

ing to come back. Had wash & shave at river. Played pipe-organ in Church - one of the Pl. pumped for me. Went for walk along road - very pretty. Climbed hill - spent $\frac{1}{2}$ hr. at peasants home. Hot tea - 6 P.M. Went for walk to village on top of hill - met B. Coy. there. Caught 3 fireflies on way down.

30 (Tuesday) Breakfast 6 A.M. Moved on by M.T. at 8 A.M. Went 2 miles into area. Shelled heavily. Major Jones & 3 ~~others~~ Killed ^{3 wounded} Great scatter for cover. Walked back to Iron Factory.

31 (Wednesday)

Had hot lunch. Alan Marrett & Alan McCortney arrived. Alan M. in D. Coy. Night advance towards SORA - next ten left by tpt: walked 3 miles to river. Crossed on pneumatic boat - 2 at a time. Bridge wrecked - engineers erecting new Bailey one. All of our Coy. across by day-light. Jerry mortared bridge during night. Four of my Pl. tipped out of boat. Water 6' deep - swift & cold. Quarters in house - good garden crop of potatoes. Breakfast brought up 11 A.M. Sherman this, went up road (20 Am. Rept.) Had swim in Fibreno River.