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Photo: A group of men from the 5th Pioneer Battalion in one of the better camp huts. Corporal Norman Temple, profiled in this issue, is seated at the table, second from right. Photo courtesy of Margy Walsh.

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Answers to DIGGER Quiz No. 21

1. Monash was an Australian citizen of the Jewish faith.
2. Monash was given command of the Third Division.
3. The Battle of Messines on 7th June 1917.
4. The Battle of Hamel.
5. Ninety-three minutes – three more than Monash had planned.
6. The Battle of Amiens (8th August 1918).
7. Approximately 3 000 prisoners and 400 guns.
8. Monash was knighted at his headquarters at Bertangles Chateau near Amiens on 12th August 1918.
9. The five Australian Divisions, once together, were given the title of The Australian Corps.
10. 'Mo' and 'Arf a Mo'.
11. Monash attended Scotch College (where he was Dux in his final year).
12. Charles Bean (Official War Correspondent) and Prime Minister Billy Hughes argued against Monash's appointment.
13. Peronne, Mont St Quentin, Capture of the Hindenburg Line, Montbrehain.
14. Monash oversaw the repatriation of the troops (most were home by the end of 1919) and the non-military employment schemes, aimed at giving the participants work skills for their return to civilian life.
15. 2007 was the ninetieth anniversary of the Battle of Beersheba.
16. 31st October (1917).
17. The 4th and 12th Light Horse Regiments.
18. General Harry Chauvel, who reportedly said, "Send Grant's men straight at it!"
19. The 11th Light Horse Regiment.
20. Thirty-one Light Horsemen were killed and 36 wounded.

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