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**Title:** 4th Australian Divisional Mechanical  
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# WAR DIARY

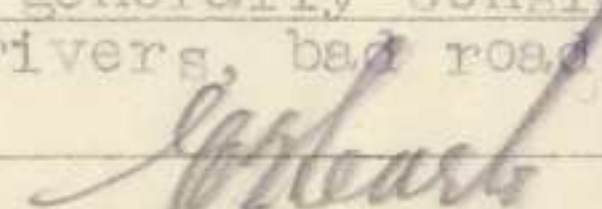
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## or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
	February, 1919.			
FLORENNES.	1		Weather generally fine except occasional rain showers.	
(3H.4.1)	to		Unit located at Florennes.	
(Namur.)	28.		Thaw precautions adopted from mid-night 16.2.19 to midnight 19.2.19.	
			<u>General health of Unit.</u> Fair. Influenza very prevalent.	
			<u>Sanitation.</u> Usual latrine accommodation etc maintained.	
			<u>Roads.</u> In. very bad condition. Some, traffic prohibited on.	
			<u>Rations.</u> Good. Plentiful supply of fresh meat, bread, etc.	
			<u>Amusements.</u> 4th. Aust. Inf. Brigade Concert Party showing in Florennes.	
			Educational tours of Brussels, Dinant, etc are run periodically.	
			<u>Ammunition.</u> Nil.	
			<u>Supplies.</u> Summary attached.	
			<u>Workshops.</u> Vehicles through shops during month, including minor repairs:--	
			Lorries. 60. Cars and Ambulances. 21. Workshops staff were kept	
			working at full pressure. Condition of vehicles generally considered unsatisfactory, owing to shortage of efficient drivers, bad roads, and difficulty of procuring spare parts.	
			 Major.	
			Commanding 4th. Aust. M.T. Company.	

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## UNIT 4th Australian M.T. Company.

DIARY APPENDIX NO. 1 FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1919.

Date	1 Loads Amm.	2 R.E. Work	3 Supply	4 Stores	5 Personnel	6 Various	7 Total Loads Done	8 Total Lorries Out	9 Miles Run Full	10 Miles Run Empty	11 Petrol Issued	12 Lorries Available Not used	13 Lorries Under Repair	14 Lorries Detached
1st	-	5	21	7	-	1	34	29	435	434	184	11	22	20
2nd	-	6	18	6	1	1	32	26	332	356	144	11	23	20
3rd	-	-	19	4	4	6	33	31	426	363	184	4	25	20
4th	-	-	22	4	1	6	33	31	447	406	182	2	27	20
5th	-	-	23	3	2	8	36	25	293	294	136	5	27	23
6th	-	-	17	12	4	1	34	28	467	475	216	2	27	23
7th	-	-	34	4	-	5	43	32	408	294	156	-	26	23
8th	-	-	21	8	-	6	35	34	442	360	190	-	29	17
9th	-	-	22	6	2	1	31	29	461	451	194	-	34	17
10th	-	-	18	5	2	1	26	29	351	361	162	-	34	17
11th	-	-	19	5	14	7	45	27	1184	1110	530	-	37	17
12th	-	-	17	4	-	4	25	24	292	329	114	-	39	17
13th	-	-	36	2	6	3	47	25	701	553	282	-	38	17
14th	-	-	19	2	6	1	28	24	474	434	190	5	35	17
15th	-	-	16	6	-	2	24	25	255	250	116	5	34	17
16th	-	-	17	2	-	3	22	22	300	282	130	4	38	17
17th												31	28	17
18th												38	24	17
19th												38	24	17
20th												38	24	17
21st	-	-	22	5	5	9	41	33	367	389	172	37	23	17
22nd	13	-	24	1	5	-	43	36	932	435	290	3	24	17
23rd	19	-	17	3	-	4	43	37	1070	307	286	-	36	17
24th	1	-	32	-	2	1	36	31	301	290	147	1	32	17
25th	-	-	25	-	-	9	34	27	249	282	134	-	36	17
26th	-	-	13	-	-	17	30	28	742	1021	244	-	35	17
27th	-	-	15	-	-	3	18	18	238	275	208	10	35	17
28th	-	-	22	-	-	2	24	20	353	353	164	-	35	17
29th														
30th														
31st														
Total	33	11	509	89	54	101	797	671	11520	10104	4655	235	851	506.

SUPPLIES.

SUMMARY of commodities handled and issued by Supply Section  
of 4th. Australian M.T. Company from 1st to 28th February. 1919.

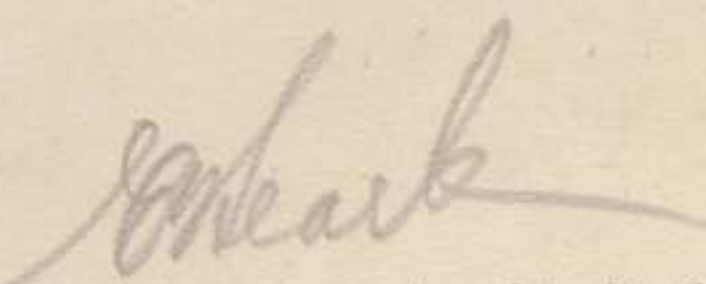
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Total number on complete rations.	292,120.
" weight of Hay.	1,085,960 lbs.
" " " Oats.	1,294,964 lbs.
" " " Fuel.	680 Tons.
" quantity of Petrol.	21,584 Galls.
" " " Oils.	4,180 Galls.
" weight of sundry items.	221,432 lbs.
" weight loaded and unloaded.	2,605 Tons.

Average weight handled by each supply loader per day.  $4\frac{1}{2}$  Tons.

Railhead.

Florennes.

  
Major.  
Commanding 4th. Aust. M.T. Company.