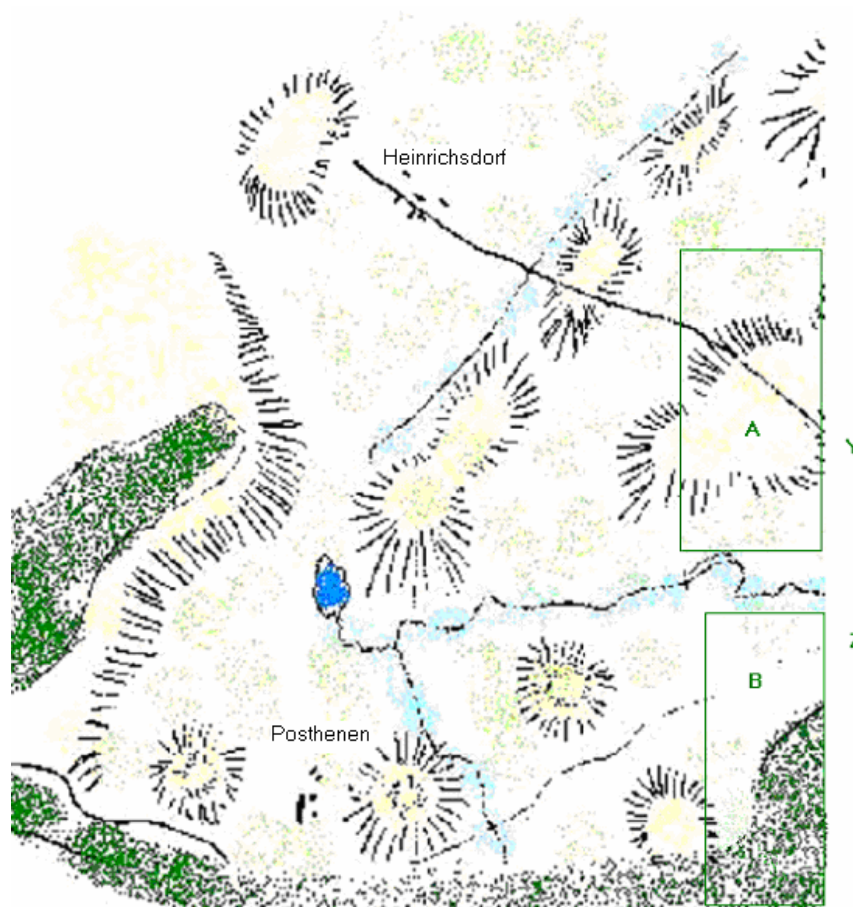


The Battle of Friedland, 14th June 1807. Part 1.

Introduction

The campaign is going badly. Although a few days ago you, quite rightly, claimed victory, at the battle of Heilsburg, the precipitous retreat has demoralised your troops and caused tempers to fray with your generals. You now find yourself in a dilemma. The army's base at Königsberg is to the north west, on the French side of the river Alle. The river Niemen, and the safety of Russia, is to the east. But to retreat would be to leave your Prussian allies to the mercy of the French, and would certainly lead to personal disgrace- you must fight. Therefore you have resolved to attempt a march on Königsberg. As you cross the Alle at the town of Friedland, your cavalry capture some French prisoners, and you learn that Oudinot's division stands alone at the village of Posthnen. A rare chance to surprise and defeat a French force! You decide to cross in force and overwhelm Oudinot before deciding whether to continue your march.

The Battlefield



The battlefield is split by the Millstream. South of the stream the ground is broken, hilly with many woods. North of the stream is gently rolling terrain, good cavalry country. In an attempt to improve communication between the two wings of the army, you have thrown some pontoon bridges over the stream- it is not fordable.

Russian Briefing 10th June 1807

CinC	Bennigsen (Poor)		
Left Wing	Bagration (Bold/Solid)		
Advanced Guard	Betchuchev (Solid)		
Guard Jagers	1 btn	B class	SK2
Jagers	4 btns	C class	SK1
Pavlograd Hussar Regiment	2 units	B class	Light Cavalry
Advanced Guard Infantry Division	Markov (Solid)		
Tenguinsk Infantry Regt.	3 btns	C class	SK0
Pskof Infantry Regt.	3 btns	C class	SK0
<i>Artillery</i>			
Foot Battery	12x6lb guns	C class	
Cavalry Division	Gallitzin (Bold/Solid)		
<i>1st Brigade Kozhin</i>			
Military Order Kuirassier Regt.		B class	Heavy Cavalry
Ekaterinoslav Kuirassier Regt.		C class	Heavy Cavalry
<i>2nd Brigade Korff</i>			
Kurland Dragoon Regt.		C class	Line Cavalry
Kiev Dragoon Regt.		C class	Line Cavalry
<i>3rd Brigade Lambert</i>			
Polish Uhlan Regiment	2 units	C class	Lancers
Alexandria Hussar Regiment	2 units	C class	Light Cavalry
Troops crossing the Alle			
3 rd Division	Sacken (Solid)		
Tauride Grenadier Regt.	3 btns	B class	SK0
Lithuania Infantry Regt.	3 btns	C class	SK0
Tchernigov Infantry Regt.	3 btns	C class	SK0
<i>Artillery</i>			
Foot Battery	12x6lb guns	C class	
Foot Battery	12x12lb guns	C class	
6 th Division	Sedmoratzki (Poor)		
Vilna Infantry Regt.	3 btns	C class	SK0
Nizov Infantry Regt.	3 btns	C class	SK0
Volhynia Infantry Regt.	3 btns	C class	SK0
<i>Artillery</i>			
Foot Battery	12x6lb guns	C class	
Foot Battery	12x12lb guns	C class	
Cavalry Division	Uvarov (Solid)		
St Petersburg Dragoon Regt.		B class	Line Cavalry
Moscow Dragoon Regt.		C class	Line Cavalry
Ingermannland Dragoon Regt.		C class	Line Cavalry

Sumy Hussar Regiment	2 units	C class	Light Cavalry
Olviopol Hussar Regiment	2 units	C class	Light Cavalry

Guard Infantry Division Labanov (Poor)

Semenovksi Grenadier Regt.	3 btns	B class	SKO
Ismailof Grenadier Regt.	2 btns	B class	SKO
Kexholm Musketeers	3 btns	B class	SKO
Guard Artillery Battery	12x6lb guns	B class	

Guard Cavalry Kolobrigov (Solid)

Horse Guards		B class	Heavy Cavalry
Guard Hussars		B class	Light cavalry

Gortschakoff (Poor) will command the Right Wing

Initial Deployment

At 5am Bagrations's left wing is deployed in the area marked B on the map. Gallitzin's force may be deployed in either area A or B, or both, by detaching a brigade to operate independently of Gallitzin. All troops will begin on type of blind and orders to be decided by Bennigsen, who is off-table.

The other divisions are queuing to cross the Alle at Friedland. An order of march must be given. Each division may be ordered to appear at either point Y or Z, to become under the orders of Gortschakoff (Right wing) or Bagration (Left wing).

Victory Conditions

Major Victory

Capture Posthenen and Heinrichsdorf before 9am, without committing the Russian Guard

Minor Victory

Capture Posthenen and Heinrichsdorf, without committing the Russian Guard