

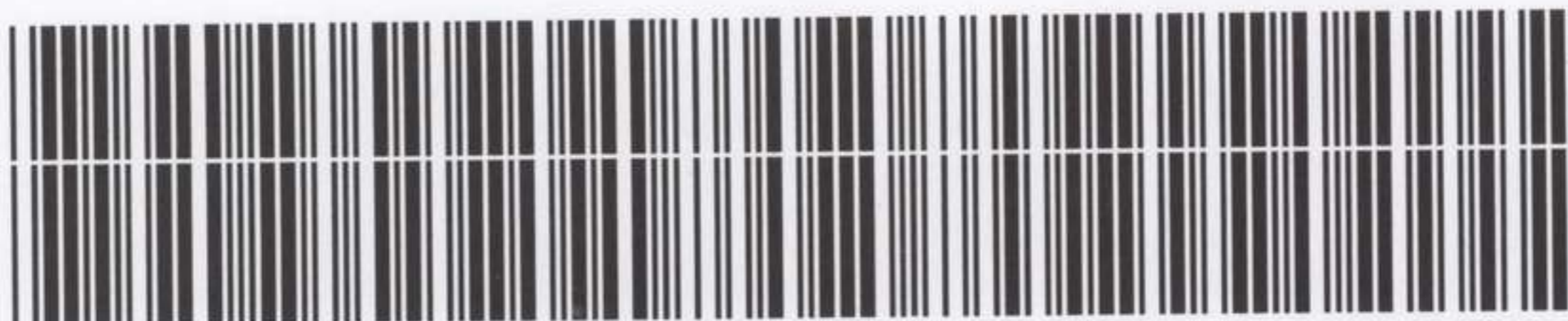
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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
SERAPEUM.	16th March.	1500.	Office of ANZAC Mounted Division opened at SERAPEUM EAST. Lieut.-Colonel R.M.DOWNES of 3rd Light Horse Field Ambulance appointed A.D.M.S. temporarily dated March 15th 1916. Location of Field Ambulances attached to Division 1st L.H.F.A. SOHAG, 2nd L.H.F.A. SERAPEUM WEST, 3rd L.H.F.A. SERAPEUM EAST. N.Z.M.F.A., FERRY POST RAILHEAD.	APPx 1
	27th March.		Medical Corps Order No.1 issued on 27th March 1916 attached.	App. 1
	30th March.		Medical Corps Order No.2 issued on 30th March attached.	App. 2
			(Original of above written on same sheet as entries for April and filed with volume for that month).	

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Medical Corps Orders NO. 1.

APPENDIX No 1-2

by

Lieut. Col. R.M. Downes

ADMS. Anzac. Mounted Division.

Serapeum

27th March 1916.

- I. Appointment. To be A.D.M.S. (tempy) Lieut. Col. R.M. Downes from 3rd L. H. Brigade. dated March. 15th 1916.
2. Transfers. The undermentioned transfers (provisional) have been made to Headquarters ANZAC Mounted Division dated 24th March 1916.
 NO 909 Pte. J. McKee)
 NO 1396 " HJC Harvie.) from 3rd. L.H.F. Amb.
 NO 1702 " L. B. Hanly.)
 The undermentioned N. C. O. is temporarily attached as clerk to A. D. M. S. dated March 22nd. 1916.
 NO 886. Sergt. P. P. Hammond from 3rd, L. H. F. Amb.
3. Extracts from Attention is drawn to the following paras of D. R. O's
 D. R. O.
 Members of Jewish Faith. D. R. O. NO 9 para 33
 Units will ~~remember~~ render by 6pm. Thursday 30th inst., a Nomial Roll of all Officers and men of the Jewish Faith serving in the unit.
 Travelling on the Egyptian State Railways. D. R. O. 10/35.
 N. C. O's. and men travelling on a warrant must invariably travel in the class of carriage to which their ticket issued on the warrant entitles them. They are not allowed to pay the difference to enable them to travel in a superior class. When proceeding on leave W. O's and sergeants may travel 2nd. class if they purchase 2nd class tickets. Corporals and Privates must travel 3rd. class in the carriages reserved for them.
 Flat Irons. Issue of. D. R. O. 10 para 35/999
 The issue of flat irons to M. E. F. in Egypt as an anti-verminous measure is approved in the proportion of two per unit of 250 men or less, and two per 250 men of other units.
 Summer Clothing. D. R. O. 10 para 37.
 Authority has been given for the issue of one pair of Khaki drill shorts, one summer helmet, and one khaki drill frock for both mounted and dismounted men for wear during the summer months.
 Indents should be forwarded to the D.A.D.O.S. at once.
4. Extract
 G. R. O.
 1002
 Returns.
 Medical Units when rendering Army Form W.3034, and other Hospital or Casualty Returns, relating to personnel of Camel Corps Units, will specify the British or Colonial Units to which the Officers or other Ranks originally belonged.
5. Requisitions
 for drugs & C. O's Ambulances to A. D. M. S. for approval.
 Med. Comforts. R. M. O's will draw from their nearest Ambulance.
 Requisitions for medical comforts from C. O's Ambulances only; must be countersigned by the A. D. M. S. before issue by Senior Supply Officer.

Order NO 1 Cont.

6. Equipment of Patients. Patients when evacuated from Ambulances must take with them full personal equipment but not arms.
7. Spectacles. (a) All soldiers for whom spectacles have been ordered will have a copy of the prescriptions written on the inner cover of A. B. 64, signed and dated, by the prescribing Officer.
- (b) Signed prescriptions approved by A. D. M. S. will be sent direct to Messers Lawrence & Mayo, Shepherds Buildings Cairo..

Sgd.

Lieu. Col.

A. D. M. S. ANZAC. Mounted Division.

issued by

Lieut. Col. R. M. Downes.

A. D. M. S. ANZAC Mounted Division.

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Serapeum
30th March 16.

8.Appointments. Lieut. Col. H. K. Bean to command 3rd. L.H. F. Amb. vice Lt-Col. R.M. Downs appointed A. D. M. S. , dated 29/3/16.

9.Transfers. The following transfers have been made to the Headquarters Staff ANZAC Mounted Division:dated 30/3/16..
953 L/Cpl. Hardy H. from 3rd L.H. Brigade Train.
462 Pte. Grant G.T.) from 3rd L.H. Fld. Amb.
866 " Davies A.O.) " " " " "

10.Extracts. Court Martial. A.C. R. O. 624.
D.R.O. 12. (1) NO 10098. Pte. R. Gawler 1st Batt, The Buffs, was tried by a Field Court Martial on the following charge:-
"When on active service, deserting His Majesty's Service"
The sentence of the court was "To suffer death by being shot".
The sentence of the court was duly carried out at 7-5 a.m. on the 24th February 1916.
(2) NO 8107 Pte. A. Eveleigh, 1st Batt. The Buffs, was tried by a Court Field Martial on the following charge:-
"When on active service deserting His Majesty's Service"
The sentence of the court was "To suffer death by being shot".
The sentence was duly carried out at 7-5 a. m. on the 24th. February 1916..

II. Corrigenda. Returns.
Add to list of returns to be rendered to the A.D.M.S. ANZAC Mounted Division:-
Daily Orders Part II..
To be rendered by 1800 last day of each month....

Sgd. R.M. Downes. Lieut. Col..

A. D. M. S. ANZAC Mounted Division.