

1 Fri All the New Zealanders are being issued today with high velocity rifles, & are handing in our old ones. Our regiment rode over to Khan Afenut in the morning it is a small native town on our new ^{railway} line & we have a large dump there. We got our new rifles & also new bayonets there & so should be able to do something wonderful the next battle we are in

2 Sat The place we left was heavily bombed today & the Germany that relieved us a lot. a good many horses & several men. We had an easy day today & went forward with bombs or shells.

Part of this diary back to New Zealand today up to May 1st 1917.