

**Distribution of Mesopotamia Expeditionary Corps
(Excluding Tigris Corps)
15 July 1916**

TIGRIS LINE OF COMMUNICATIONS

(at Ali Gharbi - Post Garrison)
102nd Grenadiers
1 15pdr Post Gun
"H" Wireless Pack Station

(at Ali Gharbi - Mobile Column)
2nd Rajputs
16th Cavalry (1 sqn)
23rd Mountain Battery (-2 sections)
"N" Wireless Pack Station
No. 1 Combined Field Ambulance (1 section)
No. 137 Indian Field Ambulance (1 section)

(at Fulaifila)
20th Punjabis (1 co)

(In Mudelil - Mobile Column)
67th Punjabis
16th Cavalry (1 sqn)
23rd Mountain Battery (1 section)
No. 1 Combined Field Ambulance (1 section)
No. 3 Bridging Train (temporarily)

(at Amara)
20th Punjabis (-1/2 battalion)
1/Oxfordshire & Buckinghamshire Light Infantry (reforming)
2/7th Gurkhas (reforming)
2/119th Regiment (forming)
D/56th Battery, RFA (enroute to 7th Division)
C/222nd Battery, RFA
1 15pdr gun (Volunteer Artillery Battery)
HQ, No. 2 Wireless Signal Squadron
"A" Wagon Station
2 Spare Pack Sets
No. 1 Combined Field Ambulance (for Tigris Corps)
No. 23 British Stationary Hospital
No. 70 Indian Stationary Hospital
No. 1 British General Hospital
No. 2 British General Hospital
No. 32 British General Hospital
No. 12 Indian General Hospital
No. 21 Indian General Hospital
No. 27 Indian General Hospital
No. 17 Sanitary Section
No. 3 Advanced depots of Medical Stores
No. 6 Advanced depots of Medical Stores
Advanced Remount Section

(at Qala Salith & Ezra's Tomb)
20th Punjabis (1 co)

(at Qurna)
44th Merwara Infantry (-1/2 bn)
No. 57 Indian Stationary Hospital

EUPHRATES LINE

15th Division: Major General H.T.Brooking

(at Nasiriya)

HQ, 15th Division

12th Infantry Brigade: Brigadier General F.P.S.Dunsford
1/5th Queen's Royal Regiment (West Surrey)

43rd Infantry

90th Punjabis

42nd Infantry Brigade: Brigadier General F.G.Lucas

1/4th Dorsetshire Regiment

2/5th Gurkhas

2/6th Gurkhas

7th Mountain Artillery Brigade:

21st Battery (6 guns)

26th Battery (6 guns)

Plus:

B/222nd Brigade, RFA (4 guns)

Det/Volunteer Artillery Battery (4-15pdrs & 1 5" gun)

15th Divisional Ammunition Column

Other:

4th Field Company, Sappers & Miners

Malerkotla Sappers & Miners

15th Divisional Signal Company (less 1 brigade section)

"C" Wireless Pack Station

"J" Wireless Pack Station

No. 3 Combined Field Ambulance

No. 23 Combined Field Ambulance

No. 24 Combined Field Ambulance

No. 108 Combined Field Ambulance

No. 83 Indian Stationary Hospital

No. 16 Sanitary Section (en route)

(at Khamisiya:

34th Infantry Brigade: Brigadier General E.C.Tidswell

2nd Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment

112th Infantry

114th Mahjrattas

Other

30th Mountain Battery (6 guns)

12th Cavalry Regiment (1 sqn)

"I" Wireless Pack Station

15th Divisional Signal Company (1 brigade section)

No. 19 Combined Field Ambulance

(at Akaika and Suq Ash Shuyukh)

30th Punjabis

2 post guns

IN BASRA

General Headquarters

Headquarters, Inspector-General of Communications

Base Depots

41st Infantry Brigade: Brigadier General A.Cadell

HQ & Brigade Signal Section (in Shaiba)

1/4th Somerset Light Infantry

6th Jats

2/103rd Mahrattas (in Shaiba, forming, under orders
for India)

2/10th Gurkhas (at Barjisiya)

Other:

97th Infantry
C/56th Battery, RFA (for 7th Division)
HQ & "A" Battery, 22nd Brigade, RFA
12th Cavalry (2 sqns)
Patiala Lancers (in Barjisiya)
Kite Balloon Sectino, RNAS
"C" Flight, No. 30 Squadron, RFC
Aircraft Park, RFC
1st Australian & New Zealand Wireless Signal Squadron
(less 4 stations)
General HQ Signal Company
Signal Service Park and Depot
18th Field Company, Sappers & Miners
Tehri-Garhwal , Sappers & Miners
13th Divisional Cyclist Company (for 13th Division)
No. 105 Indian Field Ambulance (for Nasiriya)
No. 137 Indian Field Ambulance (1 section)
No. 20 Casualty Clearing Station (in river boats)
No. 3 British General Hospital
No. 33 British General Hospital
SS Karadeniz (British) General Hospital
No. 8 Indian General Hopsital
No. 9 Indian General Hopsital
No. 10 Indian General Hopsital
No. 20 Indian General Hopsital
No. 22 Indian General Hopsital
No. 10 Sanitary Section
No. 8 Depot of Medical Stores (for Nasiriya)
Base Depot
No. 23 Motor Ambulance Convoy
No. 6 Veterinary Section
No. 18 Veterinary Section

ARABISTAN

(at Ahwaz)

23rd Cavalry Regiment (3 sqns)
44th Merwara Infantry (1/2 Bn)
No. 4 Indian Field Ambulance (2 sections)

BUSHIRE

14th Sikhs
2/22nd Punjabis
124th Infnatry (1/2 bn)
15th Lancers (1 sqn)
3 Naval 12pdr guns
1 7pdr mountain gun
2 15pdr post guns
No. 51 Indian Stationary Hospital

Moberly, Brig. Gen. F.J., The Campaign in Mesopotamia, 1914-1918,
1923, London, HM Stationary Office.

Copyright GFN 1994