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XXXX		army		
XXX		corps		
XX		division		cavalry
X		brigade		infantry
X		brigade		
III		regiment		
II		battalion		

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