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ARMY FORM C.2118

WAR DIARY

or

~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Unit 193 FIELD AMBULANCE, R.A.M.C.

Month and Year NOVEMBER 1944.

Commanding Officer FWA Warren Lt Col

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	References to Appendices
Holland	1		Field Ambulance less 'A' Coy moved to HELMOND then to DEURNE. 'A' Coy moved to area LOON. Opened C.C.P. Very quiet. Local shelling.	FWAW
	2.		HQ & 'B' Coy located in Textile Factory DEURNE, closed. Occasional local shelling near 'A' Coy location.	FWAW
	3		No change.	FWAW
	4		Unit moves to ASTEN. ADS opened in School. 'B' left HQ and proceeded to LIESEL to establish C.C.P. in Convent School.	FWAW
	5.		As above. 'A' Coy in reserve, billeted in Monastery. Lieut. Cooper (309181) joins for duty from 194 Fd Amb. 5 Offrs & 96 ORs evacuated also 2 POW the majority being Battle Casualties.	FWAW
	6.		Locations as above. DDMS 8 Corps visited ADS at 1200 hrs. 37 cases admitted mostly sick. Enemy air attack DEURNE - ASTEN area 2030 hrs. Bombs dropped on outskirts of village. Little damage sustained no casualties.	
	7		Locations as above. Very few casualties at 'B' Coy CCP and mostly sick cases evacuated from ADS.	FWAW
Holland	8		Locations as above. Very few casualties in ADS mostly sick. 46 Bde in holding position.	FWAW
	9		Locations as above. Few casualties, sick still in majority.	FWAW
	10		As above.	FWAW
	11		As above.	FWAW
	12		As above.	FWAW
	13		As above. 'B' Coy at LIESEL arranged for Bde inoculations.	FWAW
	14		As above. Casualties still very slight, mostly sick. Capt. Gaman & Lieut. Rankin to Rest Centre at TILBURG. Lieut. Williams arrived from 'A' Coy on relief. Heavy barrage and attack on right of CCP location.	FWAW
	15		As above.	FWAW
	16		As above. ADMS visited CCP location. 'A' Coy warned to be ready to join 'B' Coy. Weather very cold and wet.	FWAW

Holland	17	ADS still open. 'A' Coy joined 'B' Coy at 1730 hrs for operation of Car Post. Instruction cancelled at 0900 hrs, 'A' Coy returned to ASTEN. Lieut. Williams returned to 'A' Coy on return of Capt Gaman and Lieut Rankin. Average of Battle Casualties slightly higher.	FWAW
	18	Locations as above. 'B' Coy SBs contacted Bns with Miller James Carriers.	FWAW
	19	Locations as above. 48 casualties admitted to CCP, 40 of which were from one Bn. Majority of these cases were serious and mostly caused by mines.	FWAW
	20	Locations as above. Quiet in CCP. ADS admitted 6 Offrs 80 ORs mostly Battle Casualties. 'B' Coy SBs returned from Bns.	FWAW
	21	HQ and 'B' Coy same locations. Very quiet. 'A' Coy moved to LIESEL and joined 'B' Coy. Recce of location at HELENAVEEN carried out and 'A' Coy moved from LIESEL at 1700 hrs to school in HELENAVEEN. CCP was opened but few casualties admitted.	FWAW
	22	Locations as above. Very quiet.	FWAW
	23	As above.	FWAW
	24	'A' Coy recce'd site for CCP at VOORSTE HEES. No move.	FWAW
Holland	25	HQ & 'B' Coy in same locations. 'A' Coy recce'd site for CCP at HOORST after moving with Bde convoy. Coy moved into HOORST 1630 hrs. Inter-Coy posting Capt Gaman to HQ, Lieut. Cooper to 'B' Coy.	FWAW
	26	Locations as above. 4 'A' Coy SBs sent to 9 Cams at 0730 hrs. Situation very quiet.	FWAW
	27	'A' Coy received warning order to be prepared to move. All Coys open in same locations. Still very quiet.	FWAW
	28	'A' Coy recce'd new location but found nothing suitable. Car Post established at ROEST 841136.	FWAW
	29	HQ & 'B' Coy moved in independent groups to SEVENUM. ADS opened in school with FTU and FSU attached. 'A' Coy remained at HOORST with exception of personnel manning Car Post. Very quiet in all locations.	FWAW
	30	ADS open SEVENUM. 'B' Coy closed in support. 'A' Coy located at HOORST with Car Post at 841136. Very quiet. Weather during the month very wet.	FWAW