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HOUR	ENTRY	SOURCE
1 April		
0800	Quartermaster salvage received from Co's.	B.S.O., water point, jacket
1000	Got a talley from Major Koegans, of 367 Engrs. for 1 cable set complete.	file of each Co., and Req. files. Lt. Mill's journal
0100	Kits first aid, motor vehicle, tallied-out to Co's.	notes.
0200	Supply Memo. #8, on emergency rations made out.	
2 April		
0800	14 Boats Assault were turned into 213 Engr. Depot.	
0930	Co. A turned in winter clothing, blankets, bags sleeping, overcoats, etc..	
1000	Made out report on Stream Crossing Equipment for Major Brown of S-4 section 540th Group.	
1100	Sent to Luneville to pick up Engr. backorder.	
1500	Water point closed at Frankenthal, Germany.	
3 April		
0800	Quartermaster salvage certificate made out and salvage was sent to dump.	
0900	2 Cable set 3/4", 3 cable sets 5/8", 1 utility boat, 4 M.G., M-51, Carriage, multi gun, cal 50, and 5 sets, mine barriers, were turned into 1175th Engr. Group.	
1000	Quartermaster requisitions for clothing, individual equipment, and organizational equipment were made out and sent for.	
1100	1 Utility boat turned into B.S.O. by Co. B.	
1500	Water point closed at Roxheim, Germany.	
4 April		
0800	Moved from Roxheim, Germany to Lampertheim, Germany.	
1300	Made out Monthly Journal for month of March.	
5 April		
0800	Moved from Lampertheim, Germany to Kirchheim, Germany.	
1500	Water point opened at Kirchheim, Germany.	
6 April		
0800	SECURITY CLASSIFICATION CANCELED Lt. Mills left for Paris, France on a 48 hr leave.	
0900	Winter clothing, blankets, sleeping bags, overcoats, etc., received from the rest of Co's.	

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6 April		
1000	All winter clothing which was received from Co's turned into Q.M. Salvage (213 Q.M.).	B.S.O., water point, jacket file of each Co., and Reg. files. Lt. Mills' journal notes.
1030	Coffee, milk, and sugar rations drawn for En. Aid Station.	
1100	Q.M. requisition taken to Sarrebourg, France to be drawn.	
7 April		
0800	2 Trucks, 2½ ton, 6x6, Cargo, turned into this office by Co. A.	
1000	One of the above trucks shipped to Co. C and the other to Co. B.	
1100	Made up Supply Memo #9, regarding laundry, and shoe repair.	
2000	Q.M. clothing, and equipment received from Sarrebourg, France.	
8 April		
0800	Q.M. clothing and equipment broken down and sent to Co's.	
1000	Engr. salvage and overage turned into B.S.O. by Co's.	
1100	Salvage certificate made out on Engr. salvage and a tally-out on all overages of Engr. equipment and taken to dump.	
1300	500 drift pins drawn for Co. B.	
1400	Back order on Engr. Requisition dated 28 Feb. 1945 picked up at 210 Engr. Depot.	
9 April		
0800	8 cylinders of oxygen and 4 of acetylene were drawn	
1300	20 telephones turned into this office by Co. B.	
10 April		
0800	Requisitioned 12 battery, BA-43 from Army Signal Depot #612	
1400	Above batteries received and tallied out to H & S Co.	
11 April		
0800	42 Cases of C rations and 3½ cases of D rations	



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11 April		
0800	drawn for Co. C and delivered to them.	B.S.O., water point, jacket file of each Co., and Reg. files. Lt. Mills' journal notes.
0900	Supply Memo. #10 regarding the turning in of balance of winter clothing and tent stoves etc. made up.	
1000	Checked with Major Brown about change over of Co. B property.	
1100	Inserted notice in Daily Bulletin regarding ration returns.	
1400	Got 45 day extension on MR on road grader.	
12 April		
0900	1 Boat Utility and 1 trailer pole type turned into this office from Co. C.	
1000	Co. B and A turned into this office the balance of their stream crossing equipment.	
13 April		
0800	Balance of winter clothing, wool undershirts etc. and any overages and tent stoves turned in by Co's.	
0900	Special Signal equipment such as lanterns, blinker type etc., which had been drawn for stream crossing, was turned into B.S.C. by Co's.	
1100	Above signal equipment turned into 177th Signal Rep. Co..	
1300	Q.M. winter clothing and overage turned into 232nd Q.M. Bump.	
14 April		
0900	Checked with Major Brown on ordnance allocation.	
1000	Made arrangement for supply Sgts. meeting for the 15 of April.	
1100	Requisitioned 500 drift pins.	
1300	Requisitioned TBA assault boats for H & S Co.	
15 April		
0800	16 life presservers (Mae West) turned into BSO by Co. B.	
1000	Supply Memo #11 regarding confiscated enemy equipment made out.	
1100	Made up requisitions for Q.M. clothing & equip.	
1300	Drew 100 cans of insecticide powder and tallied out same to Co's.	

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16 April		
0800	Co. A turned into B.S.O. 10 Motors, outboard, 22 H.P., and 20 Boats assault.	B.S.O., water point, jacket file of each Co., and Reg. files. Lt. Mills' journal notes.
1000	Picked up 29 carts, mortar & ammo., at Ordnance Collecting Point, and took them to 11th Chemical Depot.	
1300	Co. B turned in 24 Carbines, 12 03 Rifles which were excess weapons.	
1330	Made out requisitions for Ordnance supplies.	
1600	Closed water point at Kirchheim, Germany.	
17 April		
0900	Moved from Kirchheim, Germany to Heilbronn, Germany.	
1300	Opened water point at Heilbronn.	
18 April		
0800	Co. C turned in 18 Carbines and 6 03's, rifles, which were excess weapons.	
1000	Turned in Ordnance salvage.	
1100	Made up requisitions for Q.M. clothing & organizational equipment.	
1300	Sent to Q.M. Class II & IV dumps for Q.M. supplies.	
19 April		
0800	Broke down Q.M. supplies and shipped to Co's.	
1000	Co. A turned in 13 Carbines and 2 M-1 rifles which were excess weapons.	
1400	Picked up Engr. back order.	
20 April		
0900	H & S Co. turned into B.S.O. 12 rifles, M-1 which were excess weapons.	
1100	Turned into 407 Ord. Co. MM all excess weapons collected from the Co's.	
1430	Received Ordnance supplies, broke down, and shipped same to Co's.	
1500	Ordnance Report on Material in Hands of Troops made up and sent in.	
21 April		
0800	Broke down Engr. Supplies, and shipped to Co's	



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21 April		
0900	Made out Q.M. requisitions and sent for same.	B.S.O., water point, jacket file of each Co., and Reg. files. Lt. Mills' journal notes.
1000	Made out Supply Memo #12, concerning salvage.	
1400	Made out Supply Memo #13, concerning laundry.	
1430	Water point opened at Nuenstein, Germany.	
1500	Gave Co. A credit for 1 truck, 1/4 ton C&R which had been turned for salvage to 407 Ord.	
22 April		
0800	Broke down Q.M. supplies and sent to Co's.	
0900	Chemical Warfare and Signal salvage received from Co's.	
1000	Made out requisitions for signal and chemical warfare supplies.	
23 April		
0800	Drew signal & Chemical Warfare supplies.	
0900	Turned into 3432nd Ordnance Co. 1 truck 1/4 ton C&R US Reg. # 2026702-S. This vehicle was an abandon vehicle which was picked up by H & S Co.	
0930	H & S Co. turned into B.S.O. 2 trucks, 2 1/2 ton cargo, w/o/w.	
1000	Above trucks turned into 407 Ordnance Co.	
1300	Prepared forms for water point reports.	
1400	Received 84 bayonet knife M-4 from 407 Ord.	
1500	Received 6 trucks 3/4 ton Weapons Carriers, 4x4 w/o/w from 407 Ord. Co.	
1600	Closed water point at Nuenstein, Germany.	
24 April		
0800	H & S Co. turned into B.S.O. 1 truck 2 1/2 ton, 6x6, cargo, LWB, w/o/w.	
1000	Above truck turned over to 407 Ord. Co.	
1200	Opened water point at Nekarzimmern, Germany	
1300	Received 1 truck 3/4 ton, W/C, w/o/w from 407 Ord.	
1400	The above 3/4 ton truck plus 6 received previous day shipped to H & S Co.	

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HOUR	ENTRY	SOURCE
24 April 1800	Closed water point at Heilbronn.	B.S.O., water point, jacket file of each Co., and Req. files. Lt. Mills' journal notes.
25 April 0800 1600 1700 2000	Moved from Heilbronn to Welzheim, Germany. Opened water point at Welzheim. Looked for material for A Co. bridge. 4 ton, 6x6, Wrecker truck, of H & S Co. was turned into 3544 Ordnance Co. for salvage.	
26 April 0800 0900 1000 1300	Received two watches from Co. B for repair. Picked up steel for Co. A bridge. Got lumber for Co. A bridge. Closed water point at Neckarzimmern.	
27 April 0800 1700	Picked up lumber for Bridge. Opened water point at Goppingen, Germany.	
28 April 0800 0900 0930 1400	Obtained some 12"x12" lumber for A Co. bridge. Took C Co. laundry in . Requisitioned Q.M. Supplies. Drew Q.M. supplies, broke down, and shipped to Co's.	
29 April 0800 1100 0900	Made up Requisition for Engr. Supplies. Engr. Supplies drawn, broken down, and shipped to Co's. Gave H & S Co. credit for 4 ton, 6x6, wrecker which was salvaged.	
30 April 0800 0900 1000 1300	Made up signal requisition. Checked in Struttgart for steel. Drew paint for A Co. bridge. Turned into 216 Engr. Depot 12 panel bailey bridge.	

NOTE: All routine activities, such as drawing of rations, gasoline, and daily operation of water points have not been mentioned in each days activities.

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