

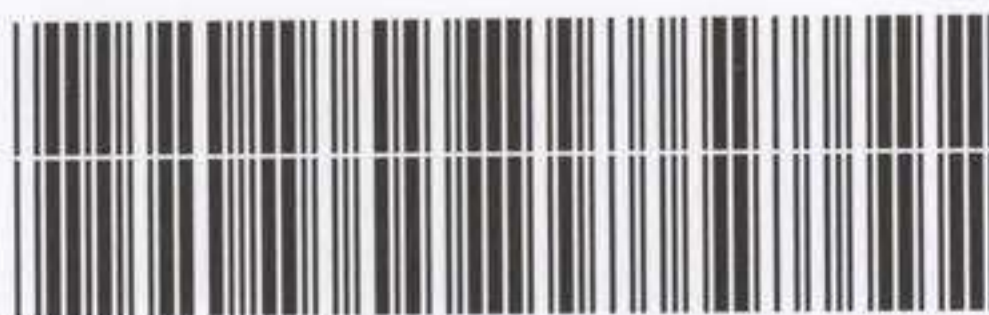
**AWM4**  
**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,**  
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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Castle Bromwich Near B'ham England.	Sept. 1-30. 1917.		<p>During this month the Squadron was utilised for Training purposes. The number of pilots asked for by Headquarters Southern Brigade R.F.C. was ten Sopwith (2 Seater). The actual turnout by the Squadron was as follows;-            Graduated Pilots nine (9).            Fit for Overseas, except for Aerial Gunnery Course at Turnberry, ten (10).            Pilots qualified to wear Wings four (4).</p>	n.s.
	14th.		<p>Fatal accident occurred;- 2/Lieut. D.K.Billings (R.F.C.) killed through fall from aeroplane owing to safety belt breaking.</p>	n.s.
<p><u>NOTE.</u>;- On other dates nothing to record..</p>				

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