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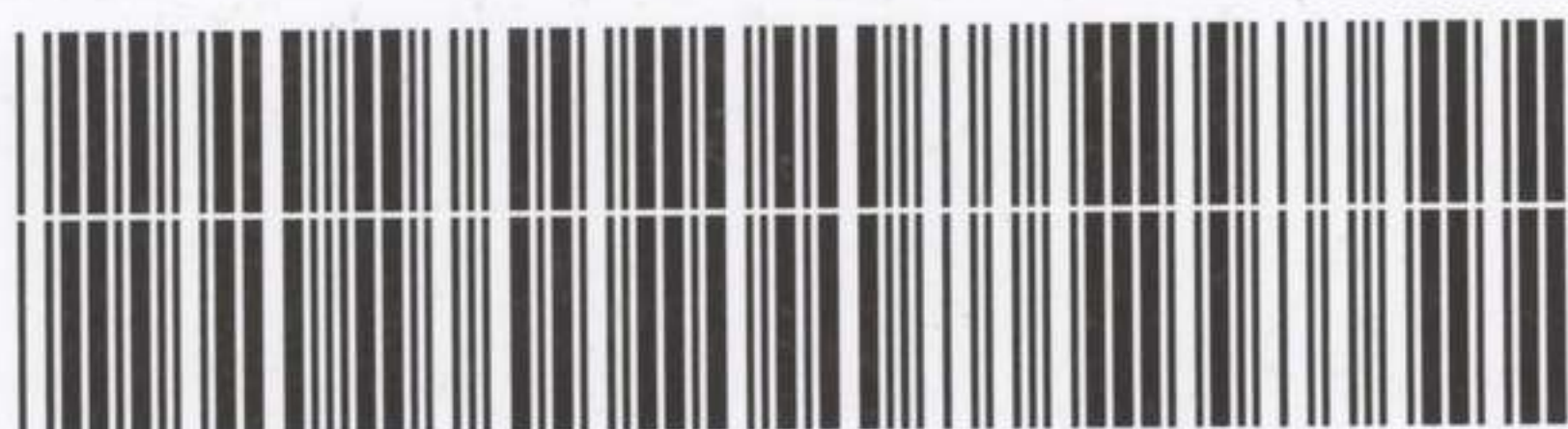
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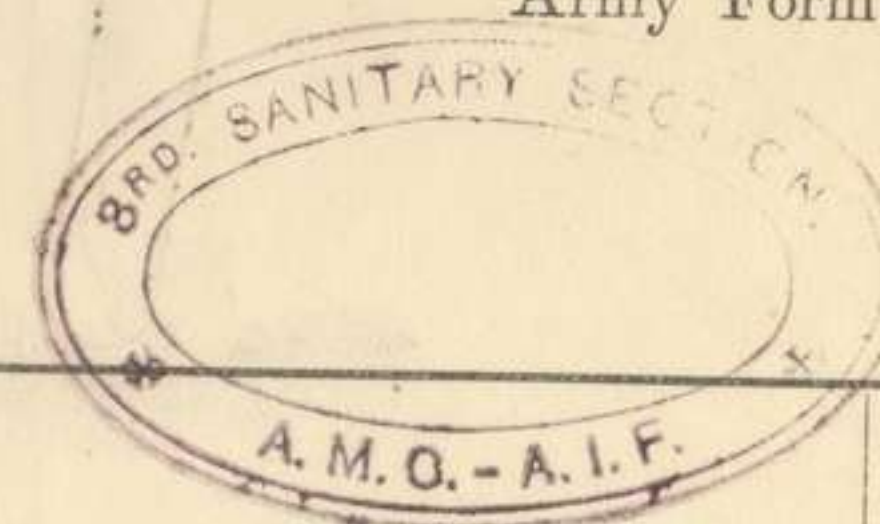
WAR DIARY

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
STEENWERCK	1/8/17		Major GOLDSTEIN reported from 5 th A/San Sect to take over command of 4 th A/San Sect from May KELLY, acting O.K. since June 1 st .	
	2.8.17		MORBEQUE area handed over to 40 th San Sect (Imp.)	
	3.8.17		Copy of new War Establishment (Transport) for Sanitary Sections received from D. D. M. S. II A.N.Z.A.C.	
	4.8.17		New area taken over which is the same as Right Divisional area TANZAC with H.Q. at STEENWERCK. Boundaries of area as follows. From front line at HUNS WALK by straight line to St Quentin Cabaret at Sheet 28 SW T 5 d 22. thence to NEUVE EGLISE taking in the whole of the village, down N ^{ve} EGLISE Rd to STEENWERCK Railway Station, along BAILLEUL - ARMENTIERES Rdy to River LYS along river to front line at HOUPLOVES.	
			To work this area 8 men A.N.C.O's under a Staff Sergt are stationed at NIEPPE and 8 A/N.C.O's under a Sergt at DE SEULE the remainder being at STEENWERCK employed in the office & workshops.	
	10.8.17		3 ton lorry taken to Second Army Troops. Superly Column and exchanged for Ford Box car vide new Establishment. It is a bad change in some ways as the Ford cars only carry 750 ^{lbs} and for Sanitary Section work it requires ^{requires} a car to carry at least 1/2 ton.	
	11.8.17		Several units of N.Z. Divn reported to A.D.M.S. N.Z. for not chlorinating water supplies this .	
	13.8.17		This is a serious matter owing to an outbreak of Dysentery to the north of this area.	
			New Sanitary badges received from D.A.D.O.S. These are the most suitable badge for the purpose as there has been no recognised badge till now, each unit using that which suited them best and causing confusion at amongst units arriving in new areas.	
	15/8/17		A ten seater public latrine & a urinal erected at DE SEULE by the carpenters of this unit.	
	17/8/17		A five seater public latrine & urinal erected at ROMARIN by the carpenters of this unit.	
			The matter of public latrines is one that seems to be neglected by other sections as we have to fit out practically every area we go into with public conveniences.	

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STEENWERCK	22-8-17		8/SERGT COOLING L.E. evacuated sick to 2 A.C.C.S.	
	24-8-17		Motor Cycle & Sidecar received from Y. Supply Column with new establishment	
			Pt WATTS, O.M. admitted to 4th N.Z. Field Amb	
	25		Boundaries of area allied again. Northern boundary from T. 20 central to T. 19. a. 5. 8. to U. 11. d. 5. 4.	
			Western boundary from B. 1. central to B. 16 a. 2. 3 to B. 28. 8. 3. 6.	
	27-8-17		A/Serjt WALTERS, J. admitted to 3rd N.Z. Field Amb suffering from wound in right leg caused by a nose cap which he threw down exploding.	
			Area under control of this section taken over by 8th Coy. Divn from N.Z. Divn	
			Nothing further to report for the month.	

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