

61/77PANZERS ON THE RANGE.

Men of the German 84th Tank Battalion are nearing the end of their short training period at Castlemartin. They were experts in battle manoeuvres before they came to South Wales; what they lacked was firing practice. Now, under the eye of their C.O., Colonel von Kleist, they took advantage of the excellent range facilities now open to them.

At the end of the session they'd fired nearly 16 hundred rounds with the 90mm. guns and registered 70% direct hits. Machine-gun instruction is also being taken. Events foreseen by few people when the war ended, have made the Germans our Allies in NATO. As they're noted for being thorough, we can be sure they'll be highly efficient.