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| HINGES | April 6 th | 5 pm | <p>Summary of information from April 6th to 8^{am} April 7</p> <p>The Corps Commander addressed the Officers of the 100 Inf Bde (33rd Div) at BETHUNE.</p> <p>Weather fine.</p> | App. 195 |
| " | April 7 th | 5 pm | <p>Summary of information from April 7th to 8^{am} April 8th.</p> <p>The Corps Commander addressed the Officers of the 39th Div Art. at GUARPECQUE. at</p> <p>57th Inf Bde (19th Div) relieved 118th Inf Bde (39th Div) which had been attached to 19th Div for instruction in the MOATED GRANGE section.</p> <p>Weather fine.</p> | App. 196 3512 |

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| HINCES | April 8 th | 10-12.20 | <p>Summary of operations from April 8th to dawn April 9th</p> <p>The Corps Commander inspected 2 Bde's 98th Inf Bde (33rd Div)</p> <p>Weather fine</p> | Apr 197 |
| | April 9 th | | <p>Summary of information from April 9th to dawn April 10th</p> <p>113 Bde relieved 115 Bde in GIVENCHY section</p> <p>115 Bde moved into billets at LOCON</p> <p>The Army Commander inspected 2 Battalions of 39 Div artillery</p> <p>Weather fine</p> | Apr 198 |

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| HINGS | April 10 th | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 10th to 8 am 11th April</p> <p>98 Bde relieved 19 Bde in AVCHY section</p> <p>19 Bde moved to billets in BETHUNE</p> <p>Coys Commander inspected 2 Battalions of 117 Inf Bde 39 Div viz 16/Rifle Brigade and 16/Motts + Derby</p> <p>Weather = fine</p> | App 199 |
| | 11 th | 3pm 4pm | <p>Army Commander inspected 2 Battalions in musketry</p> <p>viz 10/S. Wales Borderers - 38 Div</p> <p>and 17/R. Scots - 35 Div</p> <p>Coys Commander attended</p> | |
| | | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 11th to 8 am 12th April</p> <p>Weather - showery</p> | App 200 353a |

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| HINGES | April 12 th | | <p>105 B^{de} relieved 105 B^{de} in PAUQUEVISSART section 105 B^{de} moved to billets at SAILLY Summary of Information 8 am 12th to 8 am 13th April 7:50a XI Corps Order no 42 - re moves - issued - - - - 43 - re supply + medical arrangements - issued Weather showery</p> | <p>App 201 App 202 App 203</p> |
| | 13 th | | <p>Corps Commander inspected 2 B^{altns} of 39 B^{de}, viz 6/Cheshire + 1/Herts regt. Summary of Information 8 am 13th to 8 am 14th April Weather - showery</p> | <p>App 204 354-5</p> |

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| HINGES | 14 th / ₁₆ | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am April 14th to 8 am April 15th</p> <p>Goce First Army accompanied by Capt Commender and Regts went round some defences starting at the LACOUTURE works</p> <p>Weather - Windy</p> <p>116 Bde (39 Dv) moved from LES LAURIERS to LOCON</p> <p>115 - (38 -) - - - - - LOCON to ESTAIRES</p> <p>118 - (39 -) - - - - - LAGORQUE and MERVILLE } to VIELLE CHAPELLE</p> | App 205 |
| | 15 th / ₁₆ | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am April 15th to 8 am April 16th</p> <p>116 Bde (39 Dv) moved from LOCON to GIVENCHY section</p> <p>113 - (38 -) - - - - - GIVENCHY section to LOCON</p> <p>115 - (38 -) - - - - - ESTAIRES to FAUQUISSART section</p> <p>106 - (35 -) - - - - - FAUQUISSART section to ESTAIRES</p> <p>Weather - showery</p> | App 206 |

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| HINGES | 16 ⁴ / ₁₆ | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am April 16th to 8 am April 17th</p> <p>114 Bde (38 Div) moved from FESTUBERT section to VIELLE CHAPELLE</p> <p>118 - (39 -) - - - VIELLE CHAPELLE to FESTUBERT section</p> <p>117 - (39 -) - - - GONNEHEM to LOCON</p> <p>113 - (38 -) - - - LOCON to ESTAIRES</p> <p>106 - (35 -) - - - ESTAIRES to NEUVE CHAPELLE section</p> <p>56 - (19 -) - - - NEUVE CHAPELLE section to LAHORQUE + MERVILLE</p> <p>Weather - showery.</p> <p>8 pm XI Corps Locations</p> | <p>App 207</p> <p>App 208</p> <p>356c</p> |

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| HINGEE | 17 ⁴ / ₁₆ | 10 AM | 19 Div H.Q. moved from LA GORGUE to ST VENANT | |
| | | 38 | - - - - - LOCON - LA GORGUE | |
| | | 39 | - - - - - LESTREM - LOCON | |
| | | | 113 Inf Bde (38 Div) moved from ESTAIRES to <u>tranche</u> MORTED GRANGE <u>Location</u> . | |
| | | 57 | - - - (19 -) - - - tranche MORTED GRANGE section to LA GORGUE and MERVILLE | |
| | | 56 | - - - (19 -) - - - LA GORGUE and MERVILLE to CALONNE | |
| | | | Summary of Information 8 am 17 ⁴ / ₁₆ to 8 am 18 ⁴ / ₁₆ April | |
| | | | Weather wet. | App 209 |

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| HINGES | 18 th 1916 | 11am | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 18th to 8 am 19th April</p> <p>First Army Conference at XI Corps H.Q.</p> <p>Present: Cap. Command, Bde, DAREMB, GOC Heavy Art, BGR and G.E.</p> <p>19th Bde finished relief of 100 Bde in CUINCHY section</p> <p>100 Bde moved into billets at BETHUNE</p> <p>57 Bde (19 Div) moved from LAGORQUE and MERVILLE to ROBEQ</p> <p>105 - (35-) - SAILLY to VIELLE CHAPELLE</p> <p>114 - (38-) - VIELLE CHAPELLE to LAGORQUE + MERVILLE</p> <p>Two French Journalists visited Cap. Area</p> <p>Weather Showery</p> | <p>App 210</p> <p>3582</p> |

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| HINDRES | 19 th / ₁₆ | 5 ^{pm} | <p>Conference at XI Corp Head Qrs</p> <p>Present: { GOCs, GSO 1s, CRAs, CREs, AA Comd, of Division Capt Commdr, B Coy, A Comd, GSO 2, B Coy heavy act, BGRAs, CE, GSO 3I</p> | App 211 |
| | | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 19th to 8 am 20th April</p> | App 212 |
| | | 8 ^{pm} | <p>XI Corp Locations</p> <p>19 Div Hqs moved from ST VENANT to NORRENT FONTES</p> <p>56 Bde (19 Div) - CALONNE to RALLY</p> <p>58 Bde (19 Div) - FERME DU BOIS section to VIEILLE CHAPELLE</p> <p>104 - (35) - PETILLON section to ESTAIRES</p> <p>105 - (35) - VIEILLE CHAPELLE to FERME DU BOIS section</p> <p>(Anglois Corps took over PETILLON section)</p> <p>XI Corps left flank therefore drawn in by one brigade frontage</p> <p>Weather - rain</p> | App 213 |

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| WINGS | 20 th / ₁₆ | 9 am | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 20th to 8 am 21st April</p> <p>Lieut Gen. Sir R. Haking went on leave</p> <p>Maj Gen H. Landon CB (33 Div) assumed Command of XI Corps</p> <p>35 Div Howard from SAILLY to LESTREM</p> <p>104 Bde (35 Div) moved from ESTAIRES to VIELLE CHAPELLE</p> <p>58 - (19 Div) - - - VIELLE CHAPELLE to ROBECCQ</p> <p>57 - (19 Div) - - - ROBECCQ to MAMETZ</p> <p>Weather - colder</p> | App 214 |
| | 21 st / ₁₆ | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 21st to 8 am 22nd April</p> <p>Army Commander - accompanied by Corps Commander and Bde - inspected the BEUVRY line</p> <p>Weather - wet</p> | App 215 360a |

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| HIMMLES | 22 ⁴ / ₁₆ | 6pm | Summary of Information 8 am 22 nd to 8 am 23 rd April XI Corps Locations 58 Inf Bde (19 Div) moved from VIELLE CHAPELLE to ESTAGE BLANCHE Weather - rain | App 216 App 217 |
| | 23 ⁴ / ₁₆ | | 117 Bde (39 Div) relieved 118 Bde in FESTUBERT section 118 - moved into billets in LOCON area | |
| | | | Summary of Operations 8 am 23 rd to 8 am 24 th April Weather - fine | App 218 361a |

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| HINGES | 24 th / ₁₆ | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 24th to 8 am 25th April</p> <p>3:15 PM Army Commander inspected / R.W. Hurry Rest } Corps Commander and A.C.M. attended }</p> <p>114 Bde relieved 113 Bde in MOATED GRANGE section 113 - moved into billets at LAGORQUE and MERVILLE</p> <p>Weather - fine</p> | App 219 |
| | 25 th / ₁₆ | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 25th to 8 am 26th April (including work carried out by 33 Bde)</p> <p>Weather - fine</p> | App 220 |

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| # INGRES | 26 ⁴ / ₁₆ | | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 26th to 8 am 27th April (April 30th)</p> <p>100 Bde relieved 98 Bde in AVCHY section } 98 - moved into billets at BETHUNE }</p> <p>Army Commander inspected 1/6 Cheshire and 1/1 Herts regts in Musketry. Corps Commander & Bde Cpls attended.</p> <p>Weather - fine</p> <p>8 pm XI Corps Locations</p> | App 221 |
| | 27 ⁴ / ₁₆ | 8 am | <p>Summary of Information 8 am 27th to 8 am 28th April</p> <p>Army Commander inspected Corps Sniping School - STEENBECQUE</p> <p>2 pm, 19 Div School of Instruction MERVILLE 3.45 pm, + Black</p> <p>Watch down; Bazooka Fighting & Gymnastic Training at 4.30 pm</p> <p>Corps Commander & Bde Cpls attended.</p> <p>Army Commander also inspected 19 Div artillery training in the morning near BOMY.</p> <p>Weather - fine & hot.</p> | App 222 App 223 3632 |

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| HINGES | 28 th / ₁₆ | | Summary of Information 8am 28 th to 8am 29 th April 104 Bde relieved 106 Bde in NEUVE CHAPELLE section 106 Bde moved into billets about VIELLE CHAPELLE Weather - fine | App 224 |
| | 29 th / ₁₆ | | Summary of Information 8am 29 th to 8am 30 th April Weather - fine | App 225 |
| | 30 th / ₁₆ | | Summary of Information 8am 30 th April to 8am 1 st May XI Corps Sections Weather - fine | App 226 App 227 |
| Arthur I. Smith Captain Gen. Staff XI Corps | | | | 364a |

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XIth CORPS ORDER NO. 42.

12th April 1916.

1. The following moves will be completed by 10 a.m. 20th April :-

- (a) ANZAC Corps, Second Army, will take over the P. TILION Section from 35th Div.
- (b). 19th Div. will be withdrawn from the line to the Reserve Div. Area and the Div. will then proceed for training purposes to the neighbourhood of First Army Training area; exact area being notified later. The Div. will remain in XIth Corps but will be in G.H.Q. Reserve.
- (c). 33rd Div. will not be relieved but will remain in its present area.
- (d). 35th Div. will be withdrawn from its present area and will take over the NEUVE CHAPELLE and FERME DU BOIS Sections, with one Inf. Bde. in reserve about VISILLE CHAPELLE.
- (e). 36th Div. will be withdrawn from its present area and will take over the FAUQUISSART and MONTED GRANGE Sections, with one Inf. Bde. in reserve about LA CORGUE and LEVILLER.
- (f). 39th Div. will take over the FETUBERT and GIVENCHY Sections with one Inf. Bde. in reserve about LOCON.

2. Divisional areas will be as on attached map.

Billeting area of left Div. will be as shown on the map, from 10 a.m. 18th April, but although left Div. will only be responsible for the administration of the area therein shown, it will continue to use its existing area as at present until 10 a.m. 20th April.

3. (a). Moves of Infantry and Div. Hd. Qrs. will be carried out as on March Table "A" attached.

- (b). Pioneer Battalions will move into new areas as under -
 - 1/2 19th Northumberland Fusiliers 35th Div. on 16th and 18th April with 100th Inf. Bde.
 - 1/2 19th Northumberland Fusiliers 35th Div. on 18th and 19th April with 100th Inf. Bde.
 - Remaining battalions on 16th.

- (c). One Field Coy. A.S. and One Coy. Train will move with each Inf. Bde.
- (d). Div. Mounted Troop. e. } will move on the same days
 H.Q. Coy. Div. Train. } as their Div. Hd. Qrs.
 Sanitary Section. }
 Mobile Veterinary Section. }

4. Divisional Artillery reliefs will be carried out as follows :-

- (a). April 14th & 15th.
 39th Div. Art. relieve 38th Div. Art. and the attached battery 33rd Div. Art. on GIVENCHY and FETUBERT fronts (46 guns, 12 howitzers).

 38th Div. Art. relieve Left Group, 19th Div. Art (16 guns & 6 howitzers) on MONTED GRANGE front and Right Group of 35th Div. Art. on FAUQUISSART front (20 guns & 6 howitzers).

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(8).

Right Group 35th Div. Art. now on FAUCUISSART Front, relieve
Centre Group 19th Div. Art. on NEUVE CHAPELLE Front
(24 guns & 4 Howitzers).

Centre and Left Groups 19th Div. Art. move to wagon lines
in Res. Div. Area.

(b). April 16th & 17th.
ANZAC Corps relieve Left Group 35th Div. Art. on PETILLON
front.

Left Group 35th Div. Art. now on PETILLON Front relieve
Right Group 19th Div. Art. on FERME DU BOIS Front
(16 guns & 4 Howitzers).

Right Group 19th Div. Art. now on FERME DU BOIS Front with-
draw to wagon lines as follows :-
8 guns, 19th Div. Art. to Res. Div. Area; 4 guns and 4
howitzers, 38th Div. Art. to 38th Divisional Area.

(c). Personnel of "I" Battery R.H.A. now attached to 19th
Div. Art. on FERME DU BOIS Front, will be withdrawn on
18th April. Arrangements will be made by 35th Div. to
complete the relief of this Battery by that date.
35th Div. will hand over 4 guns to 39th Div.

(d). Guns will be left in their emplacements, an equal
number being handed over by relieving divs.

(e). G.O.C. 39th Div. Art. (H.Q. at LOCON), will take over
command of Artillery defence of VIVENCHY - FESTOBERT
Sector; and G.O.C. 38th Div. Art. (H.Q. at LA GORGE) of the
MOATED GRANGE - FAUCUISSART Sector at 10 a.m. on 18th
April.

G.O.C. 35th Div. Art. (H.Q. at FOSSE) will take over command
of Artillery defence of FERME DU BOIS - NEUVE CHAPELLE
Sector at 10 a.m. on 18th April.

5. Supply and Medical Arrangements will be published separate-
ly.

6. Details regarding Trench Mortar Batteries and Motor Machine
Gun Batteries will be issued later.

7. Detailed arrangements for moves will be made direct
between divisions concerned, and XIIIth Corps will be kept
informed of these arrangements.

8. ACKNOWLEDGE.

W. H. Anderson

Issued at 7.30 am
To: 19th Div. First Army.
33rd Div. I Corps.
35th Div. II Corps.
38th Div. Anzac Corps.
39th Div.
Heavy Arty XIIIth Corps.

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MARCH TABLE "A" (To accompany Xth Corps Order No.42.)

| Date. | U N I T. | From. | To. | Replacing. | Who proceed to. | Remarks. |
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| 14th April. | 113th Inf.Bde. 39th Div. | LES LAURIERS Area. | LOGON Area. | 115th Inf.Bde. 38th Div. | ESTAIRE. | 115th Inf.Bde.39th Div.to be clear of Road junction L.34.b.9.2.(LA GORGUE) by 12 noon. |
| | 118th Inf.Bde. 39th Div. | LA GORGUE & MERVILLE. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE Area. | | | Move of 118th Inf. Bde.not to take place until after 12 noon. |
| 15th April. | 115th Inf.3de. 39th Div. | ESTAIRE. | Trenches, FANQUISSART Section. | 106th Inf.Bde. 35th Div. | ESTAIRE. | |
| | 116th Inf.Bde. 39th Div. | LOGON Area. | Trenches, GIVENCHY Section | 113th Inf.Bde. 38th Div. | LOGON Area. | |
| 16th April. | 118th Inf.Bde. 39th Div. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE Area. | Trenches FESTUBERT Section | 114th Inf.Bde. 38th Div. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE Area. | |
| | 106th Inf.Bde. 35th Div. | ESTAIRE. | Trenches NEUVE CHAPELLE Section. | 56th Inf.Bde. 19th Div. | LA GORGUE & MERVILLE. | |
| | 113th Inf.Bde. 38th Div. | LOGON Area. | ESTAIRE. | 106th Inf.Bde. 35th Div. | As above. | |
| | 117th Inf.Bde. 39th Div. | GONNEHEM. | LOGON. | 113th Inf.Bde. 38th Div. | As above. | |

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MARCH TABLE "A"
 (To accompany Xth Corps Order No. 42).

Sheet 2.

| Date. | UNIT. | From. | To. | Replacing. | Who proceed to. | REMARKS |
|-------------|---|---------------------------|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| 17th April. | 113th Inf.Bde. 38th Div. | ESTAIRES | Trenches, MOATED GRANGE Section. | 57th Inf.Bde. 19th Div. | LA GORGUE & MERVILLE. | H.Q.19th Div.moved to ST.VENANT, 10 a.m. H.Q.38th Div.moved to LA GORGUE at 10 a.m. G.O.C. 38th Div. assumes command of MOATED GRANGE, NEUVE CHAPELLE & FERME DU BOIS Sections at 10 a.m. H.Q.39th Div. moved to LCCON at 10 a.m. |
| | 56th Inf.Bde. 19th Div. | LA GORGUE & MERVILLE. | Reserve Div.Area. | | | |
| 18th April. | 57th Inf.Bde. 19th Div. | LA GORGUE & MERVILLE. | Reserve Div.Area. | | | |
| | 105th Inf.Bde. 35th Div. | SAILLY Area. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE Area. | 114th Inf.Bde. 33rd Div. | LA GORGUE & MERVILLE. | |
| Note. | One Inf.Bde., 1st Australian Div., moves to SAILLY. | | | | | |
| 19th April. | One Inf.Bde. 1st Australian Div. | SAILLY. | Trenches, PETILLON Section. | 104th Inf.Bde. 35th Div. | ESTAIRES. | |
| | 105th Inf.Bde. 35th Div. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE Area. | Trenches, FERME DU BOIS Section. | 58th Inf.Bde. 19th Div. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE Area. | |
| 20th April. | 104th Inf.Bde. 35th Div. | ESTAIRES. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE Area. | 58th Inf.Bde. 19th Div. | Reserve Div.Area. | H.Q.35th Div.to LESTREM. G.O.C.takes over command of NEUVE CHAPELLE & FERME DU BOIS Sections at 10 a.m. |

W.H.A.
 B. G., G. S., 1/4/18.

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XIIIth CORPS ORDER No.43.

12th April, 1916.

With reference to XIIIth Corps Order No.42, para: 3, the following will be the supply and medical arrangements.

1. RAILHEADS. On 16-4-16 will be as follows :-

| | | |
|---------------------|----|---------------------------|
| 38th Division | .. | LA GORGUE (main station) |
| 39th Division. | .. | LA GORGUE (light railway) |
| 19th Division. | .. | MERVILLE. |
| 35th Division. | .. | MERVILLE. |
| 33rd Division. | .. | BEAUGNE. |
| Corps Troops S.C... | | MERVILLE. |

2. Following supply arrangements will be made at Railheads:-

(a). 38th Div.

16th. Div. Train refill at Old Refilling Points. 38th D.S.C. will load at LA GORGUE (approx. $\frac{1}{3}$ fresh, $\frac{2}{3}$ preserved).

17th. 38th D.S.C. will dump Fresh at Refilling Point (either at LA GORGUE or as selected by Div.), then proceed to Railhead and load with Preserved. Half Div. Train will load with Fresh at Railhead and dump at Refilling Points.

18th. Div. Train will refill at Railhead (D.S.C. will be laid up full at CALONNE.).

(b). 39th Div.

16th. D.S.C. dump at Refilling Points selected by Div. (D.S.C. will lay up empty at CALONNE). Load on to LIGHT Railway.

17th. Refilling Points on LIGHT Railway.

(c). 19th Div. No change. Supply Column at MERVILLE.(d). 35th Div.

16th. D.S.C. dumps preserved at Refilling Points and loads up at MERVILLE Railhead. Subsequently normal. Supply Column at MERVILLE.

(e). 33rd Div. No change.(f). Corps Troops Supply Column. No change.

3. On 16th, 38th Div. and 35th Div. may arrange mutually for an exchange of fresh meat for preserved, and above arrangements are subject to modification accordingly.

4. Feeding of Corps and Attached Troops.

These troops will be fed on a geographical basis (vide XIIIth Corps O:198/1 of 10-4-16, and C.198 of 10-4-16 with reference to Heavy Artillery). Divs. will arrange mutually for the handing and taking over of these units.

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5. The following medical arrangements will be made:-

(a). Field Ambulances of 38th Div. will move into sites now occupied by those of 19th Div., namely, two in LA GORGUE and one at CORPS REST STATION - MERVILLE, with two sections at REGNIER LE CLERC.

Field Ambulances of 38th Div. will take over Advanced Dressing Stations at LAVENTIE, LA FLINQUE and GREEN BARN.

(b). Field Ambulances of 35th Div. will take over the present Ambulance sites at VIEILLE CHAPELLE, ZELOBES and GALONNE; also the Advanced Dressing Stations at ST. VAAST, RUE du BOIS and KINGS ROAD.

(c). Field Ambulances of 39th Div. will take over the present ambulance sites at MESPLOUX, CANAL HOUSE near ESSARS, BOIS de PACAUT and ROBECCQ, also Advanced Dressing Stations at MARAIS and LONE FARM.

6. ACKNOWLEDGE.

Issued at 2 p.m.

To :-

19th Div. Heavy Art. XIth Corps.
33rd Div. First Army.
35th Div. I Corps.
38th Div. II Corps.
39th Div. ANZAC Corps.

FR Clayton Major
for B. G., U. S.

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XIth Corps.
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| Corps H. Q. | HINGES. | W.16.a.0.7. |
| 19th Division H.Q. | LA GORGUE. | Z.35.b.6.8. |
| 56th Bde. H.Q. | LA GORGUE. | Z.35.a.4.6. |
| 57th Bde. H.Q. | COCKSHY HOUSE, LAVENTIL. | M. 4.c.6.2. |
| 58th Bde. H.Q. | CENSE DU SAUX. | X.25.c.6.9. |
| 33rd Division H.Q. | BETHUNE. | B.11.a.4.3. |
| 19th Bde. H.Q. | BETHUNE. | B.11.c.8.7. |
| 98th Bde. H.Q. | BEUVRY. | P.14.a.9.0. |
| 100th Bde. H.Q. | LE PREOL (South.) | P.16.b.1.2. |
| 35th Division H.Q. | SAILLY. | G.17.c.7.9. |
| 104th Bde. H.Q. | FIEUBAIX. | H.20.d.6.6. |
| 105th Bde. H.Q. | SAILLY. | G.16.c.9.4. |
| 106th Bde. H.Q. | LES HUIT MAISON. | R.30.c.5.9. |
| 38th Division H.Q. | LOCON. | X. 7.c.7.8. |
| 113th Bde. H.Q. | ESTAINES. | L.30.a.7.1. |
| 114th Bde. H.Q. | VIEILLE CHAPELLE. | R.34.a.3.6. |
| 115th Bde. H.Q. | LAVENTIL. | M. 4.b.2.6. |
| 39th Division H.Q. | LESTREM. | R. 8.b.7.3. |
| 116th Bde. H.Q. | CANAL HOUSE. | F.10.b.7.1. |
| 117th Bde. H.Q. | LOCON. | W. 6.d.4.5. |
| 118th Bde. H.Q. | LOISNE. | X.28.a.3.7. |

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| 17th April. | 19th Division H.Q. move to | ST. VENANT. | P. 4.c.8.6. |
| | 56th Brigade H.Q. " " | CALONNE. | Q. 9.b.8.9. |
| | 57th Brigade H.Q. " " | LA GORGUE. | L.35.a.4.6. |
| | 38th Division H.Q. " " | LA GORGUE. | L.35.b.6.8. |
| | 113th Brigade H.Q. " " | COCKSHY HSE., | |
| | | LAVENTIL. | M. 4.c.6.2. |
| | 39th Division H.Q. " " | LOCON. | X. 7.c.7.8. |
| 18th April. | 57th Brigade H.Q. move to | ROBECQ. | P.29.a.9.3. |
| | 19th Brigade H.Q. " " | LE PREOL. | F.16.b.1.2. |
| | 100th Brigade H.Q. " " | BETHUNE. | B.11.c.8.7. |
| | 105th Brigade H.Q. " " | VIEILLE CHAPELLE, | |
| | | | R.34.a.3.6. |
| | 114th Brigade H.Q. " " | LA GORGUE. | L.35.a.4.6. |

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Notes on Corps Commander's Conference.
Corps H.Q., 3 p.m. 19/4/16.

CARETAKERS
OF POSTS.

1. The Corps Commander expressed a wish that, as far as possible, caretakers should be kept in the back Posts for a lengthy period, instead of relieving them every three or four days. By keeping the same men in the Posts as caretakers we get them to take an interest and a pride in the work for which they are responsible, and far better results are obtained.

DEFENCE POLICY.
FUNCTIONS OF
KEEPS AND SUPPORT-
ING POINTS.

2. As regards the general policy of defence: we must aim at three lines of defence, - the front line, (with support line 80 yards in rear), and the Reserve line, forming the front system; and some distance back a third line (i.e. the VILLAGE - CROIX BARBEE Line). Behind this again come the various Posts and defences to be occupied in case of a withdrawal, for the siting and construction of which the Corps are responsible.

In reality the front line and the support line are all one: the garrisons of the front and support lines being for defensive purposes; those in the reserve line and third line, for offence. If, by any chance, the front line is captured by the enemy, then the third line immediately becomes our Reserve line in the system of defence.

It should be clearly understood that Keeps are NOT wanted for Defence; they are to be used to break up the attack, to be held on to at all costs by as few men as possible, and eventually to assist the counter-stroke. If we look upon them as part of our defences, they gradually become extended and enlarged, until they attain a huge size and cease to fulfil the function for which they were originally intended.

RELATIVE URGENCY
OF WORK REQUIRED
IN THE NEW DIVIS-
IONAL SECTORS.

3. The relative urgency of work in the divisional sectors as now readjusted is generally as follows :-

33rd Division.

(a). BEUVRY GROUP of works to be renovated and improved. The wire round the Southern work is weak.

(b). Possible construction of an additional line of wire through F.15.a.

39th Division.

(a). The defences of GIVENCHY to be continued. Deep dug-outs should be constructed to shelter the garrison during a bombardment. Owing to the difficulty which may be experienced in reinforcing this part of the line dug-outs must be made for supporting troops. The vicinity of SIDBURY HILL is a suitable place;

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(b). In the FESTUBERT Section, additional communication trenches from the Old British Line to the front line will be made. At present only PIONEER ROAD and BARNTON ROAD can be used.

The islands will be wired and afterwards converted into a continuous line (vide R.H.S.793/19 of 16/4/16)

35th Division.

(a). The front line is now nearly continuous in the FERME DU BOIS Section, and the order of work should be as for the FESTUBERT Section (vide R.H.S.793/19 of 16/4/16). The construction of a support trench, with wire in front, should be proceeded with, and dug-outs made, so that the garrison will be in a position to stand a bombardment without undue casualties.

New communication trenches are required South of COPSE STREET (vide R.H.S.793/15 of 1/4/16).

(b). NEUVE CHAPELLE Section

BALUCHI ROAD, and CHATEAU ROAD, should be traversed, being now liable to enfilade and in view from the BOIS DU BIEZ.

A communication trench is required for use if the covered way on the LA BASSEE ROAD is shelled.

38th Division.

(a). A support line with dug-outs to be made in rear of the front trench, so as to protect the garrison during a bombardment. At present there are few good dug-outs.

(b). The screening of the RUE TILLELOY to be completed.

(c). Old communication trenches West of RUE TILLELOY to be reclaimed; at present there is no communication trench North of WINCHESTER STREET.

(d). The machine gun defence in rear of the front line should be completed.

Generally.

Concrete machine gun emplacements/should be CONTINUED in the front line. Land dug-outs for Machine Gunners

Work on the front trench system will be carried out in the following order:-

(a). Construction of communication trenches.

(b). Wiring.

(c). Completion of fire trench with parapets, dug-outs, etc.

(d). Construction of support lines.

(e). Filling in of old and disused trenches.

RELIEFS.

(4. The necessity for exercising great care during reliefs was emphasized by the Corps Commander. There have been a number of casualties during the recent reliefs, which might have been avoided if orders had been more rigidly adhered to. Roads which are in full view of the enemy are often crowded with men marching in formed bodies. This is partly the fault of Brigadiers, partly of Battalion Commanders; but is

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chiefly attributable to odds-and-ends. Divisional Commanders will see when the casualty returns are issued that casualties have gone up considerably in the last few days, chiefly owing to movement by day on the RUE DU BOIS and RUE TILLERLOY; near FESTUBERT and GIVENCHY; and on the CANAL bank.. "Stops" should be placed in those neighbourhoods.

CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF O.P.'s.

5. The Corps Commander again directed attention to the construction and-maintenance of O.P.'s. With changes in divisions these are liable to be forgotten; but Divisional Commanders must ensure that work on them is consistent and progressive. HOATED GRANGE Section is rather deficient of O.P.s but the situation improves as we go south.

PREPARATIONS FOR ATTACK ON THE FRONT OF THE ENEMY.

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6. The Commander-in-Chief wants all defensive preparations made with a view to withstanding a bombardment on a scale like that at VERDUN. The Corps Commander was of opinion that a bombardment on the same scale as VERDUN is not possible without 3 or 4 months preparation by the enemy. It took the Germans 6 months to prepare for VERDUN, and the amount of ammunition required is enormous. The Xth Corps Line is opposite a salient, and if the enemy do get forward and capture NEUVE CHAPELLE that would only increase their salient. But although attack by the enemy appears unlikely, we have got to prepare for it. The Commander-in-Chief's views are that we must hold our firing trench with sentries and machine guns; and we must hold our support trench with a garrison which is under cover. The support trench, of course, gets knocked about in a bombardment, but not to the same extent as the firing trench, and we must do as much as possible in the way of providing cover for the men in the support trench. The question of protection for Machine Gunners, as well as concreted emplacements, will be considered by Divisional Commanders.

OBSERVATION OF THE ENEMY: and OFFENSIVE OPERATIONS.

7. Both the Commander-in-Chief and the Army Commander have expressed their appreciation of our raids and of the good observation reports which have been sent in. The raids have a great effect on the Germans, and by means of these raids and of the reports of observers, and of patrols, the exact dispositions and changes of the enemy's troops on our front have been immediately discovered. We definitely located a new Corps which came in front of us. This new Corps had not been there at the most more than a few hours before we got reports prisoners, and identifications which proved of incalculable value to higher authorities.

The Army Commander is anxious that these raids should be continued, and wants if possible larger raids carried out, with the eventual object of capturing and holding some of the enemy's trenches. We have been ordered to prepare to attack certain portions of the enemy's line whenever we are called upon to do so.

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Divisional Commanders have been asked to submit schemes for capturing the various objectives allotted to them. The Corps Commander has been over the ground for himself and knows that the operations proposed are possible, and there will be plenty of gun ammunition.

Artillery fire on the enemy.

The Corps Commander again impressed on Divisional Commanders his view that every round we put into the enemy's trenches or into his wire is never thrown away: indiscriminate shooting at places behind their lines is of doubtful value. The enemy shoot at places behind our lines, and also at our battery positions, but the damage they do is insignificant. Division Commanders should therefore concentrate as much artillery fire as they can on the enemy's front line and on his wire and continue to make gaps; it is the duty of the infantry to keep the gaps open.

Raids. With regard to raids, the Corps Commander cannot consider any division a fighting unit until it has raided the German trenches opposite its front. Moreover, the raids should not be carried out by the same unit each time. Raids should be looked upon as part of the ordinary duty of every battalion when it goes into the trenches. By this means we are maintaining and improving our moral and breaking down the German defences.

The Corps on our right and left are carrying out raids on the same principles and with the same object in view; in this way the enemy are being kept busy and will be reduced to a state in which they will not be capable of withstanding any great offensive efforts on our part.

DISCIPLINE.

The Corps Commander has been glad to notice improvement in march discipline of formed bodies of troops, and saluting.

He referred to the necessity of warning men to salute cars carrying flags, and drew attention to the fact that the flags of commanders' cars should not be flown when the commander is not himself in the car.

There is still a tendency amongst the men to hang on to carts and to put their kits on wagons on the march, and a paper will be circulated by D.A.S. C.S.G. noting infractions of orders on traffic control observed on the march during the recent reliefs.

W. H. Anderson

XIth Corps.
20th April, 1916.

B. G., G. S.

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| CORPS H.Q. | :: | HINGES. | :: | :: | W.18.a.0.7. |
| 19th DIVISION H.Q. | :: | NORRENT FONTES | :: | :: | N.35 (Sheet 36A) |
| 56th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | LIGNY-lez-AIRES Area | :: | :: | S.18 (Sheet 36A) |
| 57th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | ROBECQ. | :: | :: | P.29.a.9.3. |
| 58th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | VIEILLE CHAPELLE | :: | :: | R.34.a.3.6. |
| 33rd DIVISION H.Q. | :: | BETHUNE. | :: | :: | F.11.a.4.3. |
| 19th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | LE PREOL (South) | :: | :: | F.16.b.1.2. |
| 98th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | BEUVRY. | :: | :: | F.14.a.9.0. |
| 100th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | BETHUNE. | :: | :: | F.11.o.8.7. |
| 35th DIVISION H.Q. | :: | SAILLY. | :: | :: | G.17.o.7.9. |
| 104th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | ESTAIRES. | :: | :: | L.30.a.7.1. |
| 105th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | CENSE DU RAUX. | :: | :: | X.23.a.6.9. |
| 108th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | Les HUIT MAISONS. | :: | :: | R.30.o.8.9. |
| 38th DIVISION H.Q. | :: | LA GORGUE. | :: | :: | L.35.b.6.8. |
| 113th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | COCKSHY HOUSE, LAVENTIE. | :: | :: | M.4.o.6.2. |
| 114th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | LA GORGUE. | :: | :: | L.35.a.4.6. |
| 115th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | LAVENTIE. | :: | :: | H.4.b.2.6. |
| 39th DIVISION H.Q. | :: | LOCON. | :: | :: | X.7.o.7.8. |
| 116th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | CANAL HOUSE. | :: | :: | F.10.b.7.1. |
| 117th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | LOCON. | :: | :: | W.6.d.4.5. |
| 118th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | :: | LOISNE. | :: | :: | X.28.a.3.7. |

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57th Inf. Bde. H.Q. move to KAMETZ Area G.29 (Sheet 36A)

58th Inf. Bde. H.Q. move to ROBECQ P.29.a.9.3.

35th Div. H.Q. move to LESTREM R.8.b.7.3.

104th Inf. Bde. H.Q. move to VIEILLE CHAPELLE, R.34.a.3.6

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| <u>CORPS H.Q.</u> | ** | ** | HINGES. | ** | ** | W.16.a.0.7. |
| <u>19th DIVISION H.Q.</u> | ** | ** | NORRENT FONTES. | ** | ** | N.35 (Sheet 36A.) |
| 56th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | LIGNY-lez-AIRE Area | ** | ** | S.18 (Sheet 36A.) |
| 57th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | MAMETZ Area | ** | ** | G.29 (Sheet 36A.) |
| 58th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | ESTREE BLANCHE Area | ** | ** | M.28 (Sheet 36A.) |
| <u>33rd DIVISION H.Q.</u> | ** | ** | BETHUNE. | ** | ** | E.11.a.4.3. |
| 19th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | LE PREOL (South) | ** | ** | F.16.b.1.2. |
| 98th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | BEUVRY. | ** | ** | F.14.a.9.0. |
| 100th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | BETHUNE. | ** | ** | E.11.c.8.7. |
| <u>35th DIVISION H.Q.</u> | ** | ** | LESTREM. | ** | ** | R.8.b.7.3. |
| 104th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | VIEILLE CHAPELLE | ** | ** | R.34.a.3.6. |
| 105th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | OMISE DU RAUX. | ** | ** | X.23.a.6.9. |
| 108th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | Les HUIT MAISONS | ** | ** | R.30.c.5.9. |
| <u>38th DIVISION H.Q.</u> | ** | ** | LA GORGUE. | ** | ** | L.35.b.6.8. |
| 113th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | COCKSHY HOUSE, LAVENTIE | ** | ** | M.4.c.6.2. |
| 114th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | LA GORGUE | ** | ** | L.35.a.4.6. |
| 115th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | LAVENTIE. | ** | ** | M.4.b.2.6. |
| <u>39th DIVISION H.Q.</u> | ** | ** | LOCON. | ** | ** | X.7.c.7.8. |
| 116th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | CANAL HOUSE. | ** | ** | F.10.b.7.1. |
| 117th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | LOCON. | ** | ** | W.6.d.4.5. |
| 118th Inf. Bde. H.Q. | ** | ** | LOISNE. | ** | ** | X.28.a.3.7. |

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23rd April. 117th Inf. Bde. and 118th Inf. Bde. change places.

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| <u>XIth CORPS H.Q.</u>    | oo | oo | HINGES.                    | oo | W.16.a.0.7.      |
| <u>19th DIVISION H.Q.</u> |    | oo | NORRENT BONTES             | oo | N.35 (Sheet 36A) |
| 56th Inf. Bde. H.Q.       |    | oo | LIGNY-lez-AIRE Area        |    | S.18 (Sheet 36A) |
| 57th Inf. Bde. H.Q.       |    | oo | MAMEZ Area.                | oo | G.29 (Sheet 36A) |
| 58th Inf. Bde. H.Q.       |    | oo | ESTREE BLANCHE Area        |    | M.28 (Sheet 36A) |
| <u>33rd DIVISION H.Q.</u> |    | oo | BETHUNS.                   | oo | E.11.a.4.3.      |
| 19th Inf. Bde. H.Q.       |    | oo | LE PREOL (South)           | oo | F.16.b.1.2.      |
| 98th Inf. Bde. H.Q.       |    | oo | BETHUNE.                   | oo | E.11.c.8.7.      |
| 100th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | BEUVRY.                    | oo | F.14.a.9.0.      |
| <u>35th DIVISION H.Q.</u> |    | oo | LESTREM                    | oo | R.8.b.7.3.       |
| * 104th Inf. Bde. H.Q.    |    | oo | VIEILLE CHAPELLE.          |    | R.34.a.5.6.      |
| 105th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | CEESE DU RAUX.             | oo | X.23.a.6.9.      |
| * 106th Inf. Bde. H.Q.    |    | oo | LES NUIFS MAISONS          |    | R.30.c.5.9.      |
| <u>38th DIVISION H.Q.</u> |    | oo | LA GORGUE.                 | oo | L.35.b.6.8.      |
| 113th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | LA GORGUE.                 | oo | L.35.a.4.6.      |
| 114th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | COCKSHY HOUSE,<br>LAVENTIE | oo | M.4.c.6.2.       |
| 115th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | LAVENTIE                   | oo | M.4.b.2.8.       |
| <u>39th DIVISION H.Q.</u> |    | oo | LOCON.                     | oo | X.7.c.7.8.       |
| 116th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | GANAL HOUSE                | oo | F.10.b.7.1.      |
| 117th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | LOISNE.                    | oo | X.28.a.3.7.      |
| 118th Inf. Bde. H.Q.      |    | oo | LOCON.                     | oo | W.6.d.4.5.       |

\* On 28th instant 104th Inf. Bde. and 106th Inf. Bde. change places.

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