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WAR DIARY



OF

HEADQUARTERS, 2ND AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

FOR

OCTOBER, 1918.

Signature of Officer compiling

CAPTAIN,
Brigade Major.
2nd Aust. Infantry Bde.

Signature of Officer Commanding

Brig-General,
Comdg. 2nd Aust. Infantry Bde.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
	1918			
	Oct.			
COCQUEREL	1st		Showery. Training commenced.	
	2nd		Fine.	
	3rd		Fine. Draft of 4 officers and 77 other ranks leave for AUSTRALIA on six months' furlough.	
	4th		Fine.	
	5th		Dull and cold.	
	6th		Dull and cold. Staff Captain leaves for ENGLAND to attend Court of Enquiry and afterwards 14 days leave.	
	7th		Showery. Brigadier leaves to attend Tank School at FONTAIN BLEU. Lieut-Col. MITCHELL assumes temporary command of the Brigade during his absence. Brigade Class of Instruction, Intelligence Class and Signalling Class commence.	
	8th		Showery. General BIRDWOOD accompanied by Divisional Commander visits Brigade and Units.	
	9th		Fine during day; showery in evening.	
	10th		Fine.	
	11th		Dull and cold.	
	12th		Wet. Brigadier returns from Tank School.	
	13th		Showery.	

H. H. M. J.
Captain
Aide Major.

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Place	Date 1918	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
COCQUEREL.	Oct.			
	14th		Fine.	
	15th		Wet.	
	16th		Showery.	
	17th		Dull.	
	18th		Fine.	
	19th		Fine.	
	20th		Wet.	
	21st		Dull.	
	22nd		Fine.	
	23rd		Fine. Brigade parade held.	(app. ccix)
	24th		Fine.	
	25th		Dull.	
	26th		Dull and cold.	
	27th		Showery. Brigade Church Parade held.	
	28th		Fine. Training Conference, PONT REMY, I.T. of Training.	
	29th		Fine.	

HM
Captain
Bde Major

WAR DIARY

OF

HEADQUARTERS, 2ND AUST. INFANTRY BDE.

FOR

OCTOBER, 1918.

LIST OF APPENDICES.

No.	Subject.
CCIX	Brigade Parade.
CCX	Strength as at noon 31st October, 1918.
CCXI	Schools attended during October, 1918.
CCXII	Reinforcements received during October, 1918.
CCXIII	Syllabi of Training for month of October, 1918. -----



HQA BQUARTERS,
2nd Aust. Infantry Bde.
22nd October, 1918.

APPENDIX CCIX

5th Battalion.
6th do
7th do
8th do
2nd A.L.T.H. Bty.
1st Australian Division.

1. A Brigade parade will be held on the 22nd instant at 1000 at O.L.D.

2. The following will parade -

5th Battalion with 8 limbers (unloaded)
6th do do
7th do do
8th do do
2nd A.L.T.H. Bty.

3. Dress - Fighting Order (without S.D.S's or steel helmets), ground discs rolled and hats turned up on the left side. Officers will wear hats and open tunics. Mounted Officers (C.O.'s and Adj's in command, adjutants and transport officers only) will wear leggings or field boots, all other officers will wear puttees.

(b) Companies will be sized.

4. One marker per unit, knowing the frontage required by his unit, will report to Captain HAWKES on the parade ground at 0915.

5. The Brigade will be formed up in quarter column facing West, 5th Battalion on the right, then 6th Battalion, 7th Battalion, 8th Battalion with 2nd A.L.T.H. Bty on the left. Eight paces distance between companies and six paces interval between battalions. Limbers will be in two lines, distributed evenly over the rear of their respective units, at 15 yards distance from the rear rank of the infantry, and with 6 yards distance between lines. Each limber will be accompanied by one brakeman, who will march in the rear centre of the vehicle with rifle slung.

6. On arrival at the parade ground units will fix bayonets independently and officers will take posts in review order. Officers (sized), other than the C.O., will be three paces in front of the front rank of infantry, with the Adj in command on the left, and the adjutant on the right. The C.O. will be 15 paces in front of the front rank of infantry. Transport officer will remain stationary ten paces in front of the transport.

7. Massed bands under the charge of Sgt. WATSON (5th Bn.) will take up a position as indicated by Captain HAWKES, and will play the general salute and march past.

8. All troops will be in position by 0930.

9. The following programme will be carried out -

- (a) On arrival of the C.O.C. the Brigade, the senior officer present will order the general salute and massed bands will play.
- (b) The C.O.C. the Brigade, accompanied by the senior officer, will inspect the parade.
- (c) The Brigade will march past the Saluting Point in column of companies.

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Officers will take posts - quick march - four fours - right-quick march". On reaching the first corner flag "Left wheel" on reaching the second corner flag "Left turn - halt - advance in column". On reaching the corner flag after passing the saluting point, units will return to their original formations and officers will take post.

In the march past 50 paces will be maintained between Battalions. C.O's and 2nd's in Command will ride 15 paces in front of the leading companies, the C.O. being in front of the centre of the right half of the company, and the 2nd in Command in front of the centre of the left half. Company Commanders will march ten paces in front of their respective companies, platoon commanders three paces in front, with the 2nd in Command of the Company in the centre. The Transport officer will ride 10 paces in front of the front line of transport. The adjutant will ride in rear.

As regards transport -

In the case of the 5th and 6th Battalions - The orders will be "right turn - walk march." On reaching the first corner flag "Left wheel", on reaching the second corner flag "Left turn".

In the case of the 7th and 8th Battalions - The orders will be, as soon as each unit has moved clear "Right wheel - walk march" On reaching the first and second corner flags "Left wheel". Transport will maintain a distance of 15 yards in rear of the last rank of infantry.

On reaching the corner flag after passing the saluting point, all transport will continue straight ahead until clear of the parade ground, and will then move off independently to billets.

(d) The Brigade will advance in review order - "quick march", "halt", "Present Arms", "Slope Arms", "Order Arms", "Officers take posts - quick march", "Unfix bayonets", "Stand at ease"

(e) Further drill movements will be carried out.

H. Platten

GA TAIN,
Brigade Major,
2nd Aust. Infantry Brigade.

31-10-1918

DAILY STRENGTH RETURN.

U n i t.	Establishment,				Attached			Details of Attached.	
	Offs	Orks.	Total	Horses	Offs	Orks	Total	Hrs	
2nd Bde H.Qrs.	5	17	22	19	3	42	45		5 Bn 1 10 6 Bn 1 6 7 Bn 1 7 8 Bn 7 Interp 1 S. Clerk 1 YMCA 7 AMC 2 Warden 1
2 A.L.T.M.B.	1	39	40						
5th Bn	22	452	474	53	2	5	7		AMC 1 Chap 1 1 Armr 1 Pay Sgt 1 Postal 1 Interp 1
6th Bn	27	426	453	56	2	4	6		AMC 1 Chap 1 San Sec. *
7th Bn	28	421	449	53	2	2	4		AMC 1 Chap 1 Pay Sgt 1 Postal 1
8th Bn	25	467	490	54	2	4	6		AMC 1 Chap 1 Pay Sgt 1 Postal 1 Wardens *
4 Sig Sec.	2	42	44	6					
2nd Bde Class 2 A.L.T.M.B.		*	4						
5th Bn	1	41	42						
6th Bn		44	44						
7th Bn	1	44	45						
8th Bn		42	42						
T O T A L	110	2039	2149	241	11	57	68		

Officers 121
Other Ranks 2096
Total 2217
Horses 241

Captain,
Staff Captain.
2nd Aust, Infantry Brigade.

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SCHOOLS ATTENDED DURING MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1918

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	<u>Officers.</u>	<u>O.Ranks.</u>
Infantry	9	16
Lewis Gun	1	3
Bombing	2	6
Musketry	4	4
Gas	1	3
Intelligence	-	3
P. and B.T.	1	4
Stokes Mortar	-	5
Cookery	-	3
S.O.S.	1	3
Signalling	1	3
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Total	20	53
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APPENDIX

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2nd AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

RETURN OF REINFORCEMENTS RECEIVED DURING MONTH ENDING 31st OCTOBER 1918.

U n i t.	Officers.	Other Ranks.	R e m a r k s.
5th Battalion.	5	146	Lieut-Col J.C.M. Traill, D.S.O., M.C. 2/Lieut T.H. Robertson, D. Smith, M.C. E.W. Felton, R.M. Hoffman, M.M. Bar
6th Battalion.	4	101	Lieut S.W. Spark. Major A.R. Caughey. Lieut E.H. Christian M.C. 2/Lieut S. Cocking.
7th Battalion.	4	93	2/Lieut F.A. Burrows M.M. ; A.E. Joyce., R. Foster-Wood. Lieut T. B. Hanson.
8th Battalion.	3	148	Lieut. W.B. Bennett., Captain W.T. Yates, D.S.O. Lieut S.H. Beck.
2/A.L.T.M. Bty.	-	6	
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- 5th Battalion.
- 6th do
- 7th do
- 8th do
- 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty.
- 1st Aust. Division.

SYLLABUS OF TRAINING.
Week 6th Oct. - 12th Oct.

Morning 0830 - 1130.

Afternoon 1400 - 1530.

6th Oct. Brigade Church Parade.

7th Oct. Platoon and Company drill,
to Guards and Sentries, Musketry,
12th Oct. Bayonet Fighting, Lewis Guns
and German M.G's, Bombs and
Rifle Grenades (especially No.36)
Platoon in attack. Route marches.

Recreational
Training.

1. 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will carry out training as above substituting its own form of specialist training where ~~px~~ infantry specialist work is laid down.
2. Two route marches, each of not less than 8 miles, will take place during the week. Full marching order will be worn. On one of these marches transport will accompany units. Strict march discipline must be observed, and in this respect attention is called to S.S.724, especially paras. 1 to 24 and 54 to 64. Units will notify this office of the routes selected by noon on the days prior to that on which the marches are to be held.
3. Special attention will be paid to Musketry. For the week ending 12th Oct. "A" and "B" ranges are allotted as under ("C" range is not available at present)

5th Battalion	-	7th and 11th Oct.
6th do	-	8th and 12th Oct.
7th do	-	9th Oct.
8th do	-	10th Oct.

On the days on which the ranges are allotted to Units, recreational training may, if C.Os do desire, be cut out and the whole day devoted to musketry.

4. Assault courses are allotted as under -

No.1.course	-	8th Battalion.
Nos. 2 & 3	-	5th Battalion - 7th and 11th Oct.
courses	-	6th Battalion - 8th and 12th Oct.
	-	7th Battalion - 9th and 10th Oct.

5. At least once on each day Battalions will fall in as Units.
6. Units will submit their training programmes for the week ending 12th Oct. to reach this office not later than 8 p.m. 5th inst.

(SGD) H.F. WATSON. CAPT.,
Brigade Major,
2nd Aust. Infantry Brigade.

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5th Battalion.

6th do

7th do

8th do

2nd A.L.T.M.Bty.

1st Australian Division.

SYLLABUS OF TRAINING

Week 13th - 19th Oct.

Morning 0830 - 1100.Afternoon 1400 - 1530.

13th Oct. Bde. Church Parade.

14th to Platoon, Company & Battalion Recreational

19th Oct. drill, Musketry, Bayonet Training.

Fighting, Lewis Guns and etc.

German M.G.'s, Bombs and Rifle

Grenades (especially No.36)

Platoon in attack.

Route marches.

1. 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will carry out training as above substituting its own form of specialist training where infantry specialist work is laid down.

2. One half holiday per week (in addition to Sunday afternoon) may be given at the discretion of C.O's.

3. Two route marches, each of not less than 8 miles, will take place during the week. Full marching order will be worn. On One of these marches transport will accompany units. Strict march discipline must be observed. Units will notify this office of routes selected by noon on the days prior to that on which the marches are to be held.

4. Special attention will be paid to Musketry. Practice in the various events to take place at the Divisional Rifle Meeting should be given with a view to selecting teams to compete in same.

For the week ending 19th October, ranges are allotted as under:-

14th Oct. (Morning 200 yards - afternoon 300 yards) "A" 5th Bn.,
"B" 6th Bn., - "C" 7th Bn.
15th Oct. (Morning 200 yards - afternoon 300 yards) "A" 5th Bn.,
"B" 6th Bn., - "C" 8th Battalion.
16th Oct. (100 and 200 yards) "A" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. - "B" Bde.
Headquarters - "C" 7th Battalion.
17th Oct. (300 yards) "A" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. "B" 7th Bn. -
"C" 8th Battalion.
18th Oct. (400 yards) "A" 5th Bn., "B" 6th Bn., "C" 7th Bn.,
19th Oct. (400 yards) "A" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. "B" 7th Bn., -
"C" 8th Battalion.

On the days on which the ranges are allotted to units, recreational training may, so far as the company or companies using the ranges are concerned, be cut out and the whole day devoted to Musketry.

5. Assault courses are allotted as under:-

No.1. course	-	8th Battalion.
Nos.2 & 3	-	5th Bn. - 14th and 19th Oct.
courses.	-	6th Bn. - 15th and 17th Oct.
	-	7th Bn. - 16th and 18th Oct.

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6. As previously notified, a review of the 1st Australian Division will be held in the near future; full particulars will be notified later. Prior to the review taking place, a Brigade parade and later a full dress rehearsal of the review, will be carried out, but in the meantime, with a view to preparing for same, special attention will be paid to the following points:-

- (a) Cleaning and adjustment of equipment. This at present is not as good as it might be.
- (b) Ceremonial. Battalions will fall in at least once daily as complete units, and a short period will be devoted to ceremonial drill.
- (c) Marching past a saluting point in column of companies, paying particular attention to the 'eyes right' and the slope of the rifle when that salute is given.
- (d) Transport marching past a saluting Base in lines of eight wheeling, etc. Instructions should be given in the correct handling of the whip when saluting. Advantage should be taken of route marches to improve this.
- (e) Massed Bands under Sgt. Watson (5th Bn) will practice as frequently as possible. C.O.'s will arrange to place their bands, when not required for other purposes, at the disposal of Sgt. WATSON for these practices.

7. Units will submit their Training Programmes for the week ending 19th October, not later than 2000 on 12th instant.

(SGD) H.F. WATSON CAPT. Brigade Major, 2nd Aust. Infantry Brigade.

On the days on which the ranges are allotted to units, recreational training may, so far as the company or companies using the ranges are concerned, be cut out and the whole day devoted to musketry.

Assault courses are allotted as under:-

No. 1. course	5th Battalion
No. 2 & 3 courses	5th Bn. - 14th and 15th Oct.
	6th Bn. - 15th and 17th Oct.
	7th Bn. - 15th and 18th Oct.

For the week ending 19th October, ranges are allotted as under:-

Special attention will be paid to musketry. Practices in the various events to take place at the Divisional Rifle Meeting should be given with a view to selecting teams to compete in same.

March discipline must be observed. Units will notify the office of routes selected by noon on the day prior to that on which the marches are to be held.

One half holiday per week (in addition to Sunday afternoon) may be given at the discretion of C.O.'s.

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5th Battalion.

6th do

7th do

8th do

2nd A.L.T.M.Bty.

1st Aust. Division.

SYLLABUS OF TRAINING.

Week 20th - 26th Oct.

MORNING 0830 - 1100. AFTERNOON 1400 - 1530

20th Oct. Church Parade.

21st and 22nd Oct. Platoon, Coy. & Bn. drill, Recreational Training.

22nd Oct. Musketry, Bayonet Fighting.

& Lewis Guns and German M.G's,

24th to 26th Oct. Bombs & Rifle Grenades

(especially No.36), Platoon in attack. Route Marches.

23rd Oct. Brigade Parade.

H. R. WATSON (sgt)

1. 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will carry out training as above substituting (excepting as regards Lewis Guns and German M.G's) its own form of specialist training, where purely infantry specialist work is laid down. All ranks of the 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will be trained in the use of Lewis Guns and German M.G's; 5th Bn. will supply an instructor and guns for this purpose, under arrangements to be mutually made.
2. One half holiday per week (in addition to Sunday afternoon) may be given at the discretion of C.O's.
3. Platoon in attack will be practised daily.
4. On the morning of the 23rd instant a Brigade Parade will be held on the ground in rear of "A", "B" and "C" ranges. Particulars and time of parade will be notified later.
5. Eliminating trials to select the best companies, platoons and teams to compete in events Nos.1,2 & 3 at the Divisional Rifle Meeting, will be held during the week. The conditions laid down for those events will be strictly adhered to in these trials. The services of the Brigade Musketry Officer are available for judging and assisting, if required.

For the week ending 26th October, ranges are allotted as under:-

21st Oct.	"A", "B" & "C" Ranges	-	5th Battalion.
22nd Oct.	"A", "B" & "C" "	-	6th Battalion.
23rd Oct.	"A" and "B" "	-	2nd Field Coy.
"	"C" "	-	Bde. Headquarters.
24th Oct.	"A", "B" & "C" "	-	7th Battalion.
25th Oct.	"A", "B" & "C" "	-	8th Battalion.

The ranges will not at present be allotted for the 26th inst., but will be reserved for the use of any Battalion which may be prevented by reason of wet weather from practising on the date allotted to it above.

P.T.O.

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H E A D Q U A R T E R S
2nd Aust. Infantry Bde
18th October, 1918

On the days on which the ranges are allotted to Units, recreational training may be dispensed with and the whole day devoted to Musketry.

6. Assault courses are allotted as under:-

No. 1. course	-	8th Battalion	-	22nd & 24th Oct.
Nos. 2 & 3 courses.	-	5th Battalion	-	21st and 26th Oct.
	-	6th Battalion	-	25th Oct.
	-	7th Battalion	-	

7. One route march (in addition to that laid down for event No. 1. in the Rifle Competition) of not less than 8 miles, will take place during the week. Full marching order will be worn and transport will accompany Units. Strict march discipline must be observed. Units will notify this office of routes selected, by noon on the days prior to those on which the marches are to be held.

8. Units will submit their training programmes in duplicate for the week ending 26th October, by 1800 on 19th instant.

(sgd) H. F. WATSON CAPTAIN,
Brigade Major,
2nd Aust. Infantry Bde.

arrangements to be mutually made. will supply an instructor and guns for this purpose, under trained in the use of Lewis Guns and German M.G.'s; 5th Bn. work is laid down. All ranks of the 2nd A.I.T.M. Bty. will be form of specialist training, where purely infantry specialist (excepting as regards Lewis Guns and German M.G.'s) its own 2nd Aust. Infantry Bde.

2. One half holiday per week (in addition to Sunday afternoon) may be given at the discretion of C.O.'s.

3. Platoon in attack will be practised daily.

4. On the morning of the 23rd instant a Brigade Parade will be held on the ground in rear of "A", "B" and "C" ranges. Particulars and time of parade will be notified later.

5. Eliminating trials to select the best companies, platoons and teams to compete in events Nos. 1, 2 & 3 at the Divisional Rifle Meeting, will be held during the week. The conditions laid down for those events will be strictly adhered to in these trials. The services of the Brigade Musketry Officer are available for judging and assisting, if required.

For the week ending 26th October, ranges are allotted as under:-

21st Oct.	"A", "B" & "C" Ranges	5th Battalion
22nd Oct.	"A", "B" & "C"	6th Battalion
23rd Oct.	"A" and "B"	2nd Field Coy.
	"C"	Bde Headquarters
24th Oct.	"A", "B" & "C"	7th Battalion
25th Oct.	"A", "B" & "C"	8th Battalion

The ranges will not at present be allotted for the 26th inst. but will be reserved for the use of any Battalion which may be prevented by reason of wet weather from practising on the date allotted to it above.

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5th Battalion.
6th do
7th do
8th do
2nd A.L.T.M.Bty.
1st Aust. Division.

APPENDIX CCXIII

SYLLABUS OF TRAINING -
Week 27th Oct. - 2nd Nov.

Morning 0830 - 1130.

Afternoon 1400 - 1530

27th Oct. Church Parade
28th Oct. Platoon, Company and Battalion Recreational
to drill, Musketry, Bayonet Fighting, Training.
1st Nov. Lewis Guns and German M.G's, Bombs
and Rifle Grenades (especially No.36)
Platoon in attack. Route Marches
2nd Nov. Brigade Parade. do

1. 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will carry out training as above substituting (except as regards Lewis Guns and German M.G's) its own form of specialist training, where purely infantry specialist work is laid down. All ranks of 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will be trained in the use of Lewis Guns and German M.G's; 6th Battalion will supply an instructor and guns for this purpose, under arrangements to be mutually made.
2. One half holiday per week (in addition to Sunday afternoon) may be given at the discretion of C.O's.
3. As all Senior Officers, including Company Commanders, will be absent from their Units on 28th instant attending the Training Conference, C.O's will arrange that the work set down for that day is of an elementary character, such as may be supervised by platoon commanders.
4. On the 30th and 31st instant the Divisional Rifle Meeting will be held. Men not competing in the various events at the meeting, will engage in training as usual.
5. For the week ending 2nd Nov., ranges are allotted as under:-

28th Oct.	"A" 5th Bn.)	
	"B" 6th Bn.)	Only teams competing at the Rifle
	"C" 7th Bn.)	Meeting should practice. Ranges at
29th Oct.	"A" 8th Bn.)	which firing will take place to be
	"B" 6th Bn.)	mutually arranged.
	"C" 7th Bn.)	
30th Oct.	"A" Bde.H.Q.	
	"B" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty.	
	"C" 2nd Field Coy.	
31st Oct.	"A" 5th Bn.)	For those ^{not} competing at Rifle
	"B" 6th Bn.)	Meeting.
	"C" 2nd A.L.T.M.BTY.)	
1st Nov.	"A", "B" & "C" - 8th Bn.	For tactical schemes.
6. Assault courses are allotted as under:-

No.1. course	- 8th Battalion.	
Nos.2 & 3	- 5th Battalion	- 28th and 30th Oct.
courses	- 6th Battalion	- 29th and 31st Oct.
	- 7th Battalion	- 1st Nov.

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- 7. Tactical schemes, with and without troops, will be carried out as frequently as possible. 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will co-operate in these schemes by attaching a sub-section to the troops engaged in the schemes. O.C. 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. will make necessary arrangements.
- 8. With a view to brushing up for the Divisional Review, a short period will be devoted daily to ceremonial.
- 9. A Brigade Parade will take place on 2nd November. Arrangements will be notified later.
- 10. One route march of not less than 8 miles will take place during the week. Full marching order will be worn, and transport will accompany Units. Units will notify this office of the routes selected, by noon on the days prior to those on which the marches are to be held.
- 11. Units will submit their Training Programmes (in duplicate) for the week ending 2nd November, by 1800 on 26th instant.

(sgd) H.F. WATSON. CAPTAIN,
 Brigadié Major,
 2nd Aust. Infantry Brigade.

- 1. For the week ending 2nd Nov., ranges are allotted as under:-
 - 2. On the 30th and 31st instant the Divisional Rifle Meeting will be held. Men not competing in the various events at the meeting will engage in training as usual.
 - 3. As all Senior Officers, including Company Commanders, will be absent from their Units on 28th instant attending the Training Conference, C.O.'s will arrange that the work set down for that day is of an elementary character, such as may be supervised by platoon commanders.
 - 4. One half holiday per week (in addition to Sunday afternoon) may be given at the discretion of C.O.'s.
 - 5. For the week ending 2nd Nov., ranges are allotted as under:-
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|-----------|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|
| 30th Oct. | "A" 5th Bn. | 31st Oct. | "A" 5th Bn. |
| | "B" 5th Bn. | | "B" 5th Bn. |
| | "C" 7th Bn. | | "C" 7th Bn. |
| 29th Oct. | "A" 5th Bn. | | "C" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. |
| | "B" 5th Bn. | | |
| | "C" 7th Bn. | | |
| | "A" 5th Bn. | | |
| | "B" 5th Bn. | | |
| | "C" 7th Bn. | | |
| 30th Oct. | "A" Bde. H.Q. | | |
| | "B" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. | | |
| | "C" 2nd Field Coy. | | |
| 31st Oct. | "A" 5th Bn. | | |
| | "B" 5th Bn. | | |
| | "C" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. | | |
| 1st Nov. | "A" 5th Bn. | | |
| | "B" 5th Bn. | | |
| | "C" 2nd A.L.T.M.Bty. | | |
- Assault courses are allotted as under:-
- No. 1. course - 5th Battalion.
 - Nos. 2 & 3 - 5th Battalion - 28th and 30th Oct.
 - courses - 5th Battalion - 29th and 31st Oct.
 - 7th Battalion - 1st Nov.