

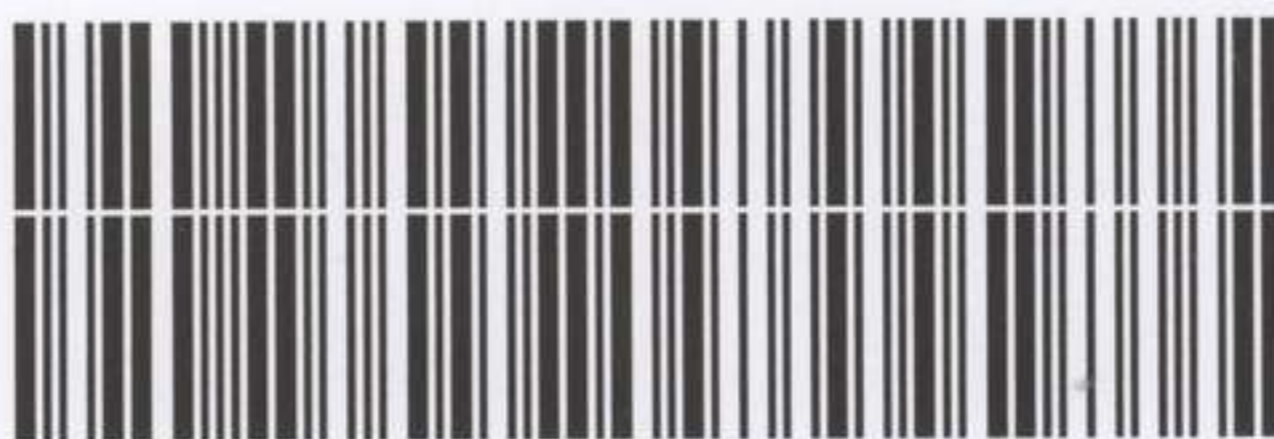
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Entry No. 1. d/1/4/18.- Division camped at AIN EL SIR : moved down the WADI SIR to SHUNIT NIMRIN and camps. Boot Return submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., showing Nil Issued and Nil Returned.

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Entry No. 2. D/2/4/18.- Division crossed JORDAN and occupied camp site 1/2 mile east of the Village of JERICHO. Acknowledgment sent to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., of the receipt of Hotchkiss and Vickers Guns for 2nd.A.L.H. Brigade. N.Z.M. Brigade report destruction in action of one Vickers Gun and the capture of one German Gun, further report was received subsequently from the Brigade Ordnance " 1 Gun Vickers and 5 Hotchkiss correct (i.e. correctly reported lost in action) all were lost in action except one Hotchkiss which was unserviceable and being forwarded tomorrow". These were all replaced from D.M.C., Armourers shop within a few days; it is however to be pointed out that had the Brigade Ordnance been present at the AMMAN operations not only would the loss of the Guns have been reported on the 30th. the day on which the action took place, but it would have been possible to have replaced them within a much shorter period.

On the return of the Division the problem of re-equipping the Troops had to be solved. It was not by any means certain that the Division would remain for ^{more} than a few hours, or at the most, a few days in the JORDAN VALLEY, though on the other hand as the 60th. Division had withdrawn to reserve at JERUSALEM, the ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ protection of ~~of the~~ VALLEY rested on the Division. It seemed advisable under the circumstances to visit the Depot and arrange for an immediate Bulk Demand to be submitted and for priority in truckage to JERUSALEM to be obtained; with this in view the D.A.D.O.S. visited LUDD from JERICHO, and submitted a Bulk Demand for all stores that experience had shewn would be most likely required, obtaining a promise ~~xxx~~ of the first available truck; one truck of 16 tons was at once given up by the Depot to stores for the Division and the promise of one for the following day was obtained from the A.D.R.T., LUDD. There were however a number of stores at JERUSALEM which had arrived in the period of the operations, and to secure that these were sent to JERICHO, application for 2 Motor Lorries was made to the S.M.T.O., 20th. Corps; these left on the 4th. for JERICHO, and a dump site was selected close to, and opposite, the main Supply Depot; meanwhile instructions had been sent for the Bulk Demands ~~of~~ Brigades to be submitted in order that immediate issue might be made on the arrival of the stores supplied off the Bulk Demands just submitted to LUDD. It should be noted in this connection that the principle that must be adopted in practice is that a sufficient reserve of all Bulk stores must be kept in hand to meet the ensuing fortnightly demands from Brigades as they arrive, which in turn are the basis for the next Divisional Bulk Demand from the Ordnance Depot. In terms of dates; on the 12th. of the month a sufficient reserve must be in hand to meet the requirements of the Brigades submitted on the 13th. and these requirements, though actually supplied to the Units, are re-demanded on the 14th. as the Fortnightly demand on Ordnance ready to meet the demands of Units on the 26th., the demands of which again form a guide for a new demand on Ordnance, thus a system of averages is worked upon. This involves the maintenance of a small Dump, but the system is absolutely necessary in practice owing to the inability of getting stores quickly from the Depot's delays in transit, and to the many difficulties and obstructions which constantly appear from unforeseen sources; furthermore the system ensures that Units are kept equipped and do not need to be "re-equipped" as is of necessity the case when stores are not forthcoming without delay. Appendix "A" gives the Monthly Demand List.

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Entry No. 3. d/3/4/18. - Stores advised from KANTARA. A.D.O.S., D.M.C., wires to ascertain ~~xx~~ if the Ambulance Wagons of the Division had been fitted with Drag Shoes; this however had not been done owing to the absence of the L. of C. and of the parts required. 2nd.A.L.H. Field Ambulance report loss of 14 Fanatis in action, these were replaced from the R.O.O's stock at JERUSALEM. Memo received from A.D.O.S., D.M.C., "it is not proposed to issue any of the Australian Troops In EGYPT with Khaki Drill Jackets during the coming Summer." G.O.C., A.I.F., A.A.G., 6/23., d/28/3/18. Division not affected as no Indents submitted. A.D.O.S. wires "Vickers Gun despatched to you at JERUSALEM" O.D. 156. (fr NZ 12 B de.

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Entry No 4 d/4/4/18.- Return of Power Horse Clipping Machines returned to Ordnance submitted to A.D.O.S. D.M.C. showing a total of 76 machines returned. 1st A.L.H. Brigade Returned 17. 2nd A.L.H. Brigade 29. N.Z.M.R. Brigade 24. Divl. Units 6. Corps Order No 32. para 94 issued. New and Unserviceable Stores- Disposal of-: (1) Clothing. Pair for pair must be returned in the case of Breeches and Boots. Greatcoats must be returned before new ones issued. Knives clasp will not be demanded unless A.F. 1963 accompanies demand charging cost of replacement to the individual. Jackets. U/S articles to be returned. Towels, shirts, socks &c to be used up for cleaning purposes. (11) Water Bottles and Haversacks &c to be returned or a ~~stat~~ statement rendered. (111) Ropes Head 60% rings to be returned. (1V) Nosebags. Demands to be reduced to a minimum.

Entry No 5 d/5/4/18.- D.A.D.O.S. returns to Jericho. Receipt by wire acknowledging five Hotchkiss Rifles received and issued 3 to 7 L.H. Regiment. 2 to 6. L.H. Regiment. (CN 72.) C.O.O. Kantara wires that Australian pattern Boots and Breeches should be demanded on LUDD, and indent of 19th March was therefore cancelled. "LUDD have ample stocks of Australian pattern boots, and all Australian pattern Breeches we have, have been dispatched to that depot." DK 544 d/3/4/18. Memo received from A.D.O.S. received advising that Straps Cloak Centre are now approved as forming part of the set of Universal Saddlery, and will be issued in future with such. DOS. OC. 4139 d/4/4/18. Memo received also advising that Canadian Cotton Drill Pantaloon will be issued throughout the summer in lieu of Pants. Cord owing to the shortage of the latter. D.O.S. OS 4680. d/4/4/18.

Entry No 6 d/6/4/18.- Hasteners submitted to DADOS DESCORPS for Tripods Mounting for Hotchkiss Guns. These were due on DMC Issue Order 5402 d/27/2/18 and had been frequently hastened: they were therefore long overdue. Following received from DOS. ~~The~~ The Commandant Reinforcement Camp D.M.C. may indent for saddlery for Reinforcements, & that saddlery, men and horses may be together. DOS OC. 5989 d/1/4/18. Motor Boat Patrol (DEAD SEA) apply for four 1" Very Pistols with 50 Cartridges of each colour. Application was made to XX Corp but no further information was received. Since ~~as~~ ascertained that they were supplied by XX Corps. Following wire sent to S.M.T.O. XX Corps. "Further consignments Ordnance Stores in two truck loads expected to arrive Jerusalem from LUDD today. If available ~~my~~ 8 motor lorries be allotted ANZACS convey these JERICHO. Have asked S.S.O. Anzacs notify arrival and communicate information." QO 1290. This in fact seemed to be the most reasonable way of meeting the transport question, viz. to leave the question in the hands of the Supply Officer to communicate direct to the S.M.T.O. on arrival of stores; the N.C.O. in charge of Ordnance at JERUSALEM communicating the information to the S.S.O. as necessary. Throughout the month this system worked most satisfactorily and obviated the necessity for demanding Lorries in advance when the stores were not actually received and prevented the delay which would have arisen had it been necessary to submit the demands for transport from the office at JERICHO.

As it now seemed probable that the Division would be staying for some time in its present Camp, instructions were sent requesting that all Bulk and other stores should be forwarded JERUSALEM as soon as possible at any rate during the next four days. ~~xxxxxx~~ Meanwhile the first consignment of 3000 Breeches and 900 prs. Boots had to be issued out, and distribution ^{was made} as follows.- Breeches 500 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade, 660 N.Z.M.R. Brigade, 380 1st. A.L.H. Brigade. Boots, 149 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade, 175 N.Z.M.R. Brigade, 59 1st. A.L.H. Brigade (1st A.L.H. Brigade demanded over 400 prs Boots, but issue was suspended pending investigation on account of the large issues recently made to the Brigade) 160 prs. Breeches were issued to the D.A.C. All requirements both for Breeches and Boots of Divisional Units were met. In regard to the question of re-equipment of Troops after operations I would estimate the following stores as being the immediate needs of a Mounted Division in such cases, but it is essential that the stores should be within the hands of Troops within 60 hours after their return from operations. Boots.-900 prs, Breeches 1500 to 2000 prs, Shirts 1000, Socks 1800, Towels 1000, Nose Bags 2500, Water Bottles 500, Mess Tins 200, Headropes 2500, Picketing Ropes 2500, Buckets Water Canvas 400, Soap 2000 bars, Dubbing 2000 lbs, Oil Lubricating 36 Galls, Rangoon 36 Galls, Grease 400 lbs, Horse Shoes 400 sets of each 3 and 4, 200 sets size 5, 150 sets size 6, 100 sets size 7, and 50 sets size 8. Shoes Mule 200 prs size

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Entry no. 6. (Continued) - 14 and 15, and 100 prs size 16. These figures are not in any way exhaustive but serve as a useful basis to work on. Circumstances of the operations must affect the nature of the demands. The essential point is that the stores should be available immediately the troops arrive back to Camp. They should not have to wait several days for their supply. If there is any difficulties in the way of transport they should be accumulated beforehand, though not in a place where there is risk of loss.

Meanwhile a hastener was sent forward for Frocks K.D. and Helmets for the Artillery Q.O.1403. These had been specially indented for on the 4th. April, 800 being the estimated figures required.

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Entry No. 7. d/7/4/18. - KANTARA advises the despatch of Brake Blocks to LUDD, for the Divisional Train. Issue of Bulk stores to the Brigades principally Picketing Gear, including 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade 300 Headropes, 400 Picketing Ropes, 126 Buckets Water Canvas, 500 Bags Nose, 24 Galls. Oil. N.Z.M.R. Brigade.- 300 Headropes, 300 Picketing Ropes, 350 Buckets Water Canvas, 600 Nose Bags, 18 Galls Oil. 1st. A.L.H. Brigade.- 300 Headropes, 330 Picketing Ropes, 500 Nose Bags, 6 Gall Oil.

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Entry No. 8. d/8/4/18. - Following wire sent to Details Camp, RICHON, "Please submit list of stores, in quantities, you think advisable to hold at RICHON, to equip Details in camp" These however had been drawn. Issue of small bulk stores to Brigades (Clasp Knives, Holdalls, Brushes etc, also quantities of Soap). Brigades and Artillery instructed to submit Indents at once to replace all stores lost in action, at the same time all unserviceable stores and clothing to be returned to the Dump. Following received from A.D.O.S., D.M.C., "4 Hotchkiss and quantity of Belts also Tripod Vickers sent to R.O.O., JERUSALEM by car. One case containing 76 Tripods Hotchkiss, and one case of 32 sent from LUDD to JERUSALEM by train" These were for N.Z.M.R. Brigade and were received on the 10th. 1st. A.L.H. Brigade report 2 Limbers requiring repair. These were sent up to the JERUSALEM Workshops. Boot Return submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., shewing.- Issues.- 1st. A.L.H. Brigade, 194 prs, 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade 391 prs, N.Z.M.R. Brigade, 200 prs, Divisional Units, 103 prs. Returned.- 55 ", do 173 ", do 171 ", do 92 " making a total of.- Issued.- 888, Returned.- 491. Owing to operations the majority of Units unable to send in U/S stores. The 5th. and 7th. L.H. Regiments, and 1st. A.L.H. Brigade, were this time operating on the other side of the River up to the Foothills.

Corps Order No. 33 Issued. Paras 95 to 102. Paras.- 95. Issues to Australian and

New Zealand Forces, 1st. issues to be accompanied by priced Vouchers, copies of which to be sent to Local Auditor and A.I.F. and N.Z. Headquarters. (Departmental Instructions) 96.- Grinders Automatic to be returned to A.O.D. (G.R.O.) 97.- Field Forges. Approval of Forges to B.A.C., 4, Field Squadron 1. 1st. Signal Squadron.-1, together with Block and Anvil, those issued to the Ammunition Column to be used by the Batteries as required. (G.R.O. 3747) 98.- Mountings Tripod Auxiliary Gun Vickers. to be withdrawn to A.O.D., (G.R.O. 3749) 99.- Preservation of Boots. attention called to the neglect to use Dubbing. It should be noted however that Dubbing is exceedingly difficult to obtain. (G.R.O. 3750) 100.- Hammers Farriers Turning; issue of 1 to D.H.Q., approved. (G.R.O. 3768) 101.- Issue of Rifles fitted with Telescopic Sights approved on the scale of 8 per Regiment. (G.R.O. 3769) 102.- Sight Luminous, Fore and Back, available for issue.

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Entry No. 9. d/9/4/18. - Four Lorries arrived from JERUSALEM with stores. 250 Blankets G.S. demanded for Medical requirements to replace those taken with the Casualties, and hastener sent to LUDD for 650 Saddle Blankets and Clothing, due on the amending Bulk Demand, ANZ.1950a, dated 7th., and at the same time 8 sets Universal Saddlery, and 7 Sets G.S.P/Saddlery, were demanded to replace that lost by 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade during operations. Q.O.1315.

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Entry No. 9. (continued) The following Bulk Demand submitted by wire for Signalling equipment to replace lost at AMMAN, Cells Inert "S".- 400. Telephones D.3.-6. Cable D1.- 20 Miles, D.2.- 18 Miles. Reels No.1.- 60, Bars Carrying.-6 Helio complete.- 1. subsequently 3, Stands Helio.-4. Flags Signalling 2ft.Sq. Blue and White.- 100 of each. Poles 3' 6" 200, Q.O.1316. These were supplied on the 15th. Issue of Nose Bags to Brigades.- 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade.-1064. 1st.A.L.H.Brigade.-680. N.Z.M.R.Brigade.- 250., also Vouchered stores to all Brigades

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Entry No. 10. d/10/4/18. 3 Lorries arrived from JERUSALEM with stores. Return of all surplus S.A.A. and Shell to Ammunition Dump, JERICHO Village. C.O.O., KANTARA asked to hasten Australian Hats (Most urgently required, none received since January last) C.O.O., replies "None available" O.K.2185. The following demand sent to C.O.O., LUDD, "May 500 yds. Muslin be issued ANZAC Division for covering food, please say if Mosquito Netting is an issue this year as Fly Veils, as issued last year. Q.O.1325. The Muslin demanded was supplied, but the Mosquito Netting was not held to be an issue.

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Entry No. 11. d/11/4/18. - Issue of stores to Brigades, including 400 Picketing Ropes, 100 Bars Soap to 2nd.A.L.H. Brigade, 300 Headropes, 450 Picketing, 150 Bars Soap to N.Z.M.R.Brigade, 330 Headropes, 330 Picketing Ropes to 1st.A.L.H.Brigade, also of a very large number of Saddle Covers issued in lieu of Ground Sheets on account of ~~the~~ shortage of the latter. These, though much lighter in fabric, ~~were~~ quite suitable for the purpose and are in fact more useful as they are supplied with tie ropes. They are not so satisfactory as the Ground Sheet Cape. Hastener sent to C.O.O., LUDD, for 900 Tunics and Helmets asked for on Issue Order d/4th. and C.O.O. asked to send all stores to JERUSALEM; ~~and~~ memo to A.I.F. Headquarters to ascertain when Hats might be expected. A report on the general position regarding Ordnance Stores submitted to A.D.O.S. at his request. It was pointed out that the position was exceedingly satisfactory owing to the facilities offered by XX Corps for transport and the readiness with which supplies were being made by the Depot at LUDD. "The Division is now practically re-equipped in every detail excepting Signalling Gear for which the demands have only just been submitted ... every demand for Breeches and all Clothing except Hats, Leggings, and some smaller items, has been met; the same applies to Picketing Gear and Expendable Stores for which no demands ~~were~~ made. Ample supplies of Soap, Oil, H/Shoes etc., have been received..." It was pointed out that the only shortages were Hats "Not available but at the same time very urgently required", ~~making~~ "Dubbing is also an urgent requirement" Summer Clothing, however had not been received. Regarding Machine Guns "all had been supplied but a very quantity of parts are required, the need of which is seriously felt" finally owing to the regularity with which Motor Transport has been supplied "stores have never remained at JERUSALEM for more than a few hours" Following reply received from XX th. Corps, regarding Very Pistols for the DEAD SEA Flotilla "Four Very Pistols are being supplied by C.O.O.. KANTARA, the cartridges should be obtained from Ordnance Ammunition, JERUSALEM. (P.C.Q.T.249)

A The small quantity of Officer's Clothing obtained from Payment Issues, JERUSALEM, in Bulk, chiefly Summer Breeches, Tunics, Socks, Handkerchiefs, and Shirts, etc. but only small and Large sizes, medium being unobtainable. ~~xxxxx~~ Although it does not fall within the scope of a Divisional Ordnance to constitute itself a Payment Issue Store, this was intended to save officers from the necessity of proceeding to JERUSALEM at a time when it was difficult for them to do so. In this respect a Cavalry Division is at a disadvantage compared with an Infantry Division, as the Mounted Troops operating some distance from the Railhead, officers have little chance of visiting a Payment Issue Store; it is therefore advisable that some sort of proportioning system ~~xxxxxx~~ should be adopted, so that a certain ^{quantity} of clothing may be held for Divisions operating at some distance and officers be able to equip themselves on some subsequent occasion. One Vickers reported destroyed by shell fire by 1st.A.M.G.Squadron. Loss reported to

Descorps, and reply received "Gun will be sent" O.D./84.

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Entry No. 11. (Continued)

Regarding saddlery lost in action, the following wire was sent to each Brigade "Wire number of sets of saddlery by units, also number in possession but not in use, also state how saddlery recovered from casualties was disposed of". The 1st. A.L.H. Brigade reported in possession on 16/4/18, 1753 Sets, 7 sets were lost in operations, 147 were returned to the Dump at JERICHO, and 53 to 6th. Mobile Vety Section. 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade reported in possession on 16/4/18, 1816 Sets, 32 sets were lost at AMMAN, 65 sets were returned to JERICHO, and 7 sets to 7th. Mobile Vety. Section. N.Z.M.R. Brigade reported 1716 sets in possession on 16/4/18, 46 sets were lost, 86 sets returned to JERICHO, and 26 to N.Z. Mobile Vety. Section. 298 sets were therefore returned to JERUSALEM via my dump at JERICHO. Previous to this, 1st. A.L.H. Brigade had returned 53 sets saddlery from BEIT DEJAN, making a total of 351 sets returned to Ordnance, and 86 to Mob. Vety. Sections, or 437 sets handed over by Units. 85 sets were entirely lost during the operations.

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Entry No. 12. d/12/4/18. -

Remaining Hotchkiss Gun issued to N.Z.M.R. Brigade, all guns were now therefore replaced. Brigade Ordnances instructed to wire shortages of Field Ambulances, the chief shortage ~~XXXX~~ reported was the loss of an Operating Tent and 11 Cacolets by N.Z. Field Ambulance. It was not however discovered till much later that as many as 35 Cacolets, 27 Lying and 8 Sitting were short. It may here be remarked that it is essential both in the interests of the Unit and of the department supplying, that all losses by Units should be at once reported by them to the Ordnance of the brigade, they should not be ~~satisfied~~ satisfied with notifying the Staff Captain who is not an Ordnance Officer, and cannot be held responsible for deficiencies of equipment of this nature. Hastener submitted for 250 Shovels and 150 Axes Pick, also for Helmets and Clothing due on Bulk Demand. Following wire sent to STRALIS "Please inform when further supplies of Hats Khaki Fur are likely to be available" Q.O. 1337.

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Entry No. 13. d/13/4/18. -

Indents submitted to C.O.O., KANTARA, for Thermometers, Wet and Dry Bulb, and Maximum and Minimum. These were required for taking meteorological records in the JORDAN VALLEY while in occupation of Troops. Authority, G.S., XXth. Corps, G/718. Regarding the supply of Helmets and Frocks K.D., the position ~~is~~ ^{was} becoming serious, as Cpl. Day had reported that no stores had arrived at JERUSALEM. It was ascertained over the telephone that the Helmets had actually been despatched on the 9th. and were delayed in transit, in fact the R.O.O. at JERUSALEM reported that he had ^{responsibility} advice of several trucks for this Division for several days, none of which however had arrived; under these circumstances ^{responsibility} rested with the Railway Authorities. Following wire was therefore sent to the R.T.O., ARTUF, where the delay in transshipment from the Broad Gauge to the Turkish System was occurring, "Several trucks containing Ordnance stores for ANZAC Division are advised as having left LUDD since the 7th, and not arrived JERUSALEM, my truck accommodation be provided for all Ordnance stores awaiting transshipment at ARTUF, as urgently required by Division" Sgt. Bracefield was at the same time instructed to "Proceed to ARTUF, investigate delay in sending stores, and forward report" Q.O. 1343. As a result of this action, and in consequence of the facts being reported to G.H.Q., trucks were forthcoming and stores sent forward to JERUSALEM. The difficulty would have been solved and probably prevented if an Ordnance Representative with sufficient authority ^{had been} stationed at ARTUF; delay must inevitably occur when it is left to a Railway Unit to deal with the transshipment of Ordnance material, priority always being given to the man on the spot. Following reply received from STRALIS regarding Hats, Q.288, "Supply Hats arrived EGYPT 4th. apply Ordnance KANTARA" A demand was therefore submitted by wire to C.O.O., for 100 Size 6½, 500 size 6¾, 700 size 6.7/8., 300 size 7., 250 size 7.1/8., these were increases on the Bulk Demand, ANZ.1951, but represented the requirements of the Division. 3rd. L.H. Regt. report one Hotchkiss Gun in bad condition and requiring replacement. Application made to Descorps for exchange.

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Entry No. 14. d/14/4/18. - Four Lorries arrive with Helmets and K?D?Clothing. and application made to S.M.T.O., XXth.Corps, for 8 more Lorries to remove ANZAC Ordnance Stores to JERICHO from JERUSALEM ~~this~~ at 0700 tomorrow. Q.O.1347. Reply M.T./7654, "8 Lorries will be detailed" 108 Hotchkiss Gun Tripods received and all Bipods returned to JERUSALEM. 1st.A.L.H.Brigade report one Vickers Gun needing repair or exchange, damaged by gun fire; this was exchanged. Approval of organisation of two Malarial Diagnosis Stations with the following equipment.- 2 G.S.Wagons, 2 E.P.I.P.Tents, 4 C.D.L.Tents, 6 Tables and Forms. O.C./7005 d/11/4/18. Reports submitted to A.D.O.S. on the Cotton Drill Pantaloons issued on trial to Brigades.- 1st.A.L.H.Brigade report that all Units consider them suitable for Summer wear. 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade also submit favourable reports, the N.Z.M.R.Brigade however state that while the material is good and wears well the stitching is weak and the Breeches uncomfortable to wear, and recommend that the cut be improved and cotton drawers be issued to prevent the hard material chafing the wearer. Following report sent to A.D.O.S. XXth.Corps, "All Helmets received and in possession of Units". A.D.O.S., D.M.C., visits JERICHO. *S. P. Thiel* CAPT.

Entry No. 15. d/15/4/18. - Issue of Bulk Stores to Brigades, including 226 Tunics to 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade, 135 to 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade, also Shirts, Towels, and Other Clothing, N.Z.M.R.Brigade.- 500 Shirts Flannel, 200 Prs.Socks, 200 Towels. This completed all Brigade requirements for these articles of Clothing. I.O.M., JERUSALEM, visits JERICHO, to inspect the ~~13th~~ 13 Pdr. equipment of the 18th.R.H.A.Brigade, and reports that the carriages require general adjustment and overhaul, the Guns in all cases are in good condition. "I would recommend that early opportunity be taken to have these Guns and Carriages sent in to the Workshops for overhaul" Vide Appendix "B".

8 Lorries arrive from JERUSALEM with stores. Instructions sent to Brigade Ordnances to return surplus saddlery to Ordnance Dump, JERICHO. "All demands for sets Saddlery have been cancelled, C.O.O., LUDD, having supplied over 500 sets to remounts." Instructions were also sent "to wire by Units number of Wheels No.200. and 159, required to replace unserviceable and secondly as spares" Q.O.1360. The following requirements of wheels were reported.- 32nd.Coy, D.Train, 48 No.200. 23 No.159. 33rd.Coy, 30 No.200, 30 No.159, 34th.Coy, 47 No.200, 47 No.159. No.5 Coy, 12 No.200, 8 No.159, N.Z.M.G.S., 2 No.200, nil 159., N.Z.A.S.C., 15 No.200, 11 No.159., 2nd.A.L.H.Bde, 11 No.200, Total 165 No.200., 109 No.159., These figures do not include 1st.A.L.H.Brigade or any Divisional Units other than the Divisional Train. To meet these demands, for the previous inspection in February by the A.D.S.T., had drawn attention to the fact that many of the wheels of the Train required overhaul, a demand had actually been submitted by me on the 4th. of April for 200 No.200 Wheels, and 100 No.159, together with a demand for 400 Washers, 2nd.Class C. and 3rd. Class B. over and above those on the wheels. These wheels were expected any time from LUDD. Receipt of all Signalling Equipment. Issued N.Z.M.R.Brigade.- 3 Telephones, 26½ Miles Cable, also issued 2 No.200 Wheels to the Machine Gun Sqdn. and 8 for the N.Z.Coy., D.Train., 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade.- Cells, 6 Miles Cable, 2 Telephones, and 9 No.200 Wheels.

Fortnightly Equipment submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., The Chief shortages were 4 Lead and 2 Wheel Sets Harness P.D.G.S., 13 Sets G.S.P/Saddlery, 8 Sets Universal Saddlery, 27 Prismatic Compasses on Payment, 5 Helios, advised, and 11 Stands also advised, 104 N.P.Binoculars, also the following vehicles, all of which were understood to be at KUDD, but could not be collected on account of the distance and shortage of teams.- 1 G.S.Wagon, 6th. L.H.Regt., 1 L.G.S.Wagon for N.Z.M.R.Bde., 1 L.G.S.Wagon for 1st.A.L.H.Brigade, 1 Ambulance Wagon and Maltese Cart for 1st.A.L.H.Brigade, and 3 Carts Water., 1 for 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade, and 2 for Divisional Units. The following Clothing was unsupplied off the Demand submitted at the beginning of the month.- 770 Boots, 336 Leggings, 1150 Hats, 350 Jackets B.D. for N.Z.M.R.Brigade, 350 Great Coats Australian, and 700 prs. Puttees.

Report on Machine Guns submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., The Vickers Guns were all in good condition though 1st.A.M.G.Squadron (urgently required spare parts as per Indents outstanding) 2nd.A.M.G.Squadron report nothing requiring attention, N.Z.M.G.Squadron report condition good. Regarding the Hotchkiss Guns those of the 1st.A.L.H.Brigade were all in good order, but spare parts due on Indent urgently required, 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade report guns in good order with the exception of 4 belonging to the 6th.L.H.Regt, which were not in working owing to the shortage of spare

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Entry No. 15. (cont'd) parts, N.Z.M.R. Brigade report that the condition is good with the exception of two with broken Butts. Since the last Return submitted 10 Hotchkiss and 2 Vickers Guns have been replaced to Units of the Division.

Entry No. 16. d/16/4/18. - 2 Lorries arrived with stores from JERUSALEM. Issue of Rainproof Coats to Officers on Payment. Originally over 200 were indented for as early as December 1917. Received in April following, the rainy season was over, and they are not required. These were urgent stores and should have been supplied earlier. A.D.O.S., XXth. Corps, wires to ascertain if all British Troops in JORDAN VALLEY are in possession of Sun Helmets, including I.C.C. Brigade. This information could not be given as it is impossible to ascertain from units other than those in the Division, or at least temporarily attached. Issue of Vickers Gun to 1st. A.L.H. Brigade. Reports sent to A.D.O.S., that the 3 Experimental Hotchkiss Saddles had been received. These referred to 3 Hotchkiss Gun Packs with ~~xx~~ adjustable as opposed to fixed trees. In August 1917 the whole question of Hotchkiss Gun P/Saddlery had been discussed; it was ~~alleged~~ contended that the existing tree was not adaptable for all horses, being too narrow and more suitable for mules. It was alleged that the horses were suffering from sore backs on account of the iron pressing too closely on the withers, and the 5th. L.H. Regt. to avoid the possibility of this had purchased out of Regimental Funds a quantity of Bar Iron and fitted up a number of new Packs, the essential point being that these were 1½" greater in the width of the arch and flatter on the top. This, while better than the narrow pattern could be improved on, and the I.O.M., D.M.C., (Capt. Brewiss) suggested and offered to make an adjustable arch with bolt and bar so that it could be made to fit, without any extra padding, the various type of pack horse employed. The 3 Hotchkiss Experimental Packs now received, are the result. Surplus Camel P/Saddlery, from the 1st. Signal Squadron returned to the Depot, less 14 sets, required to replace casualties among camels during operations. It was later arranged that 14 sets should be issued from LUDD as the camels sent to replace were stationed near LUDD, and the 14 sets at JERUSALEM, returned again to the Depot.

Entry No. 17. d/17/4/18. - Boot Return submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., Issued. - Nil except to N.Z.M.R. Bde, 1 pr. Returned. - 1st. A.L.H. Bde. - 179., 2nd. A.L.H. Bde., 148., N.Z.M.R. Bde. - 39., Divisional Units. - nil., Total Issued. - 1 pr. Returned. - 366 prs, Issue of Bulk Stores to Brigades. - 1st. A.L.H. Bde. - small Bulk stores, Field Dressings, Razors, Brushes Water Bottles 135, Buckets Water Canvas 154, Soap Bars 300, Dubbing lbs 452, Tunics 154, Shirts Flannel 120, Socks prs 193., 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade. - small Bulk stores as above, also 154 Tunics, 156 Water Bottles, 450 Ropes Picketing, 100 Ropes Head, 80 Lbs. Dubbing, 200 Bars Soap, H/Shoes and a quantity of Pioneering equipment., N.Z.M.R. Brigade. - small Bulk stores, including, 195 Discs Identity, also 300 Ropes Head, 300 Ropes Picketing, 400 Bags Nose, 120 Buckets Water Canvas, 300 Bars Soap, 600 Lbs Dubbing, and Pioneering equipment. All bulk demands complete to date. Further extra issues were made to Composite Coy., Divisional Train, of 120 lbs Dubbing, and 50 Sets Brake Blocks. Information received from C.O.O., LUDD of the receipt of a new type of Brake for a G.S. Limbered Wagon, including the following parts. - 1 Brake bar, 1 Bracket Supporting stay Near and Off, 1 Number 6 Brake Handle, 1 Screw Brake No. 21, 1 Brake Handle Bar, 2 Rods connecting, Long & Short. Indents to be submitted for all Wagons not so fitted.

Entry No. 18. d/18/4/18. - Following Bulk demand submitted to C.O.O., LUDD, H/Shoes size 4, sets 360, S/5, sets 250, S/6, sets 240., S/7 sets, 140., Nails No. 6, lbs 350, Oil Lubricating 42 Galls, Rangoon 24 Galls, Water Bottles 250, Puttees prs 1200, Socks prs, 2000., also 8000 Fringes Browband, (Q.O. 1380) Hastener sent to KANTARA for Hats due, on ~~xxxx~~ Bulk Indent, (Q.O. 1344). referred also to A.D.O.S., "Many are without Hats, supplies arrived 4th, from Australia, 1800 required" (Q.O. 1382). Machine Gun (Hotchkiss) parts hastened by 6th. L.H. Regt, and by wire to D.A.D.O.S., D.M.C., (Q.O. 1387). "Four Guns out of action on account of shortages of spare parts which are unobtainable from Descorps Armourers Workshop. - Guns can be exchanged at the Armourers but spare parts are unprocurable. This leads to a very serious position as if Guns are rendered unserviceable in action, it is impossible to repair them, and have them replaced is equally difficult. Following received from KANTARA "Hats Khaki Fur advised as coming from SUEZ, hope to get same away immediately received. Stock here Nil" N.K. 4503. Instruction received from A.D.O.S., D.M.C., "You must complete Division with Steel Helmets

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Entry No. 18. (continued) - forthwith, wire number demanded" O.D./107.) It was replied that 3.600 Helmets had been redrawn from LUDD, and were at RICHON, shall require 3.400 more.

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Entry No. 19. d/19/4/18. Following wire sent LUDD, "A.D.O.S., Descorps instructs that Division is to be completed with Steel Helmets. May 3.400 be supplied in addition to 3.600 withdrawn by Details at RICHON. Total required 7.100" (Q.O.1398). Tentage and surplus Ordnance stores returned to C.O.O., LUDD, by ANZAC Details. Sgt. Bracefield instructed to remain on Dump all square tentage and 29 C.D.L. Tents. Owing to the difficulty in obtaining E.P.I.P. Tents it is advisable to retain sufficiency to meet any urgent demands. Meanwhile in view of the fact that other troops were likely to be moving over to the JORDAN VALLEY, and in consequence, transport would be more difficult, R.T.O., ARTUF, was therefore asked to forward at once, all Ordnance stores to JERUSALEM, and following wire sent to C.O.O., LUDD., "XXth. Corps, state further transport after two days unlikely, as used elsewhere, but ample available till then. Please hasten despatch of all stores including Bulk Demand submitted today. Hats and Boots urgent" (Q.O.1393). C.O.O., LUDD, asked to issue Maltese Cart for 6th.L.H. Regt, for Medical Stores in place that coming from KANTARA. Conductor Anderson visits LUDD, to supervise removal of Dump from LUDD to JERUSALEM, and to report generally on the position regarding Ordnance stores for the Division at the Depot. A reply sent to C.O.O., LUDD, that all S.B.R. had been returned to the Depot, less 10%, (Q.O.1399). The following report sent to A.D.O.S., in regard to shortage in Transport. 1 G.S. Wagon destroyed on Jericho Road (Accident), 1 Ambulance Wagon abandoned at AMMAN (March), 1 Half Limber 1st.A.L.H. Bde, abandoned at RAMALLAH, 1 Limber condemned by I.O.M., 58th. O.M.W-Shops, 3 Water Carts to replace Australian Pattern in use, but for which wheels are not available. It is probable that all the Water Carts in the Division will have to be changed for the same reason, as spare components are not obtainable in the country. Stores advised from KANTARA. A.D.O.S., XXth. Corps, enquiring if all Units equipped with Sun Helmets. This was so as far as could be ascertained but in view of the fact that units still returned Helmets on account of unsuitable sizes, it seemed advisable that 100 Helmets should be supplied as reinforcements, attached men and others arrive without them." (Q.O.1401). Acknowledgement sent to A.D.O.S., with reference to his memo re Anti Gas Schools, and material to be kept. It was ~~xxxxx~~ pointed out that the permanent stores e.g. Hammers, Pliers Detaching Tools, Screwdrivers, etc, were issued to the D.G.O. some months previously, but the Detaching Tools had to been returned to A.O.D.. "Indents for Temporary Stores, i.e., Copper Wire, etc., will be submitted as required, but all Gas Equipment and Mouth Pieces, Tape, Wire, etc., were returned some weeks ago."

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Entry No. 20. d/20/4/18. - Receipt of 100 Yeomanry Saddles for the Division at Train. These were exchanged for Universal Pattern which were returned to JERUSALEM. 3 Lorries with mixed stores arrived from JERUSALEM, and 300 Wheels reported as received at JERUSALEM. Following wire sent S.M.T.O., XXth. Corps, "300 Wheels at JERUSALEM for Division, may 15 Lorries be provided bring JERICHO tomorrow or day following" (Q.O.1410). ANZACS RICHON, report in possession 3718 steel Helmets on Brigade Dumps. (E.R.593).

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Entry No. 21. d/21/4/18. - 15 Lorry loads received from JERUSALEM containing wheels., 50 Wheels No.198a, 150 Wheels No.206a., 100 Wheels No.159a., ^{for these} The No.206a Wheels were however supplied in lieu of 200a, and were therefore useless for the G.S.Wagons of the Train, ~~no~~ Collars Adjusting or Lynch Pins were supplied. Under these circumstances, I decided to utilise the 206a wheels for the Brigade 1st.Line Transport Limbers, acting on the principle that wheels could be exchanged at any time without necessary Indents, while the 159 a wheels were reserved primarily for the Divisional Train. To obviate the difficulty caused by the failure to supply Collars Adjusting and Lynch Pins, it was necessary to abandon the dust cap for the time being. In this way the whole of the Division 1st.Line Limbers were able to equip themselves with new wheels, while it was also found possible to assist the Australian Mtd. Division and other Units, including 20th.R.H.A. Brigade with wheels in exchange for others which were returned to ~~JERUSALEM~~. JERUSALEM.

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Boots recovered from the W/Shops JERUSALEM. Issue of H/Shoes to Brigades, also a number of repaired Australian Patt Fly Veils, and 10 Hand Sprayers be issued, urgently required". Q.O.1420)., at the same time a wire was sent to LUDD, giving the quantities of the Hats Australian due from KANTARA. D.O.S., wires "Issue Khaki Hats Fur should be made immediately To C.O.O., ~~XXX~~ LUDD, "5 Galls Castor Oil and 80 lbs. Resin urgently required for Sanitary Section, Anti Fly Measures". The following instructions sent to Brigade Ordnances "All Units requiring No.206a or 159a Wheels can exchange them tomorrow but arrangements must be made by you to supervise. All Indents for wheels cancelled" Corps Order No. 34 issued, paras 103 to 111. Para.103.- Signalling Torches approved for issue, scale 10 per Signal Squadron, 6 per Regiment, 4 per Machine Gun Squadron. Indent submitted. (G.R.O.3784). 104.- Sanitary Supplies. Tanglefoot an A.O.D.supply. 105.- Malarial Diagnosis Station. 106.- Hurricane Lamps an Issue to Malarial Stations. 107.- Punctuality of Returns. 108.- Brakes for Wagons Limbered G.S. 109.- Summer Dress, date of taking into use 15/4/18. 110.- Bulk Demands are to be submitted in Duplicate. 111.- Apparatus Signalling Air Craft. Issue of Semi Circular and $\frac{3}{4}$ Circular to B.H.Q., (G.R.O.3796)

Entry No.22. d/22/4/18.

awaiting collection, 1 Light Amb.Wagon for 1st.L.H.F.A., 2 Limbers Hind for 2nd.L.H.Regt., Maltese Cart for 2nd.L.H.Regt., and 3 Water Carts! Lynch Pins and Adjusting Collars not available at JERUSALEM or LUDD, wired for from KANTARA. Ordnance 1st.A.L.H.Brigade instructed to arrange removal of Ambulance Wagon and Maltese Cart, and N.Z.M.R.Bde, Limber for Signal Troop, and 2 Complete Limbers from 38th. O.M.W. as that Workshop under orders to move. 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade also had a Water Cart at LUDD, and a Limber (7th.L.H.Regt) with 38th.O.M.W. Issue of Pioneering Equipment to 2nd.A.L.H. Brigade including 45 Picks and 70 Shovels. Corps Order 35, Issued. para 112. Appointments, Promotions, etc., T/Cpl Neville E.E., confirmed in his rank, to date 24/4/18.

Entry No. 23. d/23/4/18.

Killers and Veils not available, former are issued at the rate of one per 4 Other Ranks. Sprayers Pump will be supplied" L.T./146. R.T.O., ARTUF, again hastened to send forward stores as transport will not be available after a few days.

Entry No. 24. d/24/4/18.

Following wire sent to C.O.O., LUDD, "N.Z.Field Ambulance are 2 G.S.Wagons short of establishment, 1 Returned BELAH, March., one to R.O.O., KILO 295, may these be replaced from LUDD pending Indent to KANTARA! Same unit require 11 prs. Lying Cacolets". The issue of the Wagons approved. Up to this point the Unit had still been shewing these Wagons on charge, being ignorant of the fact that they had been returned to A.O.D. The Ambulance however is not without blame as the fact should have been known. Sgt. Bracefield instructed to assist the 20th. Infantry Brigade in drawing 36 Lewis Guns and Other Ordnance Equipment from LUDD. Q.O.1439). A.Q.M.S.King instructed to complete work in hand and move JERICOH earliest. Q.O.1442). Boot Return submitted A.D.O.S.? D.M.C., Ist.A.L.H.Brigade.- Issued 28. Returned 30., 2nd.A.L.H.Brigade issued 74. Returned 42., N.Z.M.R.Brigade Issued 73, Returned 41., Divisional Units Nil Issued, Returned 4., Total Issued. 185., Returned 117. 30 prs. were also returned by 2nd.A.M.G.Squadron direct to R.O.O., JERUSALEM, and are not shewn in above or previous returns.

Entry No. 25. d/25/4/18.

Descorps assumed command of all Troops in the JORDAN VALLEY. Cpl.Day wires "Impossible to procure lorries, wire instructions" 5 lorries were however obtained and miscellaneous stores brought down.

Entry No. 26. d.26/4/18.

C.O.O., LUDD, advises despatch of 1650 Hats, truck 2355, Stores

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Entry No. 26. d/26/4/18. (continued) - advised from KANTARA. 1st. A.L.H. Brigade report lost in action, 1 Hotchkiss Gun, (1st. L.H. Regt.) Q.O. 1455). Issue of Bulk Stores to Brigades including, 1st. A.L.H. Brigade, Boots 233, Tunics 71, Breeches 97, Nose Bags 240, Ropes Head 310, Ropes Picketing 300, Dubbing 120 lbs, Soap Bars 50, S/Horse and small Bulk Stores. 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade. - Boots 81, Ropes Picketing 200, Ropes Head 150, Soap Bars 420, Bags Nose 300, N.Z.M.R. Brigade. - Boots 341, Breeches 180, Puttees 900, Socks 940, Ropes Head 250, Ropes Picketing 400, Soap Bars 400, S/Horse 120 Sets size 3. Demand particularly heavy and reported to Staff Captain. Large supply of Saddle Blankets issued to Brigades. 38th. O.M.W., arrived NEBI MUSA.

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Entry No. 27. d/27/4/18. - All stores including 19 cases ~~main~~ Boots and 9 cases of Hats, left here for JERICHO, from Cpl. Day. C.O.O., LUDD, supplied 14 Sets Camel P/Saddlery for 1st. Signal Squadron (14 surplus sets returned to LUDD from JERUSALEM) this to avoid the camels lying at LUDD). Issue of Hats to Brigades. All demands submitted to date supplied. Division being under orders to move, instructions were issued Sgt. Sullivan and Tpr. Wain should report to and accompany the Headquarters Company of the Train. W.O. Foreman, Sgt. Tivendale, and Sgt. Trowell proceeded with the 1st., 2nd., and N.Z. Brigades. The object of the operations was in some ways similar to those at the end of March, but as it was probable that the Division might remain beyond the JORDAN, it was advisable to remain at JERICHO with a view to establishing a Dump at SHUNET NIMRIN, the moment that wheeled transport could be got across the River. I was also anxious to establish A.Q.M.S. King with his Armourers Kit as far forward as possible, recent experience proving that it is essential that an Armourer should be readily accessible where guns can be repaired. New Guns can be obtained from Descrope's Armoury but much valuable time is lost in the exchange of a gun, which could be repaired by any Armourer close to the lines provided he was supplied with the necessary kit, and provided that he is mobile and can continue to keep up with the units. The Regimental Armourers, not having the kit, are unable to undertake ~~xxx~~ extensive repairs. A.D.M.S. reports shortage of 35 Cacolets, The Field Ambulances having failed to report the shortages before (occasioned owing to march operations but ~~it~~ was understood that the camel Transport would not be required ~~in~~ ^{afterwards} Units had not thought it necessary to report a shortage which did not exist in their own establishment but only transport borrowed for the occasion). Referred to D.D.M.S. and C.O.O., LUDD. The Cacolets were eventually supplied but not in time for units to use in the field. They arrived on May 3rd. 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade leave Bivouac area for position defending MAKHADET HAJLA. The remainder of Division remains *Empty camp site*

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Entry No. 28. d/28/4/18. N.Z.M.R. Brigade hastening Spare Parts Bag Filled for Hotchkiss Guns, and 6th. L.H. Regt. hastened parts due on Indent. The shortage of spare parts becoming very serious, none available at D.M.C. Armourers Shop and practically unobtainable from the Depot. Division moves across the JORDAN, 1st. A.L.H. Bde. proceeding with 2nd. A.L.H. Brigade up to EL SALT.

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Entry No. 29. d/29/4/18. Following sent to C.O.O., LUDD, "Following required for operations, perches Limber 15, Poles Limber 12, Brake Blocks sets 80, Thread Flax Fine Lbs. 20, Brake Bars Limber 6, H/Shoes size 5, 100 prs, Nails No. 6, 300 lbs, Ropes Head 1800," Q.O. 1417). A.Q.M.S. King joins Divisional Train. Boot Return submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., 1st. A.L.H. Bde. - Issued 246 prs, Returned 18., 2nd. A.L.H. Bde. - Issued 89 prs., Returned 50., N.Z.M.R. Bde. - Issued 343 prs., Returned 339., Divisional Units. - Issued 180 prs., Returned 63., Totals Issued. - 858 prs., Returned 470 prs. Fortnightly Return submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C., chief shortages. - 6 sets P.D.G.S. Harness, (Advised), 22 sets G.S.P/Saddlery, 22 Prismatic Compasses, 6 Watches, 90 N.P. Binoculars, 11 Prismatic Binoculars, 3 Telescopes Signalling, 3 Telephones. All Indents for Pistols cancelled. Clothing satisfactory, 1000 Towels, 550 Greatcoats being the only important items outstanding. Machine Gun Return submitted to A.D.O.S., D.M.C. All Vickers Guns in good condition and working order. Hotchkiss Guns all in good order and condition except four of the 6th. L.H. Regt., which are out of action owing to the shortage in spare parts for which Indents have been submitted. As ~~the~~ result of this report it was

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Entry No. 29. d/29/4/18. (continued)(to be put) decided to exchange two of the Hotchkiss Guns, while spare parts were supplied which enabled the other two guns/into working order. Corps Order No.36, issued. Paras 113 to 117. Para.- 113 ~~Losses~~ In Action. In future when demanding stores to replace (lost through the exigencies of the campaign) Units will state how the loss occurred, explaining the circumstances on the back of the Indent Form (D.Q.M.G., G.H.Q.). 114.- Steel Helmets. Covers and Curtains for these Hats ^{can} be issued on demand (D.M.C.R.O.,294). 115.- Losses Of Ordnance Stores. Immediate action must be taken in case of loss of stores to hold Board Of Enquiry (Departmental Instructions). 116.- Appointments, Promotions, etc., To be R.Q.M.S., (W.O.Cl.11), to complete to Establishment, No.7527, Sgt.Neville C.L., A.A.O.C To date 5/11/17.(A.A.G./143/80., d/23/4/18). 117.- Pistols Webley. Reduction of Pistols for the following Units.- R.H.A.Battery., from 40 to 30., Mobile Vet Section, from 2 to 1., Divisional Train, from 20 to 12., Pistols will be withdrawn from all W.O's., N.C.O's., of R.E., A.S.C., and all other similar Units serving in the L. of C., or Base Areas. Out standing Indents will be cancelled with the exception of those demanded on Payment. (G.R.O.,3842), *holding* CAPT.

Entry No. 30. d/30/4/18. - Summary.- The whole of the month was ^{D.A.D.O.S. & N.Z. MTD DIV'N} practically occupied with the re-equip-
ping of the Troops after the severe strain of the AMMAN Operations, and with the issue of Summer Clothing, and withdrawal of the Winter Kit. Mention has been made repeatedly of the assistance given by the Corps to which the Division was attached, in regard to Transport. It is interesting to note that nearly 60 lorries were provided solely to transport Ordnance stores, and in no case was there any delay either in the provision of the lorries, ^{or in the removal of the stores from the dumps} reflecting the greatest credit on the N.C.O'S. and men employed in the store work. This is at all times most ~~extensive~~ ~~extensive~~ ~~extensive~~ but especially so when such large quantities of stores have to be dealt with. Labour, too, was a great problem. The gang of Egyptian Natives which had been attached to this Unit since leaving the Canal in 1916, was taken away in February, but it was not until this move, when the Dump was far in advance of the Labour Corps, that the difficulty was acutely felt. At RAMLEH, LUDD, BIR SALEM, and JERUSALEM, it was found possible to borrow labour though not without some difficulty, but at JERICHO, E.L.C. Labour was unobtainable. Local labour was neither easily accesible nor much desired, the natives of the country being naturally indolent and averse at all time to manual labour. Attempts were made to borrow labour from the Supply Dump, but no great willingness to supply this was evinced by the Supply Authorities. Fatigue Parties from the Indian Units stationed at JERICHO were occasionally obtained both whether from caste prejudice or natural disinclination to work, Indian labour is never very satisfactory, at least in this country. Fatigue parties from the Regiments were obtained on several days but were not entirely a success; in the end the majority of the work fell on the N.C.O's. and men on the Dump, and their work was both unremitting and worthy of great praise.

Very little mention is made in this Diary in regard to the return of unserviceable stores; it may however be noted that over 40 lorry loads of unserviceable clothing and Ordnance stores were returned to JERUSALEM. All this had been previously been checked by the Brigade Ordnances and lists prepared in Triplicate, two copies of which accompanied each consignment to JERUSALEM. It is significant, on the occasion of Brigade moves no Dumps were left behind other than of stores which could not be carried and were not required during the operations. To deal adequately with returned stores would necessitate a special staff. As much as is possible is done to assist the R.O.Q by the preparation of lists, but methodical treatment of U/S material is impossible with the small staff at disposal.

These were therefore the result of the months work. The Appendices which are attached will show the extent to which the units were re-equipped, and if reduced to a value in figures the cost which operations entail upon a Mounted Division under conditions which are suitable to neither men or horses, and will give some idea of the wear and tear involved.

E. S. Nicholls

Captain., A.O.D.
D.A.D.O.S., A. & N.Z. MOUNTED DIVISION.

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D. A. D. O. S.
 A. & N. Z. MTD DN.
 A. M. 588/4/18.
 DATE 1/5/18

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 Captain, A.S.S.
 A. & N. Z. MTD DIVISION

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WAR DIARY

OF

*Ordnance Services
A. N. Z Mounted Div*

FOR

April 1918

LIST OF APPENDICES.

No.

Subject.

A. *Stores Issued A. N. Z M. Div during the month
into Expenditure required & compiled.*

B. *Quarterly issues.*

C. D. E. F. *Issues & Writs made
up to 1200 Saturdays
by Brigade Ordnance.*

G. *Vehicle Repaired.*

H. *Inspector's Report 13 to June.
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APPENDIX "A".

ISSUES TO A. & N. Z. MOUNTED DIVISION DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL 1918 889
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ARTICLES. - Section. - Clo.	1ST. L. H. BDE.		2ND. L. H. BDE.		N. Z. BDE.		DIV. UNITS.		TOTALS.	
	Issued.	Due.	Issued.	Due.	Issued.	Due.	Iss.	Due.	Iss.	Due.
Boots Ankle Aust. prs.	422	-	436	9	642	-	349	-	1849	9
do do Brit. "	28	8	-	-	-	-	50	-	78	8
Braces prs.	143	-	41	30	259	-	-	-	433	30
Breeches.	635	-	651	-	1018	-	593	22	2897	22
Greatcoats Aust.	-	54	-	204	-	-	8	18	8	276
do do Brit	32	-	2	6	-	121	52	-	86	127
Disvs Identity "Red"	12	-	22	-	151	-	-	162	185	162
do do "Green"	16	-	22	-	150	-	163	24	351	24
Dressings Field	97	-	354	-	448	-	38	-	937	-
Hats Khaki Fur	341	-	360	65	690	-	200	-	1591	65
Jackets S.D., Aust	350	-	161	-	-	-	22	67	533	67
do do Brit	-	36	-	-	225	-	-	-	225	36
Knives Clasp	-	-	189	-	37	-	30	36	256	36
Keggings Leather prs	26	113	46	59	-	-	31	22	103	194
Puttees prs.	50	-	-	-	900	-	100	-	1050	-
Shirts Flannel	277	308	506	-	760	-	236	37	1779	37
Socks Worsted prs.	550	-	652	-	940	-	378	-	2520	-
Spurs Jack prs.	-	50	-	93	-	131	-	-	-	274
Towels Hand	297	91	340	-	580	-	180	-	1397	91
<u>Section. - 1.</u>										
Bottles Water	150	35	168	-	314	-	115	-	747	35
<u>Section. - 2.</u>										
Buckets Water Canvas	279	-	267	-	587	-	78	-	1211	-
Ropes Head	940	-	968	-	1195	-	435	-	3538	-
do Picketing	910	-	1015	-	1479	-	215	-	3619	-
Sheets Ground	196	-	152	-	180	-	28	-	556	-
<u>Section. - 5.</u>										
Bags Nose	1470	-	1864	-	1650	-	675	-	5659	-
Brushes Horse	226	-	283	-	30	-	186	-	725	-
do Dandy	150	-	-	-	800	-	-	-	950	-
Muzzles Horse	-	87	-	131	115	-	99	63	214	281
<u>Section. - 9.</u>										
Oil : Lubricating Galls.	6	18	28	-	-	-	16	-	50	18
Mineral "	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	5	-
Rangoon "	6	-	6	-	30	-	-	-	42	-
Castor "	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-
Soap Yellow Bars	760	-	1070	-	1200	-	451	-	3481	-
Dubbing Lbs.	912	-	580	480	700	-	570	-	2762	480
Grease Axle lbs.	30	-	73	-	366	-	480	-	949	-
<u>Section. - 10.</u>										
Shoes Horse. - 3f. prs.	354	-	502	-	450	-	165	-	1471	-
3h.	354	-	442	-	450	-	135	-	1381	-
4f.	155	181	371	60	300	-	137	30	963	271
4h.	345	131	376	-	270	-	107	30	1098	161
5f.	132	50	101	-	130	-	144	-	507	50
5h.	165	50	71	-	130	-	149	30	515	30
6f.	10	50	100	-	90	-	130	25	330	75
6h.	60	50	142	-	90	-	145	25	437	75
7f.	20	16	68	-	45	-	102	-	235	16
7h.	20	16	68	-	45	-	75	-	208	16
8f.	45	-	-	8	20	-	12	-	77	8
8h.	45	-	-	-	20	-	12	-	77	-
Nails H/Shoe No. 6. lbs.	100	156	52	72	-	150	40	14	192	392
do do 8. "	54	-	80	-	42	-	24	-	200	-
Shoes Mule: Size 13. prs.	50	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	60	-
14	-	70	20	-	100	-	60	100	180	170
15	25	30	16	-	100	-	36	130	177	160
16	-	-	26	-	-	-	30	-	56	-
<u>Section. - 13.</u>										
Blankets G. S.	-	-	83	-	-	-	-	-	83	-
Flannelette Yds.	420	420	910	-	1680	-	150	-	3160	420
<u>Section. - 6.</u>										
Blankets Saddle	-	-	175	159	400	-	-	-	575	159

P. B. Thickett
CAPT.
D. A. D. O. S., A. & N. Z. MTD DIV.

QUARTERLEY ISSUES TO - A. & N. Z. MOUNTED DIVISION, COMMENCING JANUARY 19TH, ENDING APRIL 30TH, 1918.

ARTICLE.	1ST. L. H. BDE.				2ND. L. H. BDE.				N. Z. M. R. BDE.				DIV?UNITS.			GRND. TOTAL	AVG. PR MONTH.	
	JAN-FB.	MARCH.	APRIL.	TOTAL.	JAN-FB.	MAR.	APRIL	TOTAL/	JAN-FB.	MAR	APRIL	TOTAL/	JN-FB.	MRC.	ABR.			TOTAL
Boots Ank. A. P.	254	389	422	1065.	432	150	436	1018.	482	192	642	1316.	90	83	349	522.	3921.	1307.
do Brit.	25	41	28	94.	49	113	-	162.	53	10	-	63.	16	81	50	147.	466.	152.
Braces prs.	217	70	143	430.	71	41	41	153.	229	211	259	699.	32	-	-	32.	1314.	438.
Breeches	398	282	635	1315.	209	336	651	1196.	194	181	1018	1393.	160	151	593	904.	4808.	1603.
Coats Gt., A. P.	100	104	-	204.	159	4	-	163.	-	-	-	-.	48	-	8	56.	423.	141.
do Brit.	-	-	32	32.	35	-	2	37.	80	50	-	130.	3	-	52	55.	254.	83.
Discs I. RED	148	-	12	160.	183	81	22	286.	162	36	151	349.	-	156	-	156.	951.	317.
do GREEN.	34	-	16	50.	154	101	22	277.	332	14	150	496.	46	110	163	319.	1142.	383.
Dressings Fld.	24	-	97	121.	241	-	354	595.	386	-	448	834.	-	-	38	38.	1588.	529.
Hats K. Fur	130	-	341	471.	68	-	360	428.	487	-	690	1177.	56	-	200	256.	2332.	777.
Jackets S. D. Aust.	163	22	350	535.	457	-	161	618.	-	-	-	-.	177	40	22	239.	1392.	464.
do Brit.	14	-	-	14.	70	-	-	70.	81	20	225	326.	-	-	-	-.	410.	137.
Knives Clasp	146	61	-	207.	255	2	189	446.	50	70	37	157.	31	18	30	79.	889.	299.
Leggings Leather.	70	-	26	96.	44	-	46	90.	-	-	-	-.	20	25	31	76.	262.	87.
Puttees prs.	30	-	50	80.	106	18	-	124.	621	207	900	1728.	24	-	100	124.	2056.	685.
Shirts Flannel	273	209	277	759.	767	18	506	1291.	612	300	760	1660.	126	264	236	626.	4336.	1445.
Socks Worst. prs.	161	145	550	856.	1501	12	652	2165.	379	-	940	1319.	104	265	379	748.	5088.	1699.
Spurs Jack prs,	25	153	-	178.	127	-	-	127.	-	-	-	-.	38	-	-	38.	343.	114.
Towels Hand	167	-	297	464.	115	-	340	455.	390	50	580	1020.	109	127	180	416.	2355.	785.
Section. - 1.																		
Bottles Water	60	-	150	210.	93	-	168	261.	230	25	314	569.	44	-	115	159.	1199.	399.
Section. - 2.																		
Buckets W. Canv.	122	-	279	401.	112	8	267	387.	210	-	587	797.	35	-	78	113.	1698.	566.
Ropes Head	443	499	940	1882.	648	1040	968	2656.	345	840	1195	2380.	110	216	435	761.	7679.	2559.
do Heel	-	-	-	-.	-	-	-	-.	450	-	-	-.	-	-	-	-.	450.	150.
do Picketing	930	986	910	2826.	622	900	1015	2537.	1162	550	1479	3191.	-	80	215	295.	8849.	2949.
Sheets Ground.	321	-	196	517.	74	-	152	226.	266	-	180	446.	135	-	28	163.	1352.	451.
Section. - 5.																		
Bags Nose	1950	1181	1470	4601.	1140	2227	1864	5231.	1890	810	1650	4350.	455	854	675	1984.	16166.	5388.
Brushes Horse	418	-	226	644.	824	-	283	1107.	74	120	30	224.	105	-	186	291.	2266.	755.
do Dandy	-	-	150	150.	457	-	-	457.	480	80	800	1360.	31	-	-	31.	1998.	666.
Muzzles Horse	123	-	-	123.	1010	-	-	1010.	200	-	115	315.	87	-	99	186.	1634.	544.
Section. - 9.																		
Oil : Lubricat. Gls.	15	5	6	26.	27	5	28	60.	-	5	-	5.	10	1	16	27.	118.	39.
Mineral "	18	-	-	18.	-	5	-	5.	10	-	5	15.	-	-	-	-.	38.	12.

JAN-FEB. MARCH. APRIL. TOTAL.

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ARTICLE.	1ST. L. H. BDE.				2ND. L. H. BDE.				N. Z. M. R. BDE.				DIV. UNITS.				GRND. TOTAL.	AVER. PER MONTH
	JAN-FB.	MAR.	APR.	TOTAL.	JN-FB.	MAR.	APR.	TOTAL.	JN-FB.	MAR.	APR.	TOTAL.	JN-FB.	MAR.	APR.	TOTAL.		
Oil :Rangoon GLs.	18	-	6	24.	12	-	6	18.	47	6	30	83.	-	-	-	-	125.	42.
Castor "	31	-	10	41.	5	-	-	5.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46.	15.
Soap Ylw. Bars	696	250	760	1706.	1005	195	1070	2270.	897	320	1200	2417.	421	187	451	1059.	4451.	2480.
Dubbing Lbs.	650	-	912	1562.	552	300	580	1432.	790.	240	700	1730.	194	78	570	842.	5566.	1855.
Grease Axle Lbs.	120	-	30	150.	54	120	73	247.	292	112	366	770.	453	110	480	1043.	3310.	730.
<u>Section. - 10.</u>																		
Shoes Horse: 3f:prs.	48	169	354	571.	179	450	502	1131.	60	60	450	570.	-	60	165	225.	2497.	832.
3h.	48	135	354	537.	204	360	442	1006.	170	60	450	680.	-	60	135	195.	2418.	806.
4f.	160	267	155	582.	134	389	371	894.	245	700	300	1245.	50	96	137	288.	3004.	1001.
4h.	130	259	345	734.	118.	375	376	869.	255	700	270	1225.	50	126	107	283.	3111.	1037.
5f.	110	69	132	311.	106	71	101	278.	325	115	130	570.	3	6	144	153.	1312.	437.
5h.	120	54	165	339.	118	89	71	278.	95	145	130	370.	3	6	149	158.	1145.	382.
6f.	53	184	10	247.	50	97	100	247.	140	145	90	375.	90	101	130	321.	1190.	397.
6h.	45	206	60	311.	70	102	142	314.	120	105	90	315.	90	91	145	326.	1266.	422.
7f.	15	105	20	140.	100	111	68	279.	80	60	45	185.	50	46	102	198.	802.	267.
7h.	15	108	20	143.	96	95	68	259.	60	60	45	165.	50	56	75	181.	748.	249.
8f.	10	30	45	85.	-	26	-	26.	-	60	20	80.	-	50	12	62.	253.	84.
8h.	-	10	45	55.	-	26	-	26.	-	40	20	60.	-	50	12	62.	203.	67.
Nails H/Shoe No. 6. Lbs.	12	186	100	298.	173	170	52	395.	-	100	-	100.	-	20	40	60.	853.	284.
do 8 "	32	90	54	176.	55	40	80	175.	125	20	42	187.	-	20	24	44.	582.	194.
S/Mule: Size 13: prs.	-	-	50	50.	-	-	-	-	100	-	10	110.	-	-	-	-	160.	53.
14.	-	-	-	-	8	14	20	42.	300	80	100	480.	240	75	60	375.	897.	299.
15.	55	-	25	80.	20	-	16	36.	180	80	100	360.	160	119	36	315.	791.	263.
16.	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	26.	130	-	-	130.	42	15	30	87.	243.	81.
<u>Section. - 13.</u>																		
Blankets G. S.	-	-	-	-	-	-	83	83.	5	-	-	5.	3	-	-	3.	88.	29.
Flannelette Yds.	1020	80	420	1520.	1240	-	910	2150.	2025	-	1680	3705.	30	-	150	180.	7555.	2518.
<u>Section. - 6.</u>																		
Blankets Saddle	-	-	-	-	170	60	175	405.	57	-	400	457.	4	-	-	4.	866.	288.

Note. - (1). Period covered from return of Division from ESDUD to present date, covers the issues of stores from the Rail Head ds at KILO 293, Bir Salem., LUDD., JERUSALEM., JERICHO. (2). - Demands of N. Z. M. R. Brigade exceed those of the other Brigades by 25%. (3). - Half the Division has been issued with new Boots and 60% have received a new Pair of Breeches, the average life of each may be said to be 4 months in the Winter and longer in the Summer. (4). - The average life of a Headrope is a month. (5). - Twice as many Nose Bags are required as Headropes ; more Picketing Ropes are required than Headropes. (6). - Oil Rangoon is more extensively used than Lubricating Oil, but Castor Oil is little employed, though if used more would save the demands for Dubbing. (7). - 14,880 pieces of Soap are required per month, or two pieces per man; this however should be increased to allow 4 pieces per man, or one per week in Summer. (8). - 1/4 lb. of Dubbing per man per month is a minimum allowed ; in Summer at least 1/2 lb should be allowed. (9). - 18000 prs. H/Shoes were used, or 6000 per month, sizes most in demand 4 and 3. (10). The value of supplies of spare nails never sufficiently realised at Ordnance Depots.

E. A. Thickett
Captain., A. O. D.

D. A. D. O. S., A. & N. Z. MOUNTED DIVISION.

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BUCHES AMMUNITION. 15 rds.
 " " 10 "
 WHISTLES CAVALRY.
 Lts S.B. MK. II PRS.

20
 16.
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 16.
 27
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 6.

plus
 books
 52
 40
 100

Solder Linniam Coft lbs.

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2 A. HANDLES.

26 8 38
 12 17 17
 6 6 6
 19 28 19
 16 17 17
 12 6 4

Axes curved felling helve
 Axes hammer headed
 do hand Mk. 2
 Bags line gear filled

Boxes candles 35

26 17 47
 8 17 17
 200 40 30
 29 16 21 24 27 36
 8 10 11 7 4
 10 3 3 4 3 7

Buckets water canvas
 Kettles camp

Lanterns tent folding

16
 8
 7 14 17
 17 17
 28 282

Pads surcingle

Pegs picketing

Pins do

Ropes head

29 14 9 7 19 25 19 17 31 21 27 40 40
 8 11 10 12 17 17 17 17 17 17 17 17
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do heel

do picketing

29 14 19 2 19 17 31 21 27 40 40
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sheets ground

15 16 13 13
 9 10 2 3
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 2 155 50 3

TENTS. C. D. L.

25 15
 10 14
 16 16
 26 13

BOXES SHEETING FIELD.

16
 27

TABLE CAMP FOLDING.

16
 1

Big Horse

40
 80

Axes pick head

27 38
 16 17
 9 8
 13 8
 17 8

do do helve

Growbars 3' 6"

27 19
 16 16
 8 5 5

Shovels G.S.

Steel 1" square. flat.

17
 3

Iron Round 1/8"

17
 11

81
 682

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Work Ended
30-3-18 and
6-4-18

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B. to Q.
1st Regt
2nd Regt
3rd Regt
1st Amb Bgd
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Sig Corps
C. V. Co.
B. to A.
Total Sum
Total Due

Boots Ankle Aust
do British
Braces
Brushes clb.
Coats Great Aust
do " British
Dishes Dam Red
do " Green
Dressings Field
Hats Felt
Jackets S. D Aust
do " British
Knives clasp
Leggings leather
Putties
Shirts Flannel
Socks. Worstid
Spurs Jacks
Sawels Hand
sect 1 Bottles Water
2 Buckets W.C.
Lopes Head
do Pickling
Lopes Fuel
Spleek Ground
sect 5 Bags Horse
Brushes Horse
do Dandy
Chungles Horse
sect 9 Oil Lub
" Mineral
" Kangoon
" Castor
Soap Yellow
Dabbing
Grease
sect 10 Shoes Horse 3F
3H
4F
4H
5F
5H
6F
6H
7F
7H
8F
8H
Nails of Shoe size 6
8
Shoes clbule size 13
14
15
16
Section 13 Flannel etc
Blankets 3p
Blankets 3ad
Rugs Horse

20	30	20	8	
20	20			68
30	30	30	30	120
1/5	103	1/5	64	315
30	30	30	22	137
35	30	40	40	165
			10	10
	15	20		35
3	8		14	29
1	28		14	45
	30	40		100

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Boaches Amm. P.H. S.B.
Lanyard Pistol
Miss Lins

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1.
3/4
17.
5.

889
24

2.A.
Axes Selling burned Helve.
" " Helves.

26, 7, 19
76, 16, 17
1. 1. 1.
9
18

Ropes Lead
" Picketing

26, 21, 12, 13, 14, 14, 15, 18, 13, 25, 34, 29, 29
86, 16, 16, 16, 17, 17, 17, 17, 17, 17, 17, 17, 17
12, 25, 30, 20, 14, 10, 14, 15, 12, 10, 22, 10, 20, 2
26, 17, 21, 13, 13, 3 1/2, 3 1/2
86, 16, 16, 17, 17, 17, 17
13, 19, 30, 15, 15, 6, 6
27, 3, 12

Straps Baggage.
Sheets Ground.

8, 16, 16, 17
20, 48, 30
17, 21, 31, 2, 3 1/2, 2 1/2
16, 16, 17, 17, 17, 17
6, 1, 4, 3, 1, 2

Ropes Picketing 66 ft.

1.
17
16

Pads Single

12
8

Lamps Acetylene

1.
15

Leul Telegraphic Field Service

17
17

Buckets Water Canvas

6
3 1/2, 26, 29, 17
17, 17, 2, 2, 2

Kettles Camp

10
3

Santarsis 10 galls.

3

Return of Clothing & Equipment Showing ³⁸⁹ ~~589~~ ^{week ending} ~~7/4/18~~ ^{7/4/18}
 required 2nd Lt H Dyer ^{APR 1918} ~~7/4/18~~

Articles	BAHQ		5 REGT		6 REGT		7 REGT		2nd Div		2nd Div A		2nd Div B		2nd Div C		2nd Div D		2nd Div E		Total Issued	Total Recd	Remarks
	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R			
Boots Anka (Aust)	14	-	61	39	104	32	54	42	7	28	25	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	280	141	
" (British)	-	-	21	-	18	-	28	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	10	NIL	D
Braces per	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Breeches MS	20	-	157	-	176	-	148	-	70	-	48	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	621	NIL	
Coats Great MS	-	6	-	56	-	65	-	77	-	40	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	NIL	
" " (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	NIL	
Coats Identity	-	-	6	-	-	-	11	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	5	
" " Green	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	NIL	
Dressing Field	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	353	
Hats Felt	-	10	-	62	-	98	-	116	-	40	-	20	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	158	
Jackets LD (Aust)	-	4	-	28	-	40	-	72	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
" " (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	125	
Knives Clasp	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	85	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	157	4 pairs kept on
Leggings per	3	-	1	17	38	-	-	21	-	27	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Puttees per	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	420	51	
Shirts Flannel	20	-	76	51	137	-	97	-	80	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	260	352	
Socks per	20	-	50	136	90	96	50	50	25	25	-	-	15	5	-	-	-	-	10	40	NIL	93	
Spurs Jack	-	-	-	38	-	-	-	22	-	30	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	339	
Towels Hand	-	3	-	90	-	112	-	40	-	80	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	NIL	339
Section I																					NIL	156	
Bottles Water	-	4	-	41	-	40	-	34	-	30	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	126	70	
Buckets WC	12	-	68	-	-	-	30	70	-	10	-	6	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	718	NIL	
Ropes Head	40	-	78	-	360	-	100	-	100	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	400	434	
" Pek/g	5	-	50	30	180	180	70	149	50	50	25	45	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	94	
Sheets Ground	4	2	15	13	20	33	-	27	8	12	-	-	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
5 Bag Hose	30	-	110	-	100	-	100	-	100	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	500	NIL	
Brushes Horse	10	-	-	43	-	90	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	133	
" Dandy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Muzzles Horse	-	-	-	14	-	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	131	
Oil Fat Gall	-	-	6	-	6	-	-	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	18	6	
" Mineral	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
" Kangoon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	6	NIL	
" Castor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	

Articles	BHP		5 1/2 H/60		6 1/2 H/60		7 H/60		2 1/4 H/60		2 1/2 H/60		2 3/4 H/60		3 1/2 H/60		4 1/2 H/60		Total Value	Total Due
	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R				
<u>Section 9</u>																				
Soap Yellow bars	10	-	30	70	70	60	20	20	30	20	30	20	10	-	-	-	40	-	250	190
Gubbin lbs	10	10	150	50	120	-	100	-	60	20	12	-	8	-	-	-	40	-	500	80
Grease HC "	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	NIL
Beeswax "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL
<u>Section 10</u>																				
Shoes Horse S 3 P ps	6	-	140	-	-	-	114	85	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	296	85
" " 3 H "	6	-	80	-	-	-	138	60	36	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	266	60
" " 4 F "	10	6	75	20	-	-	90	60	36	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	217	86
" " 4 H "	6	6	50	-	-	-	150	-	36	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	248	6
" " 5 F "	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	36	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	52
" " 5 H "	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
" " 6 F "	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	36	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	92
" " 6 H "	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	36	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	50
" " 7 F "	-	-	-	20	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45
" " 7 H "	-	-	-	20	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45
" " 8 F "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
" " 8 H "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Nails H.S. 5 1/2 lb	-	-	-	-	-	-	20 mt.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	24
" " 5 8 "	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	NIL
Shoes Mule No 14 ps	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	NIL
" " No 16 "	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	NIL
<u>Section 13</u>																				
Blankets 4 ps	-	-	120	-	60	110	120	-	60	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	360	170
Blankets 8 ps	-	-	-	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	83
" Saddles	-	-	150	-	-	-	-	-	50	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	175	50
Rugs Horse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL

Note: Figures in Returns for week ending 7/4/18. but figures in Column "Total Due" include all outstanding demands to date.

11/4/18.

C. M. M. Co.
A.A.C. 2nd Lt H. B. B.

Weekly Return of Equipment Issued & Required 889
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2nd L. & Brigade

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Week ending 14-4-18

Articles	BHQ	5th REGT	6th REGT	7th REGT	2nd MG.	A-Long	2nd Coy Tp	7th MS.	7th MS. BTRY	Total Issues	Total Due	Remarks
Boots Huckle (and) ps.	8	36	123		8					NIL	175	
" " (British)										NIL	NIL	
Braces ps.	6	4	23				8			41	NIL	
Breeches MS. ps.										NIL	NIL	
Coats Great MS. (and)	7	56	65	22	40		3			NIL	193	
" " (British)										NIL	NIL	
Coats Identity Ken.				5						NIL	5	
" " Green				5						NIL	5	
Dressings Field	4	25	200	50	1550					329	15	
Hats Felt	10	62	98	116	20	2	7			NIL	315	
Jackets S.D. (and)	4	28	40	72	6		8			NIL	154	135 received 15/4/18
" " (British)										NIL	NIL	Balance due 19.
Knives Clasp	6	32	20	20	85	20	6			64	125	100 rec 15/4/18
Leggings ps.		17		2	27		1			NIL	47	Balance due
Gutter ps.	69	500	482	1120	229	100	40	30	20	NIL	1900	cancel
Shirts Flannel										NIL	NIL	76 received 15/4/18
Socks ps.		136	126	50	25		5		40	NIL	372	260 rec 15/4/18
Spurs Jacks		38		22	30		3			NIL	93	
Lowel Hand	3	90	112	40	80		9		5	NIL	339	175 rec 15/4/18
<u>Section F</u>												
Bottles Water	4	41	40	34	30		7			NIL	156	
Buckets W.C.				70						NIL	70	
Ropes Head				100						NIL	100	
" Pektig		30	180	149	75	16				NIL	450	
Sheets Grouse	2	13	33	27	20		7			NIL	102	
5/ Bags Nose	10	14	400	25	30	20		50	20	106	NIL	issued x Field Hosp
Brushes Horse		43	90		30					NIL	163	
" Dandy										NIL	NIL	
Muzzle Horse		41	90							NIL	131	
9/ Oil Lub Gall				5					5	5	5	
" Mineral										NIL	NIL	
" Rangoon										NIL	NIL	
" Castor										NIL	NIL	

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Articles.	BHD		5 REGT		6 REGT		7 REGT		2ND MG		2ND AF		2ND TP		7 MVS		Aspdun	By	Total issue	Total Due	Remarks
	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R	I	R					
<u>Section 9</u>																					
Soap Yellow bar	-	-	100	70	20	60	50	20	20	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	200	190	
Rubbin lb	-	10	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	80	
Grease HC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Beeswax	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
<u>Section 10</u>																					
Shoes Horse S 3F po	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	61	
3H	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	85	
4F	-	6	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	66	
4H	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	NIL	
5F	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	52	
5H	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	46	
6F	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	36	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	92	
6H	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	50	
7F	-	-	-	20	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	45	
7H	-	-	-	20	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	45	
8F	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	NIL	
8H	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	NIL	
Nails 1 1/2 Cy 6/6	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	30	
" " " 8	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	NIL	
Shoes Mule No 14	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	NIL	
No 16	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	NIL	
<u>Section 13</u>																					
Blankets 4/4	-	-	60	-	10	120	60	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	130	180	
Blankets G.S.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	83	NIL	
" Saddle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Rugs Horse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	

15/4/18

McCall wo.
Proc
2nd Lt H B Gray

Weekly Returns of Equipment issued & Required
 2ND L.I. Brigade & Support Bn. 889
19
 Week ending 21/4/18 APR 1918

Articles	RMP	5 th Regt	6 th Regt	7 th Regt	2 ND MOS	2 ND FA	2 ND Supt	7 th MNS	Supply Bty	Total issued	Total due	Remarks	
Clothing													
Rock Socks (Aust) per	8	36	10	113	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	14	161
" (British) "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Braces per	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brushes MS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coats great MS (Aust)	7	56	65	22	140	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	193
" (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disc. Identity Red	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
" Green	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
Dressings Felt	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-
Hats Felt	10	63	98	116	20	2	7	-	-	-	NIL	315	
Jackets S.D. (Aust)	4	28	40	63	6	-	8	-	-	-	-	149	NIL
" (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Knives Clasp	-	20	-	60	25	20	-	-	-	-	-	100	25
Leggings per	-	17	-	2	27	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	47
Puncta per	69	500	457	420	229	110	40	30	20	-	-	-	1400
Shirts per	-	51	-	6	12	7	-	-	-	-	-	76	NIL
Socks "	-	136	66	50	25	30	15	-	-	40	-	362	NIL
Spurs Jack	-	38	-	22	30	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	93
Lowel Hand	5	90	112	30	80	-	18	-	-	5	-	340	NIL
<u>Section I</u>													
Rolls Water	4	41	40	34	30	-	7	-	-	-	-	156	NIL
Buckets W.C.	-	-	-	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	70	NIL
Kape Head	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	NIL
" Pkty	-	30	180	145	50	25	20	-	-	-	-	450	NIL
Sheep Groomer	2	13	33	27	12	8	7	-	-	-	-	102	NIL
5/ Rag Roll	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Brushes Horse	-	43	90	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	163	NIL
" Sandif	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Muzzles Horse	-	41	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	131
Oil Fat Gall	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	NIL
" Mineral	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
" Rangoon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
" Castor "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL

Articles	BAG	5 Regt	6 Regt	7 Regt	2nd Div	2nd FA	2nd Supt	MVS	Asst	Total	Total	Remarks		
									Blk	use	due			
Soap Yellow bar	10	-	70	-	60	-	20	-	20	-	20	-	200	NIL
Rubber lbs	10	-	50	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	80	NIL
Grease HC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL
Beeswax	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL
Section 10														
Shoe Horse 33F pr	-	-	-	-	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	90	NIL
3H "	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	NIL
4F "	-	6	-	-	60 60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	66
4H "	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	NIL
5F "	-	10	-	-	-	-	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	52
5H "	-	10	-	-	-	-	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	46
6F "	-	-	-	-	50	36	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	92
6H "	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
7F "	-	-	20	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45
7H "	-	-	20	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45
8F "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
8H "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Nail HS Pipe lbs	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
" " 8 "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Section 13														
Blankets 4h	-	-	-	110	-	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	NIL
Blankets GP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
" Saddle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL
Rugs Horse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL

20/4/18

McNeill WO
AKOC
2nd Lt. H. B. Gae

Weekly Return of Equipment issued ²⁸⁹ 34 Dues.
 2nd L. H. Bgde. *Shyreshire Bty*
 Week ending 28/4/18.

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Articles	RHO	5 Regt	6 Regt	7 Regt	2 MGS	2nd FA	2nd Regt	7 MVR	Div	Total issued	Total Due	Remarks									
Boots ankle (aust) prs	3	-	39	-	18	5	38	-	35	3	7	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	142	9	
" (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Braces prs	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	30	
Breeches MS.	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	30	NIL	
Coats Great (aust)	-	7	-	56	-	67	-	25	-	140	-	6	-	3	-	-	-	-	NIL	204	
" (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	NIL	6	
Disc Identity Led	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
" " Green	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Dressing Field	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	10	NIL	
Coats Felt	23	-	62	-	95	22	96	20	30	10	40	-	2	5	4	8	-	-	360	65	8 to 2nd Field Troop.
Jackets B (aust)	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	12	NIL	
" (British)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	
Zippers Clasp	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	NIL	
Leggings prs	-	-	17	-	-	14	-	27	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	59	
Pullies "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Shirts	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Socks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	30	NIL	
Spurs Jack prs	-	-	-	39	-	-	22	-	30	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	93	
Lowels Hand	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	NIL	
<u>Section I</u>																					
Kettle Water	1	-	-	-	3	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	NIL	
Buckets W.C.	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	20	-	12	-	4	-	10	-	-	-	-	71	NIL	
Ropes Head	10	-	-	-	-	60	-	50	-	-	-	20	-	10	-	-	-	-	150	NIL	
" Fektg.	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	80	-	-	-	20	-	25	-	-	-	-	165	NIL	
Sheets Ground	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Bag Horse	-	-	150	-	-	50	-	50	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	300	NIL	
Brushes Horse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	70	-	-	80	NIL	
" Dandy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Muzzles Horse	-	-	-	41	-	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	131	
Oil Lub Galb.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
" Mineral "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
" Kangoon "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
" Castor "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	

Articles.	BHQ	5 th Regt	6 th Regt	7 th Regt	2 Mes	2 nd TA	2 nd Supt	7 MVS	supp Bij	Total issue	Total Due	Remarks
9/ Soap Yellow bar	4.	100	100	-	50	50	6.	-	50	420.	NIL	
Rubber lbs	-	-	200	100	80	80	20	-	-	NIL	480	
Grease 14c	-	28	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	43	NIL	
Kerosene 0.50	-	-	3	-	12	-	-	-	-	NIL	16	
Section 10.												
Shank Horse 53F ps	-	60	50	-	-	-	6	-	-	116	NIL	
3H "	-	60	50	-	-	-	6	-	-	116	NIL	
4F "	6	80	50	-	60	-	12	-	-	154	60	6 Fuel Tp
4H "	-	60	20	-	-	-	12	-	-	98	NIL	6 " "
5F "	10	-	50	-	-	6	5	-	-	71	NIL	
5H "	10	-	50	-	-	6	5	-	-	71	NIL	
6F "	1	20	25	50	-	2	2	-	-	100	NIL	
6H "	1	20	25	50	-	2	2	-	-	100	NIL	
7F "	-	40	-	25	-	2	1	-	-	68	NIL	
7H "	-	40	-	25	-	2	1	-	-	68	NIL	
8F "	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	8	
8H "	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Nails HS 1/6 lb	-	-	50	22	30	-	-	-	-	30	72	
" " 5/8 "	-	-	28	-	-	12	-	-	-	40	NIL	
Shoes Mule No 15 ps	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	-	16	NIL	
Section 13.												
Flannel 1/2 yds	-	120	-	60	60	60	-	-	-	240	60	
Blankets 1/2 S	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	
Saddles	-	-	87	60	-	12	-	-	-	NIL	159	
Rugs Horse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	NIL	NIL	

Note. Return for week ending 5/5/18 "Nil Return."

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Items	BHQ		Sigs		AMR		CMR		WMR		MGS		MFA		Bills Dept		Vets		A.S.C.		F ^o Troop		Surrender		Totals		Remarks
	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	
Boots ankle	4		1		36	90	46	92	38	34	25	28	5	3			4		9		3		27	27	200	272	
Braces					60		40		25		20		2								3		10		160		
Breeches	6		7		253		199		127		55		20		6		2		29		15		50		769		
Coats Great (Bark)			2			28		36		34		6		6						4		5			121		
Dress Liberty Red					9				20		15				6										50		
" Green					9				20		15				6										50		
Dressings Field					40	110	30	30	30	60		30											20		100	250	
Hats Fur			2			121		120		66		33		20						20		11				403	
Jackets S.D. (Bark)						115		61		27		15		6								1				225	
Knives Clash						30		17						1					1		24				1	71	
Puttees S.D.			6			300		150		80		50		30							20		4	40		700	
Shirts Flannel			12		30	20	16	142	20	97	15	25							25			30		57	118	372	
Shirts Jack								39		10		20		36						6				20		131	
Towels Hand						200		120		93		50										20		40		523	
I Bottles Water			4			75		82		69		15								8		8		30		291	
II Bucket Water canvas	10		6			105		81		30		25		20	10					5		25		30		347	
Robes Head	6					250		40		40		20		30	10					20						645	
Picketing						220		85		64		80		30	10												
Haul						27		170		85		84		50	20					18		52		80		780	
Sheet Ground (Che)																											
Cover Saddle in lieu of Sheet Gd.			7			40		52		30		15								3		3				150	
Kettle Camp					1	4	1	4	1	4	1	3											1	5	5	20	
II Bags Nose	25		30			150		170		100		80		50	20					60		25		140		850	
Bands Horse						20		20		10																30	
Dandy						130		67		48		50								30		18				437	
Muzzle Horse								42				15														300	
																										37	
																										57	

Items	BHD		Sup		AMR		CMP		WMR		MGS		MFA		Bde Dept	Vets	ASC		F ^o Troop		Surrender		Totals		Remarks		
	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID			ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	Issued	Due				
IV																											
Oil Lubricating gals																											
Mineral																											
Rangoon				6		6					6													18			
Castor																											
Soap yellow lbs	5	5	100		100		100		100	50		25		20			42		12		50			500			
Dubbing lbs	4	8	20	100	16	100	14	60	8	40		20				30	30		20		50			100	420		
Grease lub					28							28		56			30		15		50			142			
V																											
Shoe Horse 3F					110		90		60	23 } 30 }		5												330	-		
3H					110		90		60	23 } 30 }		5												330	-		
4F					30	70	30	30			25		5											90	100		
4H					30	70	30	30			25		5											90	100		
5F											20						10					30			60		
5H											20						10					30			60		
6F											20						10					20			50		
6H											20						10					20			50		
7F																									20		
7H																									20		
8F					8	10							2											10	10		
8H					8	10							2											10	10		
Nails 7/8 No 6					50		40		30	20		10													150		
No 8										15		5							7		15				42		
Shoe Mule Size 13																											
14																											
15																	50								50		
16																											
XIII																											
Flannel					180		180		180	120														15		245 } 675 }	* Ordnance Am
Blankets G.S.											100														100		
do Saddle	6	6				55		52		25							4		12		90				250		
Rugs Horse																											

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Items	BHQ	Sys	AMR	CMR	WMR	MGS	MFA	Bde Shot	Vets	A.S.C	Field Troop	Summit	Totals		Remarks
	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	I D	Issue	Due	
Boots ankle ps	1		20	19	21	12	6			8	5	22		114	
Braces				21	26		15			12				74	
Breeches	1		30	22 ¹³	42	10	8			8	3	4		84	
Coats Great (Bmt)														-	
Dress Idty Green			30	24	40							6		100	
do Red			35	24	36							6		101	
Dressings Field			110	50	80	30	80					20		370	
Hats Fur														-	
Jackets SD (Bmt)														-	
Knives Clash			10	7	7		5			7				36	
Putties SD ps														-	
Shirts flannel	6		120	186	150	25	25				30	100		642	
Spurs Jack ps														-	
Towels H T			150	175	93	75	25				20	40		580	
I Bottles Water		5	40	40	40	15			8	8	20			176	
I Buckets Canvas			3	35	42	40								120	
Ropes Head			100	88	50	50	12							300	
Picketing		10	100	100	50	30	10							300	
Heel														-	
Shells Canvas Saddle				10	14		6							30	
II Baps Nose	10	5	130	120	50		30			30	25			400	
Bands Horse														-	
Bandy	10	10	205	141	74	50	12			30	18	50		600	
Muzzles Horse				63		15						37		115	

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Items	BFA	Sys	AMP	CMR	WHR	MGS	MFA	Bdr	Vets	ASC	Spec	Simmer	Total		Remarks
	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	ID	Sum	Due	
Oil Lubricating pk														-	
Mineral												5		5	
Rampan			6		6									12	
Soap yellow lbs	6	10	50	50	50	30	24			30		50		300	
Dubbing lb		10	120	120	90	60	40	60		60	10	30		600	
Grease				56						56				112	
Shoe	3F			30										-	
	3H			30										-	
Horse	4F			30										30	
	4H			30										30	
	5F									5		23		40	
	5H									5		23		40	
	6F					10				5		25		50	
	6H					10				5		25		50	
	7F											20		20	
	7H											20		20	
	8F			10										10	
	8H			10										10	
Nails H/She No 6 lb														-	
" " 8 "														-	
Shoe Mule Size 13						10								10	
" " 14										100				100	
" " 15						10				40				50	
" " 11														-	
Flannellette yds	60		120	180	180									540	
Blankets G.S														-	
Blankets Saddle	6	6	25	100	52	25	4			4	12	66		300	

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Items.	B.H.Q.		Sigs.		A.M.R.		C.M.R.		W.M.R.		M.G.S.		M.F.A.		Bde. Transport		V.E.T.S.		A.S.C.		Field Troop		Somerset		Totals	
	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	1	D	Issued	Due
Boots Ankle pers	1		7		90		72		60		42		32						10		6		8		328	
Braces "			12		40		29		26		15										3				125	
Brushes m.s. "	2		8		20		30		34		30		13						8		6		9		160	
Coats Great (Brit)																									-	
Discs Identity Green																									-	
do Red																									-	
Dressings Field					20		17		21		20														78	
Hats Fur	4		9		174		156		153		65		42		20		16		22		21				690	
Jackets S.D. (British)																									225	-
Knives Clasp																									-	
Puttees S.D. pers	12		15		250		250		180		55		36				8		34		4		56		900	
Shurps Flannel																									-	
Spurs Jack. pers																									-	
Towels H.T.																									-	
I Bottles water			5		25		75				15										8		10		138	
II Buckets w. Canvas			8				37		40		10									25					120	
Ropes Head.			10		50		100		20		50		20												250	
" Picketing			10		75		150		100		50						2				12				399	
" Heel																									-	
Covers Saddle																									-	
V Bags nose.			12		100		100		80		44		10							29		25			400	
Brushes Horse																									-	
" Dandy					50		50		50		50														200	
Muzzles Horse.																									-	

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Items	BHQ	Deps	A.M.R	B.M.R	W.M.R	M & S	M.F.A	Base Transport	VETS	A.S.C.	Field Troops	Somerset	Totals		
	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	Issued	D.M.E.	
Oil Lubricating Gals													-		
" mineral "													-		
" kerosene "													-		
Soap Yellow bags	-	+	10		100		50			50			30	10	440
Dubbing lbs															-
Grease "															112
Shoes	3 Fps	10					90		20						120
	3 H "	10					90		20						120
	4 F "	15			60		60		30						180
	4 H "				60		60		30						180
	5 F "	10					30		20				10		90
	5 H "	10					30		20				10		90
	6 F "	10					15		15				10		50
	6 H "	10					15		15				10		50
	7 F "	10						15							25
	7 H "	10						15							25
8 F "														-	
8 H "														-	
Nails H/Shoe 7 1/2 lbs															-
do " 8 "															-
Shoes mule size 13															-
do " 14															-
do " 15															-
do " 16															-
Flannel etc yds					180		180		60						420
Blankets G.S.															-
Blankets Saddle	6				29		20		30						100

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Issues & Dues from 1/4/18 to 8/4/18.

	Issued	Due	Issued	Due	Issued	Due	Issued	Due	Issued	Due	Issued	Due	Issued	Due	Issued	Due	TOTAL	ISSUED	TOTAL	DUE	REMARKS
	D.H.Q.		Sig		Field		32 Coy		33 Coy		34 Coy		H'Qrs		D.A.C.						
Boots Ankle	36	-	65	-	27	24	20	-	21	-	16	-	-	-	-	-	18	5	24		
" "(Brit)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	46	-	3		46		
Laces Leather prs	50	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	100		100		
Breeches M.S. prs	34	63	60	31	10	51	8	160	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	417		-		
Greatcoats M.S.	-	-	2	-	6	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		18		
" (Brit)	6	23	2	-	-	3	6	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52		-		
Discs "Red"	-	-	-	-	50	25	15	24	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		161		
" "Green"	-	-	-	-	50	40	26	24	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		187		
Dressings Field	-	-	8	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		38		
Jackets S.D.	-	-	40	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		52		
" K.D.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-		
Hats Fur K.	-	-	42	-	12	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		94		
Knives Clasp	15	-	26	12	-	-	3	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30		36		
Leggings Lea.	2	12	1	-	6	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30		1		
Putties prs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-		50		
Shirts F.	26	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	26		137		
Socks prs	40	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	40		146		
Spurs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-		
Towels	-	-	50	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-		140		
Sec 1.																					
Bottles Water	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	-	-		19		
Haversacks.	-	-	17	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2		17		
Sec 2.																					
Buckets Water	-	-	9	30	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		59		
Ropes Head	25	-	80	-	-	-	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	105		145		
" Pktg	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	45		100		
Sheets Ground	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		88		
Sec 5.																					
Bags Nose	50	-	20	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50		225		
Brushes Horse	-	-	83	60	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18		140		
" Dandy	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-		
Muzzles Horse	-	-	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	-		81		
Sec 9																					
Oil Lub.	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11		-		
Soap Yellow	25	-	31	25	25	50	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	125		81		
Dubbing	30	-	-	60	60	60	50	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	210		150		
Grease Axle	-	-	50	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60		50		
Sec 10																					
Shoes Horse 3Fprs	30	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	120		-		
3H	30	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	120		-		
4F	30	30	7	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	97		-		
4H	30	30	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67		-		
5F	-	25	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	92		-		
5H	-	25	7	35	-	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	127		-		
6F	-	20	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		70		
6H	12	20	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	12		70		
7F	-	20	-	27	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47		30		
7H	-	20	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20		30		
8F	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		10		
8H	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-		
Nails H'S S 6lbs	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10		-		
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Shoes Mule sets -13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-		
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15	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	100	-	150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		150		
16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		-		
Flannellette yds	30	-	-	62	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30		62		

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ARTICLES.	1st. Sq.		2nd. Sq.		3rd. Coy.		4th. Coy.		5th. Coy.		6th. Coy.		7th. Coy.		8th. Coy.		9th. Coy.		10th. Coy.		TOTAL ISSUED	TOTAL DUE	REMARKS.		
	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D					
Section.-Clo.																									
Brushes M.S.	-	-	3	79	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	59	133	35	
Boots Aus. Patt.	-	5	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	5		
do Brit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	44	53	2
Shirts Flann	10	-	-	37	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	137		
Socks worsted	20	-	-	46	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	126		
Suitcases prs.	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40		
Towels Hand	20	-	-	50	30	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	90		
Treatcoats	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	10		
Jackets S.D.	-	-	-	40	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52		
Spurs Jack	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Razors	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	52		
Leggings Leat.	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1		
Hats Khaki Fur	-	-	-	46	-	-	12	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	98		
Trousers M.D.	-	-	-	-	11	-	10	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34		
Dress I. RSB	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	25	15	-	24	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	161		
do GREEN.	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	40	26	-	24	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	187		
Section.- 1.																									
Bottles Water	6	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	25		
Navynacks	6	-	-	17	8	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	24		
Tins Mess	-	-	-	12	4	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	18		
Section.- 2.																									
Buckets W. Can.	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30		
Kettles camp.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	6		
Ropes Head	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	14	5	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	130	145		
do Ricket.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	100		
Section.- 3.																									
Muzzles Horse.	-	-	-	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	81		
Rope Nose.	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	25	25	-	-	300	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	325	225		
Fringes B. Band	-	-	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200		
Brushes Dandy.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
do Horse.	-	-	-	68	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68		
Section.- 4.																									
Oil Lubricant Gall.	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-		
Soap Bars	-	-	-	31	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	81		
Grass Axle.	-	-	-	50	50	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	110	200		
Rubbing Lbs.	-	-	-	120	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	220		
Section.- 10.																									
Horse Horse.- 3V.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
3H.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
4C.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
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6f.	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75		
6h.	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	80	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	75		
7f.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30		
7h.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30		
8f.	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10		
8h.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Nails H/Shoe No. 6.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
do 8.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Shoes Mule Size 14	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	80		
15.	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	50		
16.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-		
Section.- 13.																									
Blankettes Yds.	-	-	-	60	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	120	-	

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ARTICLES. Section.-Clo.	D.H.Q.		1st. Sg.		1st. Bn.		2 Coy		3 Coy		4 Coy		Hd. Qrs.		18. Bde.		7th. S.		TOTAL ISSUED	TOTAL DUE	REMARKS.
	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D			
Breeches M.S.	10	-	3	12	-	-	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43	12	
Boots Aus. Patt.	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	
do Brit "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	144	-	-	44	
Shirts Flann	-	-	-	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	137	
Socks Worsted	-	-	-	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	86	-	86	70	
Puttees prs.	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	
Towels Hand	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	80	30	
Greatcoats	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	
Jackets S.D.	10	-	-	40	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	40	
Spurs Jack	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Razors	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	50	2	
Leggings Leat.	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Hats Khaki Fur	-	-	-	61	-	-	12	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	113	
Trousers K.D.	-	-	-	-	-	11	10	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	
Discs I. RED	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	25	15	-	24	-	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	161	
do GREEN.	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	40	26	-	24	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	163	24	
Section.- 1.																					
Bottles Water	6	-	-	7	-	-	15	-	20	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	42	
Haversacks	6	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Tins Mess	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Section.- 2.																					
Buckets W. Can.	18	-	-	-	12	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	17	
Kettles camp.	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	
Ropes Head	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	145	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	165	-	
do Picket.	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	120	-	
Section.- 5.																					
Muzzles Horse.	-	-	-	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	81	-	
Bags Nose.	50	-	-	200	-	-	25	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	700	
Fringes B. Band	-	-	-	-	200	145	-	145	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	894	
Brushes Dandy.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
do Horse.	-	-	8	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	8	160	
Section.- 9.																					
Oil : Lubricat.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Soap Bars	25	-	-	31	-	-	50	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	185	91	
Grease Axle.	-	-	-	50	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	50	
Dubbing Lbs.	30	-	-	-	-	-	60	60	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	190	60	
Section.- 10.																					
Shoes Horse.- 3F.	-	-	-	-	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	
3H.	-	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	
4f.	20	-	-	20	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	30	
4h.	20	-	-	20	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	30	
5f.	-	-	-	22	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	30	
5h.	-	-	-	22	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	30	
6f.	-	-	20	20	-	30	-	30	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	80	
6h.	-	-	20	20	-	30	-	30	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	80	
7f.	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	30	
7h.	-	-	-	15	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	30	
8f.	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	
8h.	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-	
Nails H/Shoe No. 6.	-	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	
do 8.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Shoes Mule Size 14	-	-	-	80	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	
15	-	-	-	20	-	30	-	100	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	180	
16.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Section.- 13.																					
Flannelette Yds.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

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	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D	I	D				
Breeches M.S.	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	
Boots Aus. Patt.	8	-	84	-	55	-	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	129	-		
do Brit "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	43	-	-	-	-	47	-		
Shirts Flann	20	-	-	87	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	120	37		
Socks Worsted	20	-	46	-	-	-	-	-	75	-	-	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	165	-		
Puttees prs.	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	100	-		
Towels Hand	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-		
Greatcoats	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	18		
Jackets S.D.	-	-	-	40	27	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67		
Spurs Jack	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Razors	-	-	2	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	6		
Leggings Leat.	-	-	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22		
Hats Khaki Fur	30	-	61	-	57	12	20	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	-		
Trousers K.D.	-	-	-	-	-	10	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23		
Discs I. RED	-	-	-	-	-	50	50	15	-	-	-	-	-	47	-	-	-	-	-	162		
do GREEN.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Section.- 1.																						
Bottles Water	-	-	7	20	15	5	26	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79	-		
Haversacks	-	-	-	17	-	-	6	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	38		
Tins Mess	-	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	-		
Section.- 2.																						
Buckets W. Can.	-	-	-	12	15	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33	-		
Kettles camp.	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2		
Ropes Head	-	-	-	-	80	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	80		
do Picket.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Section.- 5.																						
Muzzles Horse.	-	-	-	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	7	-	-	-	18	63		
Bags Nose.	-	-	200	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	200	-		
Fringes B. Band	-	-	-	-	200	45	-	145	-	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	894		
Brushes Dandy.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
do Horse.	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	-	-	-	-	160	-		
Section.- 9.																						
Oil : Lubricat.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Soap Bars	-	-	31	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	-		
Grease Axle.	-	-	50	-	-	50	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150	-		
Dubbing Lbs.	-	-	-	-	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	-		
Section.- 10.																						
Shoes Horse.- 3F.	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-		
3H.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
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RG.F. 293. 1913 C. 21078	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING V. .011 H. .066	BEARINGS OF AXLE TREE BRACKET. CAP SQUARES & CRADLE. (EXCESSIVE PLAY)	<u>1415.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RG.F. 284. 1913 C. 21083	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING V. .013 H. .007	BEARINGS OF AXLE TREE BRACKET & CAP SQUARES. (FAIR.) CRADLE. (RELINING.)	<u>1460.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RG.F. 285. 1913 C. 21081	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING V. .014 H. .009	(EXCESSIVE PLAY) IN BEARINGS OF AXLE TREE BRACKET, CAP SQUARES, ELEVATING NUT & CRADLE	<u>1745.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RG.F. 292. 1913 C. 21082	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING. V. .012 H. .007	CAP SQUARES. ELEVATING NUTS & CRADLE. (EXCESSIVE PLAY)	<u>1671.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.



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RGF. 304. 1914 C.21665	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING V. .02 H. .010	ELEVATING NUTS (VERY BAD) CRADLE (RELINING) TRAVERSING GEAR SLIDE (RELINING)	<u>2438.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RG.F 305. 1914 C.21659	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING V. .017 H. .01	TOP ELEVATING NUT. (VERY BAD) CRADLE (RELINING)	<u>2518.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RG.F. 204 1906 C.14737	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING V. .022 H. .015	RIVETS LOOSE IN CARRIAGE ELEVATING NUTS (BAD) CRADLE (RELINING).	<u>2610.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RGF 203 1906 C.57928	MEAS ^R 1 ST COM ^T OF RIFLING V. .022 A. .015	RIVETS LOOSE IN CARRIAGE CRADLE (RELINING)	<u>2875.</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.



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RGF. 287. C. 1088.	MEAS ^R 1" COM ^F OF RIFLING V. .012 H. .008	(FAIR CONDITION) DIAL SIGHT (CLEANING)	<u>2054</u>	DIAL SIGHT TO BE SENT TO WORKSHOPS
RGF. 286. C. 21085.	MEAS ^R 1" COM ^F OF RIFLING V. .015 H. .008	(EXCESSIVE PLAY) IN ELEVATING NUT & BEARINGS OF ANKLE TREE BRACKET CRADLE (REWINDING)	<u>2027</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RGF 283 1913. C. 21086	MEAS ^R 1" COM ^F OF RIFLING V. .016 H. .008	(EXCESSIVE PLAY) IN ELEVATING NUT & BEARINGS OF ANKLE TREE BRACKET	<u>2169</u>	SHOULD BE SENT IN FOR OVERHAUL.
RGF. 282. C. 21084.	MEAS ^R 1" COM ^F OF RIFLING V. .016 H. .008	(FAIR CONDITION)	<u>2174</u>	

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