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AUSTRALIAN
BASE DEPOTS.
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Australian Imperial Force.

WAR DIARY

OF

SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICER,

..... AUSTRALIAN BASE DEPOTS. FRANCE.

FOR

..... APRIL 1919.

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A.A.M.C.,

S.M.O. Australian Base Depots.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
HAVRE.	April 1919.			
	1		Cool - Frosty - Dull Captain C.W.Robertson., R.M.O.No.20 Quota reported here. Captain A.Lawrence., R.M.O.No.22 Quota reported here.	
	2		Mild - Fine. Lieut-Colonel H.C.Nott, proceeded on 10 days Special Leave to south of France. During Lieut-Colonel Nott's absence, Major W.J.E.Phillips. M.C., carried out the duties of S.M.O., Australian Base Depots. Captain W.L.Millick, R.M.O.No.23 Quota reported here.	
	3		Mild - Fine. Captain A.G.Lilford, R.M.O., A.B.D.No.1 was evacuated to Hospital suffering with Acute Cystitis. Captain N.H.Bridge, R.M.O.No.24 Quota reported here.	
	4		Cool - Fine. Captain E.M.True, R.M.O.No.25 Quota reported here.	
	5		Mild - Fine.	
	6		Mild - Fine. Captain J.Love reported here from 2nd.Field Ambulance to relieve Captain M.R.Finlayson, as R.M.O., i/c A.B.D.No.2 also R.M.O. i/c Sanitation and Prophylactic Huts. Captain C.G.Cutson, R.M.O.No.26 Quota reported here.	
	7		Fine - Mild.	
	8		Fine - Sunny.	
	9		Dull - Few light showers. Captain F.G.T.DeCrespigny, R.M.O.No.28 Quota reported here.	
10		Mild - Showery.		

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	10	(Contd)	Captain J. Darling, R.M.O.No.27 Quota reported here. Captain C.W.Stump, R.M.O.No.29 Quota reported here. Captain C.Friend, R.M.O.No.30 Quota reported here.	
	11		Mild - Fine. Captain D.G.May reported here from 15th. Field Ambulance to relieve Major W.L.Smith as R.M.O. i/c A.B.D.No.1., and Member, Standing Medical Board. Captain M.R.Finlayson returned from 14 days leave in Italy. Captain V.A.Earnshaw, R.M.O.No.31 Quota reported here.	
	12		Mild - Fine.	
	13		Cool - Fine. Lieut-Colonel H.C.Nott returned from 10 days Special Leave in south of France, and resumed duty as S.M.O., Australian Base Depots. Captain M.R.Finlayson marched out to A.I.F.Headquarters, London. Major W.L.Smith, M.C. marched out to A.I.F.Headquarters, London.	
	14		Cool - Showery. Captain H.Bruce, R.M.O.No.32 Quota reported here.	
	15		Cool - Showery.	
	16		Fine - Cool. Captain U.S.Templeman, R.M.O.No.33 Quota reported here. Captain G.M.Faithfull, R.M.O.No.34 Quota reported here.	
	17		Fine - Sunny.	
	18		Dull - Mild. Captain A.M.Hudson, R.M.O.No.35 Quota reported here.	

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	20		Dull - Windy.	
	21		Fine - Windy Captain E.J.Symons, R.M.O.No.36 Quota reported here. Captain B.S.Moore, R.M.O.No.37 Quota reported here.	
	22		Fine - Windy. Captain S.E.Paterson, Dental Unit, proceeded on duty to Lille and Charleroi. Captain E.H.Hobson, R.M.O.No.38 Quota reported here.	
	23		Dull - Warm.	
	24		Dull - Warm. Captain E.E.Broadbent, M.O.No.39 Quota reported here.	
	25		Fine - Mild. Captain A.E.Morton, R.M.O.No.40 Quota reported here.	
	26		Fine - Windy. Captain R.A.Dart, proceeded on 10 days Special Leave to Nice.	
	27		Cold - Squally - Raining. Captain A.Baldwin, R.M.O.No.41 Quota reported here.	
	28		Cold - Very windy - Raining.	
	29		Cold - Showery - Windy.	
30		Dull with light showers. Captain B.Hart, R.M.O.No.43 Quota reported here.		

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LIST OF APPENDICES.

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| 1. | <u>AUSTRALIAN BASE DEPOTS CAMP HOSPITAL.</u> Monthly Return showing number of patients admitted and discharged. |
| 2. | <u>GRAPHS.</u> |
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| | (2) Number of men admitted to Camp Hospital, and Number evacuated to General Hospital, and Number discharged to duty. |



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AUSTRALIAN BASE DEPOTS CAMP HOSPITAL.
RETURN FOR MONTH ENDED APRIL 30th. 1919.

A. Remaining in at end of March.	B. Admitted during Month.	C. Discharged to Duty.	D. Transferred to General Hospital.	E. Discharged other than shown in C & D.	F. Remaining at end of April.
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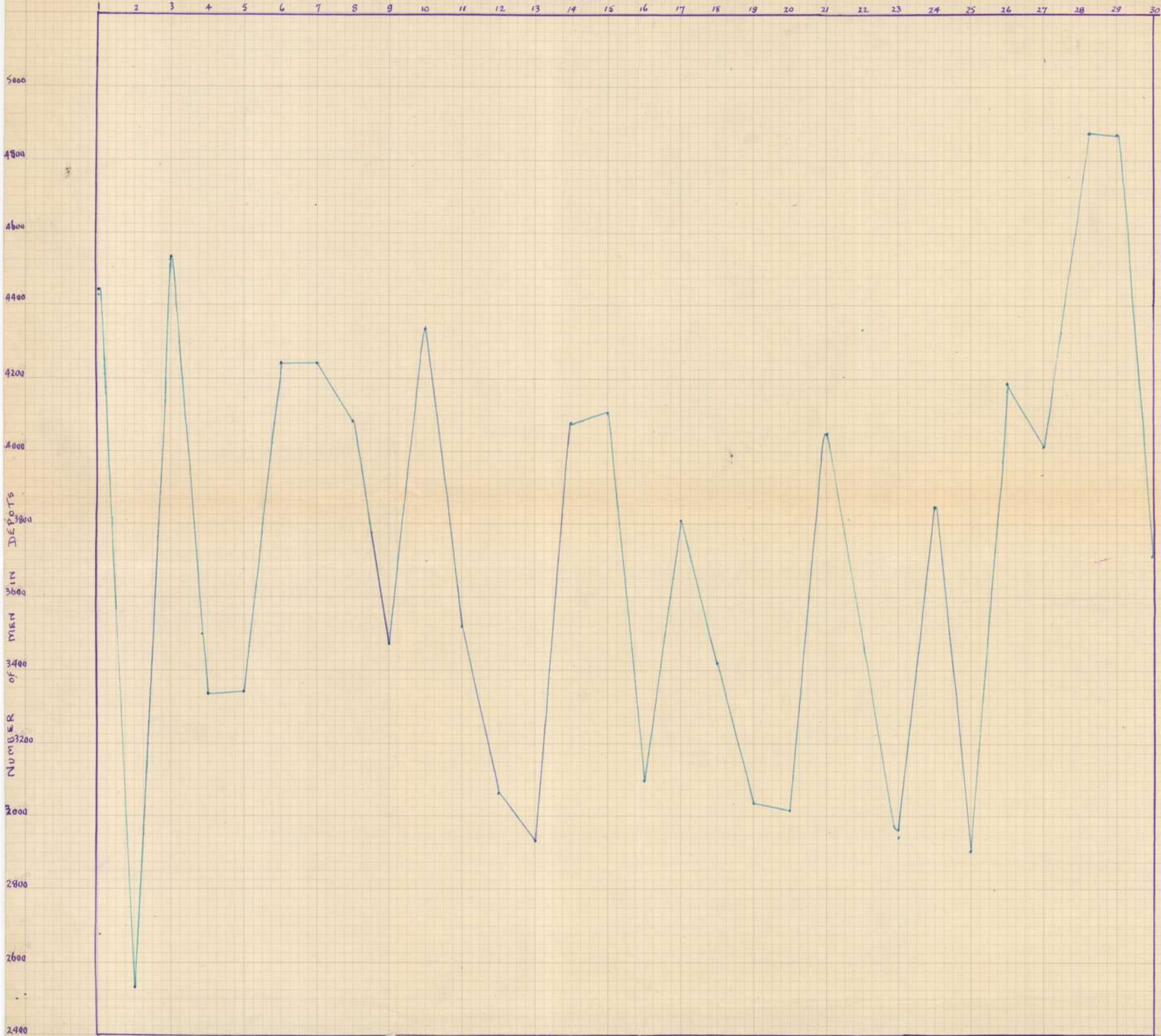
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— AUSTRALIAN BASE DEPOTS —
SHOWING NUMBER OF MEN IN AUSTRALIAN BASE DEPOTS & NUMBER EVACUATED TO HOSPITAL.
APRIL 1919

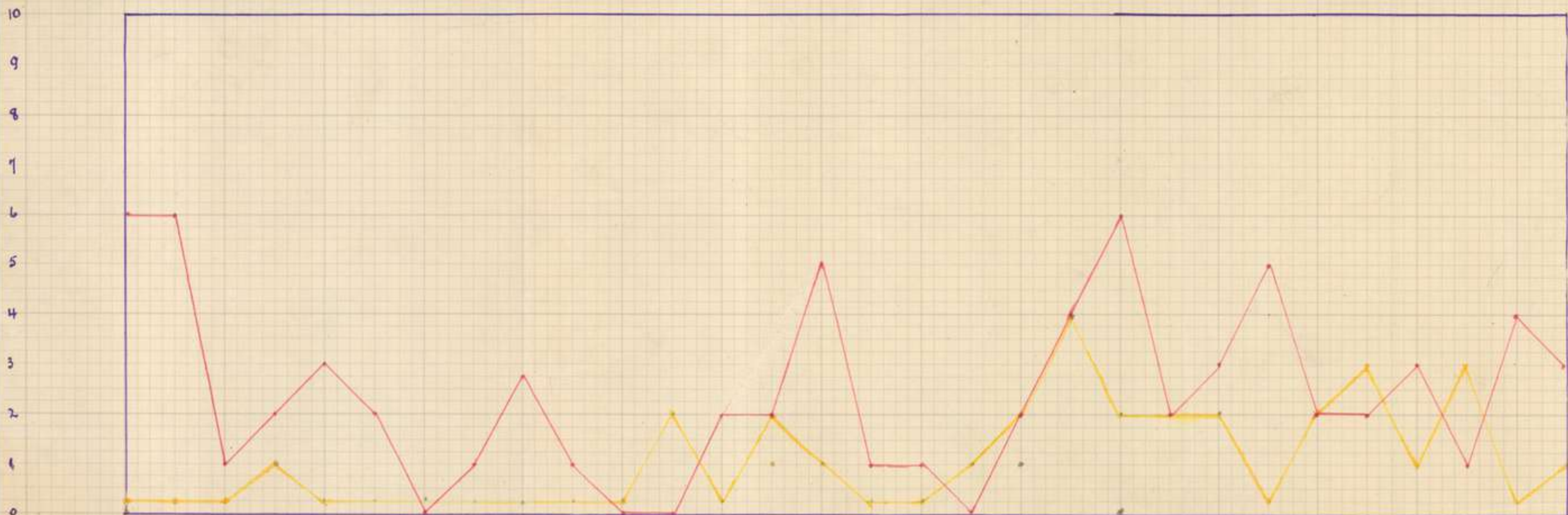
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GREEN = Total Number of Men in Depot.

RED = NUMBER EVACUATED TO GENERAL HOSPITAL.

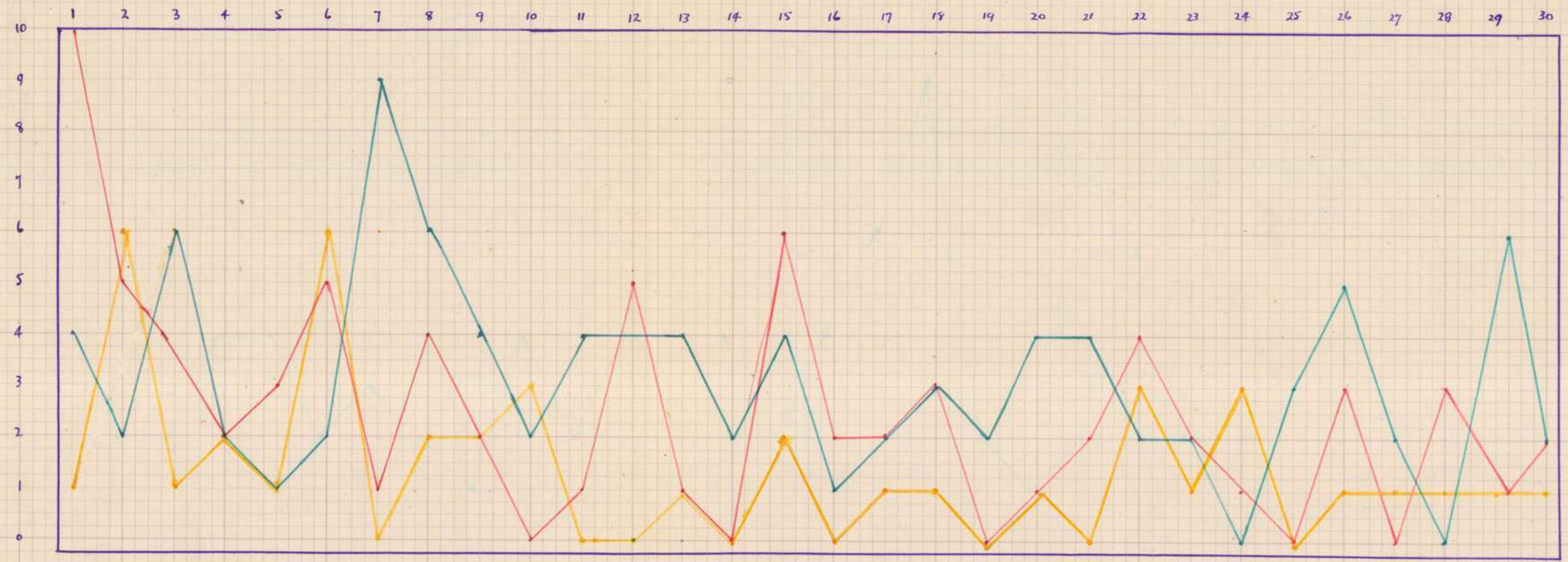
YELLOW = NUMBER OF VENEREAL CASES TO HOSPITAL.



AUSTRALIAN BASE DEPOTS
 SHEWING NUMBER OF MEN ADMITTED TO CAMP HOSPITAL & NUMBER EVACUATED TO GENERAL HOSPITAL & DUTY.

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 RED = Discharged to Duty.
 YELLOW = Evacuated to General Hospital.