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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Journals of Operations of the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I were submitted to the Operations Branch (G-3) by U.S. army divisions and corps in Europe during World War I. This series of records also includes several journals of operations submitted by French Army units. The UPA collection *The American Expeditionary Forces during World War I, Journals of Operations* contains operations reports, statistical strength reports, and summaries of intelligence detailing troop movements and operations of both Allied and enemy forces. The records date from March 1918 through August 1919.

Daily operations reports were made concerning enemy and allied activities, including artillery use with machine guns, bombs, grenades, and gasses, aerial flights, gas bombs, observation balloons, photography, prisoners, casualties, weather conditions that had an effect on troop and air progress, and troop morale.

Detailed injuries and casualties were also included, although rarely were individual names given. A memorandum from Chief of Staff Campbell King with the subject "Unnecessary losses" stated: "For the same number of troops engaged on our Corps front, American losses are from two to four times as great as those of the French. There is but one conclusion: it is that our men, either from ignorance or carelessness, are not taking cover" (Reel 7, Frame 0111). Reports were made from the British and French to a liaison.

Also included in this collection are reports by telegram and telephone, statements from prisoners regarding enemy troop movements, unit locations, numbers of enemy wounded, killed, and gassed, and other details.

Many prisoners were reported captured by the American and Allied forces, such as the French surprise attack with 10,000 prisoners counted (Reel 1, Frame 0407). A report from the American Third Division stated: "A boat with two boche tried to get across the river last night. Both men were shot. It is not known whether they were deserters or the advance party of a patrol. Our inexperienced outguards do not yet understand the importance of prisoners" (Reel 8, Frame 0587).

The interrogation of prisoners yielded much intelligence. Information such as number of troops, locations, enemy raids, and patrols was gathered. Following are some intelligence and interrogation reports from prisoners:

- One prisoner stated that "the German troops read with interest the propaganda tracts which we shot into their trenches but considered them 'bunk'" (Reel 12, Frame 0629).
- Another prisoner "has little confidence in the use of propaganda by either side and said that in his opinion soldiers paid little attention to it. He added that his men were glad to get it because a prize had been offered for the first copies" (Reel 5, Frame 0301).
- A report stated "The Crown Prince at a cost of a million men at Verdun gained only a few square kilometers of worthless territory, and lost nearly all of it to the French again in a couple of days—the ridiculous Kaiser even had moving-picture machines brought up to photograph his triumphant entry into Verdun" (Reel 12, Frame 0603).
- A prisoner reported that an American deserted into the German lines, and as a result, the Germans expected an American attack. "The enemy is so anxious to obtain a prisoner that an

offer of 500 marks and 14 days leave have been offered...for the capture of one. This prisoner who was out on a patrol when captured, expected to get an American and by doing so win, in addition to the above reward, the iron cross, 1st class, and a commission" (Reel 1, Frame 0694).

The collection includes translations of letters taken from prisoners. The following is an extract from a German prisoner: "I am going to send you a beautiful ring that I found in France during the offensive. Don't pay any attention to that actor for I will send you lots of money and also the ring. I certainly hope that I will never fight in the trenches again; even here I am in constant danger of my life. Even yet you may have some other man for your lover.... In this vicinity the Americans have been firing on us with one cannon after another, so that one can't go out at all, —what with shell explosions on all sides and men going down about you" (Reel 4, Frame 0566).

A translation from the VII French Army summary reports: "German spies—one of our soldiers, who escaped from the German lines, states that during his captivity, he has seen men in khaki clothes of different kinds, without coats, American helmets, and carrying French and English gas masks. They have talked to German officers without saluting and departed in the direction of our lines.... The men in khaki carried two masks, whereas during the last ten days the American troops carried only the English mask. On account of these errors, by these spies, we can frequently apprehend them" (Reel 5, Frame 0286).

Both Allied and enemy troops used gasses in combat. A report of casualties stated that some troops were gassed by eating gassed food, while the French reported the most severe gas bombardment ever with six types of gasses used and two unknown (Reel 9, Frame 0430).

Troop movements were made by railroad, trucks, motorcycles, and on foot with some use of horses. In an interesting daily report, a preference was made for Harley Davidson motorcycles: "the Indian motorcycles are fairly falling to pieces under this service. The Harley-Davidson machines on the other hand are going strong and giving little trouble. We long ago discovered this in the Signal Corps but have not been able to get the M.T.S. to see it. No fighting organization should have anything but Harley-Davidson motorcycles" (Reel 8, Frame 0480).

Researchers will find interesting the codes that the Americans used for combat divisions (Reel 14, Frames 0037, 0546), coded and decoded telegram copies of casualties and other information (Reel 1, Frames 0742–0744), and the armistice with Germany (Reel 13, Frame 0447).

Other related collections that might be of interest to researchers include British Documents on Foreign Affairs: Reports and Papers from the Foreign Office Confidential Print, Series H: The First World War, 1914–1918 and Series I: The Paris Peace Conference of 1919; Combat Estimates: Europe, 1920–1943; Confidential British Foreign Office Political Correspondence: World War I; The Mexican Punitive Expedition, 1916–1917, General Correspondence; and The World War I Survey.

SOURCE NOTE

The documents composing *The American Expeditionary Forces during World War I, Journals of Operations Project* are from National Archives, College Park, Maryland, RG 120 Records of the American Expeditionary during World War I, Entry 271 Journals of Operations.

COLLECTION-LEVEL TERMS

The following subject terms apply to all folders in this collection and therefore do not appear in the Reel Index.

Army World War I

ABBREVIATIONS

AEF American Expeditionary Forces

REEL INDEX

The following index is a listing of the folders that compose *The American Expeditionary Forces during World War I, Journals of Operations.* The four-digit number on the far left is the frame number at which a particular file folder begins. This is followed by the file title. Substantive issues are highlighted under the appropriate category. Within each category, substantive issues are listed in the order in which they appear on the film, and each is listed only once per folder. The subject terms army and World War I apply to the entire collection and do not appear in this index.

Reel 1

0001 French Armies (Journal of Operations) (place-marker)

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0003 2nd French Army—Journal of Operations (1-A)

Descriptive Title: Second French Army orders for General Pershing to assume command of all Allied forces stationed in the American area, General Hirschauer to assume high command over all French troops, and details under those commands, 1918

Subject Terms: General orders; Foreign military forces; Military duty assignments and releases

Dates: 1918

0009 3rd French Army—Journal of Operations (1-B)

Descriptive Title: Third French Army French-language journal of operations regarding prisoners, aviation, and military campaigns, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign languages; Prisoners of war; Military officers; Military aviation; Military campaigns and battles

Dates: 1918

0019 4th French Army—Journal of Operations (1-C)

Descriptive Title: Fourth French Army progression, troop movement on roads, and military strategy, 1918 Subject Terms: Army; Highways; Transportation; Artillery; Military strategy; Languages and linguistics; Military personnel; Military campaigns and battles; Military officers

Principal Correspondents: Gouraud, General; Benson, Stuart

Dates: 1918

0076 5th French Army—Journal of Operations (1-D)

Descriptive Title: Fourth and Fifth French Army instructions, 1918

Subject Terms: Army; General orders

Dates: 1918

6th French Army—Journal of Operations (July, August, 1918) (1-E)

Descriptive Title: Sixth French Army military operations in France, including American troops in 6th French Army under commanding General DeGoute and prisoners captured, July–August 1918

Subject Terms: Army; General orders; Military officers; Languages and linguistics; Prisoners of war; Desertion; Artillery; Military aviation; Military campaigns and battles

Geographic Place Names: France

Persons as Subjects: DeGoute, General

Dates: July-August 1918

0138 7th French Army—Journal of Operations (August, 1918) (1-F)

Descriptive Title: Seventh French Army and American general headquarters agreement, including reassembling and replacing light artillery for heavy artillery, August 1918

Subject Terms: Army; General orders; Artillery; Transportation

Dates: August 1918

0143 8th French Army—Journal of Operations (July, August 1918) (1-G)

Descriptive Title: Eighth French Army French-language journal of operations regarding artillery, aviation, troop movement, and interrogation of prisoners, July–August 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign languages; Military aviation; Artillery; Transportation; Prisoners of war; Military campaigns and battles; Military officers; Photography

Dates: July-August 1918

0206 Journal of Operations—January–February [March] 1918

Descriptive Title: Journal of operations, including military equipment, supplies, operations, and orders, January—March 1918

Subject Terms: Army; General orders; Military supplies and property; Photography

Dates: January-March 1918

0294 American Armies (Journal of Operations) (place-marker)

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0295 1st Army (Journal of Operations) (place-marker)

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0296 1st Army Journal of Operations (July 1–8, 1918) (2)

Descriptive Title: First Army journal of operations reports, including aircraft visibility, sorties, intelligence, and photography, July 1 to July 8, 1918

Subject Terms: Weather; Military aircraft; Photography; Artillery; Military intelligence; Railroads; Reconnaissance Dates: July 1–8, 1918

1334 1st Army Journal of Operations (July 9–July 15, 1918) (2-A)

Descriptive Title: First Army journal of operations reports, including aircraft visibility, reconnaissance, and sorties, July 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Weather; Military aircraft; Reconnaissance; Photography; Pilots; Artillery; Missing in action; Railroads

Dates: July 9-15, 1918

0377 1st Army Journal of Operations (July 16–July 23, 1918) (3)

Descriptive Title: First Army digest of operations, including battles, prisoners, and troop losses, July 16–23, 1918 Subject Terms: Military campaigns and battles; Prisoners of war; Military aircraft; War casualties; Military personnel; Reconnaissance; Artillery; Photography; Military intelligence; Railroads Dates: July 16–23, 1918

0438 1st Army Journal of Operations (July 24–July 31, 1918) (4)

Descriptive Title: First Army digest of operations reports, including intelligence and enemy troop movement, July 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military intelligence; Photography; Artillery; Military aircraft; Prisoners of war; Railroads; Weather; Foreign military forces

Dates: July 24-31, 1918

0488 1st Army Journal of Operations (August 1–8, 1918) (5)

Descriptive Title: First Army intelligence and operations reports regarding artillery, enemy aircraft, and troop movement, August 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Military intelligence; Military aircraft; Artillery; Railroads; Photography; Pilots; Bombs; Weather; Maps; Reconnaissance; Military personnel

Dates: August 1-8, 1918

0552 1st Army Journal of Operations (August 9–15, 1918) (6)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports regarding reconnaissance, patrols, alerts, and enemy aeronautic activity, August 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Weather; Military aircraft; Photography; Military intelligence; Artillery; Military officers; Pilots; Bombs; Military campaigns and battles; Railroads; Property damage and loss Dates: August 9–15, 1918

0617 1st Army Journal of Operations (August 16–23, 1918) (7)

Descriptive Title: First Army reports of raids on railroad yards, operations and intelligence reports with operational drawings, August 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Railroads; Military aircraft; Bombs; Pilots; Military intelligence; Artillery; Specifications and drawings; Property damage and loss

Dates: August 16-23, 1918

0643 1st Army Journal of Operations (August 24–31, 1918) (8)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports, including bombing strikes on railroad yards and enemy artillery activity, August 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military intelligence; Railroads; Military aircraft; Pilots; Bombs; Property damage and loss; Specifications and drawings; Photography; Artillery; Foreign military forces

Dates: August 24-31, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations (September 1–4, 1918) (9)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports regarding troop movements and enemy activity, including German train movements, September 1–4, 1918

Subject Terms: Military campaigns and battles; Prisoners of war; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Military intelligence;
 Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Military aircraft; Railroads; Specifications and drawings
 Dates: September 1–4, 1918

0736 1st Army September 5 to 8, 1918 (place-marker)

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1st Army Journal of Operations September 5 to 8, 1918 (9-A)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports, including Austrian deserter, casualties, enemy units, and captured German map, September 5–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Desertion; War casualties; Maps; Military aviation; Prisoners of war; Artillery

Geographic Place Names: Austria; Germany

Dates: September 5-8, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations (September 9–12, 1918) (10)

Descriptive Title: First Army record of events, including artillery activity, prisoner of war information, and enemy movements and intentions, September 9–12, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Prisoners of war; Military intelligence; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Military personnel

Content Notes: Military value of Austrian troops from French bulletin (Frame 0843)

Dates: September 9–12, 1918

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports regarding aviation activity, military strikes, enemy units, and prisoners of war, September 13–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Railroads; Military campaigns and battles; Artillery; Military aircraft; Bombs; Property damage and loss; Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces

Dates: September 13-15, 1918

Reel 2

1st Army Journal of Operations, September 16–19, 1918 (10)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations by enemy and Allied forces and intelligence reports, including bombing, balloons, and propaganda leaflets, September 16–19, 1918

Subject Terms: Military intelligence; Bombs; Railroads; Foreign military forces; Balloons; Propaganda; Printing; Trucks and trucking industry; Military aviation; Artillery; Pilots; Missing in action

Dates: September 16-19, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations, September 20–23, 1918 (11-A)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports regarding Allied and enemy activity, including aviation, artillery action, troop movement, and casualties, September 20–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Artillery; Prisoners of war; Railroads; Military personnel; War casualties Dates: September 20–23, 1918

0116 1st Army, September 27 to 30, 1918 (place-marker)

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117 1st Army Journal of Operations, September 27–September 30, 1918 (12-A)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports regarding enemy hostile movements, aviation, and Allied and enemy infantry activity, September 27–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military aviation; Military personnel; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Military intelligence; Reconnaissance; Pilots

Dates: September 27-30, 1918

0203 1st Army, October 1 to 8, 1918 (place-marker)

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0204 1st Army Journal of Operations, October 1–8, 1918 (13)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations report regarding unloading of bridge mines, October 1–8, 1918 Subject Terms: Mines, military; Bridges

Principal Correspondents: Drum, H. A.

Dates: October 1-8, 1918

0210 1st Army Journal of Operations, October 9–14, 1918 (14)

Descriptive Title: First Army telephone, operations, and intelligence reports regarding troop movement, bombings, and air attacks, October 9–14, 1918

Subject Terms: Prisoners of war; Military intelligence; Military aircraft; Bombs; Artillery

Dates: October 9-14, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations, October 16–23, 1918 (15)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports regarding aviation and enemy movements and stiff enemy opposition to Allied attacks, October 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Foreign military forces; Military campaigns and battles; Artillery; War casualties; Missing in action; Military aircraft

Dates: October 16-23, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations, October 24–31, 1918 (16)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports, including adverse weather conditions making air flights difficult, hostile enemy movements, and locations of Allied troops, October 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Weather; Military aviation; Reconnaissance; Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Artillery; Railroads; Bombs; Prisoners of war; Pilots

Dates: October 24-31, 1918

0536 1st Army Journal of Operations, November 1–8, 1918 (17)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports, including impossible flight weather conditions, prisoners captured, Allied and enemy actions, and balloon use, November 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Weather; Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military personnel; Balloons Dates: November 1–8, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations, November 9–15, 1918 (18)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports, including adverse weather conditions making air flights impossible, heavy shelling of front lines by enemy, prisoners of war, and conditions of armistice, November 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Prisoners of war; Military aviation; Foreign military forces; Weather; Artillery; Military personnel Content Notes: Conditions of armistice (Frame 0681)

Dates: November 9-15, 1918

Descriptive Title: First Army operations and intelligence reports, including aviation activity, movement of Allied troops, and Russian prisoners of war, November 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Pilots; War casualties; Military personnel; Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces; Military education and training; Military aircraft

Dates: November 16–23, 1918

0735 1st Army Journal of Operations, November 16–23 [November 23–30], 1918 (20)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations reports, including practice flights, tests and machine gun practice, troop movement in training areas, and sorties, November 23–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Weapons; Military education and training; Weather

Dates: November 23–30, 1918

154 1st Army Journal of Operations, December 1–8, 1918 (21)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations reports, including practice flights, list of army artillery commanding officers and distribution of troops, December 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Military officers; Artillery; Military personnel

Dates: December 1-8, 1918

151 1st Army Journal of Operations, December 9–15, 1918 (22)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations reports, including corps and divisions training, bridge engineering, and military training, December 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military education and training; Military engineers and engineering; Bridges; Artillery

Dates: December 9–15, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations, December 16–23, 1918 (23)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations reports regarding military engineers and training, December 16–23, 1918 Subject Terms: Military engineers and engineering; Military education and training

Dates: December 16-23, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations, December 24–31, 1918 (24)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations reports regarding location and employment of corps and divisions, December 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel

Dates: December 24-31, 1918

1st Army Journal of Operations, January 1–March 31, 1919 (25)

Descriptive Title: First Army operations reports regarding location and employment of corps and divisions, January 1–March 31, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel

Dates: January 1-March 31, 1919

0833 2nd Army Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0834 2nd Army Journal of Operations, October 12–31, 1918 (26)

Descriptive Title: Second Army operations reports, including hostile enemy movements, prisoners captured, and casualties, October 12–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Military campaigns and battles; War casualties; Artillery; Desertion; Weather

Dates: October 12-31, 1918

2nd Army Journal of Operations, November 1–30, 1918 (27)

Descriptive Title: Second Army operations reports, including successful executed raids, hostile situations and movements, and Allied actions and movements, November 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military campaigns and battles; Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Balloons; Reconnaissance; Prisoners of war; Maps

Dates: November 1–30, 1918

Reel 3

2nd Army Journal of Operations, December 1–31, 1918 (28)

Descriptive Title: Second Army operations reports regarding station lists of corps and divisions, December 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military officers; Military personnel

Dates: December 1–31, 1918

2nd Army Journal of Operations, January 1–March 31, 1919 (29)

Descriptive Title: Second Army operations reports, including station lists of corps and divisions, transport of troops, and table of units, numbers of officers, and enlisted men, January 1–March 31, 1919

Subject Terms: Military officers; Military personnel; Transportation; Railroads; Balloons; Artillery Dates: January 1–March 31, 1919

0093 3rd Army Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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3rd Army Journal of Operations, November 17–23, 1918 (30)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations reports, including Allied troop movements, enemy troops, looting in Longwy, France, and location and employment of corps and divisions, November 17–23, 1918 Subject Terms: Military officers; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military police; International law

Geographic Place Names: Longwy, France; Luxembourg

Content Notes: Proclamation to the inhabitants of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg (Frame 0106) Dates: November 17–23, 1918

0122 3rd Army Journal of Operations, November 24–30, 1918 (31)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations reports, including troop movement; location and employment of corps and divisions, and aviation activities, November 24–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military officers; Weather; Military aviation; Balloons; Military education and training; Desertion

Dates: November 24-30, 1918

0168 3rd Army Journal of Operations, December 1–8, 1918 (32)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including Third Army crossing Luxembourg-German frontier, location and employment of corps and divisions, aviation activities, and enemy withdrawal, December 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Topography; Military officers; Military aviation; Foreign military forces; Reconnaissance; Statistics; Cryptology; Rhine River; Military education and training

Geographic Place Names: Luxembourg; Germany

Dates: December 1–8, 1918

0233 3rd Army Journal of Operations, December 9–15, 1918 (33)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including troop advancement to Rhine River, road conditions, shortage of shoes, and location and employment of corps and divisions, December 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Rhine River; Transportation; Weather; Horses; Shoe industry; Military aviation; Statistics; Military officers; Bridges; Ferries

Dates: December 9-15, 1918

0280 3rd Army Journal of Operations, December 16–23, 1918 (34)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including crossing of Rhine River completion, occupation of bridgeheads, location and employment of corps and divisions, and aviation activity, December 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Rhine River; Military occupation; Military aviation; Military officers; Statistics Dates: December 16–23, 1918

0322 3rd Army Journal of Operations, December 24–31, 1918 (35)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists and aviation activities, December 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military education and training; Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Bridges; Reconnaissance

Dates: December 24-31, 1918

0358 3rd Army Journal of Operations, January 1–8, 1919 (36)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, aviation activities, firearms instruction, and rail transportation movements, January 1–8, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Military education and training; Firearms; Foreign military forces; Railroads; Photography; Military aircraft

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: January 1-8, 1919

0404 3rd Army Journal of Operations, January 9–15, 1919 (37)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including German aircraft flight testing, changes in stations lists, and aviation activities, January 9–15, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Statistics; Photography; Reconnaissance; Military education and training; Military aircraft; Pilots; Artillery; Military aviation; Military officers

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: January 9-15, 1919

0434 3rd Army Journal of Operations, January 16–23, 1919 (38)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including bridge and ferry traffic control handled by military police, postal service from Paris, France, released prisoners of war, and aviation activities, January 16–23, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Statistics; Military officers; Military education and training; Bridges, Ferries; Military police; Postal service; Railroads; Prisoners of war; Military aviation; Photography; Reconnaissance; Newspapers

Geographic Place Names: Paris, France

Dates: January 16-23, 1919

0471 3rd Army Journal of Operations, January 24–28, 1919 (39)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including training lectures, location and employment of corps and divisions, changes in stations lists, test flights, and artillery exercises, January 24–28, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Statistics; Military officers; Artillery; Weather; Military education and training; Military aviation; Artillery

Dates: January 24-28, 1919

0505 3rd Army Journal of Operations, February 1–8, 1919 (40)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including troop movements, target practice, changes in stations lists, and aviation activity, February 1–8, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Artillery; Military education and training; Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation

Dates: February 1-8, 1919

0538 3rd Army Journal of Operations, February 9–15, 1919 (41)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including aviation activities, photographic missions, changes in stations lists, instruction for ground troops,

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Photography; Statistics; Military education and training; Military personnel; Artillery; Military officers

Dates: February 9-15, 1919

0563 3rd Army Journal of Operations, February 16–23, 1919 (42)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, training lectures and demonstrations, and location and employment of corps and divisions, February 16–23, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military education and training; Weather; Military aviation Dates: February 16–23, 1919

0596 3rd Army Journal of Operations, February 24–28, 1919 (43)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including test flights, military course of instruction, air service station list, and artillery exercises, February 24–28, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Military education and training; Military personnel; Artillery; Photography

Dates: February 24-28, 1919

3rd Army Journal of Operations, March 1–8, 1919 (44)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, training on reconnaissance and photography, lectures on bombings and balloon observations, and troop movements, March 1–8, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Bridges, Ferries; Statistics; Military officers; Military education and training; Balloons; Artillery; Photography; Reconnaissance; Military aviation; Railroads Dates: March 1–8, 1919

3rd Army Journal of Operations, March 9–15, 1919 (45)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, aviation activities and test flights, photographic missions, and artillery exercises, March 9–15, 1919

Subject Terms: Military officers; Military aviation; Photography; Balloons; Reconnaissance; Artillery Dates: March 9–15, 1919

0677 3rd Army Journal of Operations, March 16–23, 1919 (46)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including photographic missions, changes in stations lists, aviation activities and test flights, evacuation hospitals and nurses, bombing raid practice, and artillery exercises, March 16–23, 1919

Subject Terms: Photography; Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Balloons; Hospitals and nursing homes; Nurses and nursing; Transportation; Military personnel; Bombs Dates: March 16–23, 1919

0707 3rd Army Journal of Operations, March 24–31, 1919 (47)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, aviation activities, and photographic missions, March 24–31, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Photography; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Military personnel

Dates: March 24-31, 1919

0724 3rd Army Journal of Operations, April 1–8, 1919 (48)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, reconnaissance and photographic missions, aviation activities, and balloon surveillance, April 1–8, 1919 Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Photography; Reconnaissance; Artillery; Balloons; Espionage Dates: April 1–8, 1919

0752 3rd Army Journal of Operations, April 9–15, 1919 (49)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including stations list of organizations of air service, changes in stations lists, and aviation activities, April 9–15, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Photography; Artillery; Military aviation

Dates: April 9–15, 1919

0780 3rd Army Journal of Operations, April 16–23, 1919 (50)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, photographic contest between squadrons, and photography missions, April 16–23, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Photography; Balloons; Espionage

Dates: April 16–23 1919

0807 3rd Army Journal of Operations, April 24–30, 1919 (51)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, aviation activities, and balloon photographing missions, April 24–30, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Balloons; Photography; Aircraft

Dates: April 24-30, 1919

0835 3rd Army Journal of Operations, May 1-8, 1919 (52)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations list, aviation activities, photography, and target practice missions, May 1–8, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Balloons; Photography; Target practice Dates: May 1–8, 1919

0862 3rd Army Journal of Operations, May 9–15, 1919 (53)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, radio wave lengths and call letters, and aviation activities, May 9–15, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Balloons; Photography; Radio; Reconnaissance; Military aviation; Dates: May 9–15, 1919

0895 3rd Army Journal of Operations, May 16–23, 1919 (54)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, troops relieved from duty, troop movement, and aviation activities, May 16–23, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases; Reconnaissance; Artillery; Balloons; Military aviation

Dates: May 16-23, 1919

0922 3rd Army Journal of Operations, May 24–31, 1919 (55)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including troop movements, changes in stations lists, target practice missions, and aviation activities, May 24–31, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Statistics; Military officers; Target practice; Reconnaissance; Photography; Balloons; Military aviation

Dates: May 24-31, 1919

0939 3rd Army Journal of Operations, June 1–8, 1919 (56)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, target practice, and location and employment of corps and divisions, June 1–8, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Reconnaissance; Target practice; Military personnel Dates: June 1–8, 1919

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0001 3rd Army Journal of Operations, June 9–15, 1919 (57)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including changes in stations lists, aviation activities and plane crash, and pilot reassignments, June 9–15, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Reconnaissance; Photography; Balloons; Aviation accidents and safety; Pilots; Military aircraft; Military duty assignments and releases Dates: June 9–15, 1919

0022 3rd Army Journal of Operations, June 16–23, 1919 (58)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including enemy refusal to sign treaty of peace, allied troop movement, radio plans, transportation, station list, and location and employment of corps and divisions, June 16–23, 1919

Subject Terms: Maps; Foreign military forces; Treaties and conventions; Military personnel; Transportation; Military aviation; Balloons; Radio; Railroads; Military aviation; Artillery; Statistics; Military officers; Communications

Dates: June 16-23, 1919

0151 3rd Army Journal of Operations, June 24–30, 1919 (59)

Descriptive Title: Third Army operations and statistical strength reports, including location and employment of corps and divisions, aviation activities, plane crashes and deaths, military reassignments, and German government signing of Treaty of Peace, June 24–30, 1919

Subject Terms: Statistics; Military officers; Military aviation; Balloons; Artillery; Transportation; Aviation accidents and safety; Pilots; Military aircraft; Military duty assignments and releases; Foreign military forces; Treaties and conventions; Death and dying; Railroads

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: June 24-30, 1919

0218 Air Service Army Group, AEF (Journal of Operations) (place-marker)

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0219 Air Service Army Groups, October 27–November 13, 1918 (59-A)

Descriptive Title: Air Service operations reports, including aviation activities, bombing missions, hostile aircraft and balloons, and propaganda leaflets dropped into enemy territory, October 27–November 13, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Photography; Artillery; Bombs; Foreign military forces; Military campaigns and battles; Balloons; Reconnaissance; Propaganda; Pilots; Death and dying; Target practice; Military personnel; Military officers

Dates: October 27-November13, 1918

0279 American Forces in Germany (Journal of Operations) (place-marker)

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0280 American Forces in Germany, Journal of Operations, July 3–31, 1919 (60)

Descriptive Title: American forces in Germany strength reports regarding units relieved from duty and changes in stations, July 3–31, 1919

Subject Terms: Military duty assignments and releases; Military personnel; Military officers

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: July 3-31, 1919

0320 American Forces in Germany, Journal of Operations, August 1-31, 1919 (61)

Descriptive Title: American forces strength reports regarding troops on duty in stations in Germany and units relieved from duty and awaiting transportation to the United States, August 1–31, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military officers; Military duty assignments and releases; Transportation Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: August 1-31, 1919

0349 Corps (Journal of Operations) (place-marker)

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0350 First Corps (Journal of Operations) (place-marker)

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0351 1st Corps Journal of Operations, July 1–8, 1918 (62)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and statistical strength reports, including enemy lines and hostile movements, prisoners of war, bombardments, war casualties, gas attacks, and Allied troop movements, July 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Prisoners of war; Military aviation; Military personnel; Military officers; Bombs; Balloons; War casualties; Chemical and biological warfare; Maps; Photography Dates: July 1–8, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, July 9–15, 1918 (62-A)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and intelligence reports, including Allied and enemy activities, Airplane photographs, statements of prisoners, German gas tactics, water contamination, and information from German prisoner notebook, July 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military aviation; Espionage; Photography; Military aircraft; Prisoners of war; Chemical and biological warfare; Water supply and use; War casualties

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: July 9-15, 1918

0457 1st Corps Journal of Operations, July 16–23, 1918 (63)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and intelligence reports, including destruction of railroad station, enemy gas bombardment, hostile artillery activity, and German planes with French insignia attacks, July 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Property damage and loss; Railroad stations; Artillery; Photography; War casualties; Chemical and biological warfare; Military aviation; Military aircraft; Military insignia; Reconnaissance; Balloons; Bombs; Prisoners of war

Principal Correspondents: Grant, Walter S.

Dates: July 16-23, 1918

0541 1st Corps Journal of Operations, July 24–31, 1918 (64)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and intelligence reports, including enemy fire harassment, captured letters from enemy troops, and fierce infantry fighting, July 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces; Firearms; Bridges; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Maps; War casualties

Dates: July 24-31, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, August 1–8, 1918 (65)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and intelligence reports, including reconnaissance flights, aircraft and pilot loss, traps and infernal devices left behind by enemy, and enemy and Allied activities, August 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military aircraft; Balloons; Reconnaissance; Pilots; War casualties; Espionage; Prisoners of war; Grenades; Abandoned property; Food poisoning; Explosives Dates: August 1–8, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, August 9–15, 1918 (66)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and intelligence reports, including sickness from pollution in water supply, enemy intelligence from prisoners captured, and enemy and Allied movements and activities, August 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Water pollution; Water supply and use; Espionage; Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Artillery

Dates: August 9-15, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, August 16–23, 1918 (67)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and intelligence reports regarding increased enemy artillery activity, including mustard gas, August 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Military aviation Dates: August 16–23, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, August 24–31, 1918 (68)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations and intelligence reports, including enemy movements and works, importance of enemy identifications, German artillery, effect of wind on gas attacks, and methods of protection against air raids, August 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Military aviation; Firearms; Prisoners of war

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: August 24-31, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, September 1–8, 1918 (69)

Descriptive Title: First Corps intelligence report regarding enemy reconnaissance flights and friendly airplane downing, September 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Military aircraft Dates: September 1–8, 1918

0700 1st Corps Journal of Operations, September 9–15, 1918 (70)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports, including capture of more than 3,000 enemy prisoners and Allied air and artillery attacks, September 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Desertion; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Artillery Dates: September 9–15, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, September 16–23, 1918 (71)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports, including enemy and allied activity, Allied forces wounded and killed, artillery and tank locations, and prisoner confirmation of enemy order of battle, September 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; War casualties; Artillery; Tanks; Prisoners of war; Military campaigns and battles; Espionage

Dates: September 16–23, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, September 24–30, 1918 (72)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports, including Allied forces killed and taken prisoners of war, troop movement, railroad track damage and bridges down, Allied shortage of animals and trucks, and artillery activity, September 24–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Artillery; Railroads; Bridges; Transportation; Animals

Dates: September 24-30, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, October 1–8, 1918 (73)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports, including enemy and Allied positions and patrols, enemy deserter and prisoner confirmation of order of battle, and troop movement orders, October 1–8, 1918 Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Tanks; Military aircraft; Transportation; Artillery; Desertion; Prisoners of war; Military campaigns and battles; Espionage; Military officers; Bombs; Military duty assignments and releases

Dates: October 1-8, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, October 9–15, 1918 (74)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports, including prisoner confirmation of enemy position and troop distribution list, October 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military personnel Dates: October 9–15, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, October 16–23, 1918 (75)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports, including hand-to-hand fighting, troop positions and movements, and heavy attacks and counterattacks, October 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military weapons; Artillery

Dates: October 16-23, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, October 24–31, 1918 (76)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports regarding troop movements and releases, October 24–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Military aviation; Artillery; Military personnel; Military officers; Military duty assignments and releases

Dates: October 24-31, 1918

1st Corps Journal of Operations, November 1–12, 1918 (77)

Descriptive Title: First Corps operations reports, including enemy machine gun nests and reconnaissance flights, November 1–12, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Military personnel; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Military aviation Dates: November 1–12, 1918

0796 Second Corps—Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0797 2nd Corps Journal of Operations, August 1–8, 1918 (78)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps telegrams and correspondence regarding destruction of enemy aircraft by troops under British squadron, enemy attacks, and operations with Australian corps, August 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Military aircraft; Bombs; Prisoners of war; Telegraph; Artillery; War casualties; Military personnel; Military officers

Geographic Place Names: United Kingdom; Australia

Principal Correspondents: Read, C. W.; Simonds, George S.

Dates: August 1-8, 1918

0806 2nd Corps Journal of Operations, August 9–15, 1918 (79)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports and telegrams, including Allied advances and enemy withdrawal, enemy gas shelling, and hostile artillery activity with casualties, August 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Military aviation; Military aircraft; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Military officers; Chemical and biological warfare; Tanks; Railroads; Artillery; Bombs Dates: August 9–15, 1918

0840 2nd Corps Journal of Operations, August 16–23, 1918 (80)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports and telegrams, including enemy artillery and gas shelling activity, perfected Allied courier service, Allied and enemy troop movement, and list of Allied unit locations, August 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Chemical and biological warfare; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Motorcycles; Military aircraft; Telegraph; bombs; Prisoners of war; Military personnel

Principal Correspondents: Simonds, George S.

Dates: August 16-23, 1918

0875 2nd Corps Journal of Operations, August 24–31, 1918 (81)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps telegrams and operations reports, including enemy artillery activity below normal, Allied troop movements, machine gun activity, and light Allied casualties, August 24–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Telegraph; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Military aviation; War casualties; Machine guns; Prisoners of war

Dates: August 24-31, 1918

0904 2nd Corps Journal of Operations, September 1–8, 1918 (82)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports and telegrams, including prisoner reports of enemy positions and activities, military officer transportation by rail, Allied troop movements, and machine gun and artillery fire, September 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Telegraph; Transportation; Railroads; Military officers; Military personnel; Machine guns; Artillery

Dates: September 1-8, 1918

0933 2nd Corps Journal of Operations, September 9–15, 1918 (83)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps telegrams and operations reports regarding no change in operations, September 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel Dates: September 9–15, 1918

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2nd Corps Journal of Operations, September 16–23, 1918 (84)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps telegrams and operations reports regarding orders for troop division transfers and troop movement, September 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; General orders; Military duty assignments and releases; Transportation; Trains; Horses; Military education and training; Machine guns; Artillery

Dates: September 16–23, 1918

2nd Corps Journal of Operations, September 24–31, 1918 (85)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports and telegrams, including enemy aircraft activity, enemy raid on Allied forces, and Allied surprise attack on enemy with prisoners taken, September 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Military aircraft; Artillery; War casualties; Bombs; Chemical and biological warfare; Prisoners of war

Dates: September 24-31, 1918

2nd Corps Journal of Operations, October 1–8, 1918 (86)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports, including military cooperation with Australians, Allied troop reinforcements, list of headquarters of formations, enemy troop arrival from Russia, and heavy casualties on both sides, October 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Transportation; Trains; Military campaigns and battles; War casualties; Machine guns; Artillery; Military aviation

Geographic Place Names: Australia; Russia

Dates: October 1-8, 1918

2nd Corps Journal of Operations, October 9–15, 1918 (87)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports, including enemy bomb attacks, bridge and railroad destruction; and hostile artillery activity, October 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Bombs; Military aviation; Military aircraft; Bridges; Prisoners of war; Maps; Machine guns; Artillery; Railroads

Dates: October 9-15, 1918

2nd Corps Journal of Operations, October 16–23, 1918 (88)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports and telegrams, including Allied attacks launched and stiff resistance, enemy machine gun and gas shelling, and list of headquarters of formations, October 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Foreign military forces; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Artillery; Machine guns; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: October 16-23, 1918

2nd Corps Journal of Operations, October 24–31, 1918 (89)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports and telegrams, including enemy biplane destruction and Allied pilot returns and list of headquarters of formations, October 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aircraft; Pilots; Military personnel

Dates: October 24-31, 1918

0233 2nd Corps Journal of Operations, November 1–12, 1918 (90)

Descriptive Title: Second Corps operations reports and telegrams regarding situation unchanged, November 1–12, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel

Dates: November 1-12, 1918

0281 Third Corps, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0282 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, July 1–31, 1918 (91)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps summaries of intelligence and operations reports, including large number of pedestrians working in fields, German spies, enemy aircraft and balloons, artillery attacks, enemy deserters, and prisoner identifications, July 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Mountains; Military personnel; Artillery; Rural conditions; Agriculture; Reconnaissance; Military aviation; Prisoners of war; Espionage; Machine guns; Military aircraft; Balloons; Desertion; Foreign military forces; Propaganda

Dates: July 1-31, 1918

0324 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, August 1–15, 1918 (92)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps summaries of intelligence and operations reports, including artillery activities, enemy prisoner with Spanish fever, heavy Allied losses crossing bridges, and notes on German machine guns, August 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Machine guns; Artillery; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Diseases and disorders; War casualties; Bridges; Chemical and biological warfare

Persons as Subjects: Rousset, Lieutenant Colonel

Content Notes: Translation of an article on the present military situation by Lieutenant Colonel Rousset, French Army (Frame 0449)

Dates: August 1-15, 1918

0451 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, August 16–31, 1918 (93)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps summaries of intelligence and operations reports, including offensive operations during battle, heavy Allied losses from artillery and gas shelling, and economic situation in Germany, August 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military campaigns and battles; Communications; Military aviation; War casualties; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Reconnaissance; Balloons; Economics; Military aircraft; Tanks

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: August 16-31, 1918

0595 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, September 1–30, 1918 (94)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps operations and summaries of intelligence reports, including enemy movement and artillery activity, Allied reconnaissance flights, and strength of enemy pursuit flights, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Artillery; Military aviation; Bombs; War casualties; Foreign military forces; Military aircraft; Pilots; Chemical and biological warfare; Machine guns

Dates: September 1-30, 1918

3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, October 1–31, 1918 (95)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps operations reports and telegrams, including prisoner report that enemy tanks were advancing to Allied front line and heavy fighting with attacks and counterattacks along front line, October 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Tanks; Artillery; Military aviation; Weather Dates: October 1–31, 1918

0730 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, November 1–30, 1918 (96)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps operations reports, including Allied attack and enemy retreat and Allied movements progressing according to schedule, November 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Prisoners of war; Tanks; Foreign military forces; Military officers Dates: November 1–30, 1918

0781 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, December 1–31, 1918 (97)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps operations reports, including German people friendly to Allied forces while German flags in evidence, crossing of Rhine, and shortage of gasoline, transportation, forage, and rations, December 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Rhine River; Flags; Transportation; Gasoline; Military rations and food; Animal feed and forage; Military education and training

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: December 1-31, 1918

0818 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, January 1–31, 1919 (98)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps operations reports, including terrain exercises, drill training, and attack demonstrations, January 1–31, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military education and training; Topography

Dates: January 1–31, 1919

0848 3rd Corps, Journal of Operations, February 1–June 30, 1919 (99)

Descriptive Title: Third Corps operations reports, including training and demonstrations, military orders and releases, and troop movements, February 1–June 30, 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military education and training; Artillery; topography; General orders; Military duty assignments and releases

Dates: February 1-June 30, 1919

0888 Fourth Corps, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0889 4th Corps, Journal of Operations, July 1-August 30, 1918 (100)

Descriptive Title: Fourth Corps operations reports, including grenade attack on Germans with Allied casualties, Allied aircraft downing and pilots captured, enemy mustard gas attacks with camouflage, and enemy prisoner report that enlisted men tired of war and large numbers waiting to surrender, July 1–August 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Grenades; War casualties; Military aircraft; Pilots; Machine guns; Transportation; Foreign military forces; Chemical and biological warfare; Reconnaissance

Dates: July 1-August 30, 1918

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0001 Fifth Corps Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0002 5th Corps Journal of Operations, July 1–August 31, 1918 (101)

Descriptive Title: Fifth Corps summaries of intelligence reports, including deserter and prisoner information on enemy locations, train circulation, and Allied and enemy activities, July 1–August 31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Desertion; Railroads; Transportation; Military aviation; Balloons; Military personnel; Photography; Artillery; Machine guns

Dates: July 1-August 31, 1918

5th Corps Journal of Operations, September 1–November 30, 1918 (102)

Descriptive Title: Fifth Corps operations reports and telegrams, including hostile shelling, movements, and retreat, Allied and enemy casualties, and bombing activities, September 1–November 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Machine guns; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Bombs; Military aviation

Dates: September 1-November 30, 1918

0130 Sixth Corps, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0131 6th Corps Journal of Operations, September 1–30, 1918 (103)

Descriptive Title: Sixth Corps summaries of intelligence reports, including terrain exercises, prisoners, and transportation, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Maps; Topography; Prisoners of war; Transportation

Dates: September 1–30, 1918

0141 Seventh Corps Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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7th Corps Journal of Operations, September 1–30, 1918 (104)

Descriptive Title: Seventh Corps telegrams and operations reports, including American reconnaissance patrols, Allied and enemy losses, and troop movements, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Military aviation; War casualties; Military personnel; Military officers; Grenades; Balloons; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: September 1-30, 1918

7th Corps Journal of Operations, October 1–30, 1918 (105)

Descriptive Title: Seventh Corps operations reports, regarding reconnaissance patrols and artillery raids, October 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Machine guns; War casualties; Reconnaissance

Dates: October 1-30, 1918

7th Corps Journal of Operations, November 1–30, 1918 (106)

Descriptive Title: Seventh Corps operations reports regarding troop movements and assignments, November 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Motor transportation; Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases Dates: November 1–30, 1918

0257 Eighth Corps Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0258 8th Corps Journal of Operations (December 1–31, 1918) (107)

Descriptive Title: Eighth Corps summaries of intelligence reports regarding terrain exercises, December 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Topography; Military education and training; Military personnel; Artillery; Maps Dates: December 1–31, 1918

0284 Divisions-Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0285 First Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0286 1st Division Journal of Operations, January1–15, 1918 (108)

Descriptive Title: First Division instructions for reconnaissance officers, military sector operations, Frenchlanguage interpretation of photos, and military orders, January 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Military officers; Artillery; Machine guns; Maps; Photography; Foreign languages; General orders

Dates: January 1-15, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, January 16–31, 1918 (109)

Descriptive Title: First Division memoranda and French reports, including German use of special form of mustard gas, French-language military orders for officers and artillery units, movements of American artillery, and reconnaissance activities, January 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Chemical and biological warfare; Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Machine guns; Foreign languages; General orders; Artillery; Military officers; Communications; Reconnaissance; Military aviation

Geographic Place Names: Germany; France

Dates: January 16-31, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, February 1–15, 1918 (110)

Descriptive Title: First Division instructions and operations and intelligence reports concerning military rations and supplies, French artillery and reconnaissance, French-language American troop divisions, and commanding general troop labor requests, February 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military rations and food; Military supplies and property; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Foreign languages; Artillery; Military officers; Military personnel; Prisoners of war; Military aviation Geographic Place Names: France

Dates: February 1–15, 1918

1562 1st Division Journal of Operations, February 16–28, 1918 (111)

Descriptive Title: First Division American and French operations reports including troop movements, artillery and aviation activities, and battalion work details, February 16–28, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Military aviation; Military personnel; Artillery; Military aviation; Ordnance; Grenades; War casualties

Dates: February 16-28, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, March 1–15, 1918 (112)

Descriptive Title: First Division reports of casualties, enemy attacks, artillery activity, reconnaissance operations, and mistaken identity of German patrol, March 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; War casualties; Military officers; Missing in action; Artillery; Balloons;
 Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance; Grenades; Wire; Photography
 Dates: March 1–15, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, March 16–31, 1918 (113)

Descriptive Title: First Division telephonic and operations reports, including enemy raids and casualties, Allied gas attacks, wire patrols, and infantry activity and alert drills, March 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Telephone and telephone industry; Military personnel; Foreign military forces; War casualties; Reconnaissance; Machine guns; Grenades; Chemical and biological warfare; Military aviation; Railroads; Artillery; Foreign languages; Wire

Dates: March 16-31, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, April 1–15, 1918 (114)

Descriptive Title: First Division American and French-language operations reports, including prisoners, reconnaissance, and artillery activity, April 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Chemical and biological warfare; Reconnaissance; Artillery; Transportation; Foreign languages; Prisoners of war

Dates: April 1-15, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, April 16–30, 1918 (115)

Descriptive Title: First Division reports, including instructions on open warfare, troop movements, and march and billeting field orders, April 16–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Machine guns; Prisoners of war; Horses; Railroads; Emergency medical services; Transportation; Military officers; Foreign languages; Engineers; Tanks; Chemical and biological warfare; Artillery; Maps

Principal Correspondents: Lewis, Robert H.

Dates: April 16-30, 1918

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1st Division Journal of Operations, May 1–7, 1918 (116)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations and intelligence reports, including artillery activity, plan of defense, and enemy infantry activity, May 1–7, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Foreign languages; Bombs; Chemical and biological warfare; Machine guns; Railroads; Motor transportation

Dates: May 1-7, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, May 8–15, 1918 (116-A)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations and liaison reports, including reconnaissance execution, instruction of reserve infantry, and Allied and enemy patrols and positions, May 8–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign languages; Reconnaissance; Transportation; Telegraph; Tanks; Military officers; Military personnel; General orders; Maps; Foreign military forces; Artillery; War casualties; Balloons Dates: May 8–15, 1918

0173 1st Division Journal of Operations, May 16–23, 1918 (117)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations and liaison reports, including Allied and enemy aircraft and balloons downing, ambush patrols, training for operations, and American officer taken prisoner of war, May 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; War casualties; Military aircraft; Balloons; Military personnel; Military education and training; Foreign military forces; Foreign languages; Military officers; Prisoners of war; Military health facilities and services; Pilots

Geographic Place Names: Toul, Germany

Persons as Subjects: Hall, Capt.; Kurtz, Lieut.; Barneby, Walter V.; Colbert, Kenneth P.

Content Notes: POW Capt. Hall in German hospital with both arms broken (Frame 0232); Lieut. Kurtz killed when plane caught fire near Toul, Germany (Frame 0249); pilot Walter V. Barneby and observer Kenneth P. Colbert died when plane crashed (Frame 0267)

Dates: May 16-23, 1918

0268 1st Division Journal of Operations May 24–31, 1918 (117–A)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations and liaison reports, including German artillery activities, casualties, and prisoners, French confirmation of American victories, attacks and counterattacks with explosives and gas, and American losses, May 24–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign languages; Artillery; Prisoners of war; Explosives; Chemical and biological warfare; Military personnel; Diseases and disorders; Tanks; Machine guns; War casualties; Bombs; Balloons Geographic Place Names: Germany; France

Persons as Subjects: Clayton, Lt. Col.; Montgall, Capt.; Bullock, Capt.

Principal Correspondents: Bullard, R. L.; Grant, W. S.

Content Notes: Enemy bomb killed Lt. Col. Clayton, Capt. Montgall, and Capt. Bullock (Frames 0361–0362) Dates: May 24–31, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, June 1–15, 1918 (118)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations and liaison reports, including artillery activities and casualties, rearrangement of troops, station lists, and new type of enemy aircraft, June 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Foreign languages; War casualties; Military personnel; Machine guns; Maps; Foreign military forces; Military aircraft; Missing in action; Chemical and biological warfare; Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance; Bombs; Railroads

Principal Correspondents: Lewis, Robert H.

Dates: June 1–15, 1918

0500 1st Division Journal of Operations, June 16–30, 1918 (119)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations and liaison reports, including Allied and enemy artillery and gas attacks and counterattacks, bombing raids, division losses, and weather impeding progress, June 16–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military officers; Chemical and biological warfare; Artillery; Bombs; Tanks; Railroads; Cryptology; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Weather; Reconnaissance; Photography

Principal Correspondents: Lewis, Robert H.

Dates: June 16-30, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, July 1–15, 1918 (120)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations and liaison reports, including American activity, documents in the plan of defense, alert and warning orders, artillery activities, and station lists, July 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; General orders; Artillery; Prisoners of war; Machine guns; Transportation; Horses

Principal Correspondents: Marshall, G. C.; Lewis, Robert H.

Dates: July 1-15, 1918

0760 1st Division Journal of Operations, July 16–31, 1918 (121)

Descriptive Title: First Division reports regarding tank and artillery activity, July 16-31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Tanks; Machine guns; Prisoners of war

Dates: July 16-31, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, August 1–15, 1918 (122)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations reports, including American and German infantry activities, troop movements, station lists, and plan of defense, August 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Artillery; Machine guns; Military aviation; Foreign military forces; Cryptology; Military officers; Firearms; Military prisons; Maps

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: August 1-15, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, August 16–31, 1918 (123)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations reports, including plan of defense, gas alerts, change in troop positions, and engineer and other troop training, August 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Chemical and biological warfare; Sports and athletics; Military vehicles; Military officers; Personal property; Military education and training; Engineers; Wire; Machine guns; Firearms

Dates: August 16-31, 1918

0900 1st Division Journal of Operations, September 1-30, 1918 (124)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations reports, including military training, station lists, Allied and hostile movements, prisoners and machine guns captured, and casualties, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military education and training; Military personnel; Prisoners of war; Machine guns; War casualties

Dates: September 1–30, 1918

1st Division Journal of Operations, October 1–December 31, 1918 (125)

Descriptive Title: First Division operations reports, including machine gun fire, gas and explosive attacks, heavy enemy losses, and enemy resistance overcome by troops, October 1–December 31, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance; Chemical and biological warfare; Explosives; War casualties; Artillery; Engineers

Dates: October 1-December 31, 1918

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0001 Second Division, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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2nd Division Journal of Operations, March 16–31, 1918 (126)

Descriptive Title: Second Division operations reports, including American infantry and French artillery joint activities, attempted enemy raids and enemy deserter, American two-man raid without orders, and French inconvenience by lack of American ordnance, March 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Railroads; Military personnel; Chemical and biological warfare; War casualties; Desertion; Cemeteries and funerals; Machine guns; Foreign languages; Wire; Ordnance; Military rations and food; Reconnaissance; Tobacco and tobacco industry; Missing in action

Geographic Place Names: France

Persons as Subjects: Dobiez, Stanley; Grochowski, Boleslaw; Taylor, Moses W.

Principal Correspondents: Richardson, Robert C.; Eltinge, LeRoy

Content Notes: Stanley Dobiez and Stanley Grochowski funeral (Frame 0009); Moses W. Taylor shot and missing (Frame 0045)

Dates: March 16-31, 1918

2nd Division Journal of Operations, April 1–15, 1918 (127)

Descriptive Title: Second Division telephonic and intelligence reports, including enemy use of observation balloons, increased enemy artillery activity, Allied information about railroad use from enemy deserter, wire entanglement work, and American doctor captured by enemy, April 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: War casualties; Telecommunication; Railroads; Balloons; Weather; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Machine guns; Desertion; Wire; Prisoners of war; Physicians

Principal Correspondents: Eltinge, LeRoy

Dates: April 1-15, 1918

0108 2nd Division Journal of Operations, April 16–30, 1918 (128)

Descriptive Title: Second Division telephonic reports, including train activity and movements, Allied raids, enemy and Allied losses, and reconnaissance patrols, April 16–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Artillery; War casualties; Military vehicles; Railroads; Chemical and biological warfare; Machine guns

Dates: April 16-30, 1918

2nd Division Journal of Operations, May 1–31, 1918 (129)

Descriptive Title: Second Division telephonic reports, including train activity and poor visibility, May 1–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Railroads; Weather

Dates: May 1-31, 1918

2nd Division Journal of Operations, June 1–15, 1918 (130)

Descriptive Title: Second Division telephonic and operations reports, including German village attack and American losses, divisional sector heavy fighting and losses, and enemy order of battle, June 1–15, 1918 Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; War casualties; Rural conditions; Artillery; Foreign languages; Military aviation; Machine guns; Prisoners of war; Maps; Reconnaissance; Balloons; Chemical and biological warfare Geographic Place Names: Germany

Principal Correspondents: Grant, W. S.

Dates: June 1–15, 1918

0249 2nd Division Journal of Operations, June 16–30, 1918 (131)

Descriptive Title: Second Division operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including enemy artillery barrage and harassing fire, unusual enemy balloon activity, and American press coverage, June 16–30, 1918 Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Reconnaissance; Balloons; Press; Machine guns; War casualties

Content Notes: American press news of five-day battle (Frame 0256)

Dates: June 16-30, 1918

2nd Division Journal of Operations, July 11–31, 1918 (131-A)

Descriptive Title: Second Division telephonic and operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including capture of town, prisoners of war, and aviation activity, July 11–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Rural conditions; Prisoners of war; Machine guns; War casualties; Chemical and biological warfare; Military aviation; Balloons; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Transportation

Dates: July 11-31, 1918

2nd Division Journal of Operations, October 1–31, 1918 (132)

Descriptive Title: Second Division French-language report and telegram, regarding enemy attack with machine guns and trench mortars, October 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign languages; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Machine guns; Mortars Content Notes:

Dates: October 1-31, 1918

0412 Third Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0413 3rd Division Journal of Operations, June 1–8, 1918 (132-A)

Descriptive Title: Third Division reports, including agreement for rations and forage provisions by French, prisoner examinations, troop movements, and motorcycle shortage, June 1–8, 1918

Subject Terms: Railroads; Military rations and food; Animal feed and forage; Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Machine guns; Railroads; Military personnel; War casualties; Balloons; Bombs; Military aviation; Motorcycles; Chemical and biological warfare

Organization Names: Harley-Davidson

Dates: June 1-8, 1918

0483 3rd Division Journal of Operations, June 9–15, 1918 (132-B)

Descriptive Title: Third Division operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including change in location of troops, active enemy and Allied artillery units, and the dropping of food, cartridges, and grenades in baskets by parachute to surrounded Germans, June 9–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Artillery; Military aviation; Food supply; Ammunition; Grenades Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: June 9–15, 1918

0523 3rd Division Journal of Operations, June 16–23, 1918 (132-C)

Descriptive Title: Third Division operations and intelligence reports, including enemy shelling of open areas with cars and pedestrians, interrogation of prisoners, and troops missing believed to be drowned while crossing river, June 16–23, 1918

Subject Terms: Rural conditions; Artillery; Motor transportation; Military aviation; Balloons; War casualties; Military personnel

Dates: June 16-23, 1918

0568 3rd Division Journal of Operations, June 24–30, 1918 (133-D)

Descriptive Title: Third Division operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including importance of prisoners, quantity and quality of food rations, and enemy artillery activities, June 24–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Military rations and food; Machine guns

Dates: June 24–30, 1918

0610 3rd Division Journal of Operations, July 1–15, 1918 (133)

Descriptive Title: Third Division reports, including repulse of American troops on patrol, troop loss on attempt to cross Marne River, marks on German airplanes, and enemy fog attacks with smoke shell bombardment, July 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military officers; Missing in action; War casualties; Machine guns; Rivers and waterways; Military aircraft; Ammunition; Maps; Prisoners of war; Chemical and biological warfare

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Dates: July 1-15, 1918

0689 3rd Division Journal of Operations, July 16–31, 1918 (134)

Descriptive Title: Third Division operations reports, including casualty lists from Third Division 2,500 to 3,000, most French mortar battery equipment destroyed, and additional troop replacements needed, July 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Military aviation; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Ordnance; Artillery; Machine guns; Mortars; Maps

Dates: July 16-31, 1918

0766 3rd Division Journal of Operations, August 1–31, 1918 (135)

Descriptive Title: Third Division operations reports, including enemy shelling of bridges and railroads, reorganization and training, and enemy use of artillery, machine guns, and gas, August 1–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Bridges; Railroads; War casualties; Military education and training; Machine guns; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: August 1-31, 1918

0775 3rd Division Journal of Operations, September 1–November 30, 1918 (136)

Descriptive Title: Third Division telegrams and reports mostly about enemy harassing fire, September 1–November 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery

Dates: September 1-November 30, 1918

0804 Fourth Division, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0805 4th Division Journal of Operations, August 1–September 30, 1918 (137)

Descriptive Title: Fourth Division reports and summaries of intelligence, including enemy abandonment of ammunition dump and wired grenades, August 1–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Rivers and waterways; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Prisoners of war; Grenades; Ammunition; Military aircraft; Machine guns; Maps

Dates: August 1-September 30, 1918

0821 4th Division Journal of Operations, October 1–31, 1918 (138)

Descriptive Title: Fourth Division reports and summaries of intelligence, including harassing fire on both sides, aviation activities, and destruction of machine gun nests, October 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military personnel; Military aviation; Machine guns; Prisoners of war; Chemical and biological warfare; Weather

Dates: October 1-31, 1918

0859 Fifth Division, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0860 5th Division Journal of Operations, June 1–30, 1918 (139)

Descriptive Title: Fifth Division operations reports and telegrams, including station lists of troops, troop movements, and infantry and machine gun activity, June 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military education and training; Artillery; Machine guns; War casualties; Weather; Reconnaissance; Explosives

Dates: June 1-30, 1918

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0001 5th Division Journal of Operations, July 1–31, 1918 (140)

Descriptive Title: Fifth Division operations reports, telegrams, and summaries of intelligence, including infantry and Allied and enemy machine gun activity, enemy desertions, and troop movements, July 1–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Military personnel; Machine guns; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Military rations and food; Chemical and biological warfare; War casualties; Grenades; Desertion; Prisoners of war

Dates: July 1-31, 1918

5th Division Journal of Operations, August 1–31, 1918 (141)

Descriptive Title: Fifth Division operations reports and telegrams, including Allied and enemy patrols and activity and enemy propaganda balloons, August 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Machine guns; Balloons; Propaganda; War casualties; Chemical and biological warfare; Explosives

Dates: August 1–31, 1918

0151 5th Division Journal of Operations, September 1–October 31, 1918 (142)

Descriptive Title: Fifth Division operations reports and telegrams, including Allied and enemy reconnaissance patrols, captured prisoners, and heavy exchange of artillery fire, September 1–October 31, 1918

Subject Terms: Weather; Artillery; Machine guns; Reconnaissance; Prisoners of war; Chemical and biological warfare; Bombs

Dates: September 1-October 31, 1918

0189 5th Division Journal of Operations, November 1–30, 1918 (143)

Descriptive Title: Fifth Division operations reports and telegrams, including harassing artillery fire on enemy, enemy resistance with machine guns, and Allied troop advancement, November 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Prisoners of war; Artillery; Foreign military forces; Machine guns; Military personnel

Dates: November 1-30, 1918

0211 Sixth Division, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0212 6th Division Journal of Operations, September 1–October 31, 1918 (144)

Descriptive Title: Sixth Division operations and situation reports and telegrams, including effect of weather on operations, Allied and enemy increased patrols, and sniping activity, September 1–October 31, 1918

Subject Terms: Weather; Machine guns; Balloons; Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Dates: September 1–October 31, 1918

0271 Seventh Division, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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7th Division Journal of Operations, October 1-November 30, 1918 (145)

Descriptive Title: Seventh Division operations and situation reports, and telegrams, including troop activity, Allied plane downed in flames, troops killed and gassed, and need for food, October 1–November 30, 1918 Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military aircraft; Foreign military forces; War casualties; Chemical and biological warfare; Military officers; Military rations and food; Prisoners of war Dates: October 1–November 30, 1918

0354 Twenty-Sixth Division, Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0355 26th Division Journal of Operations, February 1–28, 1918 (146)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations and situation reports, and telegrams, including need for animals and American troop losses and burials, February 1–28, 1918

Subject Terms: Animals; War casualties; Military personnel; Military cemeteries and funerals

Geographic Place Names: France

Persons as Subjects: Bayard, Robert Roland; Crowley, John Joseph; Spaulding, Ralph R.

Principal Correspondents: Gleaves, S. R.

Content Notes: Robert Roland Bayard and John Joseph Crowley buried in American section of French cemetery (Frames 0365, 0371); Ralph R. Spaulding reported killed (Frame 0366)

Dates: February 1-28, 1918

0384 26th Division Journal of Operations, March 1–31, 1918 (147)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division telegrams and operations reports, including number of troops wounded or gassed, division troop movement, aviation activity, and ten troops missing or captured, March 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Chemical and biological warfare; Military officers; Military aviation;
 Transportation; Engineers; Artillery; Food poisoning; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Missing in action
 Content Notes: Food poisoned with gas and French report of two unknown gases (Frame 0430)
 Dates: March 1–31, 1918

0459 26th Division Journal of Operations, April 1–15, 1918 (148)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations and telephonic reports, including heavy bombardments and enemy raids, unusual activity of artillery shelling, and enemy use of new unidentified gas, April 1–15, 1918 Subject Terms: Artillery; Balloons; Military officers; Military personnel; Machine guns; Foreign military forces; Chemical and biological warfare; Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance

Dates: April 1-15, 1918

0511 26th Division Journal of Operations, April 16–30, 1918 (148-A)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division telephonic and operations reports, including artillery raids and patrols for machine gun nests, gas alarm with heavy shelling of battery positions, and Allied and enemy losses, April 16–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Machine guns; Chemical and biological warfare; Foreign military forces; War casualties; Grenades; Prisoners of war; Missing in action; Military officers; Military personnel; Espionage Dates: April 16–30, 1918

0576 26th Division Journal of Operations, May 1–15, 1918 (149)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations and telephonic reports, including ambush patrol near trenches, aviation engagements, and engineer work on wire entanglement and trenches, May 1–15, 1918 Subject Terms: Prisoners of war; Military personnel; Military aviation; Engineers; Wire; Artillery Dates: May 1–15, 1918

0667 26th Division Journal of Operations, May 16–31, 1918 (150)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations reports, including enemy trench mortar fire, troop movement, condition of enemy wire, station relief table, and numbers of casualties, May 16–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Mortars; Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Machine guns; Wire; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Military aviation; Machine guns; Balloons Dates: May 16–31, 1918

0782 26th Division Journal of Operations, June 1–15, 1918 (151)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including enemy artillery activity, troop movements, instructions on precautions of aerial observations, and code names, June 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Bombs; Artillery; Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Military aviation; cryptology; Railroads

Dates: June 1-15, 1918

0889 26th Division Journal of Operations, June 16–31 1918 (152)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations reports, including artillery activity and harassing fire on both sides, aviation and artillery activity, and troop relief, billeting, and entraining tables, June 16–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Grenades; Wire; Artillery; Balloons; Bombs; War casualties; Artillery; Military aviation; Machine guns; Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Military officers; Horses; Railroads Dates: June 16–31 1918

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0001 26th Division Journal of Operations, July 1–31, 1918 (153)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including field orders regarding detrainment, troop movements, heavy Allied and enemy harassing artillery fire, and troop losses, July 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Railroads; Military personnel; Artillery; Foreign military forces; War casualties; Manpower; Engineers; Military aviation; Balloons; Machine guns; Grenades; Wire; Reconnaissance; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: July 1-31, 1918

26th Division Journal of Operations, August 1–September 30, 1918 (154)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations reports, including change of location of units and movements and military training on attacks on machine gun nests and use of grenades and gas masks, August 1–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military education and training; Chemical and biological warfare; Military drills; Target practice; Weather; Machine guns; Grenades; Bombs; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Motor transportation; Military officers; Ordnance

Dates: August 1-September 30, 1918

0119 26th Division Journal of Operations, October 1–November 30, 1918 (155)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-sixth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including artillery bombardment information and activity, prisoners captured, troop losses and burial of Allied and enemy dead, October 1–November 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Military education and training; Reconnaissance; Chemical and biological warfare; Communications; Radio; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Military cemeteries and funerals Dates: October 1–November 30, 1918

0208 Twenty-Seventh Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0209 27th Division Journal of Operations, September 10-November 7, 1918 (156)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-seventh Division operations and telegraphic reports, including heavy fighting with machine guns and tanks, and capture of enemy officers, September 10–November 7, 1918

Subject Terms: Military education and training; Machine guns; Tanks; Prisoners of war; Military officers

Dates: September 10–November 7, 1918

0319 Twenty-Eighth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0320 28th Division Journal of Operations, July 29–August 15, 1918 (157)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-eighth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including heavy harassing and counter-battery fire, prisoner reports of severe enemy losses, and Allied and enemy troop movements, July 29–August 15, 1918

Subject Terms. Machine guns; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces; Reconnaissance; Bombs; Balloons

Persons as Subjects: Sciarini, Angelo; Dottorini, Guiseppe; Ransini, Sante

Content Notes: Statements of three Italian soldiers who escaped form Germans (Frame 0386)

Dates: July 29-August 15, 1918

0387 28th Division Journal of Operations, August 16–31, 1918 (158)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-eighth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including artillery and gas activity and Allied and enemy troop movements, August 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Balloons; Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Military aviation; Railroads; Reconnaissance; Machine guns

Dates: August 16-31, 1918

0487 28th Division Journal of Operations, September 1–30, 1918 (159)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-eighth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including work on wire entanglement and deepening trenches, balloons brought down in flames by enemy planes, attacks and enemy counterattacks, and French taken prisoners, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Wire; Balloons; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Prisoners of war; Military officers; Machine guns; War casualties

Geographic Place Names: France

Dates: September 1–30, 1918

0563 28th Division Journal of Operations, October 1–November 18, 1918 (160)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-eighth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including enemy machine gun nests, increased enemy artillery activity and losses, enemy observation planes, and one American plane brought down in flames, October 1–November 18, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Machine guns; Artillery; War casualties; Military aviation; Military aircraft; Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance

Dates: October 1-November 18, 1918

0659 Twenty-Ninth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0660 29th Division Journal of Operations, July 24-August 15, 1918 (161)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-ninth Division operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including reconnaissance patrols, casualties, machine gun bombardment, and plane observation missions, July 24—August 15, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Firearms; Grenades; Military aviation; War casualties; Machine guns Dates: July 24—August 15, 1918

0722 29th Division Journal of Operations, August 16–31, 1918 (162)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-ninth Division operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including enemy patrols and activity, reconnaissance activity, and unusually active planes and balloons, August 16–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Reconnaissance; Wire; Artillery; Grenades; Machine guns; War casualties Dates: August 16–31, 1918

0773 29th Division Journal of Operations, September 1–30, 1918 (163)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-ninth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including infantry and reconnaissance patrols, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: War casualties; Artillery; Wire; Reconnaissance; Machine guns; Military rations and food; Military aviation; Balloons

Dates: September 1–30, 1918

0810 29th Division Journal of Operations, October 1–31, 1918 (164)

Descriptive Title: Twenty-ninth Division operations reports, including poor enemy morale and prisoners surrendering in large numbers, infantry advancement, and extremely active heavy artillery, October 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Machine guns; Artillery; Military aviation; Chemical and biological warfare; Military rations and food

Dates: October 1-31, 1918

0881 Thirtieth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0882 30th Division Journal of Operations, September 2-November 15, 1918 (165)

Descriptive Title: Thirtieth Division operations and telegraphic reports, including machine gun activity along front lines, enemy observation balloons, and attacks and enemy counterattacks, September 2–November 15, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Foreign military forces; Balloons; Military aviation; Prisoners of war; Military rations and food

Dates: September 2-November 15, 1918

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0001 Thirty-Second Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0002 32nd Division Journal of Operations, May 15–31, 1918 (166)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division summaries of intelligence and operations and telegraphic reports, including enemy artillery and balloon activity, Allied troop activity, and American horse admittance in French veterinary hospitals, May 15–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Machine guns; War casualties; Artillery; Balloons; Horses; Veterinary medicine; Military aviation

Geographic Place Names: France

Dates: May 15-31, 1918

32nd Division Journal of Operations, June 1–30, 1918 (place-marker)

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0046 32nd Division Journal of Operations, June 1–30, 1918 (167)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division summaries of intelligence and telegraphic reports, including prisoners captured report enemy positions, Allied reconnaissance activity, and troop movements, June 1–30, 1918 Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Grenades; Machine guns; Artillery; Military aviation; Balloons; Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance; Transportation; Railroads; Chemical and biological warfare Dates: June 1–30, 1918

0152 32nd Division Journal of Operations, July 1–31, 1918 (168)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division summaries of intelligence and telegraphic reports, including Allied and enemy troop movements, enemy artillery activity, and military training, July 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Machine guns; Military aviation; Wire; Artillery; War casualties; Military officers; Prisoners of war; Military rations and food; Reconnaissance; Military education and training; Military personnel; Balloons; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: July 1-31, 1918

0242 32nd Division Journal of Operations, August 1- September 30, 1918 (place-marker)

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0243 32nd Division Journal of Operations, August 1-September 30, 1918 (168-A)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division summaries of intelligence and telegraphic reports, including captured prisoner reports, active enemy artillery, and troop movements, August 1–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms. Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces; Military deserters; Artillery; Military officers; Military engineers and engineering; Transportation; Horses; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: August 1-September 30, 1918

0283 32nd Division Journal of Operations, October 1–31, 1918 (169)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division situation, operations, and telegraphic reports, including infantry and machine gun patrolling, Allied and enemy aviation activity, and Allied artillery activity and enemy resistance, October 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Machine guns; Military aviation; Foreign military forces; Prisoners of war; Military officers

Dates: October 1-31, 1918

0348 32nd Division Journal of Operations, November 1-30, 1918 (170)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division operations, situation, and telegraphic reports, including troop movements and billeting, artillery activity, troops greeted by civilian population, and Allied march to Rhine, November 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Artillery; Prisoners of war; Balloons; Rhine River; Rural conditions; Rivers and waterways; Military drills; Military education and training

Dates: November 1-30, 1918

0420 32nd Division Journal of Operations, December 1–31, 1918 (171)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division operations and telegraphic reports, including troop movements, cloudy and damp weather conditions affecting military activity, and completion of crossing Rhine, December 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Topography; Weather; Rhine River; Bridges; Reconnaissance; Military drills; Military officers; Weather; Military education and training; Machine guns

Dates: December 1–31, 1918

0476 32nd Division Journal of Operations, January 1–March 31, 1919 (172)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-second Division operations reports, including military drills, training, and target practice, January 1–March 31, 1919

Subject Terms: Military drills; Military personnel; Military education and training; Machine guns; Military officers; Target practice; Artillery

Dates: January 1- March 31, 1919

0556 Thirty-third Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0557 33rd Division Journal of Operations, July 15–Sept. 30, 1918 (173)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-third Division telegraphic, operations, and situation reports regarding Allied and enemy activities, July 15–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Foreign military forces; Bombs; Prisoners of war; Chemical and biological warfare; Explosives; Rivers and waterways; Military personnel; Machine guns; Tanks; Balloons Dates: July 15–September 30, 1918

0583 33rd Division Journal of Operations, October 1-November 17, 1918 (1754)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-third Division situation and telegraphic reports, including military attacks and counterattacks and active fire harassment, October 1–November 17, 1918

Subject Terms: Bridges; Prisoners of war; Artillery; Balloons; Rivers and waterways; Military officers; Military aviation; Military personnel; Machine guns; Grenades

Dates: October 1-November 17, 1918

0658 Thirty-fifth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0659 35th Division Journal of Operations, July 1–31, 1918 (175)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-fifth Division telegraphic and operations reports and summaries of intelligence including food shortages, enemy attacks repulsed, increased infantry activity, and casualties, July 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military rations and food; War casualties; Machine guns; Military aviation; Railroads; Reconnaissance; Wire; Grenades

Dates: July 1-31, 1918

0759 35th Division Journal of Operations, August 16–31, 1918 (176)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-fifth Division telegraphic and operations reports and summaries of intelligence including troop movements, enemy and Allied artillery active, and other enemy and Allied activity normal, August 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: War casualties; Military rations and food; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Machine guns; Military aviation

Dates: August 16-31, 1918

0843 35th Division Journal of Operations, August 1–15, 1918 (176-A)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-fifth Division summaries of intelligence and telegraphic and operations reports, including German casualties found in wire, troop movement relief complete, and infantry activity, August 1–15, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; War casualties; Wire; Machine guns; Grenades; Military rations and food; Military aviation; Weather

Dates: August 1-15, 1918

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35th Division Journal of Operations, September 1–November 6, 1918 (177)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-fifth Division operations and situation reports, including active enemy patrols, enemy troop movement by train, and Allied and enemy planes active, September 1–November 6, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Chemical and biological warfare; Military rations and food; Wire; Artillery; Railroads; Military aviation; Machine guns; Bombs

Dates: September 1-November 6, 1918

0074 Thirty-Sixth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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36th Division Journal of Operations, October 11–November 14, 1918 (178)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-sixth Division telegraphic, situation, and operations reports, including reconnaissance flights met with machine gun fire and enemy flooding valley by damming Aisne River, October 11–November 14, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Reconnaissance; Rivers and waterways; Flood control; Military rations and food; Prisoners of war

Dates: October 11-November 14, 1918

0122 Thirty-Seventh Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0123 37th Division Journal of Operations, August 1–31, 1918 (179)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-seventh Division summaries of intelligence and telegraphic and operations reports, including enemy patrols and carrier pigeons, enemy and Allied troop movements, artillery activity, and patrol order maps, August 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Pigeons; Transportation; Military personnel; Military aviation; Balloons; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Machine guns; Maps

Dates: August 1-31, 1918

0269 37th Division Journal of Operations, September 1–30, 1918 (180)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-seventh Division daily operations reports, including reconnaissance patrols, enemy and Allied artillery lists, and enemy military activities, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Wire; Balloons; Chemical and biological warfare; Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Artillery; Machine guns; Reconnaissance; Military officers

Dates: September 1-30, 1918

0310 37th Division Journal of Operations, October 1-November 14, 1918 (181)

Descriptive Title: Thirty-seventh Division situation and operations reports, including infantry and machine gun activity, gassed troops and casualties, and troop movements, October 1–November 14, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Balloons; Military aviation; Balloons; War casualties; Machine guns; Chemical and biological warfare; Military personnel; Missing in action; Prisoners of war; Rivers and waterways
 Dates: October 1–November 14, 1918

0345 Forty-Second Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0346 42nd Division Journal of Operations, February 27–March 15, 1918 (182)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division operations, telephonic, and intelligence reports, including enemy raids, American casualties, and increased Allied and enemy activity, February 27–March 15, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; War casualties; Military officers; Prisoners of war; Artillery; Maps; Transportation; Animal feed and forage; Grenades; Bombs; Military aviation; Wire Dates: February 27–March 15, 1918

0442 42nd Division Journal of Operations, March 16–31, 1918 (183)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division telephonic and daily intelligence reports, including artillery activity, troop movements, reconnaissance night patrols, and station assignment of troops, March 16–31, 1918 Subject Terms: Artillery; Military personnel; Grenades; Reconnaissance; War casualties; Military officers; Prisoners of war; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: March 16-31, 1918

0476 42nd Division Journal of Operations, April 1–30, 1918 (184)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division telephonic reports and summaries of intelligence, including night patrols with losses, Allied gas shells with enemy artillery retaliation, and reconnaissance and combat patrols, April 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Weather; Artillery; Grenades; Military personnel; War casualties; Missing in action; Chemical and biological warfare; Foreign military forces

Dates: April 1–30, 1918

0519 42nd Division Journal of Operations, May 1–31, 1918 (185)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division Summaries of intelligence and telephonic and operations reports, including enemy patrols and trench sniper activity, Allied sniper missing, troop movements and activities, enemy losses, and interrogation of prisoners, May 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Grenades; Bombs; Chemical and biological warfare; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Letter writing; Military aviation; Telecommunications; Military officers; Missing in action; Machine guns; Military intelligence

Geographic Place Names: Verdun, Germany

Persons as Subjects: Bottscher, Alexander Kurt; Willard, Leon; Haas, Herman; Nigel, Will; Grohman, Emil Content Notes: Interrogation of prisoners Alexander Kurt Bottscher (Frames 0589–0590), Leon Willard (Frames 0628–0629), Herman Haas, Will Nigel, and Emil Grohman (Frames 0630–0631)

Dates: May 1-31, 1918

0640 42nd Division Journal of Operations, June 1–30, 1918 (186)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division telephonic and operations reports and summaries of intelligence, including enemy trench work and activity, aviation activity, Allied losses and missing soldiers, enemy prisoners and deserters, infantry patrols, and American, French and enemy comparative artillery fire, June 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Foreign military forces; Wire; War casualties; Missing in action; Prisoners of war; Military deserters; Military personnel; Artillery; Transportation; Railroads; Balloons; General orders; Communications; Surgeon and surgery

Persons as Subjects: Rasman, Albert; Vieweg, Ivan

Content Notes: Interrogation of prisoners Albert Rasman and Ivan Vieweg, who escaped and were recaptured (Frame 0711)

Dates: June 1-30, 1918

0738 42nd Division Journal of Operations, July 1–31, 1918 (187)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division Journal of Operations records and summaries of events, including mixup in division troop assignments, capture of prisoners and machine guns, enemy bombardment along Allied line, and captured documents, July 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military officers; horses; Prisoners of war; Machine guns; Foreign military forces; Communications, Bombs; Military intelligence; Maps

Principal Correspondents: Grant, Walter S.

Dates: July 1-31, 1918

0776 42nd Division Journal of Operations, August 1–September 30, 1918 (188)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division summaries of intelligence and telegraphic and situation reports, including enemy harassing gas and artillery fire, intense Allied combat activity, and train and troop movements, August 1–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Machine guns; maps; Railroads; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance; Press

Dates: August 1-September 30, 1918

0821 42nd Division Journal of Operations, October 1–November 1, 1918 (189)

Descriptive Title: Forty-second Division situation, telegraphic, and intelligence reports, including Allied losses, reconnaissance patrols and bombings, enemy machine gun barrage, and pro-Allied local population, October 1–November 1, 1918

Subject Terms: War casualties; Reconnaissance; Bombs; Military rations and food; Machine guns; Prisoners of war; Military supplies and property; Wire; Balloons; Chemical and biological warfare; Rural conditions Dates: October 1–November 1, 1918

0874 Seventy-Seventh Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0875 77th Division Journal of Operations, June 24–30, 1918 (190)

Descriptive Title: Seventy-seventh Division telephonic and operations reports, including successful enemy raid with Allied losses and enemy and Allied plane and machine gun activity, June 24–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Military personnel; Military officers; War casualties; Missing in action; Military aviation; Reconnaissance

Dates: June 24-30, 1918

0892 77th Division Journal of Operations, July 1–15, 1918 (191)

Descriptive Title: Seventy-seventh Division telephonic reports and summaries of intelligence, including train and troop movements, infantry day and night patrols, and active movements on enemy lines, July 1–15, 1918 Subject Terms: Military personnel; Railroads; Machine guns; Balloons; Military aviation; Foreign military forces Dates: July 1–15, 1918

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0001 77th Division Journal of Operations, July 16–31, 1918 (192)

Descriptive Title: Seventy-seventh Division operations, telegraphic, and telephonic reports and summaries of intelligence, including probable enemy suicide, aviation activity, reconnaissance and liaison patrols, capture of prisoners, and interrogation of deserters, July 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Grenades; War casualties; Suicide; Military aviation; Reconnaissance; Prisoners of war; Missing in action; Military personnel; Military officers; Wire; Military deserters Dates: July 16–31, 1918

77th Division Journal of Operations, August 1–31, 1918 (193)

Descriptive Title: Seventy-seventh Division summaries of intelligence and operations and telephonic reports, including Allied and enemy activities, night air and bombing activities, interrogation of prisoners, and harassing fire exchanges, August 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Bombs; Reconnaissance; Foreign military forces; Transportation; Machine guns; Chemical and biological warfare; War casualties; Prisoners of war; Artillery; Military engineers and engineering; Letter writing

Content Notes: Personal letter found in German coat (Frame 0128)

Dates: August 1-31, 1918

0141 77th Division Journal of Operations, September 1–November 11, 1918 (194)

Descriptive Title: Seventy-seventh Division telegraphic and situation reports, including enemy use of large percentage of gas, Allied troops patrol of canal, infantry and machine gun activity, Allied and enemy losses, and enemy use of pigeons, September 1–November 11, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Bombs; Reconnaissance; War casualties; Military aviation; Artillery; Canals; Chemical and biological warfare; Military officers; Prisoners of war; Military personnel; Railroads; Pigeons; Balloons; Grenades

Dates: September 1-November 11, 1918

0244 Seventy-Eighth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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78th Division Journal of Operations, September 23–November 15, 1918 (195)

Descriptive Title: Seventy-eighth Division telegraphic and situation reports, including combat patrols, battalion relief, prisoner and machine gun capture, mustard gas use, and enemy in retreat, September 23–November 15, 1918

Subject Terms: Machine guns; Military aviation; Bombs; War casualties; Chemical and biological warfare; Military rations and food; Military supplies and property; Foreign military forces

Dates: September 23-November 15, 1918

0312 Seventy-Ninth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0313 79th Division Journal of Operations, September 1-November 15, 1918 (196)

Descriptive Title: Seventy-ninth Division telegraphic and situation reports, including enemy reconnaissance and bombardment of towns in Allied outpost zone, Allied troop movements, artillery brigade relief, and French-language military orders, September 1–November 15, 1918

Subject Terms: Bombs; Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Rural conditions; Reconnaissance; Artillery; Military aviation; Chemical and biological warfare; Balloons; Prisoners of war; Machine guns; Railroads; General orders; Foreign languages

Dates: September 1-November 15, 1918

0404 Eightieth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0405 80th Division Journal of Operations, September 27–November 25, 1918 (197)

Descriptive Title: Eightieth Division telegraphic, casualty, and situation reports, including number of war wounded and losses, food and supply shortages, and armistice with Germany but not peace, September 27–November 25, 1918

Subject Terms: War casualties; Military personnel; Chemical and biological warfare; Military rations and food; Military supplies and property; Military officers; Military education and training; Negotiations

Geographic Place Names: Germany

Content Notes: Armistice with Germany announcement (Frame 0447)

Dates: September 27-November 25, 1918

0462 Eighty-First Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0463 81st Division, g-3, GHQ, AEF, Folder 198

Descriptive Title: Eighty-first Division situation and telegraphic reports, including enemy aviator landed and left burning machine, enemy raids, French and enemy infantry activity, and gas bombardments, September 22–November 14, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Military aviation; Machine guns; War casualties; Cryptology; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Military rations and food; Bombs; Balloons; Foreign languages Dates: September 22–November 14, 1918

0588 Eighty-Second Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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0589 82nd Division Journal of Operations, June 28–July 15, 1918 (199)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-second Division operations and telephonic reports and summaries of intelligence, including aviation bombardment activity, German working parties, troop movements, and reconnaissance patrols, June 28–July 15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military aviation; Bombs; Military personnel; Military officers; Artillery; Balloons; Transportation; Reconnaissance; Military education and training; Cryptology

Dates: June 28-July 15, 1918

0672 82nd Division Journal of Operations, July 16–31, 1918 (200)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-second Division operations and telephonic reports and summaries of intelligence, including Allied and enemy infantry and artillery activity, aviation and balloon activity, and American prisoner duty to avoid charges of treason, July 16–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Transportation; Balloons; Military aviation; Prisoners of war; Treason; Railroads

Dates: July 16-31, 1918

0742 82nd Division Journal of Operations, August 1–31, 1918 (201)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-second Division operations and telegraphic reports and summaries of intelligence, including Allied and enemy infantry and artillery activity, military wounded and suffering shell shock, and number of German prisoners captured, August 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Transportation; Grenades; Missing in action; Chemical and biological warfare; Mental health and illness; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Military rations and food; Military officers

Dates: August 1-31, 1918

0856 82nd Division Journal of Operations, September 1–30, 1918 (202)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-second Division telegraphic reports, including aviation and balloon activity, food requests, heavy artillery activity, and casualties, September 1–30, 1918

Subject Terms: Bombs; Machine guns; Balloons; Military aviation; Military rations and food; Prisoners of war; War casualties; Chemical and biological warfare

Dates: September 1-30, 1918

0892 82nd Division Journal of Operations, October 1–31, 1918 (203)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-second Division telegraphic, situation, and operations reports, including heavy enemy artillery activity, prisoners captured, active Allied and enemy infantry, and unit march and relief table, October 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Artillery; Prisoners of war; Military personnel; Military officers; Foreign military forces; Chemical and biological warfare; War casualties; Reconnaissance; Military aviation; Ammunition; Railroads Dates: October 1–31, 1918

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0001 Eighty-Eighth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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88th Division Journal of Operations, October 4–November 7, 1918 (204)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-eighth Division situation and telegraphic reports, including troop intelligence and other unit movements into front line, active enemy artillery, and very active Allied and enemy aviation, October 4–November 7, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Machine guns; Reconnaissance; Military aviation; Balloons; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Military rations and food; War casualties; Military officers

Dates: October 4-November 7, 1918

0067 Eighty-Ninth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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89th Division Journal of Operations, August 10–September 30, 1918 (205)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-ninth Division operations, telephonic, and telegraphic reports, including American and German infantry activity, aviation and gas bombardments, and American infantry patrol operation details, August 10–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Foreign military forces; Grenades; Machine guns; Military aviation; Bombs; Balloons; Chemical and biological warfare; War casualties; Reconnaissance; Military officers; Machine guns; Prisoners of war; Military rations and food

Dates: August 10-September 30, 1918

0170 89th Division Journal of Operations, October 1–December 28, 1918 (206)

Descriptive Title: Eighty-ninth Division situation and telegraphic reports, including Allied and enemy reconnaissance and patrols, weather hampering operations, precautions against duds with 24- to 48-hour fuses division move to line of Sauer River near Echternach, Luxembourg, and station list, October 1– December 28, 1918

Subject Terms: Reconnaissance; Artillery; Chemical and biological warfare; Weather; Balloons; War casualties; Military rations and food; Military supplies and property; Missing in action; Prisoners of war; Military aviation; Military aircraft; Rivers and waterways; Military drills; Military education and training; Holidays Geographic Place Names: Echternach, Luxembourg

Dates: October 1-December 28, 1918

0260 Ninetieth Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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90th Division Journal of Operations, August 24–September 30, 1918 (207)

Descriptive Title: Ninetieth Division summaries of intelligence and operations reports, including enemy patrol capture of private from Company K, 357th infantry, American and German infantry and artillery activity, German interception of wireless communiqué, importance of obtaining prisoner identifications, and station list, August 24–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Prisoners of war; Foreign military forces; Artillery; Wire; Military aviation; Balloons; War casualties; Military rations and food; Bombs; Communications; Military deserters; Chemical and biological warfare; Military officers; Machine guns; Military supplies and property; Reconnaissance; Missing in action

Content Notes: German wireless interceptions (Frame 0270, 0285); translation of German document (Frame 0301)

Dates: August 24-September 30, 1918

90th Division Journal of Operations, October 15–November 15, 1918 (208)

Descriptive Title: Ninetieth Division situation and telegraphic reports, including food and supplies required, military losses, American patrols, enemy machine gun fire and sniping, and military losses, October 15–November 15, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military officers; War casualties; Military rations and food; Military supplies and property; Prisoners of war; Reconnaissance; Chemical and biological warfare; Machine guns Dates: October 15–November 15, 1918

0456 Ninety-First Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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91st Division Journal of Operations, November 1–December 29, 1918 (209)

Descriptive Title: Ninety-first Division situation and telegraphic reports, including enemy machine gun and explosive activity, military training resumption, and entrance of King of Belgium in Brussels, November 1–December 29, 1918

Subject Terms: Foreign military forces; Machine guns; Explosives; Chemical and biological warfare; Military aviation; Bombs; Military personnel; Military officers; War casualties; Artillery; Holidays

Geographic Place Names: Brussels, Belgium

Dates: November 1-December 29, 1918

0519 Ninety-second Division Journal of Operations (place-marker)

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92nd Division Journal of Operations, August 25–September 30, 1918 (210)

Descriptive Title: Ninety-second Division operations, situation, and telegraphic reports, including harassing fire by French artillery, enemy observation, repair of trenches and camouflage, and military training instructions, August 25–September 30, 1918

Subject Terms: Government forms and paperwork; Foreign military forces; War casualties; Military personnel; Artillery; Wire; Military aviation; Balloons; Chemical and biological warfare; Military education and training; Military officers; Bombs; Engineers

Dates: August 25-September 30, 1918

92nd Division Journal of Operations, October 1–31, 1918 (211)

Descriptive Title: Ninety-second Division operations, situation, and telegraphic reports and summaries of intelligence, including field marching orders, troop movement reliefs, and repulsed enemy raids, October 1–31, 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Artillery; Machine guns; Reconnaissance; Military aircraft; Balloons; War Dates: October 1–31, 1918

92nd Division Journal of Operations, November 1–18, 1918 (212)

Descriptive Title: Ninety-second Division situation and telegraphic reports, including harassing fire on enemy lines, wounded prisoner captured, and combat patrol operations, November 1–18, 1918

Subject Terms: Prisoners of war; Balloons; Artillery; Reconnaissance; Machine guns; Military education and training

Dates: November 1-18, 1918

O729 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—August 1918 (With Charts) [Outer accordion folder]

0730 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions, AEF—July 1918 (212-A)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, July 1918 Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases; Military education and training Dates: July 1918

0805 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Division, AEF—August 1918 (213)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, August 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases; Military education and training; Artillery; Maps

Geographic Place Names: France

Dates: August 1918

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0001 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Division, AEF, September 1918 (214)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, September 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases; Military education and training; Artillery; Maps

Geographic Place Names: France; Russia; Castle, England

Dates: September 1918

0184 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Division, AEF, October 1918 (215)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions in line and in reserve, October 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases; Military education and training; Artillery; Maps

Geographic Place Names: France; Russia; Castle, England

Dates: October 1918

0408 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Division, AEF, November 1918 (216)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of division movements, including troop preparation for return to United States, November 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases; Military education and training; Artillery; General orders; Transportation; Maps

Geographic Place Names: Luxembourg; France; Russia; Castle, England

Dates: November 1918

0643 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Division, AEF, December 1918 (217)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including troop preparation for return to United States, December 1918

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Military duty assignments and releases; Military education and training; General orders; Transportation; Artillery

Geographic Place Names: Italy; France; Russia; Castle, England

Dates: December 1918

0896 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Division, AEF, January 1919 (218)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including 93rd Colored Provisional Division and troop preparation for return to United States, January 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; General orders; Military duty assignments and releases; Black Americans;

Military education and training; Transportation; Artillery

Geographic Place Names: Italy; Russia; Castle, England; France

Dates: January 1919

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0001 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, January 1919 (218)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including 93rd Colored Provisional Division and troop preparation for return to United States, January 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; General orders; Military duty assignments and releases; Military education and training; Black Americans; Transportation; Artillery

Geographic Place Names: Italy; Russia; Luxembourg; Castle, England; France

Dates: January 1919

0146 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, February 1919 (219)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including 93rd Colored Provisional Division and troop preparation for return to United States, February 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; General orders; Military duty assignments and releases; Balloons; Black Americans; Military education and training; Transportation; Artillery

Geographic Place Names: Italy; Russia; Castle, England; France

Dates: February 1919

0333 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, March 1919 (220)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including preparation for return to United States, March 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Transportation

Geographic Place Names: Italy; Russia; Castle, England; Luxembourg; France

Dates: March 1919

0582 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, April 1919 (221)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including preparation for return to United States, April 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Transportation

Geographic Place Names: Russia

Dates: April 1919

0764 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, May 1919 (222)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including unit preparation for return to United States, May 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Transportation

Geographic Place Names: Russia

Dates: May 1919

0920 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, June 1919 (223)

Descriptive Title: Armies, Corps, and Division charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including preparation for return to United States, June 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel; Transportation

Geographic Place Names: Russia; Luxembourg

Dates: June 1919

0954 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, July 1919 (224)

Descriptive Title: Operations section charts regarding locations and employment of divisions, including army of occupation of German territory, in first line, and in support, July 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel

Geographic Place Names: Germany; Luxembourg

Dates: July 1919

0959 Location and Employment of Armies, Corps, and Divisions—AEF, August 1919 (225)

Descriptive Title: Operations section chart regarding locations and employment of divisions, including army of occupation of German territory and in first line, July 1919

Subject Terms: Military personnel

Dates: August 1919

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he Journals of Operations of the American Expeditionary Forces during World War I were submitted to the Operations Branch (G-3) by U.S. army divisions and corps in Europe during World War I. This series of records also includes several journals of operations submitted by French Army units. The UPA collection *The American Expeditionary Forces during World War I, Journals of Operations* contains operations reports, statistical strength reports, and summaries of intelligence detailing troop movements and operations of both Allied and enemy forces, including artillery and aerial activities, gas bombs, observation balloons, prisoners, casualties, and weather conditions that had an effect on troop and air progress. The records date from March 1918 through August 1919.

Daily operations reports were made concerning enemy and Allied activities, including air flights, observation balloons, artillery use with machine guns, bombs, grenades, and gasses, and troop morale. A weather report and detailed injuries and casualties were also included, although rarely were individual names given. A memorandum from Chief of Staff Campbell King with the subject "Unnecessary losses" stated: "For the same number of troops engaged on our Corps front, American losses are from two to four times as great as those of the French. There is but one conclusion: it is that our men, either from ignorance or carelessness, are not taking cover" (Reel 7, Frame 0111). Reports were made from the British and French to a liaison.

Also included in this collection are reports by telegram and telephone, statements from prisoners regarding enemy troop movements, unit locations, and other details, and numbers of troops wounded, killed, and gassed.

Many prisoners were reported captured by the Allied forces, such as the French surprise attack with 10,000 prisoners counted (Reel 1, Frame 0407). A report from the Third Division stated: "A boat with two boche tried to get across the river last night. Both men were shot. It is not known whether they were deserters or the advance party of a patrol. Our inexperienced outguards do not yet understand the importance of prisoners" (Reel 8, Frame 0587).

Much intelligence was gathered by the interrogation of prisoners. Information such as number of troops, locations, enemy raids, and patrols was gathered. Following are some intelligence and interrogation reports from prisoners: One prisoner stated that "the German troops read with interest the propaganda tracts which we shot into their trenches but considered them 'bunk'" (Reel 12, Frame 0629). Another prisoner reported that an American deserted into the German lines, and as a result, the Germans expected an American attack. "The enemy is so anxious to obtain a prisoner that an offer of 500 marks and 14 days leave have been offered...for the capture of one. This prisoner who was out on a patrol when captured, expected to get an American and by doing so win, in addition to the above reward, the iron cross, 1st class, and a commission" (Reel 1, Frame 0694).

Researchers will find interesting the codes that the Americans used for combat divisions (Reel 14, Frames 0037, 0546) and coded and decoded telegram copies of casualties and other information (Reel 1, Frames 0742–0744), as well as the armistice with Germany (Reel 13, Frame 0447).

Other related collections that might be of interest to researchers are British Documents on Foreign Affairs: Reports and Papers from the Foreign Office Confidential Print, Series H: The First World War, 1914–1918 and Series I: The Paris Peace Conference of 1919; Combat Estimates: Europe, 1920–1943; Confidential British Foreign Office Political Correspondence: World War I; The Mexican Punitive Expedition, 1916–1917, General Correspondence; and The World War I Survey.