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WAR DIARY of 35th Battalion A.I.F. for month of September 1917.

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Wismes	Sept 1		9 th Aust. Inf. Bde. Sports held at Le Mesnil Boutry	
"	Sept 5.		9 th Aust. Inf. Bde. Sports concluded at Le Mesnil Boutry. 35 th Battalion first in Mule Race.	
"	" 8		35 th Battalion held very successful Sports meeting at Drionville.	
"	" 15		IV Anzac Horse show held at Drionville. 35 th Bn. win 1st prize for best Field Kitchen.	
"	" 17		Battalion go by motor to to Terdinghem for days swimming. Left Wismes 8 a.m. arrived Terdinghem 1 p.m. where Bn is accommodated in tents. Swimming in afternoon. Concert by 3 rd Aust. Div. concert lounge in evening.	
rdinghem	" 18		Swimming in morning. Bn. embus at 2 p.m. and return to Wismes. Arrived Wismes about 7 p.m.	
Wismes	" 22		3 rd Aust. Division inspected near Drionville by Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig.	
Wismes	" 26		Left Wismes en route to trenches. Marched via Lumbres and Wisernes and Blendecques to billets west of Renescure. Arrive billets 5 p.m.	
Renescure	" 27		Left billets 6:30 a.m. and marched via St. Sylvestre and Eecke to billets outside Eecke. Arrived billets 5 p.m.	
Eecke	" 28		Left Billets at 9 a.m. and marched via Steenvoorde to camp near Winnezelle. Arrived Camp 11:30 a.m.	
winnezelle	" 29		325 specialists left camp at 2 p.m. for Zonnebeke Sector.	
"	" 30		Bn. leave Winnezelle by motor buses for Zonnebeke Sector. Receive 13 th Kings own Regt. in Zonnebeke Sector on night of 30/9/17 - 1/10/17.	

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