DP at 2300, 300 yds - in flames (Fr 3d Bn OP)	S F
		40	1725 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Believed amm DP burning at 459628.	F





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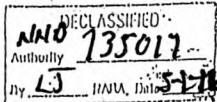
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OUT	IN				
		41	1940 26 Jul	To CO Croydon: Called Croydon 6 regarding coordinating patrols.	F
		42	1950 26 Jul	Fr G-2: Call fr G-2 regarding coordinating of patrols.	F
		43	2000 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 45 enemy with full equipment entered house at 485639 at 1950.	S F
		44	2000 26 Jul	To Justice 10: Frequencies of SCR 536 - A Co - 4035, B Co - 4080, C Co - 4280, D Co - 4397, E Co - 4495, F Co - 4840, G Co - 4930, H Co - 5205, I Co - 5327.5, K Co - 5397.5, L Co - 5437.5, Co M - 3885.	F
		45	2002 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn reports that 45 enemy with full fieldpacks entered house at 485639 at 1950. Arty notified.	F
		46	2035 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Left Bn of Croydon crossed line 46 and are moving.	S F
		47	2040 26 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Left Bn of Croydon has just passed grid line 46 and are still moving.	F
		48	2055 26 Jul	Fr G-2: All patrolling called off.	S F
		49	2100 26 Jul	To CO all Bns: All patrolling called off.	F
		50	2200 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2200.	F
		51	2230 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Customs troops at following locations 476636 - 475636 - 465619 - 433570.	F
		52	2300 26 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 2 enemy planes over 3d Bn area. Dropped several bombs.	S F
		53	2310 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2 enemy planes over area. Dropped about 5 bombs at 2245.	F
		54	2400 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2400.	F
				Overlay - Observation control - 26 Jul, G-2.	F
				Overlay showing 134th, 320th & XIX Corps	F
				Mine clearance operations overlay, 261800.	F





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OUT	IN				
		51	0205 26 Jul	Fr CO 119th Inf: Our present front line 440645 450658. One Co 444643 held up by dug in tanks, MG and arty fire.	S F
		62	0300 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0300.	F
		83	0400 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		94	0425 26 Jul	Fr Ln O Hardy: Lt Hardy has made arrangements for group which visits 137th to be separated so as to go to correct place upon arrival.	S F
		105	0500 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		136	0805 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Bombers are bombing in front of our position.	S F
		147	0805 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0800. Bombing mission now in progress.	F
		158	0005 26 Jul	To: CG: Tracers fr AA 180 degrees 3000 yds fr OP Large fires blazing to S Appear to be ammo dump/	F
		29	0120 26 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: 2 tanks moving W 460641 260 degrees Az out of our territory.	F
		310	0125 26 Jul	To: S-2 30th Div: Hear what appears to be 2 tanks 460641	F
		411	0200 26 Jul	To: CG: Neg report 0200	F
		712	0302 26 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Neg report 0300	S F
		13	0400 26 Jul	To: CG: Neg report 0400	S F
		1114	0605 26 Jul	To: CG: Neg report 0600	S F
		1215	0800 26 Jul	To: CG: Neg report 0800	S F
		1516	0810 26 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Bombers dropping their bombs in front of 2d Bn	S F
		1717	0835 26 Jul	Fr: G-2: Joplin patrol reports light MG fire 508629 Flares along entire front and vehicles moving at 0545. Juniper unit reports locating OP at 539629, 538630, 528628 Vehicles heard moving up to 536628 about 0100 Many flares used across front.	S F
		1618	0830 26 Jul	Fr: CG: Corps reports vehicles reported by our unit at 0545 are friendly Unit on left jumped off per schedule Right unit has irregular line Right units left flank moving rapidly Line generally 460645, 430660, 412658, 408667	S F
		19	0950 26 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: Custom moving across white front No enemy resistance.	S F
		20	0955 26 Jul	To: Justice: Custom moving forward in front of Jury white Light enemy resistance.	S F
		21	1050 26 Jul	To: G-2: Notified Div of location of unit on right as of 0700	S F



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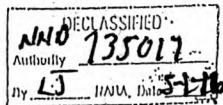
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		23-23	1210 26 Jul	To: G-2: Info fr french civilian hvy arty piece at 487626 at old chateau Agneaux Notified June.	S F
		24-24	1205 26 Jul	To: S-3 219th FA: Same as #23	
		25-25	1245 26 Jul	To: CO 2d & 3d Bn: Indication of enemy withdrawal report all <del>obs</del> obsvs to this Hq 117th now at 456643	S F
		26-26	1245 26 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Same as #25	
		27-27	1300 26 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Enemy aid sta at 484 visible from our OP	S F
		28-28	1315 26 Jul	To: G-2: Same as #27	
		29-29	1400 26 Jul	To: G-2: Neg rpt 1400	S F
		30-30	1530 26 Jul	To: Custom: Same as #27	
		31-31	1000 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative.	F
		32-32	1600 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative.	F
		33-33	1600 26 Jul	Fr OP obs: Negative.	F
		34-34	1645 26 Jul	Fr 137 Cooper: Smoked area front of Regt OP - up draw.	S F
		35-35	1645 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Friendly smoked area front of Jury White. Friendly plane in flames. 2 men out behind enemy lines.	F
		36-36	1700 26 Jul	Fr 2d Bn S-2: Negative.	S F
		37-37	1717 26 Jul	Fr 3d Bn: Believed amm DP at 2300 - 300 yds in flames (Fr 3d Bn OP)	S F
		38-38	1725 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Believed amm DP burning at 459 628.	F
		39-39	1940 26 Jul	To CO Croydon: Called Croydon 6 regarding coordinating patrols.	F
		40-40	1950 26 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: Call fr G-2 regarding coordinating of patrols.	S F
		41-41	2000 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 45 enemy with full equipment entered house at 485639 at 1950.	S F
		42-42	2002 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Jury Blue reports that 45 enemy with full field packs entered house at 485639 at 1950. Arty notified.	F
		43-43	2035 26 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Left Bn of Croydon crossed line 46 and are moving.	S F
		44-44	2040 26 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Left Bn of Croydon has just passed grid line 46 and are still moving.	F





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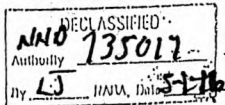
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OUT	IN				
		4845	2055 26 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: All patrolling called off.	S F
		4946	2100 26 Jul	To CO all Bns: All patrolling called off.	F
		5047	2200 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2200.	F
		5148	2230 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Customs troops at following locations 476636 - 475636 -,465619 - 433570.	F
		5249	2300 26 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 2 enemy planes over 3d Bn area. Dropped several bombs.	S F
		5350	2310 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2 enemy planes over area. Dropped about 5 bombs at 2245.	F
		5451	2400 26 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2400.	F
		3052	1330 26 Jul	Fr Col Renfree: 535678 is location of Tk Dem O Proceed on main rd to above point, turn west to guide. No change in time.	S F
				Overlay - Observation control - 26 Jul, G-2.	F
				Overlay showing 134th, 320th & XIX Corps. 262400.	F
				Mine clearance operations overlay, 261800 Jul.	F
		1853	0900 26 Jul	To Hq Co, Cn, AT, Med & Sv: Password fr 261200 Jul to 271200 Jul - Knowledge - Moron.	F
		4454	2000 26 Jul	To Justice 10: Frequencies of SCR 536 - A Co - 4035, B Co - 4080, C Co - 4280, D Co - 4397.5, Co E - 4495, Co F - 4840, Co G - 4930, Co H - 5205, Co I - 5327.5, Co K - 5397.5, Co L - 5437.5, Co M - 3885.	F
				Traffic diagram for 137th Area.	F
		3255	1500 26 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Resistance is lessening on front of 30th Div. 2d Div advancing, front now 640610 6560 610650.	S F
				G-3 REPORT #17 FR 150001 JUL TO 252400 JUL	F





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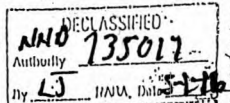
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		1	0155 27 Jul	Fr G-2: Fr 2 Armour OP - A large black oblong object was sighted traveling fr SW to NE not too fast making drubbing sound. Time observed 0120.	S F
		2	0210 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200. Unidentified plane dropped German propaganda leaflets.	F
		3	0250 27 JUL	Fr CO 2d Bn: Phamplets have been dumped over 2d Bn area. Have observed plane flying over 2d Bn at 5 min after the hour, starting at 2300.	S F
		4	0300 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Planes have dumped phamplets over 2d Bn area. Will send copies to G-2.	F
		5	0420 27 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		6	0500 27 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		7	0510 27 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8	0600 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		9	0605 27 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		10	0630 27 Jul	Fr CO 117th Inf: Would like to have liaison officer fr Croydon return to his CP immediately.	S F
		11	0700 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Negative report as of 0700.	F
		12	0700 27 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0700.	F
		13	0750 27 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: ATTN Com O: Bring line route up to date & hold pending further instructions.	S F
		14	0800 27 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0800.	F
		15	0805 27 Jul	Fr S-3, 3d Bn: 3d Bn OP reports a number of vehicles at 2050, 12000 yds.	S F
		16	0925 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: At 0905 3d Bn OP sighted 1 friendly plat S of river moving E, az 190°.	S F
		17	0940 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Friendly plat moving up river at 482 - 0930.	F
		18	1130 27 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Expect call fr 35 Recon who will screen your front. Be prepared to assemble old area by 1500.	S F
		19	1210 27 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Leave covering shell, 10 men per front line company until relieved by cov unit. Move balance of Bns to assembly areas designated by Regtl Ex O to Bn Billeting Officers. Close in new areas by 1500. Covering shell re-joins you this P M in all probability.	F
		20	1315 27 Jul	To CO 134th Inf: 496618 definite enemy strong point - reinforced - Bois Marcel.	F
		21	1415 27 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: CP opened 1410. Location Ref E, IX, W38.	S F





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OUT	IN				
		22	1450 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d & 3d Bns closed into assembly area 1545.	F
		23	1530 27 Jul	Fr S-5, 3d Bn: 3d Bn closed in location. CP 488671.	S F
		24	1530 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: See attached overlay of 3d Bn, 137th Inf location.	S F
		25	1545 27 Jul	Fr S-2, 2d Bn: 2d Bn closed in new area.	S F
		26	1545 27 Jul	Fr G-3: 134th moving ahead. Little resistance.	S F
		27	1550 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d & 3d Bn closed into assembly areas 1545.	F
		28	1940 27 Jul	To 1st & 2d Bn & Spec Units: All mail will be censored by unit censors hereafter.	F
		29	2000 27 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2000.	F
		30	2200 27 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 2200.	F
		31	2230 27 Jul	Fr G-2: G-2 informs that 134th is approaching crest of Hill 101 as of 2220 and is receiving small arms fire.	S F
		32	2300 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Summary: Having been pushed out by the 117th Inf adv across our front the 137th (less 1st Bn) assembled in Div Res vic 4867, closing in new area at 1530.	F
		33	2311 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2300.	F
				Overlay of Route of March to assembly area.	F
				Situation Overlay.	F
				G-3 Report #19.	F
				Operations Overlay.	F



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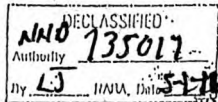
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		2-1	0210 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0200. Unidentified plane dropped German propaganda leaflets.	F
		5-2	0420 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.	F
		7-3	0510 27 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		8-4	0600 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		9-5	0605 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0600.	F
		11-6	0700 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Negative report as of 0700.	F
		14-7	0800 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0800.	F
		15-8	0805 27 Jul	Fr 3d Bn S-3: 3d Bn OP reports a number of vehicles at 205° 12,000 yds.	S F
		17-9	0940 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Friendly plat moving up river at 482 - 0930.	F
				Overlay to accompany G-2 periodic report #19.	F
				Road clearance report, 137th Inf.	F
		1-10	0155 27 Jul	Fr G-2, 35th Div: Fr 2 armour OP - A large black oblong object was sighted traveling fr SW to NE not too fast making drubbing sound. Time observed 0120.	S F
		3-11	0250 27 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Phamplets have been dumped over 2d Bn area. Have observed plane flying over 2d Bn at 5 min after the hour starting at 2300.	S F
		4-12	0300 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Planes have dumped phamplets over 2d Bn area. Will send copies to G-2	F
		<del>13</del>	<del>0400 27 Jul</del>	<del>To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0400.</del>	<del>F</del>
		6-14	0500 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0500.	F
		<del>15</del>	<del>0600 27 Jul</del>	<del>To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 0600.</del>	<del>F</del>
		10-16	0630 27 Jul	Fr CO 117th Inf: Would like to have liaison officer fr Croydon return to his CP immediately.	S F
		13-17	0750 27 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Attn Com O: Bring line route up to date & hold pending further instructions	S F
		21-18	1415 27 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: CP opened 1410. Location Ref E IX, W38.	S F
		2-19	1450 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d & 3d Bns closed into assembly area 1545.	F
		23-20	1530 27 Jul	Fr S-5, 3d Bn: 3d Bn closed in location CP 488671.	S F
		25-21	1545 27 Jul	Fr S-2, 2d Bn: 2d Bn closed in new area.	S F
		26-22	1545 27 Jul	Fr G-3: 134th moving ahead. Little resistance.	S F





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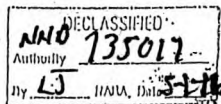
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OUT	IN				
		1223	0700 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative as of 0700.	F
		1624	0925 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: AT 0905 Blue OP sighted one friendly plat S of river moving E, az 190°.	S F
		1825	1130 27 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Expect call fr 35 Recon who will screen your front. Be prepared to assemble old area by 1500.	<del>XXXX</del> S F
		1926	1210 27 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Leave covering shell, 10 men per front line company until relieved by cov unit. Move balance of Bns to assembly areas designated by Regtl Ex O to Bn Billeting Officers. Close in new areas by 1500. Covering shell rejoins you this P M in all probability.	F
		2027	1315 27 Jul	To CO 134th Inf: 496618 definite enemy strong point reinforced - Bois Marcel.	F
		2428	1530 27 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: See attached overlay of 3d Bn, 137th Inf location.	S F
		2729	1550 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 2d & 3d Bn closed into assembly areas 1545.	F
		3130	2230 27 Jul	Fr G-2: G-2 informs that Joplin is approaching crest of Hill 101 as of 2220 and is receiving small arms fire.	S F
		3331	2311 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2300.	F
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OUT	IN				
		327	0900 27 Jul	To: Sp Units: Password 271200 to 281200 Hoarse Guilty	S F
29		342	2000 27 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Neg report 2000	S F
30		353	2200 27 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Neg rpt 2200	S F
28		334	1940 27 Jul	To: 1st & 2d Bn & Sp Units: All mail will be censored by unit censors hereafter.	S F
32		365	2300 27 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Summary: Having been pushed out by the 117th Inf adv across our front the 137th (less 1st Bn) assembled in Div Res vic 4867 closing in new area at 1530.	S F
				Route of March to Assembly area Overlay.	F
				Situation overlay	F
				G-3 Report #19	F
				Situation Overlay	
				Operations Overlay	



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OUT	IN				
		1	0006 28 Jul	Fr G-2: G-2 informs at 0003 that 134th captured 54 prisoners and more PWs are still coming in. There is out.	S F
		2	0200 28 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: 35 Div now asgn V Corps. 2 Div on our left. 35th resumes attack 281000 Jul. 134th and Co A 737th Tk Bn and 1st Bn 137th Inf continue the attack. Seize portion of initial obj in its zone. Be prepared to continue atk to final obj on order. Maintain contact with 30th Div on R and 320th on left. 1st Bn 137th to be committed only on order of CG 320th Inf. With Co C 737 Tk Bn atchd cont atk & seize portion of obj in zone. Be prepared to continue atk on order. Maintain contact with 2 Div on left, 137th, Div res. 35th Recon troop relieved of present mission. Assemble as Div res vic Emelie 510659. Div arty SOP priority of fires 134th. 29th Div motorized starts from LaMeauffe Pont Herbert to SW of St Lo rd, priority to 29 Div. Adm details later. Regts report CPs.	S F
		3	0312 28 Jul	Fr 60th Eng: There is considerable debris around Pont Herbert. Possibility that the bridge there is out.	S F
		4	0345 28 Jul	To CG 35th Div: There is considerable debris around Pont Herbert. Possibility that the bridge there is out. (Information fr Eng Officer 0312).	F
		5	0753 28 Jul	Fr G-2: #1. Between 0150 & 0210 approx 20 planes raided this area dropping bombs & strafing. Their 3 raids at 5070, 5265 & 5365. #2. The AA reported that 2 parachute flares were dropped in vic of 521678. #3. 320th reported hearing a small amm dump blown in vic of 551629 at 2320. No enemy heard since then. #4. 134th captured a PW carrying orders for troops to withdraw 20 Kms S. 59 PWs captured up to 0200. The units included 6th Co, 985th, Fusilliers of 352d and other elements of the 352d Div.	S F
		6	1130 28 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Make recon of route to & area vic hill 101 N 510620. Move Regt to this position as soon as practical without further order. Hwy 2 is forbidden for use except to cross. Will have details later.	S F
		7	1230 28 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Bn CO report to Regt 1330 for march order. Have A&P Plat accompany billet party to demine area.	F
		8	1500 28 Jul	To CO AT & Cn Co: Have guides and billeting party report to Capt Friedman vic 531600 at 1545 to Recon new area.	F
		9	2055 28 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: 134th advancing without opposition. Recon unit is on obj - advanced without opposition. 320th is adv under scattered arty fire. 3 PWs captured - identity unknown. Total PWs for 320th today - 17.  60th Eng Bn Overlay for direction of traffic and rds swept.	S F  F



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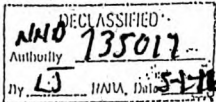
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OUT	IN				
				2d Bn Overlay of positions.	F
				35th Div Overlay	F
				Tel fr 1st USA on discharge and appointment of T Sgt Hupp and T Sgt Gonzales to 2d Lt. Swm in 281500 Jul 44.	
				Situation Overlay	F
				35th Div New W Boundary Overlay.	F
				Route of March Overlay	F
				G-3 Report #20.	F





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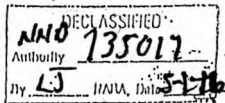
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		31	0312 28 Jul	Fr 60th Eng: There is considerable debris around Pont Hebert. Possibility that the bridge there is out.	S F
		12	0006 28 Jul	Fr G-2: G-2 informs at 0003 that Joplin captured 54 prisoners and more PWs are still coming in.	S F
		53	0753 28 Jul	Fr G-2: #1. Between 0150 & 0210 approx 20 planes raided this area dropping bombs and strafing. Their 3 raids at 5070, 5265, & 5365. #2. The AA reported that 2 parachute flares were dropped in vic of 521678. #3. Juniper reported hearing a small amm dump blown in vic of 551629 at 2320. No enemy heard since then. #4. Joplin captured a PW carrying orders for troops to withdraw 20 Kms S. 59 PWs captured up to 0200. The units included 6th Co, 985th Fusilliers of 352d and other elements of the 352d Div.	S F
		64	1130 28 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Make recon of route to and area vic hill 101 N 510620. Move Regt to this position as soon as practical without further order. Hwy 2 is forbidden for use except to cross. Will have details later.	S F
		75	1230 28 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Bn CO report to Regt 1330 for march order. Have A&P plat accompany billet party to demine area.	F





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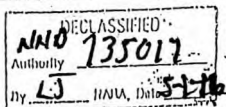
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		2-1	0200 28 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: 35 Div now asgn V Corps 2 Div on our left 35th resumes attack 281000 Jul 134th and Co A 737th Tk Bn and 1st Bn 137th Inf continue the attack seize portion of initial obj in its zone be prepared to continue atk to final obj on order Maintain contact with 30th Div on R and 320th Inf on left 1st Bn 137th to be committed only on order of CG 320th Inf W Co C 737 Tk Bn atchd cont atk seize portion of obj in zone be prepared to continue atk on order Maintain contact with 3 Div on left 137th Div Res 35th Recon troop relieved of present mission Assemble as Div res vic Emelie 510659 Div arty SOP priority of fires 134th 29th Div motorized starts from La Meauffe Pont Herbert to SW of St Lo Rd priority to 29 Div Adm details later Regts report CPs	S F
		4-2	0345 28 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: There is considerable debris around Pont Hebert Possibility that the bridge there is out (Information fr Engr Officer 0312)	S F
		9-3	2055 28 Jul	Fr: C <sup>4</sup> 35th Div: Joplin advancing without oppositio Recon unit is on obj advanced without opposition. Juniper is adv under scattered arty fire 3 PWs captured identity unknown. Total PWs for Juniper today 17	S F
		4		60th Engr Bn Overlay fpr Direction of traffic and rds swept	F
				2d Bn overlay of positions	F
				35th Div Overlay	F
		5		Tel fr 1st USA on discharge and appointment of T Sgt Hupp and T Sgt Gonzales to 2d Lt Swm in 281500 Jul 44	F
		8-6	1500 28 Jul	To: CO AT and Cn Co: Have guides and billeting party report to Capt Friedman vic 531600 at 1545 to Recon new area	S F
				Situation Overlay	F
				Situation Overlay	F
				35th Div New W Boundary Overlay	
				Route of March overlay	F
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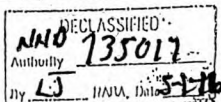
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OUT	IN				
		1	0014 29 Jul	To CO 320th: Request info as to availability of Hwy 4 as regards mines & traffic between points 522631 & 516617.	F
		2	0030 29 Jul	Fr CO 320th: Have no recon made of rd request. Will direct our traffic over other routes to facilitate your move.	S F
		3	0115 29 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: You revert to Regtl control in your present location as 290600 Jul. Have area recon made of your general area with regard to placing Regt in that general area. Also recon rds for mines and start clearing rds. Have staff Off report Capt Friedman vic 510652 at 0600 with recommendations.	F
		4	0130 29 Jul	To CO 2d & 3d Bn: Movement Order: See per rep 134th 320th atk to seize final objective & await orders. 137th still in reserve. This Regt less 1st Bn moves to area shown on overlay at 290600 Jul by marching and motor march & IP. See overlay. Foot 2d & 3d w/necessary vehicles to carry wpns and CP.	S F
		5	0750 29 Jul	To CO 735th Ord Co: 105mm dud located at the following position - 524653. Marked with white handkerchief.	F
		6	0820 29 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn closed in new area at 0750. Waiting now for orders future employments.	S F
		7	0850 29 Jul	Fr Maj Frink, S-2: All foot troops are in new area. Regtl vehicles coming in now.	S F
		8	0855 29 Jul	To CG 35th Div: All foot troops 137th Inf closed in new area as of 0850.	F
		9	0915 29 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Closing out old CP as of 0915. New CP open now at 512604.	F
		10	0935 29 Jul	Fr G-2: Plat of Recon Troop is on Div Obj in front of 134th and says no enemy is there. Inf of 134th adv unopposed except by arty. Same goes for 320th. Adv slowly small arty opposition.	S F
		11	1000 29 Jul	To all Bns, AT & Cn Co: Meeting CP tactics at 1430 29 Jul.	F
		12	1400 29 Jul	To Spec Units: Password fr 291200 Jul to 301200 Jul - Emblem-Deprive.	F
		13	1430 29 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: 35th, 5th, & 2d Div attack at 291700 Jul. 5th Div to seize hill 183. 2d Div Vieux Calais, 35th Div high ground E & W of Torigni Sur Vire before dark today. 134th Inf with Co A, 737 Tk Bn and Co A, 60th Eng Det seize outposts and patrol area in their zone. 320th Inf atk seize portions of Div Obj in their zone - seize outpost and patrol. Co C, 737 Tk Bn and Co C 60th Eng atchd 320th. 137th Inf move without delay vic 540590 in Div reserve. Arty priority 320th. Recon troops used to maintain contact with 30th Div on R. EEL is enemy on	





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				line in reported position. Is enemy position in depth 7. Adm details later. Regts select and report CPs. Enemy info - 5th & 8th Para Regts hold line. See overlay. Concentration of arty and AT vic Gieville. The 2d Panzer Div reported in assembly area vic Troisgots.	
		14	1745 29 Jul	Fr Ln O: Atchd overlay shows the location of flank units as of 1330.	S F
		15	1800 29 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Request info of 134th & 320th Inf front lines and enemy strength to their front.	F
		16	1850 29 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Location of our new CP is 537602 Open at 291840 Jul.	F
		17	1910 29 Jul	Fr G-3: Location of friendly troops - 134th 527558 to 557562, 320th 562564 to 578567 as of 291850.	S F
		18	1915 29 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 137th closed in new assembly area at 1915.	F
		19	2010 29 Jul	To CG 35th Div: All foot elements are in new location. Motors will be in in 30 min.	F
		20	2100 29 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 137th Inf in Div reserve. Moved fr assembly area 540590 to new assembly area at vic 536595. Movement commenced at 291700. Completed at 291915.	F
		21	2100 29 Jul	To S-4: 137th plans to move tonight. Units to have breakfast at unit locations by 0700 for sure.	F
				Route of March to assembly area, overlay.	F
				Overlay of 115, 116, & 117th.	F
				Overlay of 175th & CCA	F
				Route of March Overlay.	F
				Adm Order #3.	F
				Situation Overlay, 137th Inf.	F
				G-3 Report #21.	F
				134th Situation Overlay	F
				320th " "	F
				3d Bn Locations Overlay.	F
				Operations Overlay.	F
				Operations Overlay of 3d Bn.	F
				CP locations overlay of 2d Bn.	F
				CP locations overlay of 1st Bn.	F



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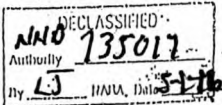
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		4	0130 29 Jul	To: CO 2d & 3d Bn: Movement Order: 1.a. See per rep 134th 320th atk to seize final objective and await orders 137th still in reserve. This regt less 1st Bn moves to area shown on overlay at 290600 July by marching and motor order march and IP see overlay Foot 2d & 2d w/necessary vehicles to carry wpns and CP	S F S
		5	0750 29 Jul	To: CO 735th Ord Co: 105mm dud located at the followint position 524653 Marked with white handkerchief.	F
		6	0820 29 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn closed in new area at 0750 at 0750 waiting now for orders future employments	S F
		7	0850 29 Jul	Fr: Maj Brink: All foot troops are in new area Regtl vehicles coming in now.	S F
		8	0855 29 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: All foot troops 137th Inf closed in new area as of 0850.	S F
		9	0915 29 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Closing out old CP as of 0915 new CP open now at 512604	S F
		1210	1400 29 Jul	To: SP Units: Password from 291200 Jul to 301200 Jul Emblem Deprive.	S F
		1311	1430 29 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: 35th 5th and 2d Div attack at 291700 Jul 5th Div to seize hill 183 2d Div Vieux Calais 35th Div high ground E and W of Torigni Sur Vire before dark today. 134th Inf with Co A 737tk Bn and Co A 60th Engr atchd seize outposts and patrol area in their zone 320th Inf atk seize portions of Div Obj in their zone outpost and patrol. Co C 737th Tk Bn and Co C 60th Engr atchd 320th. 137th Inf move w/out delay vicinity 540590 in Div reserve. Arty priority 320th Recon troops used to maintain contact with 30th Div on R. EEL Is enemy on line in reported position. Is Enemy position in depth 7 adm details later regts select and report <del>off</del> CPs Enemy Info 5th and 8th Para Regts hold line see overlay. Concentration of arty and AT vic Gieville The 2d Panzer Div reported in assembly area vic Troisgots	S F





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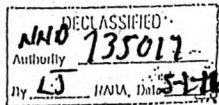
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		15 13	1800 29 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Request info of 134th and 320th Inf front lines and enemy strength to their front	S F
		17 14	1910 29 Jul	Fr: G-3: Location of friendly troops Joplin 527558 extend 557562 Juniper 562564 to 578567 as of 291850	S F
		16 15	1850 29 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Location of our new CP is 537602 open at 291840 Jul	S F
		20 16	2100 29 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 137th Inf in Div reserve moved fr assembly area 540590 to new assembly area at vic 536595 Movement commenced at 291700B completed at 291915B	S F
				Overlay of 115, 116 & 117th	F
				Overlay of 175th and CCA	F
				Route of March overlay	F
				Adm O #3	F
		21 17	2100 29 Jul	To: S-4: Jury plans to move tonight Units to have breakfast at unit locations by 0700 for sure.	S F
				Situation overlay	F
				Situation overlay	F
				G-3 report #21	
				134th Situation overlay	F
				320th " "	F
				3d Bn locations overlay	F
				Operations Overlay	F
				60th Engr Overlay, Mine clearance Operations	F
				2d Bn CP location overlay	F
				Operations overlay	F
		11 18	1000 29 Jul	To: All Bns AT & Cn: Meeting CP Tactics at 1430 29 Jul	S F
				Operations overlay of 3d Bn	F
				CP locations overlay of 2d Bn	F
				CP locations overlay of 1st Bn	F





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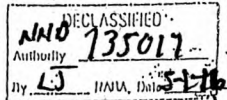
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		18 20	1915 29 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Jury closed in new assembly area at 1915	S F
		19 21	2010 29 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: All foot elements are in new location Motors will be in in 30 min  Route of March $\phi$ to assembly area Overlay	S F  F





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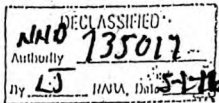
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OUT	IN				
		1	0800 30 Jul	To All Spec Units: Password for period 1200 30 Jul to 1200 31 Jul 44 - Warden-Wampum.	F
		2	0910 30 Jul	To S-4: S-4 will pick up laundry today 30 Jul. TP msg received by our MSG Center stated S-4 would know details.	F
		3	1055 30 Jul	To S-4: QM bath and laundry Co available for this Div fr 31 Jul to 5 Aug. Bath 685705, Laundry 666796. Water point opening 301200 at 527-618. No schedule on baths. Limited amount of clean clothing for units needing them at Bath Co.	F
		4	1200 30 Jul	To S-4: Meeting with G-4 at 1300 today.	F
		5	1455 30 Jul	Fr Div Ln O: The Wise Man & Mounted Police say other people reseme atk to same place at 1800. No TF for you today.	S F
		6	1508 30 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: Have normal billeting party report to Capt Friedman at 531600 to recon new area. Time 1545.	F
		7	1508 30 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Have billeting party report to Capt Friedman on little rd leading to your CP at 1545 to recon new area.	F
		8	1550 30 Jul	To CO 1st Bn: You will post your guides on route. Have officer who will post guides, report to Regt to get route.	F
		9	1800 30 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Attached overlay of 3d Bn.	S F
		10	2000 30 Jul	To G-3: CP location at 528580. All units participating in move closed in except 1st Bn vehicles.	F
		11	2035 30 Jul	To Cpl Johnson, fr S-3: Recommend 3d Bn conduct recon to Conde Sur Vir for routes and bridges etc. Bn COs and 3s to Regtl CP at 2100.	F
		12	2040 30 Jul	To CO 3d Bn: Same as #11.	F
		13	2300 30 Jul	Fr TF Seebree: 1. See overlay & Periodic rpt. 320th atk 0800, XIX atk on R at 0600. 2. TF Seebree atks at 0618 in col of Bns, see overlay for objectives and boundaries. 3. 3d Bn leads cross IP at 0630 w/Engs atchd. Bn in adv guard formation. 1st Bn in reserve move from present area at 0618 to area now occupied by 3d Bn. Tanks and TOs be in assembly shown by 0618 and Ln O report 137th CP. AT Co mobile in present location. Ln with 3d Bn. Cn Co in present location with arty & recon, w/1st Bn Eng FL, 1 plat atchd to 3d Bn w/3 men per recon to I&R plat. Coll Co, see overlay. I&R rt shown to 1st phase line. Recon troops rt to phase line shown EEL. Determine if enemy will withdraw. Determine if enemy will counter-attack. Report all minefields.	S F





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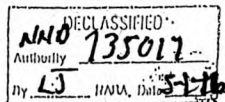
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Place:

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OUT	IN				
		1	0800 Jul	To: All Sp UnitsP Password for period 1200 30 Jul to 1200 31 Jul 44 Warden--Wampum	S F
		2	0910 30 Jul	To: Jury 4: Jury 4 will pick up laundry today 30 Jul TP msg recd by Jur Msg Cntr stated Jury 4 would know details	S F
		3	1055 30 Jul	To: Jury 4: QM Bath and Laundry Co available for this Div fr 31 Jul to 5 Aug Bath 685705 Laundry 666796 Water Point opening 301200 at 527618 No schedule on baths. Limited amount of clean clothing for units needing them at Bath Co	S F
		4	1200 30 Jul	To: Jury 4: Meeting with G-4 at 1300 today.	S F
		5	1455 30 Jul	Fr: Ln O (Div): The Wise Man and Mounted Police say other people resume atk to same place at 1800 No TF for you today.	S F
		6	1508 30 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: Have normal billeting party report to Capt Friedman at 531600 to recon new area Time 1545	S F
		7	1508 30 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Have billeting party report to Capt Friedman on little rd leading to your CP at 1545 to recon new area	S F
		8	1550 30 Jul	To: CO 1st Bn: You will post your guides on route Have officer who will post guides report to Regt to get route	S F
		9	1800 30 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Attached overlay of Jury Blue	S F
		10	2000 30 Jul	To: G-3 35th Div: CP location at 528580 All units participating in move closed in except 1st Bn vehicles.	S F
		11	2035 30 Jul	To: CPL Johnson fr S-3: Recommend 3d Bn conduct recon to Conde Sur Vir for routes and bridges etc. Bn COs and Ss to Regtl CP at 2100	S F
		12	2040 30 Jul	To: CO 3d Bn: Recommend etc., Same as #11	
				2d Bn Overlay	F
				Div Overlay and FO #11	F
		13	2300 30 Jul	FO #11	F
		1314	2300 30 Jul	Fr: TF Seebree: 1. See overlay & periodic rpt b. 320 atk 0800 XIX atk on R at 0600. 2. TF Seebree atks at 0618 in col of bns see overlay for objectives and boundaries. 3. 3d Bn leads cross IP at 0630 w/engrs atchd. Bn in adv grd formation 1st Bn in reserve move from present area at 0618 to area now occupied by 3d Bn Tnks and TOs be in assembly shown by 0618 and Ln O report Jury CP AT Co mobile in present loc Ln with 3d Bn Cn Co in present loc w/artty and recon w/1st Bn Engrs FL, 1 plat atchd to 3d Bn w/3 men per recon to L&R plat. Coll Co See overlay I&R rt shown to 1st phase line recon troops rt to phase line shown EEL determine if enemy will counterattack Determine if enemy will withdraw report all mine fields	S F





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OUT	IN				
		1415	2300 30 Jul	<p>To All Bns: 1. a. Intelligence summary. b. 320 and 134 atk 1800 to seize obj in zone. 2. This regt (-2 Bn) moves to new area at 1715 via routes shown to general new areas with mission of forming TF 31 Jul and atk along Vire 3. a. 1st Bn foot and limited motors move at 1715 along rt B and mtrs along C to new area post own guides b. 3d Bn foot &amp; limited motors follow rt A to new area 1715 c. 2d Bn in reserve remain in present location. d. Cn Co select new firing position and displace by plt. e. Remaining mtrs in order 3d Bn rt A to new area after foot closed 1st move by rt C under 1st MTO. 4. Rations amm release to Bns. 5 CP see overlay Bns select and report by agent.</p>	S F



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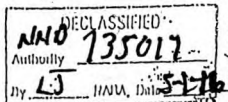
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OUT	IN				
		14	2300 30 Jul	<p>To all Bns: Intelligence summary - 320th &amp; 134 atk 1800 to seize obj in zone. This Regt (-2Bn) moves to new area at 1715 via routes shown to general new areas with mission of forming TF 31 Jul and atk along Vire. 3. 1st Bn foot &amp; limited motors move at 1715 along rt B and mtrs along C to new area. Post own guides. 3d Bn foot &amp; limited motors follow rt A to new area 1715. 2d Bn in reserve remain in present lo- cation. Cn Co select new firing position and displace by plt. Remaining mtrs in order. 3d Bn rt A to new area after foot closed. 1st move by rt C under 1st MTO. Rations, amm release to Bns. CP see overlay. Bns select and report by agent.</p> <p>2d Bn Overlay.</p> <p>Div Overlay &amp; FO #11.</p>	<p>F</p> <p>F</p> <p>F</p>





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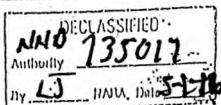
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OUT	IN				
		1	0040 31 Jul	Fr June 2: Re - Jerry bombing - info sent to 219th by VEX. A prisoner made the following statement - Jerry will bomb our front between 12-1 P M, 2-3 P M, 3-4 P M. Signal to begin bombing will be green flares.	S F
		2	0040 31 Jul	To G-2: 137th area receiving aerial bombing.	F
		3	0127 31 Jul	To all Bns: Enemy activity in the area of 521-525. Possible gun positions and points of obs. 219th prepared to fire on call. 3d Bn 0130. 2d Bn 0140, 1st Bn 0144.	F
		4	0200 31 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0200.	F
		5	0300 31 Jul	To CO 735th Recon: Pyrotechnic signal for I am friendly is AN-M 44 single star yellow. No other pyrotechnics to be used. Can be used to lift friendly arty fire.	F
		6	0550 31 Jul	To G-2: Enemy planes still overhead.	F
		7	0555 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Moving fr assembly area to IP.	S F
		8	0600 31 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn will close out fr present location at 0618.	S F
		9	0700 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Head of Col 1000 yds W of RR. Have contact with 1st Bn.	S F
		10	0712 31 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0700.	F
		11	0720 31 Jul	Fr I&R, 137th: NR1 our location KO GN KM JF BQ Sounds of CD our EA 0720.	S F
		12	0730 31 Jul	Fr I&R, 137th: NR2 Hq contacted IJ KD EH KF JP 0730.	S F
		13	0730 31 Jul	Fr G-2: Request info. Report Negative.	S F
		14	0740 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 535545 and 531543. 3d Bn held up by MG fire at 535545. I&R held up by MG fire at 531543.	S F
		15	0755 31 Jul	Fr I&R, 137th: NR3 Hq heard DD RG EA contacted IJ JO KO HG KF NO BH 0755.	S F
		16	0757 31 Jul	Fr Ln O Kullander: 2d Bn 134th has relieved 23d Bn. Co F has contact with 3d Bn, 137th Inf.	S F
		17	0805 31 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 0800.	F
		18	0811 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Recon Plat encountered auto fire at 543543.	S F
		19	0812 31 Jul	Fr CO 2d Bn: Bn closed into area at 529571.	S F
		20	0820 31 Jul	To G-2: Recon Plat encountered auto fire at 543543. Head of column 1000yds W of RR 534558.	F
		21	0830 31 Jul	To G-2: 3d Bn held up by MG fire at 535545. I&R held up by MG fire at 531543.	F





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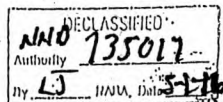
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OUT	IN				
		22	0854 31 Jul	To G-3: Reported 2 MG positions at 535543 & 531543.	F
		23	0900 31 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Enemy resistance practically non-existent in front of 320th. Col Miltonberger thinks enemy has fired last salvo. Hopes that we can push forward rapidly as planned. 2d Div moving practically unopposed.	S F
		24	0928 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn moving forward.	S F
		25	0935 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn at 535545 and moving forward at 0930.	F
		26	0940 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Blue point at 535543.	F
		27	0950 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: One plat adv to 518530. Leading elements of main column at bridge 500 yds S of Fontaines.	S F
		28	1005 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: One plat adv to 538530. Leading elements of main column at bridge 500 yds S of Les Fontaines. Co L vic of LaRogue. 1 squad Co I 533555. No mines encountered - scattered arty fire. Believed to be screening force.	F
		29	1035 31 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: 2 enemy 88s at 532534.	S F
		30	1045 31 Jul	Fr G-2: 2d Div patrols across E Torigni Sur Vire rd. No opposition.	S F
		31	1100 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3 enemy PWs taken 3d Bn. I&R going after them.	S F
		32	1205 31 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1200.	F
		33	1220 31 Jul	Fr I&R, 137th: 3d Bn held up at phase line R by auto and arty fire. Preparing now for a coordinated attack with tanks.	S F
		34	1225 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 3d Bn held up at phase line R by auto wpns & arty fire. Preparing coordinated attack with tanks.	
		35	1230 31 Jul	To G-2: Requested enemy info fr Custom rear at 5252.	F
		36	1230 31 Jul	Fr CG V Corps: Request location of your Bns.	S F
		37	1230 31 Jul	To CG V Corps: Location of our Bns as of 1200 - 3d Bn 534537, 1st Bn 533558, 2d Bn is in assembly area 538570.	F
		38	1240 31 Jul	Fr G-2: Friendly line of adv to 593538-604534-624530.	S F
		39	1250 31 Jul	Fr G-2: Enemy activity vic 5252.	S F
		40	1300 31 Jul	Fr G-3: Location of units as of 1200 - Ivanhoe 502542-620537-640537, Custom 483508-503513-518-526, Juniper 571548-580553-590543.	S F
		41	1315 31 Jul	Fr G-3: 30th Div reports plat fr 137th was driven W of river into their zone by enemy vic 518534. Check and report.	S F





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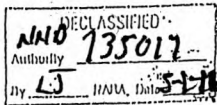
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OUT	IN				
		42	1330 31 Jul	To all Bns: OP 133 and strong point 538516.	F
		43	1345 31 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Request civilians at 533567 be removed. Capt Snider contacted.	S F
		44	1350 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Prisoner reports 3 para companies vic 508542. Co L now just below bridge.	S F
		45	1407 31 Jul	To G-2: Civilian Source - Town Val De Vire - Bridge constructed of iron. Some Germans there with 400 American prisoners.	F
		46	1407 31 Jul	To G-2: Civilian Source: House 500 meters S of church at Brectouville 544526. German Hq.	F
		47	1407 31 Jul	To G-2: Civilian source: Breville 561507 chateau. Arty at the above location - 75mm.	F
		48	1407 31 Jul	To G-2: PW claims 2 to 3 Cossack Div approx 3000 men were supposed to have attacked N along Vire R in vic of Vil de Vire. 31 dug - poorly organized.	F
		49	1407 31 Jul	To G-2: 3 PW captured at 518529. From 8 Co, 4 Regt, 3d Para Div. 3d Para Div as Inf Div. PW states - rumor of total warfare 31 Jul 44. MIR 300 to 500 yds behind outpost line. PW states he saw many rocket launchers enroute to Caen area.	F
		50	1407 31 Jul	To G-2: OP & strong point 538516. Source French civilian.	F
		51	1415 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Our front lines now 528541 - 537-535.	S F
		52	1417 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: My bn is now La Grette have houses. Five tanks are out of amm. Will cont the attack.	S F
		53	1430 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Maj Stansbury requests evacuation of civilians in his area.	S F
		54	1550 31 Jul	Fr Div Radio: To Justice fr Juniper. Est contact with enemy at 582527 at 1515.	S F
		55	1612 31 Jul	To G-2: Negative report as of 1600.	F
		56	1620 31 Jul	Fr Div Radio: Justice fr Juniper. Est contact with enemy at 582527-595519-5719.	S F
		57	1700 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: 3d Bn receiving 88 fire, 3 rds at 537548 fr az of 215°. Time 1650.	S F
		58	1725 31 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Expenditures of amm for Inf wpns authorized for period 010600 Aug to 020600 Aug. Same as for period 310600 Jul to 010600 Aug.	S F
		59	1730 31 Jul	To 1st & 3d Bn: Close up Bn by 2100 and consolidate position as near to enemy as possible.	F





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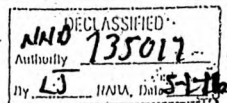
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		3237	1205 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Neg rpt 1200	S F
		3338	1220 31 Jul	Fr: I&R: Blue held up at Phase line R by auto and arty fire preparing now for a coordinated attack with tanks.	S F
		3439	1225 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 3d Bn held up at Phase line R by auto wpns& arty fire preparing coordinated attack with tanks	S F
		3540	1230 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Requested enemy info fr Custom Re ar a 5252	S F
		3841	1240 31 Jul	Fr: Justice 2: Friendly line of adv to 593538 604534 624530	S F
		3942	1250 31 Jul	Fr: Justice 2: Enemy activity vic 5252	S F
		4243	1330 31 Jul	To: All Bns: OP 133 and strong point 538516	S F
		4344	1345 31 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Request <del>call</del> civilians at 533 567 be removed Capt Snider contacted.	S F
		5345	1430 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Maj Stansbury requests evacuation of civilians in his area	S F
		4546	1407 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Civilian Source: Town: Val De Vire Bridge constructed of iron Some <del>that</del> Germans there with 400 American prisoners.	S F
		4647	1407 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Civilian Source: House 500 meters S of church at Brectouville 544526 German Hq	S F
		4748	1407 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Civilian source: Breville 561507 chateau arty at the above location 75mm	S F
		4849	1407 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: PW claims 2 to 3 Cossack Div approx 3000 men were supposed to have attacked N along Vire R in vic of Vil De Vire 31 dug poorly organized.	S F
		4950	1403 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: 1. 3 PW captured at 518529 2. from 8 Co 4 Reg 3 Para Div. 3. 3 Para Div Inf Div 4. PW states "Rumor of <del>that</del> total warfare 31 Jul 44 5. MIR 300 to 500 yds behind outpost line 6. PW states he saw many rocket launchers in route to Caen area	S F
		5051	1407 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: OP & strong point 538516 Source French Civilian	S F
		5152	1415 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Our front lines now 528541 - 537535	S F
		5253	1417 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: My bn is now La Crette have houses five tanks are out of ammo will cont the attack	S F
		54	1550 31 Jul	Fr: Div Rad: To Justice fr Juniper Est contact with enemy at 582527 at 1515	S F
		55	1612 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Neg report	S F
		56	1620 31 Jul	Fr: Div Rad: Justice fr Juniper Est <del>cton</del> contact with enemy at 582527-595519-5719	S F





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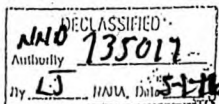
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OUT	IN				
		60	1735 31 Jul	Fr I&R: Jig 2 committed by passage of lines thru Jig 1. Heavy 88 fire on CP.	S F
		61	1815 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Tanks fired into troops and lines now N of stream. Co I on R and Co K on left. Co L now 534534 advancing E.	S F
		62	1830 31 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Location of our units now - 3d Bn N of stream vic 535535. I on R, K on left. Co L vic 534534. 1st Bn on rd S of RJ at 537-551. Will report when Bn reaches LeFetz.	S F
		63	1830 31 Jul	Fr G-3: Other lines are Juniper in column Bns 3-2-1. Leading Bn Just N of Les Valleees vic 590520. Joplin in column Bns 1-2-3. Leading Bn now 565530. Enemy MLR reported vic LaLage Les Montagnes.	S F
		64	1850 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Our CP location now 536548.	S F
		65	1900 31 Jul	Fr Maj Clark: Gen Seebree sending Col Greer to 1st Bn to accompany Lt Col Stowers. Wants us to send officer to 3d Bn to accompany 3d Bn. Must push the attack as hard as possible until 2230. Dig in, secure and consolidate patrol to the front and prepare to resume attack at dawn tomorrow.	S F
		66	1945 31 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: March CP now 538537. Leading Co fired on by MGs and mortars. Held up 500 yds S of CP.	S F
		67	1945 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn leading Co now 538532. Held up by MG and mortar. Bn is attacking now.	F
		68	2005 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2000.	F
		69	2100 31 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Div Field Order - 134th Inf cont atk 312130 Jul. Task force S & 320th Inf cont atk until 2230. Dig in & patrol to front. Maintain contact with enemy and if enemy withdraws follow him closely. Do not lose contact task force S & 320 Inf. Resume atk 010530 Aug 134th Inf 010800 Aug. Co A 60th Eng direct support of 134 Inf. Other atchments remain the same. Zones and obj as modified by overlay. No change.	S F
		70	2130 31 Jul	Fr 3d Bn: 2 MGs and several light mortars at 540530 at 1900. Will send out patrols to Brectouville after 2400.	S F
		71	2140 31 Jul	To G-2: 2 MGs and several light mortars at 54530 at 1900.	F
		72	2245 31 Jul	To G-2: MG fire reports at 510580. Div Recon granted permission to investigate the firing.	F
		73	2300 31 Jul	Fr CO 3d Bn: Cos I & K are on high ground. of Initial obj. Co L vic LaRoque.	S F





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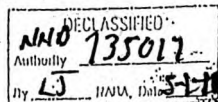
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		74	2320 31 Jul	Fr CO 1st Bn: Receiving very heavy arty and mortar fire along entire front. Enemy shooting up flares.	S F
		75	2345 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: 1st Bn reports very heavy arty and mortar fire along entire front. Also enemy shooting up flares.	
		76	2345 31 Jul	Fr G-2: Tanks seen at 560460 at 2230.	S F
		77	2350 31 Jul	To CO 219th FA: Same as #76.	F
		78	2400 31 Jul	To CG 35th Div: Negative report as of 2400. Enemy planes over area.	F
				Mine clearance overlay, 60th Eng Bn.	F
				S-2 Report #19.	F
				G-3 Report #22 fr 300001 Jul to 302400 Jul.	F





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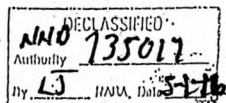
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		7-1	0555 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Moving fr assembly area to IP	S F
		8-2	0600 31 Jul	Fr: CO 2d Bn: 2d Bn will close out from present location at 0618	S F
		9-3	0700 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Head of Col 1000 yds W of RR Have contact with 1st Bn	S F
				2d Bn CP Overlay	F
		16-4	0757 31 Jul	Fr: LIA O (Kullander): 2d Bn 134th has relieved 3d Bn F Co has contact with 3d Bn 137th Inf	S F
		18-5	0811 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Rcn Plt encountered auto fire at 543543	S F
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		14-7	0740 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: 535545 and 531543 3d Bn held up by MG fire at 535545 I&R held up by MG fire at 531543	S F
		23-8	0900 31 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Enemy resistance practicably non existant in front of 320th Col Miltonberger thanks enemy has fired last salvo Hopes that we can push forward rapidly as planned. 2d Div moving practically unopposed.	S F
		22-9	0854 31 Jul	To: G-3 35th Div: Rpta two MG positions at 535543 & 531543	S F
		24-10	0928 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Jury Blue moving fwd	S F
		25-11	0935 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 3d Bn at 535545 and moving fwd at 0930	S F
		26-12	0940 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Blue point at 535543	S F
				Operations Overlay	
		27-13	0950 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: One plat adv to 518530 Leading elements of main column at bride 500 yds S of Fontaines	S F
		30-14	1045 31 Jul	Fr: G-2 35th Div: 2d Div patrols across E Torigni Sur Vire Rd no opposition.	S F
		11-15	0720 31 Jul	Fr: I&R Jury: NR1 our location KO EN KM JF BQ sounds of CD our EA 0720	S F
		12-16	0730 31 Jul	Fr: I&R Jury: NR2 Hq contacted IJ KD EH KF JP 0730	S F
		15-17	0755 31 Jul	Fr: I&R Jury: NR3 Hq heard DD RG EA contacted IJ JO KO HG KF NO BH 0755	S F
		36-18	1230 31 Jul	Fr: CG V Corps: Request loc tion of your Bns	S F





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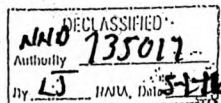
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OUT	IN				
		37-19	1230 31 Jul	To: CG V Corps: Location of our bns as of 1200 Blue Bn 534537 Red Bn 533558 White is in assembly are 538570	S F
		40-20	1300 31 Jul	Fr: G-3 35th Div: Location of units as of 1200 Ivanhoe 592542-620537 640537 Custom 483508-503513 518526 Juniper 571548-580553 590543	S F
		44-21	1315 31 Jul	Fr: G-3 35th Div: 30 Div reports platoon from 137th was driven W of river into their zone by by enemy vic 518534 check and report.	S F
		44-22	1350 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Prisoner reports 3 para companies vic 508542 L Co now just below bridge.  Situation overlay	S F
		2-23	0040 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Jury area receiving aerial bombing	S F
		1-24	0040 31 Jul	Fr: June 2: Re: Jerry bombing--info sent to June by VEX A prisoner made the following statement "Jerry will bomb our front bet 12-1 pm 2-3 pm 3-4pm Signal to begin bombing will be green flares.	S F
		3-25	0127 31 Jul	To: All Bns: Enemy activity in the are of 521525 Possible gun positions and points of obsv June prepared to fire on call. Jury Blue 0130 Jury White 0140 Jury Red 0144	S F
		4-26	0200 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Neg report 0200	S F
		5-27	0300 31 Jul	To: CO 735 Ren: Pyrotechnic signal for I am friendly is AN-M 44 Single star yellow No other pyrotechnics to be used Can be used to lift friendly arty fire.	S F
		6-28	0550 31 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Enemy planes still overhead	S F
		10-29	0712 31 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: Neg rpt	S F
		13-30	0730 31 Jul	Fr: Justice 2: Request info Report Neg	S F
		17-31	0805 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Neg report	S F
		21-32	0830 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: 1. Jury Blue held up by MG fire at 535545. 2. I&R held up by MG fire at 531543	S F
		20-33	0820 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: Ren plt encountered auto fire at 543543. Head of column 1000 yds W of RR 534558	S F
		28-34	1005 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: One plat adv to 538530 leading elements of main col at bridge 500 yds S of Les Fontaines L Co vic of La Rogue 1 sq I Co 533555 No mines encountered scattered arty fire Believed to be screening force.	S F
		29-35	1035 31 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: 2 enemy 88 at 532534	S F
		31-36	1100 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: 3 enemy PWs taken 3d Bn I&R going for them	





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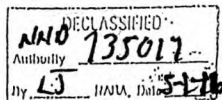
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		57	1700 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Jury Blue receiving 88 fire 3 rds at 537548 fr az of 215 degrees Time 1650	S F
		58	1725 31 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Expenditures of amm for inf wpns authorized for period 010600 Aug to 020600 Aug same as for period 310600 Jul to 01600 Aug 44	S F
		59	1730 31 Jul	To: 1st & 3d Bn: Close up Bn by 2100 and consolidate position as near to enemy as possible	S F
		60	1735 31 Jul	Fr: I&R: Jig two committed by passage of lines through Jig one hvy 88 fire on CP	S F
		61	1815 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Tanks fired into troops and lines now N of stream I Co on R and K on left L Co now 524534 adv E	S F
		62	1830 31 Jul	Fr: CG 35th Div: Location of our units now blue Bn N of stream vic 535535 I on R K on left L Co vic 524534 Red Bn on rd S of RJ at 537551 will report when bn reach s LeFetz	S F
		63	1830 31 Jul	Fr: G-3 35th Div: Other lines are Juniper in colm bns 3-2-1 leading Bn just N of Les Valleees Vic 590520 Joplin in colm bns 1-2-3 leading Bn now 565530 Enemy MLR report vic La Lage Les Montagnes	S F
		64	1850 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Our CP ocation now 536548	S F
		65	1900 31 Jul	Fr: Maj Clark: Gen Seebree sending Col Greer to 1st Bn to accompany Lt Col Stowers wants us to send officer to 3d Bn to accompany 3d Bn: Must push the attack as hard as possible until 2230 dig in secure and consolidate patrol to the front and prepare to resume attack at dawn tomorrow	S F
		66	1945 31 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: March CP now 538537 leading Co fired on by MGs and mortars held up 500 yds S of CP	S F
		67	1945 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: 1st Bn leading Co now 538532 held up by MG and mortar Bn is attacking now	S F
		68	2005 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Neg <del>1200</del> report 2000	S F
		70-59	2130 31 Jul	Fr: 3d Bn: 2 Mgs and seven light mortars at 540530 at 1900 will send out patrols to Brectouville after 2400	S F
		71-60	2140 31 Jul	To: G-2 35th Div: 2 MGs and several light mortars at 540530 at 1900	S F
		72-61	2245 31 Jul	To: Justice 2: MG fire reports at 510580 Justice rcn granted permission to investigate the firing.	S F
		73-62	2300 31 Jul	Fr: CO 3d Bn: Co I & K are on high ground initial obj Co L vic LaRoque	S F
		74-63	2320 31 Jul	Fr: CO 1st Bn: Receiving very hvy arty and mortar fire along entire front enemy shooting up flares	S F
		75-64	2345 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Jury red reports very hvy arty and mortar fire along entire front also enemy shooting up flares.	S F





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		76 75	2345 31 Jul	Fr: Justice 2: Tanks seen at 560460 at 2230 Vex	S F
		77 76	2350 31 Jul	To: CO June: Same as #65	
		78 77	2400 31 Jul	To: CG 35th Div: Neg rpt 2400 enemy planes over area	S F
				Mine clearance overlay 60th Engr Bn	F
				S-2 Report #19	F
				G-3 Report #22 fr 300001 Jul to 302400 Jul.	F
		69 78	2100 31 Jul	Fr CG 35th Div: Div Field Order - 134th Inf cont atk 312130 Jul. Task force S & 320 Inf cont atk until 2230. Dig in & patrol to front. Maintain contact with enemy and if enemy withdraws follow him closely. Do not lose contact task force S & 320 Inf. Resume atk 010530 Aug 134th Inf 010800 Aug. Co A 60th Eng direct support of 134 Inf. Other attachments remain the same. Zones and obj as modified by overlay. No change.	S F