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Title: 7th Australian Light Horse
Regiment

March 1916

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Terapeum, 1-3-16	Training- General clean up of Camp and dismounted drill, Bathing parades 1 O/R rank to hospital sick.	
do : 2. 3. 16	Training- The Regiment was out on an all day operation, 2 O/R. from Hospital & 2 O/R admitted.	
do . 3-3-16	Training; The Regiment was away from Camp on an all day operation, 1 O/R. to Hospital 2 O/R from Hospital.	
do . 4. 3. 16	Training:- General Clean up of Camp dismounted parade, Bathing parades in afternoon, Capt. O'Hara, M.O. from Hosp. 1 O/R admitted,	
do . 5. 3. 16	Sunday:- Church parades- 1 O/R from Hospital O/R. admitted	

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Serapeum. 6. 3. 16	Training. The Regiment was away from camp on an all day operation. Effective strength 20 from Hospital. Noil.	
do.	7. 3. 16	Training - The Regiment was away from camp on an all day operation. Effective strength - 1 O/R. to Hospital. Sick
do.	8. 3. 16	Training: Dismounted parade and general clean up of camp. Effective strength: 1 O/R. from Hospital. 2 O/R. to Hospital. Sick.
do.	9. 3. 16	Training: The Regiment was away from camp on an all day operation. Effective strength: 1 O/R. from Hospital. 5 O/R. to Hospital (4 Sick) 1 O/R. Lt Boag met by accident. (Broken Back) through diving in shallow water in the Canal dug.
do.	10. 3. 16	Training: The Regiment was away from camp on an all day operation. Effective strength - 2 O/R. from Hospital 4 O/R. to Hospital. Sick.

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Serapeum. 11-3-16.	Training; Dismounted parade and general Clean up of Camp. Instruction in Musketry to 16 to 0's of "A" and "B" Squadrons by Lieut Ryan. Effective Strength: 1 O/R from Hospital, 1 O/R 20 Hosp Sick.	
do. 12. 3. 16	Sunday; Early morning Stables, Church parade. Effective Strength; 2 O/R from Hospital.	
do. 13. 3. 16	Training; All day operation for "A" and "B" Squadrons, "C" Squadron half day mounted parade, they went out and bivouaced for night of 13 th & 14 th March. Effective Strength; 2 O/R from Hospital.	
do. 14. 3. 16	Training. The Regiment was away from Camp on an all day operation. Effective Strength: 2 O/R from Hosp 2 O/R to Hosp sick.	
do. 15. 3. 16	Training; Dismounted parade and general Clean up of Camp. Swimming parade and exercising of Horses. Effective Strength- 1 O/R 2 from Hospital. 3 O/R 20 Hosp Sick.	

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Barrapuum 16. 3. 16	<p><u>Training</u>:- full day operation, mounted, for "B" and "C" Squadrons, half day for "A" Sqn. "A" Squadron, went out to Barouac for night of 16th-17th March 1916 -</p> <p>Effective Strength:- 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ from Hosp, 1 Off to Hosp, (sick)</p>	
do 17. 3. 16	<p><u>Training</u>:- "A" Squadron returned to camp at 1000. Dismounted parade. B & C Sqn. General fatigue.</p> <p>Effective Strength:- 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ from Hosp, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 20 Hosp and ✓</p>	
do 18. 3. 16	<p><u>Training</u>:- Dismounted parades, watering of horses, and general clean up of camp.</p> <p>Effective Strength:- 2 and from Hosp. Nil.</p>	
do 19. 3. 16	<p><u>Sunday</u>:- Church parades cancelled, Inspection of Brigade on Suez Canal at 1130, by Prince of Wales, Gen Birdwood & others.</p> <p>Effective Strength:- 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ from Hospital.</p>	

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Ararapeum - 20. 3. 16	<p>Training: - All day Operation, Mounted for A" and B" Squadrons, "B" again half day, and ^{1/2} went out to bivouac for night of 20th and 21st.</p> <p>Effective Strength: - 1 O/R from Hosp 3 O/R to stop sick</p>	
do . 21- 3. 16	<p>Training: - "B" Squadron returned from bivouac at about 1300, Dismounted parades and general watering ^{of horses} and fatigues, for A. & B. Squadrons.</p> <p>Effective Strength: - 1 O/R from Hosp.</p>	
do . 22. 3. 16	<p>Training: - Dismounted parades, watering of horses</p> <p>General clean up of Camp, Bathing parades in afternoon.</p> <p>Effective Strength: - 1 O/R to Hosp sick. 1 O/R from Hosp.</p>	
do . 23- 3. 16	<p>Training: - Early morning stables, Dismounted parades, lectures on Outpost duties by Sqdn O. C.</p> <p>Effective Strength: - O/R to Hosp sick</p>	<p>O/R from Hosp</p>

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Surapeum 24. 3. 16.	<p>Training: Early morning. Stables, Mounted parades, "B" Squadron went out to bivouac for night 24th & 25th. Inspection of Camp by General Rye. Effective Strength: — 3 ⁰/₁₀ from Hosp. 2 ⁰/₁₀ to Hosp. (sick)</p>	
do. 25. 3. 16.	<p>Training: "B" Squadron returned to Camp from bivouac at 0800. Dismounted parades and general clean up of Camp. Bathing Parades in afternoon. Effective Strength: 1 ⁰/₁₀ from Hosp. 4 ⁰/₁₀ to Hosp (Sick)</p>	
do. 26. 3. 16.	<p>Training: Sunday. Church parades. Stables Etc. Effective Strength: 0 ⁰/₁₀ to Hosp. 0 ⁰/₁₀ from Hosp.</p>	
do. 27. 3. 16.	<p>Training: Mounted parade half day - The Regiment went out to bivouac for the night of 27th & 28th. March. Effective Strength: 20 ⁰/₁₀ from 2 Hospitals 16 ill.</p>	

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Derapemur 28. 3. 16	<p><u>Training</u>: The Regiment returned to camp at 0700. Mounted parade half day. <u>Evening</u>: Watering of horses and bathing parade. <u>Effective Strength</u>: 4 O/R to Hosp sick. No. 1792 Sp Shear transfd to 60th Batt.</p>	
do 29. 3. 16	<p><u>Training</u>: Early morning stables, cleaning of saddlery and equipment, General clean up of camp swimming parade in afternoon - <u>Effective Strength</u> - 2 O/R from Hosp 2 O/R to Hosp (Sick)</p>	
do 30 3. 16	<p><u>Training</u> Mounted parade all day. operation for Regt. <u>Effective Strength</u>: 4 O/R from Hosp. 6 O/R to Hosp Sick Cheo Geld No. 13-666. having broken its leg was destroyed.</p>	
do 31. 3. 16	<p><u>Training</u> Mounted parade, all day operation for Regt. <u>Effect Strength</u>: 1 O/R from Hospital.</p>	

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