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WAR DIARY
or
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

WO/95/1863

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Army Form C. 2118

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| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks reference: Appendix |
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| the meals | May 1917 | 12 ¹⁵ | <p>At about 4 PM Bn Hqs moved to BAYONET TRENCH H. 36.6. 95¹⁵ just North of the junction of HOME + BAYONET Trenches. <i>See Map</i></p> <p>At 6 PM the Battalion attacked their position of Devils trench from BIT lane to HARNES lane both in line (do) 3.3A. Dispositions of the Battalion prior to the attack were as follows: - C' Company in FRONT line on the left of HARNES lane. - A' Company - } between HARNES lane + BIT lane. 2 Platoons of B Coy. } The remaining platoon of B Company assembled in CURLY Trench + took up over the front line (from HARNES lane to BIT lane) at ZERO. D' Company + 2 Companies of the East Surrey Regt were remained in BAYONET trench + formed a local reserve. The attack failed. D' Company were then ordered to send up 2 Platoon to reinforce the front line. The Battalion was relieved by the EAST SURREY Regt. Relief complete at 3.30 AM (13/5/17) CASUALTIES 1 officer killed and 17 other ranks / <i>See Map</i> wounded killed</p> | <p><i>See Map</i></p> <p><i>See Map</i></p> |
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