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WAR DIARY

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Original
1st M.T. Coy

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
			<p><u>LOCATION</u> Headquarters No. 5 Place Pirmez, CHATELET, BELGIUM. Workshops. No. 332 Rue de Chatelet, COUILLET, BELGIUM.</p>	
	1/11/19 to 30/4/19		<p>April was a very quiet month for M.T. several lorries were detached on Memorial Work around the Somme area, but the remainder were only carrying out light details around the Corps Area. On 7/4/19 a start was made to demobilize all vehicles attached for maintenance, when five Ambulances were handed over to Australian Corps Vehicle Reception Park. Most of the attached lorries cars and ambulances and Motor Cycles were handed in, as well as one section of lorries on charge to the Column, thus releasing a considerable number of men for Demobilization on Quota No. 43 (See mileage return etc attached) The shops have had a very busy month getting things ready for Demobilization, and have everything well in hand to hand over immediately if necessary.</p> <p><u>STRENGTH</u> I Officer & 64 Other Ranks were brought on strength being remains of 1st and 2nd Siege Battery Ammunition Columns, and 3rd A.B. Aust Field Artillery Park Section. I Officer & 70 Other Ranks were struck off strength for various reasons, mostly for Demobilization, & Non Military Employment in U.K. The weather has been fine during the whole month, and the health of the Unit, good.</p>	
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WAR DIARY

OF
1st Aust m Coy

FOR
April 191*9*

LIST OF APPENDICES.

No.

Subject.

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| <i>1</i> | <i>Mileage report etc.</i> |
| <i>2</i> | <i>Workshops Report.</i> |

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UNIT No. 1 AMT Coy.

DIARY APPENDIX NO. 1 FOR MONTH OF April 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														
2nd			4	4	7	5	20	19	196	174	126	6	27	24
3rd		1	2	4	3	10	20	19	236	201	142	9	26	15
4th				8	3	7	18	12	121	110	92	12	24	15
5th				22	4	4	30	26	504	511	254	6	24	15
6th				4	14	4	22	13	124	140	84	14	24	15
7th				4	9	9	22	20	175	146	120	14	32	15
* 8th	75	83		85	2	76	321	6	5591	3367	2291	14	15	17
9th				2	2	4	8	5	49	44	33	12	15	17
10th				7	5	7	19	18	393	212	182	14	14	17
11th				5	5	4	14	14	81	65	40	18	6	17
12th				1	10	6	17	6	37	39	36	18	6	17
13th	3			3		4	10	10	66	30	24	16	4	17
14th			1	1	3	10	15	10	112	112	64	16	4	17
* 15th	44		1	83	6	33	167	6	1977	1863	963	20	5	17
16th			2	2		6	10	7	89	79	44	18	5	17
17th			1	1	1	1	4	4	32	32	16	11	1	17
18th			1	2	3	2	8	7	78	78	42	7	2	17
19th			1	2	1		4	4	36	36	18	9	2	17
20th				2	1		3	3	40	40	20	6	3	17
* 21st	17	4	1	91	7	51	171	5	2195	1806	956	3	2	17
22nd			1	4	1	1	7	7	113	113	36	9	3	17
23rd			1	4	1	1	7	7	61	61	32	8	2	17
24th			1	7	1	2	11	9	132	132	66	2	2	17
25th			1	11	1	1	14	8	100	100	50	8	2	17
26th			2	5		8	15	11	103	103	60		4	17
27th			2	1			3	3	28	28	14	2	4	17
* 28th		1	3	84	8	22	118	6	1282	1229	656		4	17
29th			2				2	2	24	24	12		4	17
30th			2	2	1		5	5	132	132	66		6	14
31st														
Total	139	89	29	454	99	278	1088	275	14226	11043	6553	279	275	504

* including running for mess and

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WORKSHOPS OF ICER'S REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1919.1. LORRIES ON CHARGE OR ATTACHED.

A. Total number of Jobs handled by Workshops		35
B. Complete Overhaul	(Included in A.)	6
	(Overhauls commenced in February and March.)	
C. Cylinders lifted	(Included in A.)	1
D. In Workshops over 24 hours	do	6
E. In Workshops under 24 hours.	do	4
F. Springs fitted or repaired	do	12
G. Radiators fitted or repaired	do	2
H. Tyres fitted	(Not elsewhere included)	4

2. AMBULANCES ATTACHED.

A. Total number of Jobs handled by Workshops		10
B. Complete Overhaul		Nil.
C. Cylinders lifted	(Included in A.)	2.
D. In Workshops over 24 hours	do	6.
E. In Workshops under 24 hours	do	Nil.
F. Springs fitted or repaired	do	2.
G. Radiators fitted or repaired	do	Nil.

3. MOTOR CARS ON CHARGE OR ATTACHED.

A. Total number of Jobs handled by Workshops		19
B. Complete Overhaul	(Included in A.)	Nil.
C. Cylinders lifted	do	1.
D. In Workshops over 24 hours	do	4.
E. In Workshops under 24 hours	do	7.
F. Springs fitted or repaired	do	3.
G. Radiators fitted or repaired	do	1.

4. GRAND TOTAL.

A. Total number of Jobs handled by Workshops		64
B. Complete overhauls (commenced previously)	(Included in A)	6
C. Cylinders lifted	do	3
D. In Workshops over 24 hours	do	16
E. In Workshops under 24 hours	do	11
F. Springs fitted or repaired	do	17
G. Radiators fitted or repaired	do	3
H. Total number of working days	30	
Less 8 1/2 days	4	26

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Capt.

30/4/19.

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