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ARMY FORM C.2118

WAR DIARY

or

Unit 305 MLBU

~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Month and Year Jan 45

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	References to Appendices
HELMOND	1	0845	Heavy enemy air activity for about 1 hr. Planes were attacking ground targets. Saw 3 hit by AA fire.	KMN
"	3	1000	Recd warning order to move to ASTEN	KMN
"	4	1100	Div Comd visited unit. Site reced at ASTEN	KMN
ASTEN	6	1600	Move completed and ORD was established (ADOS OFP & selves)	KMN
"	8		Difficulties with water supply - pump not strong enough	KMN
"	9	2200	Unit now working - introduced 3 shifts	KMN
"	13		Notified that Unit to supply 14 men for compulsory transfer to Inf - only 9 men eligible	KMN
"	15		Continual breakdowns on laundry - spares situation so farcical as items such as boiler feed pumps are just not available	KMN
"	16		Borrowed odd spares from other units in attempt to get laundry operating. Six ST/LD attached for duty from No 3 BHL	KMN
ASTEN	17	0200	Improvisations have now put half unit in working order	KMN
"	18		9 ORs posted to Inf 5 replacements arrived	KMN
"	19	0300	Generator broken down - no spares available	KMN
"	21	1800	Generator patched up & 1 wing working. Contacted 307 MLBU to exchange 1 wing type A eqpt for 2 CCS trailers under authy 21 A Gp	KMN
"	23		1 wing handed over to 307 MLBU. 4 GD men arrived to complete reinforcements	KMN
"	24	1800	Site near TILBURG reced under Div instrs.	KMN
"	25	0800	Advance party sent to new site - closed laundry	KMN
"	27	0830	Unit moved to GOIRLE	KMN
"	28		Laundry operating. Bath secs sent to Bdes. Lt Sharpe on course	KMN
"	30	1500	1 CCS trailer collected from 307 MLBU. Report sent to ADOS re laundry spares on instrs from ORD EXFOR	KMN