

Eglinton Detachment

Movement and Observation (Practice)

Aim

To gain practice in movement and observation over a thirty minute period.

- A. The practise can be run as a competition.
- B. Choose a course about 50 metres long and divide it into four equal sections; mark the end of each section with a flag, the course should entail crawling on hands and knees and on elbows and knees along with crossing a small gap.

A skilful, agile cadet should be able to complete it in ten minutes without being seen.

Explanation of practice.

Paint a simple tactical picture and point out the route and the flags, and that an N.C.O is observing from the last flag. Explain the marking, how the competition will work and the time limit.

Start the cadets at intervals (one by one). If a cadet is seen, tell him why and let him try again.

Cadets who succeed should stay near the last flag and observe.

End of lesson drill