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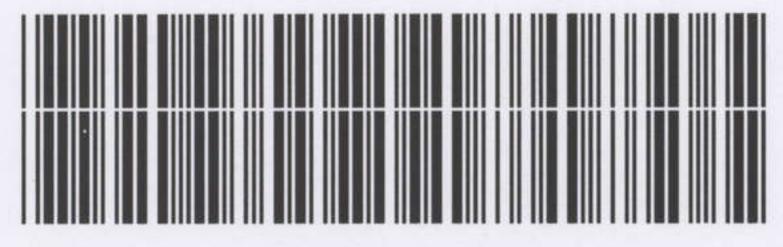
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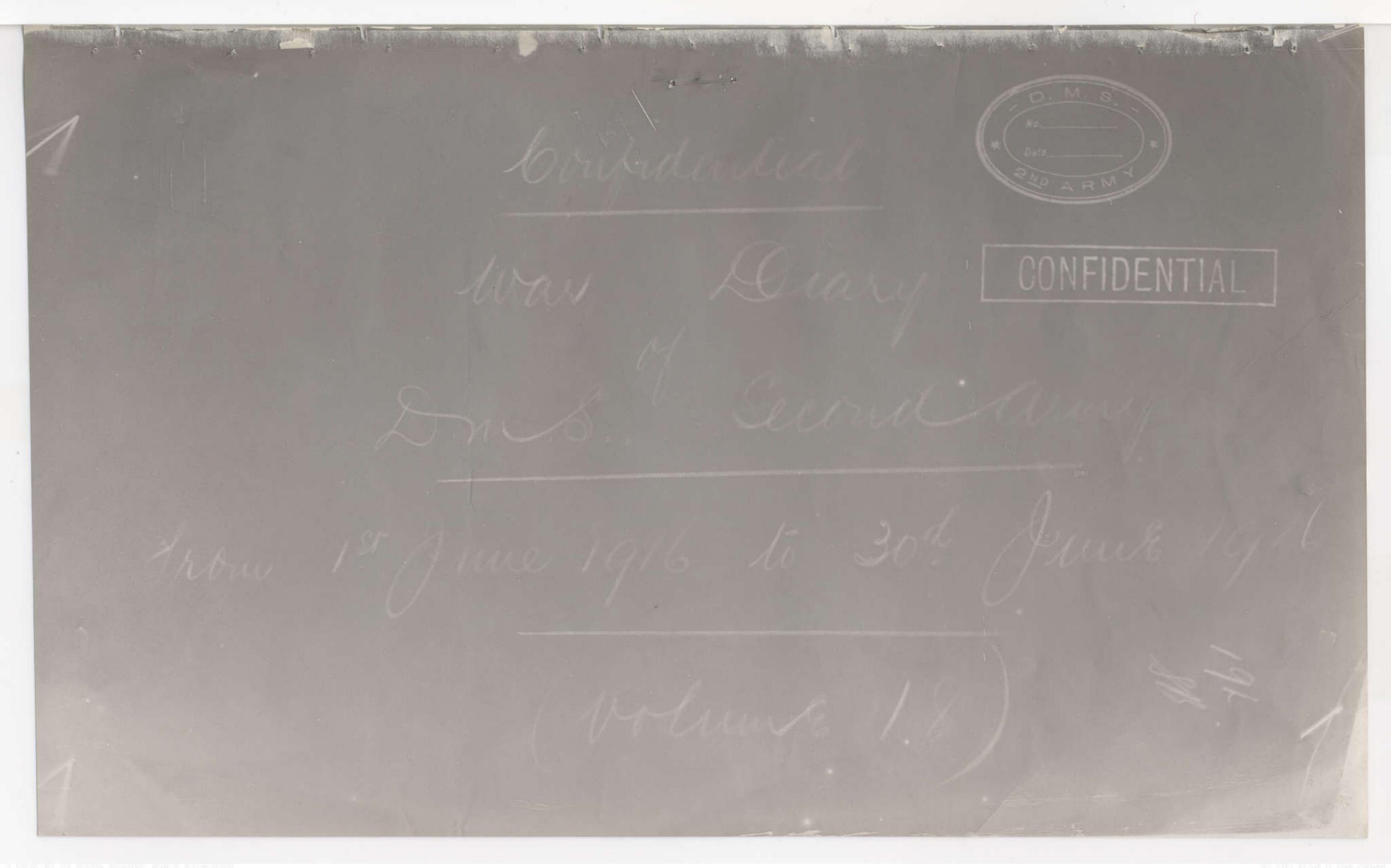
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HAZEBROUCK	1918 June 1st		Bright fine day. Second Army front normal. D.M.S. visited WORMHOUDT in order to inspect the Officers' Rest Station of the 20th Division which has recently been established. He called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the called on the D.A. & Q.M.G., Second Army in reference to taking over some huts from the called on the called	
	2nd		Fine day but dull. D.M.S. accompanied by the D.A.D.M.S. visited the D.D.M.S. V. Corps in order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded. They then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES near order to discuss a scheme of evacuation of wounded or the positions for wells, stated or sample of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the camp. The evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the camp. Heavy fighting south of the evacuation of the e	
	3rd		Bright fine day. Fighting still continues on the Canadian Corps front in front of the 3rd Canadian Division, especially around and in SANCTUARY WOOD. Most of the ground taken by the enemy has been recovered - our casualties heavy. Evacuation from advanced dressing station was able to be carried out last night and also during the day. Three Ambulance trains required at REMY SIDING Today. Evacuation from the front to Casualty Clearing Stations expeditiously carried out. No. 11 Motor Ambulance Convoy assisted by four Motor Buses was able to cope with the situation. Number of wounded transferred to Base today from REMY SIDING 66 Officers and 1584 Other ranks - all Canadian Troops except about 100 of the 20th Division who were also engaged to some extent. D.M.S. visited the Casualty Clearing Stations at REMY and was satisfied with the way in which the evacuation was being carried out. Evacuated to Base: 1832.	
	4th		Dull day; colder; some slight showers. Fighting continued during the night. The enemy attacked the 1st Canadian Division but did not press the attack and did not gain any ground. Front much quieter this morning and has continued so during the day. Estimated Casualties brought into the Casualty Clearing Stations at REMY SIDING from 5.0 p.m. on the 2nd June to 5.0 p.m. on the 4th June, Officers 112, Other ranks 3129 of which 102 Officers and 2761 other ranks have been transferred to the Base. Lieut-Colonel Tanner, 0.0. 10th Canadian Field Ambulance died from wounds last night. Owing to Casualties amongst Medical Officers 2449 Wt W14957/M90 750,000 1/16 J.B.C. & A. Forms/C.2118/12	1

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	it was recessary to send assistance to the Canadian Corps from Medical Officers of the it was recessary to send assistance to the Canadian Corps from Medical Officers of the 2nd Cavalry Division, sent up for this purpose. Medical Officers from the Casualty 2nd Cavalry Division, sent up to assist the Medical Officers at Clearing Stations at HAZEBROUCK were yesterday sent up to assist the Medical Officers at the Easualty Clearing Stations at REMY SIDING owing to the pressure of work. D.M.S. the Easualty Clearing Stations at REMY SIDING owing to the 2nd Canadian Division, and proceeded to REMINGHEST and called at the Headquarters of the 3nd Canadian Division, and Interviewed the A.D.M.S.; he then proceeded to the Dressing Stations at VLAMERTINGHE, interviewed the A.D.M.S.; he then proceeded to the Dressing Stations at VLAMERTINGHE, interviewed the A.D.M.S.; he then proceeded to the Dressing Stations at VLAMERTINGHE, and BRANDHOEK and OUDERDOM and found them clear of wounded. He them proceeded to REMY and attended the funeral of the late Lieut-Colonel Tanner, Officer Commanding 10th Canadian Field Ambulance. Evacuated to the Base: - 1431.	
	Dull day: colder. Second Army front has become normal. Two Ambulance trains at REMY Casualty Clearing Station, Bailleul Casualty Clearing Station, Bailleul Chat No. 3/2070 Private Macdonald R., 10th Company 1st Otago Battalion had been admitted. The case was one suspiciously like small-pox and it was transferred to No. 7 General The case was one suspiciously like small-pox and it was transferred to No. 7 General The case was one suspiciously like small-pox and it was transferred to No. 7 General The case was not one of small-pox Army(on the 5th June) and he gave it as his opinion that the case was not one of small-pox Army(on the 5th June) and he gave it as his opinion that the case was not one of small-pox but that the condition was in all probability the action of some drug. The man had been but that the condition was in all probability the action of some drug. The man had been vaccinated 15 months ago. On the provisional diagnosis of small-pox being made at vaccinated 15 months ago. On the provisional diagnosis of small-pox being made at vaccinate those not bearing marks of recent small-pox vaccination and to disinfect all vaccinate those not bearing marks of recent small-pox vaccination and to disinfect all colthing etc. On investigating the vaccination state of the 1st Otago Battalion it was found that 100% had been vaccinated since the commencement of the War. Evacuated to Base:- 951.	
	Wet morning: cold. Second Army front normal. D.M.S. inspected five Battalions of the Guards Division in which is in rest at BOLLIZENLE and in farms North West of POPERINGHE. Remainder of Casualties brought in from Canadian Corps front during last night due to Remainder of Casualties brought in from Canadian Corps front during last night due to recent fighting; it was impossible owing to the military situation to bring them in before. D.A.D.M.S. visited the C.E. II. Corps in order to make arrangements for before. D.A.D.M.S. visited the C.E. II. Corps in order to make arrangements for building of latrines, Cookhouses, and sinking of wells at Trois Arbres for a Casualty Clearing Station which it is proposed to establish there. The C.E. accompanied him to the ground in order to see the sites selected for the buildings. Evacuated to the Base: 414.	

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AZEBROUCK	1916 June 7th		Fine day but cold. Second Army front normal. Estimated Casualties from recent fighting brought into Casualty Clearing Stations is Officers 157, other ranks 4460, of these 149 officers and 4228 men have been evacuated to the Base, the remaining 172 being too ill to move. D.M.S. HELD A Conference at his Office of the D.Ds M.S. Corps to discuss an Army problem of evacuation of wounded from front line to Casualty Clearing Stations. D.M.S. accompanied by the D.A.D.M.S. Sanitation, and Captain Coplans, No. 4 Mobile Laboratory visited the C.E. Second Army by appointment in order to discuss Army Water problems. One Ambulance Train sufficient for the area today. Evacuated to the Base: - 736.	
	8th		Dull day; no sunshire; rain at night. Second Army Front quiet. G.H.Q. circular memorant issued to all Medical Units regarding the evacuation of P.B. men to the Base - particular must always accompany and Index Card when available. Headquarters of the 4th Australian Division arrived, today; D.A.D.M.S. reported to the D.M.S. for instructions. Evacuated to Base: - 429.	3
			Bright fine day. Second Army front normal. D.M.S. accompanied by the D.A.D.M.S. attended conference of the Ds M.S. of Armies and D.M.S., L. of C. at the Office of the D.G.M.S., G. The D.G. presided and the D.D.G. was present. The chief subject of discussion was the evacuation of wounded fron front to Base. It was suggested by the D.M.S. to the D.D.G. that two Motor Charabanes should be attached to each Motor Ambulance Convey to evacuate sitting up cases. Evacuated to Base: - 297.	
			Fine day but cold. Second Army front normal. 17th Division begin to entrain today on leaving the Second Army area for the Fourth. D.M.S. inspected No. 11 Advanced Depot of Medical Stores and then proceeded to MORBECQUE to inspect the Divisional Rest Station, New Zealand Division. Evacuated to Base: - 316.	
			Bright day; rain at times. Second Army front quiet. D.M.S. inspected Medical Units of 2nd Cavalry Division. B.M.D.M.S. accompanied by the O.C., and Quartermaster of the 2nd Australian Casualty Clearing Station visited the site for the Clearing Station at TROIS All and made arrangements for preparing the ground. Evacuated to the Base: - 314.	
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	Dull day; heavy rain at times. Second Army front quiet. 17th Division has now left the Second Army area. 3rd Division is moving into the Second Army rest area north west of ST. Second Army area. 3rd Division. Headquarters of 4th Australian Division arrived in OMER vacated by the 17th Division. Headquarters of 4th Australian Division arriving daily and Second Army area yesterday and is located at MERRIS; Units of the Division arriving daily and Second Army area yesterday and is located at MERRIS; Units of the Division arriving daily and Second Army area yesterday and is located at MERRIS; Units of the Division arriving daily and Second Army area yesterday and is located at MERRIS; Units of the Division arrived in OMER Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M.S. billetted in II. Corps rest area. Headquarters II. ANZAC Corps has also arrived. D.A.D.M	
	Cold wet day; heavy downpour of rain at night. The 1st and 2nd Canadian Divisions made an attack early this morning and succeeded in recovering most of the ground lost recently - about attack early this morning and succeeded in recovering most of the ground lost recently - about 200 prisoners were captured - our casualties to date are just over 1500, mapy of them being very slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. accompanied by D.A.D.M.S. visited the Clearing Stations at REMY slightly wounded. D.M.S. acco	
14th	Cold day. Second Army front fairly quiet. Whole of the front area cleared after the attack yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. Up to 9.0 a.m. this morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning. The ball to 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning a total of 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morning to 1413 wounded had been sent to the yesterday morn	
15th	Fine day, but dull and cold. Severe shelling in the YPRES SECTOR, otherwise Second Army front normal. D.M.S., and D.A.D.M.S. called to see the A.D.M.S., 4th Australian Division, front normal. D.M.S., and D.A.D.M.S. called to see the A.D.M.S., 4th Australian Division, front normal. D.M.S., and D.A.D.M.S. called to see the A.D.M.S., 4th Australian Division, front normal. D.M.S., and D.A.D.M.S. called to see the A.D.M.S., 4th Australian Division, front normal. D.M.S., and D.A.D.M.S. inspected the last Australian Casualty Clearing They then proceeded to ESTAIRES and the D.M.S. inspected the last Australian Casualty Clearing	
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ZEBROUC	1916 KJune 15th		and was quite satisfied with his inspection. Evacuated to Base 876.		
	16th		Bright day: warm in the afternoon. Second Army front quiet duri bombardment all along the line in the evening. Last unit of 9th Army area this morning. D.M.S., & D.A.D.M.S. visited PROVEN in for locating a Casualty Clearing Station, near the new line from POPERINGHE. Railway authorisies have offered to put in a siding A site selected North West of PROVEN near the PROVEN-DUNKERQUE regards water - no good water supply in the village. Evacuated to the Base: - 387	Division left the Second order to look for a site BERGUES to PROVEN and for am Ambulance Train.	
	17th		Bright warm day: East wind. The enemy launched a gas attack on midnight yesterday - the 24th Division was mostly affected but it a certain number - about 50. The total number affected is about including six Officers had been admitted to the Casualty Clearing up to 3.0 p.m. There had been at that time 27 deaths in Casualty that number two were officers. The cases presented the same feet occasions and the gas used appears to have been similar. Some conditions and the gas used appears to have been similar. Some conditions and it is not unlikely that there will be several more deaths. Casualty Clearing Stations at BAILLEUL - a majority of the gasse in the open air with beneficial results. The D.M.S. also visit and inspected the 24th Divisional Rest Station, 72nd Field Ambulwas very well satisfied. The Sanitary arrangements were excellent stores of 2nd Australian Casualty Clearing Station arrived by record - sent to off-load at STEENWERCK. Personnel not required in Camp at TROIS ARBRES attached to Nos 2 and 8 Casualty Clearing Station and the Officers and personnel sent to the Casualty Clearing Station until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstruction until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstruction until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstruction until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstruction until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstruction until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstruction until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstructions and personnel sent to the Casualty Clearing Stationstruction until the site selected for the Casualty Clearing Stationstructions and the Officers and personnel sent to the Casualty Clearing Stationstructions and the Officers and personnel sent to the Casualty Clearing Stationstructions and the Officers and personnel sent to the Casualty Clearing Stations and the Officers and personnel sent to the Casualty Clearing Stations and the Officers and personnel sen	the 50th Division had also to 400, of thesesome 329 ag Stations at BAILLEUL ty Clearing Stations - of atures as on previous of the cases are very severe D.M.S. visited all the ed cases were being treated ted the D.D.M.S. V. Corps lance, near BAILLEUL and atl, and the lorries by for preparation of the Stations for temporary duty. HAZEBROUCK. Stores parked ations at REMY for	
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HAZEBROUCK	1916 June 18th	from rechave occonstations serious delayed chlorine committe to try to cases but A large too bad nothing consider Stations	right day; warmer. Second Army front normal. Numbers of ent gas attack on V. Corps front Officers 13 Other ranks 4 urred in Field Medical Units, i.e. 1 Officer 17 Other rank 6 Officers, and 45 Other ranks. A large number of cases nature and several more deaths are expected in the Clearin symptoms have been noticed, which point to the fact that g and phosgene. Sir Almroth Wright and Sir Bertam Dawson me arrived at BAILLEUL last night and investigated the case he effect of injecting oxygen into the beins. He used thit without any apparent success. This treatment was only the number of cases have been retained in the Casualty Clearing to send to the Base. Post Mortem examinations were done new appears to have been brought to light except that in case and them proceeded to REMY. d to Base: - 333.	brought in are of a very ag Stations. Many cases of as used was a mixture of members of the gas as. Sir A Wright especially tried on the worst cases. ag Stations, BAILLEUL, being in a number of cases and one case both lungs were	
	19th	but are in the S at MONT July 1st this eva this eva being ma Casualty and bric road is (Hygiene bring wa proposed but a go	ght day; cold. Second Army front normal. 3rd Division restill administered by the Headquarters of the Army whilst econd Army Rest area. Orders received from Second Army NOIR, at present used as an Officers' Rest Station V. Corps in order that it may be occupied by Headquarters IX Corps cuation to D.D.M.S. V. Corps. Headquarters II. Corps left Corps Industrial Headquarters II. Corps left II. Corps left Industrial Headquarters II.	"Q" that the Chateau s is to be evacuated by Orders issued reference t Second Army area today. Headquantidad III ANDAG see what progress was etc for the 2nd Australian ell had already been sunk the Field from the main and O.C. No. 4 Mobile in if it was possible to Station which it is y good water at BERGUES,	

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HAZEBROUCK	1916. June 20th		Dull in morning; bright and warmer in the afternoon. Second Army front qui Zealand Division have been transferred to the II. ANZAC Corps, and the 4th Austr Division to the I. ANZAC Corps. The 2nd Cavalry Division are now moving into Se area and are being located at PRADELLES, VIEUX BERQUIN, and DOULIEU, Headquarter HAZEBROUCK. D.M.S. visited PROVEN and decided upon the site for a Casualty Clesheet 27 E.6d central. The Railway Construction Engineers have agreed to build for Ambulance Trains and Platform. The water problem is a difficult one and it that arrangements will be made to bring it by train. IX. Corps formed today, He at BAILLEUL, Moving to MONT NOIR. One Motor clarifying and depoison lorry and to clarifying and sterilizing lorries detached from No. 1 Water Supply Column, A.S. Army reported today for duty. They have been posted by Second Army Headquarters To XIV. Corps: - 1 Clarifying and sterilizing lorry. To V. Corps: - 1 , , Depoison , , sterilizing ; , Evacuated to Base 445.	ralian scond Army rs to be at saring Station, d a siding t is hoped adquarters two motor .C., Fourth	
	21st	1	Bright day, but cold. Second Army front very quiet. 3rd Division occupying tra west of St.OMER comes under administration of Second Army direct from midnight 2 instant. 41st Division is now attached to V. Corps. D.M.S. visited Headquarte interviewed the Army Commander and D.A. & Q.M.G. Evacuated to Base: - 310.	20/21st	
	22nd		Bright day; much warmer. Second Army front quiet. Letter to D.G.M.S. recomment the two drivers per ambulance Car of Field Ambulances be returned, instead of the driver and 50% surplus as now allotted. This recommendation based on recent expin Canadian Corps front. Motor Ambulanced Car of 20th Division has been protect an expanded metal covering over the top and sides of the car and over the front to G.H.Q. for inspection by the Quartermaster General. The car was sent down fo as permission had been asked for to authorise the protecting of Ambulance Cars of Ambulance Convoys in this way. Letter to "Q" asking for a Railway siding and plate to hold an Ambulance train at the site selected North West of PROVEN for the Cast Clearing Station. Director General visited the area and in the afternoon inspect Casualty Clearing Stations at REMY SIDING and the Canadian Corps area and the Cast Clearing Stations at HAZEBROUCK. He was accompanied by the D.M.S. Evacuated to the Base: - 260. 2449 Wt W14957/M90 750,000 1/16 J.E.C.&A. Forms/C.2118/12.	eriences ed with seats; sent or inspection of Motor latform	

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	Oppressive day in morning; heavy thunderstorm in afternoon. Second Army front normal. D.G. accompanied by D.M.S. called at Headquarters of ANZAC Corps LA MOTTE on General Birwood; accompanied by D.D.M.S., ANZAC Corps and General Birwood he visited the 1st Australian Casualty Clearing Station at ESTAIRES. D.G. & D.M.S. then inspected the ANZAC Corps

Officers Rest Station at LE NOUVEAU MONDE. They then proceeded to SAILLY and inspected the Field Ambulances of the 1st Australian Division and then TROIS ARBRES No. 2 Australian Casualty Clearing Station. The D.G. appeared to be very satisfied with his inspection and left the Second Army about 12.45 p.m. for the First Army area. Evacuated to Base: - 301.

Warm day: showers at intervals. Second Army front normal. Letters to D.G.M.S., one asking for two additional Casualty Clearing Stations, the other that the Second Army might be made up to establishment in Motor Ambulance Convoys, viz one per Corps, and one at Army Headquarters, at present only 5 in the army, three more required to make up to this Establishment. Evacuated to Base: - 313.

A bright warm day. Second Army front very quiet. D.M.S. visited some of Casualty Clearing Stations of First Army. D.A.D.M.S. inspected No. 5 Motor Ambulance Convoy, Isolation Hospital BAILLEUL and then proceeded to TROIS ARBRES and found that the 2nd Australian Casualty Clearing Station was making good progress in preparing the ground for the Casualty Clearing Station. vacuated to Base: - 410.

Dull day, rain at times. Second Army front normal. 5th Australian Division arriving in Second Army area. Headquarters located at BLARINGHEM, and Brigades at MORBECQUE, STEENBECQUE, and BLARINGHEM. D.M.S. visited Headquarters of V. & IX Corps and discussed Medical Matters with respective D.Ds M.S., the to REMY SIDING and inspected the Casualty Clearing Stations there. D.A.D.M.S. inspected the New Zealand Divisional Rest Station at MORBECQUE. The O.C. was ordered to reduce the number of patients. | 20th Division made a successful raid on German trenches just north of HOOGE. Evacuated to Base: - 346.

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INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Date | Hour Place Dull day, Rain at times. Second Army front normal. D.M.S. interviewed the following HAZEBROUCK1916 Officers during the day: D.Ds M.S. I & II ANZAC Corps, D.D.M.S., V. Corps and D.D.M.S. Canadian Corps. Orders received for Colonel C.E. Nichol, C.M.G., D.S.O. D.D.M.S., V. Corps to report himself at Headquarters Reserve Army to take up the appointment of D.M.S. with Evacuated to Base: - 356. Rain in morning; fine in afternoon. Second Army front normal. D.M.S. visited Army Commander specially in reference to the position of Medical Units and to the Medical requirements of the Army in the event of active operations taking place. D.Ds M.S. have been ordered to indent for sufficient stretchers to make each Field Ambulance up to 150 and up to 400 blankets. Evacuated to Base: - 414. Bright summer day with southerly wind - rather cold in the evening. Second Army front quiet. D.A.D.M.S. visited Nos. 2, 8, and 1st Canadian Casualty Clearing Stations with reference to additional equipment, etc. He also visited No. 2 Advanced Depot of Medical Stores with reference to the reserve of dressings and the Railway station and siding at Bailloul with reference to facilities for loading of Ambulance Trains and the use of certain roads by Motor Ambulances. Arrangements made under instructions from the D.G.M.S. for detailing 5 groups of three Officers each for help in Casualty Clearing Stations in other armies during times of pressure. Application made to Headquarters Second Army for the allotment of 600 P.B. men to Clearing Stations and arranged for the necessary work to be carried out. Evacuated to Base: - 780.