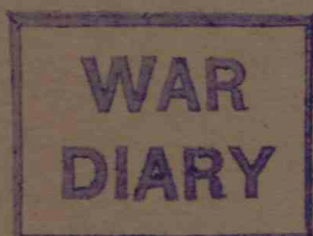


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| AUTHVILLE<br>WOOD | 1/7/16 |      | <p>Left time 7.30 am. Battalion advanced from assembly trenches at 8 am. and came under very heavy Machine Gun fire. suffering over 500 casualties. The following officers were killed.</p> <p>Lt Col PW Marshall Cmg DSO, Capt R. Smith, Capt A.E. Corbett, Capt C. Brown, 2Lt A.E. Monkhouse, 2Lt J.C. Parker, 2Lt G. Cox, 2Lt G.P. Dunstan, 2Lt W. Paton, Lt F.A. Ruff.</p> <p>Officers wounded - Major P.G.W. Diggle, Capt B.C. Harrison, Capt C.P. Moor, Lieut W.A. Hobson, Lt CH Walker, Lt CW Murgerson, Lt J.H. Hylkenson, Lt M. Gordon, Lt M. McKeown, 2Lt J.R.S. Brown, 2Lt J.W. Moore, 2Lt W. Quinn, 2Lt G. Black, 2Lt F.M. Ranson, 2Lt L. Macchell.</p> |                                      |
| deth              | 2/7/16 |      | Battalion assisted in holding the line, and found fatigue for carrying up grenades from Authville dump.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |                                      |
| deth              | 3/7/16 |      | Battalion withdrawn to Crucifix dug. only                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                      |
| Crucifix          | 4/7/16 |      | Battalion found fatigue for detonating, and carrying up bombs to front line                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                      |

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| CRUCIFIX CORNER.<br>4/7/16.                | Height of the 4 <sup>th</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> Battalion attached to 2 <sup>nd</sup> Koyli<br>and marches to CONTAY WOOD.              |                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| CONTAY<br>WOOD. 5/7/16<br>6/7/16<br>7/7/16 | } Reorganising into two Corps in CONTAY WOOD.<br>Battalion strength 11 officers + 480 O.R.                                             |                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| SENLIS. 8/7/16.                            |                                                                                                                                        | Battalion marches to SENLIS. and took over<br>briets. Capt Palmer 2 <sup>nd</sup> Koyli took over Command<br>from LT. Welsh. 2 LTs Brown and King 17 <sup>th</sup> HLI.<br>attaches. |
| FI. SUB SECTOR 9/7/16                      | Battalion paraded at 5.0 pm and marches<br>to trenches, taking over part of FI Subsector<br>one Coy in front line, and one in reserve. | } 17 <sup>th</sup> HLI.<br>FI.                                                                                                                                                       |
| do 10/7/16                                 | } Battalion remains in line.                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                      |
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| CRAVEY CORNER | 12/7/16 |      | Battalion withdrawn to Crucifix dug-outs. Lt Kidwood RAMP relieved by Lt Webster RAMP.                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                      |
| do            | 13/7/16 |      | } Battalion found fatigue trench line - Major Chamberlayne 15 <sup>th</sup> DYO house took over command from Capt Palmer 2 <sup>nd</sup> Royal. on the 14/7/16. Major Githens, D.S.O. took over command from Major Chamberlayne who was appointed 2 <sup>nd</sup> in Command on the 14/7/16. |                                      |
|               | 14/7/16 |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                      |
|               | 15/7/16 |      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                      |
| BOUGEN COURT  | 16/7/16 |      | Battalion withdrawn to Bougen Court. and billeted in huts.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                      |
|               | 16/7/16 |      | Battalion marched to AMPLIERS, via ACHEUX and SARTON and took over huts.                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                      |
|               | 17/7/16 |      | Divisional Commander (General Rycroft) addressed Brigade congratulating them on their achievements - Battalion paraded at 2.55 pm and marched to SUS-ST-LEGER, via HALLOY - LUCHEUX - and took over billets.                                                                                 |                                      |
| SUS ST LEGER  | 18/7/16 |      | Battalion remained resting in SUS-ST-LEGER.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                      |
|               | 19/7/16 |      | " marched to NEUVILLE-AU-CORNET, via BEAUDICOURT, ETREE-WANIN - HOUVIN - HOUVIGNEUL.                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                      |