

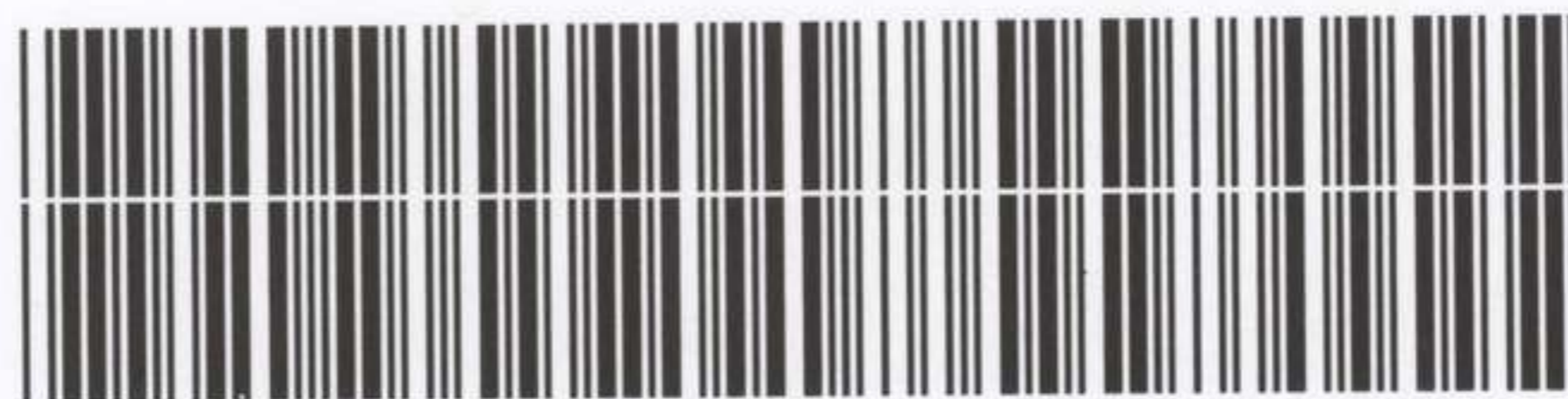
**AWM4**  
**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,**  
**1914-18 War**

Medical, Dental & Nursing

**Item number:** 26/40/24

**Title:** 2nd Australian Light Horse Field  
Ambulance

August 1916



AWM4-26/40/24

# WAR DIARY

Army Form C. 2118

1181

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs., Part II. and the Staff Manual respectively. Title Pages will be prepared in manuscript.

## or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required.)

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Etunaler	<sup>1916</sup> Augt	1.	<p>Bearer and transport divisions with dressing station accompanied Brigade to Qatia. Left Etunaler at 0230 and returned at 2130. No patients. Evacuated sick. O/R's. 1.</p> <p>Dental Unit rejoined from Kantara. - Officers 1, O/R's. 3.</p> <p>Evacuated Sick. - O/R's. 1.</p>	
		2	" " " " 1	
		3	<p>Bearer and transport divisions accompanied Brigade. Left Etunaler at 0230. Turks found in occupation of Qatia. Remained on Hill 100 and returned to Etunaler at 2200. No patients.</p> <p>Rejoined unit - O/R's. 1.</p>	
		4	<p>Turks attacked Romani about 0130. Mobile column left with Brigade about 0430 and proceeded one mile South of camp under rifle and shell fire. Dressing station established in camp. At 0600 camels returned to camp and bearer and transport divisions to Brigade wells. At 0900 Brigade having moved to the right, bearer and transport divisions returned to camp and worked from there. Turkish position about 1500 yards from Camp.</p> <p>Wounded received - Officers 7, O/R's 136. - Casualties. Officers Nil. O/R's. Killed 1. Wounded 2.</p> <p>Rejoined unit - Officers. 1 (Capt Jamieson D.), O/R's. 1.</p>	
		5.	<p>At 0600 bearer and transport divisions collected wounded from area</p>	

# WAR DIARY

Army Form C. 2118

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs., Part II. and the Staff Manual respectively. Title Pages will be prepared in manuscript.

## or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required.)

1181

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices	
Etunaler	1916 Augt	5.	<p><u>Conto</u>                      over which Brigade had advanced. Received from escort Turkish Medical personnel - Officers 5. OfRanks 58, and attached them to Ambulance for treatment of their own wounded. At 1400 bearer division and sandcarts proceeded to Hill 100 near Ratic. Collected wounded for 2<sup>nd</sup> L. Bde at Ratic before they retired &amp; returned to Etunaler at 2400. Wounded received - Officers 2. OfR's 28. Turkish wounded received. 115. Rejoined unit - OfR's. 1.</p>		
		6	<p>Dressing station still open.                      Wounded received. Officers 1. OfR's. 50.                      Turkish wounded. 14.                      Sick received. 247.</p>		
		7	<p>All wounded except 36 Turkish, evacuated by 1800.                      Remaining Turkish wounded evacuated.                      All sick evacuated or returned to units. Dressing station closed. Mobile column prepared to move out. Evacuated sick. OfR's. 4.                      Evacuated sick - Officers. 1. (Capt B.C.N. O'Reilly).                      Attached for duty, Capt. A. Sutton, A.S.M.C., Sanitary Section.                      Transferred to 7<sup>th</sup> L. Horse Regt. Capt C.H. Anderson.</p>		
		8	<p>Turkish Medical personnel sent to A.P.M. Azac M<sup>o</sup> Division.                      Mobile column left Etunaler with Brigade at 1500. Reached Ratic at 1800 and bivouaced. At 2300 bearers and sandcarts left Ratic.</p>		

# WAR DIARY

Army Form C. 2118

1181

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs., Part II. and the Staff Manual respectively. Title Pages will be prepared in manuscript.

## or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required.)

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Etmales	<sup>1916</sup> Aupt		<p><u>Cont.</u> with 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigades on flanking movement to North of Bir el Abd. Sledges and camels proceeded to Hod el Khirba.</p> <p>Engagement to North of Bir el Abd continued throughout the day. Wounded were collected in a hod to the right rear and at 1600 the camels and sledges were brought up from Hod el Khirba. Retired with wounded at 1700 and reached Hod el Khirba about 1900. From thence proceeded to Hod Sababio, arriving at 2030 and then returned to Hod Negiliat, where a dressing station was opened about 2400. Wounded received 44.</p> <p>Other Cases which could ride went to dressing station at Hod Sababio and were not shown in our books.</p> <p>All wounded evacuated by Ambulance convey. Remained resting at Hod Negiliat</p> <p>Remained at Hod Negiliat</p> <p>Rejoined Unit - O.R.'s. 1</p> <p>Evacuated sick. 1.</p> <p>Left Hod Negiliat 1830 and reached Qatia 2000. Bivouaced at Qatia.</p> <p>Left Qatia at 0600 and reached Etmales at 0830.</p> <p>Transferred to 3<sup>rd</sup> L. Field Amb. - Officers 1. (Major W. A. Fraser)</p> <p>Joined unit - Officers 1. (Major A. Dawson)</p> <p>Returned to Sanitary Section Capt Sutton</p>	
	8			
	9			
	10			
	11			
	12			
	13			
	14			

1181

# WAR DIARY

or

## INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required.)

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs., Part II. and the Staff Manual respectively. Title Pages will be prepared in manuscript.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Etunale	1916 Augt		<p><i>Contd.</i></p> <p>Evacuated sick - Officers 1 (Lt. Lambert. H.A.)</p> <p>15 " " - ORanks 2.</p> <p>16 Rejoined unit - " 1.</p> <p>19 " " - " 2.</p> <p>21 Transferred to 3<sup>rd</sup> L. H. F. Amb. O/R's. 1.</p> <p>22 Rejoined Unit. O/R's. 2.</p> <p>23 Transferred to 2<sup>nd</sup> L. H. Regt. O/R's. 1.</p> <p>Evacuated sick - (suspect Cholera) - O/R's. 1.</p> <p>Moved camp out of hood onto the Hill.</p> <p>24 Evacuated sick - O/R's. 1.</p> <p>Rejoined Unit. - " 1.</p> <p>Cholera inoculation completed.</p> <p>25 Evacuated sick - O/R's. 2.</p> <p>26 Transferred to HQ. Duzai Mounted Division. O/R's. 1.</p> <p>27 Rejoined Unit - Officers 1. (Lt. Lambert)</p> <p>Evacuated sick - O/R's. 1.</p> <p>28 " " - " 1.</p> <p>30 Joined unit. Capt J. Fitzhardinge.</p> <p>Rejoined unit - O/Ranks. 4.</p> <p>Evacuated sick - Officers 1 (Lt. Lambert. - O/Ranks. 1.</p> <p>Transferred to 9<sup>th</sup> L. H. Regt. Capt Gibson B.D.</p> <p>31. Joined unit on transfer from Sermitz! Hospt. O/R's. 1.</p> <p>Transferred to <del>Hospital</del> transport duty - O/R's. 1.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Details for</i></p>	

*W. Croll* LT. COL.  
O. C., 2<sup>ND</sup> L. H. FIELD AMBCE