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WAR DIARY
or
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY
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(a) Ref. Burma & India M/S D & D5 O.S. 1934 - 35 1" = 1 Mile.
(b) Maungdaw North Sheet 4 1-25000

Hour, Date, Place	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices
2300 18 Jan 44	Bn start out to attack ABLE at area 4545 and 4544	K.A. Major
19 Jan 44	Bn attack ABLE 4544 and gain footing on NE corner 455454	
	2 BORs killed 7 wounded 1 BO wounded.	K.A. Major
20 Jan 44	Bn moved SW against opposition and took up positions area 454446.	
	Casualties 2 BORs killed 5 wounded.	K.A. Major
1600 20 Jan 44	Shelling of Bn area. Commanding Officer killed 2 BO's wounded 3 BORs killed and 7 wounded. After dark Japs counter attacked C and D Coys 458446. Attack beaten off. 6 Jap bodies recovered next morning. Own casualties nil.	K.A. Major
21 Jan 44	Local Patrol - situation normal.	K.A. Major
22 Jan 44	Patrol to SOUTH PIMPLE 463448 met Jap grenade and LMG fire and withdrew. 4 BORs wounded.	K.A. Major
23 Jan 44	A Coy attacked NORTH PIMPLE 461454 and CENTRE PIMPLE 462451 via LETWEDET HILL 465453. Heavy Jap fire from PIMPLES and shell fire from area 162. 2 BO's killed 1 BO wounded. Company reformed and reached pt 461453.	K.A. Major
24 Jan 44	Local patrolling. Reformed A Coy with Coy of 7/2 P.R. cleared PIMPLE 462451. 12 Jap bodies recovered. 1 Coy 1/11 SIKH took over features 4645 and 463448.	K.A. Major
25 Jan 44	4/1 GR attacked positions NW ABLE 453455 and withdrew evening 26 Jan. Fighting patrol of C Coy encountered strong Jap post on ridge 455448 and withdrew. 1 BO killed. 5 BORs wounded. 4 BORs missing.	K.A. Major
25/26 Jan 44	Enemy grenade fire on Bn area.	K.A. Major
26 Jan 44	B Coy area 452445 shelled by Jap regimental gun.	
	Patrols to NW ABLE 453455 found no enemy but tracks made by Japs.	K.A. Major
27 Jan 44	A, C and D Coys moved back to area 430497 leaving skeleton Bn HQ and B Coy area 459445. 4/1 GR took over positions vacated without incident.	K.A. Major
28 Jan 44	Situation normal.	K.A. Major
29 Jan 44	Situation normal.	K.A. Major
2000 30 Jan 44	Situation normal. B Coy and Bn HQ moved back to area 430497 without incident.	K.A. Major
31 Jan 44	Rest day. Situation normal.	K.A. Major

	No details for the period 1-17 Jan 44 are available owing to loss of documents through enemy action. During this period intensive patrolling of the areas ABLE, PIMPLES and LETWEDET was carried out. K Abrahams Major A/Adjt.	