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"A" Form MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2121
(In pads of 100)

No. of Message.....

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

TO { *From Major Woolfen*
by Major Tucker. *4.37 am*

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Mr. Comdy reports def. that he has 30 men in Post of, apparently counter attack was successful, but details are not yet thought.

Re S.S. of 4.25 am. no attack developed.

From	
Place	
Time	

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Pref:.....	ode.....m.	Words.	Charge.	No. of Message.....	
Office of Origin and Service Instructions		Sent		This message is on a/c of:	
<i>Phone</i>					
<i>10 24 am</i>		At.....m.		Service.....	
		To.....		Date.....	
		By.....		From.....	
				(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	
				By.....	

TO *244 Anzac Intelligence to Major Pain*

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
*	<i>1 ch</i>		

*Re naming Posts etc
at present only numbered in
Roman letters*

From			
Place			
Time			

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(in pads of 100).
No. of Message

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

TO { 9.10.1

Sender's Number. * <u>457</u>	Day of Month. <u>1</u>	In reply to Number.	A A A
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The following received from Left Flank Division begins area Report received that enemy enveloped left flank of battalion holding RIFLE FARM and forced it to withdraw area Ende

0.23 d. 10.95

11.53 pm.

(57)

From 9a. 28.

Place " "

Time "

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No. of Message.....

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

TO { G. W. I.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* G. 58	1st		

Reference your B. M. 319 and
 can you say how
 situation stands at present
 Answer per phone
 Called off. not good enough.

From	G. A. 28
Place	
Time	12.28 am.

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 Lt Col
 G.S.

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No. of Message.....

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

TO { From Colonel Jackson to SMO
General G. A. Wood

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
*	1st		

Re Windmill - Post 7
lost temporarily
Have not attempted counter
attack yet.
Schemes suggested by Colonel
Jackson.
It is suggested to
get this post if we can but on
the other hand do not want it
to be too costly. —

From		
Place		
Time		

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)

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"A" Form.
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(in pads of 100).
No. of Message

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

TO { 42nd Squadron R.F.C.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* 9.58	1		

Our	left	2 bank	divisions	have
a	contact	plane	flying	at
5	am	this	morning	and
forward	Brigade	would	like	our
contact	plane	to	fly	at
the	same	hour	and	can
you	arrange	this.	AAA	So
our	planes	to	be	in
when	called	to	be	in

From	3rd Aust Div
Place	1.10. 1250 pm a.m.
Time	

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z) [Signature] Lt Col

* This line should be erased if not required.
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No. of Message

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

TO { G. & I.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* <u>G 59</u>	<u>1.</u>		

R.F.C. has been asked to supply contact plane add. You should arrange flares to be sent up to front ~~line~~ with instructions that they should be lit when called for by contact plane

110. ~~110.~~

From	<u>G. A. 28</u>
Place	
Time	

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

Censor. () Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.

* This line should be erased if not required.
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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
(in pads of 100).
No. of Message.....

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

TO { G O I

Sender's Number. * 460	Day of Month. 1	In reply to Number.	AAA
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What you have for fixed
for your receipt of Post 7

From Gpa 28		
Place		
Time 1.20 am.		

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

(Z)	Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.
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* This line should be erased if not required.
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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
(in pads of 100).

No. of Message

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

TO

37th Div

Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

* 461

1

353 or 364

Received.

From

3rd Anti Div.

Place

Time

1.30 am.

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

(Z)

Censor.

Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.

* This line should be erased if not required.

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Army Form C.2121
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No. of Message.....

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

TO { 401

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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* 4062 1

Left Division's line of consolidation has been decided on as follows.

AAA From this point trench on the BLAUWEPORTEDEEK by O.29.C.3.6. thence by O.29.B.2.9 thence to O.23.d.1.7. thence by O.23.a.5.4.

AAA No mention is made of posts in front of this line, but it is presumed they will be maintained.

Erasure.

From	4028
Place	
Time	1.50 a

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. ()

Censor. Signature of Addressee or person authorised to sign for him

* This line should be erased if not required.
760,009. W 2186 - M509. H. W. & V., Ld. 6/16.

No. 63 mch

sent.

"A" Form.
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(in pads of 100).
No. of Message.....

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

TO

General CANNAN

Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

~~that~~ I have been talking to my General and he quite agrees with you not to make further attempts to recapture Post 7 during hours of darkness tonight. We will concert a really good plan to do it later and at any time you think advisable the earlier the better. It is a question of getting everybody know and getting good artillery co-operation and then it is a feasible thing. We will tell Nicholls it is off for the present. We have to get it but the thing is to get it as comfortably as we can. The next thing is to see that the Bosche does not interfere with our other posts

From	
Place	
Time	

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.

(-)

Censor.

Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.

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Army Form C.2121
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No. of Message

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

TO { *2* }

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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~~and~~ Keep him at Post 7 and give him particular Hell while he is there; but we must see he does not make it too strong. Think out a plan and discuss it with my General. I am not inclined after last night, and on account of the weather, to launch people in a hurry.

From *Colonel Jackson*
 Place

Time *4.25 am*
 The above may be forwarded as now corrected. ()

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"A" Form
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No. of Message.....

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

PO { *Col. Jackson*
for B. M. Arty. *4:30*

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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*
The G. C. C. has decided not to make a further attempt to recapture Post 7 during the hours of darkness this morning, but we will make plans later on. Cannon and the Dist. Cdr. both agree that we cannot do it between now and 5 o'clock.
The S. B. S. has just gone up from the Centre bay of our left Div. - if you will get right busy on that.

From			
Place			
Time			

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 Gen. or. Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.

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"A" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2121
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Prefix.....	Code.....m.	Words.	Charge.	No. of Message.....	
Office of Origin and Service Instructions		Sent		This message is on a/c of:	
At.....m.		At.....m.		Service.	
To.....		To.....		Date.....	
By.....		By.....		From.....	
		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		By.....	

TO { *From Major West to 42nd Squadron R.F.C.*

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
*	<i>1st</i>		

*Last night we asked that our
Cubach plane should fly over
the line this morning. Did
that plane fly?
(Answer) No - weather
too bad.*

From			
Place			
Time			

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)

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No. of Message.....

Prefix.....	Code.....m.	Words.	Charge.	This message is on a/c of:	Recd. at.....m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions		Sent			Service.
Phoned		At.....m.		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	From.....
10 45 am		To.....			By.....
		By.....			

TO { From Colonel Jackson to General Swynn

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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* Relief: - let
 we know that the New Zealanders are not going to do that to night but I wish to find out some idea of when they may take over that night Bn area because if they do not take it over within a certain period we shall have to arrange for certain internal reliefs which we would not undertake otherwise. - May we take it that to-morrow night we shall be either holding over our night Bn area or our left.

Ans Not to-morrow - 2000 or three nights over. Do not want to put N. 3rs in our night unless the 4 Swin will take the 37th Division front.

From			
Place			
Time			

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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No. of Message.....

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

TO From Colonel Jackson to Army Corps

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
*	1st		

All matters spoken about last night to Captain Redhill by -

Supply of some of General Harrington's R.O.S. Signals (Rifle Grenades)

The supply of R.O.S. signals in use in trenches having become deteriorated through wet and army not having a stock in hand to supply here is a shortage etc etc - would like some of General Harrington's to ensure having plenty in hand in the absence of others -

From		
Place		
Time		

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**"A" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.**

Army Form C. 2121
(In pads of 100)

No. of Message.....

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

TO { From Colonel Jackson
to General Juyunt

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
*	1st		

Could you let me have back some time today a copy of the report of CANMANS of work done in the line - would like to show it to other people.

From			
Place			
Time			

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"C" Form.

Army Form C. 2128.
(In books of 100.)

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message

Prefix <i>SM</i>	Code <i>49</i>	Words <i>49</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect			From <i>SM</i>	At <i>10-49</i> m.	
Service Instructions			By <i>SM</i>	To	
Handed in at <i>SM</i>			Office <i>10-49</i> m.	Received <i>10-49</i> m.	

TO

*Sender's Number.

Day of Month.

In reply to Number.

AAA

*As result of last
enemy counter attack about
9-10 pm position of
Roman posts seven and
eight is obscure aaa
oc Right Bn has
sent forward to have
situation cleared up aaa
Definite information will be
forwarded to you as
soon as possible*

FROM

TIME & PLACE

Gu 1

10-30

*This line should be erased if not required.

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"C" Form.

Army Form C. 2123.
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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS. No. of Message

Prefix <i>smk</i>	Code <i>K</i>	Words <i>79</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
Charges to Collect			From <i>Gut</i>	At <i>11/15/18</i>	
Service Instructions.			By <i>Bleeker</i>	To	
Handed in at <i>Gut</i>			Office <i>11/15/18</i>	Received <i>1426</i>	

TO *Ga 25*

*Sender's Number. <i>BMV319</i>	Day of Month. <i>31</i>	In reply to Number.	AAA
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<i>Roman</i>	<i>eight</i>	<i>definitely</i>	<i>in</i>
<i>our</i>	<i>hands</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>Roman</i>
<i>seven</i>	<i>definitely</i>	<i>lost</i>	<i>aaa</i>
<i>counter</i>	<i>attack</i>	<i>from</i>	<i>roman</i>
<i>six</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>frontally</i>	<i>has</i>
<i>already</i>	<i>been</i>	<i>commenced</i>	<i>by</i>
<i>troops</i>	<i>in</i>	<i>the</i>	<i>immediate</i>
<i>vicinity</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>information</i>
<i>of</i>	<i>result</i>	<i>yet</i>	<i>received</i>
<i>aaa</i>	<i>If</i>	<i>this</i>	<i>fails</i>
<i>counter</i>	<i>attack</i>	<i>by</i>	<i>reserve</i>
<i>company</i>	<i>frontally</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>from</i>
<i>roman</i>	<i>six</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>eight</i>
<i>will</i>	<i>be</i>	<i>made</i>	<i>protected</i>
<i>by</i>	<i>artillery</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>m.g</i>
<i>100's</i>	<i>aaa.</i>	<i>Use</i>	<i>of</i>
<i>Stokes</i>	<i>mortars</i>	<i>on</i>	<i>roman</i>

FROM

TIME & PLACE

*This line should be erased if not required.

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"C" Form.

Army Form C. 2123.
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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message

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

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TO

Continued

Sender's Number. 319	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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seven also being considered

R. 11.26 pm

(54)

FROM	gu
TIME & PLACE	11.10 pm

*This line should be erased if not required.

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"C" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS. No. of Message.....

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

Prefix *DL* Co. *ie* Words *34*
 Received Sent, or sent out Office Stamp
 From *R. B. am* At *Y-1211197 C*
 By *R. B. am* To.....
 Charges to collect
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *Y-1211197* Office *11 45/2* m. Receive *12 11/11* m.

TO *3rd Aus Div*

*Sender's Number *3360* Day of Month *31* In reply to Number *AAA*

Report	received	that	enemy	enveloped
left	flank	of	battalion	holding
RIFLE	FARM	and	forced	it
to	withdraw	ago	addsd	9th
Corps	repts	19th	and	3rd
Australian	Divns			

R. B. am

FROM *34th Divn 11. 45 pm*
 PLACE & TIME

* This line should be erased if not required.
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"C" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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(In books of 100.)

Prefix *Am* Code *AA* Words *14* Received *24* Sent, or sent out Office Stamp
 £ s. d. From *Now* At m.
 Charges to collect By To
 Service Instructions. By
 Handed in at *7/25* Office *1-30* m. Received *1/24* m.

TO *3rd Aust Div*

*Sender's Number *9362* Day of Month *1st* In reply to Number **AAA**

Please acknowledge my 9353

ack

FROM *37 Div 12.25am*
PLACE & TIME

* This line should be erased if not required.
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"C" Form.

Army Ho.
(In book)

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message

Prefix *Am* Code *A721* Words *21* Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp.

From *Sgt* At *1* m. To *5*

By *Sgt* To *5*

Charges to Collect

Service Instructions.

By *Sgt*

Handed in at *Sgt* Office *1/28* Received *1:33a*

TO

Sender's Number. *1300 5/1* Day of Month. *1* In reply to Number. *260* **AAA**

Zero 12-30 am aaa
Artillery opened to time
aaa no information
received yet

R 1:35a

(53)

FROM
TIME & PLACE

Sgt

1-27 am

*This line should be erased if not required.
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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
(in pads of 100).
No. of Message.....

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

TO { G O I

Sender's Number. * 964	Day of Month. 1	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Report when you can result of your attacks for recapture of Red Post 7

From *Gja 28*
Place
Time *1.55*

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Censor. Signature of Addressee or person authorised to sign. *[Signature]*

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"C" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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

Prefix SM Code B Words 26 Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp.
h m s. d. From 2nd At m.
 Charges to Collect By Ran To
 Service Instructions By
 Handed in at Bus Stone Office 257 m Received 3-00 m.
 TO Hq 3 Aus Div
 *Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. **AAA**
 Your 558 received aaa
 If weather permits plane
 will look out for
 flare from your forward
 Brigade
 3 am
 (55)
 FROM 42, Sqn RFB.
 TIME & PLACE

*This line should be erased if not required.
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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
(in pads of 100).
No. of Message.....

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

TO { 2nd Coyac G

Sender's Number. * 968	Day of Month. 1	In reply to Number.	AAA
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As result of enemy counter attack about 9.10 pm position regarding Red Post 7 and 8 was obscure AAA Right Coy. forthwith sent forward to clear up situation AAA This resulted in Post 8 being found to be in our possession while Post 7 had been lost AAA Arrangements were therefore made to retake Post 7 by artillery concentrating on it for 2 minutes and then lifting by S.O.S. line by M. Coy. coming down on S.O.S. line and by infantry rushing it from the West end, from Post 6 and 8 AAA The counter attack commenced at 12.30 am

From		
Place		
Time		

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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
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No. of Message.....

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

TO {

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Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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 but though being made from
 three directions was repulsed by
 machine gun fire directed from
 the Post and from the
WARNETON LINE AAA Measures
 will be concerted for the recapture
 of this Post later on, but it
 is not proposed to make a
 further attempt this morning
 during the hours of darkness.

From 3rd Aust. Div.
 Place
 Time 4.30 am

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)
 Censor. Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.
[Signature]

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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
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No. of Message

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

TO { 2nd Army G

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* 466	1		

S.O.S. signal sent up by
Gen's Coy of our Left Div.
at 4.25 am AAA our
artillery still in action

From 3rd Aust Div.
Place
Time 4.40 am

The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z) *Charles [Signature]*

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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C.2121
(in pads of 100).
No. of Message

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

TO { GU 1

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* <u>967</u>	<u>1st</u>		

What is situation now
please re last
S.O.S.

From	<u>GA 28</u>
Place	<u>535a</u>
Time	

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Censor.	Signature of Addressor or person authorized to telegraph in his name.
	<u>[Signature]</u>

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"A" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2121
(In pads of 100.)

No. of Message.....

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

TO { 2nd Azgac G

Sender's Number * 468	Day of Month. 1	In reply to Number.	AAA
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For continuation of my G. 65
the Right Coy bombardier
reports that he may definitely
hold Red Post 7 with 30
men, AAA. It appears our
counter attack launched at
12.30 am did get in but
evidence at the time did not
indicate this AAA. Details are
not yet available. AAA
Following our S.O.S. call
at 4.25 am no enemy
infantry action developed

From 3rd Arch Div
Place
Time 5.50

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"C" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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

No. of Message

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

Handed in at

TO

*Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
B.M. 224	10		

Roman post	screen is	
now	occupied by one	
of	our platoons and	
they	are improving and	
consolidating		

5.50

FROM	Lgt 1.
TIME & PLACE	5.50 am

*This line should be erased if not required.

149,909.—John Ritten, Ltd.—2/17.—8141. Forms C3123.

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Appendix No. 46 F

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Prefix <i>M</i> Code <i>44</i> Words <i>9</i>		Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office
# s. d.		From <i>Y 426</i>	At <i>19</i> m.	
Charges to Collect		By <i>Y 426</i>	To	
Service Instructions			By	
Handed in at <i>Y 426</i>		On <i>1/8/14</i>	Received <i>1/8/14</i>	m.
TO	<i>3rd Army Down</i>			
Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.		AAA
<i>SA 383</i>	<i>1/8/14</i>			
Reference	to	forecast	of	
reliefs	New	Zealand	division	
will	not	take	over	
section	North	of	DOUVE	
tonight	aaa			
		<i>R 7 50 am</i>		
		<i>(58)</i>		
FROM	<i>2nd Anzac 7.25 am</i>			
TIME & PLACE				

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Appendix No. 46F

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"A" Form.
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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(in pads of 100).
No. of Message

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

TO { Purser ~~FQ 56~~ 7L137

Sender's Number. * 669	Day of Month. 1	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Can you say how you are off for S.O.S Signals AAA. General Cairns asked for 50 but was unable to get them. AAA. He was asked to try and collect those which were distributed in the front line AAA. Can you say whether he was successful and whether they were fit for use.

(69)

From	G.A. 28
Place	
Time	11.40 am.

The above may be forwarded as now corrected.
 Censor. (f) [Signature] Lt Col. [Signature]
 Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.

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780,000. W 2186 - M509. H. W. & V., Ltd. 6/15.

"A" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

Army Form C. 2121
(In pads of 100)

No. of Message.....

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

TO { C. R. A.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* <u>9. 70</u>	<u>1st</u>		

The following extract from Anchor Intelligence Summary begins and our Artillery is reported to have been short shooting during the periods and at 6.50 am 18-pdrs coming from North of MESSINES were dropping in our front line near head of GAPPARD AVENUE and at 11 am our phosphenol was bursting over Roman Posts 1 and 2 and 6.15 pm - 6.30 pm our 18-pdrs and 4.5" hows firing from behind MESSINES are reported to have dropped in OWL and OXYGEN TRENCHES and ends

From 3rd Austn Division (70)
 Place
 Time 11.45 AM.

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"C" Form. 3
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS

Army Form C. 2123.
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No. of Message

Prefix <i>Sm</i>	Code <i>mff</i>	Words <i>17</i>	Received <i>Gw 1</i>	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
Charges to Collect			From <i>Gw 1</i>	At	
Service Instructions			By <i>Holt</i>	To	
Handed in at			Office <i>Gw 1</i>	Received <i>12:34 am</i>	

TO

Gw 28

Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

Sm b 21

1

456

Would like contact plane to am

fly at

52

5

12:45 am

FROM

TIME & PLACE

Gw 1

12:34 am

*This line should be erased if not required.

"C" Form
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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(In books of 100.)

No. of Message.....

Prefix..... Code..... Words.....
s. d.

Received..... Sent, or sent out..... Office stamp.....

From..... At..... m.

By..... To.....

By.....

Charges to collect.....

Service Instructions.....

Handed in at..... Office..... m. Receive..... m.

TO 3rd Aus Div

*Sender's Number 5364 Day of Month 1st In reply to Number AAA

The following line will be consolidated tonight under the orders of 506 Macaroni aaw 02963.6 BEEK FARM WAM FARM JULY FARM MAY FARM Thence to road at 023A5.3 (inclusive) where touch will be established with right of 19th Div aaw units in front line will be reorganised and exact disposition reported as soon as possible aaw Contact plane will fly as soon as visibility allows and not as stated in 3rd Div No 5353 aaw added 63 Bde Repts 9th Corps 19th Div 3rd Aus Div and CRA

FROM 111 Bde and 112 Bde acknowledge

PLACE & TIME Margerine 12.35 aaw

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