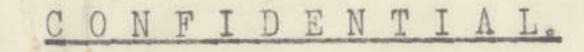
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Place	Date	Hour	All full ST Summory of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
EL MADHBEH	1st	0440	All clear	
JORDAN VALLEY		0600	Situation quiet.	
		1600	Situation quiet.	
		1725	Location Standing Patrols night 1st/2nd August; W.34.b.5.3. W.34.d.2.7. Y.4.a.0.9.	
do	2nd	0440	All clear.	
		0600	Situation quiet.	
		0800	1X	end 1 3.No
8, 1,67 3		0800	The state of the s	pendix N
		1200	Works report for 24 hours ending 0400 2nd August forwarded to A.M.D. under G/917. App	G/907 pendix N G/917.
		1530	Location Standing Patrols night 2nd/3rd August; W.34.b.8.4. W.34.c.4.2. Y.4.a.6.9.	G/917.
		1600	Situation quiet.	

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Place	Date	Hour	AUGUST Summary of Events and Information Page 2.	Remarks and references to Appendices
L	3rd	0445	All clear.	
ORDAN		0600	Situation quiet.	
ALLEY		0800	Intelligence Summary No. 18 for period from 0700 to 1900 on 2nd August forwarded to A.M.D.	Appendix No 4. I.S.No.1
		1530	Location Standing Patrols night 3rd/4th August : W.34.b.6.4. W.34.d.1.7. Y.4.a.5.9.	
		1200	Works report for 24 hours ending 0400 on 3rd August forwarded to A.M.D. under G/997	Appendix No 5. G/997
		1600	Situation quiet.	D. G/8291
do	4th	0425	All clear.	
		0600	Situation quiet.	
		0800	Intelligence Summary No.19 for period from 0700 to 1900 on 3rd August forwarded to A.M.D.	Appendix No.1
		1200	Works report for 24 hours ending 0400 on 4th August forwarded to A.M.D. under G/937.	Appendix No. G/937
		1530	Location of Standing Patrols night 4th/5th August :- W.34.b.5.5. W.33.b.10.0.	(T)
		1600	Situation quiet.	8
do	5th	0435	All clear.	
		0600	Situation, Mquiet./17. D. D. & L., Ltd. Forms/C.2118 14.	

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Place	Date	Hour	AUGUST 1918 Summary of Events and Information Page 3 Remarks and Appendices
L ADHBEH	5th	0800	Intelligence Summary No.20. for period from 0700 to 1900 on 4th August forwarded to Appendix No. 7, I.
ORDAN ALLEY		1200	Works report for 24 hours ending 0400 on 5th August forwarded to A.M.D. under G/971. Appendix
		1530	Location of Standing Patrols night 5th/6th August :- W.34.b.8.0. W.34.c.8.8.
		1600	Situation quiet.
do.	6th	0430	All clear.
		0600	Situation quiet. At 0050 the standing patrol of 9th Light Horse Regiment at W.34c8.8 encountered enemy party estimated 12 men. Shots were exchanged and enemy threw 10 bombs. Enemy withdrew on being fired on by our standing patrol. Our casualty one other rank wounded.
		0800	Intelligence Summary No. 21 for period from 0700 to 1900 on 5th August forwarded to A. M. D. Appendix No. 9. I.S No. 21.
		1200	Works report for 24 hours ending 0400 on 6th August forwarded to A. M. D. under g. 997. Appendix
		1400	The Commander-in-Chief arrived at No. 1 Auja Crossing at 1400 and proceeded to ABU TELLUL No. 10 Right No. 2 Post.
		1515	The Commander-in-Chief left No.3 Sub-Sector for G.H.Q.
		1530	The Following location of Standing Patrols to be provided by 9th Light Horse Regiment on the night 6th/7th August was notified to all concerned: W 34 b 5.5, W 34 c 10.2.
		1600	Situation quiet.
			(A7092). Wt. W12839/M1293. 759,000. 1/17. D. D. & L., Ltd. Forms/C.2118/14.

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Place	Date	Hour	August 1918.	Summary of Events and Information	Page 4.	Remarks and references to Appendices
EL MADHBEH.	7th	0435	All clear.			
JORDAN VALLEY.		0600	Situation quiet.			
41111111		0800	Intelligence Summary No. A. M. D.	22 for period from 0700 to 1900 c	on 6th August forwarded to	Appendix No.11, I.S, No22.
		1200	Works report for 24 hours	ending 0400 on 7th August forwar	ded to A.M.D. under G. 25.	
		1530	The following location of on the night 7th/8th Augu W 34 b	the Standing Patrols provided by st was notified to all concerned \$8.0, \$34 c 9.	the 9th Light Horse Regiment	Appendix No. 12, IXXXXXX G. 25.
		1600	Situation quiet.			
do.	8+h	0442	All clear.			
0.00	Our					
		0600	Situataon quiet.			
		0800	Intelligence Summary No. A. M. D.	23 for period from 0700 to 1900 c	on 7th August forwarded to	Appendix No. 13. I.S.No.23.
		1200	Works report for 24 hours	ending 0400 on 8th August forwar	ded to A.M.D. under G. 49.	
		1400	Instructions issued for 9 on night 8th/9th August w Square X1 and BAGHALAT sy	th Light Horse Regiment to detail with a view to determining whether stem.	a patrol to reconnoitre any wire exists between	Appendix No. 14, G. 49.
		1600	Situation quiet.		A !	77
do.	9th	0430	All clear.		G 1918	er o
		0600	Situation quiet. (A7092). Wt. W12839/M1293. 750,000. 1/17. D. D. & L., Ltd. For	rms/C.2118/14.		

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Place	Date	Hour	August 1918. Summary of Events and Information Page 5.	Remarks and references to Appendices
MADHBEH JORDAN		0800	Intelligence Summary No. 24 for period from 0700 to 1900 on 8th August forwarded to A. M. D.	Appendix No. 15,
VALLEY.		0800		I.SNo.24 Appendix No
		1030		16, G. 68 Appendix No 17,B.O,No.16
		1100	Report on the reconnaissance carried out by the patrol of one officer(Lieut. J. M. McDonald) and 6 other ranks of the 9th Light Horse Regiment on night 8th/9th August in a northerly direction from MASKERAH towards thec line Square X 1 BAGHALAT.,	Appendix No 18, G. 71
			forwarded to A. M. D. under @. 71.	
		1400	Instructions issued to 9th Light Horse Regiment to reconnoitre northward from MASKERAH towards the line W 12 central - X 7 central on night 9th/10th August.	
		1600	Situation quiet.	
		1600	Brigade Order No. 17, detailing the re-organisation of the Left Sector with effect from 1200 on 10th August, issued to units at 1600.	Appendix No 19, B.O. 17
do.	10th	0435	All clear.	
		0600	Situation quiet.	
		0800	Suggested plan for the relief of the present garrisons of No.3 and No.4 Sub-Sectors forwarded to A. M. D. under G. 96.	Appendix No 20, G.96
		0800	A. M. D.	Appendix No 21, I.S. 25
		1000	AO yarda trin wire renaired	7206

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Place	Date	Hour	August 1918. Summary of Events and Information Page 6.	temarks and references to Appendices
EL MADHBEH, JORDAN MALLEY.	10th	1000	Works report continued. "G" Section. Z00. ZEISS. Trenches deepened.	
ALLEY .			ABU TELLUL? Right No. 2 Nine cubic feet of trench excavated. Ten yards of sandbags on parapet replaced.	
			Right No.4 Sixteen cubic feet of fire trench excavated.	
			Left No. 2. Four cubic feet of fire trench excavated.	
		1200	G.O.C. 3rd Light Horse Brigade assumed command of No. 4 Sub-Sector at 1200.	
		1500	The following location of the standing patrol provided by the 20th Light Horse Regiment was notified to all concerned:- W 34 b 1.5. W 34 c 1.7.	
		1600	Situation quiet.	
		2210	The relief of 8th L.H.Regt. by the 9th L.H.Regt. in "F" Section completed at 2210.	
do.	11 t	h0440	All clear.	
		0600	Situation quiet.	
		0800	Intelligence Summary No. 26 for period from 0700 to 1900 on 10th August forwarded to No. A. M. D.	ppendix 22. S. No.20
		1000	The following work was carried out during the 24 hours ending 0400 on 11th August. "G" Section. VALE. 30 yards of trench deepened 2 feet.	A 0 0 20
			VAUX. Telephone exchange constructed. (A7093). Wt. W12839/M1293. 750,000. 1/17. D. D. & L., Ltd. Forms/C.2118 14. Z00. Recesses dug for ammunition.	

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Place	Date	Hour	August 1918.	Summary of Events and Information	Page 7.	Remarks an references t
DHBEH, RDAN 11ey.	11th	1000		. Trenches widened and deepened.		
		1120	No. 4 Sub-sector. Instructions issued for northward from MASKERAH 10th Light Horse Reg "G" Section from night I	Wiring between WANE and WART of the 8th Light Horse Regiment to from the night 11/12th August ingiment instructed to provide the 11th/12th August inclusive.		
		1535	. Location of the Standing night 11th/12th August a W 34 b 1.	g patrols, provided by the 10th as follows:- W 34 c 1.7.	Light Horse Regiment, on	
		1600	Situation quiet.			
		1910	1st Battalion, British W	West India Regiment, arrived in b	pivouac at Y 29 at 1910.	
do.	12th	0430	All clear.			
		0600	Situation quiet.			
		0800	Intelligence Summary No. A. M. D.	. 27 for period from 0700 to 1900	on 11th August forwarded to	Appendix No. 23,
		1000	The following work was con F' Section. MUSAL	carried out during the 24 hours e LLABEH. Wire entanglement repair	ending 0400 on 12th August,	I.S. No.
			MASKE	ERAH. Building of sangars cont No. 3 sangar repaired.	inued on southern corner.	120
			"G" Section. VALE.	. Six yards of trench deep		80
			(A7092). Wt. W12839/M1293. 750,000. 1/17. D. D. & WAUX	Telephone exchange compl	leted.	

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dhbeh,	12th	1000	Works report continued : ABU TELLUL. RIGHT No.2 Trench widened and deepened.	
RDAN LLEY.			No. 4 Sub-sector. Wiring between WANE and WART continued.	
		1600	Situation quiet.	
		2200	Led horses of 10th Light Horse Regiment arrived Y 28 at 2200.	
.0.	13th	2600	Brigade Order No. 18, detailing the re-organisation of Nos. 3 and 4 Sub-sectors during the period 12th - 15th August, issued at 1600. Re-organisation when complete will be as follows: 1st Bn., B.W.I.Regt. Two Coys., 2nd Bn., B.W.I.Regt. 2nd Bn., B.W.I.Regt.(less 2 Coys.) 8th Light Horse Regiment. 9th Light Horse Regiment. 10th Light Horse Regiment. 3rd Machine Gun Squadron. Bright Horse Regiment. Y 29. AIN ED DUK. Y 28. "F" and "G" Sections.	Appendix No. 24, B.O. No.1
0.	13th	0035	Administrative Instructions No. 4 to accompany Brigade Order No. 18 issued. Relief of 10th Light Horse Regiment as garrison of "G" Section by one company 1st Bn.	Appendix No. 25, A.I. no.
			B.W.I.Regt. completed at 0035. H.Q. and one coy. 1st Bn. B.W.I.Regt. took over H.Q. 10th Light Horse Regiment and bivouac of the reserve squadron at 0035.	-
		0145	10th Light Horse Regiment arrived in bivouac at Y 28 at 0145.	8
		0430	All clear.	0
		0600	Situation quiet.	A
		0800	Intelligence Summary No. 28 for period from 0700 to 1900 on 12th August forwarded to	Appendix No. 26 I.S. No. 2

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ADHBEH, ORDAN	13th	1000	Following work was carried out during "F" Section. MASKERAH. Sangar	24 hours ending 0400 con southern corner consangar continued.		Appendices
LLEY.			ABU TELLUL. Right No.3. Sixty	cubic feet of fire tre	ench excavated.	
			No. 4 Sub-sector. Wiring	g between WANE and WART	continued.	
		1600	Situation quiet.			
		1635	Location of the Standing patrols, prov 13th/14th August as follows: W 34 d 5.5,	vided by 10th Light Hor 34 c 1.7.	se Regiment on night	
		2120	Relief of WORCESTER Yeomanry as garris B.W.I.Regt. completed at 2120.	son of No. 4 Sub-sector	by two coys. 2nd Bn.,	
		2142	2nd Bn., B.W.I.Regt.arrived in bivouad	Y 28 at 2142.		
		2345	Relief of 9th Light Horse Regt. in "F" completed at 2345.	Section by one Coy.,	1st Bn., B.W.I.Regt.	
do.	14th	0300	9th Light Horse Regiment arrived in bi	vouac AIN ED DUK at 03	300. E	177
	4	0455	All clear.		61918	8
		0600	Situation quiet.		500	0
		0800	Intelligence Summary No. 29 for period A. M. D.	l from 0700 to 1900 on	13th August forwarded to	Appendix No. 27, I.S. No.2
		1100	Instructions issued to 2nd Bn. B.W.I.F commencing on 15th August, to carry or the small wadi running East from WOOD (A7092). Wt. W12839/M1293. 750,000. 1/17. D. D. & L., Ltd. Forms/C.211814.	Regt., for 50 other rank the anti-malarial we post.	s to be detailed daily, ork in the UPPER AULA and	1.0. 10.2
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Place_A	Date	Hour	August 1918. Summary of Events and Information refere	rks and ences to endices
EL MADHBEH,	14th	1115	The following work was carried out during 24 hours ending 0400 on 14th August,	
JORDAN VALLEY.			ABU TELLUL. Right No. 2. Ten yards of fire trench deepened 9 inches.	
			Left No. 2. 15 yards communication trench deepened 6 inches.	
			MADHBEH WEST. 18 yards trench dug one foot. 14 yards foundation of parapet laid.	
		1530	The Corps Commander left B.H.Q. at 1530 to inspect ABU TELLUL.	
		1540	Location of the standing patrols, provided by 8th Light Horse Regiment, on night 14th/15th August as follows: W 34 c 1.5.	
		1600	Situation quiet.	
		2100	Relief of one Squadron 8th Light Horse Regiment as garrison of the BLUFF - ABU TELLUL by one Company 1st Bn., B.W.I.Regt., completed at 2058.	
	15th	0445	All clear.	
		0600	Situation quiet.	
		0800	to A. M. D.	
		1120	The following work was carried out during 24 hours ending 0400 on 15th August,	No.
			ABU TELLUL. Right No. 4. 160 cubic feet communication trench excavated.	
	VATE :		MADHBEH WEST. 30 yards of trench deepened one foot.	
		1430	Location of standing patrols, provided by 8th Light Horse Regiment, on night 15th/16th W 34 b 5.5.	

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DHBEH,	15th	1600	Situation quiet.			
LLEY.	16th	0500	All clear.			
		0600	Situation quiet.			
		0700	The Divisional Commande 0700.	r inspected the works in No. 4 Sub-	-sector, commencing at WA	Xat
		0800	Intelligence Summary No A. M. D.	. 31, for period from 0700 to 1900	on 15th August forwarded	to Appendi
		1000	Instructions issued to for work at MADHBEH WES	2nd Bn., B.W.I.Regt., for working of from night 16th/17th August incli	party to be supplied night	tly .S. No
		1100	Following work was carr	ied out during 24 hours ending 0400	on 16th August,	
			ABU TELLUL. L	eft No. 1. Sixty cubic feet of	fire trench excavated.	
				No. 2. 150 yards parapet of	trench repaired.	
				No. 4. 15 feet trench deeper 24 feet trench deeper	ned 1 foot.	
			MADHBEH WEST.	20 yards trench deep		ALIG 1
		4.5	WASP.	25 yards of trench du	ng 1 foot.	1018
		1330	as follows :	trols, provided by 8th Light Horse	Regiment, on night 16th/	17th
		4 600	W 34 d 4.5,	W 34 c 2.4.		1
		1600	Situation quiet. (A7092). Wt. W12839/M1293. 750,000. 1/17. D. D. & L., Ltd.	Forms/C.2118/14.		

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DHBEH,	17th	0445	All clear.			
LLEY.	9	0600	Situation quiet.			
		0800	Intelligence Summary No.32 for A.M.D.	r period from 0700 to 1900 on	16th August forwarded to	Appendi No.30.
		1100	The following work was carried	d out during 24 hours ending	0400 on 17th August.	I.S.No.
			ABU TELLUL. Right No	o.2. 150 cubic feet of trenc	h excavated.	
			Left No	. 1. 150 cubic feet of trenc	h excavated.	
			Left No (Ea	. 4. 30 feet trench deepened	2 feet.	
				. 4. 35 feet of trench deepe	ned 1 foot.	
			MADHBEH WEST.	50 yards of trench deep 150 yards of track cut 3 40 yards of trench dug		
			WASP POST.	Iron Standards driven f	or 50 yards entanglement	
		1530	Location of Standing Patrols, as follows:-		00	12
			W.34.b.4.7.	W.34.c.6.6.		To .
		1600	Situation quiet.			0

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EL	18th	0430	All clear.			
MADHBEH, JORDAN VALLEY.		0600	Situation quiet.			
VALUEI.	4		A : W · D ·	or period from 0700 to 1900 on 17t		Appendix No.31.
		1030	Brigade Order No. 19 for the Brigade as garrison of Nos. 3	relief of 3rd Light Horse Brigad 3 & 4 Sub-sectors on night 22nd/2	de by 1st Light Horse 23rd August, issued at 1030	Appendix
		1100	The following work was carrio	ed during 24 hours ending 0400 on	18th August :-	B.O.No.19
			ABU TELLUL. Right	t No.2. 150 Eubic feet of trench	excavated.	
			Left	No.1. 150 cubic feet of trench	excavated.	
			Left	No. 4. (East) 30 feet of trench de	eepened 6 inches.	
			Left	No. 4. (West) 48 feet of trench de	epened 2 feet.	
			MADHBEH WEST.	240 cubic feet of tr 120 yards of track of 50 yards iron stand entanglement.	ench excavated. out 3 feet wide. lards erected for wire	
			WASP POST.	22 yards of trench 75 yards of iron st entanglement.	deepened 2 feet.	77
		1500	Location of Standing Patrols, as follows:- W.34.b.1.4.	provided by 8th L.H. Regiment, o W.34.c.1.7.	n night 18th/19th August	111/p
		1600	Situation quiet.			

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MADHBEH, RDAN	19th	0440	All clear.		
LEY.		0600	Situation quiet.		
		0800	Intelligence Summary No. 34 for A.M.D.	period from 0700 to 1900 on 18th August forwarded to	Appendi:
		1100	The following work was carried or	ut during 24 hours ending 0400 on 19th August :-	I.S.34
			ABU TELLUL. Left No.2.	30 feet trench deepened 1 foot.	
			Left No.4.	20 yards of iron standards erected for wiring. 15 yards trench deepened 1 foot.	
			MADHBEH WEST.	130 yards track cut 3 feet wide. 55 yards double apron wiring erected. 130 yards standards erected for wiring. 35 yards trench parapet sand-bagged.	
			WASP POST.	32 yards trench deepened 1 foot. 250 yards standards erected for wiring.	
		1500	Location of Standing Patrols, proas follows: W.34.b.1.4.	ovided by 8th L.H. Regiment, on night 19th/20th August W.34.c.1.7.	
		1600	Situation quiet.		13,
		1730		regarding move of Brigade to LUDD Area issued at 1730.	Appendix No.34.

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MADHBEH	20th	0450	All clear.			
RDAN LLEY.		0600	Situation quiet.			
		0800	Intelligence Summary No.35 for A.M.D.	period from 0700 to 1900 or	August 19th, forwarded to	Appendix N 35.I.S.No.
		1030	Brigade Order No.20 issued at	1030. (March of Brigade from	n TALAAT ED DUMM to LUDD)	Appendix N 86.B.O.No.
		1100	The following work was carried	l out during 24 hours ending	0400 on 20th August :-	
			AM "F" SECTION. MASKER	62 yards double apron v 105 yards single apron v	viring erected. viring erected. eted for wiring.	
			MADHBEH WEST.	100 yards track cut 3 fe 100 yards double apron v 130 yards of standards e	eet wide. wiring erected. erected for wiring.	
			WASP POST.	25 yards of trench deep 100 yards double apron v	pened 1 foot. viring erected.	
		1500	Location of Standing Patrols p	provided by 8th L.H. Regiment	t, on night 20th/21st. Augus	t
			as follows:- W.34.b.5.6.	W.34.c.3.7.		
		1600	Situation quiet.			
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		0600	Situation quiet.		CQ.	0

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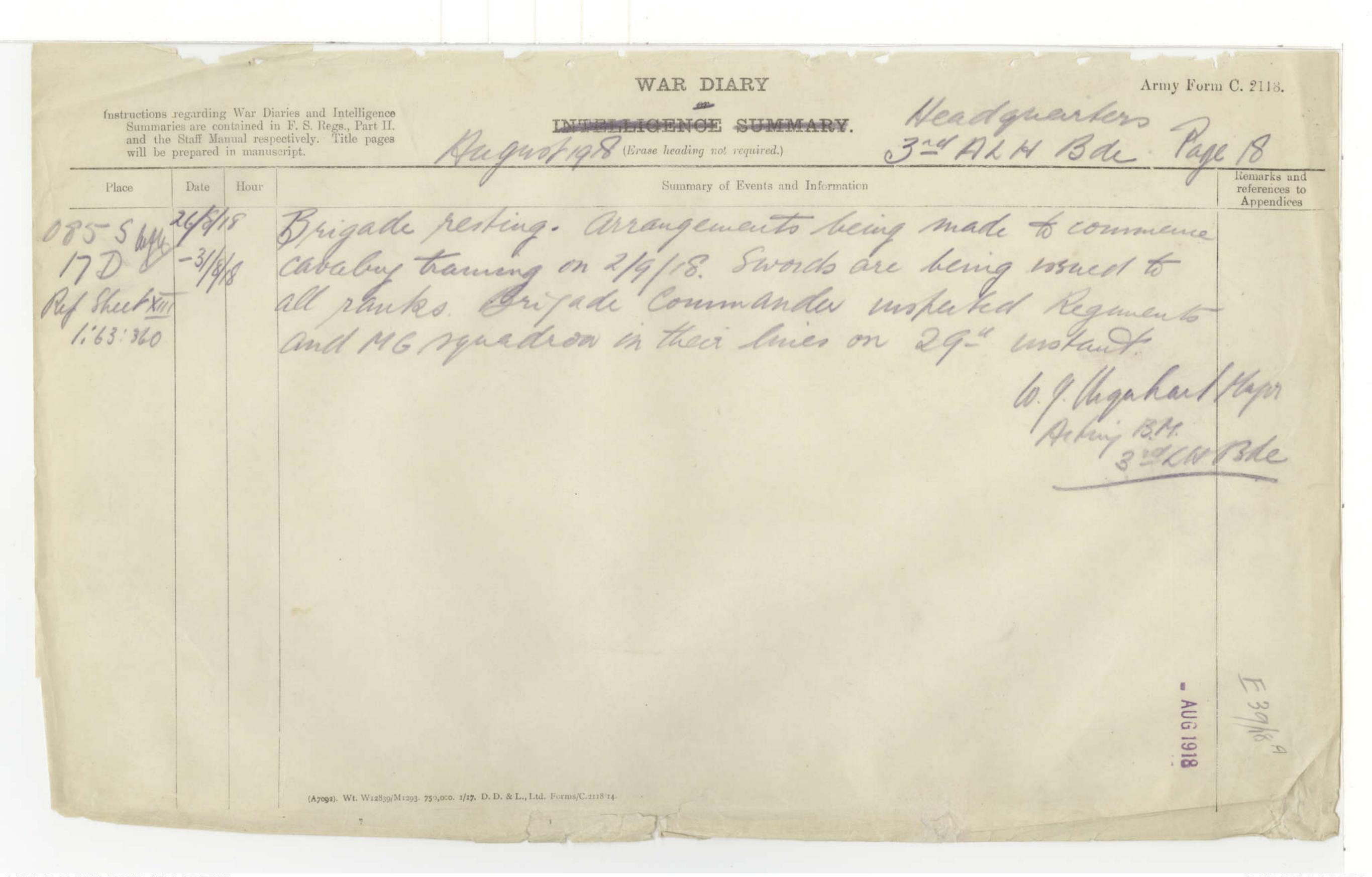
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EL WADHBEH. JORDAN VALLEY.	st 1100	ABU TELLUL. Left No.2.) Communication trenches deepened. Left No.3.) MADHBEH WEST. 150 yards single apron wiring erected. 100 yards standards erected for wiring. 150 yards track cut 3 feet wide. 100 trench deepened 6 inches. WASP POST. 35 yards trench deepened 1 foot.	
22	1600 nd 0450 0600	Situation quiet. All clear.	
	Intelligence Summary No.37. for period from 0700 to 1900 on 21st August forwarded A.M.D. 1000 Location of Troops in Nos. 3 & 4 Sub-sectors forwarded to A.M.D. 1000 Brigade Order No.21, detailing Units 1st L.H. Brigade which would relieve Units of 3rd L.H. Brigade on night 22nd/23rd August, issued at 1000. 1100 Following work was carried out during 24 hours ending 0400 on 22nd August:- ABU TELLUL Right No.2 Trenches deepened.		Appendix No. Appendix No. B.O. No. No.
		ABU TELLUL Right No.2 Trenches deepened. Right No.3 Recesses dug for ammunition. Apoge Wt. W128.9/M1293 750,000. 1/17. D. Left to No.3 1	

Headquarters, 3rd Light Horse Brigade.

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

-	Date	Hour	AUGUST 1918 Summary of Events and Information Page 17 referen	ks and nces to ndices
EL MADHBEH,	22nd	1100	Works report for 24 hours ending 0400 on 22nd August continued :	40,000
JORDAN JALLEY?			"FE Section. MASKERAH. 650 yards wire entanglement erected.	
			MADHBEH WEST. 150 yards double apron wiring erected. 150 yards road cut 3 feet wide. 288 yards cubic feet trench excavated.	
			WASP POST. 30 yards trench deepened 1 foot 6 inches. 50 yards double apron wiring erected.	
		1600	Situation quiet.	
		1905	The command of Nos. 3 and 4 Sub-sectors passed from G.O.C. 3rd Light Horse Brigade to G.O.C. 1st Light Horse Brigade at 1900.	
TALAAT ed	23rd	0020	B.H. Q. established at TALAAT ED DUMM at 0020. All units of the Brigade arrived at TALAAT ED DUMM by 0200.	
do.		1930	The brigade moved from TALAAT ED DUMM en route ENAB at 1930.	
NAB.	24th	0135	The brigade arrived at ENAB at 0135.	
		1930		
ATRON.		2205	The Brigade arrived at LATRON at 2205.	
	25+1	1930	The Brigade moved from LATRON en route LUDD at 1930.	
ATRON	20011			



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Dase Time 15/8/1918 0700 - 1900

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigad AUG 1918

OF

1. ATTITUDE (a) Rifle fire.

Day Patrol to TRUNY fired on from T 11 &

ENEMY.

(b) Snipers

0630 Active from GRANT BILL to MUSALLA-

BEH.

(c) Mach. Gun fire Day Patrol to TRUNY fired on by M.C.

from TEL EL RISHEH

2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY.

0630

28 horses 17 cattle grazing at W 5.

at Kh. FUSAIL U 27.

0635 1 Transport wagon & 6 horsemen & 1 Infantry moved N. from BACHALAT on FUSAIL track.

0645 5 Mounted enemy moving about W.4.5. & 6.

0845 4 camels

2 Mounted enemy BAGHALAY-Lo-GRANY-WALL. 1030 1 Enemy from BAGHALAT to GRAHT HILL.

1110 2 Wagons on track U 20 c travelling S.

1115) Movement of one and two enemy about Wadi BAKR,

-1515) BAKR RIDGE, & CHALK RIDGE.

3. ARTILLERY (b) ENEWY.

Time	Rds	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
0620 0930 1700	19 4 13 (4	77 77 77 luds#	H.E. H.E.	MUSALLABER **	U.33 U.33 U.33

(a) OWN.

18 Mountain Battery W.E. on GRANT HILL. Shells were observed to fall on three portions occupied by enemy at GRANT HILL.

- 4. ENERY No new or addtitional works located. DEFENCES
- 5. Patrols.
- 6. MISCELLAMEOUS. Hospital enlarged to5 Marquees and 6 Bell Tents.

Brigadier-General. Commanding A.L.H. Brigade.

16th August 1918

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 17.

Date 1/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900

By 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

1. Attitude of Enemy.

(a) Rifle Fire.)
(b) Snipers.
(c) Machine Gun Fire.

Nil.

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2. Enemy Movement.

6700 Few Camels and pack animals observed at U.27. Kh. FUSAIL disappearing over broken ground W.

0730 6 mounted enemy moved from GRANT HILL to

0745 70 Infantry emerged from WADI FULWAN and marched towards Kh. FUSAIL.

Throughout day - Usual number of Pack animals moving N. and S. along road W.8.14 & 20.

3. Artillery

(a) Own. 0900 Our own guns shelled N. of MUSALLABEH. Scrub fire started at W. 30.a. Burned until 1100.

1030. Our guns shelled W.4. & C.34.

1710. " " W.26. & 27, Y.1. & T.6.

Effect of oue shelling could not be observed.

(b) Enemy.

Time	Rds.	Size	Nature	Area Shelled	Direction from.
# } 1000 -1100 1030		4.2 77 duds)	S. & H.E.	Y.24 & Y.30 MUSALLABEH	UMMMES-SHERT W.20.
1445 -1700	45	77	n n	"V"Post & ABU TELLUL Le:	ft W.20.

4. Enemy Defences

Nil.

5. Miscellaneous

Large tent at Hospital either camouflaged or removed.
Strong posts in X.14d. 15.b. 9.c. & W.6.d. under close observation but no addition to existing works observed.

Commanding

Brigadier-General %rd.A.L.H. Brigade.

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H. BRIGAD

3rd. LIGHT HORSE BRIGADE. A.I.F.

WEEKLY LOCATION RETURN.

Brigade Headquarters.

8th Light Horse Regiment Headquarters

16th Light Horse Regiment Headquarters.

3rd Hachine Gun Squadron

9th Light Horse regiment

3rd Light Horse Field Ambulance

Y.29.a.7.4.

Y.5.d.3.6.

Y. 23.a. 2.9.

Y.16.b. 8.2.

Y.29.a. 4.1.

H.17.a. 8.4.

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Brigadier General Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

2/8/1918

To Headquarters, Australian Mounted Division.



Headquarters
Australian Mounted Division.

The following work was carried out during 24 hours ending 0400 today August 2nd.;

"F" Section. VYSE. 100 yards double apron wiring erected.

"G" Section. VIEW. One Machine Gun emplacement completed.

VAUX. Trip wires put out in front of VAUX Post.
80 yards trench deepened 6 inches.

Revetting and repair of all posts.

BLUFF No.2 - Completed Hotchkiss Rifles emplacement.

No.3 - 13 yards Sangar 2 feet 6 inches high and 3 feet 3 inches wide erected.

ABU TELLUL Right No.4. Sandbagging parapet completed.

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Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

2/8/1918

No.44.5CT No.44.5CT Date Hall

Headquarters.

Australian Mounted Division.

The following work was carried out during the 24 hours ending 0400 today 1st. August, 1918 :-

"F"Section THE BLUFF. Improvement of Posts No.1 and 2.

Three sangars repaired.

Road made from ROMAN ROAD near MASKERAN to, position of the Reserve Squadron on the BLUFF.

"G"Section VAUX Wire entanglement repaired.

VIEW New telephone exchange dug.

10 yards trench deepened 9 inches.

20 yards trench revetted.

ABU TELLUL Left No.1. 15 yards trench deepened 9 inches.

Left No.2. 20 yards trench deepened 1 foot.

Left No.3. 15 yards sangar erected.
One overhead traverse.

Brigadier-General.
Commanding 3rd. A.L.H.Brigade.

1st. August, 1918

Date 3/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900

By 3rd A.E.H. Brigade.

1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY. (a) Rifle shots heard from direction of T.17.d.

(b) Snipers Nil

(c) Mach. Gun Nil

2. ENEMY MOVEMENT.

20 Enemy Cavalry observed about broken ground 1.10. 0900

6 men moved S.W. to .O.P. in V.27.d. 1100

Throughout Grazing of animals at U.33 & U.23

Continual movement of driven animals chiefly cattle and a few pack animals along road between Rh. FUSAIL and WADI ABU TULWAN into the high hills at wall all disappeared W.14 & W.20.

3. ARTILLERY.

(a) OWN.

1705 Opened on BACHALAT - Good shoot but ho enemy movement observed,

(b) ENEMY.

Time	Rds.	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from.
0730	10	77.	Shrap.	W.35.b.&.d.	V.31. (approx.)
1430 -1500	8	Small	Shrap.	MUSALLABEH	₩.20.
1700	10	77.	Shrap.	MUSALLABEH	W.8.

4. ENEMY DEFENCES. No additions to existing works observed.

4. or 5 Bell tents waxxxxx from Hospital area 5. MISCELLANEOUS. night 2nd/3rd.

> Brigadier-General. Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

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Headquarters, Australian Mounted Division.

The following work was carried out during 24 hours ending 0400 to-day 3rd. August 1918 :-

"F" SECTION. VYSE. 75 yards double apron wiring erected.

100 yards double apron wiring repaired.

"G" SECTION. VALE. 20 yards trench deepened 3 feet.

VIEW. Alternative machine gun emplacement constructed.

10 yards trench deepened 1 foot.

VAUX. WER 120 yards low wiring erected.

Z00 and ZEISS. Trenches revetted.

ZERUM. 40 yards double apron wiring erected.

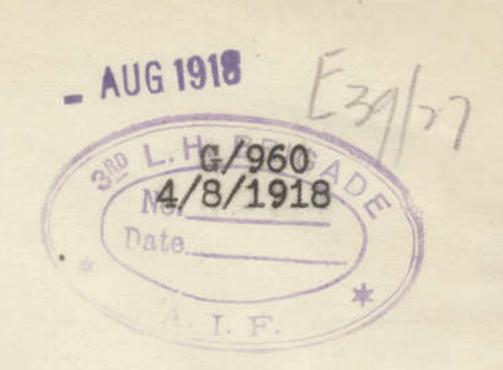
THE BLUFF No.3 13 yards of stone wall raised 2 feet 9 inch.

ABU TELLUL Right No4 9 yards trench deepened 6 inches.

ABU TELLUL Left No.4. East. Hotchkiss Rifle Emplacement constructed.

Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

3rd August 1918.



Headquarters, Australian Mounted Division.

The following work was carried during 24 hours ending 0400 to-day, 4th. August, 1918:-

"F" SECTION. MUSALLABEH. 80 yards double apron wiring erected. 8 yards sangar erected.

> 50 yards double apron wiring erected. VYSE.

"G" SECTION. VALE. 25 yards trench deepened 2 feet.

15 yards trench revetted.

Hotchkiss rifle emplacement constructed.

12 yards trench revetted. VIEW.

7 coils wire erected on rear entanglement. VAUX.

Two Hotchkiss rifle emplacements improved. Z00'.

ZEISS. Entanglement and trenches repaired.

25 yards double apron wiring erected. ZERUM.

12 yards trench deepened 6 inches. THE BLUFF. No.1.

> 8 yards stone wall 3 feet 6 inches high 2 feet 6 inches wide erected. No.3.

One machine gun emplacement constructed. No.2 Left. ABU TELLUL

> One hotchkiss rifle emplacement construct-No.3 Left. ed.

Strength of Working Party supplied by 4th L.H. Brigade :-

2 Officers 105 Other ranks including horse-holders.

Brigadier-General. Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brikade.

4th August, 1918

Date 4/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900 By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

- 1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY. (a) Rifle fire 0530 few shots heard at Y.2.b. Direction of firing could not be ascertained.
 - (b) Snipers
 - (c) Mach. Gun 1100 Burst of M.G. fire at CAVE HILL.
- 2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY. 0700 2 Mounted enemy riding W. disappeared at WADI HAJAJ 0700 About 40 horses grazing near hospital.

0800 8 Mounted Enemy moved S. along foothill W.8 14 & 20 and sisappeared about W.20.a. 0800 4 Pack animals from TULWAN W.2 to FUSAIL.

0930 4 wagons moving W. along road U.16, 15, & 14

1400 Small detached parties moving both ways along feethills W.S. 14. & 20.

.1700 Dismounted enemy in ones and twos amounting .1700 in all to about 70 moved from FUSAIL to W.20. disappearing into WADI N. of BAKR RIDGE.

Some enemy in light uniform (nearly white) and some in dark uniform.

3. ARTILLERY.

0840 Shelled GRANT HILL and WADI BAKR

0900 Shelled W. end of CHALK RIDGE.

1400 Shelled road and foothills W.14.

1515 Shelledk road and foothills U.32.

(b) Enemy.

Time Rds Size 0820 10 Small Calibre

Nature Shrapnel

W.20.c.

Direction from Y.16 & 17.

0900 41

Shrap & H.E.

W.20.c.

Y.23 & 24.

4. DEFENCES.

Nil.

5. RELIEFS.

1715 Relief changed over on 0.P? X.8.a. 4 men rode away immediately afterwards and disappeared into broken ground.

5th August 1918

Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.



Headquarters, Australian Mounted Division. - AUG 1918 : E39 29

The following work was carried out during the 24 hours ending 0400 to-day 5th. August, 1918 :-

"F"SECTION. BUGALLABBU at yards single aprom wiring erected.

YYSE. 90 yards double apron wiring erected.

"G"SECTION. VALE. 30 yards trench deepened 1 foot. Hotchkiss rifle emplacement constructed.

> AIRE. 10 yards trench revetted.

VAUX. Wire entanglement repaired.

200 Hotchkise rifle emplacement constructed.

ZEISE. Notchkiss rifle emplacement and entanglement improved.

ZERUM. Entanglement and trenches improved.

Manale. 12 yards sangar 2 feet high erected.

> 110. 3. 3 yards stone wall raised 1 feet 6 inches.

No. de Notchkiss rifle emplacement constructed.

ABU TELLUL Right No 4. 30 cubic feet earth in trench excavated.

> Strength of working party supplied by 4th. L.H. Brigade 3 Officers and 45 Other ranks excluding horse-holders.

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5th August 1918

Brigadier-General.

3rd. A.H.H. Brigade.

Commanding

Date 5/8/18 Time 0700 - 1900

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 21. By 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade

1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY.

(a) Rifle Fire.)
(b) Snipers.
(c) Mach. Gun.)

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2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY. 0710 400 Cavalry, dismounted observed about U.10 or 16.a & b.

0730 400 Cavalry from direction of JORDAN joined first 400.

0800 400 moved E. in direction of JORDAN.
400 disappeared into foothills U.9.

Nil.

0730 20 Cavalry moved N. along road from W.8 to Kh. FUSAIL.

-0900 Small mounted parties and led animals going in both directions along boad W.20, 14 & 8 to Kh. FUSAIL.

0800 One mounted enemy, five pack animals and 15 infantr moved about trenches in X.15.

0815 4 mounted enemy and 8 pack animals moved E. from X.15.

1245 30 Infantry in single file moving N. observed at W.14.b. and win disappeared into WADI MAHMUD.

1700 6 Infantry moved to position at X.9.c from about X 21.b. Shortly afterwards 5 men moved from X.9.c. to direction of X. 21. b.

3. ARTILLERY

(a) OWN.

(b) ENEMY.

2	Time	Rds.	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
	0700	25	10 pdr.	H.E.	MUSALLABEH	V.31.a.
	1430	7	4.2"	H.E.	S. slope of MUSALLABEH & N.	REDHILL
	1620	12	77. ?	H.E.	Blope of BLUFF.	V.31.a.
1	DESCRIPTION	313.03				

4. DEFENCES.

6th. August, 1918

Brigadier-General. Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.



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Headquarters, Australian Mounted Division.

The following work was carried out during 24 hours ending 0400 to-day 6th. August 1918 :-

"F" SECTION. MUSALLABEH. 150 yards entanglement wired with four wires.

"G" SECTION. VALE. 12 yards trench deepened 1 foot 6 inches.

Ammunition store dug.

VIEW. 10 yards trench deepened 6 inches.

Machine gun emplacement dug.

ZEISS. Entanglement repaired - trenches improved.

THE BLUFF. Following Stone Sangars constructed :-

15 feet long, 4 feet wide, 3 feet high.

18 feet long. 4 feet 6 inches wide, 3 feet high.

ABU TELLUL. Right No.4. 40 cubic feet of communication trench excavated.

Strength of Working Party supplied by 4th. A.L.H. Brigade :3 Officers 45 Other ranks excluding horse-holders.

Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

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Brigadier-General.

6th. August, 1918

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 22.

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- AUG 1918

Date 6/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900

By 3rdn A.L.H. Brigade.

1. ATTITUDE

a) Rifle fire

Nil.

ENEMY.

Snipers Machine Gun fire.

2. ENEMY MOVEMENT.

120 Enemy Infantry with pack donkeys and 3 bullock wagons moved W. through U.15 & 14 and 0645 disappeared into WADI HAJAJ U.13.

0830 2 Mule wagons moved S.E. along road X.8.b

0920 10 or 12 enemy walking about wire in X.9.

1200 8 men with 4 pack animals moved S.E. on road from Kh. FUSAIL and disappeared at X.9.

40 Cavalry travelling E. in view for a few 1345 seconds at Sq. X.3.d.

3. ARTILLERY.

(a) OWN.

(b) ENEMY.

Time	Rds.	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
0530	40	10 pdr.	Shrap & H.E.	ABU TELLUL Y.23. Y.15.	W.20.
1425	5	10 pdr.	H.E.	MUSALLABEH	W.20.¢.
1615	25	10 pdr.	H.E.	Y.23.	W.20.8.

4. DEFENCES.

Nil.

5. SMOKE.

1500 Smoke rising on TEL EL MUSETTERAH.

6. MISCELLANEOUS. 0600

Our plane dropped two bombs on BAGHALAT. 2 mounted enemy (on horses) and 2 on camels immediately left in direction of FUSAIL also two dismounted men ran out and lay down W. of BAGHALAT.

Brigadier-General. Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

'th August 1918

No. G/25 No. G/25 Dat7/8/1918 A. I. F.

Headquarters.
Australian Mounted Division.

The following work wascarried out during the 24 hours ending 0400 to-day 7th August 1918 :-

"F" SECTION. MUSALLABEH. 150 yards double apron wiring erected.

WYSE. 40 yards trip wire erected.

"G" SECTION VALE. 12 yards trench dug 3 feet deep.

10 yards trench deepened 1 foot.

VIEW. Machine gun emplacement improved.

ZEISS. Trenches deepened and repaired.

THE BLUFF No. 3. Sandbag wall 24 feet long 5 feet wide 1 foot 8 inches high erected.

ABU TELLUL Right No.4. 30 cubic feet communication trench excavated.

Strength of Working Party supplied by 4th. A.L.H. Brigade
3 Officers 43 Other ranks excluding horse-holders

Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

7th August 1918

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 23.

Date 7/8/1918 0700 - 1900 Time

STORE TO BE

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

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(a) Rifle Fire.

b) Snipers. Mach. Gun Fire.

Nil.

2. ENEMY MOVEMENT.

6 men with 8 donkeys and 6 Camels moved N. along 0730 road W.14.c.

0805 3 Infantry from position at X 16 b to X 15 b.

0810 observed to move W. from X 8 b.

0830 30 ponies grazing near Kh. FUSAIL.

50 horses and cattle driven into WADI ARAK HAJAJ 0845 at U 14 c.

0900 50 animals halted on bank of same WADI about U 14c.

6 men travelling N. along road W d & b. appeared to be carrying 3 stretchers.

1040 6 pack horses being moved about on works X 15 b.

All Day. Usual traffic of small parties and led animals along road W. 20, 14 & 8 and U 14, 15 & 16

3. ARTILLERY. ENEMY.

Time	Rds.	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction fro
0745	15	77	H.E.	MUSALLABEH Y 21 a & b. MUSALLABEH	W 20
09 50	12	77	Shrap		U 17 d (appro
1200	10	77	H.E. &		W 20
1515	20	77	Shrap.		V 31

- 4. ENEMY DEFENCES. Trenches appear to have been dig linking up work on X 16 b with work on X 15 b. Work on X 16 b extended to X 17 a.
- 5. MISCELLANEOUS. A Sergeant deserter stated that road from X 9 through X 1 and U 36 was in fair condition for wheel transport.
- 6. DESERTERS.

1 Sergt. & 3 Ptes. 1st Bath. 58th Regt.) Cave themsel-1 Cpl. & 1 Pte. 2nd Batn. 58th Regt.

> Brigadier-General. Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

8th August 1918



Headquarters.

Australian Mounted Division.

- AUG 1918

The following work was carried during the 24 hours emding 0400 to-day 8th August 1918 :-

"F" SECTION. MUSALLABEH. 150 yards single apron wiring erected.

WYSE. 30 yards trip wire erected.

"G" SECTION. VALE. 15 yards parapet levelled.

5 yards trench dug 2 feet deep.

VAUX. 70 yards double apron wiring erected.

ZEISS. Trenches widened and deepened.

ABU TELLUL. Right No.2 360 cubic feet firetrench excavated.

60 cubic feet communication trench excavated.

Strength of Working Party supplied by 4th L.H. Brigade :- 3 Officers 47 Other ranks excluding horse-holders.

Commanding 3rd A.L.H.Brigade.

8th August 1918.

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 24

_ AUG 1918

E39/36

Date 8/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900

By 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

OF ENEMY.

(a) Rifle Fire. Nil. (b) Snipers Nil.

(c) Machine Gun Fire 0800 - 0820 at intervals from work in X 15 b.

2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY.

Exceptionally slight.

0515 6 enemy and 1 mule om X 4.

Usual movement of small parties along Roads W 20.

14 & 8 and U 16. 15 & 14 but enemy did not come
under observation throughout the day at any of
his positions or works.

3. ARTILLERY

(a) OWN.

0700 Effect of shelling W 2 b. Could not be observed.

1130 Effect of shelling CAVE HILL & WADI BAKR. Could not be observed.

(b) ENEMY.

Time	Rds.	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
0730	12	10 pdr.	H.E. & S.	ABU TELLUL Left.	W 20
0740	30	0 0		Y 23 a & 6	W 20
0745	12	77	и и	MUSALLABEH	W 20
1040	7	77	a a	VYSE (about W 34 d)) W 20
1530	4	77	H.E.	MUSALLABEH	40 degrees fro

4. ENEMY DEFENCES.

2 new sangars on CHALK RIDGE W 19 d.

Increased wiring on work X 10 c.

About 20 coils wire observed at X 15. Carted during nigh

th August 1918

Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

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LOCATION RETURN.

3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

9th August 1918

Y 29 a 7.4. Y 5 d 3.6. Y 29 a 4.1. Y 23 a 2.9. Y 16 b 8.2.	B 6
K 6 c & d K 5 b.	

To Headquarters. Australian Mounted Division.

9/8/1918



Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

3RD. LIGHT HORSE BRIGADE ORDER No. 16.

Reference Map 1/40,000. Sheets B 6. C 6.

9th August 1918UG 1918

1. The 9th L.H. Regiment will relieve the 8th L.H. Regiment as garrison of "F" Section of No. 3 Sub-Sector on the night 10th/11th . August 1918.

2. On completion of the relief the 8th L.H. Regiment will occupy the present bivouse of the 9th L.H. Regiment as follows :-

(a) Regiment (less one Squadron)
(b) One Squadron.

Y.29.a. 3.1. Y.16.b. 6.7.

3. On night 10th/11th August patrols will be detailed as follows:

(a) MASKERAH Mounted Patrol (b) Standing patrols in front of

"G" Section.

Unit supplying Patrol. Brigade Scouts.

10th L.H. Regiment.

4. Commanding Officer, 9th L.H. Regiment will ensure that all Officers concerned make themselves thoroughly acquainted with all details regarding the defence of "F" Section prior to the relief.

- 5. All trench stores, ammunition, grenades, and documents relating to "F" Section will be taken over by the relieving unit, duplicate receipts being forwarded to B.H.Q.
- 6. The fact of the completion of relief will be wired "PRIORITY" to Brigade Headquarters by both units concerned.
- 7. On completion of the relief the command of "F" Section will pass from C.O. 8th L.H. Regiment to C.O. 9th L.H. Regiment.
- 8. All details for the relief not laid down in this Order will be arranged mutually by Regimental Commanders concerned.
- 9. The Led horses of the 8th & 9th Regiments will move on night 10th/11th August as follows :-

Unit	F	rom	To	Hour of	Route
(a) 8th L.H. (less one	Regiment Squadron)	Sq. K 6	Sq. Y 29 a.	3.1. 1930	29
(b) 9th L.H. (less one	Regiment Squadron)	Sq. Y 29 a 3.1.	Sq. K 6	1930	29

10. Acknowledge.

Brigade Major 3rd ALL.H. Brigade.

Issued at

1030.

Copies to :-		
No.1	8th	L.H. Regiment.
2	9th	do
3	ioth	do
. 4		M.G. Bauadron.
5		Signal Troop
6		L.H. Field Ambulance.
7	Call Line	Cavalry Brigade.
8, 9,		War Diary
11	8th	Mobile Veterinary Section.
12	3rd	Field Troop A.E.

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Headquarters.
Australian Mounted Division.

Herewith report of reconnaissance carried out by 1 Officer (Lieut. J.M. McDONALD) and 6 other ranks of 9th L.H. Regiment last night in a northerly direction from MASKERAH towards the line Square X.1 - BAGHALAT.

Brigadier-General.
Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

9th August 1918

From 3rd A.L.H. Brigade. To Headquarters,

- AUG 1918 Australian Mounted Division.

The following is the report of Lieut. J. McDONALD. 9th L.H. Regiment, in charge of special patrol from 9th L.H. despatched night 8th/9th Aug. to reconnoitre ground to N. of MASKERAH for Enemy wire etc.

REF. MAP DAMIEH 1/40,000.

STRENGTH

1 Off. 1 Sgt. 5 0/R. Patrol passed MASKERRAH at 2100. On reaching point W.30.a.10.5. the horses were left with 9th L.H. standing patrol and Special Patrol proceeded on bearing about 350 degrees travelling dismounted a distance of about 3500 yards. I detailed Sgt. RUNN to pace the distance.

Left point W.30.a.10.5. at 2130 and reached point about W.S.d.9.0. at 2350. This was most northerly

point reached by patrol.

Bamboos with white paper attached were erected at points about W.24.a.8.5. and W.5.d.9.0. These were erected so that ranges could be taken on them early on 9/8/18.

COUNTRY

The country traversed was dry marshy, at present time being suitable for all arms. It was thickly covered by bushes averaging three feet high. No Wadi or impassable ground was encountered.

TRACKS

Many fresh enemy tracks were crossed. Most of these were made by horses and were running W.S.W. These in the majority of cases were probably made by enemy patrolsas the halting place of two patrolsm

A large burnt patch about 100 yards in width was crossed about W.18.a.5.0. This was evidently burnt from East to West.

ENEMY No indications of enemy defences were seen and DEFENCES. there was no sign of any wire. The front of patrol sometimes covered about 300 yards.

MISCELLANEOUS As the last bamboo was being erected movement was heard and three figures were seen about 70 yards to WEST. This indicated an enemy patrol which we managed to avoid. My patrol then left to return to horses. It was then 2355.

The patrol had returned about 200 yards when a long burst of Machine Gun fire was heard from the direction of W.4.central. After five minutes a similar burst was fired.

I came to the conclusion that the enemy must have

heard our patrol was in the vicinity

On return journey the distance was again checked. The Patrol returned rapidly to led horses which were reached at 0040.

I reported at MASKERRAH and arrived at 9th L.H. Regiment at 0200

9/8/18.

(sgd) J.M. McDonald, Lieut. O.C., Patrol.

BRD. LIGHT HORSE BRIGADE ORDER No. 17

Reference Map 1/40,000 Sheets B 6. C 6.

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9th August 1918

1. With effect from 1200 to-morrow 10th August 1918, the Left Sector of Desert Mounted Corps will be revorganised to be held as follows :-

(a) Nos. 1 and 2 Sub-sectors under command of G.O.C., 12th. Cavalry Brigade.

Troops available. 12th Cavalry Brigade.

ALWAR Imperial Service Infantry Battalier

(b) Nos. 3 and 4 Sub-Sectors under command of G.O.C., 3rd.

Troops available. 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

WORCESTER Yeomanry.

One Section 19th Machine Gun Squadron.

(c) Right Group Divisional Reserves under command of G.O.C., 13th Cavalry Brigade.

Troops available. 13th Cavalry Brigade (less 1 Regiment and 1 Section Machine Guns)

Location. H.Q. 13th Cavalry Brigade H.17.c.5.3.

9th Hedson's Herse (uns) 2.26.

18th Lancers. One Section Machine Gun } Y.28.

- 2. On completion of the above reorganisation the 4th. A.L.H. Brigade withdraws into Corps Reserve at TALAAT ED DUME.
- 3. Acknowledge.

Issued at 1600

Brigade Major 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

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3rd Field Troop. A.E.

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Headquarters,
Australian Mounted Division.

Herewith report of reconnaissance carried out by 1 Officer (Lieut B.G.B. LANE) and 6 Other ranks of 9th L.H. Regiment last night in a northerly direction from MASKERAH towards the line Square X.7.central - Square W.12. central.

10th. August 1918

(Sd) L.C. Wilson, Brigadier-General Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

REPORT of 9th L.H.Regt. SPECIAL PATROL for night 9th # 10th August 1918.

Reference Map - DAMIEH 1/40000.

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Strength . 1 Officer, 1 Seggeant, and 5 Other ranks. Arms carried, 2 Rifles, 6 Bayonets, 5 Revolvers. Ammunition - S.A.A. 50 per rifle. Revolver 12 per revolver. Mills Grenades -1 each all ranks.

Pace & Distance. Marched from W. 30c. 10.4. Don a bearing of 10 degrees for a distance of 1500 yards where a flag was placed about W.24.b.5.4, thence to edge of swamp, 2500 yards 13.a.1.6. From this point on a bearing varying from 15 & 18 degrees for a distance of a further 700 yards to WADI about X. x. C. X. ' X.7.c.5.8. where a second flag was planted, this was about 250 yards from enemy position.

Method of obtaining direction and distance. Myself and one of the advance points each used compasses

Distance was paced both outwards and on return.

Country. The country is very heavily bushed, but passable for cava; ry in troop columns, and half sections. It is not intersected by deep Wadis until the Wadi in X7 is reached, which has a wide bed with sloping banks, and is swampy along the Northern side of the depression, which would not carry horses.
The swamp in W.12.d and W.18.b and X13 is fair going,

sandy, and horses would sink over the fetlock. There

is no surface water.

Enemy Tracks. Camel tracks are very frequent, and appear to move from an easterly to a westerly direction, through Square W.24 and W.18, with a few visable in X.7.c.

Enemy Positions. There are Trenches not occupied large enough to hold 50 men in W.24.b also an unoccupied trench in X.13. c. These trenches were about 4 ft 6 in deep and well dug The North bank of Wadi in X.7 is strongly held between 30 and 50 men were seen there . On returning occupied post were encountered (1) At W.24.b about a hundred yards to the west of the unoccupied trenches. (2) At X.19a central. Strength of these post is not known.

OBSTACLES. No wire or other obstacles were encountered.

Attitude of enemy. We were not interfered with on going out, but on return the enemy (1) at W.24.b was observed and 5 or 6 men were sean to move either to try and surround or to occupy trenches. No shots were fired, when manouvreing to get away from these, No 2 post at X.19.a. fired a number of shots and sent up a flare. After that intermittent firing took place along running East and West through X.7 central on a front of about 2000 yards also 2 more flares were fired from along along this line.

At every halt it was noticed that the mosquitoes Mosquitoes. were extremely vicious especially on the swampy area.

Two bamboos (called flags in this report) were erect-Note. ed, bearing and distances will be taken on these this morning to verify positions. Propaganda papers were left in formost position gained and in the trenches at 24.B.

(sgd) B.G.G.LANE. O.C. Patrol. 9th L.H.Regiment.

BRD. LICHT HOUSE BRIGADE ORDER No. 16.

Reference Hap 1/40.000.

9th August 1918

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1. The 9th L.H. Regiment will relieve the 8th L.B. Regiment as garrison of "F" Section of No. 3 Sub-Sector on the night 10th/11th August 1918.

2. On completion of the relief the 8th L.H. Regiment will occupy the present bivouse of the 9th L.H. Regiment as follows :-

(a) Regiment (less one Squadron)
(b) One Squadron.

Y.29.8. 3.1. Y.16.b. 6.7.

3. On night 10th/11th August patrols will be detailed as follows:

(a) MASSERAR Mounted Patrol (b) Standing patrols in front of "C" Section.

Brigade Scouts.

10th L.H. Regiment.

4. Commanding Officer. Oth L.H. Regiment will ensure that all Officers concerned make themselves thoroughly acquainted with all details regarding the defence of "F" Section prior to the relief.

5. All trench stores, association, grenades, and documents relating to "F" Section will be taken over by the relieving unit, deplicate receipts being forwarded to B.H.Q.

6. The fact of the completion of relief will be wired "PRICRITY" to Brigade Headquarters by both units concerned.

7. On completion of the relief the command of "F" Section will pass from C.O. 8th L.H. Regiment to C.O. 9th L.H. Regiment.

8. All details for the relief not laid down in this Order will be arranged mutually by Regimental Commanders concerned.

9. The Led horses of the 8th & 9th Regiments will move on might 10th/11th August as follows :-

	Unit		om			To		Hour	A states	Route
1	(a) 8th L.H. (less one	Regiment Squadron)	Sq. E (Sq.	Y	29	a.3.1.	1930	29
-	(b) 9th L.H. (less one	Regiment Squadron)	Sq. Y 1	29 n	Sq.	K	6		1930	29

10. Acknowledge.

Brigade Hajor 3rd ALL.H. Brigade.

3rd Field Troop A.E.

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Copies to :
No.1 Sth L.H. Regiment.

2 9th do

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4 Srd M.C. Squadron.

5 3rd Signal Troop

6 3rd L.H. Field Ambulance.

7 12th Cavalry Brigade.

8. 9. 10. War Diary

11 Sth Hobile Veterinary Section.

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 25

Date. 9/8/1918 Time 0700- 1900

By 3rd A.L. W. Brigade.

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1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY.

(a) Rifle fire Nil (b) Snipers Nil (c) Mach. Gun fire 0645 Machine Gun fire at intervals from X.15

0730

2. ENEMY MOVEMENT.

0700 20 animals grazing in W.14.a

0800 4 horsemen and 3 mules from V.13 to WADI ARAK HAJAJ.

0830 10 motor lorries travelling W. from U.17 to U.13.

0900 50 led horses from W.8. to U.14.

0900 50 horses grazing on U.20.

1025 18 infantry from N.9. to N.15.

1445 6 mule wagons from U.17 to U.13.

3. ARTILLERY.

(a) OWN -

(b) EHEMY

	Time	Rds	Calibra	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
	1540	12	77	H.E.& S.	W.35.d.	W.20.
	1620	22	77	H.E. & S.	Ranging S. & W. of Enemy works at W.6.d.1.2.	W.20.
	1700	3	77	H.E.	MUSALLABER	W.20.
2	1830	10	77	H.E.	MUSALLABEH	W.7. or 8.

4. ENEMY DEFENCES.

Wiring on work on X 15 increased and extended 200 yards North.
(Note. Intelligence Summary Ausdiv of 9/8/18 Para. d.patrol reported no wire round either post in X 15 b.



Brigadier-Ceneral. Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade. Headquarters. Australian Mounted Division.



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Reference Para. 4 of your SG. 332 of 9th August 1918.

The following is the suggested plan for the relief of the present garrisons in No.3 and No.4 Sub-sectors :-

Date

"A" Coy. "A" Battalion, B.W.I. Regiment, to Night 12th/13th relieve 10th L.H. Regiment and one section M.G. August. Squadron as garrison "G" Section.

12th/13th After relief 10th L.H. Regiment and one section 3rd M.G. Squadron to relieve 18th August Lancers and 4 Machine Guns in Y.28. It is assumed that the 18th Lancers and 4 Machine Guns will be withdrawn from their present bivouacs Y.28 to enable 10th L.H. Regiment and 4 Machine Guns to take over area.

13th/14th "B" Coy. "A" Battalion, B.W.I. Regiment, to relieve 9th L.H. Regimentand 1 Section 3rd. August. M.G. Squadron as garrison "F" Section

13th/14th After relief 9th L.H. Regiment and 1 Section August 3rd M.G. Squadron to move to AIN ED DUK.

13th/14th Two Coys. "B" Battalion B.W.I. Regiment to relieve Worcester Yeomanry as garrison No.4 August Sub-sector .

13th/14th "B" Battalion B.W.I. Regiment (less 2 Coys.) to move from H.26.d. to Y.28. August

"C" Coy. "A" Battalion, B.W.I. Regiment, to 14th/15th relieve 1 Squadron 8th L.H. Regiment and 1 August Section 3rd M.G. Squadron as garrison BLUFF-ABU TELLUL.

14th/15th After relief, 1 Squadron 8th L.H. Regiment to rejoin Regiment at MADHBEH. August

14th/15th After relief, 1 Section 3rd M.G. Squadron to August rejoin 3rd M.G. Squadron at MADHBEH.

14th/15th "A" Battalion, B.W.I. Regiment(less "A", "B", "C" Coys.) to move from MADHBEH to Y.17.c.2.1. August

Arrangements will be made for a proportion of the personnel of the present garrisons to remain with the relieving Infantry until the latter become thoroughly acquainted with all details of defence.

> Brigadier-General. 3rd A.L.H. Brigade. Commanding

10th August 1918.

Date 10/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY. (a) Rifle fire

(b) Snipers (c) Machine Gun fire. - AUG 1918

Patrols to TRUNY at 1000 and 1600 fired on from T 17 a

2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY.

0900 2 men walked from CHALK RIDGE to BAGHALAT.

0830 1 man observed in sangar T.11.b.4.2.

0910 4 dismounted enemy moved from T.23.a. towards water.

0015 25 to 30 infantry from U.14.c. to X.14.

0900 2 mounted enemy appeared at X.13.

0900 30 infantry marched E. from U.14.a. to U.16.a.

0930 150 animals on bank of WADI HAJAJ U.14.c. observed for few minutes only.

0930 3 men from BAGHALAT to GRANT RIDGE.

0930 10 pack animals moved W. from U 17 to U 15

1100 13 infantry moved S. from X 15 and disappeared 400 yards S. of works.

1115 6 men and 4 pack animals moved N. from WADI BAKR W. 20.d. to W.14.d.

1130 Relief changed over at BAGHALAT.

1545 3 enemy observed T.23. 8.8. moved N. and disappeared behind RISHEH.

1630 Movement observed at T.17.b.&.d. Probably working party, disappeared behind RISHEH soon after.

3. ARTILLERY

(a) OWN -

(b) ENEMY.

Time	Rds	Size	Hature	Area shelled	Direction from
0900	3	77 10 pdr.	H.E. S. & H.E.		W.20. W.20.
1035	12	.77	S. & H.E.	A WANE Posts Y.10.b.	S.B. 295 degree
1140	5	10 pdr	H.E.	1500 yazda N.	from MUSALLABEH W.20.
1640	3	77	H.E.	of WAX Post MUSALLABEH	W.20.

4. ENEMY DEFENCES Nil.

Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 27 AUG 1918 E 29/49

Date 11/8/1918 0700 - 1900 Time

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY.

- Rifle fire Nil
- WICK Post sniped at from direc-Snipers 1100 -1200 tion of MUSETTERAH.
- Mach. Gun fire Nil.
- 2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY.

Throughout Parties of 1 to 3 men observed in T.10, T.11 & T.23. day.

0500 3 dismounted enemy from GRANT HILL to EL BAGHALAT.

30 Mounted enemy observed at Sq. W.16 and 0600 disappeared N.W.

0845 15 led pack horses N. along road W.20.b. to W. 14.b.

0800-2 Mounted enemy at sangar at T.10.a.8.2. 38 1130

1400 2 dismounted enemy from FOKA to MUSETTERAH

6 enemy moved from X.15 to X 16. 1000

Throughout Usual movement of pack animals along road day. W.20.b. and W.14.

3. ARTILLERY.

- (a) OWN. -
 - (b) ENEMY.

	Time	Rds.	Calibre	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from.
	0605- 0630	20	10 pdr.	H.E. & S.	Sq. Y.22.	W.20.
	0615	6	n n	H.E.	H.3.c. & H.2.d.	W.20.
	0930	26	77	H.E.	Y.6.a.	V.31.
(0930	15	77	H.E.	Y.6.a.	RED HILL
	1530	14	77	3.	Sq. Y.23.	
	1800	6	10 pdr.	S.	Sq. Y.22.d & c	₩.20.
	0830	10	77	8.	Sq. Y.23	V.31.

4. ENEMY DEFENCES. Wire on small trench in Sq. X.8.a.

Brigadier-General.
Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

12th August 1918

3rd. L. H. BRIGADE No. 18 ORDER

Reference Map 1/40,000 Sheets B 6 and C 6.

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The defensive front of Nes. 3 and 4 Subsectors will be gradually reorganised during the period August 12th - 15th.

Then the reorganisation is complete, the garrison will be distributed as follows :-

1st. Battm. B.W.I. Regt.

"F" & "G" Sections.

Two Coys. 2nd Bn. B.W.I. Regt.

No. 4 Subsector.

2nd Bn. B.W.I. Regt. (less 2 Coys) Y.28.

8th L.H. Regiment.

Y.29.

AIN ED DUK

Less detachments in close support of the Infantry.

9th L.H. Regiment.

Y. 28.

3rd M.G. Squadron.

10th L.H. Regiment.

"F" & "G" Sections.

- The moves are detailed in Bovek Table attached. 30
- Reliefs will be carried out as follows :-40
 - (a) On night 12th/13th August.
 - (i) One Coy. 1st Bn. B.W.I. Regt. will relieve 10th L.H. Regiment as garrison of "G" Section.
 - (ii) 1st Batn. B.W.I. Regt. (lass & Coys.) will take ever the present Headquarters, 10th L.H. Regiment, at Y.17.c. 2.1. and bivouse at Y.16.d.5.6.
 - (iii) On relief 10th L.H. Regiment will move to Y.28.
 - (b) On night 13th/14th August.
 - (i) One Coy. 1st. Bn. B.W.I. Regt. will relieve 9th L.H. Regimentas garrison of "F" Section.
 - (ii) On relief 9th L.H. Regiment will move to AIN ED DUK.
 - (iii) Two Coys. 2nd Bn. H.W.I. Regt. will relieve Worcester Yeomanry and 4 Machine Guns as garrison No. 4 Subsector.
 - (iv) On relief Wercester Yeomanry and 4 Machine Guns will move to camp in H.26.d. coming, on arrival, under the command of G.O.C., 13th Cavalry Brigade.
 - (v) 2nd. Bn. B.W.1. Regt. (less two Coys) will move from H.26.d. to Y.28.
 - (c) On night 14th/15th August.
 - (i) One Coy. 1st Bn. B.W.I. Regt. will relieve one squadron 8th L.H. Regiment as garrison of THE BLUFF - ABU TELLUL.
 - (ii) On relief one squadron 8th L.H. Regiment will move to Y. 29. and rejoin its Regiment.

Led horses will move as follows :-5.

- AUG 1918 / 39/50 (a) On night 12th/13th August.

At 1930 the led horses of 10th L.H. Regiment will move from K.S. to Y.28.

(b) On night 13th/14th August.

At 1930 the led horses of 9th L.H. Regiment will move from K.6. to "F" Section and on relief of personnel to AIN ED DUK.

(c) On night 14th/15th August.

At 1930 the led horses of one squadron 3th L.H. Regt. will move from K.5 to Y.29

- The fact of the completion of all reliefs and moves will be wired "PRIORITY" to this office.
- The command of all troops in "F" Section, "G" Section No. 4 Subsector will pass to the O.C. incoming troops on the completion of the respective reliefs. Until such completion, troops will respectively remain under the command of the present C.Os.
- During the relief the C.Os. of the 9th L.H. Regiment, 10th L.H. Regiment and Worcester Yeomanry will hand over to the C.O. of the ist and 2nd Bns. B.W.I. Regt. the following stores, documents etc. relating to "F" Section, "G" Section and No. 4 Subsector respective. ly:"
 - (a) All Area Stores for which receipts will be given. Two copies of receipts will be forwarded to this office.
 - (b) All special maps, sketches, orders and information relating tot the defences.
- Commanding Officers of the 1st and 2nd Bns. B.W.I. Regt. will ensure that all officers concerned make themselves accusinted with the details regarding the defence of Nos. 3 and 4 Subsectors respectively prior to the relief.
- 10. C.Os. 9th and 10th L.H. Regiments will each detail 1 N.C.O. and 9 Other ranks to remain in each of the named posts as close support to the Infantry. This personnel will be under the command

of the officers in charge of the respective posts for tuctical purposes.

C.OS. 9th and 10th L.H. Regiments will each detail 1 Officer to supervise their personnel remaining in the defences for

administrative purposes.

C.O. 10th L.H. Regiment will detail 1 N.C.O. and 9 Other ranks to move into and remain in each of the works in No. 4 Subsector viz WOOD, WANE, WART, WAX, to act in close support of the Infantry from night 13th/14th August inclusive.

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- 11. (a) From night 11th/12th August inclusive the 8th L.H.

 Regiment will detail the usual mounted patrol of 1

 Officer and EL 8 Other ranks North of MASKERAH.
 - (b) From night 12th/13th August inclusive the 8th L.H.
 Regiment will detail the usual dismounted patrols in
 front of "G" Section.
 - (e) From night 13th/14th August inclusive the 9th L.H. Regiment will provide the reconneitring detachment in front of No. 4 Subsector at present being detailed by the Worcester Yeomanry.
- 12. All details for the relief not laid down in this order will be arranged mutually by the Commanders concerned.
- 13. Administrative instructions will be issued later.
- 14. Acknowledge.

Brigade Wajor 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

11th August 1918

Issued at 1600,

Copy No. 1 8th L.H. Regiment.

9th " "

10th " "

A 3rd M.G. Squadren.

5 3rd Signal Treep A.E.

6 3rd L.H. Field Ambulance.

7 Worcester Yeemanry.

8 1st Bn. B.W.I. Regiment.

2nd Bn. B.W.I. Regiment.

10 0.C., 3rd L.H. Brigade Led Horses.

11 Australian Mounted Division.

12 12th Cavalry Brigade.

13 13th Cavalry Brigade.

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MOVE TABLE T	O ACCOMPANY	3rd L.H.	BRIGADE	ORDER	No.	18
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Seri	al AUGUS'	UNIT	FROM	TO	Hour of Starting	ROUTE	REMARKS.
	Night 12/13	One Coy., 1st. Bn. B.V.I. Regt	Y.29	"G" Section	1930	NEST PERSON COST COST COST COST COST COST COST COST	
2	do	1st Bn.B.W.I. Regt(less 3 Coys	Y.29.	Y.17.c.2.1.an Y.16.d.5.6.	d 1930		H.Q. 1st Bn. B.W.I.Regt. taking over present HQrs. 10th L.H.Regt.at Y.17.c. 2.1. One Coy. 1st Bn. B.W.I.Regt. occupying present bivousc Reserve Sqd 10th L.H.Regt at Y.16.d.5.6.
3	do	10th L.H.Regt.	"G" Sect-	Y.28.	After relief.	26 & 33	Occupying camp being vacated by 18th Lancers and 4 Eachine Guns.
4	Night 13/14	One Coy.1st Bn. B.W.I.Regt.	Y.29.	"F" Section	1930		
5.	de	9th L.H.Regt.	"F" Sect-	AIN ED DUK	After relief.	26, 33 &	Occupying present camp of Wordester Yeo. & 4 Machine Guns.
6.	do	Two Coys. 2nd Bn. B.W.I.Regt.	H.26.d.	No.4 Subsecto	r 1930	27	
7.	de	Worcester Yeo. & 4 Machine Cuns	Ho.4 Sub- sector.	H.26.d.	After 1	elief 27	Occupying camp being vacated by 2nd l B.W.I.Regt., coming on arrival, under the command of G.O.C.13th Cav. Bde.
8.	de	2nd.Bn.B.W.I. Regt.(less 2 Coy		Y.28.	1930	27	
9	Night 14/15	One Coy.ist Bn. B.W.I.Regt.	Y.29	BLUFF - ABU TELLUL	1930		
10.	do	One Sadn. 8th	BLUFF- ABU TELLUL	Y.29.	After		Rejoining 8th L.H. Regiment.
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CONTINUATION OF MOVE TABLE TO ACCOMPANY 3rd L.H. BRIGADE ORDER No. 18

Seri No.	DATE	UNIT	FROM	TO	Heur of Starting	ROUTE	REMARKS
				LED HOR	SES.		
11	August. night 12/13	10th L.H.Regt Led Horses	K.5.	Y.28.	1930	27	
12	Night 13/14	9th L.H.Regt. Led Horses	K.6.	"F" Section	1930	29	
13	Night 14/15	Led Horses one Sqdn.8th L.H. Regt.	K.6.	Y.29.	1930	29	Rejoining 8th L.H. Regiment.

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Before reliefs as detailed in B.O. No. 18 takes place units will send in advance an Officer to take over all area stores, camels etc. and Administrative Instructions from outgoing units. Copies of all receipts given and taken will be forwarded to B.H.Q. as soon as possible after relief.

- 2nd. Battalion B.W.I. Regiment will on 13th instant send representative in advance to B.H.Q. to be shown bivouse site in Y. 28 by AREA COMMANDANT.
- 1st Battn. and 2nd Battn. B.W.I. will send representative in advance to report to Staff Captain to be given fuller instructions reference supplies, watering, routes and general administrative instructions covering Nos. 3 and 4 Subsectors.
- Concerning. 4. 2nd Bn. B.W.I. Regiment will take over all trench stores from Worcester Yeomanry at "W" Works on night 13/14th instant, all other area stores in possession of Worcester Yeomanry at AIN ED DUK or in No. 4 Subsector will be taken over by 9th A.L.H.Regiment on night 13/14th. instant.
- On night 12/13th, 10th L.H. Regiment will tale over all area stores from 18th Lancers in Y.28.
- 6. O.C., 3rd Field Troop will at once reconnoitre watering areas at Y. 22 and AIN ED DUK to ensure that all watering arrangements are in working order for ingoing units.
- 7. 9th L.H.Regiment and 10th L.H. Regiment will arrange to ration personnel left behind in "F" & "G" Subsections as close support to B.W.I. as detailed in Para. 10 B.O. No. 18.
- Any area stores (i.e. tents and sanitary equipment) belonging to No. 3 Subsector at present at Led Horse Camp WADI NUEIAMEH will be handed over to 8th L.H. Regiment at MADHBEH.
- Area Commandant will issue necessary instructions reference times for watering for new incoming units.
- 10. Table dealing with Administrative Details to do with moves taking place between 12th and 14th August inclusive is attached.

Woody all. captain. Staff Captain 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

11th August 1918

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TE	INIT	ROM	70	DATE OF 1st DELIV		REFILLING	MODE OF DELIVERY TIME	WATERING DRINKING AND ANIMALS.	REMARKS.
lth E	Bn B.W.I.	TALAAT ED	H.26.	12th	inst	H. 26.d.	Collected by 1st Line Tran- sport.	Existing in W.NUEIAMEH.	single issue on 13th at same place.
	18th Lancers and 1 Sect 1.C.S.	THE STATE OF THE S	H.23 chn- tral	13th	inst.	H.17.d.	Collected by 1st Line Tran- sport. 0830.	Div Troops area.	
	10th L.H.Regt Led Horses.	NUEIAMEH.	Y. 28	13th	inst	H.17.d.	Collected by 1st Line Tran- sport .0830.	Y.22. AUJA.	
th S.	Z Coys 2nd En B.W.I.	1.26.d.	W.Work and AIN DU	s K14th	inst.	H.26.d.	Collected by 1st Line Tran- sport. 0800.	Existing at AIN.ED.DUK.	Double issue on 14th inst.
	Motracoys and Encoys	1.26.d.	Y 28	14th	inst	H.17.d.	Collected by 1st Line Tran- sport. 0830.	Y.22. AUJA.	Double issue on 14th instant.
	ORCESTER YEO.and 1 Sect 1.G.Sqdn.	Works and AIN ED DUK.	H. 26. d	.14th	inst.	H.26.d.	Collected by 1st Line Tran- sport at 0800	Existing in W. NUEIAMEH.	No.
	9th L.H. Regiment.	USALLABEH	ED DU	14th	inst.	H.26.d.	Collected by ist Line Tran- sport 0800.	AIN ED DUK.	6.1918

AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL

Date 12/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900 E 39/58

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade

_ AUG 1918

1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY.

(a) Rifle fire

(b) Snipers

(e) Mach. Gun Fire

2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY.

0500 2 men from work in W.6.d.01. to Work X.9.

0700 20 animals grazing about U.9.

0730 6 men in sangar at T.10.

0800 2 " " " T.11.

0900 16 Camels moved E. from U.14 to V.13.

1635 6 mounted enemy observed on S. bank of WADI ABU TULWAN at W.2.d. and disappeared moving E.

1530 1 man from T.17.d.1.1. to T.10.a.

1545 2 men " T.17.d.1.1. to T.10.a.

3. ARTILLERY

(a) OWN.

12 rds. H.E. into WADI FUSAIL at U.29.d.

(b) ENEMY.

C.P.					
Time	Rds	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
1720	5	13 pdr.	H.E.	MUSALLABEH	U.33
0630	6	77	S.	Y.23.a	W.20.
0800	5	77	H.E.	Y.27.d. &	₩.20.

4. ENEMY DEFENCES Wire extended 200 yards from work X.10 towards X.9.

New work located in W.5.d.

5. PATROLS

Patrols to TRUNY encountered no enemy.

Commanding 3rd A.L.W. Brigade.

13th August 1918

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 30

E39/57

Date 13/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900 By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade

1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY

(a) Rifle fire.
(b) Snipers.
(c) Machine Gun fire

Nil.

2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY. 0500 30 horses observed grazing at U 27 BIRKET FUSAIL.

0515 22 men from work X 10 to work X 15

0800) Activity in T 10 & T 11. Appeared to be improving Sangars.

1100)

1000 2 men leading pack horses from Work X 10 to Work X 15.

" 3 men from GRANT HILL to BAGHALAT.

" 6 Mounted enemy observed at GRANT NIKK. RIDGE.

1100 30 Infantry observed to move to GRANT RIDGE from about W 20.

1300 Heavy vehicle drawn by oxen appeared in vicinity of U.33.a or b. and disappeared into foothills at ARKAN EL GHALIL.

0800) Small enemy water carrying parties observed to 0930) enter AUJA GORGE at T 17 d.1.1.

1820 60 Mounted enemy from BAGHALAT to GRANT HILL

3. ARTILLERY

(b) ENEMY.

(a) OWN. -

Time Rds.S Size Nature

Area shelled

Direction from

1200 5

1230 6

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H.E.

H.E.

MASKERAH

U 33

RED HILL.

4. DEFENCES. No new or additional work located.

5. SMOKE. 0530 Light Smoke observed at GRANT HILL

6. PATROLS. Nil.

7. RELIEFS. 1630 3 men moved to GRANT HILL from PURVES HILL

1740 2 men moved from GRANT HILL to BAGHALAT.

Brigadier-General Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade

14th August 101-

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 31

Date 14/8/1918

Time 0700 - 1900

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

1. ATTITUDE ENEMY.

(a) Rifle fire Nil. (b) Snipers

Few shots from GRANT HILL to MUSALLABEH

(W.35.a.2.8.)

(c) Machine Gun fire Nil.

2. MOVEMENT OF .

ENEMY.

10 Camels from Wh. FUSAIL to V.13. 0630

3 men from X 9.c. work to X.16.a. work. 0630

0915 3 led packhorses from U.20 to X.13.

0915 6 four-horse wagens from W.20.b to U.14.

4 enemy at sangar on GRANT HILL. 1050

Usual movement of amall parties and pack animals ALL moving along track W.20, W.14, W.8, W.2, U.32 and grazing of animals Kh. FUSAIL and WADI FUSAIL.

> No enemy activity observed in front of No. 4 Subsector defences throughout day.

3. ARTILLERY. (a) OWN

(b) ENEMY

	Time	Rds.	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
3	0615	8	13 pdr.	H.E.	MASKERAH	V.31 (approx.)
	1115 -1130	1.4		27	MUSALLABEH	* "
	1120	17	77	*	VAUX POST	W.20.
	1345	8	**		MUSALLABEH	W:20.
*	1750	2		Shrap.	WANE POST	W.20.

4. ENEMY No new or additional work observed. DEFENCES

5. PATROLS. Our day and night patrils to TEL EL TRUNY and night patrol to WICK and Y.13.central encountered as enemy.

> Brigadier-General. Gommanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

15th August 1918

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 33.

Date 16/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900 - AUG 1910 F 39/66

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

1. ATTITUDE OF ENEMY.

(a) Rifle fire (b) Snipers Machine Gun fire

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2. MOVEMENT OF ENEMY.

0640 4 men 6 pack animals moved E. along W.4.5.6. and disappeared in WADI MELLAHAH W.6.

0645 5 men 10 pack mules moved N. on Foothills Road W.20 and disappeared in WADI EL MUDAHDERAW W.14.

0820 6-mule wagon standing at Hospital.

0826 12 cattle driven N.W. along road to Kh. FUSAIL from U.27.d.

0900 10 men standing under trees W.5. Suspected day post.

0915 15 men 22 mules 1 camel at intervals going N. on FOOTHILLS ROAD U.32, 26.

0930 6 mounted men went/from BAKR WADI to Kh. FUSAIL.

0940 12 men from W.20.d. to GRANT HILL.

1005 2 groups mounted men about 100 strong each going W. on road A.26.

1130 2 men leading horses from Kh. FUSAIL S.W. to WADI

1145 1 Han from BAGHALAT to GRANT RIDGE.

1730 16 mounted men from PURVES HILL disappeared East in WADI ALI W.9.

More movement than usual at Hospital to-day.

3. ARTILLERY. (b) ENEMY.

Time Rds Size Nature Area shelled Direction from. 1600 4.2" H.E. Y.17.c.1.1. U.33. 10 H.E. Along WADI MUJA Y.21 & Y.24 1.33. 1815 Shrap. VAUX POST W.25.

(a) OWN.

1500 25 Rds. W.E. on BAGHALAT. 4 hits on wire.

4. ENEMY DEFENCES

Nil.

5. MISCELLANEOUS Increased movement at Hospital.

/8/1918

Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brikade.

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY NO.34.

139/61

Date 17/8/1918 Time 0700 - 1900

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

_ AUG 1918

1. ATTITUDE (a) Rifle fire (b) Snipers. (c) Machine Gun fire) Nil.

2. MOVEMENT 0630- Small parties averaging 4 men 8 pack mules going S.

OF 1330 on Read U.26.32 & W.8. & 14. from rear of Hospital into WADI RISHEH W.20.d. and returning W. later.

0645 15 mounted men from W.14 to BACHALAT thence to W.5.

0650 1 man 2 led mules BAGHALAT to W.5.

0710 4 wagons going N.W. on track U.33.b.

0725 25 horses 4 donkeys grazing Kh. FUSAIL U.27.

1315 6 mounted men from BAGHALAT to Hospital.

1645 13 horses grazing Kh. FUSAIL U.27.

1700 Lurge clouds of dust behind CHALK RIDGE.

3. ARTILLERY. (a) OWH.

1730 20 rds H.E. CHALK RIDGE and in rear. Result unobserve (b) ENEMY.

Time Rds. Size Nature Area shelled Direction from 1540 77 15 S. & H.E. W. 25. b. MAME 1600 8 77 S. &. H. E. WANE W. 25. b.

- 4. ENEMY Wire and new work W. 5.
 DEFENCES Working party of 10 active all day W.5.
- 5. SMOKE. Large cloud of smoke BAKR RIDGE R.30.d.5.2. observed at 0630.
- 6. Patrols Patrols to TEL EL TRUNY encountered no enemy but were fired on from TEL EL RISHEH.
- 7. DESERTERS 1100 1 Pte. 3rd Batt. 163rd Regt. gave himself up at

Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

18/8/1918

Brigade Major Erd A.L.H. Brigade.
(Distribution overleaf)

Isth August 1916

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AUG 1918

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

18/8/1918 Date. Time. 0700 - 1900

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- 1. ATTITUDE
- Rifle fire. Snipers. Nil. Machine Gun.
- 2. MOVEMENT ENEMY.
- 0640 Horse Ambulance from Hospital to U 17 Dressing Station.
- Small parties (total 19 men 22 pack mules) from Hospital to WADI s MUDAHDERAH & RISHEH and 1330 returning.
- 0640 Motor Ambulance from WADI MUDAHDERAH N. to Hospital.
- 0700 1 man observing our lines from X 2 c 3.1.
- 0845 8 Mounted men from FUSAIL U.27. to BAGHALAT.
- 9 men & 6 men respectively went S. from FUSAIL 0945 to WADI MUDAHDERAH. 1645
- 1000 5 Mounted men went N. to Foot Hill Road entered WADI MUDAHDERAH.
- 1420 34 horses grazing W.4.d.
- 1516 3 Mounted men entered WADI BAKR at W.27.c.
- 1700 10 men 10 pack animals going N. on Foot Hill road entered WADI MUDAHDERAH at W.14.
- 3. ARTILLERY. (a) Own. Nil. (b) Enemy.
- 4. ENEMY DEFENCES Working party all day at W.5. Nature of work unobserved.
- 5. SMOKE 1805 Smoke at X.8. (X.2.?)

Brigadier-General. Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

19th August 1918

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS No. 5. MOVE TO LUDD AREA. TO ACCOMPANY BRIGADE ORDER No. 19 AUG/1918 9 64

AREA STORES All Area Stores (i.e.) Tents, (to be left standing). Sanitary equipment, S.A.A., Verry Lights, Meatsafes, Mesquito nets, Mesquite gloves. Spine pads, at present in possession of units will be handed over to incoming units of 1st L.H. Brigade. All Regimental Reserves S.A.A. (carried in limbers) will be

handed over with area stores. C.O's. will ensure that great care is exercised in handing

over all stores. Receipts in quadruple will be made out in typewritten forms before units of 1st L.H. Brigade take over, one copy to be given to incoming unit. two copies to be sent to B.H.Q. immediately after handing over, the other copy to be retained by the unit.

2. ADVANCE PARTIES. Bivouac representatives i.e. Officer from 8th, 9th, 10th L.H. Regiments. 3rd H.G. Squadron, N.C.O. from 3rd L.E. Field Ambulance. oth Mabile Veterinary Section. 3rd Signal Troop 4 3rd Field Troop. off for Tallaar ED DUME under command of Officer detailed by 8th L.H. Regiment.

On arrival at TALAAT ED DUME, this party will report to Staff Captain at Junction of old Roman Road and New Motor Road.

Subsequent moves for bivouse parties for journey to LUDD will

be motified later.

Last issue mak of rations in the Valley will be made on the 21st inst. Rations for consumption on 23rd inst. will be drawn at TALAAT ED DUMM. Rations will be drawn on arrival at EMAB. LATRON and Lubb.

on and after 22nd inst ist Battn. and 2nd Battn. B.W.I. Regt. and Left Group R.A., will be rationed by 3.0., ist L.H. Brigade. S.O., 3rd L.H. Brigade will arrange adjustment with S.O., ist L.H. Brigade.

4. SUPPLY PARTIES. 如海南南西南南田田田田田田田田田北京大田田田

36 Coy. Divisional Train will march to TALAAT ED DUMM leaving

their present location at 1930 on 21st inst.

Supply Parties from all units, consisting of Smen per Regiment and Machine Gun Squadron and 2 each other unit, will report to 0.C. 36 Coy. at 1900 and march with him to TALAAT ED DUMM. Subsequent moves of 36 Cey Div Train as fellows :-

1930 Aug 22 from Talaar ED DUME to ENAB (Watering at EULONIME. en route)

23 ENAB 24 " LATRON . Tabb 1930

Supply parties will report to 0.0. 36 Coy. & hour prior to the abovementioned moves and march with him.

TRANSPORT. Units transport will move independently from the Valley to TALAAT ED DUMM via Motor Read (South), no transport will pass TEL ES SULTAN before 1930.

Strict march discipline is to be observed on journey, wagons to keep to right of road and no straggling, an Officer must accompany transport of each Regiment and Machine Gun Bquadron.

Units will ensure that they have a guides at junction of roads

at TALAAT ED DUMM to guife transport to their bivouses. On journey from TALAAT ED DUME to LUDD transport will march

in rear of ram each unit . U.S. Wagons at present with 36 Coy. will report back to their units on morning of 21st inst.

SANITATION/

_ AUG 1918 BANITATION. 6. Units will ensure that bivouse sites are left scrupulously clean, burning of horse manure will be carried on with all haste. so that very little will be left unburnt when units move out. The Brigade Sanitary Officer will inspect vacated camp sites. and will render a report is direct to A.D.H.S. Copy to be sent to this office. The above will apply to each of the camps on route to LUDD. It may be found necessary to employ two Medical Officers to inspect this area. A.L.P. CARTEEN. 7. Brigade Canteen will close in this areast 1800 on 21st inst. 3rd M.O. Squadron will detail a G.S. Wagon to report at the Canteen at 0700 on the 21st inst. to convey certain canteen equipment to JERICHO Dump. On homeward journey from JERICHO this wagon will call at Brigade Post Office at Refilling Point. and collect a Bell Tent, handing same over to 6th L.H. Regiment. POSTAL SERVICES. 8. Last delivery of mail will be made on morning of 22nd inst. No more mail will be accepted in the Valley after 1800 on 21st inst. Hail will be available at each halting place en reute to LATRON. ORDNANCE. 9. Brigade Ordnance moves from JERICHO on 19th inst. there will be no more Ordnance Stores to collect after 1800 to-day. any returnable goods can still be returned to representative D.A.D.O.S., Australian Mounted Division at JERICHO. 10. Brigade Y.M.C.A. closes in this area at 1800 on 21st inst. 8th L.H. Regiment will detail a limber to report at Y.M.C.A. at 0700 on 21st inst. to convey certain equipment to JERICHO. ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS. 11 Captain L.M. MACPHERSON, M.C., 8th L.H. Regiment. Area Command. and, will hand over all administrative instructions concerning watering, guards, malarial work etc. of Nos. 3 & 4 Sub-sectors to Area Commandant of 1st L.H. Brigade. Umhyau Captain. Staff Captain 3rd A.L.H. Brigade. Issued at 1730 18th August 1918 Copy No. 1234567890112346 Australian Mounted Division. 8th L.H. Regiment. 9th L.H. Regiment. 10th L.H. Regiment. 3rd M.O. Squadron. 3rd L.H. Field Ambulance 8th Mobile Veterinary Section. 3rd Signal Troop A.E. 3rd Field Troop A.E. Australian Mounted Divisional Train. 1st Battn. B.W. L. Regt. 2nd R.A. Left Group. 36 Coy Aust. Divnl. Train. 1st L.H. Brigade. War Diary

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 36.

- AUG 1918 = 39 66

Date. 19/8/1918 Time. 0700 - 1900

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

1. ATTITUDE (a) Rifle fire.

OF (b) Snipers.

ENEMY. (c) Machine Gun fire.

Nil.

2. MOVEMENT

ENEHY.

0630 70 herses grazing W.4.a.

0640- Usual movement from U.13.,14. to WADIs MUDAHDERAH 1630 RISHEH and BACHALAT. Ration parties total 23 men and 36 pack mules, other parties total 11 mounted 12 foot.

0745 5 men 1 pack mule from Redoubt at X 17 to Hospital U 15.

0815 100 Cavalry observed in vicinity of Redoubt X.17. but disappeared in broken ground immediately.

0730- 2 men white jackets from Hospital U.15.a. to WADI 0000 ALI W.10.a.8,5,

0930 1 mounted man from Hospital U.15.a. to WADI ALI W.10.a.5.8.

1030 Ration party 3 men 6 pack mules U.14 to Redoubt X 14.

1215 7 men left CHALK RIDGE disappearing into WADI MUDAHDERAH. R.24.b.

1345 10 men 35 herses U.14. S.S.E. to WADI ALI W.10.a.8.5.

3. ARTILLERY-(a) Own -

0625 35 rds. H.E. on BAGHALAT. 30 hits on wire and sangars. 3 duds 2 short.

0810 12 rds H.E. rear BAKR RIDGE. Result unobserved.

1200 12 rds H.E. WADI RISHEH 2 on CAVE HILL. Result unobserved.

1520 33 rds H.E. WADI MUDAHDERAH rear of CHALK RIDGE. 8 rds fell on CHALK RIDGE. Result unobserved.

1600 8 rds H.E. BAGHALAT 25 men ran into WADI ALI.

1640 10 rds H.E. BAGHALAT direct hits on sangars.

1650 4 rds H.E. WADI ALI W.10.b. Result unobserved.

(b) Enemy.

Time Rds. Size Nature

Area shelled

Direction from.

0620 10 1600 9

77

H.E.

MUSALLABEH
In vicinity of
No 1 Crossing &
Z.25 & 26

W.20.

4. ENEMY Barbed wire improved X-14. Working parties 6 strong on DEFENCES. barbed wires W.5.a.& b.

20/8/1918

Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

3rd. LIGHT HORDE BRIGADE ORDER No. 20.

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- 1. The 3rd L.H.Brigade (less No. 35 Coy A.A.S.C.) plus Supply Vehicles of Australian Hounted Divisional Headquarters Train Coy. will march from TALAAT ED DUMM en route LUDD area as follows:-
 - (a) (i) On 23rd August leave TALAAT ED DUMM for EMAB. passing 2nd L.H.Brigads balted at KILO 5.
 - (ii) Order of March.

 3rd Signal Troop A.E.

 3rd Field Troop. A.E.

 8th L.H.Regiment.

 9th L.H.Regiment.

 10th L.H.Regiment.

 3rd H.G.Squadron.

 3rd L.R.Field Ambulance.
 - Supply Vehicles A.M.D. H.Q. Coy. A.A.S.C. (iii) Hour of Starting. 1930.

8th Mebile Veterinery Section.

- (iv) Route. MAIN ROAD.
- (b) (i) On 24th August leave EHAB for LATRON.
 - (ii) Order of March.

 B.H.Q.

 3rd Signal Troop. A.S.

 3rd Field Troop. A.S.

 9th L.H.Regiment.

 10th L.H.Regiment.

 3rd M.G.Squadron.

 3th L.H.Regiment.

 3rd L.H.Field Ambulance.

 8th Mobile Veterinery Section.

 Supply Vehicles A.H.D. H.Q. Coy. A.A.S.C.
 - (iii) Hour of Starting. 1930.
 - (iv) Route. MAIN ROAD.
- (c) (i) On 25th August leave LATRONA for LUDD area.
 - (ii) Order of Warch.

 3rd Signal Troop A.K.

 3rd Field Troop A.E.

 10th L.H.Regiment.

 3rd M.G.Squadron.

 8th L.H.Regiment.

 9th L.H.Regiment.

 3rd L.H.Pield Ambulance.

 8th M.Veterinery Section.

 Supply Vehicles A.M.D. H.Q. Coy. A.A.S.C.
 - (iii) Hour of Starting. 1930.
 - (iv) Route. HAIR HOAD.

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- 2. The starting point for each days march will be notified by wire later.
- 3. Transport will march in rear of its own unit.
- 4. Attention is drawn to the instructions previously issued on march discipline.
- 5. ACKNOWLEDGE.

Issued at 1030. 20th August 1918.

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2. 8th L.H.Regiment.

3. 9th.L.E.Regiment.

4. 10th L.H.Regiment.

5. 3rd Machine Cun Squadron.

6. 3rd Signal Troop. A.E.

7. 3rd L.H.Field imbulance.

8. 3rd Field Troop. A.S.

9. 8th Mobile Veterinery Section .

10. 0.C.Divisional Train.

11. No 36 Coy A.A.S.C.

12. War Digry.

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3rd. LIGHT HORBE BRIGADE ORDER No. 20.

The 3rd L.H.Brigade (less No. 36 Coy A.A.S.C.) plus Supply Vehicles of Australian Hounted Divisional Headquarters Train Coy. will march from TALBAT ED DUNK en route LUDD area as follows:

(a) (i) On 23rd August leave TALAAT ED DUMM for ENAB, passing 2nd L.H.Brigade halted at KILO 3.

(ii) Order of March.

B.W.Q.

3rd Signal Troop A.E.

3rd Field Troop. A.E.

8th L.H.Regiment.

9th L.H.Regiment.

10th L.H.Regiment.

3rd M.G.Squadron.

3rd L.H.Field Ambulanca.

8th Mabile Veterinery Section.

Supply Vehicles A.M.D. N.Q. Coy. A.A.S.C.

(iii) Hour of Starting. 1930.

(iv) Route.

MAIN ROAD.

(b) (i) On 24th August leave EMAB for LATRON.

(ii) Order of March.

B.H.Q.

3rd Signal Troop. A.E.

3rd Field Troop. A.E.

9th L.H.Regiment.

10th L.H.Regiment.

3rd M.G.Seusdron.

8th L.H.Regiment.

3rd L.E.Field Ambulance.

8th Mobile Veterinery Section.

Supply Vehicles A.M.D. H.Q. Coy. A.A.S.C.

(iii) Hour of Starting. 1930.

(iv) Route.

MAIN ROAD.

(c) (i) On 25th August leave LATRONE for LUDD area.

(ii) Order of March.

B.H.Q.

3rd Signal Treep A.E.

3rd Field Troop LE.

10th L.H.Regiment.

3rd M.G.Squadren.

8th L.H.Regiment.

9th L.H.Regiment.

3rd L.H.Pield Ambulance.

8th M.Veterinery Section.

Supply Vehicles A.M.D. H.Q. Coy. A.A.S.C.

(iii) Hour of Starting. 1930.

(iv) Route.

MAIN ROAD.

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2. Other Regiment.

3. Other Regiment.

5. Ord Regiment.

6. Ord Regiment.

7. Other Regiment.

8. Other Regiment.

9. Other
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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY NO. 37.

Date. 20/8/1918 Time. 0700 - 1900.

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

1.	ATTITUDE OF ENEMY.	Rifle fire. (b) Snipers. (c) Machine gun fi	ire. } Nil.	39 69 - AUG 1918
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2. MOVEMENT 0530 Usual movement N. & S. between WADI ARAK HAJAJ/and OF -1550 WADIS MUDAHDERAH & RISHEH. Totals as fellows :- Ration parties 57 men. 63 packs, 4 camels, 1 wagon. Armed parties 13 Mounted men 18 Infantry.

0630 3 mounted men to BACHALAT from W. ARAK HAJAJ U.13.

0745 38 horses grazing U 23 a.

1100 7 men 2 pack mules observed at W.5.

1145 Bay Post at W.5.d.10.1.

1545 2 men went from O.P. at X.7.c.6.9. to Redoubt X.8.

1640 6 men at GRANT HILL 1 man observing our lines.

1645 1 man at BAGHALAT examining barbed wire.

3. ARTILLERY. (a) Own.

1520 27 rds. H.E. on WADI RISHEH W.19. Result unobserved.
(b) Enemy.

Time	Rds.	Hature Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction from
0635	67	Anti.A.	Shrap.	At our plane	Apparently W.
0845	36	77	H.E.	Y.24.	WADI RISHEH R.30.
1215	12	77	11 rds H.E. 1 " S.	MUSALLABEH	W. RISHEH R.30
1500- 1700	34	77	H.E.	Y.24. & Y.30.b.	W. RISHEH R.30
1700	6	5.9	H.E.	Y.24.	U.26.
1700	5	77	H.E.	MUSALLABEH	W. RISHEH R.30

4. ENEMY
DEFENCES. New wire W. of trees W.5.c.6.7.
Working party 7 strong W.5.

Commanding 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade.

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INTELLICENCE SUMMARY NO. 28

Date. 21/8/1918 Time. 0700-1900

Enemy.

By 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

1. Attitude (a) Riffle fire 0800 6 shets heard from rear of CHALK RIDGE R.18.

(b) Smipers Nil. (c) Machine Cun Fire. 0350 Buret at our plane from X.9.c. 0925 " " X.13.a

2. Movement Usual movement FOOT HILL ROAD batseen W. ARAK HAJAJ U.13.
of and WADIS ABU MARMUD and MUDAHDERAH and RISHEH.

0500 Movement North. Ration parties 6 men 21 packs 2 -1740 Camels.

Other parties 1 mounted man 32 on foot.

Movement South. Ration parties 15 men 50 packs 1
camel.
Other parties 1 mounted man 55 men
on foot.

0630 50 horses and flock of sheeps grazing W.4. Part went 1117 to WADI EL WAR U.32.b. - remainder W.ARAK HAJAJ.

0635 3 mounted men BAGHALAT to W.5.

0800 4 men from WADI ALI W.10. to W. ARAK HAJAJ. U.13.

1100 20 men to WADI ALI W.10. from WADI ARAK HAJAJ U.13.

1120 7 men from W.S. to CAVE GAUL FACE U.32.

1455 3 men left CAVE U.32 and went towards BAKR HIDGE.

1655 3 men on CRANT RIDGE looking at our lines.

3. Artillery.(a) Own.

0830 60 pounders engaged enemy terget with aeroplane co-operation.

0930 11 rds. H.E. fired on WADI AMRY U.31.

0952 7 rds. H.E. * CHALK RIDGE W.20.a.

1020 4 " " " WADI ARAK HAJAJ.

1030 10 " " Road U.13.d.
" BAGHALAT. W.16.2.8.7.

1755 26 " " " CHALK RIDGE and W. MUDAHDERAH

1800 10 " " BAKR RIDGE and WADI BAKR. " BAGHALAT W. 10.c.

(b) Enemy.

Time	Rds	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction: Irom
0830-	4	5.9	H.E.	Y.24 & Y.30	U.26.
1030	15 Enemy usual	77 Anti	H.E. &.S. Air-craft wax	Firing was considerably	U.26. heavier than
0845	15	77	H.E.	W.35.d.	U.33.
0930	2	77	**	MUSALLABER S. of	U.33

3.	Ar	till	ery	(b)	Enemy
(con	tinu	(ed)		

Time	rds.	Size	Nature	Area shelled	Direction free
0930	9	77	H.E.	ABU TELLUL Left	U.33.
1755	5	77	H.E.	MUSALLABEH	0.33.
1705	17	77	H.E.	Y.24.	R.23.?
1730	7	77	H.E.	MUSALLABEH Y.29.b.o.c.	U.33. U.33.

- 4. Enemy 0940 Working party 4 strong repairing wire E. side Defences. BAGHALAT.
- 5. Smoke. 1015 Large column of smoke about M.14. True Bearing from Y.10.2.3.7. - 3510
- 6. Miscellaneous.

0630 1 Turkish deserter came in at YAUX Post.

Commanding 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

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LOCATION OF TROOPS

Nos. 3 & 4 Sub-sectors

as at 0700 22nd August 1918

Ref. Map - 1/40,000 Sheet B.6.

B.H.Q.

8th L.H. Regiment.

9th L.H. Regiment.

10th L.H. Regiment.

3rd M.G. Squadron.

1st Bn. B.W.I. Regt.

Y.29.a.7.4. Y.29.a.4.1. H.26.d.5.9. Y.27.d.2.4. Y.16.b.8.2. Y.23.a.2.9. Y.21.d.10.5.

Brigadier-General. Commanding 3rd A.L.H.Brigade.

22nd August 1918

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3rd LIGHT HORSE BRIGADE ORDER No.21

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1. Regiments of 3rd L.H. Brigade will be Upd 1 as follows :-

9th L.H. Regiment " " " " " 2nd L.H. Regiment.
10th L.H. Regiment " " 2nd L.H. Regiment.

2. On completion of relief, units of the 3rd L.H. Brigade will move to TALAAT ED DUMM as follows :-

Unit	Eren	Heur of starting	Route
B. H. Q. 3rd Signal Troop.)	EL MADRISCH	1900	29
8th L.H. Regiment.	EL MADHERM	After relief	* 29
9th L.H. Regiment.	AIN ED DUK	After relief	* 27
10th L.H. Regiment.	Y.28.	After relief	* 33. 27
3rd M.C. Squadron.	WADI OBEIDEH	After relief	* 29
3rd L.H.Field Ambulance.	н.17.а.	After relief	* 29

* Hate: Ready to move at 1930

3. Acknowledge.

Brigade Major 3rd A.L.H. Brigade.

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2 9th L.H. Regiment.

3 10th L.H. Regiment.

4 3rd N.G. Squadron.

5 3rd L.H. Field Ambulance.

6 War Diary.

7 War Diary.

8 War Diary.

3rd LIGHT HORSE BRIGADE ONDER No.21

1. Regiments of 3rd L.H. Brigade will be relieved by Regiments of 1st L.H. Brigade on might 22nd/23rd August as follows :-

8th L.H. Regiment will be relieved by 3rd L.H. Regiment.
9th L.H. Regiment " " 1st L.H. Regiment.
10th L.H. Regiment " " 2nd L.H. Regiment.

2. On completion of relief, units of the 3rd L.H. Brigade will move to TALAAT ED DUME as follows :-

Unit	Eren	Four of sterting	Boute
B. H. Q. 3rd Signal Troop.	} EL MADHBEN	1900	29
6th L.H. Regiment	. EL MADHBEH	After relief	* 29
9th L.H. Regiment	. AIN ED DUK	After relief	* 27
10th L.H. Regiment	. Y.28.	After relie?	* 33. 27
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