

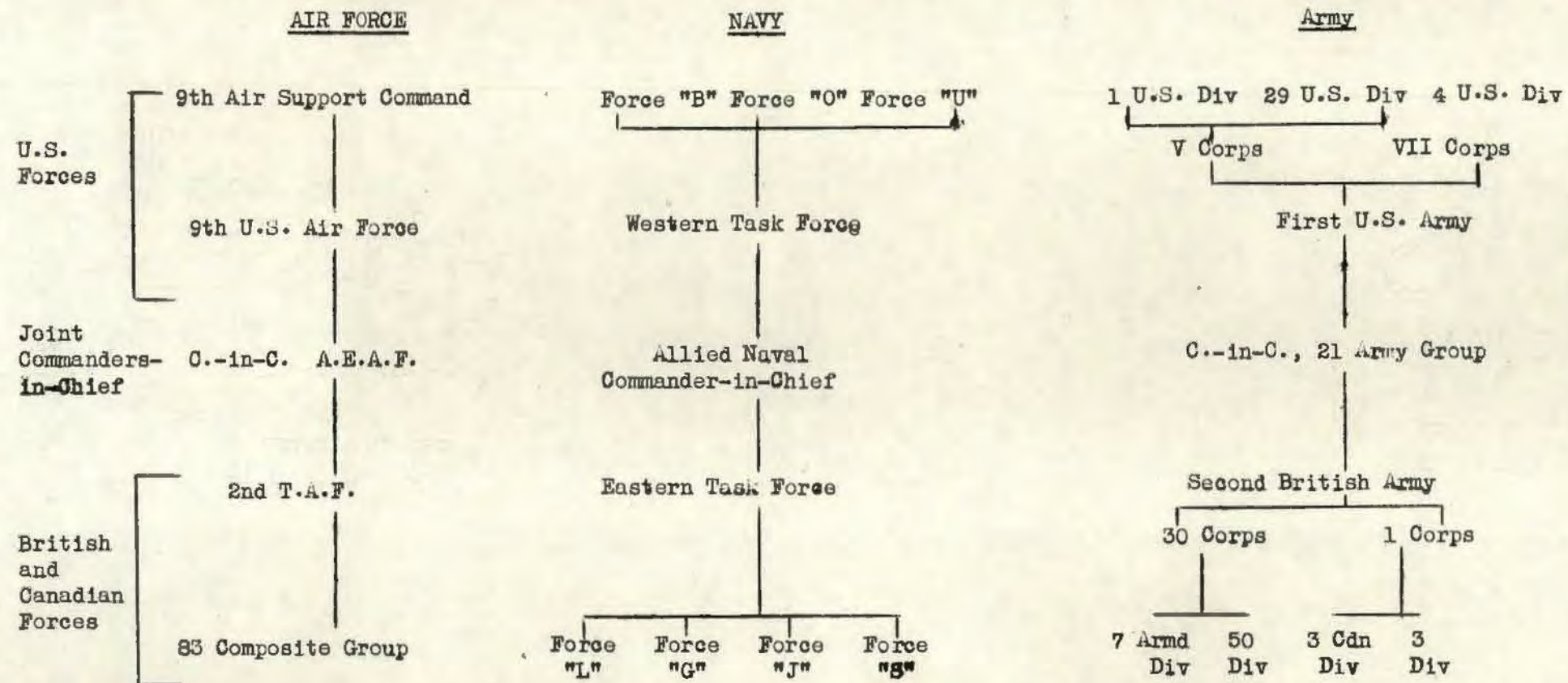
of 1:50,000 and 1:25,000 scale. The requisite sheets are listed below:

G.S.G.S. 2738	1:250,000	France Sheet	3a and 8,
G.S.G.S. 4249	1:100,000	France Sheets	6E, 7E, 7F.
G.S.G.S. 4250	1:50,000	France Sheets	7E/5, 7E/6, 7F/1, 7F/2.
G.S.G.S. 4347	1:25,000	France Sheets	37/18 S.E. 40/18 S.W. 37/16 N.E. 37/16 S.E. 40/16 N.W. 40/16 S.W.

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CHAIN OF COMMAND IN THE ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE DURING OPENING PHASES OF OPERATION "OVERLORD"



The Allied Expeditionary Force as a whole under the Supreme Commander

SHIPS AND CRAFT OF FORCE "J"

(Compiled from Second Army O.O. No. 1, and 3 Cdn Inf Div O.O. No. 1. Where discrepancies in totals occur, the divisional order has been accepted as final.)

Number	Short Title	Nomenclature	Function
1	L.S.H.	Landing Ship Headquarters	Ex-merchant ship converted to serve as Divisional Commander's and Force Commander's Headquarters Ship. Accommodates Force H.Q. staff and large communications complement. Speed 15 knots.
2	A.G., H.Q. Ships	Assault Group Headquarters Ship	Frigates serving as Assault Group and Assault Brigade Headquarters.
3	L.S.I. (L)	Landing Ships, Infantry (Large)	Converted merchant ships ranging from 7,300 to 14,000 tons. Carry 18 L.C.A. and 1,100 troops. Speed 16 knots.
3	L.S.I. (M)	Landing Ships, Infantry (Medium)	Former passenger ships of between 3,500 and 4,000 tons which carry 8 craft and 400 to 440 troops in an assault. Speed 20 knots.
12	L.S.I. (H)	Landing Ships, Infantry (Hand Hoisting)	Former cross-channel ships of between 2,400 and 4,200 tons. Carry 6 craft and 360 troops in an assault. Speed 15 knots.
20	L.C.I. (L)	Landing Craft Infantry (Large)	Personnel-carrying craft which transport 200 fully equipped men (seated) and can disembark all troops in under 5 minutes. Speed 12½ knots. Length 160 ft. Fuel: Diesel.
8	L.C.I. (S)	Landing Craft Infantry (Small)	Carry 96 fully equipped men below deck and 18 bicycles on upper deck. Troops disembarked by ramps manhandled over bow sponsons. Length 104 ft. 8 in. Speed 11½ knots. Fuel: petrol.
142	L.C.A.	Landing Craft Assault	Carried in L.S.I. Land 30 fully equipped troops. Speed 6 knots. Fuel: petrol.
4	L.C.A.(O.C.)	Landing Craft Assault (Obstacle Clearance)	L.C.A. fitted with horizontal asdic and carrying Landing Craft Obstacle Clearance Units Towed.

Number	Short Title	Nomenclature	Function
18	L.C.A.(H.R.)	Landing Craft Assault (Hedgerow)	Project "Hedgerows" (24 60-lb bombs), the blast from which clears a lane through wire and anti-personnel mines. Towed.
8	L.C.S. (M)	Landing Craft Support (Medium)	Provide close support by means of smoke cover. Can be hoisted fully loaded and can be beached. Length 40 ft.9 in. Speed 7 knots. Fuel: petrol.
4	L.C.H.	Landing Craft Headquarters	A converted L.C.I. (L) functioning as a local Senior Officer's headquarters ship and battalion headquarters and suitably equipped as regards communications. Fuel: Diesel. Speed 12½ knots. Can also lift 60 men.
22	L.S.T. (2)	Landing Ship Tank Mark II	Carry 300 troops and 60 tanks and vehicles and can beach. Displacement 1,490 tons light and 3,776 tons loaded. Speed 9 knots. Fuel: Diesel.
2*	L.C.T. (3)	Landing Craft Tank, Mark III	Land an average of 55 men and 11 vehicles. Length 191 ft. 11 in. Speed 8 knots. Fuel: Diesel and petrol.
7*	L.C.T. (4)	Landing Craft Tank, Mark IV	Carrying capacity 55 men and 11 vehicles. Length 187 ft. 3 in. Speed 6 knots. Fuel: Diesel.
2*	L.C.T. (5 & 6)	Landing Craft Tank; Marks V and VI	Similar carrying capacity to L.C.T. (3) and (4). Speed 5½ knots. Length of L.C.T. (5) 112 ft. 4 in. Fuel: Diesel
7	L.C.F.	Landing Craft Flak	Converted L.C.T. (3) or (4). Provide protection for assault forces against close-range air or E-boat attack. Secondary function, close support. Speed 7 knots. Fuel: Diesel.
7	L.C.G. (L.)	Landing Craft Gun (Large)	Gun Support Craft. Converted L.C.T. (3) or (4) mounting two 4.7-in. guns on a false deck built over the hold. Provide close support fire during assault and subsequent advance. Speed 7 knots. Fuel: Diesel.

*Flotillas of 10 craft each.

Number	Short Title	Nomenclature	Function
2	L.C.T. (C.B.)	Landing Craft Tank (Concrete Buster)	Carry 2 or 3 tanks (Sherman V C) each mounting 17-pdr. guns which provide high-velocity fire for attacking concrete.
8	L.C.T. (A)	Landing Craft Tank (Armoured)	Converted L.C.T. (5), armoured -- carry 2 or 3 Centaur Tanks with 95-mm. guns, two of which provide close support for assault by direct aimed fire using H.E. shell. Fuel: Diesel.
8	L.C.T.(H.E.)	Landing Craft Tank (High Explosive)	As L.C.T. (A.) but unarmoured.
9	L.C.T. (R.)	Landing Craft Tank (Rocket)	L.C.T. (3) fitted with 5-in. rocket projectors to provide drenching fire on an area target prior to touchdown. Length 160 ft. Speed 8 knots. Fuel: Diesel.
36	L.C.P. (L.) Smoke	Landing Craft Personnel (Large) Smoke Layer	Personnel landing craft fitted out to lay smoke. Speed 7 to 10 knots. Fuel: petrol.
4	L.B.F.	Landing Barge Flak	Former Thames barges. Naval complement 5. Mount 40-mm. guns which are manned by R.A. and controlled by Army. Supplement A.A. defence of assault beaches. Speed 5 knots. Fuel: petrol.
4	L.C.S. (L.) (1)	Landing Craft Support (Large) Mark I	Support the assaulting forces by 2-pdr. fire from close in-shore. Length 104 ft. 8 in. Speed 11½ knots. Fuel: petrol
3	L.C.S. (L.) (2)	Landing Craft Support (Large) Mark II	Similar, but mounting a 6-pdr. gun instead of a 2-pdr.
1	L.S.D.	Landing Ship (Dock)	Provide emergency docking facilities for repairs to small craft. Function as a floating dock. Centre well is flooded and craft move out under their own power.
15		Rhino Ferry	Pontoon barges constructed of Naval Landing pontoons, designed for the carriage of vehicles. Are towed to assault area and used for discharging L.S.T. Can be beached. Capacity about 40 vehicles. Self-propelled to and from the beaches.

ORDER OF BATTLE - 3 CDN INF DIV ASSAULT GROUP

1. 3RD CANADIAN INFANTRY DIVISION

HEADQUARTERS UNITS

H.Q. 3 Cdn Inf Div

ARMoured

7 Cdn Recce Regt (17 D.Y.R.C.H.)

ARTILLERY

H.Q. R.C.A., 3 Cdn Inf Div
12 Cdn Fd Regt S.P.
13 Cdn Fd Regt S.P.
14 Cdn Fd Regt S.P.
3 Cdn A. tk Regt
4 Cdn L.A.A. Regt

ENGINEERS

H.Q. R.C.E., 3 Cdn Inf Div
3 Cdn Fd Pk Coy
6 Cdn Fd Coy
16 Cdn Fd Coy
18 Cdn Fd Coy

SIGNALS

3 Cdn Inf Div Sigs (including 14 and 19
Beach Sig Secs)

INFANTRY

C.H. of O. (M.G.)
3 Cdn Inf Div Def & Emp Pl
H.Q. 7 Cdn Inf Bde
7 Cdn Inf Bde Ground Def Pl
R. Wpg Rif
Regina Rif
1 C. Scot R.
H.Q. 8 Cdn Inf Bde
8 Cdn Inf Bde Ground Def Pl
Q.O.R. of C.
R. de Chaud.
N. Shore R.
H.Q. 9 Cdn Inf Bde
9 Cdn Inf Bde Ground Def Pl
H.L.I. of C.
S.D. & G. Highrs
Nth N.S. Highrs

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT

H.Q. R.C.A.S.C., 3 Cdn Inf Div
7 Cdn Inf Bde Coy
8 Cdn Inf Bde Coy
9 Cdn Inf Bde Coy
3 Cdn Inf Div Tps Coy

MEDICAL

14 Cdn Fd Amb
22 Cdn Fd Amb
23 Cdn Fd Amb
5 Cdn F.D.S.
7 Cdn F.D.S.
7 Cdn Fd Hyg Sec

ORDNANCE

3 Cdn Inf Div Ord Fd Pk

ELECTRICAL and MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

H.Q. R.C.E.M.E., 3 Cdn Inf Div
7 Cdn Inf Bde Wksp
8 Cdn Inf Bde Wksp
9 Cdn Inf Bde Wksp
4 Cdn L.A.A. Wksp (Type A)
62 Cdn L.A.D. (Type A - 7 Cdn Recce Regt)
36 Cdn L.A.D. (Type A - 7 Cdn Inf Bde)
37 Cdn L.A.D. (Type A - 8 Cdn Inf Bde)
38 Cdn L.A.D. (Type A - 9 Cdn Inf Bde)
30 Cdn L.A.D. (Type B - 3 Cdn Fd Pk Coy)
31 Cdn L.A.D. (Type B - 3 Cdn Inf Div Sigs)
6 Cdn L.A.D. (Type B - C.H. of O. (M.G.))
32 Cdn L.A.D. (Type D - 12 Cdn Fd Regt)
33 Cdn L.A.D. (Type D - 13 Cdn Fd Regt)
34 Cdn L.A.D. (Type D - 14 Cdn Fd Regt)
35 Cdn L.A.D. (Type D - 3 Cdn A tk Regt)

POSTAL

3 Cdn Inf Div Postal Unit

PROVOST

4 Cdn Pro Coy

INTELLIGENCE

3 Cdn F.S. Sec

MISCELLANEOUS

14 Cdn Met Sec
Det 2 Cdn Fd Hist Sec

2. 2ND CANADIAN ARMOURED BRIGADE

ARMOURED

H.Q. 2 Cdn Armd Bde
6 Cdn Armd Regt (1 H.)
10 Cdn Armd Regt (Fort Garry's)
27 Cdn Armd Regt (Sher Fus R.)

SIGNALS

2 Cdn Armd Bde Sigs

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT

2 Cdn Armd Bde Coy

MEDICAL

17 Cdn Lt Fd Amb

ORDNANCE

2 Cdn Armd Bde Ord Fd Pk

ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

2 Cdn Armd Bde Wksp
54 Cdn L.A.D. (Type C - 6 Cdn Armd Regt)
55 Cdn L.A.D. (Type C - 10 Cdn Armd Regt)
85 Cdn L.A.D. (Type C - 27 Cdn Armd Regt)

PROVOST

11 Cdn Pro Sec

3. G.H.Q., ARMY AND CORPS TROOPS UNDER COMMAND
3 CDN INF DIV

ARMoured

"B" Sqn, 22 Dgns, (R.A.C.)

ARTILLERY

19 Cdn Fd Regt S.P.

ENGINEERS

5 Cdn Fd Coy
H.Q. 5 Assault Regt, R.E. (det)
26 Assault Sqn, R.E.
80 Assault Sqn, R.E.
9 Mech Eqpt Sec (det)
21 Mech Eqpt Sec (det)

SPECIAL SERVICE

H.Q. 4 S.S. Bde
48 R.M. Commando

SIGNALS

4 S.S. Dde Sigs Sec
22 Dgns Sigs Tp
19 Cdn Fd Regt S.P. Sigs Sec
5 Assault Regt, R.E., Sigs (det)
3 H.Q. Ship Sigs Sec
12 H.Q. Ship Sigs Sec (modified)
17 H.Q. Ship Sigs Sec (modified)

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT

19 Cdn Fd Regt Pl

DENTAL

5 Cdn Dental Coy

ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

L.A.D. (Type C - 22 Dgns)
12 Cdn L.A.D. (Type D - 19 Cdn Fd Regt)
L.A.D. (Type B - 4 S.S. Bde)

PAY

3 Cdn Fd Cash Office

4. 102 BEACH SUB-AREA

7 BEACH GROUP

H.Q. 7 Beach Gp
8 Kings
Movement Control Pool
det (21 Army Gp)

8 BEACH GROUP

H.Q. 8 Beach Gp
5 R. Berks
Movements Control Pool
det (21 Army Gp)

ENGINEERS

85 Fd Coy R.E.
19 Stores Sec R.E.
59 Mech Eqpt Sec (det)
1033 Port Op coy
1051 Port Maint Coy (det)

184 Fd Coy R.E.
20 Stores Sec R.E.
59 Mech Eqpt Sec (det)
1034 Port Op Coy
1051 Port Maint Coy (det)

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT

297 Coy R.A.S.C. (Gen
Tpt) DUKW
139 D.I.D. (Type B)
242 Pet Depot (Type C)

199 Coy R.A.S.C. (Gen
Tpt) DUKW
140 D.I.D. (Type B)
240 Pet Depot (Type C)

MEDICAL

1 F.D.S.
2 F.D.S.
33 F.S.U. & Surgical team
34 F.S.U. & Surgical team
13 F.T.U.
4 Fd San Sec

33 F.D.S.
34 F.D.S.
45 F.S.U. & Surgical team
46 F.S.U. & Surgical team
14 F.T.U.
3 Fd San Sec

ORDNANCE

14 Ord Beach Det

15 Ord Beach Det

ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

22 Beach Rec Sec

23 Beach Rec Sec

PROVOST

242 Pro Coy (HQ and 4 Secs)

244 Pro Coy (HQ and 4 Secs)

LABOUR

190 Pnr Coy
225 Pnr Coy

170 Pnr Coy
144 Pnr Coy

ROYAL AIR FORCE

103 Beach Sec R.A.F.
51 Balloon Unit R.A.F.

104 Beach Sec R.A.F.
52 Balloon Unit R.A.F.

HEADQUARTERS

H.Q. 102 Beach Sub Area

ENGINEERS

H.Q. 7 G.H.Q. Tps Engrs
65 Fd Coy (det)
72 Fd Coy
582 Fd Coy (det)
297 Fd Pk Coy (det)
670 Art Wks Coys
710 Art Wks Coy
204 Wks Sec
61 Mech Eqpt Sec (det)
176 Wksp and Pk Coy (Two adv Pk Secs only)
48 B.D. Sec

ENGINEERS TRANSPORTATION

H.Q. 2 Port Op Gp
H.Q. 11 Port Op Gp
996 Port Op Coy
998 Port Op Coy
1018 Port Op Coy
1024 Port Op Coy
1055 Port Op Coy (det)
995 Port Maint Coy
1051 Port Maint Coy (less dets)
940 I.W.T. Op Coy
961 I.W.T. Op Coy (less det)
966 I.W.T. Op Coy
927 I.W.T. Lt Aid Wksp (less det)

SIGNALS

102 Beach Sub Area Sigs Sec

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT

H.Q. C.R.A.S.C. 30 L. of C. Tpt Coln
282 Coy R.A.S.C. (Gen Tpt)
633 Coy R.A.S.C. (Gen Tpt) DUKW (one pl only)
55 B.S.D.
132 Pet Depot (Type B)

MEDICAL

21 Port Det R.A.M.C.
30 F.D.S. (portion forming 2 Casualty
Evacuating Post only)

ORDNANCE

45 Ord Amn Coy (17 B.A.D.)
37 Port Amn Det

ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

11 L. of C. Tps Wksp
3 L. of C. Rec Coy (det)

LABOUR

58 Pnr Coy (for R.E.)
66 Pnr Coy (for R.E.)
115 Pnr Coy (for sector Stores Dump)
243 Pnr Coy (for Tn) (det)
257 Pnr Coy (for R.E.)
267 Pnr Coy (for Tn) (less det)
293 Pnr Coy (for stretcher bearing)

MISCELLANEOUS

59 Transit Camp

ROYAL AIR FORCE

H.Q. 2 Beach Sqn R.A.F.

APPENDIX "D"
to Report No. 54

CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY CANADIANS LANDED FROM THE SEA, 6 JUN 44

Unit	Killed	Died of wounds	Wounded	Missing	Total
R. Wpg Rif	15	43	66	5	129
Regina Rif	45	1	55	1	102
1 C. Scot R.	17	5	63	1	86
Q.O.R. of C.	55	5	78	-	138
R. de Chaud	17	1	48	38	104
N. Shore R.	28	6	90	-	124
H.L.I. of C.	-	-	-	-	NIL
S.D. & G. Highrs	1	-	13	-	14
Nth N.S. Highrs.	3	1	6	-	10
C.H. of O. (M.G.)	1	-	3	-	4
7 Cdn Recce Regt	1	-	1	-	2
6 Cdn Armd Regt	22	-	17	4	43
10 Cdn Armd Regt	14	-	12	-	26
27 Cdn Armd Regt	-	1	2	-	3
12 Cdn Fd Regt	1	-	7	-	8
13 Cdn Fd Regt	5	1	4	2	12
14 Cdn Fd Regt	10	-	12	-	22
19 Cdn Fd Regt	3	-	17	-	20
R.C.E.	17	2	42	-	61
R.C.C.S.	3	-	1	-	4
R.C.A.M.C.	6	1	5	3	15
R.C.A.S.C.	4	-	7	-	11
R.C.E.M.E.	-	-	-	7	7
H.Q. 8 Cdn Inf Bde	-	-	1	-	1
Others*	-	-	-	-	NIL
TOTALS	268	67	550	61	946

All men reckoned as 'missing' subsequently returned safely, the great majority having presumably been prisoners of war.

*All other Canadian units on Order of Battle of 3 Cdn Inf Div for 6 Jun 44.

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Normandy - 6 Jun 44".

I INITIAL GROUPING OF SECOND BRITISH ARMY

<u>1 Corps</u>	<u>30 Corps</u>
3 Brit Inf Div	50 (N) Inf Div
3 Cdn Inf Div	7 Armd Div
51 (H) Inf Div	49 (WR) Inf Div
6 Airborne Div	8 Armd Bde
27 Armd Bde	33 Armd Bde
2 Cdn Armd Bde	47 R.M. Commando
4 Armd Bde	
4 S.S. Bde (less 46 and 47 R.M. Commandos)	

<u>8 Corps</u>	<u>12 Corps</u>
Guards Armd Div	43 Inf Div
11 Armd Div	53 Inf Div
15 (S) Inf Div	59 Inf Div
31 Tk Bde	34 Tk Bde

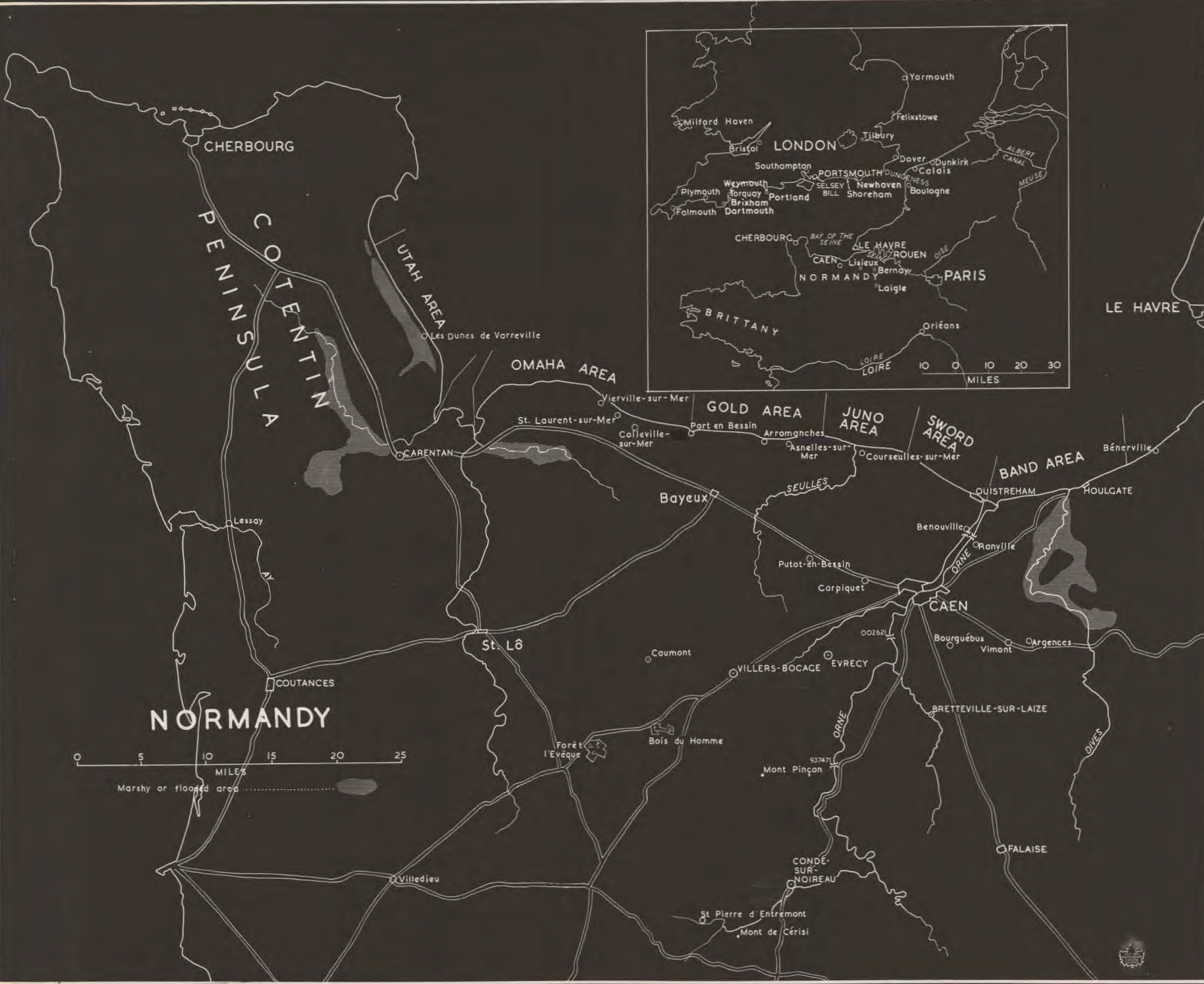
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II GROUPING OF SECOND ARMY AS AT 29 JUN 44

<u>1 Corps</u>	<u>30 Corps</u>
3 Brit Inf Div	50 (N) Inf Div
3 Cdn Inf Div	7 Armd Div
51 (H) Inf Div	49 (WR) Inf Div
6 Airborne Div	8 Armd Bde
27 Armd Bde	
2 Cdn Armd Bde	
71 Inf Bde (ex 53 Inf Div)	
1 S.S. Bde	
4 S.S. Bde	
59 Inf Div (part)	

<u>8 Corps</u>	<u>12 Corps</u>
11 Armd Div	53 Inf Div (less one bde)
15 (S) Inf Div	
43 Inf Div	
4 Armd Bde	
31 Tk Bde	
32 Gds Inf Bde (ex Gds Armd Div)	

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CHERBOURG

COTENTIN PENINSULA

UTAH AREA

OMAHA AREA

GOLD AREA

JUNO AREA

SWORD AREA

BAND AREA

NORMANDY

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Marshy or flooded area



LE HAVRE

Bayeux

St. Lô

CAEN

FALaise

Forêt l'Evêque

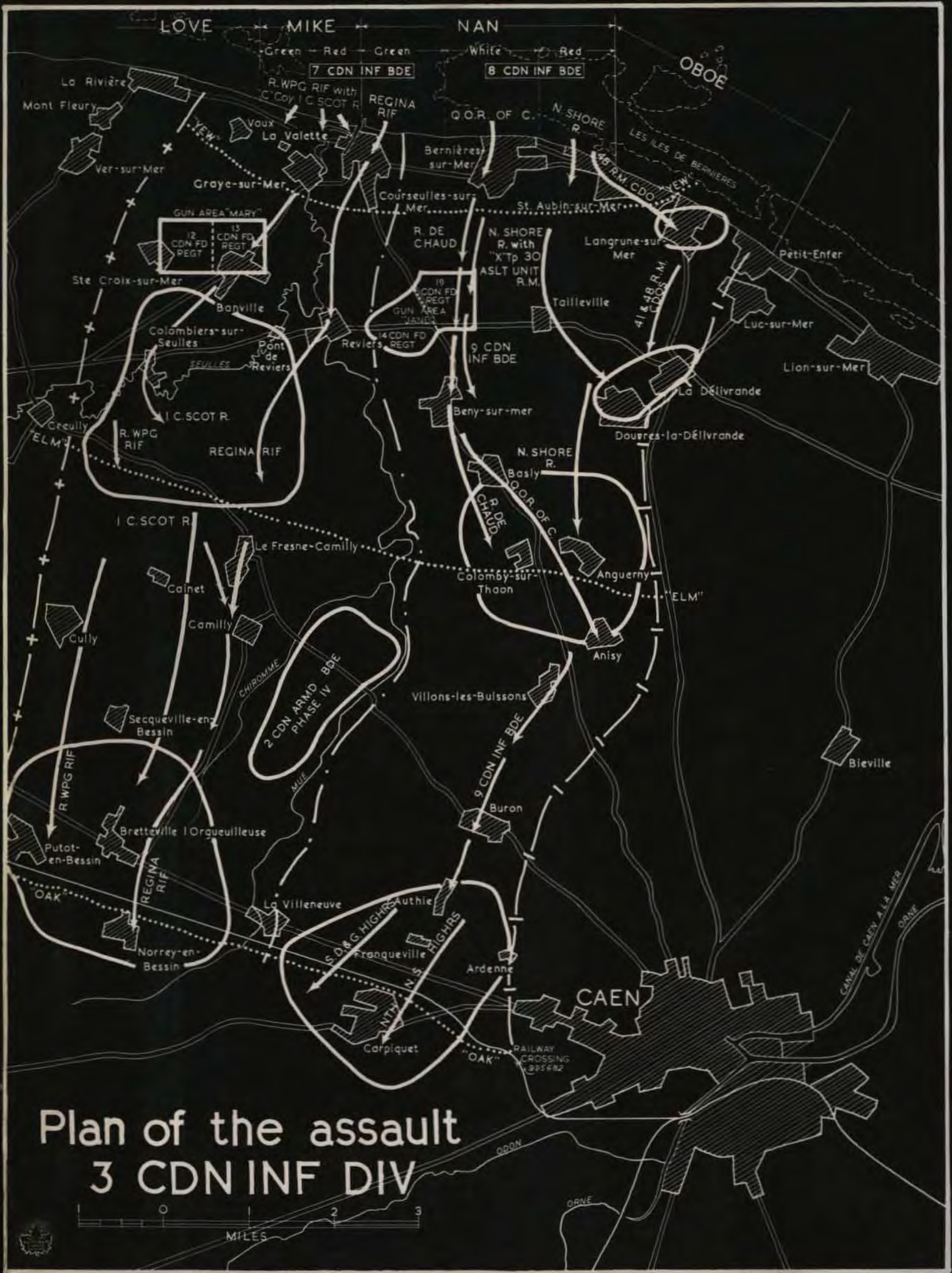
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Mont de Cérissi

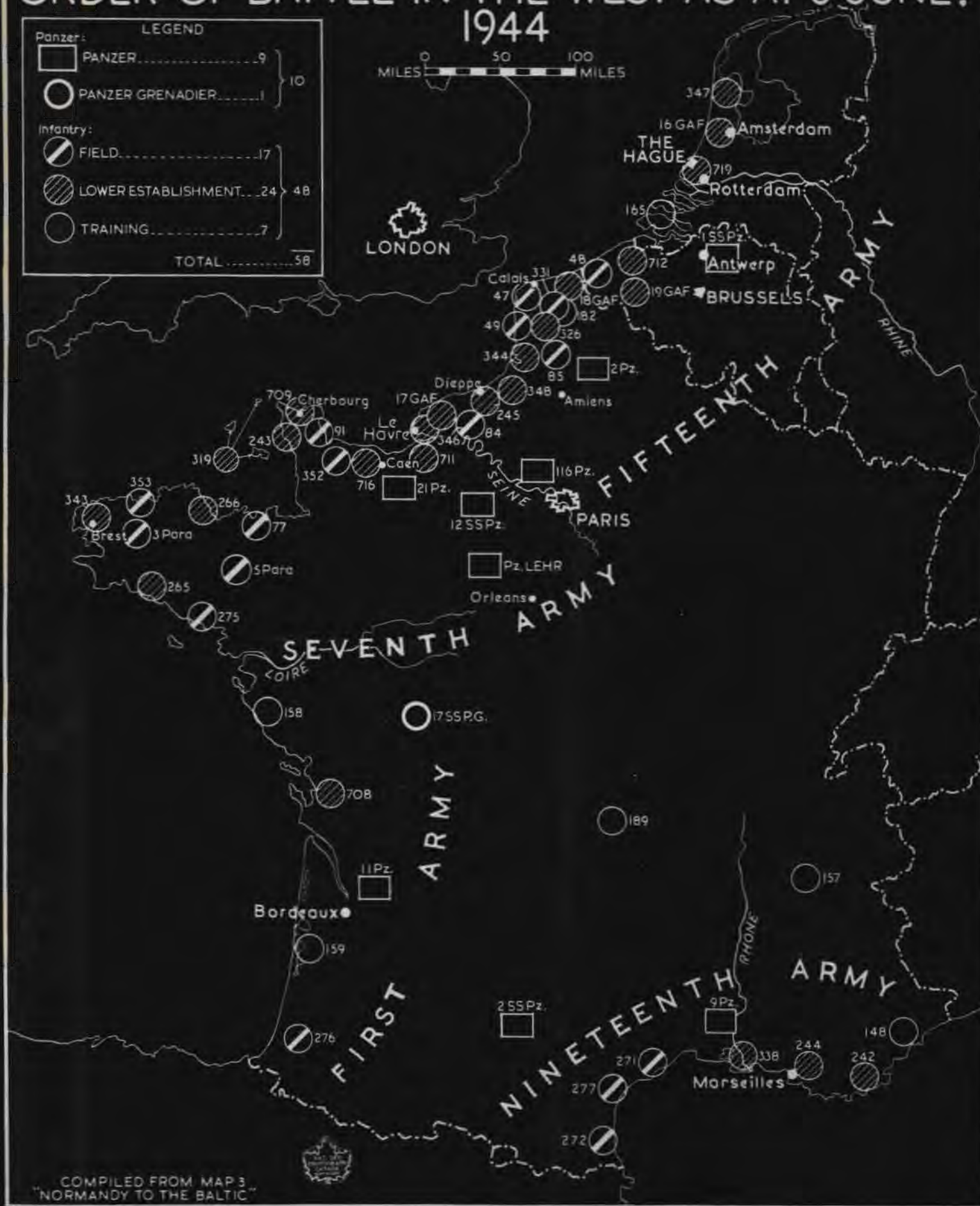




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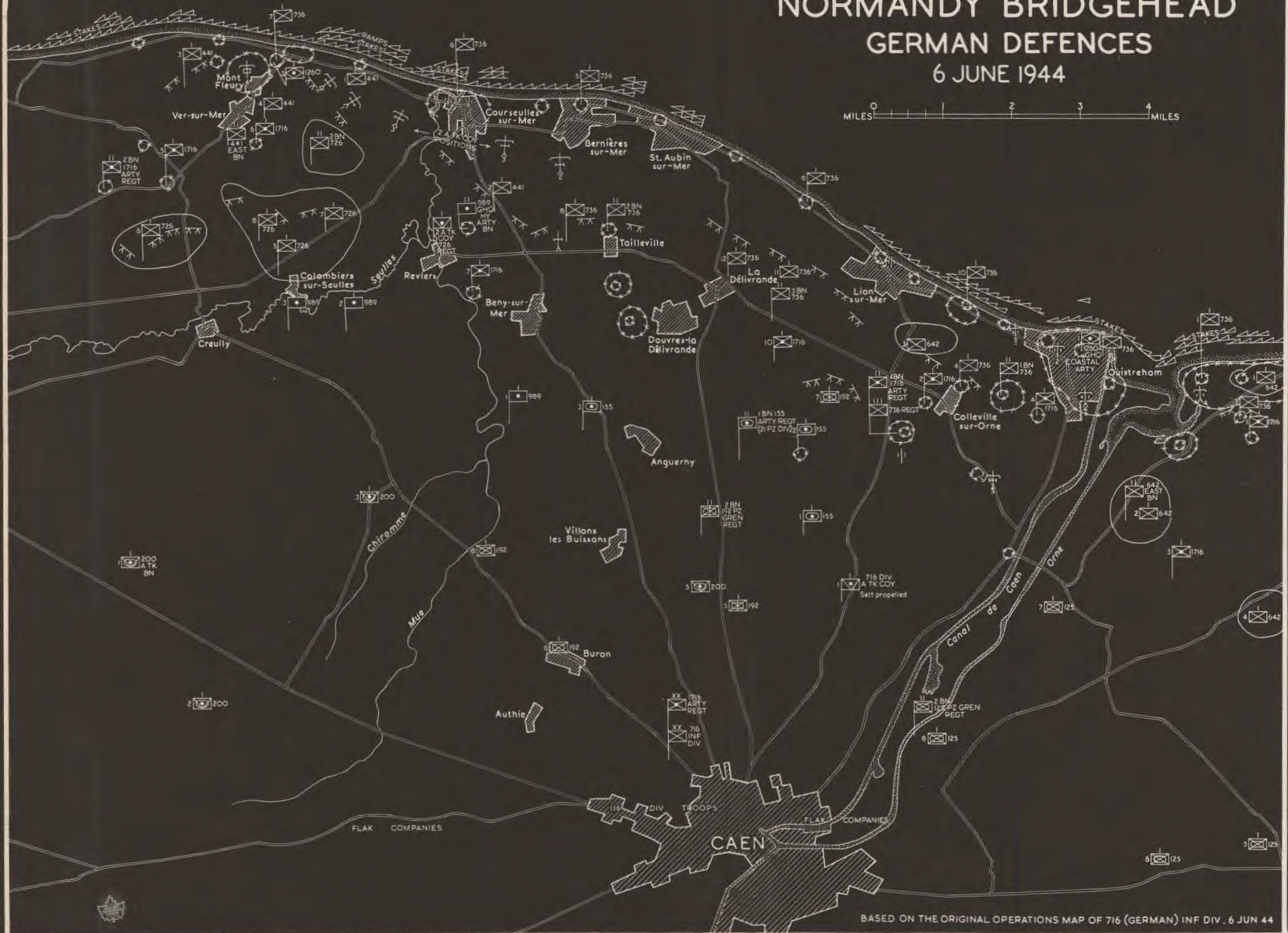
LEGEND	
Panzer:	
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PANZER GRENADIER.....1	
Infantry:	
FIELD.....17	} 48
LOWER ESTABLISHMENT.....24	
TRAINING.....7	
TOTAL.....58	

MILES 0 50 100 MILES



COMPILED FROM MAP 3
"NORMANDY TO THE BALTIC"

EASTERN FLANK OF THE NORMANDY BRIDGEHEAD GERMAN DEFENCES 6 JUNE 1944



BASED ON THE ORIGINAL OPERATIONS MAP OF 716 (GERMAN) INF DIV. 6 JUN 44

7 CDN INF BDE

8 CDN INF BDE

9 CDN INF BDE

LOVE

MIKE

NAN

OBOE

Green Red Green White Red
R WPG RIF "C" Coy I.C. SCOT R. "D" Coy "B" Coy REGINA RIF Q.O.R. OF C. N. SHORE R.



3 CDN INF DIV

The Assault

6 JUN 44

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MILES

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OPERATIONS OF ALLIED AIR FORCES

7-12 JUNE

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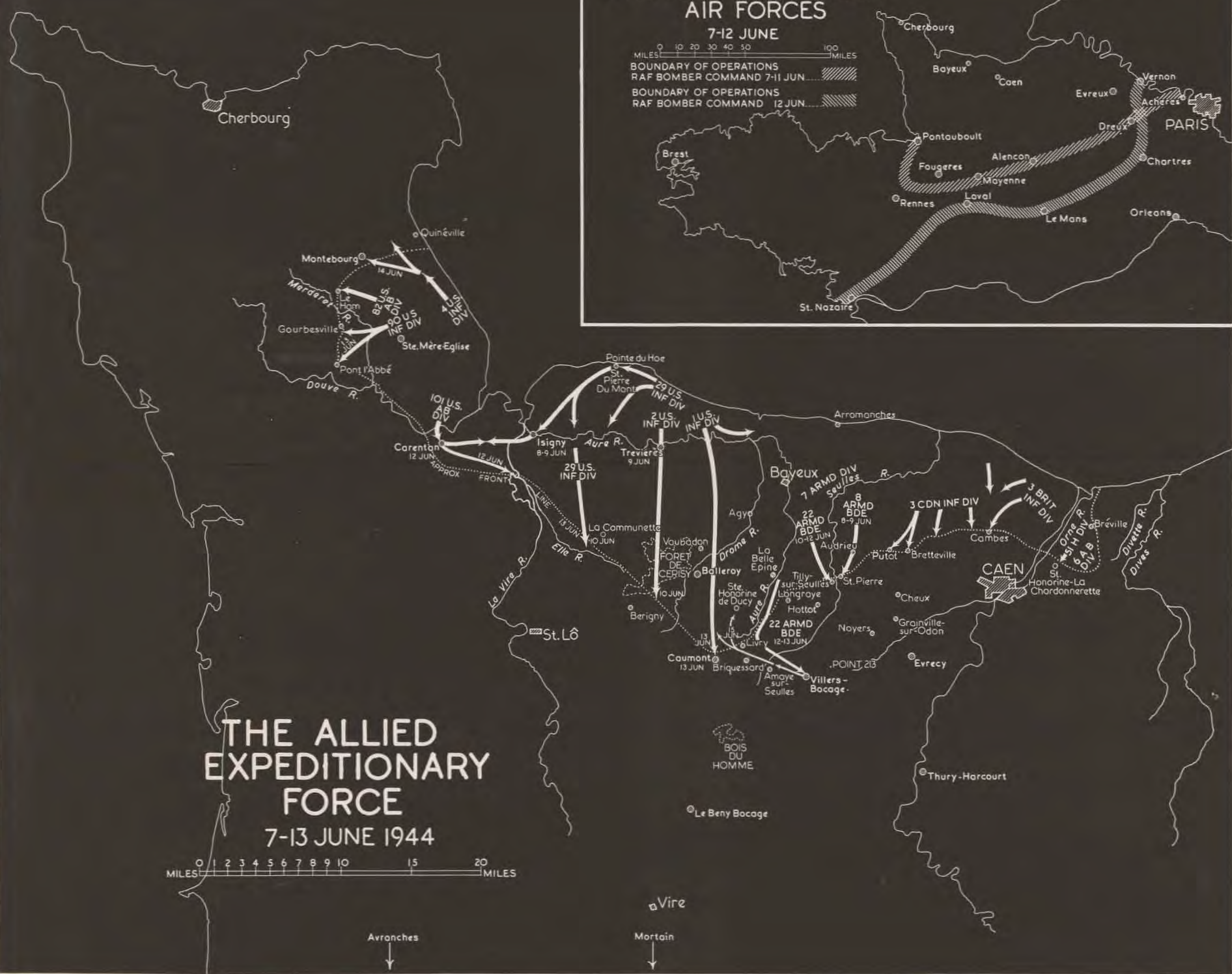
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THE ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

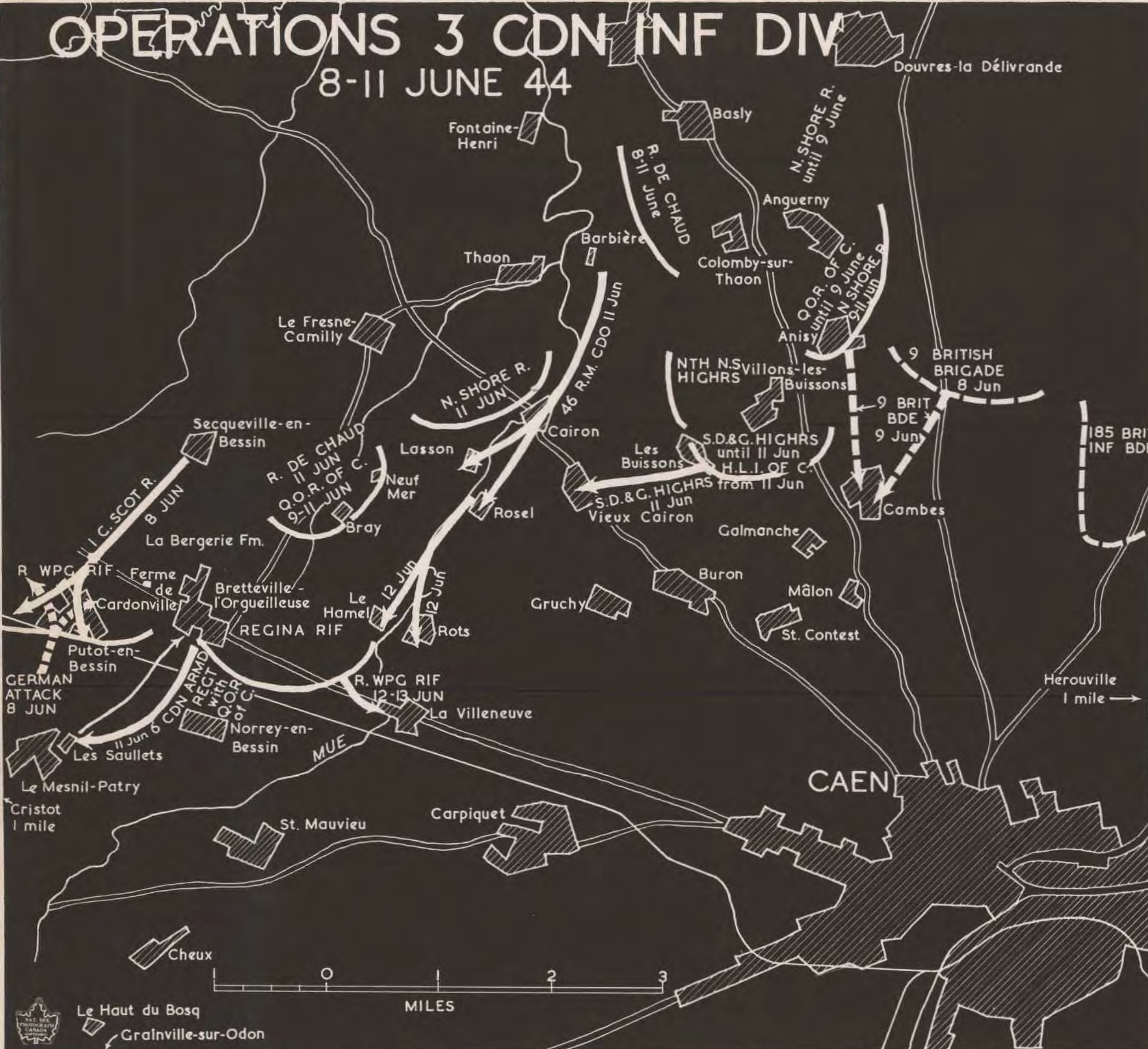
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OPERATIONS 3 CDN INF DIV

8-11 JUNE 44



Douvres-la Délivrande

Fontaine-Henri

Basly

Thoon

Le Fresne-Camilly

Secqueville-en-Bessin

La Bergerie Fm.

Bretteville-l'Orgueilleuse

REGINA RIF

GERMAN ATTACK 8 JUN

Le Mesnil-Patry
Cristot 1 mile

St. Mauvieu

Carpiquet

Cheux

Le Haut du Bosq

Grainville-sur-Odon



MILES



Douvres-la Délivrande

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MILES



R. DE CHAUD 8-11 June

N. SHORE R. until 9 June

Q.O.R. OF C. until 9 June

N. SHORE R. 9-11 June

N. SHORE R. 11 JUN

46 R.M. CDO 11 Jun

NTH N.S. Villons-les-Buissons HIGHRS

9 BRITISH BRIGADE 11 8 Jun

9 BRIT BDE 9 Jun

185 BRIT INF BDE

S.D.&G. HIGHRS until 11 Jun

S.D.&G. HIGHRS from 11 Jun

H.L.I. OF C.

Cambes

R. DE CHAUD 11 JUN

Q.O.R. OF C. 9-11 JUN

Lasson

Neuf Mer

Rosel

Cairon

Les Buissons

Vieux Cairon

Galmanche

Buron

Mâlon

St. Contest

Bray

Le Hamel

Rots

R. WPG RIF 12-13 JUN

La Villeneuve

Putot-en-Bessin

GERMAN ATTACK 8 JUN

11 Jun 6

Les Saullets

R. WPG RIF

Ferme de Cardonville

GERMAN ATTACK 8 JUN

Le Mesnil-Patry
Cristot 1 mile

Herouville 1 mile

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OPERATIONS OF ALLIED AIR FORCES

7-12 JUNE

MILES 0 10 20 30 40 50 100 MILES

BOUNDARY OF OPERATIONS
RAF BOMBER COMMAND 7-11 JUN

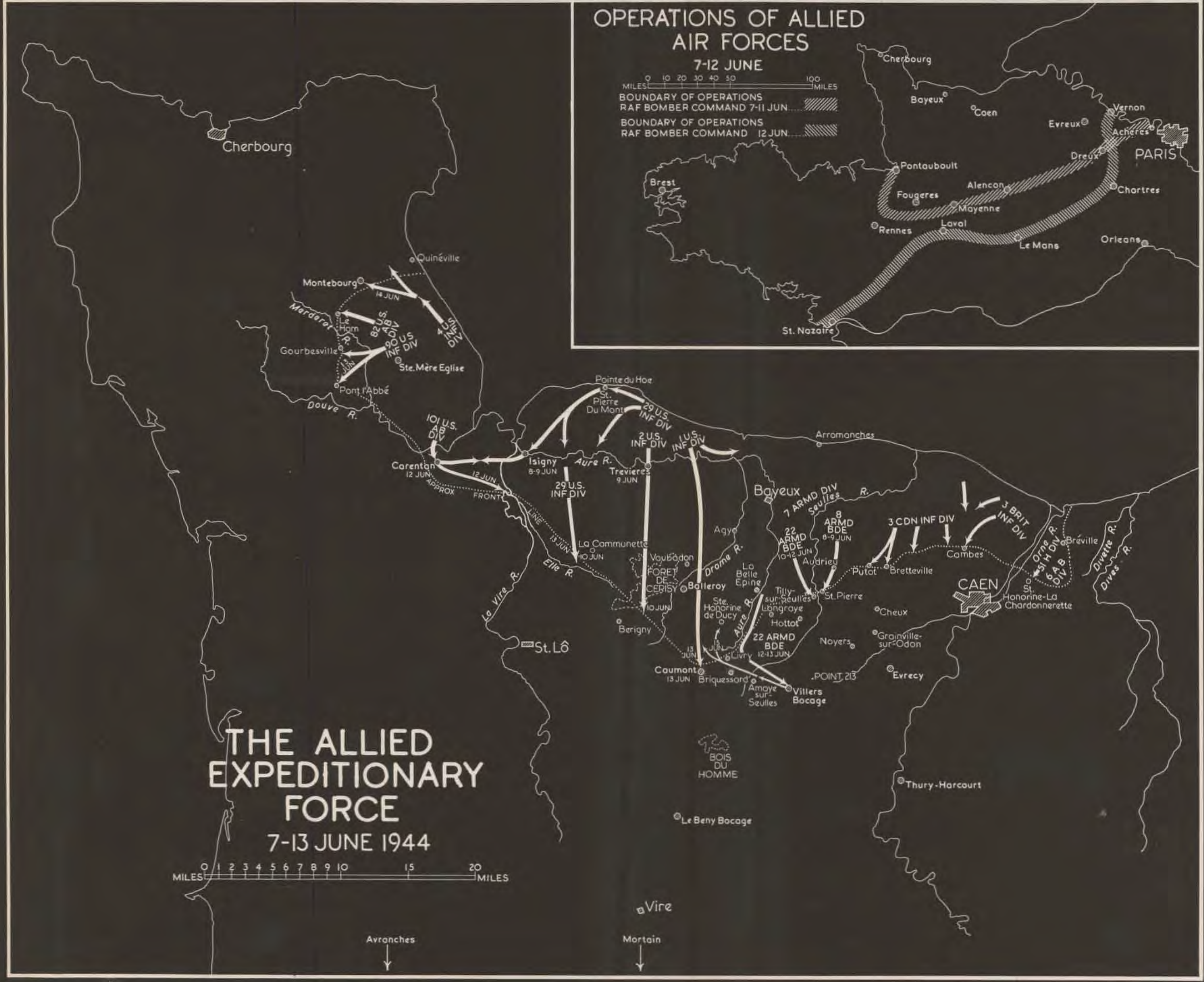
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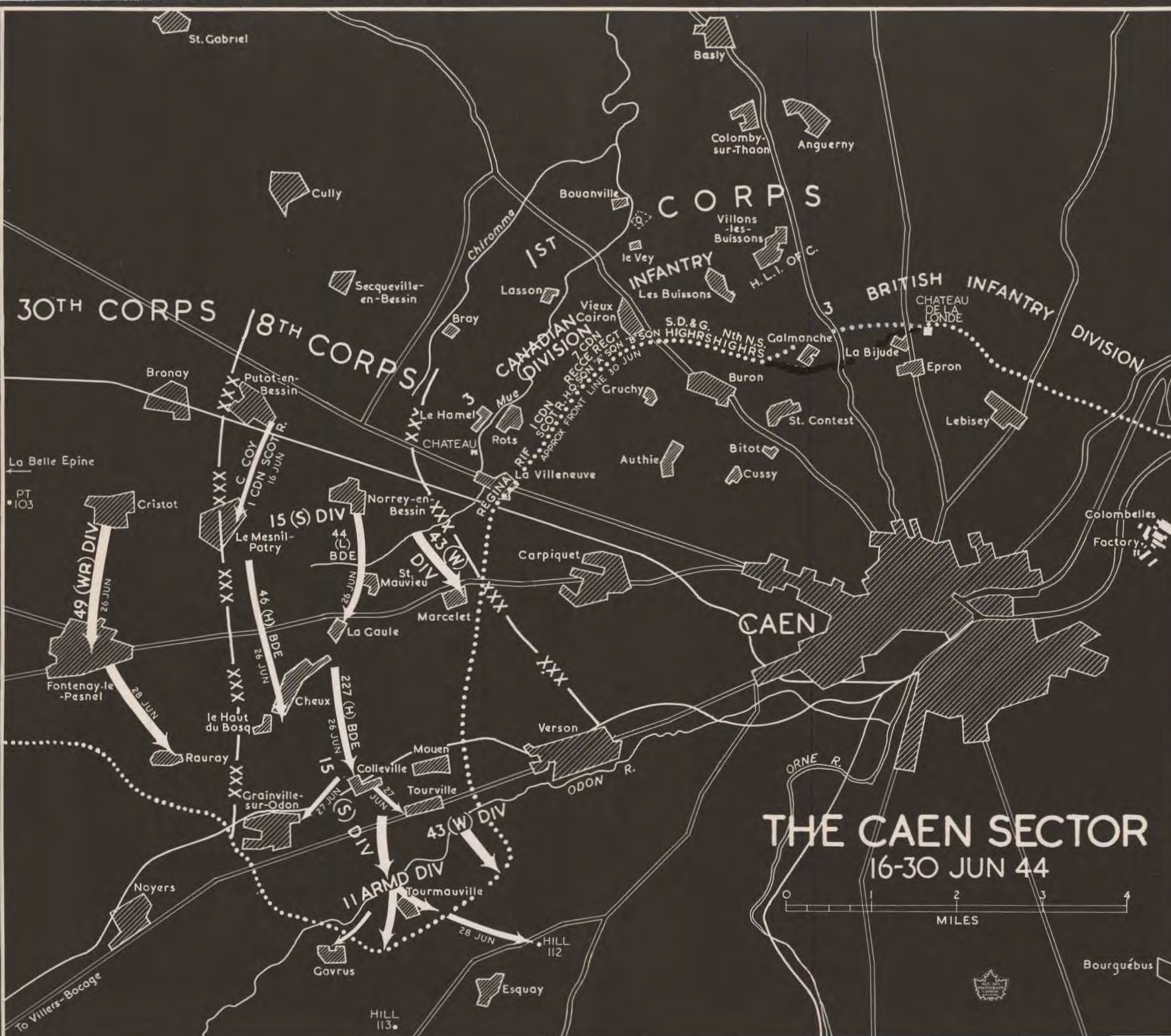


THE ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

7-13 JUNE 1944

MILES 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 15 20 MILES





30TH CORPS

8TH CORPS

1ST CORPS

INFANTRY

BRITISH INFANTRY DIVISION

CANADIAN DIVISION

CAEN

THE CAEN SECTOR

16-30 JUN 44



La Belle Epine
PT 103

To Villers-Bocage

Bourguébus

St. Gabriel, Basly, Colomby-sur-Thaon, Anguerny, Cully, Bouanville, Villons-les-Buissons, H.L.I. OF C., Secqueville-en-Bessin, Lasson, Vieux Cairon, Les Buissons, Le Vey, Bronay, Chirrome, Le Hamel, Rots, Gruchy, S.D.&G. Nth N.S. Galmanche, La Bijude, Epron, CHATEAU DE LA LONDE, Putot-en-Bessin, C. COY, I CDN SCOT R., 16 JUN, Mue, RIF, 1 CDN HO RECCE RECT, 7 CDN SON, 4 SON, 8 SON, APPROX FRONT LINE 30 JUN, Buron, St. Contest, Lebisey, Bronay, Cristot, Le Mesnil-Patry, 44 (L) BDE, 26 JUN, 43 (W) DIV, Carpiquet, Norrey-en-Bessin, St. Mauvieu, Marcelet, La Gaule, Verson, Fontenay-le-Pesnel, 49 (WR) DIV, 26 JUN, 28 JUN, le Haut du Bosq, Cheux, 46 (H) BDE, 26 JUN, 227 (H) BDE, 26 JUN, Rauray, Grainville-sur-Odon, 15 (S) DIV, 27 JUN, Mouen, Tourville, Colleville, 43 (W) DIV, 27 JUN, Tourmauville, 11 ARMD DIV, 28 JUN, Hill 112, Gavrus, Hill 113, Esquay, ORNE R., ODON R., Colombelles Factory, Bourguébus.