St. James' Court,

Buckingham Gate, S.W. James to W.O. Cus417/2.29

earlier, but I was on duty in the Shorncliffe area most of last week and since return Saturday morning have been (neutinw-bnad)

Dear Sir William, I only got back last night and found orders to go to Canada at once: so am off on Thursday. I am afraid therefore that I will not accept your very kind suggestion about a dinner. It is good of you. I do not know what fate has in store for me out there - but I will put

up as good a fight as I can.

Many thanks for your kindness and help.

Yours sincerely,

G. C. Jones.

P.S. McCombe - that gallant soul - goes perhaps with me - perhaps not till next week. till next week. discussed the subject in full she quite realized where all