

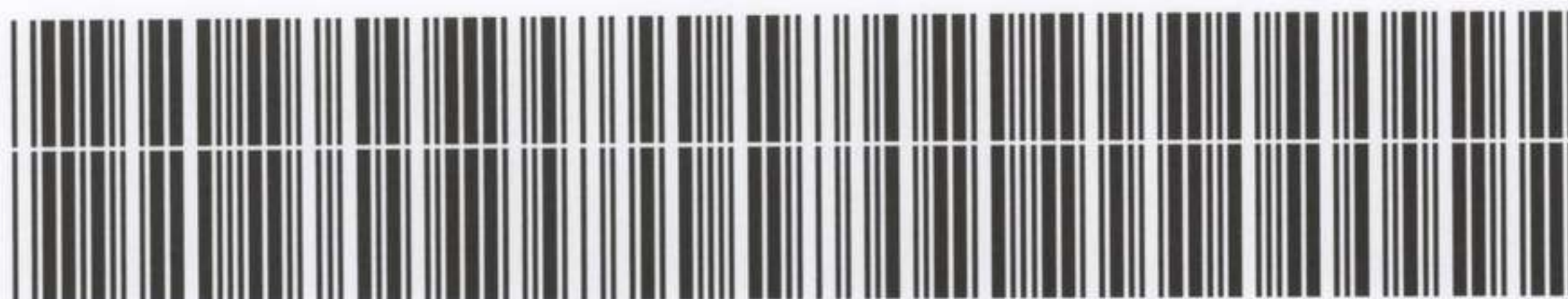
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At.....m.			Service.	Date.....
To.....				From.....
By.....			(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	By.....

TO { Aust Corps
1st 2nd Divs

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
*	21		

Enemy attempted to
ward our front line
posts this morning in
two places aaa / On
Left Side front at
about 0230g about
80 enemy in small
groups approached our post
aaa None of enemy got
past our wire but left aaa
some casualties inflicted
on enemy in our wire and
1 wounded prisoner of
162 IR brought in aaa
Our casualties reported nil
aaa

From	
Place	
Time	

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To.....				From.....
By.....			(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	By.....

TO { Aust. Corps
3rd Sqdn. A.F.C.
1st Aust. Div.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* Ig2571	21		

EVENING REPORT aaa Enemy artillery active
on both brigade fronts aaa DENYS WOOD
DAMMSTRASSE 033 and 034 intermittently
shelled with 4.2 gas shells and H.E.
during the day aaa T5d shelled about midday
aaa WYTSCHAETE and KEMMEL shelled all day
aaa One other rank ^{wounded} captured during last
24 hours aaa Addsd. Aust. Corps reptd.
all concd.

From	5th Aust. Div.
Place	
Time	

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"C" Form.

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

(In books of 100.)

No. of Message.....

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L s. d.	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
946	24		

unofficial from 9th to 10th	10		
but today satisfactory day			
aaa enemy held			
at Basle zone (containing)			
everywhere and he			
extended flanks of his			
attacks this afternoon but			
made no progress what			
ever aaa probably will			
bring up fresh troops			
tonight and continuance			
of attack expected tomorrow			
aaa appears attack made			
by 10 Divs against			
3rd army and 13			
Divs against 5th army			
aaa made in			

FROM

PLACE & TIME

"C" Form.

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2123.
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L s. d.	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA

Very thick formation and			
both armies report enormous			
number of dead bodies			
aaa report of 22			
Divs located opposite 5th			
army in my 938			
is incorrect aaa over			
aircraft had a good			
day flying at 150			
feet aaa the enemy			
aircraft remained at			
12000 feet aaa			

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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At.....m.				
To.....			By.....	(Signature of "Franking Officer.")
By.....				

TO { Aust. Corps
1st Aust. Div.
2nd Aust. Div.

Sender's Number. * G2215 Day of Month. 21 In reply to Number. AAA

Enemy attempted to raid our front line posts
this morning in two places aaa On left Bde
front at about 0.23.a.7.9 about 80 enemy in
small groups approached our post aaa None of
enemy got past our wire aaa Some casualties
inflicted on enemy in our wire and 1 wounded
prisoner of 162 I.R. brought in aaa Our casual-
ties reported nil aaa On Right Bde front several
enemy attempted raid us at about 0.29.a.2.6 aaa
They were beaten off aaa Our casualties nil but
no further particulars yet received aaa Addad
From Aust. Corps reptd flank divs.

Place From. 5th AUST.DIV.
Time

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At.....m.				
To.....			By.....	(Signature of "Franking Officer.")
By.....				

TO { Aust Corps
3rd Sqn AFC
1st Aust Div
2nd Aust Div

Sender's Number. * Ig 2212 Day of Month. 21 In reply to Number. AAA

Morning report aaa Situation
quiet aaa KEMMEL and
LINDENHOEK Shelled with
HV gun at 10 minute
intervals aaa Enemy TM
and artillery activity
normal aaa Addressed
Aust Corps Reptd all concerned

From 5th Aust Div
Place
Time 5.15 am

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	At.....m.	Service.		From
	To.....			By.....
	By.....	(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		By.....

TO { Aust. Corps 1st Aust. Div.
Aust. Corps I. 2nd Aust. Div. C.R.A.
3rd Sq. A.F.C. 4th Aust. Div.

Sender's Number. * G2028 Day of Month. 19 In reply to Number. AAA

EVENING REPORT AAA Slight enemy artillery
and minenwerfer activity on right sector aaa
On left sector 10 heavy minenwerfer fell on
S.P.1 in O.11 during morning otherwise quiet
aaa Prisoners last 24 hours nil aaa Addsd
Aust. Corps reptd all coned.

From 5th AUST.DIV.
Place
Time

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	At.....m.	Service.		From
	To.....			By.....
	By.....	(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		By.....

TO { Aust. Corps 2nd Aust. Div.
3rd Sq. A.F.C.

Sender's Number. * 12222 Day of Month. 21 In reply to Number. AAA

Continuation morning report aaa 80 gas
projectors discharged successfully 10 p.m.
last night at FLY BUILDINGS.

From
Place 5th Aust. Div.
Time

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No. of Message.....

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.	Sent			Date.....
	At.....m.	Service.		From
	To.....			By.....
	By.....			

TO { Aust. Corps
1st Aust. Div.
2nd Aust. Div.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* 03215	21		

Enemy attempted to raid our front line posts this morning in two places a/c On left side front at about 0.23.a.7.9 about 80 enemy in small groups approached our post a/c None of enemy got past our wire a/c some casualties inflicted on enemy in our wire and 1 wounded prisoner of 163 I.R. brought in a/c Our casualties reported nil a/c On Right side front several enemy attempted raid us at about 0.29.a.2.6 a/c They were beaten off a/c Our casualties nil but no further particulars yet received a/c Added

From Aust. Corps reptd flank divs.
Place 5th Aust. Div.

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.	Sent			Date.....
	At.....m.	Service.		From
	To.....			By.....
	By.....			

TO { Aust. Corps
3rd Sqdn. A.E.C.
1st Aust. Div.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* 102571	21		

EVERING REPORT a/c Enemy artillery active on both brigade fronts a/c DENYS WOOD DAMMSTRASSE 033 and 034 intermittently shelled with 4.2 gas shells and H.E. during the day a/c 1st shelled about midday a/c WYTCHEATE and KIMMEL shelled all day a/c One other tank captured during last 24 hours a/c Added. Aust. Corps reptd. all coned.

From
Place 5th Aust. Div.
Time

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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....m.	Words	Charge.	This message is on a/c of Service. (Signature of "Franking Officer.")	Recd. at.....m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.	Sent			Date.....
	At.....m.			From
	To.....			By.....
	By.....			

TO { *File*

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* <i>9</i>	<i>21</i>		

War news aaa Enemy attempted raid our front line

posts early this morning two places aaa On

left Bde front about 0.23.a.7.9 enemy about

80 did not get beyond our wire aaa Casualties

inflicted one wounded prisoner taken our

losses reported nil aaa On Right Bde front at

0.29.a.6.3 enemy about 80 beaten off by our

outlying patrol of 2 off and 1 N.C.O. aaa Our

casualties 3 slightly wounded but at duty.

From

Place *5th AUST. DIV.*

Time

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At.....m.	Service.		From
To.....			By.....
By.....	(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		

TO { 8th Inf. Bde
14th Inf. Bde. C.B.A.

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA

* IE 21st

Intense bombardment started 4/45 a.m. against

against whole of 3rd and 5th Army fronts and

against French leaving out RHINE sector as

t has since slackened in places but is still

intense between SANSSE and MOY and against

French as No attack yet.

From

Place 5th ARMT. DIV.

Time

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Sent						From
At.....m.						By.....
To.....				(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		

TO { Tools

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA

* A489 21

Projected discharged 10pm. 80

asa Quite successful.



From Smoke

Place

Time

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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... h s d	Received. From..... By.....	Sent, or sent out. At.....m. To..... By.....	Office Stamp. -21/11/18
Charges to Collect			
Service Instructions			

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number. 9247	Day of Month. 21st	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Patrol encounter in vicinity			
PONT ROUGE		one prisoner	
102nd I.R.		captured state	
order of		battle from	
north to		South	228
R.I.R.	103	I.R.	102
I.R.	17 I.R.	aaa further	
details later		aaa added	
Corps	replied	flg. H. Lewis	

FROM
PLACE & TIME

2nd Aus Div
3.35am

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Charges to Collect			
Service Instructions			

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number. H489	Day of Month. 21	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Propellers discharged 10 km	80		
aaa	Quite	Successful	

FROM
PLACE & TIME

(Smoke) 2 spec. C. 6/11/18

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"O" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2153.
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No. of Message.....

Prefix <i>SL</i> Code <i>DC</i> Words <i>23</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
From <i>FR 46</i>	At <i>4:35</i> m.		
Charges to Collect	By <i>R</i>	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	

Handed in at *FR 46* Office *4:35* m. Received *4:40* m.

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

IO 25

21st

*Situation normal trench
mortar artillery active on
right Battalion wind North
North East and rapid
F37 repled flank Bde*

FROM

PLACE & TIME

(FR 46) SL 9 Bde

"O" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

(In books of 100.)

No. of Message.....

Prefix <i>SM</i> Code <i>DC</i> Words <i>23</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
From <i>FR 46</i>	At <i>4:35</i> m.		
Charges to Collect	By <i>R</i>	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	

Handed in at *FR 28* Office *4:35* m. Received *4:40* m.

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

IO 25

21st

*Situation report and enemy
artillery quiet firing
H E or sharp vicinity
KENNEDY and LINDENHOPE at
10 min intervals and
Our artillery active and
wind west and normal
rapid tools repled flank
Bde*

FROM

PLACE & TIME

(FR 28) SL 9 Bde

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L s. d.	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	
Handed in at.....Office.....m.		Received.....m.	

TO	J. Aust. Green		
* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
246	21		

[illegible]

FROM	L. Cusby
PLACE & TIME	San

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code..... Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
6 s. d.	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	
Handed in at.....	Office.....	m. Received.....	m.

TO	5th Ave. New York		
* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
510	21		

[illegible]

FROM	1. Gustav Linn
PLACE & TIME	

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Charges to Collect		Service Instructions	
Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.			
TO F 37 (5 Aus Div)			
* Sender's Number. BM 2010	Day of Month. 21	In reply to Number. —	AAA
Enemy shelling MESSINES RIDGE and 027 with H.2 gas shells aaaa			
FROM	PLACE & TIME		

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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

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Charges to Collect		Service Instructions	
Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.			
TO F 37 F 46. ET 101			
* Sender's Number. SC 523	Day of Month. 28	In reply to Number.	AAA
Left - Bath report enemy Heavily shelling ROSE WOOD and DENNYS WOOD with gas shells started at 440 am and shell Continuing. Deposed by phone to Casey at 5:30am to Corp			
FROM	PLACE & TIME		

"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 3123.
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Charges to Collect			
Service Instructions			

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

Turning report and light in
Carried out raid in vicinity
PONT. ROUGE 3.45 am. No
enemy encountered. A patrol
encountered near PONT. ROUGE in
early evening resulting one prisoner
Captured. Normal identifications
AAA KEMMEL and LINDENHOEK
Shelled with HV Gun at intervals
and EA dropped two bombs in
vicinity RODNEY DUMP near LOCK
8 at 9 pm. A hostile
shoot on Battery areas left
and Centre. Bunkers commenced about
5 am. AHA carried out
programme of counter battery work
and hostile fire now slackening.

FROM

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"C" FORM.
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Charges to Collect			
Service Instructions			

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

No movement on front
and add 2nd Army
repts all concerned.

FROM

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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2133.
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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... L S d.	Received. From..... By.....	Sent, or sent out. At.....m. To..... By.....	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect			
Service Instructions			
Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.			

TO

* Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA

morning report aaa we
carried out raids S.
of HOUTHULST FOREST: and
near PONT. ROUGE aaa
Results of former one
officer captured but no
enemy found in latter
aaa patrol encounters near
PONT. ROUGE resulted to this
one prisoner aaa some
gas shelling of Centre
corps forward areas aaa
hostile shoox on Battery
areas between YPRES COMINES
CANAL and MESSINES commenced
about 5 am aaa

FROM

PLACE & TIME

"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

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Charges to Collect			
Service Instructions			
Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.			

TO

* Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA

our HA carried out
counter Battery work aaa
hostile fire now slackening
aaa HAZEBROUCK KEMMEL
LINDENHOEK shelled with HV.
guns aaa added 4/40
Capted ace concerned

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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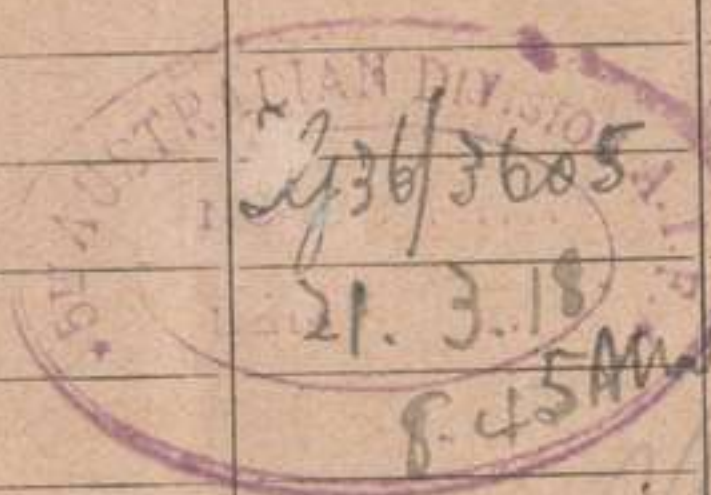
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			From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions			By.....		

Handed in at..... Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO (F37) 5 Aus Division

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
524	21		

patrol wire aaa patrols
examined both sides west
of GREEN FARM also
UP at 017 D05 50 aaa
no enemy seen aaa



FROM (In 28) 1405 Bde

PLACE & TIME

Army Form C, 2173.
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"O" FORM.
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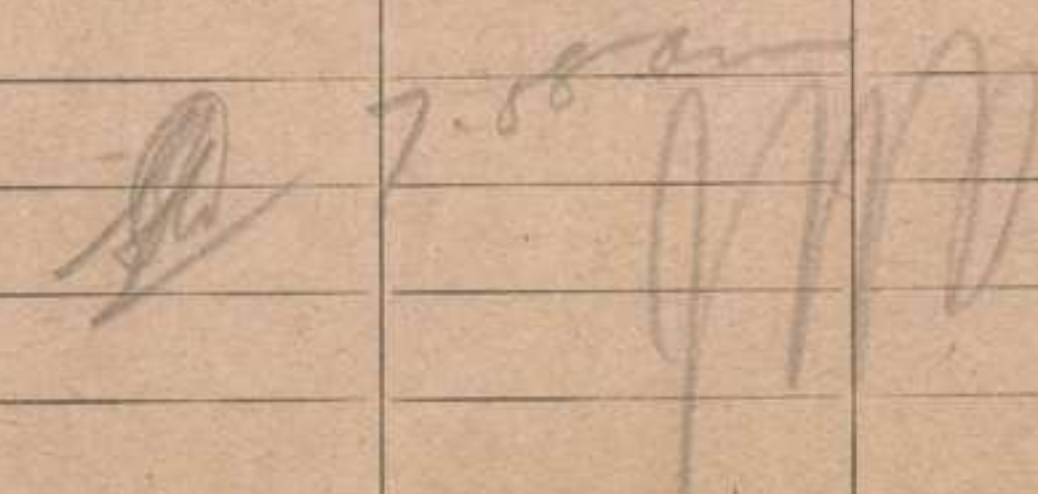
Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
			From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions			By.....		

Handed in at..... Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO (F37) 5 Aus Division

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
1826	21		

About 6.15 several enemy
patrols attempted to raid
one of our posts at
029 A16 aaa Enemy were
beaten off no casualties
to us reported aaa
Further particulars will be
forwarded when received aaa
1005 was not fired on
this Bde. post aaa



FROM (F37) 5 Aus Division

PLACE & TIME

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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 3123.
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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... L S. d.	Received. From..... By.....	Sent, or sent out. At.....m. To..... By.....	Office Stamp.
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Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO	
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* Sender's Number. 9411	Day of Month. 21	In reply to Number. 31-3 AAA
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The following morning
reports aaa at a house
430am strong enemy force
unsuccessfully attacked
to head one of
our posts. 11.22
they were heard off
the post who at 11.30
cars to have followed
up the enemy with
the help of securing
identification from enemy
appears to have
become alarmed along
the whole division front
and out down and

FROM
PLACE & TIME

"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO	
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* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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artillery barrage along
our front line and
two prisoners remain in
our hands reported
to be 13th Regt. High
abnormal details took
up confirmed. Driver
to and during at 11.30
led raid the enemy
boarded those Chateau
and ran at area and
battery positions heavily
with gas and transport
on of 1st and 2nd
Corps helped all concerned

FROM
PLACE & TIME

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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 1123.
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Prefix.....Code.....Words..... <i>103</i>	Received. <i>10/2</i>	Sent, or sent out. <i>10/2</i>	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect	From..... <i>10/2</i>	At.....m. <i>10/2</i>	
Service Instructions	By..... <i>10/2</i>	To..... <i>10/2</i>	
		By..... <i>10/2</i>	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO	<i>5 Aust Corp</i>
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* Sender's Number. <i>289</i>	Day of Month. <i>21/3</i>	In reply to Number. <i>10/2</i>	AAA
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Continuation of morning report aas
now reported that enemy attempted
raid on one of our posts in
J32 B at 4.30 am aas Raid driven
off aas hostile arty action directed
mainly against Btys in left Div
sector commenced about 5 am aas
Bombardment included much gas shell
aas fire continued until about 6.45
am aas small enemy raids
attempted shortly after 6 am on
posts in O24 A & O23 B aas Wounded
prisoner reported from O23 B normal
identification aas Two prisoners reported from
J32 B said to be 153 I.R. aas Added
2nd Army rptd all concerned

FROM	<i>Aust Corps</i>
PLACE & TIME	

"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 1123.
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Prefix.....Code.....Words..... <i>103</i>	Received. <i>10/2</i>	Sent, or sent out. <i>10/2</i>	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect	From..... <i>10/2</i>	At.....m. <i>10/2</i>	
Service Instructions	By..... <i>10/2</i>	To..... <i>10/2</i>	
		By..... <i>10/2</i>	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO	<i>5 Aust Corp</i>
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* Sender's Number. <i>289</i>	Day of Month. <i>21</i>	In reply to Number. <i>10/2</i>	AAA
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100 *336*

Relief complete

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FROM	<i>10/2</i>
PLACE & TIME	<i>10/2</i>

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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2133.
(In books of 100.)

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
			From.....	At.....m.	
			By.....	To.....	
Charges to Collect			By.....		
Service Instructions					

Handed in at..... Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO 5 Aust Div

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
95	21		AAA

Intense bombardment started
4/43 am against whole of
3rd + 5th Army fronts
and against French leaving
out RHEIMS sector aaa
It has since slackened
in places but is
still intense between
SENSEE and MOY and
against French aaa no
attack yet aaa added
all corps

Repeated
3.45 PM. V.S.

FROM 2nd Army

PLACE & TIME

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"O" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2173.
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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
			From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions			By.....		

Handed in at..... Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

Severely wounded prisoner
of 5th Co 162 LOR
Held gaa guarding early
at night hurry use strong
of the 5th Co came
from this morning from
QUATRE MONDES gaa attached
under artillery barrage with
rifle and hand grenades
and one light mortar
unit did not get
beyond our wire gaa
Jew nothing of the
gaa attacks gaa leave
Jew since Feb 27 for
the offensive gaa

"O" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2173.
(In books of 100.)

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
			From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions			By.....		

Handed in at..... Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

Pris was held by
held Rebel that the
offensive was to take
place in this sector
time unknown gaa this
was 19 years old in
the field since last
August gaa added 5th
unit 1st Repel Corps
I

FROM

PLACE & TIME

Intelligence officer
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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2123.
(In books of 100.)

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... L s. d.	Received. From..... By.....	Sent, or sent out. At.....m. To..... By.....	Office Stamp. 21/11/18
Charges to Collect	Service Instructions		
Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.			

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

Following of 515	of 511	of	today
attempted raid	against	post.	
is	J32.C.	was	heavily
barred out	enemy	retired	
when fired	on	by	
fewer guns	aaa	prisoners	
reported were	captured	in.	
SQ PIA	they	were	
members of	patrol	of	
8 aaa	their	instructions were	
that their	artillery	would	
carry out	gas	bombard-	
ment. from	3 30	am	
40 then	put	down	
5 minutes	barrage	aaa	
under	barrage	patrol	

FROM

PLACE & TIME

"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2123.
(In books of 100.)

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... L s. d.	Received. From..... By.....	Sent, or sent out. At.....m. To..... By.....	Office Stamp. 21/11/18
Charges to Collect		Service Instructions	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

was	to	creep	forward
and	secure	an	identifica
aaa	three	of	the
8	are	now	in
our	hangs	aaa	identifi-
baton	8th	Coy	2nd
Bn	153	IR	8th
Div	aaa	adadad	and
Corps	reptd	all	concerned

FROM

PLACE & TIME

1st Aust Div

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“C” FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2123.
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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
			From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions			By.....		
Handed in at.....			Office.....m.	Received.....m.	
TO					
* Sender's Number.					
Day of Month.					
In reply to Number.					
AAA					
Forecast winds light westerly					
Auro probably becoming					
south at 26 Fair					
generally but morning					
fog mild day cool					
night morning visit					
poor afternoon fair					
temp day 55 night					
35					
FROM					
PLACE & TIME					
meteor 11/0am					

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"O" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... a s d	Received. From..... By.....	Sent, or sent out. At.....m. To..... By.....	Office Stamp.
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Charges to Collect

Service Instructions

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO: *51.3.18*

* Sender's Number. <i>5123</i>	Day of Month. <i>21</i>	In reply to Number.	AAA <i>AAA</i>
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Following	by	telephone	noon
from	GHQ	11/15	am
aaa	On	3.5	Army
Front	bombardment	was	against
6th	4th	and	5th
Corps	fronts	rather	less
against	5th	Corps	and
against	all	5th	Army
Front	except	a	portion
N.	of	OISE	aaa
appears	against	3rd	Army
Front	to	be	located
between	N.	SENSEK	and
CANAL	DV.	NORD	aaa
Infantry	attack	reported by	
telephone	commenced	against	
LIGNICOURT	and	LOUVERAI	aaa

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... a s d	Received. From..... By.....	Sent, or sent out. At.....m. To..... By.....	Office Stamp.
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Charges to Collect

Service Instructions

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO: *2*

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA <i>AAA</i>
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Limits	against	5th	Army
not	yet	received	aaa
against	French	appears	to
be	from	BERRY AU BAC	to
West	of	RHEIMS	and
from	LA	POMPELLE	4
Kilometres	SE	of	RHEIMS
Eastward	aaa	heavy	gas
bombardment	against	1st	Army
from	LYS	to	LA
BASSE	aaa	Gas	shell
and	raids	against	Austr
Corps	in	which	all
3	Austr	Dis	obtained
identifications	aaa	added	all
Corps			

FROM *2nd Army*

PLACE & TIME

"O" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code..... Words..... a. s. d.	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions	By.....		

Handed in at..... Office.....m. Received.....m.

Date 21. 2. 1918

TO 21. 2. 1918

* Sender's Number. <u>519</u>	Day of Month. <u>21</u>	In reply to Number.	AAA <u>AAA</u>
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Unofficial from G.H.Q.	1	naval engagement	off
pm	aaa	DUNKIRK	the morning
which	we	sank	
two	enemy	destroyer and	
four	or	five torpedos	
boats	our	losses	frail
aaa	Sas	Army	report
10.50	am	only	a
few	parties	entire	our
forward	system	about	LAGNIEUX
and	HOVERAH	and	one
tank	about	BULGECOURT	
situation	very	satisfactory	aaa
5	Army	report	VII.7
enemy	advancing	under smoke	
barge	aaa	a few	parties

FROM

PLACE & TIME

"O" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code..... Words..... a. s. d.	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions	By.....		

Handed in at..... Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO (2)

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA <u>AAA</u>
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got	into	forward system	principally about
in	place	LA	FERE
satisfactory	aaa	attack	on
French	seems	to have	
been	confined	to	two
big	sands	but	details
lacking	aaa	adds	all
Corps			

FROM 2nd Army

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....195

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO Tools

*Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
9077	21		AAA

Situation wire and Enemy
intermittently shelled
DENYS WOOD and DAMM
STRASSE with 4.2 gas shells
and H.E. and WYTSCAETE
and KEMMEL have been
shelled all day and
wind N. and added
Tools and 1st Flank Bde



FROM FR 28 14 14 Bde

PLACE & TIME

Army Form C, 3123.
(In books of 100.)

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO 5th Aust

*Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
9077	21		AAA

no 21 incendiary bombs
were used with good
effect against enemy trench
VSD last night and
one boche was seen
running from his position
with his clothes on
fire and fire was
being coming from enemy
trench for a considerable
time and a special
shoot with incendiary stokes
mortar bombs is being
arranged

FROM (HQ 46) 14 14 Bde

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Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
Received.....
Sent, or sent out.....
Office Stamp.....
From.....
By.....
Charges to Collect.....
Service Instructions.....
Handed in at.....Office.....Received.....m.

TO.....
Sender's Number.....Day of Month.....In reply to Number.....
23212124AAA

evening report aaa situation
normal aaa scattered shelling
on right of Right
bde sector with 4.2
HE and gas shell
aaa left bde support
and reserve areas heavily
shelled with gas shells
during early morning other
shelling below normal aaa
front line and cts
in C10 B and D
shelled by +ms from
FRedinburgh aaa prisoners
captured last 24 hours 1
or wounded aaa added
Aus Corps. reported all
concerned 2nd aus Div.
4.50 pm

"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
Received.....
Sent, or sent out.....
Office Stamp.....
From.....
By.....
Charges to Collect.....
Service Instructions.....
Handed in at.....Office.....Received.....m.

TO.....
Sender's Number.....Day of Month.....In reply to Number.....
201121AAA

Situation quiet aaa Enemy
Artillery active Shelling 0.33
and 0.34 with gas
and HE during day
aaa T5D shells about
midday. aaa wind light
north west aaa added
T3y reported Flank Brigades



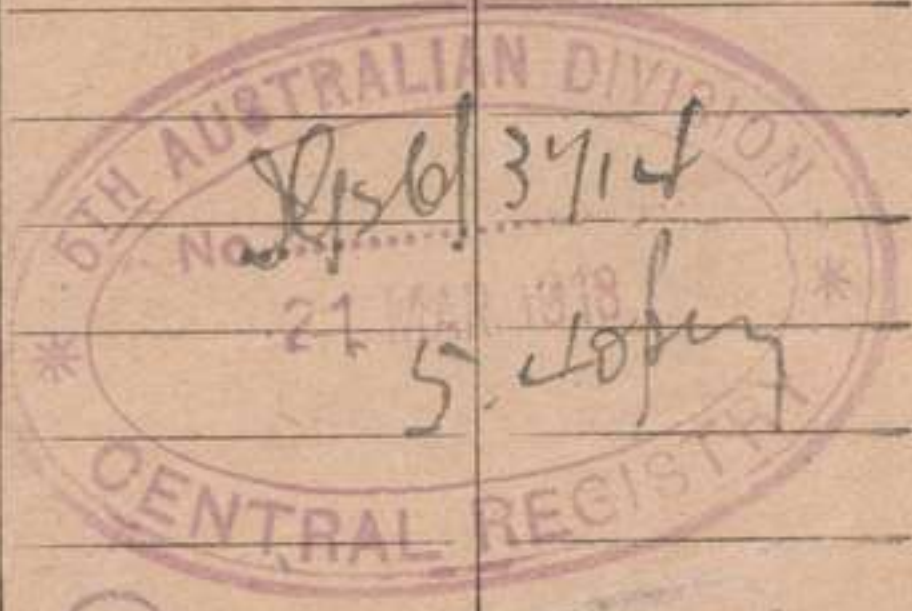
FROM.....
PLACE & TIME.....
4.25 pm

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Prefix.....Code.....Words.....		Received	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
L s. d.		From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect		By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....		
Handed in at.....		Office.....	Received.....	
TO.....				
* Sender's Number.		Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
S 521		2/24		
evening report aa enemy art'y quiet aa forward areas lightly shelled aa slight shelling of Larchwood and vicinity During morning aa during bombardment this morning gas used formed a thick mist aa otherwise situation quiet and no corps rep'd all concerned				
FROM.....				
PLACE & TIME.....				
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No. of Message.....

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a s d.		From.....	At.....m.	
		To.....	By.....	

Service Instructions

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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2 unwounded) near
Material NW aaa added
2nd army report all
concerned

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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a s d.		From.....	At.....m.	
		To.....	By.....	

Charges to Collect

Service Instructions

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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pleasing report aaa forward
Areas HILL 60 sector
also WYTSCHAETE sector highly
shelled during day hostile
arty intermittently active
vicinity DAMMSTRASSE DENYS
WOOD (O.G.) with gas shells
aaa scattered killing forward
areas PLOEGSTEERT sector aaa
TM's active from FRELINCHIEUX
WYTSCHAETE and KEMMEL
shelled all day aaa enemy
fired 4 shells into
BAILLEUL RE and Thapnel
at 5.40 pm aaa
prisoners last 24 hours
6 (1 DIED wounds 3 wounded)

FROM
PLACE & TIME

AUSTRALIAN DIV
21.3.18

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"O" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
A. S. D.			From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions			By.....		
Handed in at.....			Office.....m.	Received.....m.	
TO	5 th ans. Spec. Coy. 74 th				
	Spec. Coy. 74 th				
* Sender's Number.		Day of Month.	In reply to Number.		AAA
Forecast		Wind	westerly 5		
to		10	m.p.h. probably		
falling calm and then					
becoming light south or					
SE. at 11					
some fog at first					
aaa afterwards probably					
fair and warm but at					
risk of fog continuing					
aaa visit poor or					
indifferent wind 7 pm					
west 5 m.p.h. midnight					
and 11 am light					
Airs mainly westerly					
FROM Meteor					
PLACE & TIME 5.23 pm					

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No. of Message.....

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Charges to Collect		Service Instructions	
Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.			

TO 21.3.18
8.15 pm

* Sender's Number. 531	Day of Month. 21	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Evening Report. AAA Heavy
shelling of Forward Areas
POELGTEERT WYTSCHAETE and
Hill 60 sectors AAA Considerable
hostile activity. POELCAPPEL
VELDHOEK and back areas
PASCHENDAELE and GOUDERBERG
forward and back areas and
if support system approaches
and back areas in POELCAPPEL
Sector AAA Western slopes
TOWER HAMLET ridge heavily
shelled 6.10 to 6.25
am to which our
arty replied with counter
preparation AAA enemy damage
put down west of

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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Charges to Collect		Service Instructions	
Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.			

TO (2)

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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PASCHENDAELE 11.45 am AAA
80 projectors successfully
discharged 10 pm last night
on WYTSCHAETE sector AAA
LACKYTTIE WYTSCHAETE KEMMEL
BAILLEUL MORBEQUE and HAZEBROUCK
shells AAA no aerial combats
AAA 15-112 lb bombs
on WERVICQ 6-112 lb
on 28-K32 10-112 lb
on STADEN 30-20 lb
on COMINES and STADEN
-10-20 lb on MENIN
AAA Prisoners last 24
hours one Officer wounded
6 OR one died
AAA address all concerned

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No. of Message.....

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Charges to Collect		Service Instructions	
Handed in at.....		Office.....m. Received.....m.	

TO	Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Unofficial from GHQ 7.30pm
aaa Rans but successful
day aaa machine gunners
have evidently had a
harvest aaa fighting is
now heavy on 6th
19th Corps fronts aaa
LAGNICOURT BULLECOURT and HARGICOURT
are in enemy hands
otherwise line appears to
be generally the front
of battle zone and 2
German Divisions have been
located opposite Fifth Army
front aaa enemy is
now bombarding French
and Belgian areas He

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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2123.
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No. of Message.....

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Charges to Collect		Service Instructions	
Handed in at.....		Office.....m. Received.....m.	

TO	Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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carried out several raids
against French today aaa

FROM
PLACE & TIME

2nd Army

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"C" FORM.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C, 2123.
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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
			From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions			By.....		
Handed in at.....			Office.....m.	Received.....m.	

TO

* Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

Following from GHQ dated 4.50pm
about 8am this morning
enemy attacked 5th and 3rd
armies between OISE and SENSEE
rivers and hostile infantry appear
to have entered our forward zone
on this front and to have
reached front system of
Battle zone about Essey
Bargicourt Douvres and Lagny camp
and attacks are being pressed
strongly and killing continues
to be heavy on whole
front south of Scarpe

FROM

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