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ARMED FORCES

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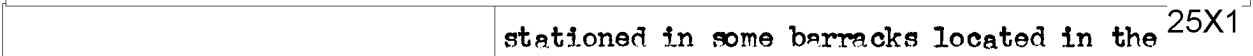
I. - Order of Battle

a). Infantry Regiment, KUKES

Location:



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village of KOISH(IM-484600).

Armament: ~~Subject~~ Rgt was equipped with the following armament:

Soviet Arty Guns, caliber 76 mm, model 1902/30: 4.

Soviet Mortars, caliber 107 mm, " 1938: 4.

Soviet A.A. guns, caliber 12,7mm, " DSHK-1938: 2. ~~(number of guns not known)~~

Soviet rifles, caliber 7,62 mm, " 1944; (number unknown).

Means of Transportation

The ~~said~~ regiment had 4 American G.M.C. trucks. The Arty Battery did not have any trucks because the guns were towed by ~~horses~~ horses.

An American Jeep was assigned to the commander of the regiment. The regiment and other subordinate units had about 300 mules and horses.

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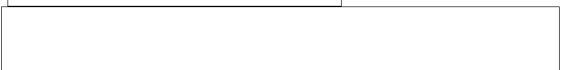
Strength:



strength of the regiment as 900 enlisted men.



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Training: The men of the regiment were trained constantly.

Organization(Composition)

~~Subject~~ Regiment is composed of the following sub-units:

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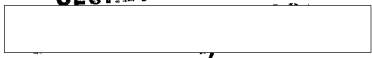
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-Three Inf. Battalions (# 12, 93, and 125).

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-Arty Group, including an Arty ~~battery~~, ~~Mortar~~ Coy, and an A.A. Arty Unit.

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-Engineers Section, which had a section of 6 men.

-Signals Platoon.

-Rear Echelon Platoon.

-Reconnaissance Platoon.

Commander: Commander of the Regiment from 1 Nov. 1953 till 10 Nov. 1955 was a 25X1

(Lt Col.) named Nebi MALE. [redacted] the a/m regiment was abolished on Nov, 10, 1955, when the men of the military class 1934 were discharged, and instead of that a new battalion was created. Some of the men of the abolished regiment were discharged, some others formed the new battalion stationed in KOLSH, and the rest were transferred to Army units stationed in South Albania. Most of the officers serving with that regiment were discharged, and a few of them remained with the new battalion in KOISH. 25X1

The armament of the abolished regiment was greased and boxed, [redacted]

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See organization chart in the next page.

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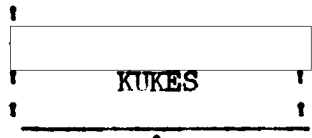
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ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

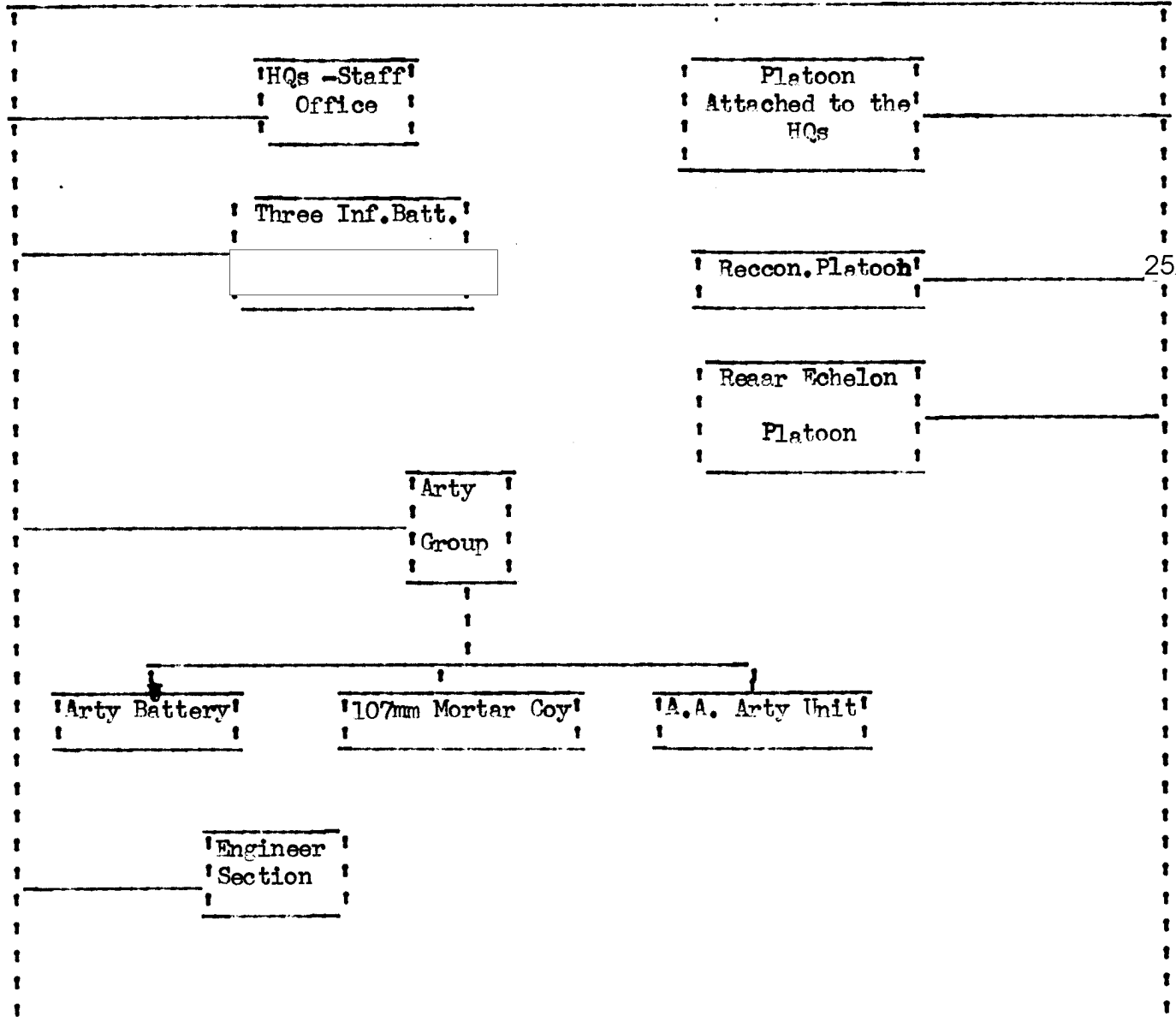
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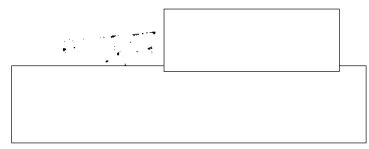
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b). 93rd Inf. Battalion

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Location: It is stationed with the Rgt in KOI.SH.

Armament: Soviet Machine guns, caliber 7,62 mm, type MAXIM, model 1910: 3.
 Soviet Mortars, caliber 82 mm, model 1937: 2.
 Soviet A/T rifle, caliber 4,5 mm, type PTRD, model 1910: 1.
 Soviet light machine guns, caliber 7,62 mm, type DP 12(4 for each Coy)
 Soviet sub-machine guns, " " model 1944: 12. " "
 Soviet rifles, caliber 7,62, model 1944. (number of rifles unknown).

Transport. Means

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Subject battalion had 4 carts.

they have been included in the ^{Paragraph} ~~report~~ referring to the Transp. Means of the Regiment.

Strength: [redacted] the strength of the battalion as 270-290 enlisted men and 40 officers.

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Training: The men of the battalion were constantly trained.

Organization: The a/m battalion was composed of the following sub-units:

[redacted]

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- Three Inf. Coys.
- Machine gun coy.
- Mortar Coy.
- A/T rifles Platoon.
- Rear Echelon Section.

Commander: Cpt Al Islam POCE (from 1 Nov. 1953 - end of Aug. 1954).

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Date of the info : 1 Nov. 1953 - end of Aug. 1954.

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3. - Training

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a). Training of the enlisted men

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The training of the recruits does not take place in special training centers. Their training is performed ⁱⁿ to the units to which they are ^{assigned} ~~distributed~~ after reporting to the recruiting offices.

4. - A D M I N.

a). Equipment

Equipment issued to the recruits upon their enlistment.

- Summer or winter uniform: 1.
- Boots: 1 pair.
- Cap : 1.
- Shirt: 1.
- Drawers: 1.
- Socks: A piece of cloth is issued instead of socks.
- Belts: 2.
- Helmet: 1.
- Blankets: 2.
- Bed sheets: 2.
- Food container: 1.
- Bag: 1.
- Gas-mask: 1.
- Top coat: 1.

The men of the units stationed in Tirana received summer uniform only.

5. - Military Installations

a). Barracks in KOLSH

[redacted] located in the village of KOLSH(DM-784600). There are 8 ^{25X1}

buildings, as follows:

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Three single story, stone constructed buildings, with arched roof covered with tiles.
Dimensions: 100 x 35 x 4 m.

Five ~~single~~ single story, stone constructed buildings, with arched roof covered with tiles. Dimensions: 20 x 8 x 4 m.

[Redacted]

[Redacted]

The HQs of the Rgt were quartered into a building located in town (Kolsh); the stables of the regiment were out of the village.

Two springs located within the area of the barracks supplied the regiment with water. Electricity was available from a power plant located in ~~the~~ camp.

The area of the barracks was not surrounded with barbed-wire. In day time the barracks were guarded by sentries. At night were dispatched patrols too.

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THIRD CHAPTER

INTERNAL POLITICAL SITUATION

STATE ORGANIZATION & ADMINISTRATION

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1. - Education

a). Seven-grades elementary school in BABAN (combined elementary and Unike).

In BABAN (DK-932983) there is a 7-grades school since 1954. This school is for the children of BABAN only. [redacted] the number of pupils as 150. Director of school is a professor. Besides him, there are, one school-master and two school-mistresses. The village has also a kindergarten. The children between 5 and six are obliged to attend the kindergarten.

2. - Church

a). Village of BABAN

[redacted] all the inhabitants of BABAN are Moslems. The Mosque of the village is ready to fall to ruins, and there is no Hoxhe (Moslem priest). Inspite of the efforts of the villagers ~~to reconstruct the Mosque~~ the C.P. Organization of the village does not permit the re-construction of the Mosque.

PARTY ACTIVITIES

3. - Organization of the Communist Party

a). Other Organ. in BABAN

Organizata Baze (Local C.P. Organization).

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-Secretary: Refik Ramo MANCKA.

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-Members: Qamil Beqir COLA.

-Uzejr Emin MANCKA.

-Fuat Hoxha AGASTRA.

-Sefi Hysen AGASTRA.

-Ramçe Emin KARABAGA.

-Mete Emin KARABAGA.

People's Council

-Chairman: Qamil Beqir COLA. Secretary: Enver Demir AGASTRA.

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Democratic Front Organization

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-Chief : Sali Selman LULO.

-Members: The entire population of the village; except 3 families considered reactionary.

Youth Organization

Secretary: Sefi Hysen AGASTRA.

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FOURTH CHAPTER

ECONOMIC SITUATION

1. - Agriculture

a). Farming Cooperative of BABAN

[redacted] the cooperative of Baban has been established since 1949. 25X1
All the peasants were forced to become members of the cooperative, except 3 families considered unloyal to the regime; the property of the said families has been confiscated.

The farming production of the cooperative consists of wheat, corn, and sugar-beets. 25X1

[redacted] the total yearly production, [redacted] is not sufficient for the population. 25X1

[redacted] 25X1

The manager of the cooperative is named Fuat Hoxha AGASTRA.

b). Farm of MAIQ

The production of subject farm consists of wheat and sugar-beets. [redacted] 25X1

[redacted] The work is done by free laborers (independent). 25X1

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FIFTH CHAPTER

GEOGRAPHIC SITUATION

1. - Info concerning towns and villages

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a). Village of BARAN

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[REDACTED] has about 200 families and a total of 1,000 inhabitants. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] there are more females than males in the village. The village is 25X1
inhabited by Moslem population. Electricity is available from the hydro-electric
which was constructed with the personal work of the population in 1952. Besides
their personal work each family paid 6000 lek. Water is received from wells.



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