

## US Army Units Book 2 Boxes 127-489

### **33rd ARMORED REGIMENT**

115 pages (approximate)

Box 127

The series contains a variety of documents relating to the 33rd Armored Regiment (3rd Armored Division). These include a January 2, 1942 map showing the location of a manhole on the athletic field of the 33rd (camp unknown), a picture of some of the unit's men at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana with the first seven tanks assigned to 33rd, the coat of arms for the 33rd Armored Regiment, and documents relating to the publication of a pictorial and historical review of the 3rd Armored Division. There are also numerous documents and correspondence relating to the creation of the coat of arms for the 33rd Armored Regiment, including different proposed designs for the coat of arms, as well as a history of the 33rd Medium Tank Battalion, correspondence regarding the history of the battalion, part of an after action report for January 1945, and a draft and finalized version of the history of the 33rd Armored Regiment. On July 15, 1947, the 33rd Medium Tank Battalion was organized and activated from elements of the 33rd Armored Regiment. Most of the series is organized chronologically.

### **46th ARMORED REGIMENT**

20 pages

Box 127

The series contains a training maneuver memorandum and other documents relating to the 46th Armored Regiment's (13th Armored Division) participation in the Oregon Maneuvers from 27 September to 7 November 1943. There is also a map and a description of the unit's planned attack in the training maneuver, ammunition and supply plans for the maneuver, and a weapons inventory for different participating regiments and companies.

### **66th ARMORED REGIMENT**

13 pages

Box 127

The series contains an after action report chronicling the activities of the 66th Armored Regiment between 1 September 1944 and 30 September 1944 in France, Belgium, and Holland. The report was written by the unit's commander, Stokes, on 8 October 1944.

### **67th ARMORED REGIMENT**

220 pages (approximate)

Box 127

The 67th Armored Regiment (2nd Armored Division) was organized in 1940 and first saw action in the initial invasion of North Africa in November 1942. After the Regiment helped to push the Germans into Tunisia, the 3rd Battalion and two platoons of E Company, 2nd Battalion, invaded Sicily with the 1st Infantry Division on June 10, 1943. The Regiment was then sent to England to prepare for the invasion of Europe and on June 11, 1944, the 67th landed in Normandy, France. The 67th participated in numerous battles and engagements in the Allied push toward Germany, including the Battle of the Bulge in December 1944 and January 1945. After the German surrender, the 67th remained stationed in Germany until early December 1945.

The series contains both monthly histories of the 2nd Battalion, 67th Armored Regiment dating from June 1944 to November 1945 and messages, field orders, maps, and operational memoranda for the 1st Battalion, 67th Armored Regiment during its actions in Holland and Germany in October 1944. There also exists a full history of the 2nd Battalion from October 1942 to May 9, 1945 (V-E Day), an after action report chronicling the advance of the 67th Armored Regiment through Belgium, Holland, and to the Siegfried Line between 1 September 1944 and 30 September 1944, and a full history of the 67th Armored Regiment for the year 1944, which contains daily records of the unit's activity as well as lists the battles and engagements in which the unit participated, its daily strength and casualty figures, and the medals and awards earned by its soldiers and officers. The series also contains a summary of the 3rd Battalion's actions in Sicily, a brief timeline of the 2nd Battalion's actions from October 1942 to July 1944, and an abbreviated history of the 67th Armored Regiment from its origins until the end of the North Africa Campaign. The documents are organized for the most part in chronological order, but the folders are not.

### **68th INFANTRY (LIGHT TANKS)**

28 pages

Box 127

Company E, 68th Infantry was originally organized as Company A of the 328th Tank Battalion in 1918. It was redesignated the Third Tank Company in 1920, and Company E, 68th Infantry (Light Tanks) on January 1, 1940. On July 10, 1940, the 68th Infantry (Light Tanks) became the 68th Armored Regiment (Light).

Company F, 68th Infantry was originally organized as Company E (2nd Light Tank Battalion), 65th Engineers in 1918. Later that year, it was redesignated as Company B, 327th Tank Battalion, and then as Company B, 345th Tank Battalion. In 1921, it was redesignated as the 7th Tank Company before being made inactive on September 6. It was made active again October 1, 1933, and was redesignated Company F, 68th Infantry (Light Tanks) on January 1, 1940. On July 10, 1940, the 68th Infantry (Light Tanks) became the 68th Armored Regiment (Light).

The first folder contains mostly organizational histories of both Company E, 68th Infantry, from January 26, 1933 to March 6, 1940 and Company F, 68th Infantry, from January 2, 1936 to February 26, 1940. These annual histories list the unit's strength, the dates of its arrival and departure from each station, and campaigns or marches in which the unit participated. The series also contains correspondence regarding the special qualification in the use of arms for tank units. The series is organized chronologically.

### **68th ARMORED REGIMENT (LIGHT)**

31 pages

Box 127

On July 10, 1940, the 68th Armored Regiment (Light) officially came into being, after the War Department issued orders to create the Armored Force. The 68th Armored Regiment was formed out of the First Battalion, 66th Infantry (Light Tanks) and the Second Battalion, 68th Infantry (Light Tanks). The 68th Armored Regiment (Light) was inactivated January 8, 1942.

The series contains two drafts of the history of the 68th Armored Regiment and various documents and correspondence from March 1937 to January 1942 regarding the following topics: the unit's history, commendation for training maneuvers, the inheritance of battle honors from the 68th's parent units, the

insignia of the 68th Armored Regiment, the reorganization of various units to form the 68th Armored Regiment, and a unit history of the 7th Tank Company. The series is not organized chronologically.

### **80th ARMORED REGIMENT**

45 pages

Box 127

The series documents the selection of the regimental insignia and also contains the certificate of copyright registration for the song "Here's to the 80th." Also included is the envelope from the Copyright Office of the Library of Congress to the headquarters of the 80th Armored Regiment and a picture of the Regimental band.

### **81st ARMORED REGIMENT**

7 pages

Box 127

The series contains documents regarding the redesignation and reorganization of field artillery regiments, various companies of the II Armored Corps, and of various companies and battalions in the 81st Armored Regiment between June 1942 and February 1943. The series is organized chronologically.

### **1st TANK BATTALION**

88 pages

Box 127

The series contains the historical operations reports of the 1st Tank Battalion and the various companies and detachments assigned to it during June and July 1945. These reports describe their respective unit's training, combat, supply, communications, maintenance, personnel, awards, morale, and strength during these two months. There is also an after action report, which includes three maps and documents the unit's activities for October 20-31, 1944. The series is arranged by company.

### **3rd TANK BATTALION**

14 pages

Box 127

The series contains the after action report of the 3rd Tank Battalion for May 11-31, 1945. The report describes the Battalion's strength in men and vehicles, a summary of its actions, and enemy activity and losses during the above period. Six maps are also included which document the unit's activities.

### **4th TANK BATTALION**

75 pages

Box 127

The series chronicles the history of the 4th Tank Battalion (1st Armored Division) for June and July 1945. Included in the battalion's monthly histories is a daily summary of events, operations, and intelligence, a list of the daily messages, orders, and incidents received or reported, memoranda regarding training and inspections, and a training schedule for the above period. There are also movement orders, a short

description of the battalion's strength, and a list of the awards, citations, decorations, and promotions received or earned by its officers and soldiers during the month.

### **5th TANK BATTALION**

3 pages

Box 127

The series contains the after action report for the 5th Tank Battalion (16th Armored Division) from April 28, 1945 to May 9, 1945. There is a negative photocopy of the same report as well.

### **8th TANK BATTALION**

47 pages

Box 127

The series contains the monthly after action reports of the 8th Tank Battalion (4th Armored Division) between July 1944 and May 1945. There is also a brief history of the 8th Tank Battalion, which includes the September 9, 1943 orders which redesignated the 3rd Battalion, 35th Armored Regiment as the 8th Tank Battalion and a list of the officers who were transferred to the new unit. The series is arranged in chronological order.

### **9th TANK BATTALION**

34 pages

Box 127

The series contains the after action reports and unit histories of the 9th Tank Battalion (20th Armored Division) for April and May 1-10, 1945, troop lists for the same period, a roster of key personnel, and ammunition expenditure reports for early May 1945. There is also the history of 9th Tank Battalion for 1943-1944, 1945, and January 1, 1946-April 2, 1946. These annual histories give a short history of the Battalion's origins as well as lists the unit's strength, the dates of its arrival and departure from each station, campaigns, battles or marches in which the unit participated, the commanding officers in important engagements, the Battalion's losses in action, and the awards earned by the officers and soldiers of the 9th Tank Battalion throughout the given year. The series is organized chronologically.

## CONTAINER LIST

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	History 1940-1944 [67th Armored Regiment]
	Historical Data (Co. E) Jan. 1933-March 1940 [68th Infantry (Light Tanks)]
	Historical Data (Co. F) Jan. 1936-Feb. 1940 [68th Infantry (Light Tanks)]
	Historical Data (HQ) March 1937-Jan. 1942 [68th Armored Regiment (Light)]
	Copyright Registration “Here’s to the 80th,” 80th Armored Regiment
	80 <sup>th</sup> Armored Regiment Insignia
	[81st Armored Regiment – Constitution and Activation of Units, Designation and Redesignation of Units]
	1st Tank Battalion, Operations Report, June 1945
	1st Tank Battalion, Operations Report, July 1945
	3rd Tank Battalion, After Action Report, May 11-31, 1945
	4th Tank Battalion, Operations Report, June 1945
	4th Tank Battalion, Operations Report, July 1945
	[5th Tank Battalion]
	[8th Tank Battalion]
	8th Tank Battalion – Histories
	History, 9th Tank Battalion, 20th Armored Division, 1943-1946

## **10th TANK BATTALION, 1943-1945**

1,560 pages (approximate)

Box 128-130

On September 20, 1943, the 3rd Tank Battalion of the 34th Armored Regiment was redesignated the 10th Tank Battalion and attached to the 5th Armored Division. The Battalion spent the remainder of that year training in the United States at Pine Camp, New York, being transferred to Indiantown Gap Military Reservation, Pennsylvania, on December 8. Arriving in England on February 24, 1944, the next five months were spent training and outfitting in preparation for combat in France. The Battalion arrived in France on July 26 and became part of the 3rd Army on August 1. Through August and September, the Battalion participated in the advance through France and attacked the Siegfried Line on the Our River. These months saw the first serious casualties inflicted on the Battalion. Through October, the Battalion was pulled back to rest and refit in Moderscheid, Belgium. During November and December, the 10th Tank Battalion was attached to the V Corps, First Army, for the purpose of advancing through the Hurtgen Forest near Kleinhau, Germany. During the German counteroffensive in December 1944, the Battalion took up defensive positions around Rotgen and Eupen but saw little action. On December 24, the battalion was once again assigned to the 5th Armored Division. The Battalion participated in the advance through Germany during the first months of 1945, and then was placed on occupation duty through the summer months in Benneckenstein and Eschwege, Germany. In September, the unit departed Germany for France in preparation of its return to the United States. The Battalion left Le Havre, France on September 30 and reached port in Boston, Massachusetts on October 8, 1945.

The records of the 10th Tank Battalion cover the period from September 1943 to October 1945. There is extensive and consistent documentation of operations during the latter half of 1944 and the first half of 1945, which is when the Battalion saw most of its combat. Periodic reports, overlays, maps, casualty lists, and daily journal records give a detailed history of the unit's activities in Europe. The material has been arranged into six subseries according to the classification scheme of the Departmental Records Branch.

The first folder contains a detailed monthly history of the Battalion from its inception to the end of 1944. This history describes each engagement and movement, as well as lists of soldiers killed, wounded, and missing in action for each month. The S-1 file consists of a monthly and daily journal from August 1944 to May 1945. Similarly, the S-2 file contains journals from August 1944 to August 1945, as well as intelligence summaries, after action reports, and a surrender announcement for May 1945. Aside from the S-2 file, the largest amount of information for the 10th Tank Battalion is located in the S-3 file. This file holds journals from August 1944 to October 1945, detailing every operation and campaign the Battalion took part in during this time. Complete with after action reports and attached overlays, the S-3 file gives both a visual and textual account of the Battalion's activities. Printed maps are also included in separate folders. The S-4 file contains journals and logistical reports from August 1944 to July 1945. The Staff Section contains a maintenance journal kept by the Battalion from August 1944 to May 1945, which records the quantity and type of vehicles passing through Battalion Maintenance.

## CHRONOLOGY

September 20, 1943	The 3rd Tank Battalion, 34th Armored Regiment is redesignated the 10th Tank Battalion and assigned to the 5th Armored Division.
Sept. 1943-Jan. 1944	The Battalion trains in the United States
February 10-24, 1944	The 10th sails from Staten Island, New York to Liverpool, England aboard the U.S. Army transport Edmund B. Alexander
February-July 1944	The Battalion undergoes training in England
July 26, 1944	The Battalion lands at Utah Beach, Normandy, France
August 7, 1944	The 10th makes contact with the enemy for the first time
August-September 1944	The Battalion is assigned to the XV Corps, Third Army, and reaches the Siegfried Line after seeing action in France, Luxembourg, and Germany
October 1944	The Battalion regroups and refits in Moderscheid, Belgium
November-December 1944	The 10th is attached to the V Corps, First Army, and moves through the Hurtgen Forest
December 1944	The Battalion takes up defensive positions near Rotgen and Eupen in reaction to the German counteroffensive
December 24, 1944	The 10th is re-assigned to the 5th Armored Division
February-May 1945	The Battalion participates in the campaign through Germany
May-September 1945	The Battalion is placed on occupation duty in Benneckenstein and later Eschwege, Germany
Sept. 30-Oct. 8, 1945	The 10th sails from Le Havre, France to Boston, Massachusetts aboard the SS Laconia Victory

CONTAINER LIST

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10th Tank Battalion; Operational History (20 September 1943 – 31 December 1944)

**SUBSERIES II: S-1 REPORTS**

10th Tank Battalion; S-1 Reports (October–November 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; S-1 Reports (December 1944–January 1945)

10th Tank Battalion; S-1 Journal (August 1944–May 1945)

10th Tank Battalion; Awards (August–November 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; S-1 Reports (April–May 1945)

**SUBSERIES III: S-2 REPORTS**

10th Tank Battalion; S-2 Periodic Report, Journal (August 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; S-2 Journal (August–September 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; S-2 Journal (October–November 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; S-2 Journal (December 1944–January 1945)

10th Tank Battalion; S-2 Journal (February, April 1945)

10th Tank Battalion; S-2 Journal (January 1945, May–October 1945)

129      **SUBSERIES IV: S-3 REPORTS**

10th Tank Battalion; S-3 After Action Reports (August–December 1944)

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10th Tank Battalion; S-3 Journal (December 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; S-3 Journal (January–April 1945)

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10th Tank Battalion; S-3 Maps; Germany, Central Europe

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10th Tank Battalion; S-3 Frag Orders (November 1944–May 1945)

10th Tank Battalion; S-3 Orders (February–August 1945)

#### **SUBSERIES V: S-4 REPORTS**

10th Tank Battalion; S-4 Reports, Journal (August–November 1944, May 1945)

10th Tank Battalion; S-4 Journal (December 1944–July 1945)

#### **SUBSERIES VI: STAFF SECTION REPORTS**

10th Tank Battalion; Staff, Field Orders, Periodic Reports (August–November 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; Maintenance Journal (November–December 1944)

10th Tank Battalion; Maintenance Journal (January–February 1945)

10th Tank Battalion; Maintenance Journal (April–May 1945)

## **13th TANK BATTALION**

860 pages (approximate)

Box 131

The 13th Tank Battalion was originally designated the 13th Armored Regiment. The Regiment saw its first action in the initial invasion of North Africa as part of Operation Torch on November 8, 1942. After landing near Oran, Algeria, the 13th fought in numerous engagements and battles in both Algeria and Tunisia between November 1942 and May 1943. After the North African Campaign, the 13th Armored Regiment was sent to Italy, where it was redesignated the 13th Tank Battalion on July 20, 1944. The Battalion fought in the Arno River region of northern Italy alongside such units as the 6th South African Armored Division, the 1st Infantry Division of the Brazilian Expeditionary Force, and the 92nd U.S. Infantry Division ("the Buffalo Soldiers Division"). In late June 1945, nearly two months after the surrender of the Axis forces in both Italy and Germany, the 13th was transferred to the Army of Occupation in Germany. Here they were stationed through the end of the year and into 1946.

The first folder of the series contains reports of activities for the 13th Tank Battalion, 1st Armored Division, for June, July, and August 1945. These reports are broken into four sections, which document the unit's monthly activities, operations, officers (including a roster of the 13th's officers, their changes in assignments, promotions, and the battalion's gains and losses in officers), and casualties. There is also a report of operations for October 1 – December 31, 1945, which is broken into three sections: narrative, S-3 Journal, and periodic reports (which include maps). This report also contains daily drill reports, lists other units either assigned or attached to the 13th, and the installations being guarded by the Battalion. Most of the series is organized chronologically.

The bulk of the series consists of eight folders of S-3 Journals of daily messages from the 13th Tank Battalion from March 19, 1943 to May 31, 1945. Folder 1 documents the unit's actions in North Africa and includes messages from March 19–May 9, 1943 along with three appendices consisting of important operational instructions from the same period. There are also messages from November 8–29, 1942, a G-3 periodic report for November 30–December 1, 1942, and a message journal for December 1, 1942–January 25, 1943. Folder 2 includes one page of messages from March 16–18, 1943 and the S-3 Journal of messages for November 8, 1942–January 6, 1943, which describes the Battalion's actions in Algeria and Tunisia. Folders 3 and 4 are continuations of the S-3 Journal from Folder 2 and also describe the Battalion's actions in Tunisia, Folder 3 for January 6–February 22, 1943 and Folder 4 for February 22–June 1, 1943. Folder 5 contains one page of messages for January 1, 1945 and the S-3 Journals for June 18–July 13, 1944 and August 23–November 30, 1944, which chronicle the Battalion's involvement in the Italian Campaign. Folder 6 contains a report of activities for the months of November and December 1944. These reports are broken into four sections, which document the unit's monthly activities, operations, officers (including a roster of the 13th's officers, their changes in assignments, promotions, and the battalion's gains and losses in officers), and casualties. Folder 7 contains the report of activities for the months of October, September, August, and July 20–31, 1944. Folder 8 consists of the S-3 Journal of messages for the months of January, February, March, April, and May 1945, which detail the unit's actions in Italy.

## **14th TANK BATTALION**

49 pages

Box 131

The series contains an after action report for October 20–31, 1944, overlay maps from the same period, and correspondence regarding the creation of a coat of arms for the 14th Armored Regiment. The 14th Armored Regiment was the predecessor to the 14th Tank Battalion and was redesignated sometime

between May 1943 and October 1944. The majority of the series, however, consists of expenditure of property certificates stating that certain property was lost in either Belgium or Germany due to enemy action during the following periods: December 16-26, 1944, February 28–March 14, 1945, and March 28–April 19, 1945. This property ranges from watches and wire cutters to rifles and radios. The series is not organized chronologically.

### **16th TANK BATTALION**

11 pages

Box 131

The series contains two copies of the after action report of the 16th Tank Battalion (16th Armored Division) for April 28-May 8, 1945. The report details the unit's actions near Nurnburg and Waidhaus, Germany and Pilsen, Czechoslovakia.

### **17th TANK BATTALION**

225 pages (approximate)

Box 131

The 17th Tank Battalion was organized from the 31st and 40th Armored Regiments on September 20, 1943. After training at Fort Benning, Georgia from September 1943 to April 1944, the unit was sent overseas, arriving at Gourock, Scotland on June 14, 1944. After two more months of training in Britain, the Battalion landed at Utah Beach on August 10, 1944 and saw action soon thereafter. For the rest of 1944, the 17th saw action in France, Belgium, Holland, and Germany, and participated in the Battle of the Bulge in December 1944. After the war in Europe ended, the Battalion served as an occupation force in central and eastern Germany.

The series contains the September 20, 1943 activation orders for the 17th Tank Battalion (7th Armored Division), which also lists the unit's strength and officers. There are also unit histories for September 20–December 31, 1943, September 1944, and the year 1944. The bulk of the series consists of the 1944 unit history, which contains a large number of citations for awards earned by the men and officers of the 17th Tank Battalion for their heroic actions in France, Holland, and Germany. The 1944 unit history also includes a roster of the battalion staff and a daily chronicle of the Battalion's activities from January 1 to December 31, 1944. There are also after action reports for June and July 1945, training schedules for the same period, S-3 Periodic Reports for the month of June and for June 30–August 3, memoranda, maps, and reports detailing security raids in Germany, and memoranda regarding the training film "On to Tokyo" and weapons firing at the firing range. Most of the series is arranged in chronological order.

### **18th RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION**

165 pages (approximate)

Box 131

The 18th Reconnaissance Battalion was organized at Fort Lewis, Washington on July 8, 1943 as the 18th Reconnaissance Squadron (it was later reorganized as the 18th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized on November 11, 1943). On August 26, 1944, the 18th left the United States for Europe, landing in Normandy, France on September 27 after only a brief stay in England. Although the unit fought in the Rhineland Campaign through France, Belgium, and Germany in the fall of 1944, the 18th saw little action until December 16, 1944 when it suffered heavy casualties in the initial German offensive known as the Battle of the Bulge. From February to June 1945, the 18th participated in both the

Rhineland Campaign and the Central Europe Campaign and was placed on occupational duties in southeastern Germany in May. On July 10, 1945, the Battalion arrived back in the United States. In the years following World War II, the unit was stationed in both Oklahoma and Puerto Rico. The 18th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, Mechanized, was reorganized as the 18th Reconnaissance Battalion on November 1, 1949 and was inactivated on March 27, 1950.

The series contains the 1948 unit history of the 18th Reconnaissance Battalion and quarterly historical reports from October 1, 1949 to March 27, 1950. The bulk of the series consists of the Battalion's monthly unit histories from July 1943 to December 1945. Most of the series is organized chronologically.

## **20th TANK BATTALION**

69 pages

Box 131

The series contains after action reports of the 20th Tank Battalion for October 20-31, 1944, February 19–May 14, 1945, and May 1-10, 1945, and the unit histories of the Battalion from September 9, 1943 (the day on which the Battalion was organized and activated at Camp Campbell, Kentucky) to April 2, 1946. These roughly annual histories list the unit's strength, the dates of its arrival and departure from each station, marches, battles, or campaigns in which the unit participated, its losses in action, and a brief timeline of the important Battalion-related events which occurred throughout the year. The series is not organized chronologically.

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	[16th Tank Battalion]
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	17th Tank Battalion; After Action Report, July 1945
	17th Tank Battalion; Journal Messages, Overlays, June 1945
	17th Tank Battalion; S-3 Periodic Reports, Training Schedule, July 1945
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	[20th Tank Battalion]

## **22nd TANK BATTALION**

195 pages (approximate)

Box 132

The 22nd Tank Battalion was organized on September 20, 1943 at Camp Barkley, Texas, from the former 41st and 42nd Armored Regiments. For the next year, the unit trained at Camp Barkley and underwent desert training and maneuvers at various military installations in California. On September 29, 1944, the Battalion set sail for England, where it arrived on October 11. After another two months of training, the unit finally departed for France, arriving at Cherbourg on December 20, 1944. The Battalion was quickly put into action and for the next five months, the 22nd saw action in Belgium, Luxembourg, Germany, and Austria. After the unconditional surrender of all German forces in Europe in May 1945, the 22nd Tank Battalion performed occupational duties and patrolled the international boundary in northwestern Austria. On July 1, 1945, over 300 men from the Battalion were transferred to the 756th Tank Battalion as part of the War Department's Readjustment and Redeployment program. The following month, the remaining members of the 22nd Tank Battalion were transferred to other units or shipped back to the United States and on August 19, 1945, the unit was officially deactivated.

The series contains the after action reports of the 22nd Tank Battalion (11th Armored Division) for December 23, 1944–Jan 31, 1945 and for the months of February, March, April, and May 1945. The bulk of the series consists of a unit history of the Battalion from its inception on September 20, 1943 to its deactivation on August 19, 1945. Particular detail is included in the daily entries from December 23, 1944 to May 30, 1945, when the Battalion was actively involved in the fighting in Europe and the occupation of Austria. There are also lists of the officers and enlisted men who in July and August 1945 were assigned to the 75th Infantry Division, the 756th Tank Battalion (and those men who were transferred from the 756th to the 22nd), the 14th Armored Division, and the 18th Tank Battalion (8th Armored Division). Most of the series is organized chronologically.

## **23rd TANK BATTALION**

260 pages (approximate)

Box 132

The series contains the battalion history of the 23rd Tank Battalion (12th Armored Division) for November 11–December 31, 1943, May 1-10, 1945, and the months of February, April, May, August, and September 1945. These histories give a narrative of the month's events as well as a casualty report, a list of awards and decorations received by the officers and enlisted men of the 23rd, and a roster of the Battalion's officers. The May 1945 battalion history also includes two operations memoranda from May 22, 1945. There are also miscellaneous documents related to amphibious training and the writing of the history of both the 23rd Tank Battalion and the Division Trains Headquarters of the 12th Armored Division. The series is not organized chronologically.

## **24th TANK BATTALION**

470 pages (approximate)

Box 132

The 24th Tank Battalion (13th Armored Division) was organized on September 22, 1943 at Camp Beale, California from elements of the 45th and 46th Armored Regiments and the 497th and 498th Field Artillery Battalions. On January 17, 1945, the 24th left the United States for France, arriving at the port of Le Havre on January 30. After spending the next two months training in France, the Battalion crossed the border into Germany on March 26. For the next week, the 24th assisted the military government and

enforced the curfew and traffic regulations in western Germany. After their time in the town of Pirmasens, the Battalion next participated in the Rhineland Campaign from April 10-18, seeing its first combat on April 11. The 24th also participated in the Central Europe Campaign from April 27 to May 2. From the closing days of the war until the end of June, the Battalion performed occupational duties in the southeastern city of Neuötting, Germany. On July 23, the 24th arrived back in the United States. The 24th Tank Battalion was inactivated on November 8, 1945 at Camp Cooke, California.

The series contains nine folders of documents of the 24th Tank Battalion from 1945. The first two folders contain the S-3 Journal of the Battalion, which gives a daily log of incidents, messages, and orders from the time the unit arrived in France on January 30, 1945 to its return to the United States on July 23, 1945. Many of the entries describe the unit's advance into Germany and the occupational duties in performed after the war ended. Folder 3 contains the after action report of the Medical Detachment from April 9 to May 4, 1945 as well as field orders, operational memoranda, and maps relating to roughly the same period. The incoming and outgoing messages for the after action reports of April 1–May 4 are located in Folders 4 and 5. Folder 6 contains the daily events reports for May 10-25, 1945 and March 26-April 4 from each of the companies which composed the 24th Tank Battalion. Folder 7 contains the S-3 Period Reports, and the accompanying maps, of the Battalion from March 28 to May 8, 1945. The history of the 24th Tank Battalion is located in Folder 8 and includes a short history of the Battalion's origins as well as a list of the unit's monthly increase or decrease in officers and enlisted men, the dates of its arrival and departure from each station, campaigns, battles or marches in which the Battalion participated, the commanding officers in important engagements, the 24th's losses in action, and the awards earned by the officers and soldiers of the 24th Tank Battalion throughout 1945. Lastly, Folder 9 contains the Battalion's S-1, S-2, S-3, and S-4 after action reports and summaries, which all cover roughly the period from April 1–May 4, 1945. There is also a roster of the 24th's officers and their duties and a decorations report. The series is organized according to the classification scheme of the Departmental Records Branch and chronologically thereunder.

## CONTAINER LIST

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                         [23rd Tank Battalion; Battalion History – May 1945]

                         [23rd Tank Battalion; Battalion History – February 1945]

                         [23rd Tank Battalion; Battalion History – September 1945]

                         23rd Tank Battalion, 12th Armored Division [Battalion History – ca. September 1942 – January 1944]

                         S-3 Journal [24th Tank Battalion] (1) – (2)

                         After Action Report [24th Tank Battalion]

                         Messages for After Action Report – Incoming [24th Tank Battalion]

                         Messages for After Action Report – Outgoing [24th Tank Battalion]

                         Periodic and Daily Events Report [24th Tank Battalion] (1)-(2)

                         Military History – Battalion [24th Tank Battalion]

                         24th Tank Battalion, After Action Report, April 1 – May 4, 1945



## **25th TANK BATTALION**

319 pages

Box 133

The series contains the monthly unit historical reports of the 25th Tank Battalion from November 1944 to April 1945. Most of these historical reports contain an S-1 Annex, S-2 Journal, S-3 Journal and Periodic Reports, and lists of troop changes and vehicular losses. The reports for November and December 1944 also include Battalion Standard Operating Procedures for road formations and the December report contains zone reconnaissance reports and a plan of operations for a demonstration assault on a village. The series is not organized chronologically

Note: The vehicle status lists in the S-3 Periodic Reports for December 1944 differ for the following dates: December 3 (report #12), December 20 (report #20), December 22 (report #30), and December 26 (report #34). Therefore, both copies of the December S-3 Periodic Reports have been retained.

## **26th TANK BATTALION**

20 pages

Box 133

The series contains the unit history of the 26th Tank Battalion (16th Armored Division). This unit history gives a short history of the Battalion's origins as well as lists the unit's strength, the dates of its arrival and departure from each station, campaigns, battles or marches in which the 26th participated, the commanding officers in important engagements, the Battalion's losses in action, and the awards earned by the officers and soldiers of the 26th Tank Battalion during the Central Europe Campaign. The series also contains an after action report for April 28–May 8, 1945, which documents the unit's actions during the Central Europe Campaign. There is a negative photocopy of the same report as well.

## **27th TANK BATTALION**

217 pages

Box 133

On September 10, 1943, the 3rd Battalion, 9th Armored Regiment was inactivated and redesignated the 27th Tank Battalion at Camp Campbell, Kentucky. The Battalion was not deployed to Europe until February 4, 1945, when it departed Boston, Massachusetts for Le Havre, France. The 27th saw its first action in late April while participating in the Central German Campaign. After the surrender of German forces in early May, the Battalion was ordered to move to Oberhaus, Austria. According to the battalion history, this action was part of a political move to force Yugoslav Prime Minister Josip Broz Tito out of Trieste, Austria. On June 4, 1945, the 27th left Austria and assumed occupational duties in Traunstein, Germany. Two months later, the Battalion was back in the United States, but not for long. On September 15, 1945, the 27th Tank Battalion was reassembled at Camp Cooke, California for redeployment to the Pacific Theater.

The series contains the battalion history of the 27th Tank Battalion for the years 1943-1944, 1945, and 1946. These unit histories list the Battalion's strength, the dates of its arrival and departure from each station, campaigns, battles or marches in which the 27th participated, the commanding officers in important engagements, the Battalion's losses in action, and the awards earned by the officers and soldiers of the 27th Tank Battalion throughout the given year. The 1946 battalion history also includes two Special Orders and miscellaneous letters and the 1943-1944 history includes the unit history of the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Command B, 20th Armored Division for 1945. There

is also a G-1 Report for May 3, 1945, the S-3 Periodic Report for April 25, 1945, and the daily unit reports of the 27th Tank Battalion for April 20–May 15, 1945. These reports describe the situation of the enemy (if known), the current situation and strength of the Battalion, any casualties suffered, the status of the 27th's supplies and transportation, and the road condition of the area. The series is not organized chronologically.

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	[26th Tank Battalion – After Action Report, April 28–May 8, 1945]
	Unit Report of 27th Tank Battalion, 20th Armored Division, April–May 1945
	Battalion S-3 Periodic Report [27th Tank Battalion, April 25, 1945]
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	1943–1944 – History – 27th Tank Battalion, 20th Armored Division

### **31st TANK BATTALION**

225 pages

Box 134

The 31st Tank Battalion (7th Armored Division) was activated at Fort Benning, Georgia on September 20, 1943. From September 1943 to April 1944, the Battalion trained at Fort Benning and, very briefly, at Camp Stewart, Georgia. On June 6, 1944, the 31st sailed from New York Port of Embarkation aboard the HMS Queen Mary to Greenock, Scotland, where it arrived on June 14. After two months of training at Tidworth, England, the Battalion landed at Utah Beach, Normandy, France, on August 11. Four days later, the 31st saw combat for the first time at the Battle of Chartres, France. From August to December 1944, the Battalion saw action in France, Belgium, Holland, and Germany, participating in the Campaign of Northern France (Aug. 11–Sept. 14, 1944) and the Campaign of Germany (Sept. 15, 1944–early 1945). According to the unit's history, during this time the 31st participated in the following battles: the Pursuit across France (Aug. 14–Sept. 2, 1944), the Battle of the Moselle Bridgehead (Sept. 6-22, 1944), the Battle of Liesel (Sept. 30–Oct. 31, 1944), and the Battle of the Bulge (Dec. 17-29, 1944). After the war ended, the 31st performed occupational duties in eastern Germany.

The series contains the unit history of the 31st Tank Battalion from its inception on September 20, 1943 to December 31, 1943. There is also a unit history for the year 1944, which is divided into separate unit histories for January 1–July 31, August, and unit and operational histories for September, October, November, and December. The 1943 and 1944 unit histories also contains correspondence related to the unit's coat of arms, an after action report for the Battle of Chartres, France, and general orders and citations issuing awards to the officers and enlisted men of the 31st Tank Battalion for their meritorious actions between September and December 1944. The series also contains the Battalion's after action reports for June and July 1945. The series is organized chronologically.

### **33<sup>rd</sup> MEDIUM TANK BATTALION**

16 pages

Box 134

The series contains forms and memoranda dating from 1951 to 1953 relating to use of Signal Corps photographs in the battalion history.

### **34th TANK BATTALION**

14 pages

Box 134

The series contains the after action reports of the Medical Detachment, 34th Tank Battalion, for August and October 1944. There is also an activities report dated April 4, 1944, which discusses the Detachment's training from December 1941 to September 1943 and an activities report for the month of January 1944. The series is not arranged chronologically.

### **35th TANK BATTALION**

90 pages (approximate)

Box 134

The series contains the after action reports of the 35th Tank Battalion for the period of July 12, 1944 (when the Battalion arrived in France) to August 31, 1944, and for the months of September and October

1944 and January, February, March, April, and May 1945. There is also a battalion history for December 1945 and January 1946. The bulk of the series consists of correspondence regarding the coat of arms for the 35th Tank Battalion as well as two proposed designs. The series is organized chronologically.

### **36th TANK BATTALION**

73 pages

Box 134

The series contains the monthly battalion history of the 36th Tank Battalion from October 1944 to July 1945 and a May 1945 roster of awards earned by the officers and enlisted men of the 36th. The bulk of the series consists of a battalion history of the Battle of Rheinberg, Germany (March 5, 1945). This history includes an introduction, interviews with Major VanHouten and Captain Pasco, an after action report by Captain Kelly, a roster of the Battalion's officers and enlisted men, letters of unit commendation, a newspaper article describing the battle, lists of casualties and promotions, and a map of Rheinberg, Germany and surrounding area.

### **37th TANK BATTALION**

6 pages

Box 134

The series contains a negative photocopy of the after action report of the 37th Tank Battalion for the month of February 1945.

### **40th TANK BATTALION**

155 pages

Box 134

On September 20, 1943, the 40th Armored Regiment was inactivated and redesignated the 40th Tank Battalion (7th Armored Division) at Fort Benning, Georgia. From September 1943 to April 1944, the Battalion trained at Fort Benning and, very briefly, at Camp Stewart, Georgia. On June 6, 1944, the 40th sailed from New York Port of Embarkation aboard the HMS Queen Mary to Greenock, Scotland, where it arrived on June 14. After two months of training at Tidworth, England, the Battalion landed at Visley, France, on August 11. Three days later, elements of the 40th saw combat for the first time at Senouches, France. From August to November 1944, the Battalion saw action in France, Holland, and Germany, participating in the Campaign of Northern France (Aug. 11–Sept. 14, 1944) and the Campaign of Germany (Sept. 15, 1944–early 1945). After the war ended, the 40th performed occupational duties in eastern Germany.

The series contains the battalion history of the 40th Tank Battalion for the years 1943 (beginning on September 20 when the Battalion was activated) and 1944. There is also an after action report for June 1945, a regimental history of the 40th Armored Regiment from January 1943 to its inactivation on September 20, 1943 and historical records for the 7th Armored Division's Maintenance Battalion (redesignated the 129th Ordnance Maintenance Battalion). The bulk of the series consists of the battalion history for 1944, which is separated by month and includes a narrative of events, lists of vehicle and troop casualties and gains, and the awards earned by the men and officers of the 40th Tank Battalion for their meritorious actions during each month. Most of the series is organized chronologically.

### **41st TANK BATTALION**

31 pages  
Box 134

The series contains the history of the 41st Tank Battalion (11th Armored Division) from the activation of the 41st Armored Regiment, which was redesignated the 41st Tank Battalion on August 15, 1942, to May 1944. The history also includes strength reports for January–August 1944. There are also after action reports for December 23, 1944–January 31, 1945 and for the months of February, March, April, and May 1945. The series is organized chronologically.

### **42nd TANK BATTALION**

283 pages  
Box 134

On August 15, 1942, the 42nd Armored Regiment was activated at Camp Polk, Louisiana from the 8th Armored Division and from elements of the 3rd and 7th Armored Divisions. From June 1943 to September 1944, the 42nd participated in maneuvers and underwent training in Louisiana, Texas, and California. In September 1943, the 42nd Armored Regiment was redesignated the 42nd Tank Battalion. A year later, the Battalion left the United States, sailing from Brooklyn, New York to Liverpool, England, where it arrived on October 11, 1944. After spending the next two months undergoing further training in England, the Battalion arrived in Cherbourg, France on December 17 and saw its first action near Remagne, Belgium two weeks later during the Battle of the Bulge. The 42nd participated in the Ardennes Campaign until January 16, 1945 and later in the Rhineland and Central Europe Campaigns from February until the end of hostilities in May 1945.

The series contains the history of the 42nd Tank Battalion (11th Armored Division) from August 15, 1942 until May 8, 1945, with a particularly detailed daily narrative of events included from December 19, 1944 to May 8, 1945. The history also lists the Battalion's officers, the awards earned by the officers and enlisted men of the 42nd, the unit's strength and casualties, and the campaigns, battles, and engagements in which the 42nd participated. The bulk of the series consists of the S-3 Periodic Reports from December 25, 1944 to May 8, 1945. There are also after action reports for December 23, 1944–January 31, 1945, the months of February, March, and April 1945 and May 1-8, 1945. The series is organized according to the classification scheme of the Departmental Records Branch and, except for a few after action reports, chronologically thereunder.

### **43rd TANK BATTALION**

182 pages  
Box 134

The series contains the unit histories of the 43rd Tank Battalion (12th Armored Division) for the months of January through September 1945. Most of these histories include a narrative of the month's events, a casualty report, an awards and decorations report, and a roster of the Battalion's officers. The series also contains documents regarding the reorganization of the 12th Armored Division and after action reports for November 12–December 31, 1944 and October 1–November 3, 1945. Most of the series is organized chronologically.

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	33 <sup>rd</sup> Medium Tank Battalion, Instructions for Unit History
	34th Tank Battalion
	35th Tank Battalion, After Action Reports, July – October 1944
	35th Tank Battalion, After Action Reports, January – May 1945
	35th Tank Battalion, History, December 1945 – January 1946
	35th Tank Battalion, Insignia, 1941–1943
	Battalion History [36th Tank Battalion] – October 1944 – July 1945
	Battalion History [36th Tank Battalion] – Battle of Rheinberg, Germany, March 5, 1945
	37th Tank Battalion, After Action Report, February 1945
	40th Tank Battalion, After Action Report, June 1945
	Unit History – 40th Tank Battalion [September 1943 – December 1944]
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	History [42nd Tank Battalion] – August 1942 – April 1945
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#### **44<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944**

6pages  
Box 135

This series contains a single report documenting the battalion's participation in the Leyte Operation in October 1944.

#### **45<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1945**

150 pages (approximate)  
Box 135

This series consists of a history of the battalion's training activities and participation in the European theater and an after action report for April to May 1945. Documents are arranged chronologically.

#### **46<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1945**

170 pages (approximate)  
Box 135

This series consists of a history of the battalion's training activities and participation in the European theater and after action reports for April to May 1945. Documents are arranged chronologically.

#### **47<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION**

230 pages (approximate)  
Box 135

This series consists of monthly unit history files containing some or all of the following: narrative reports, S-3 journals, training memoranda, after action reports and related records. These files document the battalion's activities in the European Theater from December 1944 through May 1945. Documents are arranged chronologically.

#### **48<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION**

pages  
Box 135

This series consists of monthly unit history files containing some or all of the following: narrative reports, S-3 journals, training memoranda, after action reports and related records. These files document the battalion's activities in the European Theater from December 1944 through May 1945. Documents are arranged chronologically.

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	47 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports, December 1944-February 1945
	47 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History, March 1945
	47 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Narrative History, April 1945
	47 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History, May 1945 (1)-(3)
	48 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Monthly Histories, November-December 1944
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	48 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Journal and Messages, May 1945



### **63<sup>rd</sup> HEAVY TANK BATTALION, 1948**

7 pages  
Box 136

This series contains only one report, the quarterly operations report for the 63<sup>rd</sup> Heavy Tank Battalion for October to December 1948 while the unit was on occupation duty in Germany.

### **63<sup>rd</sup> HEAVY TANK BATTALION, 1948**

7 pages  
Box 136

This series contains only one report, the quarterly operations report for the 63<sup>rd</sup> Heavy Tank Battalion for October to December 1948 while the unit was on occupation duty in Germany.

### **68<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1942-1945**

230 pages (approximate)  
Box 136

After training in the U.S. and Britain, the 68<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion crossed to English Channel to France in late September 1944. Other than a published history of the battalion, this series offers little documentation of the battalion's wartime operations. Documents in the series include the history of the coat of arms, guard orders and memoranda, training memoranda and reclassification board records. Documents are arranged chronologically.

### **69<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

35 pages  
Box 136

This series contains after action reports for the 69<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion from December 1944 through May 1945, representing an incomplete documentation of the unit's activities during World War II. Documents are arranged chronologically.

### **70<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1940-1945**

450 pages (approximate)  
Box 136

The 70th Tank Battalion was organized in June, 1940, from elements of the 34th Infantry Regiment. After training in Maryland and North Carolina, the Battalion was attached to the 9th Infantry Division for the invasion of North Africa in November, 1942. It later participated in the invasion of Sicily and the D-Day invasion of Europe. During 1944 and 1945 the Battalion was involved in the Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace and Central Europe campaigns. It was pursuing the retreating German army toward the Austrian border when the war ended.

This series contains a fairly complete record of the activities of the Battalion. The various types of records include narrative histories, diaries, reports, orders, and correspondence. Although most of the material

concerns the activities of the battalion during World War II, a small segment covers its earlier history. This segment contains information on the organization of the battalion and the development of an insignia. The World War II material is mostly orders and reports giving details of the movement of the battalion and its attachment to other army units. There is also a short narrative history of the battalion, which gives a summary of its activities to the end of the war.

**80<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1946**

1 pages  
Box 136

This series contains only one document containing a brief history of the battalion medical department.

**81<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944-45**

120 pages (approximate)  
Box 136

The 81<sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion saw action in World War II in the European Theater. This series contains monthly after action reports and S-3 journals covering the battalion's participation in the war from August 1944 through April 1945.

**82<sup>nd</sup> ARMORED RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, 1944-45**

260 pages (approximate)  
Box 136

The 82<sup>nd</sup> Armored Reconnaissance Battalion saw action in World War II in the European Theater. This series contains monthly after action reports covering the battalion from July 1944 through May 1945 and documents the unit's participation in the Ardennes Campaign. There are also S-3 periodic reports for June through August 1945.

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	68 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Guard Orders, January-March, July 1945
	68 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Memoranda and Training Orders, May-July 1945
	68 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Reclassification Board, 1944 [Vernon Fultz; Woodrow Gray]
	69 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports, December 1944-May 1945
	70th Tank Battalion Narrative History, 1940-1945
	70th Tank Battalion Diary, January 1943-May 1945
	70th Tank Battalion Organization and Training, 1940-1941 [with unit roster for July 1940]
	70th Tank Battalion Historical Record During the Sicilian Campaign, July 1943
	70th Tank Battalion Historical Record of Company A, November 1942-May 1943
	70th Tank Battalion Movements, Attachments and Assignments, 1943-1944
	70th Tank Battalion Historical Reports, Orders and Bulletins, 1943-1944
	70th Tank Battalion Insignia and Designation, December 1940-September 1942 (1)-(2)
	70th Tank Battalion Awards and Commendations, 1942-1945
	80 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Medical Department History
	81 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports and S-3 Journals, 1944
	81 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports and S-3 Journals, 1945
	82 <sup>nd</sup> Armored Reconnaissance Battalion After Action Reports, July-September 1944
	82 <sup>nd</sup> Armored Reconnaissance Battalion After Action Reports, October-December 1944
	82 <sup>nd</sup> Armored Reconnaissance Battalion After Action Reports, January-February 1945
	82 <sup>nd</sup> Armored Reconnaissance Battalion After Action Reports, March-May 1945

82<sup>nd</sup> Armored Reconnaissance Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, June-August 1945

**95<sup>th</sup> LIGHT TANK COMPANY, 1946-48**

5 pages

Box 137

The 95<sup>th</sup> Light Tank Company (Separate) was activated in Kamata, Honshu, Japan on April 20, 1946. This series contains a brief history of the unit through January 1948.

**101<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

5 pages

Box 137

This series contains only one report, a unit history for the battalion for May 11-31, 1945. There is no documentation for the battalion prior to the end of the war in Europe.

**501<sup>st</sup> RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, 1948-49**

10 pages

Box 137

This series contains only one report, a unit history for the battalion from its activation in 1948 through January 1949.

**536<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION**

0 pages

Box 137

This series contained only photographs. All were transferred to the Audiovisual Department and no documents remain in the manuscript collection.

**539<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1944-1945**

22 pages

Box 137

The 539<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion was activated April 1944 at Fort Ord, California and was active in the war in the Pacific. This series contains a unit history for October to November 1945 and a partial history of the battalion medical detachment from 1944 through 1945.

**603<sup>rd</sup> MEDIUM TANK COMPANY, 1944-1947**

100 pages (approximate)

Box 137

The 603<sup>rd</sup> Medium Tank Company was assigned to the Pacific Theater during World War II and was involved in campaigns on Luzon in the Philippines and the New Guinea Campaign on Biak Island, including a number of Army Map Service published maps of Luzon. Those campaigns are well-documented in this series. There are also brief histories for the unit from October 1946 until its deactivation on May 31, 1947.

**558<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1945**

12 pages  
Box 137

The 558<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion was active in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series consists of after action reports for the battalion's operations in the Philippines during 1945.

**701<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944-45**

74 pages  
Box 137

The 701<sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion was activated on March 1, 1943 and participated in operations in the European Theater during World War II. This series consists of after action reports for activities from December 1944 through May 1945 and a history of the medical detachment for January through May 1945.

**702<sup>nd</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944-45**

290 pages (approximate)  
Box 137

The 702<sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion was organized on March 1, 1943 and participated in operations in the European Theater during World War II. This series consists of after action reports, battalion historical reports and unit journals covering August 1944 through May 1945.

**706<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945-46**

165 pages (approximate)  
Box 137

The 706<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion participated in operations in the Pacific during World War II. This series consists of post-war monthly narrative histories and a report on Operation Iceberg.

**708<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TANK BATTALION, 1944**

5 pages  
Box 137

This series consist of a single report: the 708<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion medical detachment history for 1944.

**710<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944, 1946, 1950**

160 pages (approximate)  
Box 137

The 710<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion participated in operations in the Pacific during World War II. This series consists of reports of operations on Peleliu Island and Angaur Island in 1944, separation rosters from January 1946 and general orders issued in 1950.

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	539 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Unit History, October-November 1945
	539 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Medical Detachment History, 1944-1945
	603 <sup>rd</sup> Medium Tank Company Unit History, 1944-45
	603 <sup>rd</sup> Medium Tank Company Unit History, 1946-47
	603 <sup>rd</sup> Medium Tank Company Operations Report, Biak Campaign, 1944
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	658 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion After Action Reports, 1945
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	706 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History, 1945-1946
	706 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Medical Detachment History, 1945-1946
	708 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Medical Detachment History, 1944

710<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Report of Operations on Peleliu Island, 1944

710<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Report of Operations on Angaur Island, 1944

710<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Separation Center Rosters, January 1946

710<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion General Orders, 1950

### **712<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1945**

700 pages (approximate)

Box 138

The 712th Tank Battalion was activated on September 20, 1943, at Camp Gordon, Georgia. It sailed for England on February 28, 1944, and landed in Normandy, France, on July 29th, 1944, and landed in Normandy, France, on July 29, 1944. For the remainder of the War it participated in the November, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace, and Central Europe campaigns. During most of its service in Europe the battalion was attached to the 90th Infantry Division.

This series consists of primarily of after action reports, which provide a detailed history of the battalion during its service in Europe. Other items of interest include a history of the battalion during 1943 which describes its activation and early training in the United States, and a history of the battalion's medical detachment which contains statistical information on the health of battalion personnel.

### **713<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1946**

340 pages (approximate)

Box 138

The 713<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion was stationed in the Pacific during World War II. This series contains poor documentation of the battalion's wartime operations. Records in the series include the unit history up to shipment to the Pacific Theater, S-3 and periodic reports for the post-war period while the unit was stationed in Korea, and documentation of the inactivation of the battalion.



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	712 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, October 1944
	712 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, November 1944
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	Inactivation of the 713 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion

**714<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944-1945**

210 pages (approximate)

Box 139

The 714<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion was stationed in the European Theater during World War II. Records in this series include after action reports from December 1944 through May 1945 and July through November 1945. Some reports include unit journals and/or map overlays

**715<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1945**

72 pages

Box 139

The 715<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion was stationed in the Pacific Theater in World War II. This series offers poor documentation of the unit's wartime activities. They consist of orders and operational memoranda for April through May 1945 and a unit journal covering April to May 1945.

**717<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1945**

95 pages (approximate)

Box 139

The 717<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion was activated on September 10, 1943 in Camp Chafee, Arkansas and served in the European Theater during World War II. This series contains a unit history covering 1953 to the end of 1945. It is accompanied by operational memoranda and orders.

**718<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1942-1946**

150 pages (approximate)

Box 139

The 718<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion was activated in September 1943 as the the 718<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion. It was later redesignated the 718<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion and was stationed in the Pacific Theater during World War II. Documents in this series include battalion historical reports for 1943 and 1944 and a medical detachment report for 1944.

**726<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1944-1946**

450 pages (approximate)

Box 139

The 726<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series consists of entirely of daily operations reports from December 1944 to March 1946.

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	714 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Operations in Germany, July-December 1945
	715 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Orders and Operational Memoranda, April-May 1945
	715 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Unit Journal, April-July 1945
	717 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Unit History, 1943-1945
	718 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion History, 1943
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	726 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Daily Operations Reports, December 1944-February 1945
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	726 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Daily Operations Reports, July-September 1945
	726 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Daily Operations Reports, October-December 1945
	726 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Daily Operations Reports, January-March 1946

**727<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1944-1946**

250 pages (approximate)

Box 140

The 727<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series includes a narrative unit history covering January 1944 through June 1945 and a medical detachment history but the bulk of the series consist of unit journals for 1944 to February 1946.

**728<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1941-1945**

490 pages (approximate)

Box 140

The 728<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. Originally designated the 775<sup>th</sup> Tank Destroyer Battalion, on April 14, 1944 the unit was redesignated as the 728<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion. This series consists of annual historical records for 1941 to 1945 and after action reports for 1944 and 1945. The historical records for 1941 and 1942 include rosters of personnel. There are also records relating to the inactivation of the battalion.

**735<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

3 pages

Box 140

This series contains only a 735<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion medical detachment report for January through May 1945.

**736<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

41 pages

Box 140

The 736<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion was stationed in the European Theater during World War II. This series consists of one report only, the after action report for April 1945.

**737<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

110 pages (approximate)

Box 140

The 737<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion was stationed in the European Theater during World War II. This series consists of daily unit reports for January through May 1945 and a history of the medical detachment.

**738<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1944-1945**

62 pages

Box 140

The 728<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion was stationed in the European Theater during World War II. This series consists of a unit history covering 1944 and 1945.

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	727 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Journal, April 1-June 1, 1944
	727 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Journal, June 1-October 1, 1944
	727 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Journal, October 1944-February 1946
	727 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Medical Detachment History
	728 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Historical Record, 1941
	728 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Historical Record, 1942-43
	728 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Historical Record, 1944
	728 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Historical Record, 1945
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	728 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Field Orders, 1945
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	735 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Medical Detachment History, January-June 1945
	736 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, April 1945
	737 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Reports, January-June 1945 (1)-(2)
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### **740<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945-1946**

12 pages

Box 141

The 740<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion was active in the European Theater during World War II. This series contains poor documentation of the units wartime activities and consists of operational reports from May 8, 1945 through March 1946. There is also a historical report for the medical detachment.

### **741<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944-1945**

500 pages (approximate)

Box 141

The 741<sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion was active in the European Theater during World War II, landing on the beach at Normandy on D-Day, June 6, 1944. This series contains unit journals and daily unit reports from most of 1944 to May 1945. There are also draft versions of a short published history of the battalion. The June 1944 unit journal contains an evaluation of DD or duplex drive tanks.

### **742<sup>nd</sup> AMPHIBIAN TANK BATTALION, 1942**

23 pages

Box 141

This series consists solely of records relating to the selection of a battalion coat of arms, insignia and motto. There are no operational documents.

### **744<sup>th</sup> LIGHT TANK BATTALION, 1942-1945**

500 pages (approximate)

Box 141

The 744<sup>th</sup> Light Tank Battalion participated in Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes, and Central Europe campaigns. The Battalion also served over five months on occupation duty in Germany. During this period the Battalion was attached to various other units.

The records of the Battalion consist of histories, after action reports, miscellaneous historical records, and correspondence and reports concerning the development of the unit's insignia and coat of arms. The after action reports contain operation reports, journals, maps, and map overlays indicating Battalion operations, plans of action, and areas of military government in Germany. Of particular importance within the miscellaneous historical records are a list of Battalion locations (Nov. 1943 – June 1945), casualty statistics, commendations and a list of Battalion attachments.

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141	740 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Report of Operations, May 8, 1945-March 31, 1946
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	741 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, June-July 1944 [evaluation of tanks on D-Day]
	741 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, August-September 1944
	741 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, October-December 1944
	741 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, 1945
	741 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Daily Unit Reports, 1944
	741 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Daily Unit Reports, 1945
	741 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion History (1)-(2)
	742 <sup>nd</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion History
	744th Light Tank Battalion History, April 1942 –November 1945 [incomplete]
	744th Light Tank Battalion Unit Insignia and Coat Of Arms, June 1942 – June 1943
	744th Light Tank Battalion Historical Records, May 1942 – June 1945
	744th Light Tank Battalion After Action Report, July 1944
	744th Light Tank Battalion After Action Report, August 1944
	744th Light Tank Battalion After Action Report, September 1944
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	744th Light Tank Battalion After Action Report, February 1945
	744th Light Tank Battalion After Action Report, March 1945
	744th Light Tank Battalion After Action Report, April 1945
	744th Light Tank Battalion After Action Report, May 1945
	744th Light Tank Battalion Medical Detachment Report, April 10, 1943 – June 30 1945

### **745th TANK BATTALION, 1942-1945**

1 page  
Box 142

The 745th Tank Battalion participated in the Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes, and Central Europe campaigns. The Battalion also served on occupation duty in Germany. During this period the Battalion was attached to the 1st Infantry Division and various other units. This series consists of only a one-page history of the medical detachment. A published history of the 745th Tank Battalion was transferred to the Dwight D. Eisenhower Book Collection.

### **746th TANK BATTALION, 1944-1945**

pages (approximate)  
Boxes 142

The 746th Tank Battalion participated in the Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes, and Central Europe campaigns. The Battalion also served on occupation duty in Germany. During this period the Battalion was attached to the 9th Infantry Division and various other units.

The records of the 746th consist of unit histories and after action reports written on a monthly basis, and chronologically arranged. Items of interest include a report on "German Ambush Tactics In Defense" (Unit History for April 1944); reports and maps covering the Battalion's role on D-Day (Unit History for June 1944); a large map (consisting of many smaller maps attached together) indicating the movements of the Battalion in the drive across Northern France with the 9th Infantry Division and 1st Army (Unit History for August 1944); and reports and maps covering the role of the Battalion in the Battle of the Bulge (Unit History for December 1944).

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	746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for May 1944
	746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for June 1944
	746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for July 1944
	746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for August 1944
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746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for November 1944

746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for December 1944

746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for January 1945

746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for February 1945

746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for May 1945

746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for June 1945

746th Tank Battalion: Unit History for July 1945

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, June 1944

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, July 1944

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, August 1944

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, September 1944

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746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, November 1944

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, December 1944

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, January 1945

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, February 1945

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, March 1945

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, April 1945 (1)-(2)

746th Tank Battalion: After Action Report, May 1945

**747<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1945**  
**747<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TANK BATTALION, 1945-1946**

400 pages (approximate)  
Box 143

The 747<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion was an independent battalion that served in the European Theater during World War II. The battalion participated in the Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, and Central Europe campaigns and served on occupation duty in Germany. During this period the Battalion was attached to the 29th Infantry Division and various other units. It was redesignated the 747th Amphibian Tank Battalion on 14 July 1945 and inactivated in March 1946. Records in this series include a unit history, after action reports, unit journal, and periodic reports.

**749<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944-1945**

440 pages (approximate)  
Box 143

The 749<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II, arriving in France on June 28, 1944. Records in this series include a unit history and S-3 periodic reports.

**750<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943**

34 pages  
Box 143

This series includes only an incomplete set of S-4 periodic reports for training activities late in 1943.

## CONTAINER LIST

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	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, June-July 1944
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, August-September 1944
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, October-November 1944
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, April, June 1945
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, January-March 1945
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, April-May 1945
	747 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Unit Journal, June-July 1945
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Daily Action Reports, Companies A, B, and C, October-November 1944, April 1945
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Rear Area Security and Military Government Reports, April-May 1945
	747 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, June 1945
	747 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, July 1945
	749 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History
	749 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, July-August 1944
	749 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, September-October 1944
	749 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, November 1944
	749 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, December 1944
	749 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, January-March 1945
	749 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, April-June 1945
	750 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-4 Periodic Reports, 1943

## **751<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1941-1948**

615 pages (approximate)

Box 144

The 751st Tank Battalion was activated at Fort Benning, Georgia, on June 1, 1941. After training in various locations in the U.S., the unit sailed to England in August 1942 for further training. On January 8, 1943 they battalion was transported to Oran, Algeria, where they took part in Operation Torch. Campaigns in which the unit participated include Tunisia, Napples-Foggia, Anzio, Rome-Arno, North Apennines and Po Valley. Although this series includes after action reports from North Africa for May and June 1943, the bulk of the series consists of unit journals and orders for the war in Italy in 1945. There are also files listing individual awards and citations awarded to members of the battalion.

### CONTAINER LIST

<u>Box Nos.</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>
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	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Awards and Citations (1)-(2)
	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports, May-June 1943
	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Plans and Operations, 1945
	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, January-February 1945
	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, March 1945
	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, April 1945
	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, May 1945
	751 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Journal, June-August 1945

**752<sup>nd</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944-1947**

770 pages (approximate)

Box 145

The 752<sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Mediterranean Theater during World War II and participated in campaigns in North Africa and Italy. This series consist of a brief overall history of the battalion, detailed histories for 1944 and 1945, S-3 periodic reports for 1945 and operational plans and orders.

**753<sup>rd</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1941-1945**

200 pages (approximate)

Box 145

The 753<sup>rd</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Mediterranean and European Theaters during World War II, but this series offers poor documentation for the battalion during the war. Documents consist of a file relating to the design of the coat of arms and insignia, a history of the medical detachment and a narrative report for May 8 through September 30, 1945.

**754<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945-1947**

340 pages (approximate)

Box 145

The 754<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II, but this series contains no documents prior to the end of the war. Documents include a medical detachment history and S-3 periodic reports.

## CONTAINER LIST

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	752 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion, Company C Historical Report, 1947
	752 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Report, January 1945
	752 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Report, February-March 1945
	752 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Report, April-May 1945
	752 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Report, June-August 1945
	752 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion Operational Plans and Orders, 1944
	752 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion Operational Plans and Orders, 1945
	753 <sup>rd</sup> Tank Battalion Coat of Arms and Suggested Insignia (1)-(2)
	753 <sup>rd</sup> Tank Battalion History, May-September 1945
	753 <sup>rd</sup> Tank Battalion History Medical Detachment History
	754 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History S-3 Periodic Reports, December 1945-April 1946
	754 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History S-3 Periodic Reports, May-August 1946
	754 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History S-3 Periodic Reports, September-December 1946
	754 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History Medical Detachment History

### **755<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1941-1945**

200 pages (approximate)

Box 146

The 755<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Mediterranean Theater during World War II participating in the North Africa, Naples-Foggia, Rome-Arno, North Apennines and Po Valley Campaigns. In January 1944 the 755<sup>th</sup> was reassigned to the Fifth Army and attached to the French Expeditionary Corps, supporting French infantry units in the breaking of the German Winter Line near Cassino. For its support of French forces during the Rome-Arno Campaign the battalion received two awards of the French Croix de Guerre. The battalion was inactivated in Italy on September 8, 1945. Documents within the series include a history of the battalion and a scrapbook of newspaper clippings, foreign honors and other items documenting the battalion's service.

### **756<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944**

85 pages

Box 146

The 757<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Mediterranean Theater during World War II. This contains only the unit journal for Company B from January through September 1944.

### **757<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1941-1945**

600 pages (approximate)

Box 146

The 757<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Mediterranean Theater during World War II. Documents include a brief history of the unit through November 1943 and historical and S-3 periodic reports for 1944 and 1945.

### **758<sup>th</sup> LIGHT TANK BATTALION, 1941-1945**

54 pages

Box 146

The 758<sup>th</sup> Light Tank Battalion served in the Mediterranean Theater during World War II. The unit's participation in the war is poorly documented in this series which includes after action reports for April and May 1945, as well some training materials and a file on the selection of battalion insignia.

### **759<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1941-1943**

19 pages

Box 146

The 759<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II, but this series includes only a brief history of the battalion's training in the U.S. from 1941 to 1943..

## **760<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

pages (approximate)

Box 146

The 760th Tank Battalion served in the Mediterranean Theater during World War II. Documents in this series consist of a single after action report for April 5 through May 2, 1945.

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	757 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History
	757 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History, 1944 (1)-(2)
	757 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History, 1945
	757 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, 1944 (1)-(2)
	757 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, 1945 (1)-(2)
	758 <sup>th</sup> Light Tank Battalion Insignia
	758 <sup>th</sup> Light Tank Battalion Training Materials, 1944
	758 <sup>th</sup> Light Tank Battalion After Action Reports, April-May 1945
	759 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History, 1941-1943
	760 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports, April-May 1945
	762 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion History, 1944
	762 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion Journal, June-August 1944



## **761<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1946**

500 pages (approximate)

Box 147

The 761<sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion was activated on April 1, 1942 at Camp Clairborne, Louisiana. The battalion served in the European Theater during World War II joining the combat on November 7, 1944. The unit engaged in battles at Moyenvic, Vic-sur-Seille and Morville-lès-Vic, and participated in the Battle of the Bulge during the Ardennes Campaign. The battalion was deactivated 1 June 1946 in Germany.

Documents include a narrative history, published history, orders, after action reports and operations reports from November 1944 through March 1946, and a report on German fraternization.

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	After Action Report, March 1945
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	Report of Operations, May-September 1945
	Report of Operations, October-December 1945 (1)-(2)
	Report of Operations, January-March 1946 (1)-(2)
	Report on German Fraternization

**762<sup>nd</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1944**

140 pages (approximate)

Box 148

The 762<sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. Documents include a history of the battalion for 1944 and a unit journal for June through August of that year.

**763<sup>rd</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

150 pages (approximate)

Box 148

The 762<sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series consists of a history of the battalion's participation in the Ryukyus Campaign in Okinawa in 1945. The report includes a narrative history, S-3 periodic reports and a unit journal.

**764<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TANK BATTALION, 1957**

4 pages

Box 148

This series consists of a report tracing the lineage of the battalion but contains no documentation of the battalion's participation in World War II.

**767<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945-46**

340 pages (approximate)

Box 148

The 762<sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II, although this series primarily documents the battalion's reorganization and training in Hawaii in 1945 and occupation duties in Japan from 1945 through 1946. This series consists of a narrative history, reports relating to occupation duties and a history of the medical detachment.

**771<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

57 pages

Box 148

The 771<sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II. This series contains after action reports for June through August 1945. There are no documents prior to the end of the war in Europe.

**772<sup>nd</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

82 pages (approximate)

Box 148

The 771<sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II. This series contains daily unit reports for March 24 through June 4, 1945

**773<sup>rd</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1944-45**

440 pages (approximate)

Box 148

The 773<sup>rd</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion was activated on September 20, 1943 at Camp Cooke, California. The served in the Pacific Theater during World War II, and participated in the Saipan and Ryukyus Operations. This series consists of a history of the unit, unit journals and operations reports for 1944 and 1945, and S-3 periodic reports for May to July 1945 and represents a fairly complete account of the battalion during the war.

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	764 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Official Statement of Lineage
	767 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History, January 1945-March 1946
	767 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion, Report: Occupation of Japan, 1945 (1)-(2)
	767 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Occupation Target Reports and Schedules (1)-(2) [includes lists of warehouses and storage sites searched and goods seized]
	767 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Report, February-March 1946
	767 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Medical Detachment Reports, 1945-1946
	771 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports, June-August 1945
	772 <sup>nd</sup> Tank Battalion Unit Reports, March-June 1945
	773 <sup>rd</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion History
	Combat Journal of 773 <sup>rd</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion, 1944
	773 <sup>rd</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Operation Report, March-April 1945
	773 <sup>rd</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion After Action Report, Kerama Retto and Keise Shima Phases of the Ryukyus Campaign March 26-April 2, 1945 (1)-(2)
	773 <sup>rd</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Supplemental After Action Report, April-June 1945
	773 <sup>rd</sup> Amphibian Tractor Daily Unit Reports, May-July 1945

**774<sup>th</sup> TANKBATTALION, 1944-1946**

630 pages (approximate)

Box 149

The 774<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion, known as the Blackcat battalion was activated on September 29, 1943 at Fort Benning, Georgia. The unit served in the European Theater during World War II, arrived in Scotland for further training on July 12, 1944 and landed in France on August 24, 1944. The unit participated in the Battle of the Bulge during the Ardennes-Alsace Campaign. This series documents the battalion's activities in Europe during the war and post-war occupation.

**775<sup>th</sup> TANKBATTALION, 1944-1946**

57 pages

Box 149

The 775<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series contains a narrative histories of the battalion from training to the end of the war along with select orders and other related documents.

**778<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945-1946**

12 pages

Box 149

The 778<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II. This series contains no documentation of the unit prior to the end of the war and consists of an after action reports for the period of May 8, 1945 to September 30, 1946.

**780<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TANK BATTALION, 1944-1946**

100 pages (approximate)

Box 149

The 780<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series consist of a history of the unit throughout the war and an after action report for the Ryukyus Campaign.

**781<sup>st</sup> TANK BATTALION**

340 pages (approximate)

Box 149

The 781st Tank Battalion served in Europe during World War II, arriving at Marseille in October 1944. The unit took a defensive position at the southern edge of the Ardennes Campaign and later crossed the Rhine River into Germany. This series consists of a published history of the battalion and daily periodic reports for December 6, 1944 through June 8, 1945.

**784<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1945**

200 pages (approximate)

Box 149

The 784<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II and participated in the Rhineland and Central Europe Campaigns. This series consists of narrative histories, orders, awards and commendations for 1943 to 1945, as well as after action reports for January through June 1945.

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	775 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History
	778 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Report of Operations May 8, 1945-September 30, 1946
	780 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Battalion Organization
	780 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank Historical Report
	780 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tank After Action Report, Ryukus Campaign, April-June 1945
	781 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion: "Up from Marseille"
	781 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, December 1944-January 1945
	781 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, February-March 1945
	781 <sup>st</sup> Tank Battalion S-3 Periodic Reports, April-June 1945

784<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History

784<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Orders

784<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion Awards and Commendations

784<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Reports, January-June 1945

**785<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

16 pages  
Box 150

The 785<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series consists of medical detachment for the period immediately following the end of the war until the end of 1945.

**786<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1945**

200 pages (approximate)  
Box 150

The 786<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II. This series consists of a published history of the battalion and after action reports for March, April and May 1945.

**787<sup>th</sup> TANK BATTALION, 1943-1946**

32 pages  
Box 150

The 787<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion served in the European Theater during World War II. This series consists of a history of the unit from 1943-1946.

**788<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1944-1945**

420 pages (approximate)  
Box 150

The 788<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II participating in the Leyte and Ryukyus Campaigns. This series consists of operations reports and daily unit reports for 1944 through June 1945.

**812<sup>th</sup> TANK DESTROYER BATTALION, 1943**

60 pages (approximate)  
Box 150

This series consists of a unit history and supporting documents for the 812<sup>th</sup> Tank Destroyer Battalion during training in the U.S. during 1943.

**826<sup>th</sup> AMPHIBIAN TRACTOR BATTALION, 1945**

240 pages (approximate)  
Box 150

The 826<sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series consists of the battalion operations report for the Luzon Campaign from January to June 1945



### **7866<sup>th</sup> HEAVY TANK BATTALION, 1948**

34 pages  
Box 150

This series contains only post-WWII documents for the 7866th Heavy Tank Battalion, a report of operations for July through September 1948 when the unit was part of the U.S. occupation force in Germany.

### **95<sup>th</sup> LIGHT TANK COMPANY, 1946-1948**

12 pages  
Box 150

This series consists of a unit history of the 95th Light Tank Company during post-war occupation duty in Japan.

### **151<sup>st</sup> AIRBORNE TANK COMPANY**

6 pages  
Box 150

This series consists solely of a history of the 151st Airborne Tank Company during training in the U.S. in 1943 and 1944.

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	786 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion After Action Report, May 1945
	787 <sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion History
	788 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Operations Report, Leyte Campaign, 1944
	788 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Operations Report, Ryukyus Campaign, 1945 (1)-(2)
	788 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Daily Unit Reports, October 1944-February 1945
	788 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Daily Unit Reports, April-June 1945
	812 <sup>th</sup> Tank Destroyer Battalion History, 1943
	826 <sup>th</sup> Amphibian Tractor Battalion Operations Report, Luzon Campaign, January-June 1945 (1)-(3)
	7866 <sup>th</sup> Heavy Tank Battalion Report of Operations, July-September 1948

95<sup>th</sup> Light Tank Company Unit History, 1946-1948

151<sup>st</sup> Airborne Tank Company History

## **14<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT COMMAND, 1943-1946**

2,400 pages (approximate)

Box 151-154

The 14<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Command was established on 15 November 1943 with headquarters in Brisbane, Australia. All seacoast artillery and antiaircraft troops in the southwest Pacific area were assigned the 14th AA Command. The general responsibilities of the Command toward its subordinate units included general administrative supervision over all assigned organizations; a responsibility for the supply of technical materiel to units; a responsibility for the technical training of units, and their preparation for combat. This series contains unit histories and narrative, periodic, operations and after action reports, maps and other related documents for G-1, G-2, G-3 and G-4 sections. Reports from a few subordinate units are included at the end of the series.

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	14 <sup>th</sup> AA Command Unit Histories, Different Units (1) [1945-46, includes general information about histories sent to AG as well as scattered histories for 706 <sup>th</sup> Tank Bn., IG Section]
	14 <sup>th</sup> AA Command Unit Histories, Different Units (2) [1945-46, includes general information about histories sent to AG as well as scattered histories for 403 <sup>rd</sup> Malaria Survey Det., 142 <sup>nd</sup> Coast Artillery Group, 156 <sup>th</sup> AAA Operations Detachment, 164 <sup>th</sup> AAA Gun Bn, 76 <sup>th</sup> AAA Gun Bn; and draft History of the Adjutant General's Section, History of Antiaircraft Units, 8 June-18 August 1945]
	14 <sup>th</sup> AA Command, History of the G-1 Section
	Draft History: Chapter 3, Intelligence
	History 14 <sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Command, Intelligence G-2 (1)-(4) [includes report on Japanese atrocities, antiaircraft intelligence, notes of Southwest Pacific area, G.I. security antiaircraft observers' reports]
	Functions of the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2 Headquarters 14 <sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Command
	14 <sup>th</sup> AA Command, Report of Enemy Aircraft Destroyed 1 September 1944 to 31 December 1944

14<sup>th</sup> AA Command, History of the Information and Education Section, 1944-1946

History of Headquarters Battery, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command, 1944-1946

14<sup>th</sup> AA Command, History of the Signal Section, 1944-1946

History of the G-3 Section, 14<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Command (1)-(2)

152 Seacoast and Antiaircraft Artillery Operations in the Pacific Area During World War II (1)-(4)

14<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Command Operations Book III (1)-(3) [13 Nov. 44 to 1 Apr 45, index to documents at beginning of file]

Report on Antiaircraft Artillery Part 1: General (Period 16 January to 15 February 1945)

Combat Operations Reports, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command (1)-(3)

Antiaircraft Artillery Quarterly Reports, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command (1)-(2)

153 History of the Supply G-4 Section, 14<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Command (1)-(3)

History and Activities of the AA-4 Section 21 September 1944 to 31 December 1944

Monthly Reports, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command Inspector General Section, 1944-1946

History of the Ordnance, Signal, Medical Sections; History of Flakintel, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command

Medical Reports Book I, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command [most documents listed on the index were not included with the file]

History of the Adjutant General's Section, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command

History of the Radar Section and Instruction Teams, 14<sup>th</sup> AA Command

History of the Headquarters Commandant's Section, 14<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Command [annexes listed were not included in the file]

History of the Provisional Coast Artillery Surveillance Detachment, 1943-1944

The Antiaircraft Defense of Morotai, 15 September to 31 December 1944

S-3 Operations Reports, HQ 68<sup>th</sup> AAA Brigade, 21 April-23 May 1945

S-3 Operations Reports, HQ 68<sup>th</sup> AAA Brigade, 24 May-23 June 1945

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### **2273<sup>rd</sup> ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY COMMAND, 1945**

19 pages

Box 155

The 2273<sup>rd</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Command was organized on December 8, 1943 at Fort Shafter, Hawaii and remained in Hawaii for the duration of the war. This series consists of the annual history for the unit for 1945.

### **31<sup>st</sup> ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1942-1948**

1400 pages (approximate)

Box 155-156

On November 20 1942 the 31<sup>st</sup> Coast Artillery Brigade was organized at Camp Haan, California. The brigade was deployed to Oran, Algeria in May 1943 and participated in the North Africa and Italian Campaigns. In December 1943 the unit was redesignated as the 31<sup>st</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade and subsequently participated in the Rome-Arno, Southern France, and the Rhineland Campaigns. This series contains a unit journal from 1943 and annual and monthly histories covering the complete participation of the brigade in World War II. Documents within the monthly histories include some or all of the following: narrative history, unit diary, minutes of staff meetings, orders, intelligence bulletins, and other related documents.

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	31 <sup>st</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade History, June 1944
	31 <sup>st</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade History, July 1944
	31 <sup>st</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade History, August 1944
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31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade History, July 1945 (1)-(2)

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade History, August 1945

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade History, September 1945

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Report of Operations, October-December 1945

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Report of Operations, January-March 1946

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Report of Operations, April-June 1946

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Report of Operations, April-June 1946

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Antiaircraft Operations Reports, 1943-1945

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Operations Journal File, October-November 1945

31st Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Report of Activation, December 1948

### **33<sup>rd</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1942-1944**

300 pages (approximate)

Box 157

The 33<sup>rd</sup> Coast Artillery, stationed in San Diego, California, was redesignated as the 33<sup>rd</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade on September 1, 1943. All documents in these folders relate to the unit while it was in California.

### **34<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1945**

95 pages

Box 157

The 34<sup>th</sup> AAA Brigade was activated on February 10, 1941, at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. This brigade participated in the Tunisian, Sicilian, France, Rhine Land and Central Europe Campaigns. This series contains a published history of the unit and a narrative history for 1945.

### **34<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY GROUP, 1945**

130 pages

Box 157

The 34<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Group participated in the European Theater during World War II. This series contains monthly operations reports for May through December 1945.

### **35<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1943-1945**

1700 pages (approximate)

Box 157-158

The 35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade participated in the European Theater during World War II. Documents within the series include S-3 reports, monthly report of operation files, daily after action reports, weekly after summary reports, and orders. A file of photographs has been transferred to the audiovisual department.

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34<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Group, Report of Operations, May 1945

34<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Group, Report of Operations, June-July 1945

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35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Photographs

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35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Unit Histories, January-April 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Unit Histories, May-June 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Orders and Operations Instructions, May 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Orders and Operations Instructions, June 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Intelligence Bulletins, May-June 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade S-3 Reports, February-April 1944

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35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade S-3 Reports, March-April 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade S-3 Reports, May-June 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Daily Reports, January-March 1944

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Daily Reports, April-June 1944

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Daily Reports, August-October 1944

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Daily Reports, November-December 1944

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Daily Reports, January-February 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Daily Reports, March-May 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Daily Reports, June-September 1945

35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Weekly Reports, May-September 1943

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35<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Weekly Reports, March-May 1945

## **37<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1941-1945**

950 pages (approximate)

Box 159

The 37<sup>th</sup> Coast Artillery Brigade (AA) served a coastal defense mission in Southern California and this mission continued when the unit was reorganized as the 37<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade on September 1, 1943. This series consists primarily of unit reports from December 1941 through July 1945. The unit was involved in a perceived attack by Japanese forces in late February 1942 and responded by artillery shelling in Los Angeles County. The aerial target was later determined to be a U.S. weather balloon. This series contains a report, "Lessons from Action on February 25, 1942".

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## **38<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1944-1945**

1700 pages (approximate)

Box 160-161

The 38<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade served in the European Theater during World War II participating in the Normandy, Northern France, Central Europe, Ardennes-Alsace and Rhineland campaigns. This series consists primarily of operations reports and daily unit reports from May 8 through December 1945, G-3 reports for part of 1944, and brigade unit journal files for 1944 through 1945. The journal files are numbered and consist of Headquarters and Headquarters Battery after action reports, orders, reports from component units, messages, and other related documents. A few numbered items were not included in the folders when received at the Eisenhower Library.

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#### **40<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1942-1946**

950 pages (approximate)

Box 162

The 40<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade was in the Pacific Theater during World War II, serving in Australia, New Guinea, and the Philippines. Originally the 40<sup>th</sup> Coast Artillery, was redesignated as the 40<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade in June 1944. Documents in this series include a history of the organization and reorganization of the brigade, operations reports files, and a post-war unit history. The operations reports contain orders, periodic reports, after action reports and other related documents.

#### **41<sup>st</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1943**

20 pages

Box 162

The 41<sup>st</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade served in the Pacific Theater during World War II. This series consists of a single report: the narrative history of the 1<sup>st</sup> Special 155mm Gun Battery (AA) for May through July 1943. The battery was stationed in Queensland, Australia during that period.

#### **42<sup>nd</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1946-47**

20 pages

Box 162

The 42<sup>nd</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade served in the Pacific Theater during World War II, but this series contains no wartime documents and consists of a very brief unit history for December 1936 to January 1947 and a February 1947 newsletter for the Coast Artillery Journal.

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40<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Operations Reports, July-December 1944

40<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Operations Reports, January-February 1945

40<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Operations Reports, March-April 1945

40<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Operations Reports, March-April 1945

40<sup>th</sup> Coast Artillery Brigade Action Reports, January-April 1944 (1)-(2)

40<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade Unit History, 1946

1<sup>st</sup> Special 155mm Gun Battery (AA) Narrative Report, May-July 1943 [41<sup>st</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade]

42<sup>nd</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade, 1946-1947

## **45<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY BRIGADE, 1943-1945**

3,400 pages (approximate)

Box 163-166

The 45th Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade served in the Mediterranean Theater during World War II, providing support for both North Africa and later Italy and participated in the Italian Campaign, Anzio, and Operation Shingle. The brigade was reformed on July 29, 1944 as Task Force 45. The brigade was inactivated in February 1945.

Task Force 45 was a task force of American units and the following British, Italian Partisan and Brazilian artillery units.

### British Antiaircraft (AA) Units

- 39th (Br) Light AA Regiment
- 47th (Br) Light AA Regiment
- U Troop, 167 Battery, 56 (Br) Light AA Regiment
- 168 Battery, 56 (Br) Light AA Regiment
- 71st Heavy (Br) AA Regiment
- 73rd Heavy (Br) AA Regiment
- 74th Heavy (Br) AA Regiment
- 80th Heavy (Br) AA Regiment

### Brazilian Units

- 1st Battalion, 1st Infantry Regiment, 1st (Braz) Infantry Division [BEF]
- 2nd Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, 1st (Braz) Infantry Division [BEF]
- 3rd Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, 1st (Braz) Infantry Division [BEF]
- 1st Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop (Mechanized), 1st (Braz) Infantry Division [BEF]

### Italian Units

- 5th (Ital) Mule Pack Company
- 23rd (Ital) Artier [Engineer] Regiment The brigade was inactivated in February 1945.

The bulk of this collection consists of monthly files compiled by the unit historian from February 1944 through February 1945. These contain after action reports, journals, orders, messages, periodic reports, and other documents from that specific month. There are also a file of consolidated Fifth Army antiaircraft artillery reports from September 1943 to June 1944; quarterly reports and photographs. All photographs have been transferred to the audiovisual department.

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	45 <sup>th</sup> AAA Brigade Monthly History, May 1944
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**77th ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY GUN BATTALION, 1944-1945**

30 pages (approximate)

Box 265

The 1st Battalion, 77th CA (AA) was initially activated at Fort Bragg, North Carolina on August 1, 1940. The battalion consisted of white officers and African-American enlisted men. In January, 1942 the unit was headquartered in Manchester, Connecticut and provided anti-aircraft defense for aircraft manufacturing in the Hartford, Connecticut area. On March 24, 1942 they left for Fort Dix, New Jersey in preparation for movement overseas. They departed from New York in April and arrived in Tongatabu in the Pacific. On November 1, 1943 they were reorganized and redesignated as the 77th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Gun Battalion.

This series consists of unit historical records and reports of quarterly medical activities.



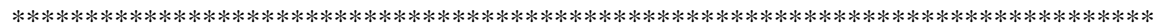
**78th ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY GUN BATTALION, 1944-1945**

75 pages (approximate)

Box 265

The 78th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Gun Battalion was initially organized at Camp Earle, Attu, Alaska on February 8, 1944. Duty stations included Fort Lawton, Washington; Fort Bliss, Texas; Seattle, Washington; San Francisco, California; Payne Field, Washington; and Yakima, Washington. It was inactivated on October 24, 1945.

This series consists of historical records and unit reports.



**81st AIRBORNE ANTI-AIRCRAFT BATTALION, 1943-1945**

470 pages (approximate)

Box 265

The 81st Airborne Anti-Aircraft Battalion was activated on September 4, 1942 as a special troop unit of the 101st Airborne Division at Camp Clairborne, Louisiana. After training at various locations in North Carolina, the battalion embarked on a troop ship from New York to Liverpool, England in September, 1943. They were stationed at Berkshire and Weston-Super Mare, Somerset. Units from the battalion took part in the D-Day landings on Utah Beach in Normandy. The battalion took part in campaigns in Normandy, Holland, Ardennes, and Germany.

This series consists of primarily of historical records, after action reports, operations reports, and periodic reports.

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**93<sup>rd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Gun Battalion, 1943-1945**

360 pages (approximate)

Box 266

The 93<sup>rd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Gun Battalion was organized on 12 December 1943 in Oahu, Territory of Hawaii. The unit saw action in the Pacific Theater, including the Ryuku operation and battle of Ie Shima. The unit was deactivated on 30 January 1946.

This series consists of primarily of a history of the unit, including after action reports, operational notes and claims for enemy aircraft destroyed.

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**97<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Gun Battalion, 1944-1948**

50 pages (approximate)

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This series consists of general orders for the Headquarters, 97<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Gun Battalion. These orders include changes in command and other personnel matters and lists for medals and commendations.

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**101<sup>st</sup> Coast Artillery (AA) (AW) Battalion, 1943-1945**

7 pages

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This series consists of a consolidated activity report for the 1 October-3 December, 1943 and lists of documents filed elsewhere.

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**102<sup>nd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion A/T, 1945**

80 pages (approximate)

Box 266

The 102<sup>nd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion A/T saw action in the Pacific Theater. This series consists of primarily of a history of the unit for August-October 1945. During this time the unit was stationed in the Philippines.

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**103<sup>rd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1941-1945**

975 pages (approximate)

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The 103<sup>rd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion participated in the North African, Sicilian, and Normandy Campaigns and subsequent campaigns in Northern Europe. This series consists of action reports, S-3 reports, S-4 reports and a medical detachment report.

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**104<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1944-1946**

60 pages (approximate)

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The documents in this series include an S-3 journal and various training materials. Of particular interest is the training material for the .50 caliber Multiple Machine Gun M45 mounted on the 40mm Carriage, M2.

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**105<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1942-1945**

400 pages (approximate)

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The 105<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion was organized on October 6, 1940 from National Guard units around New Orleans, Louisiana and activated on January 6, 1941 in Camp Hulene, Texas. The unit took part in the North African, Tunisian, Sicilian and Italian Campaigns.

This series consists of folders labeled Historical Records and are arranged by month. Each month contains a narrative operational history and some may also contain a battle casualty report, rosters, operations reports, incident reports and other documents. There is also a folder relating to citations and awards received by the unit.

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**106<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1944-1945**

405 pages (approximate)

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During World War II the 106<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery AW Battalion saw action in the European Theater in Italy, France and Germany.

This series consists of folders labeled Historical Records, are arranged by month. Each month contains a narrative history and unit journal. Additional documents for each month may include S-2 reports, battle casualty reports, and other documents.

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Originally designated as the 378th Coast Artillery Battalion, the unit was initially activated at Camp Steward, Georgia on 15 July 1942. On 14 September 1943 they were reorganized and redesignated as the 378th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.

This series consists of unit historical records and orders.

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**379th Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1942-1945**

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Originally designated as the 379th Coast Artillery Battalion, the unit was initially activated at Camp Steward, Georgia on 15 July 1942. On 9 March 1944 they were reorganized and redesignated as the 379th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.

This series consists of unit historical records and orders.

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This series consists of orders.

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Originally designated as the 382nd Coast Artillery Battalion, the unit was initially activated at Camp Hulen, Texas on 10 January 1943. On 7 February 1943 they were reorganized and redesignated as the 382nd Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.

This series consists of unit historical records and orders.

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**385th Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1943-1945**

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Originally designated as the 385th Coast Artillery Battalion, the unit was initially activated at Camp Edwards, Massachusetts on 10 January 1943. They were reorganized and redesignated as the 382nd Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.

This series consists of periodic reports.

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This series consists of a historical report, operations reports, and periodic report of medical department activities.

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This series consists of the unit journal and narrative report.

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This series consists of the unit journal and narrative report.

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**391st Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1944-1945**

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Originally designated as the 391st Coast Artillery Battalion, the unit was initially activated at Camp Davis, North Carolina on 10 January 1943. They were reorganized and redesignated as the 391st Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.

This series consists of history reports.

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This series consists of movement orders.

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This series consists of daily unit reports.

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**462nd Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1943-1945**

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This series consists of unit historical reports. These include an incomplete set of status reports, G-3 periodic reports and a few after action reports

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**464th Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1943-1945**

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This series consists of fragmentary unit historical reports for 1943-1945 and one morning report and unit roster for May 22, 1945.

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**465th Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1942-1946**

700 pages (approximate)  
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This series consists of after action reports, unit journals, unit reports, and S-3 periodic reports from September 1944-September 1945 that comprise unit historical records, although the set of documents is incomplete for some months. There is also a narrative history of the medical detachment activities throughout World War II.

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This series contains a summary of the organizational information for the unit from October 1943-March 1944.



**467th Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1943-1945**

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Most of the documents in this series date from October-November 1945. These include a narrative report of operations, weekly security report, daily unit reports, and daily journal. There is also an after action report for October 1945 and a history of the medical detachment during World War II.



**469th Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1945**

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This series consists of one report: the narrative report for Battery D while attached to the 3<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Division in April 1945.



**471st Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1943-1945**

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This series consists of an organizational history of Battery D for 1943-1944 and a history of the unit's medical detachment in World War II.



**472<sup>nd</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1944-1945**

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This only documents in this series the history of the unit's medical detachment in from July 1944 to October 1945.



**473<sup>rd</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion, 1945**

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This series consists of the after action report for June 18-July 25, 1945; the report of operations for May-December 1945 and the medical detachment report for 1945.

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**475<sup>th</sup> Antiaircraft Artillery (Automatic Weapons) Battalion (Air Trans), 1942-1945**

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This series consists of a file of an historical records file containing assignment and attachment of unit reports for 1945, a status of training and equipment report for 1942-1945, and historical record of organization reports from October 1944-March 1945.

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This series consists of a file of combat operations and narrative reports, index sheets and historical reports, including the report of operations for the Hurricane Task Force.

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These documents actually pertain to the 206<sup>th</sup> Coast Artillery (AA), the 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion of which later became the 597<sup>th</sup> AAA AW. There is a history of Battery E (April-December 1943) and a history of Battery G (January 1941-March 1943). A description of the June, 1942 Battle of Dutch Harbor is included in the latter.

**599<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AUTO WEAPONS BATTALION, 1945**

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Unit Reports, March – May 1945

**601<sup>st</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AUTO WEAPONS BATTALION, 1943-44**

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Medical Detachment Period Report  
Motor Vehicle Deadline Reports (Daily S-4s) September 1943 – February 1944  
S-4 Periodic Reports, September 1943 – February 1944

**604<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AUTO WEAPONS BATTALION, 1944**

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Historical Record

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Medical Detachment Period Report

**630<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AUTO WEAPONS BATTALION, 1943-45**

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Military Police Message Log, January – September 1945

History, January 1-September 26 1945 (15 pages)

Awards (includes several photographs)

History and Historical Records, October 1943

History and Historical Records, 1943

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**839<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY AUTO WEAPONS BATTALION, 1944-1945**

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The documents in the After-Action Report include a unit commendation, S-2 and S-3 Journals, and blank forms for traffic control.

Medical Detachment Period Report from Activation to 2 December 1944

After-Action Report from 11 May to 31 June 1945

**669<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1944**

6 pages  
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The documents in this series consist of historical reports for July-August, 1944 that offer sparse information about the unit's activities.

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**670<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1943-1945**

22 pages  
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During World War II the 670<sup>th</sup> AAA Machine Gun Battery saw action in the Pacific Theater, participating in campaigns in New Guinea and the Philippines. The series consists of a unit history documenting the unit's activities from 1943-1945.

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**672nd ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1943-1945**

7 pages  
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The documents in this series are sparse and contain little information regarding the activities of the unit in the Pacific Theater.

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**673rd ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1943-1945**

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The 673<sup>rd</sup> Sep. CA Battery (AA) was activated on December 31, 1942 at Camp Stewart, Georgia. It was redesignated as the 673 Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery on arrival for training at Fort Bliss, Texas. The unit departed for the Pacific Theater on August 23, 1943 and participated in the New Guinea, Bismark-Archipelago, and Southern Philippine campaigns. This series consists of an historical journal.

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**674<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1943-1945**

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The 674<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery served in the Pacific Theater and participated in the New Guinea campaign. This series consists of a brief unit history.

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**675<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1943-1945**

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The 675<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery served in the Pacific Theater and participated in the New Guinea campaign. This series consists of a unit history.

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**683rd ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1944-1945**

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This series consists of monthly historical reports from September, November and December 1944 and January-April 1945.

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**684<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1942-1945**

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The 684<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery served in the China-Burma-India Theater in India and Burma. This series consists of a unit history.

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**689<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1944**

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This series consists only of the monthly unit history for May 1944.

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**702<sup>nd</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY AIRBORNE, 1942-1944**

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The 702<sup>nd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery AB served in the China-Burma-India Theater in India. This series consists of a monthly historical reports and accompanying documents from January 1943 –May 1944 and a narrative history of the unit for 1942

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**703<sup>rd</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1942-1944**

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The 703<sup>rd</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery served in the China-Burma-India Theater in India and China. This series consists of a unit history from April 1942-December 1944.

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**705<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY AIRBORNE, 1943-1944**

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The 705<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery AB served in the China-Burma-India Theater. This series consists of a monthly historical reports and accompanying documents from April 1943 –June 1944.

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**706<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1942-1945**

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The 706<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery served in the China-Burma-India Theater. This series consists of a unit history from 1942-1945 that contain narrative histories and after action reports.

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**707<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1942-1945**

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The 707<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery served in the Pacific Theater and participated in campaigns in New Guinea and the Philippines. This series consists of an organizational history, an incomplete set of monthly historical reports, a report on the M-1 [Lingayen Gulf] operation, and an incomplete set of combat reports.

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**708<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY, 1943-1945**

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The 708<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery served in the Pacific Theater and participated in campaigns in New Guinea and the Philippines. This series consists of the partial unit journal and scattered combat reports from 1943-1945.

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**709<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY MACHINE GUN BATTERY AIRBORNE, 1942-1943**

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The 709<sup>th</sup> Anti-Aircraft Artillery Machine Gun Battery AB served in the Pacific Theater. This series consists of a report on the unit's participation in the battle at Milne Bay, New Guinea and scattered combat reports from 1943.

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**765<sup>th</sup> ANTI-AIRCRAFT ARTILLERY COMPOSITE BATTERY, 1944-1945**



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This series consists of a brief unit history for 1945.

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The 15<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Battalion took part in the Normandy Invasion, landing in France on June 7, 1944. This series consists of headquarters after action reports for June, August and October 1944.

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**15<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Observation Battalion, 1945**

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The 15<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Observation Battalion was activation on May 1, 1942 at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina. The unit took part in the North African and Italian campaigns. This series consists of a unit history, press releases, and after action reports for April, July and August 1945.

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**16th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, 1942, 1944, 1946**

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This series consists of a 1942 unit history, an after action report for December 1944, and a report of operations, January-March 1946.

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**16<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Observation Battalion, 1944-1945**

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The 16<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Observation Battalion was activated on June 15, 1942 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina and arrived in France on August 19, 1944. The unit participated in the Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes, and Central Europe Campaigns. This series consists of a unit history and monthly reports on battle activity for August 1944-May 1945.

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**17th Field Artillery Battalion, 1917-1949**

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The 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion, 17<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Regiment was organized at Camp Robinson in Sparta, Wisconsin on June 6, 1917 and redesignated as the 17<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Battalion on May 1, 1944. During World War I the unit participated in the battles of Aisne, Aisne-Marne, St. Mihiel, Meuse-Argonne, Lorraine, and Ile de France. During World War II the unit participated in campaigns in Tunisia, Sicily, Naples-Foggia, Rome-Arno, Southern France, Rhineland, Southern Europe and Ardennes-Alsace.

The records in this series were compiled by the battalion historian in order to write a history of the unit from World War I through 1949. The documents are unarranged and maintained in the order in which they were placed by the historian who compiled them.

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The 78<sup>th</sup> Armored Field Artillery Battalion trained in England for the invasion of Europe and arrived in France on June 11, 1944. Documents for this unit include the S-1 journal, intelligence, operations and supply reports for the months of June and August 1944.

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**79th Field Artillery Battalion, 1945**

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At the end of World War II the 79<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Battalion was stationed in Marburg, Germany. The only document for this unit is a report of operations for August 1945

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**80th Field Artillery Battalion, 1944, 1946-1947**

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During World War II the 80<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Battalion was stationed in the Pacific. Documents for this unit consist of a history of operations for the summer of 1944 and post-war operational reports from 1947.

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**81st Field Artillery Battalion, 1940-1943**

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The 81<sup>st</sup> Field Artillery Battalion was activated in Fort Lewis, Washington in 1940 and subsequently transferred to Alaska. These records document that activities of the unit from 1940-1943. Of particular interest is the file relating to the salvage operations for the cargo ship, *Crown City*, which was grounded in the ice in April 1943.

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**82nd Field Artillery Battalion, 1945**

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The 82<sup>nd</sup> Field Artillery Battalion was organized in 1917 at Fort Francis E. Warren, Wyoming. During World War II the unit was stationed in the Pacific. These records consist of a single report relating to the Luzon Campaign in 1945.

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The 130th Field Artillery Battalion was originally a unit of the Kansas National Guard. It was inducted into Federal service at Topeka, Kansas, on December 23, 1940, and in February 1942 was assigned to the 35th Infantry Division. On January 27, 1943, it was relieved from the 35th Division and spent the next several months training at Camp Callan, California. The Battalion was inactivated on December 11, 1945, at Camp Myles Standish, Massachusetts, having never participated in combat.

This series consists of statistical reports describing the strength of the Battalion and the amount of supplies it used while training at Camp Callan. The material covers the period from April 1 to July 9, 1943, and contains no narrative or historical reports on the history of the Battalion.

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The 131st, 132nd, and 133rd Field Artillery Battalions were organic units of the 36th Infantry Division. This Division was activated in 1940 and was sent overseas in April 1943. It participated in campaigns in Italy, France and Germany. After the end of the war the Division was on occupation duty in Germany for several months before returning to the United States in December 1945.

The records of the 131st, 132nd, and 133rd Field Artillery Battalions consist of historical reports which describe their activities while on occupation duty in Germany during the late summer and early fall of 1945. The material contains no information on their combat activities during the war. For further information on the history of the Battalions, see the records of the 36th Infantry Division.

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The 153rd Field Artillery Battalion was activated on November 15, 1942, at Fort Bliss, Texas, and was assigned to the First Cavalry Division. In March 1943 it was relieved from the First Cavalry and became an independent unit. In June 1944 it landed in Europe where it participated in the Normandy, Northern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace and Central Europe campaigns. After the war the Battalion was on occupation duty in Germany until returning to the United States in October 1945.

The records of the 153rd Field Artillery Battalion consist of fragmentary after action reports and a lengthy journal. The journal covers the entire period of the Battalion's service in Europe, but contains mostly statistical data on the number of artillery rounds fired by the Battalion. This series contains very little narrative information.

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