

to village on hill. Evening - wrote to Edna,  
Mum & Alan Drake at Y.M.C.A. tent.

15 (Sat) Cleaned respirators & vent for  
route march in morning. Shower in after-  
-noon. Moved forward 7 P.M. to new  
area, 6 Bde. to do another attack to-  
-night. We are in reserve.

16 (Sun.) Sunny day. Church Ser-  
-vice & communion. Many Spit  
-fires, Kittyhawks & Mustangs in  
the air all day - strafing & bomb-  
-ing Jerry. Ave330 fell this A.M.

Went for walk with Dick Duncan in  
afternoon - to village. Saw about 15  
chaps of 25 Bn. being buried. Saw  
also some of 26 Bn. chaps.

17 (Monday.) Sunny dawn. Walked  
over to S. African fighter dome  
in morning - 60 - 80 Spitfires.  
Had cup of tea with pilot-officer.  
Afternoon - slept. Evening - reinfor-  
-cements arrived: 18 Pl. now 35.

18 (Tuesday) Route march to showers.  
Called in at S. African Spitfire Dome