

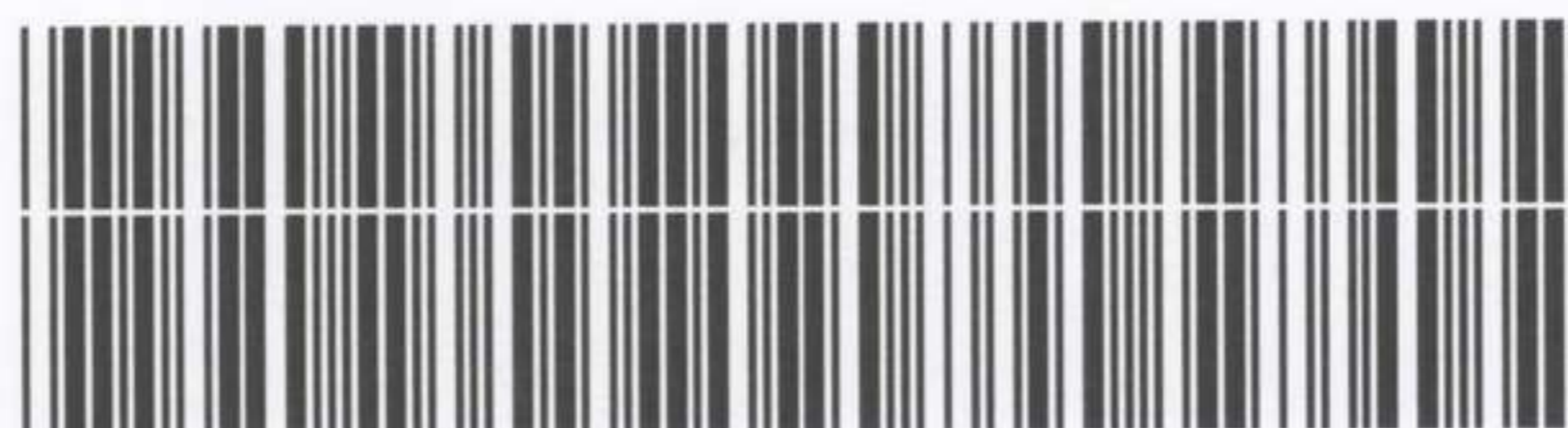
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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
BATH CAMP SHEET 36 BR. C.R.R.	1-4-18		Routine as usual. Weather fine & warm. 5 lorries carrying personnel. 3 R.E. stores. 3 in workshop. Miles run loaded 148 empty 141 petrol drawn 64 gals. 7 men transferred from 3 rd DIVL. M.T. COY. 23.3.18. reported to unit.	
	2-4-18		Routine as usual. Weather fine & warm. 7 lorries carrying personnel. 2 carrying R.E. stores. Miles run loaded 217 empty 288 petrol drawn 100 gals. 3 lorries in workshop.	
	3-4-18		Routine as usual. Raining intermittently all day. 3 lorries carrying personnel. 5 on R.E. material. Miles run loaded 131 empty 234 petrol drawn 80 gals. 1 Lorry, detached 25.3.18, returned to park. Work done during detachment: - Miles run loaded 123, empty 134. R.E. material & personnel carried. petrol drawn 60 gals. 11745' DVR. GORODEZKY I. admitted to Hospital. 5965' DVR. STEEL G.A. evacuated to C.C.S. as result of injuries accidentally received. 2682. DVR. SMITH C & 1414 DVR. WYLIE J. transferred from 6 th A.B. AUST. F.A.P. SECTION.	

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BATH CAMP SHEET 36 B2 C2.2.	4-4-18		Routine as usual. 8 lorries carrying personnel miles run loaded 279 empty 158 petrol drawn 102 gals. 1848 DVR. BURROWS N.F. transferred from 6th A.B. AVST. F.A.P.S. Raining intermittently during the day 2 lorries in workshop	
	5-4-18		Routine as usual 9 lorries carrying personnel & R.E. material 1 on Sabage miles run loaded 257 Empty 186 petrol drawn 110 gals weather cloudy. 2 lorries in workshop	
	6-4-18		Routine as usual 2 lorries carrying civilians & R.E. material 1 lorry returned to park after assisting in moving AVST. CORPS H.Q. miles run loaded 21 empty 87 petrol drawn 20 gals. Weather fine	
	7-4-18		Routine as usual 6 lorries carrying personnel, 2, H.Q. material 2 in workshop miles run loaded 81 Empty 133 Petrol drawn 52 gals. Weather fine & warm	
	8-4-18		9 lorries drew ammunition establishment 5 loaded with supplies. 1 lorry to Caestre to be refueled. miles run loaded 54 empty 127 petrol drawn 4 gals. weather fine & warm.	

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BATH CAMP SHEET 36 B.2. C.2.2.	8.4.18	Contd.	1 lorry reported back from detachment. Work done while away - miles loaded 248 empty 343 petrol drawn 150 gals H.Q. material carried. 11745 DVR. GORDDEZKY rejoined from Hospital.	
	9.4.18		15 lorries proceeded via AIRE, HESDIN, AUX-LE-CHATEAU + BERNAVILLE to POULAINVILLE & parked with 4th A.D.M.T. Coy. Weather cloudy. Miles run loaded 1380. Petrol drawn 328 gals.	
POULAINVILLE	10.4.18		5 lorries carrying Brigade Supplies. Weather cloudy but mild. Miles run loaded 150 Empty 170 Petrol drawn 82 gals. 2 lorries in Workshop.	
	11.4.18		Routine as usual 8 lorries carrying keops & kits 5 on Bde. Supplies 5 lorries reported to Town Major Corbie, after dark, on special detail carrying abandoned civilian material (wool & flour) from Corbie to Villers Borge. Miles run loaded 282 empty 418 petrol drawn 152 gals. Weather cloudy. 2 lorries in Workshop. DVR. FOSTER taken on strength.	

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POULAINVILLE	13.4.18		4 lorries carrying R.E. material 5 on Supplies 5 on special salvage work from Corbie 2 in Workshop trailers full loaded 411 empty 435 petrol drawn 138 gals Weather fine & warm. Unit moved from Poulainville to new location at LA HAYETTE SHEET 62D G16 b9.2.	
LA HAYETTE SHEET 62D G16 b9.2.	13.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries on Supplies, 2 on Ammunition, 5 on special salvage work (wool & flour) from Corbie. 2 in Workshop trailers full loaded 191 empty 305 petrol drawn 102 gals weather cold & cloudy. PRIVATES. MACEY F.L. MACKENZIE B.M. & McLAUGHLAN W. transferred from 1st Base M.T. Depot.	W.J.M.
	14.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries on Supplies 4 carrying R.E. material 5 on special salvage work (wool & flour) from Corbie 2 in Workshop trailers full loaded 357 empty 335 petrol drawn 156 gals weather windy & cloudy.	W.J.M.
	15.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries on Supplies 4 on Ammunition 5 on special salvage work (wool & flour) from Corbie. 2 in Workshop trailers full loaded 300 empty 546 petrol drawn 62 gals weather windy & cloudy	W.J.M.

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LA HAYETTE SHEET 62.D G16 68.2.	16.4.18		Routine as usual 6 lorries carrying ammunition 5 on supplies, 5 on special salvage work from Corbie to Villers-Bocage. weather cold & cloudy. miles run loaded 276 empty 407 petrol drawn 182 gals.	
	17.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries carrying R.E. material 5 on supplies, 1 in workshop miles run loaded 209 empty 269 petrol drawn 100 gals. weather cloudy & cold.	W.J. M.
	18.4.18		Routine as usual 4 lorries carrying ammunition 5 on supplies 5 on special salvage work (wool) from Corbie to Allonville. miles run loaded 159 empty 251 petrol drawn 104 gals. weather cold & windy	W.J. M.
	19.4.18		Routine as usual 3 lorries carrying timber 5 on supplies, 5 on special salvage work (wool) from Corbie to Allonville. weather cold & windy. miles run loaded 140 empty 222 petrol drawn 92 gals. 3 lorries in workshop	W.J. M.

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LAHAYETTE Sheet 62.D G.16 to 8.2.	20.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries carrying supplies, 5 on special salvage work (wool) from Corbie to Allenville. 3 lorries in workshop. Triles run loaded 125 empty 205 petrol drawn 70 gals. Weather fine but windy	
	21.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries carrying supplies, 4 on Ammunition 1 on Ordnance 5 on Special salvage work (wool) from Corbie to St. Roch Station Amiens 1 lorry in workshop. Triles run loaded 242 empty 326 petrol drawn 130 gals. Weather fine but windy.	
	22.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries carrying supplies 5 on Ammunition 5 on special salvage work (wool) from Corbie to Allenville. 1 lorry in workshop. Triles run loaded 220 empty 320 petrol drawn 118 gals. Weather fine but windy	
	23.4.18		Routine as usual 5 lorries carrying supplies, 2 on Ammunition 5 on special salvage work (wool) from Corbie to Allenville. 2 in workshop. Triles run loaded 159 empty 232 petrol drawn 92 gals. Weather fine & warm.	

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LA HAYETTE SHEET 62D G16 to 8.2.	24-4-18		Routine as usual 4 lorries carrying supplies, 4 on ammunition, 1 in workshop miles run loaded 122 empty 189 petrol drawn 72 gals. Weather cloudy	
				W. J. T. J.
	25-4-18		Routine as usual 10 lorries carrying supplies 3 on ammunition, 1 in workshop miles run loaded 168 empty 236 petrol drawn 98 gals. Weather cloudy & windy.	
				W. J. T. J.
	26-4-18		Routine as usual 5 lorries carrying supplies 5 on ammunition 1 in workshop miles run loaded 195 empty 215 petrol drawn 94 gals. Weather cloudy.	
				W. J. T. J.
	27-4-18		Routine as usual 9 lorries carrying ammunition 5 on supplies 1 in workshop miles run loaded 243 empty 316 petrol drawn 120 gals. Weather fine & warm.	
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LA HAYETTE Sheet 62 D G16 58.2.	28.4.18		Routine as usual 9 lorries carrying ammunition 5 on supplies miles run loaded 211 empty 290 petrol drawn 118 gals. 1 lorry in workshop weather cloudy. 6346 DVR. LENNY W.C. transferred to No 3 A.M.T. Coy.	
	29.4.18		Routine as usual 9 lorries carrying ammunition 5 on supplies miles run loaded 220 empty 302 petrol drawn 106. 1 lorry in workshop weather cloudy	
	30.4.18		Routine as usual 9 lorries carrying ammunition 5 on supplies 1 in workshop miles run loaded 220 empty 302 petrol drawn 106 gals. weather cloudy with some rain	

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