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THIRD AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

WEEKLY REPORT



D.D.V.S., A.I.F.
A.D.V.S. Aust. Corps.
Headquarters 3rd Aust. Div.
War Diary
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During the week the following Units were inspected:-

D.H.Q.
3rd Div. Sig. Coy.
S.A.A. Section
3rd M. Gun Battn.
3rd Pion. Battn.

CONDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHOEING standard is being well maintained.

STANDINGS animals are in good standings.

GENERAL During the week the Malleining of animals of the Division was completed, and under authority from Headquarters "Q" three drafts of X and Y Horses were sent to DIEPPE for sale in U.K. and a draft of 300 "Z" mules were sent to No. 3 Remount Squadron ABBEVILLE for sale to inhabitants.

PERSONNEL No. 709 Sergeant SMITH G.F. departed for England for return to Australia on 5th inst and is struck off strength

M.V.S. Evacuated 28 animals from Division. Nil from Other Formations. No strays were admitted.

	<u>STRENGTH</u>	
Establishment	1. 20	
Present Strength	1. 18	
To complete	2	O.S.

H. H. Hump Major.
D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Australian Division

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GENERAL AUSTRALIAN DIVISION



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Headquarters 3rd Div. A.I.F.
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During the week the following units were inspected:-

- 3rd Div. A.I.F.
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- 3rd Div. A.I.F.

CONDITION in all units is good.
ARRANGING arrangements satisfactory.

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REPAIRS in progress in being well maintained.

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During the week the following units of the Division were inspected, and under authority from Headquarters "D" three drafts of X and Y Batches were sent to HQ for refit U.K. and a draft of 500 "Z" units were sent to HQ. A permanent Squadron AMBULANCE for sale to hospitals. REPAIRS No. 703 Squadron 3rd Div. reported for refit for re- turn to Australia on 25th inst and in track etc. etc. REPAIRS in progress in being well maintained. REPAIRS in progress in being well maintained.

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 D.D.V.8., A.I.F. 3rd Australian Division

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During the week the following Units were inspected:-

10th Inf. Brigade Group.
11th Inf. Brigade Group.
3rd Div. Train.
3rd Div. Sig. Coy.
3rd Mob. Vet. Section.

CONDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHOEING standard is being well maintained.

STANDINGS animals are in good standings.

PERSONNEL No. 2136 Trooper LOBB, W. J. proceeded to Divisional Wing enroute for Australia, and is struck off strength 9.3.19. (Authority, Demobaust 53400 of 6.3.19.)

A.V.S. Evacuated 20 animals from Division. Nil from Other Formations. No stray animals were admitted.

Establishment
Present Strength
To Complete

STRENGTH.
1 20
1 17
3 O.Rs.



F. H. K. J. Major.
D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Australian Division.

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During the week the following Units were inspected:-

- 9th Inf. Brigade Group.
- 10th Inf. Brigade Group.
- 11th Inf. Brigade Group.
- 3rd Div. Sig. Coy.
- 3rd M.V.S.

CONDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHOEING standard is being well maintained.

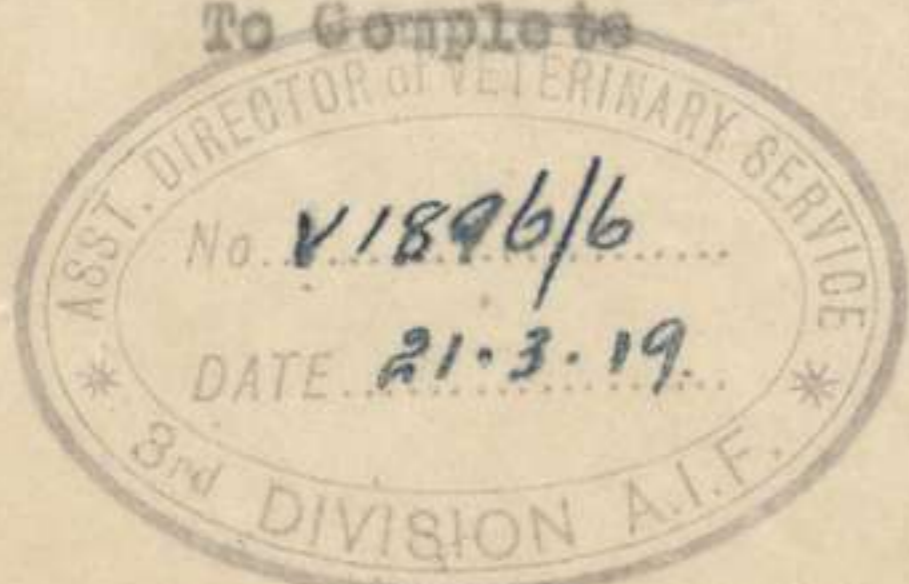
STANDINGS animals are in good standings.

PERSONNEL No. 180 Corporal WOODFULL, B.S.A. Granted Non Military employment in U.K. whilst on Special Leave, is struck off strength 10.3.19. (Authority, Demobaust I.D.I.4307 of 5.3.19.)

No. 737 Trooper SENOGLES, W.S. proceeded to Divisional Wing enroute for Non Military employment in U.K. and struck off strength 15.3.19. (Authority, Demobaust IDI.5011 of 6.3.19.)

M.V.S. Evacuated 17 animals from Division. Nil from other Formations. No stray animals were admitted.

	<u>STRENGTH.</u>
Establishment	1 20
Present Strength	1 15
To Complete	5 O.Rs.



John Kenyon Major.
D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Australian Division.

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During the week the following Units were inspected

- 9th Inf. Brigade Group.
- 10th Inf. Brigade Group.
- 11th Inf. Brigade Group.
- 3rd Div. Train.

CONDITION, in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHOEING standard is being well maintained.

STANDINGS animals are in good standings.

PERSONNEL No. 1224 S/Smith DONOHUE. A.A. admitted to 3rd A.G.H. on the 21.3.19. and is now struck off strength.

M.V.S. Evacuated 12 animals from Division. Nil from Other Formations. No strays were admitted.

	<u>STRENGTH</u>	
Establishment	1	20
Present Strength	1	14
To Complete		6 O.Rs.

GENERAL Under authority from Headquarters "Q" 14/375 of 25.3.19. 197-"Z" class animals were sent to No. 2 Advanced Remount Depot, ABBEVILLE, for sale to Inhabitants.



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

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During the week the following Units were inspected:-

9th Demob. Regt.
10th Demob. Regt.
11th Demob. Regt.
3rd Div. Train.
3rd M.V.S.

CONDITION in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory

SHOEING standard is being well maintained.

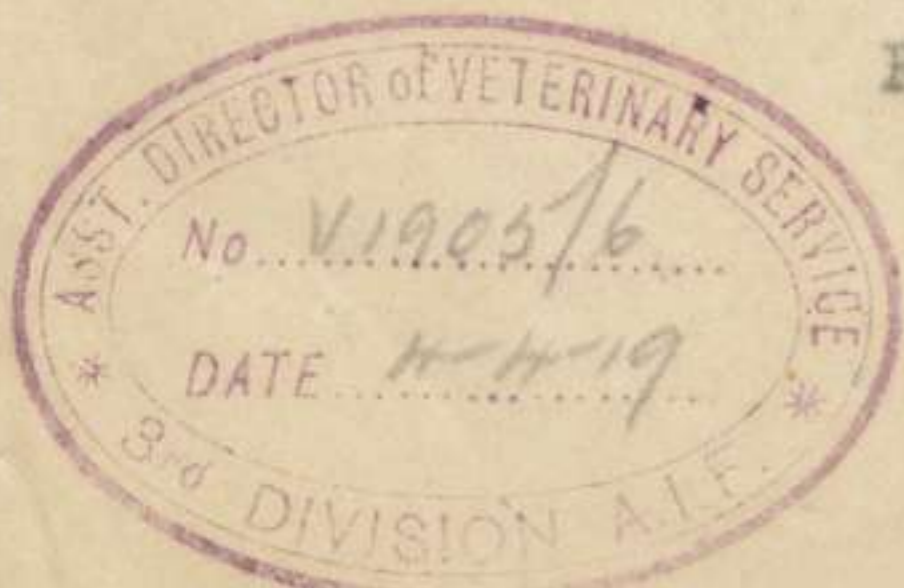
STANDINGS animals are in good standings.

PERSONNEL Major L.E. McKenzie, D.A.D.V.S., proceeded to England for special investiture leave. (Authy) D.H.Q. "Q"74/361 of 27.3.19.

M.V.S. Evacuated 11 animals from Division and Nil from Other Formations. One animal remaining under treatment. No strays were admitted.

STRENGTH
O. O.R.
1 14

GENERAL Under authority from Headquarters "Q"14/375 of 25.3.19. 194 animals were sent to ABBEVILLE No 2 Advanced Remount Depot for sale to inhabitants.



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D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Australian Division
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During the week the following Units were inspected:-

- 9th Demob. Regt.
- 10th Demob. Regt.
- 11th Demob. Regt.
- 3rd Div. Train.
- 3rd. M.V.S.

Condition in all Units is Good.

Watering arrangements satisfactory.

Forage is satisfactory.

Shoeing standard is being well maintained.

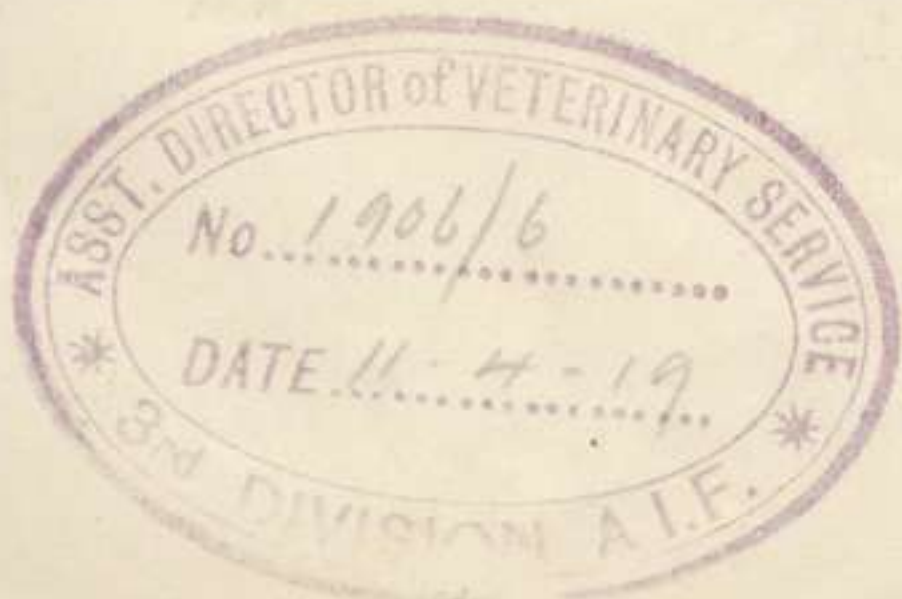
Standings animals are in good standings.

Personnel No 24437 Vet/Sergeant SUTHERLAND H.D. attached 3rd D.A.C. proceeded to U.K. for Early Repatriation. (Authority 3D4126 of 3rd inst.)

No 7211 Trooper BUTLER F.H. proceeded to Agricultural Depot SUTTON VENY. and is struck off strength. Authy. Demobaust Wire 53828 of 28.3.19.

No 1362 Trooper SQUIRE M.J.E. proceeded to SUTTON VENY Agricultural Depot, and is struck off strength. Authy. Demobaust Wire 53828 of 28.3.19.

M.V.S. Evacuated 3 animals from Division, and Nil from Other Formations. One Stray animal was admitted and Evacuated.



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John M. Davidson Major.
D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Australian Division.

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During the week the following Units were inspected:-

- 9th Demob. Regt.
- 10th Demob. Regt.
- 11th Demob. Regt.
- 3rd Div. Train
- 3rd M.V.St

CONDITION. in all Units is good.

WATERING arrangements are satisfactory.

FORAGE is satisfactory.

SHOEING standard is being well maintained.

STANDINGS animals are in good standings.

PERSONNEL. Captain J. Legg O.C. 3rd M.V.S. proceeded to PARIS, 72 Hours leave, on the 13.4.19.

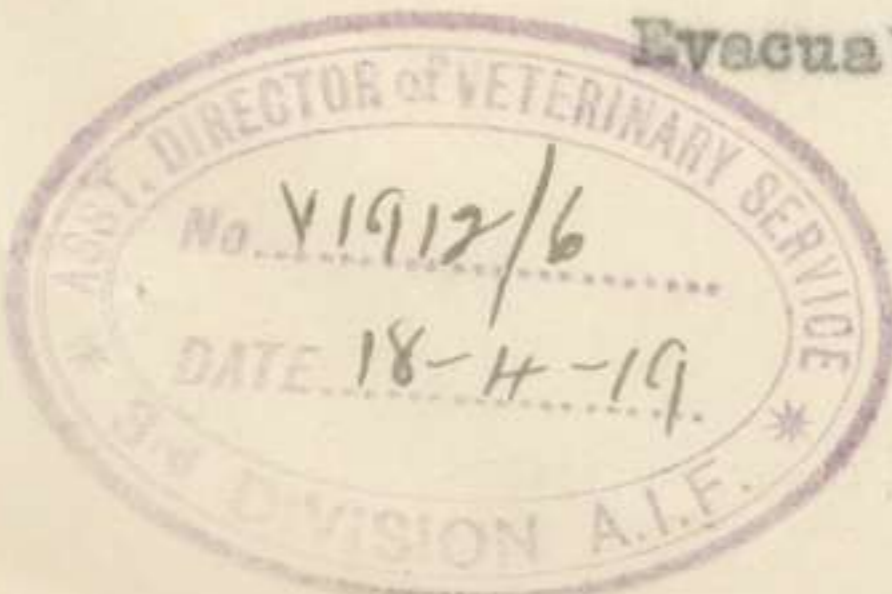
Captain J.M.Davidson, M.C. attached 3rd Div. Train, to PARIS 72 Hours leave, on the 13.4.19.

No 662 V/Sgt LINDSAY A.W. attached 3rd M.G. Battalion proceeded with No 34 Embarkation Quota on the 16.4.19. for U.K.

No 24368 V/Sgt GREEN M.J. attached No 3/S.A.A.S. 3rd D.A.C. proceeded with No 34 Embarkation quota, on the 16.4.19. for U.K.

No 1125 V/Sgt WOODFULL M.J. to PARIS 10 days special leave on the 7.4.19.

M.V.S. Evacuated 2 animals from Division, and Nil from Other Formations, Six Stray animals were admitted and Evacuated.



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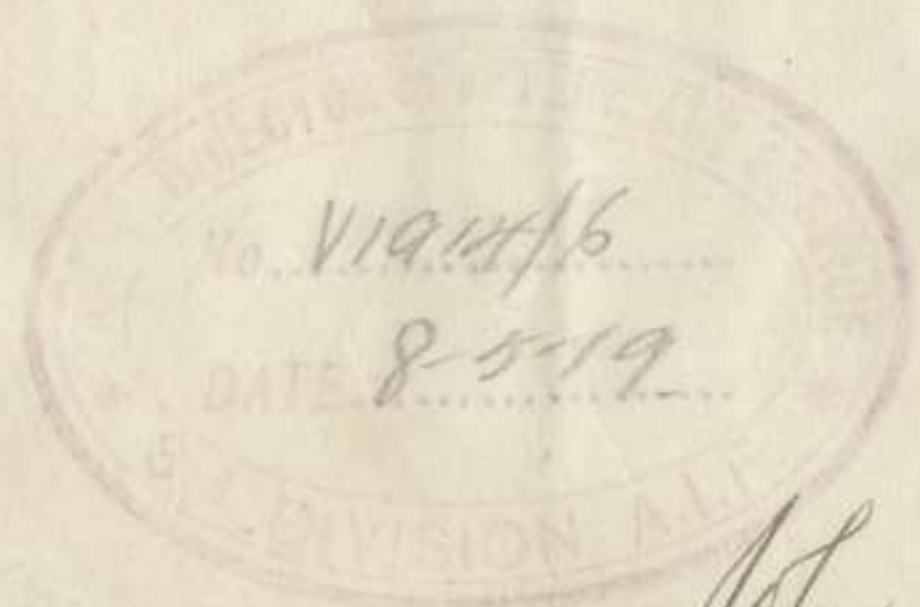
WAR DIARY

OF

D.A.D.V.S. 3rd Austⁿ Divⁿ

FOR

ending May 8th 1919



Signature of Officer compiling

John M. Davidson Capt

Signature of Officer Commanding

John M. Davidson Capt

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During the period 29th April to 2nd May 1919, the remaining animals of this Division were disposed of as under:-

GENERAL. X. AND Y. Class Horses were sent to No.4 Base Remount Depot, B O U L O G N E, on the 29.4.19. (Authority 3rd D.H.Q. "Q" 14/375 of 29.4.19.)

Classes.	R.	L.D.	H.D.	TOT L.
	67	27	102	196

One Officers Charger, (Scissor clipped B/Y Major L.E. McKenzie.) also accompanied this Draft, making the total of 197.

Z Class animals were sent to No. 2 Remount Squadron, ABBEVILLE, on the 2.5.19. (Authority 3rd D.H.Q. 14/375 of 29.4.19. Classes,

R.	L.D.	H.D.	P.	MULES.	TOTAL.
54	62	20	14	5	155.

M.V.S. During the month evacuated 27 animals from Division, and Nil from Other Formations. Six strays being admitted and evacuated.

PERSONNEL. Major L.E.McKenzie, D.S.O., DADVS., proceeded to U.K. on the 21.4.19., for six months course at the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons
Capt. J.M.Davidson, M.C. Taken over duties of D.D.V.S. on the 21.4.19. vice Major McKenzie, to U.K.
Capt. J.Legg, O.C.3rd M.V.S. proceeded to U.K. on the 5.5.19. for course at the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons.
710 Sgt. Westbrook J. attached 10th Inf Bgde. proceeded with No. 39 Quota for return Australia on the 23.4.19.
1125 Sgt.Woodfull M.B. proceeded with No 45 Quota for Australia, 3.5.19.
720 Sgt.Penhaligon C.N.Proceeded with No.39 Quota for Australia, 23.4.19.
733 Cpl.Plumb F. " " " " " " " "
727 Tpr.Clayton J. " " " " " " " "
719 Dvr.MacLaughlin F. " " " " " " " "
736 Tpr.Sharpe B " " " " " " " "

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The following personnel are in Conatration Camp with No.51 Quota:-

- 725 Sgt. Mahony A P.
- 1358 Tpr. McMillan C.G.
- 22066 " Glover J.R.
- 60761 " Schilling S.G.
- 1367 " Woodall F.W.
- 2497 " Gleeson E.M.

22304 Tpr. Hayes A. proceeded to Parkhouse U.K. Depot, for the purpose of Industrial Employment on the 30. 4.19. (Authority 3rd D.H.Q. "Q" 42/761.)



John M Davidson
Captain.
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