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Place	Date 1939	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
WINDSOR, ONT. (BARRACKS)	DEC. 1		STANDING ORDERS OF UNIT COMPILED AND PROMULGATED. MOVEMENT INTO BARRACKS BEGUN AND COMPLETED AND ALL NECESSARY EQUIPMENT ISSUED BILLETS INSPECTED AND CLEARED. ALLOWANCE GRANTED IN LIEU OF RATIONS DISCONTINUED FOR ALL RANKS WITH EFFECT FROM DEC. 1, 1939. IT WAS DECIDED BY THE C.O. (1) THAT EACH DAY A SENIOR OFFICER WOULD BE APPOINTED AS FIELD OFFICER FOR TOUR OF 24 HOURS, SO THAT RESPONSIBLE AUTHORITY WOULD BE AVAILABLE AT BARRACKS AT ALL TIMES (2) THAT EACH COY. IN TURN WOULD ACT FOR ONE WEEK IN TAKING CARE OF ALL NECESSARY FATIGUES, DUTIES, GUARDS AND PIQUETS AND WOULD BE KNOWN AS DUTY COMPANY.	APPENDIX 1  H/L H/L
	2		Q.M. STORES CONTINUED ISSUING EQUIPMENT BY COMPANIES. STRENGTH DECREASE: #A21780, PTE. A. E. MILLER DIED IN GRACE HOSPITAL AS A RESULT OF INJURIES RECEIVED - CAUSE UNKNOWN.	H/L H/L
	3.		SUNDAY. PARADES: DUTY COMPANY - BARRACKS. R. C.'S TO LADY OF THE LAKE CHURCH. PROTESTANTS TO LINCOLN ROAD UNITED CHURCH.	H/L
	4		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS FOR WEEK DEC. 4-9. COYS. NOW PROCEEDING TO GROUND OUTSIDE BARRACKS AREA BUT EXPERIENCING GREAT DIFFICULTY IN TRAINING DUE TO FACT THAT THERE IS NOTHING BUT FLAT GROUND IN IMMEDIATE VICINITY; UNDULATING GROUND EVEN APPROACHING THIS DESCRIPTION BEING SOME 2-3 MILES DISTANT. MARCHING TO AND FROM THIS DISTANT GROUND WOULD REQUIRE TOO MUCH TIME TO DERIVE ANY BENEFIT FROM THE LIMITED TIME THAT WOULD BE LEFT FOR TRAINING.	APPENDIX 2 H/L H/L
	5		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS.	H/L
	6		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS. STRENGTH DECREASE: 2 O.R.'S.	H/L
	7		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS. STRENGTH INCREASE: 7 O.R.'S. STRENGTH DECREASE: 1 O.R. ON COMMAND: MAJOR E. H. WILLIAMS, LT. D. MINGAY, CAPT. L. R. MACDONALD, ST. THOMAS TO ACT AS MEMBERS OF A BOARD FOR EXAMINATIONS FOR OFFICERS AND O. R.'S OF THE N.P.A.M.	H/L APPENDIX 3
	8		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS. LT. J. C. DENT ATTACHED TO ESSEX SCOTTISH C.A.S.F. ( AS SUPPLY OFFICER FROM PERTH REGT. (M.G.). ) FOR QUARTERS AND RATIONS, ALSO 1 O.R. ROMAN CATHOLIC PARADE (HOLY DAY ) TO OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CHURCH.	H/L



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WINDSOR, ONT. (BARRACKS)	9		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS.	
	10		SUNDAY - CHURCH PARADE, R. C.'S TO OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CHURCH. PROTESTANTS TO LINCOLN ROAD UNITED CHURCH.	
	11		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS FOR WEEK DEC. 11-16. SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION UNDER 2/36 OF REGT., MAJOR J. H. MOTHERSILL AND Q.M.S.I. FAWCETT, ATTACHED INSTRUCTOR FOR PROSPECTIVE N.C.O.'S AT ARMOURIES. TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS. RECEIVED LETTER FROM COMMANDING REGIMENTAL DEPOT R.C.R. ADVISING THAT ADDITIONAL P.F. INSTRUCTORS SENT TO US SHORT TIME PREVIOUSLY WERE BEING RECALLED TO LONDON: SGT. (A/P.S.M.) LEWIS, R.C.T.; SGT. MCKINNON, W. F.; A/SGT. WHITE, A. F. AND TO REPORT AT WOLSELEY BARRACKS, LONDON BY 1200 HOURS, DECEMBER 18TH, 1939. REQUEST MADE BY C.O. TO REPLACE P.F. INSTRUCTORS BEING RECALLED BUT REQUEST COULD NOT BE GRANTED.	APPENDIX 4 APPENDIX 5
	12		TRAINING: REGT. AS PER SYLLABUS. ARMOURIES SCHOOL " " STRENGTH INCREASE: 1 O.R.	APPENDIX 6 APPENDIX 7.
	13		TRAINING: COYS. AS PER SYLLABUS. ARMOURIES SCHOOL. ANOTHER SCHOOL WAS STARTED UNDER R.S.M. FOR COV. N.C.O.'S AT BARRACKS TO BE CONFINED TO AFTERNOONS ONLY WHILE COYS WERE TO BE UNDER COMMAND AND INSTRUCTION OF OFFICERS. PERMISSION BY D. O. C. GIVEN TO C.O. BY TELEPHONE TO ACCEPT THE GIFT OF AN AMBULANCE FROM MRS. W. F. HERMAN.	
	14		TRAINING: COYS. AS PER SYLLABUS. ARMOURIES SCHOOL. R.S.M.'S SCHOOL FOR N.C.O.'S. ADVICE RECEIVED FROM A. A. & P. M. G. NO. 1 THAT ESSEX SCOTTISH GUARD AT THE ST. THOMAS R.C.A.F. TECHNICAL SCHOOL WOULD BE WITHDRAWN BY US DECEMBER 20TH, 1939. STRENGTH INCREASE: 7 O.R.'S. REGIMENT WAS DRAWN UP ON PARADE GROUND DURING AFTERNOON WHILE MRS. W. F. HERMAN PRESENTED THE REGIMENT WITH A VERY SPLENDIDLY APPOINTED AMBULANCE. TEA HONOURING MRS. HERMAN WAS SERVED IN THE OFFICER'S MESS AFTERWARDS, MANY GUESTS AND OFFICER'S WERE PRESENT.	APPENDIX 8.



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Place	Date 1939.	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
WINDSOR, ONT. (BARRACKS)	DEC. 15		<p>REPORT RECEIVED ON ESSEX SCOTTISH MEN AND OFFICER WHO ATTENDED P.T. INSTRUCTORS COURSE AT OTTAWA NOV. 2 - NOV. 22, 1939.</p> <p>TRAINING: ASPER SYLLABUS.</p> <p>ARMOURIES SCHOOL.</p> <p>R.S.M.'S SCHOOL.</p> <p>RECEIVED LETTER FROM D. A. A. &amp; Q.M.G., NO1 TO O.C. ESSEX SCOTTISH ADVISING N.D.H.Q. HAD AUTHORIZED O.C. TO ACCEPT THE GIFT OF AN AMBULANCE FROM MRS. W. F. HERMAN.</p> <p>RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONAL FILMS FROM H.Q., NO1 AND LETTER COVERING USE OF SAME.</p> <p>HON. A. MATHEWS, LT.-GOVERNOR FOR ONTARIO AND BRIGIDIER D. J. MACDONALD-D.S.O., M.C. COMMANDING NO1 INSPECTED THE REGIMENT AFTER WHICH THERE WAS THE MARCH PAST. THE OFFICERS TENDERED A LUNCHEON TO THE HONORABLE A. MATHEWS AFTERWARDS WHICH WAS ATTENDED BY MANY GUEST, MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENT, DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL AND OTHER CIVIC REPRESENTATIVES. THE LT.-GOVERNOR PRESENTED THE MESS WITH A THERMOS BOTTLE INSCRIBED AS THE ORDERLY OFFICERS' BOTTLE. MRS. MATHEWS ENTERTAINED THE OFFICERS' WIVES AT A LUNCHEON AT THE PRINCE EDWARDS HOTEL, WINDSOR.</p>	<p>APPENDIX 9</p> <p>APPENDIX 10</p> <p>APPENDIX 11</p>
	16		<p>TRAINING: COYS AS PER SYLLABUS.</p> <p>ARMOURIES SCHOOL "</p> <p>ATTACHED FOR QUARTERS, RATIONS AND DISCIPLINE, DENTAL DETAILS: 3 O.R.'S</p> <p>RECEIVED LETTER ADVISING AS TO DENTAL DETAILS TO BE ATTACHED FROM D.D.O., NO1</p> <p>RECEIVED LETTER FROM A. A. &amp; Q.M.G., NO1 AS TO AMMENDMENTS TO BARRACK FIRE ORDERS.</p>	<p>APPENDIX 12</p> <p>APPENDIX 13</p>
	17		<p>SUNDAY ; CHURCH PARADES: R. C.'S TO OUR LADY OF THE LAKE.</p> <p>PROTESTANTS TO LINCOLN ROAD UNITED CHURCH.</p> <p>ATTACHMENTS:</p> <p>2ND LIEUT.(SUPV) H. J. KENNEDY FROM 3/9/39.</p> <p>" " " D. W. GUEST " 3/9/39.</p> <p>" " " K.W.MACINTYRE " 3/9/39.</p> <p>" " " J. R. TURNBULL " 3/9/39.</p> <p>ATTACHED, FOR DUTY, QUARTERS, RATIONS AND DISCIPLINE WITH EFFECT FROM 18/12/39.</p> <p>CAPT. R. S. FREELE</p> <p>LIEUT. R. L. CLAYTON &amp; 1 O.R.'</p>	
	18		<p>TRAINING: COYS AS PER SYLLABUS FOR WEEK OF DEC. 18-23.</p> <p>ARMOURIES SCHOOL " " " "</p> <p>R.S.M.'S SCHOOL AT BARRACKS.</p> <p>(UNFAVOURABLE WEATHER TRAINING SYLLABUS DRAWN UP FOR INCLEMENT WEATHER AND TRAINING INSIDE.)</p> <p>LETTER TO O.C., R.C.A.F. TECHNICAL SCHOOL AS TO WITHDRAWAL OF GUARD AT ST. THOMAS, ONT.</p>	



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WINDSOR, ONT. (BARRACKS)	DEC. 19		TRAINING: COMPANYS AS PER SYLLABUS ARMOURIES SCHOOL " R.S.M.'S N.C.O. SCHOOL AT BARRACKS.	H/L
	20		TRAINING: SAME AS PREVIOUS DAY. COMMAND: THE FOLLOWING RETURNED FROM "ON COMMAND" TO R.C.A.F. TECHNICAL SCHOOL, ST. THOMAS AT 2030 HOURS 19/12/39. CAPT. W.J. KNOX, LT. D. W. GUEST & 30 O.R.. (NOTE. LT. W. W. GUEST REPLACED LT. McCORKELL A FEW DAYS PREVIOUSLY.)	H/L
	21		TRAINING: AS PER SYLLABUS FOR WEEK. STRENGTH DECREASE: 1 O.R. STRENGTH ATTACHED, LT. D. R. LADORE, ESSEX SCOTTISH REGT; LT. J. G. DENT, PERTH REGIMENT (M.C.) ATTACHED TO NO. 1 DETACHMENT R.C.A.S.C.-C.A.S.F. FOR DUTY, APPOINTED OFFICER I/C SUPPLIES R.C.A.S.C. SUPPLY DEPOTS AT STRATFORD AND WINDSOR 28/11/39 RESPECTIVELY. LETTER TO H.Q., MD1 RECOMMENDING PERSONNEL FOR QUARTERMASTER AND C.Q.M.S. CORRESPONDENCE COURSE. PRELIMINARY EDUCATIONAL TEST PAPER. CHRISTMAS PARTY HELD IN MENS HALL AT BARRACKS FOR CHILDREN OF MEN OF REGIMENT & WIVES. ALL ARRANGEMENTS MADE BY WIVES OF OFFICERS. PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND ENTERTAINMENT AT CHRISTMAS TREE ON 2ND FLOOR OF BARRACKS. OFFICERS WIVES ENTERTAINED AT AT DINNER AFTERWARDS BY OFFICERS IN OFFICER MESS.	APPENDIX 16 APPENDIX 17 H/L
	22		TRAINING: COMPANYS AS PER SYLLABUS. ARMOURIES SCHOOL " " R.S.M.'S N.C.O. SCHOOL, BARRACKS. STRENGTH DECREASE: 94 OTHER RANKS POSTED TO REGIMENTAL DEPOT.	H/L
	23		TRAINING: COYS AS PER SYLLABUS; ARMOURIES SCHOOL " (DISCONTINUED TILL AFTER NEW YEAR.) R.S.M.'S SCHOOL " " " "	H/L
	24		LEAVE: 1/2 BATTALION GRANTED CHRISTMAS LEAVE FROM SATURDAY NOON DECEMBER 23RD TO REVEILLE DEC. 27TH INCL. W DISTRIBUTION OF CIGARETTES AND TOBACCO TO ALL RANKS - SAME BEING GIFTS OF M. PRUSSIAN, DETROIT, MICHIGAN, U.S.A. SUNDAY - NO PARADES EXCEPT DUTY COMPANY.	H/L H/L
	25		CHRISTMAS DAY - NO PARADES, EXCEPT DUTY COMPANY. CHRISTMAS DINNER SERVED IN MESS HALL FOR ALL RANKS IN BARRACKS, OFFICERS EATING WITH THEIR COMPANYS. COMMANDING OFFICER PRESENT AND PRESIDING. COMMUNION SERVICE FOR PROTESTANTS AT 0700 HOURS - BARRACKS. MASS FOR R. C.'S AT OUR LADY OF THE LAKE CHURCH AT 0700 HOURS.	H/L



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	1939			
	DEC.			
WINDSOR, ONT. BARRACKS	26		TRAINING AS PER SYLLABUS.	714
	27		TRAINING: COYS. AS PER SYLLABUS FOR WEEK DEC. 26-30TH.	714 APPENDIX 20.
	28		TRAINING: COYS. AS PER SYLLABUS. STRENGTH DECREASE: 5 O.R.'S. REGIMENTAL DINNER SERVED TO REGIMENT IN MESS HALL AND EVENINGS ENTERTAINMENT PROVIDED BY SERVICE CLUBS OF WINDSOR.	714
	29		TRAINING: COYS. AS PER SYLLABUS. STRENGTH INCREASE: 1 OTHER RANK TRANSFERRED FROM REGIMENTAL DEPOT TO UNIT.	714
	30		TRAINING: COYS. AS PER SYLLABUS. LEAVE: 1/2 BN. GRANTED NEW YEARS LEAVE FROM SAT. NOON DEC. 30TH TO REVILLE JAN. 3RD, 1940. STRENGTH DECREASE: 1 OTHER RANK STRENGTH INCREASE: 1 " " TRANSFERRED FROM REGIMENTAL DEPOT TO UNIT. ON COMMAND: LT. E. B. MCCORRELL RETURNED FROM "ON COMMAND" TO ST. THOMAS GUARD AT 2300 HOURS 15/12/39.	714
	31		SUNDAY - NO PARADES EXCEPT FOR DUTY COY. APPOINTMENTS: LT. W. L. MCGREGOR TO A.T. PLATOON OFFICER & LT. 1/12/39. LT. F. A. WANSBROUGH TO BE LT. AND PAYMASTER, 14/9/39 LT. J. BROWN TO LT. & QUARTERMASTER, 3/9/39.  REGIMENTAL ORDERS PART I, FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER 1939. REGIMENTAL ORDERS PART II, FOR MONTH OF DECEMBER 1939	714 APPENDIX 18. APPENDIX 19.

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