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**Australian Imperial Force unit war diaries,  
1914-18 War**

Veterinary

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Section

February 1918



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Australian Imperial Force.

**WAR DIARY**

OF

*The Australian Mobile Veterinary Section*

FOR

*February* 1918

- FEB 1918

Signature of Officer compiling

*Ch Robt Major*  
A.V.C.

Signature of Officer Commanding

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WAR DIARY

or

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

(Erase heading not required.)

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs., Part II. and the Staff Manual respectively. Title pages will be prepared in manuscript.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
ROADY HANEINI	1-2-18		Hospital work 3 cases admitted 1 O.R. admitted to Hospital	CR
	2-2-18		Hospital work 4 cases admitted 3 cases discharged to duty	CR
	3-2-18		Hospital work 4 cases admitted 2 reinforcements marched in	CR
	4-2-18		Hospital work 2 cases admitted 4 cases discharged to duty	CR
	5-2-18		Hospital work 1 case admitted	CR
	6-2-18		Hospital work 6 cases admitted 12 evacuated to Ben Suez 1 O.R. to hospital	CR
	7-2-18		Dry wet & cold 1 case (Sand fever) admitted	CR
	8-2-18		Hospital work 4 cases admitted 5 cases discharged to duty	CR
	9-2-18		Hospital work 2 cases admitted 1 case discharged to duty	CR
	11-2-18		Hospital work 2 cases admitted 11 cases transferred sick to Base through Ben Suez	CR
	14-2-18		Hospital work 7 cases admitted 4 cases discharged to duty 1 discharged	CR
	16-2-18		Hospital work 5 cases admitted 8 cases transferred sick to Base through Ben Suez	CR
	17-2-18		Hospital work 39 cases admitted four 18 <sup>th</sup> Bgd. RHA sent on for vaccination to Base through Ben Suez	CR
	18-2-18		Hospital work 3 cases admitted 1 W.C.O. as O.R. detailed for duty to Hdqrs. Auger to take care on operation	CR
	22-2-18		Hospital work 4 cases admitted 7 cases discharged to duty	CR
	23-2-18		Hospital work 3 cases admitted 6 cases discharged to duty	CR
	26-2-18		Hospital work 3 cases admitted 3 cases discharged to duty	CR
	28-2-18		Hospital work 4 cases admitted	CR
			For Summary of Hospital work for month see	
			Loss to units see	

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Appendix 1  
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# WAR DIARY - FEB 1918

OF

*7<sup>th</sup> Aust Mobile Veterinary Section*

FOR

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## LIST OF APPENDICES.

No.	Subject.
<u>1.</u>	<i>Summary of Hospital work carried out by unit during month</i>
<u>2.</u>	<i>List showing losses of animals of units in field through 7<sup>th</sup> M. V. S.</i>

Summary of Hospital work performed by Unit

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**FIELD SERVICE.**

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Corps, etc. 7<sup>th</sup> Aust Mobile Veterinary Section

RETURN of Sick and Injured Animals during the week ending 1<sup>st</sup> February 18 - 28<sup>th</sup> February 18

Station In the Field Date 1-3-18

	In last Return	Admitted Since	TOTAL	* Cured	Transferred Sick	Transferred to Con- valescent Horse Depot	Died	Destroyed	Cast and Sold	Remaining under Treatment	TOTAL	REMARKS (Nature of Cases to be stated)
1. General Diseases	19	67	86	11	70					5	86	General debility
2. Respiratory "	2	1	3	1						2	3	Catarrhal fever
3. Circulatory "												
4. Urinary "												
5. Generative "												
6 Digestive "	3	6	9	5	2					2	9	Colic
7. Lymphatic "												
8. Nervous "												
9. Skin "	4	1	5		3					2	5	Itch
10. Locomotory "		1	1							1	1	Laminitis
11. Specific "												
12. Visual "												
13. Injuries	27	32	59	16	24			3		16	59	Various injuries
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>99</b>			<b>3</b>		<b>28</b>	<b>163</b>	

\* Number transferred cured to Remount Depots to be also noted in column of Remarks.

Present Strength of Animals:—

Horses \_\_\_\_\_

Mules \_\_\_\_\_

Total \_\_\_\_\_

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Veterinary Officer.

PERSONNEL OF HOSPITAL.

(To be completed by Officers Commanding Hospitals only.)

STAFF	Effective	Non-Effective	ATTACHED	Effective	Non-Effective
Warrant Officers					
Staff Serjeants and Serjeants					
Corporals					
Privates					
Farrier Q.M.S., S. Sjts. & Sjts.					
Corporal Shoeing Smiths					
Shoeing Smiths					
Saddler Corporals					
Saddlers					
<b>TOTAL</b>					

VETERINARY OFFICERS OF FORMATIONS OR HOSPITALS.

Rank	Name	Charge	Rank	Name	Charge

CONTAGIOUS DISEASE.  
(Remarks as to Action taken.)

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APPENDIX 2

ORIGINAL

Summary of Total Losses & Units of animals passed through  
7<sup>th</sup> M.V.S. for period from 1-2-18 to 28-2-18

(a) Evacuations to Base Veterinary Hospitals for treatment

5 <sup>th</sup> LH Regt	2	L. A. C. Amoyes	9
6 <sup>th</sup> LH Regt	1	Somerset Bty RHA	14
7 <sup>th</sup> LH Regt	3	Inverness Bty RHA	26
Mech. Am. Sqns	3	Moysie Lancers	4
Adqrs 2 <sup>nd</sup> LH Bde	1	GHQ. details (E.E.F)	11
7 <sup>th</sup> M.V.S.	1	1 <sup>st</sup> Bty Egypt. Army	1
1 <sup>st</sup> LF Ambce	1	Foca Remount Sqns	2
Clydesdale Bty RHA	10	Armed Am. Linc Sect	1
Amoyes Hvy Trn	3		
Des Corps Adqrs	6		
		Total	<u>99</u>

(b) Destroyed in 7<sup>th</sup> M.V.S. units

Adqrs 2 <sup>nd</sup> LH Bde	1
5 <sup>th</sup> LH Regt	1
Adqrs Des Corps	1
Total	<u>3</u>

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