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Royal Canadian Artillery

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June 1943

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(H.Q. 1772-39-1658)

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WAR DIARY

OF

85TH COAST BATTERY, R.C.A. CA

YORK ISLAND, B.C.

Su # 390

FROM 1ST JUN 1943

TO

30TH JUN 1943

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APPENDICES *A* TO

Instructions regarding preparation of War Diaries (which will be kept from first day of mobilization, creation or embodiment), are contained in F.S. Regs. Vol. 1.

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WAR DIARY

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A.F.C. 2118

M-5-40 (5242)

L.Q. 1772-39-1658

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to appendices and initials
York Island, B. C.	1943			
	June			
	1st		Height of clouds - 6000. Sky condition - broken. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 3 m.p.h. Sea calm. Barometer - 29.83, steady. Temperature 60	M
	2nd		Height of clouds - 5000. Sky condition - broken. Visibility - 30 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 18 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.04, steady. Temperature - 58°. Capt. Wray-Johnston, RCAMC, arrived to replace Capt. Langley, RCAMC.	M
	3rd		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 20 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 31 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.23, falling. Temperature - 56°. Capt. Langley, RCAMC left York Island.	M
	4th		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 27 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.16, falling. Temperature - 56°	M
	5th		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 20 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 26 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.21, steady. Temperature - 59°. Concert party arrived on York Island at 1500 hours. Two concerts were held in the Gym, one at 1900 hrs and one at 2100 hrs.	M
	6th		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 30 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 24 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.23, steady. Temperature - 59°. Concert party left York Island at 1400 hours on General Anderson. M.V. Hickey arrived with scow of sand and gravel at 1600 hours.	M
	7th		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 28 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.19, falling. Temperature - 58°	M

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M.F.M. 11

A.F.C. 2118

MIL.-5-40 (5242)

H.Q. 1772-39-1058

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to appendices and initials
	1943			
	June 8th		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 28 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.18, falling. Temperature - 52°.	<i>Set.</i>
	9th		Height of clouds - 6000. Sky condition - scattered. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction, N.W., speed, 20 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.27, rising. Temperature - 58°. Capt. Back, RCAPC, arrived at York Island for pay via SS Chelosin. Lieut. L.L. McKay arrived at York Island. Maj. Thomas arrived at York Island at about 1900 hours.	<i>Set.</i>
	10th		Height of clouds - 3000. Sky condition - broken. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 22 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.19, falling. Temperature - 58°. Capt. Back and Lieut. N.F. Macey left York Island on the USS Chelosin. Capt. Inkster, CDC, arrived at Kelsey Bay RCASC vessel and came to York Island.	<i>Set.</i>
	11th		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 26 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.02, steady. Temperature - 60°.	<i>Set.</i>
	12th		Height of clouds - unlimited. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 30 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 28 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 29.91, steady. Temperature - 55°. H/Capt. Marrant arrived for C of E Church Parade.	<i>Set.</i>
	13th		Height of clouds - 2500. Sky condition - overcast. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - E., speed, nil. Sea calm. Barometer - 30.04, steady. Temperature - 60°. H/Capt. Marrant left York Island. Normal Sunday routine.	<i>Set.</i>

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	1943			
	June 14th		Height of clouds - 4000. Sky condition - overcast. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - North-west, speed, 19 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.22 steady. Temperature - 56° "General Lake" arrived from Vancouver with Lt-Col Hood, Capt. Sparling and Lt. Rhodes to carry out practice shoots.	<u>JCh</u>
	15th		Height of clouds - 2500. Sky condition - overcast. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direct - S., speed, 4 m.p.h. Sea calm. Barometer - 30.30, falling. Temperature 62°. Three series 1 inch aiming rifle carried out at 1000 hrs. Three series 1 inch aiming rifle carried out at 1400 hrs.	<u>JCh</u>
	16th		Height of clouds - 3000. Sky condition - broken. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - NW, speed 9 m.p.h. Sea calm. Barometer - 30.44. Temperature - 60° 3 pdr. shoot (3 series) carried out 1000 hrs. 6" 1/2 charge (2 series) carried out 1500 hrs. 1/2 charge cordite proved unreliable.	<u>JCh</u>
	17th		Height of clouds - 3000. Sky condition - overcast. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed 6 m.p.h. Sea calm. Barometer - 30.2. Temperature - 60° Lt-Col Hood and party left York Island for Vancouver on USS Chelosin 1300 hours.	<u>JCh</u>
	18th		Height of clouds - 3000. Sky condition - overcast. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed, 10 m.p.h. Sea calm. Barometer - 30.00. Temperature - 56° Normal routine.	<u>JCh</u>
	19th		Height of clouds - 5000. Sky condition - scattered. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed 14 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 29.95. Temperature - 62°	<u>JCh</u>
	20th		Height of clouds - 4000. Sky condition - scattered. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed 2 m.p.h. Sea calm. Barometer - 30.13, steady. Temperature - 63°.	<u>JCh</u>

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M.F.M. 11

A.F.C. 2118

Mil.-5-40 (3242)

H.Q. 1772-39-1553

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks, references to appendices and initials
	1943			
	Jun			
	28th		Height of clouds - nil. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 30 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed 26 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.20. Temperature - 64°	<i>L.H.M.</i>
	29th		Height of clouds - 3000. Sky condition - scattered. Visibility - 15 miles. Wind direction - N.W., speed 36 m.p.h. Sea rough. Barometer - 30.09. Temperature - 58°. Lieut. Hudson, RCNR, arrived from Esquimalt via HMCS "Santa Maria", reporting for duty as X.O.	<i>L.H.M.</i>
	30th		Height of clouds - nil. Sky condition - clear. Visibility - 25 miles. Wind direction - S.W., speed 24 m.p.h. Sea choppy. Barometer - 30.13. Temperature - 64° Hon/Capt. A. Greene arrived via MS "John Antle" for a short visit.	<i>L.H.M.</i>
VHH			<p><i>D.F. Thomas</i></p> <p>(D. F. Thomas) Major RCA Officer Commanding 85th Coast Battery, R.C.A. CA York Island, B.C</p>	

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary APPX

Order No. 152

-by-

1 June 1943

152-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	2-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. King	2-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	Sgt. Arnold	2-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	Bdr. Kirkbride	2-6-43

152-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnr. Nino, Ralph, Yaworski, Chapman, Billins, Strom.

152-3 PORT QUARTER GUARD

Left Section "F" Sub. N.C.O. i/c	L/Bdr. Bishop	1-6-43
Left Section "E" Sub. N.C.O. i/c	L/Bdr. Robillard	2-6-43

152-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs.	Wednesday	-	Duty telephonist
Fort Area 0800 hrs.	Wednesday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	Wednesday	-	To be detailed

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F.C. Whitehead

(F.C. Whitehead) Capt. RCA. CA.
A/O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

S P O R T S

VOLLEY BALL	Officers vs. Sergeants	1900 hrs.
	Hosheads vs. Centre Sec.	2000 hrs.
BASKET BALL	Hosheads vs. Centre Sec.	2100 hrs.

A volunteer class in mat-work and high-bar is being started tonight under the direction of Coder Ken Code. Time 1830 hrs.

Table-tennis and Hand-ball draws will be posted in the Dry Canteen to-morrow. (Wed)

PART I ORDERS

B.M

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

Order No. 153

2 June 1943

- by -
Capt. F.C. Whitehead, R.C.A.

153-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. F.C. Garrett 3-6-43

OFFICER OF THE WATCH Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick 3-6-43

ACTING B.S.M. L/Sgt. Arnold 2-6-43 - 14-6-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt. Trounce 2-6-43 - 14-6-43

ACTING B.S.M. A/Sgt. Allison 14-6-43 - 28-6-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt. Harris 14-6-43 - 28-6-43

ACTING B.S.M. Sgt. Arkinstall 28-6-43 - 12-7-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt. Nagle 28-6-43 - 12-7-43

ORDERLY BOMBARDIER Bdr. Kirkbride 3-6-43

153-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnrs. Ogonoski, P., Stevens, Sauro, Osachuk,
 Schier, A., Sinclair, Romano.

153-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Left Section "E" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c L/Bdr. Robillard 2-6-43
 Left Section "F" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c A/Bdr. Meyer 3-6-43

153-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs. Thursday - Duty Telephonist
 Fort Area 0800 hrs. Thursday - To be detailed
 #2 A.A. Gun Area Thursday - To be detailed

153-5 PARADE - BATTLE DRILL

All N.C.O's and O.R's of "C" Sub. will parade at 1350 hrs. Thursday, 3 May 43, on Camp Parade Ground for Battle Drill instructions. Dress:- Coveralls, Steel Helmet, Respirator, Skeleton Web, Rifle.

F.C. Whitehead
 (F.C. Whitehead) Capt. RCA. CA.
 A/O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
 York Island, B.C.

NOTICE

There will be a show tonight in the Gymnasium at 1900 hrs. Feature - "THE ROAD TO MOROCCO" - starring Bing Crosby, Bob Hope & Dorothy Lamour.

Right Section will prepare and clean up after the show
N.C.O. 1/c A/Bdr. Brekke

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

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Order No. 154 Capt. F.C. Whitehead, R.C.A. 3 June 1943

154-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. F.C. Garrett 4-6-43
 OFFICER OF THE WATCH Q.M.S. King, 4-6-43
 Orderly Sergeant L/Sgt. Trounce 4-6-43
 Orderly Bombardier A/Bdr. Kirkbride 4-6-43

154-2 FIRE PICQUET Sers. Chobanuk, Bustraan, Glover, Wolf, Nino, Ralph

154-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD
 Left Section "F" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c A/Bdr. Meyer 3-6-43
 Left Section "E" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c L/Bdr. Bishop 4-6-43

154-4 GAS BENTRIES
 Camp Area 0800 hrs. Friday - Duty Telephonist
 Fort Area 0800 hrs. Friday - To be detailed
 #2 A.A. Gun Area Friday - To be detailed

F.C. Whitehead
 (F.C. Whitehead) Capt. R.C.A. CA.
 A/O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. R.C.A.
 York Island, B.C.

NOTICE

There will be a re/showing of "THE ROAD TO MOROCCO" starring Bing Crosby, Bob Hope and Dorothy Lamour, tonight at 1900 hrs. in the Gymnasium.

Centre Section will prepare and clean up after the show.
 N.C.O. 1/c A/Bdr. Hutchings.

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

Order No. 156 by Capt. F.C. Whitehead, R.C.A. 5 June 1943

156-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. F.C. Garrett 6-6-43
 OFFICER OF THE WATCH Q.M.S. King 6-6-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt. Trounce 6-6-43
 ORDERLY BOMBARDIER A/Bdr. Kirkbride 6-6-43

156-2 FIRE PICQUET Gns. Saure, Schler, Sinclair, Romano, Chobanuk, Bustraan.

156-3 PORT QUARTER GUARD

Left Section "F" Sub. N.C.O. i/c L/Bdr. Robillard 5-6-43
 Left Section "E" Sub. N.C.O. i/c A/Bdr. Meyer 6-6-43

156-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0500 hrs. Sunday - Duty Telephonist
 Fort Area 0800 hrs. Sunday - To be detailed
 #2 A.A. Gun Area Sunday - To be detailed

156-5 FIRES - LOSS OF PERSONAL EFFECTS - OFFICERS AND WARRANT OFFICERS CLASS I

There have been quite a number of fires recently in which Officers and Warrant Officers have suffered considerable loss of personal effects, and investigation discloses that in very few instances have losses been covered by insurance.

It would appear that Officers and Warrant Officers, Class I, are not fully aware of the provisions of C.A.R.O. 1465, and P.C.R.O. 389, dated, 29 Mar 43, and consequently are neglecting to take adequate steps to protect themselves.

It is requested that steps be taken to ensure all Officers and Warrant Officers being fully conversant with the above orders, and that notices drawing attention to the orders be published in Formation and Unit Orders from time to time.

(Van.Def. Order No. 22-2)

F.C. Whitehead
 (F.C. Whitehead) Capt. R.C.A.
 A/O.C. 85th. Coast Sty. RCA. CA.
 York Island, B.C.

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PART I ORDERS
YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 157 by Capt. F.C. Whitehead, R.C.A. 6 June 1943

157-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. F.C. Garrett 7-6-43
OFFICER OF WATCH Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick 7-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt. Trounce 7-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER A/Bdr. Kirkbride 7-6-43

157-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnrs. Glover, Wolf, Nino, Ralph
Yaworski, Chapman

157-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Left Section "E" Sub. N.C.O. i/c A/Bdr. Meyer 6-6-43
Left Section "F" Sub. N.C.O. i/c L/Bdr. Bishop 7-6-43

157-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs. Monday - Duty telephonist
Fort Area 0800 hrs. Monday - To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area Monday - To be detailed

W. F. Macey

(F.C. Whitehead) Capt. R.C.A. CA.
A/O.C. 85th. Coast Battery, R.C.A.
York Island, B.C.

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PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order no. 158 - by - Capt. F.C. Whitehead, R.C.A. 7 June 43

158-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	8-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. King,	8-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Trounce	8-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Kirkbride	8-6-43

158-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnr. Strom, Ogonoski, P., Stevens, Sauro, Schler, A.

158-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Left Section "F" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	L/Bdr. Bishop	7-6-43
Left Section "E" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	A/Bdr. Meyer	8-6-43

158-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs.	Tuesday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area 0800 hrs.	Tuesday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	Tuesday	-	To be detailed

158-5 WALKING OUT SHOES

In future all walking out shoes, and rubbers, will be kept in kit bags.

158-6 LECTURE

tomorrow
Commencing ~~tonight~~, Tuesday, 8 June 43, all Headquarters Personnel will attend lectures in the Mess Hall, on Tuesday and Friday nights at 1830 hrs.

J. F. Macey
(F.C. Whitehead) Capt. RCA. CA.
A/O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

NOTICE BINGO - Tonight at 2000 hrs. in Mess Hall
Prizes - Cigarettes
FREE!

S P O R T S

VOLLEY BALL	Centre Section	vs.	Left RIGHT Section	1900 hrs.
BASKET BALL	Centre Section	vs.	Left RIGHT Section	2100 hrs.

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159-9 GAS DRILL

All ranks will wear anti-gas respirators between 1000 and 1030 hrs. Wednesday, 9 June 43. This does not apply to R.C.E. personnel employed on construction in the Fort, only.

159-10 METHOD OF HANDLING KIT BAGS OF ARMY PERSONNEL TRAVELLING BY TRAIN

(A) Individuals and small parties

1. Kit bags will not be carried by Army personnel travelling by train while occupying ordinary day coach, or sleeping car accommodation, or other regular railway facilities available to civilian passengers. In such cases kit bags will be checked in the baggage car through to destination.
2. Kit bags so checked will not be tied or locked together, but will be checked as individual pieces.
3. Web equipment, steel helmet, greatcoat and respirator, will remain with the soldier.

(B) Large Parties, Drafts and Units

1. Kit bags and similar bulky baggage may be carried only by personnel travelling in special trains, or occupying coaches, or colonist cars, reserved for their exclusive use.

(C) These instructions will be republished in Unit Orders every three months.

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159-11 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/m O.R.'s of this Battery have qualified in T.O.E.T's as listed below:-

	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Bren</u>	<u>P.A.G.</u>	<u>Browning</u>
L/Bdr. Skilton, H.J.	X		X	X
A/Sgt. Allison, C.H.	X	X	X	X
L/Sgt. Harris, P.	X	X	X	X
A/Bdr. Peace, F.R.	X	X	X	X
A/Bdr. Brekke, D.E.	X	X	X	X
L/Bdr. Keck, E.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Jennings, J.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Legros, J.G.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Hall, R.C.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Craig, J.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Welgan, W.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Larochele, E.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Cassidy, P.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Burton, J.V.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Johnson, O.D.	X	X	X	X
Gnr. Kalvia, R.	X	X	X	
Gnr. Yokki, T.	X	X	X	
Gnr. Peck, H.W.	X	X	X	
Gnr. Duffreane, L.	X	X	X	
Gnr. Bahlied, F.S.	X	X	X	
Gnr. Rozmus, M.	X	X	X	
Gnr. Ward, G.A.	X	X	X	
L/Bdr. Hawkins, H.B.	X	X	X	
Gnr. Lucas, B.	X		X	X
Gnr. White, G.A.	X		X	X
Gnr. Billins, J.J.	X		X	X
L/Bdr. Buston, W.J.	X		X	
Gnr. Erickson, A.	X		X	
Gnr. Gent, F.A.	X		X	
Gnr. Gulas, M.	X		X	
Gnr. Feduc, W.	X		X	
Gnr. Sakharschuk, S.	X		X	
Gnr. Byron, J.	X		X	

159 QUALIFICATIONS (Contd)

	<u>Rifle</u>	<u>Bren</u>	<u>P.A.O.</u>	<u>Browning</u>
Gnr. Cinnamon, L.O.	X		X	
Gnr. Wojciechowski, J.	X		X	
Gnr. Wagil, W.	X		X	
Gnr. Arnold, G.G.	X		X	
Gnr. Vilac, D.J.	X		X	
Gnr. Stretch, D.L.	X		X	
Gnr. McIntosh, W.A.	X			X
Gnr. Coleman, L.H.	X			X
Gnr. Stoddart, F.C.	X			X
Gnr. Dobson, R.	X			X

(F.C. Whithead) Capt. R.C.A.
 A/C.C. 55th. Coast Bty. RCA. CR.
 York Island, B.C.

NOTICE

A 'QUIZ CONTEST' will be held in the Mess Hall
 at 1930 hrs.

S P O R T S

VOLLEY BALL

Right Section vs. Mosheads 1930 hrs.

BASKET BALL

Right Section vs. Mosheads 2030 hrs.

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PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND BARRISON

Order No. 160

- by -
Capt. F.C. Whitehead, R.C.A.

9 June 1943

160-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	10-6-43
OFFICER OF WATCH	G.M.S. KIRKPATRICK	10-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Trounce	10-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Sdr. Kirkbride	10-6-43

160-2 FIRE PICKET Gnr. Nino, Ralph, Yaworski, Chapman, Martens, Strom.

160-3 PORT QUARTER GUARD

Left Section "F" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c To be detailed 9-6-43
Left Section "E" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c to be detailed 10-6-43

160-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs. Thursday - Duty Telephonist
Fort Area 0800 hrs. Thursday - To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area Thursday - To be detailed

160-5 INOCULATIONS

The u/s personnel will parade at 1000 hrs. 10 June 43, for inoculations at the Hospital.

A/Sgt. Beaulieu, J.L.	Gnr. Peterson, G.F.
L/Sdr. Shore, T.	Gnr. Romano, M.
L/Sdr. Stanley, A.W.	Gnr. Skogson, L.V.
Gnr. Nicholson, M.A.	Gnr. Stevens, B.I.S.
Gnr. Smith, D.	Gnr. Wilcox, R.H.
Gnr. Stepney, D.T.	Gnr. Wobkischewski, J.
Gnr. Osachuk, W.	Gnr. Wolf, S.
Gnr. Paulson, H.F.	Gnr. Yaworski, W.L.

160-6 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/s C.R.'s of this Battery have qualified in Gas P.C.E.T.

L/Sdr. Wainwright, C.	Gnr. Head, C.E.
L/Sdr. Cross, B.	Gnr. Anderson, G.G.
L/Sdr. Houlihan, C.F.	Gnr. Booth, R.F.
Gnr. Collingwood, H.	Gnr. Roenck, E.
Gnr. Stepney, D.T.	Gnr. Kostyshyn, S. ✓
Gnr. Bucknell, M.L.	Gnr. Barran, J.S.
Gnr. Schulz, O.A.	L/Sdr. Mayzes, J.
Gnr. Temple, G.F.	L/Sdr. Shore, T.
Gnr. Kozak, ✓	Gnr. Boucher, T.J.
Gnr. Matwichuk, J.	Gnr. Matonovich, S.
Gnr. Blanchette, G.	Gnr. Daoust, A.
Gnr. Black, R.C.	Gnr. Hemphill, S.
Gnr. Griffin, A.	Gnr. Lovett, J.R. ✓
Gnr. Nudde, G.A.	Gnr. Sullivan, P.D. ✓
Gnr. Hargreaves, V.H.	Gnr. Cole, A.
Gnr. Falconer, G.A.	Gnr. Ogonski, C.
Gnr. Dunsmore, G.D. ✓	Gnr. Brown, J.A.
Gnr. Allan, G.W.	

160-7 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/m O.R.'s of this Battery have qualified in T.O.E.T's as listed below:-

	<u>GAS</u>	<u>2" MORTAR</u>	<u>RIFLE</u>	<u>BROWNING</u>
A/Sdr. East, F.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
A/Sdr. Kozak, W.	X ✓	X ✓		
A/Sdr. Hutchings, F.R.	X ✓	X ✓		
L/Sdr. Stanley, W.A.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Johnson, M.H.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Brown, M.A.		X ✓	X ✓	
Gnr. Brown, J.L.		X ✓		
Gnr. Humphreys, J.L.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Bennett, H.R.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Graham, C.G.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Johnson, L.C.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Albertson L.G.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Fedolicki, P.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Lewis, E.F.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Gallscher, L.E.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Drudi, A.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Hooker, C.W.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Macri, B.	X ✓	X ✓		
Gnr. Todd, L.	X ✓	X ✓	X ✓	
Gnr. Gauthier, G.J.	X ✓	X ✓	X ✓	
Gnr. Taylor, C.W.	X ✓	X ✓	X ✓	
Gnr. Rosenberg, A.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Glogowski, J.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Grassi, E.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Gillis, J.F.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Sigvaldason, B.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓
Gnr. Fiskar, G.A.	X ✓	X ✓		X ✓

(P.C. Whitehead) Capt. RCA.
A/O.C. 85th Coast Battery. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

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PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 161 - by - Major D.E. Thomas, R.C.A. 10 June 1943

161-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett,	11-6-43
OFFICER OF WATCH	Q.M.S. King,	11-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Trounce	11-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Kirkbride	11-6-43

161-2 SENE PICQUET Gnr. Ogonoski, P., Stevens, Sauro, Schier, A., Sinclair, Romano.

161-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Left Section "E" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	10-6-43
Left Section "F" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	11-6-43

161-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Friday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs.	Friday	-	To be detailed
#2A.A. Gun Area		Friday	-	To be detailed

161-5 SHOWERS

Showers in the Men's Ablution Hut are out of bounds until further notice.

D.F. Thomas
 (D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
 O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. C
 York Island, B.C.

S P O R T S

Pick-up hockey games will be held in the Gymnasium starting at 1900 hrs.

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

File

- by -

Major D.F. Thomas, R.C.A.

11 June 1943

Order No. 162

162-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Liaut. F.C. Garrett	12-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick	12-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Trounce	12-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Kirkbride	12-6-43

162-2
FIRE PICQUET

Gars. Chobanuk, Bustrean, Glover,
Wolf, Nino, Ralph.

162-3 FORT QUATER GUARD

Left Section "F" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	11-6-43
Left Section "E" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	12-6-43

162-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Saturday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs.	Saturday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area		Saturday	-	To be detailed

162-5 CHURCH PARADE

A Protestant Church Parade will be held in the Men's Recreation Room at 1030 hrs. Sunday, 13 June 43.
Dress will be shirts, shorts, puttees with battle dress tunic.

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D.F. Thomas
(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th Coast Battery, RCA. CA.
York Island, B.G.

PART I ORDERS
YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 163

- By -
Major D.F. Thomas, R.C.A.

12 June 1943

163-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	13-6-43
OFFICER OF WATCH	G.M.S. King,	13-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. XXXXXXXX Harris	13-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Peace	13-6-43

163-2 FIRE PICQUET Gns. Ward, G.A., Rozmus, Legros,
Bahlieda, Peck, Hail

163-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "A" Sub.	N.C.O. To be detailed	12-6-43
Right Section "B" Sub.	N.C.O. To be detailed	13-6-43

163-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Sunday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs.	Sunday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area		Sunday	-	To be detailed

163-5 PARADE - DENTAL

The u/m C.R.'s will parade at the Hospital at 0830 hrs. Monday 14 June 1943, for dental treatment:-

L/Sgt. Arnold, R.W.	L/Bdr. Bishop, S.C.
L/Sgt. Trounce, F.G.	Gnr. Glover, C.E.
A/Bdr. Meyer, R.J.	Gnr. Wolf, S.
A/Bdr. Kirkbride, A.T.R.	Gnr. Nino, F.
L/Bdr. Robillard, B.	Gnr. Ralph, R.R.
Gnr. Martens, J.	Gnr. Yaworski, W.L.
Gnr. Strom, L.	Gnr. Chapman, W.H.
Gnr. Ogonoski, P.	L/Bdr. Hawkins, H.S.
Gnr. Stevens, B.I.C.	Gnr. Culliner, L.
Gnr. Sauro, D.	Gnr. Chenier, D.O.
Gnr. Schier, A.	Gnr. Clark, S.L.
Gnr. Sinclair, B.	L/Bdr. Skilton, H.J.
Gnr. Romanc, M.	Gnr. White, G.A.
Gnr. Chobanuk, J.	Gnr. Coleman, L.H.
Gnr. Bustraan, J.J.	Gnr. Luoma, S.

163-6 PARADE - DENTAL

Gun Crew and D.R.F. Personnel of the Centre Section will parade at the Hospital at 0900 hrs. Sunday, 13 June 1943, for dental treatment.

(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
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York Island, B.C.

NOTICE

Provided the projector arrives, there will be a show tonight in the Gymnasium at 1900 hrs.
Left Section will prepare and clean up after the Show
N.C.O. i/c L/Bdr. Robillard

PART I ORDERS

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York Island Garrison

Order No. 165

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, R.C.A.

14 June 43

165-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut F.C. Garrett 15-6-43
 OFFICER OF THE WATCH Q.M.S. King 15-6-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/SGT. Harris 15-6-43

165-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnsrs. Kalvia, Yoski, Sakharachuk,
 Welgan, Burton, Johnson, O.D.

165-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD
 Right Section "A" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c To be detailed 14-6-43
 Right Section "B" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c To be detailed 15-6-43

165-4 GAS SENTRIES
 Camp Area 0800 hrs. Tuesday - Duty Telephonist
 Fort Area 0800 hrs. Tuesday - To be detailed
 #2 A.A. Gun Area Tuesday - To be detailed

165-5 DENTAL PARADE
 All personnel of the A.A. and Searchlight detachments, who have not already been, will parade at 0830 hrs. Tuesday, 15 June 1943 at the Hospital, for Dental inspection

165-6 ABLUTION HUT Laundry at West end of Ablution Hut is out of bounds from Tuesday 15-6-43 until further notice. Wash room and showers will be ready for use Tuesday.

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[Signature]
 (D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
 O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. R.C.A. CA.
 York Island, B.C.

S P O R T S

VOLLEY BALL Right Section vs. Left Section 1900 hrs.
 BASKET BALL Right Section vs. Left Section 2100 hrs.

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 166

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, R.C.A.

15 June 43

166-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	16-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick	16-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Harris	16-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Peace	16-6-43

166-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnrs. Ward, G.A., Rozmus, Legros, Bahlleda, Peck, Craig.

166-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "B" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	15-6-43
Right Section "A" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	16-6-43

166-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs.	Wednesday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area 0800 hrs.	Wednesday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	Wednesday	-	To be detailed

166-5 Dental Parade

Headquarters personnel will parade at the Hospital at 0830 hrs. Wednesday, 16 June 43, for dental inspection.

166-6 DRY CANTEEN

Personnel consuming pop in the Dry Canteen will return empty bottles to the counter immediately after finishing. When pop is taken out of the Canteen for consumption elsewhere, empty bottles must be returned. Failure to comply with this order will result in disciplinary action

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L.H. Murray
for
(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

S P O R T S

VOLLEY BALL	Centre Sec.	Vs.	Hosheads	1900 hrs.
BASKET BALL	Centre Sec.	vs.	Hosheads	2100 hrs.

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PART I ORDERS
YORK ISLAND GARRISON

Order No. 167

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, R.C.A

16 June 1943

167-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	17-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick	17-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Harris	17-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Peace	17-6-43

167-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnr. McIntosh, Stretch, Jennings,
Larichelle, Cassidy, Kalvia.

167-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "A" Sub.	N.C.O. i/c	To be detailed	16-6-43
Right Section "B" Sub.	N.C.O. i/c	To be detailed	17-6-43

167-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Thursday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs.	Thursday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area		Thursday	-	To be detailed

167-5 C.O.'s PARADE

~~ESS~~ C.O.'s parade will be held at 0830 hrs. Thursday, 17 June 43.
All available O.R.'s will attend.

Dress	-	Battle Dress
Equipment	-	Battle Order

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D.F. Thomas
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O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. R.C.A. CA.
York Island, B.C.

NOTICE:

A show will be held tonight in the Gymnasium at 1900 hrs.
Feature - "THE GLASS KEY" - ~~MEMPHIS~~ starring Brian Donlevy,
Alan Ladd, Veronica Lake. (Subject to change without notice)

Left Section will prepare and clean up after the show.
N.C.O. i/c L/Bdr. Bishop.

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 168

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, R.C.A.

17 June 1943

168-1	<u>DUTIES</u>	ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	18-6-43
		OFFICER OF THE WATCH	G.M.B. King	18-6-43
		ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Harris	18-6-43
		ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Peace	18-6-43

168-2 FIRE PICQUET Enrs. Yoski, Sakhar, chuk, Welgan,
Bunton, Johnson, O.D., Ward, G.A.

168-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "B"	Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	17-6-43
Right Section "A"	Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	To be detailed	18-6-43

168-4 GAB SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Friday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs.	Friday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area		Friday	-	To be detailed

168-5 ABLUTION HUT

Wash room and shower room are out of bounds from 0930 hrs. until 1100 hrs. daily

168-6 MESS HALL

All duty personnel will attend first sitting in the Mess Hall

168-7 COAL MINING LEAVE

Attention of all ranks is called to the copy of Pacific Command Circular Letter No. 149 re Leave for Employment for Coal Mining. Application for this leave will be made to the Battery Captain, not later than 22 June 43.

D.F. Thomas

(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

NOTICE

There will be a re-showing tonight at 1900 hrs. in the Gymnasium of "THE MALTESE FALCON" starring Humphrey Bogart, Mary Astor

5th. Works Coy. R.C.E. will prepare, and clean up after the show.
N.C.O. 1/c to be detailed

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

By

Order No. 169 Major D. F. Thomas, RCA 18 Jun 43

169-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. F. C. Garrett 19-6-43
 OFFICER OF THE WATCH QMS Kirkpatrick 19-6-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt. Harris 19-6-43
 ORDERLY BOMBARDIER A/Bdr. Peace 19-6-43

169-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnrs. Rozmus, Legros, Bahlieda, Craig,
McIntosh & Stretch.

169-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "A" Sub. NCO i/c To be detailed 18-6-43
 Right Section "B" Sub. NCO i/c To be detailed 19-6-43

169-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs. Saturday - Duty Telephonist
 Fort Area 0800 hrs. Saturday - To be detailed
 #2 A.A. Gun Area Saturday - To be detailed

D. F. Thomas Capt

1 (D. F. Thomas) Maj. RCA
O.C. 85th Coast Battery RCA CA
York Island, B.C.

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S P O R T S

VOLLEY BALL Right Section Vs. Hossheads 1900 hrs.
 BASKET BALL Right Section Vs. Hossheads 2000 hrs.

- PART I ORDERS -

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

by

Order No. 170 Major D. F. Thomas RCA 19 Jun 43

170-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. F. C. Garrett 20-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH QMS King 20-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt Harris 20-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER A/Bdr Peace 20-6-43

170-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnrs. Jennings, Larochele, Cassidy, Kalvia
Yoski, Sakharachuk.

170-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "B" Sub. NCO i/c To be detailed 19-6-43
Right Section "A" Sub. NCO i/c To be detailed 20-6-43

170-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs. Sunday - Duty Telephonist
Fort Area 0800 hrs. Sunday - To be detailed
No. 2 A.A. Gun Area Sunday - To be detailed

170-5 SA TURDAY CAMP CLEANUP

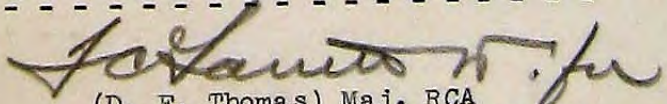
All personnel will assist in Saturday morning camp cleanup.
This includes the Section coming off duty.

170-6 T.'S O.E.T.

Headquarters staff will be given Gas T's. O.E.T. on Monday
21 Jun 43 under Bdr. Meyer. Time in the afternoon will be
advised later.

170-7 WIRELESS, RADIO & TELEPHONE MESSAGES

All wireless, radio and telephone messages which leave York
Island must be signed by an Officer before being sent.
Copies of all this type of message coming in to York Island
must be seen by an Officer before delivery.
Before a long distance telephone call is made, permission
must be obtained from the O.C. York Island Garrison.


(D. F. Thomas) Maj. RCA
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York Island, B.C.

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NOTICE: SPORTS Starting at 13:30 hrs Sunday 20 Jun 43 a badminton
tournament will be held in the Gym. All personnel
wishing to enter same must have their names submitted
at the Gym at that time.

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-PART I ORDERS-

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

by

Order No. 171 Major D.F. Thomas RCA 20 Jun 43

- 171-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut P C Garrett 21-6-43
- OFFICER OF THE WATCH QMS Kirkpatrick 21-6-43
- ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt Harvie 21-6-43
- ORDERLY BOMBARDIER A/Sdr Peace 21-6-43

171-2 FIRE PICKET Gnr. Welgan, Burton, Johnson, O.D.
Ward G.A., Rogmus, Legros.

- 171-3 PORT QUARTER GUARD
- Right Section "A" Sub. NCO i/c To be detailed 20-6-43
- Right Section "B" Sub. NCO i/c To be detailed 21-6-43

- 171-4 GAS SENTINELS
- Camp Area 0800 hrs Monday - Duty telephonist
- Port Area 0800 hrs Monday - To be detailed
- SE A.A. Gun Area Monday - To be detailed

171-5 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/m personnel have qualified in T.'s O.N.T. as shown:

Sgt. Nagle H.F.	2" Mortar	Grenade	.50	Browning	MG
Sdr. East T. R.	2" Mortar	Grenade	.50	Browning	MG
Sdr. Hutchings F.R.		Grenade	.50	Browning	MG
L/Sdr. Stanley A.W.			.50	Browning	MG
L/Sdr. Maysee S. J.	2" Mortar				
Gnr. Brown H. A.			.50	Browning	MG
Gnr. Johnson L. C.			.50	Browning	MG
Gnr. Gatto F.A.			.50	Browning	MG
Gnr. Hecker C. W.		Grenade	.50	Browning	MG
Gnr. Grassi E.	2" Mortar		.50	Browning	MG
Gnr. Prudi A.		Grenade			
Gnr. Macri S.		Grenade			
Gnr. Lewis E. P.		Grenade			
Gnr. Gullacher L.H.		Grenade			
Gnr. Kostyahan S.	2" Mortar				
Gnr. Glowoski J.	2" Mortar				
Gnr. Starberg A.	2" Mortar				
Gnr. Todd L.	2" Mortar				
Gnr. Sigvaldason B.	2" Mortar				

(D. F. Thomas) Maj. RCA
O.C. 25th Coast Bty RCA CA
York Island, S.C.

NOTICE: FOUND--Man's wedding ring. Owner may claim same by identifying the ring. Apply to Orderly Room.

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PART I ORDER

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

by

Order No. 173

Major D.F. Thomas. RCA.

22 Jun 43.

173-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. F.C. Garrett 23-6-43
 OFFICER OF THE WATCH QMS King 23-6-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt Harris 23-6-43
 ORDERLY BOMBARDIER A/Bdr Peace 23-6-43

173-2 FIRE PIQUET Gnrs. Jennings, LaRoche, Cassidy, Kalvia, Yoski and Sakharachuk.

173-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "B" Sub NCO i/c A/Bdr Brekke 23-6-43
 Right Section "A" Sub NCO i/c L/Bdr Koch 23-6-43

173-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs Wednesday - Duty Telephonist
 Fort Area 0800 hrs Wednesday - To be detailed.
 #2 A.A. Gun Area 0800 hrs Wednesday - To be detailed.

173-5 LIFE INSURANCE

Attention of all ranks is drawn to Regimental Part I Order No. 48 Sec. 3, which is posted in the Mess Hall.

173-6 CABLES - CANADIAN ARMY PERSONNEL OVERSEAS - C.A.R.O. 3286

Attention of all ranks is drawn to Regimental Part I Order No. 48 Sec. 4, which is posted in the Mess Hall.

173-7 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/m O.R.'s have qualified in T.O.E.T.'s as shown:

	<u>S/L Operator</u>	<u>S/L Switchment</u>
L/Bdr Mayzes, S.J.	Q	Q
Gnr. Feduck, W	Q	Q
Gnr. Gulas, M	Q	Q
Gnr. Erickson, A	Q	Q
Gnr. Spani, J.A.	Q	Q
Gnr. Byron, J.H.	Q	Q
Gnr. Wojciechowski, J.	Q	Q
Gnr. Gent, F.A.	Q	Q
Gnr. Lovett, J.R.	Q	Q
Gnr. Apostoliuk, N	Q	Q
Gnr. Bonnett, H.R.	Q	Q
Gnr. Erickson, M.	Q	Q
Gnr. Lloyd, J.O.	Q	Q
Gnr. Cholette, R.R.	Q	Q
Gnr. Brown, M.A.	Q	Q
Gnr. Johnston, M.H.	Q	Q
Gnr. Brown, J.A.	Q	Q
Gnr. Humphrey, R.V.	Q	Q

(D.F. Thomas) Major. R.C.A.
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PART I ORDERS
YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 174

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, RCA

23 June 1943

174-1	<u>DUTIES</u>	ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. F.C. Garrett	24-6-43
		OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick	24-6-43
		ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Harries	24-6-43
		ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Peace	24-6-43

174-2 FIRE PICQUET Gars. Welgan, Buxton, Johnson, O.D.
Ward, Rozmus, Legros.

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FORT QUARTER GUARD

174-3

Right Section "A" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c L/Bdr. Koch	23-6-43
Right Section "B" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c A/Bdr. Brekke	24-6-43

174-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs. Thursday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs. Thursday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	0800 hrs. Thursday	-	To be detailed

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for *D.F. Thomas*
(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RGA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

NOTICE:

There will be a show tonight at 1900 hrs. in the Gymnasium
Feature - "True to the Army" starring Judy Canova, Allan Jones,
Jerry Colonna. Also selected Shorts.

Centre Section will prepare and clean up after the Show.
N.C.O. 1/c L/Bdr. Stanley

NOTICE

AIRMAIL letters should be plainly marked in ink, or stickers
which are available in the Orderly Room.

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 175

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, RCA

24 June 1943

175-1 DUTIES ORDERLY OFFICER Lieut. L.L. McKay 25-6-43
 OFFICER OF THE WATCH Q.M.S. King 25-6-43
 ORDERLY SERGEANT L/Sgt. Nagle 25-6-43
 ORDERLY BOMBARDIER A/Bdr. Pease 25-6-43

175-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnr. Bahlleda, Peck, Craig,
 McIntosh, Stretch, Jennings.

175-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "B" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c A/Bdr. Brekke 24-6-43
 Right Section "A" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c L/Bdr. Koch 25-6-43

175-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area 0800 hrs. Friday - Duty Telephonist
 Fort Area 0800 hrs. Friday - To be detailed
 #2 A.A. Gun Area 0800 hrs. Friday - To be detailed

175-5 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/m personnel have qualified in T.O.E.T's as listed:-

	2" Mortar	Grenade	Browning	Bren	Rifle
L/Sgt. Arnold, R.W.	X	X	X	X	
L/Sgt. Trounce, F.G.	X	X	X		
A/Bdr. Meyer, R.J.	X	X	X		
L/Bdr. Robillard, B.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Martens, J.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Sauro, D.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Stevens, B.I.G.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Schier, A.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Sinclair, S.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Ogonoski, P.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Romano, M.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Strom, L.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Chobanuk, J.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Clover, C.E.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Wolf, S.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Nino, P.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Ralph, R.R.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Yaworski, W.L.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Chapman, W.H.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Culiner, L.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Clarke, E.L.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Matonovich, S.P.R.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Bonin, R.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Boucher, T.J.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Daoust, A.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Hemphill, S.	X	X	X		
L/Bdr. Shore, T.	X	X	X		
L/Bdr. Hawkins, H.S.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Marshall, P.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Dufresne, L.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Arnold, G.G.	X	X	X		
Gnr. Barras, J.W.	X		X		X
Gnr. Fiskar, J.A.	X		X		X
Gnr. Gillis, J.F.	X		X		X
Gnr. Albertson, L.G.		X			
Gnr. Senuike, H.J.		X	X		X

	<u>2" Mortar</u>	<u>Grenade</u>	<u>Browning</u>	<u>Bren</u>	<u>Rifle</u>
Gnr. Cholette, R.R.		X	X	X	
Gnr. Lovett, J.R.			X	X	
Gnr. Gullacher, L.E.			X	X	
Gnr. Brown, A.L.					X
Gnr. Anderson, G.B.					X
Gnr. Marsh, V.G.					X
Gnr. Sulz, C.					X
Gnr. Nelson, H.					X
Gnr. Dobyansky, J.					X
Gnr. Sampert, A.L.					X
Gnr. Schulz, O.A.					X
Gnr. Hopen, E.C.					X
Gnr. Scheer, R.C.					X
Gnr. Dunsmore, G.B.					X
Gnr. Griffin, A.					X
Gnr. Smith, D.					X
Gnr. Stepney, D.T.					X
Gnr. Kozak, G.M.					X
Gnr. Toomey, J.D.					X
Gnr. Matwichuk, J.					X
Gnr. Nudds, G.A.					X
Gnr. Caza, F.					X
Gnr. Blanchette, G.					X

175-6 QUALIFICATIONS

The U/M personnel have qualified in T.O.E.T's as listed;/-

	<u>S/L Operator</u>	<u>S/L Switchman</u>
Gnr. Graham, C.G.	X	X
Gnr. Nelson, H. S.	X	X
Gnr. Cinnamon, L.G.	X	X
Gnr. Johnson, M.H.		X
Gnr. Brown, J.A.	X	

175-7 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/m personnel have qualified in T.O.E.T's Gas.

Gnr. Smith, D.	Gnr. Dobyansky, J.
Gnr. Marsh, V.G.	Gnr. Nelson, H.
Gnr. Sulz, C.	Gnr. Scheer, R.C.
Gnr. Ward, J.	Gnr. Hopen, E.C.
Gnr. Osachuk, N.	Gnr. Barriscale, A.S.P.
Gnr. Sampert, A.L.	Gnr. Faltz, R.J.
Gnr. Brown, A.L.	Gnr. Borg, J.L.
Gnr. Nicholson, M.A.	

175-8 SHOE LACES

Attention of all ranks is drawn to Regimental Part I Orders No. 49 Sec. 3, which is posted in the Mess Hall

(Handwritten Signature)

(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

NOTICE:-

The re will be a re-showing tonight in the Gymnasium at 1900 hrs. of "Gentleman Jim" starring Errol Flynn, Alexis Smith, Jack Carsod.

Left Section will prepare and clean up after the show.
N.C.O. i/c L/Bdr. Robillard

NAVY I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

- by -

Order No. 176

Major D.F. Thomas, RGA

25 June 1943

176-1	<u>DUTIES</u>	ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. L.L. McKay	26-6-43
		OFFICER OF THE WATCH	G.M.S. Kirkpatrick	26-6-43
		ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Nagle	26-6-43
		ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bar. Peace	26-6-43

176-2 FIRE PIQUET Gns. Lerochelle, Cassidy, Laivia,
Yoski, Sakharachuk, Welgan.

176-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "A" Sub.	H.C.O. i/c L/Bar. Koch	25-6-43
Right Section "B" Sub.	H.C.O. i/c A/Bar. Brekke	26-6-43

176-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs. Saturday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs. Saturday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	0800 hrs. Saturday	-	To be detailed

176-5 LIQUOR PERMITS

All ranks in possession of Liquor Permits must present them at the Orderly Room, to be stamped, before 28 June 1943

176-6 PAY PARADE

Pay parade for York Island Garrison will be held Saturday afternoon, 26 June 1943

D.F. Thomas

(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RGA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

NOTICE

There will be a show tonight in the Gymnasium at 1900 hrs. Feature "True to the Army" starring Judy Genova, Allan Jones and Jerry Colonna. Also Short Subjects.

5th. Works Coy. R.C.E. will prepare, and clean up after the Show. H.C.O. i/c Cpl. Scott

PART I ORDERS

York Island Garrison

War Diary

Order No. 177

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, R.C.A.

26 June 1943

177-1	<u>DUTIES</u>	ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. L.L. McKay	27-6-43
		OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. King	27-6-43
		ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Nagle	27-6-43
		ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Peace	27-6-43

177-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnr. Burton, Johnson, O.D., Ward, G.A.
Rozmus, Legros, Bahlieda.

177-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "B" Sub.	N.C.O. i/c A/Bdr. Brekke	26-6-43
Right Section "A" Sub.	N.C.O. i/c L/Bdr. Koch	27-6-43

177-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Sunday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs.	Sunday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	0800 hrs.	Sunday	-	To be detailed

177-5 CONSERVATION OF WATER

Due to the continued dry spell all personnel are warned against waste, and excessive use, of water. Failure to comply with this order will result in disciplinary action.

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H. Whitehead Cpl.
 (D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
 O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. R.C.A. CA.
 York Island, B.C.

Notice

There will be a re-showing of "TRUE TO THE ARMY" tonight in the Gymnasium at 1900 hrs.

11th. E.S. & W. Coy and 4th. Fortress Coy. R.C.E. will prepare, and clean up after the show. N.C.O. i/c L/Cpl. Batty

PART I ORDERS

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

Order No. 178 - by - Major D.F. Thomas, RCA. 27 June 1943

178-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. L.L. McKay	28-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick	28-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Nagle	28-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Hutchings	28-6-43

178-2 FIRE PICQUET Gns. Fiskar, Stenberg, Glogowski, Grassi, Kostyshyn, Sigvaldason.

178-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Right Section "A"	Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	- To be detailed	27-6-43
Centre Section "C"	Sub. N.C.O. 1/c	- To be detailed	28-6-43

178-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0600 hrs.	- Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0600 hrs.	- To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	0600 hrs.	- To be detailed

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 (D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
 O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA.CA
 York Island, B.C.

S P O R T S

A Boxing and Wrestling Tournament will be held in the Gymnasium on Monday and Tuesdays in the evening.

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28 June 43

179-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. L.L. McKay	29-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. King	29-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Nagle	29-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Hutchings	29-6-43

179-2 FIRE PICQUET Gnr. Barras, Todd, Gillis, Sannike, Podolski, Albertson.

179-3 FORT QUARTER GUARD

Centre Section "D" Sub.	N.C.O. i/c. L/Bdr. Stanley	28-6-43
Centre Section "C" Sub.	N.C.O. i/c. A/Bdr. Kozak	29-6-43

179-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs. Tuesday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort area	0800 hrs. Tuesday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	0800 hrs. Tuesday	-	To be detailed

179-5 COCA-COLA BOTTLES

All empty Coca-Cola Bottles must be returned to the Canteen. Unless all empties are returned promptly in the future, the practice of taking Coca-Cola out will cease and it will be sold only for consumption in the Canteen.

179-6 QUALIFICATIONS

The u/m personnel have qualified in T.O.E.T's as listed:-

	<u>.50 Browning</u>	<u>2" Mortar</u>	<u>Grenade</u>
L/Bdr. Stanley, A.W.	X		X
Gnr. Albertson, L.G.	X		
Gnr. Barras, J.W.			X
Gnr. Bajarnason, E.K.	X		
Gnr. Podolski, P.	X		
Gnr. Gauthier, G.J.			X
Gnr. Johnson, P.		X	X
Gnr. Moench, E.		X	
Gnr. Macri, S.	X		

179-7 ONTARIO PROVINCIAL ELECTION

All personnel previously resident of the Province of Ontario prior to service in the Army, will report to the Orderly Room before Thursday 1 July 43, for particulars re voting.

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(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

YORK ISLAND GARRISON

Order No. 179

- by -
Major D.F. Thomas, RCA.

28 June 1943

179 - 8 BOARD OF OFFICERS

A Board of Officers, composed as under, will assemble at York Island, B.C. at the convenience of the President to inquire into and report on the condition of the cheese in the Reserve Rations at York Island, B.C.

Proceedings in quadruplicate, will be submitted to the Officer Commanding, 85th. Coast Battery, RCA., on completion.

- President - Capt. F.C. Whitehead
- Members - Lieut. L.L. McKay
- Q.M.S. King, E.V.

D.F. Thomas

(D.F. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA.
York Island, B.C.

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War Diary

Order No. 180

- by -

Major D.P. Thomas, RCA

29 June 1943

180-1 DUTIES

ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. L.L. McKay	30-6-43
OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. Kirkpatrick	30-6-43
ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Nagle	30-6-43
ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Hutchings	30-6-43

180-2 FIRE PIQUET Cnrs. Lewis, Drudi, Hooker,
Woench, Macri, Cullacher.

180-3 PORT QUARTER GUARD

Centre Section "C" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c	A/Bdr. Kozak	29-6-43
Centre Section "D" Sub.	N.C.O. 1/c	A/Bdr. East	30-6-43

180-4 GAS SENTRY

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Wednesday	-	Duty Telephonist
Port Area	0800 hrs.	Wednesday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	0800 hrs.	Wednesday	-	To be detailed

180-5 LUNCHES

Lunches for Duty Watch at night may be had from the Kitchen between 1630 and 1815 hrs. No lunches will be given out after 1815 hrs.

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D.P. Thomas
 (D.P. Thomas) Major, R.C.A.
 O.C. 85th. Coast Bty. RCA. CA
 York Island, B.C.

S P O R T S

The Boxing and Wrestling Tournament will be continued tonight in the Gym. at 1930 hrs.

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YORK ISLAND GARRISON

War Diary

Order No. 181

-by-
Major D.F. Thomas, RGA.

30 June 1943

181-1	<u>DUTIES</u>	ORDERLY OFFICER	Lieut. L.L. McKay	1-7-43
		OFFICER OF THE WATCH	Q.M.S. King	1-7-43
		ORDERLY SERGEANT	L/Sgt. Nagle	1-7-43
		ORDERLY BOMBARDIER	A/Bdr. Hutchings	1-7-43

181-2 FIRE PICQUET Fire Picquet will fall in daily at 1345 hrs.Gnr. Kozak, Gatto, Smith, Sulz
Sprs. Baker, Hatchard.181-3 FORT QUARTER GUARDCentre Section "D" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c A/Bdr. East
Centre Section "C" Sub. N.C.O. 1/c L/Bdr. Stanley~~3306x~~ 30-6-43
1-7-43181-4 GAS SENTRIES

Camp Area	0800 hrs.	Thursday	-	Duty Telephonist
Fort Area	0800 hrs.	Thursday	-	To be detailed
#2 A.A. Gun Area	0800 hrs.	Thursday	-	To be detailed

181-5 QUALIFICATIONS

The w/m personnel have qualified in Rifle and Gas T's O.E.T.

L/Sgt. Arnold, R.W.	Gnr. Sinclair, S.	Gnr. Nino, P.
L/Sgt. Trounce, F.G.	Gnr. Ogonoski, P.	Gnr. Yaworski, W.L.
A/Bdr. Meyer, R.J.	Gnr. Romano, M ³	Gnr. Chapman, W.H.
A/Bdr. Kirkbride, A.T.R.	Gnr. Strom, L.	Gnr. Matonovich, S.P.
L/Bdr. Robillard, B.	Gnr. Bustraan, J.J.	Gnr. Bonin, R.
L/Bdr. Bishop, S.C.	Gnr. Chobanuk, J.	Gnr. Hemphill, S.
Gnr. Martens, J.	Gnr. Glover, C.E.	Gnr. Culliner, L.
Gnr. Stevens, B.I.G.	Gnr. Wolf, S.	Gnr. Clark, S.L.
Gnr. Sauro, D.	Gnr. Ralph, R.R.	L/Bdr. Pawlowski S.J.
Gnr. Schler, A.		

The U/m personnel have qualified in Rifle T.O.E.T.

Gnr. Boucher, T.J.
Gnr. Daoust, A.
Gnr. Marshall, P.

CHARLIE.

FOUNDPair of small padlock keys.
Owner may have same by identifying
same at Orderly Room.NOTICE;There will be a show tonight in the Gymnasium at 1900 hrs.
Feature "SKYLARK" Starring Claudette Colbert, Ray Milland,
Brian Aherne, Also Short Subjects.5th. Works Coy. B.C.E. will prepare and clean up after Show.
N.C.O. 1/c Opl. Scottfor J.P. Whitehead Cap
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