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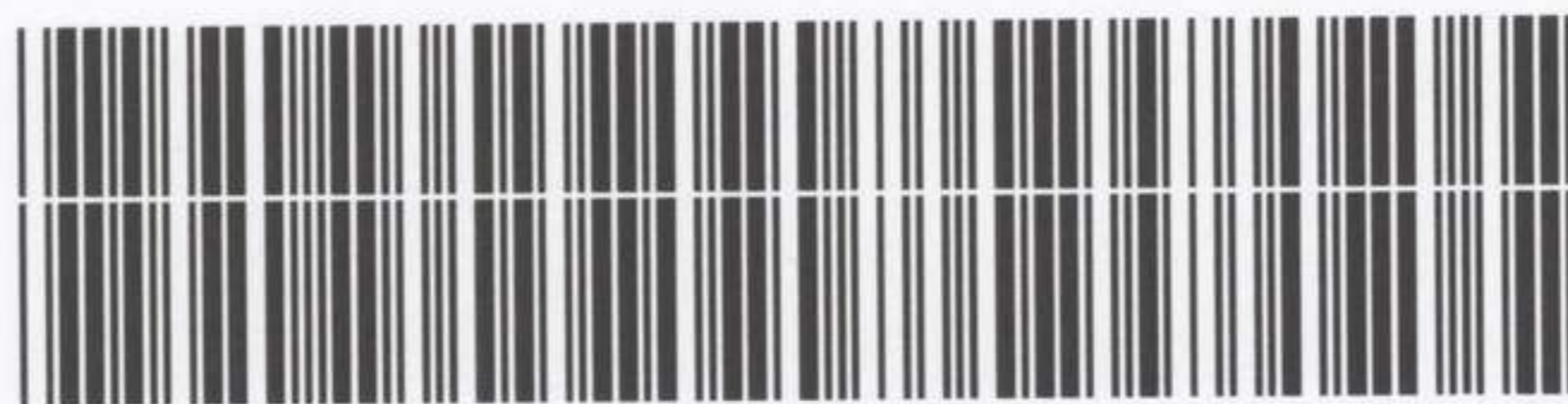
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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
ROUEN.	1-1-18.		Two men proceeded on leave to the United Kingdom. One N.C.O. evacuated sick to hospital. Cold day, with heavy fall of snow. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 47 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 23016. Strength :- 1 Officer, 89 other ranks.	<i>Isaachsen</i> CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	2-1-18.		One man rejoined unit from hospital. Cold day, with light showers. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 48 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 26088. Strength :- 1 Officer, 90 other ranks.	<i>Isaachsen</i> CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	3-1-18.		Cold day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 48 degrees. Fire alarm practice. Total pounds of bread baked :- 32360. Strength :- 1 Officer, 90 other ranks.	<i>Isaachsen</i> CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	4-1-18.		One man transferred to 19th Battalion. One Orderly Room trial (absent without leave) awarded 28 days Field Punishment No.1. Cold, clear day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 50 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 32540. Strength :- 1 Officer, 88 other ranks.	<i>Isaachsen</i> CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	5-1-18.		Mild day, frost during night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 54 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 41800. Strength :- 1 Officer, 88 other ranks.	<i>Isaachsen</i> CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	6-1-18.		One man proceeded on leave to the United Kingdom. Mild day, heavy frost at night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 55 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 26620. Strength :- 1 Officer, 87 other ranks.	<i>Isaachsen</i> CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	7-1-18.		Two men proceeded on leave to the United Kingdom. Mild day, with light showers during afternoon. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 54 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 44109. Strength :- 1 Officer, 85 other ranks.	<i>Isaachsen</i> CAPTAIN.

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ROUEN.	8-1-18.		Clear, mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 56 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 40880. Strength :- 1 Officer x 85 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	9-1-18.		One man evacuated sick to hospital. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 57 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 37682. Strength :- 1 Officer : 84 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	10-1-18.		Mild day, wind at night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 58 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 38322. Strength :- 1 Officer, 84 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	11-1-18.		Two N.C.O.'s proceeded on leave to Paris. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 25873. Strength :- 1 Officer, 82 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	12-1-18.		One N.C.O. rejoined Unit from hospital. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 35030. Strength :- 1 Officer, 83 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	13-1-18.		One man rejoined Unit from hospital. Clear, mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 23529. Strength :- 1 Officer, 84 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	14-1-18.		Clear, mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 60 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 33120. Strength :- 1 Officer, 84 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.

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ROUEN.	15-1-18.		One N.C.O. rejoined Unit from leave to the United Kingdom. Two N.C.O.'s rejoined Unit from leave to Paris. Heavy fall of rain during afternoon and night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon:-58 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 35321. Strength :- 1 Officer 87 other ranks.	Isaacson CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	16-1-18.		One man evacuated sick to hospital. One man rejoined Unit from hospital. Mild day, light showers during night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 34402. Strength :- 1 Officer, 87 other ranks.	Isaacson CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	17-1-18.		One N.C.O. rejoined Unit from hospital. One man evacuated sick to hospital. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon. 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 33209. Strength :- 1 Officer, 87 other ranks.	Isaacson CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	18-1-18.		Mild day, light showers at night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon. 58 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 36309. Strength :- 1 Officer, 87 other ranks. Fire alarm practice.	Isaacson CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	19-1-18.		Two men rejoined Unit from leave to the United Kingdom. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 46442. Strength :- 1 Officer, 89 other ranks.	Isaacson CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	20-1-18.		One N.C.O. evacuated sick to hospital. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 26404. Strength :- 1 Officer, 88 other ranks.	Isaacson CAPTAIN.

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ROUEN.	21-1-18.		Captain ISAACHSEN detailed as member of Field General Court Martial. Five Orderly Room trials. (minor offences) Mild, cloudy day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 46080. Strength :- 1 Officer, 88 other ranks.	ISAACHSEN CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	22-1-18.		One N.C.O. rejoined Unit from detachment. One man rejoined Unit from Field Punishment compound. Monthly Medical Inspection (vermin and skin disease) held by Medical Officer i/c Billets North, Rouen. Report was was "all satisfactory". Mild day, light winds. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon :- 58 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 46329.	ISAACHSEN CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	23-1-18.		Bakehouse inspected by COL. HOLDSWORTH. C.O. 4th DIVISIONAL TRAIN, A.I.F. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon. 60 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 46180. Strength :- 1 Officer, 91 other ranks.	ISAACHSEN CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	24-1-18.		Two men rejoined Unit from hospital. One man evacuated sick to hospital. Rain clouds collected heavily during afternoon, but inly light showers during night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon, 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 41628. Strength :- 1 Officer, 92 other ranks.	ISAACHSEN CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	25-1-18.		Mild day, Temperature of bakehouse at Noon, 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 33554. Strength :- 1 Officer, 92 other ranks.	ISAACHSEN CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	26-1-18.		One N.C.O. rejoined Unit from hospital. Two men rejoined Unit from leave to the United Kingdom. Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon. 60 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 25772. Strength :- 1 Officer, 95 other ranks. Captain ISAACHSEN detailed as member of Field General Court Martial.	ISAACHSEN CAPTAIN.

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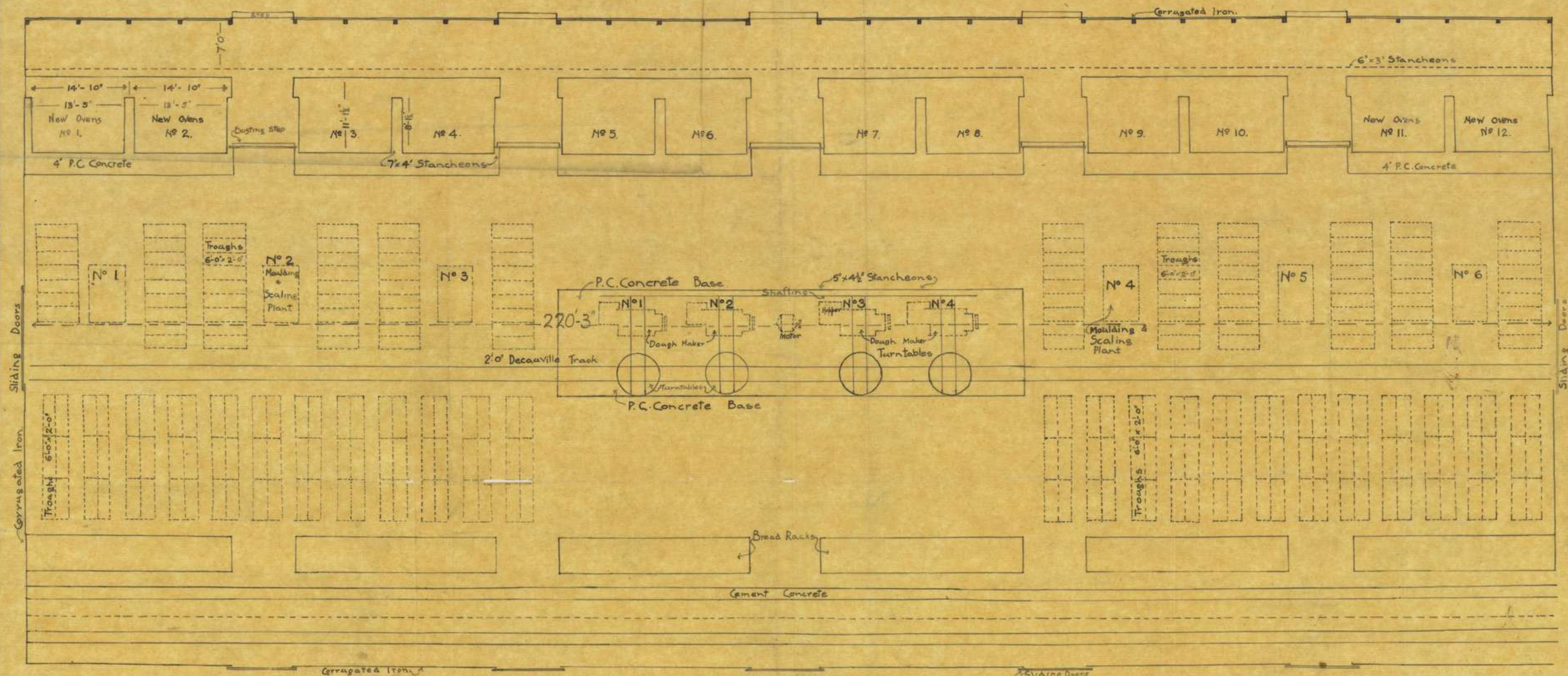
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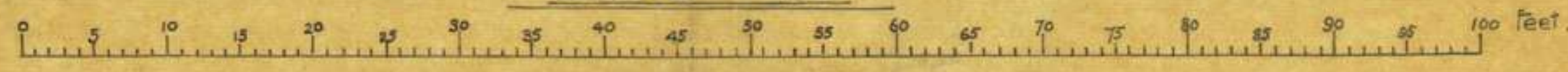
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ROUEN.	27-1-18.		Clear, mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon, 60 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 45702. Strength :- 1 Officer, 95 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	28-1-18.		Mild day. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon, 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 45344. Strength :- 1 Officer, 95 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	29-1-18.		Mild day, with frost at night. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon, 58 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 44941. Strength, 1 Officer, 95 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	30-1-18.		Mild day, heavy fog during early morning. Temperature of bakehouse at Noon, 58 degrees. Captain ISAACHSEN detailed as Prosecutor in a Field General Court Martial. Total pounds of bread baked :- 53606. Strength :- 1 Officer, 95 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.
ROUEN.	31-1-18.		One man rejoined Unit from hospital. One man rejoined Unit from Field Punishment Compound. Mild day, heavy fog during early morning. Temp. of bakehouse at Noon, 59 degrees. Total pounds of bread baked :- 53541. Strength :- 1 Officer, 97 other ranks.	Isaachsen CAPTAIN.

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