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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to appendices and initials
KOREA KWANGSUWON MR-206967 Sheet-65271	1 Sep	51	<p>A recce was done this morning of the 3 RAR (28 Bde) (Australian) positions which the Bn is to take over. Company commanders, platoon officers, sergeants, and a few section leaders were on this recce to familiarize themselves with the defences. The Signals Officer is making arrangements to take over existing lines as the Australians are using sixty-six telephones for inter-communications.</p> <p>Most of the men, having only one blanket, feel the cold at nights; some have been able to get into their kit bags and are wearing battle-dress blouses.</p>	1 - 9 14 - 16 Trace -"V"
	2 Sep	51	<p>The M.O. called a muster parade of Support Coy at 0630 hours and held a short-arm inspection. "B" and "C" Coys previously were inspected by the M.O. in this same way and the M.O. feels that there are many VD cases failing to report for treatment.</p> <p>Today being Sunday and the Bn in a reserve defensive position, after morning inspections, sports rounded out the day.</p> <p>1 Commonwealth Division Concert Party visited the brigade today and set up in the Bn HQ area. Guest artists of the show were: Misses Gladys Moncrieff, singer; and Mabel Nelson, pianist, of Australia. The show, normally scheduled for ninety minutes, lasted approx two hours due to numerous encores in answer to enthusiastic applause. The favourite of the troops was a comedy act referring to "Rocky", another citation, etc. At the completion of the show Brigadier J.M. Rockingham asked the troops to remain seated while he thanked the performers for their efforts in our behalf. Miss Moncrieff replied that she had enjoyed performing, and ended with "God Bless You All". Afterwards the Concert Party were entertained in the Sgts Mess, while the ladies lunched in the Officer's Mess.</p>	M.G.P. M.G.P.

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KWANGSUWON MR-206967 Sheet-65271	3 Sep 51		<p>At 0700 hrs the M.O. held a surprise short-arm inspection of BHQ and HQ Coys. He spoke about malaria and the daily dose of Paludrine, and explained why it was necessary to keep men whose symptoms of VD had cleared up for a period of 90 days before Rotational Leave or R & R Leave, to make sure of no further recurrence. A blood test at the end of this time is considered conclusive.</p> <p>Bn "O" Group at 1400 hrs conducted by Major H.D.P. Tighe, MC, in the absence of the CO, Lt. Col. J.R. Stone, DSO & Bar, MC. The Bn is to move tomorrow beginning at 0900 hrs to relieve the 3 RAR. Order of march will be "B", "A", "C", BHQ, "D" Coys, Support Coy, and Rice Burners. Guides to report TAC HQ at 0745 hrs.</p> <p>Weather- Cold at night, warming up about 1000 hrs.</p>	
SANDOK MR -232056 Sheet-65271	4 Sep 51		<p>The I.O. left HQ at 0800 hrs to recon spot for BHQ. By 1200 hrs company for company relief carried out after short move from KWANGSUWON at 0900 hrs. To complete the Bn defences a fifth company was formed under command of Capt A. Foulds, MMG Platoon Officer. This company to hold area MR-228058 and made up of men from Bn Signals, band, A/Tk Pl, and extra men from Support Coy. The Pioneer Platoon under Lt Honeyman are in position on hill MR 222049. Two 17-pdrs of A/Tk at Bn area instead of 75 mm Recoilless.</p> <p>C.O. at "O" Group at Brigade. At 1530 hours C.O.'s "O" Group held. Points of interest were;</p> <p>(a) Bn will have a tight control of vehicles. Check points will be established on all roads leading out of Bn perimeter.</p>	<p>Trace "P" & "Q"</p>

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	4 Sep 51 (CONT)		<p>(b) Bn to take over patrol duties from 2M22R at 1600 hrs 12 Sep; with 2 RGR to relieve us on 20 Sep 51.</p> <p>(c) Searchlight positions will be established between "C" and "D" Coys.</p> <p>(d) All Companies to have "C" Rations on hand sufficient for 72 hours.</p> <p>(e) Two-thirds of Coy strength must be in positions at all times.</p> <p>(f) Patrol plans will be submitted to brigade 24 hours before patrol goes out.</p> <p>(g) 3 RAR will patrol to Codesigns "V" and "E" on the 7th, 8th, and 9th Sep.</p> <p>(h) Information received on enemy, leads the Bde Comdr to believe the greatest threat would come on the Bn left flank.</p> <p>Major S. Pinkerton, of 2 RCHA is back with the Bn as Bn Liason Officer.</p> <p>See trace "P" showing Bn dispositions for today.</p>	Trace "P"
	5 Sep 51		<p>The C.O., accompanied by Major S. Pinkerton, and Capt Hill, Bn Mortar Officer, inspected company positions and laid on Arty and Mortar D.F. Tasks.</p> <p>As all platoon positions dug and wired by Australians, only minor adjustments are being made by company commanders. The checking of supplies of ammo, and grenades carried out today.</p> <p>Weather - Cold night. Fairly warm by mid-day.</p>	

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SANDOK	6 Sep	51	<p>The C.O. and I.O. with Brigadier J.M. Rockingham visited all rifle companies this afternoon.</p> <p>Enemy encountered by patrols from 29 Bde (Northumberland Fusiliers), 2R22R, and 1st Cav Div. "K" Coy of 3 Bn 5 RCT mortared heavily by 120 mm. R22R patrol sighted approx 500 enemy at MR 183120 about noon today. Arty engaged enemy. Patrol withdrew.</p> <p>Registration of 81 MM mortar D.F. Tasks tonight from 1700 to 2015 hours.</p> <p>Today 24 OR reinforcements arrived.</p> <p>Weather- Moderately warm day.</p>	Appx 12 Trace "T"
	7 Sep	51	<p>The Brigadier, C.O., and I.O. made a tour of the battalion positions, especially the area now occupied by "D" Coy. The Brigadier recommended the placing of additional A/Tk mines.</p> <p>All personnel in BHQ were assigned alternate positions on the hill in front of HQ to be taken up in the event of an attack.</p> <p>The C.O. attended a Brigade "O" Group which was called at 2030 hrs. Discussed anticipation of 1 Comwel Div moving forward in the near future.</p>	

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SANDOK	8 Sep	51	<p>C.O. and I.O. at Brigade "O" Group held at TAC HQ 2R22R at 1430 hours.</p> <p>Major D. Grant of "A" Company, and Major G.E. Henderson, of Support Coy, left the Bn today to assume new duties at Kure, Japan. Major V. Lilley, of "B" Coy assumes command of Support Company. Major E.J.H. Ryall, now OC "A" Coy. Major A. LeFevre, now OC "B" Coy.</p> <p>C.O.'s "O" Group at 1630 hrs when Coy commanders were informed of forthcoming operation "Minden", tentative date set for 12 Sep. It is felt by the Corps Commander that the Imjin-Gang no longer offers a serious natural obstacle to the enemy.</p> <p>Bn received issue of 1:25,000 scale maps in colour from Brigade.</p> <p>The Battalion CTC (Civilian Transport Corps) personnel were all issued complete new uniforms. Their present strength is approx 250.</p> <p>Weather- Cool night. Sunny day</p>	
	9 Sep	51	<p>This morning the C.O. and I.O. made a recce to proposed new area MISAN-MYON MR 209116 sheet 6528 -II. At present 3 RAR have a bn-size probing position near there.</p> <p>It is proposed to erect three bridges over the Imjin-Gang for Operation "Minden". One bridge at Pintail MR 231097, one at Teal, MR 174056, and one at Mallard, MR 219074.</p> <p>Weather - Light rain throughout the night, letting up by morning.</p>	<p>M.G.P.</p> <p>M.G.P.</p>

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MISAN-MYON MR 209116 Sheet-6528 -II	10 Sep 51		<p>The C.O. and Company Commanders left at 0930 hrs this morning for new Bn area. Order of march for Bn move was "B", "C", BHQ, Support, "D", and "A" Coys. Personnel moved by TCV's from present location to debussing area at PINTAIL MR 231097, and then walked by road to company positions. Uneventful move completed by 1500 hrs at which time the Bn came under command 28 Bde.</p> <p>"D" Coy and Mortar Platoon 2R22R u/c 2 Bn PPCLI for night 10/11 Sep.</p> <p>Bn TAC set up in draw at MR 209116 with fair concealment. One troop of 4.2 Mortars from 11th LAA (RA) in support of Bn and one troop of "C" Squadron LdSH harboured in Bn TAC area for the night.</p> <p>See Trace "R" for Bn dispositions.</p> <p>This is the fifth time that the Bn has crossed the 38th parallel since landing in Korea on 18 Dec 50.</p> <p>"A" Coy u/c 2R22R from 1200 hrs today. Reverts to 2 PPCLI 1230 hrs 11 Sep 51.</p>	<p>Appx 17, 21 Trace "R"</p>
	11 Sep 51		<p>The Commanding Officer made a tour of Company positions this morning and watched the companies improving on their positions by digging, sandbagging, and wiring. Double apron wire is being erected with trip flares and low entanglement wire in front of that.</p> <p>Brigadier Rockingham visited the C.O. at Bn TAC and spoke of a plan whereby "A" Coy is to move to MR 203132 tomorrow by 1500 hrs, and "C" Coy to move to 194123.</p> <p>See Int Log for the days activities. Brigadier Pike of 1 Comwel Div Arty called to see the C.O.</p>	<p>Appx 13 21</p> <p><i>W.G.L.</i></p> <p><i>W.G.L.</i></p>

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Place	Date	Time	Summary of events and information	
North Korea MISAN-MYON MR 209116	12sep			
	51		A and C coy's moved and in new positions by 1500 hrs. See Int log for battalions activities and attack on code sign "N" 2 RCR. Capt Eric Sharpe TOS today and posted to "D" coy as 2 i/c. Weather, cool and crisp.	TRACE "X"
	13sep			
	51		The C.O. inspected "A" and "C" company positions to-day. O C's of co- mpanies are to submit a trace showing dispositions of LMG's, mortars, wiring, mines and their company headquarters. The 2 R22R attacked "N" 222 this morning. No opposition encountered. Thirty six counted enemy dead found, caused from yesterdays arty and tank fire. Brig Rockingham held an "O" Group at 1630 hrs at Van Doos TAC HQ. KSLI are to stay on "N" (MR 192151) overnight, forward of 2 R22R, as screening force while 2R22R dig in and wire. see 25 CIB Sitrep dated 122000 for disposition of Brigade. Company kitchens have been set up near company areas and battalion now back on fresh rations.	

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MISAN-MYON	14 Sep 51		<p>Today the C.O. attended a meeting at Brigade held at 1400 hrs. The subject discussed was the VD problem. 25 Cdn Field Ambulance are to publish information regarding the number of cases and type of treatment being carried out here in Korea.</p> <p>At 1715 hrs Lt Col Stone called his "O" Group and passed along the information of how VD is going to effect Rotational Leave and those desiring to take the para troops training in Canada. Capt Fitzgerald, M O of the battalion has directed a letter on this important subject and it is attached as appendix 33.</p> <p>1 Commonwealth Division are firm in their new line, Operation "MINDEN".</p> <p>Today many flights of fighter bomber aircraft overhead.</p> <p>Lt J J Regan and twenty-five O.R.'s, all future paratroopers left today for Canada.</p> <p>Most of the Bn enjoyed a turkey dinner.</p> <p>Weather- clear skies, visibility good.</p>	33
	15 Sep 51		<p>Little happening in operations today. See Int Log attached as a appendix 21.</p> <p>A routine tour of companies was done by the C.O.</p> <p>1 KSLI suffered seven casualties this morning from shell-fire mis-directed on one of their outposts by supportmg artillery.</p> <p>Capt JJ Valley RC padre of the Bn returned today after a month tour of duty in Japan.</p> <p>Bn TAC CP bunker completed today except for sodding and the transplanting of trees.</p> <p>Lt C.E.S. Curmi TOS and posted to 10 platoon "D" coy.</p>	21

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MISAN- MYON	16 Sep 51		<p>See Int Log for happenings of C Coy patrol today. Sunday. Church services held at "D" Coy and "A" Echelon. Much small arms and mortar fire on 25 CIB front throughout the day. Enemy strength in Korea below the 40th Parallel on 16 Sep 51 are;</p> <table><tr><td>Chinese Communist Forces -</td><td>422,700</td></tr><tr><td>North Korean Forces -</td><td>198,900</td></tr><tr><td>Total -</td><td>621,600</td></tr></table> <p>Total strength of enemy on 1 Comwel Div front;</p> <table><tr><td>65th CCF Army (50% opposite Div)</td><td>- 15,000</td></tr><tr><td>64th CCF Army</td><td>- 24,000</td></tr><tr><td>One Armoured Div (unidentified)</td><td>- 6,000</td></tr><tr><td>Total</td><td>- 45,000</td></tr></table> <p>"D" Coy warned of move to take place on 18 Sep to codesign "N" MR191151 point 222.</p>	Chinese Communist Forces -	422,700	North Korean Forces -	198,900	Total -	621,600	65th CCF Army (50% opposite Div)	- 15,000	64th CCF Army	- 24,000	One Armoured Div (unidentified)	- 6,000	Total	- 45,000	21, 22
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	17 Sep 51		<p>"D" Company Commander and Signals Officer made a recce of new company area. A, B and C Companies still maintaining a listening post of one section strength at MR177138. See Int Log appendix 21. See trace "S" (scale 1:25,000) showing battalion dispositions and defences in MISAN-MYON area. Last week the battalion received three new half tracks and four new water trailers. Appendix 22 shows disposition of enemy and own troops in Korea. Weather- cool light wind and cold night.</p>	Trace "S"														

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and information	Remarks, references to appendices and initials
MISAN-MYON	18sep 51		<p>At 0145 hrs this morning D Coy moved from present defensive positions. They passed through B Coy of 2 R22R, via 172 (202141) on to codesign "N" MR 191151, arriving 0500 hrs.</p> <p>Major Gen A J H Cassells, 1 Commonwealth Division, visited Bn TAC at 1030 hours. He particularly inquired as to company positions and wiring completed. Double apron wire to be erected around all positions, this work to have top priority.</p> <p>This afternoon the C O and I O visited D Coy in their new positions. D Coy have in direct support of them 2 tanks, 4.2 inch mortars and a FOO.</p> <p>Much enemy propaganda being found in and about D Coy position. D Coy has first priority on wire.</p> <p>2 RCR ambush patrol to remain "D" throughout the night.</p> <p>Heavy constant torrential rains have made roads and tracks in the Brigade area almost impassable. The 57th Field Squadron (RCE) are doing very good work in building and maintaining supply routes.</p> <p>Rum issue authorized and issued this evening.</p> <p>Weather- Cold and wet.</p>	

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MISAN-MYON	19 Sep	51	<p>G.O. out most of the day at D Coy positions from which A Coy's patrol could be seen. D Coy area mortared and shelled in the afternoon. A Coy patrol withdrew at 1430 hours without completing original plan due to bad wireless communications. One Y casualty. See Int Log appendix 21 for more detailed account.</p> <p>The R.Q. Capt M C Edwards is endeavoring to have every man issued with a pullover sweater. To overcome the shortage of sweaters, camouflaged windproof smocks are being issued on signature.</p> <p>Most men having only one blanket are finding it hard to keep warm at night.</p> <p>Enemy planes strafed 1 Commonwealth Division from 2130-2400 hours. Division A/A engaged. No damage caused or troop casualties.</p>	21 . 26
	20 Sep	51	<p>B Coy warned of change over and to relieve D Coy in their present location on "N". Relief to be completed by 0500 hours 21 Sept. B coy officers on foot recce in new area.</p> <p>A light aircraft from Division sprayed all troops positions with DDT at 0900 hours this morning.</p> <p>Bri adier Pike, CRA at 1 Commonwealth Division had lunch with Lt Col J R Stone at Bn TAC.</p> <p>Through the loss by an officer in the Brigade of current check points and possible compromise, new check points issued today.</p>	<p>M.G.L.</p> <p>M.G.L.</p>

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MISAN-MYON	21 Sep	51	<p>Relief of D Coy by B Coy on feature 222 "N" completed as planned by 0530 hours. The C O spent the morning looking over the area in front of B Coy position.</p> <p>This morning Major G A Flint of HQ Company assumes duties as 21/e Battalion.</p> <p>Major D P H Tighe MC 2 1/e and Lt A C Beauchamps with 23 O R's left today as third draft for parachute training in Canada.</p> <p>This evening plans being made for C Coy to do a company patrol and occupy "G"-152, MR 176154 on 22 Sept. See Int Log.</p> <p>Weather- sunny and cool, cold night.</p>	<p>18-21</p> <p>23</p> <p><i>MC.L.</i></p>

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MISAN-MYON	24 Sep	51	<p>B Coy had approximately 100 rounds mortar and shell fire fall in the company positions 2130-2230 hours. Major La Fevre O C B Coy and FOO Arty entombed in their C P dugout after a direct (near) hit.</p> <p>The RUC of 29 Bde had a patrol ambushed yesterday, losing a company commander and FOO. With the loss and possible compromise of check points used in the Division, new check points issued today.</p> <p>C Coy outpost patrol at MR 181134 upon returning each evening to company lines has been bringing in a few civilians. Most of these are old men and women with a few small children.</p> <p>See Int Log for more happenings of today.</p> <p>Weather- Cool and sunny.</p>	21
	25 Sep	51	<p>The relief of B Company by A Company on point 222 (now known as "U") MR 192151 took place throughout the night of 24/25 Sept and was completed by 0500 hours.</p> <p>D Day for operation "CUDGEL" has been advanced to 3 Oct. See trace "Z" for timings and dispositions of 2 PPCLI for operation.</p> <p>O.C. C Coy sent three males to Int Section for interrogation. They had no reason to be in the FDL's, or indentifications so were apprehended. These three (one wearing ROKA uniform and two dressed in CTC clothes) were taken to F S Section at PINTAIL. They told the FS they were out looking for food. Held by FS for further questioning.</p>	Trace "Z"

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MISAM-MYON	22 Sep	51	<p>This morning the C O was visited at Bn TAC by Brig Leo M Brennan, Director General Personnel, and Lt Col Campbell, Officer Commanding Adm Unit, Japan. Points of interest discussed were "A" problems; rotation and future field officers. Brig Brennan is to remain here in the Far East until the Rotational Plan is started and running smoothly.</p> <p>Attached to the battalion is Capt W Taylor of R G O C who is here to assist in the checking of technical stores etc in preparation for handing over to 1 Bn PPOLI in October.</p> <p>Weather-Warm, clear with mist in early morning.</p>	<p>Trace "p-1"</p> <p>"Z"</p>
	23 Sep	51	<p>Quiet day throughout the battalion. Companies still wiring in and improving upon positions.</p> <p>The C O and I O at Brigade "O" Group at 1700 hours. The Brigadier spoke of the coming operation "GUDGEON", a general move forward by the Division and of the 8th Army front. Probably "D" Day is set for 8 Oct. See trace "Z", 23 Sept from 25 CIB.</p> <p>Following the "O" Group, Brigadier J M Reckingham entertained Bn C O's with a dinner. Brig Leo M Brennan was in attendance.</p> <p>25 CIB informed battalion at 1800 hours that a B-29 aircraft would be doing RADAR bombing at MR147192 tonight.</p> <p>Two trucks laid on daily for shower parade.</p> <p>Since moving into this area 10 Sept the battalion has used 1042 rolls of wire.</p>	<p>W.G.P.</p> <p>W.G.P.</p>

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MISAN-MYON	26 Sep 51		<p>Today the C O Lt Col JR Stone was at 25 CIB HQ as president of the Officers Selection Board. All companies continued thickening up wire. C Coy had usual outpost patrol out. See Int Log. There was a more than usual amount of enemy shelling on forward troops this date. Controlled stores being checked under direction of Major G A Flint in preparation for changeover.</p> <p>Weather-Fair and warm.</p>	21

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MISAN-MYON	27 Sep 51		<p>At approximately 0630 hours this morning the CO left Bn Tac area for 2 RCR outpost at MR 183114. From this location it was possible to see the proposed air-strike on "O". This air strike failed to materialize.</p> <p>At 1100 hours the CO and IO reced a new Bn Tac area OCH'ON MR 194144 in anticipation of a battalion move on the 30th Sep.</p> <p>The Bn elimination of Boxing contenders for Brigade Tournament were held in the afternoon in Tac HQ area.</p> <p>CO's "O" group at 1900 hrs. The Commanding Officer spoke with reference to the first phase of operation "CUDGEL". "A" Coy to remain on UNCLE, one platoon MR 192151, one platoon MR 191146, will have u/c one section MMG.</p> <p>"B" Coy will take over area MR 188146 - 185145 - 182142 u/c one section MMG's.</p> <p>"C" Coy will be on the OCH'ON feature. platoons will be at MR 196146 - 196143 - 192144.</p> <p>"D" Coy will take over areas MR 197155 - 204159 - 201152, u/c one section MMG's.</p> <p>Bn Tac and "F" Echelon MR 193141.</p> <p>Major G.A. Flint, acting 2 I/C is organizing a battalion rest centre at "A" Echelon area. It is intended to send two platoons at a time for a period of 24 hours where they can get a hot shower and get their clothes clean. Sports will be available.</p> <p>Company Commanders requested that G Rations be supplemented by fresh onions, bacon, and bread. They also wished arrangements made for the men in forward positions to be able to purchase articles from the dry canteen. Operations - See Int Log (Appx 21)</p> <p>Weather - Warm and Clear.</p>	Appx 21

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Place	Date	Time	Summary of events and information	Remarks, references to appendices and initials
OCHON Area MR194144 SHEET 6528-11	28 sep 51		<p>Today the Bn moved forward and took up new positions. No enemy encountered or enemy reaction to Bn move. See the Int Log for 28 Sep.</p> <p>Engineers and Bn Pioneers prepared a roadway into new Tac positions from old existing tracks. These roads are cut and gauged along the side of hills by bulldozers and graders and an attempt made to keep above the innumerable wet paddy fields.</p> <p>At 1630 hours the CO met the Brigadier and CO of the Van Dees on codesign "C" MR 208159 for the purpose of tying in battalion boundaries.</p> <p>The Rice Burners worked until late evening carrying barbed wire, pickets, and "C" Rations up to rifle company positions.</p> <p>When this Battalion is committed to battle the following has been the usual breakdown.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Battalion Tac. Consisting of the CO, Battle Adjutant (who is OC of Support Coy), IO, and "I" Section, Signals Officer, and Signals Platoon, MO with his RAP, and an Artillery Liason Officer. 2. Rifle Companies. OC Company, possibly a Tank L.O., 4.2 Mortar FOO, Artillery FOO, and three rifle platoons. When possible a field kitchen. 3. "P" Echelon. sited near Bn Tac and administered usually by the Bn MMG officer. Here is stationed Support Coy, second line of ammo, rations, POL, and defence stores. Also when possible, a field kitchen that also looks after Bn Tac. All supplies come through "P" Echelon. 4. "A" Echelon. Administered by the Adjutant. Here is the Battalion orderly room truck, and the Assistant Adjutant. 	Trace "Y" Appx 21

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Place	Date	Time	Summary of events and information	Remarks, references to appendices and initials
OCHON Area	28 Sep 51 (CONT)		<p>Here also are the Battalion padres, WOII of BHQ, Coy Orderly Rooms, a transport section, a detachment of Regimental Police, and "A" Ech Signals Office.</p> <p>5. "B" Echelon. Commanded by the OC HQ Coy. Here is stationed the RQ and Coy stores, Paymaster, Dental Clinic, Armourer, Shoe Repair, and Transport Section</p> <p>The 2 I/C of the Battalion usually stays at "A" Echelon and uses it as a base for operations.</p> <p>When the Battalion is in a reserve or defensive role it is usual to combine Bn Tac and "A" Echelon, and some of the services to enable the companies to carry out interior economy.</p> <p>Weather - Fair and Warm.</p>	Trace "Y" Appx 21
OCHON MR 194144	Sep 29 51		<p>The CO attended an "O" Group at Brigade today. The Divisional Commander, Major General AJJ Cassella, was there and informed all Commanding Officers that the operation CUDGEL was cancelled. The General then explained briefly the new operation COMMANDO, "D" Day set for 3 October. 25 CIB to start off for objectives on 4 Oct. (D + 1)</p> <p>Weather- Heavy torrential rain from early morning till evening. All vehicles grounded due to clogged roads and tracks.</p>	

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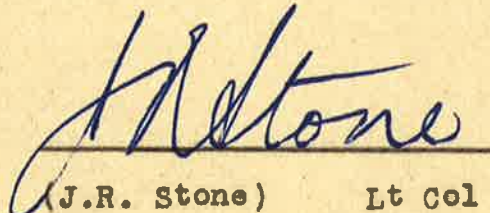
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OCH'ON AREA MR194144 SHEET 6528-11	30 Sep 51		<p>The CO inspected "A" and "B" Coy positions today. All companies are improving on the wiring but due to adverse weather conditions this work is not as far advanced as expected.</p> <p>Major A. LeFevre, OC "B" Coy evacuated. Capt P.M. Pyne, 2 I/C of "B" Coy brought up from the Brigade NCO School to take command of Company.</p> <p>Fourth para draft of 25 all ranks left today (total to date-125). Included in this draft was Capt RGC Cunningham, Protestant Padre.</p> <p>Appendix 29 is a Nominal Roll of 2 Bn PPCLI wef 24/25 April 51, showing those officers and men with the Battalion at the time of the KAPYONG retreat. It was through the Battalion's gallant action at this time that the Battalion was awarded the United States Presidential Unit Citation.</p> <p>Roads to Tac are passable only for vehicles up to 15 cwt.</p> <p>A Transit Camp is being prepared under the direction of Major G.A. Flint, acting 2I/C, for the first relieving companies (1Bn PPCLI) at SANDOK, MR232055 - sheet 6527-1, the present "A" Echelon area.</p> <p>See Int Log appendix 21 for patrol plans for this date.</p> <p>The Battalion has at present 65 all ranks away on courses. These are courses on the MMG, Mortar, the British Battle School in Japan, and at 25 CIB NCO School, Uijongbu.</p> <p>Weather- Clear, sunny most of day. Light showers in evening.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">  (J.R. Stone) Lt Col CO 2 PPCLI </p>	<p>29</p> <p>21</p> <p><i>M.G.P.</i></p>

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APPENDICES FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1951

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10.	25 CIB - Intelligence Summaries for September	A	B
11.	25 CIB - The Canadian Brigadier	A	B
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14.	Maps 1:50,000, 6527-1, 6528-11.	A	B
15.	1 Comwel Div - Newspaper Clipping		
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21.	2 Bn PPCLI - Int Log for September	A	B
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23.	2 Bn PPCLI - Operation "UNCLE"	A	B
24.	1 Comwel Div - Adm Order No. 2	A	
25.	Charlie Company- Report on Operation "UNCLE"	A	B
26.	1 Comwel Div - Check Points and River Crossings	A	B
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28.	Able Company - River Patrol Report	A	
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32.	25 CIB - Check Points wef 26 Sep 51	A	B

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npn	Dispositions - 2 Bn PPCLI, 2 RCR, 2 R22R	A
nrn	2 Bn PPCLI - Dispositions	A
nsn	Trace 1/25,000 of 2 Bn PPCLI 15 Sep 51	A
npj	Trace of Enemy Situation	A
nuj	Traces - 2 Bn PPCLI - Mines, Wire, D.F. Tasks	A
nqn	Trace - 1/25,000, 2 Bn PPCLI Locations	A
nyj	Trace of 2 Bn PPCLI Defences	A
nwn	25 CIB - Trace of Proposed Bn Positions	A
nxn	25 CIB - Dispositions 12 Sep 51	A
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nzn	25 CIB - Operation "CUDGEL"	A
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