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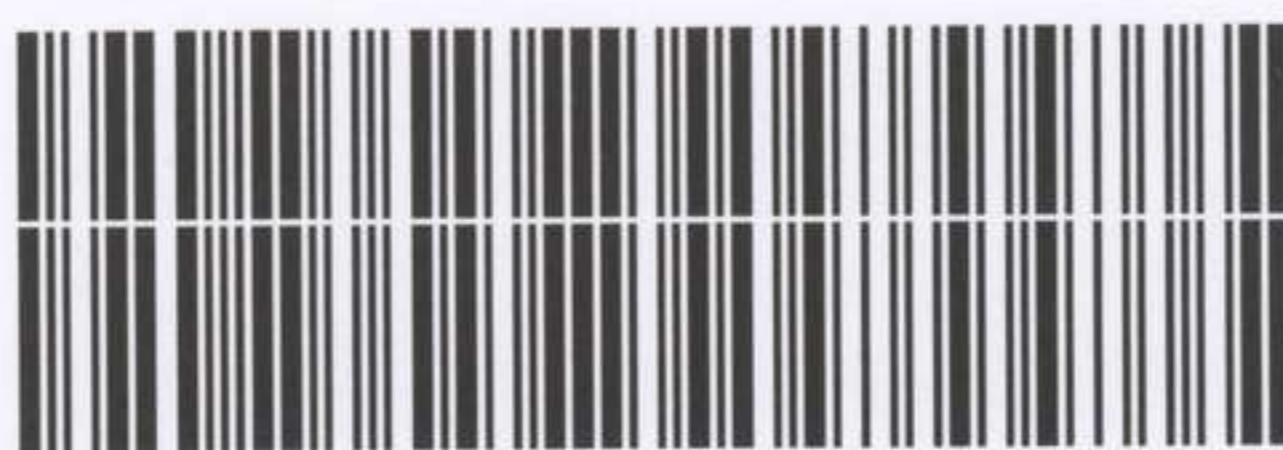
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Cyclists

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# WAR DIARY

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1st ANZAC  
CYCLIST BATTALION.  
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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
<p>BECORDEL. BECOURT MAP REF Sheet 62D F8.A.1.0.</p>	1/11/16	-	<p>Battn situated with Light Horse Regt at BECORDEL BECOURT. The number on duties with Corps is 7 Officers 352 ORanks - Attached to Battn are details surplus to Establishment which makes the total strength 15 Officers 420 ORanks</p>	
	2/11/16	-	<p>Overhaul and adjustment of cycles rifles and equipment by details in camp</p>	
	3/11/16	-	<p>1 ORank evacuated to Hospital - Building of huts carried on by camp details</p>	
	4/11/16	-	<p>1 ORank evacuated to Hospital (sick)</p>	
	5/11/16	-	<p>Lieut R.H. HERD relinquished duties of Quartermaster - Lieut F.L.M. DORGALL appointed to succeed - 1 ORank evacuated to Hospital Sgt STEPHENSON.C. wounded by shell P-five</p>	
	8/11/16	-	<p>1 ORank taken on strength transferred from 27th Battn</p>	

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9/11/16 BECORDEL BECOURT SH62D F8.A1.D	9/11/16		No cover etc available in present camp for cycles arrangements have been made to have them stored at ALBERT SH62D E.4.A.99. Company artyfunds will be billeted at store with cycles - 1 O'Rank evacuated to Hospital (sick)	
"	10/11/16	-	1 O'Rank taken on strength - section of huts carried over	
	11/11/16	-	1 O'Rank evacuated to Hospital - 1 O'Rank reported back from Hospital (sick)	
	12/11/16	-	28 O'Ranks reported back from Officer wedge of Water Control. when they have been doing patrol duties	
	13/11/16	-	2 O'Ranks detailed as aides to Corps school. HELLY	
	15/11/16	-	2 O'Rank detailed for kimp duty with HQ's Light Horse (Mtd Troops)	

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BECORDEL BECOURT	17/11/16	-	10 Rank evacuated to Hospital - (sick)	
62D.F8. A.I.O	18/11/16	-	10 ORanks detailed as guard at Prisoners of War Camp BERNAFAY. Ref 576. SW. S23. 2.5	
"	19/11/16	-	10 ORanks struck of strength. These men are sent to base from Field Ambulance. (sick)	
"	21/11/16	-	10/53 ORanks detailed for Traffic Control at VIVIER MILL under A.P.M. FRANZAC 1 ORank to BERNAFAY PRISONERS Camp.	
-	23/11/16	-	3 ORanks detailed as Traffic Control at BECORDEL BECOURT under A.P.M. FRANZAC 1 ORank evacuated to Hospital (sick)	
-	24/11/16	-	23 ORank detailed as Traffic control FRICOURT.	
-	25/11/16	-	Appointment confirmed - Temp Major Hindhaugh, J.E. to be Officer and to command the Batta 10/11/16 7 ORanks reported from details 1st Cyclists and to remain attached 21 ORanks reported from 2nd ANZAC -	

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BECORDEL BECOURT Stut 62D F.8.A.1.0	25/11/16	Contd	24 ORanks detailed for traffic control under A.P. of 1st ANZAC at FERICOURT. 1 Officer and 8 ORanks detailed for traffic control at BAZENTIN. Stut 57C SW. S 15. Contd.	
.	26/11/16	-	3 ORanks taken on strength from details (cyclists)	
.	27/11/16	-	16 ORanks detailed A.S.C Corps supply Column. These were 2nd Angas details.	
.	29/11/16	-	Lieut R H Hunt transferred to Aust Flying Corps - reporting to school. England. 1 Officer and 1 ORank evacuated to Hospital - sick.	
.	30/11/16	.	Strength of Bde total 16 Officers 445 ORanks. This includes details attached as surplus from 1st and 2nd ANZAC. - OR detailed duties 6 Officers and 366 ORanks -	

J. E. Hindhaugh  
Commanding 1st ANZAC Cyclist Bde

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