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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
TEL EL MARAKEB.	1917 SEPT. 1		<p>Sick admitted Evacuated % daily admissions % daily evacuations</p> <p> O. O/Rs. 0 O/Rs.</p> <p> - 94 - 95 .17 .17.</p> <p>Statement by Regiments attached.</p> <p>Five cases of Diarrhoea were reported during the week, none presenting clinical features of Dysentery.</p> <p>Eight cases of Tonsillitis were admitted to Ambulances of Division during the week.</p>	
	3		T.A.B. Inoculation completed for Division.	
	6		Lecture on Malaria given by Capt. PATEN, R.A.M.C. to Medical Officers of the Division. This was followed by a discussion in which the advisability of giving prophylactic doses of Quinine was discussed. It was considered inadvisable to recommend its adoption at present. It was clearly demonstrated that malarial patients returning from hospital were not receiving regular quinine treatment. R.M.O's were recommended to keep a Quinine list in their dressing tents upon which the names of all men returning from hospital with Malaria are entered, and kept upon it till the completion of their course.	
	8		Three diphtheria carriers have been detected in the N.Z.M.R. Brigade - Five cases of Diarrhoea reported during the week, none showing clinical signs of Dysentery.	
			<p>Sick admitted - 0. O/Rs. Evacuated - 0. O/Rs. % of daily admissions % of daily evacuations</p> <p> 5 83 5 79. .16. .15.</p> <p>Statement by Regts. attached.</p>	
	9		Lecture on Bilharzia, by Capt. FAIRLIE of the 14th. A.G.H. method of early diagnosis by means of complement fixation was explained. Early symptomatology of Bilharziosis was discussed.	
	11		Medical Routine order No. 37, issued and attached.	
	13		Conference with Ambulance Commanders and D.H.Q. re Transport and Loads for Mobile Sections. Copy of proposed equipment to be carried by Mobile Sections attached herewith.	
			D.D.M.S. discusses forthcoming events at D.H.Q.	
	14		R.M.O. Field Squadron was instructed to accompany C.R.E. on all operations and be responsible for the classification of all water supplies.	
			N.Z.M.F.A. Immobile Section takes over Rest Camp from the 1st. L.H.F.A.M.B.	
	15		One case of Scarlet Fever was reported during the week; ten cases of Diarrhoea were reported of which one showed clinical features of Dysentery.	
			<p>Sick admitted - 0. O/Rs. Evacuated - 0. O/Rs. % daily admissions % daily evacuations.</p> <p> 5 90 5 81 .18. .16.</p> <p>Statement by regiments attached.</p>	
	16		Inspector of Cookery inspected the cook houses of the Division.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
ABASAN EL KEBIR.	SEPT. 18		Division moved from beach area to supports at Abasan el Kebir.	
	20		One case of Small-pox from the Canterbury Mounted Rifles reported from Alexandria.	
	21		Medical Corps Routine Order No.38 issued and attached.	
	22		Four cases of Diphtheria were reported during the week, five cases of Diarrhoea, one presenting clinical features of Dysentery.	
			Sick admitted. Off. O/Rs. Sick evacuated. Off. O/Rs. % daily admissions % daily evacuations. 2 89 2 52 .17. .10.	
			Statement by Regiments attached.	
	24		A.D.M.S. accompanies D.D.M.S. on motor ambulance reconnaissance to ASLUJ.	
	26		N.Z.M.F.A. Immobile Section at Anzac Rest Camp instructed to take over Australian Mounted Divisional Rest Camp, the whole to be run by them as the Desert Mounted Corps Rest Camp.	
	29		Nine cases of Diarrhoea were reported during the week, none presenting clinical features of Dysentery. 1st. L.H. Brigade continued to show a much higher sick rate than the two other brigades. A graph was prepared representing this higher rate and the brigade were asked for any possible explanation of this phenomenon. A copy of the graph is attached.	
	3		Sick admitted. Off. O/rs. Sick evacuated. Off. O/Rs. % daily admissions % daily evacuations. 2 81 - 51 .15 .09	
			Statement by Regiments attached.	
	30.		The general health of the Division has not been better for many months, all ranks are showing considerable benefit from the month spent on the beach. The sanitation of the Division is of a high standard. All human faeces are being incinerated, as is the horse manure.	

AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED DIVISION.

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Return of Regiments of sick and wounded admitted to and evacuated from Field Ambulances of Division for week ending September 1st. 1917

Unit	Head.	Admitted	To Duty	Evac	Remg	Strength	% Admissa.	% Evac.	
		H	W						
1st. L. H. Regt.	-	3	-	-	3	-	514	.08	.08
2nd " "	-	6	-	-	6	-	482	.17	.17
3rd. " "	-	12	-	-	12	-	492	.24	.34
Sundries	-	10	-	-	10	-	426	.33	.33
	-	31	-	-	31	-	1914	.23	.23
5th L. H. Regt	1	2	-	-	3	-	562	.05	.07
6th. " "	1	4	-	-	5	-	595	.09	.12
7th. " "	-	8	-	-	8	-	492	.23	.23
Sundries	2	13	-	1	13	1	497	.37	.37
	4	27	-	1	29	1	2146	.17	.19
A.M.R.	-	4	-	-	4	-	519	.11	.11
C.M.R.	-	8	-	-	8	-	516	.21	.21
W.M.R.	-	3	-	-	3	-	521	.08	.08
Sundries	-	10	-	-	9	1	453	.31	.28
	-	25	-	-	24	1	2009	.17	.17
Inverness	-	3	-	-	3	-	232	.18	.18
Ayrshire	-	1	-	-	1	-	254	.05	.05
Somerset	-	4	-	-	4	-	258	.22	.22
Sundries	-	1	-	1	1	1	96	.14	.14
	-	9	-	-	9	-	840	.15	.15
D.H.Q. and Sundry	-	2	-	-	2	-	835	.03	.03
Total Division	4	94 96	-	1 2	95	2	6744 6742	.16	.16

To

War Diary

For your information please.

Major.

D.A.D.N.S.

New Zealand Mounted Division.

Headquarters
September 4th. 1917

AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED DIVISION

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Return of Regiments of sick and wounded admitted to and evacuated
from Field Ambulances of Division for week ending September 8th. 1917.

Unit	Remd.		Admitted To Duty		Evac. Remg.		Strength	%	%
	S	W	S	W	S	W			
								Admiss.	Evac.
1st L.N Regt	-	7	-	-	7	-	491	.20	.20
2nd " "	-	5	-	-	5	-	508	.14	.14
3rd " "	-	6	-	-	6	-	440	.19	.19
M.G. SQUAD	-	7	-	1	6	-	199	.50	.43
Sundries	-	3	-	-	3	-	187	.22	.22
	-	28	-	1	27	-	1825	.21	.21
5th L.N REGT	-	1	-	-	1	-	526	.02	.02
6th " "	-	4	-	1	3	-	506	.11	.08
7th " "	-	10	-	-	10	-	505	.28	.28
M.G. Squad	-	1	-	-	1	-	205	.06	.06
Sundries	-	5	-	-	5	-	272	.26	.26
	-	21	-	1	20	-	2016	.14	.14
A.M.R.	-	7	-	1	6	-	500	.19	.16
G.M.R.	-	6	-	-	6	-	506	.16	.16
W.M.R.	-	9	-	-	9	-	512	.25	.25
M.G. Squad	-	1	-	-	1	-	217	.06	.06
Sundries	1	4	-	1	4	-	231	.24	.24
	1	27	-	2	26	-	1977	.19	.18
Ayrshire	-	1	-	-	1	-	217	.06	.06
Inverness	-	2	-	-	2	-	249	.11	.11
Somerset	-	-	-	-	-	-	255
Sundries	-	-	-	-	-	-	99
	-	3	-	-	3	-	820	.05	.05
Field Squad	-	2	-	-	2	-	209	.13	.13
Signal " "	1	3	-	1	3	-	187	.22	.22
Div. Train	-	2	-	1	1	-	309	.09	.08
DEQ AND Sundry	-	2	-	-	2	-	221	.12	.12
	1	9	-	2	8	-	926	.13	.12
Total Div.	2	88	-	6	84	-	7564	.16	.15

To Major General

For your information.

Lieut-Colonel

A. D. M. S.

Maced Mounted Division

Headquarters
September 10th. 1917

Return of Regiments Sick and wounded admitted to and evacuated from Field Ambulances of Division for week ending September 15th. 1917.

Unit	Remd.	Admitted To Duty	Evac.	Reorg.	Strength	% Adm. ss.	% Evac.
1st L.H.R. Regt	8	-	1	7	491	.23	.20
2nd " "	11	-	-	11	517	.30	.30
3rd " "	7	1	-	7	479	.20	.20
M.G.S.	5	-	-	5	197	.36	.36
Sundries	4	-	-	2	154	.30	.15
	35	1	1	32	1868	.26	.24
5th L.H. Regt	3	-	-	3	529	.08	.08
6th " "	3	-	-	3	480	.08	.08
7th " "	8	-	-	7	507	.22	.19
M.G.S.	4	-	1	3	198	.33	.21
Sundries	4	-	2	1	257	.22	.12
	22	-	3	17	1972	.15	.12
A.M.R.	6	-	-	6	467	.17	.17
C.M.R.	6	-	-	6	490	.23	.23
W.M.R.	7	-	-	7	500	.20	.20
M.G.S.	3	-	-	3	207	.20	.20
Sundries	2	-	-	2	234	.12	.12
	26	-	-	26	1918	.19	.19
Yrshire	3	-	1	2	218	.19	.13
Inverness	1	-	-	1	244	.05	.05
Somerset	2	-	-	2	246	.11	.11
Sundries	-	-	-	-	100
	6	-	1	5	808	.10	.08
Ed. Squad.	2	-	-	2	206	.15	.13
Sig. " "	2	-	-	2	185	.13	.15
Div. Train.	2	-	-	2	325	.08	.08
D.H.Q. and Sundry	-	-	-	-	234
	6	-	-	6	940	.59	.69
TOTAL DIVISION	95	1	5	88	7506	.18	.16

D.H.Q. Headquarters. September 15th 1917.

To: *War Diary*

For your information please.

[Signature]
Lt. Colonel.

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AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED DIVISION.

Return of Regiments of Sick and Wounded admitted to and evacuated from Field Ambulances of Division for week ending 22-9-17

Unit	Remd.	Admitted	ToDuty	Evac,	Remg.	Strength	%	%	
		S	W				Admiss	Evac.	
1st. L.H. Regt.	-	10	-	-	4	6	482	.29	.11
2nd. " "	-	10	-	-	7	3	511	.27	.19
3rd. " "	-	11	-	-	4	7	472	.33	.12
M.G. S.	-	5	-	-	3	2	201	.35	.21
Sundries	-	2	-	-	1	1	226	.12	.06
	-	38	-	-	19	19	1892	.28	.14
5th. L.H. Regt.	-	1	-	-	1	-	507	.02	.02
6th. " "	-	2	-	-	1	1	468	.06	.03
7th. " "	1	8	-	3	4	2	488	.23	.11
M.G. S.	-	5	-	2	3	-	199	.35	.21
Sundries	1	2	-	1	2	-	235	.12	.12
	2	18	-	6	11	3	1897	.13	.07
A.M.R.	-	6	-	-	5	1	482	.17	.14
C.M. R.	-	6	-	-	5	1	508	.16	.14
W.M.R.	-	5	-	-	4	1	482	.14	.11
M.G. S.	-	2	-	-	1	1	212	.13	.06
Sundries	-	2	-	-	2	2	205	.13	---
	-	21	-	-	15	6	1889	.15	.11
Ayrshire	-	3	-	-	1	2	249	.17	.05
Inverness	-	1	-	-	1	-	242	.05	.05
Somerset	-	1	-	-	1	-	256	.05	.05
Sundries	-	1	-	-	-	1	41	.34	---
	-	6	-	-	3	3	788	.10	.05
Field Squad.	-	2	-	-	2	-	203	.14	.14
Signal "	-	3	-	-	2	1	173	.24	.16
Div. Train.	-	3	-	-	2	1	328	.13	.08
D.H.Q. & Sundry	-	-	-	-	-	-	218	---	---
	-	8	-	-	6	2	922	.12	.09
Total	2	91	-	6	54	33	7388	.17	.10

To

For your information please.

Headquarters
September 25th. 1917.

Lieut-Colonel.
A.D.M.S.
Anzac Mounted Division.

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AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED DIVISION.

Return of Regiments of sick and wounded admitted to and evacuated from Field Ambulances of Division for week ending 29th. Sept. 1917.

Unit.	Remd.	Admitted		To	Evac.	Remg.	Strength	%	%
		S	W	Duty				Admtd.	Evac.
1st. L.H. Regt.	4	7	-	2	9	-	513	.19	.25
2nd. "	2	6	-	1	4	3	492	.17	.12
3rd. "	4	15	-	-	7	12	486	.44	.20
M.C.S.	1	5	-	-	5	3	220	.32	.19
Sundries	-	6	-	3	2	1	234	.36	.12
Total	11	39	-	6	25	19	1945	.28	.18
5th. L.H. Regt.	-	2	-	-	2	-	525	.05	.05
6th. "	-	8	-	1	5	2	495	.23	.14
7th. "	1	9	-	1	3	6	489	.26	.09
M.C.S.	-	3	-	1	1	1	226	.19	.06
Sundries	-	2	-	-	-	2	261	.09	.09
Total	1	24	-	3	11	11	1996	.17	.07
A.M.R.	1	3	-	1	2	1	458	.09	.06
C.M.R.	-	3	-	-	3	-	522	.08	.08
W.M.R.	1	4	-	-	4	1	507	.11	.11
M.C.S.	1	1	-	-	2	-	227	.06	.12
Sundries	-	1	-	-	-	1	233	.05	-
Total	3	12	-	1	11	3	1967	.08	.07
Ayrshire	1	3	-	1	1	2	250	.17	.08
Inverness	-	1	-	-	-	1	245	.06	-
Somerset	-	-	-	-	-	-	260	-	-
Sundries	-	-	-	-	-	-	39	-	-
Total	1	4	-	1	1	3	794	.07	.02
D.H.Q. & Sundries	-	2	-	-	2	1	218	.09	.09
Signal Sqdn.	-	1	-	1	-	-	186	.0779	-
Field "	-	-	-	-	-	-	216	-	-
Divl. Train	1	1	-	-	1	1	329	.04	.04
Total	1	4	-	1	3	2	949	.06	.04
TOTAL DIVISION.	18	83	-	12	51	38	7651	.15	.09

To Major General

For your information please.

Headquarters,
2nd. October 1917.

Lt-Col
A. D. M. S.
Anzac Mounted Division

AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND MOUNTED DIVISION.

MEDICAL CORPS ROUTINE ORDER No. 37.

by

Lieut-Colonel D.G.CROLL, A.D.M.S.

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279. POSTINGS.

Lieut-Colonel D.G.CROLL, A.A.M.C. from O.C. Camel F.Amb.
to A.D.M.S. Anzac Mounted Division, dated 23.8.17
Major.W.W.McLAREN, 1st.L.H.F.A. to 14th. A.G.H. 28.8.17
Capt. D.D.ROSEWARNE, R.A.M.C. from Anzac Field Lab.
proceeding overseas 1.9.17.
Capt. HARVEY SUTTON, Sanitary Section, evacuated sick 6.9.17

280. APPOINTMENTS.

Staff Sergeant SIM, W.H., 2nd.L.H.F.A. to be Warrant Officer
Class 1, vice Phillips, commissioned, dated 27.8.17
Corporal DIPROSE, E. clerk to A.D.M.S. to be Acting
Sergeant dated 8.9.17

281. BAMBOO STRETCHER POLES.

The issue of bamboo stretcher poles has been authorised at
the rate of 12 per regiment. Indents should be submitted
through the usual channels at once.

283. NATIVE PERSONNEL.

With reference to the Native personnel with divisions
authorised by present War Establishments the following is the
the procedure for obtaining same and replacement of casualties.
Native Horse Transport Demand on L.H. or M.F.A.
Drivers with L.H. or weekly AF B213 to 3rd Echelon.
M.F.Amb.

Camel Drivers with a L.H. L.H. or M.F.A. demand
or M.F.Amb. through Division weekly on
A.D.S.T. Desert Mounted Corps.

283. INDENTS FOR NATIVE LABOUR.

Attention is directed to G.R.O. 328, para 2888, of 2.9.17.

284. TETANUS ANTITOXIN.

All tetanus antitoxin that is over two years old should be
returned to store and requisitions put in for fresh supply.

285. WATER.

It is essential that each R.M.O. should have a water testing
case (Horrocks) or the equipment issued for water duty men
last October and that his water duty men are thoroughly
familiar with the use of these. It was thought last year
that wells might be freely scattered about the country
but apparently this is unlikely in the future and they will
more probably be grouped together. It will largely depend
on the initiative of the R.M.O. whether the early purification
of such wells is carried out and the great importance of
exercising this initiative should be carried out. Remembered.
As is now done in France, each R.M.O. should provide
himself with labels - cardboard should be obtainable -
marked "Fit for Drinking" or "Unfit for Drinking" to be used
at any wells he examines or treats. These will replace
the confetti previously supplied. The possibility should
not be forgotten that wells poisoned with Chemical poisons
may be encountered and medical officers must be in possession
of the cases "Water Testing Poisons" authorised and understand
their use. This treatment of wells and pools when first
encountered will be followed by routine chlorination of
all drinking water as at present.

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286. MEASURE TO PREVENT INFECTIVE BY CONTAMINATED WELL WATER.

Regimental Medical Officers will be responsible that all wells on line of advance covered by their units are treated by Bleaching Powder as the force advances. Should trained water duty men not be available they will train men supplied by O.C. of Unit under P.S. Regs. Part 1 para 46, section 4.

287. ARTIFICIAL DENTURES.

A charge of 20/- will be made for the renewal or replacement of any denture for any Officer of men which has been supplied at the public expense, unless such renewal or replacement is required on account of the dental condition of patient, or unless it is shown that the loss or destruction of the denture was not due to the fault of the officer or man concerned.

The amount will be entered in the soldiers pay book by the dental officer supplying the denture, who will also, on the prescribed form obtain the receipt of the soldier for the denture, and will certify that the amount has been entered in the paybook as above directed.

D. G. GROLL, Lieut-Colonel.
A. D. M. S.
Australian & New Zealand Mounted Division.

September 11th 1917.

1st. L.H.F.A.
 2nd. L.H.F.A. F. A.
 N.Z.M.F.A.

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In the past Mounted Ambulances have transported the equipment for their mobile sections, while the Immobile sections have moved by rail or especially allotted transport; for long distance evacuation of casualties a camel convoy has been supplied by Infantry Divisions.

In future operations heavy motor ambulances will take the place of the Camel Convoys while light motor ambulances augment the sand carts and cacolets; the Immobile sections will have to be transported by the normal wheeled transport of the ambulances.

Each Division will form a Receiving Station from two of its Immobile sections for which 2 G.S. wagons and one water cart per ambulance will be required. Extra transport will be available for the operative unit.

It is hoped that approval will be given for the horsing of the two Immobile G.S. wagons in which case the transport can be distributed as follows:-

<u>"A" Echelon.</u>	<u>"B" Echelon Supplies</u>	<u>"B" Echelon Baggage</u>	<u>Immobile Section</u>
Sandcarts	1 G.S.Wagon	1 G.S.Wagon	2 G.S.Wagons
Cacolets			1 Water Cart
2 G.S.Limb Wagons			
1 Water cart.			

If the present establishment is maintained the required equipment can be carried as follows:-

<u>"A" Echelon</u>	<u>"B" Echelon Supplies</u>	<u>"B" Echelon Baggage</u>	<u>Immobile Section</u>
Sandcarts	1 G.S.Limb. Wagon (15 cwt)	Nil	2 G.S.Wagons capacity 16 cwt each
Cacolets			1 water cart
1 Maltese Cart capacity 10 cwt			
1 G.S.Limb Wagon capacity 15 cwt			
1 Water cart.			

The latter transport while sufficient for requirements leaves little margin and one further wagon would be obtained if possible for the baggage. The following is the equipment suggested for Mobile and Immobile sections; that for the Mobile sections is based on what was carried in the days of camel transport and proved suitable but is not intended to be binding for repacking and substituting may result in saving of weight and space; the general principle should be followed however. Only small departures for the equipment for ~~XXXXXX~~ mobile sections are to made. X



Appendix

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Mobile Sections.

<u>Item</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>weight.</u>
Tents C.D.L.	5	515 lbs
Tents Operating	1	181
Panniers F.S. prs.	1	181
Panniers G.S. 1, 4 & 5	3	213
Panniers Medical Comforts	1	77
Reserve Dressing Box	1	47
Field Fracture Box	1	89
Medical Companion & W.Bottle	2	32
Surgical Haversack & W.B.	6	54
O p. Prep. Box.	1	10
Water Analysis Case	1	10
Blankets personnel	85	383
Blankets patients	80	360
Ground Sheets personnel	85	813
" " patients	80	200
Officers Kits 4	4	80
Flag Pole & Flag	1	50
Ground Sheet	1	10
Stove Primus	1	7
Operating Table	1	23
Saddlers Bag	1	30
Farriers Bag	1	30
Axe	1	6
Spade	1	7
Pick axe	1	8
Camp Kettles	6	51

Total. 2867 lbs.

Supplies.

108 Horses at 9½ lbs.	1028 lbs
89 men at 2 lbs.	178
19 camel natives at 2 lbs	38
36 camels at 14 lbs.	504
	<u>1748 lbs.</u>

Personnel.

Officers	4
Other ranks	85 + 8 unassigned
Natives	<u>19</u>

Horses 108

Camels 36

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IMMOBILE SECTIONS.

<u>Item</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>weight</u>	<u>Personnel.</u>
Tents C.D .L.	10	1030	Officers 2
Tents Operating	1	181	Other Ranks.
P anniers F.S . prs	1	181	Tent Division 18
Panniers F.M. prs	1	148	Wagon Orderly 8
Panniers C.S.1,2,3,4,5,5		372	Batmen 6
Medical Com. Panns.	1	77	Artificers 3
Field Fracture Box	1	89	Drivers 6
Med. C ompanion & W.B.	2	32	Total <u>43</u>
Operation Prep Box	1	10	
Operation Table	1	23	
Blankets patients	100	450	
" personnel	43	194	
G round Sheets			<u>Horses.</u>
patients	100	250	Riding 3
Ground Sheets			Draught <u>18</u>
personnel	43	103	
Stretchers	6	186	
Camp Kettles	10	85	
Lamp Operating	1	65	
Lamp Ac tylene	4	40	
Officers Kits	2	50	
Flag Pole & Flag	1	50	
G round Sheet	1	10	
Steve Primus	1	7	
Axes	3	18	
Shovels	1	7	
P ick axes	3	24	
Extra Medical Comforts		<u>50</u>	
Grand Total.		<u>3961 lbs.</u>	

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288. POSTINGS

Major J.R.McN.BEITH, A.A.M.C. posted to 1st. L.H.F.A.
dated 10.9.17
Captain GOW, N.Z.M.C. posted to N.Z.M.F.A. 15.9.17
Capt. J.F.C.WIT ZHARDINGE, A.A.M.C. 5th L.H.Regt.
is posted to temp. command Anzac Sanitary Section
dated 14.9.17
Capt. VANCE, E. 1st.L.H.F.A. evacuated sick
to hospital 10.9.17
Capt. R.J.HUNTER, A.A.M.C. is temporarily attached
for duty and staff training D.H.Q. 19.9.17

289. IODINE AMPOULES.

On the recommendations of Consultant Surgeons at Home and in the Army areas in France, it has been decided to discontinue the issue of the Iodine Ampoule to each officer and soldier and the use of iodine ampoules in the first field dressing, when the existing stocks become exhausted.

290. MEDICAL CERTIFICATES.

Medical Officers are on no account to give certificates to officers or other ranks concerning their condition, to recommend leave, transfer to England, or line of treatment when transferred from their care. Recommendations as to line of treatment should be forwarded confidentially through the usual channel to the hospital to which the officers or men are transferred. (S.R.O. 2922).

291. EVACUATIONS.

All ambulances will evacuate to the Anzac Receiving Station, 1st.L.H.F.A. Immobile Section, at KIL0 9.

292. RETENTION OF PATIENTS.

Ambulances will retain patients 4 days and the Receiving Station will retain them 7 days in cases likely to recover within these times.

293. TRAINING.

The personnel of Immobile Sections of ambulances will be practised daily in marching.

D.G.CROLL, Lieut-Colonel.

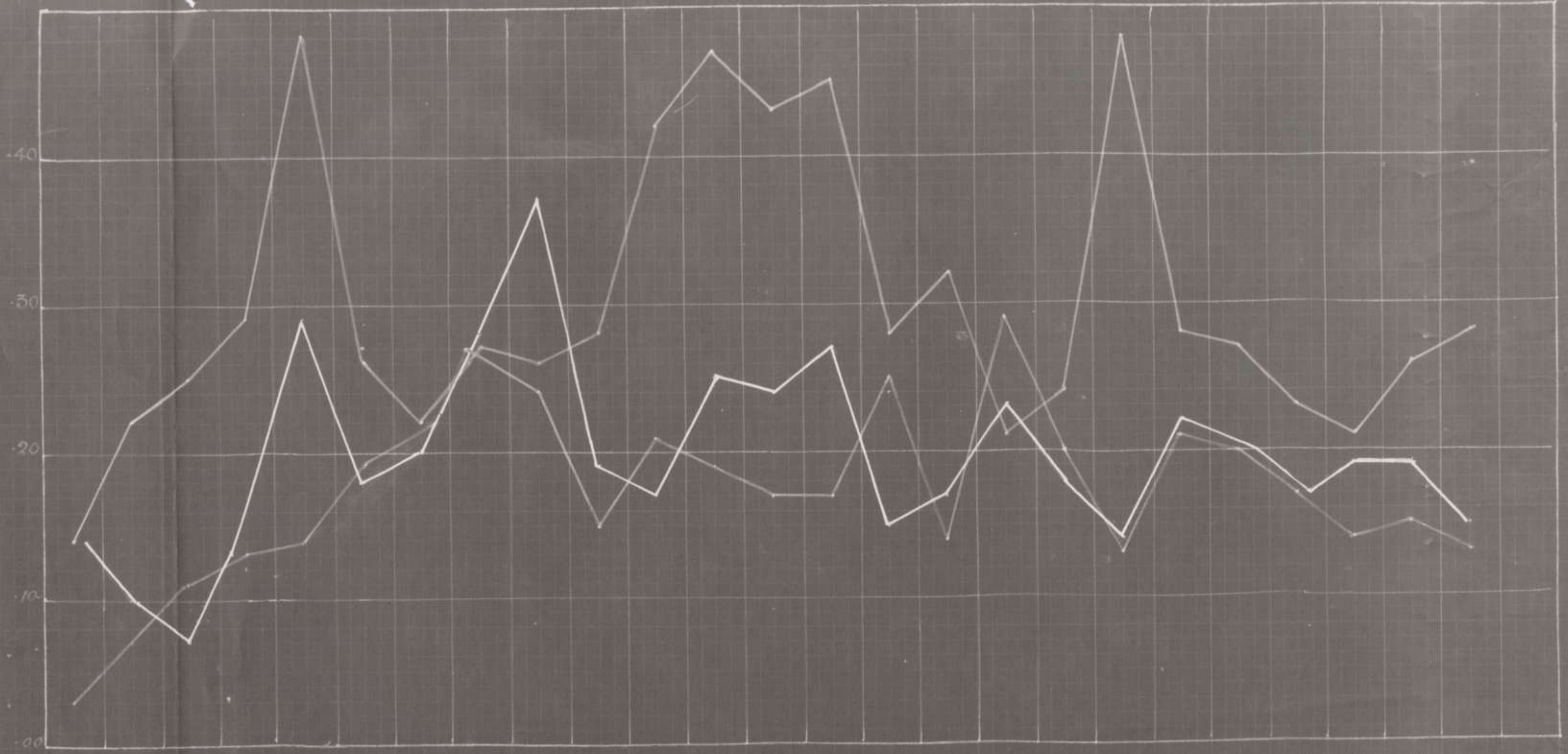
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RED - 1st L.H. Bde.

GREEN - 2nd L.H. Bde.

BLACK - N.Z.M.R. Bde.