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Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries, 1914-18 War

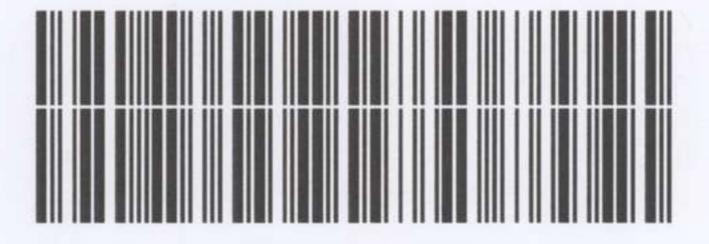
Claims

Item number: 4/3/15

Title: Claims Officer, 2nd Australian

Division

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CLAIMS OFFICER

WAR DIARY

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs., Part II. and the Staff Manual respectively. Title pages will be prepared in manuscript.

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
	1918			
MARC IN ELLE	Dec.		Compared to November, December was a light month as the Division was moving up to the Belgium area. Only three of the Claims dealt with were from the new area, the remainder being from the old SOMME area.	
		1	In all 36 claims were handled as follows:-	
			10 paid 578 f (amount claimed 1419 f) 17 to claims commission 1845 f 10 pending 942 f	
			The three claims from the new area were found to be of a very reasonable nature but again fully 50 % of the SOMME claimants were exorbitant in their demands and their claims had to be reduced before they could be considered.	
			The 10 claims paid were as follows.	
			Under 50 f 7 for 99 f 50 f to 100 f 2 " 104 100 f to 150 f 1 " 125 Over 150 f 1 " 250 10 578 f	
			The only claim of importance was No. 1174/2A THULL MER P. of VIGNACOURT this was for timber taken from his property by the 5th Field Coy. A. E. this was settled by the Company in question. 12505.	
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