

S E C R E T83RD RECONNAISSANCE TROOP  
APO 83, U.S. ARMY

22 July 1944

SUBJECT: After Action Report, June 1944.

TO : The Adjutant General, Washington, D.C.

THRU CHANNELS.

First action against the enemy by elements of the 83d Reconnaissance Troop was of patrol nature on the night of 30 June 1944. 2nd Lt. Lawrence E. Burton led a patrol of 9 men, by boat, from Auvers to Le Hommet and shore line to the North. Type and extent of German defenses studied. Patrol returned night of 1 July, 1944. One man missing.

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TO: Commanding General, VIII Corps, APO 308, U. S. Army.

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For the Commanding General:

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