
COMPANY
MORNING REPORTS

(See AR 345-400)

OF

COMPANY "A"

(Company or equivalent)

317th INF

(Regiment and branch)

FOR THE MONTH OF

MARCH, 1943

INSTRUCTIONS

This form will be used by companies, troops, batteries, and detachments of all branches, and by all other units, establishments and institutions similar in organization and administration to a company, including headquarters companies and troops of divisions and higher tactical units. Headquarters companies of brigades, regiments, and battalions will, as a rule, use Headquarters Morning Reports (W. D., A. G. O. Form No. 2) on which will be entered personnel pertaining to the headquarters as well as to the company.

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MEN MESSING WITH ORGANIZATION

DATE	Daily Average Strength for Rations	No. Men Messing with Organization	+ or - Correction for Percentage	Net No. Rations Due Organization
1	173	173		173
2	173	173		173
3	170	170		170
4	170	170		170
5	169	169		169
6	164	164		164
7	164	164		164
8	164	164		164
9	163	163		163
10	158	158		158
11	169	169		169
12	185	185		185
13	183	183		183
14	185	185		185
15	180	180		180
16	170	170		170
17	165	165		165
18	161	161		161
19	164	164		164
20	164	164		164
21	165	165		165
22	165	165		165
23	174	174		174
24	193	193		193
25	191	191		191
26	196	196		196
27	197	197		197
28	198	198		198
29	184	184		184
30	174	174		174
31	195	195		195

TOTAL RATIONS DUE ORGANIZATION: _____

OFFICERS

ENLISTED MEN, INCLUDING SPECIALISTS

Day of month	Present						For Duty										Absent					Attached			Specialists Present and Absent												
	For Duty		At-tached				1st Sergeants	Technical Sergeants	Staff Sergeants	Sergeants	Corporals	Privates, 1st Class	Privates	Recruits	Total for duty	On special duty	Sick in hospital	Sick in quarters	In arrest	In confinement	Total present	Detached services	Sick	Without leave	In arrest or confinement	Missing in action	Total absent	Total present and absent	Present	Absent	For rations only	1st class	2d class	3d class	4th class	5th class	6th class
	Captains and Field Of.	1st Lieutenants	2d Lieutenants	Special duty	Sick	Absent																															
	Present	Present	Absent																																		
1	2	3	2			3		9	1/2	44	101		170	5	9					184							3			1						185	
2	2	3	2			3		9	1/2	44	101		170	5	9					174							3			1						185	
3	2	2	2		1	4		9	1/2	44	97		167	5	11					193																	185
4	2	2	2			4		9	1/2	44	97		167	5	10					182							3			3						195	
5	2	3	2			4		9	1/2	44	96		166	5	11					182							3			3						185	
6	2	3	2			4		9	1/2	44	92		161	5	13					179							3			6						195	
7	2	3	2			4		9	1/2	44	92		161	5	12					178							3			5						195	
8	2	3	2			5		9	1/2	44	93		162	5	12					179							3			6						195	
9	2	3	2			5		8	1/2	44	92		161	5	13					179							3			6						185	
10	2	3	2			5		9	1/2	44	92		160	5	14					179							3			6						185	

Day of month

REMARKS

- 1 PVT HOPKINS FR DUTY TO HOSP 0930hr *SPK*
- 2 PFC CRITES FR DUTY TO HOSP 0930hr PFC SIMSON FR HOSP TO DUTY *0930hr SPK*
- 3 S/SGT SMITH FR HOSP TO DUTY 0900hr PAT NELSON FR DUTY TO HOSP 0930hr PET HOLLOWAY FR DUTY TO A.W.O.F. 0610hr 1st LT UNGER FR DUTY TO IRRF IN CR TO 1st BN 4th 31st INF MS OF THE 2ND PER S.O. NO 32 HQ 317th INF DATED MARCH 2ND 1st LT MORGAN ASST TO AND 5th CO PAR DUTY AS OF THE 2ND PER S.O. NO 32 HQ 317th INF DATED MARCH 2ND 2ND LT MORGAN ASST TO FR TO D.S. RT VERTS FIELD NASHVILLE TENN. PER S.O. NO 50 HQ 90 INF DIV DATED MARCH 2ND 2ND LT MORGAN ASST TO SPARKS, HAYES FR DUTY TO HOSP 1900hr *Blum*
- 4 PVT HUDSON FR HOSP TO DUTY 0930hr PVT MANNING FR DUTY TO HOSP 0930hr *Blum*
- 5 PVT HALTEMAN FR DUTY TO HOSP 0930hr 2ND LT MCGEE FR D.S. BERRY FIELD NASHVILLE TENN TO DUTY *Blum*
- 6 CPL CHANDLER AND PVT HEUN FR DUTY TO HOSP 0930hr PVT MILLER, NEWSOME, KLOFFER FR DUTY TO A.W.O.F. 0430hr *Blum*

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month

REMARKS

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Pvt. DUFFS II Fr. Hosp to duty 0930 hr. Put On Rite Fr. Duty 10 Feb 1400 hr. Release.

8

Pvt. HOLLOWAY Fr. A.M. to duty 10th set HANNEGON RPID. S/SET PER S.O. No. 43. No. 317th INF. DATED
M. RR 56 8 1943 Release.

9

Pvt. BLAIR Fr. duty to hosp 1330 hr. Return

10

CPL WEBER Fr. duty to hosp 0930 Return
MEM on guard of one meal at Post Stockade Return.

11

Pvt. MAKI Fr. duty to DISCHARGED as of 14th 10th PER AND IND. LTR. 80th INF. DIV. DATED Feb 13 1943 1400
24 EM Fr. 10th BMS Co. 317th INF. ATCHD To Co. For BAT. ONLY 1700 hr. PER RIVERA AND PVT BROOKS (BACS)
RELIEVED Fr. ATCHD BAT 0900 hr. SPC SANDERS Fr. Hosp to duty 0900 hr. S/SET SMITH RPID. 10th SET PER S.O.
No. 46 No. 317th INF. DATED March 11 1943 Release.

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Day of
month

REMARKS

- 12 PVT HOPKINS FR HOSP TO DUTY 0900HR PVT KIRKOFF B. L. AWOL TO ABSENT CONF PIERMONT ARSENAL
N.S. AS OF THE 11th 11/11/44
- 13 PVT LOWRY FR HOSP TO DUTY 0900HR PVT EDWARDS, CASSIDY FR DUTY TO AWOL THIS MO PVT MAYNE FR AWOL
TO DUTY 0800HR SET BOOK FR MILKERS BMT TO HOSP 0305 PM 12th PVT BASA FR Hk CONF TO CONF 311th INF BUNN
- 14 PVT HAYES FR HOSP TO DUTY 0930HR PVT JOYCE FR DUTY TO FR 0945 HR BUNN
- 15 REMARK OF P4TH RELATIVE TO PVT JOYCE IS AMENDED TO READ PVT JOYCE FR
DUTY TO FURL 0945 HR THIS DATE. PVT EDWARDS FR AWOL TO DUTY 0615 HR
PVT CASSIDY FR AWOL TO DUTY 0830 HR. 24 EM RECD FR ATGAR FOR RATIONS
1230HR. PVT DE RITO FR FURL TO DUTY 2300HR BUNN.
- 16 No CHANGE S OFFICERS ATCHO FOR RATIONS 0600HR. BUNN.
- 17 PVT MILLER, NEWSONE F. AWOL TO DUTY 1100PTC DONOVAN FR DUTY TO IN ROUTE
AFFR. PVT WILKINSON ~~1100HR~~ BUNN.

Day of month

REMARKS

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CPL WEBERER HOSP TO DUTY 9:00 AM Test 5th ROBERTS FR 5:30 PM INF HQ CO To DS Fr BEMRING CA
PER S.D. NASH DAIED MARCH 4 1943 80th DIV PVT EDWARDS TO DUTY TO AWOL 0415hrs Pula. JAWET
DEVIL FR DUTY TO DISCHARGE & PAR 2ND IND HTR 9:00 AM INF DIV NALS.P. FR 12 1943 215th

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PVT BRSH FR CONF 31st INF To CONF HOSP Kellum

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PFC BLACKBURN Fr HOSP To duty 8:00 AM 55th BOYDER DUTY To HOSP Hooks Kellum

107

Pvt SPARKS Fr HOSP To duty Kellum

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No CHANGES Kellum

107

Pvt KIEFFER Fr ABSENCE CONF 21st PISHINNY ARSENAL To CONF 31st INF 1000 hrs 29 man attached FOR R.H. FR 1st BV

11

HR 60 1700hr Kellum

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	Present				At-tached		For Duty						Absent						Attached		1st class	2d class	3d class	4th class	5th class	6th class												
	For Duty	1st Lieutenants	2d Lieutenants	Special duty	Sick	Absent	Present	Absent	Master Sergeants	1st Sergeants	Technical Sergeants	Staff Sergeants	Sergeants	Corporals	Privates, 1st Class	Privates	Recruits	Total for duty	On special duty	Sick in hospital							Sick in quarters	In arrest	In confinement	Total present	Detached services	Sick	With leave	Without leave	In arrest or confinement	Missing in action	Total absent	Total present and absent
21	2	3	2	2				1	3	8	2	4	45	95		165	4	8						1	178	1	1	1	1	1	4	192						
22	2	3	2	2				1	3	8	2	4	45	95		165	4	8					2	179	1	1	1	1	1	3	182							
23	2	3	2	2				1	3	8	2	4	45	95		165	4	8					2	179	1	1	1	1	1	2	182			29				
24	2	3	2	2				1	3	8	2	4	45	84		164	4	6					2	180	1	1	1	1	1	2	182			30				
25	2	3	2	2				1	3	10	2	4	45	93		165	4	6					2	180	1	1	1	1	1	2	182			30				
26	2	3	2	2				1	3	10	2	4	45	93		165	4	6					2	180	1	1	1	1	1	2	182			30				
27	2	3	2	2				1	3	10	2	4	45	94		166	4	5					2	180	1	1	1	1	1	2	183			30				
28	2	3	2	2				1	3	10	2	4	45	95		167	4	5					2	180	1	1	1	1	1	2	183			30				
29	2	3	2	2				1	3	10	2	4	45	75		162	4	7					2	180	1	1	1	1	1	2	182			30				
30	2	3	2	2				1	3	10	2	4	45	94		165	4	8					2	179	1	1	1	1	1	2	181			29				
31	2	3	2	2				1	3	10	2	4	45	95		166	4	8					2	179	1	1	1	1	1	2	181			29				

Day of month

REMARKS

23

29 MEN ATTACHED FOR RAT ONLY FR 1ST BR HE Co 317th INF *Illness*

24

PUT CULLER IN DUTY TO HOSP PUT HOPKINS IN DUTY TO HOSP PFC CRITES IN HOSP IN DUTY PUT JONES IN HOSP IN DUTY SO RANK 1st BN MC Co IN HOSP IN ATTACHED FOR RAT PFC NEAL IN DUTY TO S-D C + B School CAMP FORREST TENN PER S-O No 58 HE 80th INF DIV DATED MARCH 13 1943 PER THE 18TH 13⁰⁰HR PUT KIEFFER FR CONF 317th INF TO CONF 317th INF 0830HR *Illness*

25

REMARKS OF THE 22ND PERMANENT 29 MEN ATTACHED FOR RAT. RECORDED PFC DONOVAN FROM IN HOSP IN DUTY PER THE 22ND PFC DONOVAN ~~ERRONEOUSLY~~ CARRIED AS ABSENT CONF FR THE 13TH TO THE 19TH 22ND PUT BR HERRINGTON CARRIED AS ABSENT CONF FR THE 13TH TO THE 19TH 22ND PUT MCCABY FR S-D TO DUTY UNDER DUTY FR S-D TO TRANSFER ~~PERMANENT~~ FR S-D WASHINGTON DC PER S-O No 77 W.D. AGO UNITED MARCH 18 1943 SET YOU IN SEC FR S-D VMPHS SCHOOL WYNSHAWERS TENN IN DUTY SGT HANSON ASSIGNED AND SO GO PER S-O No 53 HE 211th INF DATED MARCH 25 1943 1400HR PUT KEATINGE IN DUTY TO TRANSFER IN GRADU TO 801st DIV MP Co AS of the 24th PER S-O No 64th 901st INF DIV DATED MARCH 26 1943 *Illness*

26

PUT MILLER IN DUTY TO HOSP PER S-O No 100 PUT NELSON IN HOSP IN DUTY *Illness*

Day of
month

REMARKS

27

Pvt HAIEMAN FR HOSP to duty 0930 hr Return.

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Pvt HEVN FR HOSP to duty 0900 hr Return.

29

12 EM ATCHD TO SERV Co FOR RATIONS 0900 hr. 30 EM FR 1st AN MRCG
RELD FR ATCHD FOR RATIONS 1300 hr. 6 OFF ATCHD FOR RATIONS
0900 Return.

30

CPL SUMSKIS FR DUTY TO IRFD IN THE CARES OF PVT (GR SEVEN) TO THE ARMY SPEC 18/138D
TRAINING UNIT No 3202 PRINCE TON UNIVERSITY PRINCE TON N.J PER S.O No 74 HQ 4th SERVICEM
DATED MARCH 27, 1943. 12 EM FR ATCHD TO SERV Co REID TO Co FOR RATIONS 28 EM FR 1st DN HE Co
ATCHD FOR RATIONS ONLY PFC MURFIT FR C + B SCHOOL ATCHD FOR RATIONS. PVT CUMBRIDGE FR DUTY TO HOSP
AS OF THE 15th PVT CUMBRIDGE ERRONEOUSLY CARRIED FOR RATIONS 15th TO THE 29th 6 OFF REID FR ATCHD FOR
RATIONS 1700 hr Return.

31

Pvt Culler FR HOSP to duty 0930 hr Return.

STATION AND RECORD OF EVENTS

Day of month

- 1 0800 To 1100 CARE & CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT 1100 To 1130 ORDANCE INSPECTION OF ALL WEAPONS 1300 To 1600 ALL OFFICERS AND NCO's OF THE FIRST 3903 ATO CRITIQUE BY GEN WARRLEN OF THE PREVIOUS TWO DAYS PROBLEM REMAINDER OF CO BROKE CAMP AND MOVED OUT IN ROUTE I. CAMP FORREST TENN
- 2 ARRIVED AT CAMP FORREST TENN 0200 RESIDED UNTIL 0830 CARE & CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT UNTIL 1630
- 3
- 30 USUAL CAMP DUTIES CAMP FORREST TENN
- 4 2 BN PROFICIENCY TEST WITH BN IN ATTACK TO 1400 - 1400 To 1600 PREPARING RIFLE INSPECTION 1600 To
- 6 1630 RIFLE INSPECTION
- 5 0645 To 1230 CO ACTED AS ENEMY FOR 2ND BN PROFICIENCY TEST 1330 To 1630 CARE & CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT

STATION AND RECORD OF EVENTS

Day of month

7 0730 To 0930 PREPARING FOR INSPECTION 830 To 1130 WHITE ALERT 1300 To 1600 SHOW DEPT INSPECTION ON ALL EQUIPMENT

8 USUAL CAMP DUTIES CAMP FORREST TENN.

9 0700 To 1600 PLT. PROFICIENCY TEST COMBAT FIRING

10 USUAL CAMP DUTIES CAMP FORREST TENN

11 Co Was on Post Guard

12 0700 To 1130 BN PROBLEM BAIN WITH DRAWEL

13 USUAL CAMP DUTIES CAMP FORREST TENN To 1200 1300 To 1630 Moved Co

14 0730 To 0930 PREPARING FOR INSPECTION 830 To 1100 blue ALERT 1245 To 1630 PHYSICAL TRAINING

STATION AND RECORD OF EVENTS

14 USUAL CAMP ROUTES CAMP FORREST TENN

15 0730 to 1100 USUAL CAMP ROUTES CAMP FORREST TENN 1230 MOVED IN TRUCKS IN ROUTE TO SEMENT RANGE FOR B's Proficiency Test in combat firing, arrived at range 1330 taking up approach march moved to Defense Area 1600 dug in & remained until 2000, Eat & moved to bivouac area spent night there.

16 0730 to 0930 B's combat firing. Bivouac in attack, 0930-1030 listen to change of problem. 1030 to 1230 moved to camp in trucks, 1430 moved in trucks to Artillery range. Arrived at 1700 pitched camp & spent night.

17 0800 0900 moved to demonstration area 0900 to 1230 witnessed demonstration of Air Force & Artillery in column attack 1330 to 1730, Marched into camp.

18 0730 to 1530 Prepared for Gt. 317 problem, 1530 left Camp Forest by Trucks to Maneuver Area, Arrived at 2200. Ate Show & spent the night there.

19 Left bivouac area at 0600 in approach march, contacted enemy 1100 deployed & held position until 1830

STATION AND RECORD OF EVENTS

Day of month

- 20 Marched into new bivouac area, Arrived at 2200, Ate Short Spent Night There.
Left bivouac area approach march to contact enemy at 530 problems ended at 1130, Marched to New bivouac area, Pitched camp for remainder of day
- 21 0800 to 1500 Cars & Sleds of equipment 0930 to 1330 All officers went to Grigsby at Lynchburg Tenn 1500 Problems became Tactically broke camp Moved into concealed bivouac remained until following morning
- 22 0730 Moved out in trucks to new position Taking up defense position held until following morning
- 23 Remained in defense position until 1200. Problems ended Moved in trucks at 1600 to Camp Forrest.
- 24-29 USUAL CAMP DUTIES CAMP FORREST TENN
- 29 0900 Moved out in Bobs. March on problem to ADV. Guard Rechecks Bivouacs at 1600. Ate CASH SPENT NIGHT
- 30 0600 ON IN THE ATTACK REORGANIZED 1100 Ate CASH MOVED IN ROUTE TO CAMP FORREST TENN. ARRIVED AT 1300

MODEL
STATION AND RECORD OF EVENTS

1-10	Galveston, Tex.	Usual camp duties.
11-14	Galveston, Tex.	Usual camp duties.
15	La Marque, Tex.	Left Galveston 7.06 a. m. en route to Houston on practice march; arrived at La Marque 1.30 p. m.; distance marched, 13 miles.
16	Hulen Park, Tex.	Left La Marque 8.30 a. m.; arrived at Hulen Park 10.06 a. m.; distance marched, 6 1/4 miles.
17	Webster, Tex.	Left Hulen Park 8.24 a. m.; arrived at Webster 12.10 p. m.; distance marched, 9 miles.
18	Dumont, Tex.	Left Webster 7.17 a. m.; arrived at Dumont 12.06 p. m.; distance marched, 13 1/4 miles.
19	Magnolia Park, Houston, Tex.	Left Dumont 8.03 a. m.; arrived at Magnolia Park, Houston, 11.40 a. m.; distance marched, 9 miles.
20	Galveston, Tex.	Left Magnolia Park 6.00 a. m.; arrived railroad station, Houston, by marching 4 miles. Entrained and left Houston at 12.06 p. m.; arrived at Galveston 2.15 p. m.; distance traveled by rail, 48 miles.
21-23	Galveston, Tex.	Usual camp duties.
24		At sea on U. S. A. T. Kilpatrick. Embarked 11.30 a. m.; sailed for Vera Cruz, Mex., 5.30 p. m.
25-27		On U. S. A. T. Kilpatrick en route to Vera Cruz, Mex.
28		On board U. S. A. T. Kilpatrick at Vera Cruz, Mex. Arrived at Vera Cruz at 7.30 a. m. Total distance traveled by water, 928 miles.
29-31	Vera Cruz, Mex.	Disembarked at Vera Cruz 8.00 a. m. 29th; taking station there and performing usual camp duties, provost guard duty in city, and outpost duty south of city.