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**WAR DIARY**

or

Unit 227 (H) Inf Bde Wksps., R.E.M.E.

**~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~**

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Commanding Officer Major W.T. Morgan

Month and Year July 1944

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	References to Appendices
West Grinstead	6th	July	'44. Main Workshops departed from West Grinstead, Sussex, and proceeded to Marshalling Area at Brentwood, Essex. The party consisted of 5 Officers and 164 O.Rs.	
Brentwood	8th	July	'44. Departed from Brentwood and embarked Tilbury Dock.	
Tilbury Dock	9th	July	'44. Sailed from Tilbury at 1945 hrs in convoy.	
	10th	July	'44. Arrived off Normandy beach-head 2400 hrs.	
	11th	July	'44. Remained off beach-head unable to disembark due to heavy seas.	
	12th	July	'44. Disembarked at Juno Beach, Normandy, and proceeded to St. Croix-sur-Mer where de-waterproofing was carried out. Departed from St. Croix-sur-Mer and proceeded to St. Croix des Tonnes, 894739.	
St. Croix des Tonnes	13th	July	'44. Enemy air raid on beach-head during night.	
do	19th	July	'44. Capt A.R.P. Hall and 16 O.Rs (Wksps residue) joined main Wksps., from United Kingdom.	
do	23rd	July	'44. Workshops moved to new location at Balleroy, 697702. Enemy shelled area night 23/24 July. Enemy aircraft also active during night.	
St. Croix des Tonnes	26th	July	'44. Lieut. Fox and inspection team proceeded to 227 Bde H.Q.	
do	29th	July	'44. Unit moved to new location in Bois de Baugy, 699683. Lieut. Madeley and 2 O.Rs established Report Centre at La Martiniere, 704614. Area shelled by enemy at night.	
Bois de Baugy	30th	July	'44. Unit moved to Sedouet, 703658.	

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