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 EIGHTY THIRD SIGNAL COMPANY
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- May 1. Company Strength: 10 Officers, 4 Warrant Officers,
280 Enlisted Men
- May 2. No Change
- May 3. No Change
- May 4. Sergeant Richard A. Seeger granted 7 days furlough for purpose of visiting US Riviera Recreation Area. Master Sergeant Charles A. Rumsey from duty to temporary duty with UK leave Reception Camp Etretat, France. Pfc Paul R. Bresojek assigned and joined from Hq 18th Reinforcement Depot.
- May 5. 1st Lt. Edward A. Doran, S-Sgt Richard S. Block, Tec 3 George W. Boemler, Corporal Willard G. Fisher, Tec 4 Leophra D. Hall, Tec 5 Frank J. Kehler, Jr., T-Sgt Archie B. Marman, Tec 5 Leonard F. McCallum, Pfc Rowlis J. Miller, Pfc William R. Oswald, Tec 5 Louis A. Putens, T-Sgt John G. Sterling, Tec 5 Walter A. Weaver, Sr, were awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service per General Order Number 86, Hq 83d Infantry Division dated 2 May 1945.
- May 6. Company moved from Calbe, Germany at 0700 and arrived at Wernigerode, Germany at 1125. Distance traveled: 52 miles
- May 7. Pfc Harold F. Taylor awarded the Bronze Star Medal Posthumously for meritorious service per General Order Number 87, Hq 83d Infantry Division dated 3 May 1945.
- May 8. No Change
- May 9. No Change
- May 10. Pvts Donald H. Brown, Alexander Filenbaum, George W. Hart, Jr, Spencer W. Heit, John R. Hopkins, Charles W. Miskimens, Tilton S. Powell, Jr., Ernest Rich, Edwin L. Ruscoe, Jerome J. Rovins, and Roy T. Summerlin appointed Private First Class per Company Order Number 14, dated 9 May 1945.
- May 11. Company moved from Wernigerode, Germany at 1305 and arrived at Bad Harzburg, Germany at 1400. Distance traveled 14 miles.
- May 12. Tec 4 Paul J. Fox, assigned and joined from Hq 18th Reinforcement Depot.
- May 13. S-Sgt William Hamilton, Jr., S-Sgt Joseph P. Schaefer, and Sergeant Erwin M. Landacre awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster to Bronze Star Medal per General Order number 83, Hq 83rd Infantry Division dated 5 May 1945.
- May 14. No Change
- May 15. Tec 5 Roy E. Mowen and Pvt Joseph P. Fusco dropped from assignment to 108th Evacuation Hospital. Major George Z. Hadesty awarded the Bronze Star Medal per General Order Number 96, Hq 83d Infantry Division dated 12 May 1945.
- May 16. Tec 5 William J. Breen and Pvt Wayne C. Parnell relieved from assignment and attached unasgd to 18th Reinforcement Depot APO 872
- May 17. Tec 4 Sol Nahoum relieved from assignment and transferred to 308th Engineer Battalion.

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- May 18. Pvt William E. Gehrels assigned and joined from Hq 36th Reinforcement Battalion per paragraph 4, Special Orders No. 106, Hq 83d Inf Div dated 16 May 1945.
- May 18. Corporal Donald W. Hinz assigned and joined from Hq. 36th Reinforcement Battalion per paragraph 8 Special Orders No. 106, Hq 83d Inf Div dated 16 May 1945. Pfc David Rabinowitz relieved from assignment and transferred to Hq Special Troops, Ninth US Army for duty with Hq Ninth US Army Rest Area. Sergeant Richard A. Seeger reported to duty from 7 day furlough.
- May 19. No Change
- May 20. S-Sgt William Hamilton Jr., Tec 4 Eric Holmes and Pvt Harold J. Schmitt from duty to temporary duty with UK Leave Reception Camp Etretat, France.
- May 21. Pfc Anthony H. Morris from Temporary duty with reception station 14, Presidio of Monterey, California, to transferred to Presidio of Monterey, California.
- May 22. No Change
- May 23. Second Lieutenant Royce C. McDonald and CWO Edward F. Grace from duty to 7 day ordinary leave at US Riviera Recreation Center, France per Ltr Order No. 5-45, Hq 83d Inf Div dated 19 May 1945. T-Sgt Henry J. Grewo, T-Sgt John W. Sterling, Tec 5 Aaron Fagin, Tec 5 Robert F. Larosa, Tec 5 Goege L. Gordon, Tec 5 Albert R. Wiser, Pfc Donald H. Brown, James F. Erisman, Melvin A. Larson, and Charles H. Clegg, from duty to 7 day furlough at US Riviera Recreation Center, France, effective on or about 25 May 1945, per Letter Order No. 5-52, Hq 83d Inf Div dated 21 May 1945.
- May 24. Tec 5 Alphonse J. Koch and Pfc Fred Clendenin dropped from assignment to 108th Evacuation Hospital. S-Sgt Nicholas H. Posey awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in action 29 April 1945 in Germany, per General Order Number 108, Hq 83d Inf Div dated 22 May 1945.
- May 25. Pfc Rosser W. Maddox assigned and joined from 18th Reinforcement Depot. S-Sgt Nicholas H. Posey awarded Oak Leaf Cluster to Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service per General Orders No. 112, Hq 83d Inf Div, dated 25 May 1945.
- May 26. Sergeant George L. Pyles appointed S-Sgt, Tec 4 Robert R. Cleveand appointed Technician Third Grade, Tec 5 Elmer G. Ferrell and Tec 5 Frank J. Kehler, Jr. appointed Sergeants. Pfc Donald H. Brown, John E. Dahms and Alexander Felenbaum appointed Technician Fifth Grade.
- May 27. 20 enlisted men visited the Herman Goring Werke in Immendorf, Germany.
- May 28. S-Sgt George L. Pyles, Tec 4 Paul C. Cooper and Pfc Warren J. Poklen relieved from assignment and attached unassigned to 3rd Reinforcement Depot, APO 153.
- May 29. S-Sgt Charles A. Rumsey from temporary duty with UK Leave Reception Camp, Etretat, France to duty. Pvt Joseph P. Fusco assigned and joined from 108th Evacuation Hospital.
- May 30. Major George Z. Hadesty dropped from assignment to 108th Evacuation Hospital.
- May 31. Company Strength: 9 Officers, 4 Warrant Officers, 273 Enlisted Men.

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