



1919 年のアフガニスタン: 第三次アフガン戦争 英国インド省旧蔵資料集 Afghanistan in 1919: The Third Anglo-Afghan War

第三次アフガン戦争は 1919 年 5 月 6 日に勃発し、同年 8 月 8 日に終結しました。アフガニスタンの正 規軍を撃退した限りにおいて戦術的にはイギリス軍の勝利であったと評価されるものの、戦略的観点か ら見ればアフガニスタンの勝利であったともみなされています。

イギリス側の書簡、覚書、命令、報告を収録する本コレクションは、第三次アフガン戦争に従軍した軍隊 の組織、作戦、装備を含む軍事政策と軍事行政全般に関する広範な情報を提供します。アフガニスタ ンは、当地で希望を打ち砕かれたイギリスやロシアの帝国主義者からは「帝国の墓場」と呼ばれていまし た。米軍とNATO 軍がこの地でゲリラ活動との泥沼の戦いに巻き込まれている今日、本コレクションに収 録された資料は、過去のイギリス軍の行動を分析し、そこから教訓を引き出すことを通して、アフガンを 取り巻く現状を長期的に分析する視点を提供します。

収録期間: 1919 年

収録資料の規模: 1,898 images

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Privar reports that although there are a few fires visible by night there are no enemy on our side of the Kotal by day,

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APPENDIX 2564

Memerandum No. O.-1101-44, dated 5nd July 1939. [Dy. No. 58447] (Bossived in War Section, 6th July 1919.)

From-The General Officer Communiting, North-West Funder, Postness.

To-The Chief of the General Staff.

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Situation, 2nd July 1919.

1. The Distribution of the Afghan forces is believed to be as given in Situation Report of Stah June (By. Na. 55554).

2. The situation on the Chilical front gives rise to some apprehension, 0.C. wires that large reinforcements have reached this freed and that a total of 3,000 regulars and 1,000 tribesman are believed to be echeloned on the Kunar and Boshqui rivers nexth of Asmar. His estimate of effectives is probably excessive and what has taken place is the concentration of the 7 battalions was placed in that area. The C. C., Chirral, was directed yesterday to keep bis force as Duck, which is centrally situated, pending developments. Latest reports are to the effect that General Wakil Klan, with 700 men, is moving N. and intratening forces are beented in the vicinity of the junction of the Badqui and Chittel rivers. The Bedyguard and company of secules are withdrawing from Particul and concentrating in a central position. Wakil Khan may only be moving about to re-establish Afghan authority amongst the Kapis but O. C. Chitral, has ten rold that, should be and the A. P. A. consider it advisable, two Congarnies the Giffelit secules may be moved to Chitral, War Section has also been solid whether any military assistance can be sent from Kashmir. R. E. 2

C., tenned reach Assert or Dresh, but when Bristal Fightees are available, it will be possible for them to visit these places. Should Wasii Khan success is advancing into the Chiral Valley, oil the Decal-Chiral read, fedegraphic communication with India will be severed.

Of the first consignment of 2,000 manness of stores and supplies, practically the whole arrived at Bresh, by 20th June. Burders supplies will have to be continuously despatched.

2. The attitude of the tribes N. of Kabal river continues attafactory, and the Id appears to have passed off without incident. The Sandskai Mulbis is reported to be endecement to raise the Upper Swads.

3. The Mohanand tashkar at Basawal had practically disappeared, but it is now reported that they are again collecting. A few tribesures have been in observation at Giria and some 200 at discourse. Acceptance recumnaisance on its July reported many tribesmen in dark clothes, which possibly indicates the presence of Hindustant faconics.

The Alghan detachment is believed still to be at Basawal.

The greatest difficulty is reing experienced in getting the Vicercy's letters and other communications delivered to Afghan authorities, owing to multisentment of messengers.

The messenger bearing the Vicercy's Kharita, handed in the a senjer military officer at Hazarnac, but was sent on to Jahalabad with two soldiers.

He was so mathrented that the decamped at Ali Bughan, and returned without a recipit.

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G. O. C., 1st Division, has been directed to keep Afghan messergers at Dakkn to take back arguers to letters reserved.

To a letter to Beigadier Gaulam Nabbi, informing him that aeroplanes would continue to reconnecte over Afghanistan, he has replied that aeroplanes would not be fired at, but that further letter on the subject would be seen.

5. The Id has passed off quietly in the Feshawar Arm, as classes.

5. The 1d has passed on quasary of the remarks are very disartisfied at the result of the Achin Jirga of 27th Jame. They received no definite promises of support or any arms and only Re. I (Kabul) each for expenses. It is improbable that there will be any change in their artifule or that of the