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**WAR DIARY**

OF

*1<sup>st</sup> Australian Machine Gun Battalion HQ.*

FOR

*April* 1919

Signature of Officer compiling

*S.R. Elder Lt.*

Signature of Officer Commanding

*W.R. French Lt. Col.*

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
	1st		<p>The weather very fine + sunny, Capt Paton lectured in the Cinema Hall on Pacific islands. There was a good attendance - most of the men left the hall with a much better knowledge of the islands near their own land. Four G.S. Waggon attached to us from the A.A.S.C. Cinema again in working order + as usual the building crowded. Small children rolled up in large numbers + showed their appreciation by excited whispering + bursts of laughter.</p>	
	2nd		<p>Frosty morning but a beautiful sunshiny day. Night very cold. We were again favoured by a very fine lecture from Miss Bacon on Aeroplanes in Peace + War. This lecture being illustrated by lantern slides. Attendance as usual was excellent. The 3rd Mech Class under Lieut Mitchell was held + attended by eager learners. In the afternoon Lieut Mitchell spoke to a Muster Parade on the Selection of men for Craft, endeavouring to appease many + to please many.</p>	

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	3rd.		Weather as usual but nevertheless another day of sunshine appreciated. Mathematics class held in the morning. In the evening the Boomerangs 2nd Bde Concert Party gave a concert in the cinema the building was not large enough - at there were so many there that immediately the concert was over dancing enthusiastically arranged a dance which lasted to 12 o'clock.	
	4th.		Misty morning but sunny afternoon. Capt Paton lectured on 'The Early Discovery of Australia' and as usual every one who could possibly attend did so. Lecturers are always very willing to come to us as the audience here often shows they know how to appreciate. The trench class was held in the morning and also the motor class under a most capable instructor. In the evening the cinema changed its programme and as a result the mixed audience easily filled the hall.	
	5th.		Weather as usual in fact so often had the sun blessed us all day that we were now taking it as a matter of course that the next day - every day would be the same. Mathematics class in the morning & cinema at night.	
	6th.		Weather as usual. Being Sunday a big race meeting was held & attended by the sporting element of the Battalion. Meeting held at Ghinn - we had two horses running both of which tried very hard to increase the wealth of the units but with only mild success. 'Comedy Bill' did come first in one race. In the evening a dance was held in the cinema hall which was attended by the usual enthusiasts.	

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	7th		<p>Weather again treated us with her best apparel <del>as</del> as was evidenced by the large number of men who found lying on their backs to be their most difficult duty for the day. Capt Paton again lectured us on Australia each lecture of his is becoming more &amp; more interesting one can really understand now something of the manner in which England achieved her greatness. Cinema held in the evening when the P. in moves from Port-de-Foy to the Belgians will surely either die of ennui or stir themselves to a little effort.</p>	
	8th		<p>Once again Rans were held at Thuis but the P. in did not attend in such numbers. Our horse were successful in two events. In the evening a farewell dance was given to the draft in Chatelet Town Hall it was most successful civilians &amp; soldiers turning up in large numbers.</p>	
	9th		<p>Weather fine with plenty of sun. Mrs Taylor M.A. FRGS lectured us on 'Demise of the Turkish Empire' this proved to be one of the best lectures ever given to us with the help of lantern slides the hour &amp; a half passed too quickly. Most of the day was spent by either watching draft men prepare or saying goodbye.</p>	
	10th		<p>Weather sunny but windy. Col French the Adjutant attended a lecture in Chatelet given by Lieut S.T. Bennet on Cadre "B" he answered many questions &amp; helped in the work of unit demobilization. The Pioneer Battalion moved to another village - Port-de-Foy came under the command of Col French</p>	

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	10 <sup>th</sup> <u>Continued</u>		at 9 am the draft marched out, it was quite a moving sight to see the many women & girls that were crying, Australian popularity was kept up to its maximum, the "A" Reinforcement wing was reached at 11 Am. the Companies of the Btm being reduced in numbers were amalgamated under one name, the 1 <sup>st</sup> machine gun Composite Coy. under the command of Capt. Hudd	
	11 <sup>th</sup>		Weather fine. Mr Taylor, MA, F.R.G.S. again visited us & gave us a splendid lecture on the Pacific Colonies. The life of the people of these places proved most amusing to the men who always manage to catch the humor if it's there, were the more ready to listen. In the evening the Btm & company messes were practically vacant, Charlevoix club shetels were busy with farewell dinners many goodbyes were said.	
	12 <sup>th</sup>		The sun was a disappointment in its place came rain plenty of it. There was a lecture in the morning by Capt. Paton on Growth in the Pacific islands he undoubtedly showed that these islands can be made a source of great profit to Australia. In the evening the Colonel & Mr. Wood went to the cinema & were highly pleased with the programme. Lt Kellman left for an educational trip to Zebrugge & Ostend.	

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	13 <sup>th</sup>		Sunday weather fine but showery. a church parade was held in the cinema hall, the Padre & the Pioneers officiating. being a day of rest a dance in the evening was felt to be quite sufficient for the day.	
	14 <sup>th</sup>		Weather unpropitious, a gale blew all the morning, in the afternoon it rained heavily, at 10pm. Chap. Capt. Paton (3rd Bde) lectured to an appreciative audience on Early Discoveries of Australia. Brig General Bennett C.M.G. visited unit & gave the information the machine gunners would go away all together about the first week in May. C.O. interviewed Lt. Holmes. In sports officer re projected sports meeting on Agas Day (25 April) Cinema at night despite unfavourable weather was largely attended.	
	15 <sup>th</sup>		A cold day with windy weather. In the evening the cinema hall was again filled.	
	16 <sup>th</sup>		Weather showery. An interesting lecture was delivered by Mr W. E. Whitehouse on "The rise & fall of Nations".	

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	17		Rain all day. A boxing tournament was held at Chatelet in which members of the battalion participated.	
	18		A fine cool day. Being Good Friday; <del>the troops</del> Personnel attended a lecture on "Palestine" which was delivered by Mr Whitehouse in Chatelet.	
	19		Weather - fine but cloudy. A lecture was given by Capt. Chaplain Paton on "The problem of the Pacific". A dance was held in the hall in the evening & was well attended.	
	20		Weather fine but cold. The morning was made the occasion of a special inspection of equipment & billets. In the afternoon, sports were indulged in & training was conducted for the Anzac day sports.	
	21		Weather fine & pleasant. Cricket material was supplied by the A.C.F., a cricket pitch was made & personnel spent the afternoon in practice. A dance took place in the evening.	



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	22		Weather fine & pleasant. Notification was received of the cancellation of leave. Cricket practice was again indulged in.	
	23		Weather fine & sunny. Lecture on Gippsland was given by Chap. Rowell in Ymca. hut. Dance was held in the Cinema hall in the evening.	
	24		Weather fine & clear. Billets were inspected & the afternoon occupied in training & other preparation for Anzac Day sports.	
	25		Weather fine & cool. Sports were held to commemorate Anzac Day. The evening was devoted to dancing. Great interest was shown in both events.	
	26		Weather showery & cool. A well attended dance took place in the Cinema Hall at night.	
	27		Weather fine & sunny. Inspection of equipment & billets in the morning. Cricket practice in the afternoon.	

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	28		Weather showery. A lecture was given in the Ymca hut on the problems of the Pacific.	
	29		Weather cool & showery. The remaining mules held by the battalion were sold in Chatelet, realising very good prices.	
	30		Weather - cold, with heavy rain. A lecture was delivered by Chap. Paton in the morning, dealing with aspects of life in the South Seas. A dance was held in the Cinema Hall at 19.30 & was well attended.	

J.R. Elder J.R.

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1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion.

Battalion Routine Order No. 58

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Lieut. Colonel W.R.R. French "DSO" "MC". Commanding 1st. A.M.G. Battalion.

Battalion. Headquarters

27.4.19.

408. LEAVE.

D.R.O. 2549 is republished for information.

Owing to the progress of demobilisation no leave either 14 days to U.K. or 10 days in France will be granted after the 22.4.19, except special cases which will be referred through this office to Corps Headquarters. All leave allotments are cancelled after 22.4.19.

409. PAY.

C.R.O. is republished for information.

On and after the 1st. March, Troops in Belgium will only be paid in Belgian Currency at the exchange rate which is fixed at 5 francs-3/7d for April.

All ranks proceeding on leave outside Belgium should be warned against carrying with them any Belgian Currency. This should be exchanged by them for French Currency at the office of the nearest Divisional Paymaster, where their leave advances will also be made in French Currency.

410. REVOLVERS.

C.R.O. 40 is republished for information.

Revolvers are not to be carried by men of the Corps. Any in possession are immediately to be handed in to the unit Headquarters. Any men found carrying revolvers will be Court Martialled.

411. COMMAND.

Lieut. A.G. Honeybun "MC" to Command 1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion Composite Company vice Capt. F.A. Hudd.

412. Appointments and Promotions.

To be Lieutenants A.I.F. List No. 468 of 22.4.19.

S/Lieut.	A.J. Spence	to date 17th. March 1919.
"	S.H. Somerville	to date 17th. March 1919.
"	F.W. Maher "MM"	to date 17th. March 1919.
"	H.A. Telford "MM"	to date 17th. March 1919.
"	S.J. Sainsworth "TCM"	to date 17th. March 1919.
"	W.C. Smith	to date 17th. March 1919.
"	H.M. Kleeman	to date 18th. March 1919.
"	A.T. Wordsworth	to date 18th. March 1919.

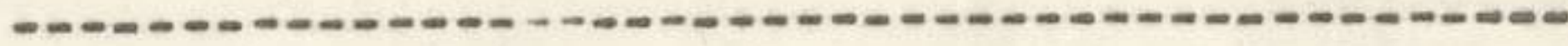
*L. Nathan Capt. 4/19*

1st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

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STRENGTH.

Evac. to D.R.S. 22.4.19.  
 732. Pte. Bartlett, V.W.J.  
 Evac. to C.C.S. 20.4.19.  
 732. Pte. Bartlett, V.W.J.  
 Transferred to Aust Corps Workshops JEUMONT. 24.4.19.  
 50726. Pte. Fraser, J.  
 Rejoined ex U.K. Leave. 19.4.19.  
 3431. T/Sgt. Notman, R.  
 Rejoined ex Hosp. 21.4.19.  
 732. Pte. Bartlett, V.W.J.

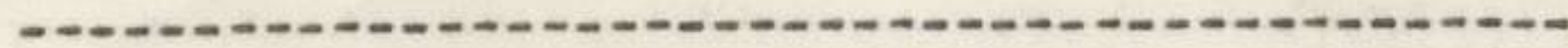


2nd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Rejoined ex U.K. Leave on dates as under.  
 2204. Pte. Stone, F.C. 19.4.19.  
 7767. Farrier. King, W. 20.4.19.  
 Proceeded to U.K. on Leave. 22.4.19.  
 506. Pte. James, W.

3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Proceeded to U.K. on Leave. 22.4.19.  
 477c. T/Cpl. Lyons, A.J.  
 Rejoined ex U.K. Leave. 19.4.19.  
 6410. Pte. Calloway, H.  
 Rejoined ex Aust Burial Detachment. 24.4.19.  
 753. Pte. Brett, J.V.



21st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac. to C.C.S. 19.4.19.  
 640. Pte. Middleton, H.  
 Evac. to 1st. A.D.H. England ex U.K. Leave. 31.3.19.  
 6256. Pte. Dunne, S.J.  
 Transferred to Aust Corps Workshops JEUMONT. 18.4.19.  
 2nd. Lieut. S.H. Holmes,  
 Proceeded to U.K. on Leave. 22.4.19.  
 327. L/Cpl. Whitecross, J.G.  
 Rejoined ex U.K. Leave. 19.4.19.  
 556a. L/Cpl. Fetterplace, C.C.



Battalion Headquarters.

Rejoined ex Paris Leave on dates as under.  
 Captain L.P. Nathan, 20.4.19.  
 Lieut. M. Ryan, "M.M." 22.4.19.  
 Rejoined ex Cologne Leave. 23.4.19.  
 Lt. Col. W.R.R. French, "D.S.O." "M.C."

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*L.P. Nathan* Capt. & Adjt.  
 1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion.

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Battalion Routine Order No.57.

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Lieut. Colonel. W.R.R.French "DSO" "MC". Commanding 1st. Aust. M.G. Battalion.

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Battalion Headquarters. 19.4.19.

401. D.R.O.2541 is republished for information.

"A" and "B" DIVISIONAL REINFT. CAMP. "A" Div. Reinft. Camp will close on 19.4.19. Personnel will be despatched to "B" Div. Reinft. Camp from that date onwards.

"B" Div. Reinft. Camp is situated in the Entrepot in front of the CHARLEROI Railway Station.

402. D.R.O.2542 is republished for information.

DISCIPLINE IN CHARLEROI. In future, all Officers, except those on duty, will be out of the town of Charleroi by 10pm.

403. D.R.O. 2543 is republished for information.

BELGIAN TRAMWAYS - PAYMENT OF FARES. Complaints have been received from the Director of Belgian Tramways that soldiers are in the habit of boarding Cars in large numbers and refusing to pay their fare. All ranks are to be informed that such conduct is unworthy of soldiers, and if persisted it will lead to the withdrawal of such concessions as are now made by the Tramway Authorities.

404. D.R.O. 2544 is republished for information.

MEN SERVING SENTENCES OF IMPRISONMENT. NO GENERAL AMNESTY.

Apparently there is an impression amongst members of the A.I.F. that when the Preliminary Peace Terms are signed there will be a general amnesty for all men undergoing sentences of imprisonment in Base Prisons.

All men should be warned that this is not the case, and that only in very deserving and exceptional cases will men undergoing imprisonment be released before their sentences have been completed.

This Order is to be published in orders of Brigades and lower formations and units.

405. Canteen Officer.

2/Lieut. F.G. Forster took over the Regimental Canteen from Lieut. J.C. Little to date 16th. April. 1919.

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1st Australian Machine Gun Company.

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Evac. to D.R.S.			15-4-19.
	732.	Pte. Bartlett, V.W.J.	
Evac. to C.C.S.			12-4-19.
	401.	Pte. Tyrrell, H.A.	
Evac. to Hosp. whilst on Leave in U.K.			12-4-19.
	808.	Pte. Pauley, S.W.	
Proceeded on Leave to U.K.			15-4-19.
	635.	Pte. Capel, P.	
	2980.	Pte. Dellit, W.	
Proceeded to U.K. on Non-Military Employment.			4-4-19.
	7253.	L/Cpl. Micklewright, J.T.	
Transferred to Aust Corps Central School.			16-4-19.
	435.	T/Cpl. Davies, D.T.M.	
Transferred to A.I.F. H.Q. London.			28-2-19.
	651.	Pte. Turnbull, W.A.	
Rejoined Ex Hosp.			12-4-19.
	3900.	Pte. Paton, L.I.	
Rejoined Ex U.K. Leave.			12-4-19.
	732.	Pte. Bartlett, V.W.J.	
Rejoined Ex Paris Leave.			12-4-19.
		Lieut. W.T. Abbott.	
	7272.	Pte. Mc Cabe, H.A.K.	

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2nd Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac. to C.C.S.			12-4-19.
	582.	Pte. Beath, J.J.	
Proceeded on Leave to U.K.			15-4-19.
	3377.	Pte. Davidson, G.	
Proceeded to U.K. for Non-Military Employment.			15-4-19.
	7836.	Pte. Williams, P.	
Rejoined Ex U.K. Leave.			12-4-19.
	7836.	Pte. Williams, P.	

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3rd Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac. to Hosp. Ex 4th Army Young Soldiers School.			
	603.	T/Cpl. Hyde, F.W.	
Proceeded to Australia with Quota No. 32.			12-4-19.
	7431.	L/Cpl. Mills, P.F.	
Proceeded on Leave to U.K.			18-4-19.
	355E.	Pte. Ball, G.	
Transferred to Aust Demob Staff Havre.			12-4-19.
	597a.	T/Sgt. Hughes, C.L.	
Proceeded to Australian. Pay Duties.			
	599.	Pte. Gibbs, L.D.	
Proceeded to England for Non-Military Employment.			12-4-19.
		Lieut. S.J. Ainsworth.	
Rejoined Ex U.K. Leave on dates as under.			
	746a.	T/Cpl. Paris, A.D.	12-4-19.
	7243.	L/Cpl. Field, J.W.S.	12-4-19.
		Lieut. E.A. Chambers.	14-4-19.
Rejoined Ex Hosp.			
	375.	Dvr. Hedges, H.	17-4-19.

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21st Australian Machine Gun Company.

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Evac. to D.E.S.			12-4-19.
	369. Dvr. Mc Gill,	F.A.J.	
Evac. to G.C.S. on dates as under.			
	583. Pte. Beck,	S.A.	15-4-19.
	369. Dvr. Mc Gill,	F.A.J.	17.4.19.
Proceeded to U.K. for Non-Military Employment.			14.4.19.
	761. Pte. Bondow,	E.A.	
Proceeded on Leave to U.K.			15.4.19.
	608. L/Cpl. Pettigrew,	J.R.	
Detached to D A D O S A.I. Group.			17.4.19.
	772. Pte. Thomas,	W.E.	
Transferred to Aust Demob Staff Havre.			12.4.19.
	7330a. Cpl. Williams,	J.K.	
Transferred to N.M.E. Ex Special Leave in U.K.			17.2.19.
	6307. L/Cpl. Tink,	R.	
Proceeded on Special Leave to Scandinavia now struck off Strength.			6.4.19.
	374. T/C.S.M. Miller,	T.O.	
Rejoined Ex U.K. Leave.			12.4.19.
	3494. Pte. Sugars,	V.V.H.	
Rejoined Ex Leave to Paris.			15.4.19.
	375. Cpl. Manefield,	T.	
	327. L/Cpl. Whitecross,	J.G.	

Battalion Headquarters.

Evac to G.C.S.			12.4.19.
	447. T/Cpl. Smith,	R.	
Proceeded on Leave to U.K. att from A.A. Postal C.			15.4.19.
	6813. Pte. Waugh,	F.N.	
Transferred to N.M.E. Ex Leave in U.K.			27.3.19.
	782. Pte. Jewell,	W.E.	
Rejoined Ex U.K. Leave.			13.4.19.
	431. Pte. Wilson,	E.J.P.	
Proceeded to U.K. for Non-Military Employment.			9.4.19.
	3119. L/Cpl. Kalinovsky	W.	

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7. APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS?

3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

To be Temporary Corporal.

477c Pte. Lyons A.J. vice Bardon to Australia to date 10.4.19.  
(PB. 198341).

Lieut. & Adjt.  
1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion.

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Battalion. Routine Order No56.

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Lieut. Colonel W.R.R. French "D90" "MG" Commanding 1st. Aust. M.G. Battalion.

Battalion. Headquarters,  
12th. April 1919.

393. LEAVE.

The following G.R.O.6604 is republished for information;-  
"The restrictions placed on Nottingham are now removed .

394. DISCIPLINE IN CHARLEROI.

The following D.R.O.2529 is republished for information;-  
"Reference D.R.O.2514 of 28.3.19. para 1. For "9.30.p.m." substitute  
"10 pm." at which hour, all troops other than those on duties must be  
clear of Charleroi."

395. COLOGNE-BOULOGNE EXPRESS.

The following D.R.O. 2532 is republished for information;-  
"The times departure of the Boulogne-Cologne daily special train  
from Charleroi are as follows:-

CHARLEROI.	dep.	0830
COLOGNE.	arr.	1700
CHARLEROI.	dep.	1818
BOULOGNE.	arr.	1730

396. SPORTS. ATHLETIC.

1st. Australian Infantry Divisional Group Athletic Sports Champion-  
ship Meeting. To be held on the 9th. Battalion Ground CHATELLET  
on 25th April 1919. ANZAC DAY



STRENGTH.1st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac. to D.R.S.		7.4.19.
	401 Pte. Tyrrell H.A.	
Evac. to C.C.S.		6.4.19.
	3900 Pte. Paton L.I.	
	6501 Pte. Forwood J.T.	
Proceeded on leave to Paris.		4.4.19.
	7272 Pte. McCabe H.A.K.	
Proceeded on leave to U.K.		8.4.19.
	795 Pte. Foster T.O.	
	808 Pte. Pauley S.W.	
Proceeded on-leave to Australia with Quota No32.		10.4.19.
	Lieut. F.T. Luscombe.	2/Lieut. R.A. Telford "MM"
	293 A/Sgt McGrath W.J.	277 T/Cpl. Bradford J.L.M.
	462 T/Cpl. Dummer E.C.	599 L/Cpl. Fox C.W.
	282 L/Cpl. Conn L.R.	463 L/Cpl. Fenton C.W.F.
	288 L/Cpl. Knuckey W.J.	322 Pte. Atwater P.W.
	6214 Pte. Anderson R.	594 " Barnett F.
	4491 " Beasley C.	6711 " Bryant T.J.
	457 " Benton J.C.	3732 " Cook S.
	1099 " Clarke H.H.	2586 " Gusick A.W.
	5004 " Dennet L.D.	324 " Dillen J.T.
	283 " Dobbie J.A.M.	547 " Dedd A.
	464 " Featherston W.	7245 " Gimbert J.T.
	7238 " Gorton S.M.	325 " Gorton A.G.
	6518 " Howard D.G.	6845 Dvr. Harris H.R.A.
	7094 Dvr. Webster J.	6731 " Chapman H.C.
	1045 Pte. Hope F.	547 Pte. Law L.J.
	7028 " Mayn H.J.	424 " Penney J.K.
	4382 " Rodwell G.W.	5778 " Tailor W.A.G.
	2880 " Templer C.S.	2893 " Woods O.J.
	423 " Walters W.	7060 " Short D.J.
	6759 " Morton L.	805 C.Q.M.S. O'Brien J.A.
Transferred to Non Military Employment ex U.K. Leave		24.2.19.
	Capt. A. Baker-Finch.	
Proceeded to Australia ex U.K. Leave.		
	Lieut. R. Cumming "DCM".	
Rejoined ex U.K. Leave.		5.4.19.
	3160 Cpl. Heath H.H.	
	6731 Dvr. Chapman H.C.	
	424 Pte. Penney H.K.	
Rejoined ex detached to Aust. Corps Workshops.		5.4.19.
	463 L/Cpl. Fenton C.W.F.	
Rejoined ex Paris Leave.		5.4.19.
	283 Pte. Dobbie J.A.M.	

2nd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac. to D.R.S. on dates as under.		
	6324 Pte. Nilan M.	6.4.19.
	582 Pte. Beath J.J.	8.4.19.
Evac. to C.C.S.		9.4.19.
	6324 Pte. Nilan M.	
Proceeded on Leave to U.K.		8.4.19.
	4898 Pte. Symmons H.W.	
	682 Dvr. Conroy W.	
Proceeded to Australia with Quota No32.		10.4.19.
	289 L/Sgt. Doherty J.J. "DCM"	3032 Sgt. Hulme C.E.
	4458 L/Cpl. Mills F.	2572 Pte. Anderson W.A.
	6233 Pte. Abbott H.	280 " Braddish A.J.
	277 " Burns H.L.	4135 " Bottomley A.G.
	497 " Baker E.L.	6622 " Bell W.
	6469 " Charlton T.S.	427 " Beasley J.F.
	3259b " Foote M.S.	5084 " Fenton T.
	1709 " Fithall A.W.L.	6036 " Heathcote W.J.
	6281 " Hickman J.	596 " Hunt C.
	295 " Hanson W.	5114 " Judge G.E.
	612 " Kent G.H.	1688 " Keyte A.R.V.
	245 " Kearley A.M.	675 " Mahoney J.
	6150 " Moss A.	6503 " Moore P.
	338d " Oldfield H.	6812 " Peasley F.W.
	5767 " Thompson G.P.	1844 " Wilson J.
	653 " Wells A.F.	701 " Wells A.J.
	2841 Dvr. Gilbert E.	7257 Dvr. McDermott W.

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 2nd. Australian Machine Gun Company.  
 Evac. to Hosp. 3.2.19. is now struck off strength.  
 Lieut. F.F. Ellis.  
 Proceeded on Scandinavian Leave 11.3.19. is now struck off strength.  
 Lieut. N.B. Aagaard.  
 Rejoined ex U.K. Leave . 5.4.19.  
 1799 Dvr. Fithall A.W.L.  
 7087 Pte. White T.G.  
 Rejoined ex Hosp. 10.4.19.  
 3036 L/Cpl. Baker W.H. "DCM".  
 701 Pte. Wainwright. R.S.

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 3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.  
 Evac. to D.R.S. 5.4.19.  
 375 Pte. Hedges H.  
 Evac. to Hosp in U.K. ex U.K. Leave. 27.3.19.  
 501a T/Cpl. Allison A.E.  
 Proceeded to U.K. for Non Military Employment. 7.4.19.  
 "Lieut. S.J. Ainswirth.  
 Proceeded to U.K. on Leave. 7.4.19.  
 Lieut. S.H. Somerville  
 Proceeded to Australia with Quota No 32. 10.3.19.  
 Lieut. F.B. Lathlain.  
 5995 L/Cpl. Bardon W.E. 465 Pte. Knowles J.  
 4479 L/Cpl. Chilton A. 281 L/Cpl. Gouldsbrough R.H.  
 241 L/Cpl. Moore C.F. 611 L/Cpl. Vols A.A.  
 6360 Pte. Bycroft G. 552 Pte. Collingwood L.H.A.  
 598 " Durham W. 6991 " Delamott H.F.  
 511 L/Cpl. Hart C.W. 7087 " Hart W.R.  
 466a Pte. Hawley W. 558 " Harkins W.P.  
 556 Dvr. Kelly W.D. 6077 Dvr. Jones A.B.  
 502 Dvr. Lacey E.W. 283 Pte. Lloyd R.  
 6131 Pte. Inglis G.G. 287 " McCarthey S.J.  
 384 " Laurie D.W. 330b " Munro R.A.  
 29757 " McKay F.T. 2874 " McLeod J.  
 292b " Naughton M. 1335 " O'Shannessy V.R.  
 1865 " Parker J.K. 6332 " Peck G.L.  
 4351 " Cameron M. 566 " Willing B.J.  
 443 Dvr. Griffiths E.  
 Transferred to Non Military Employment ex Hosp. 8.3.19.  
 and now off strength.  
 Lieut. F.S. Ward.  
 Transferred to Non Military Employment ex U.K. Leave. 1.4.19.  
 Lieut. L.G. Gardner.  
 Rejoined ex U.K. Leave. 5.4.19.  
 6739 Pte. Kingston E.W.  
 598 Pte. Durham W.  
 Rejoined ex Detached to Aust. Corps Workshops. 8.4.19.  
 5360 Pte. Bycroft G.

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 21st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion Company.  
 Evac. to D.R.S. 9.4.19.  
 583 Pte. Beck S.W.  
 Proceeded on leave to Paris. 5.4.19.  
 375 Cpl. Manifold T.  
 Proceeded on special leave to Scandinavia . 6.4.19.  
 327 L/Cpl. Whitecross J.S.  
 374 T/C.S.M. Miller T.O.  
 Proceeded on leave to U.K. 8.4.19.  
 6553 Pte. Fulton J.  
 3682 Dvr. Usher W.  
 Proceeded on leave in France. 6.4.19.  
 Capt. J.C. Hoge "MC".  
 Proceeded to Australia with Quota No 32. 10.4.19.  
 Capt. J.C. Hoge "MC" Lieut. C.D. Raymond.  
 Lieut. L.J. Underwood Lieut. W.B. Ward.  
 Lieut. A.G. Fernes Lieut. F.W. Maher "MM".  
 335 Sgt. Macnaughton N.J. 555 A/Sgt. Guard S.M. "MM"  
 334 " Price R.A. 326a Sgt. Kidd G.  
 462 Spl. Flemming A. 4562 Cpl. Murphy J. "MM".  
 331 " Harding R. 398a T/Cpl. Dick S.F.J.  
 397a L/Cpl. Bailey S.H.K. 391b L/Cpl. Dunsford H.  
 322a L/Cpl. O'Rourke J. 334a " Urquhart G.D.  
 554 Dvr. Hemphill J.V. 592 Dvr. Bishop W.

**21st. Australian Machine Gun Company.**

Proceeded to Australia with Quota No 32.

391b Dvr. Menzies D.S.	321b Dvr. Mooney B.
6558 " Butherford W.L.	325a Pte. Anstee R.N.
5032 Pte. Avery W.	276 " Brennan R.
257 " Cook R.	5070 " Duncan H.
393 " Dickinson C.A.	381 " English S.
6018 " Eyres A.E.	84 " Edgell D.V.
325a " Pearson J.L.	376a " Fox H.M.
3720 " Henderson E.G.	379 " Kennedy E.J.
275 " Lawler J.T.	328b " Miles H.G.
376 " Moore J.C.	3162 " McKee J.
278 " Monaghan J.	6071 " Prager L.
247 " Roots J.	3178 " Starkes K.B.
2168 " Spence L.J.	346 " Shirvington T.
472 " Strathorne P.B.	288e " Turnbull C.V.
7066 " Thomas E.A.	2149 " Thompson A.
5113 " Williams B.G.	6109 " Wyllie J.G.
541a " Walker F.	652 " Williams T.L.
651 " Weir K.H.	298 Sgt. Matchett J.T.

23.3.19.

Proceeded to Australia-ex Hosp.

Capt. F.P. Bethune "MC".

Transferred to A.I.F. Headquarters.

Lieut. H.H.D. Hay.

Proceeded to Australia ex U.K. Leave.

Lieut. J.G. Wilson "MC".

Transferred to Demobilisation Staff. (Havre)

22.2.19.

Lieut. S.A.J. Gordon.

Proceeded to U.K. for Duty U.K. 16.2.19. and now struck off strength.

Lieut. J.P. Hogan.

Discharged in U.K. ex Special Leave. 29.3.19.

288 Pte. Hale H.E.

Being A.W.L. 21 days is now posted as a deserter from 6.4.19.

6833 Pte. Sjoberg G.S.

Rejoined ex U.K. Leave.

5.4.19.

276 Pte. Brennan R.

391b Dvr. Menzies D.S.

Rejoined ex Leave in France.

10.4.19.

Capt. J.C. Hoge. "MC"

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Battalion. Headquarters.

Evac. to D.R.S.

7.4.19.

447 T/Cpl. Smith R.

Proceeded on leave to Paris.

5.4.19.

Capt. L.P. Nathan.

Lieut. M. Ryan "MM"

Proceeded on leave to U.K.

1.4.19.

431 Pte. Willson E.J.P.

Proceeded to Australia with Quota No 32.

10.4.19.

Major J.M. Hogg "MC" Lieut. E.M. Mitchell.

550 576a L/Sgt. Duross J.V. 293 Pte. Brown W.E.

2819 L/Sgt. Morrall R.A. 406 " Deeprose D.D.

3278 Pte. Holstein C. 7221 " Darcy T.R.

345 " Fillingham A. 21b " Keating W.B.

*Sgt.*

476a L.D. MacDonald. Selected as an instructor under A.I.F.

Education service with Embarkation Quota No 32 (Authority D. of R. & D., G.I. No 15)

and to retain the rank of Temporary Sergeant while so employed (Authority A.I.F. Order 1561 of 21.2.19.)

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398. APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

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Battalion Headquarters.

To be Temporary Sergeant.

3051 T/Cpl. Dodd F.G. vice Duross to Australia to date 10.4.19.  
9P.B. 269682)

To be Temporary Corporal.

62161. Pte. Willis E.A.A. vice MacDonald to Australia to date  
10.4.19. (P.B. 703647)  
to Complete establishment.

399. REVERSIONS

3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

501 T/Cpl. Allison A.E. reverts to L/CPL. on evacuation to Hosp.  
ex U.K. Leave to date 27.3.19. (P.B.186773).

Battalion. Headquarters.

447 T/Cpl. Smith R. reverts to Driver on evacuation to Hosp.  
to date 7.4.19.

400. PUNISHMENTS.

Battalion Headquarters.

22180 Dvr. White G.B. 14 days F.F.No2 forfeits 12 days pay by R.W.  
6.4.19.

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*Warren R.*

Adjt.  
1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion.

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1st. AUSTRALIAN MACHINE GUN BATTALION.

Battalion Routine Order No. 55.

- by -

Lieut. Colonel W.R.H. French "DSO" "MC" Commanding 1st. Aust. M.G. Battalion.

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Battalion Headquarters  
April 10th. 1919.

391. Appointments and Promotions.

1st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

To be Acting Sergeant.

No. 293 L/Cpl. McGrath W.J. to date 10.4.19.

21st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

To be Acting Sergeant.

No. 555 Cpl. Gard S.H. "M.H." to date 10.4.19.

392. Reversions.

1st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

No. 293 T/Sgt. McGrath W.J. reverts to L/Cpl. <sup>our</sup> on marching out to Australia to date 10.4.19 (P.B. No. 37593)

No. 253 T/Cpl. Conn L.B. reverts to L/Cpl. on marching out to Australia to date 10.4.19 (P.B. No. 58679)

3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

No. 5995 T/Cpl. Borden W.E. reverts to L/Cpl. on marching out to Australia to date 10.4.19 (P.B. No. 11928)

No. 231 T/Cpl. Goldsbrough R.H. reverts to L/Cpl. on marching out to Australia to date 10.4.19 (P.B. No. 38693)

No. 6077 T/Cpl. Jones A.H. reverts to Driver on marching out to Australia to date 10.4.19 (P.B. No. 36725)

21st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

No. 555 T/Sgt. Gard S.H. "M.H." reverts to Cpl. on marching out to Australia to date 10.4.19 (P.B. No. 186581)

*E. Whitell*  
For Capt. and Adjutant

1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion.

1st. AUSTRALIAN MACHINE GUN BATTALION.

Battalion Routine Order No. 54.

- by -

Lieut. Colonel W.R.R. French "DSO" "MC" Commanding 1st. Aust. M.G. Battalion.  
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Battalion Headquarters  
April 6th. 1919.

- 385. Leave to Cologne.  
D. R. O. is republished for information:-  
"1. The only leave to Cologne which may be granted at the present time is for 6 Officers weekly, the allotment of which to Units and instructions under which it is granted, being set out in 1st. Aust. Divn. 104/1/19 of 6.3.19 and 4th. Aust. Divn. AL/10/7 of 5.3.19.  
"2. It is reported that certain Officers and men of the Corps are visiting Cologne without leave, and in consequence, a Provost Party has been sent to COLOGNE to arrest all Officers and men found there without leave.  
"3. Units will at once take steps to prevent this visiting of the Rhine Towns without leave, and will publish orders forbidding it, and severely punish all offenders.  
"4. It must be understood that this visiting of these towns without leave is jeopardising the success of the efforts now being made to obtain permission for increased numbers of Officers and parties of Other Ranks to visit COLOGNE. "
  
- 386. Services for personnel of Jewish Faith.  
D. R. O. is republished for information:-  
"The Rev. J. DANGLEW, M.A. Jewish Chaplain to the A.I.F., has made preliminary arrangements for the services for personnel of the Jewish Faith in PARIS, and the observance of the Passover.  
"The Rev. DANGLEW is arranging the necessary accommodation. Units will arrange to submit applications from members of the Jewish Religion-Faith for 9 days leave to PARIS commencing 14.4.19. "
  
- 387. Rates of Exchange.  
G. R. O. is republished for information.  
"The rates of exchange for the month of April 1919, for issue of cash to the troops of the Expeditionary Force, have been fixed as follows:-  
FRANCE - 5 Francs (French) equals 3/8.  
BELGIUM - 5 Francs (Belgium) " 3/7.  
" (Authority War Office Telegram No. 14929, dated 26th. March 1919.)  
GERMANY - 5 Marks equal 1/11. (706/P.S.)
  
- 388. Leave of Quotas in United Kingdom.  
Administrative Instructions 61 is republished for information:-  
"Owing to the provision of more shipping during April next, it is anticipated that the rate of embarkation will be accelerated and the for this reason, the amount of leave granted to members of certain quotas is liable to be reduced.  
"The U.K. Leave of Quotas Nos. 19 to 23, both inclusive, may be reduced from 1 to 4 days, i.e. the leave may be only 10, 11, 12 or 13 days according to circumstances.  
"The U.K. Leave of Quotas No. 25 and following Quotas is liable to be reduced to 10 days.  
"It is to be explained to all ranks that this reduction in leave is caused entirely by the fact that there more shipping is available, and that therefore the repatriation of the A.I.F. has been accelerated with the result that it may be found to be not practicable to retain the men in England more than 22 to 25 days without unduly delaying their embarkation. "

1st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac to D.R.S. 30.3.19.  
 6501 Pte. Forwood J.T.  
 Proceeded to U.K. on Leave. 1.4.19.  
 3431 Sgt. Notman R.  
 Transferred to Aust. Burials Detachment. 23.3.19.  
 706 Pte. Clarke W.  
 Rejoined ex U.K. Leave. 28.3.19.  
 547 Pte. Dodd A.  
 Rejoined ex Leave to Paris. 2.4.19.  
 2/Lieut. E.R. Elder.  
 Proceeded on leave to Paris. 2.4.19.  
 2/Lieut. W.T. Abbott - - - - -

2nd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac. to D.R.S.  
 700 Pte. Wainwright R.S.  
 Proceeded on Transport Duty to Australia. 28.3.19.  
 Lieut. J.R. Moran  
 " H.J. Francis.  
 Proceeded on Leave to U.K. 1.4.19.  
 2204 Pte. Stone F.C.  
 7767 " King W.  
 Transferred to Aust. Burials Detachment.  
 686 Pte. Patmore C.G. 23.3.19.  
 7530 " Mounsey E.T. 1.4.19.  
 Rejoined ex U.K. Leave on dates as under.  
 700 Pte. Wainwright R.S. 29.3.19.  
 280 " Braddish A.J. 3.4.19.  
 Rejoined ex Leave to Paris. 2.4.19.  
 682 Dvr. Conroy W.  
 Rejoined ex Det. to A.A.S.C. 30.3.19.  
 731 Pte. Scollary A.W.

3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Proceeded on Transport to Australia. 28.3.19.  
 Lieut. R. Harris.  
 " J.N.D. Smith.  
 Proceeded to Australia for Early Repatriation on dates as under.  
 497 L/Cpl. McConnell S.D. 29.3.19.  
 6863 Pte. Buxton A.E. 1.4.19.  
 Proceeded to Australia ex leave in U.K. 17.3.19.  
 Lieut. S.J. Parish.  
 Proceeded on leave to U.K. 1.4.19.  
 6410 Pte. Calloway H.F.  
 6116 " Walker S.  
 Transferred to Aust. Burials Detachment on dates as under.  
 287 T/Cpl. Jones F.J. 23.3.19.  
 753a Pte. Brett J.R. 23.3.19.  
 50737 " Hales F.J. 23.3.19.  
 6097 " Smith J.C. 23.3.19.  
 517 " Primus R.W. 23.3.19.  
 3166L/Cpl. Williams E.H. 23.3.19.  
 50629 Pte. Finnick R. 23.3.19.  
 281a T/Cpl. Cotter W.H.A. 2.4.19.  
 Proceeded to Agricultural School Sutton Veny. 3.4.19.  
 3387 Pte. Cairns T.  
 3333 " Hutton H.  
 461 " Mackie C.B.  
 Rejoined ex Leave to Paris. on dates as under.  
 291 T/Cpl. Gouldsbrough R.H. 2.4.19.  
 466a Pte. Hawley W. 3.4.19.

21st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

Evac. to C.C.S. 793 Pte. Gray F.P. 31.3.19.  
 Proceeded on leave to U.K. 238 Dvr. Marshall R.A. 1.4.19.  
 556a L/Cpl. Fetterplace C.A.  
 Proceeded to U.K. for NonMilitary Employment. 656a Pte. Smith J.B. 31.3.19.  
 Transferred to Aust. Burials Detachment. 374 T/C.S.M. Miller T.O. 23.3.19.  
 283 Pte. Horne H.M.  
 6553 " Fulton J.  
 Proceeded to Australia ex Det, to 1st. Aust. Div. Headquarters. 407 Pte. Sallentine G. 29.3.19.  
 Rejoined ex Detached to A.A.S.C. 393 Pte. Dickinson G.A. 28.3.19.  
 Rejoined ex Aust. Burials Detachment. on dates as under. 6553 Pte. Fulton J. 29.3.19.  
 374 T/C.S.M. Miller T.O.  
 Rejoined ex Leave to U.K. 651 Pte. Weir K.H. 29.3.19.  
 652 " Williams T.L.  
 Rejoined ex Hosp. 793 Pte. Gray F.P. 1.4.19.  
 Rejoined ex Det. to D.A.D.O.S. 652 Pte. Wyllie J.G. 3.4.19.  
 583 " Beck S.A.

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Battalion. Headquarters.

Rejoined ex leave to U.K. 22,180 Dvr. White G.B. 3.4.19.  
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APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS

21 st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

To be TEMPORARY CORPORAL.

793 Pte. Gray F.P. to complete establishment to date 1.4.19. (P.B.186456).

To be Lance Corporal.

7575 Pte. Simonsen E.W.T. to complete establishment to date 2.4.19.  
(P.B.279310)

Battalion Headquarters.

To be Lance Corporal.

329 Pte. Laurie A.J. to complete establishment to date 1.4.19.

REVERSIONS

1st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

325 Dvr. Gorton A.G. reverts to Pte on ceasing to be employed as Dvr to date 31.3.19.

283 Dvr. Debbie J.A.M. reverts to Pte on ceasing to be employed as Dvr to date 31.3.19. (P.B. 37478 ).

4491 Dvr. Beasley C. reverts to Dvr on ceasing to be employed as Dvr to date 31.3.19. (P.B. 147025).

2893 Dvr. Woods L.J. reverts to Dvr Pte. on ceasing to be employed as Dvr to date 31.3.19.

3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

338b Dvr Munro R.A. reverts to Pte on ceasing to be employed as Dvr to date 31.3.19. (P.B. 198344 )

6332 Dvr. Peck C.L. reverts to Pte. on ceasing to be employed as Dvr to date 31.3.19. (P.B. 122488).

1665 Dvr. Parker J.E. reverts to Pte. on ceasing to be employed as Dvr to date 31.3.19. (P.B. 92875).

284 Farrier Laurie D.W. reverts to Pte on ceasing to be employed as Farrier to date 31.3.19. (P.B.197862).

To be Battalion Sports Officer.

2/Lieut. S.H. Holmes 21st.A.M.G.Company. vice Lieut. H.J. Underwood on draft to Australia to date 1.4.19.

*W. H. ...*  
For Capt. & Adjt.  
1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion.

1st. AUSTRALIAN MACHINE GUN BATTALION.

DRAFT FOR DEMOBILIZATION ORDER NO. 42.

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS NO. 3.

1. Draft will fall in by Platoons in front of I.M.C.A. Hut at 0845 on the 19th. Inst. ready to march out.
2. DRESS: Full equipment less packs and blankets.
3. Blankets will be rolled in bundles of twelve and clearly labelled.
4. Packs and blankets will be stacked in Platoon stacks in front of Company Orderly Room ready for loading by 0830.
5. No. 4 Platoon will detail a baggage guard of two other ranks to proceed with the baggage stacked at 1/3rd. Company Orderly Room and No. 2 Platoon will detail a similar guard for the baggage stacked at 2/3rd. Company Orderly Room.
6. Officers valises will be stacked by 0830 at S.H.Q. ready for loading.
7. Battalion Transport Officer will detail 3 G.S. Wagons to carry baggage. If all baggage cannot be taken on a single trip necessary guard will be provided by Platoon Commanders for baggage remaining.
8. Platoon Commanders will be responsible for protecting the blankets in case of wet weather.
9. Quartermaster will arrange for rations.
10. Strict march discipline will be observed.

*W. Mitchell Lt*

for Captain and Adjutant  
1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion.

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*2/3 Coy*

*Battalion Transport Office*

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1st. AUSTRALIAN MACHINE GUN BATTALION.

Battalion Routine Order No. 53.

• by •

at. Colonel W.R.R. French "DSO" "MC" Commanding 1st. Aust. M.G. Battalion.  
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Battalion Headquarters  
March 30th. 1919.

30. Brussels Leave.

D. R. O. is re-published for information:•

"It has been reported that there are numbers of Australian Soldiers arriving at BRUSSELS without any railway tickets.

"The Belgian authorities state, that if this continues, the quarter railway fare concession to British Troops, will cease.

"No Officers or Men are to travel on the Belgian Railways unless they are in possession of a ticket, To enable them to purchase tickets at a quarter fare, they must report to the R.T.O's Office and obtain the necessary permit.

"In the case of the Leave Parties proceeding daily to BRUSSELS, the Senior Officer of the party will take the necessary steps to secure the tickets."

31. Discipline in Charleroi.

D. R. O. is re-published for information:•

"There has lately been certain cases of disorder in CHARLEROI and it is reported that generally men are in the Town without passes and after the hour laid down in G.R.O. 3718 9.30 p.m. - when all troops must be in their billets.

"Whilst it is not desired to limit leave to CHARLEROI, steps will be taken forthwith to ensure that all men granted leave have a proper pass in their possession stamped with the Orderly Room Stamp and the date on which it is issued.

"Army has been asked to extend the timehour at which men must be in their billets until 10 p.m. Until this is approved all W.O's., N.C.O's. and men except those on duty or with special passes must be out of CHARLEROI by 9.30 p.m.

"The A.P.M. has been instructed to check all men in the town without passes or after 9.30 p.m."

STRENGTH.

1st. Australian Machine Gun Company.

re-joined to D.R.S. on dates as under.  
5689 Pte. James R.W. 25.3.19.  
3900 " Paton L.J. 26.3.19.  
re-joined to G.C.S. on dates as under.  
6978 Pte. Pawber J.W.E. 25.3.19.  
5689 " James R.W. 27.3.19.  
re-joined on Leave to Paris on dates as under,  
2/Lieut. E.R. Elder. 23.3.19.  
283 Dvr. Dobbie J. 26.3.19.  
re-joined on Leave to U.K. 25.3.19.  
811 Pte. Rich R.R.  
732 " Bartlett V.W.J.  
re-joined to Australia for early Repatriation. 21.3.19.  
281 Sgt. Gosier G.W.  
re-joined to Burials Detachment. 23.3.19.  
706 Pte. Clarke W.  
re-joined to Strength of unit and posted as a Deserter ex U.K. Leave. 27.3.19.  
458 Pte. Hensley G.  
re-joined ex Leave to Avesnes. 21.3.19.  
2899 Pte. Bellitt. W.  
re-joined ex U.K. Leave on dates as under.  
605 G.Q.M.S. O'Brien J.A. 21.3.19.  
648 Dvr. Moore J.E. 22.3.19.  
327 Pte. Holstein H.G. 22.3.19.  
re-joined ex Paris leave. 23.3.19.  
635 Pte. Capel S.

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2nd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

re-joined on Leave to Paris. 22.3.19.  
682 Dvr. Conroy W.  
re-joined on Leave to U.K. 25.3.19.  
7836 Pte. Williams P.  
re-joined to Battalion Headquarters. 25.3.19.  
4135 Pte. Bottomley A.G.  
re-joined ex Hosp. 27.3.19.  
6508 Pte. Moore P.  
~~re-joined to Aust. Army Postal Corps. 12.12.18.~~  
~~231 Pte. Gregg J.K.~~

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3rd. Australian Machine Gun Company.

re-joined to G.C.S. 25.3.19.  
52993 Pte. Chatfield R.G.  
re-joined on Leave to Paris. 22.3.19.  
281 T/Cpl. Gouldsbrough R.H.  
466a Pte. Hawley W.  
re-joined on Leave to U.K. 25.3.19.  
7243 T/Cpl. Field J.W.S.  
764a T/Cpl. Paris A.D.  
re-joined to Burials Detachment. 23.3.19.  
287 T/Cpl. Jones E.J.  
753a Pte. Brett J.R.  
59737 " Hales F.J.  
6097 " Smith J.C.  
517 " Primus R.W.  
3166L/Cpl. Williams S.H.  
50629 Pte. Finnick R.  
re-joined to Australia for early Repatriation. 27.3.19.  
595 Dvr. Clothier L.D.  
re-joined ex Hosp. 27.3.19.  
6116 Pte. Walker S.  
2874 " McLeod J.

21st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion. Company.

Evac. to D.R.S. on dates as under.  
2379 Pte. Rowe F.H. 21.3.19.  
793 T/Cpl. Gray F.P. 26.3.19.  
Evac. to G.C.S. on dates as under.  
640 Pte. Middleton H. 23.3.19.  
26379 " Rowe F.H. 23.3.19.  
Proceeded to U.K. for Non Military Employment. on dates as under.  
373b Pte. Davis R. 22.3.19.  
465a " Hancock V. 19.3.19.  
Proceeded on Leave to U.K. 25.3.19.  
3494 Pte. Sugars W.H.  
Detached to Burials Detachment. 23.3.19.  
374 T/C.S.M. Miller T.O.  
263 Pte. Horne H.M.  
6553 " Fulton J.  
Transferred to 3rd. A.M.G. Company. 23.3.19.  
488 T/C.Q.M.S. Conaghan W.J.  
Detached to Battalion Headquarters. 25.3.19.  
475a Pte. Roberts C.T.  
Detached to 3rd. A.M.G. Company. 26.3.19.  
555 T/Sgt. Guard S.M. "MM"  
462 Cpl. Fleming A.  
Detached to 2nd. A.M.G. Company. 26.3.19.  
334b Sgt. Price R.R.  
331 Cpl. Harding R.  
Rejoined ex Hosp. 24.3.19.  
640 Pte. Middleton H.  
Rejoined ex detached to Div. Leave Club Antwerp. 22.3.19.  
292 Sgt. Matchett J.T.  
608 L/Cpl. Pettigew J.R.  
Rejoined ex U.K. Leave on dates as under.  
650 L/Cpl. Wallace W.G. 22.3.19.  
648 Pte. Thompson W. 26.3.19.  
Rejoined ex Paris Leave. 26.3.19.  
Lieut. W.B. Ward.

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Battalion Headquarters.

Rejoined ex Leave in France. 22.3.19.  
Major J.M. Hogg "MC"  
Proceeded to Australia for early Repatriation. 21.3.19.  
338 Pte. Shreeve G.P.

383. REVERSIONS:

793 T/Cpl. Gray F.P. reverts to Private on evacuation to hospital to date 26.3.19.

384. PUNISHMENTS:

No. 1714 Pte. Castles C.A. 90 days F.P. No. 2 29.3.19.

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1st. Australian Machine Gun Battalion