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16th Cdn. Inf. Battalion

Feb 1916

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Franchet	Feb 1st	16	Lt Colonel Lethie commanding. Attitude of enemy quiet, except that Enemy snipers were busy on Franchet 14-2 T.C. 1. Patrols from C. 1 and C. 2 out at intervals of one hour. No 3 Company Patrol went as far as German wire at T. 6 B. 8. 8. They found it very heavy and thick and attached to iron stakes. During the bombardment on the night of the 31st Jan. three different kind of flare lights were seen to be used by the Germans 1 Red at commencement. 2. Green when they ceased firing 3 Blue shortly afterwards probably to indicate that they did not require any more artillery fire. Day without incidents.	Old. T. dull W.F.K.

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Frenches	Feb 2		Lt. Colonel Leckie commanding. Relieved by 4 th C.M. 18	Cold
			Rested for the night - <u>State Hon. Rep</u>	W.F.K
Rest-bldg	Feb 3		Marched from <u>Hotels</u> to rest billets beyond <u>McAloon</u> . Left 12.30	Chas. but cold
metron			arrived 3.30 P.M.	W.F.K
Do	- 4 th		In the morning Company drill. Inspected various billets.	W.F.K
"			Rifle and feet inspection. Afternoon inspection by General Currie	W.F.K
Do	- 5 th		Company drill and banding parades in morning. Platoon drill from 2 to 4 P.M.	W.F.K
Do	- 6 th		church parade Canon Scott officiating. Men resting	W.F.K

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Rest-billits	Feb 7		Lt. Colonel Leckie Commanding. Company drill in the morning. Usual life in rest-billits with no comments.	
Do	8		Inspected Billits in the morning. Battalion Parade in the morning. Company drill in the afternoon.	
Do	9		Musketry drill and Company drill. Afternoon drill for Company Grenadiers. No further observations.	
Do	10		During rest-period the following days may be summed up as follows - The usual concerns - Company drill etc. but nothing of importance for the Historian.	
Do	21 Feb			

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Huts Rock Bay	Feb. 22 nd		Major C. W. Beck of 1st Battalion commanding Battalion marches in heavy snow storm from rest billet to reserve (1/6th Bn.) Relieved	Heavy snow storm W.F.K.
Do	23 rd		A. C. M. R. Nothing to record. Working party of 200 at night. Company parade and bathing parade in morning	Cold. W.F.K.
Do	24		Nothing of consequence. Usual drill!	Cold. W.F.K.
Do	25		No observations	Much wind Cold W.F.K.
Do	26 th		Warned to relieve 15 th Battalion tomorrow (27 th) Dismissed Nothing to record	Cold. W.F.K.

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North York Huts	Feb. 27		Major C.W. Peck commanding. Received 15 th Battalion and relief completed by 8 PM. Inspected trenches morning and evening. No. Church parade today.	Dull and depressing W.F.K.
Trenches	Feb. 28		Inspected trenches morning. Meeting of Cos 11.30 AM but artillery did some firing in the early morning. Enemy attitude - usual. Sniping active at N. 1. a. 4.7. Aeroplanes fairly active. The sat. Intelligence summaries show day quiet. Uninterrupting Artillery active in morning. Visited trenches morning and evening. Little to record. Day unusually quiet but for some bombardment by 1 st Bde. - N.B. Month summed up - A welcome rest!	W.F.K.
Do.	- 29 th			W.F.K.