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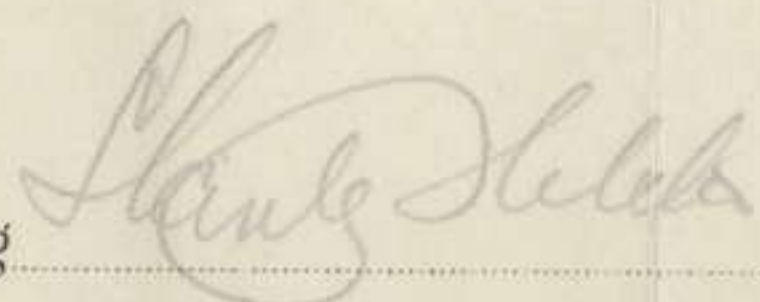
OF

D.A.D.V.S., 1st AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

FOR

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D.A.D.V.S., 1st Aust. Divsn.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Long (Sheet 57E: N29C)	1918 Oct. 1		<p>Recommended the following changes in posting of Veterinary Officers to units of 1st Aust. Division: -</p> <p>Capt. E. J. Lukey, a. a. v. c. from att'd 1st A. M. V. S. to att'd 1st Aust. Div. Train.</p> <p>Capt. H. S. Lucas, a. a. v. c. from att'd 1st Aust. Div. Train to att'd 1st A. M. V. S.</p> <p>Nominal Roll of officers & Sgts. a. a. v. c., 1st Aust. M. V. S. forwarded to D. D. V. S., A. I. F., and D. D. V. S., Aust. Corps.</p> <p>Inspected animals at wagon lines, 3rd Inf. Bde.</p>	
Long.	2		<p>Statement of Receipts & Issues of Imperial Remounts from 7 to Imperial authorities in France during September, 1918, forwarded to A. I. F. Hdqrs, through "Q" 1st Aust. Division.</p>	
Long	3.		<p>The following N.C.O.s, a. a. v. c., proceeded on leave to Australia: -</p> <p>71 Sgt. A. Fitzgerald, A. a. v. c., attached 6th Bty. A. F. A.</p> <p>160 " E. G. Shudleigh " " 102nd " "</p> <p>132 " G. Smith " " 2nd Sec. Mt. A. D. C.</p>	

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LONG.	1918. Oct. 3 (Contd.)		162 Sgt. A. Vernon, A.A.V.C., att'd 3 rd Inf. Bde. 67 " R. Downing " " 1 st A. M. G. Bn. 408 " W. Graham " " 1 st A. M. V. S. 205 Cpl. D. Hale " " Do. 888 Pte. J. J. Watson " " " 77 Drv. A. E. Gayard, D.O., " "	
LONG.	4.		Recd from 1 st Aust. Div approval for Major Finlay, A.A.V.C., D.O. 1 st Aust. M.V.S. to proceed to Aust. via America. warrant & instructions forwarded to Major Finlay.	
LONG.	5.		Following returns forwarded to A.D.V.S., Aust. Corps:- a. f.a. 2000 for week ending 3.10.18. weekly Range State Do. Do. Horse Recovery Form " " copy of a 2000 to D.D.V.S., a. f. f. Received from D.A. D.V.S., 5 th Aust. Div. note of 1 horse of 3 rd Bty, a. f.a., evacuated by 5 th A. M. V. S. on 2.10.18. Notified unit. Major G. F. Finlay proceeded to Aust. via America. Capt. H. J. Lucas, of D.O. 1 st Aust. M.V.S.	

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LONG.	Oct. 9 (contd)		<p>Division, to complete establishment, dated 6.10.18 Capt. H. S. Lucas, A.A.V.C. 1st Aust. Division, to command 1st Aust. Mobile Vet. Section, temporarily, vice Major G. F. Finlay to Australia on 1914 leave, dated 6.10.18. Capt. J. Bell, A.A.V.C. reported for duty.</p>	
"	" 10		<p>Received Roll of 3 horses evacuated by 2nd Aust. M.V.S. on 7.10.18.</p>	
"	" 11		<p>" " " 5 animals " " 1st. A. M.V.S. " 10.10.18</p>	
"	" 12		<p>Following returns forwarded A.D.V.S. Aust. Corps:- A.F. 2000 for wk. ending 10.10.18; weekly Mang. State, & Horse Recovery Form III. Copy of A.F. 2000 to D.D.V.S. A.S.F. Major S. Fletcher, M.L. (temp. D.D.V.S. (temp.) 1st. Aust. Div., vice Major G. H. Heslop, to Eng. on leave Capt. H. S. Lucas, 1st. Aust. Div. to command (temp.) 1st. Aust. Mobile Vet. Sect. vice Major Finlay, to Aust. on leave. (Authority for above appointments: A.A.V.C. letter of 9.10.18.) 1st. Aust. Pioneer Bn. forwarded receipt for 2 animals to 2nd Corps M.V. Hosp., Amv. Army.</p>	

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LONG	1918. Oct. 13.		Vetg. Report for wk. ending 10.10.18 forwarded to Hdqrs. 1st Aust. Divison. D.D.V.S., A.I.F. & A.D.V.S., Aust. Corps. Copies for War Diary.	Appendix
LONG	" 14		Major S. Fletcher, M.C., reported for duty as D.A.D.V.S., 1st Aust. Div. Demand for 200 Remounts to complete 1st. Aust. Div. to Est. forwarded to D.D. Remounts, 4 th Army through "2" 1st Aust. Divison. Received Roll of 64 animals evacuated by 1st. A. M.V.S. on 11th, 13th & 14th insts.	
"	" 15		D.A. D.V.S. inspected animals of D.H.D.	
"	" 16		D.A. D.V.S. inspected the 1st & 2nd. Inf. Bde. Transport. Finest Condition very satisfactory, except in 2 Bns. where animals not under cover. 5th Bn. also without cover but sheltered in wood. Other Battalions all under cover. Condition & grooming good.	
"	" 17		D.A. D.V.S. visited 1st. Aust. M.V. Sec. 7414 T/Sgt. F. Potter posted to 41th Bty. (attached) from 1st. Aust. Vetg. Hospital Enwar. Station.	

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LONG	1918 Oct. 17		<p>arranged new allotment of V. O's to the units of 1st Aust. Divn. Recd. from 1st A. M. V. S. roll of 2 horses + 5 mules evac. on 17th inst " " 3rd A. M. V. S. " " 6 " " " 16th "</p>	
"	" 18		<p>Conference of V. O's of 1st Aust. Divn. held in this office regarding general routine matters. Following returns forwarded to A. D. V. S. Aust. Corps:- a 2000, Horse Recovery Form III, + weekly Mang. State. Copy of a 2000 sent to D. D. V. S. Aust. Corps. Recd. roll of 5 animals evacuated by 1st A. M. V. S. on 18.10.18.</p>	
"	" 19		<p>Two cases of Foot + Mouth Disease discovered on premises of billet owned by Joseph Danten, Rue de Gros, Arbes, Long. Necessary regulations put into operation, French Mission informed, also A. D. V. S. Aust. Corps; A. A., + 2 M. G. 1st Aust. Division.</p>	
"	" 21		<p>Recd. copy of Remount Demand forwarded by D. D. Remounts, 4th Army to D. Remounts on 16.10.18 for 31 remounts; no riders demanded for "other units," as those becoming surplus through reductions</p>	

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	1918.			
LONG	Oct 21 (Contd)		ordered of 1st Transport Line in Aust. Divisions will shortly be available to meet these deficiencies.	
"	" 22		Recd. advice of 1 horse evacuated by 3rd A. M. V. S. on 18.10.18.	
"	" 23		" " " 4 horses + 1 mule evacuated by 1st A. M. V. S. on 22.10.18.	
"	" " 3		" " " 4 th " " 15.10.18.	
"	" 24		" " " 10 " " " 1 st " " 23.10.18.	
"	" 25		Following returns for week ending 24 th inst. forwarded to A. D. V. S. Corps:- A. F. A. 2000, Horse Recovery Form III, + weekly Manger State. Copy of A. F. A. 2000 forwarded to D. D. V. S., A. I. F. Recd. advice of 8 horses + 1 mule evacuated on 24 th inst by 1st A. M. V. S.	
"	" 26		Vet. Report for week ending 24 th inst forwarded to A. D. V. S. Corps, D. D. V. S., A. I. F. + 1st Div. Headquarters.	
"	" 27		Conference convened by A. D. V. S. Aust. Corps, held at Long of D. A. D. V. S., Australian Corps to meet ^{new} D. A. D. V. S. of 1st Aus. Div. Received roll of 7 horses evacuated on 25 th inst by 1st A. M. V. S. Reference to 2 cases of lice in 101st Bty. instructed V.O. to clip all animals	

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LONG	Oct. 27.		<p>affected with this complaint. Capt. H. S. Lucas, CC, 1st. A. M. V. S. left on Eng. leave.</p> <p>Forwarded Return of carcasses of animals disposed of, for 4 weeks ending 24.10.18. to A. D. V. S. Aust. Corps.</p> <p>Return of stray animals for week ending 26th inst. forwarded to "2", 1st Aust. Div. for sig. by Div. Commander, & sent on to D. D. R., 4th Army.</p>	
"	" 28.		<p>Final arrangements made for clipping all animals of Division at Airaines tomorrow. Subsequently, however memo from Aust. Corps recd. that the clipping of artillery horses & mules will not be centralised with the remainder of the Division but under arrangements to be made by the S. R. A. The following detail from 1st. A. M. V. S. to report to the Div. arty. on 30th inst. for purpose of keeping the clipping machines in repair & sharpened: - 1 Sgt. & 1 Private from A. A. V. C. personnel. As soon as artillery personnel trained in these duties the A. A. V. C. personnel to return to their unit.</p>	
"	" 29.		<p>Received from D. A. D. V. S., 5th. Aust. Div., a reply to Major G. G. Heslop's (late D. A. D. V. S., 1st Aust. Div.) letter of 5.9.18 containing suggestions</p>	

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LONG	1918 Oct. 29 (contd.)		re formation of a Branch of the Australian Vety. Assn., in the Field, and that he was going to convene a meeting of A.A. V.C. personnel, after the conference shortly to be held by the A. D. V. S. Aust. Corps. to consider the matter. Demand for 235 remounts to complete 1st Aust. Division to Establishment forwarded to D. D. R., 4th Army, through 2nd 1st Aust. Division.	
LONG	.. 30	---		
"	.. 31	---		
<p><i>Weekly Intelligence Report D. A. D. V. S. 1st. Aust. Division</i></p>				

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LIST OF APPENDICES.

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| 4. | " " " " " 24.10.18 |
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27.10.18, to 31.10.18. |
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| 7. | Nominal Roll of 1st Aust. Mobile Vet. Section, and
of Officers, & Sgts. A.A.V.C. |
| 8. | Letter from D.A.D.V.S., 1st Aust.Div. to V.O's 1st Aust.
Div. in reference to difficulty experienced in filling
vacancies caused by Sgts. A.A.V.C. Personnel proceeding
to Australia. |

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Headquarters,
1st Aust. Division.

APPENDIX
Date 6.10.18.

Veterinary Report for week ending 3/10/18.

A considerable improvement has been noticed in the condition of animals, and transport, since arriving in this area. Owing to the large number of drivers, and other line personnel, proceeding to Australia, on furlough, Veterinary Officers, First Australian Division, have been instructed to arrange direct with Unit Commanders for lectures and demonstrations on animal management to be delivered by V.O's to the reinforcement personnel, at suitable places and times.

No returns have been received up to the time of writing this report from 1st, and 2nd Artillery Bdes., but cases of sickness and injury, and figures of wastage, in the other units of the Division, show a very substantial decrease.

The percentage of wastage of animals for the week is:-

Horses .47%
Mules .35%

Cases of sickness and injury treated during the week are summarised, as follow:-

Digestive: 1 Colic admitted, 1 cured, 1 remaining under treatment.

Lymphatic: No fresh cases, 1 remaining from last week.

Skin: 1 case cracked heels admitted and remaining

Locomotory: 4 admitted, 2 evacuated, 2 remaining.

Specific: No fresh cases. 1 cured, 1 evacuated, 22 remaining.

Gunshot Casualties: 16 admitted, 3 evacuated, 8 killed.

Other Injuries: 25 admitted, 2 evacuated.

Personnel.

The following N.C.O's, A.A.V.C., proceeded on leave to Australia, on 3.10.18:-

71	Sgt. A. Fitzgerald	A.A.V.C., att'd	6th Bty., A.F.A.
160	" E.G. Chudleigh	Do.	" 102nd Bty., A.F.A.
132	" G. Smith	"	" 2nd Sec., 1st A.D.AC
162	" A. Vernon	"	" 3rd Inf. Bde.
67	" R. Downing	"	" 1st A.M.G. Btn.
408	" W. Graham	"	" 1st A.M.V.S.
205	Cpl. D. Hole	"	" 1st Do.
988	Pte. J.S. Watson	"	" 1st "
77	Dvr. A.E. Gazzard	"	" 1st "

The following Personnel of 1st A.M.V.S. are promoted T/Sgts., A.A.V.C., dated 1st October, 1918:-

3593	L/Cpl. W.D.M. Thompson	1st Bty.
786	Pte. J.T. Monohan	101st "
1964	S/Smith A.C. Nugent	112th "

Working of M.V.S. No animals were evacuated by 1st Aust., M.V.S., during the week.

G. Bealoh Major,
D.A.D.V.S.,
1st Aust. Division.

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VETERINARY REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING 10.10.18.

The following Units were visited during the week:- 2nd Inf Bde., 2nd F.Amb., 2nd F. Coy. A.E., 1st, 2nd, & 4th Battalions, 1st F. Coy., A.E.

Condition.

It is noticed that in nearly all units there is still room for improvement in condition.

On arrival of the artillery in this area a number of Debility cases were sent by them to the 1st A.M.V.S.. These cases were very bad indeed.

Standings.

Some units have sufficient stabling for all horses and in some cases it has been necessary to improve the standing. This has been done. Other units are in the open and most of their standings are on soft ground, and during inclement weather will become very muddy. If rubble or cinders were obtained the standings could be much improved.

Sanitation.

In some cases the manure has not been carted away, but in most cases it is being satisfactorily dealt with.

Water.

Good; all units watering from troughs.

Grazing.

Some units are getting a certain amount of grazing.

Grooming.

More attention might be paid to grooming in view of the fact that clipping may commence during the month.

Sickness.

Not including the Artillery the cases of sickness and injury are still further decreased from last week. In the Artillery the number of debility cases and minor injuries, such as rope galls, increase the figures considerably. These cases of debility are undoubtedly due, to a great extent, to the very heavy work which has been necessary during the past months. These cases will be evacuated to L. of C.

The percentage of Wastage of animals for the week is:

Horses .005
Mules .0038

Cases of sickness and injury treated during the week are summarised as follow:-

Digestive: 2 Colic admitted, 3 cured, none remaining.
Lymphatic: No fresh cases, 1 cured.
Skin: 2 cases admitted, 1 cured, 1 evacuated, 1 remaining under treatment.
Locomotory: 2 admitted, 2 cured, 2 remaining.
Specific: 8 admitted, 5 cured, 2 evacuated, 1 died, 32 remaining.
Gunshot Casualties: 4 admitted, 2 evacuated.
Other injuries. 104 admitted, 6 evacuated, 2 died, 110 cured, 32 remaining.

PERSONNEL.

Major G.F. Finlay proceeded to Australia on 6 months furlough.
 " G. Heslop " " England " 6 " "
 Capt. T. Bell, A.A.V.C., reported for duty from Aust. Vet. Hospital.
 " H.S. Lucas acting (temporarily) D.A.D.V.S., in relief of
 Major Heslop.
 " H.S. Lucas temporarily commanding 1st Aust. Mobile Vet. Section.

The undermentioned T/Sgts. reported from Australian Veterinary Hospital:-

209	T/Sgt. Hull	G.F.	attached to 3rd Aust. Inf. Bde.
532	" Wilson	T.R.	" " 6th Bty., A.F.A.
8783	" Cook	A.	" " S.A.A. Sec., D.A.C.
754	" Anderson	P.	" " Aust. M.G. Bn.

The undermentioned N.C.O's, and O.R's were taken on the strength of the 1st Aust. Mobile Vet. Section:-

13079	T/Sgt. Lord	J.E.
5296	S/Smith Aumann	H.
5387	Pte. Keats	H.W.R.
6917	" Cooper	D.
3456	" Owen	W.
1097	" Morrison	W.H.

Working of M.V.S. 5 animals were evacuated from 1st Aust. M.V.S. to Aust. V.E.S. during the week.

Remounts. 10 R's, 13 H.D., 2 P., and 17 Mules, were received during the week from No. 2 Base Remount Depot, and were issued to Units of 1st Australian Division.

(Sgd) H.S. Lucas, Capt.,
 A/D.A.D.V.S.,
 1st Australian Division.

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Headquarters,
1st Australian Division.

VETERINARY REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING 17.10.18.

I took over D.A.D.V.S. of 1st Australian Division on 13.10.18 from Capt. Lucas R/D.A.D.V.S., O.C., 1st A.M.V.S.

Sickness.

During the week the following cases have been treated:-

<u>Disease.</u>	<u>Admitted.</u>	<u>Cured.</u>	<u>Died.</u>	<u>Evacuated.</u>	<u>Remaining.</u>
Debility	58			50	40
Digestive (Colic)	3	2	1		
Skin	4			2	3
Locomotor	3			5	
Specific	16	2	1 (dest., tetanus)		40
Visual	7			5	3
G.S.W.	4			4	
Other Injuries	59	49	1 (Broken neck)	3	92
<u>Total</u>	<u>154</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>177</u>

The percentage of wastage of animals for the week is:-

Horses .026
Mules ~~.0026~~ .0026

During the week two cases of Foot and Mouth Disease occurred in village occupied by D.H.Q. Cases are both mild at present. French Veterinary Department have taken over these cases.

PERSONNEL.

Major S. Fletcher, M.C., A.A.V.C., appointed D.A.D.V.S. (temporarily), vice Major G.G. Heslop, on 6 months furlough to England.

The undermentioned T/Sgts. reported for duty from Aust. V.E.S.:-
3381 T/Sgt. Gilmore, J.F. 5.10.18 att'd to 2nd Sec., D.A.C.
744 " Potter F. 16.10.18 " to 5th Bty., 2nd A.F.A. Bde.

Capt. H.S. Lucas, A.A.V.C., appointed to command (temp.) 1st Aust. Mobile Vety. Section, vice Major Finlay, on furlough to Australia.

Working of M.V.S.

70 animals were evacuated from 1st Aust. M.V.S. during the week.

(Sgd) Stanley Fletcher, Major,
D.A.D.V.S.,
1st Australian Division.

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Headquarters,
1st Australian Division.

VETERINARY REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING 24.10.18.

The animals of 1st Australian Division show appreciable improvement, particularly in some of the Divisional Artillery, which had a good many cases of animals below par on account of long continuous hard work and poor watering facilities in the forward area. Rest and grazing are helping these animals greatly, and it will not be necessary to evacuate as many of them as I at first feared. The mules were not affected, and the D.A.C. have all mules in excellent condition.

A few cases (2) of lice occurred in one Battery, and I will clip all these animals in order to check its spread.

Sickness.

During the week the following cases have been treated:-

<u>Disease.</u>	<u>Admitted.</u>	<u>Cured.</u>	<u>Died.</u>	<u>Evacuated.</u>	<u>Remaining.</u>
Debility	19	16		16	27
Digestive	3				
Skin	6	4		1	4
Locomotor	3			1	2
Specific	12	27		3	22
Visual	12	2		4	8
G.S.W.	2				
Injuries	68	79	(Destroyed) 1	4	76
Total	125	131	1	29	139

The percentage of wastage of animals for the week is:-

Horses .011
Mules .0034

Working of M.V.S.

28 animals were evacuated from 1st Aust. M.V.S. to V.H., during the week, and 4 by other M.V.S's.

Personnel.

No change.

(Sgd) Stanley Fletcher, Major,
D.A.D.V.S.,
1st Aust. Division.

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WEEKLY VETERINARY REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING 31.10.18.

A steady improvement in condition of animals of the Division. A considerable amount of grazing has been secured for some units, but for others none is available beyond that on the roadside. 28 Artillery Light Draughts are camped on a large paddock and left free to graze all day, with a picquet in charge to attend to grain and hay feeds, these are all animals requiring building up. They show marked benefit from rest and altered diet.

The clipping of 101st How. Bty. is in progress.

The percentage of wastage of animals for the week is as follows:

Horses	.0000	.0014
Mules		Nil.

Working of M.V.S. 7 animals evacuated, 3 from Infantry, 1 from Engineers. 5 of these are Ophthalmia, or its results. Horses are conducted by road to D.H. Journey occupying about 7 hours, including return.

Sickness.

During the week the following cases have been treated:-

Disease.	Admitted.	Cured.	Died.	Destroyed.	Evac'd.	Remain'g
Digestive	2	2				
General	1	1			1	26
Respiratory	2					3
Urinal	1					1
Skin	15					19
Lymphatic						1
Locomotory	2	1			1	2
Specific	12	12			4	18
Visual	7	1				14
Injuries	39	39			1	77
Total	81	56			7	160

Personnel.

Capt. H.S. Lucas, A.A.V.C., O.C., 1st A.M.V.S., on leave in England.

" T. Bell. " a/O.C., " vice Capt. Lucas.

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Henry Helber
Major,
D.A.D.V.S.,
1st Australian Division.

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SUMMARY OF ANIMALS TREATED.

PERIOD 27.9.18 to 31.10.18.

Horses.

Class of Disease.	Remaining at 26.9.18	Admitted	Total	Cured	Evacuated.	Died	Destroyed	Remaining	
1. General Diseases		111	111	17	68			26	111
2. Respiratory "									
3. Circulatory "									
4. Urinary "									
5. Generative "									13
6. Digestive "	1	11	12	11		1		1	2
7. Lymphatic "	1	1	2	1					
8. Nervous "								19	28
9. Skin "		28	28	5	4			2	13
10. Locomotory "		13	13	3	8				
11. Specific "	32	48a	80	46	14	1	1	18	80
12. Visual "		37	37	3	10			14	27
13. Injuries "	100	285b	385	275	21	11	1	77	385
Totals	134	524	658	361	225	13	2	157	658

Total Wastage 140

Mules.

1. General Diseases.		1	1					1	1
2. Respiratory "		1	1		1				1
6. Digestive "		6	6	6					6
10. Locomotory "		2	2	1	1				2
11. Specific "	2	2	4	3				1	4
12. Visual "		3	3	2	1				3
13. Injuries "	21	63c	84	65	11			8	84
Totals	23	78	101	77	14			10	101

Total Wastage 91.

- a Includes 21 Ophthalmia
 b " (50 Harness & Rope Galls
 (15 G.S. Wounds
 c " (40 Rope & Harness Galls
 (8 Gun Shot Wounds.

Stanley Fletcher
 Major,

D.A.D.V.S.,
 1st Australian Division.

Appendix 7.
NOMINAL ROLL

OF

1st AUSTRALIAN MOBILE VETERINARY SECTION.D.A.D.V.S.,
1ST AUSTRALIAN
DIVISION.QV. 56
Date 1.10.18

No.	Rank.	Name,	
	Major.	Finlay	G.F. Officer Commanding.
412	Sergt.	Busch	J.H.
408	"	Graham	W.
205	Corpl.	Hole	D.L.
3503	T/Cpl.	Thompson	W.D.M.
1064	S/Smth.	Nugent	A.C.
77	Dvr.	Gazzard	A.E.
2210	"	Wheeler	A.V.
2135	Pte.	Flett	J.P.
207	"	Kelleher	J.F.
6537	"	Marks	E.E.
735	"	Monohan	J.T.
4290	"	Robertson	T.
3471	"	Taylor	D.H.
888	"	Watson	J.S.
3466	"	Wellington	L.
480	"	Wolohan	L.
1815	"	Ridgway	G.
959	"	Price	B.
1199	"	Hall	J.B.
6919	"	Marriott	J.J.

G. Keston
Major,
D.A.D.V.S.,
1st Aust. Division.

FIRST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.

D.A.D.V.S.
 1ST AUSTRALIAN
 DIVISION.
 No. Q.V.56
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APPENDIX
Nominal Roll of Officers A.A.V.C.

Rank.	Name.		Unit.
Major.	Heslop	G.G.	D.A.D.V.S.
"	Finlay	G.F.	O.C., 1st Aust, M.V.S.
Capt.	Robson	J.	1st Aust. F.A. Brigade.
"	Lucas	H.S.	1st Aust. Div. Train.
"	Lukey	E.J.	Attd. 1st A.M.V.S.

Nominal Roll of Sergeants A.A.V.C.

No.	Rank.	Name.		Unit.
1854	Sergt.	Oakley	J.	1st Aust. Inf. Brigade.
481	"	Doust	A.	2nd " " "
138	"	Vernon	A.	3rd " " "
888	"	Winfield	M.W.	2nd Battery A.F.A.
549	"	Trihey	R.P.	3rd " "
83	"	Harbott	S.	5th " "
71	"	Fitzgerald	A.	6th " "
180	"	Chudleigh	E.G.	102nd " "
181	"	Doyle	R.H.	1st Sec., 1st Aust. D.A.C.
132	"	Smith	G.	2nd " "
67	"	Downing	R.A.	1st Aust. M.G. Battn.

G. Keeloh
 Major,
 D.A.D.V.S.,
 1st Aust. Division.

Appendix 8.

First Australian Division.

Confidential.

All V.Os.,
1st Aust. Division.

D.A.D.V.S., 1ST AUSTRALIAN DIVISION.	
No.	QV. 65
Date	4-10-18

Owing to the large number of Sergeants A.A.V.C. proceeding to Australia on leave, difficulty has been experienced in filling some of the vacancies so caused, and some of the Temporary Sergeants now being posted to duty with units are particularly new to the work.

In the circumstances it is desired that Veterinary Officers attending units make a point of giving the new men as much instruction in their duties as possible.

A plan which is suggested is to arrange for all Sergeants to attend at a central location and short lectures and demonstrations on their duties to be delivered to Sergeants by the Veterinary Officer in charge.

It is desired that the V.O. will render as much assistance as possible to the new Sergeants in order to make them thoroughly acquainted with their duties.

It may be found that some of the Temporary Sergeants A.A.V.C. posted for duty are unfitted for the rank or duty; in such cases the Veterinary Officer must submit a full report to the D.A.D.V.S. with a view to having the unsuitable Sergeant replaced.

G. Hullo Major,
D.A.D.V.S.,
1st Aust. Division.

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