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WAR DIARY

OF

THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS (11 CDN INDEP MG COY)

FROM 1 December 1944 TO 31 December 1944



VOLUME 9.93

APPENDICES 3 TO 7

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WAR DIARIES, C.A.S.F.

Instructions for Compilation and Despatch

1. A War Diary is **SECRET**.

2. The War Diary takes the place of the Historical Record when on active service. (K.R. Can. Para. 1530). Its objects are: to supply authentic material for the history of the unit, and of the force; to furnish a historical record of operations; and to provide data upon which to base improvements in training, equipment, organization and administration.

3. Unless otherwise ordered, the original and duplicate copies are sent on the first day of the succeeding month, through the usual channels, to the A.G., 2nd Echelon, wherever that office may be. The triplicate copy may be held by the unit for three months and then forwarded, also through the usual channels, to A.G., 2nd Echelon.

4. Post-war disposal will be as under:

Original—retained at Ottawa for historical purposes.

Duplicate—to British Record Office for historical purposes.

Triplicate—to unit for custody with unit records.

5. The War Diary will be entered up daily on M.F.M. 11 and rendered monthly in triplicate (Mobn. Instr. for C.M. 1937. App. "C"). Each entry will be initialled by the officer detailed to keep the War Diary, which will be signed at the end of each month by the commander. (F.S.R. Vol. II, Sec. 35, para. 3 iii).

6. The following should be recorded daily as events occur:

(i) Important orders, instructions, reports, messages or despatches received and issued, and decisions taken. *Original documents* should be attached as appendices to the Original copy of the War Diary.

(ii) Daily map location, employment, movements and dispositions of unit headquarters and of batteries, companies, etc. March tables should be attached as appendices.

(iii) Important movements of officers and matters relating to the duties of each branch of the staff. A complete set of the *routine orders and instructions, Part I Orders*, issued by the unit during the month should be attached as an appendix to the original copy.

(iv) Detailed account of operations—to include:—Exact hour, location and circumstances of important occurrences. Movements and names of neighbouring units. Commanders of batteries, companies, etc., names of Officers and number of O.R. (i) engaged and (ii) battle casualties. Dispositions, activities and identity of enemy forces. Prisoners and trophies captured. Ammunition expended. Factors affecting operations, topographical and climatic. *Maps and sketches* showing dispositions of batteries, companies etc., at important phases. The record of *communications, both written and verbal*, received or despatched during active operations as an appendix. A complete set of the *operation orders and instructions* issued during the month. Notes on conferences and *reports* rendered to higher formations, or received from lower formations, as appendices to the original copy.

(v) Nature and description of trenches, field works or accommodation occupied or constructed. Meteorological notes.

(vi) Changes in establishment or strength. Names and ranks of officers and number of O.R. Attachment of units and individuals. Reinforcements. *Copy of Part II Orders and Weekly Field Returns of Officers and O.R.* should be attached as appendices to the original copy. Changes in organization, stores, transport, etc.

7. It is essential that all copies of both text and appendices are legible. Appendices will be numbered and referenced to the text in the last column of the form. Current issues of any regimental publication should be attached.

8. It will be found convenient at the end of each month, when the War Diary is being completed and the correspondence in unit files for the month is being reviewed and distributed (F.S.R. Vol. I, sec. 171, para. 3) if the material considered to be of historical value in the light of the above is attached as appendices to the original copy of the War Diary.

9. A good war diary makes possible the accurate and detailed reconstruction of circumstances, conditions and action.

NOTE: If monthly diary is more than one inch thick, use a second folder. If appendices are bulky, tie folder up with tape or string to make a firm package.

PRESERVE IMPORTANT ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS FOR POSTERITY: INSERT THEM AS APPENDICES IN ORIGINAL COPY OF WAR DIARY

THE EXTRACTION AND RETENTION OF APPENDICES, MAPS, ETC., FROM A WAR DIARY IS AN OFFENCE UNDER THE OFFICIAL SECRETS ACT

UNIT OFFICE FILING SYSTEM AND RECORDS

"Every office will arrange for the filing and custody of its own correspondence." (F.S.R. Vol. I. Sec. 171.3.)

1. *Titles and Numbering of Files.*

A simple filing system adaptable for use in any military office at home or in the field is illustrated by the "List of File Titles" overleaf.

All documents handled by a unit fall into one or other of the nine categories enumerated, 1 to 9. The titles of the nine main divisions are based on British army operations, organization, administration and the regulations governing. Each title may be broken down into ten component parts or sub-titles, by adding a dash and subsidiary numbers 0 to 9. In turn each of these may be further broken down by adding a second dash and a third digit, and if necessary a third dash and a fourth digit. Thus 4-7-3 might be "Cooking Course at Kingston." According to circumstances, a fighting unit would expand the 1-3 prefix to accommodate all arms and services with which it may be concerned

2. *Date reference.*

In giving communications a reference number, it is convenient to use the date system of four figures indicating day and month, e.g. 0102 for 1st February; 3010 for 30th October.

3. *Combined Numeration.*

If the systems outlined in paras 1 and 2 are combined, by placing the four date figures under the subject file numbers, a simple and informative method of reference results, thus

$$\begin{array}{r} 2-6-1 \\ \hline 0804 \end{array}$$

might be immediately identified as a communication dealing with replacement of gas masks, dated 8th April.

NOTE.—This method is not applicable to signal messages, A.F.C. 2128, which bear serial numbers 1 to 9999. The use of dashes eliminates confusion between serial numbers and file numbers.

4. *Documents for Preservation.*

The monthly review of correspondence (F.S.R. Vol. I, sec. 171.3) is facilitated and future confusion avoided by jacketing the material in "Category ii" (i.e., "no longer required", etc.) to conform with the system.

5. *Correspondence in the Field.*

The functioning of the office of a formation or unit during active operations may be simplified by keeping a log or register of all orders and messages, written or verbal, received or sent during the action. This may conveniently be done by extending the use of the "Field Register of Communications Received or Despatched", (Army Form 2040, F.S.R. Vol. I. sec. 171) to include verbal as well as written orders and messages in chronological order as received or sent.

Time of sending and of receipt are of importance second only to time of event, and should be entered both on the office copy of every field message or other document, and in the log or register. A carbon copy for contemporary reference of the commander or others concerned is desirable.

A brief précis of written orders, reports and messages, with the sender's number, is sufficient, for they will be kept on file. But particular care is necessary in making entries of times of moves and of verbal orders, reports or conversations, by telephone or otherwise, which in the stress of action, may not otherwise be recorded on paper. In battle, operations messages dealt with by one officer may number over twenty-five per hour for several hours on end.

The record should be kept convenient to the telephone. Entries may be made by a clerk, or by the officer on duty at the telephone.

Such a record is invaluable to the commander in making appreciations of the situation during the action, and in compiling his report on the action afterwards. It is contemporary evidence of the highest quality, and therefore is of the highest historical value, and should be attached as an appendix to the original copy of the War Diary, together with the original documents sent and received.

(Appendix to Routine Order No. 147 C.A.S.F.
22 Nov. 39).

PRESERVE IMPORTANT ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS FOR POSTERITY

LIST OF FILE TITLES

1. *Operations (G.S.) (or Technical Functioning).*

- 1-0. General.
- 1-1. Orders.
- 1-2. Instructions.
- 1-3. Co-operation and Liaison.
- 1-4. Intercommunication, sigs, etc.
- 1-5. Working Parties.
- 1-6. Scheme of Work.
- 1-7. }
- 1-8. } Available for allotment.
- 1-9. }

2. *Protection. (G.S.)*

- 2-0. General.
- 2-1. Guards and Patrols.
- 2-2. Alarm Posts.
- 2-3. Field defences.
- 2-4. Against air attacks.
- 2-5. Against A.F.V.
- 2-6. Gas.
- 2-7. Defence Schemes.
- 2-8. }
- 2-9. } Available for allotment.

3. *Intelligence.*

- 3-0. General.
- 3-1. Secrecy. Codes.
- 3-2. Censorship.
- 3-3. Enemy forces, Prisoners of war.
- 3-4. Reports and sketches.
- 3-5. Maps.
- 3-6. War diary.
- 3-7. Weather.
- 3-8. }
- 3-9. } Available for allotment.

4. *Training. (G.S.) (or Technical).*

- 4-0. General.
- 4-1. Drill.
- 4-2. P.T.
- 4-3. Technical: Musketry, Gun Drill, etc.
- 4-4. Route Marches.
- 4-5. Tactical Schemes.
- 4-6. Courses and Schools.
- 4-7. Lessons learned and Pamphlets.
- 4-8. }
- 4-9. } Available for allotment.

5. *Organization and Administration (A.G.).*

- 5-0. General.
- 5-1. Establishments.
- 5-2. Medical and Sanitation. Dental.
- 5-3. Inspections. Ceremonial. Visitors.
- 5-4. Discipline. Police.
- 5-5. Office.
- 5-6. Routine Orders.
- 5-7. }
- 5-8. } Available for allotment.
- 5-9. }

6. *Personnel (A.G.).*

- 6-0. General.
- 6-1. Officers.
- 6-2. Strengths, Casualties, Reinforcements.
- 6-3. Part II Orders.
- 6-4. Chaplains and Welfare.
- 6-5. Pay. Financial.
- 6-6. Burials. Effects.
- 6-7. Honours and Rewards.
- 6-8. Demobilization and discharge.
- 6-9. Available for allotment.

7. *Movements and Quarters. (Q.M.G.)*

- 7-0. General.
- 7-1. Moves by road, rail, water, air.
- 7-2. Employment of transport.
- 7-3. Reliefs.
- 7-4. Barracks, Bilets, Camps.
- 7-5. Baths and Laundry.
- 7-6. Boundaries and areas.
- 7-7. Traffic.
- 7-8. }
- 7-9. } Available for allotment.

8. *Supplies and Maintenance. (Q.M.G.)*

- 8-0. General.
- 8-1. Rations, forage, water, disinfectants.
- 8-2. Petrol and lubricants.
- 8-3. Fuel and Light.
- 8-4. Engineer Stores.
- 8-5. Postal.
- 8-6. Remounts and Veterinary.
- 8-7. Canteens, Comforts, and small consignments.
- 8-8. Printing and Stationery.
- 8-9. Available for allotment.

9. *Stores. (M.G.O.)*

- 9-0. General.
- 9-1. Arms and armament.
- 9-2. Ammunition.
- 9-3. Clothing and Necessaries.
- 9-4. Personal Equipment.
- 9-5. Unit equipment.
- 9-6. Vehicles.
- 9-7. Salvage.
- 9-8. }
- 9-9. } Available for allotment.

APPENDICES TO WAR DIARY-MONTH DECEMBER 46

11 CDN INDEP MG COY(PLB)

← No orders published

	<u>Original</u>	<u>Duplicate</u>	<u>Triplicate</u>
1. Pt I Orders	X	X	X
2. Pt II Orders	-	-	X
3. Fd Returns Officers	X	-	-
4. Fd Returns ORS	X	-	-
5. Xmas Greetings	X	-	-
6. Op Order No. 12	X	-	-
7. Bde Comd Message	X	-	-

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11 CDV INDEP. M.C. Coy P.h.F.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
URBINO	1 Dec		Dull with rain. Unit left URBINO at 0900 hrs and arrived at CERVIA at 1400 hrs. Remainder of the day spent in getting settled in billets.	GA
CERVIA	2 Dec		Clear and chilly. Recce party leaves again for Main Div at MR 543244. M.M.G and Mortar Coys change billets. Show in the evening.	GA
CERVIA	3 Dec		Bright and sunny. Church parade at 0900 hrs. "F" Ech on 1 hrs notice to move from 1200 hours.	GA
CERVIA	4 Dec		Bright and sunny. Unit moved at "F" Ech 1400 hrs and "A" Ech at 1500 hrs. MMG and Mortar Coy set up at MR 498303 and 495300 respectively. "A" Ech found accomodation in S STEFANIO at MR 554240.	GA
S STEFANIO	5 Dec		Clear and chilly. Capt E. Tomes left on recce "SOUTH". Coy Commanders and adjutant moved forward and contacted G.O., Major P.B. Kennedy at MRB464322. "F" Ech moved to MR 4632. 2 Pl Mortar in action at MR 49294252. "F" Ech moved to PIANGIPANE MR 490402.	GA
PIANGIPANE	6 Dec		Clear and chilly. "A" Ech moved to PIANGIPANE MR 475379 at 1015 hrs. 1 Pl M.M.G fired in early morning. All Pls in action by 1400 hrs. Carried out harassing fire tasks during afternoon. Impending attack put forawrd 24 hrs. 3 Pl M.M.G fired during night.	GA
PIANGIPANE	7 Dec		Clear and chilly. Accomodation party went to RAVENNA but plans were changed and party returned. 2 Pl Mortar fired during the day. Attack put forward another 48 hrs.	GA
PIANGIPANE	8 Dec		Dull and chilly. Very quiet. Little shelling.	GA
PIANGIPANE	9 Dec		Clear and chilly. No change in position of Pls. Very quiet.	GA
PIANGIPANE	10 Dec		Clear and chilly. Capt. E Tomes returned from Recce "SOUTH". All Pls in action. Attack went in at 1930 hrs.	GA

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PIANGIPANE	11 Dec	44	Clear and chilly. Attack going well. Bridgehead firmly established. 3 Pl. M.M.G. moved to 457409, 2 Pl. Mortar moved to 452400.	GA
PIANGIPANE	12 Dec		Dull and chilly. 1 Pl Mortar and 1 Pl M.M.G. crossed over LAMONE at 1030 hrs and took up positions at 1 Pl Mortar MR 443418, 1 Pl M.M.G. at 432408. 3 Pl MMG and 2 Pl Mortar crossed Lamone at 1300 hrs (2 Pl Mortar at 423404, 3 Pl MMG at 432410). "A-1" Ech moved at 1300 hrs to 457409. C.S.M. Harvey, C.S.M. Horne and CQMS Foster captured one German prisoner. (All parties unarmed).	GA
PIANGIPANE	13 Dec	44	Dull and chilly. No. 2 Pl Mortar fired 40 rounds behind smoke screen laid down by the enemy. No. 3 Pl M.M.G did harassing fire task in front of P.L.D.G's for 12 Bde.	GA
PIANGIPANE	14 Dec	44	Dull and chilly. Lt. T.L. Allen and advanced party left for the "SOUTH" on a recce. 1 Offr Capt. G.P. Murphy arrives from 4 Bn as a reinforcement. Very quiet. No change in positions.	GA
PIANGIPANE	15 Dec	44	Dull and chilly with rain in afternoon and evening. No change in positions of Platoons. Very quiet.	GA
PIANGIPANE	16 Dec	44	Bright and warm. Main HQ moved to new position across LAMONE. Mortar Pl shelled. 1 truck and 1 carrier burnt by fire, otherwise quiet day. No change in positions of Platoons.	GA
PIANGIPANE	17 Dec	44	Dull and cool. Capt. E. Tomes on recce for new "A" Ech area. R.C. Church parade held at 1020 hrs. No change in positions. Very quiet.	GA
PIANGIPANE	18 Dec	44	Dull and chilly with showers. Attack scheduled to go in this evening. 1 Bde using Sound machine. 2 Pl Mortars moved to MR 405405. M.M.G Coy in posn at 1 Pl 422412, 2 Pl 422408 and 3 Pl MMG at 426420.	GA

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PIANGIPANE	19Dec		Dull and cold. Attack due to go in this evening. Fire plan for MMG and Mortars laid on. No change in positions.	GA
PIANGIPANE	20Dec		Clear and cold. Very quiet. Recce party returned from recce fo winter quarters in PESCARA. 1 Pl Mortar shelled out of position. Lieut. D.M. Smith and Fusilier H.R. Goodwin wounded and evacuated to hospital.	GA
PIANGIPANE	21Dec		Dull and chilly. Very quiet. All platoons moved. 1 Pl Mortar at MR 40554255, 2 Pl Mortar at MR 398431. M.M.G Coy in position at , 1 Pl 40404195, 2 Pl 402418 and 3 Pl at 393425.	GA
PIANGIPANE	22 Dec		Bright and warm. "A" Echelon moved to VILLAVUOVA in morning. Very quiet. No change in positions of platoons. Advance party warned to stand by for move to PESCARO.	GA
VILLANUOVA	23 Dec		Dull and cold. Snow flurries. Advance party left for PESCARO at 0900 hrs. No change in position of Platoons. Very quiet.	GA
VILLANUOVA	24 Dec		Dull and cold. Very quiet. No change in positions. Mortars and MMGs fired during night.	GA
VILLANUOVA	25 Dec		Bright and warm. quiet all day. A very good Christmas dinner enjoyed by all. 1 reinforcement arrived from 4 Bn.	GA
VILLANUOVA	26 Dec		Dull and cold. Very quiet. No change in positions.	GA
VILLANUOVA	27 Dec		Bright and warm. Very quiet. No change in positions.	GA
VILLANUOVA	29 Dec		Bright and warm. Unit moved to new quarters in RAVENNA in morning. Afternoon spent in getting settled down.	GA

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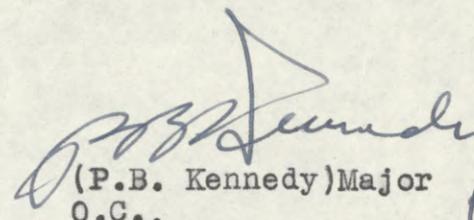
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RAVENNA	29 Dec		Bright and cool. Everybody settled down and enjoying rest. Pay parades in afternoon. 1 WASP flamethrower drawn from HQ 11 Cdn Inf Bde.	<i>CE</i>
RAVENNA	30 Dec		Bright and warm. NAAFI issue. 3 WASP Flamethrowers drawn from Corps Workshops.	<i>CE</i>
RAVENNA	31 Dec		Bright and warm. Recce party went forward to recce positions for new operation. 2 Wasp Flamethrowers drawn from 12 Bde Workshops.	<i>CE</i>

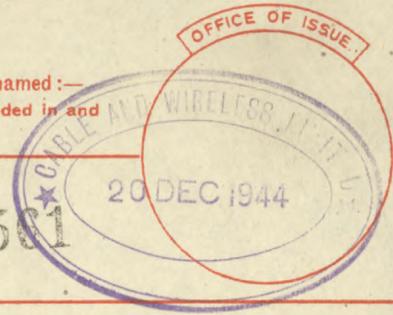

(P.B. Kennedy) Major
O.C.,
The Princess Louise Fusiliers
11 Cdn Indep MG Coy

CABLE AND WIRELESS LIMITED.

(INCORPORATED IN ENGLAND.)

The first line of this Telegram contains the following particulars in the order named:—

Prefix Letters and Number of Message. Office of Origin, Number of Words, Date, Time handed in and Official instructions—if any.



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SEASONS GREETINGS TO YOU AND THE BOYS ALL THE BEST
FOR THE NEWYEAR = HALIFAX JUNIOR BOARD OF TRADE +

"APPY" 5

Dec 44

MARK YOUR REPLY

"Via Imperial"

APPX-6

SECRET

11 CDN INF BDE OO NO. 12.

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31 Dec 44

Ref Maps: ITALY: 1/35,000 sheets 89 III NE - NW
89 IV SW - SE

APPENDICES

- I --- Trace "P"
- II --- Arty Trace
- III --- Mov Order

INFORM

1. Enemy -

- (a) 114 JAEGER DIV disposed to incl ALFONSIWE north east to S ALBERTO 5352 to the coast holds the CONVENTELLO 4847 area with one bn of a prox 250 fighting str. Two coys are believed to be fwd and one in res.
- (b) One coy holds the line of rd from 474469 to 488467. The houses are known to be occupied.
- (c) A second coy is believed to hold the line of the LAMONE from 488467 to incl br at 498468.
- (d) The third coy is in res area CONVENTELLO 4847.
- (e) The MLR of this bn is believed to be along the line of the VIA CONVENTELLO from 474469 to dyke at 489472.
- (f) Another bn on the right holds the line of the FOSSA VETRO from incl blown brs at 463464 at canal junc 473482.

2. Own Tps -

- (a) Additional tps under comd 11 Cdn Inf Bde:-

One sqn 8 NFM
 One SP troop 4 Cdn A/Tk Regt
 One 17 pdr tp 4 Cdn A/Tk Regt
 Two tps crocodiles

in sp

10 pd Sqn RCB
 3 Pd Regts
 1 Med Regt

INTENTION

11 Cdn Inf Bde will form a bridgehead in area CONVENTELLO 4847.

METHOD

- 3. The attack will be made on a 2 bn front and will be NOISY.

RIGHT - IRC
 LEFT - PERTH

- 4. Initial Objectives - RIGHT - gp of houses 487467
 LEFT - gp of houses 475469 - 477469 - 481468.

6. Bdys - All incl to PERTH, track from 482465 to bend in track 483472.
7. Assembly Areas - see mov table att
8. F.U.Ps. - Along line of road 464461 to 486462.
9. SL - Line of ditch from 470467 to 487465.
10. Arty - Opening line will commence at H-hr and continue until H plus 10, lifting to selected targets as shown on arty trace. For gp targets, and targets on call, see arty trace att.
11. 4.2" Mortars & MMGs - Will be sited in area 491462 and will be used to thicken up arty fire plan and will be available to sp units on call.
12. Crocodiles - One tp crocodiles under command each leading unit. Will not cross LAMONE until after H-hr.
13. H-Hr - Leading units will cross start line at 020500 hrs.
14. Res - (a) CBH will remain in reserve prepared to come under command 5 Cdn Armd Bde from first light.
(b) Orders for CBH to mov fwd to assembly areas will be issued separately.
(c) One Sqn NBH will remain in reserve during hours of darkness prepared to move in sp of leading units at first light.
15. RE - 10 Fd Sqn will prepare two assault up-routes in fwd areas.
RIGHT - Track on west bank of LAMONE to CONVENTELLO.
LEFT - VIA CONVENTELLO from rd junct 467463 to 483474.
16. TC - Movements to assembly areas as covered in mov instrs att.
(b) A minimum of wheeled vehs and NO tracked vehs will cross F LAMONE before H-hr.
(c) Instrs on mov and priority of vehs over aslt routes will be controlled by HQ 11 Cdn Inf Bde.

INTERCOMN

17. Codewords - as already issued by div plus the following:-
Leading units firm on initial objectives - PIANO.
Leading units firm on rd from 483474 to 488474 - VIOL.
Leading units firm on final objectives - TROMBONE
18. Wireless - Normal
Line will be laid to Tac HQ of leading units.
Bde HQ will open at MEZZANO 477436 at 011600A hrs.

ACK

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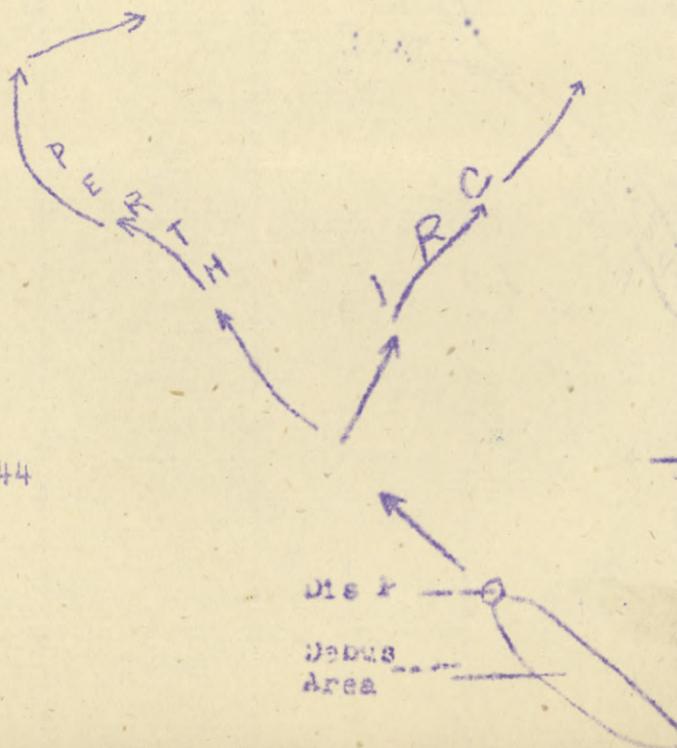
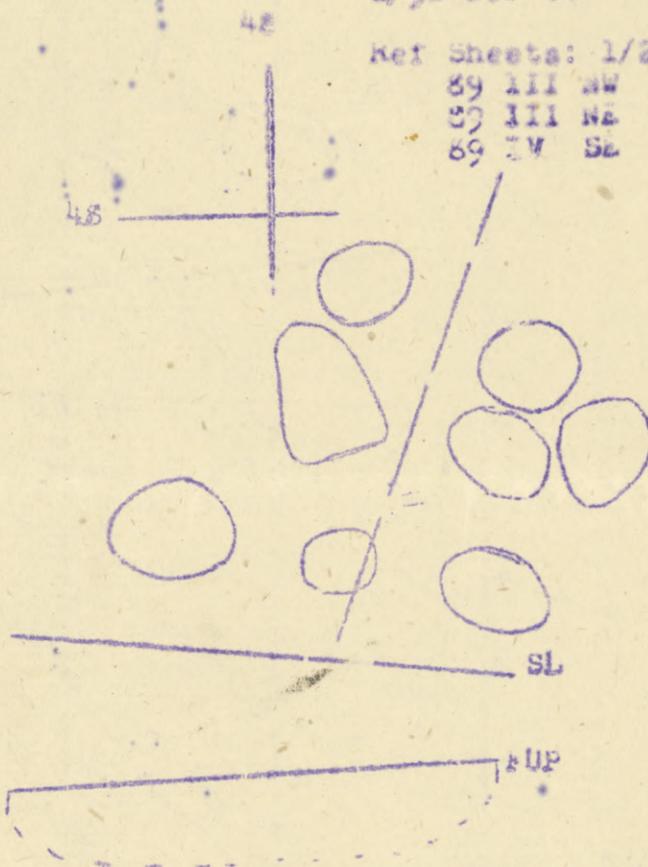
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BM 11 Cdn Inf Bde

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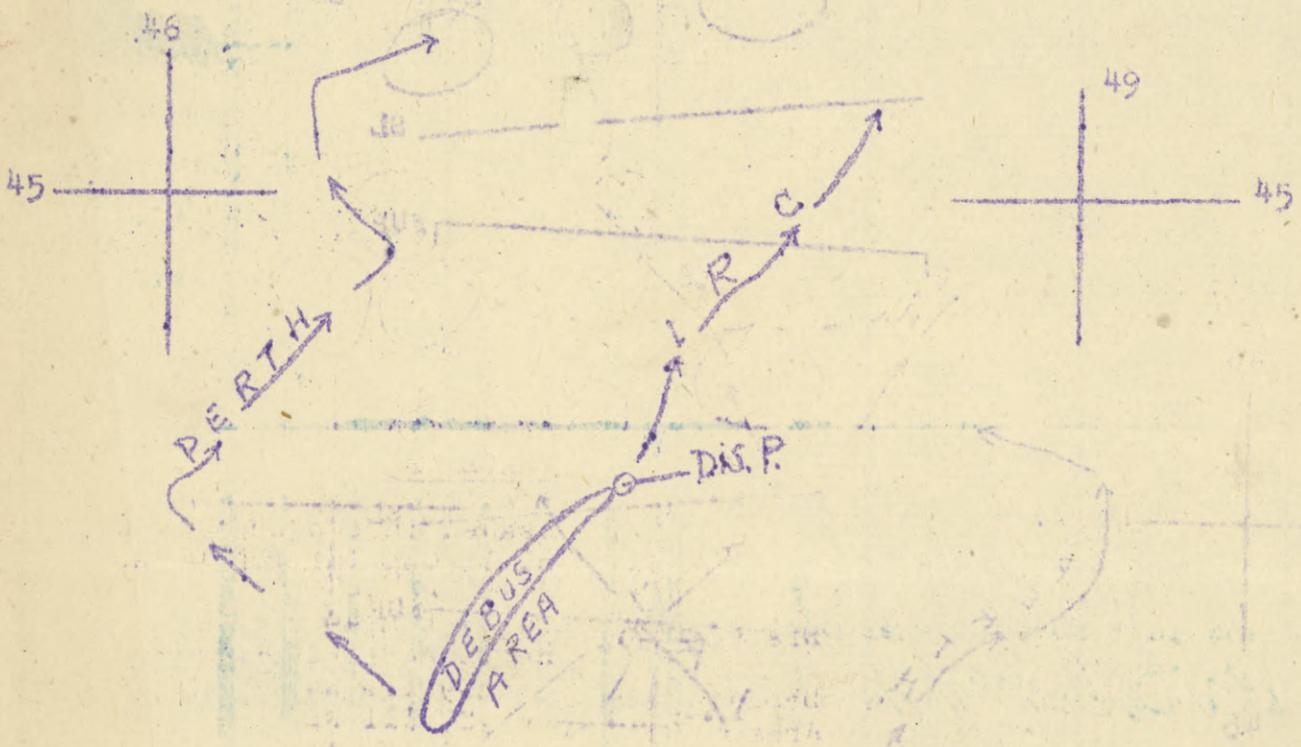
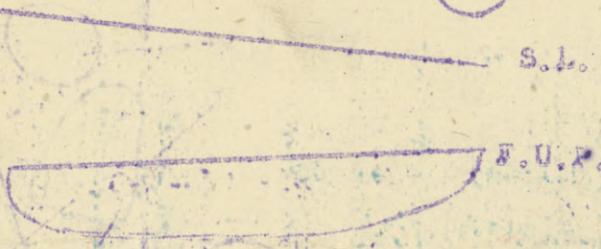
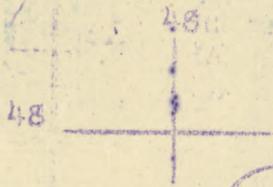
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4-5-0-1 (G)
MAIN HQ 11 CDN INF BDE
8 Dec 44.

COs 11 Cdn Inf Bde Gp

APPX. 7

0004

WD
BDE COMDs MESSAGE

1. The apparent indecision of the last two days must make good grousing for the men. I want every man to understand the reason for the action taken.
2. Although the contents of this document will be made known to every man, all copies will be treated as SECRET and must NOT fall into the hands of enemy agents.

Ian S. Johnston
(Ian, S. Johnston) Brig.,
Comd 11 Cdn Inf Bde.

ISJ/d.
Encls 1

Time of signature 11.30 A Hrs.

REGISTERED EXPRESS LETTER SERVICE.

4-5-0-1 (G)
MAIN HQ 11 CDN INF BDE
8 Dec 44.

11 Cdn Inf Bde Gp

" Before the operation started General Hoffmeister told us that the C-in-C and the Army Comd had no intention of asking us to fight both weather and enemy. Already we have gained two of our objectives with very light casualties. We have caused the enemy to move troops to our front which he can ill afford to lose elsewhere, and we have captured RAVENNA which he used as a port for coastal traffic to augment his overburdened land supply routes.

The capture of the BOLOGNA-RIMINI lateral and the destruction of the remaining German armies in Italy are factors which can greatly influence the early outcome of the war, but we are not prepared to accept heavy casualties caused by bad weather.

Last night and the night before, the meteorological reports indicated such bad weather in the mountains that the rivers might become impassable. In fact, our bridges on the MONTONE have already washed out.

Under these circumstances the Army Comd was unwilling to launch us into battle. Those delays have been caused by no human indecision, but by the unpredictable weather only. We must be prepared to act, and to act quickly, when the weather is in our favour, and in the meantime to accept the delay with resignation."



(Ian, S. Johnston) Brig.,
Comd 11 Cdn Inf Bde.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No. _____
(Repeat at Part D)

11 Cdn Indep Mtg Coy Unit.

For week ending 2 Dec 44

To be made up to mid-day on Saturday in each week by all units of Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, Reconnaissance Corps, R.A.V.C., A.E.C., R.A.P.C., C.M.P., Pioneer Corps, Intelligence Corps, A.C.C. and Non-Combatant Corps, and 1 copy rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon, and 1 copy to Reinforcement Section, G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon (until instructed by G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon to discontinue rendering).

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1. Rank or Appointment.	2. W.E. less 1st Rfts.	3. Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts.	4. Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts.	5. Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on W.E. less 1st Rfts.)
W.Os. Class I.				
W.Os. Class II.	2	2		
Company Quartermaster-Serjeants OR Colour-Serjeants	2	2		
Staff Serjeants				
Serjeants	21	21		
Corporals	34	37	3	
Privates, Guardsmen, Fusiliers, etc.	195	174		21
Buglers, Trumpeters, etc.				
TOTALS	254	236	* 3	* 21

* These Totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2.

Part B. Other ranks attached in excess of W.E. less 1st Rfts.

Rank or Appointment.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Rank or Appointment.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.

Unit Week ending 19 A.F.W.3009E. (Ft. Gds., Inf., etc.)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Regiment or Corps.	Remarks. (e.g. present whereabouts if known).

11 Cdn Indep Mtg Coy Unit

For week ending 2 Dec 44

Serial No. _____

Part D. Detail of trades and duties of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A.

DETAIL OF SPECIALISTS, TRADESMEN, ETC.	SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT.								REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.								REMARKS.		
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	C.O.M.S. or Colour-Serjeants.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Privates, Guardsmen, Fusiliers, etc.	Buglers and Trumpeters.	TOTAL.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	C.O.M.S. or Colour-Serjeants.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Privates, Guardsmen, Fusiliers, etc.		Buglers and Trumpeters.	TOTAL.
SPECIALISTS AND TRADESMEN	60	2	2																
Blacksmiths	2	2																	
Boot Repairers	1	1																	
Bricklayers																			
Carpenters and Joiners	1	1																	
Carrier Personnel																			
Concreters																			
Cooks	7	7																	
Chiropody Orderlies																			
Clerks	4	5			1			1											
Drivers I.C. (Tracked)																			
" " (Wheeled)																			
" " (M/Cyclists)																			
Driver Mechanics	32	29													3			3	
Driver Operators	27	20													7			7	
Electricians																			
Equipment Repairers	1	1																	
Farriers																			
Fitters, M.V.	3	3																	
Masons																			
Mortar Personnel																			
Motor Mechanics	2	2																	
Painters and Decorators																			
Plumbers and Pipe Fitters																			
Push Cycle Repairers																			
Saddlers																			
Signallers	3	3																	
Storemen T. & D. (other than Rly. and R.A.O.C.)	2	2																	
Tailors	85	76																	
SPECIALISTS AND TRADESMEN NOT SPECIFIED ABOVE.																			
NON-SPECIALISTS AND NON-TRADESMEN.									2	2					11			11	
Totals (to agree with Columns 4 and 5 of Part A.)									3	3					21			21	

Date of Despatch 2 Dec 44

Signature of Commander.
5 Cdn Armd Div.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No. (Repeat at Part D)

11 Cdn Judge Mgt Coy Unit For week ending 9 Dec 44

To be made up to mid-day on Saturday in each week by all units of Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, Reconnaissance Corps, R.A.V.C., A.E.C., R.A.P.C., C.M.P., Pioneer Corps, Intelligence Corps, A.C.C. and Non-Combatant Corps, and 1 copy rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon, and 1 copy to Reinforcement Section, G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon (until instructed by G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon to discontinue rendering).

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

Table with 5 columns: Rank or Appointment, W.E. less 1st Rfts., Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts., Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts., Reinforcements required (f.e., deficits on W.E., less 1st Rfts.). Rows include W.Os. Class I, W.Os. Class II, Company Quartermaster-Serjeants OR Colour-Serjeants, Staff Serjeants, Serjeants, Corporals, Privates, Guardsmen, Fusiliers, etc., Buglers, Trumpeters, etc., and a TOTALS row.

* These Totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2.

Part B. Other ranks attached in excess of W.E. less 1st Rfts.

Table with 4 columns: Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong, Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong.

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Table with 5 columns: Army No., Rank, Name and Initials, Regiment or Corps, Remarks (e.g. present whereabouts if known).

For week ending 9 Dec 44 Serial No.

Part D. Detail of trades and duties of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A.

Large table with columns for SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT and REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED, categorized by trade (e.g., Blacksmiths, Boot Repairers, Bricklayers, etc.). Includes a TOTALS row at the bottom.

Date of Despatch 8 Dec 44

Signature of Commander: 5 Cdn Band Dir, Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No. (Repeat at Part D)

11 Cdn Indep Mt Coy (P.V.) Unit

For week ending 16 Dec 44

To be made up to mid-day on Saturday in each week by all units of Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, Reconnaissance Corps, R.A.V.C., A.E.C., R.A.P.C., C.M.P., Pioneer Corps, Intelligence Corps, A.C.C. and Non-Combatant Corps, and 1 copy rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon, and 1 copy to Reinforcement Section, G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon (until instructed by G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon to discontinue rendering).

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

Table with 5 columns: Rank or Appointment, W.E. less 1st Rfts., Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts., Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts., Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on W.E. less 1st Rfts.). Rows include W.Os. Class I, W.Os. Class II, Company Quartermaster-Serjeants OR Colour-Serjeants, Staff Serjeants, Serjeants, Corporals, Privates, Guardsmen, Fusiliers, etc., Buglers, Trumpeters, etc., and a TOTALS row.

* These Totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2.

Part B. Other ranks attached in excess of W.E. less 1st Rfts.

Table with 4 columns: Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong, Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong.

Unit Week ending 19 A.F.W.3009E. (Ft. Gds., Inf., etc.)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Table with 5 columns: Army No., Rank, Name and Initials, Regiment or Corps, Remarks, (e.g. present whereabouts if known).

11 Cdn Indep Mt Coy (P.V.) Unit

For week ending 16 Dec 44

Serial No.

Part D. Detail of trades and duties of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A.

Large table with columns for 'SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT' and 'REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED'. Rows list various trades like Blacksmiths, Boot Repairers, Bricklayers, etc., and include a 'TOTALS' row at the bottom.

Reinforcements Section
Cdn. Sec. G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon
Demand No. 32718
Initials PK/ELS

Date of Despatch 16 Dec 44

Signature of Commander: E Jones Capt
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving: 5 Cdn Armd Div

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No. (Repeat at Part D)

11 Cdn Indp Coy

Unit For week ending 23 Dec 44

To be made up to mid-day on Saturday in each week by all units of Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, Reconnaissance Corps, R.A.V.C., A.E.C., R.A.P.C., C.M.P., Pioneer Corps, Intelligence Corps, A.C.C. and Non-Combatant Corps, and 1 copy rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon, and 1 copy to Reinforcement Section, G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon (until instructed by G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon to discontinue rendering).

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

Table with 5 columns: Rank or Appointment, W.E. less 1st Rfts., Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts., Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts., Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on W.E. less 1st Rfts.). Rows include W.Os. Class I, W.Os. Class II, Company Quartermaster-Serjeants OR Colour-Serjeants, Staff Serjeants, Serjeants, Corporals, Privates, Guardsmen, Fusiliers, etc., Buglers, Trumpeters, etc., and a TOTALS row.

* These Totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2.

Part B. Other ranks attached in excess of W.E. less 1st Rfts.

Table with 4 columns: Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong, Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong.

Unit Week ending 19 A.F.W.3009E. (Ft. Gds., Inf., etc.)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Table with 5 columns: Army No., Rank, Name and Initials, Regiment or Corps, Remarks, (e.g. present whereabouts if known).

For week ending 23 Dec 44

Serial No.

Part D. Detail of trades and duties of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A.

Large table with columns for SPECIALISTS AND TRADESMEN, SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT, REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED, and REMARKS. Rows list various trades like Blacksmiths, Boot Repairers, Bricklayers, etc., with counts in various columns.

Date of Despatch 22 Dec 44

Signature of Commander.

5 Cdn Indp Coy Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No. (Repeat at Part D)

11 CEN INDEP MG Coy Unit.

For week ending 30 Dec 44

To be made up to mid-day on Saturday in each week by all units of Foot Guards, Infantry of the Line, Reconnaissance Corps, R.A.V.C., A.E.C., R.A.P.C., C.M.P., Pioneer Corps, Intelligence Corps, A.C.C. and Non-Combatant Corps, and 1 copy rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon, and 1 copy to Reinforcement Section, G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon (until instructed by G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon to discontinue rendering).

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

Table with 5 columns: Rank or Appointment, W.E. less 1st Rfts., Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts., Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts., Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on W.E., less 1st Rfts.).

* These Totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2.

Part B. Other ranks attached in excess of W.E. less 1st Rfts.

Table with 4 columns: Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong, Rank or Appointment, Unit and Corps to which they belong.

Unit Week ending 19 A.F.W.3009E. (Ft. Gds., Inf., etc.)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Table with 5 columns: Army No., Rank, Name and Initials, Regiment or Corps, Remarks, (e.g. present whereabouts if known).

For week ending 30 Dec 44 Serial No.

Part D. Detail of trades and duties of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A.

Large table with columns for SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT and REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED, detailing various trades like Blacksmiths, Boot Repairers, etc.

Date of Despatch 29 Dec 44

Signature of Commander.

Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

11 Cdn Inf Coy (Unit.) For Week Ending 9 Dec 44

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

Ranks.	W.E. less 1st Rfts.	Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts.	Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on W.E. less 1st Rfts.)	
				No.	Any Specific Qualifications
Lieut.-Colonels					
Majors					
Captains	6	4		1	
Lieutenants	6	7	1		
2nd Lieutenants					
Quartermasters					
District Officers					
TOTALS	13	12	1	1	

* Insert details of higher ranks as necessary (e.g., Major-General, Brigadier, etc.).

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

(i) Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Regt. or Corps.	Date.	Unit from which joined.

(ii) Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Regt. or Corps.	Date.	Cause or Unit to which proceeded.

(UNIT) week-ending A.F. W. 3008 (Revised)

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Regt. or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

Unit 11 Cdn Inf Coy

For Week Ending 9 Dec 44

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS.

(i) OFFICERS ON STRENGTH COUNTING AGAINST W.E. LESS 1st RFTS. (Total to agree with column 3 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Personal Number.	Substantive Rank.	Higher Acting or Temporary Rank if held.	Name and Initials.	Parent Corps or Regiment.	Date taken on Strength.	Whether present with Unit.	Appointment held.	Date Assumed present Appointment.	Remarks including how employed if absent from unit.	
1			P. B. Kennedy	P.L.F.	9 Dec 44	Yes	OC	14 Feb 44		
2			J. H. Bonville	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
3			P. J. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
4			P. J. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
5			T. S. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
6			T. L. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
7			H. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
8			W. H. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
9			W. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
10			P. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
11			P. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
12			J. D. ...	"	2 Mar 44	Yes	2nd Lt	24 Aug 44		
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(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED IN EXCESS OF W.E. LESS 1st RFTS.

Substantive Rank.	Higher Acting or Temporary Rank if held.	Name and Initials.	Regt. or Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

8 Dec 44

(Date of Despatch.)

J. Allen (Signature of Commander.)

(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

11 Cdn Indep Mt Coy (Unit) For Week Ending 16 Dec 44

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 W.E. less 1st Rfts.	3 Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts.	4 Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts.	5 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on W.E. less 1st Rfts.)	
				No.	Any Specific Qualifications
*					
*					
*					
*					
Lieut.-Colonels					
Majors					
Captains	6	4		2	
Lieutenants	6	7	1		
2nd Lieutenants					
Quartermasters					
District Officers					
TOTALS	13	12	1	2	

* Insert details of higher ranks as necessary (e.g., Major-General, Brigadier, etc.).

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

(i) Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Regt. or Corps.	Date.	Unit from which joined.
Capt	J.P. Murphy	PLF	14 Dec 44	4 Bn 1 CBRD

(ii) Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Regt. or Corps.	Date.	Cause or Unit to which proceeded.

(UNIT) week-ending A.F. W. 3008 (Revised)

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Regt. or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

Unit 11 Cdn Indep Mt Coy

For Week Ending 16 Dec 44

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS.

(i) OFFICERS ON STRENGTH COUNTING AGAINST W.E. LESS 1st RFTS. (Total to agree with column 3 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Personal Number.	Substantive Rank.	Higher Acting or Temporary Rank if held.	Name and Initials.	Parent Corps or Regiment.	Date taken on Strength.	Whether present with Unit.	Appointment held.	Date Assumed present Appointment.	Remarks including how employed if absent from unit.	
1	Major		P.B. Kennedy	PLF	6 Oct 42	Yes	O.C.	14 Feb 44		
2	Capt		J.P. Murphy		14 Dec 44					
3	Capt		R.L. Simmonds	"	12 Mar 44	"	CO Coy	12 Mar 44		
4	Capt		E. Jones	"	6 Jul 45	"	SMO	12 Oct 43		
5	Major		J.P. Murphy	"	2 Jun 44	"	ZIC Coy	12 Mar 44		
6	Major		F.L. O'Leary	"	12 Mar 44	"	2nd Bn	12 Mar 44		
7	Major		H. Rockliffe	"	20 Mar 44	"	PLCM	24 Mar 44		
8	Major		W.M. Christoph	"	27 May 44	"	PLCM	27 May 44		
9	Major		J.S. Christie	"	6 Jun 44	"	PLCM	7 Jul 44		
10	Major		J.S. Hamilton	"	21 Jul 44	"	ZIC PL	22 Aug 44		
11	Major		G.P. McMurphy	"	14 Oct 44	"	PLCM	4 Oct 44		
12	Major		J.D.M. Smith	"	22 Jul 44	"	PLCM	22 Jul 44		
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(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED IN EXCESS OF W.E. LESS 1st RFTS.

Substantive Rank.	Higher Acting or Temporary Rank if held.	Name and Initials.	Regt. or Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt.		J.P. Murphy	PLF	14 Dec 44	Trg Inscr.

16 Dec 44
(Date of Despatch.)

E Jones Capt
(Signature of Commander.)
5 Cdn Armd Div
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

11 Cdn Div (Unit.) For Week Ending *23 Dec 44*
PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 W.E. less 1st Rfts.	3 Strength counting against W.E. less 1st Rfts.	4 Surplus to W.E. less 1st Rfts.	5 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on W.E. less 1st Rfts.)	
				No.	Any Specific Qualifications
Lieut.-Colonels					
Majors					
Captains	6	4		2	
Lieutenants	6	6			
2nd Lieutenants					
Quartermasters					
District Officers					
TOTALS	12	11		2	

* Insert details of higher ranks as necessary (e.g., Major-General, Brigadier, etc.).

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

(i) Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Regt. or Corps.	Date.	Unit from which joined.

(ii) Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Regt. or Corps.	Date.	Cause or Unit to which proceeded.
Lieut	<i>D.M. Smith</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>20 Dec 44</i>	<i>SWS 6 Hosp</i>

(UNIT) week-ending _____ A.F. W. 3008 (Revised)

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Regt. or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

Unit *11 Cdn Div*

For Week Ending *23 Dec 44*

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS.

(i) OFFICERS ON STRENGTH COUNTING AGAINST W.E. LESS 1st RFTS. (Total to agree with column 3 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Personal Number.	Substantive Rank.	Higher Acting or Temporary Rank if held.	Name and Initials.	Parent Corps or Regiment.	Date taken on Strength.	Whether present with Unit.	Appointment held.	Date Assumed present Appointment.	Remarks including how employed if absent from unit.	
1			<i>P.P. Kennedy</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
2			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
3			<i>R.L. Simmonds</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
4			<i>G. James</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
5			<i>G. J. O'Brien</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
6			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
7			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
8			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
9			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
10			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
11			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
12			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
13			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
14			<i>H. Baird</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>C.O.</i>	<i>11 Dec 44</i>	<i>11 Cdn Div</i>	
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Substantive Rank.	Higher Acting or Temporary Rank if held.	Name and Initials.	Regt. or Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
<i>Capt</i>		<i>H.P. Murphy</i>	<i>PLF</i>	<i>14 Dec 44</i>	<i>Sig Inscr</i>

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