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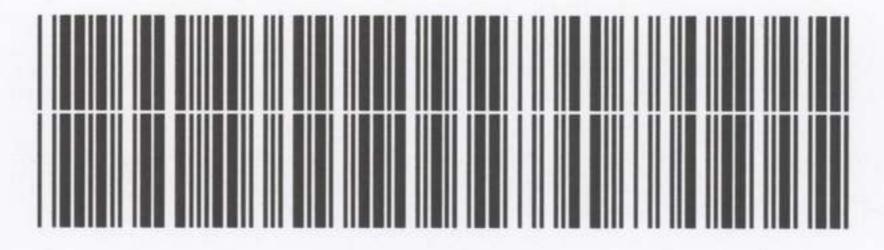
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		5th	Inspected 9th Inf	Briga	de G	roup.	Animal	s in go	ood condi	tion a	nd :	standings	improved.	
		6th	Trooper ATKINSON W. in Agriculture.	.L. 3	rd M	.V.S.	detail	ed for	duty wit	h 9th	Inf	Brigade a	s lecturer	
		7th	Inspected 11th Inf	Brig	gade	Group	.Animal	s in go	ood condi	tion.T	roug	gha in use	for watering.	
		8th	Veterinary Board for J.LEGG for the pury	pose	of e	xamin	ing Hor	ses as	laid dow	n in D	. V .	S. Cir. Me	mo No. G. IO/45	
		to	of 3/1/19. Work wa	s con	menc	ed on	this	date ar	nd contin	ued un	til	Division	was completed:-	
				Gr ou	LP		Hor	ses		Mul	es			
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			The categories contained in D.V.S. G.IO/45 wee as follows:-	
			Class "A" Practically sound and between the ages of 5 and 6 years.	
			mBu Do Do Do Do B and 12 w.	
			"C" Permanently unsound butfitrfor work, or animals over 12 years.	
			"D" Those only fit for Destruction and conversion into by-products, through reason of certain specific diseases.	
			Later two other categories were formed "C-" and "D-" for animals over 12 years, and all known vicious animals, respectively. These animals were included in return under category "C" and "D" All "D" animals were evacuated.	
		25th	At request of "Q" of Division a Board (Remount Selection) was selected consisting of D.A.D.V.S., Captain J.M.DAVIDSON M.V. A.A.V.C. and Captain RANDALL A.A.S.C. to further examine all animals in accordance with Aust.Corps No.163/529 of 4/1/19. The classes laid Down therein were as follows:- and-were- These were scissor clipped on off saddle	
			"X" lst Choice for Army of Occupation. "Y" For repatriation to Hnited Kingdom. "Z" For sale on Continent.	
			Work was commenced on this day and the Division was completed by 30th.	
			The categories are as follows:-	
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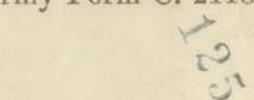
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				135	219	201	2	557	424	23	447		
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			CONDITION during the month has been well maintained.	
			VETERINARY EQUIPMENT Complete and serviceable.	
			SHOEING & STAFF Good.	
			REMOUNTS Nil received.	
			MINAGEMENT has been excellent.	
			FORAGE Good. ANIMAL WASTAGE Evacuated 24-Horse and Mules	
			Died. Natural Causes 7 " " 4 " Battle CasltsNIL Total Wastage 93 Horses and 8 Mules. (Includes Artillery)	
	*		M.V.S. Admitted for the Month 89 animals from Division and 25 strays. Evacuated IOI animals from Division, and 25 strays. 15 animals were evacuated from Artillery by 5th Aust. M.V.S.	
			GENERAL Artillery sill remains away from Division and is being administered direct by CAPES High percentage of evacuations this month was brought about by evacuation of all "D" and "D-" animals , which were sent to No.14 Vet. Hospital ABBRVILLE for disposal by sale to Butchers. Difficulty was experienced through there being no car available for Veterinary Board and all Units were visited onHorse back. The area is a large one and consequently there was a godd deal of delay.	
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			GENERAL (Contd.)	
			For the Remount Board a car was made available and the Division was completed in the space of 5 days.	
			For the period Veterinary arrangements were carried out as follows:-	
			Major L.E. McKENZIE D.S.O. D.A.D.V.S. Div. Headquarters Div. Signal Coy. 11th Inf Brigade Group.	
			Major C.N. CALLOW 7th and 8th A.F.A.Brigades 22 nd Coy Div. Train.	
			Captain W.B. WAKEHAM 3rd D.A.G.	
			Captain J. LEGG 3rd M. V. S. 9th Inf Bgde group S.A.A. Section.	
			Captain J.M.DAVIDSON M.C. 3rd M.G.Battn 3rd Pion. Battn 3rd Div. Train 10th Inf Bgde Group.	
			HONOURS Captain J. Lagg Mentioned (A.I.F. list No.427 1/1/19.) No.675 Sgt. H.L. CAMERON 29th Battery 8th A.F. A.Brigade. (A.I.F. list no 427 1/1/19.	-
			Meritorious Service Medal	
			711 S/Sergeant J.B. MAWHINEY (A.I.F.list No.438 24/1/19.) 710 Sergeant J.WESTBROOK (A.I.F.list No. 438 24/1/19)	
			15/ 2 19 D. D. & L., London, E.C. D. A. D. V. S.	

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During the week the following Units were inspected; -

Divisional Headquarters Divisional Signal Coy. Abb. Vet.Section. S.A.A.Heation. 9th Inf Brigado Group.

COMDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING Arrangements catisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHORING Standard is being well maintained.

BTANDINGS Most animals are in good stables.

PERSONNEL No. 720 Sergeant PERSALICON C.H. returned to duty from leave on 24th Dec.

No.662 Sergeant LINDSAY A.W. to Paris on leave on 30th Dec. awa not 27th as shewn in my V.1847/6 of 27th Dec.

M.V.S. Evenuated S animals from Division and 1 stroy.

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THIRD AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

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During the week the following Units were inspected.

Div. Headquarters Divisional Sig. Coy. Mob. Vet.Section. S.A.A.Section. 11th Inf.Brigade Group.

COMDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHORING Standard is being well maintained.

STANDINGS most animals are in good stables.

PERSONNEL. No. 1346 Trooper ATKINSON W.L. detached for duty with Headquarters 9th Inf. Bgde (Educational Lecturer)
from 6.1.19.

No.797 Trooper DICKBON C.E. proceeded to Divisional Wing 9.1.18.en route for Australia, and is struck off strength.

M.V.S. Evacuated 3 animals from Division, and four strays.

Establishment 1. 20
Present Strength 1. 19.
To complete 1. 0.R.

D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Australian Division.



THIRD AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

WEEKLY 000 Report

D.D.V.S., A.I.F.
A.D.V.S., Aust.Corps.
Headquarters 3rd Aust.Div.
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File.

During the week the following Units were inspected:-

Div. Headquarters
Div. Signal Coy.
Mob. Vet. Section.
3rd Div. Train.
IOth Inf. Brigade Group.

CONDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

MORAGE satisfactory.

SHOEING standard is being weal maintained.

STANDINGS most animals are in good stables

PERSONNEL. No. 662 Sergeant LINDSAY A.W. reported for duty from leave (Paris) on 10th inst.

No.709 Sergeant SMITH G.F.admitted to 11th Field Amb.

(Synovitis L. Knee) 16.1.19.

No.1125 Sergeant WOODFULL M.B. promoted Sergeant as from 1.1.19. Authority A.D.V.S. Aust.Corps.No.1/3/9 of 8th inst.

M.V.S. Admitted 14 animaks from Division and Two Strays.

15 animals were evacuated, including strays, and one remaining in M. V.S.

Establishment 1. 20
Present strength 1. 19.

To complete

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D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Aust. Division.

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During the week the following Units were inspected

Div. Headquarters
Div. Signal Coy.
Mob. Vet. Section.
S.A.A. Section.
lith Inf Brigade Group.

CONDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHOWING Standard is being well maintained.

STANDINGS most animals dare in good stables.

PERSONIEL. No. 709 Sergeant SMITH G.F. rejoined Unit from Fld.
Amb. on 22nd inst.

No.1381 Trooper ADAMS H.D.M.) Transferred to Aust.

)Postal Corps 14.1.19.

)Authority 3rd D.H.Q.

No.1361 Trooper REMDS G.D.W. |No.116/62 of 12.1.19.

M.V.S. Evacuated 24 animals from Division and 12 strays.

Eveter inary Board evacuated 26 "D" and 6"D".

animals to No. 14 Vet. Hospital.

(Sgd) L.H.McKHNZIH Major. D.A.D.V.S. ord Australian Division.

24/1/19.

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During the week the following Units were inspected:-

Div. Headquarters
Div. Signal Coy.
9th Inf Brigade Group.
Ioth Inf Brigade Group
11th Inf Brigade Group

CONDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHOEING Standard is being well maintained.

STANDINGS most animals are in good stables.

PERSONNEL No.22304 Trooper HAYES A. Taken on strength No.22066 Trooper GLOVER J.R. of 3rd M.V.S. No.60761. Trooper SCHILLING S.G. from Base 27/1/19.

No.2136 Trooper LOBB. W.J. to PARIS on 30th inst 10 days leave.

M.V.B. Evacuated 23 animals from Division and 2 Strays

Veterinary Board evacuated IO "D" and 1 "D* animals

Establishment I 20
Strength 1 20
To Complete Nil..

31/1/19.

(Sgd) LE. McKENZIE Major. D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Aust.Division.