

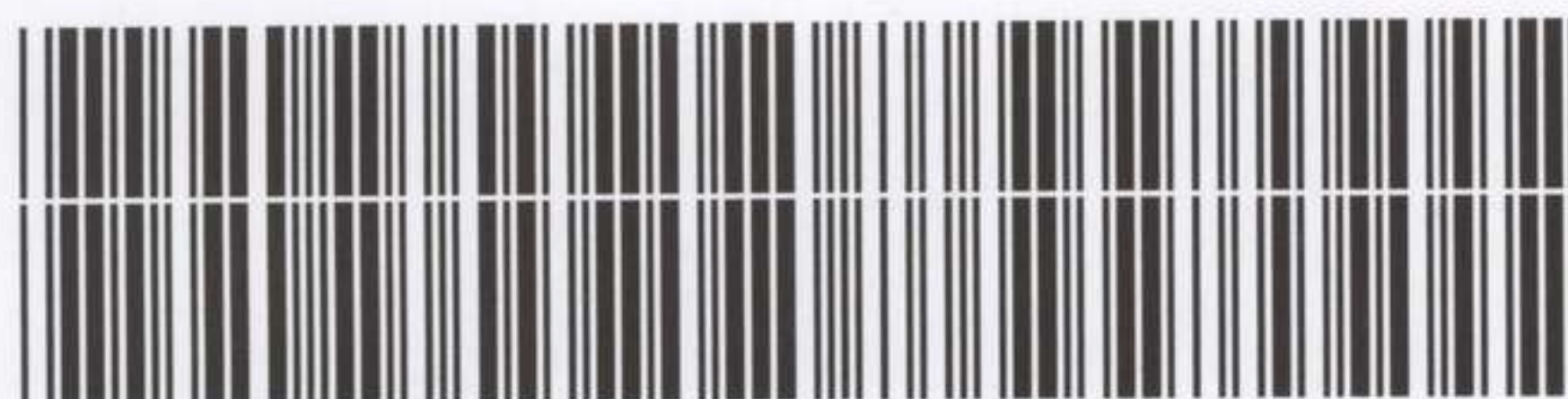
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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
RIVEMONT	JAN 1st		New years day Holiday ordered for men. all that was done was preparation for the move on the following day. also order issued for the move. on 2nd APX 18 & 19	APX 18 19
"	2nd	6am	In accordance with Bn order the unit moved in Brigade Groupe column to RAINVILLE. The men marched with considering that 88 Reinforcements joined us late on night of first inst. These men had been in the Train 2 days, had marched from ALBERT to RIVEMONT & then had to continue with the unit on the morning of the 2nd. Notwithstanding this fact only 3 men fell out of the column. These were brought along by 58 Am late in the evening. Arrivals NIL Reporters nil Order for move on 3rd issued	APX 20
	3rd	5-45 Am	In accordance with the Bn order (ApX 20) The Battalion marched to VIGNACOURT. The route took the column through FLESCHEL 8 from that town onward a strong head wind was encountered. 12 men fell out from exhaustion all of these being some of the 88 reinforcements. The unit arrived in VIGNACOURT at 1 pm. The men were then billeted and given a hot meal.	20

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RIVE MONT VIGNACOURT	4th 4th		Co. inspected mens belts, found some in a filthy condition this matter was reported to Bde Hqrs all men were turned on to making these belts clean in a Sanitary Condition.	APX 21
"	5th		Received 25 Reinforcements, the men were of a good class but cases continually occur where men arrive with worn out boots or short of some essential part of their equipment. A report regarding this matter has been submitted to Bde Hqrs.	
"	6th		Departures 6 O.R. Influenza Training continued. Syllabus for 7th day in "R" area owing to the fact that there are very few men at present with our unit it is rather a difficult matter to carry out the syllabus laid down. Arrivals 18 O.R. as reinforcements departures Nil.	
"	7th		Sunday. R.C. Church parade no Protestant Chaplain available. Men did route march. Half holiday in the afternoon. Arrivals 3 O.R. departures 1 O.R.	

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VIGNACOURT	8 th		Training continued. DMO asked by C.O. to write advice to all ranks regarding Trench foot precautions. Every effort is being put forward to ensure that all ranks thoroughly understand the precautions, & carry them out. Departures NIL Arrivals NIL.	APX 22A
	9 th		Training continued. Under instructions from Bde Headquarters the men have been trained in Raiding. The unit has not the use of trenches for this purpose but officers, have been instructed to improvise & impart all instruction possible regarding raids. Departures 1 OR.	
	10 th		Training continued on lines as for 9 th inst. Intelligence Section training as per brigade syllabus. All details at present with Bn Hqs were split up & allotted to Companies so that on joining Capt Kerr's party there will be no delay. Departures NIL Arrivals NIL.	
	11 th		Orders Received from Bde Hqs regarding the move to "B" area by Rail. Transport to move by road on 12 th inst. See Bn Order. Training of men continued. Arrivals 18 OR. Recruits & returned wounded. All reinforcements partially trained on	APX 23.3

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VIGNACOURT	11 th		Classed as such in records & are struck off when it is considered their training is complete. B.O. & 2nd In Command on Court Martial	
VIGNACOURT	12 th		Training continued. B.O. & 2nd In Command setting on Court Martial. The whole of 1st & 2nd Details at VIGNACOURT engaged with Red Grenade officer in a course of grenade throwing during the morning in the afternoon the whole went for a route march. Reportures. 2 OR. 6 hospital one V.D. one bad feet.	
VIGNACOURT AND RIBMONT	13.		The battalion moved to RIBMONT by rail entraining at 10 am in the morning - arrived at about midday. The billets occupied by our unit were not found very clean & this unit did not have sufficient time to clean these billets up before leaving. Order issued regarding move to FRICOURT also instructions to Capt Kerr's Detachment	APX. 24 A B.
RIBMONT AND FRICOURT	14.		Left Ribmont at 8-30 am and marched through BUIRE where Captain Kerr's Detachment joined the battalion. The day was cold & snow fell for about 3 hours. The men marched well & arrived at about 12-30 at Lucourt Camp. A hot meal was served. Order was issued regarding Camp routine in Lucourt see Appn	25

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
FRICOURT	15 th		All time spent in organization & training. All specialists brought up to full strength. Foot precautions being given great attention. Men in excellent spirits. Reportures 5 to hospital general sickness. Arrivals NIL.	
FRICOURT & E Camp. D "	16 th		Marched from Fricourt to E Camp where men were billeted & made comfortable. One man was wounded as we marched into the camp by shell.	
E & D Camps.	17 th		Some men from 5-7 th Bn arrived sick & with bad feet. What few blankets were available were given to these men & rations arranged for. 19 reinforcements arrived for this unit. Mostly men wounded on July 19 th .	
"	18 th		Reinforcements split up. More men from 5-7 th Bn no blankets available or rations. Bde Hqs notified arrangements made to both 60 Bn in Corps bath at quarry siding on 19 th inst. Departure to hospital 3 O.R.	
Pioneer Camp.	19 th		Arrangements made to vacate E & D Camp made and all personnel shifted to camp recently occupied by 2nd Pioneer Bn. Look over camp bath & arranged for bathing of 5-9 Bn during 20 th inst. Reportures Nil Arrivals NIL.	

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PIONEER CAMP.	20 th			
PIONEER CAMP.	21 st		Departure To Hospital. 3. OR.	
PIONEER CAMP.	22 nd		Departure To Hospital 1. O.R.	
NEEDLE TRENCH.	23 rd		60 th Bn. relieved 58 th Bn. in NEEDLE TRENCH on night of 23 rd Fatigue parties supplied to Engineers and Sapping parties for work in forward areas. The relief was completed by about 6 pm. Departures To Hospital. 5. O.R.	
NEEDLE DUMP.	24 th		Fairly quiet during the morning. In the afternoon NEEDLE TRENCH was heavily shelled. The 60 th Bn. asked for retaliation which was successful in stopping the enemy's shelling. Working parties with FRONTLINE system. Arrivals Major Cameron H.Q. from "Pick Post". Departures To Hospital 3. O.R.	
NEEDLE DUMP.	25 th	MORNING	Very quiet.	
ROSE TRENCH.	25 th / 26 th	EVENING	On the night 25/26 th the 60 th Bn. received the 59 th Bn. in the FRONT LINE. The relief was successfully carried out by 9. PM without a Casualty. The men were to improvement of their trench immediately on our arrival. H.Q. was established in ROSE TRENCH. Cooking done in MILLERS. SON. 25 th Arrivals 2. O.R. from Hosp. Departure. 1 O.R. was "Sick" 26 th Arrivals Lt D.J. O'CONNOR from 5 th A.B.D. Lt H.N. RICHARDS from "Pick Post". Lt W.S. KELLY appointed. Departure 1 O.R. wounded.	

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ROSE TRENCH.	27 th		<p>A good amount of improvement was made in ROSE TRENCH - Draining - Revetting - New Latrines made and Barbed wire put on the place marked for same.</p> <p>Some improvement was also carried out in Front Line such as New Latrines etc.</p> <p>Arrivals. Departures.</p> <p>1. OR from 5th Bn. 1. OR. Killed.</p> <p>3. OR. Wounded</p> <p>1. OR. Transfd to A.L.T.M.B.</p> <p>8. OR. Transferred to 5th Aust. Div. Salvage Coy.</p>	
ROSE TRENCH.	28 th	7am 10am pm	<p>All men in LEFT. SECTOR. withdrawn to MILLERS SON dugouts by 7am this morning.</p> <p>From 7am to 10am a bombardment was carried out on SUNRAY TRENCH by Heavy Howitzer Battery. At 10am the LEFT. Coy. returned to the LEFT. Sector again. Rations supplied to FRONT. LINE</p> <p>All Ranks had hot meals.</p>	
NEEDLE TRENCH	29 th	9PM	<p>Fatigues supplied.</p> <p>All available men had feet bathed & dusted with foot powder.</p> <p>Arrivals. - 28 Reinforcements.</p>	
B. CAMP	30 th		<p>Fatigues supplied as per table.</p> <p>Few more men bathed. What time was available was given to checking Equipment stores etc.</p>	
B CAMP.	31.		<p>Fatigues supplied as usual nothing else of important to report.</p> <p>Arrivals 2. OR taken on strength from Hospital, also 1 Officer 2nd Bn. 8th Ball, who has not reported.</p>	

P. J. Incey a/c. 60th Bn

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BY

1st January, 1916.

LIEUT-COL H. ECL. DUIGAN, COMMANDING 60TH BATTN. A.I.F.

MOVE . I. The 60th Battalion will move to RAINNEVILLE, COISY and CARDONETTE on 2nd inst.

INSTRUCTIONS. The Assistant Adjutant will arrange during the 1st for a march, marching out parade and thorough inspection of billets.
Billets must be left in a perfectly sanitary condition
A report will be made to the Adjutant on completion of above order.

3. (a) The following mobilisation stores ~~take~~ may be returned to Ordnance Depot for storing during the morning of 1st:-

Lamps Siege 4
Boxes Lamp Siege 8
All drums and sidedrums.

(b) The following stores may be returned to Bde Store (billet 40) in the afternoon beginning at 3 p.m.

Steel Helmets
Box Respirators - fully marked with No. Rank and name (about 50 should be retained for instructional purposes)

Surplus Signalling Gear.

Mobilisation Table stores not likely to be required in the "T" area.

Picks and shovels are NOT to be dumped.

(c) A guard of 8 men per Battalion and 1 man per M.G. Coy, and A.L.T.M.B. under an Officer of the 59th Battalion will mount as a guard over these stores at 3 p.m. today

(d) Blankets to be taken on the Battalion Transport.

5. Detailed instructions as to the march will be issued later.

(Sgd) H. Kingsley Love, Lieutenant,
Adjutant 60th Battalion.

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BATTALION ORDER. NO. 2.

BY

1/1/17.

LIEUTENANT COL. H. McL. DUIGAN, COMMANDING 60TH BATTALION. A.I.F.

MOVE. 1. The Battalion will move to RAINNEVILLE on morning of 2nd Inst

ORDER OF MARCH.

2. The 60th Battalion will move as two Companies under command of Capt. DOYLE and 2/Lieut. Leggatt respectively. Both Coys. will fall in at 8 a.m. and be ready to move at 8.15 a.m. The transport will follow immediately in rear of the Bn. at a distance of 100 yards. The following distances will be observed on the march:-
200 yards between Battalions.
100 " " Companies.
200 " " Transport and next column.

REAR GUARD

Capt. DOYLE will tell off a rear guard for the UNIT.

DISCIPLINE.

3. No man will fall out of the column without written authority from his Officer. Any breach of this Order will be severely dealt with. Strict march discipline will be observed by the Unit and Transport.

DRESS.

4. Full marching order, sheep skins will not be worn but will be carried under the flap of the pack.

BLANKETS AND KITS.

5. Blankets will be rolled in bundles of 16 and will be stacked outside billets by 7.45 a.m. sharp. Officers kits will be ready by 7.45 a.m. also.

RATION SUPPLY

6. The Q.M. will move ahead to RAINNEVILLE early on the morning of 2nd Inst. and will arrange for the supply of rations to the Unit on its arrival.

TIME.

7. All watches will be corrected with Bn. H.Q. at 7.30 a.m.

REPORTS.

8. Reports to Adj. at head of column. i.e. state at each halt.

ADDENDA.

9. Reveille 6 a.m. t
Time between Reveille and breakfast allotted to men shaving and cleaning of billets, these must be thoroughly clean by 7 a.m. A party under the Pioneer Sgt. will collect Rubbish and place in a limber which will report for the purpose. Certificate as to cleanliness of billets to be rendered to Adjutant at H.Q. by Capt. DOYLE by 7.30. Breakfast 7 a.m.

(Sgd) H. Kingsley Love, Lieut.
Adjutant 60th Battalion. A.I.F.

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Battalion Order No. 3.

by.

2.1.17.

Lieut Col A. McL. Duigan, Comdg. 6th Bn. A.I.F.

Move.

1. The Batta will continue the move to VIGNACOURT on morning of 3/1/17.

Routine.

2. Reveille 5.45 am
Breakfast 6.45 am

O.S.C. boys. Lt. Thorburn and W. Leggatt. will have their Coys ready to move by 8 am sharp. Every man will be fallen in and inspected by that time.

Kits stacked with blankets by 7 am.

The Parade ground for the Bn. will be in DUNDEE ST. as per plan attached.

Parade States will be handed to R. S. M. Kelly 10 minutes before 8 O.C. at H.Q.

Transport officer will also hand in state showing how many men he has with his Column.

BILLETS.

3. Billets will be left ~~thoroughly~~ scrupulously clean by Coys and in a sanitary condition.

Blankets.

4. Blankets will be rolled by 7 am and stacked at P.M. Store. These blankets will be carefully rolled and tied securely & labeled.

Rations.

5. Lt Thorburn will take on his strength all batmen and pioneers.
Lt Leggatt - all signallers.

Discipline

6. Same march discipline as ordered in 2/1/17 will be observed i.e. whistles being given for all men falling out. It is pointed out that the Column when halted falls out on right side of road only.

Observations

7. It was noticed on today's march that the Transport marched with a distance of 4 yards between vehicles. It is pointed out that the correct distance is 4 feet.

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Observation. 7. Spare horses will be led
not ridden.

The Dress laid down in Bn. Orders
must be strictly observed. Cases
have been noticed where men have
neglected to put on puttees etc.
A number of men persist of
carrying bags of rations. This practice
must cease. Overcoats must not be
worn.

Rear guard. 8. A rear guard of 1 off. Lt. Steel and
12 men + 4 N.C.O.'s will march
immediately behind our transport.
All men will be collected and brought
to Bathurst destination by this guard.

Dress.

9. Full marching order, overcoats in
pack, sheepskins folded neatly under
flap of pack, mess tins under support
straps + on top of pack. Feet must be
rubbed and socks soaked.

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BATTALION ROUTINE ORDER. No. 2.

BY

3/1/17.

LIEUT-COLONEL H. McL. DUIGAN, COMMANDING 60TH BATTN. A.I.F.

PART. I.

ROUTINE.	4.	REVEILLE	6.30. a.m.
		BREAKFAST.	7.45. a.m.
		DINNER.	12.30.p.m.
		TEA.	6.30. p.m.
		SICK PARADE.	7.p.m.
		LIGHTS OUT.	9.p.m.

Lieut THORBURN will carry out 6 days training Syllabus with ALL availablenen , paying attention to cleaning kits etc. N.C.O's. will each be given every opportunity to exercise their command over their section etc.

UNIFORMS & THURNOU. 5. Every effort will be made by Officers to clean up uniforms hats, etc. Equipment will be brushed and if necessary washed. The Quartermaster will make arrangements to supply shortages in Ammunition. Men have been noticed without packs, this matter must be adjusted. Packs must be immediately reduced so as to allow of Overcoat being carried in them and sheepskins under flaps.

ORDERS. 6. ALL RANKS WILL HAVE ORDERS READ TO THEM DAILY.

RUBBISH & LATRINES. 7. Transport Officer will make arrangement for a limber to collect all rubbish and cart same to be incinerated at a place to be chosen by the Pioneer Sgt. N.C.O's. will be held responsible that latrines are dug under supervision of Pioneers in their respective Billets. All men will be turned out cleaning billets and these will be made thoroughly clean at earliest.

PART. II.

STRUCK OFF STRENGTH. 8. No. 2776 Pte J. Allardyce, evac. out Div. Area.

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ ~~The following names have been removed from the Hospital.~~

TAKEN ON STRENGTH 9. No. 4409. L/Cpl. MacRoberts, A.H. from 15th Battn.

(Sgd) H. Kingsley Love, Lieut.
Adjutant 60th Battalion. A.I.F.

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PREVENTION OF TRENCH FEET.

The prevention of Trench Feet has been investigated by the French and they have by their methods obtained valuable results. Company Commanders and N.C.O's should have a clear idea of what constitutes TRENCH FEET and should understand why it is necessary to carry out the details of treatment in order to prevent the onset of the disease.

(1) Trench Feet manifests itself in the early stages by pain in the foot. especially pain to touch. This frequently commences and is greatest about the toes.

(2) The next stage is one where the foot is not only painful but very definitely swollen.

(3) Third stage includes all cases which have proceeded beyond stages 1 & 2

"Causation"

French investigations go to show that Trench Feet is due to a germ which penetrates the foot (in reality the infecting agent is a mould and is known as the Scopulariopsis Koningii) This infecting agent lives in the mud of the trenches and penetrates the foot at the cracks of the side of the nails or through any other scratch or cut in the foot.

Prophylaxis or Preventative treatment.

It has been found that borax and camphor have a very deterrent effect on the activity of the infecting agent and consequently these substances are used. The prophylaxis is to be carried out under the following heads:-

1. GENERAL PROPHYLAXIS.

(a) Necessity of carrying out actively and systematically the drying of the trenches.

(b) Utility of ~~xxxxxx~~ disinfecting stagnant mud at bottom of trenches.

2. INDIVIDUAL PROPHYLAXIS.

(a) Protection of foot against mud and water by imperishable boots and stockings. Careful cleansing of feet.

(b) Warm foot bath. In this bath great care must be taken to see that the nails are trimmed as short as possible and particular attention should be given in the washing to the cracks at the sides of the nails. A special soap - borax-camphor soap should be used and will be supplied when obtainable? If this soap is unobtainable use ordinary soap and add carbonate of soda (about handful to bath).

Wash boots in water in which carbonate of soda has been dissolved. Repeat baths every day.

(c) Before leaving for trenches, dust feet and socks with powder, ~~xxxxxxxx~~ composed as follows:-

Talc 1000 parts.

Camphor 25 "

(d) In the trenches. Wipe feet as often as possible to dry them and dust with powder.

The above prophylaxis has been very successful in the French Army, and if ~~and~~ these precautions are properly carried out there should be every reason to believe that the number of cases of Trench Feet in this Battalion will be considerably reduced.

(Sgd) R. McK. Doig, Capt.
R.M.O. 60th Battalion. A.I.F.

BATTALION ORDER 3.

BY

11th January, 1917.

LIEUT-COL. H. McL. DUIGAN, COMMANDING 60TH BATTALION. A.I.F.

- MOVE. I. The 60th Battalion will move to RIBEMONT (R area) on 12th 13th January, 1917.
- TRANSPORT. 2. (a) The Battalion transport and riding Horses by road under Bde arrangements on 12th inst. clearing the church by 8.30 a.m. Officers Kits and Typewriter etc. will be loaded on a motor Lorry which will leave on 13th inst at time to be notified later.
- PERSONNEL. 3. The 60th Battalion personnel will move from "T" area to "R" area by Train on 13th inst. Orders as to time of entrainment will be issued later.
DRESS. The dress will be full marching order as laid down in Battalion Orders- with Blankets.
- STORES. 4. No Stores or personnel will be left in "T" area.
- BILLETS. 5. Billets will be left scrupulously clean. 2/Lieut. Steel will forward inspection certificates to Bn. H.Q. by 3 p.m. on 13th inst.
- ADVANCED PARTY. 6. Advanced parties will proceed to RIBEMONT by Bus from Bde H.Q. at 9 a.m. on 12th inst (Lieut Diamond and 2 N.C.O's whom he will detail).
- SUPPLIES. 7. Supplies will be drawn on 11th inst. for 13th inst. Supplies for 14th inst. will be drawn on arrival at RIBEMONT.
- DISTANCES. 8. The following distances will be observed:-
200 yards between Battalions.
" " " Transport and marching troops.
100 " " Companies or Units Transport.
- DISCIPLINE. 9. (a) No man will fall out on the march without a permit signed by the R.M.O. or another Officer.
(b) Any man who is found drunk on line of march will be severely dealt with.
- TIME. 10. Watches to be checked by Bn. H.Q. at 7 a.m. on 13th inst.

(Sgd) H. Kingsley Love, Lieut.
Adjutant 60th Battalion. A.I.F.

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" 5. T.O.

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13TH JANUARY 1917.

LIEUT-COLONEL H. McL. DUIGAN, COMMANDING 60TH BATTN. A.I.F.

MOVE.

- I. On the march being continued the 60th Battalion details will be split into their companies as per Nominal Roll attached.

Each of these Coy. details will march at an interval of 100 yards in the following order:-

"A"
"B"
"C"
"D"

2/Lieut. STEEL will be in charge of "A" & "B" .

Lieut. BOWEN in charge of "C" & "D"

As the Unit marches through BUIRE the original Coys. at present detached under Capt. KERR will join the column in the following order:-

"A" Coy at the head of "A" details, "B" Coy at the head of "B" details, and so on, each original company taking in its train details and reinforcements assuming at once 100 yards interval .

Detailed orders as to time etc will be issued later.

(Sgd) H. Kingsley Love, Lieut.
Adjutant 60th Battalion. A.I.F.

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do	8	" BOWEN.

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AFTER ORDER TO NO. 4.

BY

13 th January, 1917.

LIEUT-COL. H. McL. DUIGAN, COMMANDING 60TH BATTN. A.I.F.

- MOVE. 1. The 60th Battalion will continue the march to FRICOURT on the morning of 14/1/17. The Bn. will form up in four Coys. as per Bn. Order No. 4. outside No. 27 billet. Fall in at 8 a.m. The Battalion will pass starting point (the church) at 8.30 a.m.
- BILLETS. 2. Billets will be left scrupulously clean.
- TRANSPORT. 3. Transport will march at a distance of 200 yards behind the Unit. Capt. KERR's detached transport will join in rear of Bn. Transport column as it passes through BUIRE.
- KITS. 4. ~~TRANSPORT~~ Kits and baggage will be ready outside billets at 7.15 a.m. sharp.
- DRESS. 5. Full marching order, sheep skins under flaps of pack - mess tin on top. Overcoat in pack. Iron or other rations will be carried in haversack, not in bags slung on equipment. One blanket to be carried.
- BLANKETS. 6. Blankets. One blanket will be carried. Spare blanket will be rolled in bundles of 20 securely tied and labled, and taken to Q.M. store by 7.45 a.m. Capt. KERR's party will carry blanket also.
- STORES. 7. Q.M. will arrange for dumping of stores not required in Front Line Area. Orderly Officer will arrange for a Guard of 1 N.C.O. & 3 men to report to Q.M. as guard on dump., at Billet No. 40. Orderly Officer will enquire as to arrangements for this guard. Q.M. to provide N.C.O. i/c Guard with a full list of stores left in his charge.
- REAR PARTY. 8. 2/Lieut. THORBURN will remain in RIBEMONT with a party of 1 N.C.O. and 4 men to clean billets on the Units departure. A certificate will be rendered to Bn. H.Q. as to the cleanliness of billets on the party joining the Unit at FRICOURT.

(Sgd) H. Kingsley Love, Lieut.
Adjutant 60th Battalion. A.I.F.

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BATTALION ROUTINE ORDER. NO. 8 ;

BY

14th JANUARY, 1917.

LIEUT-COLONEL H. McL. DUIGAN COMMANDING 60TH BATTN. A.I.F.

PART . I .

- DUTIES. 39. Orderly Officer 2/Lieut. Mountford, J.C. to relieve Lieut. Bowen, C.E.
Orderly Sergt. Sgt. Edwards, G. "A" Coy.
" Corp. Cpl. Lawrence, R.C. "A" Coy.
- ROUTINE. 40. Reveille, 7 a.m.
Breakfast, 8 a.m.
Dinner, 12.30 p.m.
Tea, 5 p.m.
- TRAINING. 41. Training will be carried out under Coy. arrangements.
Coys. will be organised as soon as possible.
All Coy.
details will rejoin Companies to which they are attached.
I N.C.O. or man per Coy. to parade to Corp. Paulter "B"
Coy. at 9.30 a.m. tomorrow for instruction as Gas N.C.O.
4 Runners per Coy. will report to Signal Sergeant at 9.30
a.m. tomorrow for instruction in telephone work and
General signalling. Sig. Sergeant will make all arrange-
ments to train these men as efficiently as possible in
the time at our disposal.
Coy Commanders are requested to give I.O. every help in
completing the establishment of the Intelligence Corp.
All of above to parade to I.O. at 9.30 a.m. tomorrow.
- LIGHTS. 42. Exposed lights will not be shown after sunset. All lights
likely to be seen by Air-craft must be completely shaded
after sun-set.
- FIRES. 43. Fires in huts will be stood on either bricks or sheet
iron to minimise the risk of accidents from fire.
Braziers will not at any time be stood on duckboards.
- SALVAGE. 44. A Camp dump is situated on side of road opposite Water
Tower. All material worth salving is to be placed in
this dump.
- CAMP
PROPERTY. 45. All ranks are warned against damaging Camp Property.
- FEET
PRECAUTION. 46. Special attention is directed to Copies of feet
precautions issued last night.
- HUTS. 47. All huts will be clean and ready for inspection by 9.30
a.m. daily. Equipment will be neatly packed and all
food covered.
- HORSES. 48. It is requested that horses should not be used un-
necessarily.

PART. II.

STRUCK OFF 49. No. 5647 Pte Amor, T.J. evac out Div Area.
STRENGTH. 2407 " Emery, A. " " "
5212 " Sutton, H.H. " " "
143 " Dawson, J. " " "
1722 " Cox, W.H. " " "

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CANTEEN WILL OPEN AT 4 P.M. TOMORROW.