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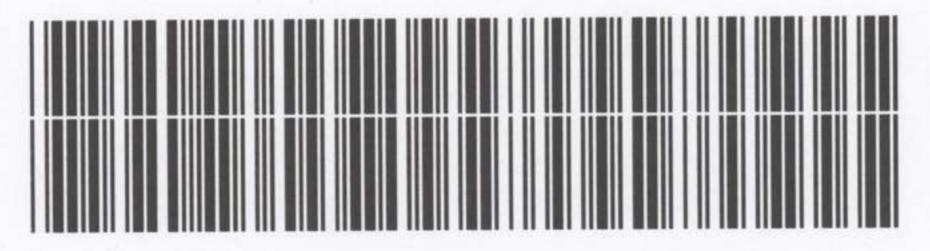
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El Fara			Division at Tel el Fara. Weather still very warm. A.A.G. A.I.F. in Egypt informed of the allotment of Capt Stuchbery H.M. a.a.v.c. to the Anzac Mtd Divsl Train and Capt Wardle .R.N. A.A.V.C. to the Australian Mtd Divsl (Mtd) train, but as these officers are temporarilly employed with other units of their respective Divisions, Capt Crossly.N.Z. V.C. & Capt Spence A.A.V.C. are to be attend to trains whilst they are in formation at Moascar.	*
	tt	4th.	A.D.V.S. inspects the watering areas at Gamli, fara & Shellal and finds them quite satisfactory.	
	11	6th	A.DV.S. visits the Mobile Veterinary Sections at Bir el Malelha. Each section has an average of about 70 patients all of which are doing well.	f
	11	7th.	D.D.V.S. visits Anzac Mtd Division and inspects the horses of the 18th R.H.A.Bde & Bde Transpor and finds that the horses are losing condition owing to not having sufficient bulk fodder.	t
	11	1	Hotchkiss Gun pack saddles are found to be causing sore withers and a board of officers is held in the 5th A.L.H.Regt and find that the front arches in many instances are too narrow. Further requests are made to Desert Column to obtain authority for the issue of an extra 2 lb of grain or equivalents to all transport and artillery horses.	
			A.D.V.S. supervises the handing over of horses of D troop Fld Engrs to the N.Z.Fld troop. Indian hay is replaced by tibben and Dries for draught horses as it is not relished bythese and Horses are developing the sand eating habit and all units are instructed to abtain sand muzzles immediately.	
	17	12th	Heast Force cease to exist and Anzac Mtd, Australian Mtd & Yeomanry Divisions form the Desert Mtd Lt-Col Argyle is appointed D.D.V.S. Two companies and Headquarters of Anzac Mtd Divsl Train arrive at Fara and whilst Capt Stuchber is releiving Capt Geyer, Capt Page.A.A.V.C. attends to these animals	Corps.
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