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BRIGHTON, ENG.	1941. JAN. 1		THIS IS THE FIRST NEW YEAR'S DAY THAT THE BATTALION HAS SPENT ON ACTIVE SERVICE OUT OF CANADA. PIPER DAVIDSON, WHO PIPED FOR THE 31ST SEARCHLIGHT REGIMENTAL PARTY LAST NIGHT, PASSED ON THE INFORMATION THAT COLONEL RATT OF THAT REGIMENT PROPOSED A TOAST TO THE ESSEX SECTION AND THAT IT WAS ENTHUSIASTICALLY RESPONDED TO. BRIGADIER TOPP, DSO, MC, AND BRIGADE-MAJOR ROY BURROUGHS WENT TO THE MESS TO EXTEND HIS COMPLIMENTS TO THE OFFICERS. THE DAY WAS A VERY BUSY ONE FOR ALL OFFICERS WHO WERE PREPARING FOR THE CHANGE IN DISPOSITIONS ORDERED BY THE DIVISIONAL COMMAND. A FLURRY OF EXCITEMENT WAS CAUSED EARLY IN THE MORNING BY AN INTELLIGENCE REPORT THAT THE COAST GUARD VESSEL AT FORT HARTNESS HAD HEARD THE SOUND OF MOTOR BOAT ENGINES THREE MILES SOUTH OF THAT POINT APPARENTLY TRAVELLING WEST AT A HIGH SPEED. A SPECIAL WATCH WAS KEPT BY BOTH BN. C.P.S. BUT THERE WERE NO DEVELOPMENTS.	Cao
	2		THE WHOLE CADRE OF OFFICERS WAS EXTREMELY BUSY UNTIL LATE IN THE EVENING IN PREPARATION FOR THE PROPOSED CHANGE IN THE DEFENCE SCHEME FOR THE BRIGHTON AREA. COLONEL PEARSON AND THE I.O. SPENT MOST OF THE DAY VISITING COMPANY AREAS. AT ONE OF THE POSITIONS KNOWN AS SLONCH HILL THEY WERE MET BY MAJOR E.R. WILLIAMS AND LIEUT. W.L. MCCREGOR WHO IS TO COMMAND THE POST. COL. PEARSON HAS ORDERED LIEUT. MCCREGOR 'SLONCH MCCREGOR'. A DEMONSTRATION OF THE USE OF MOLETON BOMBS WAS STAGED BY I.O.Vs. OPPOSITE 'D' COY. AREA. A LARGE CONVOY OF BRITISH MERCHANT SHIPS WERE SEEN BY OUR C.P.S. IT IS HEARTENING TO KNOW THAT OUR SHIPS SAIL IN OBVIOUS DEFENCE OF THE EMERY UNDER THE SHADOW OF HIS VAMPIRE BOMBARDERS. AN ADVANCED BOMBING WOUNDED BUT NO ACTION DEVELOPED. THE ALL CLEAR SOUNDING AT 2145HRS.	Cao
	3		ORDERS WERE ISSUED BY THE C.O. THAT BN. C.P.S. AND I.O. COY WOULD CHANGE LOCATION AT 1100HRS TO-MORROW. THESE ORDERS NECESSITATED A GREAT AMOUNT OF PREPARATION AND OFFICERS AND OTHER STAFF GROUPED IN THE NORMAL MILITARY WAY. (SEE APP 1 FOR C.O. 22 RE MOVE) THE ADJUTANT, LIEUTENANT JOHN TILLIS, WAS TAKEN HIS SERVICE 1030HRS AND ON INSTRUCTION OF THE C.O. WAS REMOVED TO THE I.O.S. AND LATER TO THE HOSPITAL AT BRANESHOT. THE NATURE OF HIS ILLNESS WAS NOT DEFINITELY ESTABLISHED. LIEUT. L. A. DERRICK, THE I.O., TOOK OVER THE ADJUTANT'S OFFICE IN AN ACTING CAPACITY. THE BRIGADIER CAME IN ON AN INFORMAL VISIT AND AFTER A SHORT STAY LEFT TO INSPECT A AND D COY AREAS. A MEETING OF COY COMDS WAS HELD IN THE COLONEL'S OFFICE AT 2015HRS AND MANY MATTERS AFFECTING THE IMMEDIATE CHANGE WERE DISCUSSED.	Cao APPENDIX 1
PORTSLADE, ENG.	4		THIS WAS MOVING DAY FOR BATTALION HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTER COMPANY FROM THE COTTESMORE SCHOOL TO THE BREWERY IN PORTSLADE. THE MOVE WAS CARRIED OUT WITH A MINIMUM OF CONFUSION AND AT 1100HRS THE FIRST TRUCK PASSED THE NEW STARTING POINT. A REAR PARTY UNDER MAJOR WOTKINSILL WAS LEFT BEHIND TO MAKE SURE THAT THE VACATED PREMISES WERE IN A TIDY AND FIT CONDITION TO BE TURNED OVER. THE MAJOR, CAPT. R. PATON, WHO HAS BEEN ACTING AS BN. MILITARY OFFICER HAS BEEN CHIEF FOR HAVING TAKEN OVER THE BREWERY. THE COLONEL WAS OUT ON A RECCO MOST OF THE DAY AND APPARENTLY MISSED MOST OF THE MOVING 'JED.' THE BREWERY IS SITUATED IN A NATURAL VALLEY IN PORTSLADE AND PROVIDES COMFORTABLE LIVING FOR ALL OTHER BATTALIONS AND THE OFFICERS ARE BILLETED AT VARIOUS HOMES IN THE VICINITY OF THE BREWERY.	Cao
	5		THIS WAS SUNDAY, USUALLY A DAY OF REST AND QUIET BUT UNFORTUNATELY IN THE OF WAR. A GIFT OF 4700 CIGARETTES FOR THE MEN WAS DELIVERED THROUGH BRIGADE FROM TIP TOP TAILORS, OF CANADA. THE ENGINEERING STORES REQUIRED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW POSTS REQUIRED BY THE NEW DEFENCE OUTPOST WAS DRAWN BY THE COMPANIES. A TOTAL OF 6000 BRICKS AND LARGE QUANTITIES OF WIRE AND OTHER MATERIAL ARE NOW AVAILABLE.	Cao
	6		THE REGIMENT WAS VISITED BY MAJOR-GENERAL, SIR OLIVER LEECH, COMMANDING THE WEST SUSSEX DIVISION AND HE WAS ESCORTED AROUND THE VARIOUS DISPOSITIONS BY COLONEL PEARSON. A COY HAVE FINALLY LOCATED NEW BILLETTS FOR THE MEN IN THE NEW AREA ASSIGNED TO IT. FROM ALL REPORTS THE NEW BILLETTS ARE QUITE COMFORTABLE. COLONEL PEARSON HAD DINNER WITH A COY LAST EVENING.	Cao
	7		A RATHER QUIET DAY IN COMPARISON TO THE OTHERS THE REGIMENT HAS SPENT IN BRIGHTON. (SEE APP 2 FOR C.O. 13 RE RIFLE COYS. MOVE) D COY MOVED INTO NEW LIVING QUARTERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE NEW SCHEME OF DEFENCE FOR THE AREA. ALL OTHER COYS WERE PREPARATION TO MOVE WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR HOURS. WORK IS PROCEEDING ON THE DEFENCE WORKS REQUIRED. A MEETING BETWEEN THE C.O. AND COY. COMDS OF THE REGT. AND THE S.L.I. WAS HELD TO CO-ORDINATE FURTHER PLANS. THEREAFTER WAS HELD AROUND THE LUXURIOUS SURROUNDINGS OF ROY'S SEA SIDE VILLA.	Cao APPENDIX 2

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POSTSAGE, ENG.	JAN. 9		A LETTER WHICH WAS RECEIVED YESTERDAY BY COLONEL R. L. PEARSON FROM BRIGADIER D. J. MACDONALD, DSO, D.C., GENERAL OFFICER COMMANDING MILITARY DISTRICT NO. 1, CANADA, APPEARED IN ORDERS TODAY. IT IS FLATTERINGLY CONFIRMING TO KNOW THAT HE HAS NOT FORGOTTEN BY OUR FORMER FRIENDS. CENSORSHIP OF MAIL HAS BEEN IN EFFECT IN THIS UNIT FOR A PERIOD OF THREE DAYS SINCE 6 JAN. 41. A REPORT WAS SUBMITTED TO DDC. INDICATING THE RESULT OF THE CENSORSHIP FROM A SECURITY POINT OF VIEW. (SEE APPX. 3 FOR REPORT). COLONEL PEARSON ATTENDED AT DDC AT 1645HRS WHEN THE COMMANDER OF THE WEST SUSSEX DIVISION WAS TO BE PRESENT. DUE TO THE PRESSURE OF OTHER DUTIES HOWEVER THE GENERAL WAS UNABLE TO ATTEND. A CONFERENCE WAS HELD BETWEEN ALL BN. COMMANDERS IN THE AREA AND THE HOME GUARD BN. AND COY COMMANDERS AND THE P.O. AREA COMMANDER AT 1800HRS. COL. WHITTY, THE SUB-AREA COMMANDER, AND DDC. TOPP ALSO ATTENDED. SUCH USUAL INFORMATION WAS DISSEMINATED. THE COYS HAVE NOW ALL MOVED TO THEIR NEW LOCATIONS AND BELLETS AND WORK CONTINUE AHEAD ON THE NEW DEFENSE WORKS REQUIRED.	CAD APPENDIX 3
	8		A RATHER MORE NORMAL AND QUIET DAY THAN THE PREVIOUS ONE HAD SINCE GOING TO THE BRIGHTON AREA. C COY REPORTED ALL LIAISON WITH U.S.A. BN. 4TH, AND A/TM. BN. COMPLETED AND THAT ALL PLATOONS NOW OCCUPIED NEW POSNS. THIS WAS THE LAST COY. TO DETERMINE ITS NEW POSNS AND THE BN. MAY NOW BE CONSIDERED AS COMPLETELY MOVED. COLONEL PEARSON SPENT MOST OF THE DAY WITH A/TM. EXAMINING COY AND PL. POSNS AND BELLETS. THERE WAS AN AIR-RAID ALARM AT APPROXIMATELY 1800HRS AND A BOMB FELL SOME DISTANCE AWAY AT APPROX. 2145HRS.	CAD
	10		QUITE A ROUTINE DAY. W/CAPT. R. PAYON, REGIMENTAL BILLETING OFFICER, HAS JUST ABOUT COMPLETED THE TURNING OF LOCATED BELLETS TO THE BARRACKS OFFR. A SCHEME FOR THE EVACUATION OF INJURED AND CLIMBING UP WORK IN THE EVENT OF A SERIOUS AIR RAID ON BRIGHTON HAD BEEN WORKED OUT AND THE REGIMENT WILL IN SUCH AN EVENT TAKE AN IMPORTANT PART TO PLAY. MAJOR F. E. JASPENSON, NOW ACTING AS LIAISON OFFR BETWEEN DDC. AND DIV., PAID A VISIT TO THE REGIMENT.	CAD
	11		THE COLONEL SPENT THE MORNING INSPECTING THE NEW DEFENSE WORKS BEING CONSTRUCTED BY THE P.O. IN NEW POSNS. THE REGIMENT HAS BEEN REQUESTED BY DDC TO DETACH THREE LAWYERS TO ACT IN COURT MARTIAL PROCEEDINGS. MAJOR D. J. S. MACDONALD, CAPT. D.J.S. KIRK AND LIEUT. L. A. DEERL HAVE BEEN DETAINED AS PRESIDENT OF COURT MARTIAL, DEFENCE COUNSEL AND PROSECUTING OFFR RESPECTIVELY. IT IS CONSIDERED UNUSUAL THAT SO MANY INDIVIDUALS FROM ONE UNIT ARE CHOSEN. (SEE APPX. 4 FOR DDC. MEMORANDUM NO. 4)	CAD APPENDIX 4
	12		A VERY QUIET DAY. NOTHING OF UNUSUAL INTEREST TO RECORD.	CAD
	13		THE COURT MARTIAL PROCEEDINGS MENTIONED IN JAN. WERE OPENED AT RUSSEAN SCHOOL, HEADQUARTERS OF THE P. REGT.C. DUE TO CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, THE SAID PROCEEDINGS WERE CONSIDERED TWENTY-FOUR HOURS. GENERAL VICTOR COLON, COMMANDER 2ND COR. DIV., MADE AN INSPECTION OF THE COASTAL DEFENCES OF THE AREA. HE WAS ACCOMPANIED BY GENERAL HORN, G.O.C. 12TH CORPS, WHO WAS AT THE TIME MILITARY ATTACHE IN WASHINGTON, D.C. AND WHO KNOWS PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT PERSONALLY. DUE TO THE LIMITED TIME ALLOWED TO THE UNIT ONLY A FLYING INSPECTION COULD BE MADE. THE REGIMENT RECEIVED ADVISE THAT IT WILL BE BELIEVED SHORTLY IN THIS AREA BY THE GALLANT HIGHLANDERS. GENERAL COLON WAS TO HAVE MADE A SOCIAL VISIT BETWEEN 2000 AND 2300HRS BUT DUE TO THE PRESSURE OF OTHER BUSINESS THE VISIT WAS CANCELLED.	CAD
	14		A MESSAGE RECEIVED BY THE DUTY OFFR IN THE EARLY HOURS OF THE MORNING TO THE EFFECT THAT A TRUCK, LEFT WITH THE REAR PARTY IN ALESHOT, HAD BEEN INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT AND SEVEN MEN WERE INJURED. A CORPS OFFICER, DESIGNED TO TEST COMMUNICATION FACILITIES WAS CARRIED OUT DURING THE EVENING. IT WAS ANNOUNCED FROM THE REGIMENTAL HQ BY MAJOR NOTHERSILL, LIEUT. READE AND LIEUT. BRICK. THE RESULTS OF THE SCHEME ARE TO BE COMMUNICATED AT A LATER DATE. GENERAL COLON, GENERAL LEES AND BRIGADIER TOPP WERE VISITORS IN THE BN. CROCHLY ROOM DURING THE SCHEME. THE COURT MARTIAL PROCEEDINGS MENTIONED EARLIER WERE COMPLETED TO-DAY. MAJOR NOTHERSILL, 2ND I/C, WAS TAKEN ILL WITH AN ATTACK OF FLU AND WAS COMPELLED TO GO TO BED.	CAD

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	15		THE 2, 3, AND 10. OF THE CALGARY HIGHLANDERS, WHO WILL RELIEVE THIS REGIMENT, ARRIVED TO MAKE A PRELIMINARY RECCO. THEY WERE SHOWN OVER THE AREA BY COLONEL PEARSON WHO MET THEM AT THE KING'S HEAD HOTEL ON THE LONDON HIGHWAY.	Cap
	16		MAJOR MOTHERSILL WAS TAKEN TO HOSPITAL; CAPT. BROWN, CAPT. KENNEDY, SQUAD BRUCE AND CAPT. HOWELL, O.C. WERE ALL ORIENTED TO THEIR QUARTERS WITHOUT ILLNESS. CADET CHOLL, WHO IS ACTING AS A TROUBLE SHOOTER, WAS IN THE ORDERLY ROOM AND CONFERRED WITH COLONEL PEARSON. ESSEX BATT. OPERATION INSTRUCTION NO. 5 WAS PRODUCED TODAY (APPENDIX 5)	Cap APPENDIX 5
	17		A RECCO PARTY COMPOSED OF THE O.C. COMPANIES AND CERTAIN OTHER PERSONNEL FROM THE CALGARY HIGHLANDERS ARRIVED AT 1000HRS. GENERAL TOLAN AND GENERAL LEE MADE AN INSPECTION OF THE AREA AND SUGGESTED CERTAIN CHANGES WHICH WERE EFFECTED. COLONEL PEARSON MADE A TRIP TO ALDERSHOT TO DISPOSE OF A NUMBER OF CASES WHICH ACCUMULATED WITH THE REAR PARTY SINCE THE UNIT HAD BEEN AWAY.	Cap
	18		THE ORDER FOR THE RETURN MOVE TO ALDERSHOT HAS BEEN RECEIVED AND OUR OPERATION ORDER (24) ISSUED ACCORDINGLY. WORK CONTINUES ON THE NEW DEFENSE POSTS BUT NO NEW EXERCISES ARRIVE DUE TO THE FACT THAT THE REGIMENT TO BE RELIEVED.	Cap APPENDIX 6
	19		THE ADVANCE PARTY OF THE CALGARY HIGHLANDERS ARRIVED AT 1000HRS TO ASSIST IN THE RELIEF TO BE EFFECTED 20 JAN 41. A SCHEME, WHICH WAS TO HAVE TAKEN PLACE TO EXERCISE THE HOME GUARD IN TAKING UP POSITION QUICKLY, WAS CANCELLED. THE UNIT AS A WHOLE SPENT THE DAY PREPARING FOR THE MOVE OUT OF THE BRIGHTON AREA TO ALDERSHOT. THE OFFICERS AND O.C.S. TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THEIR LEISURE TIME THERE WAS TO SAY GOODBYE TO THE FRIENDS THEY HAD GOTTEN TO KNOW DURING THE REGIMENT'S STAY IN THE AREA.	Cap
	20		THE DAY WAS SPENT IN MOVING BACK TO ALDERSHOT ON ONE OF THE MOST MISERABLE DAYS THE REGIMENT HAS EXPERIENCED SINCE ITS ARRIVAL IN ENGLAND. THE RELIEF BY THE CALGARY HIGHLANDERS WAS EFFECTED WITHOUT MUCH CONFUSION, ALTHOUGH A NUMBER OF IMPORTANT LESSONS WERE LEARNED WHICH WILL BE OF VALUE IN THE FUTURE. THERE WERE NO INCIDENTS OF NOTE ON THE MOVE AND ON ARRIVAL IN ALDERSHOT A HOT MEAL WAS SERVED AND ALL SOLDIERS RETIRED TO WELL EARNED SLEEP.	Cap
	21		THE DAY WAS SPENT BY THE BN. IN SETTLING DOWN AND GENERAL RE-ORGANIZATION. THERE WERE NO BN. PARADES BUT BOYS CARVED ON INDEPENDENTLY WITH WHATEVER WORK WAS REQUIRED TO PUT THEIR UNITS IN TRAINING TRIM ONCE AGAIN. COLONEL PEARSON, THE A/ADJUTANT AND THE O.C. MADE A RECCO OF THE NEW SECTOR OF THE DEFENSE LINE ALLOTTED TO THE REGIMENT IN PREPARATION FOR THE MOVE TO THE AREA BY THE BN.	Cap
	22		A VERY ROUTINE DAY. THE REGIMENT HAS SETTLED DOWN TO ROUTINE TRAINING ONCE AGAIN AND OPERATIONS ARE BEING MADE FOR AN INTER-PL. COMPETITION IN ENDURANCE AND SKILL AT 1000. THE WINNER OF THE BN COMPETITION WILL COMPETE WITH OTHER WINNING PL. FOR THE AREA CHAMPIONSHIP. TWO NEW OFFICERS WERE GIVEN SPECIAL ASSIGNMENTS DESIGNED TO PREPARE THEM TO TAKE OVER SPECIAL DUTIES IN EMERGENCIES. LIEUT. ELLIOT HAS BEEN MADE SPARE TIME ASST. TO THE DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF AND LIEUT. HOCKIN HAS MADE ASST. P.A.A. OFFICER. THE COLONEL HELD A MEETING OF OFFICERS IN THE EVENING TO DISCUSS MATTERS OF INTEREST AFFECTING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE UNIT. MAJOR MOTHERSILL RETURNED FROM HOSPITAL AND IS RECOVERING FROM HIS RECENT ILLNESS. (SYLLABUS FOR BALANCE OF WEEK ATTACHED, APP. 7)	Cap APPENDIX 7
	23		A ROUTINE BUT A VERY BUSY DAY. THE BOYS HAVE SETTLED DOWN AND ARE NOW EARNESTLY ENGAGED IN A HARDENING PROGRAMME. COLONEL PEARSON IS ACTING BRIGADIER OF THE 4TH BDE DURING A SCHEME IN WHICH THE BRIGADE COMMANDER IS ACTING AS DIVISIONAL COMMANDER. THE SCHEME IS CALLED THE VICTORY SCHEME AND IS THE FIRST EXERCISE INVOLVING MORE THAN ONE BDE OP, THAT HAS BEEN HELD TO DATE. MAJOR MOTHERSILL IS ACTING O.C. DURING THE COLONEL'S ABSENCE ON THIS SCHEME.	Cap

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ALDERSHOT	JAN. 24		MAJOR T. E. HAYHURST AND LIEUT. J.R. HENTON APPOINTED TO THE STAFF OF NO. 1 INF. HOLDING UNIT AT RITLEY AND LEFT TO TAKE UP THEIR APPOINTMENTS. A NEW OPERATION INSTRUCTION BEING /6 WAS RECEIVED FROM SDE. COVERING ALTERNATE OPERATIONAL ROLES OF THE REGIMENT IN THE EVENT OF INVASION. COL. PEARSON IS STILL ACTING AS SDE. COMD AND MAJOR MOTHERSILL IS ACTING BN. COMD. DISCRETES WERE ISSUED TO THE FORMER MEMBERS OF THIS REGIMENT NOW SERVING WITH THE 4 COR. INF. SDE RECCE SQN ON THE 8-816 OF 300 PER UAN. TRAINING CONTINUES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SYLLABUS.	
	25		COLONEL PEARSON WAS RELIEVED OF HIS RESPONSIBILITIES AS ACTING BRIGADIER ON THE COMPLETION OF THE VICTOR EXERCISE AT 1400HRS. LIEUTS L.A. DEZIEL AND C.P. KEELEY WERE WAIVED FOR DUTY ON A FIELD GENERAL COURT MARTIAL TO BE HELD 29 JAN. 41.	
	26		A CHURCH PARADE WAS HELD FOR ALL RANKS AT ODBORNS. THE PROTESTANTS PARADED TO ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH AND THE RC'S TO ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH. A RECCE WAS MADE OF SOME OF THE ROUTES SET OUT IN A CIB OPERATION INSTRUCTION NO. 6 BY A PARTY COMPRISED OF MAJOR MOTHERSILL, CAPT. MOTHERSILL, S.C., LIEUTS. KEELEY, READE, DEZIEL AND MCGREGOR.	
	27		CAPT. J. LEE, THE INSPECTOR OF BY-PRODUCTS FOR THE ALDERSHOT COMMAND, MADE AN INSPECTION OF THE BY-PRODUCT ARRANGEMENTS AT ODBORNS. HE WAS CONDUCTED BY LIEUT. S.C. READE, THE READING OFFR. LT-COLONEL A.S. PEARSON RECEIVED TODAY COPIES OF LETTERS FROM LT-GENERAL THORNE, COMMANDER 251 CORPS, MAJOR-GENERAL LEESE, COMMANDER WEST SUSSEX DIVISION, BRIGADIER C. S. PRICE AND BRIGADIER C.S. TOPP, DSO, MC, WHICH ARE ATTACHED AS APPX. 9. TRAINING FOLLOWED NORMAL ROUTINE. (SYLLABUS FOR THE WEEK ATTACHED, APPX. 8.)	APPENDIX 9 APPENDIX 8
	28		MAJOR MOTHERSILL AND A PARTY OF OFFRS MADE A FURTHER RECCE OF THE ROUTES TO, AND THE AREA ASSIGNED TO THE UNIT UNDER THE NEW SFR RESERVE SCHEME. HE REPORTS THE AREA TO BE DIFFICULT AND ROADLESS. ADM. INSTRUCTION NO. 6 ISSUED IN CONJUNCTION WITH EDEN SCOT. OPERATION INSTRUCTION NO. 6 DATED 28 JAN. 41 IS ATTACHED AS APPX.	APPENDIX 10
	29		A COURT MARTIAL WAS HELD IN THE LECTURE ROOMS TODAY. FOUR OFFRS OF THE UNIT TOOK PART. LIEUT. L.A. DEZIEL WAS A MEMBER OF THE COURT, LIEUTS. D.A. DEZIEL AND J.R. TURNBULL AS LEARNERS AND LIEUT. C.P. KEELEY ACTED AS PROSECUTOR IN ONE CASE. ARRANGEMENTS WERE COMPLETED TO TRANSFER 50 O.R.S. AND TWO OFFRS TO THE EDEN SCOTTISH COY. OF THE NO. 1 INF. HOLDING UNIT AT RITLEY. LIEUT. S.C. READE ACTED AS ADJUTANT IN THE ABSENCE OF LIEUT. L. A. DEZIEL. MAJOR L.V.F. HAREFIELD AND CAPT. R.J.S. JONES WERE APPOINTED PERMANENT UMPIRES FOR THE UNIT ON DIVISIONAL SCHEMES.	
	30		A LECTURE ON CENSORSHIP WAS HELD UNDER THE AUSPICES OF CORPS INTELLIGENCE AT PRINCE CONSORT'S LIBRARY. TWO OFFRS FROM THIS UNIT ATTENDED. A NORMAL ROUTINE DAY FOR TRAINING.	
	31		A COURT MARTIAL WAS HELD IN THE LINES TODAY IN THE CASE OF A/SGT. HAMILTON, J.R., CAPT. HENTON ACTED AS PROSECUTOR AND LIEUT. J.R. TURNBULL ACTED FOR THE DEFENCE. A LETTER WAS RECEIVED FROM 4 CIB NOTIFYING OF THE ACCEPTANCE OF LIEUT. D.A. DEZIEL AS STAFF LEADER "A" AT CANADIAN CORPS, B.O. LIEUT. DEZIEL IS TO REPORT ON TUESDAY, 4 FEB. 41. A SCHOOL FOR SCHEME UMPIRES COMMENCED IN ONE OF THE LECTURE ROOMS AT ODBORNS. GENERAL CORRIE DELIVERED THE OPENING ADDRESS. STRENGTH: AS AT 31 JAN. 41: 35 OFFRS. AND 743 O.R.S. REGIMENTAL ORDERS PART 1 FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1941, ATTACHED UNIT PART 11 ORDERS, AS ISSUED BY BN. SECTION, 2ND CORNEL, FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1941 ATTACHED WEEKLY FIELD RETURNS FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1941, ATTACHED.	APPENDIX 11 APPENDIX 12 APPENDIX 13.

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