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WAR DIARY

OF

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
DINANT.	1.3.19		Six N.C.Os. making a reconnaissance of roads in Divisional Area with a view to their suitability for motor transport traffic. No 2 Section overhauling & cleaning transport. Lt Cooper struck off strength on proceeding to England to take up an appointment at Repat. & Dumb. Dept. London.	
"	2 nd		Church parade in morning. Same work in progress as yesterday. Lt G. F. S. Donaldson taken on strength to command company. Dance held in evening.	
"	3 rd		Equipment & transport of this company despatched to 4 th Aust. Div. Ordance Park at CHATELINEAU. No 13 Quota of 21 O/Rs struck off strength on proceeding to England for Repatriation to Australia.	
"	4 th		Received warning order to be prepared to move on 7 th Inst.	
"	5 th , 6 th		Packing up company stores & educational equipment.	
"	7 th		Company left DINANT per march route at 08.00 & arrived at FURNAUX at 14.00 hours. Stores & equipment were moved by motor transport.	
FURNAUX.	8 th		Company resting. Doctor examining men in readiness for next quota.	
"	9 th		Church parade.	
"	10 th		Received warning order to move from FURNAUX to VILLERS POTERIES	
"	11 th		Packing up stores. Lt G. F. S. Donaldson promoted T/Captain A.I.F. hit 4.55.	
"	12 th		Company moved per march route to VILLERS POTERIES.	
VILLERS POTERIES.	13 th		Stores being moved per motor transport to new area.	
"	14 th		General sports in progress. Weather fine.	
"	15 th		15 horses despatched from company to base for embarkation to England. 10 horses despatched to sales at DINANT.	

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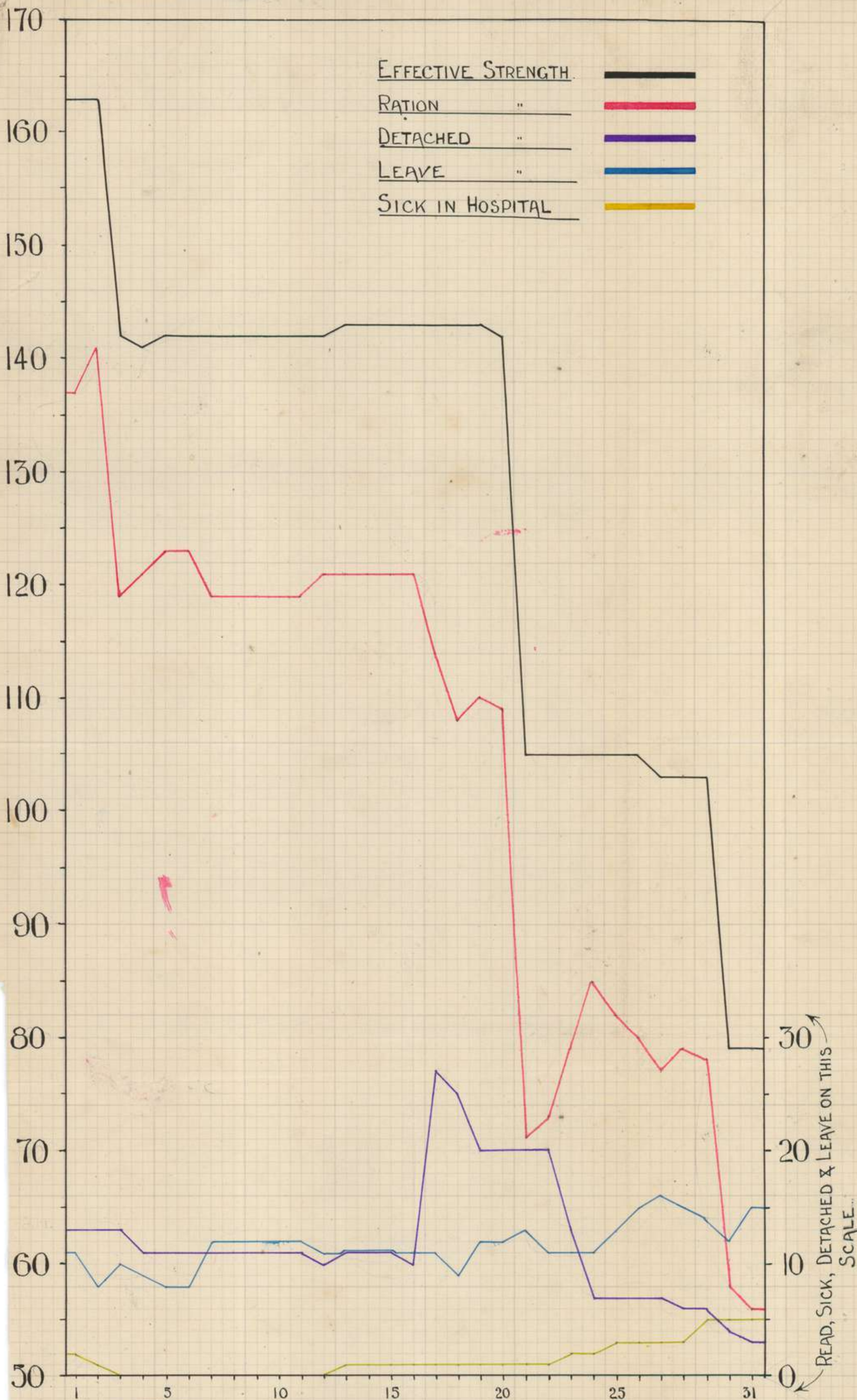
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VILLERS POTERIES.	16 th		a good game of football was played during the afternoon between several teams from the company. Weather fine & mild.	
"	17 th		17 horses despatched to railhead for entrainment to base for embarkation to England.	
"	18 th -19 th		No work in progress. General sporting games such as football are played each day. Only a small percentage of men spend their time in study.	
"	20 th		A grand concert as a social send off to No 19 Quota was held in the evening, at which great fun was enjoyed by all. Weather fine.	
"	21 st		No 19 Quota of 37 O/Rs. struck off strength on proceeding to England for repatriation to Australia.	
"	22 nd		Lt. H. Morrison struck off strength on being granted leave of absence from 22.2.19 to the 21.7.19. Authority Dept. of Repatriation & Demobilisation.	
"	23 rd -24 th		General sports in progress. Weather fine.	
"	25 th		Warning order for No 25 Quota received. Ten mules despatched to sales at FLORENNES, all being sold at an average price of 700 francs.	
"	26 th -28 th		General sports in progress. Weather cold & light snow.	
"	29 th		Medical board examined the members of No 25 Quota. Weather cold & heavy snow.	
"	30 th		No 25 Quota strength of 23 O/Rs. struck off strength on proceeding to England for repatriation to Australia.	
"	31 st		Warning order received for next Quota to leave on the 9 th April. Strength of company. 4 OFF. 79 O.Rs. effective.	

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