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DAILY DIARY

OF No. 5 Initial Training School, RCAF, Belleville, Ontario
 (UNIT OR FORMATION)

PLACE	DATE	TIME	SUMMARY OF EVENTS	REF. TO APPENDICES
No. 5 ITS	1 Oct. 1943		NIL	
	2 Oct. 1943		NIL	
	3 Oct. 1943		The Victory Loan Parade scheduled for today in which this Unit and the RCAF Station, Trenton Band were to participate was cancelled because of rain.	
	4 Oct. 1943		C13159 F/O H.D. Cougler posted to No. 6 ITS.	
			Captain Thompson, CDC, returned from two weeks annual leave.	
			Corporal Capel, CDC, returned from temporary duty at No. 6 RD, Trenton.	
			Intake of approximately 140 men was examined, and oral status was found very poor. All restrictions regarding Poliomelytis epidemic lifted.	
			141 airmen arrived to enter course 89.	
	5 Oct. 1943		C2783 F/L E.N. McKee paid staff visit regarding V.L. organization	
			F/L E.C.L. Dawson proceeded on temporary duty to Toronto; returned to resume duties as SEO 7 Oct. 1943.	
	6 Oct. 1943		C36061 P/O A.L. Macumber (SR)(EDU) TOS from No. 1 TC.	
			The Station Bowling League played their first games today. Alleys have been reserved in Belleville for each Wednesday night. All sections of the Station are represented.	
		A cross-country race was held in which the whole Station participated; the course was a distance of 2½ mi. and the event was won by Flight 11.		
		With the co-operation of the Commanding Officer to the extent of making two separate trips to Trenton, many engine parts were obtained from No. 6 RD, such as propellers, carburettors, crankshafts, pistons, valves, and a complete supercharger. These have greatly aided in instruction in Theory of Flight and Airmanship.		
7 Oct. 1943		The Weekly Drill Competition was won by Flight No. 26, of No. 2 Squadron.		
		A route march through the city of Belleville by the personnel of this Unit and the RCAF Station, Trenton Band was held in conjunction with the Fifth Victory Loan Drive.		
8 Oct. 1943		A nation-wide broadcast by Mart Kenney and his Coca-Cola Orchestra was made from the Station Drill Hall. Their programme was enthusiastically received by the station personnel.		
9 Oct. 1943		C1818 W/C A.J. Snetsinger, ED, the Commanding Officer, proceeded on seven days annual leave. Temporary Command was assumed by Squadron Leader W.G. Cooke.		
10 Oct. 1943		NIL		
11 Oct. 1943		Pte. Crawford arrived on the Station to take over the Orderly's duties in the Dental Clinic.		
		C7285 F/L R.O. McLeod arrived by air from No. 1 "M" Depot for Aircrew Selection Board; returned by rail		
		12 October 1943.		

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