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**Australian Imperial Force unit**  
**war diaries, 1914-18 War**

Light Horse

**Item number: 10/11/45**

**Title: 6th Australian Light Horse**  
**Regiment**

August 1918

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**Australian Imperial Force.**

**WAR DIARY**

OF

6th L.H. Regiment A.I.F.

FOR

August 1918.

Signature of Officer compiling

*Dickson*  
*apadyp*

Signature of Officer Commanding

*C. D. Fuller L'Col*  
Lt Colonel

AUG 1918



31-8-18

WAR DIARY

Army Form C. 2118.

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
TALAAT-ED-DUM	1.	0600	Regimental duties. Lieut N. Dickson went on leave in Egypt. 35 Q/R proceeded to Ain Kilo 17 to take over Area Stores.	Lieut Apell and ... at 1400.
	2.	0600	Regimental duties.	Captain ... 3-8-18
	3.	0600	Regimental duties.	
	4.	0600	Anniversary service of the 4th Anniversary of the war at 1850.	July Commemoration at ... 0630.
	5.	0600	Regimental duties.	
	6.	0600	Regimental duties.	
	7.	0600	Regimental duties. Hotchkiss guns mounted as precautions against enemy air-craft.	
	8.		Regimental duties. Preparations being made for move to Solomons Pool.	tomorrow
	9.	1100	Major General Chauvel inspected the Regt. dismounted.	Left bivouac at 1700 for Solomons Pool.
BEIT-AMMAR	10.	0530	Arrived at new bivouac site, about three miles south of Solomons Pool. 26 men went to Divisional Head Quarters as duty troop. Crane and troop was left at Reinforcement camp for use to relieve NZMR on picket duty.	Lieut ... NZMR on picket duty.
	11.		Capt. Marks arrived back from leave in Port Said.	
	12.	0600	Regimental duties. Lieut Back and 41 Q/Ranks proceeded to Port Said on leave.	
	13.	0600	Regimental duties. Squadrons training emergency teams for Hotchkiss Guns. Lt Col. Fuller proceeded on leave in Egypt.	
	14.	0600	Regimental duties. Lieut Hopkins & two Q/Ranks reported to R.A.F. for course on two days course, contact practice. Lieut N. Dickson arrived from leave in Egypt.	
	15.	0600	Regimental duties. Hotchkiss training gone on with.	
	16.	0600	Regimental duties. Lieut Hopkins & troop relieved 5th Lt Regt Piquete Troop at Desert Corps Rest Camp.	

D. D. ... Lt Colonel  
C.O. 6th Lt. H. Regiment  
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BEK. AMMAR.	17.	0600	Regimental duties. Lieut N. Dickson marched in from Moascar also 30 <sup>th</sup> R. Reinforcement	
	18.	0600	Regimental duties. Major HAD White reported back from School of Instructions	
	19.	0600	Regimental duties. Inspection of Brigade by Major Gen. Chaytor. Regiment inspected at 1130.	
	20.	0600	Regimental duties. Lieut Hardy (Hospital) promoted to Captain as from 3-8-18.	
	21.	0600	Regimental duties. Lieut Hopkins proceeded on leave in Egypt.	
	22.	0600	Regimental duties. Preparations for move next day; lints taken down, and forwarded to dump at Desert Corps Reinforcement Camps.	
	23.	1630	Regiment left camp for Talaat-ed-Dumm, halting at Nilo 3 from 2100 to allow 3 <sup>rd</sup> Brigade to pass.	
TALAAAT-ED-DUMM	24.	0330	Regiment moved on for Talaat-ed-Dumm arriving there at 0630, and went into bivouac for the day.	
WADI. NUIAMEH	25.	0400	Regiment moved off with rest of Brigade for Wadi Nuiaameh, and went into bivouac for the day. Leaving at 1800 for Wadi Sujah, arriving at the junction of the wadis. Sujah & Mellahah, Regiment took over ground from 19 <sup>th</sup> Lancers and went into camp as reserve Regiment for the Brigade.	
WADI MELLAHAH.	26.	0600.	Regimental duties. B Squadrons found, standing patrol for Mussallabeh Gap, going out at 1930. Also garrisons of one officer and 30 <sup>th</sup> Panks with H.A Rifle for TURTLE POST.	
	27.	0430.	Patrols returned and reported all clear, garrison withdrew at same time. Usual Regimental duties, anti gas training and fatigues. A Squadrons found patrols and garrisons. Lt. Col Fuller & Major Tooth returned from leave in Egypt.	
	28.	0430	Patrols reports all clear. Regimental duties, gas training. C Sqdr. found patrols Award of decorations ribbons by Cin C at divisional Headquarters and garrisons.	
	29.	0430	Patrols reported all clear in the gap. Regimental duties; B Squadrons found patrols for GAP and garrisons for TURTLE POST.	

- AUG 1918  
D. B. Fisher Lt. Colonel  
C.O. 6<sup>th</sup> L. H. Regiment



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WADI. AJTAH	30.	0430	Patrols reported all clear. Regimental duties; Major N.A. White evacuated sick.	
	31.	0430	Patrols brought in 'all clear' report. Lt. Colonel Fuller, Major Cross, Capt. Marks, Lt. Lieut Lomas proceeded to 11 <sup>th</sup> Cavalry Brigade to be shown over line at GORANIYEH Bridge head.	
		1000 to 1100	Enemy shelled point in Wadi MELLAMAH about 300 yards above Regimental Headquarters.	

Lt. Colonel  
Co. 6<sup>th</sup> LH Regiment.

Lt. Colonel  
C.O. 6<sup>th</sup> LH Regiment

- AUG 1918

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OF

6th Light Horse Regiment A.I.F.

FOR

August 1918

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## LIST OF APPENDICES.

No.

Subject.

"C" Form.  
MESSAGES AND SIGNALS.

(In books of 100.)  
No. of Message \_\_\_\_\_

Prefix _____	Code _____	Words _____	Received.	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp.
Charges to Collect			From <u>APB</u>	At _____ m.	23/8/14
Service Instructions			By <u>RCM</u>	To _____	
Handed in at _____			Office _____	m. Received <u>0930</u>	m.

TO CO 6TH LH REGT

* Sender's Number	Day of Month.	In reply to Number	AAA
<u>BM 977</u>	<u>23rd</u>		<u>AAA</u>

representatives from each unit will report to Capt Dames on road west of water area 1300 today to proceed to Kilo 3 for bivouac sight. Each regiment will detail an officer as their representative

FROM 2nd  
PLACE & TIME 0905

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"C" Form.  
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Service Instructions			By <u>RCM</u>	To _____	
Handed in at _____			Office _____	m. Received <u>1050</u>	m.

TO CO 6TH Regt All Units  
B 700

* Sender's Number	Day of Month.	In reply to Number	AAA
<u>SC 650</u>	<u>24</u>		<u>AAA</u>

Units will send representatives meet Capt DAVIES at CROSSING over WADI NEUJAMEH officers Div. HQRS. at 1630 today 24th to be shown camp site. These representatives will also take over area stores and furnish copies of receipts to this office. Representatives must not be on road before 1400 and as few as possible should be sent. Units will leave at least one representative to look after their area stores in this camp until the Boles moves out.

FROM \_\_\_\_\_  
PLACE & TIME \_\_\_\_\_

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By <u>      </u>	To <u>      </u>	<u>26818</u>
Charges to Collect	By <u>      </u>	
Service Instructions		

Handed in at        Office        m. Received        m.

TO       

\* Sender's Number        Day of Month        In reply to Number        A A A

unless the stores are  
taken over in the mean-  
while

FROM 2nd Lt Bae  
PLACE & TIME       

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Prefix SM Code        m. Words        Charge        No. of Message       

Office of Origin and Service Instructions       

Sent        m.

At        m.

To       

By       

This message is on a/c of:       

Service       

Recd. at 0940 m.

Date 26/8

From PPB

By PP

(Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO 6th Lt Regt

Sender's Number \* B7996 Day of Month 26/8/18 In reply to Number AAA

The 6 in 6 will probably present  
ribbons to those who have not already  
received them at 1430 on Wednesday  
next 28th inst please wire nominal  
roll of officers and men who have  
not received these giving Christian  
names in full by 1800 today 26th  
inst. One Sqdn mounted may be  
required at the same time  
This will be found by 7th Regt

From 2nd Lt Bae

Place       

Time 0918

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

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Prefix.....Code.....m  
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.  
Words. Charge.  
This message is on a/c of:  
Sent  
At.....m. Service.  
To.....  
By.....  
(Signature of "Franking Officer.")  
No. of Message.....  
Recd. at.....m.  
Date.....  
From.....  
By.....

TO { 6<sup>th</sup> I.R. Regt

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* 13173 26/8/18

From. tonight of 26/27. must  
onwards. 6<sup>th</sup> Regt will find  
the garrison on TORTHE post  
AAA. Hitherto found by 38<sup>th</sup> Fus.  
AAA. The garrison will  
consist of one officer 20<sup>th</sup> R.  
with 20<sup>th</sup> R. rifle and  
should be in the post by 1930.  
and retire at 0400 if  
everything is quiet AAA  
address 6<sup>th</sup> repeated. Royal  
Fus.

From gna. I.R. Bde.  
Place  
Time

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Words. Charge.  
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At.....m. Service.  
To.....  
By.....  
(Signature of "Franking Officer.")  
No. of Message.....  
Recd. at.....m.  
Date.....  
From.....  
By.....

2 sheets  
1<sup>st</sup> sheet

TO { 6<sup>th</sup> I.R. Regt

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* SC 672 27/8/18

following WADI patrols will be found  
consisting of INCOY 4 men each tour  
of duty 0600 to 1100 & 1430 to 1900  
aaa 5<sup>th</sup> Regt patrol will operate  
from junction of AVJAH JORDAN  
river to western end of field troop  
camp aaa 6<sup>th</sup> Regt from western end of  
field troop camp to crossing on road 29  
over AVJAH AAA Units will be responsible that  
their patrols thoroughly understand all  
administrative orders regarding this area

From  
Place  
Time

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Prefix *SP* Code..... m Words. Charge. No. of Message.....  
Office of Origin and Service Instructions. This message is on alc of: Recd. at *1609.* m.  
Sent Date: *27/8/18*  
At..... m. Service. From: *APP*  
To..... By: *[Signature]*  
By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO { *6th Regt. (all units)*

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* *BM 9* *27th/8/18* *AAA*

The C in C will present ribbons at DHQ on Wednesday 28th aad the names of recipients in full with the summary of what award was given for will be forwarded to this office not later than 1000 tomorrow 28 inst aad a sqdn will be formed as representatives of the Bde as a guard of honour as under. aad 5th Regt 1 Field Officer, 1 Subaltern and 1 Troop. 6th Regt. 1 Capt. 1 sub. and 1 troop 4th Regt. 2 sub and 2 troops aad each troop should consist of 30 men with Hotchkiss rifle and

From  
Place  
Time

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions. This message is on alc of: Recd. at..... m.  
Sent Date.....  
At..... m. Service. From.....  
To..... By.....  
By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO { *(2nd sheet)*

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* *27/8/18* *AAA*

should be picked from whole Regt men being especially selected with a view to height and general physique smartness newness and cleanliness of uniform and equipment and horses of good type and condition only should be sent. aad every effort must be made to present as smart and effective an appearance as possible and to do credit to the Bde aad Brushes and cloths should be taken to the parade ground to give a final clean up before inspection aad

From  
Place  
Time

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Prefix..... Code..... m Words. Charge. No. of Message.....  
Office of Origin and Service Instructions. This message is on a/c of:  
Recd. at 2140 m.  
Date 27/8/18  
From APPB  
By REM  
(Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO { 6th LH Regt  
Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. A A A  
\* BM 11 27th/8/18

Major RH Nimmo 5th LH Regt  
will take charge of  
representative sqdn on C.M.C's  
parade tomorrow 28th inst

From 230 LH Bde  
Place  
Time 2103  
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Prefix..... Code..... m Words. Charge. This message is on a/c of:  
Office of Origin and Service Instructions. Recd. at .....  
Date 30/8/18  
From APPB  
By L.J.  
(Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO { 6th Regt. 38th Bn  
Alwar. Inf  
Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. A A A  
\* SC 729 30/8/18

Guard and pumping party  
on drinking reservoir consist  
ing of NCO and eight ORS  
will be found  
alternately by the  
above units Alwar Inf  
absenting 1800 tomorrow 31st  
inst followed by 6th  
Regt followed by 39th Bn  
thenceforth in this order  
6th Regt. will supply chlorinating  
personnel daily who will  
see that no unchlorinated water  
is drawn pumping sparsly  
may be further drawn between 1800  
and 0600 daily NCO and 3  
ORS must be constantly on  
duty 2nd LH Bde

From  
Place  
Time  
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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.
Sent			By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer.")	From APB
At..... m.				To RCM
To.....				
By.....				

TO { 6TH LH REGT

Sender's Number. * SC 631	Day of Month. 27th/8/18	In reply to Number. AAA
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Owing to parade for C in C tomorrow 23th inst all traffic on or near the motor road between DHA and JERICHO will cease between 1400 and 1515 and watering parade in NEU/AMEH will be put off accordingly

From 2nd LH Bde  
 Place 1945  
 Time

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

TO { 6TH LH REGT

Sender's Number. * SC 634	Day of Month. 27th/8/18	In reply to Number. AAA
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The C in C will present the ribbons at 1430 tomorrow 23th inst and officers invited to attend will please be on parade at 1415 sharp

From 2nd LH Bde  
 Place 1945  
 Time

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Charges to Collect	From.....	At.....m.	LF 31/8
Service Instructions	By.....	To.....	
Handed in at.....Office.....m.		Received.....m.	

TO  
6<sup>th</sup> Regt

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
50359	31/8/18		

detail and troops as guard  
over areas stores at  
K110 17 Hebron  
road day. This troop  
will leave this area for  
K10 17 1930 tomorrow 1<sup>st</sup>  
representative  
will report to HQ DQRS  
ANZAC 1600 on Aug 1<sup>st</sup>  
for camp site water and  
instructions re guard etc.  
Rations for 2<sup>nd</sup> will be drawn  
under arrangements made  
by ANZAC 1<sup>st</sup> Troop and  
Squad at B44 at 1915  
tomorrow ready to move  
off

FROM 5-4 LA Bk  
PLACE & TIME 2040

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.	This message is on a/c of:		Recd. at 0642 m.
	Sent		Date 20/-
	At.....m.	LF	From 7PB
	To.....	30/8/18	By ALB
	By.....	(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	

TO CO 6<sup>th</sup> Regt.

* Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
50589	19/8/18		

It to be Captain dated 3/8/18  
H Hardy MC 6<sup>th</sup> LH

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From 2nd Lt. Bk  
Place  
Time 2218

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Prefix..... Code..... m Words. Charge. No. of Message.....  
Office of Origin and Service Instructions. This message is on a/c of: Recd. at 12.15 m.  
Sent Date 16/8/18  
At.....m. Service. From APB  
To..... By.....  
By..... (Signature of "Franklin Officer.")

TO { 5<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Regt. M.G. Sqdn

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* SC 369 18<sup>th</sup> 8/18

Staff-Sgt Hill from A.H.O.D will examine Hotchkiss Rifles and Vickers guns at follg times aaa  
5<sup>th</sup> Regt 1400 today 18<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Regt 1400  
tomorrow 19<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Regt 0900 20<sup>th</sup> and  
2nd M. G. S. 1400 20<sup>th</sup> inst. aaaa  
Addressed 3 Regts and M.G.S

From 2nd Lt H Bde  
Place  
Time 1135  
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Office of Origin and Service Instructions. This message is on a/c of: Recd. at 2037 m.  
Sent Date 16/8/18  
At.....m. Service. From APB  
To..... By.....  
By..... (Signature of "Franklin Officer.")

TO { 5<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> Regt. M.G. Sqdn

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* S.P. 547 16<sup>th</sup> 8/18

DA DOS Amfacs were stating that staff Sgt Hill will inspect Hotchkiss rifles and machine guns tomorrow 17<sup>th</sup> inst. AAA Add. 3 regts M.G. Sqdn

From 2nd Lt Bde  
Place  
Time 2018

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Prefix.....Cod.....m  
Office of Origin and Service Instructions.  
Words. Charge.  
This message is on a/c of: Recc. at 1000 m.  
Sent At.....m. Date 19/8/18 Service. From APRB  
To.....m. By.....m. (Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO { 6th LA

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* 55583 19/8/18

The BETHLEHEM picquet will not be relieved today 19th APR. present picquets will be sent back to its unit on morning of 22nd instant APR. JERUSALEM picquet will be relieved today 19th inst APR. Field Officer will be supplied by 5th Regt APR. JERUSALEM picquet will join up with Bde on its way through Jerusalem to Dalaat-Ed-dumm on 23rd inst APR. addressed 3 Regts

From 2nd LHB  
Place  
Time 0930

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Office of Origin and Service Instructions.  
Words. Charge.  
This message is on a/c of: Recc. at 2008 m.  
Sent At.....m. Date 19/8/18 Service. From  
To.....m. By.....m. (Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO { (2)

Sender's Number. Day of Month. In reply to Number. AAA  
\* 55586 19/8/18

Water Guard 6th Regt adg on 19th JERUSALEM Picquet 6th Regt BETHLEHEM 7th Regt. Water Guard 5th Regiment. adg on 22nd JERUSALEM Picquet 5th Regt. BETHLEHEM Picquet 6th Regiment. Water Guard 7th Regt adg on 25th JERUSALEM Picquet 7th Regiment. BETHLEHEM Picquet 5th Regiment. Water Guard 6th Regiment adg. Bde supply officer will make necessary Rationing arrangements adg. addressed 3 Regts repeated 3rd Coyase

From 2nd LHB  
Place  
Time 1932  
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Office of Origin and Service Instructions. This message is on a/c of: Recd. at 2035 m.

Sent L.F. Service. Date 16/8/18

At.....m. 16/8/18

To..... From ALB

By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer.") By ALB

TO { all units

Sender's Number. \* SE 549 Day of Month. 16 In reply to Number. 8/18 AAA

Bde transport will be assembled for 900's inspection on flat near VMCA AAA horses will be limbered and men mounted or on the box AAA Major Hession will take charge of parade and will report to BHO for instructions tomorrow 17th inst

From 2nd Lt Bde. Place Time 2015

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Sent L.F. Service. Date 15/8/18

At.....m. 15/8/18

To..... From ALB

By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer.") By L.D.

TO { 5th 6th 7th Regt MG Bn

Sender's Number. \* BM 953 Day of Month. 15 In reply to Number. 8/18 AAA

Permission has been given for parties of officers not exceeding five to visit the front line on 60th Div's front AAA Any officers wishing to go should send in their names to BHO AAA arrangements can be made to camp at night at 60th Div's HQ

From 2nd Lt Bde. Place Time 1923

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Sent Date 14/8/18

At.....m. Service.

To..... From APB

By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer.") By RBM

TO { 6TH LH REGT

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

\* 37944 14 14/8/18

pleague post observers to  
watch for star shells  
and rifle grenades fired  
from the hill just  
NORTH of our old camp  
at 2000 tonight 14/8/18  
at conclusion immediately  
give what seen and  
times accurately

From 2nd LH Bde  
Place 1835  
Time

Office of Origin and Service Instructions. Charge.

This message is on a/c of: Recd. at 1150

Sent Date 12/8/18

At.....m. Service.

To..... From APB

By..... (Signature of "Franking Officer.") By RBM

TO { All Units

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

\* 37931 13/8/18

Each regiment and 2nd  
signal troop will detail  
one (1) officers and 1. O/R.  
to attend Aeroplane Contact-  
practice at the R.A.F.  
Jerusalem reporting at  
1500 tomorrow 14/8/18  
AAA Arrangements are  
being made for them  
to spend the night-  
at Descorps' reinforcements  
Camp AAA Please will  
names AAA they will  
move independently

From 2nd Bde 3667  
Place  
Time 1125

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Prefix.....Code.....Words.....	Received	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
From APB	By JBM	At LF	8/8/18
Charges to Collect		To	
Service Instructions		By	

Handed in at.....Office.....m. Received 0940 m.

TO 6<sup>th</sup> L. B. Bde

*Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
BM 915	8 <sup>th</sup>		

The Corps Commander will inspect the Bde dismounted at 1100 tomorrow 9<sup>th</sup> inst and markers will report to Bde Major at 1030. Units should be on the ground which will be just below BHO not later than 1045. As many men as can possibly be spared must be on this parade and dress drill order without water bottles haversacks or gas masks and every effort must be made to have as smart an appearance as possible under circumstances.

FROM 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt Bde  
TIME & PLACE 0922

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No. of Message.....

Prefix <sup>SM</sup> Code.....m.	Words	Charge	This message is on a/c of:	Recd. at.....m.
Office of Origin and Service Instructions			LF	7/8/18
	Sent			Date
	At.....m.			From
	To.....m.			By
	By.....		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")	

TO 5<sup>th</sup> L. B. Bde

Sender's Number	Day of Month	In reply to Number	AAA
* BM 909	7 <sup>th</sup>		

Please have a suitable proportion of Machine & Hotchkiss guns mounted as an emergency for aeroplane attack.

From 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt Bde  
Place  
Time 0900

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Sent			At.....m.		Service	
To.....			By.....			(Signature of "Franking Officer.")

TO: 6<sup>th</sup> Regt

\* Sender's Number: Bm 914, Day of Month: 8<sup>th</sup>, In reply to Number: 1314, AAA

2<sup>nd</sup> of 26 Bde will move from Tadak - ed Resum to SOLOMONS TOLS night of August 9/10<sup>th</sup> under arrangements to be made. D. HQ, MG, Des Cops

From: 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt J. H. B. C.

Prefix.....	Code.....	Words.....	Received	Sent, or sent out.	Office Stamp
			From APB	At.....m.	LT
Charges to Collect			By J. H. B. C.	To.....	8/8/18
Service Instructions			By.....		

Handed in at..... Office..... m. Received 0920...m.

TO: 6<sup>th</sup> L. H. Regt

\*Sender's Number: Bm 914, Day of Month: 8<sup>th</sup>, In reply to Number: 1314, AAA

The Bde will move off for Solomons Tols area on night of 9/10<sup>th</sup> at 1930 but no troops must be on the road before that hour. Units will be formed up ready to move in their own lines & will fall into their places in the column as it moves. Order of march: BHO, Sig troop, field troops, MG S, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> Regts, field Amb., 7<sup>th</sup> MVS transport. Strictest march discipline to be maintained. Units will march in column of sections where possible & only sufficient distances should be preserved between order or corresponding units so as not to hinder any passing traffic. 1314<sup>th</sup> will be passed at Pels 3 & all units will close up as much as possible here.

FROM: Bm 914, TIME & PLACE: Pels 3 & 4

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At..... m.				From.....
To.....				By.....
By.....		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		

TO { 6 Regt

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* 52608	21 <sup>st</sup> 8/18	aaaa	

Ref administrative instructions as sent you this morning 21<sup>st</sup> aaaa all EP tents will be loaded on one motor lorry and attached all EP tents aaaa addressed three Regts on 7th 650th

From 2<sup>nd</sup> m

Place

Time

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At..... m.				From.....
To.....				By.....
By.....		(Signature of "Franking Officer.")		

TO { 6<sup>th</sup> H. H. Regt

Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
* BM 959	21/8/18		

The Brigade will relieve 12<sup>th</sup> Cavalry Brigade on the ANJA LINE tonight, 25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> under AAA. BHC Sig Troop to J. 5. 6. 8. 2. relieving BHC Sig Troop of 12<sup>th</sup> Cavalry Brigade AAA 2<sup>nd</sup> M. G. Sqdn to relieve 18<sup>th</sup> M. G. Sqdn Hdqrs 1 section, Red Horses at Z 2 8. 3. 1. (8 m Gun, in line) by road 29.17. SOUTH BANK of Wadi Steidat to J. 5. 2. 3. 5. AAA. Field Troop to relieve 7<sup>th</sup> Field Troop, at Z 28. 3. 5. by same road as above AAA. 2<sup>nd</sup> Field Amb. to relieve 12<sup>th</sup> Cavalry Brigade F.A. at J. 5. 2. 3. 8. by same road as above AAA. 5<sup>th</sup> Regt to relieve Staff. Yeo. at J. 12. A. 5. C by route

From

Place

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

TO {

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

\* 21/8/18

29 15 AAA, 6<sup>th</sup> Regt to relieve  
 19<sup>th</sup> Lancers at 2.29 a. by route  
 29.17a. SOUTH Bank of Haddi  
 Oudieh to 15a. 3.5 AAA, 7<sup>th</sup> Regt  
 to relieve 6<sup>th</sup> Cavalry at 2.25.  
 Central, by taking over AREA STORES  
 in their Camp but this Regt  
 will bivouac near in Nadi.  
 Newcomers about 41 in a  
 site to be indicated AAA  
 M. Guns will be in the line as  
 under AAA 2 at SAFE, 2 at SALT  
 2 between TEA STAR, 1 at  
 TOOL, 1 at TOOL COUNTER.  
 approximately AAA Units will  
 move to their relief at 1800  
 independently & completion

From  
 Place  
 Time

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

TO {

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

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of which will be wired  
 priority to Brigade AAA.  
 All Area Stores R.E. Materials  
 MAPS, Defence Schemes & Documents  
 will be taken over and receipts  
 given for them AAA 5<sup>th</sup> Regt will  
 find Daily Patrols across the  
 JORDAN from 1800 tomorrow  
 26<sup>th</sup> Inst. Area to be indicated  
 by Staff. Yes. AAA, 6<sup>th</sup> Regt will  
 find Patrols for the MUSSALA-  
 BEH GAP of a total strength of  
 1 officer 35 C/Ranks with  
 Hotchkiss Gun beginning night.  
 of 26<sup>th</sup>/27<sup>th</sup> AAA Units will  
 send representatives to take  
 over AREA STORES from the

From  
 Place  
 Time

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

TO {


Sender's Number.	Day of Month.	In reply to Number.	AAA
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Units they relieve ~~immediately~~  
 immediately after lunch  
 where possible officers  
 should be sent AAA. 7<sup>th</sup>  
 Regt will collect all Area  
 stores except tents bring  
 them to their camp site at  
 WADI NEUJAMEH. AAA Reals  
 in duplicate for all Area  
 stores taken over. Branch this  
 office by 1200 on 26<sup>th</sup> inst AAA.  
 Guides should be detailed to  
 reconnoitre the roads lead  
 their units in AAA. Necessary  
 arrangements will be made  
 direct with C.C. "B" Field Troop

From	J. J. P. B. 1815.
Place	J. J. P. B. 1815.
Time	

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MOVEMENT ORDER.

MAJOR H.A.D. WHITE D.S.O. (Tempy) COMMANDING, 6TH. LIGHT HORSE REGIMENT.  
August 22nd. 1918.

MOVE

REGIMENT will be formed up ready to move off at 1530 sharp tomorrow, 23rd. inst. Squadrons will form up in their own lines, in the easiest formation for moving out.

- ORDER of MARCH will be :-
- "A" Squadron
  - Signal Troop.
  - Headquarters,
  - "B" Squadron,
  - "C" Squadron.

MARCH DISCIPLINE. Owing to dust and to prevent congestion of traffic, an interval of 50 yards between Squadrons will be maintained, and the strictest March Discipline insisted upon.

TRANSPORT.

Transport will be allotted as follows:-

	<u>G.S. Wagons,</u>	<u>G.S. Limbers.</u>
Squadrons 1 each.	3	-
Q.M. Store	1	-
Fanatis	1	-
Headquarters	-	2
Sanitary gear	:	1
Orderly Room & Signals	-	1
Farriers	-	1
Cookhouse	-	1
Q.M. Store	-	1

BIVOUACS.

Men will carry their own Bivvy Sheets. Bivvy sticks will be carried on G.S. Wagons.  
Transport will be loaded by 1400.

sgd. N. Dickson, Lieut. & A/Adjutant,  
6th. LIGHT HORSE REGIMENT, A.I.F.



MOVEMENT ORDER.

By.

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Lieut-Colonel C.D. Fuller D.S.O. Commanding 6th Light Horse Regiment AIF  
9th August 1918

MOVE. The Regiment will move to SOLOMON'S POOLS on the night of ~~8XX~~  
9/10th. Order of march H.Qrs. ~~B.A.C.~~ B.A.C.

Squadrons will form up on the road between B.&C. Squadrons  
facing East by 1930.

MARCH DISCIPLINE The strictest march discipline will be maintained  
Squadrons will march with as little interval as possible  
so as not to interfere with passing traffic. Squadrons  
will march in sections where possible.

INFORMATION The 1st Batt. of B.W.I. Regt. will be passed at Kilo 3 and  
Squadrons will close up as much as possible here.

Sanitation. Lines and Bivouac Area will be inspected at 1900.

Transport. Transport will be available as follows:-

A.B.&C. Squadrons. 1 G.S. Wagon Each.  
H.Qrs. & Sigs. 1 " " Limber.

These will report in the lines at 1730.  
Farriers and sanitary Equipment will be carried in limbers  
detailed for that purpose.

*A. J. Sitten* Lieut.  
A/Adjutant, 6th Light Horse Regiment.

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- No. 6. R.H. Qrs.
- No. 7. Q.M. Store.
- No. 8. Diary.





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Move of 2nd. L.H. Bde from Talaat ed Dumm to  
Solomons Poals on night 9/10 August. AUG 1918

Administrative Instructions.

C.O's 5th. L. H.	O.C. 2nd. Field Troop.	B. H. Q.
6th. L. H.	2nd. Signal Troop.	
7th. L. H.	2nd. Field Amb.	
O.C. M.G. Sqd.	7th. Mob. Vet. Sec.	
	34th. Coy, A.S.C.	

1. TRANSPORT. All transport will assemble at Brigade Refilling point at 1900 on 9th. inst, and will there come under the orders of 2nd. Lieut. Malloran, 6th. L. H. Regiment. Transport will not be on the road until the Brigade has moved off.
2. Area Stores. Stores will be taken over by Representatives of 4th. A.L.H. Bde on 9th. inst. Receipts in duplicate will be forwarded to B.H.Q. not later than 1800 on 9th. inst. O.C. 34th. Coy, A.S.C. will hand over area stores to a guard which will report to him at 1800 to-day.
3. Rations. Rations for consumption 10th. inst will be drawn at new Campsite after arrival of Brigade. Q.M.S. and ration parties will accompany 34th. Coy, Divisional Train, leaving Talaat ed Dumm at <sup>x 2230</sup> ~~1900~~ on 8th. inst. Parties to report <sup>7 2200</sup> to O.C. 34th. Coy, at ~~1900~~ on this date. Separate instructions re rations have been issued to 34th. Coy, A.S.C.
4. Camp Sites. Unit representatives will report to Staff Captain on Road at Water Reservoir, New Camp Site, at 1500 on 9th. inst. to be shown Camp sites and will meet their units at least  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile clear of Camp site and conduct them to their respective areas. Camp site representatives will be taken from Ration parties mentioned in para 3. No other advanced parties will be sent.
5. Sanitation. C.O's will render certificates to this office by 1900 on 9th. inst stating that Camp areas have been left in a clean and sanitary condition. Field Officer and Brigade Sanitary Officer will inspect and report on condition of areas to this office. O.C. 34th. Coy will forward certificate by 1900 8th. inst. Brigade Sanitary Officer will inspect this camp before departure of Coy.



*Robertson* Captain,  
Staff Captain, 2nd. Light Horse Brigade.

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Move of 2nd. Light Horse Brigade from SOLOMON'S POOLS  
to JORDAN VALLEY - 23rd. August, 1918.

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS.

C.O.'s 5th. L.H.  
6th. L.H.  
7th. L.H.  
O. C. 2nd. M.G.S.

O. C. 2nd. Field Troop.  
2nd. Signal Troop.  
2nd. Field Amb.  
7th. Mob. Vet. Sec.

AUG 1918  
O.C. 34th. Coy, A.S.C.  
B. H. Q.

1. RATIONS. Rations for consumption 23rd. inst will be drawn in present area on 22nd. inst. Rations for consumption 24th. will be delivered to Units Areas at TALAAT ED DUMM on 23rd. inst by Divisional Train. Quartermasters and ration parties will accompany 34th. Coy, Divisional Train, leaving present area at 1500 on 22nd. inst, and TALAAT ED DUMM at 1500 24th. inst. Parties to report to O.C. 34th. Coy one hour before starting time on these days.
2. CAMP SITES. Units will occupy the same sites at TALAAT ED DUMM as they occupied on the march up. All Camp sites here and at TALAAT ED DUMM must be left in a clean and sanitary condition, and certificates by C.O.'s to this effect will be rendered to this office on moving out. Field Officer and Brigade Sanitary Officer will inspect and report on Camp sites after Units move out.
3. AREA STORES. All Area Store tents will be struck and be at Brigade Refilling Point at 0830 on 22nd. inst. Tents will be loaded on to returning ration lorries and handed over to Reinforcement Camp, JERUSALEM. All other Ordnance area stores will be handed to Ordnance, JERUSALEM. Receipts in duplicate will be sent to this Office for all tents and other area stores handed over. Units will arrange to load their tents etc. on to Lorries and send representative to hand over stores and obtain receipts.
4. do. Area Stores at TALAAT ED DUMM will be taken over by Units representatives who will be taken out of Q. M. parties mentioned in para (1). Copies of receipts given to be sent to this Office by 0900 24th. inst. On leaving TALAAT ED DUMM area all area stores will be handed over to representatives of incoming Brigade and receipts in duplicate forwarded to this Office.
5. TRANSPORT. All wheeled transport will assemble at Brigade Refilling Point at 1530 on 23rd. inst and will then come under the orders of Major Hession, 7th. L. H. Regt. Transport will follow Brigade and after leaving TALAAT ED DUMM will proceed to JORDAN VALLEY by new Motor Road (Southern).
6. STATES. Marching out states to be wired this Office by 1300 21st. inst.

Captain,

Staff Captain, 2nd. Light Horse Brigade.

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