

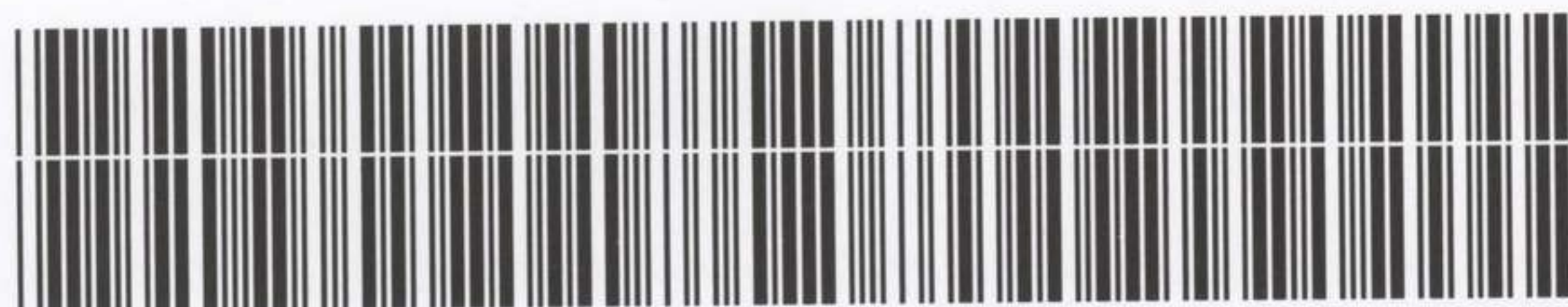
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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Moascar ISMAILIA	1919	1	<p>Strength - 4 officers (Lt Col H Mc Cormack Comdg) Major G S Shewan, Capt Stephenson K A. Non Capt G M G Phillips. Attached with Byth H O Educational Service. 54 OR. 3 Horses 4 Mules, 1 G S Lumber, 1 G S Wagon. Five (5) OR detached BH Q, Three (3) duty Zagazig, One (1) Duty Cairo, Two (2) on leave Cairo. Capt Stephenson and One (1) OR to Jerusalem on leave.</p>	H.S.
		2	<p>The Workman to 15th Reg as Med. Orderly.</p>	H.S.
		3	<p>Three (3) ORs to Jerusalem on leave. As no further leave to Jerusalem is to be granted, this will be the last party from Ambulance.</p>	H.S.
		4	<p>Volunteers called for Duty Thezich Kit Stores. Only one (1) applicant received (Ther barley) whose name was submitted. Information re Applicants Non-Military Employments, Extended Leave etc who have not received definite replies to their applications remaining at St Said (Australian Base Depot) should unit embark in the meantime; read on parade.</p>	H.S.

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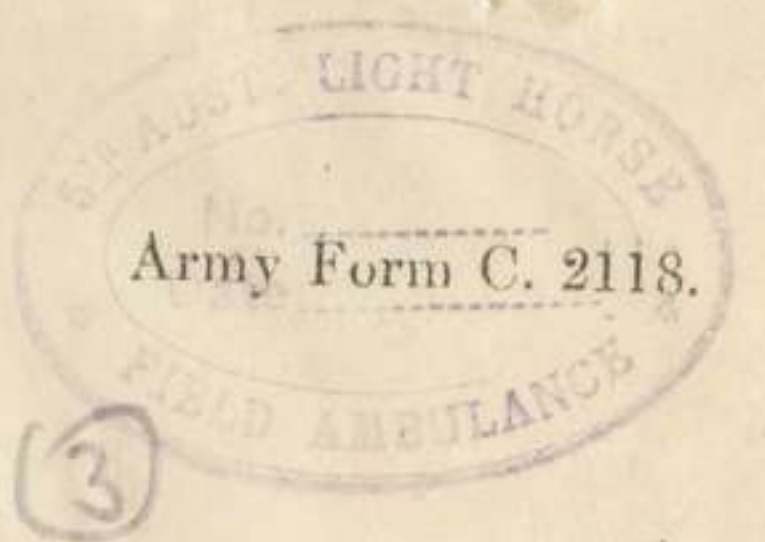
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1912				
July	5		All y m c a books on loan from this library returned to Aust. Div. Library.	HS
	6		<u>Equipment</u> All haversacks, waterbottles, Mess tins, straps, boots or clothing surplus returned to P M store.	HS
			All Flavell, Dr O'Neil to St Said for M.K. Leave.	
			Dr Fraser detached for duty Fayed Fishing Port. Dr Tibbing detached for duty F.P. Compound Moascar.	
	7		Dr Hurley to Ghazirah Kit Stores for duty.	HS
	8		Three (3) horses (rides) handed over to Australian Remounts. Receipts obtained.	HS
	9		Three (3) OR rejoin unit x Jerusalem Leave.	HS
	10		<u>Peace Celebrations.</u> Information that date definitely fixed for general rejoicings and arrangements locally for same read on parade.	HS
	11		1914-1915 Riband. All ranks informed on parade that the unauthorised wearing of this Riband is an offence punishable by Court Martial.	HS
			Dr L. A. White, rejoined unit x Hospital	

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	July 12	1919	<u>Red Cross Stores</u> All Red Cross Stores returned to Q M Store ready to be returned to Cairo.	
			Capt Nelson & three O/Rs reported x Duty Zagazig Four @ Mules returned to Remounts. Kantara, taken delivery of by Officer from 12 th Reg at Div. H.Q.	JHS
		13	Two O/Rs detached for duty at Camp Canteens	JHS
			<u>Promotions</u> Pte F A Greenlade to be T/Cpl (vice Pollard A.W. Leave to UK) Auth DDMS AIF in Egypt Memo 74705 10/7/19	JHS
		14	<u>Reversions</u> P/O Dr. Worsell P.F. to rank of Private on ceasing to do " Cronin D. duties of driver (Auth AIF Air Memo No. 52 14/5/19 " Warris E.H.	JHS
			Dr Fraser rejoined unit x Fayed Fishing Post	JHS
		15	Lt Col Beacombe & Capt Phillips proceeded Cairo on Duty	JHS
		16	All surplus gear handed in to Q M Store and bunks or boxes which were in the lines destroyed and burnt at Cook house	JHS
		17	Owing to disturbances Imaiba all ranks confined to their respective camps until further notice.	JHS

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MOASCAR	July	18	<u>Reversion</u> P/Dr O'NEILE R J reverts to rank of Private as from 5/7/19 date of marching out embarkation UK.	JHS
			<u>Promotions</u> Cpl Pittman to be Lt Sgt vice Puggan (AIF HQ Cairo)	
		19	Genl Circular 634 stating "All applications for "Discharge outside Australia" and "Extended Leave without pay" must reach HQ Cairo before 20 th inst" read on parade.	JHS
			Cricket Match v 15 Reg and won by Ambulance team by fifty (50) runs.	
		20	Dr McClean detached for duty 2 nd Signal Squadron.	
		21	Final embarkation rolls rendered, Three (3) Officers, seven (7) Sgts, and forty four (44) ORs. No further addition to be made. Pay books handed over to Pay office Moascar for final audit etc.	JHS
			Pte Smith J L rejoined Unit x Aust Base Depot.	
		22	No 4605 Pte Lellie G. marched in Ex Punishment Compound Cairo, complete of 25 days FPN.	JHS
	23	3 Sergeants & 20 ORs march out for Embarkation "Imghol" Reversion No 40108 T/cpl Lewis A G reverts to substantive rank, vice A G in Egypt Order 46 dated 19.6.19. (on Embarkation)	JHS	

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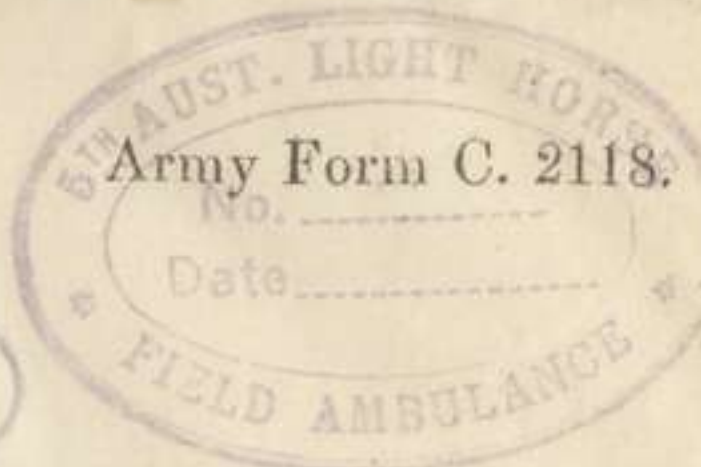
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	July 23 rd	Entire	<p>No 4605 Pte Bellefleur marched out to Aust Base Details Camp. Port Said - to await embarkation with miscellaneous details.</p> <p>No 2606 Dr Frame of AWL from 1830 parade 21-7-19 to 1100 22.7.19 awarded 7 days F.P.N. & 5 days pay R.W.</p> <p>No 2359 Dr Lindley of AWL from 1830 parade 21.7.19 to 1100 22.7.19 awarded 7 days F.P.N. & 5 days pay R.W.</p> <p>No 2572 Dr Conroy of AWL from 1830 parade 21.7.19 to 2120 22.7.19 awarded 7 days F.P.N. & 5 days pay R.W.</p> <p>No 1595 Dr of Co. 67. AWL. from 1830 parade 21.7.19 to 2120 22.7.19 awarded 7 days F.P.N. & 5 days pay R.W.</p> <p>No 4051 Sgt Cooper T.E. AWL from 1830 parade 21.7.19 to 2120 22.7.19 awarded submitted for F.C.M.</p>	
	24 th		<p>Capt R.A. Stephenson proceeded to Port Said for embarkation "Dingola" authority "ADMS".</p> <p>1/Lieut J.V. Lyth proceeded to Aust Base Details Camp. Port Said to await embarkation England, authority AA & QMG 22/7/19 (News).</p> <p>No 2626 Dr Frame of 2059 Dr Lindley of marched out under escort to 15th Coy for embarkation <u>Dingola</u>.</p>	
	25		<p>No 16842 Sgt Axelsen, No. 16956 Cpl Dunstan and No 16930 Pte Kirk marched out to Mentore as advanced party to embark. S.S. Burma.</p> <p>L.A. 523 motor ambulance Col headed over to 123 I.C.F.A.</p>	
	26		<p>Cpl F.H. Phillips and 230.R. marched out for embarkation to Australia per S.S. Burma.</p> <p>Lieut-Col. J. J. Seecon, Major Shipway and to Aust Base Details Camp. Port Said to await embarkation with for Port Said War.</p> <p>Capt Nelson to Aust Base Details to await embarkation to Australia.</p>	

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2. Embarkation Roll S.S. Dargala.



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Lieut: Colonel
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Appendix 1

5th A. L. H. F. A. School.



The general work of the above school went on steadily and very satisfactorily during July. Preparations for demobilisation slightly decreased the attendances in some classes, but it is a tribute to the keenness of the members of classes, that the school was able to carry on when many other unit schools had to postpone classes until after embarkation.

Owing to the limited educational staff allowed on transports, Hqpl. Sims reverted on leaving Moascar on 22nd inst. for embarkation.

The Remounts Depot classes in Book-keeping and French, taught by Cpl. Dunstan and Sgt. Bainbridge respectively, have continued to do excellent work up to the present.

The 5th L.H.F.A. Debating Society continues to flourish. On Saturday, 5th inst., a debate was held on the subject "whether municipal control is preferable to ^{private} enterprise". On Saturday 12th inst., a successful Impromptu Speech Meeting was held, fourteen members taking part. On Saturday, 19th inst., ~~I deliv~~ 2/inst. Byth delivered a lecture on the "Advantages of the Study of Greek History", and tried to give some idea of Greek political institutions. On Tuesday, 8th inst., and Tuesday, 15th inst., inter-society debates were held between the 5th L.H.F.A. and the 2nd Sig. Sqdn., the subjects of debate being

Appendix

"Professionalism in Sport"
Prohibition"



23-7-19.

H. V. Blyth, 2/Lieut.

EMBARKATION NOMINAL ROLL

S.S. Dongola

5th. A. L. H. F. Ambulance.



Regt No.

Rank.

Name.

Regt No.	Rank.	Name.		
-	Captain.	Stephenson.	K.A.	3
-	"	Nelson.	T.V.	2
-	Hon Cpt & Q.M.	Phillips.	F.H.	1
16842	Sergeant.	Nelson.	E.	1
18857	T/Sgt.	Bainbridge.	T.	1
258	Staff/Sgt.	Browne.	R.MCM.	3
17579	"	Daniel.	B.J.	3
1645	L/Sgt.	Jolly.	A.M.	1
18188	"	Pittman.	E.F.	3
1415	W.C.	Postlethwaite.	C.	1
16885	Pte.	Barrett.	C.	2
2040	Cpl.	Bowman.	T.	1
2359	Pte.	Bradley.	H.J.	2
4051	Cpl.	Capes.	T.H.	2
3472	Dvr.	Cooney.	T.	2
2762	Pte.	Coutanche.	G.	4
4788	" Dvr.	Cronin.	D.	5
16965	Dvr	Dalling.	H.	4
16956	Cpl.	Dunstan.	L.C.	3
16953	Pte.	Fiddes.	R.R.F.	3
2636	Dvr.	Frame.	J.	2
16866	"	Fraser.	J.	2
4630 6430	Pte.	Gourley.	H.C.G.	3

19143	Cpl.	Greenlade.	F.A.	3
4010	Pte.	Griffin.	G.	2
2106	"	Grimes.	H.	2
2360	Dvr.	Harris.	H.H.	5
1759	"	Hersell.	D.F.	4
1414	Pte.	Hart.	H.G.	1
2616	"	Hutchinson.	L.W.J.	2
3290	"	Ickeringill.	A.	2
20099	"	Ingham.	H.A.	2
16968	"	Kenihan.	G.R.	4
16930	"	Kirk.	H.	3
16933	Lt.	Layton.	J.R.	3
2025	"	Lewis.	H.F.	2
1595	Pte.	Mc Carthy.	H.H.	3
1630	Dvr.	Mc Donnell.	H.	5
16954	"	Mc Donn.	C.L.	3
1506	"	Mc Pherson.	F.	3
3299	Pte.	Moore.	J.	2
16938	Dvr.	Niles.	F.Y.S.	3
3117	Pte.	Murray.	J.	2
1915	Dvr.	Pickin.	A.	5
16108	Cpl.	Pittman.	C.F.	3
16943	Pte.	Parcell.	J.	3
1783	"	Roffe.	A.J.	1
20108	Cpl.	Sias.	A.H.	2
3520	Pte.	Smith.	T.L.	2
16849	Dvr.	Stevens.	B.N.	1

25186	Pte.	Roberts.	A.M.	2
18191	"	Bayler.	V.R.H.	3
18190	"	Pipping.	J.L.	3
3338	"	Welton.	H.S.	2
3529	Dvr.	White.	L.A.	2

Greenhill
Lieut. Col.
Commanding 5th, A.L.H.F. Coy.