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 or
 INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.
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Volume X
 9th Australian Infantry Brigade.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
NEUVE EGLISE AREA	1-8-17		Work of reorganisation & completing equipment commenced by 33 rd 34 th 35 th 36 th Bns Bde Sig. Sec & 9 th L.T.M. Bty. 9 th M.G. Coy remained in position in Messines Sector under command of G.O.C. 11 th A.I. Bde. Men very tired.	
VIEUX BERQUIN AREA	2-8-17 3-8-17		Work of reorganisation continued by units. 9 th M.G. Coy remained in line. Brigade less 9 th M.G. Coy (in line) marched to VIEUX BERQUIN AREA to billets vacated by 4 th Aust Div as per Brigade order No 87 & March Table copy herewith. 9 th M.G. Coy in line. Lt Colonel Goddard appointed to command Brigade in absence of Br. Gen. A. Jobson on leave	No. 88
	4-8-17		Units carried out light general training under respective C.Os. Men were rested considerably 9 th M.G. Coy in line	
	5-8-17	10 AM	Bde Church Parade held when Lieut. General Sir William Birdwood commanding 1 st A.N.Z.A.C. informally inspected men.	
	6-8-17		9 th M.G. Coy were relieved under arrangements made by D.M.G.O as per 3 rd Aust. Div. Order No. 52 of 2/8/1917 & remained at Aldershot Camp, near NEUVE EGLISE.	
	7-8-17		Training continued.	
WEST DRANOUTRE	8-8-17	9.30 AM	9 th Aust Inf. Bde less 34 th Bn. & 9 th M.G. Coy moved from VIEUX BERQUIN AREA to WEST DRANOUTRE AREA which had been vacated by 37 th Division. Bde H.Q. at Hille farm, 59 b 6.5 (Ref. HAZE BRUCK) S.A. 1/100000. 34 th Bn & 9 th M.G. Coy remained at their previous localities.	No. 89
	9-8-17 to 13-8-17		Training by all units of Brigade was resumed.	
	14-8-17	10.20 AM	Brigade Group 1 st line transport less 61 vehicles which moved by Omnibus train on 15/8/1917 together with 2 nd line transport moved via BAILLEUL, - METEREN - HONDEGHEM to STAPLE under command of O.C. 869 th Coy A.A.S.C. as per Brigade Order 89 of 13 th Aug. 1917 & march tables attached thereto.	No. 90

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	15-8-17		<p>9th Aust. Inf. Bde Group consisting of 9th A.I. Bde H.Qrs. 9th B Signal Section, 33rd Bn. 34th Bn 35th Bn 36th Bn. 9th A.M.G.Coy. 9th A.L.T.M. Bty. 869th Coy A.S.C 9th Field Coy & 2 Sections of 11th Field Ambulance moved to the WIZERNES AREA entrained in 2 Personnel & 1 omnibus trains at BAILLEUL during the morning for WIZERNES where units were met by guides & conducted to billets as under</p> <p>9th A.I. Bde H.Qrs. CAMPAGNE LEZ BOULDANAIS. 9th A.L.T.M. Bty. LE MESNIL BOUTRY. 9th A.M.G. Coy. LE FAY. 33rd Bn. CAMPAGNE LEZ BOULONNAIS. 34th Bn. VAUDRINGHEM. 35th Bn. WISMES & DRIONVILLE. 36th Bn. LEDINGHEM & BEAUMONT. 869th A.A.S.C. LE MESNIL BOUTRY 9th Field Coy. HAPPE. 2 Sections 11th Field Amb. ECUIRE & LE VAL RESTANT. Reference HAZEBRUCK. 5A 1/100000.</p>	
CAMPAGNE LEZ BOULONNAIS	16-8-17		<p>Rear parties were left to collect and act as guard on stores which were transferred to Divisional Stores at 5.25, & 95.80 (Ref. HAZEBRUCK 5A 1/100000. Blankets were carried on the train as far as WIZERNES where they were dumped & transported to billets. During 15-8-17 1st & 2nd line transport marched from STAPLE to respective unit Billets in area. Supplies were drawn from LUMBRES rail head.</p>	
	17-8-17		<p>Billets were found to be sufficient as all units which as shown by attached state were considerably under strength. Refilling point established at LE MESNIL BOUTRY from where 869th Coy A.A.S.C delivered supplies to unit Q.M. Store.</p>	
	18-8-17		<p>Units were permitted to arrange own Syllabus of training.</p>	
	To 25-8-17		<p>Training was carried out as per Brigade Training Syllabus attached. 26 hours daylight and 2 hours night work being done. In night marches with respirators, tests with smoke & lachrymatory gas were carried out without warning to troops to test fitting & condition of helmets with satisfactory results.</p>	

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CAMPAGNE LEZ BOULONNAIS	25.8.17		2 Sections of 11th Field Ambulance billeted at Ecuire & Leval Restant moved to 11th A.I. Brigade Area & were replaced by the 9th Field Ambulance.																																																																																											
	27.8.17	11.A.M.	Lectures were arranged & given as per Syllabus attached. Brigade parade was held when Brig. Gen. A. Jobson said Goodbye to the officers & Men prior to his return to Australia and command of Brigade then passed to Brig. General C. Rosenthal C.B. C.M.G.																																																																																											
	27.8.17 to 31.8.17		Training was carried out as per Training Syllabus attached. Wet weather interfered considerably with the work during the week & also prevented farmers from harvesting & thus making further training grounds available. Sites for Battalion rifle ranges were selected & the work of making ranges begun.	No. 91																																																																																										
	31.8.17		Range Finding School commenced at 34th Bn. under Capt H. H. Dixon Brigade Gas Officer. During the month Brigade Signal School commenced on 11.7.1917, was carried on.	No. 92																																																																																										
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NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE ORDER No. 87

Brigade Headquarters
2nd August 1917Reference Map HAZEBROUCHE 5A - 1/100,000
FRANCE 73A - 1/40,000

MOVE

1. The 9th Australian Infantry Brigade and 9th A.L.T.M. Battery will move to VIEUX BERGUIN Area, to be vacated by the 4th Australian Infantry Brigade, on 3rd inst, as per March Table attached.

9th A.L.T.M. Battery will march in rear of Brigade Headquarters

9th Australian Machine Gun Coy will remain in front area under orders G.O.C., 11th Aust. Infantry Brigade.

TRANSPORT

2. Mechanical transport will be available as follows, and may be used for a second trip, if necessary.

One wagon per Battalion
One wagon per L.T.M. Battery
One wagon per Brigade Headquarters

Units will detail guides to meet wagons at NEUVE EGLISE road junction (Sheet 28 S.W., T.15.a.00.35) at 5 a.m. and guide wagons to location desired.

First Line Transport and baggage wagons will march with their respective units.

PRECAUTIONS

3. Units will march with 200 yards intervals between Coys, and First Line Transport will be treated as one Coy.

MEDICAL

4. An ambulance wagon will join each Battalion at Cross Roads 7/8th of a mile east of LA CRECHE and accompany units to billets.

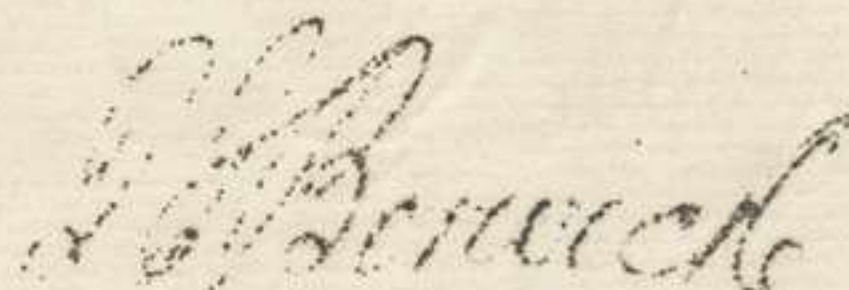
STANDING ORDERS.

5. Attention is directed to 3rd Australian Division Standing Orders for war - Section 11.

WATCHES

6. A watch with Brigade time will be sent to all units on evening, 2nd inst.

7. ACKNOWLEDGE.



Major.
Brigade Major
9th Australian Infantry Brigade.

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5	Brigade Transport Officer
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7	Lieut S.B. Bateman, 33rd Bn.
8	33rd Battalion
9	54th Battalion
10	55th Battalion
11	56th Battalion
12	9th A.M. Gun Coy
13	9th A.L.T.F. Battery
14	11th Aust. Infantry Brigade
15	869th Coy, A.A.S.C.
16.	A.P.N.
17	A.D.N.S.
18	Spare

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Date.	Unit.	Starting Point.	Head to pass starting point at	To billets at.	New location unit headquarters.	Route.	Remarks
3rd Aug 1917	4th Bn	Road Junction T.20.a.90.	7.30 a.m.	"D" Bn Area VIEUX BERQUIN.	F.20.a.10.25.	Road junction 7/8th mile east of JA CRECHE- STERNWERCK- LE VERRIER, thence to billets.	
do-	3rd Bn.	do-	8.00 a.m.	"C" Bn Area VIEUX BERQUIN	F.20.a.45.	do-	
do-	5th Bn.	do-	8.30 a.m.	"B" Bn Area. VIEUX BERQUIN.	F.20.c.81.	do-	
do-	6th Bn.	do-	9.00 a.m.	"A" Bn Area VIEUX BERQUIN.	F.12.a.96.	do-	
do-	Bdo Hqrs Bco Sig Sec.	do-	9.30 a.m.	LA CARONNE	E.30.Central.	do-	
do-	T.T.M. Bty	do-	9.30 a.m.	VIEUX BERQUIN Area	F.25.d.50.75.	do-	To march in rear of Bdo Hqrs and join column at starting point.

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FIFTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE ORDER No. 88.

Brigade Headquarters
7th August 1917

Reference Maps : MAZEBROUCK 5A - 1/100,000
FRANCE 28 S.W. - 1/20,000

MOVE.

1. THE 9th Australian Infantry Brigade (less 34th Battalion and 9th A.L.T. Gun Coy) and 9th A.L.T. Battery will move to WEST DRAMOUTRE Area, to be vacated by the 5th Division on 8th inst. as per March Table attached.

9th A.L.T. Battery will march in rear of last Coy of 33rd Battalion.

34th Battalion and 9th A.L.T. Gun Coy will remain in present locations

9th Australian Infantry Brigade Troops will not enter new locations until 5th Division Troops are clear of same.

TRANSPORT.

2. Mechanical Transport will be available as follows and may be used for a second trip if necessary :-

- One wagon per Battalion.
- One wagon per A.L.T. Battery
- One wagon per Brigade Headquarters.

Units will detail guides to meet wagons at cross roads (Sheet 53 A. F. 23.c. 80.15) at 7 a.m., and guide wagons to locations desired.

First Line Transport and baggage wagons will march with their respective units.

PRECAUTIONS.

3. Units will march with 200 yards intervals between Coys, First Line Transport will be treated as one Coy.

MEDICAL.

4. An Ambulance wagon will join each Battalion at Battalion Headquarters at 9.0 a.m., and accompany units to billets.

SUPPLIES.

5. Supplies will be delivered direct to Units' Headquarters on the 8th inst.

STANDING ORDERS.

6. Attention is directed to 3rd Australian Division Standing Orders for War - Section 11.

WATCHES.

7. Brigade Signal Officer will arrange for a watch with Brigade time to be sent to all units on morning of 8th inst.

8. ACKNOWLEDGE.

A. B. Borwick Major.
Brigade Major.
9th Australian Infantry Brigade.

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- 7 Capt R. Gadd, 36th Battalion.
- 8 33rd Battalion
- 9 34th Battalion
- 10 35th Battalion
- 11 36th Battalion
- 12 8th A.M.C. Coy
- 13 8th A.L.T. Battery
- 14 10th Aust. Field Ambulance
- 15 269th Coy, A.A.S.C.
- 16 A.P.M.
- 17 A.D.W.S.
- 19 - 22 Spare.

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NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE ORDER No. 89

Reference Map HAZEBROUCK 5 A. 1/100,000.

Brigade Headquarters
13th August 1917.

1. The 9th Brigade Group, composed as under, will move to the WIZERNES Area, in accordance with the attached Move Table.

9th Brigade Headquarters,
9th " Signal Signal Section.
33rd Battalion.
34th "
35th "
36th "
9th M.G. Coy.
9th A.L.F. Bty.
869th. Coy. A.S.C.
9th. Field Coy. Engineers.
2 Sections 11th Field Ambulance.

Train Timings will be notified later.

- 2.(a) The following trains will convey the Brigade Group, less proportion proceeding by road.
2 Personnel trains, each capable of accomodating 60 Officers and 1760 O/Ranks, with 2 trucks for luggage.
1 Omnibus train for Transport as per detailed table attached.
(b) Transport not moving by the Omnibus train, will move by road under orders of the O.C. 869th Coy. A.S.C. He will make arrangements to collect the details, to march under him.
(c) 33rd Battalion and 36th Battalion will each detail 1 water cart to move by road, with column, as per sub para (b) above.
3. Entrainment will take place at BAILLEUL. Detrainment will take place at WIZERNES, where Units will be met by guides, to conduct them to their billets.
4. Supply Railhead will be as follows : -
9th Brigade Group - WIZERNES from August 16th inclusive.
5. (a). All surplus Stores and Stores not required in the Training Area will be left at present location of Units.
(b) Each Unit will leave a rear party of 1 M.G.O. and 4 O/R and take charge of these Stores, which will be transferred to the Divisional Stores at S. 25. d. 95. 80. under Divisional arrangements
(c) The 35th Battalion will detail an Officer to take charge of all rear parties. This Officer will report to the D.A.Q.M.G. at Divisional Headquarters, before noon to-morrow 14th inst. for detailed instructions. A guard will be detailed by Officer in charge of rear parties. Remainder will proceed to Training Area under Divisional arrangements.
6. (a) Blankets will be carried on the man.
(b) Motor lorries will be made available for Officers kits and Brigade Headquarters. Special care is to be taken that the normal load only is carried by horse transport.
7. Units will take with them rations for 15th inst. plus iron rations. Rations for 16th inst. will be delivered to Units in the new Area.
8. Units will detail their own loading & Unloading parties for entraining and detraining.
9. Brigade Headquarters will be established at CHAMPAGNE Ioz BOULONNAIS.

K. F. W. O. T. Major,
Brigade Major,

9th Aust. Infantry Brigade.

NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

Brigade Headquarters,
13th August, 1917.

Reference Map: HAZEBROUCK 5A

Transport moving by road to-morrow, 14th instant, will march in the following order, and pass the STARTING POINT at the undermentioned times.


Distances of 100 yards will be maintained between units.

Headquarters 869th Coy. A.A.S.C.	10.20 a.m.
9th Bde. Hqrs	} 10.30 a.m.
9th Bde. Sig. Section	
35th Battalion	
36th Battalion	} 10.35 a.m.
2 Limb. for 9th A.L.T.M. Bty)	
33rd Battalion	10.40 a.m.
34th Battalion	10.45 a.m.
9th A.M.G. Company	10.50 a.m.
9th Field Coy. Engrs.	10.55 a.m.
2 Sections 11th Field Amb.	11.5 a.m.

STARTING POINT: Cross Roads on BAILLEUL-METEREN Road, 1 mile W. of BAILLEUL and 2/3 mile North of 'A' in STEAM MILL.

ROUTE: BAILLEUL-METEREN - HONDEGHAM.

All transport will march under orders of O.C. 869th Company, A.A.S.C.


Major.
Brigade Major.
Ninth Australian Infantry Brigade.

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Brigade Headquarters,
13th August, 1917.

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(One Coach, 30 Covered Wagons and 17 Flat Trucks)

UNIT.	PERSONNEL.		ANIMALS.			VEHICLES.		AXLES	
	Off.	O.R.	R.	D.	Pack.	4-Wheeled	2-Wheeled		
Brigade Headquarters	2	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	
Wagon Limbered (G.S.) (Cooks)	-	2	-	2	-	1	-	2	
Signals, Cart Maltese (For signal equipment)	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	
Each Battalion:	1	7	8	-	-	-	-	-	
Field Kitchens	-	8	-	8	-	4	-	8	
Carts, Offs. Mess	-	2	-	1	-	-	1	1	
Carts, Water (x)	-	2	-	4	-	-	2	2	
Carts, Maltese	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	
Pack Animals	-	4	-	-	7	-	-	-	
Machine Gun Company:	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	
Wagon Limb. (G.S.) Cooks	-	2	-	2	-	1	-	2	
Carts, Cooks	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	
Carts, Water	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	
Field Company:	5	152(*)	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Wagon Limb. (G.S.) Cooks	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	2	
Carts, Water	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	
Pack Animals	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	
Field Ambulance:									
Wagon Limb. (G.S.) Cooks	1	2	-	2	-	1	-	2	
Carts, Water	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	1	
TOTAL	15	266	43	72	32	20	21	61	
		279		147					

(x) 33rd Bn and 36th Bn. will each detail one water cart to proceed by road with Transport under O.C. 869th Coy A.A.S.C.

(*) Field Company will provide loading and unloading party of 100 mon.

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Issued with 9th Aust. Infantry Brigade Order
No. 89 of 13th August, 1917.

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NINTH BRIGADE GROUP.

DISMOUNTED PORTION.

Train No.	Date	Unit	Entrain at -	To be at en- training point at -	Train Starts	Detrain at -	REMARKS.	
1	15/8/17	33rd Bn.	BAILLEUL	1½ hrs before train starts	To be noti- fied later.	WIZERNES	March to billets from WIZERNES.	
		34th Bn.	"	1 hr. "	"	"	"	
		9th M.G. Coy.	"	¾ hr. "	"	"	"	
		2 secs. 11th Field Amb.	"	½ hr. "	"	"	"	
2	15/8/17	35th Bn.	BAILLEUL	1½ hrs before train starts	"	"	"	
		36th Bn.	"	1 hr. "	"	"	"	
		9th L.T.M. Bty.	"	¾ hr. "	"	"	"	
		9th Bde. Hqrs	}	"	½ hr. "	"	"	"
		9th Bde. Sig. Sec.)						
3	15/8/17	9th Field Coy.	BAILLEUL WEST SIDING	3 hrs before train starts	"	"	" See Table for Omnibus Train, attached.	
		Transport pro- ceeding by Omnibus Train	"	"	"	"	"	
		9th Field Coy.	"	3 hrs "	"	"	"	
		33rd Bn.	"	2¾ hrs "	"	"	"	
		34th Bn.	"	2½ hrs "	"	"	"	
		9th M.G. Coy.	"	2 hrs "	"	"	"	
		11th Field Amb.	"	1½ hrs "	"	"	"	
		35th Bn.	"	1½ hrs "	"	"	"	
		36th Bn.-L.T.M.Bty.	}	"	1¼ hrs "	"	"	"
		Bde Hqrs						
Bde. Sig. Sec.)	"	1 hr. "	"	"	"	"		

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MOUNTED PORTION.

Date	Units	From	To	Under Orders of -	Route	Report for billets to -	Supply Railhead	REMARKS.
14-8-17	1st line T'port all units loss proportion mov- ing by train No.3.	Present Area	WALLEN CAPPEL area.	11 ANZAC	BAILLEUL- METTEREN HONDEGHAM	Area Commandant at STAPLE in advance.	Draw for 1st time at LUMBRES on 16th instant.	Move under orders of O.C. 869th Coy. A.A.S.C.
15-8-17	- do -	WALLEN CAPPEL Area	BLEQUIN Area	- do -	ARQUES LUMBRES	Area Commandant at CAMPAGNE LEZ BOULONNAIS in advance.	Brigade Headquarters at CAMPAGNE LEZ BOULONNAIS	

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	2.	Brigade Major.
	3.	Asst, Brigado Major.
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	5.	A/Staff Captain.
	6.	Brigado Signal Officer.
	7.	33rd Battalion.
	8.	34th Battalion.
	9.	35th Battalion.
	10.	36th Battalion.
	11.	9th M.G. Coy.
	12.	9th A.L.T.M. Bty.
	13.	6th Field Coy, Engineers.
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	18.)	3rd, Australian Division.
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	20	War Diary*
	21	Bde. Transport Officer

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NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

Brigade Headquarters.
14th August 1917.

1. Reference 6th Australian Infantry Brigade Order No. 89, of 13.8.17 and Move Table issued therewith, train timings are as follows:-

Train No.	Leaves BAILLEUL (Main Station)	Arrives WIZERNES.
1.	9.28 a.m.	11.38 a.m.
2.	10.28 a.m.	12.30 p.m.
3.	Leaves BAILLEUL (West) Siding. 12.28 p.m.	2.30 p.m.

Officers Commanding Units, will ensure that their Units arrive at the entraining points, at such times before the respective trains are due to start, as are set out in the move table.

2. Units will be billeted in the Training Area as follows:-

UNIT.	LOCATION.
Brigade Headquarters	Campagne Lez Boulonnais.
53rd Battalion	Vardringhem.
54th "	
55th "	
56th "	
9th M.G. Coy.	Ledinghem.
9th A.L.T.M. Bty.	Lo Fay and Lo Bourquot.
2 Sections 11th F.Amb.	Lo Mosnil Boutry.
9th Field Coy. Engrs.	Lo Valrest and Ecuire.
869th Coy. A.S.C.	Drienville. Lo Mosnil Boutry.

Lt. Wootton Major.
Brigade Major.

9th Australian Inf. Brigade,
Through Signals.

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1. Brigadier.
 2. Brigade Major.
 3. Asst. Brigade Major.
 4. Staff Captain.
 5. A/Staff Captain.
 6. Brigade Signal Officer.
 7. 53rd Battalion.
 8. 54th Battalion.
 9. 55th Battalion.
 10. 56th Battalion.
 11. 9th M.G. Coy.
 12. 9th A.L.T.M. Bty.
 13. 9th Field Coy. Engrs.
 14.)
 15.) 11th Field Ambulance.
 16. 869th Coy. A.S.C.
 17.)
 18. 3rd Australian Division.
 19. A.I.C.
 20. War Diary.
 21. Bde. Transport Officer.

Ninth Australian Infantry Brigade.

Brigade Headquarters.

14.8.17

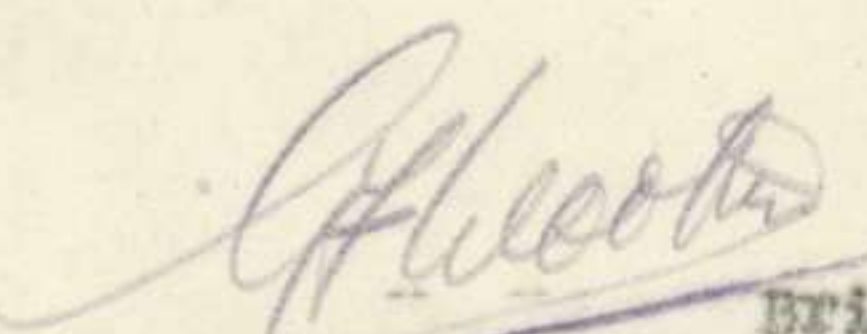
REFERENCE 9th Australian Infantry Brigade
Order No. 89 of 13th August 1917., para 6 (a).

Owing to the long march from WIZERNES to
Billets, on arrival at the point of detrainment (WIZERNES)
blankets will be dumped there under Regimental arrang-
-ements.

Guards will be detailed by Units, over their
own blankets.

The arrangements for transport of blankets
from point of detrainment to billets will be notified
later.

H.J./


Major.
Brigade Major.
9th Australian Infantry Brigade.

NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE TRAINING SYLLABUS.

For week 18th to 24th August, 1917 (both dates inclusive)

BATTALIONS.

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Hours of daylight training.	Subject	No. of hours of actual training during week.	NOTES.
Saturday 18th 3 hrs	Section specialist training	6 hours	On days during which 5 hours training is to be carried out 3 hours will be done in the morning and 2 hours in the afternoon. Wednesday and Saturday afternoons will be devoted to Sports and games, concerts etc.
Monday 20th 5 "			
Tuesday 21st 5 "	Physical training and B.F.	4 hours	
Wednesday 22nd 3 "			
Thursday 23rd 5 "			
Friday 24th 5 "	Musketry, with special regard to rapid loading, aiming, firing	6 hours (1 hr per day)	This will be carried out with dummy cartridges. Aiming discs will be used to check aiming and firing (trigger pressing) Ranges will be allotted if and when available.
26 "			
X Night Training Approximately 2 hrs marching with box respirators fully adjusted)	Judging distance Visual training	2 hours	Signalling flags or other devices to be used to mark off measured distances in preliminary instruction.
	Marching (full marching order)	4 hours	In addition, all units when moving to and from training grounds will move in full marching order. The time taken to move to and from training grounds will not constitute part of the 4 hours set down for marching, neither will it constitute part of the time set down for training in the various subjects.
Total hours -- Daylight 26 Night 2	Tactical handling platoon in semi open warfare.	4 hours	This 4 hours will be made up of 2 hours on two separate occasions. The schemes will be practical schemes carried out on the ground, and supervised by C.O. or 2nd in Command.
	Night march with box respirator fully adjusted.	2 hours (approx)	March to be not less than 2 miles.

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NOTE -- C.Os. Battalions will submit detailed training programmes forthwith.
SCOUTS AND SNIPERS: The training of Scouts and Snipers is to be carried out by Battalions.
GUIDES: The training of guides will be carried out by all units. They must receive practical training particularly in work during night marches.

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NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE TRAINING SYLLABUS (cont)

CLASSES - LECTURES ETC,

CLASSES	BDE. SCHOOLS	LECTURES (Officers and N.C.Os. i/c of Platoons to attend).						
		Date	Subject	Lecturer	Unit	Place	Time	REMARKS.
Classes lasting one hour for Junior Officers and N.C.Os. will be held daily under Battalion arrangements, and will comprise - Lectures Map reading Message writing Reports and Indoor scheme issued to Bns.	Signalling (20 men per Battalion) continuation of 6 weeks Course	20-8-17	Consolidation.	Capt. COX O.C. 9th F.Coy. Enge.	33rd Bn. & M.G. Coy. C.Os. Bns.	To be arranged by C.Os. Bns.	To be arranged by C.Os. Bns.	C.Os. Bns to notify arrangements to O.C. 9th F. Coy. Enge. and Bde. Hqrs. 33rd and 36th Bns will notify U.G. Coy & T.M. Batty respectively.
		21-8-17	"	"	34th Bn.	"	"	
		23-8-17	"	"	35th Bn.	"	"	
		24-8-17	"	"	36th Bn. & U.M. Batty.	"	"	
	Linesmens Course (commencing 20-8-17) 10 men per Battalion.	20-8-17	Intelligence &	Capt. JACKSON (G.S.O.111) and	33rd Bn. & M.G. Coy.	To be arranged by C.O. 33rd Bn.	5 p.m.	C.O. 33rd Bn. to notify place of lecture to M.G. Coy and Bde. Hqrs on 19-8-17.
		P.T. and B.F. P.T. Off.) per & 8 N.C.Os) Bn. (commencing 20-8-17).		Aeroplane photographs	Lt. CUTLACK (Div. Int. Officer)	34th Bn. 35th Bn. 36th Bn. & T.M. Batty.	To be arranged by Bde. Hqrs.	5 p.m.
	21-8-17		Aeroplane photographs	Lt. CUTLACK	33rd Bn.	Same place as lectures held on 20th August, 1917.	5 p.m.	
			Intelligence	Capt. JACKSON	34th Bn. 35th Bn. 36th Bn. & M.G. Coy.			
	To be notified	Week Fighting	Lt-Col. JACKSON, C.M.G., D.S.O. Lt Col. PECK D.S.O.	all Units	To be notified.			

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NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE TRAINING SYLLABUS (cont)OTHER UNITS.

UNIT	SUBJECT	HOURS OF TRAINING	REMARKS.
9th A.M.G. Company	Company Training	As for Battalions	Detailed training programmes to be submitted to Headquarters, 9th Aust. Inf. Bde. forthwith.
9th A.L.T.M. Battery	Battery Training	- do -	- do -
9th Field Coy. Engrs.	Engineer training under O.C. 9th Field Coy. Engrs.		- do -

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For week commencing Monday, 27th August, 1917.

BATTALIONS.

Hours of daylight Training.	SUBJECT	No. of hours of actual training during week.	NOTES.
Mon. 27th 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ hrs.	Specialist Training & Training of reserve specialists, including Signallers, Scouts and Snipers.	6 hours	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ hrs training will be done in the morning and 3 hrs in the afternoon except on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, which will be devoted to sports and games. Time taken to move to and from Training grounds will not constitute any part of the time set down for training in the various subjects.
Tues. 28th 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "			
Wed. 29th 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "			
Thur. 30th 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "			
Fri. 31st 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "			
Sat. 1st 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Physical Training and B.F.	4 hours	
Sep. 33 hrs.			
Night Training: 4 hours.	Musketry with special regard to rapid loading, aiming and firing.	6 hours	Rapid loading training to be carried out with dummy ammunition. Musketry Tables will be carried out on Battalion rifle ranges with live ammunition.
Total hours :- Daylight 33 Night 4 <u>37</u>	Tactical handling of Platoon (semi open warfare)	4 hours	These are to be practical schemes carried out on the ground, prepared and supervised by C.O. or senior Major. THIEMBRONNE Wood may be used to practice wood fighting. Care must be taken that no damage is done to Wood or crops.
	Route Marching (full marching order)	8 hours	Time taken to move to and from training grounds will not constitute part of the eight hours laid down for route marching.
	Visual training and judging distance.	2 hours	A few full figures and head & shoulder targets are available at Bde. Hqrs & will be available for use in connection with visual training. Application for same to be made to Bde. Hqrs.

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SUBJECT	No. of hours of actual training during week.	NOTES.
Close order and smartening up drill.	3 hours	Particular attention to be paid to correct delivery of words of command of Officers and N.C.O's.
Night march and deployment	2 hours	All conditions of night operations to be fully observed. Schemes to be submitted with Battalion training programmes.
Night march and deployment (box respirators to be worn fully adjusted).	2 hours	

OTHER UNITS.

UNIT	SUBJECT	HOURS OF TRAINING	REMARKS
9th M.G. Coy.	Coy. Training	as for Battalions	All Officers and N.C.O's. to receive practical training in Map reading.
9th A.L.T.M. Battery.	Battery Training	- do -	- do -
9th Field Coy. Engrs.	Engineer Training	- do -	

All Units will submit their training programmes to Brigade Headquarters forthwith.

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CLASSES - LECTURES ETC.

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CLASSES	LECTURES
<p>Classes for Junior Officers and N.C.O's will be held under Battalion arrangements, and will include lectures and instruction in the following :-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">F.S. Regs. Part 1.S.S. 135 "Instructions for the training of Divisions for Offensive Action".S.S. 143 "Instructions for the training of platoons for offensive action"S.S. 144 "Normal formation for the attack"	<p>A lecture on "Wood Fighting" will be given by Lieut-Colonel PECK, D.S.O., on Tuesday 28th instant at 5 p.m. Place of lecture will be notified to all concerned.</p>

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P.R.D. ST. TH. 'S 'T NOON 1st August 1917.

NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

UNITS	*ACTUALLY with unit.			with leave			Without leave			SICK			DETACHED FROM UNIT for all persons			TOTAL STRENGTH			ESTABLISHMENT			TRAINING CO COMPLET.			DETACHED	
	Off	COOS	O.R.	Off	COO	OR	Off	OR	Off	COO	O.R.	Off	COO	O.R.	Off	COO	O.R.	Off	COO	O.R.	Off	COO	O.R.	Off	O.R.	
3de Hqrs	6	5	20						1						7	5	20	7	5	21			1	7	33	
33rd Bn	19	62	536	3	2	3			7	5	31	8	4	89	37	73	659	39	100	866	2	27	207	3	8	
34th Bn	20	63	524	3	2	2			2	5	65	7	9	97	32	79	688	39	100	866	7	21	178	1	7	
35th Bn	22	56	476	3	1	1	Pte 1		10	7	35	2	9	93	37	73	606	39	100	866	2	27	260	4	12	
36th Bn	18	52	492		5	1	Ptes 7		9	11	77	5	8	51	32	76	628	39	100	866	7	24	238	1	8	
H.G.Coy	7	18	133	1		1			2		7	1	1	4	11	19	143	10	30	155			10		35	
L.F.H.Bty	3	10	21						2		7			3	5	10	31	4	10	36			5		35	
									2		7			3	5	10	31	4	10	36			5		35	
	95	266	2202	10	10	8		8	33	28	222	23	31	337	161	335	2777	177	435	3676	18	100	899	16	136	

God Save the King
For G.O.C., 9th Aust. Infantry Brigade.

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Detached from units

	33rd Bn		34th Bn		35th Bn		36th Bn		MG Coy		LTM Bty	
D.H.Q.		11		10	1	3						
B.H.Q.	2	7		7		11	1	8				
Runners Sig Section		6		5		5		6				
Forest Control	1	8		6		9		9				
Purchase Board		2		1		1		1				
T.M.Batteries		5	1	12		13		2				
L.G.Markers		6										
M.G.Coy		7		9		10		2				
Rest Camps	2	9	3	7		7		8		2		1
Schools out Div Area	2	6	2	5	1	9	2	18	1	2		1
" in " "		25		25		28						
Instructor Havre	1											
Cook Morbecque		1										
Work Croix du Bac				7								
Salvage Coy				10								
35th Battalion			1	1			1					
Div Concert Troup						1						
Div Cahff Catter						1						
3rd A.D.B.D.						2						
A.A.S.C.						2		1		1		1
Div Supply Column								1				
Reinforcement Camp								1				
Orderly Concert Camp								1				
Adv Div Signals								2				
Base (trmp'ry)								1				
	8	93	7	105	2	102	5	59	1	5	-	3

THIRD AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

THIRD AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE. PARADE STREETS TROOP 7th August 1917.

UNIT	ACTUALLY with unit.			With leave			Without leave			SICK			DETACHED FROM UNIT for all reasons			TOTAL STRENGTH			ESTABLISHMENT			ATTENDING TO COMPL. F.			DETACHED		
	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	O.R.	Off	COs	
3rd Bn	28	5	10						1																		
53rd Bn	20	74	525	3		3			0	4	37	5	4	78	30	80	205	30	100	866		18	137			8	
54th Bn	23	74	507	2	1	4			2	2	84	6	15	73	73	80	307	30	100	866	4	8	190	1		7	
55th Bn	24	83	476	1	1	1	3		0	5	84	3	15	128	87	80	340	30	100	866	2	18	224	1		10	
56th Bn	10	53	554	2	5	1	3		0	10	55	4	9	55	53	70	294	30	100	866	6	24	205	1			
M.G. Coy	7	18	125	1		1			2	1	12	1	1	4	11	20	14	10	20	155			15			12	
L.T.M. Bty	7	10	51						2		7			3	0	10	21	4	10	22			5			56	
TOTAL	99	297	2556	9	7	10	6		53	21	167	24	41	532	165	367	2371	177	435	3676	14	68	806	14		132	

For G.O.C., 3rd Aust. Infantry Brigade.

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ATTACHED

BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS

- Capt W.A. Peart
- Capt R. Gadd
- Capt H.H. Dixon
- Lt P.F. Lark
- Lt G. Simpson
- Interpreter
- 4 Clerks
- 6 Observers
- 6 Ammunition Lumps
- 6 Batmen
- 2 Orderlies
- 1 Cook
- 1 Storeman
- 1 Draughtsman
- 1 Pay Sgt
- 2 San Squad
- 1 P.B. man
- 1 Gas H.C.O.

33rd BATTALION

- Chaplain and batman
- Interpreter
- Pay Sgt
- 5 A.A.M.C.

34th Battalion

- Chaplain and batman
- Pay Sgt
- 5 A.A.M.C.

35th BATTALION

- Chaplain and batman
- R.M.C.
- Major & batman
- Lieut. G.H.
- 5 A.A.M.C.
- 1 Pay Sgt
- 2 A.A.S.C. drivers

36th BATTALION

- Interpreter
- Chaplain and batman
- Pay Sgt
- 5 A.A.M.C.

9th A.M.C. Coy

- 2 A.A.M.C.
- 11 Brakesmen
- 19 trainees

9th A.L.T.M. Btry

- 35 trainees

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STREETS

7.15.20

FOR G.O.C. GEN. INX. UNIT 21.1.21

DETACHED FROM UNITS

	33rd Bn		34th Bn		35th Bn		36th Bn		M.G. Coy		LTM Bty
H.Q.		11		10	1	3					
H.Q.	2	7		7		10	1	8			
Runners, Sig Section		6		5		5		5			
Forest Control	1	6		6		9		9			
Purchase Board		2		1		1		1			
M. Batteries		5	1	12		13		2			
G. Markers, Morbecque		6									
Book, Morbecque		1									
Rest Camps	1	9	2	7		7		7	2		1
Instructor, Havre	1										
Schools out Div Area	3	8	3	10	1	13	3	18	1	2	1
" in " "		6		10		14					
Work, Criox du Bac				7							
35th Battalion			1	1			1				
Witnesses, Hazebrouck				2							
Div Concert Troup						1					
Air Chaff Cutter						1					
Ord A.D.B.D.						2					
A.A.S.C.						2		1	1		1
Water Supply					1	30					
Trench Work, M'Beque						20					
Sig Supply Column								1			
Reinforcement Camp							1	1			
Ord. Concert Camp								1			
Adv Div Sigs								2			
Base, Temp								1			
M.G. Coy		7		9		10		3			
	3	76	6	87	3	141	6	61	1	5	3

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THIRD AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

PARADE STATE AS AT NOON 14th August, 1917.

NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

UNITS	ACTUALLY WITH UNIT.			WITH LEAVE			WITHOUT LEAVE.			SICK.			DETACHED FROM UNITS for all reasons			TOTAL STRENGTH			ESTABLISHMENT.			WANTING TO COMPLETE			ATTACHED.	
	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	O.R.
Bde Hqrs	5	5	19	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	5	23	7	5	21	-	-	-	7	17
33rd Bn.	17	76	582	4	-	4	-	-	2	2	4	28	4	10	83	27	90	699	39	100	866	12	9	168	2	8
34th Bn.	17	70	578	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	3	22	6	15	88	25	89	690	39	100	866	14	11	176	1	7
35th Bn.	17	65	552	4	1	1	-	-	1	1	1	25	3	10	65	25	77	644	39	100	866	14	23	222	3	10
36th Bn.	15	70	530	1	5	2	-	-	2	-	10	55	8	6	70	24	89	659	39	100	866	15	11	207	1	8
M.G. Coy	7	20	135	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	1	4	9	21	146	10	20	155	1	-	8	-	38
LTA Bty	2	10	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	5	3	10	26	4	10	36	1	-	10	-	35
	80	316	2414	14	5	13	-	-	5	3	18	138	23	42	315	120	331	2887	177	435	3376	57	54	791	14	123

For G.O.C., 9th Australian Infantry Brigade.
Captain.

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ATTACHED.BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS.

Lieut-Col. H.A. GODDARD
 Major WOOTEN
 Captain W.A. PEART
 Captain R. GADD
 Captain H.H. DIXON
 Lieut. C. SIMPSON
 Interpreter French
 Interpreter Belgian
 2 Clerks
 Gas M.C.O.
 Draughtsman
 6 Batmen
 2 San. Squad
 Storeman
 Cook
 Bomb Storeman
 P.B. Man

33rd BATTALION.

Chaplain and Batman
 Interpreter
 A.A.M.C. 1 Off. 5 O.R.
 Pay Sergt.

34th BATTALION.

Chaplain and batman
 Pay Sergt.
 5 A.A.M.C.

35th BATTALION.

Chaplain and batman
 R.M.O.
 Major and Batman
 5 A.A.M.C.
 Pay Sergt.
 2 A.A.M.C. drivers

36th BATTALION.

Chaplain and batman
 Interpreter
 Pay Sergt.
 5 A.A.M.C.

9th A.M.G. COMPANY.

2 A.A.M.C.
 11 Brakesmen
 25 trainees

9th A.L.T.M. BATTERY.

35 trainees.

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DETACHED FROM UNITS.

	33rd Bn.		34th Bn.		35th Bn.		36th Bn.		MG Coy.	T.M.Bty	
D.H.Q.		9		10	1	5					
B.H.Q.		6		3	1	4	1	3			
Runners Bde. Sig. Section		5		4	2	4					
Purchase Board		2		1		1		1			
T.M. Batteries		5		12		10		2			
L.G. Markers, M'becq.		6									
M.G. Company		7		9		10		8			
Cook M'becq.		1									
Rest Camps	1	8		6		6	1	5		2	2
Schools - Out. Div. Area	2	11	6	16	1	12	2	15	1	2	1
" - In. " "		25		27		12		26			2
Work, Croix de Bac				7							
* Water Guard											
Div. Concert Troup						1					
Div. Chaff Cutter						1					
* Trench Digging, M'becq.											
A.A.S.C.								1		1	1
Div Supply Column								1			
Rein. Camp								1			
Adv. Div. Sigs.								2			
Base - temp.							1	1			
Orderly Concent. Camp							1	1			
Forest Control	1	8		6		9		9			
F.G.C.M. Mont Des Cats				2							
	4	93	6	105	3	75	7	76	1	5	1
											5

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PARADE STATE AS AT NOON 21st August, 1917.

NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

UNITS	ACTUALLY WITH UNIT.			WITH LEAVE			WITHOUT LEAVE.			SICK.			DETACHED FROM UNITS for all reasons			TOTAL STRENGTH			ESTABLISHMENT.			WANTING TO COMPLETE			ATTACHED.	
	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	O.R.
Bde Hqrs	6	5	19	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	5	22	7	5	21	-	-	-	7	18
33rd Bn.	21	65	585	5	2	3	-	-	1	1	2	21	7	19	96	34	88	706	39	100	866	5	12	160	2	8
34th Bn.	21	71	571	2	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	20	7	16	102	30	89	695	39	100	866	9	11	171	1	9
35th Bn.	13	59	526	3	2	3	-	-	1	-	2	17	7	14	91	23	77	638	39	100	866	16	22	224	3	10
36th Bn.	14	60	512	2	4	3	-	-	1	1	9	39	6	12	77	23	85	632	39	100	866	16	15	234	1	8
M.G. Coy	7	20	139	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	4	9	21	144	10	20	155	1	-	11	-	36
LEM Bty	2	9	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	4	4	10	35	4	10	36	-	-	1	-	20
	84	289	2583	14	9	13	-	-	4	2	14	98	30	65	374	130	375	2872	177	435	3676	47	60	801	14	100

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For G.O.C., 9th Australian Infantry Brigade.

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ATTACHED.BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS.

Major WOOTTEN
 Capt. PEART
 " R. GADD
 " H.H. DIXON
 Lieut. C. SIMPSON
 " S.B. BATEMAN
 Interpreter French
 Interpreter Belgian
 2 Clerks
 Gas E.C.O.
 Draughtsman
 7 Batmen
 2 San Squad
 Storeman
 Cook
 Bomb Storeman
 P.B. Men

33RD BATTALION.

Chaplain and batmen
 A.A.M.C. 5 O.R.
 Pay Sergt.
 Y.M.C.A. Repr. 2

34TH BATTALION.

Chaplain and batmen
 Interpreter
 Pay Sergt.
 A.A.M.C. 5 O.R.
 1 O.R. Div. Canteen

35TH BATTALION.

Chaplain and batmen
 R.M.C.
 Major and batmen
 5 A.A.M.C.
 Pay Sergt.
 2 A.A.M.C. drivers

36TH BATTALION.

Chaplain and batmen
 Interpreter
 Pay Sergt.
 5 A.A.M.C.

9th A.M.G. COY.

2 A.A.M.C.
 10 brakesmen
 24 trainees

9th A.L.T.M. BATTY.

6 D.A.C.
 14 trainees.

DETACHED FROM UNITS.

	33rd Bn.		34th Bn.		35th Bn.		36th Bn.		M.G. Coy.	M.M. Bty.	
D.H.Q.		9		10	1	5	1				1
B.H.Q.	1	6		3		4	1	3			
Runners - Sig. Sect.		5		4		4					
Purchase Board											
T.M. Batteries		5		12		10		1			
L.G. Markers - M'becqz		6									
M.G. Company		7		9		10		8			
Cook - M'becq.		1									
Rest Camps	1	9		6	1	6	1	5		2	2
Schools - Out. Div. Area	4	19	6	15	4	14	2	13	1	2	1
" - In " "		40	1	46	1	41	1	43			2
Work - Croix du Bac				7							
Div. Concert Troup						1					
Div. Chaff cutter						1					
N.A.S.C.								1		1	1
Div. Supply Col.								1			
Rein. Camp								1			
Adv. Div. Sigs.								2			
Base - Temp.								1			
Orderly Con. Camp.								1			
Forest Control.	1	8		6		9		9			
	7	115	7	118	7	105	6	89	1	5	2
											5

are to come back

Schools

Out Div Area

In " "

THIRD AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

PARADE STATE AS AT NOON 31st August 1917.

NINTH AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BRIGADE.

UNITS	ACTUALLY WITH UNIT.			WITH LEAVE			WITHOUT LEAVE.			SICK.			DETACHED FROM UNITS for all reasons			TOTAL STRENGTH			ESTABLISHMENT.			WANTING TO COMPLETE			ATTACHED.	
	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	NCO	O.R.	Off	O.R.
Bde Hqrs	6	8	19	1												7	8	19	7	8	20			1	6	21
33rd Bn.	27	75	670	3	5	7				4	13	7	3	63	37	90	758	39	100	866	2	10	108	3	8	
34th Bn.	24	76	660	2	5	5					11	6	9	47	32	90	723	39	100	866	7	10	143	1	9	
35th Bn.	18	70	612	1	7	6					7	5	6	50	24	83	675	39	100	866	15	17	191	3	9	
36th Bn.	22	84	556	3	5	5				9	12	3	2	44	28	100	617	39	100	866	11		249	1	7	
M.G. Coy	11	18	148											2		11	20	153	10	20	155			3		12
LEM Bty	2	6	33	1	5	2								1	1	1	4	10	36	4	10	36				6
	110	337	2698	11	25	29					13	48	22	26	205	143	401	2980	177	438	3675	35	37	695	14	72

* Includes 2nd Army Rest Camp.

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ATTACHED

BRIGADE HEADQUARTERS

Major Wootton
Capt Peart
Capt Dixon
Lt Simpson
Lt Bateman
Capt Suter

2 Interpreters
2 Clerks
Pay Sgt
Gas NCO
Draughtsman
7 Batmen
2 San Squad
Storeman
P.B. man
Cook
Bomb Storeman
Groom

33rd BATTALION

Chaplain and batman
A.A.M.C. 1 Off and 5 C.R.
Pay Sgt
2 Y.M.C.A.

34th BATTALION

Chaplain and batman
A.A.M.C. 5
Div Canteen 1
Interpreter

35th BATTALION

Major & batman
Chaplain and batman
R.M.O.
A.A.M.C. 5
2 A.A.M.C. drivers

36th BATTALION

Chaplain and batman
Pay Sgt
A.A.M.C. 5

9th A.M.G. Coy

2 A.A.M.C.
10 brakesmen

9th A.L.T.M. Btry

6 men from D.A.C.

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DETAACHED FROM UNITS

	33rd Bn		34th Bn		35th Bn		36th Bn		MG. Coy	LTM Bty	
D.H.Q.		8	10	1	5					1	
B.H.Q.	1	7	2		4	1	3				
Runners Signal Section		5	4		4		4				
Forest Control	1										
L.G. Markers, Morbecque		3									
Cook, Morbecque		1									
M.G. Coy, brakesmen		3	3		2		2				
Concentration Camp Ord'ly							1				
Base, Temporarily							1				
Batmen with Officers at Sch							2				
	2	30	19	1	15	1	13			1	
T SCHOOLS											
Out Div Area	5	17	6	11	4	21	8	15		2	2
In " "		22		26		20		20			
	5	39	6	37	4	41	8	33		2	2
	7	69	6	56	5	58	4	46		2	1 2