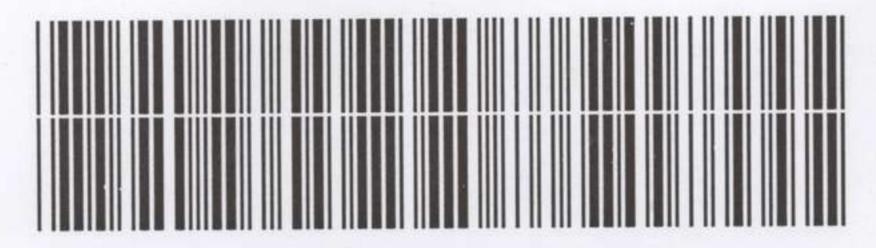
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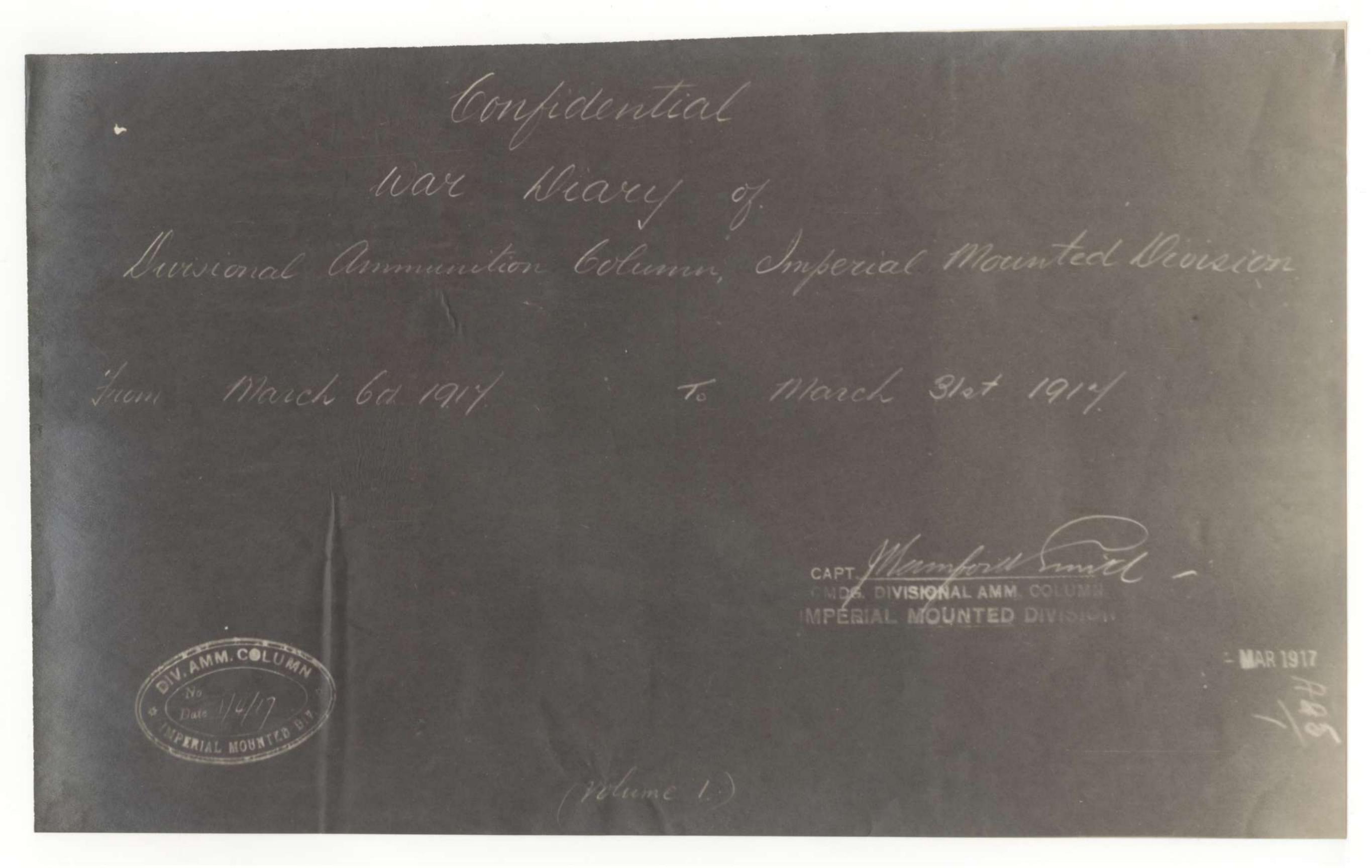
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	Received order to hat. the DAT at SHEIKH ABBAS marched to that point & burnehad cumels in a scattered formation. he reations had been issued so I lought sheep from the Bedown for the min in order to conserve the	
	3 days Emingency they were convying - Said from 7/- to 10/- for 25 to 45 the sheep Remained at SHEIKH ABBAS all day (26) 7 semp an Orderly to CRA. at 1400 to ash for order.	
1217 W 2200 200,000 (E) 841 J.B.C.&	This Closely lost his way & did not return - a passing DRLS rider volunteened the information that the Enemy was adventing in force from the Ministern of BEERSHEBA (BIR EL SABA)	

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SHEIKH ABBAS. Short H. 36 mars E. III 1917 2030	told the Column to halt - I ammediately moved them off in a Westerly direction -	
	Reached a spot about 12 to 2 miles East of DEIR EL BELAH - Cumels very tachanded - having has full loads on for 28 hours - Decided to birons for a couple of hours - dentorated camels - feel horses I went to sleep	
	Whated up with sounds of gim fore tourse. Yigh Englower shell directing on both ender of my paint. Gave order numediately to release climate harness up & more off Egyption nature sames abover (ELC) acted splanding. There was no sign of family among them implying was dondered up - even to the fine.	
1217 W 3200 200,000 (IS) 8/13 J.B.C. & A.	BELAH 9 there formed the CRA. & the 4 Indiana	

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	EN KHAN YUNUS) more at 1600	
	Orderly junglet me up at head of bottom raying CRA. Invided to see me at the rear of Colonian	
	Reserved instruction from the CRA to stronge of	
	620 Cornels - 1,064,000 rounds of SAA, - 1824 rounds	
	of 18 Par from among - to wheeled tramport of 0500 the most morning - Barnached camels at once	
	I formed 19 Jan. Kong. 4 formed when house,	
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ABASAN EL KEBIR Africa	March 25th 1917 Time 2300.	Sent in orderly immediately to O.C. Imperial Camel Corps (General Smith) asking the time they were moving off.
North H.36 E.111.	March 26 0/45	Received an answer saying they were moving at 0230. Packed camels immediately. Moved off in dense ground mist, following immediately behind Anzac Div. Amm. Col. which unit was following the I.C.C.
	0915	Reached a point on the road just S.E. of TEL EL JEMMI and on the west bank of the WADI EL GHUZZE. Imperial Camel Corps had then crossed the Wadi and the Anzac D.A.C. were crossing in single file, there being no room for two camels abreast. Watered all horses and sent an officer on to obtain further instructions from the C.R.A. at EL MENDUR. Officer returned with orders for me to follow the rearmost unit of my Division (Imperial Mounted). Time occupied in crossing the Wadi in single file about 12 hours. Sent 6 orderlies on to keep in touch with the Division, the C.R.A. in particular.
DIER EL BELAH	March 31st	Returned 15 G.S. wagons to KHAN YUNUS to collect ? and dump them all with the R.O.O. in that village. Placed Lt. S.S. Ansbacher in charge of the job.

(Sg.) J. Bamford Smith,
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Divisional Amm. Column,
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