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FROM: 010015 JAN 45  
TO : 012235 JAN 45

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By: [Signature]

TIME	IN	OUT	SER. NO.	Action
				INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
0015			①	Info overlay disp of 117th INF
0015			②	Overlay AT gun pos 117th INF
0015			③	Overlay of proposed atk to S
0040				1st Bn 2 to S-3 "B" Co was unable to locate on patrol they previously sent to their front.
0355				3rd Bn 3 to S-3 Patrol sent out located on to their front at (711-992) and (710-992)
0400				COL STEPHENS (Div g/s) IN
		1120		COL STEPHENS OUT
		1155		3RD BN 6 REPORTS MORTAR FIRE COMING INTO HIS "K" CO AREA.
		1200		S-3 CALLED BNS, & THEY REPORT THEY ARE NOT FIRING.
		1200		ABOVE MSG GIVEN TO 3RD BN 6 BY S-3
		1300	④	MSG FROM DIVISION
		1315		3RD BN FWD LINE OUT
		1530	⑤	OVERLAY-2ND BN. RAIDING PARTY ROUTE.
		1545		3RD BN FWD LINE IN.
		2215		Col Johnson to 2d Bn 6 a civilian apprehended today claims he crossed river today on a log at Pettit de Co. into our lines. Destroy this bridge at once and be very cautious that no one crosses the river in the future.
		2235		S-3 to 2d Bn 3. Col Johnson wants the bridging over river to be destroyed immediately.

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Vertical handwritten notes on the right side: "330-117 F (117) W M" and a signature "Drew" at the bottom.

FROM: 020630 JAN 85  
 TO : 022110 JAN 85

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 BY: JEM HWA, DIA

TIME	SER.	Action
IN	OUT NO.	INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
0630		2nd BN 3 to S-3. Patrol ran into fire fight with en and is returning now with 4 prisoners.
	1330	COL JOHNSON OUT TO DIVISION
1516		COL JOHNSON IN FROM DIVISION
1530		BN C.O.'S IN FOR MEETING WITH COL. JOHNSON
	1630	S-2 TO 2ND & 3RD BNS: HAVE YOUR O.P.'S KEEP SHARP LOOKOUT FOR SIGNS OF ENEMY TRACKED VEHICLES & IF NECESSARY SEND OUT PATROLS TO INVESTIGATE.
	1630	BN C.O.'S OUT
	1715	S-2 to 2nd BN & instructs 2d Bn to be alert tonight for vehicular movement since air OP notified S-2 of 500 vehicles moving NW thru St. Urth at 0950. S-2 notified 1st and 3d BN LNO to transmit above msg to their respective Bns.
1720	①	Overlay of disp. of troops on W. front
1800	②	Overlay of plan of advance
2020		3d Bn & notified S-2 of en minefield at (70+0-9998).
2105		2d Bn & reported to S-2 an en patrol approached "G" Cos position and was driven off by SA fire.
	2110	S-2 notified G-2 of above msg.

FROM: 030100 JAN 45  
 TO : 031900 JAN 45

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IN	OUT NO.	INCIDENTS, MESSAGES, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
0120		1st BN 7 to S-3 Vehicular movement on Rt 4 to Bns front moving W. Artillery fired.
0815	0145	S-3 informed G-2 of above msg. 1st BN 2 reported to S-2 that ch destroyed bridge (716-002) last night.
	0820	S-2 notified G-2 of above msg
1338		2ND A.B. REPORTS IT IS NOW AT ALSOMONT.
	1332	ABOVE INFO GIVEN TO 2ND BN 3.
	1332	COL. JOHNSON OUT TO DIVISION
1356		COL JOHNSON CALLS S-3 & TELLS HIM INFO ABOUT 2ND A.B. UNTRUSTED
	1352	S-3 NOTIFIES 2ND BN OF ABOVE MSG
1410		COL JOHNSON IN FROM DIVISION
1635	(1)	OVERLAY SHOWING POSITIONS OF A.T. GUNS.
1900	(2)	Info overlay
1900	(3)	Info overlay 2nd AB pos.
1900	(4)	Overlay of pos in Normandy as of 7/1/44

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 TO : 041710 JAN 45

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IN	OUT NO.	INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
	0845	2ND BN LINE OUT.
0854		2ND BN LINE IN.
0900		G-3 TELLS S-3 TO SEND OUT <sup>COMBAT</sup> PATROL ACROSS RIVER.
	0910	S-3 TELLS 2ND BN. 3 TO SEND OUT COMBAT PATROL ACROSS RIVER AT 1100. 6 RUBBER BOATS WILL BE AVAIL- ABLE FOR CROSSING.
1140	①	UNIT ON RIGHT - OVERLAP.
	1215	1ST & 3RD BNS NOTIFIED OF 2ND BN PATROL TO GO ACROSS RIVER.
1410		2ND BN REPORTS PATROL CROSSED RIVER AT 1200 & REACHED OBJ. AT 1400 (OBJ: CHURCH IN AISOMONT) WITHDRAWING BACK ACROSS RIVER AT PRESENT TIME. SMALL ARMS FIRE RECEIVED AT OBJ. NO ARTY. OR MORTAR FIRE ENCOUNTERED. ABOVE INFO. GIVEN TO G-3 BY COL. JOHNSON.
	1415	
	1540	COL. JOHNSON OUT TO 3RD BN
1550		2ND BN REPORTS 15 ROUNDS OF SCATTERED AIR BURSTS FELL IN REAR OF THEIR C.P.
1600		G-3 TO EX. O. - CORPS CMDR. ON HIS WAY DOWN TO INSPECT YOUR FRONT LINE UNITS.
1620		COL JOHNSON IN FROM 3RD BN
	1620	1ST BN LINE OUT.
1630		1ST BN LINE IN.
1710		"OAK-LUMBER" PASSWORD FROM 1200 4 JANUARY 1945 TO 1200 5 JANUARY 1945.

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 TO : 051400 JAN 45

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TIME	SER.	Action
IN	OUT	NO. INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
0445		G-2 notified S-3 that en patrol of 15 in white suits hit 170TH "C" Co at (826-015) all armed with burp guns.
0810		Gen Harrison requested Col Johnson to report to Div Hqs.
0820		Col Johnson out to Div
0905		COL JOHNSON CALLS S-3 & TELLS HIM TO SUMMON BN C.O.'S FOR MEETING AT C.P. AT 0930.
0908		S-3 TELLS BN & C.O.'S MEETING WILL BE HELD AT 0930 AT C.P.
0910		COL. JOHNSON IN FROM DIVISION WITH INFO THAT 112TH INF WILL PASS THRU US AND ATTACK TOMORROW. 424TH INF. WILL RELIEVE US TOMORROW NIGHT & WE WILL MOVE TO FORWARD ASSEMBLY AREA. 112TH & 424TH INFANTRY REGIMENTS ARE ATTCHD TO <sup>DIVISION</sup> <del>US</del> FOR NEXT OPERATION
0930		BN C.O.'S IN FOR MEETING WITH COL. JOHNSON.
1000	①	ROUTE OF PATROL OF 1/4/44.
1010	②	DIV. A.T. DEFENCE-OVERLAY.
1010		O.O. & BN. CMRS OF 112TH INF. IN FOR MEETING WITH COL JOHNSON & OUR BN. C.O.'S
1210		1st BN LINE IN.
1300		COL JOHNSON OUT TO DIVISION.
1320		1ST & 3RD BN. LINES OUT.
1340		S-2 OUT TO 2ND BN.
1400		COL. JOHNSON IN FROM DIVISION WITH CHANGE IN PLANS FOR TOMORROW.
1400		S-3 TELLS BN. C.O.'S TO RETURN TO C.P. TO CONFER WITH COL. JOHNSON.

F : 051400 JAN 1945  
 TO : 052150 JAN 1945

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TIME		SER.	Action
IN	OUT	NO.	INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
1400			1ST & 3RD BNS IN BY WIRE.
1410		③	OVERLAY OF POSITIONS OF UNIT ON RIGHT
1420			BN. C.O.'S IN FOR MEETING.
1420			C.O. OF 424TH IN FOR MEETING.
	1430		3RD BN FWD LINE OUT
1540	1540		BN C.O.'S & CO. OF 424TH INF. OUT.
1630		④	DIV. LETTER OF INSTRUCTION #1
	1725		Col Johnson out to Div.
	1815		1st Bn and 3rd Bn fwd lines out.
1825			Col Johnson to S-2 plans for tomorrow have been suspended in <sup>regards to being</sup> relieved
	1830		2nd Bn 6 and 3rd Bn 6 notified by S-3 of above msg. 740 d Tk Bn 6 also notified.
	1930		S-3 notified 1st Bn 5 that tomorrow's plans have been called off.
2000		⑤	30th Div FO 59 and accom overlay
2100		⑥	Info overlay of 2nd and 3rd Armored units
2100		⑦	28th Div info overlay of FO. 3
	2130		3d Bn fwd line out.

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 TO : 061110 JAN. 45

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IN	OUT	NO. INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
0640		BRITISH ESPIONAGE AGENTS FOUND CONSIDERABLE EN ACTIVITY VIC OF (688-990)
0645		2nd BN reported to S-3 bridges are under construction at river crossing and no en fires have been recd.
0650		S-3 relayed above info to G-3
0600		G-3 notified by S-3 that there is some fog on river and G-3 informed S-3 that XVIII Corps Cmde Gen will not visit area unless further notified.
0650		S-3 informed 112m INF S-3 of present situation.
0730		2d BN 3 informed S-3 that both bridges have been completed across river.
0735		S-3 informed G-3 of same
0800		2d BN 3 notified S-3 that one Co has crossed bridge on right but there has been a slight delay and troops have just started the crossing.
0805		S-3 notified G-3 of above and was informed by G-3 that XVIII Corps Cmde Gen will be in our area to observe operations at 0830.
091	0910	2ND BN LINE OUT. 2ND BN TO COL. JOHNSON. <del>REPT BY</del> HAND BRIDGE IN AT 0650. TROOPS ACROSS AT 0730. REPT HAND BRIDGE IN AT 0734. TROOPS ACROSS AT 0755. TROOPS HAVE NOW RETURNED.
	1100	1ST BN OUT BY WIRE.
1119		2ND BN IN BY WIRE

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TO : 061120 JAN 1945  
 TO : 062230 JAN 1945

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 BY TMM NND, DIA

TIME		SER.	Action
IN	OUT	NO.	INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
	1120		2ND BN OUT BY WIRE
1140			1ST BN. IN BY WIRE
1510			2ND BN. IN BY WIRE
1510		①	1st DIVISION POSITIONS
1710		②	DEFENCE OF 1ST BN. (OVERLAY)
	1935		1st BN line out
2020			2d Bn 2 to S-2. F-Co rec'd two concentrations of 10 rounds each at 2000 of 150 mm cal
	2045		S-2 notified G-2 of above
	2145		3d Bn fwd line out.
1145		③	Info overlay of 117th INF pos.
2225			117th INF notified S-3 that an <sup>8-man</sup> patrol has infiltrated between 117 and 119th.
	2230		S-3 informed CN Co 2 of above.
2230		④	Info overlay disp of trps W. front.

FROM: 070705 JAN 46  
 TO : 072240 JAN 45

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TIME	SER.	Action
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	0705	S-3 inquired of 7d Bn 3 situation and everything has been quiet. 3d Bn 3 stated same condition prevailed in 3d Bn sector.
0845		3rd Bn 6 reported to S-3 that two of his men hit an AP minefield at <del>(696000)</del> (70609995) this morning THIS IS A ENEMY MINEFIELD
0930	①	OVERLAY SHOWING ROAD AND BRIDGE DATA. AS OF SEPT 44
0930	②	MAP FROM 1ST ARMY SHOWING BLOW OUT BRIDGES AND OVERPASSES
1330	③	VII CORPS UNITS
1330	④	30TH DIV. A.T. POSITIONS
	1310	S-3 OUT TO DIVISION
	1440	C CO 823RD T.D. OUT BY WIRE
1500		O.P. LINE IN
		S-3 IN FROM DIVISION
	1510	S-3 TO ALL BNS: HAVE YOUR MOTOR OFFICERS & TRANS. SGTs IN SPA TOMORROW AT 730TH ORD. AT 1300.
	2100	S-2 notified 1st Bn 7, 7d Bn 7 and 3d Bn 7 that Army is expecting an en atk tomorrow to the S of our pos. in vic of Velsabon and Goraine
2105	⑤	Info overlay of XVIII Corps disp of trps 2d Bn 7 to S-3 that "1" Co heard heavy vehicular movement to their SW.
2225		S-2 relayed above msg to G-2
	2235	
2240	⑥	Info overlay IN THE INF

FROM: 080900 JAN 45

TO : 081320 JAN 45

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IN	OUT NO.	INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
	0900	COL JOHNSON OUT TO BNS.
	0945	SERVICE & CANNON COMPANY LINES OUT
1100		CANNON CO LINE IN.
1130		SERVICE CO LINE IN.
1240		COL JOHNSON IN FROM BNS.
1600	①	DIV. A.T. DEFENCE OVERLAY.
1600	②	30TH DIVISION LETTER OF INSTRUCTION #2.
1710	1420	2ND BN. LINE OUT.
1710		2ND BN. LINE IN.
1800	③	Overlay AT gun pos.
	1830	2d Bn line out.
1900	④	Overlay disp trps 1st Army
2320		12th Inf notified S-3 that 2d Bn patrol returned to their CP.

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 TO : 091120 JAN 45

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1000			2ND BN LINE IN.
1100		①	OVERLAY <sup>IV</sup> CORPS POSITIONS
1100		②	OVERLAY <sup>↑</sup> - ENEMY PENETRATION
1120		③	30TH DIV. A.T. DEFENSE OVERLAY
	1345		<del>COL JOHNSON OUT TO DIVISION</del>

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