## 1st/6th BATTALION, EAST SURREY REGIMENT

**Appendix** 

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**February** LYME REGIS Feb 1st 27 ORs. posted to 2/6 Bn. Feb 2nd 33 ORs. posted to 2/6 Bn. Feb 5th Cadre courses on Gas, Trench Mortar, Section Leading began. 21 ORs. posted to Bn. from No 13 Holding Bn. Conference of Officers at Bn. H.Q. Feb 6th Cadre courses finished as of this date. Feb 7th Inspection of Bn. by H.M. The King. Feb 8th Bn. R&O Groups to proceed to Brigade for Tactical Exercises. 12 Officers and 8 N.C.Os. proceeded to Masonic Hall to attend lecture. Feb 10th 16 Officers and 4 N.C.Os. proceeded to 13 MS 9213 to see demonstration trenches. Afterwards proceeded to Y.M.C.A. Church Room, Bridport for lecture on Convoy Work. 5 OR. casualties posted to 2/6 Bn. Feb 12th 9 Officers and 49 N.C.Os. proceeded to Tidworth to watch Tank Demonstration. Feb 19th Capt. R.S.St.G. Mayne took over Command and Payment of H.Q. Coy. Feb 21st Bn. Tactical Exercise - Defence. Feb 22nd Bn. Training - Night Advance and Attack. Feb 23rd Bn. Training - Withdrawal. Feb 26th Bde Exercise from 0300 hrs 26/2/40 to 0730 hrs 27/2/40. Route March and Night Attack. A draft of 88 ORs. arrived from 13th Holding Bn.