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83RD INFY BDE

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4 p.m. 7-11-14 SOUTHAMPTON	Battalion arrived from SINGAPORE, under command of Major W. Gowans, & disembarked	NRH
7 p.m. 8-11-14 HURSLEY PARK	Went into camp	
11.30 a.m. 15-11-14 " "	Order received for the Battalion to proceed to Harwich	NRH
4.30 p.m. 17-11-14 HARBURGH	Arrived by train & went into billets at PARKESTON QUAYS	NRH
5 a.m. 18-11-14 " "	Took over mobilisation Transport	NRH
1-12-14 " "	Lt Col. C.R. Ingham Brooke took over command of the Battalion	NRH
7 a.m. 23-12-14 " "	Embarked for WINCHESTER & went into camp at HURSLEY PARK 6.30 p.m.	NRH
21-12-14 " "	A draft of 100 men arrived from 3rd Battalion	NRH
23-12-14 HURSLEY PARK	The 83rd Brigade assembled under command of Brigadier Gen. R.L. Boyle	NRH
24-12-14 " "	Arrived by train from 3rd Battalion	NRH

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17.1.15
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WIMBORNE was garrisoned in the castle
 A draft of 50 ranks file arrived from 2nd Battalion (Army of 2nd Battalion)
 The 26th Division under the command of Lt. Gen. Buller was inspected by H.M. The King
 A draft of 15 ranks file arrived from 3rd Battalion

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7.45 a.m. 15.1.15
Winchester

Marched out for SOUTHAMPTON HRP

12.30 p.m.

Arrived SOUTHAMPTON DOCKS

4 p.m.

ailed for P.S. BENARES HRP

12 noon 16.1.15
HAVRE

Disembarked HRP

6.30 a.m. 17.1.15
HAVRE

Embarked HRP

5 a.m. 18.1.15
HAZEBRUCK

Arrived & detrained HRP

10.15 a.m.
OULTERSTEENE

Went into Billefs HRP

12 noon 28.1.15
OULTERSTEENE

The 83rd Brigade was inspected by the G.O.C in C HRP

11 a.m. 29.1.15
OULTERSTEENE

The 1st & 2nd Battalions meet on the main road 2 Kilometres E. of BAILLEUL. The anniversary of SHINKAMAR HRP

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<p>Feb 1st 1 p.m. OULTERSTEENE</p> <p>11:30 p.m.</p>	<p>The Battalion marched to METEREN & the 83rd B^{de} being loaded in motor buses proceeded to VLAMMERTINGHE arriving at 8 p.m. after considerable delay. After a halt for food the Battalion marched towards YPRES to take over trenches from the French.</p> <p>The B^{de} halted at the junction of the Railway & the YPRES MESSINES road to take over trench lines</p>	<p></p>
<p>Feb 2nd 2 a.m.</p> <p>YPRES - COMINES</p> <p>6:15 a.m.</p>	<p>This was completed & the companies were led to their trenches by French guides.</p> <p>The trenches taken over by the Battalion lay on each side of the [LA BASSE] Canal about 4000 yds SE. of YPRES</p> <p>A & B Coy occupied five trenches S. of the Canal for about 450 yards as per attached sketch, B Coy being responsible for the Canal.</p> <p>On the North side C Coy were in supporting dug-outs on the canal banks, D Coy holding the five trenches. The machine guns were placed as per attached sketch.</p> <p>The reliefs were completed. Telephone communication was at once obtained with Brigade H^q & A Coy. With B Coy there was no wire in use & N of the Canal no communication could be got with C & D Coy through LATERME CHAPELLE the senior majors post.</p>	<p>XXXX</p> <p>XXXX</p> <p>5776</p> <p>(V)</p>

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11 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	D Coy was subjected to somewhat heavy shell fire	
3 p.m. - 4 p.m.	D Coy was again subjected to heavy shell fire & suffered about 30 casualties.	1/11/18
5:30 p.m.	The C.O. went over to the N. side of the canal to ascertain what was going on as no news could be got from C & D Coys. [He visited Major Gowers at LA FERME CHAPELLE & C & D Coys at their posts] returning to B ⁿ H ^q after arranging that C Coy should relieve D Coy.	
6:25 p.m.	O.C. A Coy reported a fairly heavy attack seemed to be probable but the heavy rifle fire subsided at 7:30 p.m. & the night passed without further incident.	
Feb 2 nd	Nothing of note occurred during the day.	
8 p.m.	The 2 nd King's Own Regt ^t commenced to relieve A Coy & the 2 nd York & Lanc ^{sh} Regt ^t	1/11/18
Feb 3 rd	Regt ^t B & C Coys, these reliefs were completed by 4:30 a.m. Coys returned to billets @ LANRHOF & ROSENTHAL CHATEAUX.	1/11/18
5 p.m.	The battalion was ordered to move out at dusk to retake a trench taken by the Germans during the day & also to clear the woods on the N. side of the canal which were supposed to be occupied by the enemy who had broken the line.	

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5 p.m.	<p>The trench captured by the enemy was reported to be about the left centre of the Sector N. of the canal.</p> <p>The B² moved off up the N. bank of the canal & deploying with A & B Coys in front searched the woods, which were found unoccupied by the enemy.</p>	
10 p.m.	<p>The B² being reformed & supported by 3 platoons of the 2nd King's Own Reg^t an advance was made to the trenches in the centre of the N. Sector & the trenches, which were found to be but thinly held, seized. The B² came under heavy shell fire during its advance & suffered some casualties.</p> <p>From this point it was intended to make the attack but the ^{captured} trench could not be located nor could any definite information as to its whereabouts be ascertained.</p> <p>The C.O. detached B Coy to attack the German trenches in front of the extreme left of the Sector in touch with the 84th B Co & withdrew the remaining 3 Coys, replacing them with 3 Platoons of the 2nd King's Own Reg^t. B Coy were unable to attack owing to the very intricate nature of the ground & being left in the trenches garrulously held this portion of the line for 24 hours without rations or water.</p>	5706

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Feb 4 th 6.15 p.m.	<p>The Coy decided to fill up the line from the Canal to the right of the 84th Brigade as follows: Coy was posted on the wooded hill N. of the canal to reinforce the 2^d East Yorkshire Reg^t. & D Coy placed in the supporting dugouts. A Coy returning to billets in reserve.</p> <p>A Coy moved out again together with the 2^d East Yorkshire Reg^t to again locate & attack the lost trench. Two lines of the 2^d East Yorkshire Reg^t supported by A Coy in the 3rd line crossed our trenches with them left on the extreme left of the N. Sector & advanced some 400 yards to the S.E. Again the trench could not be located nor were any of the enemy located. The troops were then withdrawn.</p>	<p>1/11/14</p>
Feb 5 th 6.15 p.m.	<p>The Battalion marched from the reserve B^{ys} billets to take up quarters in the Farm houses near OUDERDOM.</p>	<p>5/7/14</p>

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<p>Feb 8th</p> <p>OUDEBOM.</p> <p>11.2.15 5pm</p>	<p>Bde Gen. R.C. Boyle acknowledged the good work done by the 13th & thank Lt Col C.R. Seymour Brooke for clearing up a difficult situation on the night of Feb 3rd-4th.</p> <p>The Casualties during the week ending 7th Feb were as follows: Wounded 4 officers [Capt. H. Mathison & Capt. G.H. Starchy; Lieut. H. Bryson & J.G.S. Frydell the latter severely]</p> <p>Other Banks Killed 11 Wounded 66 Missing 1 believed killed. (Afterwards found to be in hospital wounded)</p> <p>The 83rd Brigade marched to relieve the 84th Brigade in the trenches. The trenches to be taken over were a continuation of the previous sector held by the 83rd Bde & were situated as per attached sketch. The Battalion relieved the 2nd Bn Cheshire Regt who were holding the right of the sector. The 2nd L. Yorkshire Regt relieved the left of the sector & D Coy of the 1st Bn 24th holding the two trenches N. of the railway.</p>	<p>1/11/15</p> <p>Trench Feet 24</p> <p>(2)</p> <p>5/1/15</p>

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10.30 p.m.	<p>were under the command of the O.C. 2/E. Yorkshire Regt. The 1st Yorks Lincaster Regt. was in support of the battalion & the 1/11th Buffs in support of the left. [The battalion commenced the relief.]</p>	11/11
12.2.15 1 a.m.	<p>The relief was reported completed.</p>	
11.55 a.m.	<p>Head Q^r 85th Bde reported that the left of the 85th Bde immediately on our right was being heavily attacked. On reports being called for a personal reconnaissance by the C.O. this was found to be incorrect & was daily reported to H^q 28th Brigade.</p>	
3 p.m. - 4 p.m.	<p>Our artillery shelled enemy machine gun on Hill 60</p>	57106
3.45 p.m.	<p>Battalion H^q shelled</p>	1/11/11
7 p.m.	<p>C.O. visited trenches held by B and C Coys. (shelled)</p>	
13.2.15 8 a.m.	<p>Battalion H^q shelled</p>	

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10.35 a.m.	Trenches occupied by B Coy shelled 2 casualties	
12.20 p.m.	Support shelter trenches N of the Railway Shelters	
9.30 p.m.	Reliefs by 1 st York & Lancaster Regt commenced	HKH
14.2.15		
<u>2.30 a.m.</u>	Reliefs reported completed. A & B Coys went into the support trenches (Sketch) C & D Coys and B nd	HKH.
	HQ ^{rs} returning to the Infantry Barracks at YPRES	
11.2.15 to	Casualties 2 killed 15 wounded	
15.2.15		
YPRES	The Battalion commenced the relief of the 1 st York & Lancaster Regt. The companies occupying the same positions as before	HKH
15.2.15 9.30 p.m.		
16.2.15 12.45 a.m.	The reliefs were completed	
8.15 a.m.	Battalion Headquarters Shelled	HKH.

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9 p.m.	<p>All companies reported the trenches had fallen in considerably owing to the wet weather & asked for plenty of sandbags.</p> <p>[The trenches occupied by C. Coy (Stretcher 2) reported to be attacked. Report found to be incorrect.] Heavy firing was opened by the enemy all along our front in which our troops did not participate.</p> <p>All quiet.</p>	
17.2.15 2.45 a.m.	<p>Heavy machine gun & rifle fire on our right but no news of any attack.</p>	
3.50 a.m.	<p>O.C. A Coy reported all quiet & no attack as far as he could ascertain.</p>	
6.45 a.m.	<p>83rd Brigade reported that 2 trenches N.E. of the railway had been taken by 2nd B. Machine Coy. Down in 2 attacks expected. O.C. C. Coy was ordered to give all assistance possible.</p>	
12.10 p.m.	<p>O.C. No 10 Platoon opened rapid fire on 100 Germans returning down the railway line. Afterwards the trench was heavily shelled.</p>	
12.30 p.m. to 1.30 p.m.	<p>Heavy shelling by both sides N.E. of the Railway.</p>	
1.25 p.m.	<p>O.C. A Coy reported that the 2nd Coy on his right expected attack. Message sent to Artillery observing officer.</p>	

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2.45 p.m.	Message received through 2 O.C. A Coy that the 2nd Lt. had been obliged to leave a portion of their trench owing to explosive fire.	
3.15 p.m.	O.C. C. Coy reported ^{small portion of the} enemy crossing railway line & apparently concentrating on Hill 60.	
3.30 p.m.	Half a Coy 1 st York & Lancaster Regt ordered up to support C Coy & half a Coy to support A Coy.	
4 p.m.	Two of the above platoons ordered to support C Coy & one platoon to support A Coy.	
9.30 p.m.	1 st York & Lancaster Regt commenced returning the Battalion	
18.2.15	Reliefs completed. Half A Coy remaining in support of the night trench with one Machine Gun B & C Coys going to support	
12.50 a.m.	at BLAVERPORT. 1/2 A Coy D Coy & Headquarters returning to Japanese Branches at Y.P.H.S.	
17 th	[The attached messages A1 & A2 received.]	5706

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19.2.15	The Battalion took over the left section N.E. of the railway as per attached sketch. (3) Three coys of E. Yorks Regt. One Coy of King's Own & one coy of Yorks Lancasters Regt. also being in this section. Commander left section Lt Col C.R. Taylor Brooke. R	
9.30 p.m.	Reliefs commenced from O.C. 2/Kings Own Regt.	
20.2.15 3.30 a.m.	Reliefs completed Quiet all day. Slight shelling near support trenches & Battalion Headquarters about 8 p.m.	
8 p.m.	Battalion relieved by 15th Brigade (West Mid. Regt & West Riding Regt.)	
21.2.15 12.30 am	Reliefs completed & coys returned independently to YPRES & thence to billets at CLOUTON DAM Casualties 5 killed 24 wounded 2 died of wounds "Trench Feet" 78. Weather dull & mist	59106

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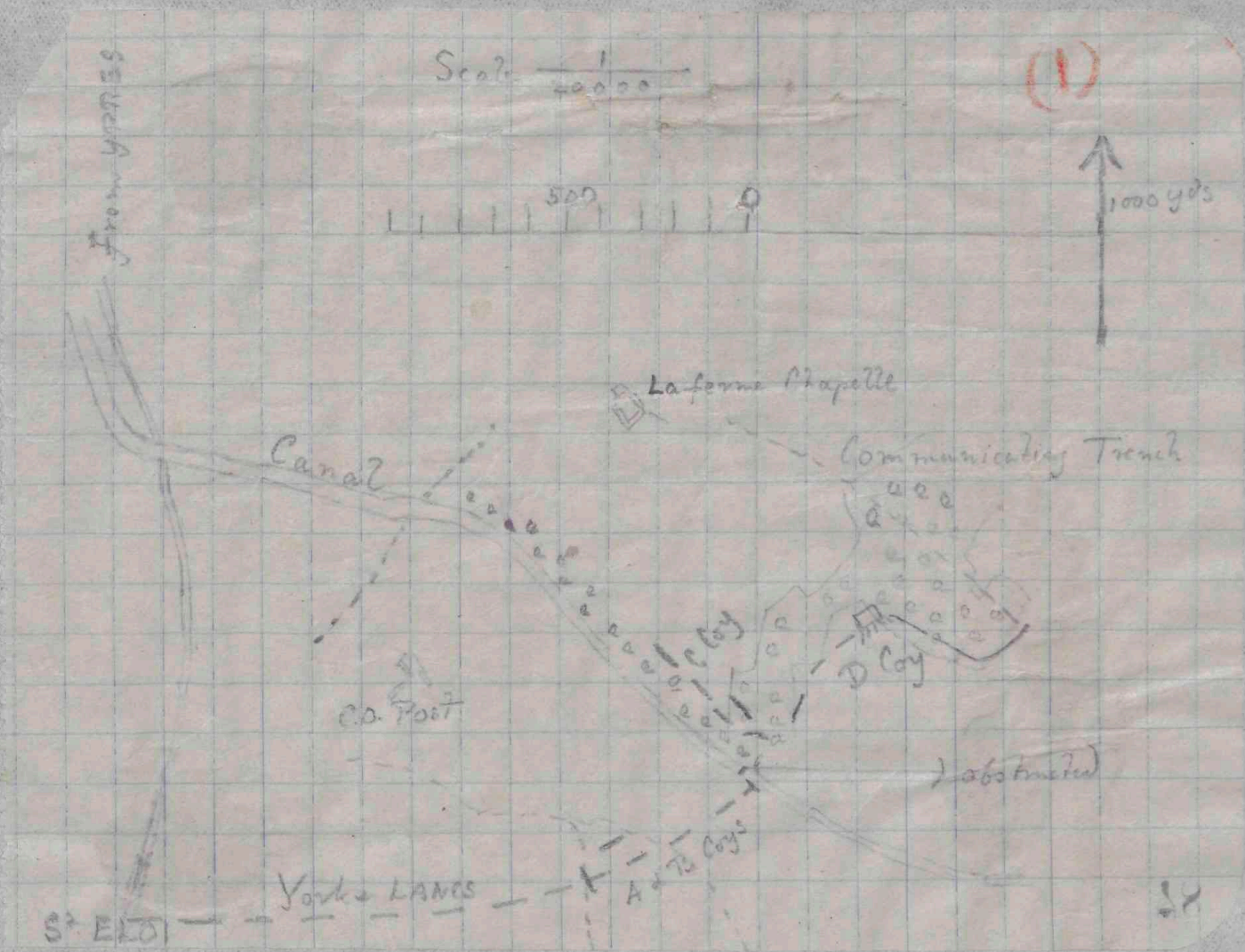
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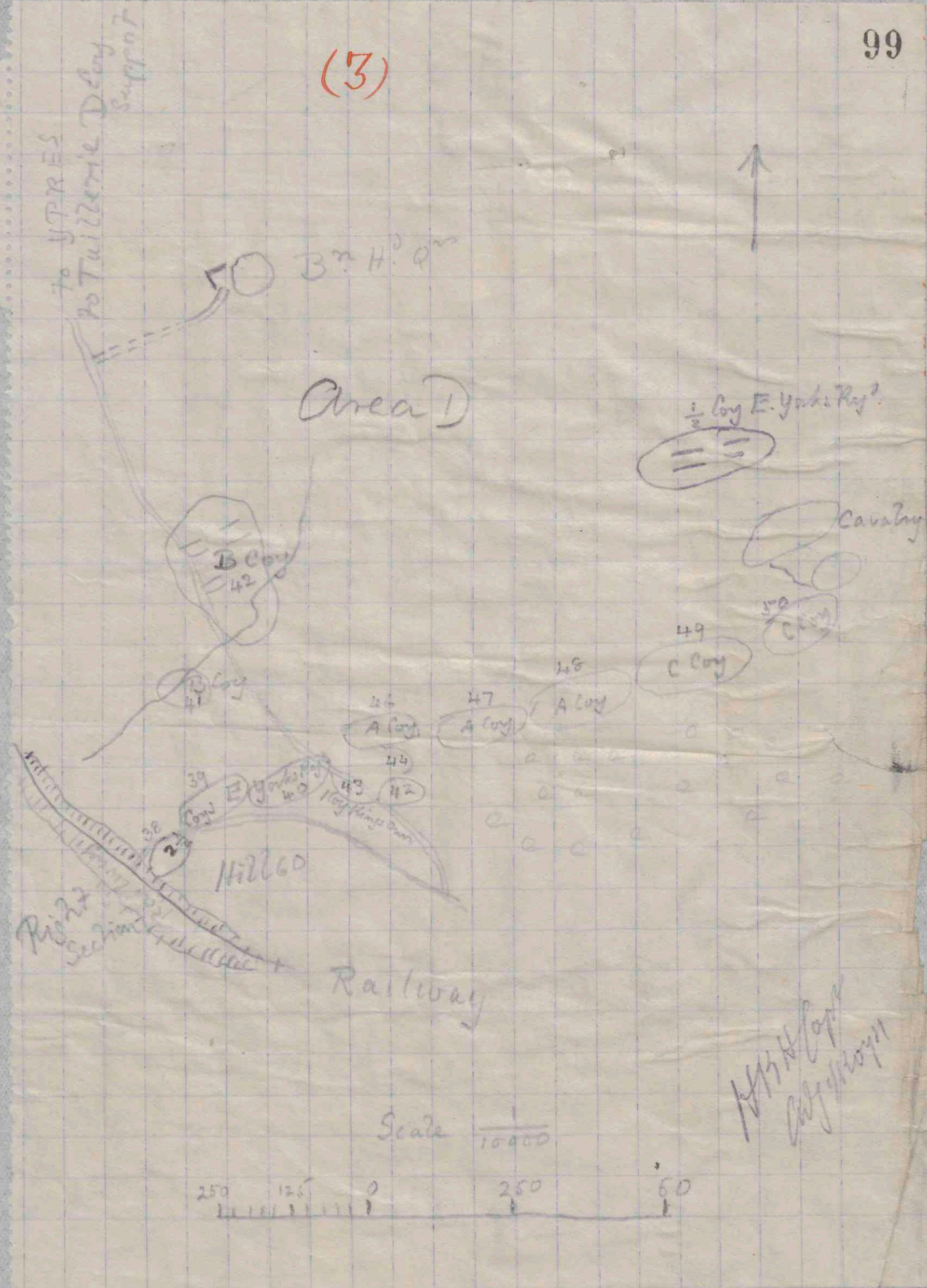
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<p>QUERDOM 26.2.15 5 p.m. 9.30 p.m.</p>	<p>The Battalion marched out to relief trench arriving at YPRES 6.45 p.m. where tea was served.</p> <p>^{2 Machine guns} Headquarters & A Coy relieved the Headquarters & one company of the 2nd Bn K.O.Y.L.I. at BLAUERPORT. B Coy relieved 1 Co H.O.Y.L.I. in P3 (Sketch 2). Reliefs completed at 11.30 p.m. C Coy remained in support in the Area D 3 Platoons in TULLERIES (Sketch 3) & 1 platoon in A2 (Sketch 3). D Coy relieved fire trench 40 (Sketch 3). These 2 Coys are under command of Area D Commander. Nothing unusual occurred.</p>	<p>JKH</p>
<p>28.2.15</p>	<p>Headquarters took over from 15 Yorks Lancaster at VERTBRAND ENNOLEN. A Coy occupying trenches 33 & 34 (Sketch 2) B Coy trench 35. One Coy 15 Yorks Lancaster Regt held 36 & 37. C & D Coys remained as before.</p>	<p>JKH</p>
<p>1 0.15 8.55 a.m.</p>	<p>Enemy threw a bomb into 36 killing 1 & wounding 5. Successful retaliation was made & no reply received.</p>	<p>JKH</p>
<p>4.30 p.m. into 5 p.m.</p>	<p>35, 36 & 37 shelled but no damage done.</p>	<p>JKH</p>



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5th corps division very
glad to hear your message
BM 262 I am sure you
and your brigade have done
very good work today ends

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result as I always expected
Balpin ends*

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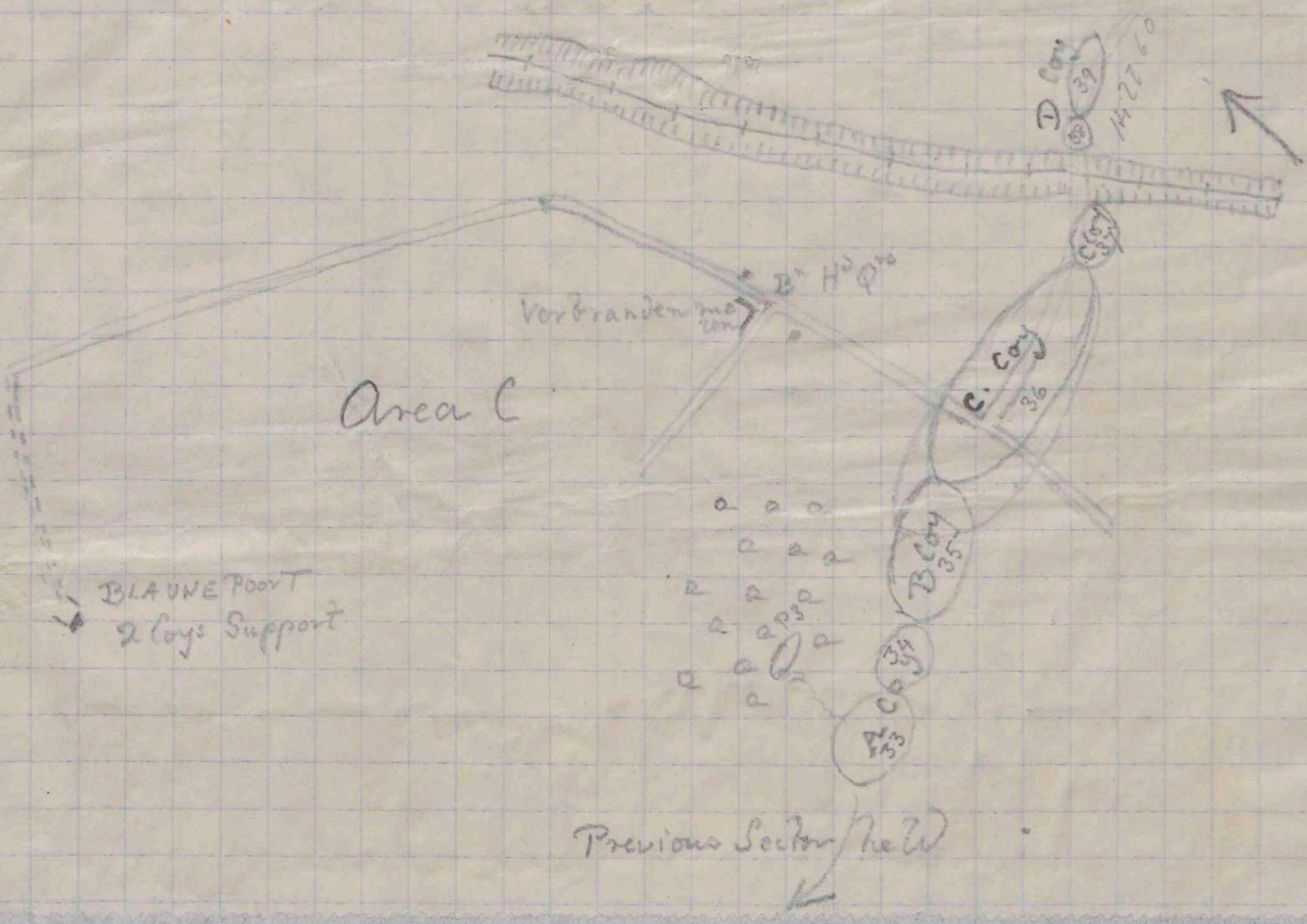
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March 1 st 9 p.m. 2.3.15 1.30 am	The 1st Coy was relieved by 2nd Bn. K.O.S.B. Patrols completed 10.30 p.m. C.D. days mentioned by the K.O.S.B. The Battalion was billeted in KLAMERTINGIE	HKH																																		
3.3.15 8 a.m.	The Battalion marched to billets at BAILLEUL forming part of the 5 th Division of 2 nd Army. Weather during this period was dull & cold. Casualties 1 killed, 1 died of wounds, 13 wounded	HKH																																		
7.3.15 BAILLEUL	The Battalion marched out and went into support of Sector D (see sketch) at LINDENHOEK relieving 2 nd Cheshire Regt.	HKH																																		
11.3.15	The Battalion took over the trenches in Sector D from 1 st York & Lancaster Regt. Patrols completed at 11.30 p.m. Four platoons of 5 th King's Own were attached to the Regt. one to each Coy. The Battalion was disposed of as under (see sketch)	HKH																																		
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12. 3. 15	The Company and R.E. Farm was placed under the orders of the O.C. 59 th Coy R.E. & ordered to BURNT FARM	
12.15 a.m.	The Commanding Officer transferred his Headquarters to R.E. Farm on account of the impending attack by the 3 rd Division on HILL 76.	H.H.H.
12.40 a.m.	The Commanding Officer visited trenches 14A, 13, 13.5 and supporting Point nos returning to R.E. FARM at 2.15 a.m.	
	which the Headquarters of the 24 th Brigade had been occupied	
7 a.m.	The 3 rd Division was entrusted with the attack on HILL 76 which was timed to start with the artillery bombardment at 7 a.m. The battalion being ordered to open heavy fire at 8.30 a.m. Owing to the mist day being very misty & dull the attack was postponed.	51
2 p.m.	The mist began to clear	
3.30 p.m.	The attack commenced by heavy gun fire on enemy position	
3.40 p.m.	Orders were received for the battalion to open heavy fire at 4 p.m.	
3.45 p.m.	Dull in artillery fire	

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3.50 p.m.	Final bombardment commenced	
3.59 p.m.	Heavy rifle and machine gun fire opened	
4.10 p.m.	3rd Division timed to commence attack	
4.20 p.m.	R.E. FARM shelled	
4.40 p.m.	Fire died down somewhat, sharp bursts of rifle fire breaking out at intervals	
6.10 p.m.	Fire quieted down	
6.20 p.m.	Fire died away	
HHH 10.30 p.m. 10 p.m.	Casualties during the action 2 Officers wounded (1 died of wounds) 2 Lt. Thorne died of wounds. other ranks 6 killed 17 wounded. Two machine guns disabled in 1/2 Lt. Hutchinson slightly wounded. Commanding Officer visited trenches 12, 12s, 11b, 11a & 11as returning to original Headquarters at ELBOW FARM at midnight.	51 st
13. 3. 15 th 5 a.m.	Company at BURNT FARM moved to R.E. FARM handing over to 3rd Monmouthshire Reg. ceasing to be under the command of the O.C. 59 Coy R.E.	
6 p.m.	Situation quiet some shelling during the afternoon. Heavy gun fire could be heard from the North about St. ELOI.	

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14.3.15 6 p.m. 6.45 p.m. 9.30 p.m.	Enemy showed more activity in rifle fire during the day. Pressure received from 23 rd Bde that reliefs would not be proceeded with till the situation was cleared up, referring presumably to the heavy firing in the direction of ST ELOI. Reliefs cancelled.	
15.3.15 4.50 a.m. 7 a.m. 7 p.m.	Heavy firing from the direction of ST ELOI. Situation normal. The commanding officer visited all trenches.	
16.3.15 8 p.m.	Situation abnormally quiet (Weather dull and misty). C.O. visited DRESSING STATION & R.E. FARM. Senior Major visited all trenches.	51
17.3.15 7.45 p.m. 10 p.m.	Situation very quiet. Weather dull & misty. 1 st York & Lancaster Regt. took over Bn H.Q. at ELBOW FARM. All reliefs were completed. 1 st York & Lancaster Regt. transferred their H.Q. to R.E. FARM. The battalion returned to billets in LINDENHOEK.	
19.3.15 3 p.m.	The battalion marched back to ST JANS CAPELLE & went into billets.	

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23.3.15 5 p.m.	The Battalion marched out and relieved the 15 York & Lancaster Regt in trenches 14B to 11B inclusive. The Battalion also took over R.E. FARM as Regt HQ. COB Farm & Tea farm (Sketch) 11.30pm Reliefs completed	HKH
24.3.15 6 a.m.	Situation quiet. Magnetic N. from trench 13a communication trench was reported to run about 600' back to a second line of fire trenches. This trench had dugouts on each side. This was pointed out to the O.C. 80 th Bat. R.F.A.	HKH
25.3.15 10.30am 1.30am 10.50am 9.20p.m.	Enemy trench mortars very active on our left front, but with little or no result. Otherwise situation quiet. Heavy rifle fire heard from the direction of ST. ELOI	HKH
26.3.15 8.20am 11.30am 11.45am	Enemy heavy guns dropped about $7\frac{1}{2}$ a dozen shells close to R.E. Farm. Probably directed at new dugouts & communication trenches. NEUVES EGLISE shelled Balloon Enemy observation station seen over MESSINES	HKH

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10.10 a.m.	80 Battery R.F.A. registered on German communication trench reported on 23 inst. Eighteen shells were fired the last two dropping into the trench.	
2.45 p.m.	Enemy big guns fired H.E. shells on the W. side of R.E. Farm from an angle of 92°	HHH
6 p.m.	Situation normal.	
27. 3.15 6 a.m.	Enemy aeroplane crossed our lines at 4.50 a.m. Situation quiet.	HHH
28.3.15 1.30 p.m.	Enemy shelled WULVERGEM with H.E.	HHH
6 p.m.	Situation quiet	51
29.3.15 6 a.m.	Situation quiet. Enemy transport believed to have been heard in MESSINES about 11.45 p.m. (28.3.15)	HHH
9.30 p.m.	Battalion relieved by 1 st York & Lancaster Regt. & returned to billets at ALDERSHOT CAMP West of NEUVE EGLISE Casualties during the tour 1 man killed, 8 wounded, 1 died of wounds, 1 officer wounded (Lieut Thwaiter)	

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2.4.15 Aldershot Camp 2.15p.m. Neuve Eglise BOESCHEPE	The battalion marched into billets at BOESCHEPE via BAILLEUL	
7.4.15 11a.m. BOESCHEPE	The brigade was inspected by the Army Commander, General Smith-Dorrien. The Army commander thanked the brigade for the excellent work done in the trenches by them while in the 5 th Division.	14R14
9.4.15 YPRES	The brigade was transferred to the 28 th Division. The battalion marched to YPRES [] was billeted in the Lunatic Asylum.	
YPRES 7p.m. 12.4.15	The battalion marched out of the MIENIN GATE to relieve the 2 nd B. East Yorkshire Reg ^t holding the Right Section of the 83 rd Brigade S. of ZOMMEBERG 4 miles 760 yards N. of YPRES. see attached sketch (5)	14R14
13.4.15 1.15a.m.	Relief completed. The trench were in a very wooded country. The Battalion HQ and the 1 st Coy in support were in dugouts	14R14

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	<p>A trench was in indifferent repair as to the parapets and traverses were lacking. This trench was infiltrated from the right. The Germans had sapped to within a few yards of the houses. The fire trench B was also in very fair repair as to drainage & parapets. There were no traverses and the men occupied "bags" in the trench. This trench was infiltrated from the right. This trench could not be reached by day as the enemy could fire straight down the communication trench. The support trench of B was in good repair. C trench was also in good repair.</p>	<p>HRS</p>
<p>13.34.15 9a.m.</p>	<p>The Machine Gun officer Lieut. A. V. Collins-Brown was shot through the head in A. Trench & died a few hours afterwards. The day passed quietly, but the enemy did considerable damage to C trench parapets with a kind of small trench gun.</p>	<p>HRS</p>
<p>14.4.15</p>	<p>The day again passed quietly. Enemy trench gun was still a nuisance.</p>	<p>HRS</p>

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15.5.15 p.m.	Enemy massed some guns on a party 5 th King's Own working close to B ⁿ H ^d Q ^r s. Putting some 15 shells into them in a minute causing considerable casualties.	
15.4.15	Day passed quietly, it was found the trench guns soon stopped if the opposing trench received a few rounds of shrapnel.	
8 p.m.	The following attached message (6 th) was received and acted upon.	
16.4.15 1 p.m.	2 nd East Yorkshire Regt arrived at B ⁿ H ^d Q ^r s.	
3.15 p.m.	<p>Relief was considered & the Battalion returned to POPITJE just above a mile E. of YPRES.</p> <p>At 7 a.m. as all remained quiet the Battalion received orders to return to the Stuts about 1 mile W. of YPRES arriving there 8.30 a.m.</p> <p>Weather during this period was on the whole fine & bright. Except the morning of 14th.</p> <p>Casualties 1 Officer killed 1 Officer Wounded (2nd Houghton)</p> <p> 5 Other ranks killed 12 Other ranks killed</p>	

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<p>Huts between YPRES and FLAMERTINGHE 7th m 19th 4.15</p>	<p>The battalion marched out & took over A, B & C trenches, now renamed N^o1, N^o2 & N^o3 respectively, from 2nd East Yorkshire Reg^t.</p>	
<p>11.45 p.m.</p>	<p>Relief completed</p>	
<p>8 a.m. 20.4.15</p>	<p>The right detached portion of N^o1 trench was heavily shelled by H.E. shells and knocked to pieces. 2/Lt A.M.E. Swabey 3rd Somerset Light Infantry, the platoon Sgt & eight men were killed and ten men wounded.</p>	
<p>9 a.m.</p>	<p>2/Lt Boone visited the detached trench. He found 12 men still holding the post</p>	
<p>4.30 p.m.</p>	<p>2/Lt Boone, N.C. who remained in command of the detached trench was killed.</p>	
<p>21.4.15</p>	<p>The situation continued normal. 2/Lt Hine - Haycock was wounded about 5.30 p.m. on 21st & 2/Lt Bruce was wounded about 4 a.m. 22nd.</p>	
<p>22.4.15 6.30 p.m.</p>	<p>Heavy artillery fire broke out ^{to the N.} & continued till 7.30 p.m. The Canadian division report an attack on trenches on their left presumably N. of ZONNEBEKE.</p>	
<p>23.4.15 9.30 a.m.</p>	<p>Enemy reported to have attacked the French on the left of the Canadian division, preceding the attack with asphyxiating gas.</p>	

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	The French retired on BOESINGHE, the Canadian Division left flank falling back on ST JULIAN.	
3.15 p.m.	The woods round Battalion H.Q. were heavily shelled	
3.25 p.m.	Heavy rifle fire broke out on our left probably the 84 th & 85 th Brigades close to ZONNEBEKE	
24.4.15 6 p.m.	Enemy were reported to be advancing from the South on ZONNEBEKE ^{the direction of ZEVENKOTE} and a Coy under Capt Mallinson were ordered from the Battalion supports to this place to reinforce.	
10 p.m.	This company returned, the report being found incorrect.	
11 p.m.	The attached message (7) received.	
25.4.15	Very heavy gun fired continued all day from 6 a.m. to 11.30 p.m.	
3.45 p.m.	Information received that the French attack had been postponed	
7 p.m.	Attached message (8) received	
26.4.15 12.15 am - 12.30 am -	Heavy burst of rifle & machine gun fire on our left probably the 84 th Brigade	
9 a.m.	Enemy were reported to be advancing Southwards on ZONNEBEKE and a Coy were ordered to move to the support of the reserve company of the centre Battalion & 3 rd Brigade	

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26-4-15 8.30pm.	A. Coy returned to Battalion H.Q. not having been moved from the reserve dugouts. Draft of 40 men arrived [and joined Quarter Master who was with 2 nd line transport.]	T.C.T. T.C.T.
27-4-15. 11 p.m.	Battalion in trenches. Intermittent shelling. Draft of 40 men arrived with 2 nd line transport. Remained with Batt ⁿ H.Q. 2 Lt Bateman and 19 men joined [quarter master] with 2 nd line transport.	T.C.T. T.C.T.
28-4-15	Battalion in trenches. 2 Lt Bateman posted to D Coy and draft distributed. Situation normal.	T.C.T. T.C.T.
29-4-15.	Battalion in trenches. Captain R.R. Davies 456 Regt attached 1st Coy 41 wounded 10.30 a.m.	T.C.T. T.C.T.

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30-4-15.	<p>Battalion in trenches B Coy digging new line of trenches on the FRIEZENBERG Ridge.</p>	<p>Sol Sol</p>
	<p>Quartermaster Major Cuddy 1st Coy 19-5-15</p>	
	<p>It is regretted that the record from the 26th is so sketchy. The Co. lost as well as many other officers became casualties on the 8th May so that the necessary notes for bringing this diary up to date have been lost.</p> <p>Oct</p>	

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May 1 st	Battalion in trenches A by digging on FRIEZENBERG line	Set
2 nd	Battalion in trenches Order received that trenches in ZONNEKES line would probably be evacuated and all trench stores, ammunition etc would be sent back to FRIEZENBERG line	Set
11 pm	Order re retirement cancelled	Set
3 rd	Battalion in trenches Order received to retire to new position New line occupied. 1 st Koyli returned to Huts W 3 YPREE	Set
4 th	Battalion in Huts	Set

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Hour, Date, Place	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
May 5 th 7:30 pm	Battalion moved into dug outs behind the line of trenches at FRIEZENBERG.	Set
6 th	Battalion in dug outs.	Set
7 th 11 pm	Battalion in dug outs. Moved into fire trenches.	
8 th	Trenches heavily shelled with high explosive; this was followed by a German attack. C & D Companies were shelled out of their trenches. A & B dove to and withdrew from trenches at night, and went to 8 th Brigade, the Casemates.	Set
9 th	Killed 2 Captains H. K. Hughes, Capt K. Lambert, 1 Lieut T. Palmer and 1 Lt J. A. R. Ferguson. Also killed 1000.	Set

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May 8 th	<p>Died of wounds 1 Lieut C. F. Wharton D.L.I. wounded. 1 Major C. R. Ingham Bwohe 2nd Lt. Butcher on 1st Coy and 2nd Lt W. W. Sudge E. Fortus. Missing 1st Lt W. Bateman 1st Coy and Capt P. C. M. Elvey R. O. N. C. Regimental Sergeant Major Lewis was also killed. Casualties in other ranks, from 19.4.15 to 7.5.15 Killed 3A. Died of wounds 3. Wounded 112. Casualties on 8th. Killed 33. Wounded 92. Missing 212. The four machine guns were either destroyed by shell fire or buried.</p>	<p>Sol Sol Sol Sol Sol Sol</p>
9 th	<p>Draft of 136 men under 2nd Lieut C. T. Bennett L. G. B. arrived. Battalion came out of trenches to huts w of YPRES</p>	<p>Sol Sol</p>

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6.30 p.m.	Remainder of 83 rd Bde formed into a composite Battalion under Lt Col Worsley. 3 rd from 2 nd Lt J. A. Tewson joined Bde from 28 th Divisional Cycle Co. by and took over duties of 2 nd Lt. and	Set
7.30 p.m.	Battalion marched out of huts. Strength 5 officers and 400 other ranks.	Set
7 p.m.	Capt. H. E. Warden admitted to hospital sick. Battalion went into dug outs W. of POT 125 E.	Set
1. a.m.	Company up stairs to trenches. Camp up stairs to trenches. Returned 1 a.m. Casualty 1 man wounded.	Set
9.30 p.m.	Battalion [left dug outs and] went into bivouac [in BRANDHOEK-ELVERDINGHE wood] in wood 2000'	Set
11.45 p.m.	N.M.W. of Brandhoek. 2 Lieuts [A. O. Acherley P.W.B. and Lieut A. E. Kemble and J. L. Scott K.M.A.] joined	Set
10. a.m.	2 Lt. Robinson 1 st Coy. rejoined from Machai. See course at SOMER	Set

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May 12 th 6.30 pm	Battalion moved from bivouac into billets in farm in POPERINGHE - ELVERDINGHE road about 3000 ^m N.E. of POPERINGHE.	✓
13 th	Battalion remained in billets.	✓
14 th 8.30 am	Battalion moved from billets by motor bus into farms in the vicinity of WINNIEZEELE. Lieut L. F. WELLS R.A.C. joined	✓ ✓
15 th 8.30 pm	Battalion at WINNIEZEELE Draft of 7 th B.C.O. and men under command of 2 nd Lt A. F. Alderson West Surrey Regiment, and 2 nd Lt O. F. A. Marshall R.A.C. joined	✓
16 th	Battalion at WINNIEZEELE. Companies exercised in drill and musketry	✓

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<p>May 17th</p> <p>9.30 am</p>	<p>Battalion inspected by Lt Col T. A. Madden Welch Regiment acting Brigadier 83rd Brigade He expressed himself very pleased with the transport, rifles and turn out of the men. He also inspected the bullets.</p>	<p>1st 1st</p>
<p>12.30 pm</p>	<p>Majors C. E. Bealwhite D.S.O. joined from 2nd Coy and took over command.</p>	<p>1st</p>
<p>4.30 pm</p>	<p>2nd Lt (W. E. Maestla) West Yorkshire Regiment joined by</p>	<p>1st</p>
<p>18th</p>	<p>Battalion exercised at drill. C.O. inspected the bullets.</p>	<p>1st</p>
<p>1 pm</p>	<p>2nd Lt (A. Wilson) West Yorkshire Regiment joined by Company parades in morning.</p>	<p>1st</p>
<p>19th</p> <p>2.30 pm</p>	<p>Regiment major parade 2nd Lt Robinson proceeded on leave.</p>	<p>1st</p>

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May 21 st 11.30 a.m.	The General officer C-in-C addressed the 8 th Bde and congratulated them on their gallant fight in the 2 nd Battle of YPRES.	Set
2 p.m.	Battalion [left WINNIEZEELE and marched by STEENVORDE and POPERINGHE] into billets west of VLAMERTINGHE.	Set
7.15 pm	Arrived in billets.	
6.30 pm	2 Lieuts [L. J. Bodwyn and Waeten] 8 th Inf and Beckus L.I. joined the Battalion and Capt Bond, 2 Lieuts Hewitt, Alderson, Wilson and	Set
8.15 p.m.	Capt Bond, 2 Lieuts Hewitt, Alderson, Wilson and Ochenly, went up to reconnoitre trenches.	Set
4 a.m.	The officers returned from reconnoitring the trenches.	Set
5.50 pm	Left VLAMERTINGHE at 5.50 pm and marched by MENIN Gate to trenches S.E. of YPRES in Sanctuary wood	

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May 22. 9.45 pm	H. Q. Kona arrived at 16. & 9 th Royal Scots at 9.45 pm.	T.O.J
11.20 pm	Relief complete at 11.20 pm and reported to 83 rd Bde. A, C, D in firing line. B in support in trenches in the wood. Machine gun 2 with A and 2 with C on right of Batt & 5 th Kungs own on left 1 st watch.	T.O.J T.O.J
11.30 pm	Captain Mellum visited trenches at 11.30 pm	T.O.J
23. 2.15 a.m.	One platoon of B sent to reinforce C owing to length of trench held.	T.O.J
3.30 a.m.	P.O. visited trenches	
5.0 a.m.	Situation normal.	

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May 23.	4 p.m. 5 p.m. C.O. and Adjutant visited trenches Situation same A, B, C relieved by 5th D.P.'s. D - - - - - Boys	Top Top
24.	1 a.m. Relief complete. Two men slightly wounded 11 a.m. A and B Coys went to Bois St. G. at Ecole de BIENFAISANCE, YPRES. C and D into Bois St. G. line of trenches by TUILERIES 3 a.m. At 3 a.m. gas fumes arrived. Companies stood to with respirators. Heavy shelling with gas shells. 4:30 a.m. Moved into cellars at Bois St. G. 12:20 p.m. Under instructions from 83rd Bde, Capt. Bond with C and D Companies ordered to reinforce	Top Top Top

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May 24	4 th D. B. Co. in a line about 200 ^x South of MEDINA had young hole in square I 17 a.m.	Set
4.30 pm	High explosive shell hit building where B Co was.	Set
	2 Lt Waeten and 2 Lt Evans wounded.	
	Other ranks killed 11. Wounded 25	Set
11.30 pm	2 Lt. Beeger went Sick.	Set
25.	H. Q. A & B Coys at Bede H. Q. C and D Coys in dugouts in Sanctuary wood	Set
10 a.m.	Two men of A wounded by shell.	
	Two - - - C and D wounded	Set
	Ball ^a relieved for Kufs over in trenches	
	9, 10, 11, 12. on our right 2 nd K.O. on left 3 rd Hussars	Set

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May 26	<p>Relief complete Headquarters in dug out about 500' behind firing line. A, B, C, D and 3 M. G.'s in firing line 1 M. G. in supporting point. Trenches good. About 6 to 7 foot deep, with banquettes. Perman about 300' to 400' away.</p>	Set
	<p>Situation normal all day. C.O. and 2nd in command visited trenches at 11 a.m.</p>	Set
10.30 p.m.	<p>Warned by Bde to be ready for gas in the morning. All companies warned and respiration damped.</p>	Set

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27	Situation normal all day.	Tel.
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28	4.30 a.m. Co visited trenches. 12.30 p.m. Trenches shelled with whizz bangs. a little damage done to the parapets. No casualties.	Tel.
	5.30 p.m. Trenches shelled with Strophnell.	Tel.
	9.15 p.m. Adjutant visited trenches.	
29	3 a.m. Adjutant visited trenches.	
	5 a.m. Situation normal. Adjutant visited Battalion S. 2.	
	4.30 p.m. Brigadier visited Battalion S. 2. 2 Lieuts Brooke, Bond, Bentkall and Wilson arrived with orders and were sent up to trenches. Capt Hollister went back to transport.	Tel.
	8 p.m. Heavy shelling heard apparently north of YPRES. This was afterwards heard to be the French attacking.	Tel.

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	Situation normal all day.	Tel
2.30 am	C.O. visited the trenches.	Tel
12.30 pm	Trenches shelled with whizz bangs. No harm done.	
2.15 pm	Adjutant visited trenches.	
10.30 pm	11 Red flares seen apparently from the NEMIN road in direction of WITTEPOORT farm. Reported to Bele.	Tel
	Rapid fire on our left. Company stood to.	Tel
1.0 am	on enquiry it was found to be cavalry practising rapid.	Tel
2.30 am	Adjutant visited trenches.	Tel
	During the morning HOOGE and NEMIN road were shelled from the South.	Tel
5 pm	Situation normal.	
9 pm	One officer and me 2 C.O. per Coy visited C.H. 2 line of trenches from I 16 to Tuileren.	Tel
11.30 pm	Returned 11.30 pm	

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June		
1 st 2.15 a.m.	Adjutant visited trenches.	Tel.
5 a.m.	Situation normal. wind N. N. E.	Tel.
12 noon	wind S. S. E.	Tel.
4.30 p.m.	Officers of 1 st Northumberland Fusiliers visited trenches.	Tel.
5 p.m.	Situation normal.	Tel.
6.30 p.m.	wind S. S. E.	
6 p.m.	Trenches shelled with whizz bangs. Six men slightly wounded.	Tel.
9 p.m.	2 Lieuts Marshall, Bond, Robinson and Keall and one P. Coy sent to reconnoitre L. S. & line of trenches.	Tel.
11.30 p.m.	Returned from reconnaissance.	Tel.
2 nd 1.50 a.m.	Biplane nationality unknown dropped lights over German trenches in wood opposite our trenches.	Tel.
5 a.m.	Situation normal. wind S. E.	Tel.
	Hoops bombarded all day.	Tel.
5 p.m.	Situation normal.	
9.45 p.m.	1 st Northumberland Fusiliers arrived to relieve Bala ² in trenches.	Tel.

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<p>June 3rd, 10 a.m.</p>	<p>Relief complete. SAPPERTOWN Battalion marched by Companies to Auto on VLAMERTINGHE - OUDERDOM road.</p>	<p>Set</p>
<p>2.30 p.m.</p>	<p>Battalion with transport marched to billets at WINNIEZEELE by POPERINGHE and WATOU.</p>	<p>Set</p>
<p>8 p.m.</p>	<p>Arrived at billets.</p>	<p>Set</p>
<p>4th 2 p.m.</p>	<p>Captain Mallison, Capt Tewson, Lieut & quartermaster T.C. Brasier proceeded on leave.</p>	<p>Set</p>
<p>5th 2.30 p.m.</p>	<p>Brigadier General Ravenshaw commanding 88th Bde inspected drafts of Battⁿ which had arrived since May 22nd. Numbers 153 and 113.</p>	<p>Set</p>
<p>6th 8 p.m.</p>	<p>Battalion exercised under company arrangements in close order drill, trench digging, erecting wire entanglements. Two Grenadier platoons formed under 2nd Lieut Robinson. Draft of 130 other ranks with 2nd Lieuts Simpson and Buxse arrived.</p>	<p>Set Set</p>
<p>8th 5 p.m.</p>	<p>2nd Lieut R. O. Cokerley P.W.B. left to join 1st P.W.B.</p>	<p>Set</p>

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June WINNEZEELE 9 th	Capt Mellison, Capt Jewess, Lt and 2nd J. C. Branie returned from leave	Tel
10 th 11 a.m.	2Lt C. J. Hewitt S. W. B. left to join 1 st Batt ⁿ S. W. B.	Tel
	Lieut Bradley Williams took over command of P. Coy.	Tel
	2Lt Marshall took over duties of Machine Gun officer.	Tel
	2Lt Wilson took over duties of Transport officer	Tel
8 p.m.	17 men of B Coy wounded by a bomb accident.	Tel.
11 th 4 p.m.	Battalion route march at 4 p.m.	Tel.
7-30 p.m.	Returned 7.30 p.m. Captain H. A. Law arrived and took over command of A Coy.	Tel. Tel.
13 th	Church parade. Two men rejoined battalion from military prison HAVER.	Tel.

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June 14 th 1.30 pm	Battalion marched into huts on ZEVEDOTEN-LA CLYTTE road about 400 x 2.2. W of LA CLYTTE. Route WINNIEZELLE	Tel.
6.20 pm	Arrived at huts. Battalion reported present.	Tel.
15 th LA CLYTTE 9 pm.	Under instructions from Brigade Battalion fell in on alarm post.	Tel.
9.25 pm	Battalion and transport reported present.	Tel.
16 th 6 pm	Battalion exercised under company commanders. Battalion came on duty. Paraded under company officers.	Tel.
17 th 1.30 pm	Battalion on duty. Lieut Colonel W. M. Wilby comd C. I. Co. and Capt. M. P. Day. 2 nd K. O. Y. L. L. visited 1 st Batt ⁿ	Tel.
3.45 pm	Equitation class for officers.	Tel.
6 pm	Battalion came off duty.	Tel.
6 am	Infantry major's parade.	Tel.
8.30 am	Companies at disposal of company commanders.	Tel.
12 noon	Equitation class for officers.	Tel.

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18 th . LA CLYFFE 4 p.m.	Route march under Coy arrangements.	Set
19 th .	Usual inspections.	Set
12 noon	Equitation class for officers.	Set
9.30 p.m.	Battalion left for Kemmel Bivouac.	Set
10.15 p.m.	Battalion arrived at Bivouac. Squads posted.	Set
20 th KEMMEL BIVOUAC	C.O. and Capt Mallum visited Bivouac.	Set
10.20 a.m.	Sgt Shawood Preston left.	Set
3 p.m.	2 officers and 100 men of B Coy working under	Set
9 p.m.	R. E.	Set
9 p.m.	A fatigue party of 30 men of B Coy left to under	Set
9.30 p.m.	139 th Bde Infantry Section	Set
9.35 p.m.	A Coy left to occupy subsidiary line.	Set
9.40 p.m.	C Coy	Set
9.40 p.m.	D	Set
9.40 p.m.	Two hours work was done in improving the trenches.	Set
9.40 p.m.	Companies then returned	Set
9.40 p.m.	Usual inspections.	Set
11.30 a.m.	C.O. visited bivouac	Set
9.30 p.m.	Party of 200 men working on subsidiary line	Set
9.30 p.m.	40 men as carrying party for 139 th Bde Infantry Coy	Set

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June 22. KEMMEL BIVOUAC	usual inspections C.O. visited C & D Coy bivouacs party of 200 men left to work on subsidiary line party of 100 men as working party in E. Yorks party of 40 men as carrying party for 189 th Bde Mining Coy	tel. tel. tel. tel.
23. 9.30 a.m.	Capt Law, Capt. Mrs. Blundell, Lieut Bradley Williams, Lieut Marshall and Lt Heath reconnoitred the E. Yorks trenches.	tel.
9.15 p.m.	Battalion marched off from bivouacs to relieve 2 nd E. Yorks, in trenches H3-K1. Transport returned to huts at LA CLYFFE	tel. tel.
24. 12.27 a.m.	Relief complete.	tel.
4.30 a.m.	Situation normal, wind light S.W.	tel.
9 a.m.	Sick wastage 4.	tel.
10.30 a.m.	C.O. and Captain Mellison visited the trenches	tel.
11 a.m.	Situation normal, wind light S.W. Bofodan General Ravenshaw C.M.G. visited Batt ⁿ B & G and trenches.	tel. tel.

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June 24.	Situation normal. Casualties nil. one company 5th Kuffs own Regiment, strength 2 officers and 104 men, relieved 9th D.I. in H.1 and H.2 trenches. This company came under command of Major C. E. Beathote D. S.O. O. C. Right Sector.	Set
25	12.5 a.m. Relief complete. Situation normal all day. 9 a.m. Sick wastage 3. Casualties other than killed two, wounded one. 5th Kuffs own attached nil. 10 a.m. C.O. visited trenches. 2.30 p.m. Adjutant visited trenches. 9.30 p.m. Capt. Mallin D. S.O. visited trenches.	Set. Set. Set. Set. Set. Set. Set.
26.	Situation normal all day. Mining operations by enemy reported to be taking place against T.3 right and T.3. new. Report was sent to linker but heard nothing. Sick wastage two.	Set. Set. Set. Set.

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26.	11am C.O. visited trenches.	Set
	3pm Adjutant visited trenches	Set
	9.30pm Capt McElliman D.S.O. visited trenches	Set
	10 men left Battalion to form Bde Mining Section	Set
27.	12.50pm Rich wastage 3. 5th K.O. attached one.	Set
	Intermittent rain all day.	Set
	9.45am C.O. visited trenches	Set
	Casualty 3 were taken killed one.	Set
	3pm Adjutant visited trenches	Set
	10pm Capt McElliman D.S.O. visited trenches	Set
	Intermittent rain all day.	Set
28.	Rich wastage. Capt S. A. Law, and four other	Set
	ranked. Casualty 3 were taken wounded two.	Set
	5th K.O. attached wounded two	Set
	11am C.O. visited trenches	Set
	2pm Adjutant visited trenches	Set

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28. 9:30 pm	Capt Mallett on S. S. 5000 ... Situation normal all day, Rich wastage also rather ... Casualties also rather ...	Sgt
29. 9 pm	Major Sept visited Batt ⁿ ... Sergeant Major ... wounded about 9 pm and died ... in hospital at LA CLYTTE. Batt ⁿ relieved by 2 nd E. Yorks.	Sgt
30. 12:30 am	Relief complete. Batt ⁿ marched into huts at LA CLYTTE.	Sgt
11:30 am	Draft of 83 other ranks inspected by C.O. Companies exercised under company commander 2 companies on night of picket. Battalion washed in bath at LA CLYTTE.	Sgt
11:30 pm	A & B used night range at SCHERPENBERG. also machine gunners.	Sgt
9 pm	160 men on working and camping parties	Sgt

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July 1 st LA CLYTTE	Usual inspections Riding class for officers. 11 a.m. Major General Ravenshaw visited the camp.	S.P.
2 nd	Lt Col Bonaton, Major E. H. Pegg and Captain L. de Boughton 6 th Coy visited the Battalion.	S.P.
3 rd	Usual inspections and officers equitation class.	S.P.
4 th	11 a.m. Lt Charles Ferguson 2 nd Corps visited Battalion	S.P.
5 th Trenches.	Battalion and 2 coys 5 th K.O. attached relieved 2 nd E. Yorks and 2 coys 5 th K.O. in trenches. Right sector	S.P.
	2 Lt Tompkins came to Battalion to learn the duties of Adjutant.	S.P.
	11.45 pm Received warning from Bde that there would probably be heavy fire firing to the hole about	S.P.
	5.30 a.m. 6 th information sent to Coys.	S.P.
	12 m. n. Relief complete.	S.P.
6 th	Situation normal. Wind light S.W. Foggy. patrol sent from H.H. to water reported no signs of	S.P.
	hostile activity, as reported by 2 nd East Yorks. 9 a.m. Slight wastage in E.	S.P.

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July, 6 th , TRENCHES.	C.O and 2 nd in command (Capt R. Macklin S.S.O.) visited trenches.	Set.
10.30 a.m.	Situation normal. Wind Fresh S.W. Lieut R. Boys-Stones 9 th D.L.I. reported at Battalion H.Q for instruction in duties of Adjutant.	Set. Set.
12 noon	Casualty. one other ranks wounded slightly at duty.	Set.
2 p.m.	Adjutant & Lt Boys-Stones visited trenches.	Set.
4.15 p.m.	Bugdier General Ravenshaw visited Battalion H.Q. after being round trenches.	Set.
4.30 p.m.	Situation normal. Wind Fresh S.W. 2 nd in command visited the trenches.	Set. Set.
10.30 p.m.	T.S. night trench mortared.	Set.
11.45 p.m.	Situation normal. Wind Fresh S.W.	Set.
7 th , 4.30 a.m.	Rapid rifle fire against K.I. and T.S. left at intervals during the night. For no apparent reason.	Set.
	Patrol and Bugdier sent along all over front but found nothing.	Set.
10 a.m.	C.O and Adjutant visited trenches.	Set.

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TRENCHES.		
July, 7th.	12 noon Casualties since earlier killed 2. Wounded none.	S.P.
	4.30 pm Crumps on E. Slope of KEMMEL HILLS.	S.P.
	6.30 pm Capt. Follett Bde Major visited Batt ⁿ B. 2.	S.P.
	9.40 pm 2 nd in command and Lt. Boys Storer visited trenches.	S.P.
	11.30 pm Trench mortars into T.3. Right.	S.P.
	4.30 am Situation normal. Wind light. S.W.	S.P.
8th	9 am Sick wastage one.	S.P.
	11.15 am C.O., adjutant and Lt. Boys Storer visited trenches.	S.P.
	12 noon Casualties. 2 Lt. W. D. BENTALL 1 st K. 41 wounded.	S.P.
	by rifle grenade. Not serious. Other casualties killed one, wounded 3.	S.P.
	4 pm Brigadier General Ravenshaw visited trenches and Batt ⁿ B. 2.	S.P.
	7.30 pm T.1 and T.3 right trench mortared. Artillery replied effectively.	S.P.
	9.45 pm 2 nd in command visited trenches.	S.P.

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<i>TRENCHES.</i>		
<i>July 9th</i> 4.30 a.m.	Situation normal. Wind light S.W. Counter mine from JS left exploded. Two craters	Ref.
5.30 a.m.	Jammed.	Ref.
9 a.m.	Sick wastage men. 20 men being up emergency telephone wire to trenches. Working all day.	Ref.
10.15 a.m.	2 Lt Tomkins returned to duty with A Coy.	Ref.
10.30 a.m.	Adjutant visited trenches.	Ref.
12 noon	C.O. visited trenches. Casualties. 5 other ranks killed 3 wounded 10.	Ref.
9.30 p.m.	Due to enemy trench mortar. 2nd Lt Command visited trenches.	Ref.
<i>10th</i> 4.30 a.m.	Situation normal. Light west wind.	Ref.
10.15 a.m.	C.O. visited trenches.	Ref.
11.15 a.m.	Brigadier General Ravenshaw visited Batt ^a St. G.	Ref.
12 noon	Casualties. 5 other ranks wounded 4.	Ref.
4 p.m.	Col Base of S.O. 1. 2 nd Division conducted round the subsidiary line by Captain Mallinson.	Ref.

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July 10 th TRENCHES		
4.30 pm	Situation normal. French mortars over T3 left	Ref.
6.55 pm	enemy reported by Bde Mining Section to be working a mine under T3 right and T3 new.	Ref.
8.30 pm	Mining under T3 right confirmed. Preparations made to explode a charge down bore hole in T3 right. 2 nd in command went up to T3 right.	Ref.
10.55 pm	Charge of 30 lbs exploded: crater formed 10 foot deep in centre. New bore hole sunk for listening. Explosion was followed by rapid fire from German trenches; afterwards all quiet.	Ref. Ref. Ref.
4.30 am	Situation normal. Light light S.W.	Ref.
9 am	Rich wastage one.	Ref.
10 am	C.O visited trenches.	Ref.
12 noon	Enemy active, wonder other ranks two.	Ref.
4.30 pm	A few trench mortars, otherwise all quiet.	Ref.
	Battalion relieved by 2 nd E. Yorks.	Ref.
11.50 pm	Relief complete.	Ref.

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LA CLYFFE		
12 th	Usual inspection and by Officers parades Co left for 5 days leave to England. Captain Mallison D.S.O. in command.	Lef Lef Lef
2.30 pm		
13 th	Battalion leave show. War by 1 st Coy Lt.	Lef
3 pm		
14 th	Sergeant Major Miller, C.S.M. Thirley, Sergeant Gibson, Cpl Mills and L/C Lowland went on leave	Lef
2 pm		
8.30 pm	Heavy gun fire and rapid rifle fire heard.	
9.10 pm	Battalion ordered to fall in. Turned out with machine Co reported to Bde Sq and ordered to stand by.	Lef Lef
12.20 m	Battalion ordered to fall out. This was apparently caused by Germans exploding a mine in front of G.I. trench. They did not attack.	Lef Lef
15 th	Usual inspection and parades. Battalion exercised on rifle range at SCHERPENBERG. Capt Mallison, Capt Tewson, Capt Law, and B Bradley Williams visited artillery observation posts at KEMMEL HILL.	Lef Lef Lef
16 th	Usual inspection and parades. Capt Lt Bond and Capt Hon Blundell visited KEMMEL HILL.	Lef Lef

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LA CLYTTE		
16 th	2 nd Lt. A. J. Pick D. 41. attached to Coy 41 left Batt ⁿ to form Bde morning section.	Tel.
17 th	usual inspections Batt ⁿ relieved 1 st & 4 th in trenches. B. C. D in trenches. A in reserve.	Tel. Tel.
8 pm.	Batt ⁿ left LA CLYTTE at 8 pm	Tel.
10.25 pm	Relief complete.	Tel.
11 pm	Capt Mallinson visited trenches.	Tel.
18 th Trenches.	Sick wastage nil.	Tel.
9 am	Capt Mallinson visited trenches.	Tel.
9.30 am	Capt Mallinson had a premature burst. Adjutant	
10.15 am	10 th Battery had a premature burst. Adjutant hit by gas in Batt ⁿ S. G. Slightly wounded at duty.	Tel.
10.45 am	Lt Col C. E. Bealteste D. P. O. returned to R. G. S. G. from leave.	Tel.
12 noon	Casualties other ranks. Killed one, wounded three.	Tel.
4 pm	Brigadier visited Batt ⁿ S. G.	Tel.
10 pm	Capt Mallinson visited trenches. Situation normal all day.	Tel.

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July TRENCHES.		
19 th 10 a.m.	P.O. and Adjutant visited trenches.	Tel.
12 noon	Cannalieri other tanks wounded me.	Tel.
6.30 pm	German opened rapid rifle fire at one of our aeroplanes.	Tel.
10 pm	Capt Mallum visited trenches.	Tel.
	Situation normal all day.	Tel.
	Rich wastage done.	Tel.
20 th 9 a.m.	Rich wastage done.	Tel.
10.15 am	C.O. and Adjutant visited trenches.	Tel.
4.15 pm	Brigadier visited Battalion S.I.	Tel.
5 pm	Lt. Bradley Williams wounded. Flesh wound in left thigh. Left arm broken. Caused by one bullet.	Tel.
9.46 pm	left thigh. left arm broken. Caused by one bullet.	Tel.
	Second in command visited trenches.	Tel.
	Situation normal all day.	Tel.
21 st 9 a.m.	Rich wastage done.	Tel.
10.30 am	Adjutant visited trenches.	Tel.
11.30 am	C.O. visited observation post on REMMEL HILL.	Tel.
12 noon	Cannalieri other tanks killed me. Wounded here.	Tel.

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TRENCHES

4.30 pm

General Boles and P. A. C. 29th Div visited Battⁿ 18.9.

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9 pm

P. Company took over K2, K2.A, K1.B. trenches. B and D expanded to occupy the original line.

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11 pm

Capt Mallinson visited trenches. Situation normal all day.

Sat.

10 am

C.O. and Adjutant visited trenches. Casualty. other ranks killed one, wounded three.

Sat.

12 noon

Capt Mallinson visited trenches.

Sat.

10 pm

Situation normal all day.

Sat.

10.15 am

Adjutant visited trenches. Casualties other ranks killed one, wounded one.

Sat.

12 noon

Battⁿ relieved by 18.9.

Sat.

10.30 pm

Relief complete 10.30 pm. After relief Battⁿ marched into trenches near SCHERPENBERG.

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24th

SCHERPENBERG.

Normal inspections. Capt S. A. Law and Lieut Wells R.A.C. proceeded on leave.

Sat.

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July 25 th SCHERPENBERG 9.30 am	Church parade. Brigadier General Ravenshaw inspected the last two drafts.	lot lot
26 th	Usual inspections and company parades. Battalion exercised in marching on the SCHERPENBERG range.	lot lot
27 th 3.15 pm 7.45 pm	C.O inspected companies in marching order Lt Wilson, 2 nd Lt Robson and 100 other ranks of C. Company relieved 1 st Coy in exercise of a left sector at SANDBAR VILLA.	lot lot
28 th 3. pm	2 nd in command inspected Headquarters and machine gunners in marching order.	lot
29 th	Usual inspections and parades.	
30 th 8 pm	Batt ⁿ with 2 platoons 6 th Dursts. 2 " 7 th E Yorks } attached. 1 company 7 th Lincshire Regt } relieved 5 th King's Own with one company 1 st Yorks	lot lot

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July 30	<p>TRENCHES</p> <p>attached in the left sector</p> <p>11.35 pm Relief complete 11.35 pm</p> <p>A, B, and D in the firing line, C in reserve.</p> <p>11 pm 2nd in command visited trenches.</p>	<p>Set</p> <p>Set</p>
31.	<p>Situation normal all day.</p> <p>100 m company over rather wounded me.</p> <p>6.30 pm Received message from Brigade that attached troops would be withdrawn.</p> <p>Two platoons of C company sent up in support to A.</p> <p>10.45 pm Changes in dispositions complete.</p> <p>11 pm 2nd in command visited trenches.</p>	<p>Set</p> <p>Set</p> <p>Set.</p> <p>Set</p> <p>Set</p> <p>Set</p>

Remarks on 10 drafts joined 20-8-15

20114 R. Cp. A. W. Sant
 9970 G. F. Carr
 2361 F. J. Cairne
 10458 G. H. Struter
 20940 R. Cp. C. Whitecroft
 10128 F. E. Roberts
 20232 F. S. Ruxton
 21009 G. R. G. Bellis
 20156 G. D. 4 Hall 3-Rm. enlisted
 17-3-15 left England 6-7-15, ~~him~~
 at Base since.

} sick or
 wounded
 rejoined
 from Base
 & England

21992 F. J. Carr 3-Rm. enlisted
 8-3-15, left England about 25 July,
 him at Base since.

21940 F. A. Banters, 3-Rm. enlisted
 11-3-15, left England about 25 July
 him at Base since.

23248 F. A. Gray, enlisted 6-9-14
 11th Hussars, transferred to 3rd
 K.O.Y.L.I. into Cavalry draft

21818 F. H. Goddard, 3-Rm. enlisted
 25-2-15, left England about 21-7-15
 him at Base since, in hospital
 with abscess in back

N^o ~~15750~~ 15750 P. S. M. E. Coore.
 enlisted 12th Reg 14-9-14. Transferred
 to 3rd Reg for Home Service only,
 & medically unfit, on 1-5-15. (see
 own statement). Left England
 about 21-7-15. Remained in the
 service. Age 43 yrs.

22286 Pte. H. Davies. 5th Reg.
 enlisted 1-4-15. Left England
 about the 21-7-15. Remained
 at the Reg. States he was
 marked P B (permanent Reserve
 duty) in consequence of frost
 in Tynes foot.

15961 ♂ Hayward, 10th Rn. to
3rd Rn. in April 1915, slight
rupture only to motor accident, all
right now - Age 26.

21876 ♂ Clifton 3rd Rn. Age 21.
enlisted 1-3-15.

21815 ♂ Remington 3rd Rn. Age 29,
enlisted 23-2-15.

16902 ♂ Hughes, transferred
from 9th Rn. to 3rd Rn. April 15.
Does not know why he was
transferred. Age 46. N.B.G.

1301 Forest, transferred from 10th
Rn. to 3rd Rn. 1-5-15, he does
not know why he was transferred,
Age 47. N.B.G.

21974 ♂ Crossland, 3rd Rn. Age 32
enlisted 6-3-15.

N.B.G. = No ~~Goods~~ Goods

21991 ♂ Cross. 3' 10". age 23. enlisted
8-3-15.

21996 ♂ Cleman. 3' 10". age 29 enlisted
3-3-15

6641 ♂. Halkyard transferred from
12' 10" to 3' 10". 1-5-15. for
Army Service only. no idea why.
Age 26. N.

1218 ♂ Wright transferred from
12' 10" to 3' 10". 1-5-15. he has no
idea why? age 42. N. G.

21984 ♂ Dennis 3' 10". age 33.
enlisted 8-3-15.

7888 ♂ Wilson transferred from
12' 10" to 3' 10". 1-5-15 for Army
Service only - Could not march.
Had leg broken before enlisting
& a piece of bone removed from
the shin. Age 29.

479 ♂ Dubey transferred from
12' 10" to 3' 10". 1-5-15. he has no
idea why? Age 36. N. G.

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M 432

M.O.
Vet R.O.Y.I.L.I.

These men on
attached list - will be sent
down country for duty on lines
of Communication under regi-
mental arrangements.

10.8.15

Ad. H. P. Roch
St. Col. R.O.M.C.
D.O.D.M.S. 28th Div

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A. D. M. S.
28th Div.
10.8.15
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No.	Rank & Name.	Age.	Disability	Remarks.
3118	Pte. Brannan	22	Deformed right arm result of old fracture.	To be sent to Base for duty on L of C.
19962	" Horton	43	Pyorrhoea Dyspepsia and loss of sight.	Do.
14415	" Carter	45	Asthma	Do
739	" Edwards	50	Deformed right foot	Do.
19244	" Hastelow	38.	Chronic inflammation of left knee joint.	Do.

11.8.15

Remains in 10 draft joins 5-8-15
 607 W. Larnier. Transferred from
 12th Pn. to 3rd Pn. on 1-5-15, as
 unfit for active service owing to V.
 vein left leg. Age 28.

786 Whitfield transferred from
 12th Pn. to 3rd Pn. ¹⁻⁵⁻¹⁵ for Home Defence
only. Age 44.

656 Anderson. Transferred from 12th
 Pn. to 3rd Pn. 1-5-15. Age
complaint - now cured. Age 25.

1654 Hayden - transferred from
 10th Pn. to 3rd Pn. January 1915. in
 consequence of Rheumatism in knees,
for home service only. Age - 28.

17820 Field. Transferred from
 10th Pn. to 3rd Pn. - April 1915, in con-
 sequence of being flat footed & unable
 to march & fit for home service
only. 35

19192 Lysack. Transferred from 11th Pn.
 to 3rd Pn. about May 1915, owing to
deafness. 29.

Cathy To the officer Commanding
1st Battⁿ King's Own Yorkshire Light
Regiment

As Colonel of the 19th Yorkshire Regt.
I send you myself and my wife our
best congratulations to you for all that
you did on a hard day. You & your
brave men were a fine sight and your
splendid fighting record and your
bravery on the 1st of August
1959 has added splendidly to the
splendid record you have always
held.

I congratulate myself on having
in my division your Battalion
knowing that it is certain to
add to its laurels.

11/2/55
Signed E. S. Bulfinch
Major General

Ref. map. Sheet 28. YPRES¹⁸

Scale 1/40,000

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TRENCHES	MINDEN DAY. Lt Col Adams on post out wires from	
	England, which were worn by the troops.	P.S.
	Congratulatory telegram received from Major General	P.S.
	Burgess C.B. J. O. C. 28 th Division. Copy attached	P.S.
	Situation normal all day.	P.S.
	Casualties other ranks wounded two.	P.S.
10.15 am	C.O. and Adjutant visited trenches.	P.S.
	Draft of 20 inspected by Burgadier. Five men	P.S.
	medically examined and found unfit.	P.S.
3.15 pm	Lt GENT 3 rd D.L.I. attached to Koyli left	P.S.
	Battalion to form Bde pioneer Section.	P.S.
4.30 pm	Burgadier General Rowenham C. B. G. visited	P.S.
	Batt ⁿ B. 2.	P.S.
10.30 pm	2 nd in Command visited trenches.	P.S.
10.50 pm	Received warning that 24 th Bde were going to	P.S.
	blow up a house in N. 30.0. 1.9 at 10.20 2 nd	P.S.
	House was not blown up.	P.S.

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July 2. Aug	<p>Situation normal day. 10 am C.O and Adjutant visited trenches. Casualties other ranks killed 2. wounded three. Cpl Turner of A Coy killed. He was recommended for gallant conduct on May 3rd at FRIESENBERG.</p>	<p>Ref Ref Ref Ref</p>
3 pm	<p>One sergeant and 10 men left Battⁿ to be attached to Divisional Salvage Corps.</p>	<p>Ref</p>
11 pm	<p>2nd in command visited trenches Lieuts. Welch, Lyne and Mantindale joined the Battalion and were posted to B, C, and D Coys respectively.</p>	<p>Ref Ref Ref</p>
3 rd 10.30 am	<p>Situation normal all day. C.O and Adjutant and Major Douglas Robertson R.F visited the trenches Casualties other ranks wounded 2. 1st Lt and 4 sergeant relieved 2nd Cheevers on our right.</p>	<p>Ref Ref Ref Ref</p>
11 pm	<p>2nd in command visited trenches</p>	<p>Ref</p>
14 th 9.45 am	<p>Situation normal all day. Casualties other ranks killed one, wounded three C.O, Adjutant and Bde Machine Gun Officer</p>	<p>Ref Ref</p>

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TRENCHES		
4 th	visited trenches. Return taken up by pack horses to K.3, also sandbags, thereby saving a lot of carrying.	Tel Tel Tel
11 pm	2 nd in command visited trenches.	Tel
5 th	Situation normal all day. C.O. and Adjutant visited trenches. Casualties nil.	Tel Tel
4 pm	Buzoche visited Batt ⁿ HQ. draft of 19 animals report attached.	Tel
6 th	Situation normal all day. Casualties other ranks wounded 2. Battalion relieved by 2 nd East Yorks.	Tel Tel
11.20 pm	Relief complete, and Battalion marched to Huts at SCHERPENBERG.	Tel
7 th - 12 th SCHERPENBERG	Battalion resting. Company parades and inspections. Very heavy carrying parties found. In three nights there were 400 men out, and also 120 employed on Bed fatigue daily.	Tel Tel

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August

Friday 7th

Capt Halliwell S. S. D. assumed command of B. Coy

Set

Friday 7th

Capt W. S. Brooke moved to join Battⁿ from
being C. S. C. to G. S. C. Vth Corps and took over
C. Coy.

Set

Aug

Monday 12th

TRENCHES.

Battalion relieved 2nd East Yanks in the ~~the~~ trenches
A, B, C in the firing line. D Coy in reserve.

Set

10.45 pm

Relief complete 10.45 pm.
Col Challoner 6th Lieutenant came to Battⁿ HQ

Set

13th

Situation normal.
Casualty of own ranks wounded one
Co and Col Challoner visited trenches
2 Coy 6th Lieutenant left joined the sector.
1 1/2 Coy were distributed in the fire and support
trenches. 1/2 Coy in reserve. C. Coy took withdrawal to

Set

Set

Set

Set

11.45 pm

SCHERPENBERG.
Change in disposition complete 11.45 pm
Adj^t 6th Lieutenant came to Battⁿ HQ
5 men sent to permanent base duty, see report

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Aug 14. TRENCHES	Situation normal all day. Casualty Coy 21 other ranks wounded one - 6th Leicesters other ranks wounded one. 10.15 am Brigade General Bawbridge 110th Bde arrived at Ball's B. 9: was shown round trenches by C.O. Coy 2 pm K 2 A shelled with 16. 2. whizz bangs. No damage. 10.30 pm Adjts. Coy 21 and 6th Leicesters visited trenches.	Lat Lat Lat Lat
15 th	Situation normal all day. Casualties Coy 21 other ranks wounded 6 - 6th Leicesters other ranks wounded one. 8.30 pm C. Coy Coy 21 returned to trenches and 6th Leicesters withdrew.	Lat Lat
16 th	Situation normal all day. Casualties other ranks killed one: wounded 4. 11 am Artillery tested. 18th Battery replied in 33 seconds. 22nd " " " 8 minutes owing to defects in telephone wire.	Lat Lat

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Aug 17 th TRENCHES	Situation normal all day. Casualties: one each killed and wounded 3. 8.40 am German paper balloon dropped behind our trenches, following on it. It was forwarded to Bde S. G.	S.P. S.P. S.P.
10 am	C. O. visited trenches.	S.P.
4 pm	Brigade visited Batt ⁿ S. G.	S.P.
4.30 pm	Lt Col Mackenzie Smith, 2 officers and 8 O. R. Yorkshire Dragoons visited Batt ⁿ S. G. and were taken round the trenches by Adjutant.	S.P.
9 pm	Heavy firing on our left. Lancashire Fusiliers (10 th) had about 20 casualties from trench mortar and rifle grenades. All quiet in front of us.	S.P.

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TRENCHES		
Aug 18	Situation normal all day.	Tot
	Casualties in other ranks wounded one.	Tot
	Relieved by 2nd East York in the trenches.	Tot
	Relief complete 10.25 pm.	
10.25 pm	Very quick. Machine guns were sent to report.	Tot
	Batt ⁿ went into huts at SCHERPENBERG.	Tot
	Battalion in huts.	
18-24.	Very heavy work and carrying parties found.	
SCHERPENBERG	On one day there were 10 Officers and 595	
	other ranks out.	
	Lt W. S. Key found Batt ⁿ and was posted	Tot
20.	to C Coy.	Tot
	Draft of 15 B.R. arrived. Report attached.	Tot

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<p>24. <i>Chang</i> TRENCHES.</p>	<p>Battalion relieved 2nd E. Yorks in the trenches. 10pm Relief complete. A, D, C in firing line. B in reserve. 2nd Lt Marshall went on leave and 2nd Lt Brooke took charge of machine guns.</p>	<p>Lat Lat</p>
<p>25. 10.15 am</p>	<p>Situation normal all day. Slight wastage 3. Casualties. O.R. wounded 2. C.O. visited trenches.</p>	<p>Lat Lat Lat</p>
<p>26th 11 am</p>	<p>Situation normal all day. Slight wastage nil. Casualties. O.R. killed one, wounded 3. 2 German aeroplanes were flying over our lines from 7.30 a.m. till 10.40 a.m. when two of our own machines appeared. C.O. visited trenches.</p>	<p>Lat Lat Lat</p>
<p>12 noon</p>	<p>Lt Col. C. R. Popham Brooke D.S.O. rejoined Battalion to Command. Remained with water master</p>	<p>Lat</p>

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<p>27th Trenches</p>	<p>Situation normal all day. Lich wastage 2 Lt. Tomkins, and 3 O.R. Casualties in O.R. killed one, wounded one. A few whizz bangs in the trenches in the morning. 10 a.m. Majr General Bulfin, Brigadier General Rasmussen and Majr Heald visited trenches.</p>	<p>let let let let let</p>
<p>28th</p>	<p>Situation normal all day. Lich wastage 2. Casualties nil. 10 a.m. C.O. visited trenches. 1.56 p.m. message sent to trenches to take cover in slit trenches 2.8 p.m. all ready. 5 p.m. Artillery tested. 18th Battery replied in 20 seconds. 22nd Battery in 33 seconds.</p>	<p>let let let let let</p>
<p>29th</p>	<p>Situation normal all day. Lich wastage Capt Bond, and 3 O.R. Casualties nil. 10.30 a.m. Co. visited trenches</p>	<p>let let</p>

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<p>20.</p> <p>TRENCHES.</p>	<p>1. Situation normal all day</p> <p>2. Sick wastage one. Casualties 8 R. killed one wounded four. 2 Lt Marshall returned and Lt Robinson went on leave</p> <p>10.20 am C.O. visited trenches</p> <p>11 a.m. Message sent to man all trenches</p> <p>11.4 am All ready</p> <p>Relieved by 2nd to 4th hrs.</p> <p>11 a.m. Relief complete. All companies finished by 9.30 pm except left Coy, who delayed relief by losing M.C. 1000. After relief Battalion went to subs at SCHERPENBERG.</p>	<p>10</p> <p>10</p> <p>10</p> <p>10</p> <p>10</p> <p>10</p> <p>10</p>
<p>31.</p> <p>SCHERPENBERG.</p>	<p>1. Battalion resting.</p> <p>7 p.m. 600 men digging on subsidiary line</p> <p>79 - carrying party.</p> <p>All officers out except Headquarters staff.</p> <p>Lt Col. C. R. Lopham Bdr the S.S. took over command of Battⁿ from Major (temp. Lt Col) C. S. Beakate S. Co</p>	<p>10</p> <p>10</p> <p>10</p> <p>10</p>

Chrysmund Brothe - Lt Colonel

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Sept. 1 st	SCARPENBERG Batt ⁿ had battles at WESTOUTRE.	Tel
2 nd	7 ^{1/2} pm 630 men digging on subsidiary line 55 - carrying party	Tel
4 th	All officers out except S. & Staff. Pvt Brady and party specially complimented by A.E. 600 men digging on subsidiary line 50 men carrying party.	Tel Tel Tel Tel
5 th	Church parade Lieut Robinson returned and Captain Mallinson proceeded on leave Batt ⁿ relieved 2 nd East Jans in the trenches.	Tel Tel Tel
10:18pm	Relief Complete.	Tel
6 th	Situation normal. Light wastage nil. Contact in other trenches killed one, wounded one C.O. and 2 nd in command visited trenches	Tel Tel Tel
10:45am	A/13 th Howitzer Battery registered.	Tel
3pm	Situation normal. Light wastage Capt Mon Blundell Fever.	Tel

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Sept 7. Trenches.	Casualties. o. R. wounded 2. 10 am C.O and adjutant visited trenches.	Lat Lat
8 ^{am}	Situation normal. Rich wastage one other ranks. Killed. Casualties other ranks wounded one Capt J. M. Bond returned from hospital to duty with D Coy.	Lat Lat Lat
10.30 am	C.O visited trenches	Lat
9 ^{am}	Situation normal. Rich wastage nil. 10.30 am Majr P. S. Heathcote D.S.O left Balton to take over command of 1/4 Lincbns.	Lat Lat
10.5 am	Message sent to trenches to take cover for a bombardment.	Lat Lat
10.25 am	all ready. H.Q moved to dug outs. Telephones working well Casualties other ranks wounded 3.	Lat Lat Lat
10 ^{am}	Situation normal. Rich wastage one. diarrhoea Casualties other ranks killed 2. wounded one	Lat Lat
2.30 pm	C.O and Bde Majr visited trenches	Lat

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Sept 10 th Trenches	Artillery tested. 18 th Battery replied in 45 seconds 22 nd " " " " 15 "	Set
11 th	Situation normal. Sick wastage one. Casualties other ranks wounded 1 Lieut. W. T. Key missing. He went out at night in front of the wire and no trace could be found of him. Subsidiary line shelled from 9.45 am - 12.15 pm Howitzer Battery retaliated. Relieved by 2 nd East Lancs 9.25pm Relief complete	Set Set Set Set Set Set Set
12 th Schapenburg.	Major Mallin D.S.O. returned and Capt Trewin proceeded on leave.	Set
12 th - 17 th	Battalion resting	Set
14 th	Battalion inspected by Lt Herbert Plumer K.C.B. Cmdg 2 nd Army. Report attached.	Set
15 th	Draft of 30 other ranks found. Report attached	Set

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Sept 17 Trenches	Batt ⁿ relieved 2 nd Sgt Johns in the trenches 9.15pm Relief complete	Ref Ref
18 th 10 am	Situation normal. Lich wastage O. R. 3. Casualties other ranks killed 2. C.O. visited trenches	Ref Ref Ref
19 th 11 pm	Situation normal. Lich wastage O. R. 3. Casualties O. R. wounded 3. Capt Tewson returned from leave Officers of 22 nd Canadian Infantry reconnected trenches. C.O. came to Batt ⁿ H.Q. 2 nd in command visited trenches.	Ref Ref Ref Ref Ref
20 th 11 pm	Situation normal. Lich wastage other ranks 3 Casualties nil 1 1/2 Coy 22 nd Canadians relieved 1 1/2 Coy 104 th in the trenches. M.G.s of 22 nd were brought up but not mounted.	Ref Ref Ref
11 pm	Relief complete.	Ref
11.15pm	2 nd in Command, O.C. and 2 nd in Command 22 nd Canadians visited trenches.	Ref Ref

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<p>Sept 21. Trenches 3 pm</p>	<p>Situation normal. Sick wastage nil. Casualties Koyki nil. 22nd Canadians O. R. wounded one. 2nd in command 22nd Canadian and Adjutant Koyki visited trenches. Officers 26th Canadians reconnoitred trenches. C.O and Adjutant at Batt^l B. a 2 Infs Koyki withdrawn and 22nd Canadian mounted Men's gun.</p>	<p>S.P. S.P. S.P. S.P. S.P.</p>
<p>22nd 10.30 pm 10.30 am 3 pm 4 pm 8.50 pm</p>	<p>2nd in command visited trenches. Situation normal. Sick wastage nil. Casualties Koyki O.R. wounded 2. Canadians nil. C.O Koyki and C.O and Adjutant 26th Canadians visited trenches Remaining 2 Infs of Koyki withdrawn. 1/2 by Koyki relieved by 1/2 Coy 22nd Canadian Relief completed of remaining by Koyki in the trenches and of reserve by Koyki Battalion bivouached near PHERPENBERG for the night. Bde pioneer, 8 Bde mules, Bde section, Bde fusen man, 2nd sent and Pich rejoined Batt^l</p>	<p>S.P. S.P. S.P. S.P. S.P. S.P.</p>

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<p>Sept 26th OUTTERSTEEN.</p>	<p>6 a.m. Left OUTTERSTEEN 6 a.m. and marched to ROBECA via MERVILLE 11-15 a.m. Arrived ROBECA. 2 p.m. Left Robecq and marched towards BETHUNE. after marching about 1 1/2 miles, column was halted, and then returned to ROBECA. Battⁿ billeted in ROBECA for the night.</p>	<p>lat lat lat lat</p>
<p>27th ROBECA.</p>	<p>1 p.m. Battⁿ in lumbered. 3.30 p.m. Reached NOYELLES LES VERMELLES and bivouacked for the night. Co. Adjutant and Company Commander went up to 2nd Bde B. Co. to reconnoitre trenches. On arrival at Bde B. Co. found relief was cancelled.</p>	<p>lat lat lat</p>
<p>28th NOYELLES LES VERMELLES.</p>	<p>2 p.m. Occupied reserve trenches on VERMELLES road as a bombardment was expected. 5.30 p.m. Returned to Boisvaux.</p>	<p>lat lat</p>
<p>29th</p>	<p>10 a.m. Battⁿ ordered to be ready to move at short notice. 10.15 a.m. Battⁿ moved.</p>	<p>lat lat</p>

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Sept 29 Trenches	B and D Companies under Majr Mallison D.S.O occupied Sunken Trench.	L.S.
2.15 pm	B and D moved and came under orders of 85 th Bde. D Coy in firing line in "Big Willie", B in support.	L.S.
5 pm	Remainder of Batt ⁿ moved up in to Reserve trench and came under orders of 85 th Bde	L.S.
30 th	Casualties. 2Lt A. H. Robson 3 rd D.L.I attached 1 st Coy killed. 2Lt L. A. Welch 1 st Coy L.I. Sick to hospital. Other ranks killed 2 wounded 8.	L.S.
4 pm	2Lt F. N. Brooke joined 85 th Bde as Bde Bomb Officer. Batt ⁿ (except D Coy) relieved and proceeded to old English front line trenches N of HULLOCH Road, arriving there at 2.15 a.m. on 1 st Oct.	L.S.

Information concerning men of Draft
which joined I. K. O. Y. L. I.
15th Sept. 1915

3206. Acting Sgt. Bourgin W. enlisted
3.12.14. Age 31. Left England
20-7-15.

9608 Corp. Buckhurst E. rejoined on
recovery from wound received in
April 1915

20853 R. Corp. Widdowson C. rejoined
on recovery from wound received in
August 1915.

20539 Pte Mason J. rejoined on
recovery from wound received in
August 1915.

20331 P. Gill C. rejoined on
recovery from wound received in
August 1915

20264 Pte Marshall J. rejoined on
recovery from wound received
in July 1915

Information re Group 15-9-15 cont: (2)

20648 R. O. Peaker Lt. rejoined on recovering from wound received in August 1915

10493 G. Mason Lt. rejoined on recovering from wound received in August 1915

208161 G. Willoughby Lt. rejoined, having been in Hospital for 7 weeks.

21967 G. Smith, O. rejoined, having been in Hospital for 5 weeks, suffering with subject to "fits".

10308 G. Carr, R. rejoined, having left The Ron. in Feb. 15 sick.

21364 G. Gray, W. rejoined, having been in Hospital for 13 weeks.

3118 P. Brannon, D. rejoined. Originally joined The Ron. on the 29th July 1915, was sent to The Base for permanent duty having been reported by The A.D.M.S. 28th Div. to be unfit for duty in The Trenches owing to a deformed right arm the result of an old fracture.

Returned to The Base on the 13-8-15

Information re Drafts. 15-9-15 Cont: (H)

22026 F. Cook J. 3rd Bn. Enlisted
10-3-15. Age 19. Came out to
The Country 3-9-15.

22027 F. Cook F. 3rd Bn. Enlisted
10-3-15. Age 22. Came out to The
Country 3-9-15.

22036 F. Nicholson J. 3rd Bn. Enlisted
6-3-15. Age 34. Came out to The
Country 3-9-15.

22619 Reg. Hornley J. 5th Bn. Enlisted
7-5-15. Age 20 ^{5/12}. Came out to The
Country 3-9-15.

22630 F. Sprites T. 3rd Bn. Enlisted
25-3-15. Age 36. Came out to The
Country 3-9-15.

2043 F. Swallow A. Enlisted 2-11-14 in
11th Bn. Sent to 3rd Bn. in Feb. 1915 in
consequence of displaced cartilage of
the knee. Now recovered. Age 28.
Came out to The Country 3-9-15.

Information re Draft. 15-9-15 Cont; (3)

19244 G. Hastelow E. injured.
Originally joined The Battalion on the 29th
July 1915. Was sent to The Base for
permanent duties having been reported
by The A.D.M.S. 28th Division, to be
"invalid" for duty in the Trenches owing
to chronic inflammation of left
knee joint. Proceeded to The
Base on the 13-8-15.

22132 G. Hunter G. from 3rd Bn.
Enlisted 16-3-15. Age 25. Came
out to The Country on the 3-9-15

21894 G. Doughty W. 3rd Bn.
Enlisted 1-3-15. Age 28. Came out
to The Country in June. Has been in
Hospital at The Base for 7 weeks
with syphilis.

22196 G. Edwards J.W. 3rd Bn.
Enlisted 22-3-15. Age 28. Came out
to The Country on the 3-9-15

22499 G. Lee W. 3rd Bn. Enlisted
26-4-15. Age 20. Came out to The
Country on the 3-9-15

Information re Draft, 15-9-15 Cont^d (5)

19856 Pte Overend A. Enlisted 11-11-14
in the 11th Bn. Sent to 3rd Bn. in
Feb. 15 fit for home service only.
Rheumatism in legs & feet. Age 46.
Came out to The Country 3-9-15.

19894 Pte Rogers B. Enlisted 10-11-14
in the 11th Bn. Sent to 3rd Bn. in
February 15, fit for home service
only, defective teeth. Reports he
has received no treatment. Age 36.
Came out to The Country 3-9-15

23486 R. Cp. A. Duxton. Enlisted 8-9-14
in the 5th L. Sds. Transferred to
3rd Bn. June 15. Age 21. Came out
to The Country 3-9-15

23561 Pte S. Williams Enlisted
3-9-15 in the 15th Hussars, Transferred
to 3rd Bn. June 1915. Age 25. Came
out to The Country 3-9-15.

23560 Pte Waterson H. Enlisted
5-9-14 in the 15th Hussars, Transferred
to 3rd Bn. June 1915. Age 20. Came
out to The Country 3-9-15.

Information re [unclear] 15-9-15 cont: (6)

23452 G. Hawley, Sgt. Enlisted
8-9-14 in The 5th D. Co. Transferred
to 3rd Bn. June 1915. Age 30.
Came out to the Country 3-9-15

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TO *All units.*

*Sender's Number <i>PC 491</i>	Day of Month <i>25.</i>	In reply to Number	AAA
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<i>1st</i>	<i>Army</i>	<i>Wies</i>	<i>8.40 am</i>	<i>all</i>
<i>revers.</i>	<i>South</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>BETHUNE</i>	<i>LA</i>
<i>BASSE</i>	<i>Road</i>	<i>have</i>	<i>been</i>	<i>reached</i>
<i>our</i>	<i>front line</i>	<i>trucks</i>	<i>or</i>	<i>are</i>
<i>in</i>	<i>the</i>	<i>move</i>	<i>there</i>	<i>aaa</i>
<i>Between</i>	<i>LA</i>	<i>BASSE</i>	<i>Road</i>	<i>and</i>
<i>Canal</i>	<i>on</i>	<i>trucks</i>	<i>are</i>	<i>checked</i>
<i>aaa</i>	<i>Following</i>	<i>places</i>	<i>reported</i>	<i>to</i>
<i>be</i>	<i>occupied</i>	<i>by</i>	<i>our</i>	<i>troops</i>
<i>inclosure</i>	<i>South</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>Loos</i>	<i>PRIONS</i>
<i>Cemetery</i>	<i>west</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>Loos</i>	<i>and</i>
<i>FOSSE</i>	<i>No. 8</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>2 Bdes</i>	<i>15th Div</i>
<i>disappeared in</i>	<i>Smoke</i>	<i>towards</i>	<i>and</i>	
<i>North</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>Loos</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>1st Div</i>
<i>Checked</i>	<i>temporarily</i>	<i>by</i>	<i>Las</i>	<i>7th</i>
<i>and</i>	<i>9th</i>	<i>our</i>	<i>reported</i>	<i>inspecting</i>

FROM *83rd Bde*

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<i>PC492</i>	<i>25</i>			
<i>1st</i>	<i>Army</i>	<i>reports</i>	<i>10 a.m</i>	<i>last</i>
<i>Loos</i>	<i>is in</i>	<i>our</i>	<i>hands</i>	<i>and</i>
<i>that</i>	<i>our</i>	<i>infantry</i>	<i>are</i>	<i>advancing</i>
<i>on</i>	<i>Bill 70</i>	<i>AAA</i>	<i>1st Div</i>	<i>is</i>
<i>advancing</i>	<i>on</i>	<i>HULLUCH</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>has</i>
<i>captured</i>	<i>2 guns</i>	<i>AAA</i>	<i>7th Div</i>	<i>is</i>
<i>between</i>	<i>HULLUCH</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>DAISNES</i>	<i>AAA</i>
<i>9th Div</i>	<i>have</i>	<i>taken</i>	<i>FOSSE</i>	<i>N. side</i>
<i>and</i>	<i>is</i>	<i>advancing</i>	<i>on</i>	<i>DAISNES</i>
<i>AAA</i>	<i>Right</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>2nd Div</i>	<i>is</i>
<i>held</i>	<i>up</i>	<i>about</i>	<i>LES</i>	<i>BRIQUES</i>
<i>AAA</i>	<i>Indian</i>	<i>Cops</i>	<i>report.</i>	<i>Capture</i>
<i>of</i>	<i>MOULIN</i>	<i>du</i>	<i>PIETRE</i>	<i>and</i>
<i>142</i>	<i>prisoners</i>	<i>AAA</i>	<i>14th Div</i>	<i>report</i>
<i>9.42</i>	<i>a.m</i>	<i>last</i>	<i>reached</i>	<i>line</i>
<i>J 12</i>	<i>cl. 1.6</i>	<i>I 12.0.64</i>	<i>J 12 A.0.2</i>	<i>AAA</i>

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<i>1st</i>	<i>Army</i>	<i>reports</i>	<i>at P.O. 2</i>	<i>gca</i>
<i>4th</i>	<i>Corps</i>	<i>have</i>	<i>crossed</i>	<i>German</i>
<i>front</i>	<i>line</i>	<i>trenches</i>	<i>on the</i>	<i>approach</i>
<i>front</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>LENS</i>	<i>to</i>	<i>LA</i>
<i>BASSE</i>	<i>Canal</i>	<i>gca</i>	<i>of 1st Div</i>	<i>advance</i>
<i>is</i>	<i>slow</i>	<i>owing</i>	<i>to</i>	<i>gas</i>
<i>hanging</i>	<i>front</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>it</i>	<i>gca</i>
<i>1st</i>	<i>Corps</i>	<i>attack</i>	<i>on</i>	<i>BIVENCHY</i>
<i>successful</i>	<i>gca</i>	<i>MEERUT</i>	<i>DIV</i>	<i>just</i>
<i>on</i>	<i>with</i>	<i>have</i>	<i>taken</i>	<i>about</i>
<i>120</i>	<i>prisoners</i>	<i>gca</i>	<i>right</i>	<i>of</i>
<i>8th Div</i>	<i>gca</i>	<i>Corps</i>	<i>N.E.</i>	<i>of</i>
<i>of</i>	<i>AUBERS</i>	<i>Ridge</i>	<i>has</i>	<i>reached</i>
<i>German</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>line</i>	<i>trenches</i>	<i>white</i>
<i>left</i>	<i>is</i>	<i>in</i>	<i>front</i>	<i>line</i>
<i>trenches</i>				

FROM *83rd Bde*
 PLACE & TIME *11.20 am*

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TO

Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number **AAA**

They	were	heavily	counter	attached
and	disen-	back	to	original
front	which	is	held	together
with	water	T12 A.O.H	AAA	3 rd Div
at	10.5	a.m	2 officers	and
140	other	rank	and	1 field
gun	have	been	captured	AAA
1 st	Aug	11.15 a.m	report	gun
proper	HULLOCK	has	been	captured
French	report	all	goes	well
Champagne	enclaves	just	line	has
been	taken	on	the	whole
front	the	advance	proceeding	
normally				

FROM 83rd Bde
 PLACE & TIME 2.30 pm

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28th. Division wire begins:-

3rd. Divn. reports having captured about 50 prisoners
of 172nd. Regt. in J.19a. and J.13c.

1st. Gordons reported in Front Line Trenches about I
I.18.D.8.4.

4th. Gordons on their right have taken their three
lines of German Trenches and are in touch with
Royal Scots in German First line trenches further
South.

14th. Divn. report having captured front line
trenches I.12a.8.5.

10.20.am. 25-9-15.

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"A" Form.

Army Form C. 2121.

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Special Instructions.	m.	Words.	Charge.	This message is on a/c of:	Recd. at _____ m.
	Sent				Service.
At _____ m.				(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	From _____
To _____					By _____
By _____					

1/ K. O. Y. L. I.

Sender's Number	Day of Month 29 th	In reply to Number	AAA
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Proceed with remainder
of 1st K. O. Y. L. I. to 85th
Brigade.

From	85 th Bde
Place	6 pm.
Time	
The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z) sd. A. P. Follett.	
Censor.	Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name

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1ST KING'S OWN YORKSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY.

sd. C. R. Ingham Brooke, Lt-Col.

Field State 14.9.15

Distribution.	Officers	W. O's	Serjts	Cpls.	Bugs.	Ptes.	Total	Remarks.
A Coy	4	1	7	6	-	168	182	
B Coy	3	-	11	7	-	150	168	
C Coy	3	1	8	8	-	153	170	
D Coy	3	1	8	6	-	158	173	
Pioneers	-	-	1	-	-	10	11	
Signallers	-	-	-	1	-	19	20	
Machine Gps.	1	-	3	1	-	24	28	
Stretchers Bns.	1	-	-	1	-	17	17	
Hd. Qrs.	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	
	21	4	38	29	-	699	770	

Parade State on 14.9.15 when the
Battalion was inspected by Gen. Sir H.
Plummer, K.C.B.

Comd'g 2nd Army.

CopyB.M.A. 560.

Officer Commanding

K.O.Y.L.I.

1. Reference S.C. 494, the move, if ordered, will now probably take place by train; 2nd Kings Own, 1st York & Lancs. & 5th Kings Own from Baillent. 1st K.O.Y.L.I. & 2nd E. Yorks from Strazeele. No 1st line Transport will be entrained, except as stated in para. 2.
2. All machine guns of the Bde with their limbers, horses, etc, will entrain at Baillent.
3. 50 rds. extra per man will be carried.

Acknowledge88th Bde. H.Q.

25/9/15.

Rd. R. S. Follett
 Major,
 Brigade Major
 88th Bde.

83rd Bde.
28th Div.

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Moved with Division to Salonika in November.

1st K. O. Y. L. I.

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Oct 1 st Trenches.	5.45 a.m. Batt ⁿ ordered to move up and occupy old German front line trenches.	Lat
10.30 a.m.	D Coy relieved and proceeded to Lancashire Lines carnation Lt. J. L. Beatty killed. other ranks killed 5 wounded 31.	Lat Lat
	Right of Batt ⁿ rested on HULLUCH-VERMELLES road. Left just north of BRESLAU Avenue.	Lat
	Batt ⁿ relieved by 2 nd Lt. L. I and proceeded to billets at ANNEQUIN.	Lat
2 nd ANNEQUIN	In billets at ANNEQUIN.	Lat
3 rd 6.30 a.m.	Batt ⁿ ordered to be ready to move at very short notice.	Lat
7 a.m.	C.O. went with Brigadier to 28 th Div HQ	Lat
9 a.m.	Batt ⁿ marched to CLARKS KEEP VERMELLES	Lat
10.30 a.m.	Batt ⁿ marched to trenches and relieved 6 th Welch. Batt ⁿ in firing line. one company 2 nd King's Own in support.	Lat
6.10 p.m.	Relief complete.	Lat

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Hour, Date, Place	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Oct 3rd Trenches.	11pm Co and Major Mallinson D.S.O went to Bde H.Q.	Ref
4-45am	<p>A and D Coys ordered to attack HOHENZOLLERN Redoubt. (See B.M. 644) attached.</p> <p>A and D attached and were met with very heavy machine gun and rifle fire. <u>There was no artillery bombardment.</u> The distance to the German line was about 200 yards and the German got half way across. By then they were practically wiped out.</p> <p>Casualties 2Lt. A. H. Martindale 1st Coy LI killed. 2Lt. C. L. Pearm " " wounded. Lt. F. W. Graham 4th D. L. I. att. " 1st Coy LI missing 2Lt. P. J. C. Simpson 3rd Coy LI " " " "</p> <p>Other ranks killed 10. wounded 65. Missing 101.</p> <p>There is no doubt that most of the missing were killed. A few ^{wounded} were got in during the night. 6/5 Ref</p>	<p>Ref</p> <p>See ops. order 4/83 Bde - Ref perhaps he means the enemy did not bombard?</p>

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Hour, Date, Place

Summary of Events and Information

Remarks and references to Appendices

Oct 5 th	Trenches	Batt ⁿ relieved by 1 st Coldstream Guards Casualties killed one, wounded 2.	Lat
	10:30 pm	Relief complete. Batt ⁿ marched to billets at ANNEQUIN. Draft of 1 st Bn Sci Buffs and 97 O.R. joined.	Lat
6 th	12 noon	Batt ⁿ marched by BEUVRY - BETHUNE - OBLINBHEM to Billets near BONNEHEM arriving at 3.30 pm	Lat
7 th	BONNEHEM.	Batt ⁿ in billets.	Lat
	11 am	Draft of 51 other ranks joined	Lat
8 th	6:30 am	6.30 a.m. physical drill	Lat
	9 am	Platoon drill.	Lat
	12 noon	Marching.	Lat
	2.30 pm	Company drill Instruction of Grenadiers.	Lat
9 th	6.30 am	Physical training	Lat
	9 am	Company parades.	Lat
	2.30 pm	practice in trench warfare. Training of Grenadiers	Lat

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Hour, Date, Place	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Oct 10. G. O. N. E. H. E. M.	Church parades in all denominations. 2 Lt. G. S. Howard Koxzi joined from 8 th Entrenching Batt ⁿ and was posted to A Coy.	Sat Sat
13. 9 am	Batt ⁿ inspected by L.O.C. 1st Division 2 Lts J. M. Plashitt and A. T. Jarvis, 10 th and 12 th Emmen Rest joined and were posted to A and D Coys. Draft of 70 O.R. joined.	Sat
14. 9 am 2.30 pm	Batt ⁿ Route March. Insubetry. Draft of 12 O.R. joined. Capt and Quartermaster J. C. Branson and 2 Lt. A. E. Adderson proceeded on leave. Lt. Robinson wounded	Sat Sat Sat
15. 9 am	Bomb accident. Physical training.	Sat
9.30 am.	L.O.C. 83 rd Bde inspected drafts which arrived on 5 th , 7 th , 13 th , 14 th .	Sat.
1.50 pm	Attached B. M. 730 Received.	Sat.
4 pm	Batt ⁿ marched via CHOCQUEST - BETHUNE to billets at LEQUESNOY.	Sat.
8 pm	Arrived in billets.	Sat

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Oct 16. LE QUÉES NOY.	Commanding officer and Company Commander went up to reconnoitre trenches.	Lat
11 a.m.	Lt. J. M. Plarhitt 10 th Enscr att'd 1 st Coy wounded himself whilst cleaning his revolver.	Lat
17 th 9 a.m.	Batt ⁿ marched from LE QUÉES NOY and relieved 2 nd Queen in the trenches.	Lat
12.45 pm	Relief complete.	Lat
7 pm	Lt. A. S. Keuble wounded.	Lat
18 th Trenches	Situation normal. Casualties other ranks wounded 8.	Lat
19 th 10 am	S.O.C. 28 th Division visited trenches.	Lat
20 th	Casualties other ranks wounded 2.	Lat
21 st 9.45 am	S.O.C. 1 st Corps visited trenches.	Lat
12.30 pm	Batt ⁿ relieved by 5 th Kings and 2 nd Para Buffs.	Lat
22 nd 12.30 pm	Relief complete. After relief Batt ⁿ marched to billets at CENSE LA VALLÉE.	Lat
22 nd CENSE LA VALLÉE	No 5516 P. S. M. T. Lawn awarded a clash to his D. C. M. Batt ⁿ in Billets	Lat

WAR DIARY

Army Form C. 2118.

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~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Hour, Date, Place	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Oct 23 rd	6.30 am Ball ^m entrained at FOUGUEREUIL and proceeded to MARSEILLES.	Sat
25 th	10.30 am Arrived at MARSEILLES and embarked on S. S. KYARA, with 83 rd Bde 16.2 and 18 Officers 2 nd Kings Own Regt.	Sat
31 st	2.20 pm Arrived at ALEXANDRIA.	Sat

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS. No. of Message _____

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<i>Copies</i> _____ _____ _____			At _____ m.		From _____	
			To _____		By _____	
			(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		By _____	

TO {	<i>1st Coy Lt.</i>	
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Sender's Number * <i>Bm 622</i>	Day of Month <i>Jan</i>	In reply to Number	A A A
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<i>Batt</i>	<i>will</i>	<i>March</i>	<i>off</i>	<i>at</i>
<i>9</i>	<i>a.m</i>	<i>to</i>	<i>CLARKS</i>	<i>KEEP</i>
<i>VERMELLES</i>		<i>where</i>	<i>Brigade</i>	<i>will</i>
<i>meet</i>	<i>you</i>	<i>with</i>	<i>your</i>	<i>and</i>
<i>officer</i>	<i>aaa</i>			<i>and</i>

From <i>88-</i>	Place <i>Beli</i>
Time <i>8.10</i>	<i>am</i>

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			At	m.		From	
			To			By	
			By		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		

TO { *1st R. O. Y. L. I.*

Sender's Number * <i>B.M. 613</i>	Day of Month <i>1st</i>	In reply to Number	<i>AAA</i>
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Your Battalion will move to the 1st line of old German trenches with its right on Veruelles - Hullock Rd. AAA. The Battalion should be extended to cover communication trenches as far as Breslau Avenue AAA. Acknowledge & inform this office when you move. AAA Troops of 21st Brigade are in front of you.

From *Sgt Bode*

Place

Time *4:45 a.m.*

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

<i>Sm. E. C. P.</i> <i>Z. H. C.</i>	Charges to Pay £ . s. d. <i>1/10/15.</i>	Office Stamp. <i>7.0 pm</i> <i>Z. H. C.</i> <i>Z. H. C.</i>
Service Instructions		

Handed in at the..... Office, at.....m. Received here at.....m.

TO *A. K. O. Y. L. I. 5th King's Own*

Sender's Number <i>BMB41</i>	Day of Month <i>1st</i>	In reply to Number.	AAA
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*Brigade will be relieved to night
 aaa Units will hand-over trenches
 to Battalions of relieving Brigade as
 already arranged except 1/K.O.Y.L.I.
 who will receive instructions through
 21/Bde aaa Guides to conduct all
 units to billeting area will be at
 Bde Hqs aaa Machine gun limbers
 will be at Bde Hqs aaa*

FROM	<i>8th Infantry Bde.</i>
PLACE	
TIME	

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Extract from the London Gazette
4th Oct.

Lt. Col. L. I.

To be temp. Lieut. Col.

Major C. R. I. Brooke

from Dec 1st 1914 to May 8

and from Aug. 26th

Major W. Parsons (since died of wounds)

from Sept 17 1914 to Nov 29. 1914

Major C. E. Beattie being temp.

rank of Lieut. Col August 26.

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Copy			At _____	m.		From _____
			To _____			By _____
					(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	

TO	2 nd	East	Larkus	
	11 Kuyki			

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	A A A
* Bm 644	H		

RT	4.45	a.m	4 th Oct.	15
2 nd East Larkus	Rest	and	2 Cops	
1 st Kuyki	with	one Coy	2 nd	Kuyki
Own	Rest	attached	will	erect
HOLDEN ZOLLERN REDOUBT				
East	objective	Western	face	of
Redoubt	Second	objective	THE	CHORD
a a a	RT	4.15	a. m	Artillery
will	bombard	we	heavily	until
4.45	a. m	when	they	will
lift	on	to	begin	communication
trucks	a a a	when	the	first
bombardment		commences	the	first
and	second	line	of	platforms
will	set	over	the	parapet
advance	towards	the	enemy	parapet
and	lie	down	a a a	Absolute

From		
Place		
Time		

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_____			To _____	_____		By _____
_____			By _____	(Signature of "Franking Officer.") _____		By _____

TO { _____

Sender's Number _____	Day of Month _____	In reply to Number _____	AAA
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Silence will be maintained until
 the enemy trench ~~is~~ reached
 AAA The answer of the
 CHORD will be undertaken
 without delay once the western
 face has been gained AAA
 All communication trenches leading
 from captured works forwards the
 enemy will be filled in
 and blocked AAA Two sections
 R. E. will follow behind the
 last platoons and dig communication
 trenches back from captured works
 to old British line AAA
 Signal officer to place a telephone
 on western face of R.E. DOUBT

From _____
 Place _____
 Time _____

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To _____		By _____			By _____

TO { *Call units* }

Sender's Number. <i>*B.M. 730</i>	Day of Month <i>15th</i>	In reply to Number _____	AAA
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<i>Brigade</i>	<i>will</i>	<i>move</i>	<i>into</i>	<i>of Henderson</i>
<i>to</i>	<i>new</i>	<i>billposting</i>	<i>area</i>	<i>AAA</i>
<i>all</i>	<i>parades</i>	<i>Cancelled</i>	<i>AAA</i>	<i>Blounts</i>
<i>will</i>	<i>be</i>	<i>collected</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>stored</i>
<i>in</i>	<i>the</i>	<i>theatre</i>	<i>FOR N E H E M</i>	
<i>AAA</i>	<i>The</i>	<i>same</i>	<i>men</i>	<i>as</i>
<i>before</i>	<i>will</i>	<i>be</i>	<i>detailed</i>	<i>as</i>
<i>guards</i>	<i>AAA</i>	<i>Lecture</i>	<i>for</i>	<i>Junior</i>
<i>officers</i>	<i>is</i>	<i>Cancelled.</i>		

From <i>832a</i>	<i>Bde</i>
Place _____	
Time <i>130</i>	<i>pm</i>

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Sent _____			At _____ m.	To _____		
By _____			(Signature of "Franking Officer.") _____		By _____	

TO { _____

Sender's Number _____ Day of Month _____ In reply to Number _____ A A A

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 direct by it is taken AAA
 1/ York and Lancaster Regt well
 move up to hold the
 front British line as it
 is vacated by 2nd East
 Yorks and 1/10421 AAA Suffolk
 Regt will be in support
 trenches behind 1st Yorks and
 Lane Regt AAA 2nd E.
 Surrey Regt will be at
 Central Keep in reserve

From 83rd Bde
 Place _____
 Time 145 am

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