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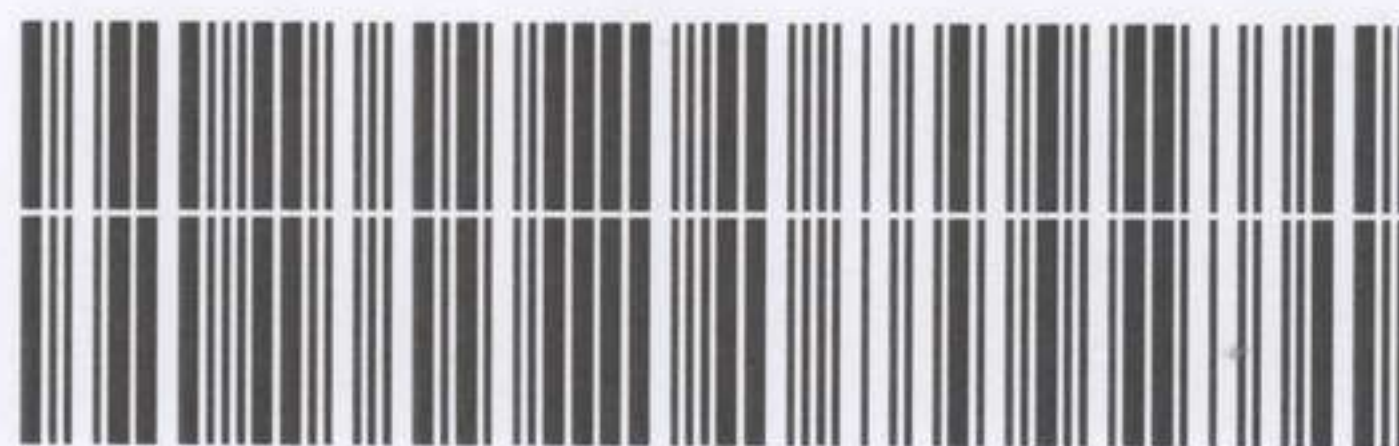
**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,
1914-18 War**

Bases & Depots

Item number: 33/17/6

Title: No 2 Australian Command Depot

November 1916



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and the Staff Manual respectively. Title pages
will be prepared in manuscript.

WAR DIARY
or
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

(Erase heading not required.)

No 2 Command.

Army Form C. 2118.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
WEYMOUTH	1916 12.11		Draft for AUSTRALIA	
	16.11		Westham Camp re-opened Captain D.A. KENNEDY 21st Battalion in charge	
	30.11		Major C.R. LOWE 6th. Battalion took over command of WESTHAM camp from Captain KENNEDY	
			November Arrivals 2784	
			Departures 1318	
			Average Daily Strength 3132.	

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MEMORANDUM.

Army Form C. 348.

From COMMANDANT
No 2 Aust Command Depot
Weymouth

From

To Headquarters
A.I.F. Depots in U.K.
Tidworth

To

ANSWER.

Monte Video Camp

1st Decr 1916.

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I attach my monthly report on this
Command Depot for the month of
November 1916., for your informa-
-tion please.

G. W. Clark

LIEUT. & ADJUTANT.
No. 2 AUSTRALIAN COMMAND Depot
Commandant.

No 2 Australian Command Depot

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No.2.Aust.Command Depot,
Monte Video Camp,
Weymouth.
1st December 1916.

REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 1916.

	Officers	O/Ranks	Total
Strength on 31.10.16.	33	2633	2666
Total arrivals at Depot	49	2735	2784
Total "handled" at Depot.	82	5368	5450

DEPARTURES.-

Overseas drafts.	2	-	2
Transfers to British Army		4	4
Transfers to other Depots	7	1797	1804
Discharged in England		4	4
Invalided to Australia	37	451	488
Struck off Strength (Ill.Absentees)		16	16
Present strength on 31.10.16.	36	3096	3132

ACCIDENTS.- On 8th October 1916, in Weymouth, injuries were sustained by No.34, Private W. Ryan, 8th Brigade Machine Gun Coy., caused through being struck by a moving motor-car. After having carefully considered the evidence taken at a Court of Inquiry which was held on the matter, I was of opinion ^{injury} that the ~~accident~~ was quite accidental and that no blame could be attached to the driver of the motor car. Private Ryan was not on any military duty at the time.

No.2125 Private Hunt, R.M., 5th Pioneers, received injuries, on the 1st November, caused through being run over by a motor car. A Court of Inquiry was held on the matter and having considered the evidence I was of opinion that the occurrence was quite accidental. He was not on any military duty at the time. No blame could be attached to the driver of the motor car. Private Hunt was sober at the time of the accident.

INSPECTIONS.-

Lieut.-General H.G. Selater, G.C.B., Commanding-in-Chief, Southern Command, visited and inspected this Depot on 10th November 1916.

On 10th inst., Surgeon-General House V.C., C.B., D.M.S., A.I.F., visited this Depot and inspected draft of permanently unfit etc., class personnel prior to their embarkation to Australia.

The Travelling Medical Board composed of Colonel Ryan C.B., and Colonel Maudsley, C.M.G., A.A.M.C., arrived at this Depot on 18th November 1916, and after having passed in review, all Medical Board cases they took their departure on 20th inst.

ENTERTAINMENTS.-

On 3rd November 1916, an invitation was extended to the troops of this Depot to witness the musical comedy "The Girl in the Taxi" at the Pavilion Theatre Weymouth. All men free from duty attended the performance.

A concert was arranged by Mrs. Spencer-Browne and held in the Depot Gymnasium Hall, on the 15th November 1916.

Mrs. Cowdell Barrett continues to kindly provide a musical entertainment in the Y.M.C.A., every Thursday evening.

WESTHAM CAMP.-

On Friday, 17th November 1916, part of the Camp at Westham, was again taken over for the accommodation of 1000 Australian troops. This camp is utilized for the accommodation of men medically classified as follows.- Remedial cases of "B1a" class (Temp. Unfit) and hammock cases of "B2b" "C2" and "C3" classes. Major C.R. Lowe, 6th Battalion, who returned to No. 2. Command Depot from No. 3. Command Depot, Wool, on 25th Nov., has been transferred to Westham and has assumed

Command of that detachment, vice Captain L.A. Kennedy, who has returned to Monte Video Camp for duty.

ORDERLY ROOM.- During the month of November 1916, 21 ²men were dealt with for drunkenness, accompanied by one or other of the following offences.-

Obscene language, Creating a disturbance, absence, and gambling in Camp.

54 men were convicted on a charge on being absent without leave and were dealt with accordingly.

58 men were punished for minor offences against discipline.

REPORTS.-

The following reports are attached.-

Officer Commanding Westham Detachment.

Senior Medical Officer

Officer i/c Depot Post Office.

Sanitary & Pioneer (by Q.M.) Monte Video.

Alvanus Browne Colonel.
Commandant, No.2. Australian Command Depot.

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No 2 Australian Command Depot
Westham Camp,
WEYMOUTH
30th November 1916.

From:- MEDICAL OFFICER
Westham Camp

To:- SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICER
No 2 Australian Command Depot

HEALTH AND SANITARY REPORT FOR MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1916

I have the honor to report that the health of the troops in Westham Camp has been satisfactory.

The Daily average sick has been 17 and the daily average number of Dressings has been 20.

Three cases were removed to Hospital:-

- (1) Influenza and Bronchitis - to - Monte Video Camp
- (2) Pleurodynia - to - Monte Video Camp
- (3) Cerebro-Spinal-Meningitis to - Borough Isolation Hosp;

VENEREAL CASES. Nil

SCABIES 2. These men were removed to Monte Video Camp for treatment and isolation. Their blankets and bedding has been handed to Q.M. for disinfection.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES. One case of Cerebro-Spinal-Meningitis was removed to Borough Isolation Hospital. The one contact has been removed to the Drying Room and is having his nose and throat treated. He has had one swab taken. The Q.M's store in which the case occurred in, is being sprayed with formalin in accordance with instructions of Major Barclay S.S.O.

I have called the attention of the Commanding Officer to the necessity of having proper ventilation and have suggested that 2 windows diagonally opposite be fixed in some manner to prevent them being closed at any time.

SANITATION

The sanitation of the Camp is very satisfactory, the Latrines and Incinerators, Cookhouses and general surroundings being well attended to, and the interior of the huts well cleaned.

(Sgd) J. MACDONALD Captain
Medical Officer WESTHAM.

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HEALTH & SANITARY REPORT. To be rendered on last day of each month.
1 copy S.M.O. 4 copies O/C.

VENEREAL LECTURE & INSPECTION First week in each month
S.M.O. notified.

SCABIES INSPECTION. Every Monday at 9.30 a.m.

DAILY SANITARY INSPECTION OF CAMP & GUARD ROOM. Sanitation book kept
Notes entered and forwarded to C/O.

DISPOSAL OF SICK. Mild cases treated in lines.
Severe cases sent to Monte Video Camp.
Serious cases to Sidney Hall Hospital
Infectious diseases to Borough Isolation Hospital.

DISPOSAL OF VENEREALS & SCABIES. These cases are sent to Monte Video
Camp for isolation & treatment.

DISINFECTION OF BLANKETS & BEDDING IN CASE OF INFECTION

Blankets & bedding sent through Q.M. to Steam Disinfector.
RESPONSIBILITY FOR REMOVAL. The following Order No 76 was
published on 29/11/16.

"Bedding". The bedding of any man removed to Hospital
"or isolation suffering from contagious diseases,
"including Venereals and Scabies, is to be immediat-
"ely removed to the Q.M.'s store for the purpose of
"disinfection. Group Commanders will be held respon-
"sible that this is carried out. Companies are
"notified on Sick Reports of men to be transferred to
"Hospital".

SICK PARADE IS HELD AT 9.0 A.M. DAILY Record book kept.

DRESSINGS Men requiring dressings are attended to at 10 AM Daily.

SPECIAL DIETS Cases requiring Special diets have been divided into:-

- (1) Light diets, for Gastric cases etc. Consists of milk, eggs, fish and Milk puddings.
- (2) SOFT DIETS, for men who are unable to chew solid food for such reasons as injured jaws, loss of teeth etc, consists of ordinary diet given in the form of mince rissoles, curried mince, etc.

The Light diets are inspected weekly and removed from this diet as soon as possible.

A Nominal roll of men requiring Light diet is given to the O/C Group, and the M.O. is notified daily before 9.30 a.m. by him of the number of these men present in Camp. Monte Video is then notified of the number of diets to be requisitioned for from Sidney Hall.

Special Diet cases are hutted together in Hut 16.

MEDICAL SUPERVISION CASES. These cases, which include a number of Epileptics are placed in Hut 17. An A.M.C. Orderly, selected from "A" group (No 4 men), who is fit for the duty, is in charge of the Hut.

One (1) Medical Officer, two (2) Medical Orderlies and a Massage Staff of one (1) Staff Sergeant and five (5) Masseurs, have also been transferred to Westham for duty.

Cases requiring dressings or Hospital treatment are retained at Monte Video.

SANITATION.

The Sanitary condition of the Camp has been satisfactory.

NEW ARRIVALS

2784 Convalescent other ranks have been admitted to the Depot during the month.

MEN DISPOSED OF DURING MONTH

1811 men have been transferred from the Depot during the month as follows:-

To Salisbury as fit for Home Service	117
To Salisbury as fit for General service	73
To Wool, as fit for General Service	169
To Wareham, as Temporarily unfit	1448
Discharged in England	4
	<u>1811</u>

451 Invalids were returned to Australia.

DRESSINGS

Owing to the large number of Dressings which now have to be handled in this Depot a Hut has been taken over and fitted up for this purpose.

MASSAGE DEPARTMENT.

The number of men who attended for Massage treatment during the month was 6890, the daily average being 229.

DENTAL DEPARTMENT

Dental Report for the month attached.

WESTHAM CAMP

Reports by Medical Officer, Westham, on Medical organization and Sanitation of Westham Camp attached.

W. M. Whae Major
S.M.O. No 2 Australian Command Depot.



No 2 Australian Command Depot
Monte Video Camp,
WEYMOUTH
30th November 1916.

From:- SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICER,
No 2 Australian Command Depot

To:-

MEDICAL & SANITARY REPORT FOR MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1916.

HEALTH

The Sanitary condition of both Monte Video and Westham Camps has been very satisfactory.

When Westham Camp was first taken over, the Latrines were very dirty, but this was soon remedied.

The health of the troops, apart from effects of the wounds and illness acquired on Active service has been excellent.

There has been no overcrowding and the Huts have been kept well ventilated.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

<u>CEREBRO-SPINAL-MENINGITIS</u>	One case has occurred.		
<u>DIPHTHERIA</u>	Two cases have occurred.		
<u>GONORRHEA</u>	55	do	do
<u>SYPHILIS</u>	3	do	do
<u>VENEREAL SORES</u>	3	do	do

(Of the above 55 cases of Venereal Disease, 16 were infected in London, 3 in Scotland, 2 in Manchester, 1 in Belfast and 1 in Weymouth.

<u>SCABIES</u>	19 cases have occurred.		
<u>MUMPS</u>	4	do	do

WESTHAM CAMP

Accommodation for 1000 men has been obtained in Westham and this Camp was taken over on the 17th instant.

The following classes of Cases are transferred to Westham:-

1. Hammock cases awaiting return to Australia.
2. Bla Remedial cases, i.e. Cases which require special gymnastic treatment before they are considered fit for transfer to No 4 Command Depot for graduated training.

THREE Physical Instructors have been transferred to Westham with the Remedial Class and carry out the necessary training under Medical supervision, one Instructor being retained at Monte Video for duty with Blb class, not yet fit to be transferred to Remedial class.

Owing to the number of these Epileptics going into Weymouth and obtaining drink, leave to these men has been stopped.

MEDICAL TRANSFERS Medical History card and AF B 178, for each transfer, with particulars fully entered upon them, are forwarded to the Orderly Room each day with a Nominal Roll. A receipt is obtained for cards and AF B 178's mentioned above, and retained in Medical Office for reference.

BOARDS The names of men in "B" group, Bla, Remedial class, who are not progressing, are noted, and S.M.O. notified in order to arrange for a parade to revise them before Board papers are prepared.

NEW ARRIVALS These men are inspected daily at 10 a.m. the day following their arrival. Cards are marked and treatment necessary ordered.

MASSAGE This is being carried out in Hut 15. Arrangements have been made for the Bla Remedial Class men to be done in batches so that the work and hours of exercise are not interfered with.

"A" group (No 4 men) are done at times not interfering with the treatment of the Bla Remedial class.

Bla REMEDIAL CLASS. "B" GROUP. Hours of Swedish drill daily at:-

9.30 a.m. to 12 noon ---and--- 2.0 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

REMEDIAL CLASS has been divided into two classes:-

(a) Those requiring General exercises.

(b) Those requiring Special exercises.

O/C "B" group is supplied with the names of men requiring Special exercises.

All men on General exercises are to have at least 1 hour of drill each day.

All men on Special exercises to be exercised under Medical supervision twice daily, between the hours of 10.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

ALL men in this group, who require Massage are done in batches and receive exercise in addition, whichever class they are in. Times are arranged with the Staff Sergeant Masseurs so that none escape daily exercise.

ALL men in this group to be used for fatigues.

DAILY INSPECTION OF REMEDIAL CLASS. There are two parades at 11.15 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. and 2.0 p.m. to 3.0 p.m. Forty men parade on each occasion, making a total of 80 daily. This ensures a revision of the whole group every few days.

No man in this group is allowed furlough.

"A" GROUP (AUSTRALIA HAMMOCK CASES)

These have all been classified as:-

Fit for duty.

Fit for light duty

Exempt duty.

A Nominal Roll thus marked has been provided for the information of the Group Commander in order that men can be employed.

All those requiring treatment have been given the necessary treatment as regards diet, massage and medicine.

AS the new arrivals in this group are inspected with the other new arrivals (Bla R.C. men) they are classified as above and the O/C Group notified.

THOSE requiring treatment have their names taken and entered in the Medical Office book with the treatment prescribed.

ALL applications for furlough from men in this group are submitted first to Medical Officer, and the men examined to see if they are fit to travel before leaving leave is granted.

T I M E T A B L E

9 a.m. to 9.30 a.m.	Sick Parade.
9.30 am to 10.a.m.	Correspondence, Dressings, examination of men from detention etc.
10 a.m. to 10.30 a.m.	New arrivals.
10.30 a.m. to 11 a.m.	Medical supervision of Special Remedial Exercise class.
11.15 AM to 12.15 PM	Revision of 40 Remedial Class men
12.15 PM to 12.30 PM	Inspection of men for Furlough.
12.30 PM to 1 PM.	Inspection of part of Camp & Guard room.
2 PM to 3 PM	Revision of 40 Remedial Class men.
3 PM to 3.30 PM	Medical supervision of Special Exercise Class.
3.30 PM to ⁴ 3.30 PM.	Inspection of part of Camp
4 PM.	Correspondence, preparation of AF B. 178's etc, of transfers to be forwarded to Depot Orderly Room

(Sgd) J. MACDONALD Captain
Medical Officer.

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No.2 Australian Command Depot,

Monte Video Camp,

Weymouth,

November 30th, 1916.

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Sanitary and Pioneer Report of Monte Video Camp, Weymouth for Month
ending November 30th, 1916.

Roads
&
Paths

A new footpath has been constructed from existing footpath on East side of Officers Quarters "C" Block to Fleet Road. General Maintenance of Roads and Paths has been carried out as necessary.

Sewerage

All Sewers and Gullies and Manholes are disinfected at regular intervals.

All sections are in good working order. Repairs etc. are carried out as necessary.

Surface
Water
&
Drainage

Foul Drain from Sergeants Mess has been opened and thoroughly cleaned and is now giving every satisfaction.

Surface Drains have been made where necessary and all Siltage etc. cleaned out of existing surface Drains.

A Road Drain with Sump Hole has been made in the centre of square at the main entrance to the Camp.

Ablution
Houses
&
Latrines

All broken Windows and Taps are immediately repaired.

All Urinals are treated with heavy Oil at regular intervals and all Latrine Pans are disinfected daily.

Huts

All Huts are in excellent habitable condition. Floors etc. are scrubbed weekly and all breakages attended to. Several Hut Roofs leak as previously reported.

Painter
&
Glazier

The new Stage in the Gymnasium has been treated with washable distemper and other Painting done where necessary.

Breakages have been light during the month and all broken Windows immediately repaired.

Carpenter
&
Joiner

A Verandah is under construction on North side of Pay and Receiving Offices for convenience of new Arrivals.

A Stage has been erected in the Gymnasium with Curtain, Screen, etc. Complete.

A Fire-proof Cinematograph operating and re-winding room has been erected at the west end of Gymnasium.

All Barrack Room breakages have been repaired as necessary.

Minor Joinery jobs have been done in the Company Orderly Rooms.

ContinuedBath
Houses

Bath Houses are thoroughly clean and in good order.

A plentiful supply of hot water is always on hand.

Hot Water ^{TANK} ~~Bath~~ in No.1 Bath House has been repaired and is now in good order.

Cook
Houses

Several Ranges and Boilers require minor repairs as previously reported, otherwise both Cook-Houses are in good Order.

Incinerators

No.2 Incinerator has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired. Minor repairs have been executed to No.3 Incinerator. All are now in good order.

Gardener

A three wire fence has been erected around all the Gardens in the Camp.

All Gardens are being prepared for planting with Vegetables, etc. in the Spring.

Fencing

~~vacant~~ The fencing around vacant ground and between Huts etc. is now complete as per plan.

Generally

The Camp generally is in a satisfactory state from point of view of Roads, Sewers, Drains, Gardens, etc.

Geoffrey

Lieut. & Quartermaster,

No.2 Australian Command Depot.

W. H. Lee

S.M.O.

No.2 Australian Command Depot.

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE IN ENGLAND.

A.F. No.

Monthly Summary of Dental Treatment.

NOVEMBER

Month 1916

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STATION.	Attendance.	Cases Treated.	Teeth Extracted.	Anæsthetics.		Fillings.			Scaling Cases.	Dentures Repaired.	Dentures Supplied.	Pyorrhoea Cases Treated.	Fracture of Mandible.	General Surgical Cases.	REMARKS.
				General.	Local.	Temporary.	Permanent.	Root Filling							
No 2 Australian Command Depot, WEYMOUTH Southern Command Orders No 687 Fees chargeable	916	422	359	4	159	143	300	24	13	25	74				Southern Command Orders no 811 Monthly reports to be submitted 3 days before end of month.
Estimated Value of above Treatment at Imperial Contract Rates.			1/- each	2/6 each	2/6 each	Nil	2/6 each	2/6 each	3/- each						
			£17/19/-	10/-			£37/10/-	Nil	£3/-/-	£1/19/-	£94/13/-				£183. 0. 6.

Date 27th November 1916

Valentine Blagg

Capt; Dental Officer in Charge.

Dental Unit No 15.

W. W. P. Mac Kay

S.M.O.

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Australian Camp, Westham,
Weymouth, 30th November.1916.

10. GENERAL.

This Camp was taken over on the 17th. November 1916, and it was then in a very dirty state. Since then, after hard work on the part of all ranks, the Camp is now in a very satisfactory condition, and the interior of the huts clean.

The surroundings of the Camp, Latrines, Bathrooms, Incinerators etc., have also been closely attended to.

I would like to point out that owing to the Remedial Class having to do their daily training, and both classes having a number of men for Massage daily, the matter of supplying the fatigues is sometimes difficult, and I would therefore ask that twenty (20) Home Service Class men be sent here for general Camp duties.

At present we are without a Gymnasium, and the Physical Training is being carried on in an empty hut. There is a room adjacent to the Reading Room now being used by the Imperial Regiments as a Corporals' Room, which would suit admirably, and application for this has been made to the Officer in charge of Barracks.

A certain amount of Red Cross Stores such as Cigarettes, Deck Chairs etc., have been received.

Major,
Commanding Westham Detachment,
Australian Camp, Westham.

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Australian Camp, Westham,
Weymouth.

30th November 1916.

9. P O S T O F F I C E .

The working of the Post Office for the past month has been quite satisfactory, and I have no complaints to record.

All mail for men who have left this Company has been readdressed to them at their respective destinations.

The present staff comprises 1 N.C.O and 2 men.

Alfred C. Head
Cpl. i/c Post Office.

Australian Camp,
Westham.



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Australian Camp,
Westham, Weymouth.
30th November.1916.

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TRAINING.

The Training of this Camp consists of Physical Exercises for those classified as B.la.(Remedial), and Light Marching for the Permanently Unfit men.

Each man of the former Class gets at least one hour a day under qualified Instructors.

Apart from this no training is carried out.

Charles R. Lowe

Major.

Commanding Westham Detachment.

Australian Camp, Westham.

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Australian Camp,

Westham , Weymouth.

30th. November. 1916.

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D&I&S C I P L I N E .

The Discipline of the Camp, as a whole, has been good.

Cases of Drunkenness have been few in number, and the majority of cases dealt with since our arrival in this Camp have been those of breaking Camp and overstaying leave.

Courts - Martial.

NIL.

Charles R. Howe

Major,
Commanding.
Westham Detachment.

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Australian Camp, Westham,
Weymouth.
30th. November. 1916.

6. INSPECTIONS?

By Officer i/c Huts.

Twice Daily.

By Quartermaster.

Daily, except Barrack Rooms.

By Orderly Officer.

Daily, including Barrack Rooms, also at Breakfast and Dinner.

By District Sanitary Officer.

Occasionally.

By O.C. Westham Camp.

Weekly on Saturdays, Mens' Barrack Rooms, Institutions & Outbuildgs.

By Commandant, No. 2. Australian Command Depot.

Occasionally.

The Medical Officer also renders a report.

Charles R. Rowe
Major,

Commanding Westham Detachment,
Australian Camp, Westham.
Weymouth.

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Australian Camp,
Westham, Weymouth.
30th. November. 1916.

1.	<u>Arrivals.</u>	Officers.	9
		N.C.Os & Men	1086
2.	<u>Departures.</u>	Officers.	1
		N.C.Os & Men	78
3.	<u>Deaths.</u>		NIL.
4.	<u>Courts - Martial.</u>		NIL.
5.	<u>Invalided to Australia.</u>		NIL.

Charles R. Jones

Major,
Commanding Westham Detachment
Australian Camp, WESTHAM.

NO.2 AUSTRALIAN COMMAND DEPOT-WEYMOUTH.

TRIALS BY DISTRICT COURTS-MARTIAL HELD DURING THE MONTH OF NOV.,1916.

No.	Rank.	Name	Unit.	Nature of offence.	Sentence	Date of Sentence.
2169	Pte	Jones	W.M. 5th Battn.	Absenting himself without leave.	42 days detention	7.11.16
1014	Pte	White	H. 25th "	When on active service, des- obeying a command given by his Superior officer.	28 days detention	7.11.16
4471	Spr.	Reid	R. 5th F.C.E.	When on active service, des- erting His Majesty's Ser- vice.	84 days detention	14.11.16
1726	Pte	Givens	A. 15th Battn	When on active service, using insubordinate lang- uage to his superior offic- er.	21 days detention	16.11.16
2003	Pte	Climpson	E.A. 25th Battn	(1) When on active service, deserting His Majesty's Service. (2) Losing by neglect his Regimental necessaries.	112 days detention (56 days remitted)	19.11.16
1567	Pte	Baxendell	R.M. 26th Battn	(1) Disobeying a lawful command given by his sup- erior officer. (2) Striking a person in whose custody he was placed. (3) Resisting an escort whose duty it was to have him in charge.	112 days detention (98 days remitted)	18.11.16
2150	Pte	Moen	E. 31st Battn	(1)When on active service deserting His Majesty's service. (2)Losing by neglect his Regimental necessaries.	28 days detention	23.11.16
609	Pte	Jones	J.H. 27th Battn	(1)When on active service deserting His Majesty's Service. (2)Losing by neglect his Regimental necessaries.	42 days detention	23.11.16

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DRAFTS FROM NO.2.AUSTRALIAN COMMAND DEPOT, WEYMOUTH, DURING MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1916.

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No. of Draft.	Date.	Transferred to.	Composition.	Class.
73	2.11.16	Wareham	184 rank & file	Temp. Unfit.
74	3.11.16	"	196 rank & file	Temp. Unfit.
75	7.11.16	Wool	49 rank & file	"A" Class.
76	7.11.16	Wareham	98 rank & file	Temp. Unfit.
77	8.11.16	"	80 rank & file	Temp. Unfit.
78	8.11.16	Wool	20 rank & file	"A" Class.
79	9.11.16	Salisbury	27 rank & file	Home Service Class.
80	12.11.16	Australia per "Wiltshire"	444 rank & file	Permanently Unfit. etc.
81	14.11.16	Wareham	49 rank & file	Temp. Unfit.
82	18.11.16	Salisbury	29 rank & file	Home Service class.
83	21.11.16	Salisbury	42 rank & file	"A" Class.
84	27.11.16	Wareham	28 rank & file	Temp. Unfit.

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NO.2. AUSTRALIAN COMMAND DEPOT. WEYMOUTH.

TRIALS BY DISTRICT COURTS-MARTIAL HELD DURING THE MONTH OF NOV., 1916.

No.	Rank.	Name.	Unit.	Nature of Offence.	Sentence.	Date of Sentence.
1284	Sergeant	Shepherd J.G.	30th Battn.	Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline.	Reduced to rank of Corporal.	Not Confirmed.
1340	Private	Franklin G.	9th Battn.	Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline.	7 days C.B.	Not confirmed.

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No.2.Australian Command Depot,
Monte Video Camp,
Weymouth.
1st December 1916.

FROM:- Officer i/c Post Office.

TO:- Adjutant.

Herewith I beg to submit by report on the
General working of this Post Office for the month ending
30th November 1916.

Bars of Mail

Letters.-

Received 262. Despatched 118 of these. 13,754 letters
were re-addressed from Records, either to London, Salis-
bury or Wareham.

Parcels.-

Received 2,168. Delivered 915. Re-addressed 1027.
On hand 226.

Registered.-

Received 938. Delivered 562. Re-registered 369.
On hand 38.

Telegrams.-

Received 685. Delivered 660. Re-addressed 25.

Sale of

Stamps.-

Stamps to the value of £59.10.0 have been sold in this
Branch. Postal Notes to the value of £14.6.9½d also
sold.

Letters received 49,432. Delivered 35,678. Re-addressed
13, 754.

A. F. Lydenham

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