

July 1945

The challenges of returning to peace and re-establishing support services and dealing with displaced personnel are reflected in the War Diary. Tensions with Russia are evident when dealing displaced individuals and ex-soldiers from 'the east'.

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WAR DIARY
or
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

Army Form C. 2118.

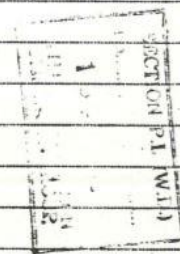
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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	References to Appendices
BIA	1 JUL		Bde continues to garrison the KREIS of FLENSBURG. Evacuation continues	
	to		from DENMARK through the KREIS to the Discharge Centre at HIRDE, also the	
	31 JUL		continued evacuation of all services from FLENSBURG itself. Machinery of	
			the district is now beginning to turn, the Power Station is working and has	
			been converted from coal to part oil burning. Coal is arriving by train &	
			local stocks of oil are being used. Arrests are continuing daily from	
			Major Offences such as fighting, to carrying firearms, out after curfew,	
			false documents, etc. Harbour has been cleared of all underwater obstacles	
			by the Royal Navy. Generally the real problems are purely Military	
			Government and not Military at the present stage. Although the area is being	
			used as a hospital centre and has large numbers of wounded service personnel	
			there are also many troubles arising from the displaced personnel, POLES,	
			RUSSIANS, LATVIANS, ESTONIANS etc, each individual nationality having its own	
			individual trouble, or otherwise.	
			There is also the headache of GERMAN service personnel discharged	



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