

AWM4
Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,
1914-18 War

Bases & Depots

Item number: 33/19/13

Title: No 4 Australian Command Depot

April 1918



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WAR DIARY

or

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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No. 4 Command Depot.	A. I. F.	HURDCOTT.		
Hurdcott.	April.			
	1st.		Depot visited by Col J.P. McGlinn. A/G.O.C. A.I.F. Depots in U.K.	
	2nd.		Nothing to report.	
	3rd.		Wet and cold day.	
	4th.		Lieut. Col. J.S.Knox, A.A.G., A.I.F. Depots in U.K. visited Depot.	
	5th.		Lieutl Col. F.G.Woods, reported to Depot.	
	6th.		G.O.C., A.I.F. Depots in U.K. visited Depot and presented a number of Medals.	
	7th. &			
	8th.		Nothing to record.	
	9th.		Lieut. Col. Wanliss handed over Command of Depot to Lieut. Col. Woods. A.A.G. visited Depot.	
	10th.		Lieut. Col. Wanliss proceeded to No 2 Command Depot for return to Australia.	
	11th.			
	to			
	15th.		Nothing to record.	
	16th.		Slight fall of snow. Cold all day. G.O.C. visited Depot and presented D.C.M. and (two Military Medals.	
	17th.			
	to.			
	23rd.		Nothing to record.	
	24th.		Lieut. Col. J.S.Knox A.A.G..A.I.F. Depots in U.K. visited Depot.	
	25th.		Anzac Day. Combined Church Service in morning. G.O.C. attended sports meeting in afternoon. <i>at church Parade - Sports meeting held in the afternoon</i>	
	26th.		Beautiful day.	
	to.			
	30th.		Nothing to record.	

Woods
Lt. Col.
Commandant.

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STATISTICS FOR MONTH OF APRIL 1918.

No. of other ranks marched into Depot.....9388
 No. of other ranks who marched out of Depot.
 For Active Service. 998
 Lower Category. ... 130 1128

Officers who marched into Depot.	Date.
Lieutl Masters. (MC) 46th Bn	April 2nd.
Lieut. Lines. 12th Bn.	" "
Lieut. Morgan 16th Bn.	" 8th.
Lieut. Grayson. 5th Enrs.	" "
Lieut. Col. F.G.Woods. 37th Bn.	" 9th.
Capt. T.Kerr (MC) 60th Bn.	" 11th.
Capt. H.L.Hely 7th Bn.	" "
Lieut. D.I.Johnson (MC) 37th Bn.	" "
Lieut. J.H. Downton 1st Bn.	" "
Capt. E.K.Carter (MC) 15th Bn.	" 13th.
Lieut. C.E.Thomas 2nd MGC	" 18th.
Capt. A.S. Isaac P.S.L.	" 27th.
Lieut. R. Carlisle 28th Bn.	" 29th.
2/Lt. J.C. Holman 22nd Bn.	" "
Captl G.B.Bennett. A.A.D.C.	" 30th.

Officers who marched out of the Depot.	Date.
Capt. S.R. Roebuck A.A.D.C.	April 1st.
Capt. R.E.Yule A.A.D.C.	" "
Lieut. S.B. Jago. A.A.D.C.	" "
Lieut. E.M. Gawley A.A.D.C.	" "
Lieut. L.H. Finch 3rd Enrs.	" 2nd.
Capt. W.H. Schadel (MC) 45th Bn	" 3rd.
Lieut. G. Martin 48th Bn.	" "
Capt. R.D. Bradshaw. P.S.L.	" "
Capt. M.K. Redford. 18th Bn.	" 5th.
Lieut. J.B. McLennan 35th Bn.	" "
2/Lt. S.A. McConaghy. 35th Bn.	" "
Lieut. F. Morley (MC) 54th Bn.	" 6th.
Lieut. A.L. Lillie 19th Bn.	" 6th.
Lieut. Col. D.S. Wanliss C.M.G. G.L.	" 11th.
Lieut. A.H. Newman A.A.D.C.	" 25th.
Capt. F.C. Bunn A.A.D.C.	" "

Average number on morning sick parade 42
 No. of Scabies for month. 70
 No. of general cases admitted to Hospital
 exclusive of V.D. and scabies. 56
 No. of Infectious cases.(2 measles, 7 mumps) 9
 No. of contacts in lines.84 mumps, 21 measles105
 No. of V.D. cases for month 78
 (66 with discharge, 12 with sores)
 No. of V.D. Cases evacuated to Bulford.
 (gonorrhoea 6, sores 9) 15
 No. of V.D. cases cured in lines. w/ dschge 44 (94% cured.)
 Now undergoing treatment in lines 19

Summary of Events and Information

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V.D. cases evacuated to Bulford,
Where required.
Local London. Elsewhere in U.K.
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SANITATION.

The sanitation of the camp is satisfactory. The ventilation regulations have been carried out in the huts, latrines, kitchens, and Institutes etc., and they have been kept clean and in a satisfactory condition.

JAM Owing to no fruit being obtainable, no jam was manufactured during the period 30.3.18 to 26.4.1918.

MARGARINE. Quantity manufactured during period 30.3.18 to 26.4.18.

1598 lbs.

DRIPPING The allowed price is 4½ per pound. Ingredients used to convert to margarine cost 5.2 pence per lb. Saving effected £44/13/4. £44/13/4

BY-PRODUCTS. Value of By-Products sold .. £30/10/3.

Total saving effected. £75/ 3/7.

Wood
Lt. Col.
Commandant.
No. 4 Command Depot.

Hurdcott.
31.5.1918.