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This list is a British Infantry Company list for the 50th "Tyne and Tee's" Infantry Division pdf on the Battlefront Website. All units are rated as Confident Veteran, unless otherwise noted.

D. Company 1/6 Battalion, Green Howards

Co. HQ 30 pts.

CSM Stan Hollis (also a pdf on the site) 25 pts.

1st Platoon (full strength) 175 pts.

2nd Plt (full) 175 pts.

3rd Plt. (2 squads) 135 pts.

AT plt (4x 6 pdrs) (Weapons choice) 150 pts.

Heavy Mortar Plt. (4x 4.2" tubes) (Support) 185 pts.

AT Plt. RA (SP) (4x M-10's) (Support) 320 pts.

Carrier Plt. (3x Uni Carriers w/.50 cal. HMG's) (Weapons) 120 pts.

Limited Air Support 170 pts.

Total Points: 1485

Total number of platoons: 7

A short unit history:

1/6 Battalion "The Green Howards" landed on Gold Beach with the rest of the 50th Infantry Division to open the invasion of France, along with the other Allied units. The 50th had earned a reputation as a solid unit and gained vital combat experience helping to defeat Rommel in North Africa and during the invasion of Sicily. It was then sent to Great Britain to train for the invasion of North-West Europe. D company had as it's objective the Mont_Fleury Battery, a German Position with heavy artillery in concrete bunkers, so Allied Intelligence believed. During it's advance towards the battery, D company met with heavy German resistance. They managed to fight through and get into position to assault the battery when the company commander, Major Lofthouse, noticed fire coming his units rear. He quickly determined that the fire was from bypassed German positions. He discussed this w/ the Company Sergeant-Major, Stan Hollis, and Hollis then took off on his towards the enemy. Hollis used his Sten smg and hand grenades to clear 2 bunkers, a trenchline and take numerous German POW's. For this, and other actions on D-Day Hollis was awarded the Victoria Cross, the only person to earn that award on June 6th. The battery was taken and it turned out that the position had never actually been finished. By the end of D-Day the 6th Battalion had advanced about 2 miles inland and settled down into defensive positions for the night. The famed Desert Rats, the 7th Armored Division, landed on Gold behind the Green Howards to help continue the Allied advance into France.

Now for a little historical fiction:

June 9th, 1944. CSM Hollis had been told to take D Company and advance toward Hill 171, a small hill overlooking a vital crossroads. The Germans were believed to have an infantry platoon on the hill, along with some light anti-tank support. German armor had also been reported in the general vicinity of the hill. Hollis was in charge as Major Lofthouse, the C.O., had been lightly wounded the previous day and was still in the aid station. The next ranking officer was a new lieutenant with very little combat and this mission was meant to give him a little. The higher ups hoped that a small combat patrol could brush aside the German resistance and take the hill with a minimum of personnel and time loss. D company had been beefed with the addition of quite a bit of battalion, as well as divisional support. Hollis had also been told if heavy resistance

was found he could rely on RAF Typhoon's to help out. So early that morning Hollis and his company set out for the hill, not knowing what exactly the Germans had in store for them.