WAR DIARY

OF

1 COMPANY CANADIAN ENGINEER CORPS

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Summary of Events and Information

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| 1 Sep 1942 | Weather: Cloudy and warm, strength 5 officers
             |         | 184 other ranks. The mill produced 22,378 f.h.m. from 407 logs. |
| 1 Sep 1942 |     |         | It was an uneventful day. |
| 1 Sep 1942 | Weather: Clear and warm, strength 15 officers and 184 other ranks. The mill produced 22,422 f.h.m. from 412 logs. |
| 1 Sep 1942 |     |         | At 1930 hours two truck loads of men attended an E.S.E.A. concert in the Abbey Hall. |
| 1 Sep 1942 | Weather: Heavy showers in the morning, afternoon cloudy. The mill produced 23,475 f.h.m. from 412 logs. Poor cos were loading lumber all day for shipment on the "G.S.Zealas". At 1900 hours L.t.-Col. Bow, R.G.B.C., and Major Chambers, 555 C.C., R.G.B.C., called at the camp for a brief inspection of our lumber and mill. Beginning at 2010 hours a dance was held in the Recreation Hall. The music was furnished by the 36th.2/48 Companies Band. |
| 1 Sep 1942 | Weather: Clear and cool, strength 150 other ranks and 5 officers. The mill produced 22,065 f.h.m. from 428 logs. At 1900 hours the weekly class for E.C.O.'s was held when instructions were given in Inventory Books. At the same time a class for those who are unable to learn in parades on Saturdays was held and instructions were given in NCO Patrolley. |
| 1 Sep 1942 |     |         | D.O. 496 4/4 Sep 42 |
| 1 Sep 1942 | Weather: Clear and cool with strong winds. The day was devoted to Military Training. In the morning the men went to Barracks for practice on the Rifle Range. The remainder took part in a scheme involving NCO Patrolettes. In the afternoon the men went to the Rifle Range and the remainder carried out another scheme in NCO Patrolettes. At 1900 hours Honourable M.A. Atlee, Deputy Prime Minister of Great Britain, visited the camp accompanied by Rear Admiral Sir A. Bronsky. Lt. Atlee expressed his approval of the conditions of the camp. |
| 1 Sep 1942 | Weather: Clear and cool, there were no Divine Services in the camp today. The only organized work during the day consisted of 4 trucks hauling gravel for our logging roads. |
| 1 Sep 1942 | Weather: Cloudy with showers in the late afternoon and evening. The mill produced 22,989 f.h.m. from 427 logs. Lt.-Col. R.A. Caldwell called at the camp. |
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They returned to camp at 1200 hours. At 1345 hours a church service was held in the Recreation Hall for the Protestants, it was conducted by H/Capt. A.C. Vincent.

26. Weather: Cloudy all day with rain in the afternoon and evening.

The mill produced 24,666 f.m.n. from 440 logs. Four crew started loading lumber for another boat shipment in the morning but at noon orders were received to delay the shipment for a few days.

29. Weather: Rain in the morning, clearing in the mid-afternoon.

The mill produced 24,669 f.m.n. from 443 logs. Nothing worthy of note occurred during the day.

30. Weather: Cloudy with heavy rains in the afternoon.

The mill produced 22,904 f.m.n. from 364 logs. The heavy rain during the afternoon hampered the woods crew so that the mill was down for approximately 3 hours in the afternoon because there were no logs. At 1900 hours the Company was paid by Capt. C.H. Bower. During the pay parade there was an issue of 49 cigarettes and 253,744 Alaska to each man. After each man was paid he proceeded to the mill office where he was put through a concentration of C.A.P. gas to test his respirator.

D.Q. #44
03 Sep 42

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159. CIGARETTES

1. The privilege extended to personnel in the United Kingdom of receiving cigarettes, from tobacco duty free granted by the Government of Great Britain on the understanding that the cigarettes were for personal use and not for sale or disposal.

2. However, the sale or disposal of these cigarettes by certain individuals has resulted in an undesirable condition, and it is considered that the privilege enjoyed by the majority who are complying with the regulations regarding disposal.

3. In order to ensure that the Cigarette issue to the personnel continues to enjoy this privilege, it is advisable, that each man should be given a receipt for the number of cigarettes issued to him, which is to be signed by the individual who issues the cigarettes.

4. Cigarettes will be issued in such a manner that the individual will be held responsible for any losses.

5. It is essential that the privilege is not abused by any person, and that all personnel are made aware of the condition in the event of failure to comply with these rules.

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