

Men Wiseley. Had long chincrag. He is
Adj. to 19 Armd. Bde. I go to Rome
on leave for day tomorrow.

23 (Fri) To Rome on leave. Left at
5 A.M. arrived 7.30. Passed many
burnt out Jerry trucks + tanks on
way in. Wonderful day. Breakfast
at N.Z. Club (Hotel Quirinale.)
Went shopping - bought pipe;
map, views of Rome - bracelet +
brooch, bronze wolf (Romulus +
Remus). Visited St. Peters.
Colossal. Climbed 400 feet to

top of dome. View marvellous.

Afternoon - visited Coliseum +
climbed up side. Dinner at Club.
Left 8.30 - back midnight.

24 (Sat) Went to Bde for swim-
ming Sports meeting. In afternoon -
D. Coy. did attack supported by tanks
of 19 Armd Rept. Rode back on tanks.
Evening - Timaru boys reunion.
Plenty of vino. Wet night. Letters
from Edna, Joy + Mum.

25 (Sun) Church service + commun