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WAR DIARY

or

Unit 22nd (BR) F.D.S.

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Commanding Officer Major A.M. George

Month and Year APRIL 45

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	References to Appendices
GREVEN Sheet P.2. 895893	1	2359	Unit finished March by being a filter to 34 C.C.S. Today we moved & harboured at GREVEN Central Europe 1:100,000 Sheet P.2. 895893. D.D.M.S. was seen in the evening & we were informed we were to open on the 2nd as an advanced Surgical Centre.	A.M.G.
GREVEN Sheet P.2. 907883	2	2359	Moved early to new location in Greven. A large wool manufactory it gives ample opportunity to set up a good surgical centre. 33 F.S.U. 48 F.S.U. 21 F.T.U. & 517 M.D.U. were attached. 13 Battle Casualties 1 Sick & 12 P.O.W. received.	A.M.G.
"	3	2359	45 Battle Casualties 11 Sick 33 P.O.W. & 3 Displaced Persons passed through. Of the Battle Casualties, not all were operated on by the F.S.U.s. Their figures will be given later. Two sisters attached from 33 C.C.S.	A.M.G.
GREVEN	4	2359	46 Battle Casualties, 31 Sick, 51 P.O.W. 14 Displaced Persons passed through.	A.M.G.
"	5	2359	31 Battle Casualties 21 Sick, 7 P.O.W. 1 Displaced Person	A.M.G.
"	6	2359	26 Battle Casualties, 32 Sick, 4 P.O.W. 1 Displaced Person. Officially closed today to "digest" post-operative cases.	A.M.G.
"	7	2359	6 Battle Casualties 15 Sick 2 P.W. 1 Displaced Person. These cases not likely to delay departure when post op cases fit.	A.M.G.
"	8	2359	33 F.S.U. C.T.B.A. - 6 Sick admitted & 1 Displaced Person	A.M.G.
"	9	"	21 F.T.U. C.T.B.A. 4 Sick.	A.M.G.
"	10	"	13 Sick two Displaced Persons.	
"	11	"	Still 8 post op cases after 4 evac.	A.M.G.
GREVEN	12.	2359	Normal Routine. DDMS visited unit - We have to prepare to move on or about 15th when all Post-op cases should be clear.	A.M.G.
"	13.	2359	Nil to report.	A.M.G.
"	14.	2359	Last post op case evacuated. Unit ready to move to harbour with 24 F.D.S. at CELLE X5950.	A.M.G.
CELLE	15	2359	Unit arrived CELLE. 48 F.S.U. attached to 24 F.D.S. 8th Corps VDTC attached to 1 F.D.S.	A.M.G.
"	16	"	Internal Reorganisation.	A.M.G.

"	17	"	Unit still harbouring.	A.M.G.
"	18	"	Warning order to prepare to move to LUNEBURG accompanied by 33 C.C.S. to which unit we are to act as a filter	A.M.G.
LUNEBURG	19	"	Recce of Luneburg showed the SCHARNHORST Barracks S7818 to be the only possible site. Major Spillane, 8th Corps Psychiatrist attached. Suitable wards were allotted. - One Barrack wing allocated to 8th Corps V.D.T.C. due to arrive 20th. The General policy is to take off all lightly wounded & sick to prevent flooding of the C.C.S. A few wards given to holding really trivial cases. - Today 26 cases admitted.	A.M.G.
"	20th		Routine well established. 87 cases through.	A.M.G.
"	21st		48 cases.	A.M.G.
"	22		100 cases.	A.M.G.
"	23		Visit by DDMS - No Battle imminent. 95 cases.	A.M.G.
"	24		60 cases.	A.M.G.
"	25		59 cases.	A.M.G.
"	26		70 cases. - DDMS visited to inform us that the crossing of the Elbe would be attempted in the next few days.	A.M.G.
LUNEBURG	27	2359	80 cases admitted.	A.M.G.
"	28	"	83 cases admitted.	A.M.G.
"	29	"	Early this morning the corps made an assault crossing of the Elbe. 230 cases admitted.	A.M.G.
"	30	"	151 Casualties admitted. Today evacuation was to 35 CCS at the air strip LUNEBURG. Prior to today all evacuation from LUNEBURG has been to 86 & 121 G.H. at CELLE	A.M.G.