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Formation Headquarters

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APPENDIX

28 2130



Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
£ s. d.			From.....	At.....	
Charges to Collect			By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions.			By.....		
Handed in at.....			Office.....	m.	Received..... m.
TO			5 ans Dow		1926/1554
*Sender's Number			Day of Month	In reply to Number	
9472			25	7.30 am AAA	
<p>Morning report and 906 left Dren advanced their line in front of BRAY last night in conjunction with Corps on our left and so far all going satisfactorily very little opposition encountered hostile party reply very feeble and some prisoners have been captured south of the Somme my posts on the river and Canal bank have been cleared up and touch is being kept up with the advanced posts of the Somme and see bombs dropped BAYONVILLE causing casualties and added to Army report all</p>					
FROM			Concerned		
TIME & PLACE			Aust Corps		

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
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 At.....m.
 By.....
 To.....
 By.....
 Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO 5 Aus Div

*Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number AAA
 15573A 25

down recon aaa one
 contact patrol carried out
 aaa 7:30 am
 on 3 M.T. Young
 E M30C55 aaa weather
 poor. track bad aaa

26. 8. 18
 11 AM

FROM Branch 2
 TIME & PLACE aus locks

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
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 To.....
 By.....
 Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received.....m.

TO 5 Aus Div

*Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number AAA
 7 25

cast went south to
 55 to mph light
 at night aaa probably
 increasing from scally over
 50 later aaa
 warm day aaa perhaps
 some showers or thunder
 later aaa feel night
 with local fog developing
 aaa day best good
 km day 70 near
 50

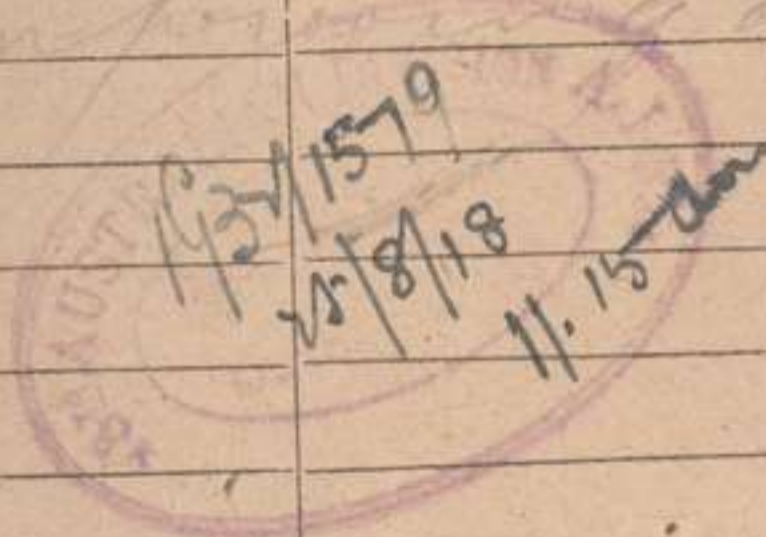
FROM Mekeo
 TIME & PLACE 11:15 am

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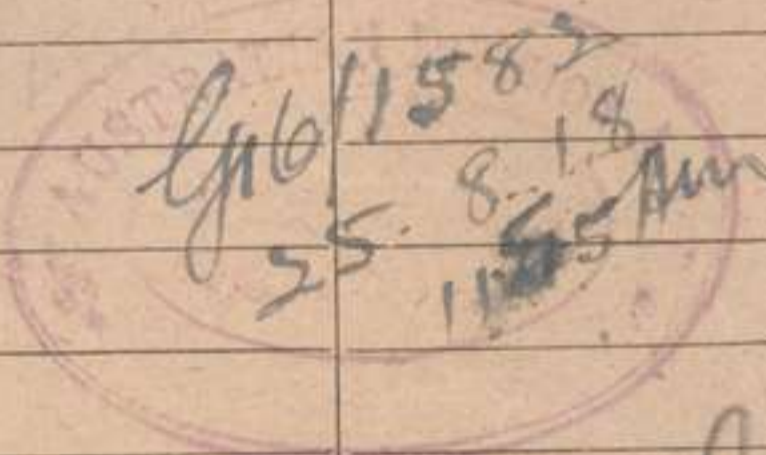
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282131

Prefix *20* Code *24* Words *25*
 Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *Amo* At *Amo*
 By *To* To
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions.
 Handed in at *Amo* Office *Amo* m. Received *Amo* m.
 TO *20 24 25*
 *Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number AAA
25558A *25*
 No flying prior to
 7.0 am leaving to
 adverse weather conditions and
 one successful contact paper
 carried out on left
 Div sector and
 first time in improving
 1/32/1579
 25/8/18
 11.15 am
 FROM *Austro po mark*
 TIME & PLACE



Prefix *20* Code *24* Words *25*
 Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *Amo* At *Amo*
 By *To* To
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions.
 Handed in at *Amo* Office *Amo* m. Received *Amo* m.
 TO *Amo*
 *Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number AAA
481 *25*
 The 14 Brigade will
 be transferred from the
 command of the
 Div to the command
 of 5 Div
 forthwith and a change
 added to and 5
 Div
 1/6/1582
 25.8.18
 11.55 am
 FROM *Austro po*
 TIME & PLACE



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9132


Prefix *Am* Code *126* Words *126* Received *aww* Sent, or sent out *AY* Office Stamp *25.11.18*
 From *aww* At *m* To *SIGNALS*
 Charges to Collect *aww* By *aww*
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *aww* Office *1590* m. Received *17.11.18*
 TO *5 aus Div*
 *Sender's Number *510* Day of Month *28* In reply to Number *26/878* **AAA**
 In continuation of *510* of today (add *1st and 2nd* *aus Div* and *13th A/H* kept only *1* sqdn of *13th A/H* regt will be attached to *2nd aus Div* and will rendezvous at *134 central (Bouzen court)* by *6pm* *26th* inst *aaa* *2* troops will be attached to *5th aus Div* and will rendezvous at *06B 73 (Hamel)* by same hour *aaa* *1* troop attached to *3rd aus Div* will move to *5 aus Div* rendezvous thus completing *2* troops



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 Charges to Collect By.....
 Service Instructions.
 Handed in at..... Office..... m. Received..... m.
 TO *#*
 *Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number **AAA**
 to *5 aus Div* *aaa* troops operating with *1st* and *1* *aus Div* will be available forthwith to oc *134th A/H* Regt to complete the sqdn to be attached to *2nd aus Div* *aaa* acknowledge *aaa* add *1st 2nd 3rd 4th 5th aus Divs* *3* troops *13th A/H* regt

FROM *aus Corp*
 TIME & PLACE

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Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
Charges to Collect			From.....	At.....m.	
Service Instructions.			By.....	To.....	
Handed in at.....			Office.....	m.	Received.....m.
TO <u>2 Aus Div</u>					
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA		
81482	25				
Following from 3rd Corps					
times 10.10 am					
Centre Div report that					
they have reached					
MAMETZ and are pushing					
on to MONTAUBAN-CARNOY					
road and left Div					
have been directed on					
MONTAUBAN and TRONES WOOD					
and Centre Div on					
to the BERNAFAY-MARICOURT					
road and right div					
on to MARICOURT and					
right div report position					
in BILLON WOOD which is					
being dealt with and					
added all coms					
FROM <u>Analogy</u>					
TIME & PLACE <u>1.30</u>					

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
Charges to Collect			From.....	At.....m.	
Service Instructions.			By.....	To.....	
Handed in at.....			Office.....	m.	Received.....m.
TO <u>5 Aus Div</u>					
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA		
52269A	25				
Reports to noon					
area as far as					
as account Suzanne Dompierre					
Estrees and Châlons kept					
under observation 11.30 am					
slight dust in road					
morning W. reports Estrees					
AAA weather fine					
poor AAA					
					
FROM <u>Branch</u>					
TIME & PLACE <u>1.30</u>					

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2/30/4

2333

Prefix *AM* Code *64P* Words *93* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp. *RE-5MM18*
 From *Ans* At *8:15* m. By *20K*
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *1:30* Office *25th* Received *6:7k* m

TO *5 Ans Div*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>115570a</i>	<i>25</i>		<i>AAA</i>
<i>Reports to</i>	<i>5:30</i>	<i>pm</i>	
<i>aaa Area</i>	<i>E</i>	<i>to</i>	
<i>MARICOURT DOMPIERRE</i>		<i>ESTREES</i>	
<i>CHAULNES</i>	<i>under observation</i>		
<i>aaa</i>	<i>2:10</i>	<i>pm</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>HT</i>	<i>going</i>	<i>E</i>	<i>G28a73</i>
<i>2:35</i>	<i>pm</i>	<i>small</i>	<i>party</i>
<i>3</i>	<i>men</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>M29855</i>
<i>2:30</i>	<i>pm</i>	<i>GF</i>	<i>8</i>
<i>MT</i>	<i>going</i>	<i>E</i>	<i>H33624</i>
<i>2:20</i>	<i>pm</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>MT</i>
<i>going</i>	<i>W</i>	<i>into</i>	<i>ESTREES</i>
<i>of aaaa</i>	<i>2:55</i>	<i>pm</i>	<i>few</i>
<i>enemy</i>	<i>seen</i>	<i>in</i>	<i>trenches</i>
<i>S21 and</i>	<i>15'</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>aa</i>
<i>normal</i>	<i>6a</i>	<i>none</i>	<i>seen</i>
<i>2:0</i>	<i>pm</i>	<i>large</i>	<i>fire</i>

FROM
TIME & PLACE

Prefix *AM* Code *64P* Words *93* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp. *RE-5MM18*
 From *Ans* At *8:15* m. By *20K*
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *1:30* Office *25th* Received *6:7k* m

TO *5 Ans Div*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
			<i>AAA</i>
<i>and</i>	<i>explosion</i>	<i>in</i>	<i>CAPPY</i>
<i>aaa</i>	<i>weather</i>	<i>fine</i>	<i>visib</i>
<i>variable</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>enemy</i>
<i>balloons</i>	<i>up</i>	<i>on</i>	<i>coops</i>
<i>front</i>	<i>aaa</i>		

FROM
TIME & PLACE

Branch 1
Ans Coops



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2/135-

Prefix *11* Code *04* Words *04* Received
 From *Aus* At *AVE* m. *25* VMS
 Charges to Collect By *SR* To
 Service Instructions. By
 Handed in at *9:49* Office *3:35* m. Received *6:47* m.

TO *Forecast 5 Aus SW*

*Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number AAA
16492 25

Forecast wind Southerly 5 to 10 mph becoming light sea probably increasing from SW or west sea fair at first becoming overcast later with some drizzle likely sea afterwards cloudy and showery with perhaps thunder visible indifferent early good later sea Wind 7 pm SSW 4 mph midnight light between S and SW 4 am SW 4 mph

FROM *Mevey*
 TIME & PLACE *5:7 pm*

Prefix *11* Code *04* Words *04* Received
 From *Aus* At *AVE* m. *25* VMS
 Charges to Collect By *SR* To
 Service Instructions. By
 Handed in at *Aus* Office *3:50* m. Received *6:57* m.

TO *5 Aust SW*

*Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number AAA
16492 25

*Reliable prisoners 202 RIR
 43 RD state 4
 bridges over Canal at
 CAPPY were blown up
 night before last sea
 Added all concerned*

*16/10/35
 350 8.18
 6.5 pm*

FROM *Aust Corps*
 TIME & PLACE *"1" 4.40 pm*

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 2/36.*

Prefix *MM* Code *75* Words *94* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *Ans* At *5.11.13*
 Charges to Collect By *SR* To *5.11.13*
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *Ans* Office *6.55* Received *7.16* m.
 TO *5 Aus Div*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>490</i>	<i>25</i>		
<i>Evening report</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>light</i>	
<i>and centre</i>	<i>Dws</i>	<i>adjusted</i>	
<i>then lines</i>	<i>in</i>	<i>places</i>	
<i>during the</i>	<i>day</i>	<i>aaa</i>	
<i>posts are</i>	<i>being</i>	<i>pushed</i>	
<i>forward in</i>	<i>L36b</i>	<i>and</i>	
<i>G31d</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>Post</i>	<i>has</i>
<i>been</i>	<i>established</i>	<i>E</i>	<i>side</i>
<i>of</i>	<i>CANARD</i>	<i>WOOD</i>	<i>aaa</i>
<i>hostile</i>	<i>arty</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>ml</i>
<i>activity</i>	<i>normal</i>	<i>on</i>	<i>right</i>
<i>Div</i>	<i>sector</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>increased</i>
<i>artillery</i>	<i>activity</i>	<i>centre</i>	<i>Div</i>
<i>aaa</i>	<i>Considerable</i>	<i>shelling</i>	
<i>missed</i>	<i>with</i>	<i>mustard</i>	<i>gas</i>
<i>throughout</i>	<i>the</i>	<i>day</i>	<i>10</i>
<i>HERLEVILLE</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>prisoners</i>	

FROM
 TIME & PLACE

Prefix *MM* Code *75* Words *94* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *Ans* At *5.11.13*
 Charges to Collect By *SR* To *5.11.13*
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *Ans* Office *6.55* Received *7.16* m.
 TO *5 Aus Div*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>During</i>	<i>last</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>hours</i>
<i>5</i>	<i>Officers</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>10.3</i>
<i>ors</i>	<i>unwounded</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>officer</i>
<i>79</i>	<i>ORS</i>	<i>wounded</i>	<i>aaa</i>
<i>Added</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>Army</i>	<i>repltd</i>
<i>all</i>	<i>concerned</i>		

FROM
 TIME & PLACE *Aust Corps*

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Prefix *DM* Code *911* Words *96* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp

From *Ans* At *7.45* m. Received *8.1* m.

Charges to Collect By *Ans* To *Ans* By *Ans*

Service Instructions

Handed in at *Ans* Office *7.45* m. Received *8.1* m.

TO *5 Ans Div*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>16500</i>	<i>25</i>		<i>AAA</i>
<i>Special air</i>	<i>reconnaissance</i>		
<i>by 3</i>	<i>machines flying</i>		
<i>low this afternoon</i>	<i>failed</i>		
<i>observe any movement in</i>			
<i>following villages</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>DOMPIERRE</i>	
<i>ASSAINVILLERS</i>	<i>HERBECOURT</i>		
<i>CHAULNES</i>	<i>ESTREES</i>	<i>FOCAUCOURT</i>	
<i>SOYECOURT</i>	<i>ABLAINCOURT</i>	<i>VERMANDO</i>	
<i>VILLERS</i>	<i>OMIECOURT</i>	<i>BELLOU-EN-</i>	
<i>SANTERRE</i>	<i>BERNY-EN-</i>	<i>SANTERRE</i>	
<i>aaa</i>	<i>No</i>	<i>MT</i>	<i>observed</i>
<i>on roads</i>	<i>aaa</i>	<i>5.30</i>	
<i>from 2</i>	<i>men</i>	<i>seen</i>	
<i>on road</i>	<i>B76</i>	<i>near</i>	
<i>OMIECOURT</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>man</i>	

FROM *16500*

TIME & PLACE *25. 8. 18*

Prefix *DM* Code *911* Words *96* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp

From *Ans* At *7.45* m. Received *8.1* m.

Charges to Collect By *Ans* To *Ans* By *Ans*

Service Instructions

Handed in at *Ans* Office *7.45* m. Received *8.1* m.

TO *5 Ans Div*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>on</i>	<i>CHAULNES</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>HT</i>
<i>going</i>	<i>South</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>H31d 2.5</i>
<i>1</i>	<i>HT</i>	<i>South</i>	<i>on</i>
<i>road</i>	<i>in</i>	<i>G34b</i>	<i>aaa</i>
<i>in</i>	<i>from</i>	<i>encountered</i>	
<i>from</i>	<i>N32</i>	<i>T2</i>	<i>T8</i>
<i>aaa</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>Balloons up</i>	
<i>in</i>	<i>N8a</i>	<i>N2a</i>	<i>aaa</i>
<i>added</i>	<i>all</i>	<i>concerned</i>	

FROM *Ans*

TIME & PLACE *7.25*

APPENDIX 282138.

Prefix *4661* Code *61* Words *61*

Received. *acc* Sent, or sent out. *acc* Office Stamp. *ARMY*

From *acc* At *acc*

Charges to Collect *acc* To *acc*

Service Instructions. *acc* By *acc*

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

TO *5 Aus Div*

*Sender's Number *4473* Day of Month *25* In reply to Number *8154* **AAA**

our left Div report that they have gained all objectives with little opposition and our patrols are now pushed forward and at one am 50 prisoners taken mostly by the right Bde and 58 Div also reported by our left Div to be on GREEN line with little opposition and addd army regts all concerned

FROM *Aust Corps*

TIME & PLACE

Prefix *4661* Code *61* Words *61*

Received. *acc* Sent, or sent out. *acc* Office Stamp. *ARMY*

From *acc* At *acc*

Charges to Collect *acc* To *acc*

Service Instructions. *acc* By *acc*

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

TO *5 Aus Div*

*Sender's Number *4502* Day of Month *25* In reply to Number *8154* **AAA**

In anticipation of 13th ALH Regt being attached to each of 2nd and 5th Aust Divs from midday tomorrow Squadron commanders concerned will report to Headquarters of the above Divisions by 10 am tomorrow 26th inst and further instructions taken *acknowledged*

Addd 13th ALH regt
reftd 2nd and 5th Aust Divs

FROM *Aust Corps*

TIME & PLACE *7.30 pm*

*This line should be erased if not required.

APPENDIX 2 82139

Prefix *DM 76* Code *111* Words *111* Received *aus* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *aus* At *7:25* m. Office Stamp
 Charges to Collect By *SP* To *5 Aus Dir*
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *7:25* m. Office *7:25* m. Received *8:7* m.
 TO *5 Aus Dir*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>B15571a</i>	<i>25</i>		<i>AAA</i>
<i>Report of 5.10 by Area BRIE Aaa road 1 2 at going other villages apparently Aaa</i>	<i>Special enemy to 3 E STCHRIST 2 By B man HT H31d25 S</i>	<i>reconnaissance near 6.10 pm machines to PERONNE under observation men on near OMIECOURT CHAUKNES in going SW HT 1.0 G34 & 38 no seen Aaa deserted roads no rail or</i>	

FROM
TIME & PLACE

Prefix *DM 76* Code *111* Words *111* Received *aus* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *aus* At *7:25* m. Office Stamp
 Charges to Collect By *SP* To *5 Aus Dir*
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *7:25* m. Office *7:25* m. Received *8:7* m.
 TO *5 Aus Dir*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
			<i>AAA</i>
<i>road or Fairly encountered N22 impression of deserted active 2 at</i>	<i>movement to heavy from T2 T8 aa enemy N2a</i>	<i>in east m9 sheet general place not machines Aaa balloons up and N8a</i>	<i>PERONNE Aaa fire 62c</i>

FROM
TIME & PLACE

Branch "1" Aust Corps

APPENDIX 282140

Prefix *M* Code *18* Words *18* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *Ans* At *8:15* m. Office Stamp
 By *DK* To
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *aya* Office *8:15* m Received *8:21* m
 TO *5 Ans DW*
 *Sender's Number *1639* Day of Month *25* In reply to Number *AAA*
 Very few maps will
 be handed over - by
 this down on relief
 1639/1054
 25-8-1954
 9 PM
 FROM *1 Aust DW*
 TIME & PLACE

Prefix *M* Code *18* Words *18* Received *Ans* Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 From *Ans* At *10:15* m. Office Stamp
 By *DK* To
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions
 Handed in at *aya* Office *10:15* m Received *10:57* m
 TO *5 ans DW*
 *Sender's Number *1639* Day of Month *25* In reply to Number *AAA*
 Forecast wind S to SW
 10 mph squally at
 times *aaa* probably
 increasing later to 15
 or 20 from SW or W
aaa thunderstorms at
 first cloudy and cool
 with occasional rain
 later day visit food
aaa with tide SW
 4 mph + am SW
 5 mph
 FROM *Meteor*
 TIME & PLACE *9:44 PM*

APPENDIX 282141

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... £ s d.	From <i>Ans</i>	At..... <i>ATE - 25 VIII 18</i>
Charges to Collect	By <i>to</i>	To.....
Service Instructions.		By.....
Handed in at <i>Ans</i>	Office.....	Received <i>11-25</i> m
TO	<i>5 Ans Bro</i>	
*Sender's Number <i>642</i>	Day of Month <i>25</i>	In reply to Number <i>26/8/18 A</i>
<p><i>No report and further interrogation of prisoners of 148. The method of capture and when our army opened on Capt. all prisoners in with areas to the east and he decided to stay in a cellar in which he was found and prisoner appears very reliable in his statements and he is confident there would be little to stop our advancing on personnel and he knows of no roads being mined.</i></p>		
FROM		
TIME & PLACE		

*This line should be erased if not required

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... £ s d.	Received	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect	From.....	At..... <i>ATE - 25 VIII 18</i>	<i>233</i>
Service Instructions.	By.....	To.....	
		By.....	
Handed in at.....	Office.....	Received.....	m
TO	<i>7</i>		
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<p><i>The leading question was put to him and work is being pushed ahead as fast as possible on defensive positions both west east and west of Herbertcourt and there are no troops what so ever in personnel itself only transport. Horses are in stables in the town and our night bombing causing casualties among the horses but would cause more damage to personnel if they were to bomb just north</i></p>			
FROM			
TIME & PLACE			

APPENDIX 282142

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

TO

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

and north east of
the town itself and
the front and regimental
HQ are at approx
140 cents and in small
wood in T16 A29, respecting
and many men are
waiting their opportunity to
desert and gifts received
lately by the town
148 Regt rec'd 40
158 16 and 18
Regt 15 on the
10th and all returned
wounded and many pontoon
bridges are used across
the river these bridges

FROM
TIME & PLACE

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

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TO

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

are all camouflaged by
Hessian and Aborigine which
is greatly used
at T22 A66 and

FROM
TIME & PLACE

1st Anti Div

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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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.
.....		Atm.		From	
.....		To		By.....	
.....		By		(Signature of "Franking Officer")	

TO } ~~5th Div. Arty.~~

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
G.1422	25		

Following artillery reliefs will be carried out/50th Div. artillery will relieve 58th Div. Artillery tonight in the 3rd Aust. Div. sector under arrangements to be made between 3rd Aust Div. and 58th Div and 5th Aust. Div. Arty. and 6th Army Lde AFA will come into line in the southern portion of the 1st Aust Div sector on the night 26/27th inst. and will be emplaced under the orders of CRA 1st Aust Div in consultation with CRA 5th Aust Div. and acknowledge.

From } *[Signature]*
 Place } *[Signature]*
 Time } *[Signature]*
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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions			Service.
Sent				From
At				By
To				
By			(Signature of "Franking Officer")	

TO { 8th Inf. Bde. Div. Arty.
14th Inf. Bde. Div. Engrs
15th Inf. Bde. M.G. Bn.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
G 1398	25		

All Brigadiers ~~and~~ O.C. M.G. Bn and C.R.E. will attend at D.H.Q. at 2 p.m. today for G.O.C.'s conference AAA Acknowledge AAA

Added 3 Bdes M.G. Bn Div. Arty and Div. Engrs

From 5th AUST DIV
Place
Time
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MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

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Sent				From
At				By
To				
By			(Signature of "Franking Officer")	

TO { 8th, 14th 15th Inf Bdes MG Bn Pys
Div. Arty AQ

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
G.1399	25		

3rd Army have taken CORTALMAISON as a line runs E of COURCELET W of LESARS E. of WARLENCOURT EAUCOURT and following also our hands AVESNES les BAPAUME SARRIGNIES and BEHAGNIES thence line runs W. outskirts MORY E of St. LEGER W outskirts CROISELLES E of BENIN and St. MARTIN and centre div 3rd Corp have reached HAMEZ and are pushing on towards general line MONTAUBAN - PARICOURT.

From 5th AUST DIV
Place
Time
The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)

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Prefix.....Code.....m.	Words	Charge.	This message is on a/c of:	Recd. at.....m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions	Sent			Date.....
<i>File</i>	At		Service.....	From
	To			By.....
	By		(Signature of "Franking Officer")	
TO	8th Inf. Bde.	5th Div. Arty		
	14th Inf. Bde.	5th M.G. Bn.	5th Div. Engrs	
	15th Inf. Bde.	5th Pioneer Bn.	"AQ"	
Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA	
IG 1383	25			

3rd Aust. Div reported on all objectives AAA
 Little opposition encountered AAA 58th
 Div reported on GREEN LINE with little
 opposition AAA 3rd Army have taken LOUPART
 WOOD GREVILLERS AVESNES BIEFVILLERS AAA
 Troops reported on outskirts of CROISELLES
 AAA 1st and 2nd Armies have carried out
 successful minor operations AAA Enemy has
 gained LOCRE HOP FARM

From	5th AUST DIV
Place	
Time	
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Censor.	Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name

 Approximate Trench Strength on 25th AUGUST.
 in Officers and Other Ranks.

	Off.	O.R.
29th Battalion.	19	495
30th do	21	573
31st do	25	636
32nd do	26	447
53rd Battalion.	22	424
54th do	14	395
55th do	17	358
56th do	15	438
57th Battalion.	24	617
58th do	26	402
59th do	11	425
60th do	15	418
8th M.G. Coy.	12	203
14th M.G. Coy.	8	199
15th M.G. Coy.	10	186
25th M.G. Coy.	11	192
8th Fld. Coy. A.E.	3	140
14th Fld. Coy. A.E.	3	131
15th Fld. Coy. A.E.	3	131
5th Pioneer Bn.	26	738

E. R. Ralph
 Lt. Col.
 D.A.A.G.

J.P.P.

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APPENDIX

28/146

Office of Origin and Service Instructions		CHARGE.	This message is on a/c of:	Recd. at.....m.
Sent			Service.	Date.....
At.....m.				From.....
To.....			(Signature of "Franking Officer")	By.....
By.....				
TO: 5 th M/G Bn				
15 th M/Bde				
Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA	
1506	26			
15 th M/Bde will detail				
one Lewis gun and crew				
of three men and 5 th M/G				
Bn will detail one Vickers				
gun crew of three men				
to report to N 29 C 8.2				
at 11 am 26/8/18 for				
demonstration with				
HOBBS CUPOLA etc				
From	5 th M/G Bn			
Place	5 th M/G Bn			
Time	29			
The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)				
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Prefix.....Code.....m.	Words	Charge.	This message is on a/c of:	Recd. at.....m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions			Service.	Date.....
Sent				From.....
At.....m.			(Signature of "Franking Officer")	By.....
To.....				
By.....				
TO: (2)				
Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA	
15				
Lt Col MORSE				
5 th M/G Bn will also				
attend and address				
15 th M/Bde and				
5 th M/G Bn				
From	5 th M/G Bn			
Place	5 th M/G Bn			
Time				
The above may be forwarded as now corrected. (Z)				
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APPENDIX 282147

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

TO
 5 Aus Div
 69/1683

*Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number
 169 22 26/8/18 AAA

Rep	conversation	at	bridge
for	the	regiment	with
the	back	gun	and
team	of	2	was
team	of	2	was
report	to	CS	for
at	N200821	at	11.45
morning	26	with	and
required	for	demonstration	in
cohorting	with	the	Ho BBS
casualty	and	added	to
the	Div	kept	at
Corps			

FROM
 TIME & PLACE
 11.51

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


TO
 5 Aus Div
 69/1683

*Sender's Number Day of Month In reply to Number
 169 22 26/8/18 AAA

Rep	report	and	at
for	the	evening	with
Cappy	belonged	to	7
for	2nd	Br	448
Br	41st	Br	and
Green	of	the	478
Br	212	Br	448
Br	41st	Br	847
Br	21st	Br	and
Br	41st	Came	up
into	Cappy	arriving	there
at	5.1	Br	on
the	inst	and	the
ret	left	personnel	just
morning	at	about	7
and	and	March	8th
whole	time	to	be

FROM
 TIME & PLACE

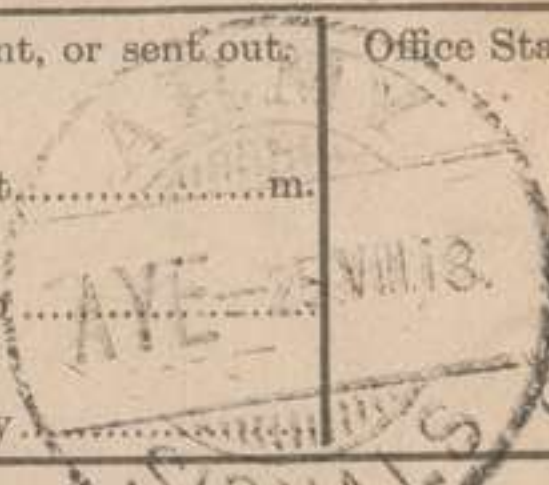
APPENDIX
 22/148

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

TO

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
app	for	strength	about
45	hrs	and	prisoners
morale	very	low	and
state	not	much	resistance
to	be	expected	by
them	and	prisoners	state
that	no	counter	attack
was	to	be	made
his	ref	they	went
simply	to	come	up
as	it	was	the
whole	division	is	coming
into	the	line	the
148	hrs	being	the
first	to	leave	and
the	main	road	to
HERDE	COURT	was	followed

FROM
TIME & PLACE

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

TO

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
the	ref	to	about
148	hrs	is	of
herd court	which	by	line
across	country	to	close
to	the	of	the
1470	hrs	prisoners	state
now	many	wounded	prisoners
held	periodic	during	the

FROM
TIME & PLACE

APPENDIX

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2150.



		(Signature)	
TO	8th Inf. Bde.	5th Div. Arty.	5th Div. Engrs
	14th Inf. Bde.	5th M.G. Bn.	Div. Sig. Co.
	15th Inf. Bde.	5th Pioneer Bn.	"AQ"
Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	
*Ig 1487	25	AAA	
Evening report AAA Corps line adjusted			
in places today AAA Post established E			
side CANARD WOOD AAA Considerable shelling			
mixed with mustard gas throughout day M			
HERREVILLE AAA Special air reconnaissance 3			
machines failed to observe any movement in			
DOMPIERRE ASSAINVILLERS HERBECOURT CHAULNES			
ESTREES FOCAUCOURT SOYECOURT VILLERS-			
OMIECOURT BERNY-en-SANTERRE AAA No M.T.			
seen on roads AAA M.G. fire encountered from			
N32 T2 T8 AAA Reliable statement says			
Bridges over Canal CAPPY blown up night			
23/24th			
From	5th AUST DIV		
Place			
Time			
The above may be forwarded as now corrected.		(Z)	<i>John A. Chapman</i>
Censor.		Signature of Addressor or person authorised to telegraph in his name.	

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
£ s. d
 Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp.
 From *ans* At *AVE* m. *SVI 13.*
 By *L* To *SIGNALS*
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions.
 Handed in at *Kayo* Office *Jan* m. Received *7:30* m.

TO *5 ans*

*Sender's Number *Am 135* Day of Month *26* In reply to Number *AAA*

*Situation quiet on aircraft
 inactive*

HERLEVILLE
9926/1679
26/8/18

FROM *(Kayo) 14. a/bde*
 TIME & PLACE

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

TO *5 ans*

*Sender's Number *2573* Day of Month *26* In reply to Number *AAA*

*Morning report ans few
 mustard gas shells in
 HERLEVILLE at 4.30. am
 otherwise situation very quiet
 on night. Div front
 ans enemy shelled with
 yellow cross. practically whole
 front of centre Div
 during night and hostile
 arty and mgs fairly
 ready on. Div
 sector ans left. bde
 of centre Div advanced
 their line slightly during
 night details not yet
 to hand ans left
 bde of left Div*


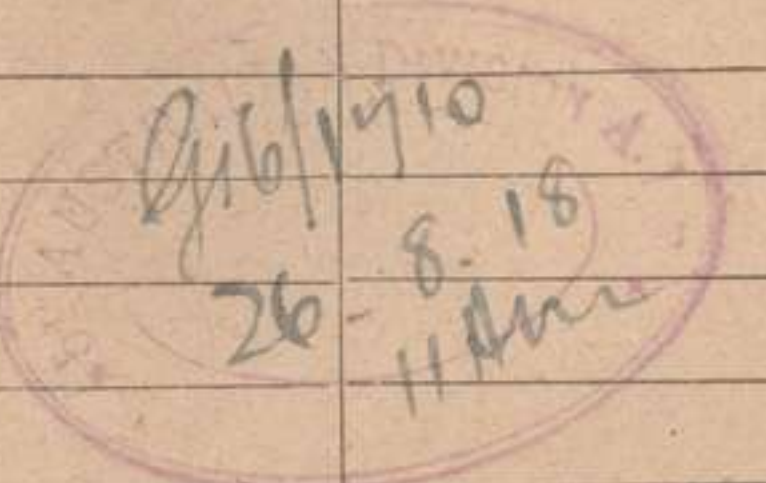
FROM
 TIME & PLACE

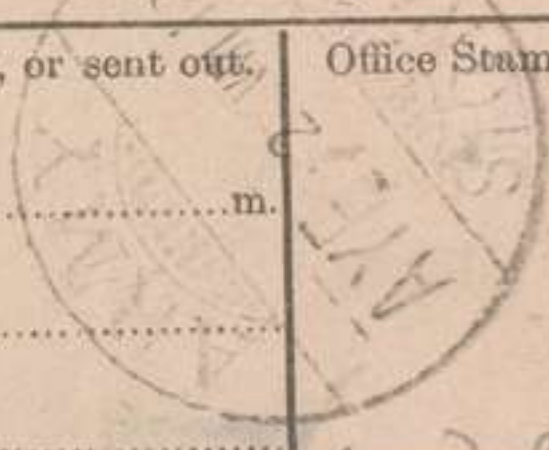
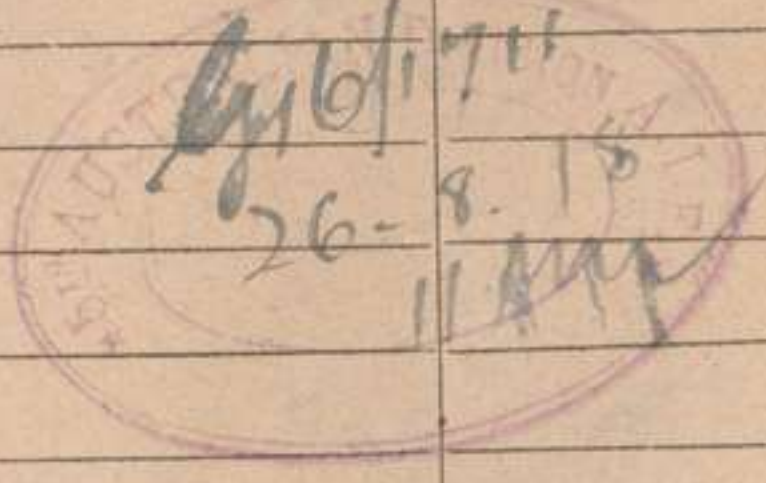
APPENDIX 28/215-1

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
£ s. d.	From.....	At..... A.m.	2 VIII 13. SIGNALS
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions.		By.....	
Handed in at..... Office..... m. Received..... m.			
TO			
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
4807.3	26	42A0.5	
<p>have advanced their line to the general line the right of 4807.3 conforming and further advance has been made but no information to hand with 58 Div little opposition by being met with our own forces and this army all concerned</p>			
FROM	Aust Corps		
TIME & PLACE	6-30 am		

From.....	At..... m.	Received..... m.	
By.....	To.....	By.....	
Charges to Collect			
Service Instructions.			
Handed in at..... Office..... m. Received..... m.			
TO			
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
41536	26		
<p>French captured ST MARD today were heavily counter attacked at ST MARD but a second attack established them in possession of the town. Prisoners were approximately 1000. Officer prisoners reported status enemy proposed to retire six to eight (8) kilometers tonight and will probably be covered by considerable machine gun activity.</p>			
<p>233 233</p>			
FROM	Aust Corps		
TIME & PLACE			
*This line should be erased if not required			

APPENDIX 28 2152

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	Received	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
£.....d.....	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	
Handed in at.....Office.....m.		Received.....m.	
TO 5th Aust Div			
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
119140	26		
8th MG Coy moving			
to R 296		15th MG	
Coy to R 280		25th	
boy R 21		Central 5th	
MG Bu		H Bns anticipates	
to R 1967.6.			
			
FROM	5th Aust MG Bu		
TIME & PLACE	1035 am		

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	Received	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
£.....s.....d.....	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	
Handed in at.....Office.....m.		Received.....m.	
TO 5th Aust Div			
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
119141	26		
Dw	210	will be	
Opened at Chateau ETINHEIM			
at 5pm today			
			
FROM	dward aust Div		
TIME & PLACE	1035 am		

APPENDIX 28/2/53.

Prefix <i>M/A</i>	Code <i>111</i>	Words <i>111</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect			From <i>111</i>	At <i>111</i>	Office Stamp <i>111</i>
Service Instructions			By <i>111</i>	To <i>111</i>	
Handed in at <i>111</i>			Office <i>111</i>	Received <i>111</i>	
TO <i>5 aus. Div</i>					
Sender's Number <i>2518</i>	Day of Month <i>26</i>	In reply to Number	AAA		
<p><i>1st austr. Divn have taken CAPPY and established posts to the east of it. AAA posts have been established in G26A & B east of CHATEAU ORCHARD. E. of YAKKO. WOOD and E. of wood in G91728 AAA patrols are pushing on towards OCTOBER WOOD and NAMELESS WOOD. AAA 3rd austr. Divn reports SUZANNE has been captured except for a small enemy party in the extreme N. east corner. AAA patrols have reached G99004 AAA added fourth army reports all concerned.</i></p>					
FROM <i>aus. troops</i>					
TIME & PLACE					

Prefix <i>M/A</i>	Code <i>111</i>	Words <i>111</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect			From <i>111</i>	At <i>111</i>	Office Stamp <i>111</i>
Service Instructions			By <i>111</i>	To <i>111</i>	
Handed in at <i>111</i>			Office <i>111</i>	Received <i>111</i>	
TO <i>5 aus. Div</i>					
Sender's Number <i>2519</i>	Day of Month <i>26</i>	In reply to Number	AAA		
<p><i>First army attacked this morning AAA MONCHY reported taken AAA attack going well AAA address all concerned.</i></p>					
FROM <i>aus. troops</i>					
TIME & PLACE					

APPZKDIX 28 21574.

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp

From..... At.....m. 2 VIII 13

Charges to Collect

Service Instructions.

To.....

By.....

Handed in at..... Office..... m Received..... m

TO 5 Aus Div

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

Forecast	wind	sw	to
west	15	to	20
mph	20	to	25
mph	on	Coast	aaa
squally	aaa	probably	changing
towards	NW	and	moderating
later	aaa	cloudy	and
cool	with	some	squally
showers	still	likely	aaa
occasional	visib	good	intervals
aaa	day	65	temp
to	5	night	50

FROM meteor

TIME & PLACE 11-am

Prefix.....Code.....Words..... Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp

From..... At.....m. 2333

Charges to Collect

Service Instructions.

To.....

By.....

Handed in at..... Office..... m Received..... m

TO 5 Aus Div

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


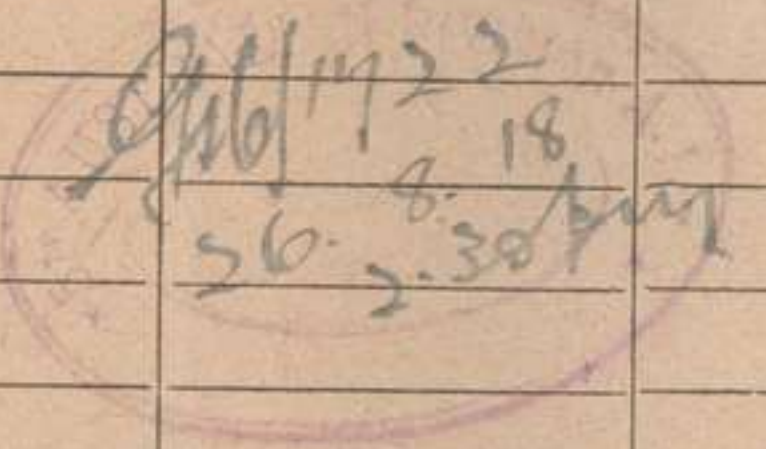
B.S. 574A 26


Reports	to	noon	aaa
no	war	flying	owing
to	adverse	weather	
conditions		aaa	

FROM Aust Corps

TIME & PLACE Branch Infill

APPENDIX 25 2/55-

Prefix <i>BM</i> Code <i>76</i> Words <i>119</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
From <i>Aus</i>	At <i>11-0</i>	To <i>5th Aus Div</i>	
By <i>JMB</i>	To <i>...</i>	By <i>...</i>	
Charges to Collect	Handed in at <i>...</i> Office <i>12:30</i> m		Received <i>2:30</i> m
Service Instructions.	TO <i>5th Aus Div</i>		
*Sender's Number <i>Bm 76</i>	Day of Month <i>26</i>	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>5</i>	<i>Aus</i>	<i>Div</i>	<i>Army</i>
<i>closed</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>CORBIE</i>	<i>and</i>
<i>reopened</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>Q30659</i>	
			
FROM	<i>5th Aus Div Army</i>		
TIME & PLACE			

Prefix <i>BM</i> Code <i>54</i> Words <i>117</i>	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
From <i>Aus</i>	At <i>11-0</i>	To <i>5th Aus Div</i>	
By <i>JMB</i>	To <i>...</i>	By <i>...</i>	
Charges to Collect	Handed in at <i>...</i> Office <i>...</i> m		Received <i>2:50</i> m
Service Instructions.	TO <i>5th Aus Div</i>		
*Sender's Number <i>4524</i>	Day of Month <i>26</i>	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>Following</i>	<i>from</i>	<i>Fourth</i>	<i>Army</i>
<i>lined</i>	<i>11-0</i>	<i>am</i>	<i>add</i>
<i>begins</i>	<i>AAA</i>	<i>Third</i>	<i>Army</i>
<i>report</i>	<i>7-15</i>	<i>am</i>	<i>add</i>
<i>Enemy</i>	<i>counter</i>	<i>attacks</i>	<i>vicinity</i>
<i>EAUCOBT</i>	<i>L'ABBAYE</i>	<i>and</i>	
<i>STLEGER</i>	<i>repulsed</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>latter</i>
<i>place</i>	<i>guards</i>	<i>met</i>	<i>enemy</i>
<i>with</i>	<i>bayonet</i>	<i>killing</i>	<i>70</i>
<i>and</i>	<i>captured</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>Prisoners</i>
<i>AAA</i>	<i>further</i>	<i>counter</i>	<i>attacks</i>
<i>N.</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>FAVREUIL</i>	<i>was</i>
<i>driven</i>	<i>out</i>	<i>and</i>	<i>line</i>
<i>restored</i>	<i>AAA</i>	<i>line</i>	<i>runs</i>
<i>W.</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>BAZENTIN LE</i>	
<i>PETIT-</i>	<i>E</i>	<i>of</i>	<i>MARTINPUICH-</i>
FROM			
TIME & PLACE			

AFFLIX 28 2/56

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions

From..... At.....m.
 By..... To.....
 By.....

Office.....m Received.....m

TO

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
S. of	LE SARRS	- M24a	-
LA BARQUE	-	H26b	- H22 Censl
- FAVREU	(incl)	- M3d	- B29 Censl
B16b	- B9b	-	STLEGER WOOD
T22b	- T17 Censl	-	ST. MARTIN
E.	of	NEUVILLE	VITASSE
aaa	3	Army	captured
1100	prisoners	yes	today
aaa	17th	Corps	assacked
in	communion	with	
1st	Army	This	morning
aaa	ends	add	addsd
all	concerned		

FROM Aust Corps
 TIME & PLACE 1:15 Pm

*This line should be erased if not required



Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions

From..... At.....m.
 By..... To.....
 By.....

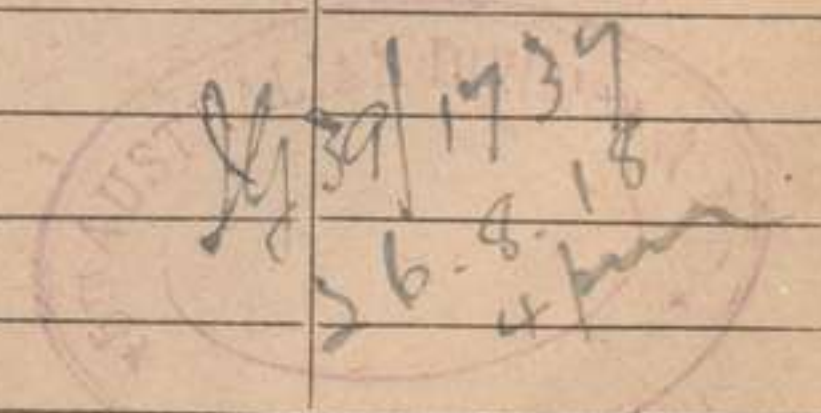
Office.....m Received.....m

TO

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
4.526	26		
13rd	corps	line	at
12	noon	today	reported
20	run	as	follows
aaa	"K"	COPSE	1 in
A27c	"A"	"C"	COPSE
in	A21d	- A21b28	- west
of	MARICOURT	-	West
of	OXFORD	COPSE	- A2 Censl
- Probably	so	E.	Corner
of	MAMETZ	WOOD	- S20a19
aaa	advance	progressing	
aaa	addsd	all	concerned

FROM Aust Corps
 TIME & PLACE 2:10 Pm

Office Stamp: 2 VIII 13



APPENDIX 28 2154.

Prefix *SM* Code *77* Words *80* Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 £ s d. From *Ruyjo* At.....m. *2 VIII 13*
 Charges to Collect By *Boers* To.....m. *SIGNALS*
 Service Instructions. By.....m. *4.7/13*
 Handed in at *Ruyjo* Office *7.10/13* Received *4.7/13* m

TO *HQ 5 Aus Div*

Sender's Number *A6728* Day of Month *26* In reply to Number *AAA*

This HQ will close at present location at 3 pm today and reopen at Q27A4.31 at 6 pm

FROM *5th Aus Pioneer Bn*
 TIME & PLACE

Prefix *SM* Code *77* Words *22* Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp
 £ s d. From *Ruyjo* At.....m. *2333*
 Charges to Collect By *Boers* To.....m. *SIGNALS*
 Service Instructions. By.....m. *4.7/13*
 Handed in at *Ruyjo* Office *7.10/13* Received *4.7/13* m

TO *Ruyjo (5 Aus Div)*

*Sender's Number *21049* Day of Month *26* In reply to Number *AAA*

Bde HQ were closed at Q30C50.30 at 7 PM and will open at Q18C55 at same hour

FROM *Ruyjo (14 A. I. Bde)*
 TIME & PLACE

*Q1833/1952
 26. 8. 13
 4.40 PM*

*Q1833/1940
 26. 8. 13
 4.15 PM*

AF 11101X 282158

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions

From *Ruyfa*
 By *J. Bate*

At.....m.
 To.....
 By.....

Office Stamp: *AYE - 2 VIII 13*

Handed in at *Ruyfa* Office *100* m. Received *6-30* m.

TO *Jepi (15 Aust Div)*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>20-1</i>	<i>26</i>		<i>AAA</i>
<i>Bate</i>	<i>Hq</i>	<i>established</i>	
<i>at</i>	<i>Q30C54</i>	<i>AAA</i>	
		<i>11/33/1469</i>	
		<i>26. 8. 18</i>	
		<i>7.15 pm</i>	

FROM *Ruyfa (S. J. Bate)*
 TIME & PLACE *16. Pm*

[Signature]

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Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
 Charges to Collect
 Service Instructions

Received
 From.....
 By.....

At.....m.
 To.....
 By.....

Office Stamp: *AYE - 2 VIII 13*

Handed in at *Ruyfa* Office *100* m. Received *6-30* m.

TO *2000 Ruyfa*

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
<i>20-1</i>	<i>26</i>		<i>AAA</i>
<i>Command</i>	<i>Hq</i>	<i>factory</i>	
<i>B. more</i>	<i>at</i>	<i>sector</i>	
<i>had any</i>		<i>5.30</i>	
		<i>11/33/1469</i>	
		<i>26. 8. 18</i>	
		<i>7.30 pm</i>	

FROM *2000 Ruyfa*
 TIME & PLACE

[Signature]

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APPENDIX 28 21/79.

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	Received.....	Sent, or sent out.....	Office Stamp
£ s d	From.....	At.....m.	
Charges to Collect	By.....	To.....	
Service Instructions		By.....	
Handed in at.....	Office.....	m. Received.....	m.
TO	2 Aus Div.		
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
4531	26		AAA
Wearing report	can	left	
and Centre	Div	Heavily	
advanced their	lines	during	
the day	for	N	
of the	some	enemy	
driven from	line	of	
residence in	GA and	C	
and	Wemy	in	
disorder	was	engaged	
our	artillery	and	
Number of	Casual	is	
and	System	in	
the	occupied	and	
quiet	on	the	
front	and	Address	
Army	Repts	all	
FROM	The Corp of		
TIME & PLACE	Lisp...		

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	From.....	At.....m.
£ s d	By.....	To.....
Charges to Collect		
Service Instructions		
Handed in at.....	Office.....	m. Received.....
TO	2 Aus Div	
*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number
4531	26	AAA
Presover captured by	the	
French near	FRESHVOY	
State that his	Corp	
is to	at	
distance of approx	6	
kilo	and	
this	will	
out	be	
is	possible	
stage	in	
address the	Somme	
the	and	
Co-operation with	the	
is	being	
in	A 30-ear	
can	the	
to	avenue	
FROM		
TIME & PLACE		

*This line should be erased if not required

APPENDIX 28 260.

Prefix.....Code.....Words.....
 £ s d. From..... At.....m.
 Charges to Collect By..... To.....
 Service Instructions, By.....
 Handed in at.....Office.....m Received.....m

TO

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

for the enemy to
 the causeway in GCP
 and the ridge at
 ECHUSIER and the
 Div will endeavour to
 prevent any enemy escaping
 this ECHUSIER and
 1st 2 3rd
 Div 32 Div

FROM Victor

TIME & PLACE

*This line should be erased if not required

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

TO

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

9430 26 8.30
 following from d Army line 5.50
 Am and Begins and Station as
 38 Div level Captured BAZENTIN
 LE GRAND and Sq centre
 and the 10th KAU COURT
 L'ABBAYE and hence line
 runs THILLOY (EXCL)-AVESNES
 (INCL)-E of FAUREVILLE then as before
 to ST MARTIN and 17th Div
 and can Corps line now
 runs WANCOURT (INCL)-GUEMAPPÉ-
 (EXCL)-MONCHY LE PREUX (incl.)
 and line progress also N of
 SCAR and trench captured
 FRESNOY-LES ROYE the morning
 and and Add all

FROM

TIME & PLACE

APPENDIX 28 2161.

Prefix... Code... Words... Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp

From... At... m. Office Stamp

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

Charges to Collect

Service Instructions.

Handed in at... Office... m. Received... m

TO: forecast 5th ans dr

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
2	26		AAA
forecast	Wind	west 15	
mpt	moderate and	variable	
late	towards	sw coast	
with	perhaps some	squally	
showers	at first	aaa	
probably	become	temporal fair	
and	milder	in the	
day	with	good wind	
midnight	west	6 mpt	
4	am	west 6	
wn	sw	4 mpt	

FROM: Meteor

TIME & PLACE: 9.30 pm

Prefix... Code... Words... Received. Sent, or sent out. Office Stamp

From... At... m. Office Stamp

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

Charges to Collect

Service Instructions.

Handed in at... Office... m. Received... m

TO: 5th ans dr

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
B5575A	26		AAA
Reports	to	dust	aaa
area	6	6	Maricourt
Comptrol	Barlines	under observation	
aaa	6.45	pm	3 mpt
fair	8	at	m255
aaa	no	other	movement
seen	aaa	aa	active
aaa	6a	inactive	aaa
Wester	fine	west	good
aaa			

FROM: Branch I Aust Corps

TIME & PLACE:

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APPENDIX 282/62

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

No. of Message.....

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

TO { 5th Aust. Div. Art

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
1656	26		

Following Field Artillery is allotted to this
 Div. Sector AAA 5th Aust. Div. Art AAA
 12th Army Bde A.F.A. AAA 23rd Army Bde
 R.F.A. AAA ACKNOWLEDGE

[Handwritten signature]

From 5th AUST DIV

Place

Time

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

Office of Origin and Service Instructions	Sent	Service.	Date.....
	At.....m.		From.....
	To.....		By.....
	(Signature of "Franking Officer")		By.....

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
1567	26		

Actual Casualty Return to
 now 26th Just aaa
 54th Battalion Wounded
 I. O. R

[Handwritten signature]

From 5th Aust. Div.

Place

Time

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Order No. 1025. Wt. W3253/ P 511. 27/2. H. & K., Ltd. (E. 2634).

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APPENDIX 28 2/13

MESSAGES AND SIGNALS. 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			
	At.....m.	Service.	From.....
	To.....			By.....
	By.....		(Signature of "Franking Officer")	By.....

TO { *Aust Corps*

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
<i>9160</i>	<i>26th</i>		

Command of 'B'
Div sector pressed
to GOC 5th Aust Div
at 10pm

From *5th Aust Div*

Place

Time

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[Signature]

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

TO { *8th Inf. Bde. Div. Arty. 5th Pioneer Bn.*
14th Inf. Bde. Div. Engrs "AQ"
15th Inf. Bde. M.G. Bn.

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
<i>*Ig 159</i>	<i>26</i>		

Following from Fourth Army timed 11.0 a.m. begins AAA Third Army report 7.15 a.m. AAA Enemy counter attacks vicinity EAUCOURT L'ABBAYE and ST.LEGER repulsed at latter place Guards met enemy with bayonets killing 70 and captured 40 prisoners AAA Further counter attacks N. of FAVREUIL were driven out and line restored AAA Line runs W. of BAZENTIN LE PETIT - E. of MARTINEUICH - S of LE SARS - M24a - LA BARQUE - H26b - H22central - FAVREUIL (incl) - M3d - B29central - B16b - B9b - ST.LEGER WOOD - T22b T17central - ST.MARTIN - E. of NEUVILLE VITASSE AAA 3rd Army captured 1100 prisoners yesterday AAA 17th Corps attacked in conjunction with 1st Army this morning AAA ends AAA Following places believed to be in our hands now AAA East of ARRAS AAA BOIR NOTRE DAME - GUE MAPPE - MONCHY-le-PREUX AAA Attack here going well

From *5th AUST DIV*

Place

Time

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[Signature]

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APPENDIX 28 2164.

G.S.O.1.

Approximate Trench Strength on 26th
AUGUST in Officers and Other Ranks.

	<u>Off.</u>	<u>O.R.</u>
29th Battalion.	19	495
30th do	21	573
31st do	25	636
32nd do	26	447
53rd Battalion.	22	427
54th do	16	393
55th do	16	345
56th do	15	436
57th do	24	617
58th do	25	402
59th do	11	429
60th do	19	422
8th M.G.Coy.	12	195
14th M.G.Coy.	8	194
15th M.G.Coy.	10	188
25th M.G.Coy.	10	190
8th Fld.Coy.A.E.	3	136
14th Fld.Coy.A.E.	3	131
15th Fld.Coy.A.E.	3	130
5th Pioneer Bn.	26	735.

Eric Keogh
Lt.Col.
D.A.A.G.

1157/1600
76/8/18

Prefix.....Code.....m.	Words	Charge.	This message is on a/c of :Service.	Recd. at.....m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions	Sent			Date.....
<i>file</i>	At	m.	From	
	To		By.....	
	By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer")			
TO {	8th, 14th, 15th Inf Bdes, 5 MG Bn.			233
	5th Div. Arty.			
Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA	
G.1571	26			
Prisoner captured near FRESNOY today was states				
his coy is to retire a distance approx 6 kilos				
aaa French anticipate this will be carried out				
tonight aaa Possibly first stage in				
withdrawal across SOME aaa 3rd Aust Div with				
58th Div. is seizing ridge in A28 early tomorrow				
aaa This was should limit avenues of escape to				
causeway in G4d and bridge at ECLUSIER aaa.				
From	5th AUST DIV.			
Place				
Time				
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