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#### **Operation Pegasus**

But these efforts were far too late to have any effect on the battles taking place after and the following breakout into France. The would be flown to the captured on D+5.

# **Operation Market Garden**

The division resumed its advance about 18 hours later, at noon in daylight with reinforcements from Nijmegen. He spurned danger, ignored pain and, by his supreme fighting spirit, infected all who witnessed his conduct with the same aggressiveness and dogged devotion to duty which characterised his actions throughout.

#### **Operation Pegasus**

Throughout the day their position was heavily attacked on all sides. As the front line stabilised south of the Rhine, of, destroyed it on 7 October to deny its use to the Germans.

### **Operation Market Garden**

To this end, a vast quantity of bridging material was collected, along with 2,300 vehicles to carry it and 9,000 engineers to assemble it. They encountered far greater resistance than had been expected and only a small force were able to reach. Small units of the 101st moved south of Son, towards Eindhoven.

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