

HEADQUARTERS
2D CAVALRY GP
(MECZ)

Mensdorf, Luxembourg
28 February 1945

1. Original Unit

No change.

2. Changes in Organization

No change.

3. Strength, Commissioned and Enlisted

(1) At beginning of period starting 1 Feb 45:

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Enlisted Men</u>	<u>Warrant Officers</u>
Group Headquarters	14	60	0
2d Cavalry Squadron	42	694	1
42d Cavalry Squadron	40	703	2

Total	96	1457	3

(2) Net increase from 1 Feb 45 through 28 45 (incl):

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Enlisted Men</u>	<u>Warrant Officers</u>
Group Headquarters	0	0	0
2d cavalry Squadron	0	2	0
42d Cavalry Squadron	4	0	0

Total	4	2	0

(3) Net decrease from 1 Feb 45 through 28 Feb 45 (incl):

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Enlisted Men</u>	<u>Warrant Officers</u>
Group Headquarters	0	5	0
2d Cavalry Squadron	0	0	0
42d Cavalry Squadron	0	4	0

Total	0	9	0

(4) At end of period 28 Feb 45:

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Enlisted Men</u>	<u>Warrant Officers</u>
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Group Headquarters	14	55	0
2d Cavalry Group	42	696	1
42d Cavalry Squadron	44	699	2

Total	100	1450	3

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1 February 1945

No changes in troop assignments or dispositions. The enemy was notably inactive in our entire sector, however in CT Costello zone a marked increase of flare activity was reported. Patrols across the Moselle to Rehlingen (L059146) and Kollig (L068159) reported no enemy contact in edges of villages. However, CT Hargis patrols engaged in a heavy fire fight vicinity of crossroad at (L017085) and were forced to withdraw. A counter patrol sent out to investigate enemy patrol vicinity (L058165) could find no evidence of enemy crossing.

2 February 1945

Only normal defensive operations continued. Patrols could not cross Moselle due to ice and swift current. The attached Engineer Combat Bns continued Infantry training.

3 February 1945

Orders received from CG XII Corps assigning additional area along Sauer River from vicinity Mertert (L0922) to the high ground north of Born (L1129) necessitated changes in troop assignments and dispositions within TFR. Headquarters, 9th TD Group (Lt Col Darling, Commanding) was taken from Group Reserve and to it attached: Troop B, 2d Cav Sq, one company of 808th TD Bn, the 284th Engr Combat Bn, and a Reconnaissance Platoon of 808th TD Bn. Designated CT Darling Lt Col Darling's command relieved CT Hargis in position by noon 4 Feb 45. CT Hargis assembled and moved to vicinity Herborn (L0628) to relieve 385th Infantry, 76th Infantry Division, before 0700, 5 Feb 45. Supporting Engineers and artillery performed normal missions. No patrols were sent out.

4 February 1945

CT Hargis started relieved of Infantry in position establishing Headquarters in Herborn (L0628). Hq TF Reed moved from Moutfort northeast to Mensdorf (P9718) closing at 1600, 4 Feb 45. The 775th FA Bn which had the mission of direct support of this area for 76th Infantry Division remained in position continuing on its mission for TFR. CO of 255th FA Bn remained as artillery advisor. CT Darling assumed responsibility of area south of Ehnen (L0312) at 1200, 4 Feb 45. Enemy action was negligible. No patrols sent out. Supporting troops continued normal functions.

5 February 1945

No changes. TF Reed continued defense of Moselle and Sauer River lines. An attempted crossing by one boat was frustrated by our artillery fire.

6 February 1945

The only activity of note was the diversion in vicinity of Ahn by CT Costello to aid the limited objective attack of 94th US Infantry Division on the other side of Moselle. Small arms, artillery concentrations and smoke were placed on far bank of Moselle opposite Ahn to distract enemy's attention. CT Darling also assisted by firing TDs and artillery in front of advance of 94th Division.

7 February 1945

The enemy revived again in CT Hargis zone where an enemy patrol was reported across the Sauer River. Artillery fire broke it up. Our patrols to Wasserbillig (0024) and Born (L1129) found those towns still outposted and sentries alert. Changes in dispositions and assignments were:

In CT Costello, Troop C relieved Tr B, 2d Cav Sq on line and Tr B reverted to CT Reserve. 1258th Engr C Bn completed relief of 1252 Engr C Bn on line; the latter went into TF Reserve.

In CT Darling, Co B, 808th TD relieved to convert equipment; left 4 guns in position to be manned by Bn reconnaissance elements. The Engineer reserves resumed Infantry training. All other operations normal. Across the Moselle River PW statements indicate that the 256th VG Division is coming to the aid of the crippled 416th VG Division. The 11th Panzer Division appears to be out of contact.

8 February 1945

Significant changes were made in composition of TF Reed. Two Engineer Combat Bns, the 284th and 1252d (from TF Reserve) were relieved and attached to CCA, 6th Armored Division as of 1600. The loss of the 284th to CT Darling was compensated by attachment of Troop B, 2d Cav Sq from CT Costello Reserve to CT Darling. CP of Troop B was established at Greveldange (L005105). This afforded CT Darling only a thin line of outposts along the Moselle supplemented by artillery OPs. In CT Hargis area patrols to Wasserbillig and Born again reported alert enemy outposts. Fortunately the enemy was content to remain passive after the loss of our two Engineer Battalions.

9 February 1945

Troop A, 2d Cav Sq relieved by elements 1258th Engineer C Bn and reverted to CT Costello reserve to compensate for loss of Engineers. 204th Engr C Bn was relieved to support of Task Force Reed, replaced by 160th Engr Combat Bn. Companies were placed in support as follows:

Co A – CT Hargis
Co B – CT Costello
Co C – CT Darling

Co A, 691st TD Bn was attached to TFR and sub-attached to CT Hargis. Having been previously with 76th Infantry Division they remained in position in CT Hargis area covering approaches suitable for armored attack. In CT Darling 2d Platoon Co B, 808th TD Bn was relieved and attached to 76th Infantry Division. It was replaced by 2d Platoon, Rcn Co, 808th TD Bn. The enemy remained unaggressive and content to harass our forces with scattered artillery fire the bulk of which fell into CT Hargis area.

10 February 1945

This date the organization of TFR was as follows:

CT Hargis:

42d Cav Sq less Troop F (except one (1) platoon)
285th Engr Combat Bn
Co A, 691st TD Bn (towed)

CT Costello:

2d Cav Sq less Troop B
1258th Engr Combat Bn
Co A, 808th TD Bn

CT Darling:

Co B, 808th TD Bn less one (1) platoon
Troop B, 2d Cav Sq

TF Reserve:

Troop F, 42d Cav Sq less one (1) platoon
808th TD Bn less two (2) companies

There were no changes in areas; the three CTs being disposed along Sauer and Moselle Rivers as before in the order given above from North to South. Our supporting artillery had missions of direct support as follows:

775th FA Bn – CT Hargis area
255th FA Bn – CT Costello area
CT Darling area

The CO of the 255th FA Bn was designated as artillery advisor to the TF Commander. The 160th Engr Combat Bn in support of TF Reed area continued to assist in improving of roads and of defensive positions farther toward the front.

The Corps Commander designated a battalion of 385th Infantry of 76th Infantry Division as being in support of our area in the event of enemy attack. The CO and staff of this unit acquainted themselves with our defenses and the terrain of our area.

The enemy remained unaggressive; his only action being harassing mortar and artillery fire.

11 February 1945

An order received from CG, XII Corps late the previous day, effected the only change in troop assignments of TFR. Co B, 808th TD Bn, on 9 February having been converted to S.P. 90 MM was relieved and assigned 76th Infantry Platoon of 808th TD Bn. The latter manned the towed guns of Co B, which were in position overlooking the Moselle River flood plain south of Ehnen.

The enemy attitude remained unchanged. There was the usual flare activity and a few scattered rounds of artillery and mortar fire. The enemy appears to be holding the Moselle River line very lightly since a CT Costello patrol reached the outskirts of Kollig (L0613) where they encountered a five man enemy patrol and killed three. Colonel Normando A. Costello, commanding CT Costello, was ordered to 80th Infantry Division and Lt Col Walter Easton assumed command of 2d Cav Sq (Reinf) designated CT Easton.

12 February 1945

No changes in assignments or dispositions. Our troops organic, attached, and supporting continued on their assigned missions. The 160th Engineer Combat Bn started removal of all demolitions south of the line Besh-Ellange-Filsdorf. This was rendered feasible by the local advances of the 94th Infantry Division and was deemed advisable in order that civilians could start repopulating the evacuated towns along the Moselle.

13 February 1945

No change in dispositions or assignments of troops. CT Easton's patrol across the Moselle reported no enemy contact. CT Hargis' patrol to Born found a small enemy force (estimated platoon) still occupies the town. CT Darling continued its mission with normal activities.

The enemy remained content to pursue his defensive mission.

14 February 1945

No changes. Our patrols report no enemy contact in outskirts of Wasserbillig (L1124) and Wincheringen (L0513).

15 February 1945

No changes. Continued on mission.

16 February 1945

No changes. The enemy showed slight aggressiveness by sending a patrol across the Sauer River into CT Easton area. It was dispersed and forced to withdraw before reaching our lines. Our supporting artillery continued on their normal missions.

17 February 1945

No changes. Three PW's (deserters) were taken by Troop B, 42d Cavalry Sq vicinity (125273) were identified as from 3rd Co, 44th Fortress Machine Gun Battalion. Information extracted from them indicated two units now face TFR. The 44th MG Bn which hold a bridgehead of two platoons in Wasserbillig and to the north thereof; and on the opposite side of the Sauer, the XIII Bn of 999th Penal Regt. Both are static troops and have little offensive power.

18 February 1945

No changes in our dispositions or attachments, however 35th Tank Battalion of the 4th US Armored Division which had been held by XII Corps in a supporting position vicinity of Shrassig in case of an enemy attack was moved forward and disposed to supplement the fire of 255th FA Bn to aid the attack of XX Corps north in the Saar-Moselle Triangle. In the afternoon the TF Commander was called to Hq XII Corps and there given orders by CG, Third US Army to cross the Moselle by 0200, 19th February and seize and hold the road center of Wincheringen (L0513) until relieved by CCR, 10th Armored Division; then to clear any pockets of enemy in that vicinity before withdrawing back across the Moselle. The remainder of the day was spent by all unit commanders in redisposing their troops in order to accomplish their mission.

19 February 1945

By 0200 this date our troops were regrouped as follows:

CT Easton:

2d Cav Sq
1258th Engr C Bn
Co A, 808th TD Bn
Co C, 285th Engr C Bn
2d Platoon, Battery E, 457th AAA Bn

CT Hargis:

42d Cav Sq less Troop A and less Troop F (except one (1) platoon)
285th Engr C Bn less Co C
Co A, 691st TD Bn (T)

CT Darling:

Troop A, 42d Cav Sq
1 platoon, Troop F, 42d Cav Sq (now equipped with M18 TD's)
Recon platoon of 808th TD Bn

TF Reserve:

1 platoon Battery E, 457th AAA Bn
Troop F, 42d Cav Sq less 1 platoon
(In support in event of C/A – 1st Bn, 417th Inf Regt, 76th US Infantry Division)

The zone of operations of the three CT's was not changed even though their composition was. The underlying principal of the plan of defense and the assault on Wincheringen was that we could afford to have a weaker defense toward the south where XX Corps would clear the enemy from our front, while to the north where an enemy counter attack would be more feasible and much more inconvenient to the efforts of XII Corps, our defense was much stronger.

In CT Easton's zone where the crossing was effected from Ehnen (10212) the CT CO chose for his assault force Troops A and C [actually it was A and B], the initial wave, with Co C, 285th Engr Combat Bn to cross last as a reserve.

Our troops crossed without artillery preparation at 0200. By daylight two platoons of each Troops B and A were in the woods on the high ground overlooking Wincheringen from the south. One platoon of Troop B had become lost and did not join until about noon; one platoon of Troop A had worked around [unreadable] the northeast edge of the town and was pinned down there by artillery, mortar and machine gun fire until about 1600. Co C of the Engineers in reserve and the assault headquarters of the CT were in position in the draw running from the northwest edge of the village to the Moselle.

Because of difficulty in establishing communications, the advance CP of the CT in Ehnen and the assault group CP were not in direct wire communication until about 1600 at which time the TF Commander issued the order that the assault force should close with the enemy. At this time the lead tanks of CCR, 10th Armored Division were approaching Wincheringen from the southeast and all forces were able to enter the town and destroy the enemy forces there before darkness. From the estimated reinforced platoon in the village we took 32 PW's all from the 256th V.G. Division about equally divided between the 481st and 476th Infantry Regiments.

Our forces consolidated their positions in the village and on the high ground northwest of Wincheringen Troop A which had seen the heaviest fighting were relieved and sent back across the Moselle River to rest and reform.

Our forces not only carried through their own attack but aided the XX Corps by firing from west of the river with both TD's and artillery targets of opportunity in path of 10th Armored Division.

20 February 1945

No change in troop assignments. CT Easton having accomplished their mission in Wincheringen sent a platoon from Troop C southeast to Wehr to clear enemy from that area.

Received mission to take over additional area from 76th U.S. Infantry Division three days hence along Sauer River to Steinheim (L0936).

Other activities normal.

21 February 1945

The 808th TD Bn was relieved and attached to 76th Division replaced by 691st TD Bn which was given former mission of 808th.

CT Easton withdrew its force from across Moselle and reassembled them in preparation to taking over area along Sauer between Girst and Steinheim from 304th Infantry of 76th Division.

The enemy having been cleared from in front of CT Darling the TF CO issued orders that CT Darling would assume responsibility for the former CT Easton area when the latter moved to the north. With this in mind 1st Co of 10th Belgian Fusielier Bn was assigned to CT Darling for security purposes in areas not in immediate contact with the enemy.

Our supporting troops also effected some changes in that 160th Engr Combat Bn was relieved of its support mission and that the CP of the 255th FA Bn moved to Herborn.

22 February 1945

The TF Commander having issued orders the previous day for regrouping of his forces for the new mission of holding the Sauer and Moselle River lines from Steinheim to Grevenmacher (no organized enemy activity south of Wasserbillig) had his troops disposed as follows:

- (a) CT Easton, CP now in Dickweiler and now holding high ground west of Sauer River from Steinheim to about 1000 yards south of Girst, consisted of:
 - 2d Cav Sq less Troop C and Troop F
 - 1258th Engr Combat Bn less Co C
 - Co C, 691st TD Bn (T) less one platoon
- (b) CT Hargis, CP still in Herborn and still holding Sauer River line on high ground from tie in point with CT Easton south of Girst to tie in point with CT Darling vicinity of Mertert.
- (c) CT Darling, with CP in Flaxweiler, consisted of:

Troop C, 2d Cav Sq
Troop F, 2d Cav Sq
Co C, 1258th Engr Combat Bn
Co C, 285th Engr Combat Bn
1 platoon Co A, 691st TD Bn
1st Co, 10th Belgian Fusiliers

CT Darling was also the TF Reserve because the nature of their front except for the extreme north position near Merttert did not face the enemy – the Saar-Moselle triangle having now been completely cleared of organized resistance. This was a security mission rather than a defensive one. CT Darling was also charged with supervising the rehabilitation by Civil Affairs personnel of civilians in their area.

Our patrols to Wasserbillig and Born found the enemy still present. The supporting artillery and the TD's which were firing as artillery fired normal missions.

23 February 1945

The relief of the 1258th Engr Combat Bn by order of the CG, XII Corps from attachment to TFR again changed the TF composition. CT Easton had available to hold its line:

2d Cav Sq less Troops C and F
Co C, 285th Engr Combat Bn
Co C, 691st TD Bn (T)
Battery E, 457th AAA less 1 platoon

CT Hargis:

42d Cav Sq
285th Engr Combat Bn less Co C
Co A, 691st TD Bn (T)

CT Darling: (TF Reserve but on security mission)

Troop C, 2d Cav Sq
Troop F, 2d Cav Sq
1st platoon, Co B, 691st TD Bn (T)
1 Co, 10th Bn Belgian Fusiliers

Our supporting troops were solely the 255th and 775th FA Bn in direct support of the areas of CT Easton and CT Hargis respectively. However, the 76th Division was still holding the 1st Bn of 417th Infantry for our use in case of enemy attack. The enemy remained passive.

24 February 1945

No changes. Our troops engaged in the assigned mission, CT Hargis and CT Easton holding the high ground west of the Sauer River and CT Darling in the northern part of their sector, on a defensive mission; and further south, supervision of removal of demolitions and supervision of rehabilitation [of] civilians. The supporting troops continued on their normal mission.

25 February 1945

There were no changes in disposition or composition of CT's however, to better control the area the TF CP moved from Mensdorf to Betzdorf, an evacuated town about six kilometers to the northeast and set up in a sanitarium for mentally deficient children. CT Darling also changed their CP from Flaxweiler to Wecker. Our rear boundary was changed to the Grevenmacher – Wecker road thus decreasing the administrative area of CT Darling. Other activities were normal.

26 February 1945

Late in the day, after patrols had determined that the enemy had left Wasserbillig CT Hargis moved two platoons of Troop C into the town. There was no enemy resistance but during the afternoon the enemy harassed any movement with machine gun fire.

27 February 1945

The enemy remained comparatively passive. Our troops, however, as well as maintaining and improving their defensive positions patrolled the enemy strong points in Born, Hinkel and Steinheim in order to keep contact with the enemy since the advance elements of the attacking 76th Division were beginning to threaten their rear. Increased concern was shown by the enemy over our movement since he dropped artillery on any exposed movement of vehicles and any exposed OP's. Our troops completely cleared Wasserbillig, the only resistance being artillery fire on our TD's.

28 February 1945

No changes. Warning order was issued to CT Easton to ready themselves for possible action across Sauer River on right flank of 76th Infantry Division as they attacked southeast toward Trier. Otherwise their activities were normal in containing the defense of their area.

CT Hargis continued to occupy Wasserbillig where there was sporadic mortar and artillery fire from east of the river. Their patrol to Born found the enemy still in the town.

CT Darling maintained their counter reconnaissance screen and guarded the towns in their assigned area.

H. Commanding Officers in Important Engagements.

Col Charles H. Reed	CO, Group	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Lt Col Walter J Easton	CO, 2d Sq	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt Robert F Cunningham	CO, Tr A	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt Robert S Langley	CO, Tr B	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt William M Morrisson	CO, Tr C	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt Tullius C Tupper	CO, Tr E	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt Robert S Murlless	CO, Tr F	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Lt Col Thomas B Hargis Jr	CO, 42d Sq	1 Feb – 28 Feb
1 st Lt Carter N Catlett	CO, Tr A	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt Henry J Ebrey Jr	CO, Tr B	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt Charles E Harris	CO, Tr C	1 Feb – 28 Feb
Capt Charles K Welsh	CO, Tr E	1 Feb – 28 Feb

I. Losses in Action.

The below listed officers and enlisted men from duty to hospital as battle casualties, and dropped from assignment per Section II, Circular No. 69, Headquarters European Theater of Operations United States Army, dated 13 June 1944.

2d Cavalry Rcn Sq

1. (a) Engagement: Manternach, Luxembourg, 7 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Dunn, James B, 34602510, Sgt
(c) Wounded: DOW
2. (a) Engagement: Manternach, Luxembourg, 13 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Zambole, Mike J, 36742853, Tec 4
(c) Wounded: LWA
3. (a) Engagement: Manternach, Luxembourg, 21 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Hines, William J Jr, 33134661, Pvt
(c) Wounded: KIA
4. (a) Engagement: Manternach, Luxembourg, 21 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Bowen, Tilden L, 37633310, Pvt
(c) Wounded: SWA
5. (a) Engagement: Manternach, Luxembourg, 2 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Schnackel, Clarence J, 36726404, Sgt
(c) Wounded: LWA
6. (a) Engagement: Manternach, Luxembourg, 5 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Ecker, Raymond F, 33577851, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
7. (a) Engagement: Greiveldange, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Yarwood, John E, 19075636, 1st Sgt
(c) Wounded: LWA
8. (a) Engagement: Greiveldange, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Broadhead, Cecil J, 39907876, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
9. (a) Engagement: Greiveldange, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Hannon, John H, 3410097, Tec 4
(c) Wounded: LWA
10. (a) Engagement: Greiveldange, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Perry, Columbus A, 34806313, Pfc
(c) Wounded: LWA

11. (a) Engagement: Greiveldange, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Meeker, Claude, 6838330, Pfc
(c) Wounded: LWA
12. (a) Engagement: Greiveldange, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Vennard, Kenneth E, 33410113, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
13. (a) Engagement: Dickweiler, Luxembourg, 24 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Coskac, Walter, 32768726, Pfc
(c) Wounded: LWA
14. (a) Engagement: Dickweiler, Luxembourg, 27 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Hubenet, Grant L, 36613631, Sgt
(c) Wounded: SWA
15. (a) Engagement: Niederdonven, Luxembourg, 7 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Smith, Howard E, 35420702, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
16. (a) Engagement: Niederdonven, Luxembourg, 7 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Fontenot, Howellton J, 6282563, Sgt
(c) Wounded: LWA
17. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Sides, Arthur E, 36636673, Pfc
(c) Wounded: MIA
18. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Schmitz, Melvin M, 36220438, Pfc
(c) Wounded: MIA
19. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Henken, Warren J, 36726463, Cpl
(c) Wounded: MIA
20. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Mackey, Arnold J, 12214341, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: MIA
21. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Yeast, Edward T, 35709930, Pfc
(c) Wounded: MIA
22. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Earp, Troy R, 34502563, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: KIA
23. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Arrowood, Elmore R, 34602095, Pfc

- (c) Wounded: KIA
- 24. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Deptola, Charles W, 33144882, Cpl
(c) Wounded: KIA
- 25. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Musser, Carlton C, 35067132, Pfc
(c) Wounded: KIA
- 26. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Bunch, Henry H, 34854346, Pfc
(c) Wounded: KIA
- 27. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Pirnie, Erwin J, O-1013067, 1st Lt
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 28. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Harvey, Everett M, 35773557, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 29. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Klutz, Frank J, 34602538, Sgt
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 30. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Mihalic, Joseph, 36728278, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 31. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Davis, George E Jr. 31283542, Pfc
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 32. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Grenell, William A, 19006293, Cpl
(c) Wounded: SWA
- 33. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Lee, John Jr, 37509784, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: SWA
- 34. (a) Engagement: Flaxweiler, Luxembourg, 20 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Simon, Lewis A, 36589807, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: KIA

42d Cavalry Rcn Sq

- 1. (a) Engagement: Burschdorf, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Stacco, William J, 32759777, Cpl

- (c) Wounded: SWA
- 2. (a) Engagement: Burschdorf, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Vital[?], Louis S, 32782711, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 3. (a) Engagement: Burschdorf, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Conner, Troy W, 38536212, Pfc
(c) Wounded: SWA
- 4. (a) Engagement: Wasserbillig, Luxembourg, 16 Feb 1945
(b) Name: West, Aubrey V, 34603355, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: SWA
- 5. (a) Engagement: Wasserbillig, Luxembourg, 26 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Wade, Bruce L, 34664707, Tec 5
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 6. (a) Engagement: Wasserbillig, Luxembourg, 26 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Hall, Richard J, 13078724, Cpl
(c) Wounded: LWA
- 7. (a) Engagement: Wasserbillig, Luxembourg, 26 Feb 1945
(b) Name: Yeomans, William D Jr, 34761099, Pvt
(c) Wounded: LWA

J. Former and present members who have distinguished themselves in action.

- 1. (a) Engagement: None
(b) Name: Hubenet, Grant L, 36613841, Sgt
(c) Act: Grant L Hubenet, 36613841, Sgt, Cavalry, 2d Cav Rcn Sq (Mecz), who while serving with the Army of the United States distinguished himself by meritorious service during the period 15 Jan to 11 Feb 45 in France and Luxembourg, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Illinois.
(d) Reward: Bronze Star Medal per GO #16, Hq XII Corps, dtd 28 Feb 45.
- 2. (a) Engagement: None
(b) Name: Burke, Elmer E, 36420647, Cpl
(c) Act: Elmer E Burke, 36420647, Cpl, Cavalry, 2d Cav Rcn Sq (Mecz), who while serving with the Army of the United States distinguished himself by meritorious service during the period 8 Jan 45 to 11 Feb 45 in Luxembourg and Germany, in connection with military operations against an enemy of the United States. Entered military service from Michigan.
(d) Reward: Oak Leaf CI to BS per GO #16, Hq XII Corps, dtd 28 Feb 45.