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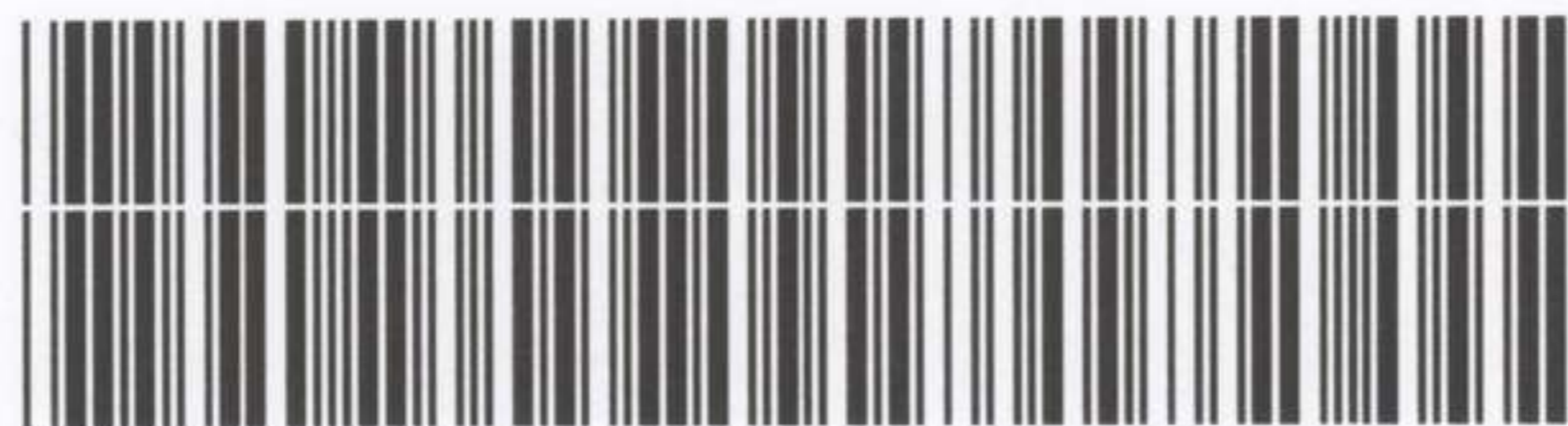
**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,
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Machine Guns

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OF

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
ANSERREME	March 1st to 8th		The ordinary routine of organized games took place on the 1st & 2d Summer time came into operation on the night of the first at 23.00. From the 3rd till the end of our stay in Anserreme the Coy. was occupied in supplying Guards at Hastiere Heer-Argumont & Hermeton	
ANSERREME	9th to 10th		The Company moved out en route for Gougnyes at 09.00 this morning, reaching & staying for the night at the village of DENEZ , which has a population of 600. On the morning of the 10th the Coy moved off for our final destination (GOUNGIES) arriving here at 4 PM no one fell out on the march	
GOUNGIES	11th to 18th		The Company was occupied during the first four days after arrival here in thoroughly fixing up our Billets, making Latrines & cess-pits etc. These billets in the village are far inferior to our last ones. The latter part of this week was occupied in games etc	
	19 15 23		This Coy is duty Company & is occupied in Guard duties for the whole of the week tomorrow morning the Coy amalgamates with the 12th to be known as No 1 Coy in Battn	

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Gougnies	1919 March 24		4 th and 12 th Coys amalgamated at 0600 this morning. Lieut JH Kenmare acting OC, addressed the Coy explaining the amalgamation. At 1345 the Coy attended a lecture by Mr Sharp of Victoria on "What the Government is doing for the Returned Soldier." 3 other ranks left Coy for Burials Detachment. Total strength of Coy 90 OR 3 officers effective strength 3 officers 81 OR.	JHK
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	25		2 other ranks left on 14 days UK leave also 2 OR on 10 days leave to Paris.	JHK
	26		1 other rank reported back from UK leave. No parades on account of bad weather. 1 other rank marched out for discharge in England.	JHK
	27		Capt Trimble returned from UK leave. Two other ranks marched out one to non military employment and one to Hospital. Light snow fall.	JHK
	29		Capt Trimble left Coy for transport duty to Australia. At 1400 a medical board sat to examine all ranks leaving for Australia on Quota 25. Snow fell heavily during the evening.	JHK
	30		All ranks warned for draft on Quota 25 with reserves paraded at 0830. Draft was selected and having dumped their packs for transport proceeded at 1000 to "Charleroi" (Namur 1/100000) under command of Major Duchatel MC.	JHK

