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Journal

Organization 46th Medical Battalion Armored APO 254, US Army.

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From: 1 January 1945
 To :31 January 1945
 Place: Belgium. Luxembourg

Time		Serial Number	Time Dated	Incidents, messages, orders, etc.,	Action taken
In	Out				
1	Jan	45		Visit to Forward Echelon for information regarding the tactical situation. B/46 notified that they will be paid, at 020930. Hq, Hq Co and C/46 paid. All locations unchanged.	
2	Jan	45		Visit to Forward Echelon for information regarding the tactical situation. A/46 and B/46 paid. CO B/46 met with Bn CO at 1300. All locations unchanged.	
3	Jan	45		Message received from G-4 that the use of "QRU" will cease. Passwords and replies for next two days received. Visit to Forward Echelon for information regarding the tactical situation. Five C/46 ambulances which were with Lt Pollak in support of Reserve Command, were returned to this Headquarters.	
4	Jan	45		Capt Averill returned to this Headquarters from TD with 704th Tk Destroyer. Ambulance relay at Arlon discontinued. New Corps Ambulance Company sent to evacuate the Clearing Stations. Disposition as follows, B/46 8 Amb-A/46 7 Amb-C/46 5 Amb. Lt Pollak and remaining ambulances in support moved to Coordinates 565390 (Martelange). All other locations unchanged.	
5	Jan	45		Lt Pollak and ambulances returned to C/46. No change in other locations.	
6	Jan	45		9 Army Ambulances joined making a total of 18. Breakdown is as follows, B/46 4-C/46 9- A/46 5. Visit to Fwd Ech for information.	

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7	Jan	45		3 Army Ambulances sent to A/46 making a total of eight. Shower point located for use of the Battalion. All locations unchanged.	
8	Jan	45		Visit to Forward Echelon for information regarding the tactical situation. All locations unchanged.	
9	Jan	45		New Troop List received. Call to Group for ten (10) additional Army Ambulances to support the Division in the forthcoming action.	
10	Jan	45		Reconnaissance made for new area in vicinity of Fauvillers. Division committed and visit made to Fwd Ech at Assenois for information regarding tactical situation. Trains billeting party left Tns Hq at 1915 and moved to Luxembourg.	
11	Jan	45		Reconnaissance of area southeast of Luxembourg. No suitable area found for Hq and C/46. Combat elements moved to new locations. Hq/46 notified via phone not to move. All radios closed.	
12	Jan	45		Area found in Dudelange. Div Tns minus 46th moved to area Hettange La Grande, Oeutrange and Volmerange. Locations of companies unknown.	
13	Jan	45		Hq and C/46 moved to Dudelange by infiltration and closed by 1230. Reconnaissance party sent out to reconnoiter Oberkorn, Differdange and Niederkorn. Area located but occupied. Trains Commander notified Companies' locations as follows A/46-Dasse-Rentgen, B/46 Peppange Hq & C/46 Dudelange.	

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14	Jan	45		hq and C/46 settled in Dudelange. All Radio nets closed. All locations unchanged.	
15	Jan	45		A/46 now located in Roussy-Le-Bourg. Other locations unchanged. Arrangements made for BN Maint to be set up in a Garage in the northern part of town.	
16	Jan	45		No Change.	
17	Jan	45		Unit Commanders' meeting with CG at 1400. visit to Civil Affairs in Arlon to obtain requisition for billets in Machy.	
18	Jan	45		No Change.	
19	Jan	45		visit to Corps Surgeon. A/46 moved to Zoufftgen.	
20	Jan	45		75 mm projectile fell in C/46 area at 1000. It was reported to G-2 and G-3 and removed by 305 Ord Co. The defense plan for Dudelange in case of an Airborne attack was drawn up by HQ 4 AD. Included this unit.	
21	Jan	45		This hq notified all vehicles except ambulances and surgical bodies will be given the snow camouflage painting.	
22	Jan	45		No Change.	
23	Jan	45		No Change.	
24	Jan	45		Billeting party from Trains sent to reconnoiter area north of Luxembourg. Tentative areas selected B/46 moved to Altinster 905259.	
25	Jan	45		B/46 moved to Lintgen. Other locations unchanged. A/46 at	

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26	Jan	45		Zoufftgen, Hq and C/46 at Dudelange. Unit Commanders meeting with Trains Commander at 1000. Check made of area north of Luxembourg.	
27	Jan	45		Forms for requisitioning of billets received and filled out.	
28	Jan	45		Meeting at Trains at 1000 for billeting Officers.	
29	Jan	45		Requisition made out for the Public School in Outry and signed by the Mayor. D/46 moved to Schrondweiler	
30	Jan	45		Requisitions for all billets in Dudelange made out and signed by Mr Schmidt, City Engineer of Dudelange.	
31	Jan	45		Locations of Battalion as follows: Hq and C Company-Dudelange, A Company-Zoufftgen, B Company-Schrondweiler.	