

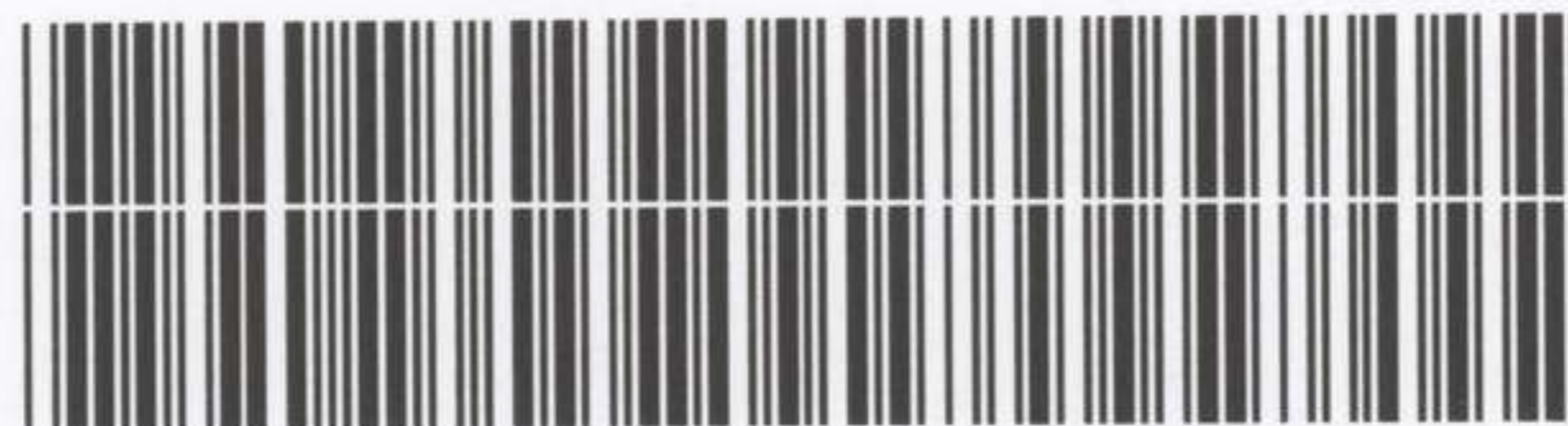
AWM4
Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,
1914-18 War

Machine Guns

Item number: 24/17/2

Title: 12th Australian Machine Gun
Company

April 1916



AWM4-24/17/2

Appendices file

War Diary

12th Machine Gun Coy

12th Aust. Infy Bde.

Commencing 12-3-16

To 23-6-16

Vol 3
3 Pages

Vol 1-2+3

A4

Date	Information
3. 16	Pl. Lamm reported to 12 th Aust Inf Bde for duty. Mobilisation indent prepared & forwarded to D.A.D.O.
3. 16	4 th M.G. Coy handed over 4 D.P. Maxim's. Indents for tentage & camp equipment handed in.
3. 16	Commenced drill with 32 N. C.O.'s & men.
3. 16	Drill
3. 16	Drill
3. 16	Company increased to 80 men. 5 N. C.O.'s recommended to Officers for promotion.
3. 16	Camp established and occupied.
3. 16	Drill and organisation.
3. 16	Drill and organisation.
3. 16	Drill and organisation.
3. 16	The company marched to the Canal, leaving a party of 55 N. C.O.'s & men to proceed to School of Instruction.
3. 16	Marched to Maharama.
3. 16	Marched to Meascar.
3. 16	Marched to Serapum. Camped S of road on E bank of Canal.
3. 16	Drill and Organisation.
4. 16	Marched to Railhead - 6 miles.
4. 16	Drill and Organisation.
4. 16	Drew 24 mules, 1 horse.
4. 16	Drill and organisation.
4. 16	Sand storm.
4. 16	Drill and organisation.
4. 16	Do do.
4. 16	Drill & organisation. The strength of the company is now stands at 1 captain, 6 2 nd lieutenants, 1 Corporal awaiting commission, 139 rank & file, Mules 24, Horses 4. Material practically nil.

WAR DIARY

Army Form C. 2118.

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.~~

(Erase heading not required.)

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
	17.4.16.		Inspected by G.O.C. 2nd ANZAC.	
	18.4.16		Drill and organization.	
	24.4.16.		Anzac Day.	
	25.4.16.		Drill and Organization.	
	26.4.16.		do do	
	27.4.16		Field Day. Acted in conjunction with 12th Bde. against 13th Bde.	
	28.4.16		Drill and Organization. 2 officers 23 other ranks to Zeitoun School.	
	29.4.16.		Church Parade.	
	30. 4.16			

(Original of above written on same sheet as entries for beginning of subsequent month and filed with volume for that month).

2

D. D. & L., London, E.C.
(A8001) Wt. W1771/M2031 750,000 5/17 Sch. 52 Forms/C2118/14