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DAILY DIARY

OF

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

PLACE	DATE	TIME	SUMMARY OF EVENTS	REFERENCE TO APPENDICES
No. 5 Initial Training School Belleville, Ontario.	Wednesday Jan. 7th/42		High wind caused heavy snow drifts. Trenton snowplow cleared station roads and parade square. In spite of bad weather M.O. reports very few hospital cases. Two nursing orderlies added to strength of hospital reported today.	
	Thursday January 8/42		Air Commodore Ryan and Dr. Douglas of Air Force Command Headquarters, Ottawa, visited the Hospital and Dental Clinic. Commanding Officer's parade cancelled due to heavy drifting of snow over parade square and roads during the night.	
	Friday Jan. 9th/42		Very cold. Lowest temperature in 26 years recorded in Belleville, officially recorded at 35.9 below zero. Heavy snowfall during night. High wind caused snow drifting. Roads dug out by hand as no snow removal equipment available. Buildings warm but coal consumption high. Difficulty experienced in getting coal into bunkers due to size of trucks and construction of buildings. Disposition of Course #41 showed largest percentage going to K.T.S. and Course #42.	
	Saturday Jan. 10th/42		More snow in the afternoon. Roads again blocked. Drill Hall very popular with all equipment in demand both for indoor and outdoor sports & exercise. P. T. Officer and M. O. supervised ski party to hills six miles north of Belleville. Excellent entertainment provided by "Lifebuoy Fellies" troupe in the evening.	<i>Wok</i>