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HEADQUARTERS
 540TH ENGINEER REGIMENT
 OFFICE OF THE PERSONNEL OFFICER
 A.P.O. # 756

ACTIVITY JOURNAL

AUGUST 1944

Aug. 1 - 5, 1944

QUALIANO, ITALY. Usual regimental personnel section duties, personnel correspondence and processing daily morning reports and daily ration strength. Processed PTAs. Prepared Field Order on proposed movement for S-3. Prepared 201 File and Allied papers for Captain MYRON N. KING, transferred to the 70th General Hospital, per S/O #137, par 16, dated 31 July 1944, Hqs Seventh Army.

Aug. 6 - 10, 1944

QUALIANO, ITALY. Usual regimental personnel section duties, personnel correspondence and processing daily morning reports and daily ration strength for Regiment and attached units. Prepared partial payroll, obtained signatures, and presented to Finance Office for payment, for 3 EM from CBS. Prepared S/R's and allied papers on 25 hospitalized personnel being transferred to Detachment of Patients of various hospitals. Collected money from regiment and attached units for exchange for currency of coming operation. Prepared S/R's and allied papers of Pvt 1st JACK SCHAFER, Medical Detachment being transferred to 9th Evacuation Hospital, per S/O # 142 Hqs Seventh Army, dated 5 August 1944. Last of forward echelon left for staging area. Personnel Section and balance of rear echelon packed and ready for movement to new area.

Aug. 11 - 25, 1944

POZZUOLI, ITALY. Usual regimental personnel section duties, personnel correspondence and processing daily morning reports and daily ration strength for Regiment and attached units. EM's payroll for month of August prepared and signatures obtained from rear echelon personnel. Prepared 201 files and allied papers of Lt. Plummer and Sr. Whites transferred to Detachment of Patients. Assigned Major Carl A. Looney to S-3. Prepared passenger list for D-10 convoy. Personnel for the D-10 convoy left for the staging area on the 18th. Reassigned various EM returning from hospitals including Mr. Whites. Received Rotation replacements for 2 Officers and 3 1st Sergeants. Plans being changed, Personnel Section was added to passenger list of D-10 convoy, and boarded ship on the 21st and left the port of Misada on the 22nd. the convoy was at sea until the 25th when it came into the Port of St. Raphael, France, and unloaded on the 26th.

Aug. 26 - 31, 1944

ST. RAPHAEL, FRANCE. Personnel Section all set up and ready for operation at the Port CP. Usual regimental personnel section duties, personnel correspondence and processing daily morning and G-1 reports and daily ration strength. Processed casualty reports. Obtained balance of signatures for payrolls, prepared Officer's pay vouchers and obtained signatures, and submitted payrolls and vouchers to Finance Office. Captain CLIFFORD appointed Class "A" agent to Captain J.A. BELL ANGELO, PD, Seventh Army Finance Disbursing Section. Exchanged money for Regiment and attached units.

2 Incls.

- ANNEX #1 Casualty Statement
 ANNEX #2 Assigned Present and Absent
 Strength and Changes during
 August 1944.

T.F. Clifford
 T.F. CLIFFORD
 Captain, C.E.,
 Ass't. Adj. (Pers)

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ANNEX NO. 1

CASUALTY REPORT - MONTH OF AUGUST 1944

<u>Name, Grade and ASN</u>	<u>NO.</u>	<u>DATE OF CASUALTY</u>
DIED OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION (DOW)		
1. Pvt LAWSON, William O.	38402141 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
2. Pvt DE MARG, Lou P.	36507077 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
3. Pvt KRIEDEL, Bernard (NMI)	42017513 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
KILLED IN ACTION (KIA)		
1. Pvt 1cl HUGHES, Aubrey F.	35507909 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
2. Pvt KRANZ, Edward H.	33408038 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
3. Sgt BOURGEOIS, Joseph P.	14016954 Co. "E"	25 Aug. 1944
4. Pvt STECHER, Robert A.	32278321 Co. "D"	15 Aug. 1944
SERIOUSLY WOUNDED IN ACTION (SWA)		
1. Pvt KRIEDEL, Bernard (NMI)	42017513 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
2. Pvt POMEROY, Edward E.	36003817 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
3. Pvt RICHMAN, JULES	32813077 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
4. Pvt BRANCH, Walter D.	33046652 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
5. Pvt 1cl LOY, Ivan D.	35691540 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
6. Pvt LAWSON, William O.	38402141 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
7. Pvt SHELSON, Johnny W.	13066084 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
8. Pvt 1cl POLKO, Charles P.	20600810 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
9. Pvt DE MARG, Lou P.	36507077 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
10. Pvt 1cl BERNARD, Maurice	38261462 Co. "F"	18 Aug. 1944
LIGHTLY WOUNDED IN ACTION (LWA)		
1. Captain IRVIN, Robert B.	01101509 Co. "A"	15 Aug. 1944
2. Tee 5 JELLYCK, Joseph	33432302 Co. "A"	15 Aug. 1944
3. Tee 5 ERDMAN, Elmer J.	37175168 Co. "A"	15 Aug. 1944
4. Tee 5 LOSK, Michael N.	33185327 Co. "A"	15 August 44
5. Pvt 1cl O'LEARY, Joseph P.	31137190 Co. "B"	15 August 44
6. Pvt TEMPLINSON, Harold F.	11053850 Co. "B"	15 Aug. 1944
7. Pvt 1cl LEWANDOWSKI, Walter M.	33156216 Co. "C"	15 Aug. 1944
8. s/sgt ROSS, Lee R.	34211110 2nd Bn. Med	15 Aug. 1944
9. Pvt FRITZMAN, Edward C.	33620123 Co. "D"	15 Aug. 1944
10. Tee 4 SHOLES, Lester E.	37419485 Co. "E"	15 Aug. 1944
11. Pvt CHATHAM, Wallace L.	38139840 Co. "E"	15 Aug. 1944
12. Pvt CROSBY, Lacy M.	34570029 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944
13. Pvt MOSS, Edgar	38389503 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944
14. Pvt BARRY, Bernard V.	15115980 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944
15. Pvt PILLINGER, Oliver E.	13118064 Med.	15 Aug. 1944
16. Cpl NOTBY, William A.	35109182 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944
17. Pvt 1cl GALVIN, Martin A.	31247115 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944
18. Pvt 1cl MICHALSKI, Joseph A.	37157439 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944
19. Pvt MARRA, Frank P.	32683969 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944
20. Pvt SCHREURS, Gordon, J.	36826845 Co. "F"	15 Aug. 1944

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ANNEX # 2 - ASSIGNED PRESENT AND ABSENT STRENGTH AND CHANGES DURING MONTH 1 AUGUST 1944 - 31 AUGUST 1944.

CHANGES DURING MONTH OF AUGUST 1944.

REGTS	ASSIGNED PRESENT AND ABSENT STRENGTH 31 JULY 1944				ASSIGNED PRESENT AND ABSENT STRENGTH AS OF 31 AUGUST 1944			
	(OFF)	(NO)	(EM)	(EM)	(OFF)	(NO)	(EM)	(EM)
	ASSIGNED PRESENT	ABSENT STRENGTH	PROFITED FROM ROLLS	OTHERS TRFD OUT	REASD PR DROPPED FR ROLLS	VIA ASGD OTHER	TRANSFERS WITHIN REGIMENT	ABSENT STRENGTH AS OF 31 AUGUST 1944
Regt '1 Kqs	11	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Medical Detachment	6	0	42	1 EM	1 OFF	3 EM	- 1 EM	42
H & S Company	3	2	173	1 WO 7 EM	1 OFF 1 EM	1 WO 1 EM	1 OFF 1 EM	168
Kqs 1st Bn	3	0	8					8
Company "A"	5	0	206	2 OFF 5 EM	1 OFF 3 EM	1 OFF 1 EM		205
Company "B"	5	0	199	4 EM	1 EM	6 EM		200
Company "C"	5	0	201	12 EM	1 EM	2 EM	9 EM	199
Kqs 2nd Bn	2	0	8	1 EM			1 OFF	7
Company "D"	5	0	198	12 EM	1 EM	3 EM	1 EM	197
Company "E"	4	0	205	1 OFF 7 EM	1 EM	3 EM	1 EM	209
Company "F"	5	0	199	19 EM	2 EM	3 EM	5 EM	203
IS	54	2	1439	1 WO 3 OFF 62 EM	2 OFF 8 EM	1 WO 1 OFF 15 EM	7 EM 6 OFF 61 EM	1438

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For the Commanding Officer:

**DONALD E. CASEY
Captain, U. S.
Executive Officer**