

“J” Special Company RE
Appendix No 23

ERVILLERS 28/8/17

Projector Attack

- (1) It is proposed to install 1000 projectors at U.19.a to fire four groups of gas drums on the portion of the HINDENBURG SUPPORT LINE from U.20.b.7.5. to U.14.a.7.2.

This line contains dug outs along its whole length, and is usually occupied by the enemy in strength.

- (2) A certain number of projectors have been salvaged from the VI Corps front, and the requisite number will be available shortly. 754 are dug in at the position, and the work is being carried on as quickly as possible. The projectors are taken up on the trench tramway, and trucks with pushing parties are required for this work.
- (3) 1000 Drums are available for this operation, and these can be taken up by G.S, Wagons, or they can be taken up the light railway and trench tramway to the point where the projectors are dug in. No carrying parties are necessary for this part of the operation.
- (4) WIND
The wind limits for this operation are, W. to S by W.
- (5) The progress of this operation will be reported to 16th DIV, and further details will be submitted when the projectors are dug in and ready for the drums.