

	<p>NO. 6 RESERVE BRIGADE ARTILLERY WAR DIARY BISCOT CAMP, LUTON APRIL 1916</p>
Apr 1	<p><u>Reorganisation of School</u></p> <p>The existing School organisation passed into Four Battery System in accordance with A.C.I. 469 of 1916 and Appendix 47, viz.</p> <p>Personnel</p> <p>“A” Battery O/C Capt ALLBERRY</p> <p>Consisting of 3/1st London Bde R.F.A, 3/2nd Lond. Bde R.F.A. and 400 Class “B” Regular Recruits.</p> <p>“B” Battery O/C Major FITCH</p> <p>Consisting of 3/3rd Lond. Bde. R.F.A. and 400 Class “B” Regular Recruits.</p> <p>“C” Battery O/C Lt. Col GRAHAM</p> <p>Consisting of 3/5th Lond. Bde. R.F.A, 3/6th Lond. Bde. R.F.A. and 400 Class “B” Regular Recruits.</p> <p>“D” Battery O/C Major TURNER</p> <p>Consisting of 3/7th Lond. Bde, R.F.A. and 400 Class “B” Regular Recruits.</p> <p>Horses</p> <p>“A” Battery Transferred from Group I “B” Battery Transferred from Group II “C” Battery Transferred from Group III “D” Battery Transferred from Group IV</p> <p>The under mentioned Officers were transferred to 60th Lond. Divl. Artillery.</p> <p>Capt. F.G. STAPLEY 3/5th Lond. Bde. R.F.A.</p> <p>2nd Lt. W.G. HARRISON, 3/5th Lond. Bde. R.F.A.</p>
Apr 3	<p>The under mentioned Officers proceeded Overseas</p> <p>2nd. Lt. A.H. THOMAS 3/1st Lond. Bde R.F.A.</p>

	<p>“ E.A. SHIPTON “</p> <p>“ R.P. REW “</p> <p>“ E.R. GREEN 3/6th Lond Bde. R.F.A.</p>
Apr 4	<p>The Following men proceeded Overseas to 47th Divl. Artillery</p> <p>8 Gunners 6 Drivers 2 Signallers 8 artificers</p> <p>To 56th Divl. Artillery</p> <p>15 Drivers</p>
Apr 10	<p>Opening of Y.M.C.A. Hut</p> <p>The Y.M.C.A. Hut at Biscot Camp was opened by H.S.H. Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein. A “Guard of Honour” was furnished by the School.</p>
Apr 12	<p>The under mentioned Officers proceeded Overseas</p> <p>2nd Lt. N.S. McBAIN 3/5th Lond. Bde. R.F.A. “ P. BOYDON 3/1st “ “ C. WHEELER 3/2nd “ “ H. ADCOCK 3/2nd “</p>
Apr 17	<p>The Army Council directed that NO Easter Leave was to be granted.</p>
Apr 20	<p>The Following were transferred to 60th London D.A.C. (Sub. Park)</p> <p>1 N.C.O 53 Gunners</p>
Apr 21	<p>Lieut. GRANTLEY SMITH 3/2nd Lond. Bde. R.F.A. proceeded to Salonika</p>
Apr 24	<p>The Commandant inspected the School in “Drill Order Dismounted” on open space bounded by Marlborough Road, Biscot Road and Alexandra Avenue. The School was formed up in Column (10 yards interval) facing West in the following order:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Trumpters of School 2. 3/1st London Bde. R.F.A. 3/2nd London Bde. R.F.A. “A” Battery R.F.A. Regulars
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. 3/3rd London Bde. R.F.A. “B” Battery 2/2nd London D.A.C

	<p>4. 3/5th London Bde. R.F.A. 3/6th London Bde. R.F.A. “C” Battery R.F.A. Regulars</p> <p>5. 3/7th London Bde. R.F.A. “D” Battery</p> <p>6. The Provisional Depot composed of Army “B” Recruits was formed up in 3 Companies, Lieut. Col. GRAHAM commanded the Parade.</p> <p>After the Commandant has inspected the School, three cheers were called for “His Majesty the King”. The units of the School then marched past the Commandant to their respective private parade grounds and were dismissed.</p>
Apr 30	<p>The Following casualties took place amongst the horses of the School during the month of April 1916</p> <p>50 Joined 7 Transferred 4 Died or destroyed</p> <p>Leaving a total strength of 417</p>