

IPW TEAM #49
359TH INF
APO 90

25th Jan 44

IPW NOTES

9 Psw remnants / 77th Regt / 26th Div
2 Psw replacements / 9th Pz Div
3 Psw 5 / 696th Regt / 340th Div
1 PW 8 / 696th Regt / 340th Div

LOCATIONS: 2nd Bn / 696th Regt sector yesterday 780633-780662
withdrawal order to assembly area vic URSPELT 7965
at 0700 today.
CP 340th Div BITBURG (PL5)
CP 9th Pz Div RADSCHIED - (PL8)
Div supposedly located near OUDLER (PL8)
BURG REULAND (PL8) crowded with vehicles for lack of gas
2 days ago. Camouflaged in every yard.
4-5 tks seen in HEIMERSCHIEDT 8267 yesterday.
3-4 AT guns (cal?) seen in HUPPERDANGE 8067 yesterday 1200
leaving for HEINERSCHIED. (Civilian information from
HUPPERDANGE).
Mines on both roads leading from HUPPERDANGE to
HEINERSCHIED.

STRENGTH: 696th Regt received 100 replacements 2 days ago which
were assigned to 2d Bn; approx 20 men per Co. 2d Bn CP
was at URSPELT 7965. These replacements came by way of
DASBURG (8562). This town is filled with troops to the
brim. Replacements had to sleep in the woods N of town.
All traffic of arty pieces etc was to the rear.

Pillboxes vic HABSCHIED (PL8) occupied by SS
5th Co Armd Reserve Bn 102 located in HABSCHIED
4th Co Armd Reserve Bn 102 located in KESFELD (SW of
HABSCHIED).

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