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HEADQUARTERS 905TH FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION  
APO #80, C/O POSTMASTER, NEW YORK, N. Y.

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SUBJECT: Unit History For Month of March 1945.

TO : Commanding General, 80th Infantry Division, APO #80, U. S. Army.  
(ATTENTION: Division Historian)

Transmitted herewith is the history for the month of March 1945, of this Battalion, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 1, Change 3, AR 345-105.

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**UNIT HISTORY FOR MONTH OF MARCH 1945**  
**905TH FIELD ARTILLERY BATTALION**  
**APO #80, C/O POSTMASTER, NEW YORK, N. Y.**

**1. Original Unit:**

- a. 905th Field Artillery Battalion.
- b. Organized 15 July 1942.
- c. Organized at Camp Forrest, Tennessee.
- d. Authority for organization: General Order Number 1, Headquarters, 80th Infantry Division, dated 15 July 1942.

**2. Changes in organization:**

None.

**3. Strength, Commissioned and Enlisted:**

- a. 1 March 1945 - 41 Officers & Warrant Officers      467 Enlisted Men
- b. Net Increase - None      None
- c. Net Decrease - None      5 Enlisted Men
- d. 31 March 1945 - 41 Officers & Warrant Officers      462 Enlisted Men

**4. Stations: Month of March 1945:**

- a. Arrived in France 6 August 1944.
- b. 1 March    Command Post at 700 yards southwest of Altscheid, Germany  
              (03.4-58.1) Battle Map Germany
- 3 March    Bickendorf, Germany (11.8-60.4) 1/25,000 Germany
- 8 March    Eisenach, Germany (14.5-44.0) 1/25,000 Germany
- 9 March    Bickendorf, Germany (11.8-60.4) 1/25,000 Germany
- 11 March   Faulbach, France (92.9-96.3) 1/25,000 Luxembourg
- 12 March   Irsch, Germany (17.3-12.1) 1/25,000 Germany
- 14 March   Oberzerf, Germany (23.5-10.4) 1/25,000 Germany
- 15 March   Greimerath, Germany (24.0-07.5) 1/25,000 Germany
- 16 March   Bergen, Germany (24.8-04.2) 1/100,000 Neunkirchen
- 17 March   Nunkirchen, Germany (34.8-98.7) 1/100,000 Neunkirchen
- 18 March   Theley, Germany, (48.4-00.2) 1/100,000 Neunkirchen
- 19 March   Bubach, Germany (66.3-96.5) 1/100,000 Neunkirchen
- 20 March   Kaiserlautern, Germany (02.2-93.9) 1/100,000 Kaiserlautern
- 21 March   Maxdorf, Germany (40.5-98.5) 1/100,000 Kaiserlautern
- 22 March   Pfeddersheim, Germany (39.3-15.3) 1/100,000 Kaiserlautern
- 23 March   Dielkirchen, Germany (06.0-17.8) 1/100,000 Kaiserlautern
- 27 March   Bauschheim, Germany (46.2-51.4) 1/100,000 Frankfurt
- 28 March   Bischofsheim, Germany (44.5-54.5) 1/100,000 Frankfurt
- 29 March   Hochheim, Germany (51.9-70.0) 1/100,000 Frankfurt

**5. Marches:**

All marches during March were for the purpose of changing positions to support the tactical situation.

All Command Posts at towns mentioned:

3 March    Altscheid, Germany to Bickendorf, Germany, 9 miles, weather cloudy and snowy, roads muddy and congested.

8 March    Bickendorf, Germany to Eisenach, Germany, 34 miles, weather cloudy roads fair.

9 March    Bickendorf, Germany to Bickendorf, Germany, 14 miles, weather cloudy

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