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BEERSHEBA	4/11/17		<p>Moved to Amra 0.400; received orders at 04.30 to move under cover of the North Bank of the WADI EL SABA.</p> <p>The Squadron moved off at 05.00 and whilst crossing the Wadi all guns were brought into action against hostile aircraft. Bivouac areas were allotted and the Squadron off-saddled, watered and fed.</p> <p>At 09.00 one sub-section in command of Lieut. Parker proceeded with one Squadron of Hanwicks German to patrol country North & N.W. of BEERSHEBA in the vicinity of BARGHUT. This sub-section returned to bivouac at 16.30; otherwise the day passed without incident.</p>	<p>Ref Map Palestine 1/63360</p> <p>Ref Map Beersheba 1/125000 Sheet #36</p>
	2/11/17		<p>Reveille 0.500. "A" Echelon Transport rejoined the Squadron.</p> <p>Six guns were mounted for anti-aircraft. In the afternoon two hostile aeroplanes dropped a number of bombs, but fortunately without causing any casualties to the Squadron.</p>	
RAS EL NAGB	3/11/17		<p>Three sub-sections, six guns, proceeded with Horrocks & Glouster Germany at 10.30 to operate at RAS EL NAGB and TEL KHUWEILFEH in command of Capt. The Honble C. E. Herbert. The remainder of the Squadron, six guns, moved to RAS EL NAGB area with the Hanwicks Germany leaving BEERSHEBA at 12.00. Two of the former sub-sections were attached to Horrocks Germany & went into action at RAS EL NAGB upon enemy holding opposing ridges. These guns remained in action until dark, and were laid for night</p>	



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3-11-17 RAS EL NAGR	<p><i>During evening DHAMERIYEH ROAD</i></p> <p><i>The third sub-section came into action on terrace at cross track on 1/4 a quarter miles east of TEL KHUMEIFEH with orders to maintain long range fire against that objective.</i></p> <p><i>These orders were carried out & all sub-section remained in action until dark, when one sub-section in command of Lieut. Macr was brought back in view to the Howitzer Zoo. Meanwhile the remainder of the Squadron under the command of Major G. H. Mervin then received orders to bring his three sub-sections to Dobe Age which was situated on high ground N of H in WADI UM SIRAH.</i></p> <p><i>Upon arrival of Dobe Age at 2000, Lieut Macr with sub-section against Squadron 2nd Squadron 400 - his sub-sections who were with the Howitzer Zoo on night outpost duty, off saddled & bivouaced for the night. Casualties sustained being two other ranks wounded 110489 Private Landall L - 110534 Private Perkins E & one horse killed.</i></p>	



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4-11-17 RAS EL NAGB	<p>The Squadron (less two sub-sections attached to Headquarters Tro.) stood to arms at 0.400. At 0.415 Major G. H. Herbert received orders to take up a position on contours at cross-tracks by cover $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles E of TEL KHUWEILFEH & to maintain long range firing against TEL KHUWEILFEH plateau, in order to support Infantry attack from S & SW. These 8 guns were all in position before dawn; Capt. Herbert reporting over noon for duty with his portion of the Squadron.</p> <p>Observation was obtained with difficulty at ranges varying from between two & three thousand yards. As soon as light was good, the enemy replied by searching ranges on which guns were mounted with six field guns & at least four machine guns.</p> <p>At 08.40 two sub-sections were ordered to report to O.C. Headquarters Troop at RAS EL NAGB.</p>	



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4-11-17 RAS EL NAGB	<p>Orders Glasgow sub-sections were detailed to carry out these orders, the movement was carried out under machine gun fire. These sub-sections sustaining two wounded - one of whom shortly afterwards died of his wounds.</p> <p>At 09.10 the remaining two sub-sections received orders to return & rejoin Starvickchun Tro. This movement was carried out also under machine gun fire, sustaining two casualties.</p> <p>These two sub-sections together with Headquarters, Machine Gun Sqd, & at 14.30 received orders to follow Starvickchun Tro. who were forming up for moving off, preparatory to returning to BEERSHEBA.</p> <p>However, the enemy delivered this time a determined counter attack against position at RAS EL NAGB & the following was the disposition of the Machine Gun Squadron at the commencement:-</p>	



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<p>4-11-17 RAS EL NAGB</p>	<p>(a) Under orders of O.C. Worcester Coy. four sub-sections in reserve two sub-sections. Shortly after the commencement of this action one of the sub-sections in support was sent into the firing line with a Squadron of the Warwickshire Yeomanry. All four sections had heavy fighting at RAS EL NAGB & were on right flank & hot fire on the enemy's advances at ranges of 1400 to 300.</p> <p>From reports of sub-section Officers three guns inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy; one gun of the Glasgow sub-section on the right flank was put out of action with a hole in the barrel casing & a gun of the Worcester section was brought up in support. Owing to shortness of water this gun could not remain in action & another gun was brought up to replace it. This gun remained in action until all the gun numbers of the detachment were killed & wounded.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">g / N 48</p>



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4-11-17 RAS EL NAGB	<p>The Westminster sub-section under Lieut. Major was brought into action on left flank from reserve but did not open fire as no enemy attack developed from that quarter.</p> <p>The guns of the Gloucester sub-section were mounted near Bugala Age in readiness to cover a possible retirement from RAS EL NAGB.</p> <p>The casualties in the Squadron were three other ranks killed - five other ranks wounded. Ammunition expended 32,000 rounds.</p> <p>95025 Capt. Glass R. killed - 110569 Lt Col Scott L. S. killed - 110541 Pte. Steele J. killed - 110828 Capt. Bryan A. E. wounded, died 19-11-17 - 110555 Pte. Tripp S. H. wounded - 110821 Pte. Anderson wounded - 110558 Pte. Aitchison wounded - 110947 Capt. McGowan wounded.</p>	



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4-11-19 RAS EL NAGB	Soon after 1800 the force of the attack considerably slackened & by the time we were relieved by the New Zealand Mounted Brigade at 18-30 all fire had practically died away. The Brigade was ordered to proceed to the bifurcation of roads 1 1/2 miles South East of AIN KOLEH where it would ration & forage & then proceed to old bivouac area BEERSHEBA to water & bivouac. These orders were duly carried out & the Squadron arrived at BEERSHEBA at midnight.	
5-11-19 BEERSHEBA	Replenished ammunition supply otherwise remained quiet all day.	
6-11-19 RAS EL NAGB	Warrior to be ready at one hour notice after 1200. At 16-45 orders were received that eight machine guns under G/O, together with Headquarters 'A' Battalion in charge of Capt. E. Armer were to saddle up & march with one Squadron Mounted Infantry Co.	

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6-11-17 RAS EL NAGB

of report to G.O.C., I.C.C. whose headquarters were in W. UM SIRAH one mile south of RAS EL NAGB. The following sub-sections hereupon marched from BEERSHEBA with Capt. Gook's Squadron. Warminster 750. at 14.40 & arrived at Headquarters G.O.C. I.C.C. at 23.40.

Glasgow. Gloucester. Warminster. Here Signals & RANG on Headquarters in charge respectively of Lt. J. Parker, Byard, Mac & Symon.

During night 6-7/11/17 the Glasgow & Warminster sub-sections reported to O.C. 4th Battⁿ I.C.C. of whom 500 yards south of RAS EL NAGB. Two guns were placed in position & two remained in reserve. The remaining sub-sections were posted to long ridge running East & West between the W UM SIRAH & SULTAN facing North to secure left flank of I.C.C. The posting of all guns was

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6-11-17 RAS EL NAGB	completed by 0345. There was considerable sniping & a great many over.	
7-11-17 SHERIA	<p>The remaining two sub-sections of transport consisting of the Mawneh & Worester sub-section under the command of Capt. The Honble E. J. B. Herbert with Lieut Hendrick & 2nd Lt Halliday moved off at 02-30 with the Boats to the R of ARAB which was reached by 0600 & remained in the vicinity of SHERIA all day.</p> <p>At 1600 the Brigade moved to S of KH BUTEIHAN in hopes of being able to charge. Waited at SHERIA & bivouacked at about 22-30.</p>	
RAS EL NAGB	<p>Meanwhile those attached to the I.C.C. had a quiet morning - scattered bodies of the enemy being seen to leave TEL KHUYEILFEH. Our troops were also visible ^{operating} some miles away to N.W. & large fires were observed.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">234 9</p>



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7-11-14 RAS EL NAGB	<p>About mid-day news of the fall of GAZA, HARREIRA & TEL EL SHERIA was received, & that the cavalry were following the enemy up closely.</p> <p>Lieut. Maceri's guns opened fire on a column of retreating enemy at 3000 yards range obtaining good observation & seeing the enemy scatter. A hostile battery shelled the south of RAS EL NAGB at 1400 but failed to do damage. At 17-30 Lt. Parker's guns were placed in the front line on a slope S.E. of RAS EL NAGB overlooking the W. FATTAS. At 1800 GOE I.C.C. ordered all horses to proceed to BEERSHEBA to water & return. Lieut. Bryant took charge & left at 2300 returning at 1500 8-11-14.</p> <p>First line transport remained throughout this operation at the bifurcation of the road one & a half miles S.E. of AIN KOLEM in charge</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">N 34 — 10</p>



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7-11-17 RAS EL NAGB	<p>of Capt E. Anson.</p> <p>All ranks refilled water bottles at 2300 & the water cart returned at 02-30 to BEERSHEBA to refill & return.</p>	
8-11-17	<p>Re the position of the Squadron under Major G. H. Horlick.</p> <p>At 0.600 the 4th Bn: I.C.C. received orders to push out to W. FATTAS at 0800. Lt Col Parks & Major supported the advance from S.E. of Ras el NAGB firing during the morning 3,000 rounds.</p> <p>Enemy machine guns & snipers made a vigorous stand & Battery was very active & owing to the difficult nature of the country our advance was checked.</p> <p>Owing to the absence of our horses watering ammunition & water supply was very difficult, as all spare men were with horses - consequently our gun</p>	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> <p style="margin: 0;">234 11</p> </div>



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8-11-17 RAS EL NAGB	<p>of Maximiser sub-section became disabled through a bullet burst. Later in the day a Brigade of the 53rd Division supported on left of the enemy's resistance was broken & by darkness everything was quiet.</p> <p>Lieut Sumner took the Horse sub-section and Grenade sub-section in charge of Sergt Bell & relieved Lieut Parker & Innes at 16-30 the latter returning to B.H.2 off saddling & feeding.</p> <p>One gun Glasgow & one gun Maximiser sub-section took up position on point 1910 South of 'H' in WUM SIRAH together with a picket of 123. In. P.</p> <p>These sub-sections had a badly needed night rest.</p> <p>Rations through I.C.C. were brought up at 1600 by Capt Amen.</p>	

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8-11-14 HUT	<p>As that portion of the Squadron under Capt. The Hon. G. F. D. Herbert.</p> <p>At 0500. Moved out with Brigade to KH ZARA & thence to vicinity of HUT. Warwick Sub-section in charge. 2nd Lt. Halliday detailed to Warwick Gun. The Worcester sub-section under Lt. Kendrick together with Capt. Herbert proceeded with Worcester Gun. The former covered the advance of a Squadron of the Warwickshire Gun on a mountain; the latter (the Regiment it was attached to being ordered to charge the enemy's position) pushed forward & was in time to prevent enemy gunners re-mounting their gun, & subsequently brought into action their own machine guns - in addition to their own against a considerable body of the enemy who were retiring from ranges varying from 500</p>	



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8-11-17 HVT	to extreme. One other man wounded.	
9 11-17 RAS EL NAGB	1105-11 Pte Pargesser T & his horse killed. Re that portion of the Squadron under Major G. H. Herbert.	
	A very quiet night. Enemy found to have withdrawn a considerable distance by morning patrols of I.C.C. Two days forage & rations arrived 10:00. Horses watered at newly developed watering supply TEL KHUWEILFEH at 14:00; including this watering the horses had had three waterings in 45 hours & covered a distance of 60 miles. The afternoon was very quiet. A 60 pounder Battery & an 18 pound Battery came up & stopped enemy Battery firing & at about 15:00 DHAHARIYEH was seen in flames.	
	Re that portion of the Squadron under Capt. The Hon. G. J. B. Herbert.	

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<p>HUT 9-11-14 RAS EL NACB</p>	<p>At 0900 horses went to water at KH JEMAMETH & after watering till 1500 for this turn as the troughs were ordered out to WADI HESY returning to camp 2100. Order to move by 23.30.</p>	
<p>10-11-14 RAS EL NACB</p>	<p>Title of Squadron changed from 16th to 19th Machine Gun Squadron under this date. Ref MFC/24753/A1 War Office Cable 45088. Capt. A.G. 9-11-14 Ref A (ME) 6294. As that portion of the Squadron under Major G. H. Herbert.</p>	
	<p>Order received 04-15 to be ready to march with I.C.C. to TEL EL SHERIA. Watered TEL EL KHUWEILFEH arrived TEL EL SHERIA from station at 1300. At 1600 proceeded to water; left TEL-ABUDILAKH at 17.30 Arrived 2100, bivouacked night. As that portion of the Squadron under Capt. The Honble E. J. B. Herbert. Arrived at ARAK EL MENSHEH</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">N 15 X</p>



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H.U.J.	10/11/17		<p>via KH. ZEIDAN - TEL EL HESY, where we watered. One subsection proceeded with GLOUCESTER YEOMANRY to gain a line KH. ESSUKARIYEH - KH. FATTAHA, no opposition. Took up position on following line: - 29-B - H of EL BURJALIYEH. Returned B.H.Q. 1600 Advanced with Brigade to attack SUMEIL. This did not develop. Pronounced South West of ARAK EL MENSHEIYEH about 2400</p>	
	11/11/17		<p>Re that portion of the Squadron under Major G. W. Horlick Stood to at 0415. A quiet morning. Off saddled. Left DIL KH at 1300 for JULIS with I.C.C. Arrived BUREIR at 1800. Watered.</p>	
			<p>Re that portion of the Squadron under Capt. the Hon. G. B. Herbert. Rested 0600. Both subsections took up same line as yesterday with a squadron of the Gloucester Yeomanry. Remained till 0330 marched with Brigade to ARAK EL MENSHEIYEH and thence SUMEIL-BALIN; Warwick Subsection being attached to advance guard, Worcester Sub. section with the supporting squadron of the Gloucester Yeomanry</p>	<p>234 16</p>



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	12/1/17		<p>Re that portion of the Squadron under Major G. W. Horlick, marched in direction of BUREIR at 0500 for JULIS on road leading through EJJE. Arrived JULIS 1000. Off saddled and fed. Received orders from Desert Mounted Corps at 10.50 to report to their Commandant at SUMEIL. Proceeded at 1200 via HATTEH-IJSEIR, arriving SUMEIL at 1530. Reported G.O.C. 5th Div Bde. Placed eight guns in a secondary line running South East, and North West from SUMEIL to point 248, upon which line the Brigade withdrew at 16.45.</p> <p>O/C Squadron reported to G.O.C. at IJSEIR and received orders to place six guns in the line running South East and North West as stated above, keeping two guns in reserve; these guns to remain on night duty and dig in.</p>	
			<p>Re that portion of the Squadron under Capt. the Honble. G. J. B. Herbert</p> <p>Both Subsections moved off via ARAK EL HENSHIYE H</p>	

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	12.11.17.		<p>Station to SUMEIL at 0730, attached to Gloucester Yeomanry who were acting as advance guard to the Brigade.</p> <p>One subsection took up a defensive position facing North and North East 1000 near BALIN, the other subsection remaining in reserve. At 1200 a strong force of the enemy was seen advancing from the North and North East, both subsections being then employed on the line. Owing to the Gloucester Yeomanry and the Worcester Yeomanry less one Squadron having to retire owing to the greatly superior number of the enemy both subsections retired to the second position. This retirement was duly carried out with the loss of ammunition pack, animal & equipment, and considerable shell fire. However we were still unable to check the advance of the enemy, and it was deemed advisable to retire the Machine Guns in conformation with the remainder of the Brigade to the third position.</p> <p>I regret to report that during this withdrawal Capt the Hon^{ble} to J.B. Herbert was reported as having received</p>	

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	12/11/17		<p>a G.S.W. in the head from which he died. Other casualties were:-</p> <p>110791 Sgt. Edmonstone W. G. Killed. 110504 Plt. Garmatt H. J. " 110513. " Pope W. A. Wounded 110792 " Bull G. S. " 52864 " Lecointe A. " 110790 S.S.M. Hope G. "</p> <p>and four horses and two mules killed. Both sections withdrew to IJSEIR. at 1930 and bivouaced for the night.</p>	
	13/11/17		<p>The Warwick and Worcester Subsections rejoined the Squadron at stand to 0.400, but remained in reserve, the other guns of the Squadron being left in their positions in the line.</p> <p>The enemy appeared to have withdrawn; the morning was</p>	

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	13/11/17		quite quiet till 0800 when a few shells were fired along the line. The 7 th Brigade relieved 5 th Brigade at 1400. We withdrew to HATTEH where we drew rations and the Squadron reassembled. We had orders to go to ES SUAFIREL SHARBIYEH to concentrate and then go to water at Jenneh Village. The Squadron went via BEIT DURAS to ESDUD where we watered and bivouaced for the night, the 52nd. very kindly turning out their engineers and putting stoups up for us at night.	
	14/11/17		We moved to ES SUAFIREL SHEMALIYEH where we rejoined Brigade. We bivouaced the night.	
	15/11/17		86148 Dr. Murray to Hospital. Major North, Lt. Dyson & 2 nd Lt. Halliday went back to the barracks of the 12 th at BALIN to bury the bodies of Capt. The Hon. C. B. Herbert. Sgt. Compton & Pte. Gamble which they found. They buried them at S 4 B Dabson (Sheet XVI) where they were bivouaced the night.	
			110528 Pte Perkins to Hospital The Garrison to Hospital	
			We remained the day at T 27 A. We reorganised the Squadron forming it into 5 sub-sections breaking up the Garrison sub-section. We bivouaced the night	
			110749 Pte Dawson to Hospital	

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	17/11/17		We started at 1000 to TINEH. We left behind at T 24 A our motor horse under Lt/Col Stewart & 3 cars. On arrival at TINEH the Gloucester Sub-division reported to the Warwick Zoo & the Staffs to the Provosts Zoo for our post during 85403 Dr. James E. to Hospital.	
	18/11/17		The Brigade had orders to move to ARTUF & Ammanthara. The enemy checked us at BUREIT. At 1700 we withdrew & bivouaced the night at Q 6 A.	
	19/11/17		We were at BUREIT & moved at 1600 to STATION (PID) heavy rain. We drew rations 2000 & bivouaced the night. 52408 Pk (Capt W. 83942 Dr. Thomas E to Hospital	
	20/11/17		The Brigade moved at 0600 to NID (Post 17) where we were & bivouaced the night around 75 th Division. 110578 Pk Wall R. G. - 110820 Pk Reed L. - 52874 Pk Cass T 110580 Pk Wiley R. P. to Hospital.	
	21/11/17		We moved with the Brigade at 07-30 up the Jerusalem Rd. to S 24 D where we bivouaced the night. Failed to find water at ENAB. 110551 Pk Symonds T. - 51930 Pk Ross A to Hospital	



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	22/11/17		<p>We remained in Divonac. Moved the horses at SHARIS. Eleven horses evacuated to M.V.S. 101009 Pte Carter N.L. 52367 Pte Dotsworth A. - 47002 Pte Brown W. 101067 Sgt Artman L.L. Punjoramuntee.</p>	
	23/11/17		<p>Brigade Headquarters remained at MID. The Squadron - 'B' Battery HAC Pte Ambler with A. Ambler moved to LATRON MIDA for water & bivouacked the night.</p>	
	24/11/17		<p>Remained the day at LATRON & night. The following were reported from SHELLAL to the Squadron:- 110945 L/Cpl Sumner B.H. 5192 Pte Morgan. 52242 Pte Wmms H.B. 110550 Pte Stone A.L. 100559 Pte Robb W. 47900 Pte Linton B. 47935 Pte Lee T.L. 101025 Pte Powell A. 101027 Pte Rice W. 10124 Pte Frickson L.W. 110531 Pte Stapleton B. Seven horses also arrived. 110781 Pte Miller A. 110555 Pte Smith L.B. 13541 Dr. Carter W.T. to Hospital. Stayed day & bivouacked night at LATRON 110502 Pte Dorr B. 110786 Pte Parker A.L. to Hospital</p>	



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	26/11/14		Same as 25/11/14. 12244 Dr. Linn A to Hospital. L/Cpl Stewart & two O/Rs with 8 new horses rejected from Junction Station.	
	27/11/14		Same as 26/11/14. 600 L. Pk. Storehouse to Hospital. 2nd Linn. Halliday to Hospital.	
	28/11/14		Stand to duty to move on short notice otherwise same as 27/11/14. 84583 Dr. Hubble G. M. 110506 L/Sgt Bull A. 110583 Pte King R. S. to Hospital.	
	29/11/14		The Squadron moved from LATRON at 1630 to AKIR via JUNCTION STATION & we bivouacked the night.	
	30/11/14		Bivouacked day & night at AKIR moved on to move on 1st Dec. to the hills dismounted.	

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