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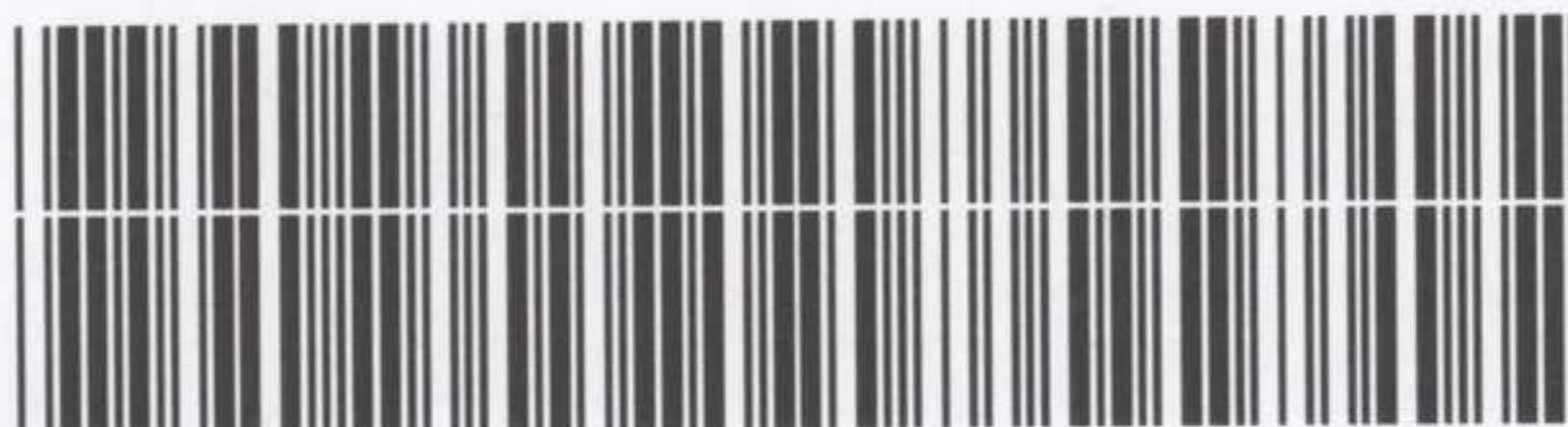
**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,
1914-18 War**

Supplies & Transport

Item number: 25/40/6

Title: 3rd Australian Field Bakery

May 1918



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WAR DIARY

OF

7th Aust. Field Bakery

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May. 1918

Signature of Officer compiling

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ob. 7th Field Bakery
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Signature of Officer Commanding

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3rd. AUSTRALIAN FIELD BAKERY.

May, 1918.
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1. Strength 1 Officer, 90 other ranks (2 deficient). Casualties: 6 hospital, 1 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty, 76 other ranks.
2. Strength, 1 Officer 90 other ranks (deficient, 2). Casualties: 6 hospital, 2 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for 75 other ranks.
3. Strength, 1 Officer, 90 other ranks (deficient, 2). Casualties, 7 hospital, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty, 76 other ranks.
4. Strength, 1 Officer, 90 other ranks (deficient, 2). Casualties: 5 hospital, 1 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty, 77 other ranks.
5. Strength, 1 Officer, 90 other ranks. (deficient, 2). Casualties, 7 hospital, 3 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty, 73 other ranks.
6. Strength, 1 Officer, 90 other ranks (deficient, 2). Casualties, 6 hospital, 1 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty, 76 other ranks.
7. Strength, 1 Officer, 90 other ranks (deficiency, 2). Casualties: 7 hospital, 3 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty 73 other ranks.
8. Strength, 1 Officer, 90 other ranks, (deficiency, 2). Casualties: 7 hospital 3 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty, 73 other ranks.
9. Strength, 1 Officer, 90 other ranks (deficiency, 2). Casualties, 9 hospital, 2 sick, 1 on command, 6 details; available for duty, 72 other ranks. Air attack, 1 a.m. to 3 a.m. 11.30 p.m. to 12.47 p.m. No casualties or damage.
10. Strength, 1 Officer 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2.) Casualties: 24 hospital, 4 sick, 6 details: available for duty, 60 other ranks. The large number of N.C.Os. and men in hospital is accounted for by the fact that an epidemic of influenza attacked the camp and affected the total bakery personnel to the extent of 150 admissions to hospital. Air attack from 1.30 a.m. to 2.45 a.m. No casualties or damage.
11. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks (surplus, 2). Casualties : 26 hospital, 4 sick, 6 details; available for duty, 58 other ranks.
12. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 27 hospital 3 sick, 6 details; available for duty, 58 other ranks.
13. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 27 hospital, 6 details; available for duty, 61 other ranks.

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14. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 20 hospital; 1 sick, 6 details, available for duty, 67 other ranks. Air attack, 10.50 p.m. till midnight. No casualties or damage.
15. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 16 hospital; 1 isolated, 6 details; available for duty, 71 other ranks. Day alarms from aircraft, 12.50 p.m., 1.40 p.m. and 4.45 p.m. Attack, 10 p.m. till midnight. No casualties or damage.
16. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks (surplus, 2). Casualties: 14 hospital 1 sick, 1 isolated, 6 details; available for duty, 72 other ranks.
17. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 14 hospital, 2 sick, 1 isolated, 6 details; available for duty, 71 other ranks.
18. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 13 hospital, 2 sick, 1 isolated, 6 details; available for duty 72 other ranks. Air attack, 10.15 p.m. to 11.30 p.m. No casualties or damage.
19. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 12 hospital, 1 sick, 1 isolated, 6 details; available for duty, 74 other ranks. Air attack, 12.15 a.m. to 12.45 a.m. 10.30 p.m. to 1.15 a.m. 20/5/18. No casualties or damage.
20. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 12 hospital, 1 sick, 6 details; available for duty, 74 other ranks. Air attack, 10.30 p.m. to 11.45 p.m. No casualties or damage.
21. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks (Surplus, 2). Casualties: 12 hospital, 6 details; available for duty, 76 other ranks. Air attack, 12.30 a.m. to 1.15 a.m. 11.30 p.m. to 12.50 a.m., 22/5/18.
22. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 12 hospital, 6 details; available for duty, 76 other ranks; Air attack, 1.30 a.m. to 2.15 a.m. No casualties or damage.
23. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 12 hospital, 6 details; available for duty, 76 other ranks.
24. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 12 hospital 6 details; available for duty, 76 other ranks.
25. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 11 hospital, (1 disciplinary; available for duty, 76 other ranks. (6 details;
26. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 6 hospital, 1 disciplinary, 6 details; available for duty - 81 other ranks.

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27. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks. (surplus, 2). Casualties: 6 hospital, 1 disciplinary, 6 details; available for duty - 81 other ranks.
28. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks, (surplus, 2). Casualties: 6 hospital, 1 disciplinary, 6 details; available for duty - 81 other ranks.
29. Strength, 1 Officer, 94 other ranks. (surplus, 3). Casualties: 6 hospital, 1 disciplinary, 6 details; available for duty - 81 other ranks.
30. Strength, 1 Officer, 95 other ranks, (surplus, 3). Casualties: 6 hospital, 1 sick, 1 disciplinary, 6 details; available for duty - 81 other ranks.
31. Strength, 1 Officer, 95 other ranks, (surplus, 3). Casualties : 6 hospital, 2 sick, 6 details; available for duty - 81 other ranks. Air attack, 10.50 p.m. till 12 midnight. No casualties or damage.

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APPENDIX

EXTRACTS FROM MASTER BAKER'S ACCOUNT.

(3a.)

FLOUR.	Remains, 30/4/18.	269,280 lbs.
	Receipts, May,	8,792,000 lbs.
	TOTAL	9,061,280 lbs.
	Expended,	8,859,680 lbs.
	Remains, 31/5/18.	201,600 lbs.
	<i>Remains</i>	
CONES.	Receipts, 30/4/18.	2,100 lbs.
	Receipts, May,	60,760 lbs.
	TOTAL.	62,860 lbs.
	Expended,	62,160 lbs.
	Remains, 31/5/18.	700 lbs.
	<i>Remains</i>	
BREAD.	Receipts 30/4/18.	601,985 lbs.
	Produced, May,	12,020,412 lbs.
	TOTAL.	12,622,397 lbs.
	Issued,	12,015,819 lbs.
	Remains, 31/5/18.	606,578 lbs.
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SALT.	(Receipts, 30/4/18.	24,240 lbs.
	Receipts, May,	98,080 lbs.
	TOTAL.	122,320 lbs.
	Expended,	111,680 lbs.
	Remains, 31/5/18.	10,640 lbs.
YEAST.	Remains, 30/4/18.	11,368 lbs.
	Receipts, May,	65,800 lbs.
	TOTAL.	77,168 lbs.
	Expended,	66,352 lbs.
	Remains, 31/5/18.	10,816 lbs.

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IV.

MASTER BAKER'S ACCOUNT. - Percentgae proc uded and .
used by 3rd. Aust. Fd. Bky. on the basês of one tenth
of the total personnel at the bakery. -

FLOUR.	Expended,	885,968 lbs.
CONES.	Expended,	6,216 lbs.
BREAD.	Produced.	1,202,204 lbs.
SALT.	Expended,	11,168 lbs.
YEAST.	Expended,	6,635 lbs.

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