

## 163. INFANTERIE-DIVISION - UNIT HISTORY

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DATE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	CHAIN OF COMMAND
1939/11/10	Potsdam, Wehrkreis III	Activation (7.Welle) from Ers.Tr., training	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Erwin Engelbrecht, 1939/11/10-1942/06/30 Subordinate to: Stellv.Gen.Kdo. III, 1939/11/10-1940/03/10
1940/03/11	Stettin, Wehrkreis II	Movement, embarkation	
1940/04/11	Oslo, Norway	Transfer, invasion, offensive engagements, security	Gruppe 21 (AK 21), 1940/04/11-1940/12/31
1940/05/15	Lillehammer, Hamar, Elverum, Gjovik	Movement, disbandment and disarming of the Norwegian Armed Forces, security	
1941/06/22	Krylbo, Haparanda, Sweden, Tornio, Finland	Movement, crossing Sweden into Finland	
1941/06/30	Eno, Joensuu, Kaltimo	Assembly	Finnish Armed Forces, 1941/06/29-1941/07/14
1941/07/08	Tolvayarvi, Yaglyayarvi, Suoyarvi, Lake Koti-Yarvi, Soviet Union	Movements, offensive engagements	Finnish Karelian Army, 1941/07/15-1941/09/03
1941/09/25	Svir River, Sviritsa, Lake Ladoga, Lodeinoe Pole	Movement, offensive engagements, security	Finnish VI Corps, 1941/09/04-1941/12/31
1942/01/01	Svir River, Sviritsa, Lodeinoe Pole	Defensive operations	Finnish VI Corps (tactically), 1942/01/01-1942/01/31 AOK Norwegen, Befehlsstelle Finnland (supplies), 1942/01/01-1942/01/13 AOK Lappland (supplies), 1942/01/14-1942/05/26 Finnish Karelian Army (tactically), 1942/02/01-1942/02/28
1942/05/20	Uksu, Alakurtti	Movement, defensive engagements	Group Aunus (Aunuksen Ryhmae) (tactically), 1942/03/01-1942/05/26 AK 36 Geb, 1942/05/27-1944/11/24
1942/07/01	Tumcha, Voyta River, Lake Tolvand	Defensive and assault troop operations	C.O.: Gen.Maj. Anton Dostler, 1942/07/10-1942/12/29 Gen.Maj. Karl Ruebel, 1942/12/29-1945/03/03

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1943/01/01	Alakurtti, Vuoriyarvi, Tumcha, Lake Tolvand, Lake Verman	Defensive and assault troop operations, security	
1943/07/01	Lake Tolvand, Vuoriyarvi, Alakurtti, Kuolayarvi (Salla)	Defensive and assault troop operations, security	

Records of the 163.ID are reproduced on rolls 1456-1472 of Microfilm Publication T315 and are described following the unit history.

Although no records of this division dated later than 1943/12/31 were available in the National Archives, the situation maps of Lage Finnland and Skandinavien show:

1944/01/01	Lake Tolvand	Position defense
1944/10/11	Ivalo, Kaamanen, Finland	Movement, defense
1944/11/08	Lakselv, Nordreisa, Norway	Movement, security
1944/12/15	Bodo, Donna, Trondheim	Movement, security
1945/02/10	Stettin, Falkenberg	Transfer, defensive engagements
1945/03/20	Swinemuende	Movement, defense
1945/04/06	Swinemuende	Reduced to 1. Btl./Gren.Rgt. 310, remainder of division probably destroyed
1945/04/26	Swinemuende	1. Btl. probably destroyed

Manuscripts in the Foreign Military Studies series, prepared by former German officers for the Historical Division, Headquarters U.S. Army, Europe, between 1945 and 1959, contain references to the 163.ID as follows:

Finland: MS C-073 (The Last Finnish War 1941-44) by Gen.d.Inf. Dr. Waldemar Erfurth

MS P-060m (Small Unit Tactics - Combats in Taiga and Tundra) by Obstlt. Klaus Brockelmann and Obstlt. Hans Roschmann.

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Ia, Die Eroberung von Kristiansand. Report by a commission of naval officers set up by the Wehrmachtbefehlshaber Norwegen and the Kommandierende Admiral Norwegen to investigate events that transpired during the capture of the fortress of Kristiansand. (There is no indication that the Erfahrungsbericht ueber den Norwegenfeldzug, 14 Jul 1940, record item E285 as listed in the Potsdam catalog, was ever in National Archives custody.)	1941/12/12-1941/12/12	163.ID 16132	1456	1
Ic, IVa, IVd, IIa, III, TB. Activity report of the intelligence branch concerning the sinking of the German warship Bluecher during the invasion of Norway with the loss of most of the personnel of the intelligence branch; the attitude, behavior, and control of the press, the civilian population, military personnel, and the police; attempts to effect a reconciliation with the king and his exile government; and the sinking of the warships Antares and Jonia, 10-11 Apr 1940. Activity reports of the administrative officer regarding movement to the Lillehammer, Hamar, Elverum, and Gjovik areas; of the chaplains and judge advocate; and the personnel branch pertaining to movement to Stettin, embarkation, and the landing in Oslo.	1940/04/09-1940/06/10	163.ID 16260/1	1456	8
Ia, Anlagenmappe 3 zum KTB 1. Orders, regulations, and messages pertaining to combat and security operations in the Oslo area and in the Gjovik area from 23 Apr, control of the civilian population, and relationship with the Quisling and Nygaardsvold (exile) Governments; an activity report of Batl. Manthey, 23 Apr-3 May; an afteraction report and critique relating to the operations of Gruppe Gysler and Gruppe Ringsaker in Norway, 9 Apr-6 May 1940. (There is no indication that KTB 1 and Anlagen for the period 10 Nov 1939-10	1940/04/09-1940/05/06	163.ID 16260/2	1456	87

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Jun 1940, record items W1396a-c as listed in the Potsdam catalog, were ever in National Archives custody.)				
Ia, KTB 2. Security operations, billeting, disbandment and disarming of the Norwegian Armed Forces, and training in the Lillehammer area. A register of officers and casualty and strength reports.	1940/06/11-1940/10/31	163.ID 16260/3	1456	223
Ia, Ic, Anlagen zum KTB 2. Orders, reports, and surveys pertaining to billeting, reorganization, training, athletic events, and the disbandment and disarming of the Norwegian Armed Forces; an order-of-battle chart; and lists of officers duty assignments. A report dated 19 Jun 1940, regarding the formation of the 163.ID (7. Welle) from Ersatztruppenteile in Potsdam, Spandau, and Doeberitz; its organizational breakdown; location of combat operations in Norway; and enemy losses. An activity report of the intelligence branch concerning behavior and morale of the civilian population and troop indoctrination; copies of German army newspapers; activity reports of the veterinary officer and of the chaplains.	1940/06/11-1940/10/31	163.ID 16260/4	1456	272
Ia, Ic, TB (Norwegen). Training, replacements, billeting, and cooperation between military and civilian officials in the Lillehammer area. An activity report of the intelligence branch regarding control of the press and troop indoctrination and entertainment; an activity report of the personnel branch.	1940/11/01-1940/11/30	163.ID 16260/5	1456	692
Ia, Anlagen zum TB. Orders and directives concerning training and cooperation between German military and Norwegian officials. A translation of Marshal Petain's speech to the French people, 10 Oct 1940.	1940/11/06-1940/11/30	163.ID 16260/6	1456	703
Ia, Ic, TB (Norwegen). Personnel matters, the weather,	1940/12/01-1940/12/31	163.ID 16260/7	1456	791

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training, health conditions, replacements, the supply situation, troop welfare, and final disbandment of the Norwegian Armed Forces in the Lillehammer area. An activity report of the intelligence branch concerning the political attitude of the civilian population, counterintelligence activity, press control, and troop entertainment.				
Ia, Ic, TB (Norwegen). Personnel matters, the weather, training, health conditions, replacements, the supply situation, and troop welfare in the Lillehammer area. An activity report of the intelligence branch concerning the political attitude of the civilian population and the press and troop entertainment.	1941/01/01-1941/01/31	163.ID 16260/8	1456	806
Ia, Anlagen zum TB. Orders concerning supply problems during winter maneuvers, billeting, equipping, veterinary matters, and training.	1941/01/06-1941/01/30	163.ID 16260/9	1456	817
Ia, Ic, TB (Norwegen). Personnel matters, the weather, training, health conditions, replacements, the supply situation, and troop welfare and entertainment in the Lillehammer area.	1941/02/01-1941/02/28	163.ID 16260/10	1456	840
Ia, Ic, TB (Norwegen). Training and organizational matters in the Lillehammer area. An activity report of the intelligence branch concerning the conduct and attitude of the civilian population and the press and troop indoctrination.	1941/03/01-1941/03/31	163.ID 16260/11	1456	850
Ia, Anlagen zum TB. Orders, directives, and tables pertaining to training, march and traffic control, war games in the Oslo area, 21 Mar, and the reorganization of a Winter-Batl. as a Sonder-Batl.; a questionnaire concerning experiences gained during the winter.	1941/03/01-1941/04/01	163.ID 16260/12	1456	858
Ia, Ic, TB (Norwegen). Training and organizational matters in the Lillehammer area. An activity report of the intelligence branch concerning the attitude and morale of the civilian population and troop	1941/04/01-1941/04/30	163.ID 16260/13	1456	964

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Ia, Ic, TB (Norwegen). Training, organizational matters, and billeting in the Hoenefoss, Hamar, and Lillehammer areas. An activity report of the intelligence branch concerning the attitude and morale of the civilian population and troop indoctrination; lists of officers duty assignments.	1941/05/01-1941/05/31	163.ID 16260/14	1456	971
Ia, Ic, IIa/b, IVd, TB mit Anlagen. Training and organizational matters. An activity report of the intelligence branch concerning territorial security and attitude of the civilian population; an activity report of the personnel branch relating to the transfer to Finland, 22 Jun 1941; an activity report of the chaplains; a combat and ration strength report; a list of officers duty assignments; orders pertaining to coastal defense; a billeting survey with map.	1941/06/01-1941/06/22	163.ID 16260/15	1456	991
Ia, KTB 3. Movement from Lillehammer to Oslo; crossing Sweden via Krylbo and Haparanda by the advance echelon and the division, 22-28 Jun; entry into Finland at Tornio; assembly in the Eno, Joensuu, and Kaltimo areas, 30 Jun-3 Jul; movement to Vyartsilya, 8-16 Jul, offensive engagements in the Tolvayarvi, Yaglyayarvi, Suoyarvi, and Koti-Yarvi Lake areas, 18 Jul-23 Sep; movement to the Svir River, 25 Sep-1 Oct; preparations for attacks across the Svir River near Sviritsa, 8 Oct-17 Nov; and security of Lake Ladoga's shores and the Svir River sector between Lodeinoye Pole and Sviritsa.	1941/06/10-1941/12/31	163.ID 16260/16	1457	1
Ia, Verlustlisten zum KTB 3.	1941/06/10-1941/12/31	163.ID 16260/17	1457	409
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 3 Band I. Orders, messages, tables, maps, and overlays pertaining to movement from Lillehammer to Oslo; taking over the division sector by the 710.ID; crossing Sweden; assembly in the Eno, Joensuu, and Kaltimo areas of Finland, 3 Jul; movement	1941/06/22-1941/08/01	163.ID 16260/18	1457	509

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to Vyartsilya; and offensive operations in the Yaglyayarvi and Tolvayarvi areas. Reports by Group Oinonen, a Finnish unit, regarding its tactical situation; orders redesignating the division's three regiments as Kampfgruppen Nord, Mitte, and Sued; order-of-battle charts; a proclamation by Marshal Mannerheim welcoming the German troops; special directives concerning supply transport across Sweden.				
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 3 Band II. Orders, reports, messages, tables, and overlays pertaining to offensive engagements in the Yaglyayarvi, Suoyarvi, and Tolvayarvi areas; organizational breakdown of the 163.ID; tactical situation, periodically, in the Finnish Karelian Army sector. Intelligence information regarding the enemy tactical situation; casualty reports; afteraction reports concerning the activities of Umfassungsgruppe Ritzmann-Sundmann relating to envelopment movements to gain the Suoyarvi area, 1-8 Aug, and assault operations to break through the narrow passage between Lake Ala-Tolva-Yarvi and Lake Yulya-Tolva-Yarvi, 27 Jul 1941; directives pertaining to battle conduct.	1941/07/30-1941/08/11	163.ID 16260/19	1458	1
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 3 Band III. Orders, reports, messages, and overlays pertaining to offensive and mopping-up operations in the Suoyarvi area, attack across the Vegarus-Yoki River, 18 Aug, and assembly in the Salmi area for rehabilitation and a new assignment, 3 Sep 1941.	1941/08/12-1941/09/03	163.ID 16260/20	1458	619
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 3 Band IV. Orders, reports, messages, and overlays pertaining to attacks toward the Svir River and coastal defense along the shores of Lake Ladoga; a copy of a new issue of K.St.N. (Kriegsstærkenachweisung) and K.A.N. (Kriegsarsruestungsnachweisung) fuer das Feldheer, 2	1941/09/04-1941/09/30	163.ID 16260/21	1459	1

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Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 3 Band VI. Orders, reports, messages, and overlays pertaining to artillery activity and preparations for and execution of attacks across the Svir River and lists of code names for the division's subordinate units.	1941/10/24-1941/11/21	163.ID 16260/23	1460	1
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 3 Band VII. Orders, directives, reports, and messages pertaining to defensive operations along the Svir River from Sviritsa to Lodeinoe Pole, training, road maintenance, winter mobility, and artillery activity; overlays showing the tactical disposition of German and Finnish forces west and Russian forces east of the Svir River; afteraction reports regarding assault troop operations, 24 Nov, and assignment of the S-Bataillon, 25 Sep-26 Dec, and other subordinate units.	1941/11/22-1941/12/31	163.ID 16260/24	1460	550
Ic, TB. Enemy operations, unit identification, movement, and strength, and the tactical situation in the Tolvayarvi, Yaglyayarvi, Suoyarvi, Koti-Yarvi Lake, and Svir River areas. Orders of the Finnish Karelian Army concerning German and enemy operations; afteraction reports pertaining to the Teichfront attack in the Ala-Tolva-Yarvi Lake area, 28 Jul, and offensive engagements to the Svir River, 6-10 Sep; an	1941/07/03-1941/12/31	163.ID 16260/26	1461	1



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Ic, Gefangenaussagen und Merkblatt ueber Behandlung von Kriegsgefangenen als Beilage 1 zum KTB 3 Ia.	1941/07/04-1941/09/01	163.ID 16260/27	1461	236
Ic, Feindnachrichten und Lageberichte von Finnischen Einheiten als Beilage 1 zum KTB 3 Ia.	1941/07/02-1941/08/29	163.ID 16260/28	1461	378
Ia, KTB 4. Defensive operations in the Svir River sector, a register of officers, combat and ration strength reports, and a report concerning the release of the S-Bataillon and its redesignation as Inf.Btl. 780.	1942/01/01-1942/03/31	163.ID 20802/1	1461	713
Ia, Anlagenband 1 zum KTB 4. Orders, directives, reports, and overlays pertaining to defensive and assault troop operations along the Svir River, training, road maintenance, and artillery activity; order-of-battle charts; maps showing the tactical disposition of the division; a survey of enemy units facing the Finnish Karelian Army; a translation of a lecture given by J. Ahon, a Finnish lieutenant, concerning Fernspaehtroopp activities; an afteraction critique relating to ski training, 27 Dec 1941-9 Jan 1942.	1942/01/01-1942/01/31	163.ID 20802/2	1461	831
Ia, Anlagenband 2 zum KTB 4. Orders, directives, reports, and overlays pertaining to defensive and assault troop operations in the Svir River sector, securing of rear areas and the shores of Lake Ladoga, German and enemy artillery activity, training, and the construction of defensive positions; diagrams showing the location of minefields planted along the Svir River; an afteraction report and critique relating to penetration by Russian assault troops in the Petersdorf area, 6-7 Mar, and counteraction.	1942/02/01-1942/03/31	163.ID 20802/3	1462	1
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Ic, TB. Enemy defensive and assault troop operations, movements, unit identification, propaganda, and the construction of defensive positions in the Svir River and Lake Ladoga areas; counterintelligence activity; troop entertainment.	1942/01/01-1942/03/31	163.ID 20802/10	1462	907
Ic, Anlagen zum TB. Translations of situation and reconnaissance reports of the Finnish Karelian Army and Finnish 6th Corps concerning Finnish and Russian infantry operations and artillery activities.	1941/07/21-1941/12/31	163.ID 20802/11	1462	945
Ic, Anlagen zum TB. Prisoner-of-war interrogation summaries concerning enemy operations, movements, unit identification, and morale; reconnaissance reports of the Finnish Karelian Army and Finnish 6th Corps relating to Finnish and Russian infantry operations and artillery activities.	1941/09/20-1942/03/31	163.ID 20802/12	1463	1
Ia, KTB 5. Defensive operations in the Svir River and Lake Ladoga areas, relief of the division by the Finnish 8th Inf. Div., movement to Alakurtti via Uksu, 20-31 May, and defensive engagements in the Alakurtti area. A register of officers and strength and casualty reports.	1942/04/01-1942/06/30	163.ID 23603/1	1463	520
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 5 Band 1. Defensive engagements, training, road maintenance and security, location of minefields, German and enemy artillery activity, the tactical situation on the Svir and Ladoga fronts, relief by the Finnish 8th Inf. Div., 12-15 May, and the planned movement to Alakurtti. Situation reports of the Finnish Karelian Army, Group Aunus, and Finnish 6th Corps; intelligence and interrogation reports pertaining to enemy operations, movements, and unit identification and strength; surveys of Russian ground forces on the Finnish front and organizational development of Group Aunus; an afteraction report on	1942/04/01-1942/05/15	163.ID 23603/2	1464	1

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the Russian attack on 17 Apr, an afteraction critique on reconnaissance patrol activity; special supply directives.				
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 5 Band 2. Movement to Uksu, rail transfer to Alakurtti, 20-31 May, training, road maintenance, location of enemy minefields, German, Finnish, and Russian artillery activity, and defensive operations in the Voyta River sector. Plans for Fall Nachstoss (attack to coincide with Russian disengagement movements in the Voyta area); order-of-battle charts; special supply directives; afteraction reports concerning the assignment of the II./IR 310 in Lapland, 14-26 May, and the III./IR 307, 11-26 May 1942.	1942/05/16-1942/06/30	163.ID 23603/3	1464	749
Ia, Anlagen zum KTB 5 Band 3, Morgen- und Abendmeldungen...	1942/04/01-1942/06/30	163.ID 23603/4	1465	1
Ic, TB mit Anlagen. Activity report, with reconnaissance, intelligence, and interrogation reports pertaining to enemy operations, movements, morale, unit identification and strength, and tactical disposition east of the Svir River, the military situation on all fronts, and troop entertainment; situation reports of the Finnish 6th Corps concerning infantry and artillery activity on the Svir River and Barents Sea fronts and Karelian Isthmus; an instruction pamphlet entitled "Warnung vor heimtueckischer Sowjetkriegsfuehrung"; orders relating to the relief of the division by the Finnish 8th Inf. Div. and transfer to Alakurtti.	1942/04/01-1942/06/30	163.ID 23603/6	1465	101
Ia, KTB 6. Defensive and assault troop operations in the Tumcha, Voyta River, and Lake Tolvand areas, setting up and defense of strong points, laying of minefields, training, and cancellation of Fall Nachstoss. A register of officers and combat and ration strength reports. (There is no indication that	1942/07/01-1942/12/31	163.ID 29183/1	1465	425

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Ia, Anlage 1 zum KTB 6. Defensive and assault troop operations in the Voyta River, Lake Verman, and Lake Tolvand areas; German and enemy artillery activity; preparations for Fall Nachstoss; construction of obstacles and barriers; training; combat experiences; and equipping of an infantry battalion for mobile warfare. Order-of-battle charts; status reports; new issue of "Kriegsstaecke- und Ausruestungsnachweisungen, Fruehjahr 1942"; intelligence reports concerning enemy operations; afteraction reports and critiques of subordinate units.

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Ia, Anlage 2 zum KTB 6. Defensive and assault troop operations in the Alakurtti, Voyta River, and Lake Gusinoye areas, German and enemy artillery activity, training, billeting, and preparations for Fall Nachstoss. Order-of-battle charts; status reports; lists of enemy strong points with locations; an afteraction report concerning Unternehmen Florian (attack on Hill 217 near Kestenga (Kiestinki), 1-4 Aug); afteraction critiques relating to the training, equipment, weapons, and personnel of battle groups and the shelling of pillboxes and bunkers.

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Ia, Anlage 3 zum KTB 6. Defensive and assault troop operations, German and enemy artillery activity, and training in the Lake Tolvand, Voyta River, and Nizhniy Verman River areas. An order-of-battle chart and afteraction critiques relating to the assignment of IR 307 on the Kestenga front, 21 Sep-3 Oct, the employment

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Ic, TB mit Anlagen. Activity report with interrogation summaries concerning enemy operations, propaganda, morale, and unit identification; German propaganda; and troop indoctrination and entertainment.	1942/07/01-1942/12/31	163.ID 29183/9	1467	989
Ia, KTB 7. Defensive and assault troop operations, establishing and defense of strong points, construction of a defense line, and the security of rear areas in the Alakurtti, Vuoriyarvi, Tumcha, and Lake Tolvand and Lake Verman areas. A register of officers and combat and ration strength reports.	1943/01/01-1943/06/30	163.ID 44383/1	1467	1077
Ia, Anlagenband 1 zum KTB 7. Defensive and assault troop operations, establishing and defense of strong points, German and enemy artillery activity, and training in the Lake Tolvand and Lake Verman areas and the securing of the Alakurtti-Nurmi sector. Afteraction critiques relating to mobile assignments and German defense during a major Russian attack in the HGr. Mitte sector.	1943/01/01-1943/01/31	163.ID 44383/2	1468	1
Ia, Anlagenband 2 zum KTB 7. Defensive and assault troop operations, German and enemy artillery activity, construction of defensive positions, training, and supply situation in the Voyta River sector. An order-of-battle chart and afteraction reports and a critique relating to the Russian attack in the Gren.Rgt. 310 sector, 17 Feb 1943.	1943/02/01-1943/02/28	163.ID 44383/3	1468	312

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Ia, Anlagenband 4 zum KTB 7. Defensive and assault troop operations, artillery activity, establishing and defense of strong points, training in the Tumcha, Vouriyarvi, and Lake Tolvand areas, and rail and road security between Kuolayarvi (Salla) and Kemijaervi. Afteraction reports pertaining to the shelling of bunkers by I./AR 234, 30 Apr, and Russian assault troop operations, 11-12 Apr 1943.	1943/04/01-1943/04/30	163.ID 44383/5	1468	937
Ia, Anlagenband 5 zum KTB 7. Defensive and assault troop operations; artillery activity, construction of defensive positions in the summer, training, and battle conduct in the Voyta River sector. Afteraction critiques relating to the assignment of the division in the Kuolayarvi (Salla) security sector. 24 Apr 1943, and winter mobility.	1943/05/01-1943/05/31	163.ID 44383/6	1469	1
Ia, Anlagenband 6 zum KTB 7. Defensive operations, artillery activity, security of rear areas, training, and summer mobility in the Lake Tolvand, Lake Verman and Lake Lokht-Yarvi areas. An order-of-battle chart and afteraction reports concerning combat action of subordinate units.	1943/06/01-1943/06/30	163.ID 44383/7	1469	334
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Ia, Anlagenband 8 zum KTB 7, Verlustlisten.	1943/01/01-1943/06/30	163.ID 44383/9	1470	1
Ic, TB mit Anlagen. Activity report with interrogation summaries concerning enemy operations, unit identification, and tactical situation;	1943/01/01-1943/06/30	163.ID 44383/11	1470	134

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Ia, Anlagenband 2 zum KTB 8. Daily reports, messages, orders, and overlays pertaining to assault troop operations, defense of strong points, artillery activity, training in the Lakes Tolvand and Oriyarvi area, and security of the Kuolayarvi (Salla) area; a status report; afteraction reports and critique relating to Russian assault troop operations, 30 Jul and 12, 19, and 22-23 Aug; a report on a uniform warning system for the eastern front.	1943/08/01-1943/08/31	163.ID 45394/3	1470	991
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