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Merril Rd.	1/11/17		A.D.S. clearing from 2 <sup>nd</sup> Division. 5.00.0 evacuated gassed.	
Merril Rd	2/11/17		" " " " 9.00.5 killed & 4 wounded of 6 <sup>th</sup> Field attached.	
"	3/11/17		" " " " Beavers of 6 <sup>th</sup> Field relieved beavers of 5 <sup>th</sup> & 7 <sup>th</sup> Field 6 <sup>th</sup> 5 <sup>th</sup> Beavers returning	
"	4/11/17		" " " " D Warrant. Capt Sharkey relieved Major Matheson at Bellona and Capt Matheson	
"	5/11/17		" " " " relieved Capt Campbell at Helles.	
"	6/11/17		" " " " 3 or 6 <sup>th</sup> Field not killed & 1 wounded. Capt Atcom reported from 26 <sup>th</sup> Apr. 290 P.D. Morris L.F. 7 1772 Pte Fossey P.V. awarded M.M.	
"	7/11/17		" " " " 6 <sup>th</sup> Field not Beavers were relieved by 7 <sup>th</sup> & returned to Reinforcements. 5 <sup>th</sup> Relieved the 7 <sup>th</sup> . Capt Bateman relieved Capt Sharkey at Bellona and Capt Matheson	
"	8/11/17		" " " " relieved Capt Mc Neenan at Helles. Capt Bateman reported 5 <sup>th</sup> Field not & Capt Sharkey relieved to Bellona and	
"	9/11/17		" " " " Capt Son. Which 5 <sup>th</sup> Field reported attached.	
"	10/11/17		" " " " 24 <sup>th</sup> Reconn. Sect detached from 5 <sup>th</sup> Field to 6 <sup>th</sup> attached by F.A. Hyde. Capt H.M. Soode & Beavers of 1/2 W.R. Field attached were temporarily attached.	
"	11/11/17		" " " " Major Cornick Capt Soode & beavers of 1/2 W.R. Field not. relieved Capt Sharkey & Beavers of 5 <sup>th</sup> Field not. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Beavers returned to Warrant. 1.00. "W.R. & Amb killed 2 or 3 & wounded.	
"	12/11/17		" " " " Capt T.W. Allen & 1 <sup>st</sup> sub-division of 1/3 W.R. Field not attached. Capt C.N. Smith M.C. & beaver division of 1/2 W.R. Field not temporarily attached. Capt Atcom temporarily detached to 1/2 W.R. Field not. Beavers division of 1/2 W.R. Field not returned beavers of 7 <sup>th</sup> Field not who	
"			" " " " presented to 4 <sup>th</sup> Corps reports. Capt Smith relieved Capt Matheson at Helles. Major Cornick returned to A.D.S. 1.00. wounded.	
"			" " " " 1/3 West Riding Field not. troop over from 7 <sup>th</sup> Field not attached. Moved to Whiffersbrook area.	

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Whiffetwech	12/11/17		Arrival of Whiffetwech (in boats). Major Williams & A sect sent to submissin reported to 24th Field Ambulance Steamer.	
"	13/11/17		Major Lomick & C sect sent to submissin proceeded to Steamer & took over	
"	14/11/17	10a	Took over rest station from 24th Field Ambulance. Personnel moved in Motor Lories from Whiffetwech. Capt Matthews detached to 2nd Bn.	
Steamer	14/11/17		Rest Station. Collecty from 4th Bde. Capt Matthews rejoined from Finches & stayed in Whiffetwech clearing sick from 6th Bde. Capt Matthews rejoined from 4th W.R. Lint & was detached to 2nd Bn.	
"	15/11/17			
"	16/11/17			
"	17/11/17			
"	18/11/17		Capt Bernard rejoined from 27th Bn. Capt Matthews rejoined & was detached to 27th Bn.	
"	19/11/17			
"	20/11/17		Capt Coulter rejoined 22nd Bn.	
"	21/11/17		13647 Pte Simpson H. & 3762. Pte Douglas C.B. awarded M.M.	
"	22/11/17			
"	23/11/17		Capt Bernard evacuated & arrived (delayed). Major Lomick to A.I.F. Hq.	
"	24/11/17			
"	25/11/17		24th Dist Sect rejoined from 6th Aust A.F.A. Bde.	
"	26/11/17			
"	27/11/17			
"	28/11/17			
"	29/11/17			
"	30/11/17		Major RA Durr to A.I.F. Hq.	

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