

THIS FORM IS TO BE USED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH KING'S REGULATIONS FOR THE R.C.A.F.,
1943, PARAGRAPHS 994 AND 995, AND AIR FORCE
ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER A.39/1.

DAILY DIARY

OF NO. 4 INITIAL TRAINING SCHOOL, EDMONTON, ALBERTA.
(UNIT OR FORMATION)

PLACE	DATE	TIME	SUMMARY OF EVENTS	REFERENCE TO APPENDICES
Edmonton, Alberta.	31 July/44	(Cont'd)	<p>2 Squadrons are being converted into Nos. 1 and 2 Wings, and the respective Officers Commanding are appointed Officers i/c Leadership Training. Cadet Officers and NCOs are to be selected on a weekly basis from among airmen presently on Course, and a system of assessment on the manner in which each trainee carries out his duties is to be instituted and an accurate record maintained in each case. This new plan differs only slightly from that already in effect on this Station, and was deferred to this date in view of the posting of the bulk of the graduates.</p> <p>Course No. 110, consisting of 37 trainees including two Senior NCOs, commenced training.</p> <p>F/L H. V. Hughes (C.10377) (Med.) posted to No. 2 AGTS, Calgary.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Summary</u></p> <p><u>Health</u> of the Station during this month is considered excellent and sickness is at a very low level. There are only nine patients in the Hospital, two of whom are from other Stations. It is expected that most of the remaining patients from No. 3 "M" Depot Hospital will be transferred here immediately.</p> <p><u>Discipline</u> is generally high and morale good. The number of personnel checked as reported by No. 4 TCHQ remains average, but discipline on the Station has been considerably better, with fewer Orderly Room cases remanded to the Commanding Officer. In the whole of Course No. 105, which completed training 29th July, consisting of approximately 60 airmen, there was not one charge laid against any airman, either before the Commanding Officer, or the Squadron O.C. There has been an unusual posting of some 136 graduates, which greatly reduces the Holdovers. The morale of the Holdovers has remained very high in spite of the unfortunate circumstances, and this has been the object of remarks of numerous visiting officers and officers posted to this Station.</p> <p><u>Spiritual welfare</u> - A Wing Church Parade is held on at least one Sunday of the month, and on other Sundays Church Service and Holy Communion is held in the Airmen's Lounge, Athabasca Hall, with the Station Chaplain, F/L W. G. Greenfield (C.28808) officiating, attendance being voluntary. Alterations have been completed in the new Chapel space in Athabasca Hall, but it has not yet been put into use pending the securing of suitable furnishings.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(P.T.O.)</p>	