

**AWM4**  
**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,**  
**1914-18 War**

Artillery

**Item number:** 13/66/7

**Title:** 4th Battery, Australian Field Artillery

April 1915



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4<sup>th</sup> Reg AFA

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Date.	Place and Time.		Remarks or References to Appendices, &c., attached.
1-4-15.	MENA	Divisional Exercise:-	<del>Off</del>
8-4-15.	MENA	6pm Left camp to entrain at Cairo.	
	CAIRO.	9-30. Commenced entraining.	
		12 <sup>MM</sup> Left for ALEXANDRIA.	
9-4-15.		5:40 <sup>AM</sup> Arrived. ALEXANDRIA.	<del>Off</del>
		6:30. " at Wharf & commenced detraining	
		7-15 Detraining completed & embarkation commenced on KAROO.	
	ALEXANDRIA.	8pm Embarkation completed & KAROO left wharf.	
		Shingles, White Bread gold & Sheppard absent.	
		11am Lieut Mc Cormack sent to Hospital ashore.	<del>Off</del>

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Date.	Place and Time.		Remarks or References to Appendices, &c., attached.
12-4-15	A19 KAROO 8am	Arrived at LEMNOS ISLAND at port MUDROS.	<u>O.Y.P.</u>
14-4-15	" 9am to 4pm	All ranks practiced in disembarking into boats in marching order.	<u>O.Y.P.</u>
15-4-15	"	Disembarkation & landing of guns, wagons & horses practiced Sheppard, Shingles, White and Treagold returned from the LUTZOW.	<u>O.Y.P.</u>
19-4-15	" 5pm	Lt. Byrne reported & taken on vice Lt. M. Cornacbe	<u>O.Y.P.</u>

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Date.	Place and Time.		Remarks or References to Appendices, &c., attached.
25/4/15	LEMNOS 2am GALLIPOLI 1:30 pm  ANZAC (front)	Left for GALLIPOLI Commenced disembarkation of Battery at 3 pm A. Lark had landed & were disembarked with 14 horses of 5 <sup>th</sup> Battery. The gun was brought into action at 4.15 being pulled up by men at about 6 pm fire was opened & swept round the front. A gun flasher were observed on KABATEPE this was engaged, & no gun fired from the same place again. During the night the gun was dism.	  6 <sup>th</sup> Bds fired  Off

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Date.	Place and Time.		Remarks or References to Appendices, &c., attached.
26-4-15.	GALLIPOLI (ANZAC)	<p>A few rounds were fired at targets indicated on map. A station was obtained for a F.O.O. &amp; a brigade line was laid forward. The remainder of the guns of the battery were landed, two were put in the emplacements made by engineers the night before &amp; one (Breb.) was sent under O.C. 3rd Bde.</p> <p>1st Powell was wounded in head. 150 Rds fired.</p>	<p style="text-align: right;">P. 6</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>[Signature]</i></p>

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Date.	Place and Time.		Remarks or References to Appendices, &c., attached.
27/5/15 4	GALLIPOLI (ANZAC) 5am to 8pm	Some targets were registered by F.O.O. & at periods during the day a heavy fire was brought onto them 677 Rds fired 4th Batt & 4th Coyward wounded	
28/5/15 4	GALLIPOLI (ANZAC) 5am	Same targets as on 27th were engaged, but during the night A sub was moved to a new position about 300' EAST 192 Rds fired	off off

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Date.	Place and Time.		Remarks or References to Appendices, &c., attached.
29/4/15	5am to 8pm	Targets as on previous day were fired on	off
30/4/15	5am to 8pm	Targets as on 28/4/15 were fired from the same positions. During the afternoon I was F.O.O (8 hrs)	off
1/5/15	5am to 8pm	As for 30/4/15 Maj. Caddy was F.O.O. Rd. fired. Capt. Biddle, Lt. Bell & Lt. Best wounded 186 Rds fired	off

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