Co. A
187th Engineer C. Bn.

Oct. 15, 1943 - Sept. 8, 1945

Ardennes  Rhineland  Central Europe
FINIS

After nearly two years of training, work, combat and more work, Co. A is going the way of all flesh. We have sent a number of high pointers home, and on September 8th most of the men will be transferred to other units. Sixty point men and higher are slated to go home in a very short time. The remainder of us must sweat out our time.

On behalf of all the officers of Co. A, past and present, I wish to thank all of you for the fine job that you have done, and the cooperation which you have given us, without which Able would never have achieved the successes for which Co. A can justly be proud.

So, good luck to all of you, and we'll see you at the convention.

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October 15, 1943  Activated at Camp White, Oregon.
March 7, 1944   Moved to Camp Howze, Texas.
April 18, 1944  Co left Camp Howze, Texas by rail enroute to Elkins, West Virginia.
April 21, 1944  Co arrived Elkins, West Virginia at 1330 hours.
April 22, 1944  Co arrived W. Va. M. A.
May 15, 1944   Lt Comstock relieved of command and transferred to H & S Co. Capt Gilligan assigned as company commander.
July 9, 1944    Arrived Camp Pickett, Va by motor convoy at 1530. Greeted by cloudburst. Distance traveled 94 miles.
July 30, 1944   Co left Camp Pickett, Va by motor convoy 0715 enroute to A P Hill, Va. Arrived at 1340 hours. Distance traveled 120 miles.
August 5, 1944  Co left A P Hill, Va by motor convoy 0615 hours enroute to Camp Pickett, Va. Arrived at 1100. Distance traveled 120 miles.
August 13, 1944 Co left Camp Pickett, Va 1445 by motor convoy enroute to Staunton River State Park. Arrived destination at 1800 hours. Distance 78 miles.
August 18, 1944 Co left Staunton River State Park enroute to Camp Pickett by motor convoy 1300 hours. Arrived destination at 1600 hours. Distance traveled 78 miles.
September 6, 1944 Captain Jack A Witt assumes command of Co.
October 11, 1944 Co left Camp Pickett, Va at 1815 hours by rail for permanent change of station.
October 12, 1944 Co arrived at Fort Slocum, N. Y. by rail from Camp Pickett at 0800.
October 20, 1944 Co left Fort Slocum, N. Y. at 0730 for overseas destination by water.
October 22, 1944 Ship sails from N. Y.
November 2, 1944 Co arrived at ETO at 1200 hours. Landed at Southampton, England. Boarded train enroute to destination.
November 3, 1944  Co arrived 0400 at Cuddington, 1 mile NW of VK by rail.
November 4, 1944  Co left Cuddington, England enroute to Dalton-in-Furness to prepare camp to quarter troops.
November 13, 1944  Co left Dalton-in-Furness enroute for Cuddington by rail.
November 14, 1944  Co left Cuddington enroute to Stockport, England to prepare billets for troops.
November 19, 1944  Co returns to Cuddington by motor convoy.
December 19, 1944  Co departed for marshalling area 0500 hours by motor convoy. Arrived at area 2300 hours.
December 26, 1944  Two officers and 55 EM departed UK Base by ship for new overseas destination.
December 27, 1944  Remainder of Co left UK Base for new overseas destination.
December 29, 1944  Second section of Co landed at Le Havre, France at about 0800 hours. Foot March to bivouac outside of Harfleur, France. Bivouac at this site the 29 and 30.
December 31, 1944  Two officers and 55 EM set up bivouac near Fry, France. Second section of 2 officers and 97 EM joined at bivouac site at 2200. HAPPY NEW YEAR!
January 6, 1945  Co left bivouac site by motor convoy at 0700 enroute to new location. Arrived at location Longuyon (Maginot Line) at 2330 hours. Distance traveled 233 miles.
January 11, 1945  Co left Maginot Line by motor convoy at 0710 hours. Arrived at Bouzonville, Lorraine, France at 1330 hours. Distance traveled 59 miles.
January 22, 1945  Co departed from Bouzonville for new location because the town had been shelled by enemy. Arrived at Holling, Lorraine, France at 0715. Distance traveled 3 miles.
February 6, 1945  Co left Holling by motor convoy for new destination at 0530.
February 7, 1945  Co arrived at destination, Echt, Holland at 0230 hours. Distance traveled 220 miles.
March 3, 1945  Co left Echt, Holland at 0930 for new destination. Arrived at Lobberich, Germany 1600 hours. Traveled approx. 40 miles by motor convoy.
March 9, 1945  Co left Lobberich, Germany at 1715 by motor convoy for new destination. Arrived at Roosteren, Holland at 1830. Distance 45 miles.
March 20, 1945  Co left Roosteren, Holland at 1400 for new destination. Arrived at Neukirchertfeld, Germany at 1700.
March 24, 1945  The Crossing of the Rhine at 0200 at Drieben, Germany. Transported Infantry and equipment to east bank of the river. Transported Bailey rafts to ferrying site and ferried across the river. One officer wounded, 2 EM killed and 12 EM wounded in enemy engagement.
March 28, 1945  Co left Neukircherfeld, Germany at 0900 by motor convoy for new destination. Crossed the Rhine river and arrived at Dinslaken, Germany at 1000 hours. Distance 20 miles.

April 6, 1945  Co left Dinslaken, Germany at 0800 by motor convoy for new location. Arrived at Bottrop, Germany 0930 hours. Distance 11 miles.

April 7, 1945  Co supported Infantry in assault crossing of the Emcher Canal in Karn ap, Germany. Co then constructed Bailey Bridge across canal for supporting waves to follow. One officer and two EM wounded in action.

April 9, 1945  Co built heavy treadway bridge across Rhein-Herne Canal in Karn ap, Germany.

April 15, 1945  Co left Bottrop, Germany at 1200 hours for new destination by motor convoy. Arrived Ascheberg, Germany at 1430. Distance 50 miles.

April 28, 1945  Co left Ascheberg, Germany at 0730 by motor convoy for new location. Arrived at Hansen 1630 hours. Distance 200 miles.

April 29, 1945  Part of Co assisted 307 Eng'ts in assault crossing of the Elbe river, in the vicinity of Bleckede, Germany. Enemy action encountered but no men were killed or wounded in action.

May 2, 1945  Co left Hansen, Germany at 0530 by motor convoy for new location. Arrived at Bahlendorf, Germany at 1000 hours. Distance 40 miles.

May 3, 1945  Co left Bahlendorf, Germany at 0800 hours for new location. Arrived at Hagenow, Germany at 0945. Distance 30 miles.

May 12, 1945  Co left Hagenow at 0800 for new location. Arrived at Bönningen, Harz, Germany at 1700. Distance 150 miles.

June 7, 1945  Co left Bönningen at 0930 by motor convoy for new location. Arrived at Braunschweig (Brunswick) Germany at 1100 hours. Distance 40 miles.

June 19, 1945  Co left Brunswick at 1945 hours for new location. Arrived at Dessau, Germany at 2345. Distance 150 miles.

June 24, 1945  Co left Dessau at 0500 hours for new location. Set up bivouac for overnight 10 miles SW of Gotha on autobahn. Distance 152 miles.

June 25, 1945  Co left bivouac area and returned to Dessau. Distance 152 miles.

July 3, 1945  Co left Dessau at 0600 for new location. Arrived Alsbach, near Bensheim, Germany at 2130 hours. Distance 320 miles.

July 14, 1945  Co left Alsbach at 1300 for new location. Arrived at Viernheim, near Mannheim, Germany at 1415 hours. Distance 18 miles.

August 1, 1945  Captain Jack A Witt left the Co enroute to the CBI. Lt. Bobofia assumes command.
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