

HEADQUARTERS 318TH INFANTRY
APO 80, U.S. Army

12 January 1945

SUBJECT: Transmittal of History, 318th Infantry, for December 1944.

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

Pursuant to instructions contained in paragraph 4, Section II, Memorandum Number 64, Headquarters 80th Infantry Division, APO 80, U.S. Army, dated 24 August 1944, original and three (3) copies of History of this organization for month of December 1944 are attached herewith.

For the Commanding Officer:

Martin J. Wegman
MARTIN J. WEGMAN
Captain, Infantry
S-2

1 Incl: History for December 1944 (4 copies)

G.O. P. ...
121 2 + ...
30 ... + 6

380-INF (318) 0.2

NOV 1 1946
25864
master

ff

HEADQUARTERS 318TH INFANTRY
APO 80, U. S. Army

H I S T O R Y
December 1944

1. Unit.
- 318th Infantry, 80th Infantry Division
 - Date of organization: 15 June 1942
 - Place of Organization: Camp Forrest, Tennessee.
 - Authority of organization: General Order #1, Hq. 80th Infantry Division, Camp Forrest, Tenn., dated 15 June 1942.
 - Source from which personnel obtained (month of December 1944):

276th Inf Regiment
275th Inf Regiment
274th Inf Regiment
14th Replacement Depot
17th Replacement Depot
53rd Replacement Battalion
38th Replacement Battalion

2. Changes in organization: None during period.

3. Strength, commissioned and enlisted:

	<u>O</u>	<u>WO</u>	<u>EM</u>
a. At beginning of period	140	4	2699
b. Net increase during period	-	-	--
c. Replacements during period	23	-	1245
d. Net decrease during period	33	-	15
e. Total losses during period	56	-	1260
f. Strength at end of period	107	4	2684

4. Stations (permanent or temporary).

<u>Station</u>	<u>Coordinates</u>	<u>Arrived</u>	<u>Departed</u>
GENWEILER	Q3169, Boulay, 1:50,000	29 Nov 44	4 Dec 44
FAREBERSWEILER(Q3657)	, Boulay 1:50,000	4 Dec 44	7 Dec 44
FREYMING	Q3060, Boulay, 1:50,000	7 Dec 44	18 Dec 44
BETTWEILER	Q6753 Bitche, 1:50,000	18 Dec 44	19 Dec 44
HELMDANGE	P8522 Mersch, 1:50,000	20 Dec 44	21 Dec 44
MERSCH	P8228 Mersch, 1:50,000	21 Dec 44	22 Dec 44
COLMAR	P8235 Mersch, 1:50,000	22 Dec 44	24 Dec 44
FAUVILLERS	F5141 Bastogne, 1:50,000	25 Dec 44	29 Dec 44
COLMAR	P8235 Mersch, 1:50,000	29 Dec 44	(After close of period)

5. Marches.

On 7th December the 80th Division, having been squeezed out, it proceeded to FREYMING for rest, training and recreational diversion. The move was made by marching and convoy, total distance covering about 10 miles.

History, 318th Infantry, December (cont)

Army penetration. While 317th and 319th Regiments suffered counter-attacks from this division, all of which were successfully repulsed, the 318th was not counter-attacked. During the last 2 days of the month aggressive day and night patrols to north and northeast were conducted.

8. Commanding officers in important engagements.

Colomel Lansing McVickar commanded the 318th Infantry Regiment during the entire period.

His staff consisted of:

Captain Charles F. Gaking, Executive Officer up to 28 Dec when he took command of 1st battalion.

Captain Roger Bone--Adjutant and S-1

Captain Martin S. Wegman--S-2

Captain Ralph Sessoms---S-3

Major Edward V. LeBlanc S-4

1st Battalion was commanded by Lt. Col Albert Tosi up to 23 Dec when he was wounded during the battle for ETTELBRUCH. Major George Connaughton assumed command of 1st battalion until 28 Dec 44 when Captain Chalres Gaking assumed command of 1st Battalion.

2nd Battalion was commanded during the entire period by Lt. Col. Glen Gardner.

3rd Battalion was commanded during the entire month by Lt. Col. Hohn Golden.

9. Losses in action; Officers and EM.

The following named officers and men were wounded, killed in action or missing during the month of December.

The enemy was dug in defensive positions making clever use of such natural obstacles as swollen creeks and a railroad line whose bed was raised above the normal level of the valley; anti-tank guns were emplaced in well chosen positions and the enemy occupied commanding high ground.

During the 1st and 2nd of December daylight and night patrols were sent out to probe for tank crossings over these natural barriers and to determine the enemy's outpost line. (The terrain presented considerable difficulties especially to tanks on account of its muddy condition and these were augmented by the enemy's clever use of mines.)

The mission of the regiment, in line with a coordinated attack by the 319th Infantry and the 6th Armored Division, was to clear the towns and surrounding high ground of FAREBERSWEILER, THEDING, and KOCHERN. According to plan, the attack was to begin at 0730 4 December with 1st Battalion on the left, 2nd Battalion on the right and 3rd Battalion in reserve, preceded by both Corps and Division artillery preparation, by concentrations from mortars of all organic heavy weapons companies of 318th Infantry as well as from mortars of the reserve battalion 319th Infantry, and by direct fire, from Company B 808 Tank Destroyer Battalion. This artillery fire was kept on the hill objectives until just before the troops took them, effectively protecting their advance through the low spots including crossing of the swollen creek. Co A and C 610th Tank Destroyer Battalion were attached to 2nd Battalion, Co A and B of the 702nd Tank Battalion in support as per their normal attachment. The Engineers from Co B 305th Engineer Battalion attached to this regiment, built, during the 1st hours of the attack, a treadway bridge over the creek which allowed the tanks to continue in their close support of the infantry.

The operation was one of the most successful this regiment had ever undertaken and was executed completely according to plan. The commendation received from the Commanding General, 80th Infantry Division, Maj. Gen. H.L. McBride, attests to the efficient planning, coordination and superb execution.

Only 60 casualties were suffered, 3rd Battalion was never committed, but the enemy suffered at least 100 casualties and 197 PW's were taken.

All but three of the PW's were identified from the 17th Pz Gren Div. These three from the 36th AT Bn, 36th Inf Div units of the 17th SS identified were: 1st, 3rd, 4th Cos, 17th SS Ron Bn; 3rd, 10th, 11th and 13th Cos, 38th SS Pz Gren Regt; 2nd and 3rd Cos 17th SS Engr Bn; 3rd and 4th Cos AT Bn, 17th SS Arty Regt, 17th SS AA Bn; 17th SS Motor Bn. Average company strength of infantry units 50-60 men. Each of the AT companies, including those of the 36th AT Bn were equipped with 3-75mm guns, eleven of which were either destroyed or captured. No tanks or assault guns supported the enemy in its defense.

During the night of 5-6 December a patrol from the 1st and Bn had the distinction of being the 1st troops of the 80th Division

to enter upon German territory.

The 80th Division, moving into a rest area, 318th Infantry 7 Dec in FREYMING for rest, training, and recreation. The training stressed tank-infantry team tactic, fighting in woods, attack against fortified positions (practiced on Maginot Line forts) and use of demolitions. The 702nd Tankers and 305th Engineers assisted in training and demonstrations. Care and cleaning of equipment, showers, medical attention and personal hygiene, completed the training program. The chaplains, as well as the Special Service Officer were the busiest persons in the Regiment during the rest with daily services, movies, U.S. O. shows, and dances being arranged for all to visit and enjoy. Altogether this time proved to be an invaluable aid to the lifting of the morale as well as the health of the troops.

On Division order the Regiment moved, by motor convoy, to BETTWEILER 18 Dec to relieve the US(Armored)12th Division preparatory to an assault upon the Siegfried Line.

On the 16th of Dec the German counter-offensive in northern Luxembourg and southern Belgium had started. At 2100 18 Dec, a few hours after the Regiment had arrived in its new location, Division sent notification of an impending move and that the proposed relief of 12th Armored would not take place. At 1400 on the 19th December therefore, after 82 Quartermaster trucks had been attached, the Regiment moved, to the north, and arrived in HELMDANGE, North of city of Luxembourg and 1000 20 Dec. The 1st mission of the Division was last ditch defense of the city. 2nd Battalion on the left, 1st battalion on the right, and 3rd Battalion in reserve, the 318th Infantry was guarding the left and northern approach to the city while the 317th was to the right guarding the eastern approach, with the 319th in reserve. No enemy contacts were made.

On the 21st of December the Regiment moved to an assembly area North of Mersch in preparation for an attack to be North before daylight 22 December. Command Post was established at MERSCH. Co C 610th Tank Destroyer Battalion was attached and replaced Co B 808th Tank Destroyer Battalion.

The regiment's mission was to clear the town of ETTTELBRUCK and the commanding high ground to the north of this town.

No reliable enemy information was available but it was believed that few, if any, tanks would be encountered, that the infantry forces would be from one or several Volksgrenadier Divisions, and that their morale would be high. Whether the enemy was in defensive positions or not and where those positions were, was not known. The terrain through which the attack was taking place consisted of high ridges, steep hills, ravine-like valleys, and lent itself extremely well to defense, especially against tanks on account of large woods and channelized approaches.

The plan of attack was to advance in column of battalions, 1st battalion leading, 2nd and 3rd battalions to follow in that order. The attack jumped off 0600 22 Dec and at 1033 the leading elements of the 1st Battalion joined with the enemy upon entering ETTELBRUCK. Heavy opposition developed from strong enemy forces in the town and by nightfall, 1st battalion was only able to occupy the western edge of town. Meanwhile 2nd Battalion swung to the left and occupied high ground west and slightly south of ETTELBRUCK in the face of heavy machine gun, mortar, and small arms fire. At 1210 22 Dec the Regimental Command Post was moved to COLMAR.

All enemy units contacted were from the 352nd Volksgrenadier Division. Once destroyed at St. Lo, this Division had been reformed in Germany, largely with naval and GAF personnel and was estimated by higher headquarters to have had an effective combat strength of 7000-8000 men. On the morning of 22 Dec this Division had been on the move in a west south-westerly direction. 914th Regiment, with 2 battalions vicinity Hill 403, 915th Regiment proceeding to the north thereof and somewhat ahead between MERTZIG and GROSEBUS. The 916th, in column of battalions advancing along the AIZET and ATTERT valleys, from GRENZINGEN to BISSEN. At least 2 regimental CP's (914 and 915) were in ETTELBRUCK that morning. Our artillery fire was reported by PW's to have had a far higher than normal casualty effect and our attack came as a complete surprise. So much so that 2 batteries of 1352nd Artillery Regiment were caught flat-footed while on the move and 6-105 gun howitzers of same were subsequently captured including their tractors. One battalion on the road between DIEKIRCH and ETTELBRUCH was able to withdraw and later on, go into position. Despite furious fighting during which enemy casualties were reported to have been extremely high, the enemy was forced from the high ground southwest of ETTELBRUCK. 90 prisoners were taken during the day, mostly from the 194th Regiment.

On 23 Dec all battalions continued their attack on the original objectives. A and B company were fighting in the town of ETTELBRUCK against a reinforced enemy, who resisted fiercely supported by tanks, assault guns, and artillery (including Nebelwerfer) fire. While some progress in the town was made during the day and most of it in our hands by 1700 the commanding general ordered a cessation of the attack on ETTELBRUCK and withdrawal of A and B companies after darkness. Col. Lt TOSI commanding officer of 1st battalion was wounded during the afternoon 23 Dec, Major CONNAUGHTON taking command.

Apparently the enemy was reinforced by additional troops from DIEKIRCH, his morale was generally good although food supply was not forthcoming. 145 prisoners were taken on 23 Dec.

On the morning of 24 Dec, 3rd battalion relieved 1st battalion in its mission of containing and if possible capturing ETTELBRUCK. I Company occupied the high ground northwest of town.

Sudden orders were received after the regiment had virtually gone into division reserve attaching the regiment minus 1 battalion (3rd) to the US 4th Armored Division. At 1700 24 Dec both battalions and regimental headquarters were entrucked and joined the US 4th Armored Division that evening. 1st Battalion was attached to CGA, detrucking at ELL, while second battalion and regimental headquarters proceeded to FAUVILLERS, where 2nd battalion joined CCB. The mission of the US 4th Armored Division with attached battalions of the 318th infantry was to drive a wedge into the German lines to relieve our troops encircled at BASTOGNE. These troops consisted of the 101st Airborne Division, CCB of the 10th Armored Division and miscellaneous engineer and other units as well as stragglers.

Both battalions in support of the armor jumped off at 0800 25 Dec, 1st battalion capturing its objective of TINTAGE while 2nd battalion captured the town of CHAUMONT and its objective. On the 26th of December 1st battalion advanced approximately 3000 yards against heavy opposition through thickly wooded and extremely mountainous terrain. 2nd battalion attacked with the 10th infantry battalion capturing the town of GRANDRUE and clearing a woods 1000 yards to the north.

On this latter date opposition had considerably stiffened and the enemy was resisting fiercely, our advance. Enemy opposition to our troops was identified from prisoners as coming from all elements of the German 5th Parachute Division which had been considerably reinforced by attachment of the 408th Artillery Corps (6 battalions of artillery). The 5th Parachute Division was 50% stronger in infantry manpower than any normal German Volksgrenadier Division which had been encountered during the last few months. Each of three infantry regiments had three battalions and the personnel consisted mostly of the cream of the draft age Hitler Youth with fanatical morale.

Early in the evening 26 Dec tank elements of the 4th Armored Division were able to get into the beleaguered city but unable to return. Lt. CARR of E Company led a 4 man patrol through nearly 4000 yards of enemy held territory and made contact with elements of the 26th Engineer Battalion within the city at 0430 27 December. They were escorted to the 101st Airborne Command Post from where Lt. CARR and his patrol brought back an overlay of the positions inside the circle and a situation report of the unit. They arrived at 2nd battalion Headquarters in time to participate in that morning's attack.

On the 27th 1st Battalion took LIVARCHAMP and HONVILLE while troops of the 1st battalion cleared woods south and east of ASSENNOIS and advanced to this village. On the morning of 28 December 2nd battalion jumped off and reached its objective close to BASTOGNE on the same day.

On the 27th of December the 2nd battalion to 4th PGR Regt, 15th Pz Gr Div was encountered in defense of HONVILLE and this battalion had been thrown in as last ditch defense of the encircling troops to prevent our wedge from becoming a reality. No other elements of the 15th PGD were identified.

History, 318th Infantry, Dec (cont)

Casualties suffered by 1st and 2nd battalions were quite heavy, but nevertheless every mission was carried out successfully and every objective reached. The limited number of front line personnel available from the 26th of December on through the 28th (1st battalion 27 Dec had only 96 riflemen) makes the job done by the 318th an even better one. The staff of the 4th Armored, accordingly was full of praise.

The evening of the 28th 1st battalion was relieved from attachment the following morning 2nd battalion was relieved and that day the regiment rejoined the 80th Division in its sector.

On the 26th of December a patrol of 3rd Battalion 318th made several prisoners in ETTELBRUCK and found that all organized resistance had ended. Thereupon at dawn 27th December 1 platoon of I Company was sent into the town clearing it and capturing 40 prisoners. In consequence the battalion took up defensive positions on the high ground around ETTELBRUCK.

Along the southern front of the German salient in the Bastogen area as well as in front of the 80th Division and 318th sectors the 18th German Nebelwerfer Brigade (Rocket Projectors) was encountered. According to PW's the Brigade consisted of the 21st and 22nd Nebelwerfer Regiments identically organized in 3 battalions with a headquarters and three firing batteries each. 1st battalion had 6-150 mm projectors per battery, 2nd battalion had 6-210mm projectors per battery, 3rd battery had 6-300mm projectors per battery.

As a result of actions 25 through 28 December the 5th Para Division was largely disorganized and had suffered very heavy casualties. 1st and 2nd battalions 318th Infantry with the help of US 4th Armored Division captured 769 prisoners while 3rd battalion in ETTELBRUCK and vicinity captured 43.

When the regiment returned to division control 29 December it came also under control of the XII Corps. The regiment received Field Order Number 24 assigning it the right third of the divisional sector for defense. Defensive positions were taken up and organized, 30th Dec 1st platoon Co C, 166th Engineers assumed responsibility for guarding 3 bridges in the vicinity of COLMAR. 31st December Co F relieved the Divisional Reconnaissance Troop while the rest of 2nd battalion and all of 1st battalion marched from COLMAR to SCHIEREN.

At the close of the month what was left of the 352nd Division having withdrawn from ETTELBRUCK towards the northeast, disengaged themselves, while unknown enemy elements later identified as belonging to the German 79th VG Division took up positions at and South of BURDEN in a line running West to East to the SAUR River from there to South through ERPELDANGE, across high ground touching on the Saur River after its turn to the East and running into DIEKIRCH. It was later established that the German 79th Division had relieved in this sector the 352nd Division and had the mission of protecting the enemy south flank and to cut off the US Third

MEDICAL DETACHMENT 318TH INFANTRY (CONT'D)

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pfc	Holmes, Clyde L.	38209238		x	
Pvt	O'Malley, Walter W.	33031585		x	
Pfc	Zeterberg, Paul H.	20250630		x	
Pfc	Jurik, Stephen	31063824		x	
Tec 5	Curtis, Lewis W.	31261441	x		
Tec 5	Gibbs, George A.	31226047	x		
Tec 5	Neal, Paul R.	37555906	x		
Pvt	Moreschi, Patrick H.	31309180	x		
Pvt	Pelletier, Wilfred A.	31375953	x		
Pvt	Parkner, Dwaine L.	37343999	x		
Pfc	Klaus, Edward J.	32894835	x		
Pvt	Taylor, William M.	31195191	x		

HEADQUARTERS & HEADQUARTERS COMPANY
FIRST BATTALION, 318TH INFANTRY

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pvt	Gonta, John P.	33354588	x		
S/Sgt	Robertson, Durward C.	33225721		x	
Pfc	Cameron, Bruce M.	37704197	x		
Lt Col	Tosi, Albert S.	0416099	x		
Capt	Reseigne, Samuel F.	0456257	x		

COMPANY "A" 318TH INFANTRY

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pfc	Kenetski, Stanley M	36444376	x		
Pfc	Wignall, William H	31427326		x	
Sgt	Mercer, Seigal E	35502670		x	
Sgt	Jameison, James F III	33320960	x		
Pvt	Putnam, John S	37581055	x		
Pvt	Newhouse, Rudolph F	37589657	x		
S/Sgt	Arteaga, Merced E	39853837	x		
Pvt	Adkins, Delbert R	35559977	x		
Tec 4	Huges, James W	17036702	x		
Sgt	Smith, Earl J	33251984	x		
Tec 5	Crabb, M.C.	38344168	x		
Pvt	Oliveri, Vitus B	36977993	x		
Pvt	Marshall, Herbert L	42117877	x		
Pvt	Nearhoof, Chandos G Jr	33931904	x		
S/Sgt	Helzer, Roy C	39528116	x		
Pvt	Lasater, Leland E	36965208	x		
Pvt	Pollina, Leonard C	42119486	x		
Pvt	Kuhl, William C. Jr	36978019	x		
Cpl	Haubner, Robert K	32596342	x		

COMPANY "A" 318TH INFANTRY (CONT'D)

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pvt	Stewart, Joe H	34128361	x		
Pvt	Reynolds, Harry L	44050660	x		
Pvt	Finegan, Raymond E	38676385	x		
Pfc	Kelley, Homer E	37412662	x		
Pvt	Fralick, Lawrence R	36840914	x		
Pfc	Morris, Wade C	38123033	x		
Pvt	Weirich, Harold R	35902578	x		
Pfc	Carrier, Clifford O	36956727	x		
Pvt	Olinsky, Bennett A	31408698	x		
Capt	Schultz, Otto	0 1292765	x		
Pfc	Laymon, Donald E	35867605	x		
S/Sgt	Markwell, Keith E	39194450	x		
Pfc	Hollum, Norman J	32663953	x		
Pfc	Klimitchek, Leo A	38433785	x		
Pvt	Spooner, George A	31467970	x		
Pvt	Ross, Aloysius F	36977511	x		
Pfc	Helegda, James A	35902451	x		
Pvt	Laweka, Bennie	38580450	x		
Pvt	Johnson, Albert E	36972040	x		
Pfc	Kellerstedt, Burton A	11104605	x		
Pfc	Dinsmore, Robert C	39212050	x		
Pvt	Rhoads, Richard E	37658028	x		
Cpl	Ghertner, Gerald H	34881694	x		
Sgt	Combs, Roscoe	6235708	x		
Pvt	Leon, Henry C	37358520	x		
Pvt	McMahon, John	39053478	x		
Pfc	Miranda, Juan G	39287032	x		
Pvt	Kempel, Michael	37588216		x	
Pvt	Eneott, Earl C	36978371		x	
Pvt	Kimler, George F Jr	38978616		x	
Pvt	Lough, Percy D	36964435		x	
Pfc	Ouska, Thomas P	36772902		x	
Pvt	Sischo, Max H	36977683		x	
Pvt	Canby, Joseph B Jr	33939326		x	
Pfc	Johnson, James T	35483301		x	
Sgt	Porter, Willard C	35901123		x	
Pfc	Marburger, Kenneth L	35358927		x	
Pvt	Kelso, Raymond L	33810145			x
Pvt	Schiff, Edward	36977842	x		
T/Sgt	Nypaver, Richard S	33282260	x		
Pvt	Mallon, Ervin F	37591287	x		
Pvt	Mobley, Cecil	37709550	x		
Pvt	Hickox, William H	39053558	x		
Pvt	Ratkowski, Harry W	36971395	x		
Pvt	Roberts, Charles F	37698548	x		
Pvt	Mapp, Claude S	39582608	x		
Pvt	Rininger, Donald B	36881478	x		
Pvt	Spryszak, John F	36968404	x		

COMPANY "A" 318TH INFANTRY (CONT'D)

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pvt	Morgan, James P	20511293	x		
Pvt	Lutz, Carl J	17121487	x		
Tec 4	Zahuranic, William M	33365830	x		
Tec 5	Cooper, James C	33305083	x		
Pvt	Page, Lee R	34895179	x		
Pvt	MacLeod, William	J36963498	x		
1st Sgt	Andres, Julius A	12018381	x		
Sgt	Barber, Patsy D	13083606	x		
Pvt	Murphy, Henry W	14082789	x		
Pvt	Kijewski, Edward	T36976808	x		
Sgt	Pintar, Anthony	33418942	x		
Pvt	Lopez, Pedro	36978021	x		
Pvt	Pyles, Chester B	35075986	x		
Pvt	Quinn, Linus J	42112863	x		
S/Sgt	Koproskie, Frank	33241083	x		
T/Sgt	Smith, David M	34335381	x		
Pfc	Grooms, John H	34203204	x		

COMPANY "B" 318TH INFANTRY

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
S/Sgt	Boyd, Stillie A	35722052	x		
2d Lt	Willis, Herbert A	01060686		x	
S/Sgt	Myers, William O	38434397	x		
Pvt	Wheeler, James B	38686952	x		
Pvt	Owen, Elmer L	38663170	x		
Pfc	Niebur, Burton M	36841241	x		
Pvt	Macom, Everett	38699236	x		
Pvt	Thompson, Edward M	42114311	x		
Pvt	Nega, Walter J	36379443	x		
S/Sgt	Gwizdz, Stephen S	35096067		x	
Pfc	Ragle, Ivan A	34883198	x		
Pfc	Pritchett, Joseph N	38509621		x	
Pfc	Wadley, Kenneth B	34990281		x	
Pfc	Wade, Dennis M	37742367	x		
Pvt	Berry, Jesse E	35837752		x	
Pvt	Hankins, Burris F Jr	34945758	x		
Pfc	Wisniewski, Henry F	36973348		x	
Pvt	Grubangh, Virgil C	37696205			x
Pvt	Davis, Willard C	33886383		x	
Pvt	Alden, Orval R	37696396		x	
Pvt	Marker, John P	42135852	x		
Pvt	Davison, Wilfred L	31461235	x		
Sgt	Rosenthal, Henry F	12169368	x		
Pvt	Wojtowicz, Walter E	33278069	x		
1st Lt	Scanlon, John H	01295437	x		
Pfc	Wolfe, Warren G	33875669	x		
Pvt	Anderson, Leland D	36694878	x		

MPANY "B" 318TH INFANTRY (CON1)

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pfc	Baker, Richard N	35837643	x		
Pvt	Freitag, Robert L	34848109	x		
Sgt	Lindsay, Woodrow A	20639121	x		
S/Sgt	Lee, Albert L	36612831	x		
Pfc	Pigg, Robert L	34989807	x		
Pvt	Parker, Lige R	14070627	x		
Pfc	Turner, Jim	35681438		x	
T/Sgt	Meehan, James A	33321376		x	
Pvt	Laughlin, Wilbern J	38677063			x
Pfc	Matheson, LaMar W	39929699			x
Pvt	Flaherty, Patrick L	20102139			x
Pvt	Walton, Felix M	37733163			x
Pvt	Kidd, Gerald T	34950232			x
Pvt	Hanrigan, Martin J	31466993			x
Pvt	Hellmann, Karl J	33938101			x
Pvt	Harr, Harry T	33948666			x
Pvt	Lindeman, Arnold H	37485989			x
Pfc	Ray, Charles W	35653504			x
Pfc	Kirchner, Lloyd G	33937326			x
Pfc	Shephard, Harvey M	34990398			x
Sgt	Nicolay, Reuben A	39929396			x
S/Sgt	Dailey, George J	37472058			x
Pfc	Lavey, Joe S	39050751			x
Sgt	Lowrimore, Dewey M	34989089			x
Pfc	Schwartz, Alvin J	33937876			x
Sgt	McAlister, Joseph E	34311617			x
Pfc	Kope, William W	35836578			x
Pvt	Schablik, James M	34888425		x	
Pvt	Ball, Harley Jr Sr	37742414	x		
Pvt	Williams, Ash F	39858621	x		
Pvt	Miller, Greenlee L	33884578		x	
Pvt	Stupyra, Alex S	36977151		x	
Pvt	Holtz, Edward H Jr	37641338		x	
Pfc	Martin, Raymond E	37742862		x	
S/Sgt	Bacon, Dallas J	39342681	x		
Pfc	Kegerreis, Howard E	33887787	x		
Pvt	Vermuele, Lyle W	37694509	x		
1st Lt	Turnbull, Richard G	01316607	x		
Pvt	Greer, Glen S	33948454	x		
Pfc	Beauch, Howard W	36978364	x		
Pfc	Hule, Emmet F. A.	38506660	x		
Pfc	Wait, Robert C	42023182	x		
Sgt	Casson, Alvin A	36956723	x		
Pvt	Meadows, Sidney C	39584951	x		
Sgt	Patrick, Robert H	34989797	x		
Pvt	Miller, George C	39053435	x		
Pvt	Perry, Manuel M	31466520	x		
1st Lt	Morrison, John B	0516376	x		
Pfc	Bredbenner, Edgar E.N. Jr	42113625	x		
Pvt	Vollmer, Joseph L	35838893	x		
Tec 5	Warren, Charles E	35408669	x		

COMPANY "B" 318TH INFANTRY (CONT)

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pvt	Longmire, John E	38687846	x		
Pvt	Maddox, Luther A	34945961	x		
S/Sgt	Panterlis, Peter A	33699828	x		
Pvt	Martinez, Eloy J.	6953691	x		
Capt	McAlister, Reid W	0337074	x		
Pfc	Hales, Lloyd B	34466764	x		
Pvt	Larsen, Walter D	39053206	x		
Pvt	Gizzie, Carmen	31470517	x		
Pvt	Croyle, Raymond H Jr	35840836	x		
Pvt	Oliver, Clyde W	39053459	x		
Pvt	Hernandez, Don N	18008734	x		
1st Lt	Mitchell, Hal C	01298899	x		
2nd Lt	Penny, Forest L	0887680	x		
Pfc	Waters, Edsel G	34832809	x		
Pfc	Yelo, Joseph E	33349062	x		
Pvt	Jurgensen, Daniel R	39588429	x		
Pfc	Robinson, Thomas C	34989816	x		
Sgt	Monahan, James J	42079889	x		

COMPANY "C" 318TH INFANTRY

Pvt	Cooper, Hyman R. Jr.	38523986	x		
Pvt	Rosenwasser, Ralph W.	42131294	x		
Tec 5	Rushing, Charles H.	38503368	x		
Pvt	Zaske, Leonard R.	36977998	x		
2nd Lt	Glaberson, Sam	01320118	x		
Pvt	O'Neill, Thomas F.	42115834		x	
Sgt	Donovan, William Jr.	32391073		x	
Pvt	Schneider, Leo	42077478	x		
Pfc	Tyka, Louis	36532091	x		
Sgt	Anderson, Fonso	35636557			x
Capt	Grady, Joseph F. Jr.	01283244			x
S/Sgt	Trumper, Victor R.	36543815	x		
2nd Lt	Lockman, James E.	01062944	x		
T/Sgt	Jensen, Charles E. Jr	33561128	x		
Pvt	Weddington, Carl E.	35434784	x		
Sgt	Eisbrenner, James S.	36873839	x		
Pvt	Dries, Rolland E.	33937158	x		
Pvt	Senise, Anthony	42131624	x		
Pvt	Graham, John J.	12028426	x		
Pvt	Cain, Robert	35085498	x		
Pvt	Wilks, Delmer G.	39342910	x		
Pvt	DiPerri, Andrew J.	42057836	x		
Pfc	Hrasch, Edward J.	36956638	x		
Pvt	Perez, Ismael C.	38561574	x		
Pvt	Stewart, Owen M. Jr.	37745556	x		
Pvt	Massey, James F.	38688228	x		
Pvt	Brown, Joseph C.	31468531	x		
Pvt	McCarthy, Thomas P.	38687773	x		
Pvt	Kamrath, Vernell L.	37692546	x		
Pvt	Rosenboom, John H.	37692661	x		
Pvt	Griffith, Raymond D.	33937167	x		
Pvt	Turner, Homer L.	35593212	x		

COMPANY "C" 318TH INFANTRY (CONT'D)

<u>RANK</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ASN</u>	<u>WOUNDED</u>	<u>KIA</u>	<u>MIA</u>
Pvt	Tate, Donald D.	35838115	x		
Pvt	Martinez, Candelario	38677079	x		
Cpl	Lynch, Walter E.	38064360	x		
Pvt	Adkins, Basil E.	37074735	x		
Pvt	Bennett, LeRoy D.	33948743	x		
2nd Lt	Humphreys, William F.	01322553	x		
Pvt	Brower, Harold R.	42125658	x		
S/Sgt	Murphy, William J. Jr	37482390			x
Pfc	Davidson, Talmadge	34624985			x
Pvt	Schaeffer, Arthur F.	36955900	x		
Pvt	Rinke, Wallace O.	37592724	x		
S/Sgt	Cooper, Charles N.	35434576	x		
Pvt	Spelich, Thomas J.	20638609	x		
Pfc	Seyler, Harold J.	33278074	x		
Sgt	Quaglia, Floyd D.	39334085	x		
Pvt	Wognum, Erwin C.	36977780	x		
Pvt	Drew, Harry S.	31468209	x		
Pfc	Hewins, Ernest	33320625	x		
Pfc	Grooms, Lawrence W.	34885238	x		
Pfc	Cable, Donald W.	38347225	x		
Pvt	Catalano, Sam S.	36757021	x		
Pfc	Conner, James H.	33225811	x		
Pfc	Pullin, Karl H.	35434597	x		
Pfc	Luce, Agostino	32922356	x		
Pfc	Clement, John H.	34536840	x		
Pfc	Cruz, Joe G.	39860159	x		
Pvt	Smith, Raymond R.	35089699	x		
Pfc	Gray, Joseph F.	33441320	x		
Pvt	Wojnaroski, Leo F.	36977801	x		
Pvt	Topp, Anthony B.	36978510	x		
Pvt	McGraw, Charlie D.	38687922	x		
Pvt	Warchol, Charles S.	36984628	x		
Pvt	Saario, Sulo T.	39471588	x		
1st Lt	Santner, John C.	01320010	x		
Pvt	Wisner, Emil J.	39051556	x		
Pvt	Reynolds, Harry L.	34987346	x		
Pvt	McCann, Thomas H.	36785279	x		
Pvt	Wenzel, Vernor E.	36978368	x		
Pvt	Rutter, Gordon P.	16123486	x		
Pvt	King, Francis M.	6859788	x		
Sgt	Shaw, Robert L.	35698663	x		
2nd Lt	Florea, Roy A.	01324013	x		
S/Sgt	Carpellotti, Anthony D.	33439989	x		
Sgt	Fischer, William W.	36420539	x		
Pvt	Pierson, Burk	35077576	x		
Pfc	Rusin, Frank J.	36745841	x		
Pvt	Running, Arthur C.	37695109	x		
Sgt	Nestel, Martin J.	33784971	x		
2nd Lt	Dean, Clarence J. Jr.	01061359	x		
Sgt	Jackson, Conard L.	34282412	x		
Pvt	Flannigan, Charles F.	36975959	x		
Pvt	Moore, Thurman S.	35902036			