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WAR DIARY

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~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Unit 10th Bn The Highland Light Infantry

Commanding Officer Lt-Col H.P. Mackley O.B.E.

Month and Year SEPTEMBER 44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	References to Appendices
Field	1st	1500	Situation normal. Bn still at CONNELLES. Warning Order for move on 2nd Sep issued. 1500 move cancelled.	CASUALTIES:- NIL
	2nd		Situation normal. C.O.s Route March. Brig visited Bn. Recce party left Bn location at 1430 hrs for LE TRONQUAY 467127. Bde 'O' Group 1900 hrs. Bn 'O' Group 2145 hrs. 227(H) Inf Bde Movement Order issued. Bn to move to conc area. Move to be in two phases. Marching tps will march to embussing point at GAILLEBOIS- CRESENVILLE 407017 arriving Bde SP at HOUVILLE 366972 at 1420 hrs. Order of March - B, Bn HQ, C & "A". 2 hrs rest and embuss for remainder of journey to LE TRONQUAY. Tpt to move in Bde convoy to LE TRONQUAY crossing Bde SP at HOUVILLE at 1100 hrs. Route as shown in Bde Move Table No.8.	CASUALTIES:- NIL Rfts: 20 1 copy with original War Diary Sheet 9E/5
Field	3rd		Tpt left Bn at 0915 for new location. Passed SP at 1105 arriving LE TRONQUAY 1400 hrs. Marching personnel moved off at 1130 hrs, crossed Bde SP at 1420 and arrived embussing pt at 1530 hrs. Embussed 1800 hrs arrived LE TRONQUAY 1845 hrs. Bn HQ established 467126. Bde 'O' Gp 2100 hrs. Bn 'O' Group 2200 hrs. 'O' Group - Bn to move embussed on the 4th Sept to area East Gaillefontaine 6335 by Route "SKY". Harbour Party to leave at 0700 hrs to recce area. Order of March - IO, Carriers, Fwd HQ, Mortars, A/Tk, A1 Ech, C Coy, Bn HQ, B & A Coys, A2 Ech, "B" Echelon. To cross Bn SP 1130 hrs. Move "non-tactical".	Sheet 9E/4
Field	4th		Bn left LE TRONQUAY embussed at 1130 hrs and crossed Bde SP at 1135 arriving at 6335 at 1400 hrs. Bn HQ est 635358. Bn took up def posn. Bde 'O' Gp 2145 hrs. Bn 'O' Gp 2300 hrs. Coys ordered to clear woods at FORGES-LES-EAUX at first light. Clearing to be done by "A" & "B" Coys and two secs of carriers. Starting at 0630 hrs. Bn to move on 5th Sep to CONCHY-SUR-CANCHE 0503. Bn tpt less marching pers to move at 1130 and cross Bde SP 699412 at 1230 hrs. Coy to move in TCVs at 1400 hrs to cross Bde SP at 1440 hrs	Sheet 9E/4 Sheet 9E/4 Sheet 72

			(dependent on TCVs being available). Move "non-tactical". Recce Parties leave at 0700 hrs for new location.	
Field	5th	0630	"A" & "B" Coys assisted by two secs of carriers cleared woods at FORGES-LES-EAUX, no enemy seen. 1200 hrs Bn tpt, "A1", "A2" and "B" Echelons left Bn area for CONCHY-SUR-CANCHE. Crossed Bde SP at 1230 hrs. Route:- Xrds 6335 - CRIQUIERS 6536 - ABANCOURT 7039 - rd junc 699412 - GOURCHELLES 7142 - Rd junc 719431 - rd junc 742436 - x rds 7346 - HORNOY 8154 - AUMONT 8358 - rd junc 851638 - AIRAINES 8567 - LONGPRES LE CORPS SAINTS 8872 - rd junct 879739 - LONG 8876 - AILLY LE HAUT CLOCHER 8980 - MOUGUILLE 8786 - AUXI LE CHATEAU 9996 - LIGNY SUR CANCHE 1001, arrived 1915 hrs. Bn HQ est at 059036. Coys remained at EAST GAILLEFONTAINE as TCVs were not available.	MAPS LE HAVRE-AMIENS 1/250,000 AMIENS-MONS
	6th		Bde "O" Gp at 0900 hrs. No move before 1200 hrs. 227 Bde to occupy COURTRAI 8556 and guard NW approaches. Move dependent on availability of TCVs. Route:- Xrds 059037 - Xrds 126007 - rly crossing 163117 (Bde SP). Route "SKY" ST POL 1611 - rd junc 1814 - DIVION 2921 - CAMBLIGNEUL 3712 - HERSIN 3917 - Xrds 4217 - rd junc 4522 - Rd junc 4620 - BERMELLS 4722 - Xrds 5122 - WINGLES 5422 - Xrds 5324 - Br 5625 - AMEULLIM 5926 - Br 5828 - Xrds 6033 - LILLE 6937 - HALLUIM 7554 - MENIN 7555 - COURTRAI 8658. Bde to "HEDGEHOG" at 2000 hrs if destination not reached. Move "non-tactical". Harbour parties to Bde at 0700 hrs 7th Sep. 2300 hrs no move before 1000 hrs 7th Sep.	CASUALTIES:- NIL SHEET 7: 1/100,000 MAPS:- 1/250,000 LILLE & GHENT
Field	7th		Bn left CONCHY-SUR-CANCHE at 1045 hrs and proceeded on route given. Coln diverted north of LILLE as some enemy still occupied COURTRAI. Bde now to conc area HELCHIN 9446. 44 Bde to occupy COURTRAI and extend NE. 46 Bde, under comd 7 Armd Bde, engaged with enemy AVELGHEM 9750. Harbour parties sent fwd. Move contd on route LILLE - RONCQ 7449 - TOURCOING 7746 - MOUSCRON 8148 - DOTTIGNIES 8745 - HELCHIN 9346. Arrived HELCHIN at 2300 hrs. Bn HQ est 930457. Bde "O" Group 2330 hrs. 44 Bde to hold crossing of River LYS from excl COURTRAI - excl OISENE 9968. 227 Bde to take over crossings of LYS from incl OISENE - excl GHENT, with 10/HLI right area excl GHENT - excl DEYNZE 0473 and 2 A&SH left area DEYNZE - OISENE. Approach move to be made tactically as some enemy possibly still on route. Order of March:- Div Recce - 2 A&SH - Bde HQ - 10/HLI - 2 Gordons. Route:- HELCHIN - KERKHOVE 0152 - ANSEGHEM 0053 - CRUYSHAUTEM 0484.	Casualties:- Nil Sheet 72
Field	8th		Bn "O" Group 0030 - Orders given for move to River LYS. A Coy to hold br DEURLE 1075. C Coy to hold bridges around WEST of GHENT. Route as for Bde, then to CRUYSHAUTEM - NAZARETH 0970 - DEURLE 1074. Tps to op under comd - Pl MMGs - Pl REs - One tp 6pr RA - move embussed under "A" Coy Gp - Bn R Gp - "C" Coy Gp - "B" Coy Gp.	Casualties: Nil

			A2 & B Ech to remain under Bde control. Bn SP - Xrds 929459. Time of Start - 0810 hrs. CO & IO to travel with Bde "O" Gp. 0800 hrs move postponed. Recce party moved off. 1120 Bn moved off. 2 A&SH encountered slight opposition. 1700 hrs "A" & "C" Coys deploy and moved on to objectives. No opposition encountered. 1900 hrs "B" Coy and Bn HQ est 163768.	
Field	9th		Situation normal. 1200 hrs A, B & C Coys crossed River LYS to clear enemy from the area. 2 PW taken. Bn 'O' Gp. 'C' Coy to take over rd and rlwy bridges south west of GHENT. 1400 Bn to be ready to move. 1530 Div Comdr visited Bn. 1800 move cancelled until further orders. Bn to be in readiness to move.	Casualties: Nil
	10th		Situation normal. Bn at 2 hrs notice to move. 6 P.O.W. taken.	Casualties: Nil
Field	11th		Situation normal. Bn O Gp 1100 hrs. Bn to be ready to move by 1400 hrs. Bn S.P. 163768. One platoon of B Coy 1 Mx under comd. Bn to move to HUMBEEK 652694. Bn moved off 1400 hrs, arrived HUMBEEK 2200 hrs. Route:- DEURLE - NAZARETH - CHRUYSHAUTEM - STRYTHEM - ASSCHE - WOLVERTHEM - HUMBEEK, 1/250,000 Sheets 2 & 3. Bn HQ est at 652694. Bde 'O' Gp 1600 hrs during move. 44 Bde take over GHEEL and push NORTH to bridge over canal at 0792. 227 Bde conc EYNTHOUT 1790. 15(S) Div advance and take MOLL and push through to DONCK 1795. Plan subsequently changed and Bde to take MOLL and DONCK.	
Field	12th		Bn O Gp 0800 hrs. Infm of MOLL-DONCK attack. Bn O Gp 2230 hrs. Bn move 0830 hrs to conc area EYNTHOUT by T.C.V. Order of March: A, B, C, HQ. Move non-tactical until reaching conc area. Route "AYR". Wireless silence during move. Bn 'O' Gp to move with Bde. R.V. 0845. Carrier Pln, dismounted, to secure high ground over canal on morning of 14th. Arty SP - 4 Fd Btys, 2 Med Btys, 1 Hy Bty. Bn O Gp will recce with Bde Comdr at 0900 hrs 13th. Bn S.P. 632625 to be passed at 0810 hrs. Bde S.P. 637657 at 0830 hrs. Order of March: Sec Carriers, 2 Mortars, 2 A/Tk, all Sec Pioneers, A Coy, Sec Carriers, Bn HQ, 2 Mortars, 2 A/Tk, B Coy, A2 Ech, S Coy, RAP, Sec Carriers, 2 Mortars, 2 A/Tk, C Coy, L.A.A. Halts 10 mins every hour.	Casualties: Nil
Field	13th		Situation normal. Bn moved off at 0810 hrs. Orders amended during move. Bn to move on and occupy MOLL. 2 A&SH to push through and secure bridge at DONCK. Bn passed over ALBERT CANAL to MEERHOUT. A2 Ech left convoy at MEERHOUT. Div Recce report a few enemy at MOLL. Bn halted just short of MOLL. Bn to attack, 'B' on left, 'A' on right, 'C' in reserve. Arty barrage on MOLL for 7 mins. A/Tk guns to fire A.P. shots at Church Tower which is probably an enemy OP. Arty Barrage and A/Tk shots at 1800 hrs. Bn attack 1810 hrs. No enemy opposition, enemy having withdrawn over canal. B Coy occupied	Casualties: Nil

			posn on rd leading to DONCK 170913. A Coy 179917 on rd leading to LOMMEL. C Coy in reserve in MOLL 167904. BHQ est at 169905.	
	14th		Situation normal. 2 A&SH unable to occupy DONCK, bridge over canal being destroyed by enemy. Bn HQ shelled at 1100 hrs.	Casualties: Nil
Field	15th		Bde O Gp 1400 hrs. 44 Bde Bridgehead not very successful. If 44 Bde cannot make further progress the following Op will be carried out by 227 Bde. 2 A&SH to create a diversion at DONCK with boats. 2 Gordons to build and launch Kapok bridge and form bridgehead in wood at 143945. HLI to cross and take DESSCHEL 1696, having formed up behind wood 1593. 2 A&SH to pass through Gdns and HLI and extend right of bridgehead to WHITGOOR 1896. Sptd by 4 Fd Btys, 1 Med Bty, 1 Hy Bty. Med Bty to fire on DESSCHEL, Fd Btys on wood 1495. After this arty at call of HLI. A/Tk 17 pdrs to DESSCHEL, 6 pdr A/Tk and LAA in wood. Surprise crossing to be made in lifebelts by volunteers if available. S.L. edge of wood 1595. Launching to be ready at 0200 hrs. Bn to cross canal 0300 hrs and cross S.L. at 0600 hrs. Route:- Gdns & HLI. 168903 - 1591 - 155921, A&SH. Direct route to canal and crossing to be taped. Bn Guides to meet Gdn guides at 2 A&SH location. Guides left 2200 hrs.	Casualties: Nil
Field	16th		Bn O Gp 0200 hrs. 2 Gdns started off 0130 hrs. Bn to follow up as closely as possible in order to cross in darkness. Time of start 0300 hrs. Hot tea to be issued in assembly area. Order of March 'C' Coy with I.O., leading 'B' Coy, Bn HQ, A Coy. Transport to move up in rear of marching column. Method of crossing and subsequent operation. Only one br available therefore 'C' Coy to cross first and advance to clear S.L. B Coy to follow to Start Line. Bn HQ and 'A' Coy to cross later. Attack on DESSCHEL to be made by C Coy left B Coy right. Bn left MOLL 0300 hrs arrived conc area ACHTERBOSCH 1692 at 0500 hrs where contact was made with rear of 2 Gdns. Bn moved up to assembly area behind 2 Gdns at 0700. No further advance could then be made as leading coy of Gdns had not succeeded in making initial crossing of canal. HQ est 148936. 1500 hrs. Original plan abandoned and Bn withdrawn to occupy former locations in MOLL. Orders then received for 227 Bde to extend 44 Bde Bridgehead North of GHEEL 0888. Bn diverted en route and Harbour parties sent forward to recce Bn area 1091. C.O. attended Bde O Gp 1630 hrs. Bde intention to extend bridgehead by crossing canal in area from LOCK 078928 to 101934 while 2 G.H. crossed on west of bridgehead. 8 assault boats to be made available for crossing by 2 Gdns and 2 A&SH. 10 HLI to make all arrangements for taping the crossing sites and working the boats. Night 16-17 to be used for listening patrols to locate enemy on canal bank and for RE recce for boat embarkation	Casualties: Nil

Field		places. Day of 17th to be occupied in preparation and inspecting of boats. Night 17-18 taping to be completed and boats to be carried forward and launched and crossing to be made. Bn arrived new area 1920 hrs. Bn HQ est 103913. R.E. recce to begin 2100 hrs with taping party from B & C Coys and pioneer party for marking crossing sites with stakes. Recce began from right of sector 2200 hrs. Severe flooding encountered on approach to canal 101932 and canal bank could not be reached. Taping and pioneer parties were left at a central R.V. while R.E. recce officer and Bn I.O. completed recce of canal ☉ Approaches found to be waterlogged or impassable over most of the sector. Enemy active on far side of canal with snipers and mortars.	
Field	17th	RE Recce completed 0500 hrs. Recce report forwarded to Bde HQ. Plan to make assault crossing as proposed now cancelled and instead orders given for 227 Bde to relieve 44 Bde in existing Br Hd and subsequently to extend its perimeter 1900 hrs. Carrier Pln took over from coy 6 RSF at posn covering possible crossing place at 090930.	Casualties: Nil
	18th	Bn withdrawn to conc area prior to crossing canal. 1600 hrs Bn left present location for GHEEL. Posns taken over by 7 Seaforths. Arrived GHEEL 1700 hrs. Bn HQ est 089882. A Coy area shelled during night 18-19.	Casualties: 1 OR KILLED
Field	19th	2 Gdns relieved Bn of 44 Bde in bridgehead. Bn warned to be prepared to extend bridgehead thus held by crossing canal 19-20 and attacking westwards through 2 Gdns to increase bridgehead by 500-600 yds on that side. Bn O Gp 1700 hrs. Bde intention given. Bn to move up to assembly area behind wood 072925 until normal evening German counter attack is over. Bn to cross by existing assault boat ferry during darkness. Mortar personnel to be used for ferrying and carriage of ammunition. Carrier Pln to work dismounted under comd of B Coy. A1 Echelon to remain in last location. A/Tk Pln to provide three gun teams to take over 3 guns left in Br Hd. Method of attack. B Coy right, C Coy centre, A Coy left. Arty Spt on call. Time of crossing to be ordered by Bde. Time of attack to be ordered as soon as Coys reported on S.L. Bn HQ to remain in assembly area until morning 20th. Bn left GHEEL 1830, arrived 2000 hrs. Bn dug in in assembly area. 2215 hrs Bn commenced crossing canal. Crossing completed without incident by 2400 hrs.	Casualties: Nil
	20th	H hour for attack 0200 hrs. Coys reached their objectives by 0300 hrs without serious opposition. 0415 hrs B Coy having advanced beyond objective were heavily counter attacked and forced to withdraw to correct objective, suffering some casualties. After	Casualties: 10 KILLED 20+1 WOUNDED 8 MISSING

Field		<p>first light all coys were subjected to MG and Arty fire whenever movement was made.</p> <p>0630 Bn HQ (advanced) crossed and est posn 074930.</p> <p>0815 C.O. called to Bde O Gp. Orders given for further attack to extend Br Hd for a further 300-400 yds on Bn sector. Orders passed by wireless to Coys.</p> <p>1100 hrs Orders for attack cancelled. 1300 hrs C.O. received orders from Bde Comdr. 1400 hrs Bn O Gp. Orders given to hold fast in present posn. Bde to come under comd 7 Armd Div while remainder of Div prepared to move to area EINDHOVEN. Arrangements made for issue of food. 1700 hrs C.O. called to Bde HQ for orders. 1800 Bn O Gp. Bde ordered to evacuate Br Hd at once as 7 Armd Div did not wish to have heavy commitments on this sector. Evacuation commenced with HLI 2000 hrs followed by simultaneous withdrawal of A&SH and Gdns. Bn withdrawn by 2300 hrs. A few casualties occurred by accurate arty fire on crossing. Bn returned to billets in GHEEL less 'A' Coy who took over covering posn on canal in area 081928.</p>	
Field	21st	<p>1400 hrs 'C' Coy relieved A Coy. 1600 hrs Bn O Gp.</p> <p>Bn to occupy defensive posns on line of canal from including wood 0792 to incl br 118938. Posns occupied with three Coys forward. A Coy right B centre C left. Bn HQ est at 092908. 1900 hrs orders received from Bde. 227 Bde less 10 HLI to rejoin Div area EINDHOVEN. 10 HLI come under comd 131 Bde from 0800 hrs 22nd and remain in present posns.</p>	<p>Casualties: Nil</p> <p>Rfts: 20</p>
	22nd	<p>Bde O Gp 0900 hrs. HQ 131 Bde. 7 Armd Div to be relieved on 23rd by 49 Div. Present 131 Bde sector of canal from excl HERENTHALS 9890 to incl br 118938 to be taken over by (right) 10 HLI incl br 118938 to incl br 064925, left 1/6 Queens. Relief of these two Bns would probably be carried out afternoon 23rd.</p>	<p>Casualties: Nil</p>
Field	23rd	<p>131 Bde Cmdr visited Bn and warned C.O. that relief could be expected during afternoon. Present location of 227 Bde VELDHOVEN (1/100000 Belg S.W. Sheet 4) 3714.</p> <p>1400 Relief of Bn begun by 1/7 Queens. 1600 hrs Bn embussed and left location to join 227 Bde. Route GHEEL - MOLL - LOMMEL - STEENSEL 3411 - VELDHOVEN arriving 1900 hrs. Bn met by Bde L.O. and led to area received shortly beforehand by harbour party on N.W. side of EINDHOVEN. Bn HQ est 419197. Coys dispersed in civilian billets.</p>	<p>Casualties: Nil</p>
Field	24th	<p>Situation normal. C.O. attended Bde O Gp. 1530 hrs Orders given for Bde to advance on SCHIJNDEL (ref 1/100000 Holland Sheet 5) 4137. These orders were cancelled before completion of O Gp and Bde ordered to enlarge Br Hd of 46 Bde at BEST ref 3726 by attack from</p>	<p>Casualties: Nil</p>

		<p>canal to NAASTERBEST 3626. Bde to advance order 2 Gdns, 2 A&SH, Bde HQ, 10 HLI. Attack to be made by passing 2 Gdns round North of BEST to capture AARLE and establish base on main rd west of BEST. 2 A&SH and 10 HLI to pass round and attack NAASTERBEST from this position. 2100 hrs C.O. attended further O Gp at Bde. 227 Bde still to attack NAASTERBEST but as 46 Bde and 44 Bde were not sufficiently advanced attack would be made due north from canal. 2 Gdns to secure start line N of canal for subsequent attack with right 10 HLI, left 2 A&SH. Arty and MG fire plan made in support. H hour for attack 1000 hrs. Bn O Gp 2200 hrs information and general plan of Bde Ops were given out. Bns to be prepared to move off at 0730 hrs next day.</p>	
Field	25th	<p>0645 hrs Bn O Gp. Orders given for attack on NAASTERBEST. Bn to advance on narrow sector facing canal ref 3724 to NAASTERBEST with right flank on rlwy. Main enemy strong pts were known to be situated along this rlwy. Attack to be made on either a one or two coy front according to the appreciation of the ground made by C.O. at advanced O.P. One troop S.P. guns under comd to follow up Bn for demolition of houses etc, order of advance A, B, C Coys. 0730 hrs Bn moved off and crossed canal by bridge 380244 at 0930 hrs. Then moving into F.A.A. wood 3727 while 2 Gdns cleared start line. C.O. and Bn O Gp meanwhile viewed the ground from OP in factory on S. bank of canal and C.O. decided to attack with A Coy right, C Coy left. B Coy in support of A Coy. As 2 Gdns were not able to reach their objectives and clear start line the subsequent phases of the operation were not carried out. Bn remained in assembly area. 1830 hrs CO visited Bde HQ for orders. 2130 hrs Bn O Gp. 46 Bde to remain and deal with enemy in BEST while remainder of Div advanced to area LIEMDE 3632. 227 Bde to advance on route BEST - VLEUT 3828, clear wood 3830 and form hedgehog north of wood. Advance through wood to be made with right 10 HLI, left 2 A&SH. Arty spt on Bn call to clear allotted sector with right 'A' Coy, left 'C' Coy and B Coy in reserve.</p>	<p>Casualties: Nil Rfts: 37</p>
Field	26th	<p>Bn left Assembly Area 0700 hrs. Coys on start line S of wood at 0830 hrs. Bn began advancing through wood meeting some opposition from M.G.s. 1345 hrs support given by rocket firing Typhoons. A Coy held up by heavy MG fire halfway through wood. B Coy ordered to clear this opposition by left flanking movement through C Coy 1600 hrs. Before this operation could be completed Bde was ordered to withdraw into Bn hedgehog posns south of wood. Carriers withdrew and dug in in area 390300. During the clearing of the wood about 60 POW were taken at the expense of 2 killed and 20 wounded. Advanced Bn HQ established 392299. Spasmodic mortaring and shelling of Bn</p>	<p>Casualties: 22</p>

			posns. Contact patrols made throughout the night with flanking units.	
Field	27th		Bn remained in hedgehog positions. Typhoons made further attacks on wood. Spasmodic shelling of our posns by enemy arty. 44 Bde passed through to NE of the Bde posns prior to making flanking attack on area north of wood. Fighting patrols were carried out by coys and brought in a further 14 P.O.W. Bn ordered to extend the perimeter of the hedgehog towards the road next day. By night contact patrols were made with flanking units. 44 Bde made night attack on area N of road.	Casualties: Nil
	28th		Situation normal. Slight enemy shelling. Orders given for coys to advance slightly into new positions reced by C.O. and Coy Cmdrs. At 1100 hrs and 1300 hrs further Typhoon attacks were made on the wood, preceded in each case by propaganda broadcasts by Div I.O. and patrols subsequently brought in a total of 5 PW, and stated that large numbers of enemy were prevented by their own MG's from surrendering. 1700 hrs Coys occupied rear posns. By night the usual contact patrols were made.	Casualties: Nil Rfts: 9
Field	29th		Situation normal. Fighting patrols sent out which encountered heavy MG and mortar fire on S edge of wood. Enemy sniping and shelling more pronounced than on previous day. Two men wounded by shellfire. One Officer P.O.W. taken. By night contact patrols were made and a fighting patrol sent to secure P.W.'s from a new enemy posn observed in SE corner of wood. This posn was found to be empty by night.	Casualties: 2
	30th	1700	Situation normal. Very little enemy activity. Patrols from fwd coys reported previous M.G. posns empty and only snipers in S edge of wood on Bn sector. B Coy patrol lost one man killed by sniper. C.O. visited Bde HQ and received warning order that Bn might be relieved next day for period of rest and re-equipping. H.P. Mackley Lt Col O.B.E. Comdg 10th Bn The Highland Light Infantry	Casualties: 1

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Field	5th		<u>PART TWO ADMINISTRATIVE DIARY</u> Can/497 WS/LT Owen JH H.L.I./CAN. admitted to CCP on 4th Sept 44 and S.O.S. this unit.	
	14th		2LT Short R.H. H.L.I. granted immediate emergency combatant commission by CinC and T.O.S. 10th H.L.I. wef 14th Sept 44.	
	15th		2/LT Healey A. H.L.I. granted immediate emergency commission by CinC and T.O.S. 10th H.L.I. wef 15th Sept 44.	
	18th		CDN/616 WS/LT Drew S.S. R.C.A./CAN posted to W.E. of 10th H.L.I. from 33 R.H.U. and T.O.S. wef 18th Sept 44.	<u>AUTHY:</u>
	21st		WS/LT McGilp F.I. H.L.I. posted to W.E. of 10th H.L.I. from 32 R.H.U. and T.O.S. wef 19th Sept 44. WS/LT Mitchell JL H.L.I. admitted hospital. Evacuated through 153 Field Amb on 20th Sept 44 & S.O.S. this unit.	<u>AUTHY:</u> 32/Inf/2141/Serial Wo 1650 dated 18/9/44
Field	23rd		T/Capt Agnew EM H.L.I. missing in action Nr AART Belgium ref 075927 sheet 25/35 TOURNHOUT-GHEEL on 20th Sept 44 believed wounded and P.O.W.	
	27th		Cdn/467 T/Capt McCabe RA (PEIH) (CAN)) Wounded in action on 26th Cdn/356 WS/LT Graham D H.L.I. (CAN)) Sept 44 and S.O.S this unit.	
			Field 30th September 44	H.P. Mackley Lt Col O.B.E. Comdg 10th Bn The Highland Light Infantry