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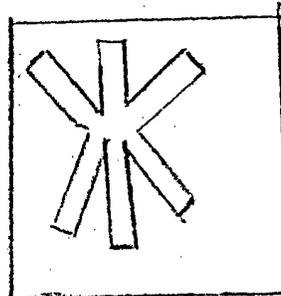
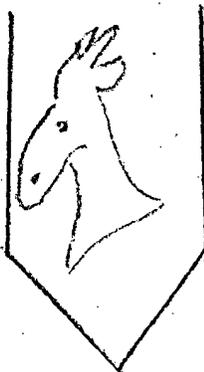
INTELLIGENCE MISSION :

TIME : S.A.P.

ITINERARY : BIRKENFELD (L590-165) - ST WENDEL (Q 5997) -  
OTTWEILER (Q 5890) - NEUNKIRCHEN (Q6083) -  
St INGBERT (Q 5476).

MISSION : Order of Battle.

- a) In making this tour the essential is to form a careful and calculated estimate of the strength and equipment of the troops in the town visited. In other words, what is wanted is a picture of the military forces in the rear of the front lines, forces which might be brought into action in the event of aggressive thrusts on our part. Accordingly, negative information is as valuable as positive information. This time as never before, the agent must attempt to calculate the number of the troops in a town.
- b) The area covered in this itinerary is North of our line and just East of the 3rd Army's XX Corps. It is quite probable that the units which are now holding the line against XX Corps and which were recently sent to that sector will be forced as a result of 3rd Army's thrust in the North to withdraw and fall back into regions which might fall into our line of advance. Any evidence that 2nd Mtn Div. and 6th SS Mtn Div (see sketch of insignia) are along Agents route and particularly in the area of St WENDEL will be most interesting.



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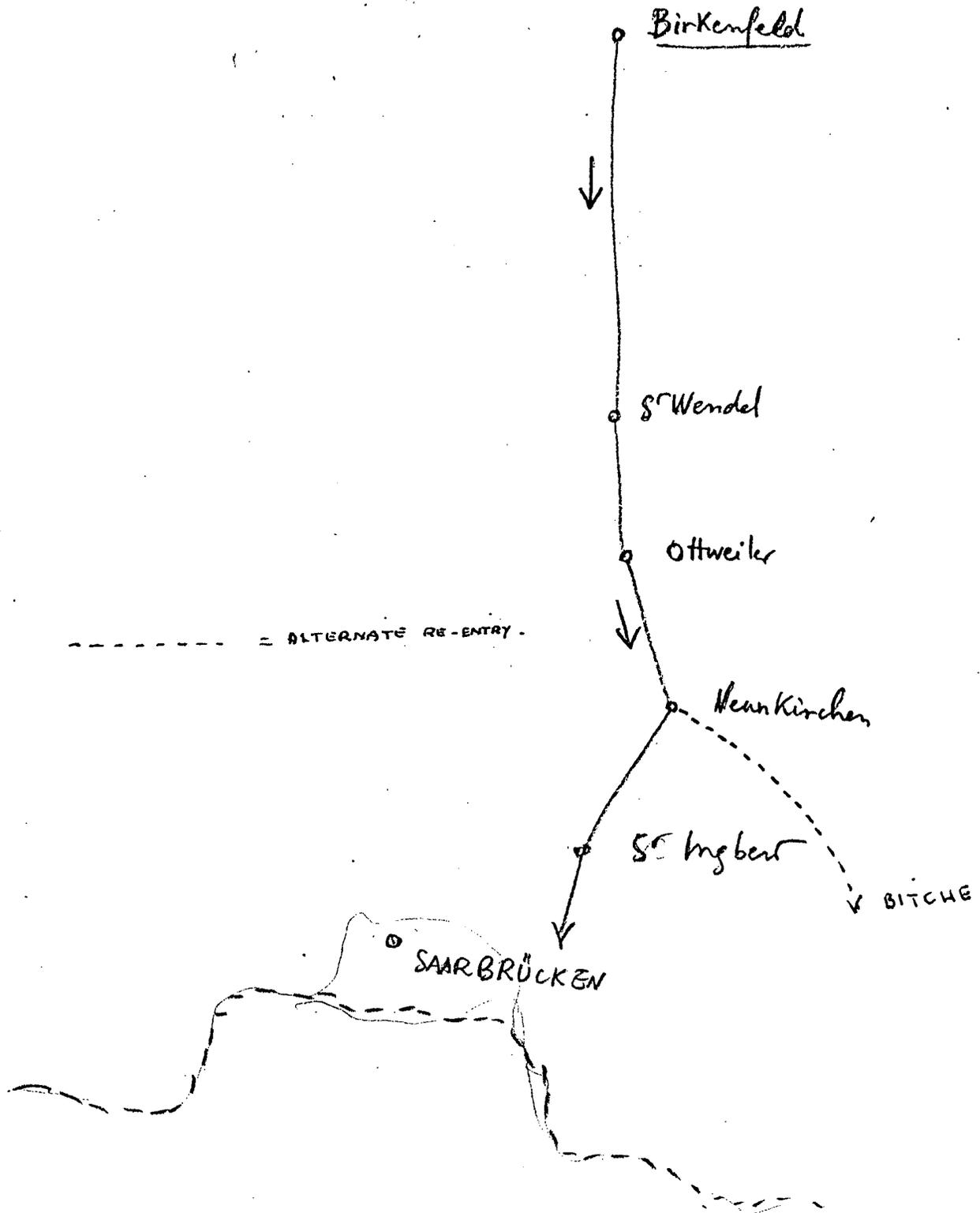
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- c) Identification of units and location of armor are as always important.
- d) All details possible on the strength, location equipment and training of Volkssturm in the back areas.

DEFENSES & DUMPS

- a) As many of the places indicate should be visited. If however such a visit will jeopardize the accomplishment of the Order of Battle Mission or seems to be too difficult a detour on the route, agent should continue on. The Neunkirchen situation indicated below is a paramount importance and must be ~~investigated~~ investigated however.
- b) Precise location m/t repair and supply shop in OTTWEILLER(Q5890)
- c) Large fuel dumps have been reported between Neunkirchen and Limbach (Q 6780). This appears to be the great grand daddy of them all and must be investigated with care.
- d) Location of dumps in area (wooded) south of Welles Weiler. center at Q 6282.
- e) Fuel storage reported in woods east of St INGBERT (Q 5675)

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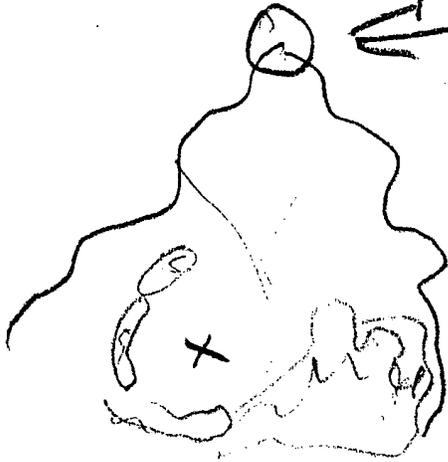
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