

WARHAMMER MODERN BATTLES

Southwest attack on Carentan, Normandy 12th June 1944

After the successful attack of the 502nd Parachute Infantry Regiment, the 1st and 2nd battalions, 506th Parachute Infantry, moved out during the night of the 12th June. They reached their positions around Hill 30 (south of Carentan) and they bivouacked. At 0500, Colonel Sink ordered the 2nd Battalion to attack toward Carentan.

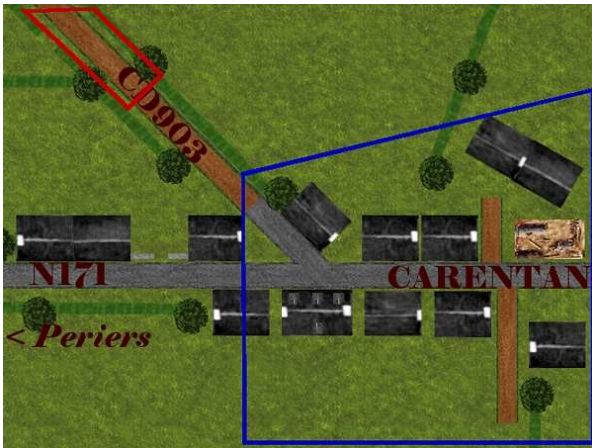
The 2nd Battalion, had moved out astride the main road, CD903 leading into Carentan from the southwest. The Easy Company led the way with the Fox Company on his left.



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(...)As we reached the outskirts of Carentan we started getting German rifle and machine gun fire. The houses in this area were somewhat like row houses except that there were enclosed stairways leading up to the second floors from the outside. I thought that we were getting sniper fire from one of the upstairs windows. Buck Taylor and I were working as a team at this point, checking and clearing the buildings and area as we went, so I told him that I would go up the stairway to that room and that after he had given me enough time to get to the top he should throw a grenade through the upstairs window. I would then jump into the room and finish off whoever was there.(...)

Red Area 2/506 Entry point / Blue Area 6 FJRgt deployment



The German player has to position a roadblock on the Periers road near the blue line. The US player plays first.

Victory Conditions

After 6 turns, if there are still FallschirmJägers fighting in the town, it's a German player victory. Otherwise it's a US Player's victory.

Special Rules

All US Paratroopers squads May re-roll their first Initiative test.
All squads May re-roll their first Morale test.

- German Order of Battle - Elements of FallschirmJäger Regiment 6

FJ HQ	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
NCO	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	9
Jäger x 3	Rifle	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8

FJ Team 1	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
NCO	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	2	3	2	9
Jäger x 4	Rifle	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8

FJ Team 2	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
NCO	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	2	3	2	8
Jäger x 4	Rifle	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8

FJ Team 3	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
NCO	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	9
Jäger	LMG (belt)	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8
Jäger	Assistant	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8

FJ Team 4	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
NCO	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8
Jäger	LMG (belt)	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8
Jäger	Assistant	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8

FJ Sniper 1	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
Jäger	Rifle	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8

FJ Sniper 2	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
Jäger	Rifle	5	3	4	3	3	1	3	1	8

- US Order of Battle -

E Company / 2nd Battalion 506th Parachute Infantry Regiment 101st Airborne Division

HQ	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
Lieutenant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	2	5	2	9
Sergeant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para x 4	SLR	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8

1 st Platoon HQ	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
Lieutenant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	9
Sergeant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para x 2	SLR	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para	Bazooka	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para	Loader	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8

1 st Platoon squads (x 2)	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
Sergeant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	9
Sergeant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para x 4	SLR	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para	MMG (belt)	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para	Assistant	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8

2 nd Platoon HQ	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
Lieutenant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Sergeant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para x 4	SLR	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8

2 nd Platoon squads (x 2)	Weapon	M	WS	BS	S	T	W	I	A	Ld
Sergeant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Sergeant	SMG	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para x 4	SLR	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para	MMG (belt)	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8
Para	Assistant	5	3	4	3	3	1	4	1	8