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SERAPEUM	2.3.16.		Training	
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	17		Marched to RAILHEAD - SERAPEUM EAST. Started 12 noon arrived 4-50 p.m. Delay caused by ships passing through SUEZ Canal. Sand Storm made progress slow. Amzac MTD. DIVISIONAL Order 112/1 of 16th inst.	

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RAILHEAD	18.3.16			
	19		Bng General Aubitt Commanding 3 rd Australian Light Horse Bde visited the lines	
	20			
	21		Bng General NICHOL G.C.R.A. visited gun positions ^{accompanied by} along with 70 th Unit	
	22		went to positions on left flank continued.	
	23		Framing & Making Gun Platforms & Paulments	
	24		" " " " " "	
	25		General BIRCHWOOD visited the lines spoke highly of condition of men & horses.	
	26		working on gun positions	
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RAILHEAD	31		Took two guns to No 2 Battery position on KHATIB EL HABASHI. Distance travelled 7 miles. Mostly heavy sand. Had 6" sand tyres on gun & timber wheels. 1 st Team 18 horses took 2 hours & 20 minutes with 3 halts of 10 mins each. 2 nd Team	

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RAILHEAD.	31.3.16.		<p>consisting of 8 horses, shelled every half hour by another 8 took 3 hours & the gun was dragged up the final gradient to its position by 12 horses.</p> <p>(The original of above appears on the same sheet as entries for subsequent month and will be found with the diary for that month.)</p>	

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