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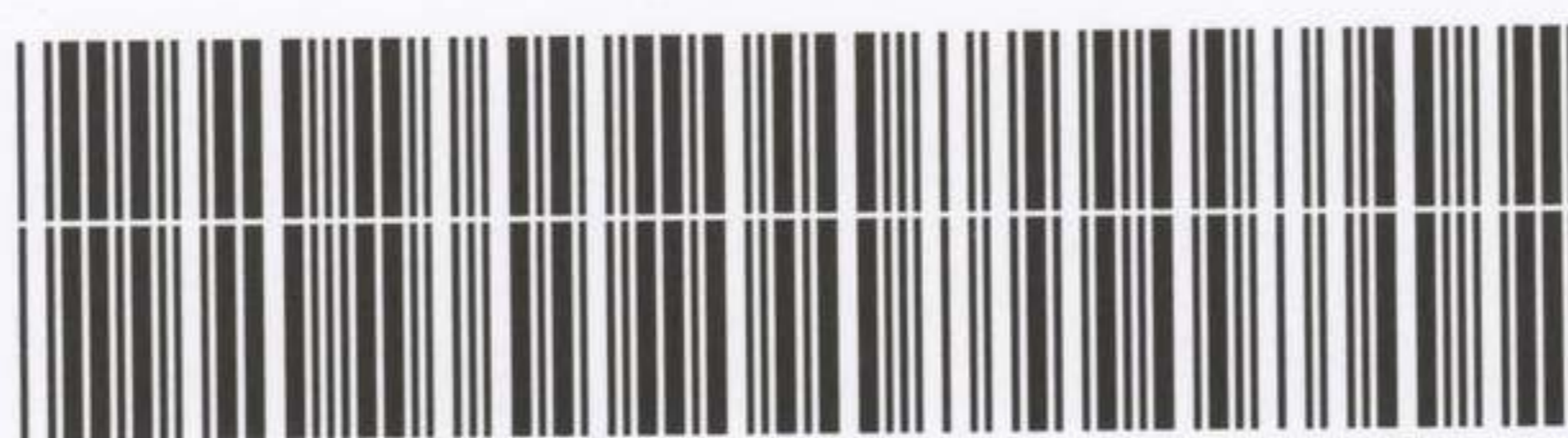
**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,
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WAR DIARY

OF

DESERT CORPS OPERATING UNIT

FOR

NOVEMBER 1918



Signature of Officer compiling

WGH Doyle

Signature of Officer Commanding

*WGH Doyle Capt
of D Coy*

WAR DIARY
or
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Remarks and references to Appendices

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Homs	1/11/18		<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Desert Corps Operating Unit</u></p> <p>This day received instructions from ADMS Aust. Div. that I was to be attached to the Immobile section of 4th LIFC (Mag. Party) with my unit - Was here till 6th inst - when I received instructions to proceed to the Aust. Div. Receiving Station (Col. McFarlane) and have been attached there ever since - Whilst with the 4th LIFC the Operating Unit Staff were doing all the dressing & suturing their staff - Since my arrival at A. Div. R. S. I have had charge of various wards & doing practically the ordinary work of an M.O. - There has been but one ^{no} major surgical cases - during the month - Early in the month Pvt. Sibley was ill but recovered to be fit for duty again - On 8th Sgt. Lowry went to Egypt on duty - The Operating Car has been fitted with new tyre tubes & has had three repairs effected, & is now fit for the road again -</p>	

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Itoms.			<p>I have had the <u>autoclave</u> repaired etc. - now in thorough order - it was done by Des. Corp. workshop, Tripoli - During the month the instruments - & dressings - pans etc. were overhauled & put in order - A room fitted up as an operating theatre has been always ready for emergencies at the Receiving station - On the whole therefore the month has been quiet - as regards the special work of the unit - although the members have had work to do to keep them employed, and everything fit & ready for any contingency which might arise -</p> <p style="text-align: right;">W. H. Jeffrey Capt of Des Corp. Operating Unit</p>	