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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to Appendices and initials
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	1 May	'41	Pt. 1 Orders (Appendix A1) and Pt. 11 Orders (Appendix A2) for month attached 9 O.R.'s, low category personnel, struck off strength on transfer to Wing. Capt. F. L. J. Grout and Lieut. A. I. Matheson proceeded to D & M Course, Saint John. 2 O.R.'s returned from Blacksmith's Course.	Appendix A2 S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	2 May	'41	Platoon and section training being carried on by all Coys. Night marches and patrols are regular part of training. Bde. Boxing Tournament held at Y.M.C.A. Boxers from this unit won 4 out of 6 titles and 4 men of this unit were finalists, the N. Shore R. winning the other two titles. The unit was presented with a gold cup which is being placed in the Orderly Room.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	3 May	'41	Bde. Intelligence Course standing announced. Q.O.R. of C. had highest average in Bde. 3 O.R.'s returned from Carpenter's Course.	Appendix A2) S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	4 May	'41	Parade Service at 1000 hrs. in Y.M.C.A. Capt. J.C. Clough, Chaplain.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	5 May	'41	18 Fd. Coy. R.C.E. staged a demonstration of wiring, etc. at 1330 hrs. All subalterns, W.O.'s and N.C.O.'s of this unit attended. Lieut. T.E. Sisson proceeded to D & M Course, Saint John. Training syllabus for week 5-10 May attached as Appendix "B"	S Appendix B
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	6 May	'41	Lesson 1 on Thompson S.M.G. for all officers, in Officers' Mess at 1630 hrs.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	7 May	'41	Routine training carried on in morning. Recreational training in afternoon. 7 different baseball games played; also a soccer and volleyball game.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	8 May	'41	"A" Coy. on ranges in morning; "HQ" Coy. in afternoon. Capt. R.B.G. Macdonell and Lieut. E.P.T. Green proceeded to D & M Course, Saint John. Lesson 2 on Thompson S.M.G. for all officers in Officers' Mess at 1630 hrs.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	9 May	'41	1 O.R. returned from School of Cookery, Camp Borden Q.O.R. beaten by 14 Fd. Amb. 37-34 in final basketball game of Bde. league.	Appendix A2 S

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CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	10 May	'41	Two trucks were sent out to the surrounding country to take men who wanted to fish, hike or visit the surrounding territory. Haversack lunches were supplied and the trucks were well filled.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	11 May	'41	Church Parade at 0915 hrs in Y.M.C.A. - Capt. J.C. Clough, Chaplain. Trucks again took men out to country in afternoon.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	12 May	'41	Training syllabus for week 12-17 May attached as Appendix "B" Respirators worn for half an hour. This is to be increased each week by half an hour until a maximum of three hours is reached. Classification of Regimental Signallers held with 57 candidates.	Appendix B S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	13 May	'41	Lesson 3 on Thompson S.M.G. held for all officers in Mess at 1630 hrs. Lieut. H.R. Downie, senior subaltern, posted to "A" Coy. as 2 i.c. vice Capt. R.B.G. Macdonell who reported yesterday to H.Q., 3 Cdn. Div. as Liaison Officer.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	14 May	'41	Lieuts. H.R. Downie and J.I. Mills attended Court Martial for instruction. Recreational Training carried out in afternoon.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	15 May	'41	Maj.-Gen C.B. Price, D.S.O., D.C.M., V.D. G.O.C. 3 Cdn. Div. arrived in Camp Sussex to see units at training for two days. Night patrol for all officers carried out in rain.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	16 May	'41	"D" Coy. firing L.M.G. practises on open range. Maj.-Gen C.B. Price, D.S.O., D.C.M., V.D. had lunch with the officers of this unit in the Mess. At 1330 hrs he interviewed 18 N.C.O.'s who have been recommended for commissions and expressed himself as very pleased with the high calibre of men whom he saw. Minstrel Show put on by members of the regt. in Saint John at 2000 hrs. under auspices of Katherine E. Black Chapter of I.O.D.E. About 900 in attendance and over \$300 was raised for War Work of the I.O.D.E. Show went over very well and audience were quite enthusiastic. I.O.D.E. fed cast and held a short dance for them afterwards in gymnasium of High School.	S

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CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	17 May '41		23 O.R.'s, low category and under age personnel, struck off strength on transfer to Q.O.R. Wing of Depot. Track team of 5 O.R.'s competed in Military Track Meet held at Mount Alison University in Sackville, N.B.	Appendix A2 S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	18 May '41		Church Parade at 1000 hrs in Y.M.C.A. Service conducted by Maj. C.J.S. Stuart, M.C., Senior Chaplain (P) 3 Cdn. Div. who was formerly our padre. Truck again went for drive in country. These trips are popular as surrounding country side is very attractive just now. Training syllabus for week 19-24 May attached as Appendix "B"	S Appendix B
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	19 May '41		New vehicles arrived to bring our transport up to 50% of establishment. This will now allow drivers to be trained up to number required which was impossible with limited transport before. "HQ" Coy. on open ranges firing L.M.G. practises. 4 cooks and 1 carpenter taken on strength on transfer from No. 2 District Depot. New pedestrian bridge built by Engineers across river now open. Q.O.R. took over Camp Guard duty at retreat.	Appendix A2 S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	20 May '41		Lecture to all officers by Lt.-col. H.C. MacKendrick, E.D. on "Methods of Training" in connection with 3 Cdn. Div. Training Instruction.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	21 May '41		Brass band assisted by several artists from the unit, gave a concert in Sackville, N.B. for the benefit of the Kinsmens War Services. A large crowd was on hand and members of the band were well entertained after the concert. Recreational Training carried out in afternoon. Six baseball games held. 1 O.R. proceeded to C.S.A.T.C. Long Branch.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	22 May '41		Regulations for passes for civilians visiting Camp Sussex put into effect. Lt.-col. H.C. MacKendrick, E.D. and Maj. W.T. Barnard, Adj. left for Debert to take part in T.E.W.T. for Bn. H.Q.'s being held there tomorrow.	S
CAMP SUSSEX, N.B.	23 May '41		Bde. convoy held - all units in Camp Sussex taking part. Lieuts. R.W. Sawyer and A.J. Greathed attended Court Martial for instruction.	S

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CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 24 MAY	'41	Observed as a holiday by all units except for essential duties and fatigues. Rain all day so impossible for troops to get out much. Publications received bringing quantities up to authorization except in a few cases	S
CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 25 MAY	'41	Church parade at 0915 hrs. Capt. J.C. Clough, Chaplain. Because of inclemency of the weather (still raining) the parade was made voluntary. Lt-col. H.C. MacKendrick, E.D., and Major W.T. Barnard returned from Debert.	S
CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 26 MAY	'41	Training syllabus for week 26-31 May attached as Appendix "B". Major W.T. Barnard took over his duties as Adjutant from Lieut. T.E. Sisson, who had been acting as such for the past two weeks to give him some experience in the job. Cablegram of good wishes dispatched to H.M. Queen Mary on her birthday - 26 May.	Appendix B S Appendix A1
CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 27 MAY	'41	32 O.R.'s who classified May 12 '41 graded as Regimental Signallers. Lieut. (Q.M.) W.E. Bawden promoted Captain (Q.M.) effective 13 Mar. '41. Capt. G.F.C. Pangman and Lieut. T.E. Sisson proceeded to Debert to be interviewed by Lt-col. H.V.D. Laing, A.A.&T.M.G., 3 Cdn. Div. with a view to the putting forward of their names as candidates for Staff Learners.	Appendix A2 S
CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 28 MAY	'41	Cablegram was received from our Colonel-in-Chief, H.M. Queen Mary, in reply to ours conveying her warmest thanks for our good wishes.	S Appendix A1
CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 29 MAY	'41	Personnel of Bn. H.Q. took part in a simple exercise - the setting up and protection of Bn. H.Q. This was completed in the morning. Q.O.R. of C. won 3 Cdn. Fiv. Boxing Championships which were contested at Debert 28 May '41, winning a silver cup emblematic of the championship.	S Appendix A1
CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 30 MAY	'41	Results obtained by drivers tested on M.T. Vehicles at Saint John published. Q.O.R. Minstrel show put on at Moncton under the auspices of two Moncton Chapters of the I.O.D.E. The hall of the high school, which holds over 1400, was filled, with spectators standing. The audience was very enthusiastic and apparently this was one of the largest crowds to ever attend an entertainment of this sort in Moncton. It was mentioned that it seemed rather appropriate that the large amount of money made,	Appendix A2 S

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CAMP SUSSEX	N. B. 31 MAY '41		<p>through the efforts of the Q.O.R. of C., was being turned over to the Queen's Fund. Refreshments were served by the ladies afterwards and a short dance was held in the Masonic Hall.</p> <p>Strength return as at 31 May shown in Part 11 orders. Platoons of "A" and "B" Coys. and the Intelligence Section went for route march; bivouaced over night, and returned on Sunday. Platoon Comdrs. made all their own arrangements and all platoons covered between 28 and 35 miles during the two days. This was excellent experience, the men enjoyed it and it was a good toughening-up exercise. Other Coys. are to do this over coming week-ends.</p>	<p>5.</p> <p>Appendix A2</p> <p>5</p>

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for Lt.-Col.
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