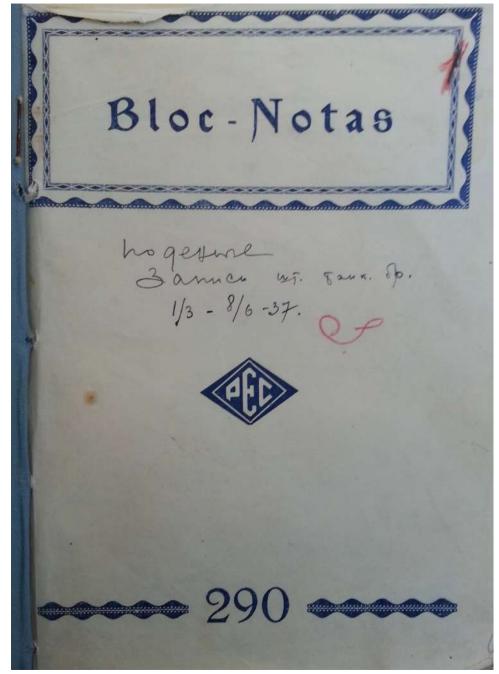
Combat diary of GLAZIEV's tank brigade in Spain, 01.03.1937 - 08.06.1937



01 March @14:00. The division A got 6 tanks and the division B got 6 tanks for common operations. The rest of the tasks were relocated to Nuevo Baztan for repairs.

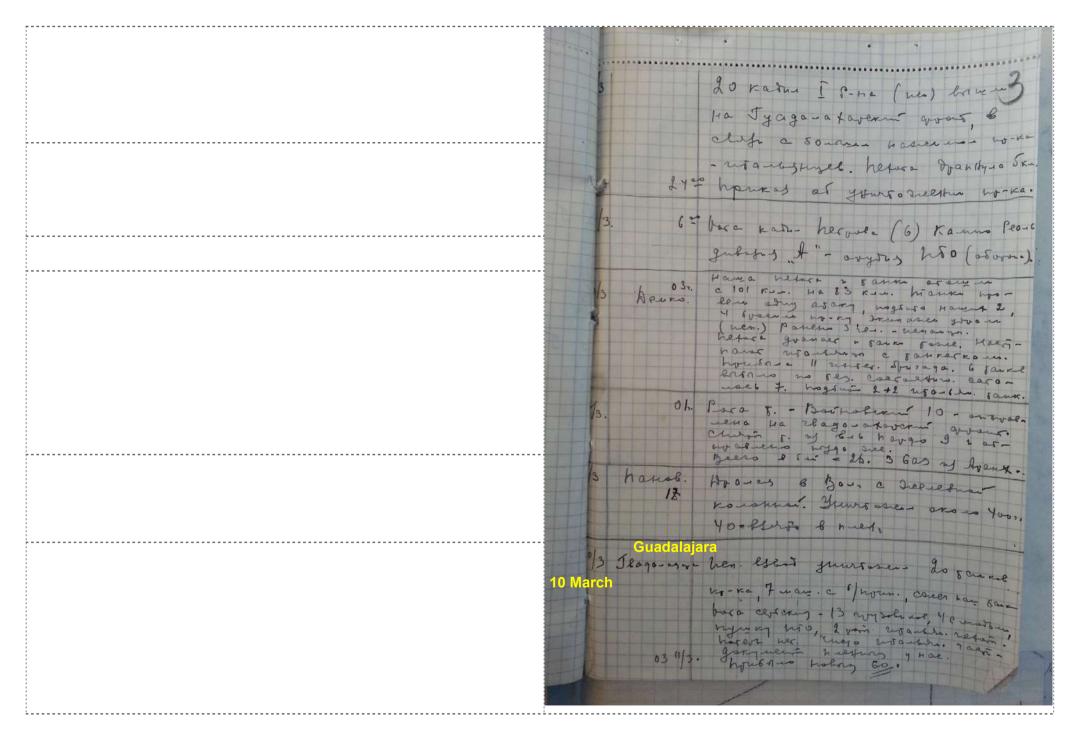
02 March GLAZIEV:

Division B sector - no tank attacks were launched. Quiet on the frontline.

05 March GLAZIEV:

1 tank attack launched on the sector of 24 brigade. During the night time 20:00-24:00, GLAZIEV's tank regiment (Morata) and the village Nuevo Baztan were under enemy air bombardment. We had no losses. A dog and a puppy were killed in Nuevo Baztan. 14 bombs dropped.

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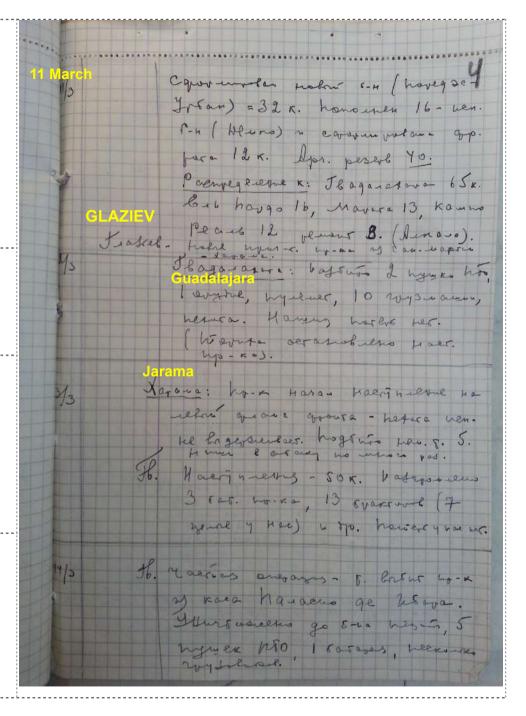
Jarama: The enemy launched an offensive on our left flank. The Spanish infantry cannot hold the line. 5 German tanks knocked out. Attacked many times.

Guadalajara: Offensive - 50 tanks. 3 enemy attalions defeated, 13 tractors (of which, we captured 7 intact). We had no losses.

14 March:

Guadalajara: Local operation - tanks pushed the enemy out of Casa Palacio de Ibarra. Destroyed up a battalion of enemy infantry, 5 anti-tank cannons, 1 battery, several trucks.

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04 March: Losses: A company

commander killed, 2 wounded. Spanish troops acted without the knowledge of the front and corps commanders.

Many of them were captured as POWs (150 men).

Jarama: Only the tanks hold the enemy offensive.

1 German tanks destroyed. We had no losses. Received reinforcement 7 tanks from El Pardo. Total strength 20.

Jarama: The 66 and 17 brigades (Spanish) don't fight at all. The tanks have to restore the situation. A lot of enemy troops killed, 1 German tank hit.

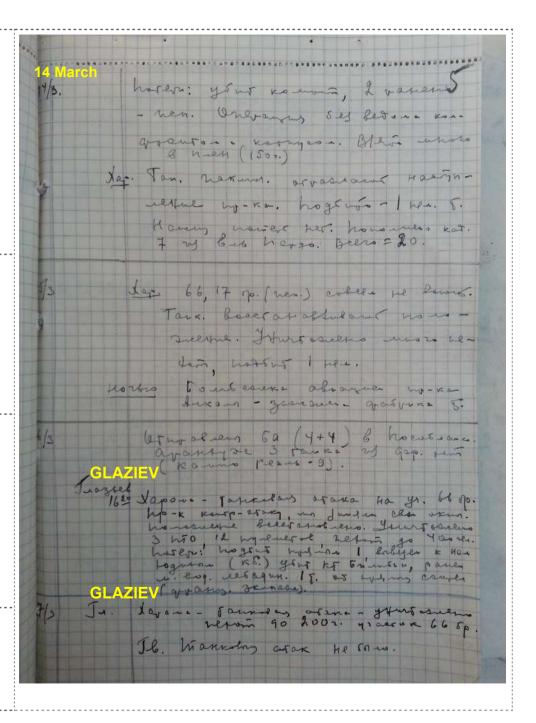
16 March GLAZIEV

@16:20 **Jarama**: Our tank attack on the sector of 6 brigade. The enemy counter- attacks. We captured our lost trenches and restored the situation.Destroyed: 3 anti-tank cannons, 12 MGs, up to 400 enemy troops. Our losses: 1 tank knocked out with a direct hit. It was evacuated by tank commander YUDIN. The tank commander BILIBIN is KIA, mechanic-driver LEBADIN is WIA.

17 March GLAZIEV

Jarama: Our tank attack. Destroyed up to 200 enemy troops in the sector of 66 brigade.

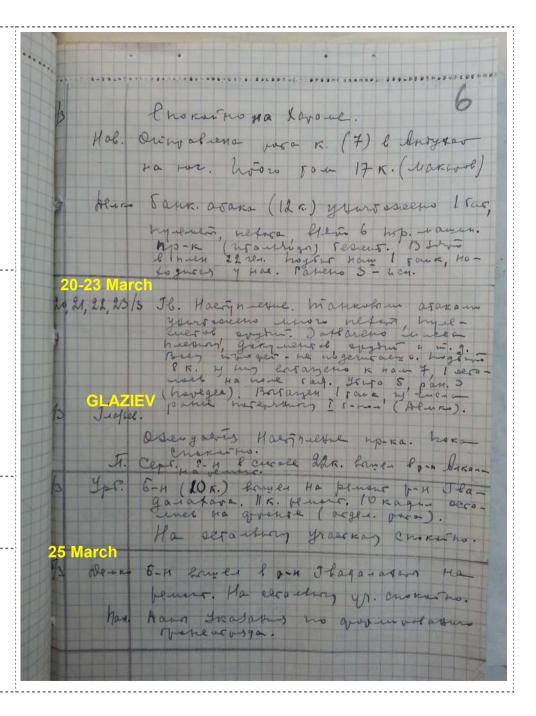
Guadalajara: No tank attacks.



20-23 March Guadalajara: Our tank attacks destroyed a lot of enemy troops, machine-guns, and cannons. Really many POWs captured, many documents, cannons, etc. Difficult to account for all the war booty. 8 tanks (carros?) hit, of which 7 were evacuated (1 left on the battlefield). 5 KIA, 3 WIA. 1 previously lost tank recovered (DEMKO)

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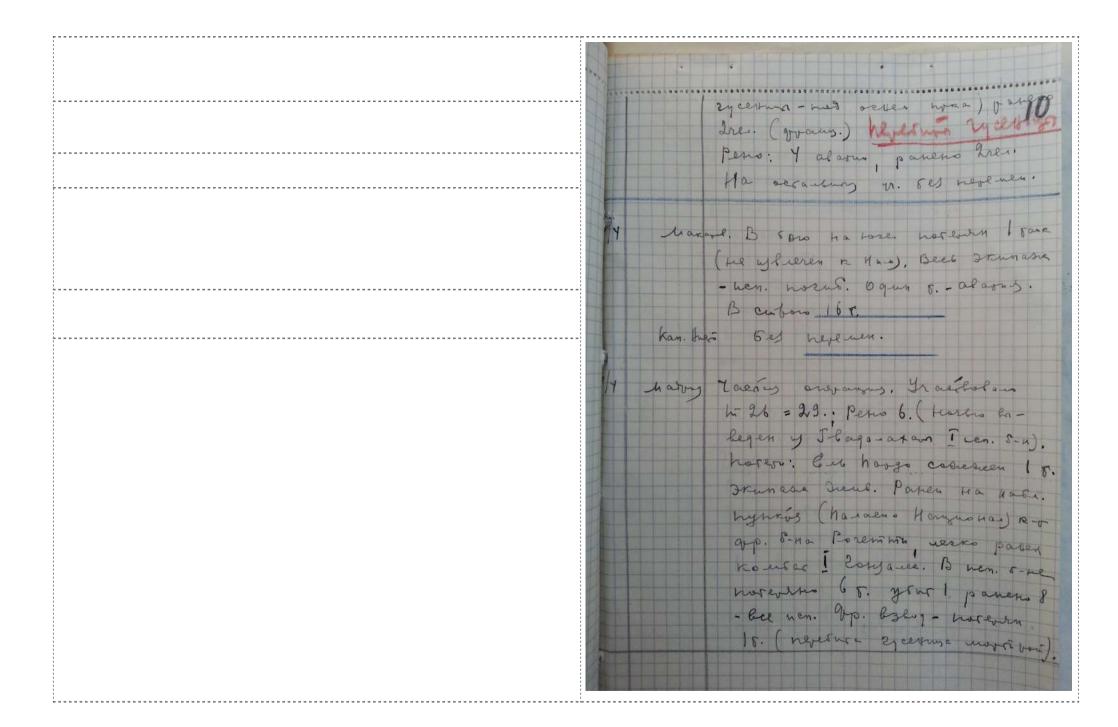
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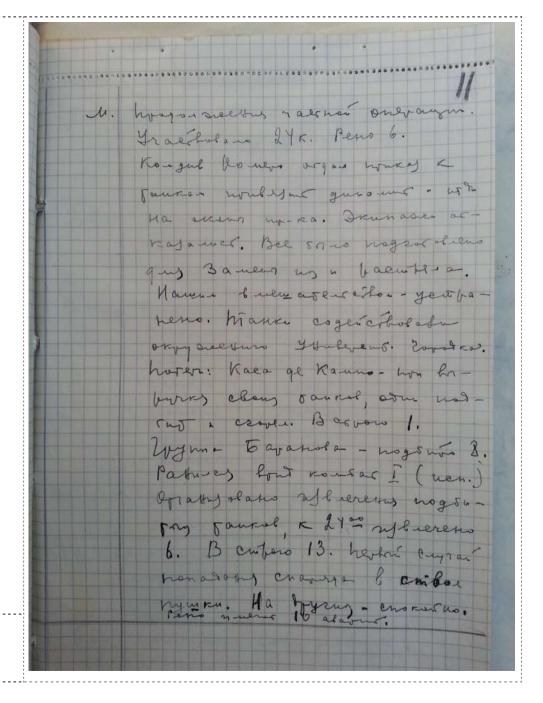
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11 April Madrid:

The local operation continues. Participated 24 K (K = Carros?, meaning 24 T-26 tanks) plus 6 Renault tanks. Division commander Comero gave order to attach High Explosive charges to the tanks and drive toward enemy trenches. The tank crews rejected the order. All was repared to replace the tank crews and shoot them. Our intervention prevented the execution. The tanks assisted in flanking and encircling the University compound. Losses: In Casa de Campo, 1 our tank was hit and burnt, while trying to help our other tanks in trouble.

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11 April GLAZIEV:

Jarama: It is quiet. 2 perviously hit tanks were evacuated. During the recovery operation, mechanic-driver ZHAROV was killed while reporting a track.

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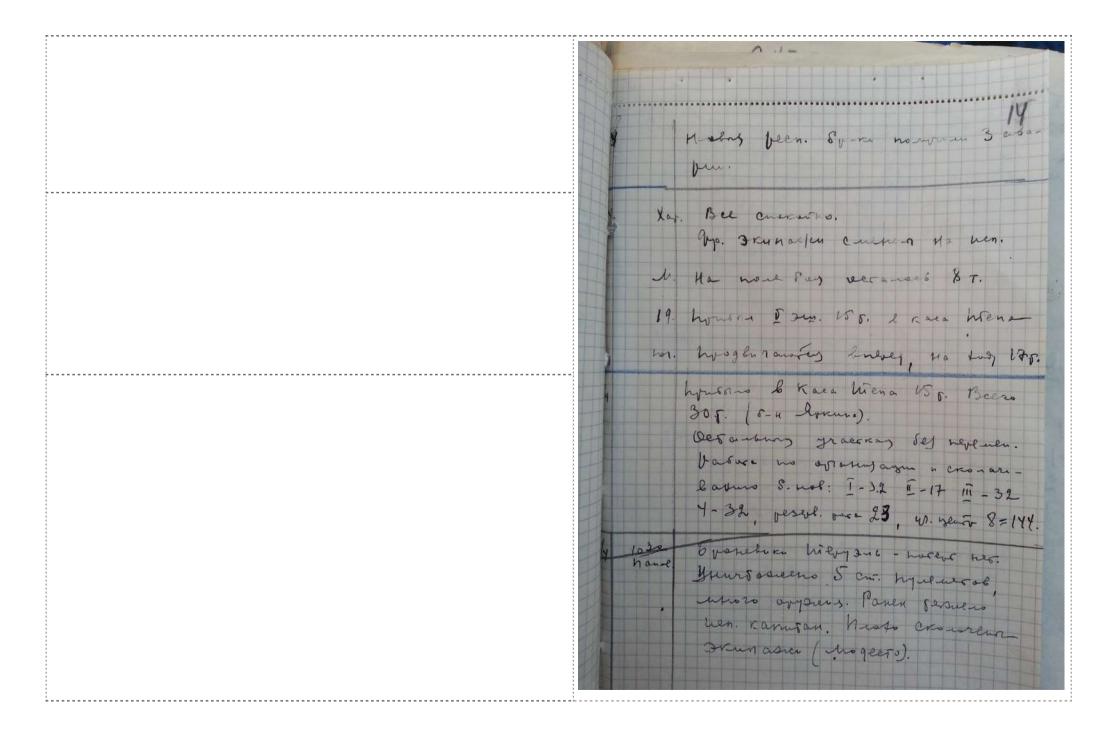
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12 April GLAZIEV:

Jarama: A tank attack performed. Destroyed 3 machineguns, 1 anti-tank cannon, a battery. A nurse wounded.

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Tank battalions reorganised: 1 batt 49 tanks, 2 batt. 36 tanks, 3 batt. 45 tanks, 4 batt. 39 tanks, reserve 18 tanks, school 8 tanks, repair workshop 3 tanks. Total 198 tanks. 3 German tanks arrived from the front for repairs.

09 May GLAZIEV:

According to the order from VM, 21 tanks were sent to Cabeza del Buey (commander IBANEZ).

10 May GLAZIEV:

21 K (K = Carros?) returned back to the station Aranjuez to the camp.

