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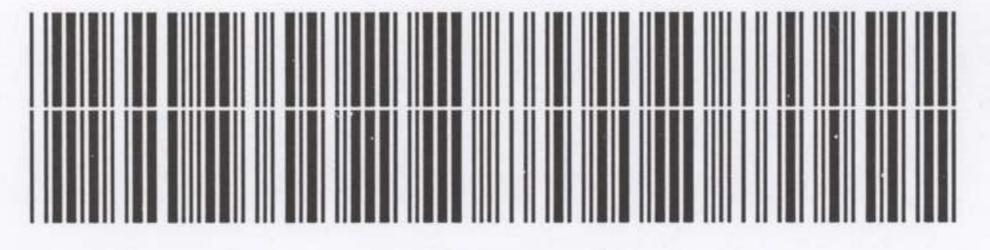
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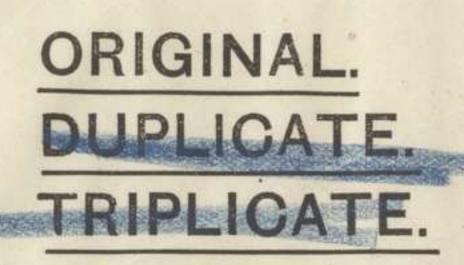
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| | | | | REFERENCE MAP | |
| | IR 1st 11th | | Whilst in this area Battery training consisted of Section, Battery, Squad Drill Dummy firing etc. 2 field operations were carried out. Inspections by Field Marshall General Cox and G. O. C's. Division and Brigade. Several Gas tests were carried out. Football and cricket were the main sports indulged in. STRENGTH 6 Officers, 53 Other ranks. | | s 13 |
| | 12th | | Lieut. McPherson attached for duty. STRENGTH 6 Officers, 53 Other ranks | ditto | |
| | 13th 24th | | Same as for period 1st to 11th. | | |
| PLOUY | 25th | 1600 | Marched out of Neuf Manoir Arrived at Plouy. (Brigade Order 60 of 25/9/17) LOCATION OF HEADQUARTERS - PLOUY STRENGTH - 6 Officers, 102 other ranks 47 carriers attached from Battalions. | 1/100,000 Hazebrouck 50 1/20,000 28 SW Ed. 6a | |
| | | | | ditto | |
| ARINGHEM | 26th | 1700 | Marched out of Plouy (Brigade Order No. 61 of 25/9/17) Arrived at Blaringhem. LOCATION OF HEADQUARTERS - BLARINGHEM Strength - 6 Officers, 102 other ranks. | ditto | |
| LVESTER | 27th | 1140 1430 | Marched out of Blaringhem (B.O. 62 of 26/9/17) Errived at Sylvester - Cappel. LOCATION OF HEADQUARTERS - SYLVESTER CAPPEL STRENGTH - 6 offs., 100 Other ranks. 2 men to schools. | ditto | |
| NNEZEELE | 28th | 1300 | Marched out of Sylvester - Cappel Arrived at Winnezeele. LOCATION OF HEADQUARTERS - WINNEZEELE STRENGTH 6 Offs., 98 Other ranks - LEAVE Paris - 1 O.R England - 1 O.R. SCHOOLSwews 3.3/Pochar 3/Pochar Sylvester Streng/C2118/16 | ditto | |

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| WINNEZEELE | 29th | | Whilst in this area Battery received orders to prepare for forthcoming operations, 1/100 Lieut. Fleming visited the line at Ypres. YPRES BATTLE. | RENCE MAP ,000 Hazebrouck 5a 000 28 SW Ed 6a |
| | 30th | | Captain Anderson with two officers and 17 other ranks left for Morbecque as nucleus (Brigade Preliminary Instruction No. 2 of 29/9/17 STRENGTH - 3 Offs., 86 other ranks. | ditto |
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