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OF

"A" and "B" Australian
Mounted Division
FOR

JULY 1918



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July 1915

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Bethlehem	1 st July		Kul	
	2 nd July		largely owing to the dryness of the air in the Valley - the state of many of the vehicles in the Div is most unsatisfactory - difficulty is experienced in obtaining wheels & other parts necessary for repairs.	
			Referred the matter to Corps - Hebble is also in correspondence with S.S. & T. Corps.	and and
	3 rd July		Administrative instructions concerning the move of 3 + 22 nd Bde's attached.	
	4 th "		Applied to Corps for permission for 420 Mohammedans of 5 th Bde to attend the festival of Eid at the mosque of Omrah - Considered highly desirable that these men should be allowed to attend in order to give no reason for them to think that we suppress the religious life of the Mohammedans.	
	5 th "		AA & Bombs proceeded on short leave to Egypt - more thefts by the local inhabitants reported -	8/3
	6 th "		Permission granted by Corps for party of 420 Mohammedans from 5 th Bde to attend festival at Jerusalem. Party to proceed by empty motor lorries to Rest Camp on Monday -	
			APM raided village of BEIT UMMAR & discovered quantities of stolen arms, equipment & food stores. Some of the inhabitants arrested & handed over to Military Governor - orders received for Capt PEMBERTON, O.C. Signal Sqn, to take over Anzac Signal Sqn temporarily. Capt FARRON Anzac Signal Sqn to take over Divisional Signal Sqn. Various other moves of Australian Officers to replace British Officers in Div. Signal Sqn ordered -	8/3

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
BETHLEHEM	7 th July.		Visit from Corps Commander with reference to complaints as to indiscipline of Australian Troops in Jerusalem and number of charges sent in for disobedience of Standing Orders. Jerusalem put out of Bounds to 11 th L.H.R. and 3 rd Inf. Squadron.	88/1
	8 th	"	Captain FARRROW, 1 st Australian Signal Coy, reported to take over Div. Signal Coy and to complete its reorganization into an Australian Unit - 22 nd Mtd Bde. marched in to Solomon's Pools area from TALLAT ED SUMM.	88/2
	9 th	"	D.V.S. inspected horses of 5 th Mtd Bde - End of Ramadan - Every facility being given to Mahomedan Soldiers in this Division to attend Bairam Festival tomorrow	88/3
	10 th	"	Fresh & stringent orders ^{issued} to parties visiting Jerusalem - Batch of 148 remounts received mostly draught. Light Horse Regiments now working on Giomany Part II Establishment both for personnel, horses and Mol. Store Table. With the reduced establishment & better flow of reinforcements from Moanan Regiments should shortly get near full strength	88/4
	11 th	"	Nothing particular to record.	88/5
	12 th	"	Orders received from Corps that three Officers picquets are to be detailed at once, one # each for JERUSALEM and BETHLEHEM and one a road picquet on Jerusalem - Hebron Road to be on duty day and night - These picquets are to assist Police in maintaining discipline of all Corps troops in this District	88/6

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
Bethlehem	13 th		nil	
"	14 th		nil	
"	15 th		Escort of 1 Troop Native Cavalry, 1/2 troop Germanoy detailed to meet the 420 Turkish + German prisoners coming up from the Valley. also 2 officers chargers + 38 riders to mount the New Zealanders + light Horsemen bringing the prisoners up in the lorries	air
"	16 th		Arranged that the Indians who were taken ill at the recent ceremony at the Mosque of Omar are to remain at Solomon's pools instead of moving into the Valley tomorrow with the Brigade. The 400 S admitted to hospital in the area . Fort Said	air
"	17 th		The 400 S admitted to hospital in the area . Fort Said	air
"	18 th		5 th Lt Bde moved to the Valley in relief of 1 st Lt Bde	air
"	19 th		nil	air
"	20 th		1 st Lt Bde arrived Bethlehem area.	
Jordan Valley	21 st		400 + Div Troops moved to Jordan Valley.	
"	22 nd		Nothing to record Owing to the heavy shelling the 1 st Lt Bde had to leave their area without arranging for burial of dead Germans + horses left there. It has since been found that the only possible manner to dispose of the bodies is by burning - as the ground is so rocky that graves cannot be dug - The bodies are now being burnt.	air

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
JORDAN VALLEY	23 rd July		<p>from enquiries which have been made concerning the difficulty of getting up reinforcements quickly from Moascar, it appears that the principal cause of delay has been due to P & L ofc authorities who state that rail accommodation is insufficient to cope with demands - However, we see now that over 200 men left Moascar for the Division today.</p> <p>Colonel Dixon is reported at Suway for transport duty to Australia.</p>	a/R
"	24 th July		<p>Light Fowler A.A. Corps arrived to temporarily take over duties of A.A. during absence of Colonel Dixon.</p>	
"	25 th		<p>The Indians who were left at Bethlehem owing to sickness, are now due to leave for the Valley tomorrow.</p> <p>Orders for the relief of the 2nd Lt Bde by the 12th Caval Bde issued by Lt Col.</p>	a/R
"	26		<p>Administrative instructions issued, + attached.</p> <p>Indians mentioned under entry of 25th inst arrived today.</p>	a/R
"	27 th		<p>The strength of the Regts of L. H. is now much improved - owing to the distribution of the late Camel Bde men being divided between the various Bdes.</p>	a/R
	27 th		<p>Authority given for Lt Regts to be 30 OR above establishment, to meet casualties due to sickness + attendance at schools.</p>	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices
JORDAN VALLEY	28 th 29 th	July "	<p>hit</p> <p>The flow of reinforcements is greatly improving -</p> <p>By shelling yesterday 6 horses killed + 30 wounded in 5th Coy.</p> <p>The weekly sick average shows a satisfactory reduction from 4.12 last week to 1.71 this week.</p> <p>Malaria is on the decrease - further anti-malarial work is however about to be taken in the Anja wady</p>	<p>air</p>
	30 th 31 st		<p>hit</p> <p>Cesce made his monthly inspection of Regt Transport. The wheels present great difficulty - as the spokes shrink & the nave crack + consequently wheels shake to pieces quickly. The nearest repair shop is in Jerusalem</p>	<p>air</p>

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WAR DIARY

OF

"A" and "Q" AUSTRALIAN MOUNTED DIVISION

FOR

JULY 191

LIST OF APPENDICES.

- | No. | Subject | No. |
|-----|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. | Administrative Instructions | 8. |
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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS NO. 8.

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Reference Divisional Order No. 17.

1. SUPPLIES.

- (a). 22nd. Mounted Brigade will draw supplies for consumption 8th. July on arrival at SOLOMONS POOLS.
- (b). 3rd. A.L.H. Brigade will draw supplies for consumption 11th. July on arrival at TALAAT ED DUMM.
- (c). These supplies will be drawn by the respective Brigade Companies of the Trains on the day previous to the arrival of the Brigades. Quartermasters or their representatives and sufficient personnel to handle these supplies will therefore accompany the Train Companies in each case.
- The unexpended portion and one days supplies will be carried by the Brigade Companies of the Trains and all personnel who travel with them.

2. CAMP SITES.

Brigade representatives should at once inform O.C., Brigade Companies of the Trains of the camp sites of units, as soon as they have been allotted :-

- (a) at TALAAT ED DUMM by ADMINCOM.
- (b) at SOLOMONS POOLS by D.A.Q.M.G., Aust. Mtd. Division.

22nd. Mounted Brigade will detail an officer to report to Divisional Headquarters at 1400 on July 7th. for this purpose.

3. SANITATION.

On Brigades leaving their respective areas, the Brigade Sanitary Officers will inspect the vacated lines and forward their reports to the A.D.M.S.

H.Q., A.M.D.

3rd. July 1918.

Issued at 1400 to :-

W.S. Kent Hughes Major
for Lieut. Colonel,
A.A. & Q.M.G.,
Australian Mounted Division.

Copy No. 1.	3rd. A.L.H. Bde.	9.	D.A.D.O.S.
2.	22nd. Mtd. Bde.	10.	Q. Descorps.
3.	Field Sq.	11.	A. & N.Z. Mtd. Divn.
4.	Divl. Train.	12.	1st. Mtd. Divn.
5.	G.S., A.M.D.	13.	War Diary.
6.	A.D.M.S.	14.	" "
7.	A.D.V.S.	15.	File.
8.	A.P.M.	16.	Signal Sq.

Diviston etc. **Australian Mounted.**

Week-ending **6th. July 1918.**

Name of Unit, etc.	STRENGTH				ANIMALS				GUNS			Natives. Ind.			
	(a) Effective		(b) Ration		(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	Horse Artillery Mk. I Mk. II	Effective	Rationed.	Remarks	Followers.	
	O.	O.R.	O.	O.R.	Horses	Mules	Camels Donkeys.	F. A.	Maxim or Vickers						
D. H. Q. (Brit.)	9	57	15	123	146	10	23					6	9		
(Ind.)			1	28											
H. Q., R. A.	3	35	6	52	52		5					1	1		
"A" Batt. H. A. C.	5	139	5	133	110	53	8	4				1	1		
"B" Batt. H. A. C.	5	149	4	145	119	39	7	4				1	1		
Notts. R. H. A.	5	154	3	147	90	26	2	4				1	1		
Bde. Ammn. Col.	4	297	4	308	196	224	4					2	2		
Field Squadn.	9	177	8	170	256	33	3								
Signal Squadn.	8	191	5	173	120	100	6	27				14	15		
Divl. Train.	19	273	20	235	117	472						247	238		
San. Section.	1	26		14	12		1					45	5		
Tot. Divl. Trps.	68	1498	72	1526	1218	957	59	27	12			318	273		
3rd. L. H. Bde.															
B. H. Q.	6	39	10	75	60		4					1	3		
Signal Troop.		34		34	38										
8th. L. H. Regt.	24	392	23	366	495	10	19			12		1	3		
9th. L. H. Regt.	24	446	20	401	502	28	7			12		1	3		
10th. L. H. Regt.	23	416	21	365	508	2	3			12		1	3		
3rd. M. G. Squad.	7	176	6	152	268	10	11		12				1		
Field Ambce.	6	109	5	120	90	5	9					5	6		
M. V. Section.	1	25		22	44		1								
Tot. 3rd. Bde.	91	1637	85	1535	2005	49	54		12	36		9	19		
4th. L. H. Bde.															
B. H. Q.	4	26	9	35	92	2	3					4	5		
Signal Troop.	1	31		28	31										
4th. L. H. Regt.	21	365	13	225	312	9	10			12		1	2		
11th. L. H. Regt.	23	405	21	364	486	9	17			12		1	2		
12th. L. H. Regt.	22	394	24	537	474	56	9			12		1	4		
M. G. Squadn.	8	186	6	142	195		4		12				1		
Field Ambce.	6	112	3	66	49	27	6					5	3		
M. V. Section.	1	27	1	26	43										
Tot. 4th. L. H. Bde.	86	1546	77	1423	1682	103	49		12	36		12	17		
5th. Mtd. Bde. British.															
B. H. Q.	4	30	4	45	60	9	8					1	1		
Signal Troop.	1	38	1	40	37	6	2								
Gloucester Yeos	21	444	10	321	442	39	7			12		1	1		
9th. Hod. Horse.	15		14	13	490	59	7			17					
18th. Lancers	14		16	14	521	55	7			17					
M. G. Squadron.	6	200	4	146	204	55	2		12						
Field Ambce.	5	73	5	66	43	73	16								
M. V. Section.	1	15	2	20	38	12									
Tot. 5th. Bde. Br.	67	800	56	665	1835	308	49		12	46		2	2		
5th. Bde. Indian.															
B. H. Q.				17											
Signal Troop.															
9th. Hod. Horse	18	483	17	460								22	27		
18th. Lancers.	17	479	15	453									20		
Field Ambce.	2	59	2	59											
M. V. Section.		10		10											
Tot. 5th. Bde. Ind.	37	1031	34	999											47
Grand Total.	349	6512	324	6148	6740	1417	211	27	12	36	118	341	500		47

Johnstone
 Major General.

Commanding Australian Mounted Division.

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War Diary

Appendix 3

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FORM "D"

Diviston etc Australian Mounted

Week-ending 13th. July 1918.

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Name of Unit, etc.	STRENGTH				ANIMALS				GUNS			NATIVES. Ind		
	(a) Effective		(b) Ration		(a)	(b)	Camels	Hotchkiss	Lewis	Effectives	Rationed.	Remarks	Followers.	
	O.	O.R.	O.	O.R.	Horses	Mules								Donkeys.
D. H. Q. (Brit).	9	57	16	129	159	10	19					6	9	
" (Indian)			1	27										
H. Q., R. A.	3	35	5	50	47		5						1	
"A" Batt. H. A. C.	5	145	4	138	106	53	8	4					1	
"B" Batt. H. A. C.	5	160	3	156	119	39	7	4					1	
Notts. R. H. A.	5	160	3	152	91	21	2	4					1	
Bde. Ammn. Col.	4	300	4	309	190	224	4						2	
Field Squadr.	9	170	9	171	222	33	3							
Signal Squadr.	8	250	6	230	172	91	6	27				16	16	
Divl. Train.	19	266	19	238	126	479						249	237	
San. Section.	1	27		15	13		1					43	4	
Pot. Divl. Trps.	68	1568	70	1615	1245	950	55	27	12			314	272	
1st L. H. Bde.														
B. H. Q.	6	38	8	55	66	4	5					1	3	
Signal Troop.		32		33	37									
8th. L. H. Regt.	23	400	21	368	481	10	19			12		1	3	
9th. L. H. Regt.	24	437	19	396	492	22	7			12		1	3	
10th. L. H. Regt.	23	412	22	374	520	2	3			12		1	3	
M. G. Squadron.	6	189	5	172	256	10	11		12				1	
Field Amblce.	5	108	3	120	90	5	9					5	6	
M. V. Section.	1	28		26	39		1							
Pot. 3rd. L. H. Bde.	68	1644	78	1544	1981	53	55		12	36		9	19	
1st L. H. Bde.														
B. H. Q.	4	26	8	50	90	2	3					3	5	
Signal Troop.	1	32		30	31									
4th. A. L. H. Regt.	24	380	17	241	328	11	10			12		1	1	
11th. L. H. Regt.	22	406	21	369	474	9	17			12		1	2	
12th. L. H. Regt.	22	409	27	551	689	60	9			12		1	3	
M. G. Squadron.	8	196	6	151	192		4		12				1	
Field Amblce.	6	105	5	76	49	26	6					5	3	
M. V. Section.	1	29	1	27	73									
Pot. 4th. Bde.	68	1583	85	1495	1926	108	49		12	36		11	15	
5th. Mtd. Bde. British.														
B. H. Q.	4	29	5	44	61	9	6					2	2	
Signal Troop.	1	38	1	40	39	6	2							
Gloucester Yeos	23	420	20	415	444	38	7			12		1	1	
9th. Hod. Horse.	15		14	12	496	59	7			17				
18th. Lancers.	15		14	13	521	55	7			17				
M. G. Squadron.	5	185	2	175	206	55	2		12					
Field Amblce.	5	73	6	68	43	69	16							
M. V. Section.	1	15	2	18	43	13								
Pot. 5th. Bde. Br.	69	760	64	785	1853	304	47		12	46		3	3	
5th. Bde. Indians														
B. H. Q.				16										
9th. Hod. Horse	18	474	17	460									28	
18th. Lancers.	17	472	15	444									20	
Field Amblce	2	73	2	78										
M. V. Section.		10		10										
Pot. 5th. Bde. I.	37	1029	34	1008									48	
Grand. Total.	350	6584	331	6447	7005	1415	206	27	12	36	118	337	309	48

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Name of Unit, etc.	STRENGTH				ANIMALS				GUNS			NATIVES. Ind.		
	(a) Effective		(b) Ration		(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	(c)	Effective.	Rationed.	Followers.	
	O.	O.R.	O.	O.R.	Horses	Mules	Camels. Donkeys.	F. A.	Maxim or Vickers	Hotchkiss. Lewis.				
Attached:-														
22nd.Mtd.Bde.														
British(P)	68	864	69	836	1825	414	46 15		12	46	3	72	116	
Indian.(P)	38	904	36	870										

Guskin Jackson
Major General.

Commanding Australian Mounted Division.

13th. July 1918.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS NO. 9.

Reference Divisional Order No. 19.

1. SUPPLIES.

- (a) 5th. Mounted Brigade will draw supplies for consumption on 18th. inst. at TALAT EL EUMM on 18th. inst..
- (b) Divisional Troops group will draw supplies for consumption on 19th. inst. at TALAT ED DUMM on 19th. inst., and for 20th. at JERICHO on 20th. inst..
- (c) 1st. L.H. Brigade will draw supplies for consumption 20th. inst. on arrival in this area near JERUSALEM reservoir.

These supplies will be drawn by the respective Companies of the Train on the day previous to the arrival of the Brigade and Divisional Troops group.

Quartermasters or their representatives and sufficient personnel to handle these supplies at TALAT ED DUMM and also the following day's supplies at JERICHO will therefore accompany the Train Companies in each case. These parties will report to the Headquarters Divisional Train at 1300 on the day of moving as given in Divisional Order No. 19.

The unexpended portion and one day's supplies will be carried by the Brigade Companies of the Train and personnel travelling with them.

2. HEADQUARTER COMPANY DIVISIONAL TRAIN.

A number of G.S. wagons, which will be notified later, will remain at SOLOMIS'S LOGS until 18th. inst. and will accompany the Divisional Troops group on its march to TALAT ED DUMM on that date.

3. SANITATION.

On vacating their respective areas, the usual certificates will be rendered by Brigades and Divisional Troops units to the A.D.M.S.

4. AREA STORES.

- (a) 5th. Mounted Brigade will strike all area store tents and dump them near the Refilling Point.
22nd. Mounted Brigade will detail a party of 2 M.C.O.'s and 6 men to take over these tents at 1200 on 17th. inst. and this guard will hand over the tents to 1st. A.L.B. Brigade at 1000 on 19th. inst.. 1st. A.L.B. Brigade will detail a party to arrive in their new area by 1000 on 19th. inst. to take over the tents.
Number of tents is 4 E.F.I.F., 65 C.D.L..
- (b) The following tents C.D.L. will be handed over to A. & K.Z. Mounted Division by Divisional Troops:-

D.H.C.	4.	M.C. Field Squadron	3
Signal Sqdn.	8.	Sanitary Section	2

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(b) (continued)

22nd. Mounted Brigade will supply 2 guards of 1 M.C.O. and 3 men each to live in the areas occupied by Signal Squadron and Headquarters Field Squadron from 1200 on 18th. to 1200 on 21st. inst.. These guards will take charge of the tents in these areas and hand them over to the incoming Anzac units.

8th. Sanitary Section will strike and dump their tents at D.H.Q. by 1200 on 18th. inst..

(c) H.Q. Australian Mounted Divisional Train will hand over 11 tents C.D.L. to 22nd. Brigade Company of 1st. Mounted Divisional Train on moving out. The latter will hand over these to Headquarters Anzac Mounted Divisional Train on arrival.

(d) Duplicate receipts will in all cases be obtained and a copy forwarded to this office.

A. J. Johnston

Lieut. Colonel.

A.A. & C.M.G. Australian Mounted Division.

15-7-18.

Issued at

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Copies to:-

1. 5th. Mounted Brigade.
2. 1st. A.L.H. Brigade.
3. 22nd. Mounted Brigade.
4. Camp Commandant.
5. Signal Squadron.
6. Field Squadron.
7. G.S. A.M.D.
8. A.D.M.S.
9. A.D.V.S.
10. A.L.H.
11. D.A.D.O.S.
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Append 5

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List No. 75.

FORM "D"

Diviston etc. Australian Mounted. Week-ending 20th. July 1918

Name of Unit, etc.	STRENGTH				ANIMALS				GUNS			Effective.	Rationed.	Followers.
	(a) Effective		(b) Ration		(a)	(b)	Camels (c)	Donkeys.	(a)	(b)	Hotchkiss (c) Lewis			
	O.	O.R.	O.	O.R.	Horses	Mules			F. A.	Maxim or Vickers				
D.H.Q. (British)	9	57	19	118	167	10	19					6	9	
" (Indian)			1	28										
19th. B. H. Qrs.	3	35	5	43	42		5						1	
A/Batt. H. A. C.	5	140	4	113	62	53	8		4				1	
B/Batt. H. A. C.	5	158	3	138	84	39	7		4				1	
Notts. R. H. A.	5	154	4	125	94	26	2		4				1	
Bde. Ammn. Col.	4	297	2	116	82	84	1						2	
Field Squadr.	9	167	9	168	220	33	3							
Signal Squadr.	8	203	8	197	147	83	6	27				16	16	
Divisional Tn.	19	257	18	240	126	479						248	259	
San. Section.	1	27	1	10	11		1					43	4	
Tot. Divl. Troops	68	1495	74	1296	1035	807	52	27	12			313	274	
3rd. L. H. Bde.														
B.H.Q.	6	40	8	52	66	4	5					1	2	
Signal Troop.		33		47	53									
8th. L. H. Regt.	23	393	22	385	460	10	19				12	1	3	
9th. L. H. Regt.	24	415	19	389	495	22	7				12	1	2	
10th. L. H. Regt.	23	394	23	374	504	2	3				12	1	3	
M.G. Squadron	6	184	6	176	247	10	11		12			5	1	
Field Amblce.	5	105	3	87	77	5	4	18				5	20	
M.V. Section.	1	28		26	60		1							
Tot. 3rd. Bde.	88	1592	81	1536	1962	53	50	18		12	36	8	31	
4th. L. H. Bde.														
B.H.Q.	4	26	8	50	80	2	3					4	5	
Signal Troop.	1	34		33	31									
4th. L. H. Regt.	24	364	16	221	309	11	10				12	1	1	
11th. L. H. Regt.	22	392	27	541	685	8	26				12	1	2	
12th. L. H. Regt.	19	403	18	361	431	60	9				12	1	3	
M.G. Squadron.	8	188	5	144	197		4		12				1	
Field Amblce.	6	102	4	77	49	26	6					5	3	
M.V. Section.	1	28	1	27	52									
Tot. 4th. L. H. Bde	85	1537	79	1454	1834	107	58			12	36	12	15	
5th. Mtd. Bde. British.														
B.H.Q.	4	30	5	46	59	9	6					2	2	
Signal Troop.	1	38	1	40	39	6	2							
Gloucester Yec	24	396	21	360	440	38	7				12	1	1	
9th. Hod. Horse	15		12	11	407	59	7				17			
18th. Lancers.	15		14	13	517	55	7				17			
M.G. Squadron.	6	186	4	172	202	55	2		12					
Field Amblce.	5	72	4	69	43	68	16					12	12	
M.V. Section.	1	14	2	17	44	12							1	
Tot. 5th. Bde. Br	71	736	63	728	1751	302	47			12	46	15	16	
5th. Bde. Indians														
B.H.Q.				12										
Signal Troop.				4										
9th. Hod. Horse.	18	454	14	332										28
18th. Lancers.	17	480	13	359										20
Field Amblce.	2	84	1	65										
M.V. Section		10		10										
Tot. 5th. Bde. Ind	37	1028	28	782										
Grand Tot. Divn.	349	6388	325	5796	6582	1269	207	45	12	36	118	348	336	48

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x Exclusive of 3 Officers & 103 ORs } Left in British Area owing to outbreak of influenza which necessitated men being isolated temporarily - T.O.

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Name of Unit, etc.	STRENGTH				ANIMALS				GUNS			NATIVES.	
	(a) Effective		(b) Ration		(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	(c)	Effective	Rationed.	Remarks
	O.	O.R.	O.	O.R.	Horses	Mules <i>Donkeys.</i>	Camels <i>Camels.</i>	F. A.	Maxim or Vickers <i>Hotchkiss</i>	Lewis			
Attached:-													
H. Q., R. A.													
Left Sector.	5	24	2	23	19	1							
18th. Bde. R. H. A.	18	751	15	693	688	213	26		13				
11th. Mtn. Batt.	5	192	5	193	11	304			4				
" " <i>INDIAN</i>													
" Seb. Ammn Col	1	31	1	31									
C/301 R. F. A.	7	130	5	116	36	77	5	4				3	
C/303 R. F. A.	5	129	5	125	70	51	5	4					
195th. H. B., R. G. A	6	112	9	126	10	8	5	4					
2nd. L. H. Bde.	95	1826	79	1872	2266	364	17 20		12	36	10	39	
Total Attached	140	3195	121	3179	3099	618	43 35	29	12	36	10	42	

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Frankie Jackson
Major General.
Commanding Australian Mounted Division.

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS NO. 10.

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Reference Divisional Order No. 21 of 25th. inst..

1. MOVE OF 12th. CAVALRY BRIGADE COMPANY OF TRAIN.

As detailed in Move Table attached.

The Brigade Train on arrival at JERICHO will be attached to and come under the orders of the O.C. Australian Mounted Divisional Train.

Rations for consumption on 28th. inst. will be drawn at JERICHO under arrangements to be made by S.S.O. AUSDIV.

2. MOVE OF 12th. CAVALRY BRIGADE LESS TRAIN COMPANY.

(a) A Staff Officer and an Engineer Officer will report at D.H.Q. at 1600 on 28th. inst. to be shown camp sites and watering arrangements.

(b) Rations for consumption on 29th. inst. will be drawn at JERICHO on 29th. inst..

Rations for consumption 30th. inst. will be taken out to refilling point by a second convoy on afternoon of 29th. inst..

3. MOVE OF 2nd. L.H. BRIGADE COMPANY OF TRAIN.

As detailed in move table attached.

Rations for consumption on 29th. inst. will be drawn on 29th. at Supply Dump, Corps Headquarters Area.

4. MOVE OF 2nd. L.H. BRIGADE LESS TRAIN COMPANY.

(a) Representatives will report to ADMINCOM Corps Headquarters Area at 1600 on 29th. for camp site and water.

(b) The trench ration will be consumed on 29th. inst., rations to complete to a full ration will be delivered on 28th. by Brigade Train.

(c) Rations for consumption on 30th. inst. will be drawn on 30th. inst. from Supply Dump Corps Headquarters Area.

(d) Advance party to take over area stores from 12th. Cavalry Brigade at camping ground TALAT ED DUMM will be sent forward with the Brigade Train.

5. STATES.

Marching out states will be wired to ADMINCOM Corps Headquarters Area 48 hours before leaving present location.

6. QUARTERMASTERS.

Quartermasters or their representatives and sufficient personnel to handle supplies drawn in advance at TALAT ED DUMM and JERICHO will accompany Brigade Companies of Trains.

These parties will report 1 hour before time of march of the various companies as given in attached table.

7. TRENCH RATIONS.

The Trench Rations (Indian Scale) in No. 2 Sub-Sector will be completed to full numbers by 31st. inst..

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8. AREA STORES.

All area stores, trench rations and water receptacles will be handed over to the incoming Brigade and receipts taken and copies of same forwarded to this office.

9. SANITATION.

Before outgoing Brigade leaves its area, the Brigade Sanitary Officer will inspect all bivouacs and forward a report as to the sanitary state of the area to A.D.M.S..

10. ANTI-MALARIA WORK.

All orders and particulars of daily working parties etc. will be handed over to the incoming Brigade.

11. ADMINISTRATIVE AREAS.

All details regarding the control of No. 2 Administrative Sub-Area will be handed over to the incoming Brigade.

12. ACKNOWLEDGE.

A. E. Robinson

Lieut. Colonel.

26-7-18.

A.A. & Q.M.G. Australian Mounted Division.

Issued at 1030 to:-

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| Copy No. 1. | 2nd. L.H. Brigade. | Copy No. 2. | 12th. Cavalry Bde. |
| 3. | C.R.A. | 4. | Field Squadron. |
| 5. | Signal Squadron. | 6. | Divisional Train. |
| 7. | S.S.O. | 8. | G.S. |
| 9. | A.D.M.S. | 10. | A.D.V.S. |
| 11. | A.F.H. | 12. | D.A.D.O.S. |
| 13. | 3rd. A.L.H. Bde. | 14. | 4th. A.L.H. Bde. |
| 15. | 13th. Uav. Bde. | 16. | "C" Descorps. |
| 17. | 4th. Cav. Div. | 18. | War Diary. |
| 19. | War Diary. | 20. | War Diary. |
| 21. | File. | | |

MOVEMENT TABLE TO ACCOMPANY ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 10.

Date.	UNIT.	FROM.	TO.	ROUTE AND TIME.	REMARKS.
night. 27/28th. July.	Train Company 12th. Cavalry Brigade.	Corps Hdqr. Area.	JERICHO.	New Road. So as to be North of JERICHO Junction of Old Roman and New Roads by 0800 on 28th. inst..	Representative to report to O.C. Australian Mounted Divisional Train at 1600 on 27th. for camp site and water.
night 28/29th. July.	Train Company 2nd. L.H. Bde.	JERICHO.	Corps Hdqr. Area.	To be clear of JERICHO at 2130. Men and horses by Old Roman Road. Vehicles by New Road (Southern).	Representatives will report to APMINCOM Corps Hdqr. Area at 1600 on 28th. inst.. for camp site and water.

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FORM "D"

List No. 76

Diviston etc. **Australian Mounted** Week-ending **27th. July 1918.**

Name of Unit, etc.	STRENGTH				ANIMALS			GUNS			NATIVES & Inc			
	(a) Effective		(b) Ration		(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	HOBOLKIS.	Effective.	Rationed.	Inc Followers.	
	O.	O.R.	O.	O.R.	Horses	Mules	Donkeys Camels	F. A.	Maxim or Vickers					
D.H.Q. (British)	10	58	20	119	167	10	21				6	9		
" (Indian)			2	28										
H.Q., R.A.	3	36	5	45	42		5						1	
"A" Batt. H.A.C.	6	140	5	111	62	55	8	4					1	
"B" Batt. H.A.C.	6	160	5	142	83	39	7	4					1	
Notts. Batt.	6	154	4	126	92	26	2	4					1	
Bde. Ammn. Col.	4	303	2	116	81	84	4						1	
Field Squadn.	9	182	7	180	220	32	3						1	
Signal Squadn.	7	230	7	192	146	38	6	25			1	16		
Divl. Train.	19	266	18	266	128	525					243	248		
San. Section.	1	24	1	12	8		1				41	4		
Tot. Divl. Tps.	71	1553	75	1335	1029	607	57	25	12		291	282		
3rd. L. H. Bde.														
B.H.Q.	5	41	7	45	70		4				1	2		
Signal Troop.		54		49	57									
8th. L. H. Regt.	25	430	24	445	570	10	21			12	1	3		
9th. L. H. Regt.	28	429	19	339	337	18	8			12		2		
10th. L. H. Regt.	23	453	22	377	471	2	3			12	1	3		
M.G. Squadron.	6	197	5	174	247	10	11		12	12		1		
Field Ambce.	6	105	6	90	75	6	4	18			5	14		
M.V. Section.	1	27		28	57		1							
Tot. 3rd. L. H. Bde.	94	1686	83	1547	1884	45	52	18		12	36	8	25	
4th. L. H. Bde.														
B.H.Q.	4	24	8	52	92	2	4				4	5		
Signal Troop.	1	41		36	31									
4th. L. H. Regt.	24	391	16	236	277	19	15			12	1	2		
11th. L. H. Regt.	24	432	27	556	691	8	29			12	1	2		
12th. L. H. Regt.	21	430	18	368	427	60	9			12	1	3		
M.G. Squadron.	9	195	4	135	197				12			1		
Field Ambce.	6	102	5	95	57	26	6				5	4		
M.V. Section.	1	28	1	27	54									
Tot. 4th. L. H. Bde.	90	1642	61	1505	1826	115	63			12	36	12	17	
13th. Cav. Bde. British.														
B.H.Q.	4	28	5	47	52	9	6							
Signal Troop.	1	38	1	40	39	6	2							
Gloucester Yec	24	404	19	348	413	38	7			12				
9th. Hod. Horse	15		12	11	486	59	7			17				
18th. Lancers.	15		14	12	508	55	7			17				
M.G. Squadron.	6	181	6	174	201	55	2		12					
Field Ambce.	5	71	4	69	44	68	16							
M.V. Section.	1	14	2	16	45	11								
Tot. 13th. Cav. Bde.	71	736	63	717	1788	301	47			12	46			
13th. Cav. Bde. Indians.														
B.H.Q.	2	6		21										
Signal Troop.				4										
Hodson's Horse	18	480	17	415									24	
18th. Lancers	17	508	14	442									20	
Field Ambce.	2	90	1	74										
M.V. Section.		10		10										
Tot. 13th. Bde. In.	37	1094	32	966									44	
Aust. Reg. Stn.	3	91	7	164	53	16	11				5	8		
Grand Total.	566	6802	341	6234	6580	1284	250	43	12	36	118	316	332	44

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Name of Unit, etc.	STRENGTH				ANIMALS				GUNS			NATIVES. Ind		
	(a) Effective		(b) Ration		(a)	(b)	(c)	(a)	(b)	(c)	Effective.	Remarks.	Followers.	
	O.	O.R.	O.	O.R.	Horses	Mules	Camels Donkeys.	F. A.	Maxim or Vickers	Howitzers				
Attached:-														
H. Q., R. A.														
Left Sector.	3	24	2	21	17									
18th. Bde. R. H. A 22		768	20	522	707	213	25	12						
439 Batt. R. F. A	3	13	4	152	43	124		4						
195th. H. Batt.	6	107	8	127	10	4	6	4				4		
11th. Mtn. Batt. B. 6		224	5	117	10	149		4						
" " Indians		30		24										
12th. L. A. M. Batt.	3	36	3	30					5					
7th. L. C. Patrol	1	19	1	19					4	1*				
2nd. L. H. Bde.	88	1761	78	1716	2156	55	14 20	12	36		8	36		
Tot. Attached.	132	2982	121	2728	2943	545	39 26	24	21	1/33	8	40		
* Lewis Gun.														

27/7/18.

Johnnie Jackson
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