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WAR DIARY - 101 FD BTY RAA.

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1. Attached is one copy of War Diary for period 1-30 Apr 60 together with a duplicate copy for period 1-31 Mar 60.


Comd 101 Fd Bty RAA
Maj RAA

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COMMANDING OFFICER..Maj.P.J..Norton.....

MONTH AND YEAR.//...Apr/60.....

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Butterworth	2		Battery on internal training and maintainance.	
Taiping	3		BHQ left base for annual range practice at Taiping.	
Butterworth	4		BHQ at Taiping, C & D Tp in base training.	
Ipoh	5		BC attended Bde Comd's Conference at Ipoh.	
Butterworth			Mourning day in memory of the late Yang Di Pertuan Agong Tuanku Abdul Rahman- Paramount Ruler of Malaya.	
Taiping	6		BHQ still at Taiping rest of troops in base training.	
Butterworth			Visit by Maj H.H. HENDERSON RAEME DADEME 17 Gur Dic/OGLF. Was met by BC and conducted on tour of LAD area.	
	7		Visit by Lt. Gen Sir RODNEY MOORE, KCVO, CB, CBE, DSO acc by Maj. A N BREITMEIER MA to D of Ops. and Brig HJ MOGG Comd 28 Comwel Bde. They were met by BC and conducted on tour of bty area. BHQ returned to base from annual range practice.	

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Butterworth	8		Battery on internal training in base. Visit by Maj. WMA CONRAN -RA- Adv Party Offr 26 Fd Regt. Was met by BC and conducted on tour of area.	
Taiping	11		C Tp on range practice at Taiping.	
Butterworth			Visit by Maj. I.R.W. BRUMFIELD - DAQMG Aust Army FARELF. Was met by BC and conducted through area.	
Ipoh	13		BC attended Bde Comd's Conference at Ipoh.	
Butterworth			Visit by Bde Ordnance Officer.	
Kuala Kangsar	13		D Tp left base to occupy night ambush posns in the BT Brabit area in sp 13/18 Hussars.	
Ipoh	14		C Tp returned from annual range practice.	
Butterworth	15/18		Bty stood down for Easter holidays. D TP returned from sp of 13/18 Hussars.	

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Bt Brabit	19		D Tp still in sp 13/18 Hussars in night ambush posts.	
	20		C Tp relieved D Tp at BT Brabit.	
Butterworth			Visit by Maj Gen W.G.H. PIKE, CB, CBE, DSO - chief of staff FARELF on farewell tour.	
			Was met by BC and conducted on tour of Bty area.	
Ipoh	21		BC attended Bde Comd's Conference at Ipoh.	
Kuala Lumpur	23		Detachment of Bty left for Kuala Lumpur in prep for ANZAC Day service.	
Minden BKS	25		Dawn service at Minden Barracks - Penang - and Kuala Lumpur. Bty was represented at both services. CGS Sir Ragnar GARRETT attended service at Minden Barracks.	

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Butterworth	26		Visit by Lt. Gen Sir RAGNAR GARRETT ,KBE,CB,- acc by Maj K.S. MACKENZIE MA to CGS. Were met by BC and conducted on tour of camp area.	
	28		I G team from Hong Kong arrived to prep Bty for 6 gun Bty instruction to be held 2-11 May 60/.	
Ipoh			Adm Comd attended Bde Comd's Conference at Ipoh.	
Butterworth			Visit by Dep Comd 17 Gur Div/OCLF - Brig R. KEITH-JONES, MBE, MC. Was met by BC and conducted on tour of area.	
	29/30		Bty prepared for training with IG team. C Tp returned to base from Bt Brabit ambush posns.	

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