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**Item number:** 23/30/6

**Title:** 13th Infantry Battalion

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Date.	Place and Time.		Remarks or References to Appendices, &c., attached.		
29.3.15	Cairo	}			
6				} Training	
31.3.15					
1.4.15	Cairo	}			
6				} Training	
9.4.15					
10.4.15	Cairo	8pm			
			A Co, 6 officers, 218 others, marched out of Aerodrome camp en route Alexandria to embark on "Seeangbee"		
N.B.	On 8/4/15	2 officers and 49 others,	part of 1070 reinforcements		
		marched out of camp en route Alexandria to embark			
	on "	Osmanieh"			

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11.4.15	Cairo 8pm	Marched out Arcadium Camp, Heliopolis, Cairo, 13 <sup>th</sup> Bn (less A Co) to entain for Alexandria	
12.4.15	Alexandria	Embarked on H.M.A.T. "Ascot" (A 33)	
13.4.15	Alexandria noon	Ship sailed	
14.4.15	At sea		
15.4.15	At sea		
16.4.15	At sea		
17.4.15	Lemnos	Arrived at Mudros Bay, Lemnos 5am	
18.4.15		Boat Drill, Practice in Scaling Ladders,	
23.4.15	Lemnos	Swimming parades etc.	
24.4.15	Lemnos	First Division sailed	
25.4.15	Lemnos 10:40 am	Sailed. Arrived off Anzac 4:30pm.	B+C (less 1 platoon) disembarked under fire by T.B.D. - 9:30pm. "A" Coy also from "Secang Bee"

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26.4.15	Anzac <sup>am</sup> 3.30	D Coy + 1 platoon of 'C' Coy disembarked <sup>under fire</sup> by TBD.	{ Details of 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Echelons left on board.
27.4.15	/	Took up position at head of Monash Valley. B <sup>2</sup> less C Coy on Pines Hill - 'C' Coy on Ruims Hill Lieut Mathews killed	
Records from 25 <sup>th</sup> April to 15 <sup>th</sup> June are most probably in possession of Major JMA Durrant			
2.5.15 (Sunday)		Major Ellis killed. Evening advanced + took up position Dead Man's Ridge	
3.5.15		Evening ordered to retire. Lieut Crow, M Leed & Faddy missing.	