

	NO. 6 RESERVE BRIGADE ARTILLERY WAR DIARY BISCOT CAMP, LUTON SEPTEMBER 1917
Sept. 1	<p>21 Category B2, B3 & C2 Drivers were transferred to Remount Depot, Shirehampton</p> <p>A Draft of 1 B.S.M, 1 Sergeant, 3 Corporals, 5 Bombardiers, 40 Gunners, 100 Drivers and 12 Signallers proceeded Overseas . Total 162</p>
Sept. 3	<p>30 Recruits arrived from No. 4. R.F.A. Depot Woolwich and were taken on the strength of the Brigade</p> <p>The undermentioned officers were taken on the strength of the Brigade</p> <p>2nd Lt. A.W. TALBOT 3/3rd Lon. Bde R.F.A.</p> <p>2nd Lt. V. ELLIS 3/6th Lon. Bde. R.F.A.</p> <p>2nd Lt. H.L. PENN 3/5th Lon. Bde. R.F.A.</p>
Sept. 6	<p>A draft of 48 Gunners and 7 Signallers proceeded Overseas. Total 55 Conducting Officer 2nd Lt. W. CORNES</p> <p><u>Inspection</u> Major General SIR J. BRUNKER K.C.M.G. (Inspector General R.H. & R.F.A.) inspected the Brigade on the 6th and 7th September 1917</p>
Sept 7	<p>Lieut. A.E. WAYLEN 3/3rd Lon. Bde. R.F.A. proceeded to Hemel Hempstead prior to proceeding Overseas</p> <p>2nd Lt. H.K. ELCOCK 3/2nd Lon. Bde. R.F.A. proceeded to Heytesbury prior to proceeding Overseas</p> <p>2nd Lt. W.J.M. STAIT S.R. proceeded Overseas</p> <p>4 Category details were transferred to Maredfield Park</p> <p>10 Category B2 Drivers were transferred to Riding Establishment, Woolwich</p>
Sept 8	<p>The undermentioned Officers joined from No.2. R.F.A. Cadet School, Exeter and were taken on the strength of the Brigade</p> <p>2nd Lt. B.C. WRIGHT " W.H. PEARCE " G.G. WALKER " H. BRAGG " D.H. HEWITT Capt. I.A.W. McGOWAN</p>

Sept 10	30 Recruits joined from No.4. R.F.A. Depot Woolwich and were taken on the strength of the Brigade
Sept 11	2 nd Lt. G.E.G. TOMBE 3/6 th Lon. Bde was transferred for Employment with Ministry of Munitions and struck off the strength of the Brigade
Sept 12	The undermentioned Officers were taken on the strength of the Brigade Lieut. K.H. MARTIN 3/5 th Lon. Bde Lieut. A.F.R.D. RYDER 3/6 th Lon. Bde
Sept. 13	A draft of 50 Drivers and 11 Signallers proceeded Overseas. Total 61 Conducting Officer Lieut. C.E. WILES 2 nd Lt. V.E. CHANDLER 3/3 rd London Bde. R.F.A. was posted to Command Depot Seaford and struck off the strength of the Brigade The undermentioned officers proceeded Overseas and were struck off strength Lieut. A.W. WHITTINGHAM 3/1 st Lon. Bde. R.F.A.(T) Lieut. A.G. OGDEN 3/3 rd Lon. Bde. R.F.A. (T) 2 nd Lt. W.G. THOMAS Attached Capt. C.J. GRIFFITHS R.F.A. (T) was transferred to the Inland Waterways and Dock Section, R.E. <u>Inspection</u> The Report of Inspector General R.H. & R.F.A. was as follows Horses – A good lot in very good condition Training. Riding. Very fair Driving. Fair – Coming into action and Limbering up require much attention Gun Drill – Good Signalling – 100 men passed. 122 under training Anti-Gas Instruction – Very satisfactory Physical Training – Good The training of young Officers and of Men selected to go to Cadet Schools is particularly good Stable Management – Very Good

	<p>Messing and Comfort for Men – Particularly well attended to</p> <p>This Brigade is doing Good Work</p> <p>The Commandant considers that the work done at this inspection was very satisfactory and reflects great credit on all concerned.</p>
Sept 16	2 nd Lt. C.B. GRIFFITH 3/5 th Lon. Bde R.F.A. was transferred to E.C. Labour Centre, Thetford
Sept 17	<p>The change from Summer Time to Greenwich Time took place at 2.a.m. when all clocks in camp were put back one hour.</p> <p>2nd Lt. L.C. MILLER M.C. 3/3rd Lon. Be. R.F.A. joined from Overseas and was taken on the strength of the Brigade from 15/09/1917.</p> <p>2nd Lt. S.A. RENVOIZE 3/1st Lon. Bde. R.F.A. joined for duty was was taken on strength</p>
Sept 18	Major J.W. HIND was transferred for duty with Ministry of Munitions.
Sept 19	<p>2nd Lt. J.R.M. WALKER, R.F.A. (T) reported for duty and was taken on strength</p> <p>2nd Lt. H.F. TERRY 3/7th Lon. Bde R.F.A. (T) joined for duty and was taken on strength</p>
Sept 20	<p>374 A11 Details arrived from No. 1. Reserve Bde. R.F.A Ripon and were taken on the strength of the Brigade</p> <p>30 Recruits arrived from No.4. Depot R.F.A. Woolwich and were taken on the strength of the Brigade</p> <p>The undermentioned Officers proceeded Overseas and were struck off the strength of the Brigade</p> <p>Lieut. Col W.E. PEAL, R.F.A.</p> <p>Lieut. H. WARTH 3/3rd Lon. Bde R.F.A. (T)</p> <p>Lieut. D.C. MONCRIEFF 3/7th Lon. Bde R.F.A</p> <p>“ G.H. NEVILLE “</p> <p>2nd Lt. R.T.J. PERRY-WARNES 3/2nd Lon. Bde R.F.A.</p> <p>“ W.B. FOORD-KELCEY, M.C. “</p> <p>2nd Lt. C.T. PEARSON Special Reserve</p> <p>“ H.O. PROTHERO</p> <p>“ K.S. PATTERSON</p> <p>“ W.E. SPILLER</p> <p>“ J.E.R. RAYNER “</p>

	Lieut. J. LOW 2 nd Wessex Bde. R.F.A. (T) reported for duty and was taken on the strength of the Brigade
Sept 21	<p>The undermentioned Officers joined for duty from No. 1. R.F.A. Cadet School, St. John Wood and were taken on the strength of the Brigade</p> <p>2nd Lt. H.J. PERRIN, R.F.A. Special Reserve “ H.J. PEACH “ G.N. READ “ R. SNAPE “ G.M. STOCKER “ C.D. SCORER “ L.R. TATHAM “ G.A. TURNEY “ E.C. TUCKEY “ F.H. TUCK “ J.E. TURNER “ H.H. WOOD “</p>
Sept 25	2 nd Lt. V.E. CHANDLER 3/2 nd Lon. Bde. R.F.A rejoined for duty and was taken on the strength of the Brigade
Sept 27	<p>A draft of 1. B.S.M., 6 Sergeants, 5 Corporals, 23 Bombardiers, 100 Drivers proceeded overseas to India. Total 135</p> <p><u>Entertaining</u> An Entertaining Committee was formed under the direction of the P.R.I (Captain CHAS. LANE) for the purpose of promoting and arranging Entertainments during the Winter months.</p> <p><u>Inspection</u> The Brigade was inspected by Lieut. General Sir H.H WILSON K.C.B. D.S.O at 11.30a.m.</p> <p>A draft of 51 Gunners and 22 Signallers proceeded Overseas to France Total 73</p> <p>Lieut A.J. EARL R.F.A. joined from No. 3 Reserve Brigade Bulford and was taken on strength</p> <p>2nd Lt. A.N. HICKS (S.R.) reported for duty from No. 4. R.F.A Cadet School Brighton and was taken on the strength of the Brigade</p>
	<p>The following casualties occurred amongst the Horses and Mules of the Brigade during the month of September 1917</p> <p><u>Horses</u> 20 Joined 3 Transferred 1 Died or Destroyed Leaving a total strength of 706</p> <p><u>Mules</u> (no movements) leaving a total strength of 10</p>

