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**WAR DIARY**

OF

*Australian Corps Cyclist Bn.*

FOR

*February, 1919.*

AUSTRALIAN CORPS	
CYCLIST BATTN.	
No.	<i>19/984</i>
Date	<i>3/3/19</i>

Signature of Officer compiling *P. G. Baylis Lieut. & Adj.*

Signature of Officer Commanding *C. H. Perkins Captain,*





PLACE.	DATE.	SUMMARY OF EVENTS.	Remarks Refs. to Appendices.
Map Ref. Sheet 8. HANTES WIHERIES.	15/2/19.	Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	16/2/19.	1 O.R. marched out for 'Early Repatriation'. Lieut., G.T.BUTLER evacuated to Hospital. Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	17/2/19.	Lieut., A.E.C.LORD, MC., Lieut., I.G.TROUT and 33 Other Ranks marched out with Demobilisation Quota No. 11. Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	18/2/19.	Educational Classes :- 1400, Shorthand. 1930, Book-keeping. Weather Report :- Showers.	
"	19/2/19.	1 O.R. marched out for 'Early Repatriation'. Educational Classes :- 1000, French. 1400, Book-keeping. Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	20/2/19.	Educational Classes :- 1400, Shorthand. 1930, Book-keeping. Weather Report :- Fine.	
"	21/2/19.	Captain C.H.PERKINS rejoined from leave to U.K. Educational Classes :- 1000, Book-keeping. 1400, Shorthand. 1930, French. Weather Report :- Showers.	
"	22/2/19.	Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	23/2/19.	Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	24/2/19.	Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	25/2/19.	Educational Classes :- 1400, Shorthand. 1930, Book-keeping. Weather Report :- Showers.	
"	26/2/19.	1 O.R. marched out for 'Early Repatriation'. 1 O.R. proceeded to ENGLAND for 'Industrial Employment'. Educational Classes :- 1000, French. 1400, Book-keeping. Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	27/2/19.	Captain W.ROSS, MC. marched out for Repatriation. Educational Classes :- 1400, Shorthand. 1930, Book-keeping. Weather Report :- Dull.	
"	28/2/19.	The health of the men for the period under review has been very good, and the conduct exemplary. Educational Classes :- 1000, Book-keeping. 1400, Shorthand. 1930, French. Weather Report :- Showers.	

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28/2/19.

Battalion strength as at 28/2/19 :-  
 9 Officers, 248 Other Ranks.  
 Attached, 1 Armourer, 3 A.M.C. Orderlies.  
 Total Strength :- 9 Officers, 252 Other Ranks.  
 Distribution of personnel as follows :-

On Detachments,	2	Offs.	129	Other Ranks.	
On Leave,	-	"	14	"	"
In Hospital,	1	"	1	"	"
At Schools,	-	"	2	"	"
Absentee,	-	"	1	"	"
In Camp,	6	"	105	"	"

Army Form

P.g.B.

*C. H. Perkins* CAPTAIN,

A/C.O., AUSTRALIAN CORPS Cyclist Battalion.

Summary of Events and Information

(Where heading not required)

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QUARTERMASTER'S REPORT.

APPENDIX No. 1.

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QUARTERMASTER'S REPORT FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1919.

RATIONS.- These have been very good during this month: full supplies coming to hand. One day after the thaw all the meat after being cooked went bad and was unable to be used. This was caused by the change of weather: no blame is attachable to anyone.

We also had a supply of comforts from the Australian Comforts Funds which varied the diet a great deal and was much appreciated by the men.

CLOTHING.- Supplies are coming to hand satisfactorily.

TRANSPORT.- During this month 3 horses classes 'D' were sold according to instructions received, and 1 horse was evacuated by the Veterinary Officer suffering from ophthalmic disease. The remainder of the Transport is in good repair.

*H. J. Houston* Lieut.,  
A/Quartermaster,

Australian Corps Cyclist Battalion.