

The Hornet's Sting



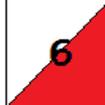
North of Dung Farm, Anzio Front Italy—January 30th, 1944:
Throughout the late evening of January 29th and into the dawn of January 30th, the Scots and Irish Guards Battalions had attempted to Open the road north of Dung Farm. Unfortunately, the Germans had taken a copy of the British attack plans from a dead British officer. The Guards assaults were thrown back. Now with the sun coming up, the exhausted Scots Guards assembled for one last attempt to open the road north.



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VICTORY CONDITIONS: The British win immediately by controlling Hex I9.

Board Configuration

Germans Setup First		1	2	3	4	5	6
British Move First							



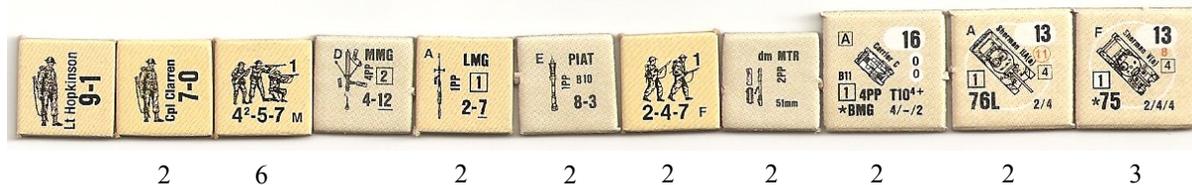
Elements of 7. / Panzer Grenadier Regiment 25 (ELR 4) (SAN 3)

Setup: Germans set up north of Hexes numbered < 14



Elements of the Scots Guards Battalion (ELR 3) (SAN 2)

Setup: Enter Turn 1 on the South Board Edge



Special Rules/Notes:

1. EC are moderate with no wind.
2. Place overlays as follows: RR2 on B13-B12, RR4 on B6-B5, K on D11-D12, O3 on D12-E-13, B2 on L14-M15, and Wd2 on M13-N13.
3. German Nashorn sets up HIP as well as 1 MMC with support weapons and/or SMC.
4. Place burned out wrecks in Hexes J15 and I17.
5. German MMC within 2 hexes of Lt. Paul Semrau (9-2) are fanatic. Should Lt. Semrau be KIA'd, all German MMC's within 2hexes must roll the Leader Loss Morale Check.
6. Lt. Semrau, having taken the British plan of attack off the body of a dead British Officer is aware of the attack, therefore, British units enter the board unconcealed. After turn 1, concealment can be gained as per normal.

Aftermath:

The Scots Guards attacks cost them three officers and forty-two other Ranks killed, with many more wounded. They had very nearly succeeded in breaking through the gap between the 3rd Panzer Grenadier Division and 65th Infantry Division. This two mile gap was ably defended by Lt. Paul Semrau with twenty men, two self-propelled guns and one tank destroyer. And it was Lt. Semrau himself who had discovered the British Plans. For his work over these two days, Lt. Semrau would be awarded the Knight's Cross.



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