

From the Log of HMCS *Sackville*- September

	1942	1943	1944	
1	Exercises off St. John's NF	Derry	Halifax	1
2	Join Convoy SC 98 Screen port beam. Thick fog	Derry	Halifax	2
3	Join Convoy SC 98	Derry	Halifax	3
4	SC 98	Derry	Halifax	4
5	SC 98	Derry	Halifax	5
6	SC 98 Doubtful A/S contact. Heavy fog	Depart Merville	Halifax	6
7	SC 98 Dense fog, rough seas	A/S practice at Larne Full caliber shoot	Halifax	7
8	SC 98 Rolling heavily, very rough seas, gale	Exercises Mull of Kintyre	Halifax	8
9	SC 98	Escort exercises Larne	Halifax	9
10	SC 98	Escort exercises complete	Re-ammunition	10
11	Aground Loch Foyle. Re-float without assistance. Refuel at Merville	Exercises Dense fog Gunnery shoot	At sea Halifax area	11
12	Arrive Derry 4 days leave	Depart for Plymouth	Gunnery exercises	12
13	Derry	Arrive Plymouth Refuel	At sea Halifax area	13
14	Derry	Plymouth	At sea Halifax area	14
15	Derry	Depart Plymouth Trials and exercises	Return Halifax	15
16	Derry	At sea	Lt Cdr Ben G. Sivertz assumes command	16
17	A/S exercises, gunnery practice	At sea		17
18	Depart Derry	At sea		18
19	Join Convoy ON 131	Join Convoy HX 256		19
20	ON 131 Repairs to radar	HX 256 Numerous A/S contacts		20
21	ON 131	Investigate HF/DF contact. 40 KW generator unseated by depth charges		21
22	ON 131 Whole gale, mountainous seas	5 depth charge patterns fired. Fired on submarine, which dived		22
23	ON 131 9 miles astern with stragglers Force 5 winds	HMS <i>Itchen</i> (on HMCS <i>Sackville</i> stb'd beam) sunk by U-666. Search for survivors		23
24	ON 131 A/S sweeps	HX 256		24
25	ON 131 Light breeze, smooth sea, moderate swell	HX 256 Hove to in heavy fog		25
26	ON 131 Light fog	Arrive St. John's Capt. (D) aboard	Port Mouton NS	26
27	ON 131	St. John's		27
28	Detach from ON 131	Hoist A/S dome. Enter dry dock St. John's	Halifax	28
29	Arr. St. John's Refuel at Empire Salvage	Dry dock St. John's		29
30	St. John's	St. John's		30