

German Infantry Battalion 'c'

KStN 111, 131c and 151c, etc.

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Composed of;

Battalion Headquarters	5 Officers, 15 men
Communication Detachment	(19 men)
Battle Train	(2 Officers, 20 men)
Rations Train	(8 men) <i>or</i> (10 men)
Baggage Train	(8 men) <i>or</i> (11 men)
Three Rifle Companies, each	4 Officers, 198 men <i>or</i> 4 Officers, 199 men
Company Headquarters	(1 Officer, 19 men) - (three anti-tank rifles)
Mortar Group	(21 men) - (two 8-cm mortars)
Three Platoons, each	(1 Officer, 45 men)
Company Trains	(23 men) <i>or</i> (24 men)
Machine Gun Company	5 Officers, 183 men
Company Headquarters	(1 Officer, 14 men)
Three MG Platoons, each	(1 Officer, 35 men) - (four heavy machine guns)
Mortar Platoon	(1 Officer, 47 men) - (four 12-cm mortars)
Company Trains	(17 men)
Total strength	871 all ranks (24 Officers and 847 men); motorised Trains
	879 all ranks (24 Officers and 855 men); horse-drawn Trains

Summary Table, German Infantry Battalion 'c', with amendments of May 1943

Detail	Battalion Headquarters			Total, Headquarters	Three Rifle Companies, each				Total, Rifle Company	Machine Gun Company				Total, MG Company	Total, Battalion
	Headquarters	Communication Detachment	Battalion Trains		Company HQ	8-cm Mortar Group	Three Rifle Platoons (each)	Company Trains		Company HQ	Three Heavy MG Platoons (each)	Heavy Mortar Platoon (12-cm)	Company Trains		
i). Personnel															
Officers	4	0	1	5	1	0	1	0	4	1	1	1	0	5	22
<i>Beamte</i> (Officials)	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
NCOs ('O' group)	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	2	7
NCOs ('G' group)	2	5	10	17	4	3	5	3	25	3	6	6	5	32	124
Privates ('M' group)	13	14	24	51	15	18	40	19	172	11	29	41	10	149	716
Total, all ranks	20	19	38	77	20	21	46	23	202	15	36	48	17	188	871
ii). Transport															
Riding horses	8	0	2	10	1	0	0	0	1	6	4	6	3	27	40
Draught horses	0	2	14	16	4	5	1	10	22	2	8	8	6	40	122
Infantry carts	0	0	0	0	0	10	2	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	48
Mortar carts	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Horse-drawn wagons	0	1	6	7	1	0	0	3	4	1	4	4	1	18	37
Kitchens (horse-drawn)	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	5
Bicycles	8	1	4	13	4	0	0	4	8	2	0	0	4	6	43
Motorcycles, solo	2	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Motorcycle combinations	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Light trucks	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Medium trucks	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
<i>Raupenschlepper Ost</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	4
iii). Weapons															
Pistols	6	1	9	16	4	6	10	7	47	4	13	16	7	66	223
Machine pistols	2	0	0	2	1	3	5	0	19	1	5	3	0	19	78
Rifles	12	18	29	59	16	12	32	16	140	11	19	30	10	108	587
Light machine guns	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	36
Heavy machine guns	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	12	12
Anti-tank rifles	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	9
8-cm mortars	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
12-cm mortars	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	4	4

Battalion Headquarters (5 Officers, 15 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Battalion commander	Officer - B	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	2
Battalion Adjutant	Officer - Z	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	2
Orderly officer	Officer - Z	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Battalion physician	Officer - K	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Paymaster	Official - Z	1	Pistol	1
			Bicycle	1
Battle clerk (also bugler)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
Messenger leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
			Bicycle	1
Mounted messenger*	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Mounted messenger	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Bicycle messenger	Soldier - M	6	Rifle	6
			Bicycle	6
Motorcycle messenger	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Motorcycle	2
Mounted horse holder	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			<i>Rides officer's spare horse</i>	
Horse holder	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
*also carries scissor scope	Total, all ranks	20		

Communication Detachment (19 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Detachment leader (also radio operator and telephonist)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
General Duty (for special use) ≠	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Wagon driver	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Wagon, Hf.1/1 (signal eqpt)	1
			Draught horse	2
<i>Two Telephone Troops, type 'a', each</i>				
Telephonist, Troop leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Telephonist	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
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Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Two Pack Radio Troops, type 'd', each				
Radio operator, Troop leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Radio operator	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Two Pack Radio Troops, type 'd', each				
Radio operator, Troop leader	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Radio operator	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Total, all ranks		19		

Battle Train (2 Officers, 20 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Assistant physician ≠	Officer - Z	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Senior armourer	Official - Z	1	Pistol	1
			Bicycle	1
Armament NCO (armourer)	Non-commissioned - O	1	Pistol	1
			Bicycle	1
Battle Train leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Field cook NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Equipment NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Rations NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Senior blacksmith	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
Medical NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
			Motorcycle & sidecar	1
Assistant armourer*	Soldier - M	2	Pistol	2
Equipment administration* ≠	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Blacksmith*	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
Field cook* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Cartwright (wheelwright)*	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Horse holder*	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Wagon driver	Soldier - M	6	Rifle	6
			Army wagon, Hf.1	1
			Draught horse	2
			for entrenching tools	
			Army wagon, Hf.1	1
			Draught horse	2
			for medical equipment	
			Smiths' wagon, Hf.1/13	1
			Draught horse	2
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Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
			Armourers' wagon, Hf.1/14	1
			Draught horse	2
			Field kitchen, small, Hf.12 or 14	1
			Draught horse	2
			Horse-drawn wagon	1
			equipment	
			Draught horse	2
*is, or includes 1, wagon escort	Total, all ranks	22		

Rations Train (8 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
<i>Echelon I</i>				
Rations NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Wagon driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Wagon escort	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Horse-drawn wagon	1
			Draught horse	2
<i>Echelon II</i>				
Rations NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Motorcycle	1
Vehicle driver	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
Vehicle escort * (2 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Light truck (1.5-ton)	2
*1 also a mechanic	Total, all ranks	8		

Baggage Train (8 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Battalion clerk	Non-commissioned - O	1	Pistol	1
Leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Motorcycle	1
Pay clerk	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Clerk	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Saddler (MG Company)* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Shoemaker (MG Company)* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Tailor (MG Company)* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Vehicle driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Medium truck (3-ton)	1
*1 of these also a vehicle escort	Total, all ranks	8		

Alternative Trains where only horse-drawn transport used**Rations Train (10 men)**

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
<i>Echelon I</i>				
Rations NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Wagon driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Wagon escort	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Horse-drawn wagon	1
			Draught horse	2
<i>Echelon II</i>				
Leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Wagon driver (3 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
Wagon escort	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
			Horse-drawn wagon	3
			Draught horse	6
Total, all ranks		10		

Baggage Train (11 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Battalion clerk	Non-commissioned - O	1	Pistol	1
			Bicycle	1
Leader (also for all Battalion Baggage Trains)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Pay clerk	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Clerk*	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Saddler (MG Company)* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Shoemaker (MG Company)* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Tailor (MG Company)* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Wagon driver (4 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	4	Rifle	4
			Horse-drawn wagon	4
			Draught horse	8
*also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	11		

Three Rifle Companies (4 Officers, 186 men), each

Company Headquarters (1 Officer, 19 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Company commander	Officer - K	1	Pistol & machine pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Company (HQ) Troop leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Leader, combat vehicles	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Equipment NCO*	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Messenger (1 also bugler)	Soldier - M	4	Rifle	4
Bicyclist	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Bicycle	2
Horse holder	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Driver from saddle (1 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Equipment wagon, Hf.7/11	1
			Draught horse	4
<i>Anti-tank rifle Troop</i>				
Troop leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Anti-tank rifle gunner	Soldier - M	3	Pistol	3
			Anti-tank rifle	3
Ammunition bearer	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
*also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	20		

8-cm Mortar Group (21 men) (reconstruction)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Group leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
(Messenger	Soldier - M	1	(Rifle <u>or</u>	1
<u>or</u> Rangetaker)			Pistol)	1
Horse leader	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Infantry cart, Jf.8	2
			Draught horse	1
Two Troops, each				
Troop leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
Mortar leader	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
			8-cm mortar	1
Mortar crewman	Soldier - M	2	Pistol	2
Mortar crewman	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
Horse leader	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Infantry cart, Jf.8	4
			Draught horse	2
	Total, all ranks	21		

Three Rifle Platoons (1 Officer, 45 men), each

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Headquarters				
Platoon commander	Officer - Z	1	Pistol & machine pistol	1
Platoon (HQ) Leader ≠	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
Messenger (1 also bugler)	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
Horse leader	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Draught horse	1
			Infantry cart, Jf.8	2
Four Squads, each				
Squad leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
Rifleman & machine gunner	Soldier - M	6	Rifle	6
Rifleman & machine gunner	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
			Light machine gun	1
Rifleman & machine gunner	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
Rifleman & machine gunner	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Total, all ranks		46		

Battle Train (17 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Senior NCO	Non-commissioned - O	1	Pistol	1
			Bicycle	1
Battle Train leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Medical NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
			Bicycle	1
Rifleman (wagon escort)*	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
Clerk	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Field cook* (1 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
Assistant armourer	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
Stretcher-bearer	Soldier - M	4	Pistol	4
Wagon driver (2 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Wagon, Hf.7/11 (equipment) <i>for pack backs</i>	2
			Draught horse	4
Driver from saddle (1 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Field kitchen, large, Hf.11 or 13	1
			Draught horse	4
*1 also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks			17

Rations Train (2 men)*(Echelon II of Rations Train provided by Battalion Headquarters)*

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
<i>Echelon I</i>				
Rations leader*	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Wagon driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Horse-drawn wagon	1
			Draught horse	2
*also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	2		

Baggage Train (4 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Pay clerk (Leader)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
Tailor* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Shoemaker* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Vehicle driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Light truck (2-ton)	1
*1 of these also a vehicle escort	Total, all ranks	4		

Alternative Baggage Train where only horse-drawn transport used**Baggage Train (5 men)**

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Pay clerk (Leader)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle	1
			Bicycle	1
Tailor* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Shoemaker* (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Wagon driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Horse-drawn wagon	2
			Draught horse	4
*also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	5		

Machine Gun Company (5 Officers, 183 men)

Company Headquarters (1 Officer, 14 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Company commander	Officer - K	1	Pistol & machine pistol	1
			Riding horse	2
Leader (ranging & weather)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Observation NCO (scissor scope)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Fodder master (vehicle leader)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Mounted messenger (also bugler)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Messenger (and telephonist)*	Soldier - M	6	Rifle	6
Bicyclist	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Bicycle	2
Mounted horse holder	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			<i>Rides officer's spare horse</i>	
Wagon driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Machine gun wagon, Jf.5	1
			<i>(or Jf.3 or field wagon Hf.1)</i>	
			(ammunition & equipment)	
			Draught horse	2
*1 also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	15		

Three Heavy Machine Gun Platoons (1 Officer, 35 men), each

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Headquarters				
Platoon commander	Officer - Z	1	Pistol & machine pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Group leader (also aiming circle)	Non-commissioned - G	2	Pistol	2
(1 post ≠)			Riding horse	2
Rangetaker (1 post ≠)	Soldier - M	2	Pistol	2
Messenger	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
Mounted horse holder	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Wagon driver (Hiwi)*	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Machine gun wagon, Jf.5	2
			Draught horse	4
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Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Wagon driver (Hiwi)*	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
			Machine gun wagon, Jf.5 (or ammunition wagon, Hf.1)	2
			Draught horse	4
Four Guns, each				
Machine gun leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
Machine gunner	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
			Heavy machine gun	1
Machine gun crewman	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
Machine gun crewman	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
Total, all ranks		36		

*A total of 3 wagon drivers within the Platoon may be Hiwis

12-cm Mortar Platoon (part motorised) (1 Officer, 47 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Headquarters				
Platoon commander	Officer - Z	1	Pistol & machine pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Aiming circle I NCO (+scissor scope)	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Aiming circle II	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Rangetaker	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
			Riding horse	1
Mounted messenger	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Mounted horse holder	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
			Riding horse	1
Ammunition Detachment				
Wagon driver (4 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	4	Rifle	4
			Ammunition wagon, Hf.1	4
			Draught horse	8
Wagon escort	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
(with Mortars)				
Position NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Machine pistol	1
Messenger	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Telephonist (2 also radio operators)	Soldier - M	4	Rifle	4
Assistant armourer*	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
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Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
<i>Four Mortars, each (see notes)</i>				
Mortar leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol 12-cm mortar	1 1
Mortar crewman	Soldier - M	2	Pistol	2
Mortar crewman	Soldier - M	3	Rifle	3
Vehicle driver	Soldier - M	1	Rifle <i>Raupenschlepper Ost</i>	1 1
*also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	48		

Battle Train (14 men)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
Senior NCO	Non-commissioned - O	1	Pistol Riding horse	1 1
Armament NCO (armourer)	Non-commissioned - O	1	Pistol Bicycle	1 1
Battle Train leader	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle Riding horse	1 1
Equipment NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle Bicycle	1 1
Senior blacksmith	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol Riding horse	1 1
Medical NCO	Non-commissioned - G	1	Pistol Bicycle	1 1
Clerk	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Assistant armourer	Soldier - M	2	Pistol	2
Blacksmith	Soldier - M	1	Pistol	1
Cook* (1 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle	2
Driver from saddle (1 Hiwi)	Soldier - M	2	Rifle Field kitchen, large, Hf.11 or 13 Draught horse	2 1 4
*1 also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	14		

Rations Train (3 men)

(Echelon II of Rations Train provided by Battalion Headquarters)

Detail	Rank	No.	Weapon/Vehicle/Other	No.
<i>Echelon I</i>				
Pay clerk	Non-commissioned - G	1	Rifle Bicycle	1 1
Rations leader*	Soldier - M	1	Rifle	1
Wagon driver (Hiwi)	Soldier - M	1	Rifle Horse-drawn wagon Draught horse	1 1 2
*also a wagon escort	Total, all ranks	3		

Notes

Battalion Headquarters

1. Includes 3 men trained as assistant stretcher-bearers.
2. Of the Position Group "G" NCOs, 3 are *Feldwebel*.
3. Forms a Gas Warning Troop of 1 Leader and 3 men.
4. One Officer is responsible for Gas warfare readiness.
5. One NCO is detailed as Gas warfare NCO.

Each Rifle Company

6. Includes 4 men trained as assistant stretcher-bearers.
7. Of the Position Group "G" NCOs, 3 are *Oberfeldwebel* and 4 *Feldwebel*.
8. The Company forms a Gas Warning Troop of 1 Leader and 3 men.
9. 1 NCO in the Company is responsible for the unit gas equipment.
10. The machine pistols, anti-tank rifles, light machine guns and 5-cm mortars in the Rifle Platoons and Companies are dependent upon availability and delivery.
11. Infantry carts will be assigned after they have been accrued. Requests for them by Units are prohibited. Until the carts are allocated interim loading to be based on 3 Hf7/11 and one Hf.1 (or replacement) wagons as held.
12. Where Company Headquarters is issued with ten Jf.8 infantry carts instead of one Hf.7/11 wagon the following additions to be made; 3 horse leaders and 1 draught horse - Comment; presumably the now five draught horses would each pull two carts, with the four saddle drivers becoming horse leaders, augmented by the extra such soldier.

Machine Gun Company

13. Includes 8 men trained as assistant stretcher-bearers.
14. Of the Position Group "G" NCOs, 8 are *Oberfeldwebel* and 7 *Feldwebel*.
15. The Company forms a Gas Warning Troop of 1 NCO and 3 men.
16. 1 NCO in the Company is responsible for the unit gas equipment.
17. The MG Company Baggage Train is included in the Battalion Headquarters Baggage Train.

12-cm Mortar Platoon

18. The Platoon includes 4 men trained as assistant stretcher-bearers.
19. Of the Position Group "G" NCOs 1 is a *Feldwebel*.
20. The Platoon is administered by the MG Company.
21. Equipped with ammunition trailers as far as available.
22. Where the Platoon is equipped with three Mortars the following posts are deleted;

- 1 Mortar Leader
- 5 Mortar crewmen and one 12-cm mortar
- 1 Driver and 1 *Raupenschlepper Ost*
- 1 wagon driver and one wagon with two horses
- 1 wagon escort

General

23. Unless otherwise stated, all horse-drawn wagons are noted as being a replacement (of the 'traditional' type) for the Hf.1 wagon.

A ≠ symbol in the foregoing denotes 'Blocked Posts', as notified from November 1942;

24. In Battalion Headquarters the general dutyman in the Communication Detachment, and the Assistant Physician and Equipment administrator in the Battle Train.

25. In each Rifle Platoon of each Rifle Company, the Platoon NCO.

26. In the MG Company, one Group Leader and one rangetaker in each MG Platoon, and the Platoon NCO in the 8-cm Mortar Platoon.