

S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 1 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 1 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 St Pierre
 1800, 2 Dec 1944

No 10.

Map: France, 1/100,000.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: None.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Assembly area in St Pierre.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: No change.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, scattered rains, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 B-94 made reconnaissance of woods West of Epfig in which civilians reported Arty battery. Reported battery had left position.
 B Company attached to 410 Inf Regt, 103 Div, in afternoon.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: None.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	10			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: 3 tks with 76 guns: (1 to A Co
 (2 to B Co
 Trfd one M4 Tk w/105 fr A to Hq Co.



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Fr: 0001, 2 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 2 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim, France
 1800, 3 Dec 1944

No 11.

Map:

1. OUR FRONT LINE: --
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac, Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS:
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Rainy, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: None.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	10			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 3 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 3 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim, France
 1800, 4 Dec 1944

No 12.

Map: No change.

2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change.

3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: No change.

4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, rain, visibility poor.

5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: No change.

6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.

7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: No change.

8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	9		1	
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	10		1	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 4 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 4 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim, France
 1800, 5 Dec 1944

No 13.

Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2.

1. LOCATION OF FRONT LINE: None.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac, Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, rain, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: None.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: None.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	7			
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REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 5 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 5 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim, France
 1800, 6 Dec 1944

No 14.

Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: None.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac, Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Partly cloudy, visibility fair.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: None.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: None.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	7	1	3	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 6 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 6 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim
 1800, 7 Dec 1944

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Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: None.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT TROOPS AND SUPPORTING UNITS. None.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, rain, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD.
 - A. 2-B-25 (Lt Hyde) ordered by Div to reinforce 94 in vic Weyersheim. Moved out at 1715, combat loaded, to proceed on mission.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: None.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Operatable</u>	<u>In 24 Hrs</u>	<u>Over 24 Hrs</u>	<u>Lost</u>
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	10		1	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 7 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 7 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim
 1800, 8 Dec 1944

No 16.

Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: None.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bicouac Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: None.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, some rain, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 - a. 2-B-25 still attached to 94, in vic Weyersheim. Fired approx 26 rounds large cal ammunition on town of Gaubsheim. Received small amount of AT fire from town of Gaubsheim, believed to be 88's.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: None.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Operatable</u>	<u>In 24 Hrs</u>	<u>Over 24 Hrs</u>	<u>Lost</u>
Hq	M4 Tk 76	2			
	M4 Tk 105	3			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	10		1	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 8 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 8 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim
 1800, 9 Dec 1944

No 17.

Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: None
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac, Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Rain, cloudy, visibility fair.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD.
 - a. 2-B-25 returned to 25 control at 1815.
 - b. 3 Platoon C Co operated in vic Guedertheim, Weyersheim, Hoerdt, purpose being to create noise indicating large tank concentration.
 - c. S-2 & Rcn Section made reconnaissance of area Guedertheim, Brumath, Weitbruch, Weyersheim, Kurtzenhauser to locate roads and areas suitable for movement of tanks.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS. ----
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Operatable</u>	<u>In 24 Hrs</u>	<u>Over 24 Hrs</u>	<u>Lost</u>
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1	7			
	M5	10			



REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 9 Dec 44
 Tg: 2400, 9 Dec 44
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim, France
 1800, 10 Dec 44

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Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2

1. OUR FRONT LINE: -----
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac, Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, Rain, Visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: - Lt Day and Section Rcn made reconnaissance of roads, etc; vic Brumath, Weyersheim, Greis. (Rcn report to CCA separate)
 Capt Patton and 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ -tons; 2 $2\frac{1}{2}$ -tons; 3 halftracks; operated in vic Brumath entire day to indicate large movement of vehicles and equipment.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: -----
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	3			
	M4 Tk 75	11	1		
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	7			
	M5 Tk	10	1		

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 11 Dec 44
 To: 2400, 11 Dec 44
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim, France
 0001, 12 Dec 44

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Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2

1. OUR FRONT LINE: --
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac in Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY - Cloudy, Rain, Visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: Normal ~~attachments~~ for Road Fighting Formation completed.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	5			
	M4 Tk 75	12			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	3	2		
	M5 Tk	8			

B Company with other column.

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: Two M4 Tanks with 76 guns to A Company.

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Fr: 0001, 12 Dec 44
 To: 2400, 12 Dec 44
 25th Tank Battalion
 Reidheim, France
 0001, 13 Dec 44

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Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2

1. OUR FRONT LINE —
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bivouac, Reidheim.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Partly cloudy, rain in morning, clear afternoon,
 Visibility Good.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: None.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: None.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	5			
	M5 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B Company with other column					
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
	Tk Dozer	1 (detached fr A Co)			
D	M5A1 Tk	5			
	M5 Tk	8 (1 Plat attached to 62 AIB)			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 13 Dec 44
 To: 2400, 13 Dec 44
 25th Tank Battalion
 Surbourg, France
 0001, 14 Dec 44

No 21.

Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: --
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Fighting Formation, in column, on road Reidheim, Hockfeldon, Hagueau, Surbourg.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS:
 CCB in front of our column
 25 rear of 62.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, visibility fair.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: Outpost established in Schwabwiller consisting of 1-B-94, 1-A-62 & 3-D-25.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	5			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	With other column				
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
	Tk Dozer	1 (detached from A Co)			
D	M5A1 Tk	5			
	M5 Tk	8 (One Flat with other column)			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 14 Dec 44
To: 2400, 14 Dec 44
25th Tank Battalion
Vic Hunsbach
0001, 15 Dec 1944

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Map: France, 1/100,000, Sheet V2

1. OUR FRONT LINE: Patrols in Oberseebach, main body on road between Oberseebach and Hunsbach.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: In column on road.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: CCB on right - 62 on Left.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cold, Fair, visibility good.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: Moved out from Surbourg 0800, captured towns of Hermerswiller, Hofen, and Hunsbach, patrols in Oberseebach. Column held up by blown bridge at V161 405 at 1340. Bridge constructed at 1715 & column moved out. Bridge broke at 1900. Treadway called up to repair same.

One PW captured at Hunsbach.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: Took town of Hermerswiller, Hoffen, Hunsbach, Patrol in Oberseebach.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76	5			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	0			
B	With other column				
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	5			
	M5 Tk	8 (One Flat with other column)			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 15 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 15 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
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 2400, 15 Dec 44

No 23

Map: France, 1/25,000, Wissenburg

1. OUR FRONT LINE: 1746
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: A-62 dug in along RR tracks protecting bridge. AG Platoon, 1st Platoon D-25, C-25, deployed off road South of RR.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS:
 62 Column on left.
 CCB small patrol attempting to enter Schleital.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cold, cloudy, visibility poor due to fog.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 Column moved from vic Hunsbach 1730, seized towns of Oberseebach, Gertershof and bridge crossing over RR at 172 455. Ten prisoners captured, 7 at Oberseebach, 3 at Hunsbach. Two of our light tanks knocked out by German tank vic bridge over RR. One German tank knocked out by Inf bazooka fire. Received Atry, Mortar and small arms fire in fairly large quantity about 1630. Six German tanks seen on road vic RJ 171 463 at 1630. Three road blocks encountered and cleared this morning at (1) 185 425; (2) 184 430; (3) 180 434.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: Seized towns of Oberseebach, Gertershof, and bridge crossing over RR at 172 455. Stopped enemy counterattack which was launched at 1630.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76 (
	M4 Tk 75 (With other column				
	M4 Tk 105 (
B	M4 Tk 76 (
	M4 Tk 75 (With other column				
	M4 Tk 105(
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	3			
	M5 Tk	6 (one platoon with other column)			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major S-3



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Fr: 01, 16 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 16 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Weissenburg.
 2400, 16 Dec 1944

No 24.

Map: France, 1/500,000, Weissenburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: 177 488.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Infantry outposting line with 1 Plat C Co. Rest of column on road in Weissenburg.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: 62 entrenched at Rechterbach.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Partly cloudy, visibility good.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: Attacked jumped off at 0745, ran into RR overpass blown and blocking road at 166 474. Inf patrols entered Weissenburg at 1000. Road block cleared at 1100. Column moved in and occupied town of Altenstatt. Four PWs captured. Bridge blown across river in Altenstatt at 171 480. Infantry crossed river and established bridgehead. Column moved back through Weissenburg to E toward Schweighofen. Endefended road block encountered and removed at 165 488. Leading elements fired on by one AT gun estimated to be 88 firing from Wedge of Schweighofen. AT gun protected by small arms and automatic weapons fire, Time 1730. Attack halted for night at this point.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: Occupied town of Alterstatt, Patrols in Weissenburg relieved by 62.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	In CGA Res				
B	With 62 Col				
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	3			
	M5 Tk	6			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 17 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 17 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Kapsweyer
 2400, 17 Dec 1944

No 25.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Weissenburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: East edge of town of Kapsweyer.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: In town of Kapsweyer & outposting front line.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: —
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Clear, visibility excellent.

5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:

Attack continued at 0745 from Road Fighting Formation. Moved through town of Schweighofen at 1035. Received fire from Kapsweyer. At 1130 all vehicles (-Tks) moved back to vic Oberseebach to allow bombing mission on Steinfeld. Mission not successful as approximately 120 medium bombers bombed points to North of objective. Heavy enemy Arty and small arms fire on Kapsweyer at 1530. Attack halted for night at 1730. In afternoon Bn moved into Kapsweyer. Advance element found dragon teeth fortification West edge Steinfeld, beyond that large crater in road. Engrs and Inf went forward after dark to blow out dragon teeth and if possible tread way bridge across crater. A-62 relieved by A-68 during night.

6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.

7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: Captured towns of Windhof, Schweighofer, Kapsweyer. Two German prisoners captured at Schweighofen.

8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	2	1 (non battle)		
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	In CCA Res				
B	In 62 Col				
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	3			
	M5 Tk	6			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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Fr: 0001, 18 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 18 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Kapsweyer
 2400, 18 Dec 1944

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Map: France, 1/50,000, Weissenburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: East edge of town of Kapsweyer.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Two Platoons C Co outposting S Edge of town
 AC Platoon between these platoons:
 One Platoon C Co outposting E edge of town
 D Co outposting N edge of town
 A-68 (-) outposting roads from N & NW.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS. —
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, visibility poor.
5. OUT OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 At 0100, 10 man patrol with S-2 and 94 Rcn Pl Ldr made reconnaissance through dragons teeth on W edge of Steinfeld. Counted seven rows.
 At 0200, Engr Platoon with Sqd of Inf went forward to blow path through dragons teeth and reached point 30 feet from pillboxes. There received heavy MG and small arms fire. Captured one German OP sentinel and withdrew.
 At 0830 one 105 went practically to edge of dragons teeth to fire and observe fire on pillboxes. Intense Arty fire caused withdrawal.
 During day patrols from A-68 attempted to clear town of snipers. Med Tanks and 105's fired intermittently all day with no apparent effect on defenses.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: Determined strength and type of defenses on road leading from W into Steinfeld. Captured one prisoner.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	In CCA Res				
B	In 62 Col				
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	3			
	M5 Tk	6			



REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major S-3

S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 19 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 19 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Salmbach
 2400, 19 Dec 1944

No 27.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Weissenburg Sheet

1. OUR FRONT LINE: Line Schleithal - Salmbach
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: B-C-25; A-19 in Schleithal
 Hq Co in Salmbach
 B-25; 2-B-125 in Oberlauterbach.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: 48 in Kapsweyer
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY - Partly cloudy, visibility fair.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 Bn remained in position in Kapsweyer. During morning intermittent firing by 76's and 105's on pill boxes.
 Bn relieved by 48th at 1300 and moved to vic Salmbach.
 Patrols of A-19 operating to N & NW. Assigned to CCB.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: ---
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	Attached to 19 Inf				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	3			
	M5 Tk	11			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 20 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 20 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Scheithal
 2400, 20 Dec 1944

No 28

Map: France, 1/50,000, Weissenburg Sheet

1. OUR FRONT LINE: W to E edge of Scheithal.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: A-19; C-25, Hq-25, D-25, in town of Scheithal.
 B-25 in town of Oberlauterbach
 2-B-125 in town of Oberlauterbach.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: 48 to N in Kapsweyer.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD: Bn relocated as in par 2.
 From 1630 to 1745 tanks from D-25, C-25 and AG Platoon and B-25 employed indirect fire, firing to N. B Company fired indirect fire to N from Oberlauterbach. Fired 6 rounds each from 75's, 76's and 105's, 50 cal MG fired 200 rounds each. This firing on CCB order.
 Infantry patrols operated in woods to N from Lauter River.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	Attached to 19 AIB				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	9		1	
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	4			
	M5 Tk	7	1		

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 21 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 21 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Schleithal
 2400, 21 Dec 1944

No 29.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Wiessemburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: No change.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: No change.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, visibility poor.

5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:

Inf patrols operated to N during day, findings negative.

Inf patrol of 1 Sect and two men from 2-B-125 left at 2100 patrolling to N with mission of contacting 48th in Schweighofen. To return 0100.

Tanks demonstrated at 2100 - 2300 at intervals racing motors to give impression that large tank concentration is forming.

B Company fired 30 rounds large ammunition per tank at 2000 - 2100 on targets to North. (Indirect fire)

6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.

7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: —

8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76				
	M4 Tk 75 (Atchd to other col)				
	M4 Tk 105				
B	M4 Tk 76	6	1		
	M4 Tk 75	8	2		
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	10	2		

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 22 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 22 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Schleithal
 2400, 22 Dec 1944

No 30.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Wissemburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: No change.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: No change.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Partly cloudy, visibility poor most of day.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:

Patrol from A-19 composed of 1 Sect and 2 men from 2-B-25 patrolled woods to North leaving at 0100.

Patrol from A-19 same as above left at 0700.

Patrol from A-19 same as above left at 1300.

Rcn Plat-25 maintained listening posts on Lauter River and vicinity on 24 hour schedule.

Took over D-94 patrols and outposts at 0800.

Tanks from B-25 employed indirect fire at 1200 firing on targets to North in vicinity Steinfeld - Schaidt and in woods South of these towns. Result of firing unknown.

Tanks from C Company and AG Platoon fired indirect fire from vic Schleithal on targets as in par above, fired 20 rounds per large caliber weapon and 200 rounds per .50 caliber MG. Results of firing unknown due to no observation.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	Atchd to 19 AIB				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	9			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major S-3



S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 23 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 23 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Schleithal
 2400, 23 Dec 1944

No 31.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Wissemburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: No change.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS. --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, cold, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 Tanks from C Company fired indirect fire at 1400.
 AG Platoon fired indirect fire at 1400.
 Targets - Arty Btry, Regt CP, and Inf dug in with MG's defending pillbox.
 This information of enemy positions obtained through PW's, air observation
 and sounding. Results of firing unknown due to no observation.
 Inf patrols relieved at 1300. Results of patrols during day prior to 1300
 negative.
 Bn partly relieved by 79 Inf Div. To be completely relieved tomorrow.
 Mortar Platoon fired 50 rounds on estimated targets to North at 1400.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	1	1		
A	With other unit				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	5			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	12			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III,
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 24 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 24 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Rittershoffen
 2400, 24 Dec 1944

No 32.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Wissenburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: --
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Rittershoffen.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Clear, visibility good.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 Moved from Schleithal to Rittershoffen. Moved beginning at 1700. Bn CP established in house on E edge of town. Relieved by 79th Inf Div in Schleithal. Division went to VI Corps Reserve. Bn closed in Rittershoffen 2220.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	Atchd to other col.				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	12			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 25 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 25 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Rittershoffen
 2400, 25 Dec 1944

No 33.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Wissemburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: --
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Rittershoffen
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Clear, cold, windy, visibility good.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 Bivouac in Rittershoffen.
 All roads leading into town blocked and all persons entering are questioned and required to prove their identity.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	M4 Tk 76)) With other unit.			
	M4 Tk 75)				
	M4 Tk 105)				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	12			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 26 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 26 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Rittershoffen
 2400, 26 Dec 1944.

No 34.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Wissemburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: No change.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Clear, visibility excellent.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 Road blocks on all roads leading into town maintained 24 hours a day.
 No person or persons allowed to pass without proper identification.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	1	1		
A	M4 Tk 76) M4 Tk 75) M4 Tk 105)	With other unit (19th)			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	10		2	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III,
 Major, 25th Tank Bn,
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 27 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 27 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Rittersshoffen
 2400, 27 Dec 1944

No 35.

Map: 1/50,000, Wissemburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: No change.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: No change.
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Clear, visibility good.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 All persons entering town checked for proper identification. Guards maintained 24 hours a day on all roads leading into town.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: —
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	1		1	
A	M4 Tk 76) M4 Tk 75) M4 Tk 105)	With other unit (19th)			
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	11		1	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 28 Dec 1944, 0001
 To: 28 Dec 1944, 2400
 25th Tank Battalion
 Rittershoffen
 2400, 28 Dec 1944

No 36.

Map: France, 1/50,000, Wissenburg Sheet.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: No change
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: —
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Clear, visibility good.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 All persons entering town checked for proper identification. Training Schedules put in effect by all companies, running from 0830 - 1630.
 Subjects stressed:
 Dismounted Patrolling.
 Perfection of technique of the Tank-Inf Team.
 Employment of Mortars
 Massed fire and fields of fire.
 Mine & Booby traps
 Organization of defensive positions
 Indirect fire by tanks
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: —
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	1		1	
A	Attached to other unit				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	11		1	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 29 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 29 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Rittershoffen
 2400, 29 Dec 1944

No 37.

Map: France, 1/50,000.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: No change
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: No change
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Partly cloudy, visibility poor.

5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:

All persons entering town checked for proper identification. Roving patrol maintained on roads in vic of town by 25 Ren Platoon.

All company commanders, Plat Ldrs, Plat Sgts, Sqd Ldrs of Ren Plat, Bn Sgt Major, S-2 Sgt, S-3 Sgt, Motor Sgt, Bn S-2, Bn S-3, Bn Comm O, attended Counter Sabotage Demonstration conducted by ETOUSA in Oberbetschdorf. Demonstration lasted from 0900 - 1100.

Bn S-3, CO of B & C Cos reconnoitered routes and positions for indirect fire from vic Schaffhouse.

6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.

7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: --

8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	1		1	
A	Atchd to other unit				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	11		1	

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 30 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 30 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Newviller
 2400, 30 Dec 1944

No 38.

Map: France, 1/50,000.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: Newviller
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Biv in Newviller & Griesbach
 A-19, Hq, D in Newviller, B & C in Griesbach.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Cloudy, visibility poor.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 Warning orders to move received 1115.
 Tanks from B & C Companies fired indirect from Schaffhouse at 1230. Targets Illinger, Elchesheim, Steinmauern. Air observation reported targets hit.
 Orders received to move to vic Newviller, Griesbach beginning at approx 1900. 10 min between companies. Route posted by Div MPs. Cos moved out at 2230 in order C, Hq, B, D, A-19, Bn Maint.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: Made move from Rittershoffen to Newviller - Griesbach.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	Atchd to other unit.				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	10	1		
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	12			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
 Major, 25th Tank Bn
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S-3 PERIODIC REPORT

Fr: 0001, 31 Dec 1944
 To: 2400, 31 Dec 1944
 25th Tank Battalion
 Neuwiller
 2400, 31 Dec 1944.

No 39.

Map: France, 1/50,000.

1. OUR FRONT LINE: --
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: Bn CP, Hq, D, A-19 Neuwiller, B & C in Griesbach.
3. INFORMATION OF ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS: --
4. WEATHER AND VISIBILITY: Partly cloudy, visibility fair.
5. OUR OPERATIONS FOR THE PERIOD:
 0001 - 0340 enroute from Rittershoffen to Neuwiller - Griesbach. Bn closed at 0340.
 Security established, all persons entering town checked for proper identification.
6. COMBAT EFFICIENCY: Excellent.
7. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS: Moved from Rittershoffen to Neuwiller - Griesbach.
8. VEHICLE STATUS:

Company	Vehicles	Operatable	In 24 Hours	Over 24 Hours	Lost
Hq	M4 Tk 105	3			
	M4 Tk 75	2			
A	Atchd to other unit				
B	M4 Tk 76	7			
	M4 Tk 75	9		1	
	M4 Tk 105	1			
C	M4 Tk 76	6			
	M4 Tk 75	11			
	M4 Tk 105	1			
D	M5A1 Tk	6			
	M5 Tk	12			

REPLACEMENT VEHICLES RECEIVED: None.

WILLIAM E. SHEDD, III
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Point	1-B-94 Lt Tk Plat
Support	Plat C-25 Tk Dozer Plat A-62 AG Platoon FO
Main Bdy	CO 25 S-3 25 Arty (if any) A-62 (-) 1-C-125 C-25(-)
Reserve	Mortar Plat 25 Bn Hq 25 Rcn Plat 25 Hq Co 25 (-) Bn Maint 25 Medics 25
Rear Gd	D-25 (-)

Troop Change List:

1 Dec - B Co attached to 410 Inf Regt, 103 Div.
3 Dec - C Co reverted to 25 control.
3 Dec - B Co reverted to 25 control.
6 Dec - 2-B-25 attached to 94.
8 Dec - 2-B-25 reverted to 25 control.
10 Dec - B Co to 62 control
10 Dec - A Co to CCA Reserve
10 Dec - 1-B-94, 1-C-125, A-62 to 25 control.
10 Dec - 1 Pl D-25 to 62 control.
19 Dec - Bn from CCA to CCB control.
20 Dec - A-19, 2-B-125 attached to 25
20 Dec - 1-B-94, 1-C-125, A-62 to parent control.
24 Dec - 2-B-125 to 125 control.

Vehicular losses during period:

2 light tanks, D Company, vicinity Wi ssemburg.

