

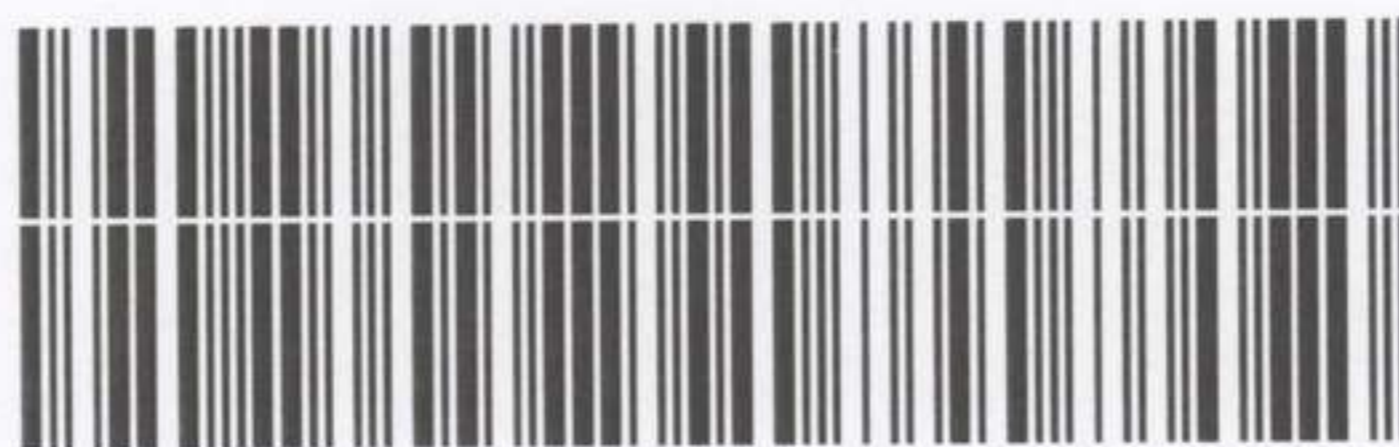
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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Le Cateau Sheet 12 1/100,000	1/12/18.		Corps Head Quarters.	Same as at end of Nov. 1918.
Le Cateau.	1/12/18.		Corps in Reserve Areas. Appliances in hand at beginning of December. Organization at beginning of December. Conditions and difficulties at beginning of December.	
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	3/12/18.		Corps Head Quarters.	
	10/12/18.		Corps Head Quarters.	
	11/12/18.		Corps Head Quarters.	
	31/12/18.		Corps in Reserve Areas.	
	31/12/18.		<p>Work done during the Month.</p> <p><u>Office Work.</u> General Mapping required by Corps Staff. List of Special Maps published by Section during month attached. Total number of Maps published by Section during month attached. = 482</p> <p><u>Field Work.</u> Reconnaissance Survey of Railways in Corps Area.</p> <p><u>Improvements made to appliances and organizations during the month.</u></p>	
	1/12/18.		2 Officers 31 O.Rs.	
	8/12/18.		2 Officers 31 O.Rs.	
	15/12/18.		2 Officers 29 O.Rs. 2 O.Rs. transferred to War Records London.	
	22/12/18.		2 Officers 27 O.Rs. 1 O.Rs. transferred to War Records London.	
			1 O.Rs. returned to Australia.	
	31/12/18.		2 Officers 27 O.Rs.	
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STATEMENT OF SPECIAL MAPS PRODUCED BY AUSTRALIAN CORPS TOPOGRAPHICAL SECTION DURING DECEMBER 1918.

Map No.	Date.	Nature of Job.	Type.	Scale.	Particulars.	Sheet produced on.	No. of Copies.	For.
1068.	1/12/18	Hand.	Intelligence	1/40,000.	Advances by Aust. Corps 7/10/18 to 5/11/18.	62c, 62b, 62d.	2	I.
1069.	4/12/18	Hand.	Operations.	1/100,000.	Corps Area Map.	Avesnes.	80	G.
1070.	5/12/18	Duplicator.	D. of Educatn.		Vaulting Box.		50	D. of H.
1071.	6/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		Map of Rhineland.		1	D. of H.
1072.	7/12/18	Duplicator.	C. Commandant.		Map of Nam Sur Heure.		60	C. Commandt.
1073.	9/12/18	Duplicator.	Operations.		Diagram of Book Case.		12	G.
1074.	10/12/18	Hand.	Operations.		Corps Schools Schelude.		3	G.
1075.	11/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		Large Wall Map of Asia.		1	D. of H.
1076.	12/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		- - - Europe.		1	D. of H.
1077.	13/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		- - - N. America.		1	D. of H.
1078.	18/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		- - - Australia.		1	D. of H.
1079.	20/12/18	Hand.	Operations.	1/250,000.	Corps Area Map.	Sheet 4.	12	G.
1080.	23/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		Large Wall Map World.		1	D. of H.
1081.	26/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		- - - S. America.		1	D. of H.
1082.	28/12/18	Litho.	Operations.		Diagrammatic plan of Namar & Disant Basins.		220	G.
1083.	29/12/18	Litho.	Operations.		Geological Sketch Map.		35	G.
1084.	30/12/18	Hand.	D. of Educatn.		Large Wall Map of Africa		1	D. of H.

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