

M.F.M. 11A
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(H.Q. 1772-39-1658)

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War Diaries
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Date - 3 June 1947

WAR DIARY

OF

11 CANADAINA INDEPENDENT MACHINE GUN COMPANY

FROM 1 March TO 31 March 1945

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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 (Mohn. 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

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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, Billets, 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.

WAR DIARY JACKET

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APPENDICES TO WAR DIARY

REFX43

Month of Mar 1945

	<u>Original</u>	<u>Duplicate</u>	<u>Triplicate</u>
/ Part I orders	x	x	x
2 Part II Orders	-	-	x
3 Field Returns	X	-	-

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WAR DIARY

M.F.M. 11
40/P & S/37 (3072)

OR

~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

Original, duplicate and triplicate to be forwarded to O. i/c 2nd Echelon for disposal.

Title pages will be prepared.

(Erase heading not required)

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
			Page 1 <u>11 CANADIAN INDEPENDENT MACHINE GUN COMPANY (P L FUS)</u> Page 1	
St. Rambert France	1 Mar 45	0830 1330	Dull and cool. Left Camp No. 1. Convoy discipline good. Arrived at camp No. 2 at Macon.	ya
Macon-France	2 Mar 45	0630 1430	Bright and cool. Left camp No 2. Convoy discipline good. Arrived at camp No.3 at Les Laumes.	ya
Les Laumes France	3 Mar 45	0630 1300	Bright and warm. Left camp No 3. Convoy discipline good. Arrived at Camp No 4 at (R.J.G.C. 12 & D13)	ya
MR RJGC12&D13 France	4 Mar 45	0630 1700	Bright and cool. Left camp No. 4. Convoy discipline Lousy. Arrived at Camp No. 5 at Cambrai.	ya
Cambrai France	5 Mar 45	0830	Bright and cold. Left camp No. 5 and took up billets in Poperonghe arriving at 1400 hrs. Crossed French border into Belgium at 1000 hrs. Convoy discipline good.	ya
Poperinghe Belgium	6 Mar 45		Dull and cold. C.O.'s parade at 1130 hrs. Have been told we must conform to Cdn W.E. II/239/1. Q.M. having complete check of 1098 stores and vehicles.	ya
Poperinghe Belgium	7 Mar 45		Dull and raining. Companies cleaning equipment. C.O. took section pictures in afternoon when weather improved.	ya
Poperinghe Belgium	8 Mar 45		Dull and cold. Parade at 0900 hrs. Unit had dance in the evening. Very successful.	ya
Poperinghe Belgium	9 Mar 45		Clear and cool. Parade at 0900 hrs. 40 allranks proceed on leave to the UK (5 Offrs). Capt. RL Simmonds, Capt. GS Bahad. Lieuts, J.A. McMurphy, I.S. Hamilton and Capt. K C Tracy.	ya

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
<u>Page 2</u>				
Peperinghe Belguim	10Mar 45		Clear and cool. Parade at 0900 hrs. No training in afternoon.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	11 Mar 45		Clear and cool. R.C. Church parade at 100 hrs. Memorial parade for all ranks at 1100 hrs mid (In memory of those who died in Italy). C.E. church parade at 1115 hrs. Men were very clean and looked good on parade.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	12Mar 45		Clear and cool. Normal training parades. Capt LGA Moore visited unit. Major PB Kennedy and Lieut. T L Allen went to see 12 Cdn Indep MG Coy (PLF) in afternoon ref disbanding of 12 C.I.B. Group.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	12Mar 45		Clear and warm. Sports parade in afternoon and tours to St. J lien and other World War I shrines of Canadian action. C.O. and Adjt returned from 12 Bde. Major PB Kennedy and Lieut. WM Chish9lm went to Perth Regt party in evening.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	12Mar 45		Clear and warm. Capt W Sawdon and Lieut. JL Crochetiere went on 48 hrs leave to Paris. Balance of unit went to World War I Battlefields.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	15Mar 45		Bright and warm. C.O. and Adjt left for 12 Bde re change over of personnel.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	16Mar 45		Dull and rainy. Capt GP Murphy, Lieuts. DM Smith, H Bookbinder and WM Chishelm left on 9 day leave to the UK.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	17Mar 45		Bright and warm. Troops were taken on tour of Vimy Ridge. Capt W Sawdon and Lieut. JL Crochetiere returned from 48 hours leave to Paris.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	18Mar 45		Bright and warm. Church parade in morning. Visit from Field Marshall Sir Bernard L Montgomery, KCB., DSO in the afternoon.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	19Mar		Bright and warm. Parade at 0900 hrs. Capts. RL Simmonds, GS Bauld, KC Tracy, Lieuts. IS Hamilton and JA McMurphy returned from leave to the UK.	GA

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
Page 3				
Peperinghe Belguim	20Mar 45		Bright and warm. Parade at 0830 hrs Making final arrangements to bring unit down to W.E. Cross posting personnel between 11 and 12 Bde Indep MG Coys.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	21 Mar 45		Bright and warm. Parade at 0830 hrs. Warned drafts for move to 4 Bn and Inf Bns. Unit dance in evening.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	22Mar 45		Clear and cool. Despatched men to 4 Bn and Inf Bns in afternoon (80 all ranks.) Movie in the evening.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	23Mar 45		Bright and warm. Parade at 0830 hrs. Personnel arrived from 12 Bde in afternoon. 66 all ranks.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	24Mar 45		Parade at 0830 hrs. C.O. addressed unit. Major PB Kennedy attended "O" Gp at 0645 hrs.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	25Mar 45		Bright and warm. Parade at 0830 hrs. C.O. held "O" Gp at 1000 hrs. Unit will be prepared to move not before 0600 hrs 27 Mar 45. Recce and Adv parties leave tomorrow.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	26Mar 45		Bright and warm. Parade at 0830 hrs. Unit will move to-morrow at 0700 hrs. Lieuts. Chisholm, Bookbinder and Smith and Capt GP Murphy return from leave to UK.	GA
Peperinghe Belguim	27Mar 45		Unit left Peperinghe at 0700 hrs. arrived conc area Nijmegen at 2030 hrs. Three MG Pls are to under comd Inf Bns. Mortar Pl and Main HQ to move up tomorrow at 0930 hrs.	GA
Nijmegen	28Mar 45		Mortar Pl and Main HQ take up position at MR696703 (Relieved PL Kensingtons) MG Pls under comd Inf Bns:- 1 Pl CBH., 2 Pl Perth Regt., 3 Pl Irish R of C.	GA
Nijmegen	29Mar 45		Mortar Pl changed its position to MR 674706. Very Quiet.	GA

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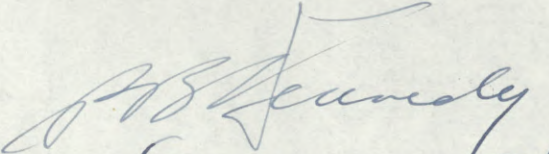
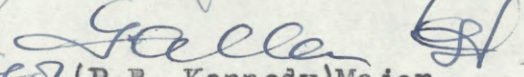
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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
<u>Page 4</u>				
Nijmegen	30 th Mar 45		Very quiet. Nothing to report. C.O. attended "O" Gp at Bde HQ at 0900 hrs.	GA
Nijmegen	31 Mar 45		Clear and warm. Very quiet. Nothing to report.	GA



 G.S. (P.B. Kennedy) Major
 O.C.
 11 Cdn Indep MG Coy (PLF)

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

BY
MAJOR P.B. KENNEDY

APPENDIX NO. 1

COMD

THE PRINCESS LOUISE FUSILIERS(11 CDN INDEP MG COY)
PART I ORDER

Last Order
No. 22
5 Feb 45

No. 23
13 Mar 45

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1. CIGARETTES - LEAVE TO UK

1. Personnel on leave in UK may purchase 300 cigarettes on presentation of leave certificate to :-

OIC
OVERSEAS LEAGUE QM STORES
8 ORANGE ST
LONDON SW 1

(One block North of CMHQ 2 COCKSPUR St)

2. Cigarettes available 48 hrs after order placed (Cost price 4/7½d per 300)

2.

2. SEVEN DAY LEAVE - PARIS & UK

1. All ORs on leave to PARIS and UK must carry mess tins, knife fork and spoon.

3. PURCHASE OF LIQUOR

1. It is expressly forbidden to purchase liquor other than beer and Aperitif Wine from any civilian source. Soldiers found in possession will be subject to disciplinary action.

T.L. Allen
(T.L. ALLEN) LIEUT.,
ADM OFFR - P L Fus

NOTICE

SCHEDULE OF ENTERTAINMENT FOR WEEK

Thur 15 Mar 45 - VARIETY SPOTLIGHTS - POPERINGHE

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No. _____
(Repeat at Part D)

Unit 11 Cdn Signal Coy 1945 For week ending 31 Mar 45

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.	1	1		
Company Quartermaster-Serjeants OR Colour-Serjeants	1	1		
Staff Serjeants				
Serjeants	18	21	3	
Corporals	27	31	4	
Privates, Guardsmen, Fusiliers, etc.	155	153		2
Buglers, Trumpeters, etc.				
TOTALS	202	207	* 7	* 2

* 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 11 Cdn Signal Coy 1945 Week ending 31 Mar 45 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).

For week ending 31 Mar 45 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																			
Blacksmiths	1	1																	
Boot Repairers	1	1																	
Bricklayers																			
Carpenters and Joiners	1	1																	
Carrier Personnel																			
Concreters																			
Cooks	6	6																	
Chiropody Orderlies																			
Clerks	3	3																	
Drivers I.C. (Tracked)																			
" " (Wheeled)	13	13																	
" " (M/Cyclists)	16	16																	
Driver Mechanics	27	27																	
Driver Operators	18	18																	
Electricians																			
Equipment Repairers	7	1																	
Farriers																			
Fitters, M.V.	3	3																	
Masons																			
Mortar Personnel	16	16																	
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																			
SPECIALISTS AND TRADESMEN NOT SPECIFIED ABOVE	1	1																	
NON-SPECIALISTS AND NON-TRADESMEN	15	18			3			3											
<i>Cycle</i>	16	20			4			4											
<i>Ptes</i>	56	56														2		2	
Totals (to agree with Columns 4 and 5 of Part A.)	202	207			3	4		7								2		2	

Date of Despatch 31 Mar 45

GP M. [Signature]
Signature of Commander.

S. K. A. D.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

TO BE MADE UP TO MIDDAY ON SATURDAY IN EACH WEEK.

Serial No. (Repeat at Part D.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

Unit

For Week Ending

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

(Unit.) For Week Ending

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5
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	1	1		
Lieutenants				
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
District Officers				
TOTALS	2	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.

(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)

(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			F. S. Jones	PLB	31 Jan 45					
2			J. S. Williams	PLB	31 Jan 45					
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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.

Last A.F.W. 3010A rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon was Serial No. _____
 Last A.F.W. 3010B rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon was Serial No. _____
 Last A.F.W. 3010C rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon was Serial No. _____
 Last Draft received and included in Part A, Col. 3, was Serial No. _____

[Signature]
 (Signature of Commander.)

17 Mar 45
 (Date of Despatch.)

5 C.A.D.
 (Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

11 Cdn Trench Coy (Unit) For Week Ending 24 Mar 45

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5
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	1	1		
Captains	3	3		
Lieutenants	5	5		
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
District Officers				
TOTALS	9	9		

*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	R. C. Blair	CIC	16 Mar	13 Cdn Trench Coy

(ii) Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name	Regt. or Corps.	Date.	Cause or Unit to which proceeded.
Capt	R. L. Cameron	CIC	15 Mar 45	4 Bn
Lieut	J. D. McMurphy	"	"	"

(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 Trench Coy (Unit) For Week Ending 24 Mar 45

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 Appointment.	Remarks including how employed if absent from Unit.	
1	Maj		P. B. Kennedy	RAF	4 Apr 45	Y	C.O.	14 Mar 45		
2	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	Lt. Col.	17 Mar 45		
3	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	210	17 Mar 45		
4	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	SMTO	17 Mar 45		
5	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	SMTO	17 Mar 45		
6	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	SMTO	17 Mar 45		
7	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	SMTO	17 Mar 45		
8	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	SMTO	17 Mar 45		
9	Capt		J. J. Hould	"	27 Mar 45	Y	SMTO	17 Mar 45		

(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		R. C. Blair	CIC	15 Mar 45	
Capt		J. J. Hould	CIC	14 Mar 45	
Capt		J. J. Hould	"	14 Mar 45	
Capt		J. J. Hould	"	14 Mar 45	

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 Last A.F.W. 3010B rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon was Serial No. _____
 Last A.F.W. 3010C rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon was Serial No. _____
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 (Signature of Commander.)
 5. C. A. D.
 (Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

24 Mar 45
 (Date of Despatch.)

TO BE MADE UP TO MIDDAY ON SATURDAY IN EACH WEEK.

Serial No. (Repeat at Part D.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

(Unit.) For Week Ending 7 Mar 45

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5
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
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Lieut-Colonels				
Majors	1	1		
Captains	3	3		
Lieutenants	3	3		
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
District Officers				
TOTALS	9	9		

*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.

Serial No.

Unit 11 Cdn. Signal Coy (P.C.)

For Week Ending 5 Mar 45

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.C.F.	6 Mar 45	Y	OC	14 Feb 45		
2			P.S. Blaney	"	27 Mar 45	Y	P.I.C.M.	16 Mar 45		
3			T. Farnham	"	8 Mar 45	Y	Q.M.T.O.	16 Mar 45		
4			T.L. Wilson	"	24 Mar 45	Y	P.I.C.M.	16 Mar 45		
5			A. J. ...	"	27 Mar 45	Y	P.I.C.M.	16 Mar 45		
6			W.D. ...	"	27 Mar 45	Y	P.I.C.M.	16 Mar 45		
7			W.F. ...	"	27 Mar 45	Y	P.I.C.M.	16 Mar 45		
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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		H.P. Murphy	C.I.C.	14 Feb 45	
Lt		W. Sawdon	"	"	"
Sgt		P.F. ...	"	"	"

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 Last A.F.W. 3010C rendered to G.H.Q. 2nd Echelon was Serial No. _____
 Last Draft received and included in Part A, Col. 3, was Serial No. _____

H.P. Murphy Capt
(Signature of Commander.)

30 Mar 45
(Date of Despatch.)

S.C.A.D.
(Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

