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Title: 4th Australian Divisional Trench
Mortar Officer

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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4th Australian Divisional Trench Mortars.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
In the Field	1-12-16		Nothing to report	B
	to			
	4-12-16		One Officer and half the personnel of Z 4 A Battery attached to 10 th Bde A.F.A. and one Officer and half the personnel Z 4 A Bty attached to 24 th Bde A.F.A.	B
	5-12-16		Nothing to report.	B
	6-12-16		Two other ranks Z 4 A Battery and one other rank V 4 A Battery killed and one other rank Z 4 A Battery and one other rank V 4 A Battery wounded by shell fire while engaged in tramway work	B
	7-12-16		Nothing to report.	B
	8-12-16		Lt Winst. Y 4 A Battery with two N. C. Os proceeded to 1 st Anzac Trench Mortar School, FREMONT, as instructor.	B
	9-12-16		Nothing to report.	B
	10-12-16		Trench Mortar Headquarters moved from billets in ALBERT to POMMIERS REDOUBT	B
	11-12-16		Nothing to report.	B
	to			
	24-12-16		Z 4 A Battery relieved X 4 A Battery at Artillery Ammunition Dump QUARRY. X 4 A Battery withdrew to billets ALBERT.	B
	25-12-16		The whole of V 4 A Battery is now attached to 11 th Bde A.F.A.	B
	26-12-16		Nothing to report.	B
	27-12-16		X 4 A Battery and Lt Pinder & 2 nd Lt Chaloner of V 4 A Battery and two N. C. Os from Z 4 A Battery proceeded by motor lorries to 4 th Army Trench Mortar School, VAUX-EN-AMENOIS. V 4 A Battery withdraw from Artillery Ammunition Dump, QUARRY to BELLEVUE FARM.	B
	28-12-16		Y 4 A Battery proceeded by motor busses to 1 st Anzac Trench Mortar School FREMONT.	B
	29-12-16		Nothing to report.	B
	30-12-16		Nothing to report.	B
	31-12-16		Nothing to report. Owing to weather conditions it has been considered impracticable to put Trench Mortars into action.	B

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