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July 1915



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1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Summary - 6 a.m. 26th July to 6 a.m. 27th July.

No. I. Section .. SOUTHERN. The day was fairly quiet but during the evening and night the enemy was active both with his patrols and working parties, which we disturbed to the utmost. We appeared to get satisfactory results from sniping. Our trenches were shelled last evening and again at 0545 this morning. The torpedo boat destroyer shelled between BALKAN GUN PITS and GREEN KNOLL at 0200.

NORTHERN. Very little of importance occurred during the day. We used the new 3.7-inch bomb mortar against the enemy's works on HOLLY ~~SPUR~~ SPUR- apparently with some effect. During the night patrols from the 9th and 12th Battalions found the eastern edge of THE CORNFIELD and the mouth of ALLAH GULLY clear. Ruses on our part drew but little fire.

No. II. Section .. SOUTHERN. Our trenches were shelled at intervals during the day, and during the evening the bombardment was resumed. The shelling did very little damage although a number of 4.2-inch shells fell in rear of THE PIMPIE. During the night we endeavoured by showing dummy figures to draw enemy fire but were not very successful. A patrol in WIRE GULLY reported all quiet.

NORTHERN. Quiet during the day. We successfully fired a mine in D.21B. at 1731, and apparently buried four of the enemy. The enemy opened a heavy gun fire on us at 2145 from the direction of MORTAR RIDGE and BATTLESHIP HILL. A good deal of damage was done to the left subsection works. A few more shells were fired at 2330, but the remainder of the night was quiet, and we were able to carry on the repair of our trenches without disturbance.

Close to GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH.

Artillery .. No. I Section. A working party of the enemy in square 211 Z.8 was dispersed by four rounds from HUGHES' battery. At 1630 a considerable quantity of transport was observed on the GREEN PLATEAU, 204 L. 4 - 5; 18 rounds were fired by JOPP'S battery and the transport was scattered. The City of Glasgow battery fired 11 ~~rounds~~ effective rounds into LEGGE VALLEY. At 1810 the 4.7-inch gun fired four rounds at guns in square 47 M.3 as a registration series. Subsequently this gun fired at transport on GREEN PLATEAU and appeared to be effective.

No. II Section. In this section PHILLIPS', CADDY'S, and BROWNE'S batteries did not fire. At 1200 a 75 mm. gun from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL opened fire on McCAY'S RIDGE and the beach. This gun would appear to be either that at 92 X.6 or at 80 K.3, which was registered by "A" and "B" batteries of the 69th Bde. with aeroplane observation. At 2155 the 69th Bde. was ordered to engage guns firing from the direction of SCRUBBY KNOLL on the 2nd Infantry Brigade trenches. At 2205 the City of Glasgow battery was ordered to shell JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY. This action appeared to be successful in stopping the enemy's bombardment of our trenches.

		Officers	Other ranks	Animals.
Casualties ..	Killed ..	2	4	...
	Wounded ..	1	32	...
	Sick ..	4	93	...

Capt. Hartland, 8th Bn.; Lieut. Thorn, 7th L.H.

(Animal casualties : In yesterday's return the animal casualties should have been shown as 4 killed and two wounded.)

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Ammunition expended .. 6-inch howtz. 5-inch howtz. 4.7-inch Jap. mortar.
7 rounds 24 rounds 7 rounds Nil

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Lieut.-Colonel.
General Staff.
1st Australian Division.

"C" Form (Duplicate). Army Form C. 2123.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS. No. of Message _____

Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
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Handed in at _____ Office _____ m. Received 0650 m.

TO 12th 2nd Div

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
LHB 510	27th		

Enemy very active yesterday evening both with patrols and working parties but these were kept disturbed by rifle fire. No sniping appeared to be getting satisfactory results. AAA position shelled last evening and again at 0545 this morning. AAA T B D shelled between Balkan Gun pits and Green Knoll at 0200. AAA casualties one officer killed, Lieut Thorne machine gun officer 7th LH two other ranks wounded.

FROM 2nd LH Bde
 PLACE & TIME 0630

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Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ 27 ^s 5 ^d . 27/7/15	27/7/15

Handed in at _____ Office 0645 m. Received 0653 m.

TO 1st Bn

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
KC 302	27th		

Patrols 9th and 12th Battalions found eastern edge of CORNFIELD and mouth of ALLAN GULLY clear. AAA bases drew little fire. AAA very quiet night. Works progressed. Casualties killed nil. Ammunition expended 411 rounds.

FROM 1st Bn
 PLACE & TIME 0645

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"C" Form (Duplicate). Army Form C. 2123.
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Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
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Handed in at _____ Office _____ m. Received 0645 m.

TO Inf Div

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
KA989	27 th		

Southern No 2 section aaa fired on showed during figures over the parapets at 0345 to simulate men crawling out aaa Rise was not successful in drawing fire aaa Second On fired several bombs at 2300 into Southern Corner of Long Pine. aaa Enemy shelled at intervals during the day and several large shells probably four points two fell on parade ground and in neighborhood at 1945 also about a dozen shrapnel fell close to gun positions behind Dimple between 2145 and 2200 aaa Third On report enemy bombarded their trenches about 2100

FROM _____
 PLACE & TIME _____

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TO _____

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

and continued until 2230 aaa Fourth On report being shelled at 2200 aaa Detached post in ~~the~~ wire trench report all quiet no movement of enemy observed during the day which was of any importance aaa The shelling of trenches did very little damage and casualties were killed 3 wounded aaa Immended 6205 rounds aaa Four Japanese and 8 Garland bombs fired

FROM 1st Inf Bde
 PLACE & TIME 0635

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	£ 275 27/7/15	

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TO Bus Div

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
KB 135	27th		

24 hours report quiet during day D 21 B Successfully blown up as 1731 four of enemy apparently buried enemy opened heavy artillery fire commencing at 2145 from direction of MORTAR Ridge Battleship Hill good deal of damage to left subterranean works two more shells fired at 2330 remainder of night quiet our patrol to old Marine Trench as usual no enemy movement reported repair of trenches caused by shells carried on during night enemy fired no shots or bomb into Chatter D 21 during night Casualties 2 Killed 1 wounded

FROM _____
 PLACE & TIME _____

"C" Form (Duplicate). Army Form C. 2123.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS. No. of Message _____

Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ 275 27/7/15	

Handed in at _____ Office _____ m. Received _____

TO _____

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

Capt Hartland 8th Bn one of killed Ammunition expended 1436 rounds trench mortar 5 hand grenades 6

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FROM 2nd Bde
 PLACE & TIME 0530

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hull (casualties)

to 0800

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1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION
Artillery Daily Report,

27-7-15

No. 1 Section.

- 1 At 0725 ~~XX~~ A working party of the enemy in sq. 211 Z 8 were dispersed by 4 rounds fired from HUGHES BATTERY which caused the party to take cover.
- 2 At 1145 The OLIVE GROVE right section opened fire on the beach but ceased after three rounds from BURGESS BATTERY.
- 3 At 1155 JOPPS BATTERY fired one round at KABA TRPE The 5" and 6" howitzers (Heavy Battery No. 1 Gun) co-operated in engaging OLIVE GROVE. Right section with JOPPS BATTERY only one round was fired by No. 1 gun, the 18-prs firing 17, the results were satisfactory.
- 4 At 1600 seven rounds were fired by the City of Glasgow Battery in registration of OLIVE GROVE, the target was effectively ranged on.
- 5 At 1630 A considerable amount of transport was observed on GREEN PLATEAU 204 L 4.5. 18 rounds were fired by JOPPS BATTERY causing it to scatter. It was at first proposed to allow the 4.7 to engage this target but owing to presenting a fleeting opportunity and the gun not having previously fired this was not done.
- 6 At 1800 Eleven effective rounds were fired by City of Glasgow Battery into LONG VALLEY.
- 7 At 1918 OLIVE GROVE right section again opened fire this time on our right flank trenches, BURGESS BATTERY fired 10 rds and JOPPS BATTERY fired 4 rounds at the Observing Station to the west of CEMENT TRENCHES the enemy guns being silenced. The 6" Howitzer from the OLIVE GROVE also opened fire at this hour.
- 8 At 1810 the 4.7 gun fired four rounds at guns in sq 47 M 3 thus registering this target.
- 9 At 1955 after firing successfully at this target the transport on GREEN PLATEAU was engaged - three rounds being fired the last being judged effective -

No. 2 Section.

- 10 PHILLIPS, CADDYS, and BROWNS Batteries did not fire.
- 11 At 1200 a 75 MM gun from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL opened fire on McCAY'S RIDGE and the beach, this gun would appear to be that at 92 X 6 or 80 K 3 which under instructions from the Brig.-General Anzac was registered at 1730 by A ~~xxxx~~ and B Batteries 69th Brigade with aeroplane observation. This gun again opened fire on WALKERS and McCAYS RIDGES at 1500 and 2230, at the latter hour on WALKERS RIDGE only.
- 12 At 2155 The Brig.-General Anzac ordered 69th Brigade to engage guns firing from the direction of SCRUBBY KNOLL on the 2nd Inf. Bde trenches.
- 13 At 2205 I ordered the City of Glasgow Battery to shell JOHNSTONES JOLLY, shortly after information was received from Divisional Headquarters that enemy shelling had ceased, this order was cancelled and 69th Brigade informed.
- 13 At 1115 the 2nd Inf. Bde reported shelling on their trenches and although every effort was made to locate the gun no success was achieved.
- 18 At 1200 a gun about three degrees 40 minutes to the ~~next~~ EAST of SAND PIT GROUP was reported to be firing, on the ~~XXXXXX~~ 69th Bde., R.F.A., under instructions from the Brig.-General Anzac effectively engaged this gun its position was indicated by the 8th Battery.

Ammunition expended 18-pr. 31
5" 6
6" 7
4.7 7

Casualties 1 O.R. killed

J. J. Hobbs,
Colonel

748

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Daily Operation YIMA Bde

26th July 191521 KMPSSec in Sq 224 M 8/9 (Capt C. D. Rawson)2145

25. 4-15

2 Glac Shell fired over Pine Ridge

Sec in Sq 224 M 9 (2nd Lieut L. D. Tyler)

1210

3 P.S., 5 T.S. at bench on W edge of Chessboard Range 1400^x
14° 30' mag. Desired results not obtained owing to a bad lot of fuzes

1325

The right gun emplacement had a portion of the overhead cover damaged by H.E. shell - no casualties.

Sec in Sq 224 M 2 (Capt G. B. Trenchard)

1030

8 P.S. at enemy's Observation Station Range 1850^x 54° mag

1100

10 P.S. at machine gun emplacement Range 1500^x 56° mag

Fire effective in both cases.



Ammunition Expenditure

21 P.S. 5 T.S. 2 Glac Total 28 rounds

Casualties - nil -

To

~~The Staff Captain~~

Aus Div

24- 4- 15

*J. L. Kingston*Capt R. M.
Adjutant 7th Ind. Mtn Arty. BrigadeAm
27/7

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 26th July to 6 a.m. ^{27/7/15.} 27th July, 1915.

No. 3 SECTION.

A party of the enemy, estimated at about two companies of Infantry, were observed at midday drilling to the West of the road in Square 213 L.

We succeeded in drawing a fair amount of enemy's fire about 9.30 p.m. No movement of the enemy was observed.

At 10 p.m. the enemy fired a few rounds from a mountain gun from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL. The shots fell into the right of COURTNEY'S, but did very little damage.

The enemy's rifle fire was heavier than usual at midnight and during the early hours, particularly showing signs of uneasiness opposite QUINN'S.

No. 4 SECTION.

With the exception of shelling from the enemy's guns, the day passed off very quietly.

At 7.30 p.m. a Howitzer from the direction of KOJA DERE fired two shells at an extreme range which fell into the sea immediately in rear of WALKER'S RIDGE.

At 8 p.m. our machine guns on TURKS POINT opened fire at Turks working on SNIPERS RIDGE.

The 75 mm on 971 immediately replied by shelling RUSSELL'S TOP. Very little damage was done. The rest of the night passed quietly.

The Turks are still hard at work improving their defences on both sides of the NEK.

Japanese Mortar - No. of bombs fired - Nil.

CASUALTIES.

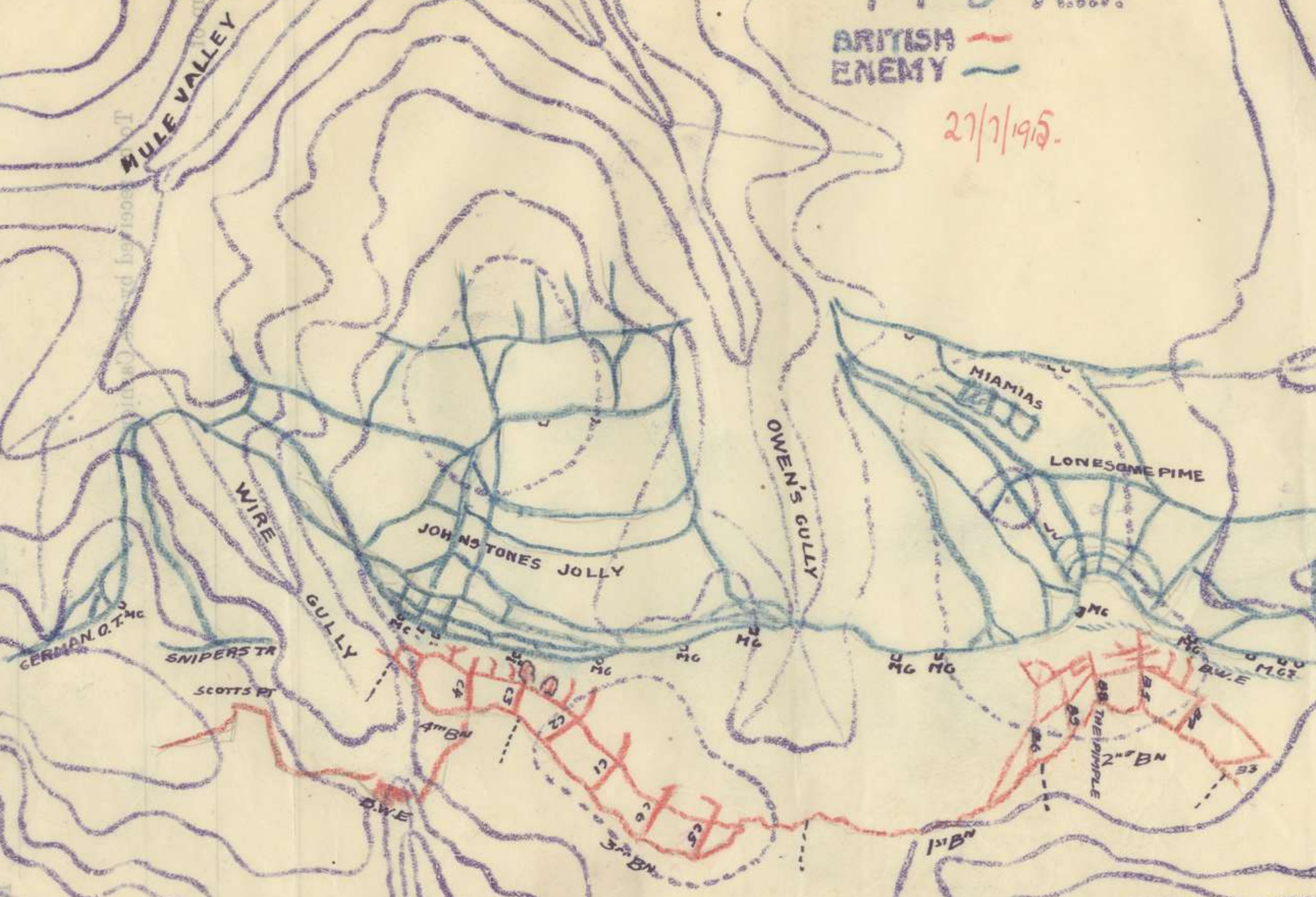
	<u>Officers.</u>	<u>Other Ranks.</u>	<u>Animals.</u>
<u>KILLED.</u>	-	3	-
<u>WOUNDED.</u>	-	13	-
<u>SICK (evacuated)</u>	4	110	-

(sa) a J Godley

Major-General,
Commanding N.Z. & A. Division.

WJ 27/7

27/7/1915.

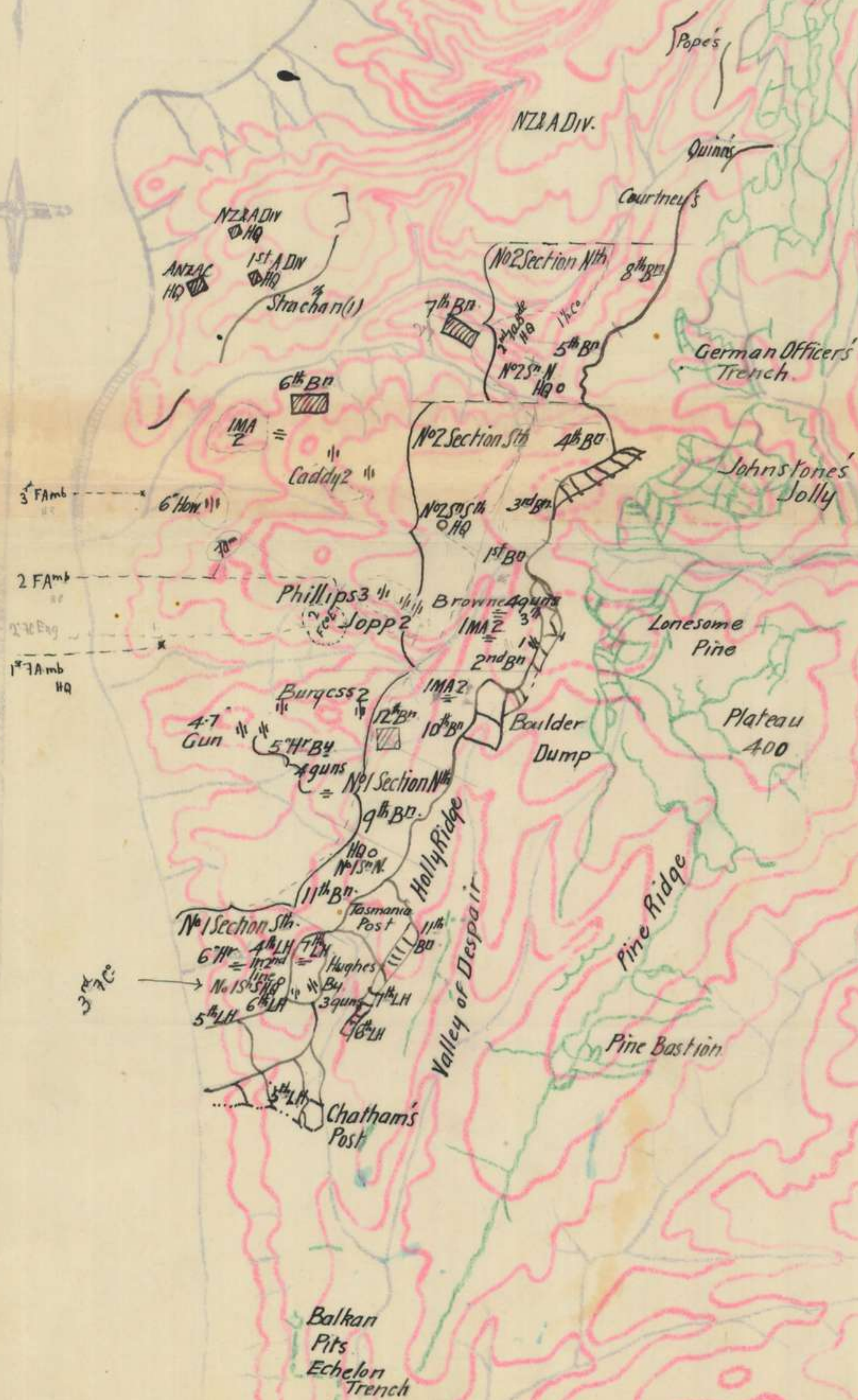


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MAP OF THE SITUATION 1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

27-7-15



Works Old In course of
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Scale 1:10000

1:20 metres = about 65 feet

W. J. Nicholson major
6503

27/7/15.

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1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Summary - 6 a.m. 27th July to 6 a.m. 28th July.

No. I. Section .. SOUTHERN. Quiet day. We continually harassed the enemy's working parties on HOLLY SPUR and HARRIS RIDGE, and thereby prevented them from making much progress. The night was quiet. The torpedo boat destroyer shelled the trenches along HARRIS RIDGE successfully.

NORTHERN. The day was quiet; TASMANIA POST was subjected to a certain amount of shelling as has been usual now for some days past. The night was uneventful. A patrol from the 10th Battalion drove back an enemy patrol and retired safely.

No. II. Section .. SOUTHERN. This section was subjected to a persistent shell fire during most of the day, and the work of deepening and improving the trenches, which was in hand, was therefore a good deal retarded. The 4th Battalion reported that the enemy has opened up a sap to the crater between us and JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY.

An aeroplane was heard at 0500 but was not identified. At about 0415 an enemy bugle call was sounded and cheering was heard from the direction of QUINN'S, followed by an exchange of bombs and brisk rifle fire.

NORTHERN. The enemy was very quiet during the day. We were subjected to artillery fire from TURKS HUMP at 1000 and again at 1500. At 1600 and 1630 a Turkish 6-inch howitzer opened fire from about TURKS HUMP, causing a certain amount of damage to a small portion of our trenches.

During the night everything was exceptionally quiet until 0400 when considerable activity and noise were heard from the direction of QUINN'S POST. At the same time two shells burst in our trenches and it appeared that an attack was imminent. Nothing further eventuated however, and the enemy's outburst of fire seems to have been the result of a ruse carried out at QUINN'S POST, of which we had no knowledge.

Artillery .. Early in the morning the WINEGLASS battery opened fire twice on our right flank trenches and on each occasion was silenced by JOPE'S battery. HUGHES' battery fired 3 effective rounds at an enemy working party in square 211 Z.8, and caused them to disperse. From the working parties towards the south it would appear that the enemy is anticipating a landing in that direction.

HUGHES' battery fired at GABA TIRE and the CEMENT EMPLACEMENTS during the time that the enemy's 6-inch howitzer opened fire, and by these means the fire was stopped.

Six rounds were fired from the 4.7-inch gun at guns in square 47 M.3 (1/20,000 map) which were firing at H.M.S. "HUMBER".

In No. II. Section, the 4th, 5th, and 8th batteries did not fire.

An enemy 75 mm. gun from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL fired some 15 rounds at the beach and into ANZAC GULLY. A new and, at present, unlocated howitzer shelled SHRAPNEL VALLEY.

Arrangements were made for one gun of the 21st Mountain Battery to fire on new enemy works opposite our trenches on HOLLY SPUR.

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		<u>Officers</u>			<u>Other ranks</u>	<u>Animals</u>
Casualties	.. Killed	3	...
	Wounded	23	...
	Sick	4	120	...
Ammunition expended	..	<u>6-inch howtz.</u>	<u>5-inch howtz.</u>	<u>4.7 inch</u>	<u>Jap. mortar</u>	
		12 rounds	26 rounds	6 rounds	Nil	

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Lieut.-Colonel.
General Staff.

28th July, 1915.

1st Australian Division.

Service Instructions.

Charges to Pay. £ s. d. 30 1 A 28 7 15

Office Stamp.

Handed in at *1st Aust Div* Office *0612* m. Received *0634* m.

TO

Sender's Number *LHB 516* Day of Month *28th* In reply to Number *AAA*

Quiet enemy on working parties of HOLLY SPUR and HARRIS RIDGE were harassed continuously and consequently very little progress made with work. AAA T.B.D. shelled trenches along HARRIS RIDGE during night. AAA casualties for 24 hours nil.

(W) 28/7

FROM *2nd Lt Bde*
 PLACE & TIME *0612*

Service Instructions.

Charges to Pay. £ s. d. 30 1 A 28 7 15

Office Stamp.

Handed in at *KC* Office *0645* m. Received *0657* m.

TO *Aust Div*

Sender's Number *KC 329* Day of Month *28th* In reply to Number *AAA*

Patrol 10th Coy left at 7.45 at 2400 pushed out about 96 yards to crest overlooking COOKE GULLY met enemy patrol which they shot at and drove off. returned at 0200 2nd patrol pushed out and to right front towards bottom of GULLY. Neither patrol found anything for report. AAA very quick night. Casualties killed nil. ammunition expended 250 rounds.

(W) 28/7

FROM *2nd Lt Bde*
 PLACE & TIME *0645*

Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ s. d. 30 1 A 28/7/15	

Handed in at _____ Office _____ m. Received 0704 m.

TO _____

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
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Ka 999 28th
 Southern no. 2 section a aa First
 Bn report that work of deepening
 and improvement of trenches
 traverses etc was retarded all
 day by persistent shell fire
 which our artillery did not
 reply to a aa all available
 men were employed therefore
 from 1900 to 2300 a aa
 Second Bn report PIMPLE shelled
 at odd times during the
 day without any damage a aa
 one machine gun fired 85
 rounds at 0200 at party
 enemy working at Barbette
 were entanglements a aa
 Result unobserved a aa

FROM _____
 PLACE & TIME _____

Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ s. d. 30 1 A 28/7/15	

Handed in at _____ Office _____ m. Received 0704 m.

TO _____

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
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Third Bn report Considerable
 damage done to their trenches
 by Lewis and mortar about
 1700 a aa. The work of
 repairing is now chiefly done
 by night a aa Fourth Bn
 report enemy has opened up a
 gap to the crater from their
 trench on JOLLY a aa an
 aeroplane was heard at
 0500 but the mark could
 not be distinguished a aa
 about 0415 a bugle call
 was sounded and cheering
 heard from QUINN'S followed
 by an exchange of bombs
 and British rifle fire a aa

FROM _____
 PLACE & TIME _____

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Charges to Pay. £ 30 1s. d. 28/7/15

Office Stamp.

Handed in at Office m. Received 0704 m.

TO

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

There is no sign on investigation of the new enemy firing line reported in my KA 996 yesterday. AAA casualties 2 killed 5 wounded. AAA ammunition expended 7140 rounds. AAA Two Japanese and 9 Garland bombs fired.

FROM Forst Inf Bde

PLACE & TIME 0649

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Office Stamp.

Service Instructions.

Handed in at Office m. Received

TO

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

24 hours report our action during day repair of trenches damaged previous night. AAA enemy actions during day very quiet. AAA artillery opened from Turks hump at 1000 and again at 1500. Fifteen shells burst about our trenches doing little damage. AAA at 1600 - 1630 Turkish 6 inch howitzer opened from about Turks hump causing considerable damage to about 8 yards of our fire trench. B Coy left sub-section AAA. Our action during night usual patrol to old German trench returned at 0320 with no information.

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2123

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TO

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

A A A

aaa Enemy action during night exceptionally quiet until 0400 when considerable shouting and blowing of bugles was heard from direction of Quinn's Post 3 shells burst in our trenches and left subsection reported an attack appeared imminent but nothing happened and at 0500 everything normal aaa casualties 4 ammunition expended 1470 rounds trench mortars 6 grenades 6 aaa enemy action appeared to be used to fill our fire trenches

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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North Casualties

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1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Artillery Daily Report
28-7-15.No. 1 Section.

- 0620 at this hour WINNEGLASS BATTERY opened fire on our right flank trenches and was engaged by JOPPS BATTERY with 13 rounds which caused the enemy guns to cease fire. The enemy again opened fire at 0720 and 0912 the same battery replying with one and two rounds respectively and silencing the enemy on each occasion.
- 0912 rounds which caused the enemy guns to cease fire. The enemy again opened fire at 0720 and 0912 the same battery replying with one and two rounds respectively and silencing the enemy on each occasion.
- 1112 JOPPS BATTERY engaged WINNEGLASS Battery with 11 and 6 rounds respectively at 1112 and 1612 the enemy ceasing fire on each occasion, only two guns opened at 1612.
- 1515 Between 1120 and 1612 10 rounds were fired by JOPPS BATTERY at this target with the object of catching the detachments in the open returning to their guns.
- 1545 An enemy howitzer having been reported firing on our trenches the City of Glasgow Battery fired at BATTLESHIP HILL and JOHNSTONES JOLLY.
- 1700 HUGHES BATTERY fired 3 effective rounds at an enemy working party in square 211 - Z - 8 causing their dispersion. This position is near the coast line and would point to the enemy's anticipation of a proposed landing near by.
- 1810 A 6" Howitzer having opened fire on HUGHES BATTERY the observation station at GABA TEPE and CEMENT EMPLACEMENT were engaged and the enemy ceased when 7 rounds had been fired by us.
- 1823 OLIVE GROVE right section opened fire and was engaged by BURGESS BATTERY and No. 1-6" Howitzer which stopped the hostile fire the same target was also engaged by the City of Glasgow Battery with 7 rounds. A further series of 6 rounds was fired by the last mentioned battery at TUNKS HUMP immediately on conclusion of engagements with OLIVE GROVE, fire appeared effective in both cases.
- 1925 JOPPS and BURGESS BATTERIES silenced the OLIVE GROVE right section with 7 rounds.
- 0940 6" Howitzer No. 1, engaged OLIVE GROVE right section with 3 effective rounds this target was again fired at by Nos. 1 and 2 6" Howitzers with 2 and 4 rounds respectively at 1720.
- 1725 6 rounds were fired from 4.7 gun at guns in 47 M 3 (1/20000 Map) which were firing at H M S HUNTER

No. 2 Section.

4th 5th and 8th Batteries did not fire. Little activity was shown by enemy artillery, a 75mm gun from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL fired some 15 rounds in all on the beach and Anzac Gully. A new and, at present, unlocated howitzer shelled SHRAPNEL VALLEY. The beach at ANZAC COVE was subjected to less fire than had been the case for some days. Arrangements were made for one gun of 21st Mtn. Battery to fire on new enemy works opposing our trenches in THE CORNFIELD this was done by order of 1st Aust Div. A report was received from the AERODROME and extracts were made and circulated to all units.

Ammunition expended 18-pr. 71
5" 26
6" 12
4.7 6
X
Casualties 1 O.R killed

Colonel

Appendix No. 1.
28/7/15.

Daily Operations 71 M A Bde 24th July 1915

21 kmrs

Section in Sq 224 M 8/9 (Capt C. D. Rawson)

Preparation of emplacement for gun in support trenches of C Co 10th Bn, to enfilade Trenches in front of ~~Chatham's~~ Chatham's Post Fire to be opened from this at midnight 24th/28th + 3 am 28th—

Sec in Sq 224 M 9 (2nd Lt L. B. Tyler) nil

Sec in Sq 224 M 2 (Capt G. B. Trenchard)

1030

Instructional Series for newly joined men conducted by Jamadar Chanda - Range 3500^x - 54th mag Effective Series 14 rds

1430

-do-do- Target a communication trench - Range 1825^x 550 mag Very effective Series 15 rds

Amun Expended

30 rds

Casualties

— nil —

To The Staff Capt
Aus Div

28 4/15

[Signature]

Capt R.
Adjutant 7th Ind. Mth Arty. Brigade

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28/7/15.

Summary of Events from 6 a.m. 27th July to 6 a.m. 28th July.No. 3 SECTION.

Turks throughout the night in front of QUINN'S POST displayed uneasiness. It is thought that they are fresh troops as a bomb thrown into their trenches inevitably draws a burst of rifle fire, and they expose themselves much more than usual.

Three 5.7" shells fell into the right of COURTNEY'S POST about 6 p.m. Slight damage was done to the trenches in two places, but no casualties occurred.

At 4 a.m. today a ruse carried out by the garrison of QUINN'S POST was very successful in drawing heavy rifle and machine gun fire which lasted for over half an hour.

As it was reported that the trenches in front of QUINN'S were full of Turks, Sykes' Battery was requested to fire 20 rounds of shrapnel over there. No enemy movement was observed.

No. 4 SECTION.

This section was subjected to the usual shelling throughout the day. A 75 mm gun damaged the trenches on RUSSELL'S TOP, two shells going through one of the mountain battery's gun emplacements. It is considered that a gun is now firing from behind BAUCHOP'S HILL. This gun shells the Beach and ANZAC COVE and the 4.5" Howitzers.

During the evening a wagon was again seen escorted by about 10 horsemen entering ANAFARTA village.

Increased activity can be observed in the improvement of the existing trenches all over the ground to the North of this Section, and also in the Turk defences of the NEK and BABY 700.

In spite of rifle fire from the NEK and machine guns at TURKS POINT, a new trench has been dug during the last two nights running along the far side of the head of MALONE'S GULLY round SNIPERS RIDGE.

Progress has also been made over night with the work about C 29. It is here that the parapet has been levelled, and an extensive glacis made.

A bomb martar was observed during yesterday afternoon firing bombs into POPE'S from this position. At 6 p.m. it was found necessary to fire a charge in "A 1" tunnel, owing to the close proximity of the enemy, digging having been heard very close. The charge consisted of 40 lbs ammonal. Six seconds after the explosion a second explosion was heard, and it is supposed that the explosion in our tunnel fired a charge in that of the Turks. No report has yet been received as to the result of our explosion.

It was arranged for the 5" Howitzer Battery to shell the Turk trenches C 5 and C 8, but owing to the failure of the Howitzer telephone connection, it became too late to fire before darkness set in. This will be carried out this morning at 8 a.m.

ARTILLERY.

At 4.30 a.m. the O.C. 3rd Section reported the enemy trenches on his front were fully manned, and at his request the 2nd Battery fired 14 rounds at them. The effect is believed to have been good.

At 5 p.m. the Howitzer Battery fired 6 rounds at the enemy's heavy Mortar on MORTAR RIDGE. This series was reported effective.

The 6" Howitzer had orders to register BABY 700, but could not clear the crest, the range being too short. This morning it will fire one round to test how far down in this direction it can get.

Japanese Mortar. Number of bombs fired - Nil.

7.500

CASUALTIES.

11/26

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	<u>Officers.</u>	<u>Other Ranks.</u>	<u>Animals.</u>
<u>KILLED.</u>	-	3	-
<u>WOUNDED.</u>	-	16	-
SICK (evacuated)	4	103	-

(Sd) A. S. G. Allen

Major-General
Commanding N.Z. & A. Division.

1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Summary - 6 a.m. 28th July to 6 a.m. 29th July.

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29th July 15

No. I. Section .. SOUTHERN. The enemy were quiet in front of this section during the day. We had a good deal of sniping opportunity and our shots accounted for at least 10 Turks. The activities of the enemy's working parties were somewhat diminished yesterday. During the night the enemy was quiet. The torpedo boat destroyer shelled TWIN TRENCHES and other parts during the night.

NORTHERN. Quiet both during the day and night. We sent out a patrol from SILT SPUR which encountered an enemy party building bombproof shelter about 130 yards in front of our new line. This party we dispersed.

No. II. Section .. SOUTHERN. At about 1900 the trenches of this section were subjected to a certain amount of enemy shell fire but very little damage resulted. At noon we exploded a mine in C.27 tunnel opposite JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY, the enemy having approached our tunnel very closely. The day, generally speaking, was quiet and the night uneventful. The detached post which we place in WIRE GULLY reported that all was quiet in their front.

NORTHERN. A comparatively quiet day. There was a steady amount of shelling at intervals during the day. The large mortar on MORTAR RIDGE fired six shots over the right sub-section, and these appeared to fall at the junction of BRIDGES ROAD and MONASH GULLY. The night was quiet; no enemy movement was observed by our patrols.

Artillery .. At 1700 the City of Glasgow battery fired 5 rounds into JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY. The effect was moderately good although a certain number of rounds failed to detonate.

Enemy water carts, which were observed in square 203 A.6 B.4, were dispersed by 5 rounds from JOPP'S battery at 1824. At the same hour the OLIVE GROVE right section shelled CHATHAM'S and TASMANIA POSTS, JOPP'S battery replying with 22 rounds.

At 1840 the same enemy guns fired on the beach, and four rounds were fired from No.2 6-inch howitzer. At 1930 two rounds were also fired from No.1 6-inch howitzer.

Two unlocated howitzers from the direction of SCRUBBY KNOLL and BATTLESHIP HILL searched SHRAINEL VALLEY and shelled BROWNE'S battery. The 4th, 5th and 8th batteries had a quiet day and did not fire. Orders were issued for periodical series to be fired by the 5th City of Glasgow battery at JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY, the 69th Brigade R.F.A. co-operating by engaging LONESOME PINE.

The 4th Lowland Howitzer Brigade landed 3 guns during the night. This battery is allotted to the same section of defence as the 5th battery of that brigade.

Col. Sam Sloc

Ga 59

				Officers	Other ranks	Animals.
Casualties	..	Killed	.. ..	..	1	..
		Wounded	.. ..	..	37	..
		Sick	.. ..	3	94	..
Ammunition	..	6-inch Howtz.	5-inch Howtz.	4.7 inch.	18 pdr.	Jap. mortar
		8 rounds	21 rounds	Nil	43 rds.	Nil.

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Return S.S. office

Lieut.-Colonel,

"C" Form (Duplicate).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message.....

Charges to Pay. £ s. d.		Office Stamp.	
Service Instructions. LHB		321 29/7/15	
Handed in at.....		Office.....m. Received.....m.	
TO		321 29/7/15	
Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA

Enemy quiet in front during day
and C. Ch. parading in front during night
A.A.A. This morning parading not as
usual A.A.A. New
works. HOLLY RIDGE Shelled yesterday
afternoon but no casualties A.A.A.
Our Drifting yesterday appears to be
effective at least. Being accounted for
A.A.A. destroyed TWIN TREES
BALKAN GULLIES. GREEN KNOLL PINE
RIDGE and several places in PLANKERS
MEADOWS. Casualties for 24 hours
2 Other ranks were killed.

FROM
PLACE & TIME

2 R H Bde
9600

1W1
29/7

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No. of Message.....

Charges to Pay. £ s. d.		Office Stamp.	
Service Instructions. LHB		321 29/7/15	
Handed in at.....		Office.....m. Received.....m.	
TO		321 29/7/15	
Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA

Patrol tenth Bn followed old
trench out from N. end
SILT SPUR for 130 yards struck
an enemy party building
bomb shelter they threw bombs
hitting one and dispersing
rest of enemy and enemy
heard working on our side COOGE
GULLY opposite B 2 tunnel nothing
definite. a.a. otherwise quiet night
Rape progressed Casualties killed
nil Ammunition 250 rounds

FROM
PLACE & TIME

3rd Inf Bde
0645

1W1
29/7

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"C" Form (Duplicate).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message.....

Service Instructions.		Charges to Pay.		Office Stamp.
		£	s. d.	
Handed in at		Office	m.	Received
TO		321 29/7/15		
Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA	

Southern No 21 Section A.A.A. first Batt.
Situation same nothing to report
Pegano 22 same A.A.A. third Batt. report
that many of enemy heavy howitzers shells
failed to explode A.A.A. fourth Batt. detached
post in WIRE GULLY reports all quiet
Enemy shell fire did a little damage about
1900 three men were temporarily buried
A.A.A. the crater was made by the explosion
in P 27. Tunnel A.A.A. Enemy generally quiet
all day along front of this section except of
shelling. 10 LBY was 2 shells fired to burst
2 shells fired about on front of enemy
front Parquet A.A.A. one detached and
burst in MULF VILLAGE apparently A.A.A.
result on LONE PINE was that two missed
one failed to burst and two burst apparently

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PLACE & TIME

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message.....

Service Instructions.		Charges to Pay.		Office Stamp.
		£	s. d.	
Handed in at		Office	m.	Received
TO		321 29/7/15		
Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA	

just behind the front Parquet A.A.A. the
intelligence report Sept. last night as nothing
to report A.A.A. Chasmatos 1 killed 7
wounded A.A.A. Chasmatos exploded 6055
ground A.A.A. two German bombs
fired

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WV
29/7

FROM
PLACE & TIME

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Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message.....

Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ s. d.	

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

TO

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

in continuation of my morning report of 29/7/15. Went out to the front and saw a trench at 2030 from advanced post of B.S. Trench and worked out to their right front. A.A. about ten yards out they encountered an old Turkish trench which appears to have been used by our own A.A. While investigating this trench two Turks put their heads up over the parapet about 10 yards away and then made off down the Gully. A.A. found that enemy small trench mortar position on SOUTH of OWENS GULLY has either been moved across to NORTH of GULLY or a fresh one brought up. A.A. it fired at 2100.

FROM

PLACE & TIME

1st Inf Bde. 21/7
0745

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Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message.....

Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ s. d.	

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

TO

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

Det Home report of our action during day. Went to A.A. enemy action 15/7. Gun vicinity TURKS H.V.N.P. fired two rounds at 0515 and again at 0930 four rounds at 1005 three at 1730. Nil. A.A. left subsection report a group of about 100 Turks seen with telescopes bearing 110 degrees. A.A. fired mortar ridge fired 2nd shot over right subsection falling near junction bridges road near ash valley. A.A. No enemy movement noticed. Phosphorus Jolly when our tanks were fired. 11/0. A.A. 120 shells apparently failed to explode. A.A. our action during night patrol.

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message

Continued P.M.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ s. d.	59
Service Instructions.		

Handed in at Office m. Received m.

TO	Ans. Q. 1	321	29/7/15
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Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
2599	Twenty-ninth		

to old machine trench as usual. 0250 reports no enemy movement observed. a a a. Quarter Guard Trench. D-21 reports enemy digging to left front. Dapper informed. a a a. Ammunition train wounded. a a a. Ammunition expended 303 1256 trench. Norton I have spent 303 2

FROM	2nd Inf Bde
PLACE & TIME	0545

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1509

Casualty Return Animals
1st Aust Div
29. 7. 15

nil

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Miller
Capt
DHQMS

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1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION
Artillery Daily Report,
28-7-15.

Appendix No. 1.

29/7/15.

No. 1 Section.

- 0400 A moderate amount of musketry began which was reported to be a bomb attack on QUINNS POST. THE CITY OF GLASGOW BATTERY was ordered to be ready to shell troops in LONG VALLEY but this was not necessary as the firing
- 0600 ceased. At 0600 7 rounds were fired by this battery at JOHNSTONES JOLLY.
- 0840 BURGESS and No. 1-6" Howitzer engaged OLIVE GROVE BATTERY and fire ceased after three rounds from 18-pr and two from the howitzer. The enemy 6" Howitzer in this group opened fire at 0900 and 0935 and was engaged by CITY OF GLASGOW BATTERY in the first instance and JOPPS BATTERY on the second occasion. The WINEGLASS BATTERY was engaged at 0935 and 1026 - 27 rounds in all were fired by JOPPS BATTERY and good effect obtained as the two guns were near the crest and clearly visible.
- 1700 In accordance with instructions issued the CITY OF GLASGOW BATTERY fired 5 rounds into JOHNSTONES JOLLY 4 rounds only detonated the effect appeared to be good.
- 1824 Enemy watercarts which were being filled in square 203-3 A. 6 B 4 were dispersed by 5 rounds from JOPPS BATTERY
- 1824 OLIVE GROVE RIGHT SECTION shelled CHATHAM and TASMANIA POSTS JOPPS BATTERY replying with 22 rounds. At 1840 the same guns fired on the beach and 4 rounds were fired from No. 2 -6" Howitzer and again at 1930 two rounds from No. 1-6" Howitzer.
- 0100 The 4th Battery, 4th LOWLAND HOWITZER BRIGADE, landed three guns, the Brigade Staff also arrived at ANZAC.
- to This Battery is allotted to the same section of defence as the 5th Battery of that Brigade.
- 0430 Two unlocated Howitzers from Direction of SCRUBBY KNOLL and BATTLESHIP HILL searched SHRAPNEL VALLEY and shelled BROWNS BATTERY.

No. 2 Section.

4th, 5th, and 8th BATTERIES did not fire: a quiet day in this Section.

General orders were issued for a series to be fired by 5th CITY OF GLASGOW BATTERY on JOHNSTONES JOLLY, the 69th Brigade, R.F.A. co-operating by engaging LONESOME PINE. The 1st series was fired at 1700 and is mentioned above.

Ammunition expended 18-pr	43rds
5" How.	21 "
6" How.	8 "
4.7	Nil.

Casualties 2 other ranks wounded.

J. S. Hobbs
Colonel
Commanding Artillery 1st Aust Div.

Am 29/7

NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Appendix No. 1.

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 28th July to 6 a.m. 29th July, 1915.

29/7/15.

NO. 3 SECTION.

The Turks in front of this Section still appear to be uneasy. Their fire was a little heavier than usual during the early part of the night, otherwise nothing unusual to report.

NO. 4 SECTION.

At 8 a.m. yesterday the 5" Howitzers opened fire on the DOUBLE-TIER trench at the head of MONASH GULLY (C5 and C8), and also at trench C29 overlooking POPE'S. The result of the shelling was disappointing, as little damage appeared to be done. The 75 mm gun on the 971 Ridge fired throughout the day, and the small gun which fires from about BAUCHOP'S HILL was also fairly active shelling the main communication trench leading from MULE GULLY to ANZAC COVE.

In the evening about 20 Turks were reported to be working on the CHOCOLATE HILLS in Square 250 R 3.

Last night the enemy were again observed working at the head of MALONE GULLY. Our machine guns at TURKS POINT fired upon them at intervals during the night.

At 2 a.m. today the 75 mm gun on 971 opened fire and continued shelling this Section for about half an hour. No damage was, however, reported, the majority of the shells falling harmlessly in the Gully.

ARTILLERY.

The day was exceptionally quiet, except that there was rather more shelling than usual in ANZAC COVE from guns which are not engaged by us.

Japanese Mortar. Number of bombs fired - Nil.

CASUALTIES.

	<u>Officers.</u>	<u>Other Ranks.</u>	<u>Animals.</u>
<u>KILLED.</u>	1 (Capt. Anderson, Adjutant, Div. Train).	3	1.
<u>WOUNDED.</u>	1	15	-
<u>SICK</u> (evacuated)	3	103	-

(Sgd) A.J. Godley,

Major-General,
Commanding N.Z. & A. Division.

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"C" Form (Duplicate).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2123.

No. of Message

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Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
<i>330</i>	<i>29/7/15</i>

Service Instructions.

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

TO

Anal Div

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

10 650

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French aviators report a large transport at AKBASHI LIMAN yesterday 32 small boats and torpedo boats and activity of subs and lighters at 1800 yesterday one battalion seen between KILIA-LIMAN and MAIDOS

By WOT 29/7

[Signature]

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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Appendix No. 2.
29/7/15.

1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Summary - 6 a.m. 29th July to 6 a.m. 30th July.

No. I. Section .. SOUTHERN. Quiet day. We prevented the enemy making much progress with his work on HOLLY SPUR and HARRIS RIDGE.

NORTHERN. An uneventful day and a very quiet night. A good many bombs were thrown into our works without hindering their progress, however.

No. II. Section .. SOUTHERN. At 11.30 an enemy 75 mm. gun shelled for half an hour the trenches of the 2nd Battalion, and did a certain amount of damage. The 2nd Infantry Brigade now have two machine guns in the daylight sap at the south side of BARBED WIRE GULLY, which cover their front. An observer reported yesterday evening that the head cover had been removed from the two forward trenches on JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY. There is some doubt about the accuracy of this statement at present. The night was fairly quiet. We had several patrols out. One from the 2nd Battalion got quite close to the enemy's trenches where work was steadily in progress. The enemy appeared to be preparing some form of obstacle with barbed wire. No enemy patrols were encountered.

NORTHERN. The day was comparatively quiet but the trenches of this section were subjected to the usual shell fire. The machine guns of this section were informed of the removal of head cover on JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY and were prepared accordingly. The enemy was fairly quiet during the night and no movement of his patrols was observed. At 1230 a large bomb fell behind the line but did no damage. At 0320 we fired a mine in sap D.9B.; this drew heavy rifle fire from GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH. At 0415 the enemy fired a mine at QUINN'S POST causing what appeared to us to be a great explosion.

Artillery .. At noon HUGHES' battery fired 3 rounds at what appeared to be a telephonist party north-west of the Y Junction trenches (Square 67 Z.6 - 1/20,000 map), and 4 rounds at recently made earthwork in that locality. The result appeared satisfactory. The 4th Battery Lowland Brigade registered JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY in 5 rounds, and MULE VALLEY in 4. 2 rounds were fired by the 4.7-inch Q.F. at a body of enemy troops estimated at 500. The second round was judged effective.

In No. II. Section the 4th and 5th batteries did not come into action.

At 1135 the 8th Battery fired 19 searching rounds at a 75 mm. gun, the flash of which had been located on the night 27th/28th July. The gun is in the vicinity of the SANDPIT. 15 rounds were also fired at an observing station apparently controlling BATTLESHIP HILL battery.

At 1930 an enemy aeroplane passed over our position and dropped a bomb which fell in the sea just off the beach to the north of ANZAC.

				Officers	Other ranks	Animals.
Casualties	Killed	..	..	..	2	...
	Wounded	..	..	1	22	...
	Sick	..	..	2	95	...
Ammunition	18-pr.	4.7 inch.	5 inch How.	6-inch How.	Jap. mortar	
	59 rds	2 rds.	20 rds.	Nil	1 round	

Colonel.
General Staff.

"C" Form (Original).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2123.
No. of Message.

Prefix	Code	Words	Received	Sent, or sent out	Office Stamp.
		£ s. d.	From	At 351 m.	
Charges to collect			By	To 30 7 15	
Service Instructions.			By		

Handed in at 1st Aust Div Office 30 7 15 m. Received 30 7 15 m.

TO 1st Aust Div

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

Quiet day aaa enemy had working parties on HOLLY and HARRIS RIDGES during night but were unable to make much progress aaa 4th LH relieved 7th LH in outer line HOLLY RIDGE aaa Casualties for 24 hrs 1 officer slightly wounded 1 other ranks killed 6 other ranks wounded

FROM 2nd LH Bde
PLACE & TIME 06 30

"C" Form (Duplicate).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2123.
No. of Message.

	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	£ s. d.	
	352	
	30 7 15	
Service Instructions.		

Handed in at K C Office 30 7 15 m. Received 06 52 m.

TO Aust Div

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

K C 30 7 15
Very quiet night except that enemy threw many bombs aaa Our works were not hindered casualties killed two amm expended 400 rounds

FROM 3rd Inf Bde
PLACE & TIME 06 42

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"C" Form (Original).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 9193

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received	Sent, or sent out	Office Stamp.
			From <i>Ka</i>	At <i>353</i> m.	
			By <i>9</i>	To <i>29 7 15</i>	
Charges to collect					
Service Instructions.					

Handed in at *Ka* Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO *Ant Dir*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>Ka 540</i>	<i>30</i>		

*Southern No 2 Section report
aaa first Bn have been
deepening trenches and improving
parade for fire position and
second Bn sent out three
patrols last night from "A"
"B" and "D" Coy respectively and
first two had nothing to
report but D Coy patrol which
went out from 2030-2140
got close to enemy trenches
and heard talking working of
rifle bullets picking and shelling
and working with barbed wire
aaa No enemy patrols seen
aaa at 1130 enemy 75 mm
shelled for half an hour*

FROM
PLACE & TIME

"C" Form (Original).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 9193

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received	Sent, or sent out	Office Stamp.
			From	At <i>353</i> m.	
			By	To <i>30 7 15</i>	
Charges to collect					
Service Instructions.					

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

TO *2nd for*

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

*damaging roof of first and
post and wounding two men
aaa 3rd Bn nothing special
to report. work of sparring
firing line carried on vigour
house aaa No shelling yesterday
aaa 4th Bn "A" Coy
has relieved "B" Coy
the left "D" Coy has
relieved "C" Coy on the
right aaa 1 "C" Coy less
one platoon at rept camp
aaa Daylight sap overlooking
WIRE Gully re-based and improved
aaa 2nd 2nd Coy new have
2 MG's in daylight sap covering
their front and Gully post*

FROM
PLACE & TIME

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"C" Form (Original).
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Army Form C. 9193

No. of Message.....

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£ s. d.			From.....	At 353 m.	
Charges to collect			By.....	To 30 7 15	
Service Instructions.			By.....		

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

TO

*Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

report enemy all quiet aaa
 enemy reported to be digging
 during night in rear of
 after hit no sign can
 be seen as yet outside
 trenches aaa some head cover
 certainly remains on two front
 trenches. 1044 aaa further
 report to follow. aaa enemy
 working on parapet during night
 aaa 1st at 6320 explosion
 heard in direction of G.O.
 trench as if mine exploded
 it was followed by burst
 of enemy rifle fire aaa
 casualties one killed 2 wounded
 aaa ammunition expended 4125 rds

FROM

PLACE & TIME

"C" Form (Original).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 9193

No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received	Sent, or sent out	Office Stamp.
£ s. d.			From.....	At 353 m.	
Charges to collect			By.....	To 30 7 15	
Service Instructions.			By.....		

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

TO

*Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

Raa One Japanese bomb
 fired

WJ 30/7

FROM

PLACE & TIME

1st Inf Bde
 06.50

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"C" Form (Duplicate).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message.....

SM. Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	\$ 3.50 30 7 15	

Handed in at K.B. Office 4545 m. Received 4545 m.

TO Amk Div

Sender's Number <u>236</u>	Day of Month <u>30th</u>	In reply to Number <u>AAA</u>
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24 hours report our section
during day repairing trenches and
enemy actions during day, enemy
75⁵ from vicinity TURKS HUMP
2 sira fell on left sub section
and command 3 men a.a.a.
enemy action 4th 8th reported at
1010 that overhead power of enemy
two front trenches on TO H.N. 50 NS
1044 had been removed a.a.a. on
Machine Gun on left flamed according
a.a.a. on action during night at

FROM
PLACE & TIME

"C" Form (Duplicate).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message.....

O.P.N. Service Instructions.	Charges to Pay.	Office Stamp.
	\$ 3.50 30 7 15	

Handed in at K.B. Office 4545 m. Received 4545 m.

TO Amk Div

Sender's Number <u>236</u>	Day of Month <u>30th</u>	In reply to Number <u>AAA</u>
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1320 we fired mine in Gap
D.G.B. successfully drawing much
rifle fire from German Officer
Trench a.a.a. right Machine Gun
on right section but and temporarily
disabled a.a.a. enemy action during
night Bomb landed in R.P. No sup
hit at 1230 no damage a.a.a. about
enemy fired a mine under Quinn's post
causing terrific explosion but no section
report they slight damage to Harriet a.a.a.
enemy quiet during night and patrol

FROM
PLACE & TIME

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"C" Form (Duplicate).
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form G. 2123.

No. of Message

Charges to Pay.

Office Stamp.

£ s. d.

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30/7/15

Service Instructions.

Handed in at Office m. Received m.

TO

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

an old mine trench report
no movement a.a. Casualties
during last week have been
expended 1688 rounds master Bomb
5. 1st Grenadier Co. a.a. Co.
Lt 30/7

FROM

PLACE & TIME

2nd Inf Bde
0840

Casualty Return

Mule 1st Acc 8vi

30/7/15

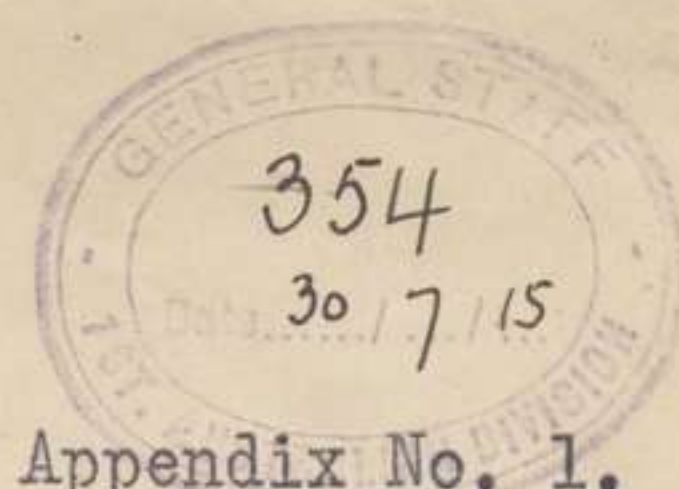
Lt 30/7

Mullins Capt
D.M. & M.G.

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1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION
ARTILLERY DAILY REPORT,
30-7-15.



Appendix No. 1.

30/7/15.

No. 1 Section.

- 1150 The OLIVE GROVE right and left sections shelled our RIGHT FLANK and the BEACH at various times between 1150 and 1909 and on each occasion were silenced by either BURGESS or JOPPS BATTERIES, 20 rounds being the maximum number expended in any one series. At 1800 the left section was engaging a Monitor in co-operation with a howitzer, the latter ceased fire after three rounds from JOPPS BATTERY. to be
- 1200 HUGHES BATTERY fired 3 rounds at what appeared a telephonist party N.W. of Y JUNCTION TRENCHES and 4 rounds at recently made earth works in that locality.
- 1600 4th Battery LOWLAND BRIGADE ~~fixed xxxxxxxx~~ registered JOHNSTONES JOLLY in 5 rounds and MULE VALLEY in 4.
- 0500 5th Battery LOWLAND BRIGADE fired 5 rounds at JOHNSTONES JOLLY in accordance with instructions issued by G.O.C., Army Corps.
- 1815 The same Battery registered MULE VALLEY.
- 1630 Two rounds were fired by the 4.7 Q.F. at a body of enemy troops estimated at 500 INF. The second round was judged effective

No. 2 Section.

- 4th and 5th Batteries did not come into action.
- 1135 8th Battery fired 19 searching rounds at a 75 m/m gun the flash of which had been located on night 27/28/7/15.. This gun is in the vicinity of SAND PIT. 15 rounds were also fired at an observing station apparently controlling BATTLESHIP HILL BATTERY.
- 1930 An enemy aeroplane passed over the position and dropped a bomb which fell harmlessly into the sea.

Ammunition expended 18-pr.	59
4.7	2
5"	20
6"	NIL

Casualties

NIL

J. D. Hobbs
Brig.-General
Commanding Artillery 1st Aust Div.

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Daily operations 41MA Bde

29th July 1915.

25 Jms

1400

Sec in Sq 224 C 5 (Capt H. J. Salvin)1 P.S. with $\frac{1}{2}$ Charge registering bench - Range 1400^x
158° magSection in Sq 224 C 4/5 (Capt E. C. Harrington) nilSec in Sq 224 C 2 (Capt H. A. Kirby)

1015

4 T.S. at about a dozen cavalry horses tethered
in a field Range 4400^x 3° mag Sq 250 Y 2

Fire ineffective - Range wrongly estimated

A one man Range finder is badly required in this
Section + in Capt Rawsons on the right.If one per Battery could be obtained it would
be of great assistance. India does not supply
them.

Annex pending

1 P.S. 4 T.S. Total 5 rounds

Casualties

nil

To The Staff Capt

N.Z. Div.

H. Harrington

30 $\frac{4}{15}$

Capt R. A.

Adjutant 7th Ind. Mtn Arty. Brigadepa
(W)
31/7Aust Div.
We have only one Range finder
per battery & if they are lost they cannot be replaced. (ZEISS)
I regret I am unable to advise.
31-7-15. D. S. Noble, Bde. Quar. Officer.

TRENCH WORKS.

Section	Unit	Work	Length	and	Date	up to 6 p.m.	7-5-18			
			23-7-15	24-7-15	25-7-15	26-7-15	27-7-15	28-7-15	29-7-15	30-7-15
SOUTHERN N°1.	5 th L.H.	Tunnel along HARRIS RIDGE	General deepening & improving mine works	Generally improving	do	Generally Imp ^d 11.6	Generally Imp ^d			
	TUNNEL CHATHAMS POST						30'	40'	55'	70'
	6 th L.H.	Sap	deepening for hand work 100'	Deepening & improving mine Sap from N°5T	Improving fire Tr. Sap 22'	Fire Tr. completed 1:6.6 34'	48'	60'	70'	78'
	7 th L.H.	Saps N°1 R. L. 2 R. L. 3 R. L.	15' Tr. Completed Connection with TASMANIA POST deepening fire Tr. throughout	Improving trench etc.	Tunnel from N°6 Saps 15' mine Sap N°10 10.6 Improving fire Tr.	34' 22' Fire trench deepened 1:6.6	14.9 30'	66'	74'	78.6
4 th L.H.		Saps from N°6 Harris Ridge Reserves Trench Tunnel N°10 Harris Ridge MINE TUNNEL for N°8 Sap HULLY RIDGE		Generally improving mine line of defence	do	do	1" study 17'			

30' deep 1911
4' deep 1911

30' July 1915
 74' 78.6
 45' 52'
 30' 46'
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TRENCH WORKS.

Section	Unit	Work	Length and date up to 18.00						
			23-7-15	24-7-15	25-7-15	26-7-15	27-7-15	28-7-15	29-7-15
NORTHERN No 1	12 th Bn. 11 th Holly Ridge	M. G. Sap.	78'	82'	85' 6"	Through.			
		M. G. Wing (new firing line)							
		TUNNEL A.I. (Support Tr.)	79' (complete)						
		To L.H.							
		Orange Saps R		80'	45' 14"	65'	68'	80'	82'
		No 1		14'			26'	36'	40'
		2 Extension		10'	29' 0"	43'	56'	56.2	65.6
		5			14' 6"	25'	40' 3"	47' 4"	64' 8"
		4			14' 6"	29' 6"	33' 6"	52'	76'
		The Firing LINE					28'	50' 6"	75' 6"
	9 th Bn. N of Cornfield	TUNNEL 8							16' 0"
		do 9							5'
		B. Coy Corn. Tr.	work						
		Bluff Sap.	Suspended...		71' 3"	85' 3"	113' 6"	119' 6"	124' 6"
		C. Coy S. end.	all men required	do					130' 0"
		" N end.	for parapet work						
		Y Sap. new branch R	1 general defence		25'	36'	46'	50'	59'
		3. B (Bomb tunnel)	in tunnels		15' 0"	—	26' 6"	40'	48' 6"
		A. Coy Saps open			10'	40'	100' 6"	108'	124'
		C. Coy Saps			5'	15'			132'
	10 th Bn.	Y Saps Firing LINE L					3'	11'	17'
		No 3 Bomb Tunnel							25' 6"
		Branch R A.C. Saps					37' 0"	finished	9'

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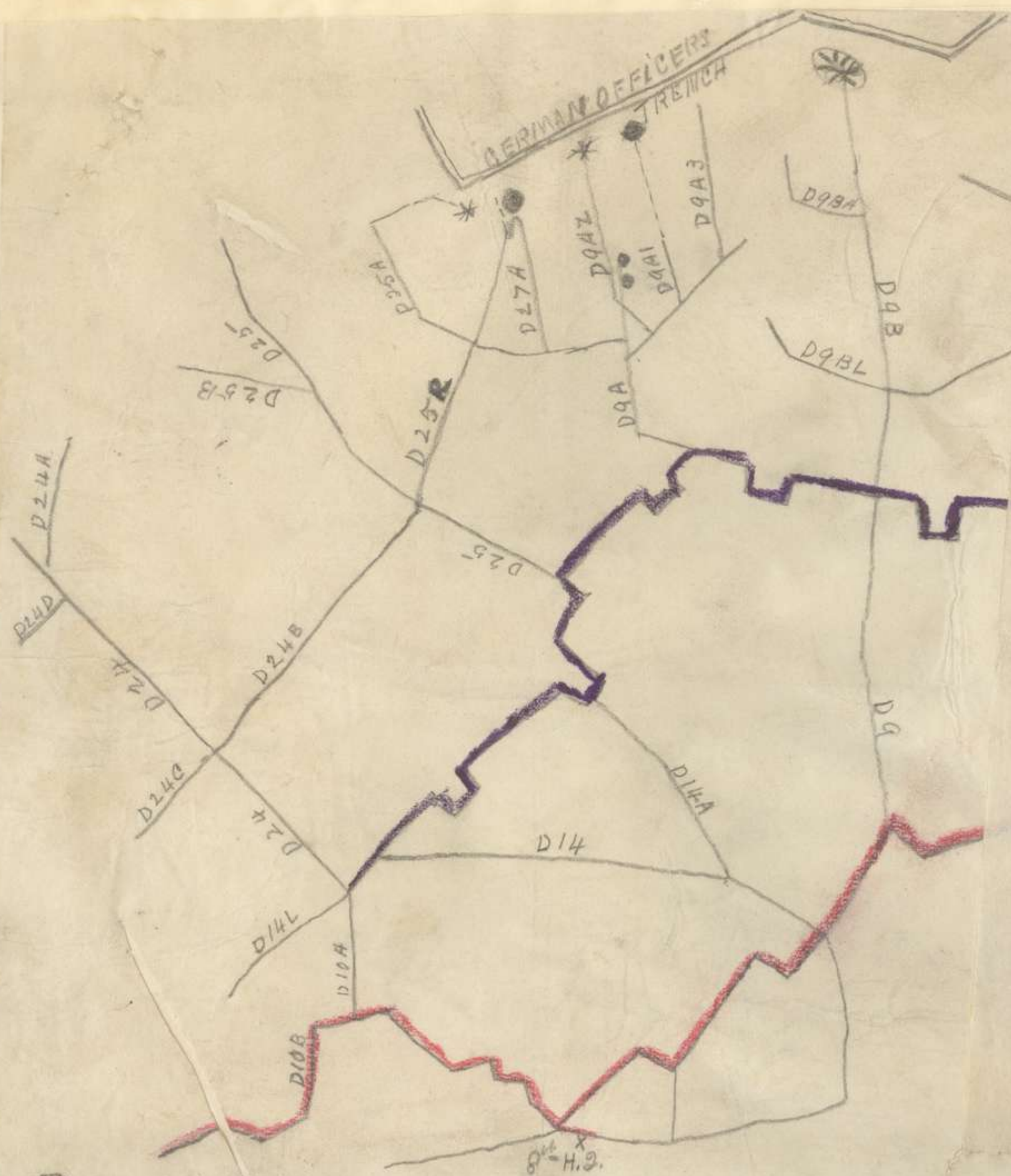
TRENCH WORKS.

Section	Unit	Work	Length and date to 18.00							
			23-7-15	24-7-15	25-7-15	26-7-15	27-7-15	28-7-15	29-7-15	30-7-15
SOUTHERN N°2	2 nd Bn.	B. 35 (Br off B. 21)								
		B. 27	mine fired 12.00		29/7/15					
		B. 28								
		B. 33 (Br off B. 28)								
		B. 34 (Br off B. 28)								
		B. 30			121'	126'		132'	136'	141.6
		B. 31					7/4			
		B. 32								
		B. 36				32.6		stopped		
		B. 37			16'	19.6		26.6	31'	36'
	1 st Bn.	B. 33			9'	16.6		25'	29'	32.6
		B. 38			38'	42.6	2/21	stopped		
	4 th Bn.	C. 25						6'	14'	stopped
		C. 28				24.6		30.6	33' 6"	stopped
		C. 33				26		24.6	31' 6"	34'
		C. 38				10.6		17'		
		C. 32				16.10		20.4	20.00	25.10
		C. 39 (new Tunnel)						21' 0"	25'	30.6
									7'	11.6
	3 rd Bn.	C. 31 (New br off C. 1)								
		C. 30 (Br off C. 5)								
		C. 32 (" " C. 2)								
		C. 35 (" " C. 4)								
		C. 36 (" " C. 4)								
		C. 37 (" " C. 24)								

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Alteration to 3rd
day map.

- ① Machine Gun emplacement on Signal Hill.
- ② Overhead cover in N1 on JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY
- ③ Commencement of sap to left from of tunnel D23.
- ④ New Tunnels in area shown in 1"=30' Sketch
- ⑤ M Gun marked ① permanently on Brand's Hill
" " " ④ on Brand's Hill by day, only
M Gun marked ⑧, ⑨ & ⑩ permanently in H to Br
[NO. 2. SOUTHERN. LEFT SUBSECTION]
* = 12' Bde M. Guns.

ROUGH SKETCH SHEWING NEW TUNNELS.

MAP 8" SUBSECTION 29 July 1915

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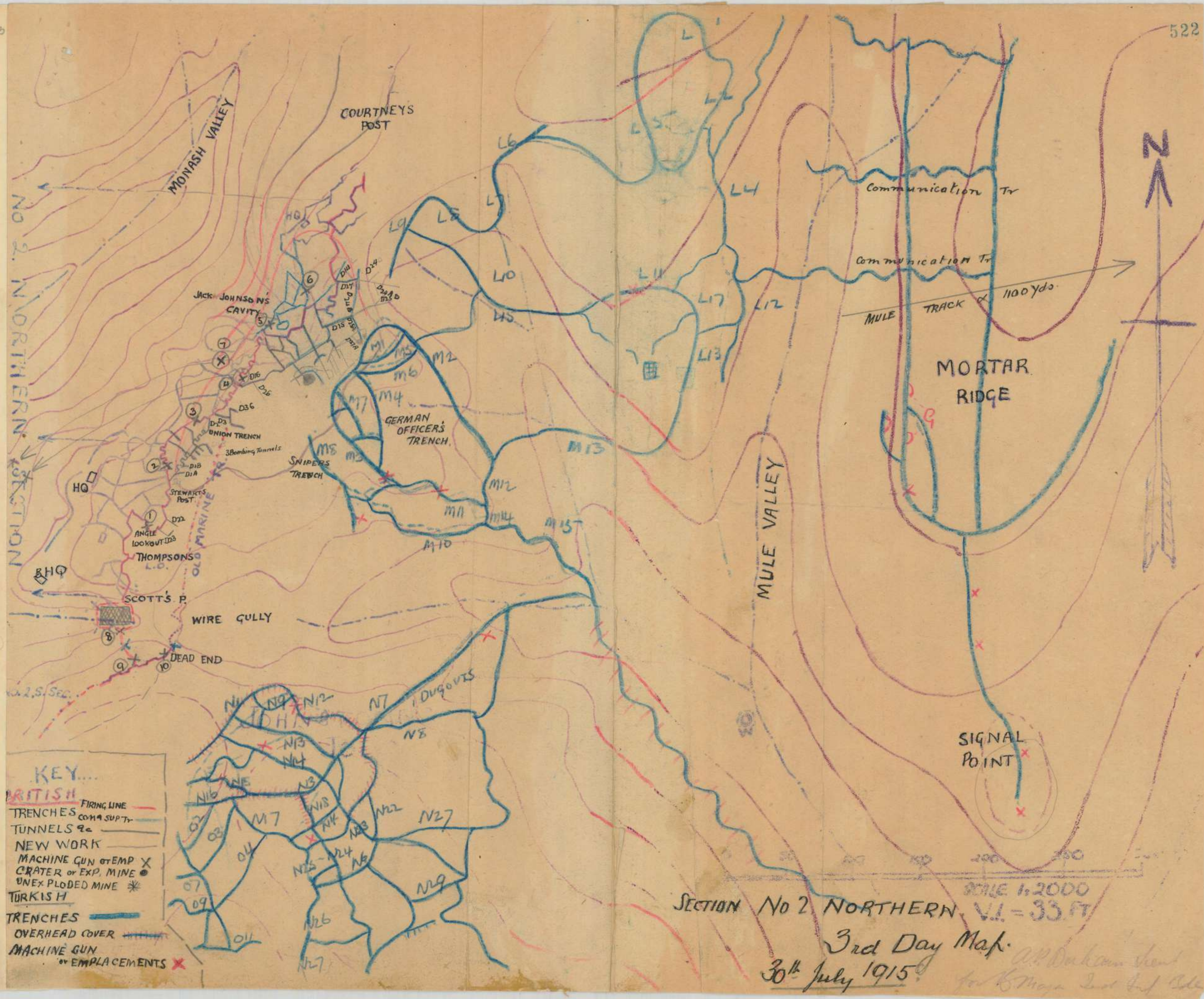
RED
LINE

SCALE 30' = 1"

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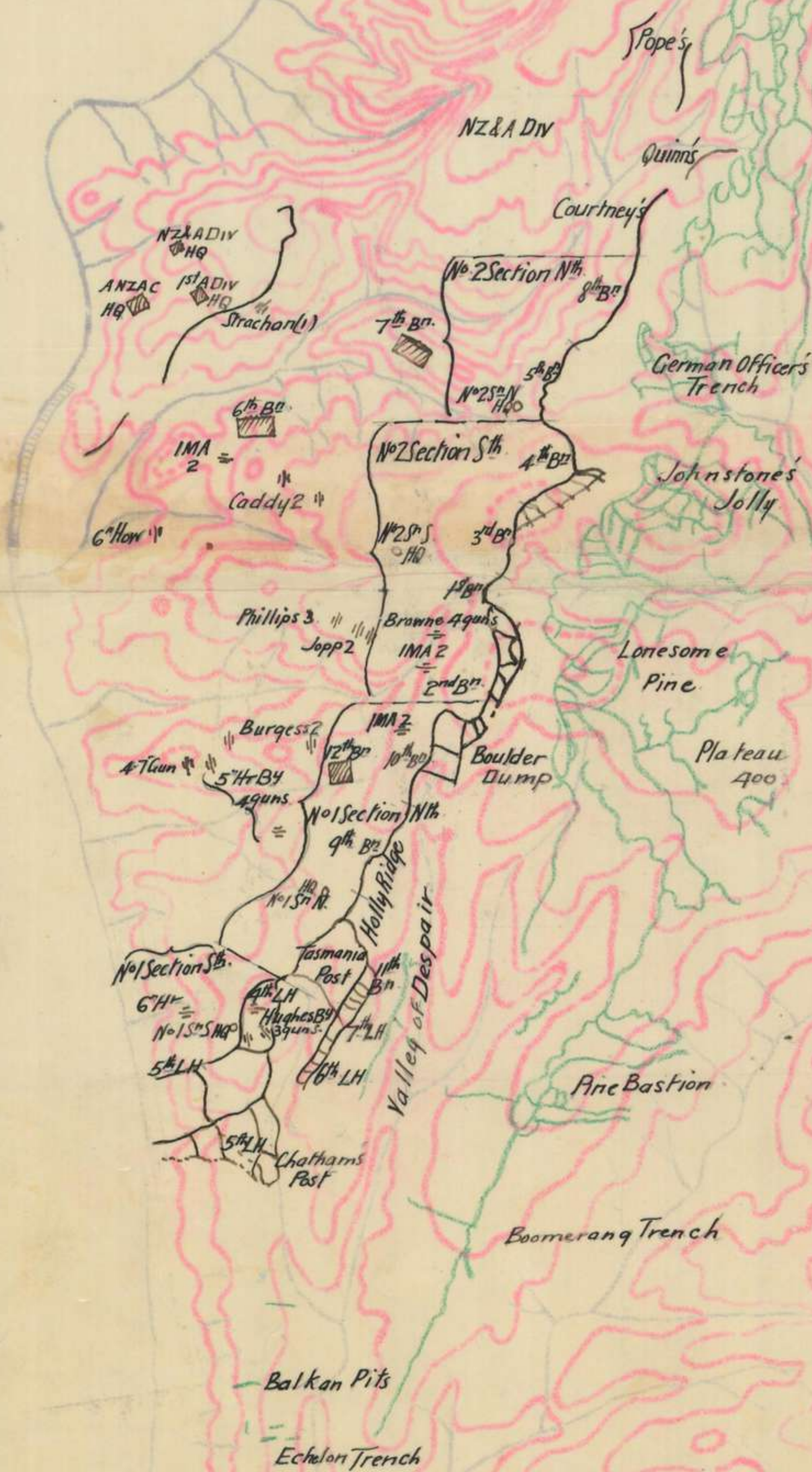
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MAP OF THE SITUATION 1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

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Works Old In course
of construction
British — — — —
Turk — — — —

Scale 1:10000

100 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 900 1000

1:120 metres = about 65 feet

30° 12' 30"
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Scale 1:10000

Water
Railway
Road

Contours
at 100 ft
intervals

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JOSEPH WALLART SUB

JOSEPH WALLART SUB

MAP OF THE SITUATION

1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

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True Meridian

SOUTHERN No. 1.
Formation ———
Work in Progress - - -
Enemy ———
New Trenches ①②③
" Com Trenches ④⑤

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Balkan Pits
New Com.

Echelon Trench

Chatham's Post

Hughes Bty

7th L.H.

6th L.H.

5th L.H.

Holly Spur

Tasmania Post

Valley of Despair

Shipers Ridge

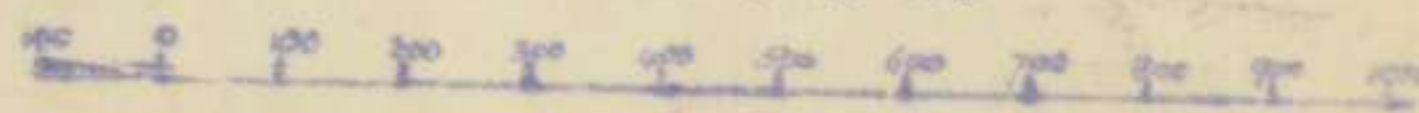
Pine Ridge

Pine Bastion

New Work

Boomerang Trench

Scale 1:10000



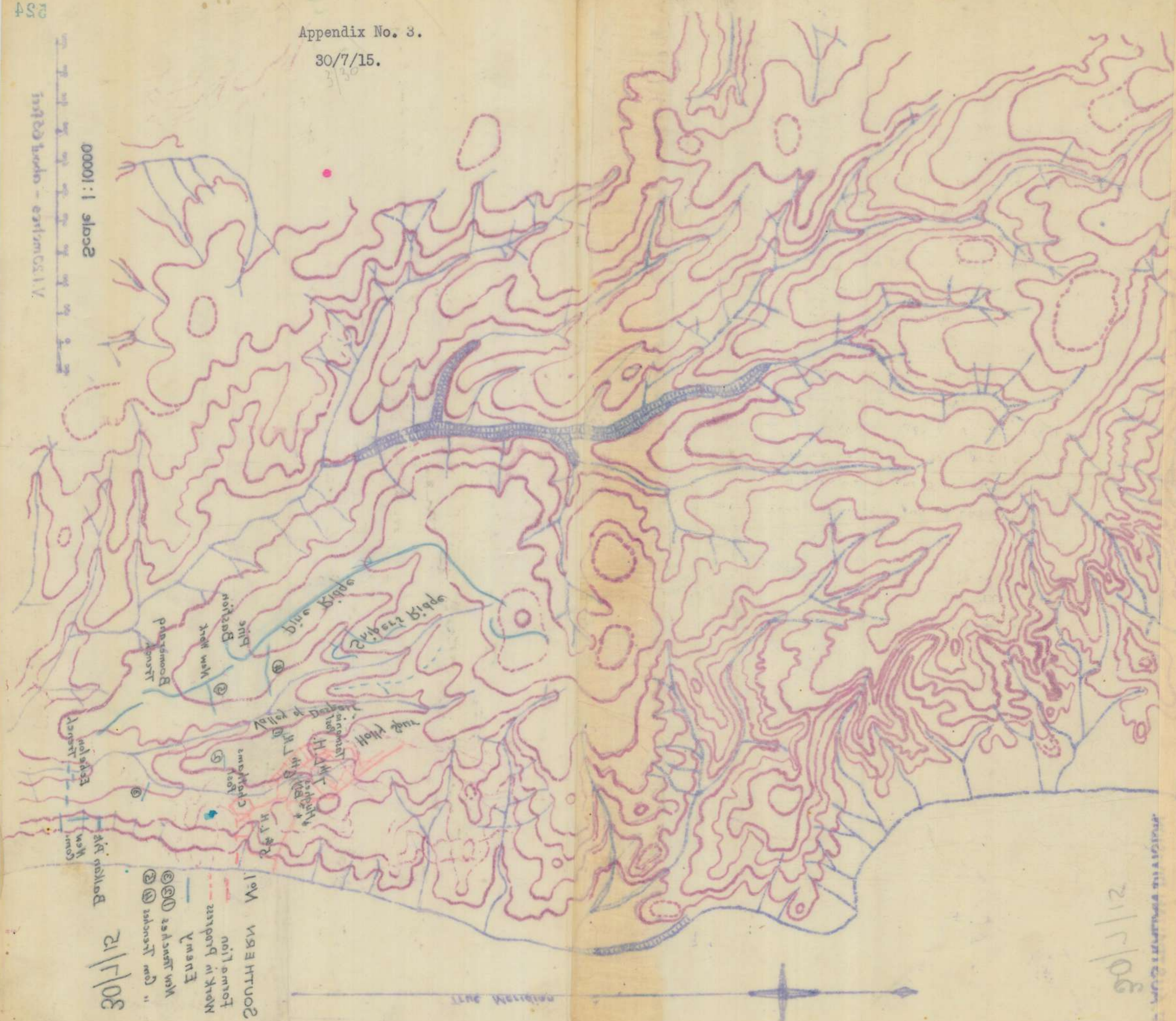
V. 120 metres - about 65 feet

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infantry - cavalry

Scale 1:10000



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" New Trenches ① ②

New Trenches ① ③ ③

Enemy

Work in Progress

Former Lion

SOUTHERN WOL

Balkan War

New Trench

Enemy

Work in Progress

Former Lion

SOUTHERN WOL

New Trenches ① ②

New Trenches ① ③ ③

Enemy

Work in Progress

Former Lion

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Enemy

Work in Progress

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Enemy

Work in Progress

Former Lion

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Work in Progress

Former Lion

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New Trenches ① ②

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THE WOLF

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30/7/15.

COURTNEY'S POST

MONASH VALLEY

NORTHERN SECTION

HQ

S

gun

R

Trench

clay tons

OLD MARINE TR.

HQ

THOMPSONS L.O.

SCOTT'S P.

WIRE GULLY

WIRE GULLY

No 2 S SEC.

JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY

KEY
BRITISH
TRENCHES
TUNNELS
NEW WORK

SCALE 1:5000

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COURTNEY'S
POST

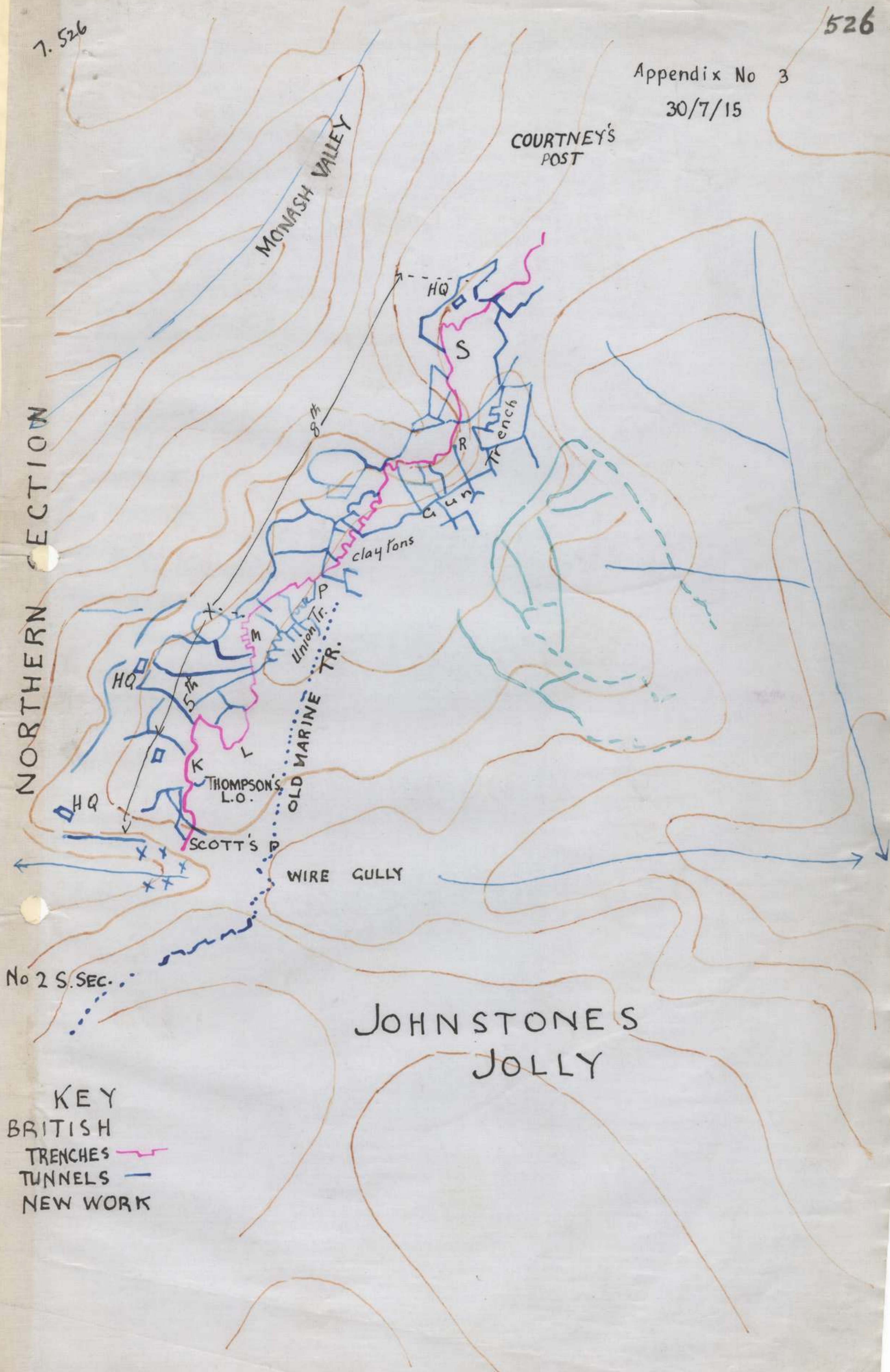
MONASH VALLEY

NORTHERN SECTION

No 2 S. SEC.

KEY
BRITISH
TRENCHES ———
TUNNELS ———
NEW WORK

JOHNSTONE'S
JOLLY



30:7:15

AREA OCCUPIED BY
1ST ME BDE A.I.F.

BRITISH —
ENEMY —

30/7/15.



MULE VALLEY

WIRE CULLY

JOHNSTONES JOLLY

OWEN'S CULLY

MIAMIAS

LONESOME PINE

GERMANOT

SNIPERS TR

SCOTT'S PT

CRATER POST

BWF

THE PIMPLE

2ND BN

1ST BN

NEW SA

SCALE 1:3768

100 0 100 200 300 400 500

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'3 day' Sketch

Scale 1/10,000.
(Angstrom Scale).

A.M. Ross m
B.M.
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1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Summary - 6 a.m. 30th July to 6 a.m. 31st July.

Appendix No. 1.
31/7/15.

No. I. Section .. SOUTH. This flank was shelled yesterday afternoon for half an hour, otherwise the day was quiet. The demonstration to mark the victory over the Turks drew considerable fire for about 30 minutes. The night was quiet and generally during the 24 hours there was less movement in front of this section than usual.

NORTH. A quiet day and night. The enemy were fairly active at their new works on HOLLY SPUR until moonrise; with that exception the night was uneventful.

No. II. Section .. SOUTH. The day was comparatively quiet. The 3rd Battalion reported that the effect of our artillery fire on JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY was good and that the Turks were heard crying out after the fall of our shells. Between 2400 and 0400 sentries of the 2nd Battalion in our observation post report much digging just outside the enemy's trenches at LONE PINE. The 4th Battalion report the erection of a body screen on the front trench of JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY opposite the crater which is now between ours and the Turkish lines.

NORTH. This section suffered its usual daily shelling but beyond the destruction of a certain amount of our parapet, the damage was small. Infantry observers report that our guns landed one shot in the enemy's gunpit on MORTAR RIDGE, and that a fire ensued. An enemy aeroplane flew over our position at 1745. During the night no enemy movement was observed except work in the crater near GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH, which we retarded by sniping and bombing.

Artillery .. At varying intervals throughout the day the OLIVE GROVE, ~~fixed~~ shelled our right flank and also the beach. In all it came into action seven times and involved us in an expenditure of 69 rounds from BURGESS' and JOFF'S batteries.

At 1405 and 1545 working parties were seen north-east of Y JUNCTION (square 67 Z. 2 - 6). HUGHES' battery fired 3 effective rounds at this target.

The 4th Battery, 4th Lowlands Brigade, fired 5 rounds at JOHNSTONE'S JOLLY but only obtained 2 effective bursts. The 69th Brigade fired 10 rounds at ECHELON TRENCHES but none appeared to fall in the trenches.

In No. II Section no firing was carried out by our batteries. The most active battery of the enemy was the 75 mm from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL.

Two new 18-pr. guns and carriages were received last night and have been allotted to the 2nd Artillery Brigade to form a mobile section - its rendezvous being at the junction of SHRAPNEL and WHITE VALLEYS.

Two bombs were dropped from an enemy aeroplane at 1730.

			Officers	Other ranks	Animals
Casualties ..	Killed .. ..	.. ..	...	2	...
	Wounded .. ..	.. ..	...	33	...
	Sick .. ..	.. ..	6	101	...
Ammunition expended ..	18-pdr. 4.7 inch.	5-inch How.	6-inch How.	Jap. mortar.	
	69 rds. Nil	5 rds.	Nil	Nil.	

Colonel, G.S.

Charges to Pay. Office Stamp.



Service Instructions.

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

TO

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

position shelled yesterday afternoon
 for half hour otherwise quiet
 day aaa demonstration to
 mark victory over Turks draw
 considerable fire from enemy
 for half hour aaa except
 for few bombs enemy was
 quiet during night movement of
 enemy on our front appeared

FROM
 PLACE & TIME

Charges to Pay. Office Stamp.



Service Instructions.

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

TO

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

to have been with exception
 of small isolated parties machine
 at a short interval aaa machine
 for it have 1 other rank
 killed 10 other ranks wounded

W 31/7

FROM
 PLACE & TIME

2nd Lt. Lde
 0630

"C" Form (Duplicate). Army Form C. 2123.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS. No. of Message _____

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Service Instructions.

Handed in at _____ Office _____ m. Received 0655 m.

TO

Sender's Number KCH03	Day of Month 31/06	In reply to Number AAA
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Enemy fairly active at Darkish
 Despair till moonrise aaa otherwise
 very uneventful night casualties
 killed one ammunition expended
 500 rounds

WJ 31/7

FROM
 PLACE & TIME

2nd Inf Bde 0645

"C" Form (Duplicate). Army Form C. 2123.
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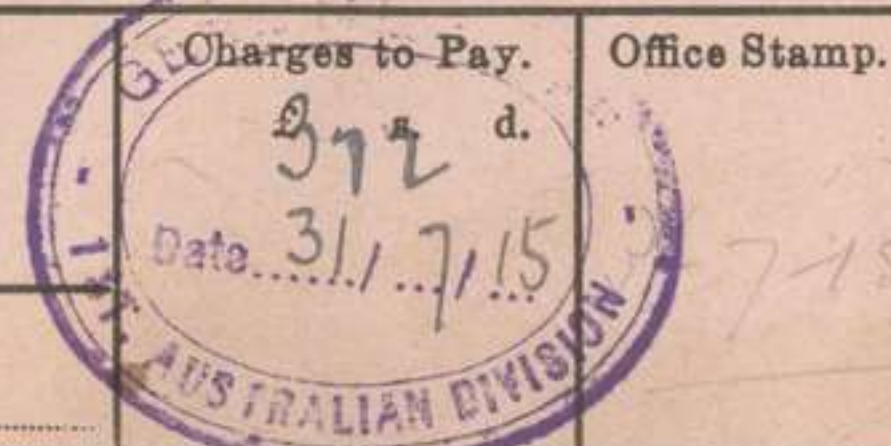
Sender's Number Ka 561	Day of Month 31/7	In reply to Number AAA
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Southern No 2 section AAA first
 Bn nothing to report all quiet
 AAA Section Bn report that
 between 1200 and 0400 the section
 in the observation posts near
 B8 Tunnel in this position
 heard much digging outside
 enemy trenches at Longpine
 near crater AAA they were
 fired on but without any
 effect. AAA part of barbed
 wire in front AAA recovered
 during the night AAA three
 patrols were sent out but
 beyond hearing enemy working in
 trenches have nothing to report
 AAA third Bn report

FROM
 PLACE & TIME

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Service Instructions.

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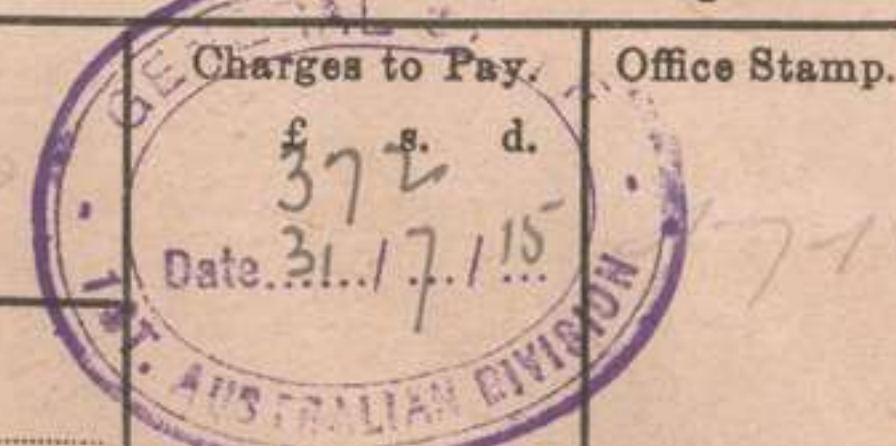
TO

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

SA effect of artillery fire on
 Jolly was good. Turks were
 heard crying out after shells
 dropped and began to run
 located near Hill 10 and
 can be pointed out from
 position observation post. Aaa
 report the destruction
 of a body screen on front bench
 of Jolly opposite crater
 W1 Aaa some of our bombs
 failed to explode probably due
 to old fuses Aaa Casualties
 few wounded Aaa Ammunition
 expended 74 & 75 rounds Aaa One
 German bomb fired

FROM
 PLACE & TIME

First Inf Bde
 0648



Service Instructions.

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

TO

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

In continuance of my morning
 report fourth Bn now report
 that by an expenditure of fifty
 rounds they have destroyed the
 bomb screen arrangement on
 Jolly behind crater

Aug 1st 1915

FROM
 PLACE & TIME

First Inf Bde
 0745

Charges to Pay Office Stamp.



Service Instructions.

Handed in at Office 0550 m. Received 0620 m.

TO

Just Low

Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number A A A

24 Hours report our action during day usual sniping repairs aaa Enemy 75 Gun TURKS HUMP fired three rounds 0445 eighteen rounds between 1700 and 1730 aaa Gun MORTAR RIDGE fired four rounds at 1100 four at 1115 and one at 1130 aaa Damage to our parapet only aaa when our artillery replied one shot landed in the enemy gun pit causing a fire aaa 06 mch 1700 mch vicinity TURKS HUMP fired nine rounds HF between 1800 and 1845 damage nil. aaa Enemy aeroplane flew over our position at 1745 aaa

FROM PLACE & TIME

Charges to Pay Office Stamp.



Service Instructions.

Handed in at Office m. Received m.

TO

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Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number A A A

numerous loopholes apparently machine gun emplacements have been located with telescope on Mortar Ridge and trenches near LONE SOME PINE aaa Our action during night patrol as usual to OLD MARINE TRENCH returned 0230 no enemy movement observed aaa Enemy working in crater connected with German Officers. French was harassed by us by sniping and bombing aaa Enemy transport observed from Left Subsection at about 1600 Reported KB 614 aaa Casualties 4 wounded aaa Ammunition expended point 303 1480 rounds

FROM PLACE & TIME

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.

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Office Stamp.

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Date 31/7/11

Service Instructions.

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

TO

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

French Mortar	11
Handgrenades	11

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FROM

PLACE & TIME

2nd Inf Bde
0330

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1st Aust Division

Mule State

31-7-15

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Effective</u>	<u>Sick</u>	<u>Killed</u>	<u>Total</u>
Div Train	68	9	<u>NIL</u>	77

J Muller
Capt
DFA&MS

W 31/7

1/31

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS

No. of Message

Prefix	Code	m.	Words	Charge	<p>This message is on a/c of</p> <p>375</p> <p>31/7/15</p> <p>Service.</p> <p>ST. ARTHUR'S DIVISION</p> <p>(Signature of "Franking Officer.")</p>	Recd. at	m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.						Date	
Sent						From	
At						By	
To							
By							

TO

Amc

Sender's Number.	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
* 4 375	31/07		

Enemy aeroplane dropped five bombs
over first bde HQ aaa all
missed aaa 4th Bn knocked down
by fire the body screen on the tower
referred to in this morning's summary

From	Amc	
Place		
Time	0845	
The above may be forwarded as now corrected.		(Z)
Censor.		Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.

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1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION,
Artillery Daily Report,
31/7/15



No. 1 Section.

Appendix No. 1.
31/7/15.

- 0500 The only enemy batteries to open fire were the OLIVE GROVE right to and left sections and the Howitzer in the same group.
- 1800 At varying intervals throughout the day this battery shelled our right flank and also the beach, in all it came into action seven times which entailed an expenditure of 69 rounds altogether from BURGESS and JOPPS BATTERIES to silence the hostile.
- 1405 At 1405 and 1545 working parties were seen in the communication trenches N.E. of Y JUNCTION, sq. 67.Z. 2-6 (1.20,000 map) HUGHES BATTERY fired 3 effective rounds in all at this target. The Heavy Battery did not fire. The 5th LOWLAND BATTERY did not fire.
- 0500 The 4th Battery 4th LOWLAND BRIGADE fired 5 rounds at JOHNSTONES JOLLY obtaining two effective bursts.
- 1730 The 69th Brigade fired 10 rounds at ECHELON TRENCHES, none appeared to fall in the trenches.

No. 2 Section.

No firing was carried out by the Batteries allotted to this Section of Defence. The most active battery of the enemy was the 75m/m from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL which baffles all our efforts to locate it although a most careful watch is kept of the area under observation. Approximately 47 rounds were fired by the enemy, 31 of these being from the above mentioned battery.

GENERAL- two 18-pr. guns and carriages arrived and were allotted to the 2nd Artillery Brigade to form a Mobile Section, its rendezvous being at the junction of SHRAPNEL and WHITE VALLEYS.

- 1730 Two bombs were dropped from an enemy aeroplane no damage being reported to any units of this command.

Ammunition expended 18-pr.	69
4.7	Nil
5"	5
6"	Nil

Casualties 2 Other Ranks wounded

J. D. Hobbs
Brig.-General
Commanding Artillery, 1st Aust.Div.

W 31/7

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 30th July to 6 a.m. 31st July.

No. 3 SECTION.

The demonstration to celebrate the victory at NAZIRIYAH drew a considerable amount of fire all along the Section. The enemy 5.7" gun from the direction of BATTLESHIP HILL fired into the left of COURTNEY'S POST about 6.30 p.m. causing a fair amount of damage to the trenches, but only three slight casualties among the garrison.

During the night the enemy were a little more active than usual with their bombs, otherwise the night passed particularly quietly.

No. 4 SECTION.

The cheering and feu de joie at 5 p.m. drew a considerable amount of rifle fire from the enemy, and it was observed that their trenches were fully manned; a little movement was reported in the trenches above POPP'S left.

At 8 p.m. the left flank destroyer made very good practice into the large "U" trench in the NEK and also into the communication trench behind it, and trench No. C 5. This was done without searchlight.

At 10.30 p.m. H.M.S. CHAMBER shelled TABLE TOP and valley North of BAUCHOP'S HILL and at 4.45 a.m. this morning again made excellent practice at the NEK trenches, placing a few shells into the big trench in front of No. 2 Sap, beginning at the bottom of the trench on the seaward face, and working upwards.

The night has passed quietly.

ARTILLERY.

The 1st Battery fired 6 rounds at the Turkish working party on CHOCOLATE HILLS, mentioned in yesterday report. The series caused the party to disperse.

During the day the Howitzer Battery fired 6 rounds at MORTAR RIDGE. These were effective.

Japanese Mortar. No. of bombs fired - Nil.

CASUALTIES.

	<u>Officers.</u>	<u>Other Ranks.</u>	<u>Animals.</u>
<u>KILLED.</u>	-	-	1
<u>WOUNDED.</u>	1	17	-
<u>SICK</u> (evacuated)	1	96	-

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