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# WAR DIARY

OF

THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

*Ser. No. 355*

FROM 1st. January 1941 TO 31st. January 1941.

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OR THE PRINCESS ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE FUSILIERS (M.G.)

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H.Q. 1772-45-18

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			<p>ALL MAP REFERENCES IN THIS DIARY UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED ARE TO HALIFAX 1/25000</p> <p>MAP REFERENCES - EASTERN PASSAGE ---945610 COW BAY ---991619 HAZELHURST ---884678 WELLINGTON BARRACKS (Referred to as Halifax) ---851677</p> <p>MULGRAVE AND POINT TUPPER ARE ON THE STRAIT OF CANSO.</p> <p>NORTH SYDNEY AND GLACE BAY ARE IN CAPE BRETON ISLAND.</p>	<p><i>[Handwritten signature]</i> <i>[Handwritten signature]</i></p>



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East. Pass.	1 Jan		Weather - clear.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Mulgrave	41		Weather - cool and clear.	
North Sydney			Weather - very mild.	
East. Pass.	2 Jan	2115	Weather - clear. Y.M.C.A. picture shown here to-night.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Mulgrave			Weather report - Snow and cool.	
Cow Bay		1415	Mr. Morton - Y.M.C.A. brought us another moving picture to-day. He also brought hockey sticks for the men.	
Cow Bay	3 Jan	0800	Weather report - Dull; temperature 32°.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Mulgrave			Bath parade. Weather cool.	
N. Sydney			Capt. Campbell, C..C.S. called to-day.	
East. Pass	4 Jan	1300	Snowing hard, by midnight it had drifted rather badly and drifts were 1½ feet deep.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Cow Bay		1715	No communication with upper road block as a result of the snow storm.	
Hazelhurst			Headquarters of "A" Coy. Platoons on duty were changed this morning. Distribution is as follows: #4 Platoon - 2/Lt. A.G. MacDonald - Cow Bay #5 Platoon - 2/Lt. D.K.S. Maclellan - Eastern Passage #6 Platoon - Lieut. W.F. Bayne - Hazelhurst	
Halifax			Work of sand bagging the A/A position a-top the Administration Building here in Wellington Barracks completed.	







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Mulgrave	8 Jan		Weather Report. Snow, it's been snowing off and on now for 5 days.	<p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p> <p><i>[Handwritten initials]</i></p>
W. Sydney	41	1400	Coy Commander Major A.E. Chandler called to Fortress Headquarters for conference with Atlantic Command.	
Halifax		1432	Test alarm for all Unit personnel in Wellington Barracks.	
Halifax			A new "system" has been installed in the Fortress telephone exchange and it is no longer necessary to "ring off."	
Halifax	9 Jan	0900	Drivers I/C are being tested this morning.	
Halifax		1030	Test General Alarm. All ranks on parade within eleven minutes. All trucks not involved in this alarm as most of them are at Halifax Common re tests for drivers I/C.	
Halifax		1115	Received a "reprimand" (verbal) from the Brigade Major re certain sentries of certain Units who are not paying proper compliments when on duty at District H.Q. The D.O.C. complains that he, a Brigadier, receives a "butt slap" whilst others of less ranks get a "present arms."	
Halifax		1930	Meeting of Wellington Barracks (station) Sergeants' Mess to-night.	
Halifax			H.M.C.S. Prince Henry carrying out gun practice to-day.	
How Bay		1440	R.C.A.F. are having Machine Gun practice over the sea in front of this Post.	
Wazelhurst			Battery low in our stake body truck. Going to Halifax this P.M. to have it fixed.	
How Bay		1500	Moving pictures by courtesy Y.M.C.A.	
East Pass.		2119	Y.M.C.A. man again with another movie.	



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Halifax	10 Jan	41	The sand table here is being used this afternoon for the examination of officers of The Halifax Rifles by a Board from District H.Q.	<p><i>[Handwritten notes and initials in right margin]</i></p>
Cow Bay			Having trouble with the gun position again. This time the concrete above the "window" is sinking - due to not having been reinforced. It is now propped up with a piece of 2"x4".	
East.Pass.		1020	5 loud reports in quick succession. Later found to be PONTIAC & RUTH in gun trials authorized at 1030 hrs for 2 hours. (note that they started 10 minutes ahead of time.) More heavy firing was heard at 1523 hrs.	
Cow Bay		1320	Heard gun fire to seawards in a Southerly direction from this Post.	
Halifax		1600	A meeting of Halifax Fortress Athletic Association this afternoon.	
Halifax	11 Jan	1532	Civilian air-raid sirens have just howled. Only testing.	
Halifax		0900	Two Hudson Bombers will be practising aerial bombing all day to-day.	
Hazelhurst			Headquarters of "A" Coy. All "outposts" changed to-day. Reliefs completed at 1115 hrs. New disposition - #4 Pl. 2/Lt. A.G. MacDonald at Hazelhurst #5 Pl. 2/Lt. D.K.S. Maclellan at Cow Bay #6 Pl. Lieut. W.F. Bayne at Eastern Passage.	
Halifax			Weekly Summary of Activities sent to Fortress H.Q. (Appendix)	
Halifax	12 Jan		Six men invited to have tea with Mrs Ambrose - wife of Senior C. OF E. Chaplan for this District.	
Halifax		0920	Very foggy. Sounds of rapid firing from the direction of the Harbour mouth were heard. Several places were queried but no one seemed to know what or where. Eventually found it to be a L.M.G. practising.	







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Halifax	13 Jan	2100	Sent guard of 1 and 6 to Pier 22 on orders from Fortress H.Q.	
Halifax	41	1945	40 men go on ammunition fatigue at Wellington Magazine. A bitterly cold night. 40 more warned for 0100hrs 14th (these did not go on as Ordnance did not continue the work all night.)	
Low Bay	14 Jan	0500	Falling branch broke line and put telephone out of commission. Repaired a few hours later.	
Halifax		1000	Guard of 1 and 6 at Pier 22 lifted.	
Halifax		1020	Burst pipe in guard room near Ammunition Area.	
East Pass.	15 Jan	0715	Temperature report. 2° below zero.	
Low Bay		2210	⊗ Beach patrol reports that there are 8 or 10 men sleeping in a shack within our arc of fire at about 984608. It seems that these men are hauling gravel off the beach in the daytime.	
St. Tupper			Supervised sports in afternoon.	
Halifax		1550	Orders from Fortress. 40 men to sling ammunition at 1830hrs to-night. (Fortress passed on some complimentary remarks made on our behalf by the R.C.O.C. officer i/c Ammunition fatigue.)	
Low Bay	16 Jan	0145	⊗ After much investigation we got the men to come out of the shack and they spent the rest of the night in our buildings. At about noon the foreman of the "Hubley's Sand and Gravel Co." called and was indignant at our having moved the men from the shack. Explained that it was dangerous for the men to be there and that they would not be permitted to remain in the shack after dark.	



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Halifax, NS.	16 Jan	1400	1 Platoon to Halifax Armoury - fatigues - R.C.O.C.	<i>[Handwritten initials and signatures]</i>
Cow Bay	41	1500	Y.M.C.A. show. Movies.	
Hazelhurst			Commanding Officer, Lt.Col. C.C. Mitchell, E.D. visited here this afternoon.	
Cow Bay		2056	Sound of a shot was heard by road block sentry and sentry in No 1 Gun position. The first thought it to be heavy gun fire from the direction of the sea, the second reporting it as like the sound of a .303". No more information could be obtained.	
Mulgrave			Weather report. It has been snowing for 3 days.	
Cow Bay	17 Jan	0010	Another loud report reported. No information.	
Cow Bay		1000	Rain and sleet.	
Hazelhurst			Weather report. Silver thaw.	
Hazelhurst			Advance party of The Halifax Rifles left for Mulgrave this morning.	
Mulgrave			Halifax Rifles party arrived at 1430hrs. Pictou Highlanders advance party left at 1230hrs	
Hazelhurst			Advance party of Pictou Highlanders arrived to-night from Mulgrave.	
Cow Bay		1550	Electric power has failed, probably due to the sleet storm. Power restored again at 2055hrs	
East.Pass.	18 Jan	1700	Weather report. Silver thaw to-day quite a few communication lines are down.	
Hazelhurst			Headquarters of "A" Coy. Outposts changed to-day. #4 Pl. Eastern Passage. #5 Pl. Hazelhurst #6 Pl. Cow Bay	



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Cow Bay Halifax	18Jan 41.	1505	Power off again. On at 1545hrs. Sent Weekly Summary of Activities to Fortress H.Q.	<p>2 1/2</p> <p><i>[Handwritten notes and signatures in right margin]</i></p>
N. Sydney Halifax	19Jan		Church Parades. Y.M.C.A. picture show at 1600hrw. Church Parades. R.C's. - Major S.O'N. Carew O.D'S. - Major G.H.K. Liddell	
Halifax			Lieut. J.H. VanBuskirk reports back to Wellington Barracks from a gas course at Kingston, Ont. Left here 26 Dec 40.	
Halifax			Lieut. D.G. Bauld and Sgt Ubsdell, K.A. returned from P.T. Courses. Cpl. Rogers, P.G. returned from "C" Wing - Kingston, Ont.	
Hazelhurst Halifax			2 men sent to Fortress Weapon Training Camp to-day for "fire unit commanders" course. Fire Unit Commanders Course at F.W.T.C. this Unit sent 3 2/Lts., 1 Sgt, and 4 Cpls.	
Dartmouth Halifax	20Jan	0700	1/2 the main body of the Halifax Rifles left here this morning en route to Mulgrave. Sent 2 trucks and 3 M/C Combinations to Halifax Rifles at Hazelhurst.	
Dartmouth			1/2 main body of the Pictou Highlanders arrived this afternoon from Mulgrave to take over from the Halifax Rifles.	
Mulgrave			2 Coys Pictou Highlanders left here at 0900hrs. 2 Coys Halifax Rifles arrived here 1430hrs.	
East Pass.		1100	Ship or ships firing at sea off this Post. Communications which were interrupted by the icy conditions on the 18th have been restored.	
Hazelhurst			Loaned 2 trucks and 2 M/C combinations to the Halifax Rifles to-day re their move to Mulgrave.	







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Halifax	22 Jan	41	Both Eastern Passage and Cow Bay report that they have doubled their guards in hopes the escaped Germans come their way. It would be quite exciting to finally see a German and perhaps take a shot at him after some 17 months of just looking towards Germany some 4,000 miles away.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Halifax	23 Jan	0700	Sent 2 trucks to report to Halifax Rifles at Hazelhurst to assist in their move.	<i>[Vertical column of handwritten initials]</i>
Hazelhurst			The last of The Halifax Rifles left here to-day at about 0900hrs. The last of the Pictou Highlanders arrived here to-day at about 1630hrs.	
Mulgrave			The last of the Pictou Highlanders left here 0900hrs. Balance of Halifax Rifles arrived in Mulgrave at 1630hrs.	
Halifax		1615	Sent 2 trucks to report to Pictou Highlanders to assist in their move.	
Cow Bay		1530	Y.M.C.A. Movies.	
Cow Bay		1600	Hubley Sand & Gravel Company - according to Fortress H.Q. can be on the beach or in the shack or anywhere they like at any time. That relieves our minds somewhat in case it is necessary to open fire.	
Halifax		1945	The two Germans who escaped yesterday have been caught and placed in our guard <sup>room</sup> <del>now</del> . Both men were searched and locked up for the night. They were taken away in time for the Ocean Limited train next morning.	
East Pass.		2100	Another movie by Y.M.C.A.	
Sydney	24 Jan		Men busy painting ammunition boxes. Capt Campbell C.C.S. called.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Halifax			Just received a report of the results of examination of M/T drivers held on the 9th of this month. Twenty passed as III Class Drivers. Two II Class.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>



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East. Pass.	24 Jan		Quartermaster arrived to-day and we all got our issue of steel helmets. He also issued clasp knives and some cap badges.	
Cow Bay		1500	Tin hats have just been issued.	
Hazelhurst	25 Jan	1100	H.Q. of "A" Coy Posts changed to-day. Dispositions now: #4 Pl. at Cow Bay #5 Pl. at Eastern Passage #6 Pl. at Hazelhurst	
Cow Bay			Weather report. Snowing.	
N. Sydney			Canadian Legion men called to-day and left some much needed stationery.	
N. Sydney			Capt. Lambie, R.C.A.S.C. inspected here to-day.	
Halifax			Sent Weekly Summary of Activities to Fortress H.Q. - (Appendix)	
Halifax	26 Jan		64 men shovelling snow.	
Hazelhurst			Church parade with the Pictou Highlanders.	
N. Sydney			Church parade. Picture show by Y.M.C.A.	
East. Pass.		1439	To-day we had our first Church service for other denominations. H/Capt. Cline.	
Cow Bay		1630	H/Capt. Cline came here and we had a church service.	
Mulgrave			Church parade. Snow for third day in succession.	

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*[Handwritten initials and signatures in the right margin, including names like Cline, Lambie, and others.]*



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Halifax	27 Jan		R.S.M. "loaned" to Fortress W/T Camp for 4 days.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Cow Bay	41		Weather report. Clear and very cold.	
Mulgrave			Had dental parade.	
Mulgrave			Col. W.H. Dobbie, Fortress Commander visited McNair's Point Barracks to-day.	
Pt. Tupper			Water pump has failed. Have to haul all water to-day.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Halifax	28 Jan		All adjutants met in conference at Fortress H.Q. to-day.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Halifax		1930	A special meeting of Wellington Barracks (station) Sergeants' Mess to-night.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Halifax	29 Jan		"Snowed and blowed" all night - had an improvised snow plough made of planks which we towed behind a large truck. This had to be kept going all night in order to keep the roads in the Barracks even partly open.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Hazelhurst			All attempts to get the rations through to Cow Bay Post this morning were unsuccessful due to heavy snow and wind.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Cow Bay		1500	Hurrah! Here is the ration truck - it looked pretty bad for awhile but now we're all set.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
East Pass.		1550	This Post is pretty well snowbound but the rations got through all right. Still snowing.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Pt. Tupper			Supervised sports in afternoon.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
Halifax	30 Jan	1530	3 W.O's reporting at 416 Robie Street as pall bearers for the late Sir Robert Burton.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>
East Pass.		2100	Y.M.C.A. moving picture show.	<i>[Handwritten initials]</i>



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N. Sydney	31 Jan 41		Lieut. Simmonds, Sgts Munro and Duffy and Cpls Jewers and McSweeney left here for Halifax to attend a course at Fortress Weapon Training Camp.	<i>Simon</i>
N. Sydney			Hockey game to-night. Our team lost 2-0.	<i>Simon</i>
Halifax			Part I Orders - inclusive from 1st to 31st Jan 41 - Appendix (to orig. only)	<i>52</i>
Halifax			Part II Orders - inclusive from 1st to 31st Jan 41 - Appendix (to orig. only)	<i>63</i>

*Simon  
Capt  
Adjt*

*C.C. Mitchell*  
(C.C. Mitchell)  
Lieutenant Colonel,  
O.C. The Princess Louise Fusiliers (MG)



APP  
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UNIT The Princess Louise Fusiliers (MG) C.A.S.F

for the week ended 4th Jan. 1941

NOTE

This report must embrace a full summary of changes, deficiencies and condition of all armament. Changes will include changes in specified armament as well as location. Armament covered by this report will consist of :-  
C.D. Guns, C.D. Lights, A.A. Guns, A.A. Lights, Machine Guns and Small Arms.

CHANGES

DESCRIPTION (type, make or calibre)	LOCATION (including map ref)	REMARKS (nature of change, etc)
1.303" Bren L.M.G. 2 .303" Lewis L.M.G. 2	Wellington Barracks 851676	Received from Ordnance for A.A. Platoon

DEFICIENCIES

As reported previously less above mentioned  Mountings A/A for Brens. Sights A/A for Lewis		
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CONDITION & REMARKS - GENERALLY

Condition good.

Appendix 1



UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)~~

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NOTE

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C.D. (by types - shells, cart., fuzes & tubes), A.A. (by types), .303 ball and tracer, .455  
Do not include practice ammunition.

CHANGES

DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	REMARKS (nature of change, etc)
	NIL	
	DEFICIENCIES	
	NO Change	

CONDITION & REMARKS - GENERALLY

Condition good.

Pistols, Signal, 8 received 4-1-41. No ammunition for same



UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MC) 82444444~~

for the week ended 4th Jan. 1941

NOTE This report must show changes in location of units and sub-units, giving time and date of change. Disposition of personnel in numbers need not be shown; this is included in "strength state" return.

CHANGES

UNIT OR SUB-UNIT	NEW LOCATION (give map ref)	ORIGINAL LOCATION
"A" Company No. 6 Platoon	Hazelhurst 883681	Cow Bay
No. 4 Platoon	Cow Bay 993611	Eastern Passage
No. 5 Platoon	Eastern Passage 946610	Hazelhurst

REMARKS

NIL



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ACCOMMODATION REPORT

FORM D

UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILI RS (MG)

for the week ended 4th Jan. 1941

NOTE Accommodation must include construction and works of any description affecting welfare of troops and efficiency of operations.

CONSTRUCTION & WORK COMPLETED

LOCATION	NATURE OF CONSTRUCTION	REMARKS
	NIL	

CONSTRUCTION & WORK IN PROGRESS

Cow Bay	"H" Hut for accomodation of post	commenced week ending 16th Nov. 1940
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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCOMMODATION & WORKS

Cow Bay Hazelhurst	As above As reported 7-12-40 and 14-12-40.	
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UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

for the week ended 4th Jan. 1941

NOTE This report will cover work accomplished by working parties in bettering accommodation and improving conditions generally.

WORK COMPLETED

LOCATION	NATURE OF WORK	REMARKS
Wellington Barracks	Anti-aircraft position on top of administration bldg.	completed 4-1-41 first started 25-11-40
New Roof on gun position #1	Cow Bay	completed week of 4-1-41
Improvement on approaches to gun positions	Eastern Passage	completed week of 4-1-41

WORK IN PROGRESS

	NIL	
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NOTE All items must be answered fully and must apply only to the week under review. Where items are not applicable indicate by "N.A."

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1. Number attending courses (specify course).

4 all ranks, 2 on P.T., 2 on Gas, Kingston. Ont.

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2. Number attending regimental courses (specify).

8 on refresher for rangetakers.

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3. Number completed weapon training.

NIL

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4. Number completed .22 instructional.

NIL

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5. Details of special training.

NIL



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6. Practice - Searchlight, A.A. firing, C.D. firing, C.D. light

N/A

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7. Number completed individual training and passed tests.

NIL

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8. Anti-Gas training:

331 all ranks issued with respirators during week and visually fitted.

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9. Specialists training.

Signallers- as per separate syllabus.

Drivers i.c.- Request for test forwarded during week.

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10. Summary of collective training activities.

NIL



UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS Louise FUSILIERS (MG)~~

for the week ended ~~2th Jan. 1941~~

DISCIPLINE

- 1. Number A.W.L. during week ..... 4
- 2. Number A.W.L. this date ..... 3
- 3. Number C.B. during week ..... 14
- 4. Number C.B. this date ..... 11
- 5. Number awarded detention during week ..... 1
- 6. Number undergoing detention this date ..... 1
- 7. General statement of discipline:-  

poor

MEDICAL

- 1. Number excused duty during week ..... 14
- 2. Number excused duty this date ..... 8
- 3. Number admitted hospital this week ..... 6
- 4. Number in hospital this date ..... 13
- 5. General statement of health:-  

Good.



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ARMAMENT REPORT

FORM A

UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE WISLIERS (RC)

for the week ended 11th Jan. 1941

NOTE

This report must embrace a full summary of changes, deficiencies and condition of all armament. Changes will include changes in specified armament as well as location. Armament covered by this report will consist of :-  
C.D. Guns, C.D. Lights, A.A. Guns, A.A. Lights, Machine Guns and Small Arms.

CHANGES

DESCRIPTION (type, make or calibre)	LOCATION (including map ref)	REMARKS (nature of change, etc)
	NO Change	
	DEFICIENCIES	
	No Change	

CONDITION & REMARKS - GENERALLY

Good.

*Appendix R*



UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MC)~~

for the week ended 11th Jan. 1941

NOTE This report must embrace a full summary of changes, deficiencies and condition of all ammunition. Changes will include changes in specified ammunition as well as location. Ammunition covered by this report will consist of :-  
 C.D. (by types - shells, cart., fuzes & tubes), A.A. (by types), .303 ball and tracer, .455  
 Do not include practice ammunition.

CHANGES

DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	REMARKS (nature of change, etc)
	NIL	
	DEFICIENCIES	
	No Changes	

CONDITION & REMARKS - GENERALLY

Good.



## THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS

for the week ended 11th Jan. 1941.

Unit or sub-unit	Changes	
	New Location	Original Location
"A" Coy.		
No. 5 Pl.	Cow Bay 993619	Eastern Passage
No. 6 Pl.	Eastern Passage 946610	Hazelhurst
No. 4 Pl.	Hazelhurst 883681	Cow Bay

Remarks

Procedure of changing personnel on outposts fortnightly abandoned on instructions of higher authority in favor of weekly change. Order of changes maintained viz: Hazelhurst pl. to Eastern Passage; Eastern Passage pl. to Cow Bay; Cow Bay pl. to Hazelhurst.



## THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

for the week ended 11th Jan. 1941

## CONSTRUCTION &amp; WORK COMPLETED

LOCATION	NATURE OF CONSTRUCTION	REMARKS
<del>XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX</del>	NIL	

## CONSTRUCTION &amp; WORK IN PROGRESS

Cow Bay	Quarters	commenced week ending 16 Nov. 40
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## DEFICIENCIES IN ACCOMODATION &amp; WORKS

Cow Bay	Quarters	(As above)
Hazelhurst	General	(see summary for 14 Dec. 40)



## THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

for the week ended 11th Jan. 1941

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WORK COMPLETED

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LOCATION	NATURE OF WORK	REMARKS
Eastern Passage	slits in Gun Position doors	Requested by higher authority.

WORK IN PROGRESS

NIL



## THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

For week ended 11th Jan. 1941.

## 1. Number attending courses

2 Officers and 2 O/R (one of each at gas and P.T. courses)

## 2. Number attending regimental courses

21 Fus. on month's rangetakers' course commenced 6th Jan. 41.

## 3. Number completed weapon training

nil.

## 4. Number completed .22 instructional

Nil.

## 5. Details of special training.

Bn. exercised on message carrying and writing.

23 candidates before board for qualification as drivers i.c.

## 6. Practice S/L, A.A. firing, C.D. firing, D.C. light

Bn. alarm 8th Jan. 1941.

## 7. Number completed individual training and passed tests.

50 T.O.E.G.D.

## 8. Anti-Gas training.

Provision in all syllabi

## 9. Specialists training

Sigs in separate syllabus. see also para 5 above.

10. ~~Summary of~~ Summary of collective training activities.

See para 6 above.

Coy alarms also held during week.



## THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

for the week ended 11th Jan. 1941.

DICIPLINE

1. Number A.W.L. during week ..... 2
2. Number A.W.L. this date ..... 1
3. Number C.B. during week.....11
4. Number C.B. this date..... 4
5. Number awarded detention during week..... 1
6. Number undergoing detention this date..... 1
7. Dicipline in general--indifferent.

MEDICAL

1. Number excused duty during week..... 22
2. Number excused duty this date..... 6
3. Number admitted to hospital this week..... 10
4. Number in hospital this date..... 20
5. Health in general -- good.



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AMMUNITION REPORT

FORM B

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UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

for the week ended

18th Jan. 1941

CHANGES

DESCRIPTION

LOCATION

REMARKS

NIL

DEFICIENCIES

NO CHANGES

CONDITION & REMARKS - GENERALLY

good.

Appendix 3



UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

for the week ended 18th Jan. 1941

## Changes

Unit or sub-unit	New Location	Original Location
"A" Coy.		
#6 Pl.	Cow Bay 993619	Eastern Passage
#4 Pl.	Eastern Passage 946610	Hazelhurst
#5 Pl.	Hazelhurst 883681	Cow Bay

## REMARKS

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UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)  
for the week ended 14th Jan. 1941.

## CONSTRUCTION &amp; WORK COMPLETED

LOCATION	NATURE OF CONSTRUCTION	REMARKS
	NIL	

## CONSTRUCTION &amp; WORK IN PROGRESS

Cow Bay	Quarters	commenced week ending 16 Nov 40
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## DEFICIENCIES IN ACCOMODATION &amp; WORKS

Cow Bay	Quarters	as above
Hazelhurst	General	as in summary for 14th Dec. 40 less coy office which provided this week



UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

FOR WEEK ENDED 18th Jan. 1941.

WORK COMPLETED

LOCATION

NATURE OF WORK

REMARKS

~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS~~

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NIL

WORK IN PROGRESS

NIL





## THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)

For week ended 18th Jan 1941

1. Number attending courses  
Nil (4 all ranks returned from P.T. & Gas schools)
2. Number attending regimental courses  
21 Fus. on rangetakers course commenced 6th Jan. 41.
3. Number completed weapon training  
nil.
4. Number completed .22 instructional  
nil.
5. Details of special training.  
nil
6. Practice S/L, A.A. firing C.D. Firing, C.D. Light  
nil.
7. Number completed individual training and passed tests  
62 T.O.E.G.D.  
52 T.O.E.T. Rifle
8. Anti-Gas Training  
Attempt made to have special gas alarms. All ranks throughout the week carried respirators during parade hours. Fatigues seriously interfered with syllabus.
9. Specialists training  
Sigs on separate syllabus. Rangetakers school as in para 2.
10. Summary of collective training activities.  
Air Raid P.A.D. Scheme exercised.



UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG)  
for the week ended 18th Jan. 1941.

DICIPLINE

- 1. Number A.W.L. during week.....1
- 2. Number A.W.L. this date.....2
- 3. Number C.B. during week.....20
- 4. Number C.B. this date.....10
- 5. Number awarded detention during week..... 1
- 6. Number undergoing detention this date..... 3
- 7. Dicipline in general--~~in general~~ poor.

MEDICAL

- 1. Number excused duty during week.....21
- 2. Number excused duty this date..... 9
- 3. Number admitted to hospital this week..... 6
- 4. Number in hospital this date.....22
- 5. Health in general -- Good.

UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG) A.F.

for the week ended 25th Jan. 1941.

NOTE This report must embrace a full summary of changes, deficiencies and condition of all armament. Changes will include changes in specified armament as well as location. Armament covered by this report will consist of :-  
C.D. Guns, C.D. Lights, A.A. Guns, A.A. Lights, Machine Guns and Small Arms.

CHANGES

DESCRIPTION (type, make or calibre)	LOCATION (including-map ref)	REMARKS (nature of change, etc)
.303" V.M.G. 2 complete with night firing and indirect firing equipment	F.W.T.C. <del>795777</del> 795777	As per Fortress Instruction.

DEFICIENCIES

	No Change.	
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CONDITION & REMARKS - GENERALLY

Good.

*Appendix*



UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MC) A.F.~~

for the week ended 25th Jan. 1941.

NOTE This report must embrace a full summary of changes, deficiencies and condition of all ammunition. Changes will include changes in specified ammunition as well as location. Ammunition covered by this report will consist of :-  
C.D. (by types - shells, cart., fuzes & tubes), A.A. (by types), .303 ball and tracer, .455  
Do not include practice ammunition.

**CHANGES**

DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	REMARKS (nature of change, etc)
	NO CHANGES	
	<b>DEFICIENCIES</b>	
	NO Changes.	

**CONDITION & REMARKS - GENERALLY**

UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MC) A.F.

for the week ended 25th Jan. 1941.

NOTE This report must show changes in location of units and sub-units, giving time and date of change. Disposition of personnel in numbers need not be shown; this is included in "strength state" return.

CHANGES

UNIT OR SUB-UNIT	NEW LOCATION (give map ref)	ORIGINAL LOCATION
"A" COY.		
#4 Pl.	Cow Bay 993619	Eastern Passage
#5 Pl.	Eastern Passage 946610	Hazelhurst
#6 Pl.	Hazelhurst 883681	Cow Bay

REMARKS

NIL



UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG) A.F.~~

for the week ended 25th Jan. 1941.

NOTE Accommodation must include construction and works of any description affecting welfare of troops and efficiency of operations.

CONSTRUCTION & WORK COMPLETED

LOCATION	NATURE OF CONSTRUCTION	REMARKS
	nil	

CONSTRUCTION & WORK IN PROGRESS

Cow Bay	Accommodation	Commenced week ending 16th Nov. 40. Awaiting completion of chimneys, some plumbing.
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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCOMMODATION & WORKS

Cow Bay	As above.	
Hazelhurst	as mentioned in report of 18-1-41.	

UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG) A.F.

for the week ended ~~25th Jan. 1941~~

NOTE This report will cover work accomplished by working parties in bettering accommodation and improving conditions generally.

WORK COMPLETED

LOCATION	NATURE OF WORK	REMARKS
Eastern Passage	Gun position fronts altered slightly	

WORK IN PROGRESS

	nil	
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UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MC) A.F.~~

for the week ended ~~29th Jan. 1941.~~

NOTE All items must be answered fully and must apply only to the week under review. Where items are not applicable indicate by "N.A.".

1. Number attending courses (specify course).

8 on course for Fire Unit Commanders at F.W.T.C.

2. Number attending regimental courses (specify).

~~12~~ 12 attending Rangemakers course.

19 attending M.T. course.

3. Number completed weapon training.

nil

4. Number completed .22 instructional.

nil

5. Details of special training.

nil

UNIT THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG) A.F.

for the week ended 25th Jan. 1941.

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6. Practice - Searchlight, A.A. firing, C.D. firing, C.D. light

n/a

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7. Number completed individual training and passed tests.

6 passed P.O.E.T. Rifle.

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8. Anti-Gas training:

As in Company syllabi

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9. Specialists training.

See para 2 above.

Signaliers allotted a special room for signals work.

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10. Summary of collective training activities.

nil



UNIT ~~THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (MG) A.F.~~

for the week ended ~~25th Jan. 1941~~

DISCIPLINE

- 1. Number A.W.L. during week ..... 3
- 2. Number A.W.L. this date ..... 2
- 3. Number C.B. during week ..... 17
- 4. Number C.B. this date ..... 8
- 5. Number awarded detention during week ..... 2
- 6. Number undergoing detention this date ..... 5
- 7. General statement of discipline:- **Poor.**

MEDICAL

- 1. Number excused duty during week ..... 12
- 2. Number excused duty this date ..... 7
- 3. Number admitted hospital this week ..... 6
- 4. Number in hospital this date ..... 16
- 5. General statement of health:- **Good.**