

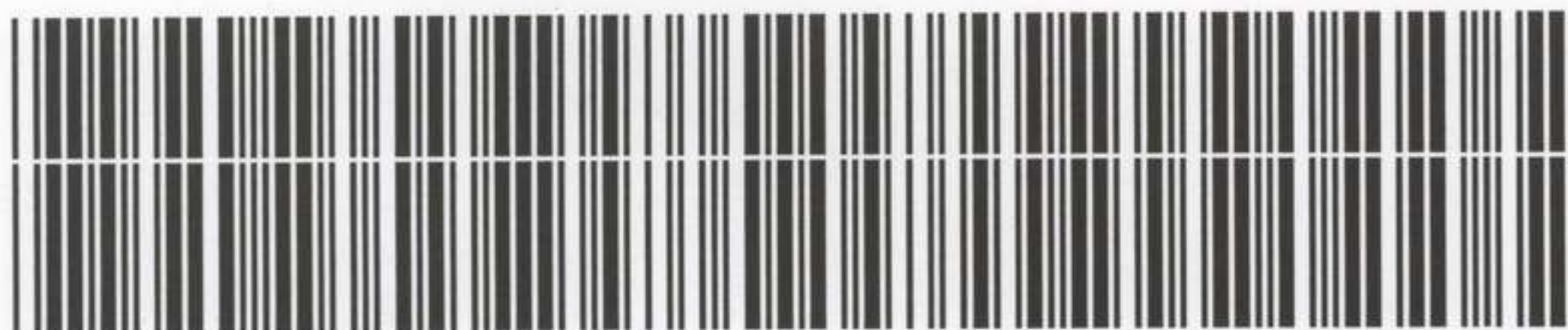
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TO { *First Aust Div*

Sender's Number ** KA 755* Day of Month *Seventh* In reply to Number *AAA*

our first issue of Cricket Ball Bombs have been failing to explode special report being sent in. The night in Lone Pine was quiet except for Bombing in No 2 section at 2200 and 2400 and sniping in No 3 section aaa After the ruse to draw fire at 2100 enemy used occasional white lights and during the Ruse Bombed on the N.E. face ~~AAA~~ No new enemy works in vicinity aaa our active Bombing and sniping silenced the enemy aaa In No 1 enemy still mining towards our chain of support trenches Engineer

From *Div Engrs* Place *PTO* Time

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TO { *First Aust Div*

Sender's Number ** KA 755* Day of Month *7th* In reply to Number *AAA*

Officer reported at 0200 that enemy gallery was 6 or 7 feet to East of our second drive aaa Casualties one Man slightly wounded

From *First Inf Bde* Place *0648*

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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TO { <i>First</i> <i>Art</i> <i>Div</i>					
Sender's Number		Day of Month	In reply to Number		
<i>* 19357</i>		<i>Seventh</i>			AAA
<i>24 hours report begins action</i>					
<i>yesterday</i>	<i>Already</i>	<i>reported</i>	<i>intelligence</i>	<i>aaa</i>	
<i>Our</i>	<i>action</i>	<i>last night</i>	<i>Ruse</i>	<i>at 2100</i>	
<i>Arco</i>	<i>little</i>	<i>enemy</i>	<i>fire</i>	<i>a few shots</i>	
<i>from</i>	<i>M. Guns</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>QUINNS</i>	<i>and</i>	
<i>Some</i>	<i>flares</i>	<i>from</i>	<i>German Officers Trench</i>		
<i>aaa</i>	<i>Patrol</i>	<i>went</i>	<i>out</i>	<i>as usual</i>	
<i>from</i>	<i>right</i>	<i>subsection</i>	<i>NORthern</i>		
<i>No 2</i>	<i>at 2145</i>	<i>returning</i>	<i>before moonrise</i>		
<i>aaa</i>	<i>Reported</i>	<i>nothing</i>	<i>unusual</i>	<i>aaa</i>	
<i>Quiet</i>	<i>during</i>	<i>night</i>	<i>except</i>	<i>for heavy</i>	
<i>Burst</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>enemy</i>	<i>rifle</i>	<i>fire</i>	
<i>Con</i>	<i>at 2340</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>basin</i>	<i>2</i>	
<i>Wounded</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>Amun</i>	<i>expended</i>	<i>303</i>	<i>7470</i>

1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Artillery Daily Report
7.9.15.

- HUGHES BATTERY did not fire: Zone very quiet.
- 0900 BURGESS BATTERY fired 8 rounds shrapnel and 1 round H.E. at enemy gun Sq. 68 R 9 - gun silenced.
- 1310 and at intervals during the day 17 rounds shrapnel and 5 H.E. were fired at enemy gun Sq. 68 V 6 which opened periodically and fired a few rounds at HUGHES BATTERY and RAZOR BACK - enemy ceased firing at 1700.
- 1023 PHILLIPS BATTERY fired 2 rounds shrapnel at working party in trench between BATTLESHIP HILL and BABY 700 and 3 rounds at the same target at 1115.
- 1445 Six rounds were fired in retaliation at trenches North of POPES
- 1507 and 5 rounds were fired at the same target and at trenches overlooking MONASH VALLEY.
- 1415 CADDYS BATTERY fired 7 rounds shrapnel and 18 H.E. at trenches opposite QUINNS - 30 feet of bomb-stopping netting destroyed and considerable damage done to trenches, STEVENSONS BATTERY did not fire.
- 1530 3-pr. Hetchkiss fired 20 rounds at emplacements Northern and Western face Johnstons Jello effect appeared good.
- 0930 BROWNES BATTERY fired 5 rounds shrapnel at trench near ~~quarry~~ QUARRY and at 1730 3 rounds on trench Southern end CHESSBOARD with good effect.
- 1850 HEAVY BATTERY fired 7 rounds from No.1 6" Hewitzer at OLIVE GROVE Right Section which fired a few rounds and ceased soon after being engaged.
- 1115 "A" BATTERY 69th Bde fired 1 round shrapnel into valley at junction of MULE and LEGGE VALLEYS where LONE PINE Observers reported having observed mules.
- 1815 5th LOWLAND BATTERY fired 6 rounds into trenches on PINE RIDGE and SNIPERS RIDGE 1 round blind remainder satisfactory.

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General in anticipation of the arrival, positions have been reconnoitred for guns of 1st Artillery Brigade and a report has been prepared

Casualties: 1 Other Rank wounded.

Ammunition expended: 18-pr Shrapnel 72 H.E. 24
6" Hew. 7
5" Hew. 7
Hetchkiss 20 rounds

Geo J. Thomson
Lieutenant-Colonel
Commanding Artillery 1st Aust. Div.

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NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 6th Sept. to 6a.m. 7th Sept. 1915.

Progress was made with the fire trenches between No. 1 Post and CAMEL'S HUMP, and CAMEL'S HUMP and DESTROYER HILL.

A sap is being dug from Old No. 3 Post to the SAZLI BEIT DERE.

The APEX on RHODODENDRON SPUR was shelled by the enemy at 5 p.m. yesterday- no damage was done.

The work of improving the trenches, and communications continues.

ARTILLERY

A quiet day - The enemy was fired on at intervals during the day when seen in the open on the left flank.

The guns on SARI BAIR were engaged twice by the 5th Battery. A good deal of fire came from a battery behind CHUNUK BAIR, which has not yet been located.

10 rounds were fired by the Mountain guns on RHODODENDRON SPUR at the enemy's structure in front of the APEX.

CASUALTIES

(7 p.m. 5th Sept. to 7 p.m. 6th Sept).

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks</u>
<u>KILLED</u>	-	1
<u>WOUNDED</u>	-	9
<u>MISSING</u>	-	1
<u>SICK.</u>	3	124

Headquarters,
No. 2 Post.
7th September 1915.

(Sgd) A.J. GODLEY

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



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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY. 7th SEPTEMBER, 1915.

General. At GABA TEPE, on the beach and southward, small mounds at about 10 yards interval have been observed. They are well back from the water. There has been a good deal of activity about GABA TEPE lately.

A new communication trench is reported in sq 105 T 6.9 leading down from "W" HILLS.

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1st Australian Division

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 7th September to 6 a.m. 8th September 1915.

SECTION No. 1 NORTH.

Quiet day and night. During day enemy more than usually active at work on all trenches in the immediate front of this section. We exploded 2 mines at 2140. Enemy working in saps at time of explosion; as far as can be ascertained explosion appears very successful. Slight crater formed, 1 tunnel appears to have blown back towards enemy trench and disturbed position of his line.

SECTION No. 2 NORTH

Uneventful. Our patrols brought in 5 Turkish rifles and 1800 rounds ammunition. They report Turkish dead are still lying on lower slope of LEANES but their equipment has been removed.

LONE PINE.

Quiet day. During night enemy snipers were active; there was also a certain amount of bombing. We successfully bombed enemy's overhead cover with Lotbiniere bombs and prevented him repairing same. Listeners report Turks sapping, this is being dealt with.

SECTION No. 3.

Uneventful; patrols sent out at night, report no signs of enemy movement.

ARTILLERY.

Quiet day, ~~enemy fired on~~ Policy of relation continued. Burgess' Battery fired 3 rounds shrapnel and silenced enemy gun on GUN RIDGE. This is probably the gun which damaged the emplacement of our 5-pdr, which had just fired 20 rounds with good effect on JOHNSTONES JOLLY. Our 3-pdr., will be moved and the old position repaired as a dummy. Caddy's Battery fired a very satisfactory series destroying overhead cover in front of POPES. positions for 2 guns have been selected on FLUGGES PLATEAU; work has begun; this will not be so conspicuous as the present position and should give more cover in a Easterly and South Easterly direction.

<u>CASUALTIES</u>		
	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks.</u>
Killed	-	-
Wounded	-	5
Sick	7	111

8.9.1915.

D. Glasford Major,
for Colonel, General Staff,
1st Australian Division,

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Sender's Number <i>LHB 935</i>	Day of Month <i>8</i>	In reply to Number	AAA
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During the day enemy were more than unusually active at work in all trenches our immediate front *aaa* Both day and night quiet except when Turkish saps blown up at 2140 *aaa* This drew fairly heavy fire for about 15 minutes *aaa* Explosion in No 6 tunnel appeared to have run into old explosion very little crater formed *aaa* Explosion in No 7 tunnel blew up back so enemy trench and

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disturbed portion of his line
aaa slight crater formed *aaa*
Enemy working in saps at
times of explosion *aaa*
casualties for 24 hrs *5*
other ranks wounded

From <i>2nd</i>	
Place <i>LHBdc</i>	
Time <i>0630</i>	

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TO { <i>Aust Dv</i>					

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>K.A. 802</i>	<i>8th</i>		

Morning report aaa No 1 section reports enemy snipers were active last night aaa Engineer listeners report Turk sap is running underneath ours therefore we now have our sap well guarded aaa We successfully bombed enemy over-head cover in front of No 9 post and prevented his repairing same aaa No 3 section reports enemy sniping all night continuously all also small amount of bombing aaa

From

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TO { <i>(2)</i>					
Sender's Number		Day of Month	In reply to Number		AAA
		<i>8th</i>			

New work in trap lane and circus almost completed
 aaa We used hand grenades successfully also kept up sniping aaa Casualties
 Other Ranks 3 wounded

From

Place

Time

1st Inf Bde
0650

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TO <i>1st Aust Divn</i>				
Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number		AAA
<i>KB 379</i>	<i>8th</i>			

Morning report begins Yesterday's action reported intelligence aaaa Action last night patrol sent from R subsection No 2 NORTHERN as usual aaaa Report no sign of enemy aaaa Enemy very quiet during night aaaa Several enemy 75 shells dropped in No 2 SOUTHERN Section about 1900 doing no damage aaaa Casualties 1 wounded aaaa Ammunition expended point 303 6955 Turkish 250 rifle grenades 4 hand bombs 3 pistol flares 10

From	Place	Time
	<i>2nd Inf Bde</i>	<i>0630</i>

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TO <i>1st Aust Divn</i>				
Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number		AAA
<i>KC 475</i>	<i>8th</i>			

Last night patrol 12th Bn brought in 5 Turkish rifles 4 bayonets 1800 rounds Ammunition They report many Turkish dead still on lower slopes of LEANES but equipment removed aaaa Quiet night Casualties killed nil.



1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Artillery Daily Report.
7.9.15
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- 1455 HUGHES BATTERY fired 12 rounds shrapnel at party of enemy endeavouring to extinguish a fire in SURPRISE GULLY - fire effective.
- 1600 4 rounds shrapnel were fired in retaliation at trenches Northern end Surprise Gully.
- 1150 BURGESS BATTERY fired 9 rounds shrapnel at a body of troops estimated at 2 Companies moving East of ALMOND GROVE in a S.E. direction. HEAVY BATTERY also fired 8 rounds shrapnel 4.7 combined effect should have been good both batteries appeared to have correct range and fuze. At first round one Company moved to a park into some trees which were searched and effect probably attained. *flank*
- 1605 BURGESS BATTERY fired 3 rounds shrapnel at gun on GUN RIDGE which ceased firing - This was probably the gun which damaged the emplacements of 3-pr Hotchkiss just after it had fired 20 rounds with good effect on Northern and second line of trenches Western face of JOHNSTONS JOLLY. The 3-pr must be moved and re-emplaced and the present emplacements will be repaired and left to look as when occupied.
- 1612 HEAVY BATTERY fired 3 rounds from No. 2 6" Howitzer at gun on GUN RIDGE which ceased firing.
- 1820 OLIVE GROVE Right Section opened fire apparently on beach North of ANZAC COVE - Four rounds were fired by No. 1 6" Howitzer enemy gun ceased firing.
- PHILLIPS BATTERY fired 20 rounds distributed at 1606, 1616, 1620, 1640 at Observation Station on SAND PIT RIDGE.
- CADDYS BATTERY fired 2 rounds P.S. and 15 H.E. and destroyed 30 yards of heavy overhead cover and some wire in part of POPES it had the effect also of uncovering what appeared to be Saps or new Fire trenches leading out from the main front trenches - this was a very satisfactory series for the small expenditure of ammunition.
- STEVENSONS BATTERY did not fire.
- BROWNS BATTERY distributed 19 rounds at trenches near QUARRY and GUNKS HUMP and at working party near QUARRY - fire was effective
- 1620 5th LOWLAND BATTERY fired 8 rounds at trenches on SNIPERS RIDGE ~~xxxxx~~ and WEIR RIDGE 3 rounds were blind - Fired 2 more rounds also in retaliation at trenches on PINE RIDGE at 1850 .

GENERAL - New positions for two guns has been selected on PLUGGES PLATEAU and work has been started - This position is nearly 50 feet above the present position and should give better command over targets already registered; it will not be so conspicuous from KABA TEPE and should give more scope in an Easterly and South-easterly direction.

Casualties NIL

* Insert after 1640 under Heading "PHILLIPS BATTERY" "over trenches North of POPES and Trenches overlooking MONASH VALLEY and"

Ammunition expended:- 18-pr Shrap. 79 H.E. 7
5" How. " 10
6" How. 7
4.7 8
Hotchkiss 20 rounds.

Geo. I. Johnston

Lieut.-Colonel
Commanding Artillery, 1st Aust. Div.

NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 7th Sept. to 6 a.m. 8th Sept. 1915.

There was consistent sniping on the part of the enemy from SNIPER'S RIDGE. Work on Mule Road down the Northern branch of the SAZLI BEIT DERE was pushed on.

The enemy were at work throughout the night on their trenches at the FARM, but their working parties were much interfered with by our fire.

Improvement of our defences and communications ~~remains~~ continues.

A patrol was sent out at 9.30 p.m. last night, and worked up the AGHYL DERE to the slope leading to the FARM - the enemy could be heard at work, but none were encountered.

ARTILLERY

Mountain guns fired on working parties on CHUNUK BAIR, and put a stop to their work. Fire was opened at a Machine Gun emplacement which fires at the APEX on RHODODENDRON SPUR, but a direct hit could not be obtained.

5 direct hits were obtained on a work opposite the APEX, but with little effect as no common shell available, only P.S. The emplacements of Section on RHODODENDRON SPUR were shelled by the enemy who obtained 3 direct hits, but only broke a gun wheel.

The enemy's heavy guns were observed to come into action about 106 c 2.3.

The usual targets were engaged during the day.

CASUALTIES

(7 p.m. 6th Sept. to 7 p.m. 7th Sept).

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks</u>
<u>KILLED</u>	-	-
<u>WOUNDED</u>	1	4
<u>MISSING</u>	-	-
<u>SICK</u>	3	85

Headquarters,

No. 2 Post.

8th September 1915.

(Sgd) A.J. GODLEY

Commanding N.Z. & A. Division.

Major-General,

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Appendix No. 3

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No 21 OPERATION MEMORANDUM

Brig. General N. M. Smyth, V.C. Commanding

"LONE PINE"
Subdivisions.

1. It is proposed to divide the "LONE PINE" position into four sections when finally taken over by the Aust. Div.

The limits of these sections will be as follows:-

No 1 Sec. - On the WEST - the opening of B4 to the S.W. Dead-end; hence to S.E. Angle and as far as the right of the new fire trench in the present No 2 Sec.; also covered support trenches in this area.No 2 Sec. - From the right of the new fire trench to Point "E" near No 13 Post; and Support trenches and B5 Sap in rear.No 3 Sec. - From Point "E" to "LIGHT HORSE POINT", exclusive, including Saps "A" and "B", and Support trenches in rear.No 4 Sec. - From "LIGHT HORSE POINT" inclusive, to "THE GRCUS" and B8 Sap, with Support trenches in this area.

Until further orders No 2 Sec. will extend on the left to Sap "A" inclusive, and No 3 Sec. will extend from Sap "A" exclusive on the right to "LIGHT HORSE POINT" exclusive on the left. This includes Saps "B" and "C".

RELIEFS. 2. Reliefs will be carried out as follows:-10.9.15. - 0800 - 2 platoons from each Co. 24th Bn will relieve platoons 23rd Bn.11.9.15. - 0830 - Remaining platoons of each Co. of 24th Bn will relieve above.12.9.15. - 0800 - 23rd Bn will relieve the 3rd 4th 7th and 24th Bn details in LONE PINE.ON FIRING LINE.3. Between B.3 and B.8 tunnels in the old firing line a garrison of 1 platoon will be formed by the Bn of 2nd Aust. Div. holding LONE PINE.

SMK
Bde. Major, 1st Infantry Brigade

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1st Australian Division.Summary of events from 6 a.m. 8th September to 6 a.m. 9th September, 1915.

SECTION No. 1 SOUTH. Quiet day and night.

SECTION No. 1 SOUTH. Uneventful; our patrols brought in 2 Turkish rifles and 1600 rounds of ammunition from below LEANES TRENCH.

LONE PINE.

Enemy unusually quiet during the day. We continued deepening and improving our trenches; sniping and bombing continued.

4 platoons 23rd Battalion 2nd Australian Division relieved troops of the 1st Australian Brigade; instruction of newly arrived troops in bombing etc., continued.

Enemy 75 from direction of GUN RIDGE shelled No. 4 Section at dusk damaging our parapet. Sniping, bombing and fire from trench mortars continued throughout the night; ~~on~~ which we had the best of it.

On our right front enemy heard mining in hard ground near our second tunnel - this is being kept under observation.

Enemy are now using hand grenades attached to a stick about 2 ft. long which gives increased leverage, it has the same advantages as our Lotbiniere bomb, the latter is very popular with our men.

SECTION No. 2 SOUTH. Quiet day and night.

Four $\frac{1}{2}$ companies of 22nd Battalion of 2nd Australian Division relieved part of 6th and 8th battalions during the day.

SECTION No. 2 NORTH. Quiet day and night.

Four $\frac{1}{2}$ companies 21st Battalion Australian Division, which arrived during night 7th/8th, ~~were~~ put in the firing line for instruction.

Usual patrol went out and reported no sign of enemy movement.

A Turk approached our line at COURTENAYS POST and was taken prisoner.

ARTILLERY.

Very quiet day all round. Policy of retaliation continued. 'A' Battery 69th Bde., fired 17 rounds at GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH in retaliation to heavy howitzer fire directed on our trenches from BOGHALI direction.

Small parties of the enemy, working parties and camel train also engaged by our guns.

	CASUALTIES.	
	Officers.	Other Ranks.
Killed	-	1
Wounded	-	13
Sick	3	84

9.9.1915.

D. S. S. M. J. Major,
for Colonel, General Staff,
1st Australian Division.

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a very quiet day aaa
night was also quiet very
little sniping being done by
enemy aaa casualties for
24 hours 1 other hands killed

FROM.....
PLACE & TIME.....
2nd Light Horse
0625

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Morning report done fine aaa
Enemy 75 from direction of
gun ridge. shelled No 4
section at dusk last night
aiming at B8 open sap
where it joins the communication
trench it also played along
the northern firing line blowing
in the parapet two men
were injured and two slightly
wounded aaa they enemy sniped
throughout the night probably in
order to cover deepening of
their trenches in Johnston's Jolly
aaa at 2100 enemy trench
mortar fired towards west end
northern line and near saps

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PLACE & TIME.....

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AAA

B and C without effect aaa
a new stationary light was
visible all night in enemy
trenches about 100 yards North
of light horse point aaa
In no 1 section enemy continues
to mine in hard ground near
Our second tunnel but was
otherwise very quiet aaa No
2 - Section reports enemy 75
gun opened from right of
scrub by Knoll and Notch-
Kiss also opened from the
jolly both gun positions located
aaa at 200's green and
red lights showed alternately from
the jolly aaa enemy are using

FROM

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hand grenades attached to a
stick nearly 2 feet long which
gives increased ~~leverage~~ and has
the same advantage as our
hair brush bombs which are
preferred to all other types by
our bomb throwers aaa our
artillery snipers and mortars
enemy fire in each case aaa
Total Casualties other ranks 2
wounded & shock 2 accidentally
wounded and Colonel Knox touched
by bomb

FROM

PLACE & TIME

1st Inf Bde

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*Sender's Number ABH 90	Day of Month ninth	In reply to Number -	AAA
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Morning report begins action during day already reported intelligence aaa Our action during night patrol from Right Sub-section no 2 northern went out into Marine Trench at 2130 and 2330 returning at moonrise aaa Reported no sign of enemy aaa Enemy very quiet during night aaa a Turk approached our lines at Courtney's post and was taken prisoner aaa casualties one man wounded aaa Ammunition expended point 303 6455 Turkish 70 Garland 1 hand grenades 4 Rifle grenades 4 Pistol flares 7

FROM.....
PLACE & TIME.....
2nd Inf Bde
0610

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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Patrol 12th Bn brought in 2 Turkish Rifles 1600 rounds Ammunition from Below leaves trench/aaa Patrol 10th Bn brought in a plan of old Turk communication trench on Silt Spur aaa quiet night casualties killed Nil Ammunition expended 900 rds

FROM.....
PLACE & TIME.....
2nd Inf Bde
0640

Appendix No. 1
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1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Artillery Daily Report,
9.9.15

- HUGHES BATTERY did not fire.
- 0700 BURGESS BATTERY fired 3 rounds shrapnel at two bodies of horsemen in Sq. 56 -T-7 with good effect.
- 1030 OLIVE GROVE Left Section opened fire on the Monitor which was shelling MAIDOS. BURGESS BATTERY and No. 2 6" Howitzer opened fire and had the effect of decreasing rate of enemy fire and causing it to become erratic.
- 1615 BURGESS BATTERY fired 11 shrapnel at Camel Train between ESKI KEUI - MAIDOS ROAD and tract Sq. 57 S 5 moving in a N.E. direction - Personnel and Camels scattered and many wounded camels could be seen for some time afterwards.
- PHILLIPS BATTERY did not fire.
- CADDYS BATTERY did not fire.
- 1925 STEVENSONS BATTERY fired 6 rounds at enemy gun on SCRUBBY KNOLL but light was bad and Battery ceased fire as flashes were becoming more visible.
- BROWNES BATTERY fired 35 rounds at working parties visible from time to time near SAND PIT, QUARRY, and TURKS HUMP.
- 0940 "A" Battery 69th Bde. fired 17 rounds at GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH in retaliation for heavy howitzer which was firing into our lines from BOGHALI direction. During this series another gun was registered on this target.
- 1850 5th Lowland Battery fired 7 rounds at trenches on KNIFE EDGE and SURPRISE GULLY, one round was blind.
- GENERAL - A very quiet day allround.
- Brig.-General J.T.Hobbs having returned assumed Command of Divisional Artillery. Lieut.-Colonel G.J.Johnston resumed Command of 2nd F.A.Brigade and Major Bessel-Browne was transferred from temporary command of 2nd Art. Brigade to temporary command of 3rd Art. Brigade.

Casualties NIL

Ammunition expended :- 18-pr Shrap. 57 H.E. 8
5"Hew. 24
6"Hew. 8

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

9.55

Casualties

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O.R.

Killed

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Wounded

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Pick

3

52

Got seen
in Eng.

in Air

24

9.54 seen

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Summary of events from 6 a.m. 8th Sept. to 6 a.m. 9th Sept. 1915.

The enemy were unusually quiet throughout the period. They were busy working in front of the APEX early this morning.

Patrols, sent out from the left of the Section, worked up the AGHYL DERE - they encountered no Turks, but heard digging in front of the FARM.

The Lantern displayed on LITTLE TABLE TOP, asked for by the Navy, was satisfactory.

ARTILLERY

The usual targets were engaged, and in addition the H.M.S. ENDYMION and the 4th (Howitzer) Battery fired on Hill 100 (92 p/u) at 6 p.m. Our shots were for the most part effective.

The Mountain gun in No. 2 Post fired on a new work of the enemy's on the North West lower slopes of BATTLESHIP HILL - all Turks in the vicinity took cover.

At intervals during the day, fire was opened on some 10 different objectives to the North, chiefly in Square 105 - and at a Communication Trench on KAIAJIK AGHALA.

CASUALTIES

(7 p.m. 7th Sept. to 7 p.m. 8th Sept).

	<u>Officers.</u>	<u>Other Ranks.</u>
<u>KILLED</u>	-	1
<u>WOUNDED</u>	-	4
<u>MISSING</u>	-	-
<u>SICK</u>	4	111

Headquarters,
No. 2 Post,
9th September 1915.

(Sgd) A. J. GODLEY Major-General,
Commanding N.Z. & A. Division.

A N Z A C .
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY. 8th SEPTEMBER, 1915.



1st Australian Division reports :- Movements :-

0600. Camel train near RUINS. 0655. Party of horsemen on SANDY CLIMB Sq 49 G 6 - H 4. 1100. Large dismounted and small mounted party near ALMOND GROVE, Sq 56, Sq X 3. 1145 to 1215. Force of infantry with camel train (over 1 bn) moved from ESKI KEUI towards RUINS - 3rd F A Bde opened fire. (marched on MAIDOS Road).

Works. LONE PINE. Earth still being carried out in bags from E of LONE PINE. Overhead cover in enemy trenches observed burning well, result of incendiary bombs. ECHELON TRENCHES. Sap connecting with HOLLY RIDGE with loopholes. PINE RIDGE. Parties deepening sap connecting with HOLLY RIDGE. GABA TEPE. Men working S of GABA TEPE deepening trench on flat facing beach, and extending S to ASMAK DERE. 3 communication trenches dug to the E. HARRIS RIDGE. Enemy digging hard between GREEN KNOLL and BALKAN PITS. WEIR RIDGE. Enemy completing construction of works. LONE PINE. At 1700 our shells hit observation post E of LONE PINE. Several wounded men seen carried out.

General. At 1155 about 300 men came across field from behind KILIA RIDGE sq 56 N. They were shelled all the way by field guns and 4.7. At 1217 about 70 men left and went back to KILIA RIDGE and crossed field in very scattered formation. At 1225, 60 men followed 1st party.

NZ & A Division reports :- A patrol went out from the left of our Line (section) at 8.30pm and worked up the AGHYL DERE to the slope track leading to the FARM. Enemy could be heard working actively with pick and shovel and driving stakes in the vicinity of the FARM.

Enemy were noticed hard at work on crest of BATTLESHIP HILL.

The emplacements of M batt section on RHODODENDRON Spur were accurately shelled by a gun from behind ridge about 81 A 7.

Flashes of a gun were observed in sq 93 W 7 at 4.45am.

A Turkish observation post has been located on N slope of ring contour sq 93 L 4-5, 7-8.

At 4.45pm, 162nd brigade of 54th division reported a white flag on knoll between 92 Z 7&8 - the 4th A I Bde noticed this flag the day before and put it down as being one of our own pale pink flags, left out.

A Greman aeroplane passed down our line from S-N and back again yesterday about 5.30pm. "The skilful firing of their own gunners" as mentioned by Staff Officer NAZIN BEY put one shot about 200' before the machine which was flying at about 3000', except for this and a few rounds from a machine gun there was no firing at the aeroplane, which flew away straight for the Turkish lines.

At 6pm, 4 Turkish guns of large calibre, manhandled, were seen on road sq 106 C 3. Mounted officers were also observed, evidently looking for positions for them.

9th Corps report :- 4-9-15. ON the night 2/3rd a brass band was heard playing behind the Turkish lines opposite the 29th division.

5-9-15. The 29th division report that some of the enemy opposite their right subsection wear fezzes and are much darker than the normal Turk and consider they may be Arab troops. The 11th division report that periscope rifles proved effective against snipers on the left flank.

6-9-15. Considerable numbers of the enemy in driblets were coming down the ASMA DERE about 92 P. On the 5th inst, enemy troops moving east of ANAFARTA SAGIR were shelled by "A" 59th bde and casualties were observed. Casualties were also inflicted on a working party bat 92 K 6 and 9, as well as on a column of men and mules (reported by 10th division). At 1615, 5th inst, Turks drawing water from well at DERVISH ALI KUYU (92 F 5) were fired upon by 55th F A Bde and dispersed.

Aeroplane report :- 5th Sept, the M 15 was spotted on to the pier at AKBASHI and also the coaling depot at 59 Z 6 and obtained 3 hits.

6th Sept, 1 battalion halted between TAIFURKEUI and BERGAZ. 1/2 mile outside BOGHALI on KUMKEUI road, on hill N of the village the rows of buildings apparently store sheds.

7th Sept. W Hills- no gun positions seen on hills. 69 A 6 - There are stores in most of these gullies all placed on western slopes. Largest is about 81 W 4. No movement on ANZAC front.

Army Corps Head-quarters. Ig / 1.

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Appendix No. 1 Copy No 3

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No 22 OPERATION MEMORANDUM

By
Brig. General N. M. SMYTH, J.C., Commanding 1/Inf. Bde.872
9.9.15
BROWN'S DIP
9.9.1915.RELIEFS. 1. (a) 23rd Bⁿ will be relieved by 24th Bⁿ in "LONE PINE" tomorrow as under:-

- 0800 - 2 platoons "D" Co. 23/Bⁿ by 2 platoons "D" Co. 24/Bⁿ in No 1 Sec.
 0900 - 2 platoons "C" Co. 23/Bⁿ by 2 platoons "C" Co. 24/Bⁿ in No 2 Sec.
 1000 - 2 platoons "B" Co. 23/Bⁿ by 2 platoons "B" Co. 24/Bⁿ in No 3 Sec.
 1100 - 2 platoons "A" Co. 23/Bⁿ by 2 platoons "A" Co. 24/Bⁿ in No 3 Sec.
 0930 - 1 platoon "C" Co. 23/Bⁿ by 1 platoon "C" Co. 24/Bⁿ in the old firing line near "THE PIMPLE" from B.3 tunnel exclusive, to B.8 tunnel inclusive.

Platoon Commanders of 24/Bⁿ will report at the above hours to Bde. Major in "BROWNS DIP".(b) "D" and "C" Co. platoons of both B^{ns} will use B.5 tunnel only."B" and "A" Co. platoons of both B^{ns} will use B.8 tunnel only.

(c) Section Commanders in "LONE PINE" will arrange guides at the hours stated in tunnel exits to conduct relieving platoons into position.

(d) The Southern end of ARTILLERY ROAD near "BROWNS DIP" will not be used by reliefs. Guides will be posted to direct units.

(e) 23rd Bⁿ will withdraw to support and reserve trenches in rear of old firing line between tunnels B.3 and B.6. The Staff Captain 6th Inf. Bde. is to point out the area allotted to 23rd Bⁿ.

(f) Strict silence will be maintained by relieving units in moving to and from "LONE PINE".

STANDING ORDERS. 2. Attention is directed to "STANDING ORDERS" and "NOTES ON LONE PINE POSITION", copies of which have been issued to all concerned.

GREAT COATS. 3. The verbal instructions issued re wearing greatcoats as capes only, are cancelled. Greatcoats may now be worn in the usual manner, subject to the provisions of STANDING ORDER No 2.

PA

Major,
Bde. Major. 1/Inf. Bde.

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8	5/B ⁿ		"
9/10	7/B ⁿ		"
11	24/B ⁿ		"

1st.AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Summary of events from 6a.m. 9/9/15 to 6 a.m. 10/9/15

SECTION No.1.SOUTH. Unusually quiet 24 hours. Enemy working hard all day on our front.
Ruse at 2115 drew fairly heavy fire for over 20 minutes.

SECTION No.1.NORTH. Nothing to report except that our machine guns damaged TURKISH DESPAIR trenches.
Ruse drew little fire from anywhere except SNIPERS RIDGE.

LONE PINE. Quiet day. We laid a mine in Tunnel LP3: this is now ready for firing if necessary.
About 300 men of 2nd.Australian Division releived a similar number of 1st.Australian Division; in addition to this, instruction of new troops in trench warfare continued.
At 1810 an enemy 75 from the direction of SCRUBBY KNOLL , shelled our trenches without doing serious damage.
Enemy responded to ruse at 2115 with a brisk fire but this did not last long, and the remainder of the night was unusually quiet. We brought in some equipment.

SECTION No2. Unusually quiet day. Ruse at 2115 drew fire from whole of enemys works in the vicinity; enemy machine guns in GERMAN OFFICER'S trench and JOHNSTONES JOLLY also opened: fire lasted for about 10 minutes.
Troops of 2nd.Australian Division relieved 6th. & 8th. Bns. ; instruction of new troops in trench warfare continued.

ARTILLERY Policy of retaliation continued; usual targets engaged.

The enemy is constructing a work in square 55 K 1/2 ,this appears to be a gun emplacement and we are keeping it under observation.

It is reported that an enemy gun firing from a nullah at head of MULE VALLEY has been located.

Guns have never been definitely located here until this evening, although the neighbourhood has been searched by fire and carefully watched.

Work is proceeding on new emplacement on PLUGGES PLATEAU.

Emplacements were selected for 4 guns in case they become available.

C A S U A L T I E S

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks</u>
Killed	-	-
Wounded	-	-
Sick	3	52

Lt J. D. G. G. G.

Major

*for Colonel General Staff
1st Australian Division*

10-9-15

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

Army Form C. 9193.

No. of Message

Prefix *SM* Code *10* Words *10*
Received *10* Sent, or sent out *10* Office Stamp.
From *2nd L.N. Bde* At *896* m.
By *B* To *10/9/15*
Charges to collect *10*

Service Instructions.

Handed in at *2nd L.N. Bde* Office *10* m. Received *10* m.

TO

*Sender's Number *2nd L.N. Bde* Day of Month *10th* In reply to Number *—* AAA

Last *24* hours unusually quiet
aaa enemy working hard in
trenches all day on our
front aaa rise at 2115
drew fairly heavy fire for
over 20 minutes aaa
for 24 hours 2 other
wounded

FROM

PLACE & TIME

2nd L.N. Bde

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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TO

*Sender's Number *2nd L.N. Bde* Day of Month *10th* In reply to Number *—* AAA

Morning report LONE PINE
No 1 section enemy quiet during
night usual bomb throwing being
almost stopped aaa rise drew
very little response no bombs
being thrown by enemy aaa
enemy only opened fire for a
short burst aaa No 2 section
report 75 gun from direction
SCRUBBY KNOL opened fire about
1810 but did no damage
aaa demonstration drew heavy
rifle fire but little m.g.
fire aaa Remainder of night
quiet except for usual sniping
aaa No 3 section report rise
drew heavy fire and heavy

FROM

PLACE & TIME

Appendix No. 1

"C" Form (Original).

Army Form C. 2183

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

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TO

*Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

sniping was kept up by them for about an hour after aa Red and white flares were again seen enemy trenches aa about 50 tanks were seen moving along trenches on JOKLY aa They were immediately fired on with the result that work was commenced deepening and putting up overhead cover aa at 2330 a party of one NCO and 4 men who collected discs some equipment etc of about 40 men they had not time to bury any aa The party report about a

FROM

PLACE & TIME

"C" Form (Original).

Army Form C. 2183

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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In reply to Number

AAA

hundred men still out between LONE PINE and old firing line aa amalties last night Nil

FROM

PLACE & TIME

1st Lp Bde
06.40

Appendix No. /

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

Army Form C. 2123.

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Service Instructions.					

Handed in at *KD* Office *06.00* m. Received *06.05* m.

TO

1st Ans Div
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*Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

KD 431

2nd

<i>Morning</i>	<i>report</i>	<i>begins</i>	<i>action</i>	<i>during</i>
<i>day</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>resist</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>rise</i>
<i>2115</i>	<i>already</i>	<i>reported</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>other</i>
<i>action</i>	<i>during</i>	<i>night</i>	<i>patrol</i>	<i>from</i>
<i>northern</i>	<i>no 2</i>	<i>returned</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>moonrise</i>
<i>reported</i>	<i>all</i>	<i>quiet</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>active</i>
<i>sniping</i>	<i>as</i>	<i>usual</i>	<i>by</i>	<i>ourselves</i>
<i>and</i>	<i>enemy</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>Casualties</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>wounded</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>ammunition</i>	<i>expended</i>	<i>303</i>
<i>1330 5</i>	<i>2nd</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>garland</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>hand</i>	<i>bombs</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>rifle</i>	<i>grenades</i>
<i>7</i>	<i>pistol</i>	<i>flares</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>tends</i>

FROM

PLACE & TIME

2nd Lf Bde

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

Army Form C. 2123.

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Charges to collect			By <i>AW</i>	To <i>10/9/15</i>	
Service Instructions.					

Handed in at Office m. Received *06.55* m.

TO

Ans Div

*Sender's Number

Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

KD 502

10/11

<i>fast</i>	<i>night</i>	<i>rise</i>	<i>draw</i>	<i>little</i>
<i>fire</i>	<i>from</i>	<i>anywhere</i>	<i>except</i>	<i>SNIPERS</i>
<i>RIDGE</i>	<i>our</i>	<i>machine</i>	<i>gun</i>	<i>knocked</i>
<i>about</i>	<i># Turkish</i>	<i>DESPAIR</i>	<i>trench</i>	<i>aaa</i>
<i>Casualties</i>	<i>Killed</i>	<i>til</i>	<i>ammunition</i>	<i>expended</i>
<i>3000</i>	<i>rounds</i>			

FROM

PLACE & TIME

3rd Lf Bde 06.45

Appendix No. 1

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1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Artillery Daily Report
10.9.15

- 1800 HUGHES BATTERY fired 4 rounds shrapnel at enemy trenches North end of SURPRISE GULLY Sq. 68 B 6 - parapets demolished and good effect obtained on small party of enemy in trenches.
- 1820 HUGHES BATTERY fired 3 rounds at overhead cover and parapet of sun-baked bricks Northern end SURPRISE GULLY - both demolished
- 1812 BURGESS BATTERY fired 3 rounds at ECHELON TRENCHES in retaliation and immediately afterwards three rounds enemy howitzer in Sq. 56 W 1 - enemy gun silenced.
- 1815 HEAVY BATTERY fired 5 rounds at OLIVE GROVE Right Section which had opened and fired a few rounds.
- 1820 No. 2 6" Howitzer fired 20 rounds to destroy enemy Observing Station definitely located on GUN RIDGE - this observing station is so placed that BURGESS BATTERY cannot reach it, therefore 6" Howitzers were ordered to destroy it and it is hoped this was done as several rounds were very close and appeared to do damage and the last round but one was observed as a direct hit in the failing light - The expenditure of ammunition was justified as the target was so small and the range so short as to make lowest charge necessary viz cordite core only.
- 1125 PHILLIPS BATTERY fired 5 effective rounds T. shrapnel at party of armed turks proceeding along shallow trench SAND PIT RIDGE and between 1806 and 1840 fired 22 rounds at trenches at head of and East of MONASH GULLY - considerable damage to parapets.
- 1815, 1820, 1827, 1850 CADDYS BATTERY fired 22 rounds at trenches at BLOODY ANGLE, left of QUINNS and in front of POPES - good effect on wire entanglements and overhead cover.
- 1820 STEVENSONS BATTERY fired 8 rounds at enemy gun on GUN RIDGE.
- 1830 BROWNES BATTERY fired 11 rounds at trenches on BATTLESHIP HILL and at a shelter made of branches of trees near QUARRY - 3 direct hits on latter.
- 1820 5th LOWLAND BATTERY fired 17 rounds on KNIFE EDGE in indeavour to demolish machine gun emplacements - This emplacement was not destroyed and cannot be without a very large expenditure of ammunition except by a lucky shot - However 12 of the 17 rounds were effective in enemy trenches - 5 rounds were bling.
- 1745 "A" BATTERY 69th Bde. in response to a message from our left fired 11 rounds searching vicinity Sq. 81 A 1-2 a gun position registered by aeroplane observation and from which a gun was said to be firing.


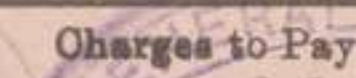
GENERAL- A work, giving appearance of gun emplacement is under construction in Sq. 55 K 1-2, is visible from both 9th Battery and Heavy Battery Observing Stations, and from Artillery Observing Station in LONE PINE - This work is under close observation. 2nd Artillery Brigade and LONE PINE observers report having located a 75 mm gun firing from a nullah at Head of MULE VALLEY. Though this neighbourhood has been searched by fire and carefully watched guns have never been definitely located there until this evening - Howitzers and 18-prs are now waiting to engage this gun.

Work is proceeding with the new emplacements on PLUGGES PLATEAU and positions were selected for 4" guns in case they become available.

Casualties 1 Other Rank wounded.

Ammunition expended:- 18-pr Shrapnel .. 58 14 H&E%
6" How. 25 "
5" How. 28

J. D. Webb Brig. General
Comdng. Art. 1st Aust. Div.

<p> <i>Sm. gg 27</i>  <hr/> <p>Service Instructions.</p> </p>	<p> Charges to Pay. <i>£ 88 9</i> <i>7 19 15</i> </p>	<p> Office Stamp.  </p>
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FROM

PLACE & TIME

Adm's Anzac Gully
1930

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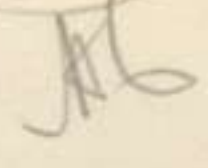
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Adm 1st Ans Devn
Angae 0645

<div> <div>8/9/9/1915</div> <div>Casualties</div> </div>		
	<u>O.</u>	<u>O.R.</u>
Killed	-	1
Wounded	-	13
Sick	3	84
<div> <div>fol 4125</div> <div>Is </div> <div>Div Art 8504. A Q</div> <div>Div Engrs </div> </div>		

996
NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

898
 10-9-15
Summary of events from 6 a.m. 9th Sept. to 6 a.m. 10th Sept. 1915.

Appendix No. 1

The Turks in SNIPER'S RIDGE were active yesterday and sniping was consistent on the trenches on RHODODENDRON SPUR and TABLE TOP. The new Trench at the west end of RHODODENDRON SPUR was manned last night - this trench has still to be improved.

The APEX was shelled yesterday about 7 a.m. by a Mountain Gun, but very little damage was done.

New diversions and head cover to recently cut tracks had to be provided yesterday on the left of the Section owing to snipers, who had taken up their positions in the vicinity of the APEX.

ARTILLERY

A good deal of movement was noticed between the two Anafartas. This was fired on when numbers warranted it, and some casualties were seen.

At 3 p.m. the tunnels at 93 R. 4 were engaged by the 4th (Howitzer) Battery.

At 9. 45 a.m. 31 rounds were expended by the Mountain Gun in No. 2 Post in an effort to silence 2 guns firing from the tunnelled emplacements on ABDEL RAHMAN BAIR - the range was obtained with the last seven rounds.

CASUALTIES

(7 p.m. 8th Sept. to 7 p.m. 9th Sept).

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks</u>
<u>KILLED</u>	-	1
<u>WOUNDED</u>	-	14
<u>MISSING</u>	-	-
<u>SICK.</u>	5	96

for seen
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 Headquarters,
 No. 2 Post,
10th September 1915.

(Sgd) W. R. Pin will
 for
 Major-General,
Commanding N.Z. & A. Division.

A N Z A C .
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY. 10th SEPTEMBER, 1915.

1st Australian Division reports :-

Movements:- OLIVE GROVE - considerable movement, principally pack animals going SW on road between KILID BARR position and OLIVE GROVES. RUINS - small movements of mounted men in this vicinity. About one battalion enemy infantry passed from RUINS towards GUN RIDGE.

Works :- BOWLING GREEN, sq 88 E 4 to 7 - large working party excavating trenches. SCRUBBY HILL - artillery observation station on sq 88 I-J. (Artillery informed.) LOWE PINE - earth still being carried out. POMELON TRENCHES being deepened. Two new gun positions, one E of LOWE PINE and one S of GARA TIRE, sq 80 T 2. BIRD TRENCHES - improvement being made.

General :- A prisoner was captured in COURTYERS POST by 8th battalion, belongs to 57th regt. Confirmed statements that 125th regt still occupies JOHNSTONS JOLLY.

82 & A Division reports :-

Constant movement was noticed between the 2 ANAFARTAS and to the E of "W" Hills - what appeared to be new troops, or at any rate newly fitted out troops, were clearly distinguished. The tunnelled emplacement guns shelled ACHIL DERE at 9.30am yesterday. The gun near the windmills ANAFARTA SAGIR has been removed and a white flag-possibly red crescent flag-has been hoisted in the locality.

Aeroplane report. (8-9-15)

120 G - three 20lb bombs dropped at camp. Two of them fell in gully close to camp and third hit edge of TURKISH-KHUI. 120 B 9-H 3 - no movement of troops to roads to W of line between ANAFARTA SAGIR and KOJA DERE. ANZAC Front - no movement of troops. Unable to locate guns in OLIVE GROVE. 141 P 5 - on KILID BARR plateau 4 long buildings with red tiled roofs. (20418105 P 6 - 3 or 4 gun emplacements, no guns visible. No movement of troops on ANZAC or SUVLA front. Several small parties of about 8 wagons each moving along road from HIYUK ANAFARTA to BOCHALI.

Army Corps Head-quarters. 18 / 11.

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1st. Australian Division

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 10th September 1915 to 6 a.m. 11th. Sept 15

SECTION No.1. SOUTH

Today the limits of this section were extended northwards to include LEANES TRENCH and TASMANIA POST. The whole of this sub-section from the sea on the right, to LEANES TRENCH and TASMANIA POST on the left, is now held by the 2nd. Light Horse Brigade.

Very quiet day; enemy are working very hard in all trenches to the immediate front of this sub-section.

SECTION No.1. NORTH

This sub-section now extends from LEANES TRENCH and TASMANIA POST (exclusive) to tunnel 'B' 3 in the PIMPLE (inclusive).

Uneventful 24 hours.

LONE PINE
and
No 2. SECTION

Have now been taken over by the 6th. Infantry Brigade under the temporary command of Brigadier General N.M. Smythe V.C.

In LONE PINE there are still about 350 rifles of the 1st. Australian Division; these will be finally relieved tomorrow. The remainder of this section is held by the 6th. Infantry Brigade, 2nd Australian Division.

ARTILLERY.

Usual targets engaged in retaliation, with satisfactory results.

Our 3-pdr. has again been emplaced and is ready to open fire; it will be used in retaliation against important points on western trenches of JOHNSTONES HOLLY.

Arrangements have been made to send a small proportion of officers and other ranks to LEMNOS for a period of 14 days.

C A S U A L T I E S

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks</u>
Killed	-	-
Wounded	-	2
Sick	3	66

11/9/15

Sgt O. Glasford

Major
for Colonel, General Staff
1st. Australian Division

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

Army Form C. 9183

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Day was again very quiet
 as a enemy were working very
 hard in all trenches our
 immediate front LEANES TRENCH
 and TASMANIA post taken over
 from 3rd Inf Bde at
 1015 yesterday aaaa casualties
 for 24 hours one other
 rank wounded

FROM 2nd LHB Bde
 PLACE & TIME 0633

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KC 544	11th		

Unsuccessful night our sapping
 progressed casualties killed
 600 rounds expended

FROM 3rd Inf Bde
 PLACE & TIME 0645

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

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TO

*Sender's Number

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In reply to Number

AAA

Morning report from Pine No 1
section enemy kept up continuous
sniping and occasional bombing
aaa Our sniping keeps the
enemy bomb throwers back aaa
Burial parties sent out recovered
about twenty bodies aaa No 2
section at 0415 enemy opened
a sharp fire otherwise usual
sniping aaa enemy still
continue the improvement of
rear trenches East of Pine
Pine and a few uprights
have been erected in front
of them probably for barbed
wire aaa No 3 section
bomb throwers in Saps B

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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

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In reply to Number

AAA

and C appear to have
established their superiority over
enemy bomb throwers aaa a
great mortar throwing a fairly
heavy bomb still firing into
this section but has done
no damage aaa About 2100
and 0430 rather heavy firing
broke out for about half
an hour but no other
action was taken by enemy
aaa 22nd Bn. reports situation
same sniping on both sides
being carried on vigorously
aaa 23rd Bn. reports
same heavy burst of fire
from Kabilas area. Jolly about

FROM

PLACE & TIME

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TO	1st Aust Divn (FOR INFORMATION)		
Sender's Number KF 29	Day of Month 11th	In reply to Number	AAA
No reports exploded damage and	1 mine at done can	Section in 0705 so observe	ZONE No 3 aaa our no
			PINE Tunnel No trench crater
FROM	1st Aust Divn		
PLACE & TIME	0732		

1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Artillery Daily Report
11.9.15



- 1610 HUGHES BATTERY fired 9 rounds shrapnel in retaliation on parapets of trenches Northern end SURPRISE GULLY - large portion of parapets destroyed.
- 1530 BURGESS BATTERY fired 4 rounds shrapnel to indicate position of OLIVE GROVE Left Section to Officers of a Monitor.
- 1625 Fired five rounds shrapnel and 1 H.E. at a gun of WINEGLASS BATTERY which had opened fire on LONE PINE - gun ceased firing as soon as it was engaged.
- 1840 Fired 5 shrapnel and 1 H.E. at Howitzer Sq. 56 W 1 enemy gun ceased firing.
- Between 1615 and 1630 PHILLIPS, CADDYS, and BROWNES BATTERIES fired in all 23 rounds at enemy trenches in their zones in retaliation
- 1700 STEVENSONS BATTERY fired 8 rounds to silence a gun which had opened fire from GUN RIDGE - effect satisfactory.
- 1600 "A" BATTERY 69th Bde. fired 3 rounds in retaliation at GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH 1 round was effective in the trench.
- 1615 Fired 10 rounds in retaliation at trenches and communication trenches East of QUINNS with good effect.
- 1630 5th LOWLAND BATTERY fired 8 rounds in retaliation at PINE RIDGE trench and SNIPERS RIDGE all rounds detonated.
- GENERAL - 3-pr Hotchkiss is again emplaced and ready to fire and will be used in retaliation against important points on Western trenches JOHNSTONS JOLLY.
- Arrangements have been made to send a small proportion of Officers and Other Ranks to LEMNOS Rest Camp for a period of 14 days. Instructions for Co-operation between Infantry and Artillery in the Present Phase of Operations were issued to all concerned. A Scheme for the re-organization of Artillery Details at the Base and a proposal to form an Instructional Depot for Field Artillery at the Base was submitted.

Casualties NIL

Ammunition expended 18-pr Shrapnel 51 rounds

" H.E. 5

5" Howitzer
H.E. ...24

J. J. Stubb

Brig.-General
Commanding Artillery, 1st Aust Div.

	<u>Casualties</u>	
	<u>O.</u>	<u>O.R.</u>
Killed	-	-
Wounded	-	2
Dick	3	66

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NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Appendix No. /

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 10th Sept. to 6 a.m. 11th Sept. 1915.

A new fire trench on the East end of No. 1 Post was commenced last night - the old trench across the SAZLI BEIT DERE is being deepened and widened into a communication trench. Good progress was made on the two saps from Old No. 3 Post to the SAZLI BEIT DERE.

The sniping from SNIPER'S RIDGE is most accurate, and prevented improvement to our new trenches being carried on during the day on the Western slopes of RHODODENDRON SPUR.

The APEX and Western slopes of RHODODENDRON SPUR were shelled heavily between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. yesterday, but no damage was done. A sniper's post was located near the APEX, and by grouping sharpshooters' fire their loopholes were effectively kept covered.

On the left, secret saps have been pushed on and there is approximately 40 yards of new fire trench ready to be broken through from below when required.

ARTILLERY

At 10 a.m. the 4th Battery enfiladed the NEK very effectively. At 3 p.m. the 161st Brigade were bombarded on Hill 60 and asked for fire in return. The 4th Battery complied : the effect was good, and a Turkish machine gun was seen to be hit. The same battery bombarded Hill 100 at 6 p.m.

Between 4 and 5 p.m. all the enemy's guns opened fire along our whole front, not concentrating on any particular point. One battery (106 A 3/6) was engaged by the 60 prs, one (105 U 2) by the 6" Howitzer, and one (Abdel Rahman Bair) by the 5th Battery.

A newly built brick archway was registered on the forward slopes of Q, 81 A. 2.3.5. 8. 4 effective rounds were fired at Turks looking over and standing on parapet in Square 93 L. 5-8.

CASUALTIES

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks.</u>
<u>KILLED</u>	-	2
<u>WOUNDED</u>	-	11
<u>MISSING</u>	-	-
<u>SICK</u>	-	100

Headquarters,
No. 2 Post.
11th September 1915.

(Sgd) A. J. GODLEY

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



A N Z A C .
 INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY. 11th SEPTEMBER, 1915.

1st Australian Division reports :-

Movements. RUINS, sq 48 H 8, 38 horsemen left at intervals and disappeared behind KILIA RIDGE, returning in similar manner. At 1100 about 80 men came from a NE direction and disappeared into GULLY. 14 horsemen were seen at 0850 going into the position from direction of SANDY CLINE. OLIVE GROVE - usual considerable traffic between here and KILID BAH. Numbers of wagons (2 horse) observed moving in NE direction.

Works. VALLEY of DESPAIR - trench opposite LEANES being loopholed. SNIPERS RIDGE - new trench being excavated on S end. Communication trench being improved and barbed wire entanglements removed from front of first line of trenches to front of second line. HARRIS RIDGE - enemy working very hard in trenches between GEMEN KROLL and BALKIN PITS. GUN RIDGE - additions still being made and on SNIPERS RIDGE parapet erected as protection from enfilade from our No 3 gun, 7th battery. General. Piles of bricks observed on Y road. Crops still being harvested foot of KILID BAH. Enemy aeroplane going E. LONE PINE - two enemy observers (dark blue overcoats, khaki caps) noticed several times observing from E of LONE PINE.

NZ A A Division reports :-

The sniping from SNIPERS RIDGE yesterday was most accurate and prevented improvement to our new trenches being carried out during the day on W slopes of RHODODENDRON Spur. The enemy's earthworks near BENCH HAD 105 U 8 appear to have grown much more prominent, presumably owing to increase in depth. Hill 60 was heavily bombarded by guns from the E. A similar bombardment took place at 8pm. The Turks hoisted a big red flag in their trenches on Hill 60. At 6.30pm a number of Turks were visible in the trenches in sq 93 L 5 Q 3, they had previously been seen at 4pm looking through glasses when the enemy's guns were shelling the APEX. 3 new tunnelled emplacements are reported in a trench on forward slopes of Q (81 A 8) and also the erection during the night of 9/10th of a telephone line from a forward trench on NW slopes of BATTLESHIP Hill running down towards BAZLI BEIT DERE - in certain lights some of the poles can be distinctly seen.

9th Corps reports :- (6-9-15)

Aluminium fuses marked with European instead of Turkish figures have recently been picked up, probably indicating recent supplies from Germany. Just before dawn 9th inst usual cloud of dust showing movements of troops on ANAFARTA SAGIR - W HILL road. Dust stopped about 1000.

General. A large number of Mauser rifle clips with reversed bullets have been picked up at various times in different places. It is reported that the Germans thought that the reversed bullets would penetrate steel loophole plates, where the bullet fired in the ordinary way would not and experiments carried out by the French and ourselves confirmed this. The Turks have doubtless been instructed to do it for this reason also.

10 P 8 registered a newly built sun-dried archway on forward slopes of Q - range 3000+ - 81 Mag. This archway is apparently in the rear face of a trench and has an embrasure cut in the front face, so presumably is the mouth of a tunnelled emplacement - 10° left in the same trench is a rectangular emplacement with a timbered frame doorway.

Army Corps Head-quarters. 18 / 18.

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No 2 Operation Memorandum

Brig. General N. H. Smyth, v.c., Commandg. 6th Inf. Bde.

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11.9.15

RELIEFS. 1. The following reliefs will be carried out by 23rd Bn. in "LONE PINE" tomorrow, 12th inst.

0800. D Coy. 23rd Bn. relieves 3rd Bn. and details 24th Bn. attached in No. 1 section. B.1 tunnel to be used.

0900. E Coy. 23rd Bn. relieves 7th Bn. and details 24th Bn. attached in No. 2 section. B.1 tunnel to be used.

1000. B Coy. 23rd Bn. relieves 4th Bn. and details 24th Bn. attached in No. 3 section. B.1 tunnel to be used.

1100. H Coy. 23rd Bn. relieves 4th Bn. and details 24th Bn. attached in No. 4 section. B.1 tunnel to be used.

OLD FIRING 2. LINE.

Paragraph 3 of No. 21 Operation Memo. is cancelled. In future the Garrison of old firing line between B.3 and B.1 tunnels will be furnished by the Bn. in reserve. The Garrison will be relieved every 24 hours. 24th Bn. will effect this relief on 11th and 12th inst.

ARTILLERY 3. ROAD.

As the Southern part of artillery "ARTILLERY ROAD" is closed to all bodies of troops, it will not be used in carrying out the reliefs of "LONE PINE".

for Major, 6th Inf. Bde.

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1st Australian Division.Summary of events from 6 a.m. 11.9.1915 to 6 a.m. 12.9.1915.

SECTION No. 1 South. Very quiet 24 hours. Enemy still busy improving all trenches to our immediate front.

SECTION No. 1 North. Nothing to report ^{beyond} ~~area~~ persistent sniping from SNIPERS RIDGE.

ARTILLERY. Very quiet day. Phillips. Caddys, Browne's and 'A' Battery, 69th Brigade, engaged enemy in retaliation for his fire on our trenches - Lowland Battery fired 14 rounds in retaliation on PINE RIDGE trenches, 4 rounds were blind.

CASUALTIES.

	Officers	Other Ranks.
Killed	-	1
Wounded	-	8
Sick.	2	51

12.9.1915.

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For Colonel, General Staff.

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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AAA

preceding 24 hours very quiet
aaa. Enemy have been busy
improving all trenches our
immediate front. aaa Casualties
for 24 hours 1 other
ranks Killed 2 other ranks
wounded

FROM

PLACE & TIME

2nd Light Horse Bde
0617

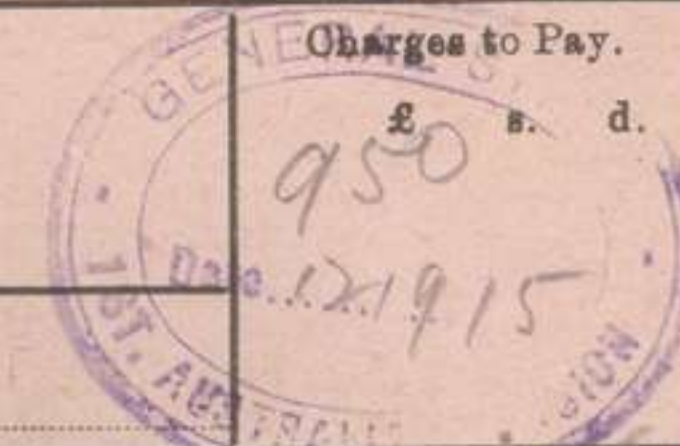
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TO

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Day of Month

In reply to Number

AAA

Beyond persistent sniping from
Snipers Ridge nothing to report
last night casualties killed
nil Ammunition expended
2000 rounds

FROM

PLACE & TIME

3rd Inf Bde 0645

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1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Artillery Daily Report
12.9.15

- 1835 HUGHES BATTERY fired 3 rounds in retaliation at trenches
in Northern end SURPRISE GULLY, overhead cover was damaged.
- 0925 BURGESS BATTERY fired ~~fixed~~ 19 rounds shrapnel at party of
mounted troops N.E. of ALMOND GROVE; a considerable number
of casualties were inflicted.
- 0958 HEAVY BATTERY No. 1 6" Howitzer fired 7 rounds at OLIVE GROVE
Right Section which ceased firing.
- 1018 and 1828 PHILLIPS BATTERY fired altogether 13 rounds shrapnel
in retaliation at trenches at Head of MONASH GULLY and on
BATTLESHIP HILL.
- 1020 and 1830 CADDYS BATTERY fired altogether 29 rounds shrapnel
in retaliation at trenches overlooking MONASH GULLY and on
BABY 700.
- 1830 STEVENSONS BATTERY fired 11 rounds shrapnel at enemy gun S
of SCRUBBY KNOLL - gun ceased firing - this gun had been
firing on our LONE PINE trenches and is reported to be a 4"
gun but this is not yet confirmed.
- 1700 BROWNES BATTERY fired 1 round dispersing a working party on
TURKS HUMP
- 1830 FIRED 20 rounds shrapnel in retaliation at trenches at
TURKS HUMP and near SAND PIT.
- 1830 "A" Battery, 69th Bde. fired 10 rounds in retaliation at
GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH and to register communication trench
between LEGGE VALLEY and Target C, of the rounds fired at
GERMAN OFFICERS TRENCH two direct hits were blind: *remainder detonated.*
- 1840 LOWLAND BATTERY fired 14 rounds in retaliation at PINE RIDGE
trenches 4 rounds were blind remainder detonated in or near
trenches.

GENERAL: a very quiet day - Retaliation rounds fired by PHILLIPS,
CADDYS, BROWNES & "A" BATTERIES were in consequence of enemy
firing at our trenches on WALKERS RIDGE and South of WHITE
GULLY and searching SHRAPNEL VALLEY and neighbourhood of
CADDYS guns.

Casualties 1 Other Rank wounded.

Ammunition expended	13-pr Shrap.	93	H.E.	3
	5" How. Shrap	4	H.E.	20
	6" How.	H.E.	7

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

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Casualties

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Killed

-

1

Wounded

-

8

Sick

51

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SECOND AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

Summary of Events from 6 a.m. 11th September to 6 a.m. 12th September

LONE PINE.

No 1. Section. Enemy heard picking to South of No.3 Tunnel and quite distinctly in tunnel itself. Good number of bombs were thrown into the left of this Section during the night.

A bomb attack at 0530 in the vicinity of No. 3 tunnel was successfully repulsed.

No. 2 Section. Enemy .75 gun opened fire on this Section from direction of SCRUBBY KNOLL but did only slight damage to trenches.

The Machine Gun at point E. was destroyed when it was out of its position in resting place.

No. 3 Section. Was shelled by .75 gun for half an hour at about 1830 damaging parapet, but repairs were effected during night.

Yesterday afternoon a Turk was shot while crawling along a natural depression between Sap B and enemy trenches, half right from Sap B. He was dragged in by the Turks; could be clearly seen and was very poorly clad, hat being in ribbons and his skin showing through clothes in several places. Later Turks commenced digging near this place as though intending to deepen natural depression in order to get closer to Sap B. Our bomb throwers stopped this work.

The trench mortar in THE CIRCUS also fired and did some damage to enemy trenches. Concussion of bomb explosives is causing walls of Sap B. to crack and weaken overhead cover.

Enemy snipers located in left sub-section near WIRE GULLY were dislodged by bombs.

RUSSELL'S TOP.

The slope of the new earth filling up the end of the new work on CHUNUK BAIR showed innumerable foot prints.

The work on top of CHUNUK BAIR has been considerably extended and strengthened; a large number of loop holes are visible.

POPES.

Wire entanglements of enemy slightly extended from right ~~km~~ of POPES towards QUINNS.

QUINNS.

Nothing to report.

AMMUNITION.

Ammunition expenditure - 22,620 rounds.

CASUALTIES.

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other ranks</u>
Killed	Nil.	Nil.
Wounded	Nil.	4
Sick evacuated	Nil	29

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NEW ZEALAND AND AUSTRALIAN DIVISION

Summary of events from 6 a.m. 11th Sept. to 6 a.m. 12th Sept. 1915.

Work on the new trenches on the Western slopes of RHODODENDRON SPUR had to be discontinued during the day owing to the sniping from BATTLESHIP HILL and SNIPER'S RIDGE.

A little digging was heard in front of the APEX.

The enemy's Mountain Battery fired four rounds at our Machine gun position on Hill (80 D. 1/ 92 Y. 7) just North of LITTLE TABLE TOP, but did no damage.

The enemy were caught by a machine gun in a large communication Trench near 80 F. 6 with good results.

Instruction of newly arrived Troops in trench warfare is being carried on.

ARTILLERY

The bombardment of a redoubt on Hill 100 was continued yesterday. 3 batteries took part. "C" Battery of the 69th Brigade fired early in the morning, but owing to bad light and gusty wind the series was not effective. At 10a.m. the 3rd Battery fired. Several direct hits were obtained, and seven rounds burst inside the redoubt. At 6 p.m. the 4th (Howitzer) Battery fired a very accurate and effective series, knocking the redoubt to pieces.

A machine gun emplacement on the North West slopes of BABY 700 was fired upon, but the Machine gun was withdrawn before the emplacement was destroyed. The enemy's trenches and working parties in Square 105 were shelled during the day.

CASUALTIES

(7 p.m. 10th Sept. to 7 p.m. 11th Sept).

	<u>Officers</u>	<u>Other Ranks</u>
<u>KILLED</u>	-	-
<u>WOUNDED</u>	1	6
<u>MISSING</u>	-	-
<u>SICK</u>	7	81

Headquarters,
No. 2 Post.
12th September 1915.

(Sgd) W. W. HASTINGS *Capt G.S.*
for Major-General,
Commanding N.Z. & A. Division.

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