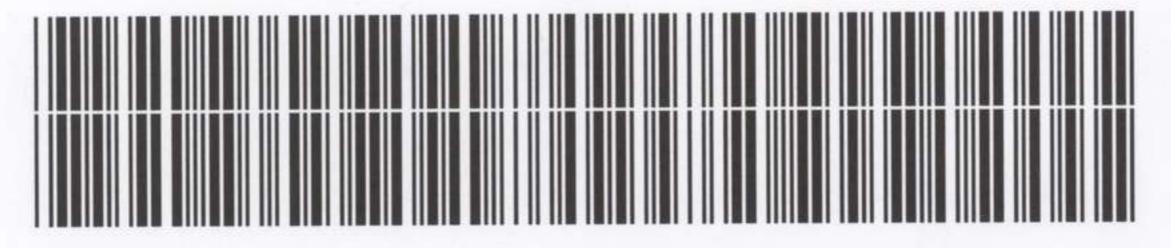
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Date.

Summary of events.

April.30th.1918.

The following troops marched out en route to the United Kingdom.

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This left the following in Camp.

AUSTRALIANS.

including 34 0/R left in Segregation Camp as Measles Contacts.

NEW ZEALANDERS.

including 25 0/R left in Segregation Camp as Measles Contacts.

May.15th.1918.

Captain.H.G. LEAHY A.A.M.C. arrived to take over duties of S.M.O. vice Major C. Lowtther Clarke. Pte. Day A.A.H.C. (Batman) also taken on strength.

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May 23rd.1918.

Major. C. Lowther Clarke, and Pte Trembath (Batman) proceeded to Cairo on Duty.

May 29th.1918.

Pto Ralph reported to A.I.F. Headquarters with four (4) V.D. Chests.

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May. 31st. 1918.

The N.Z. Transport "Willochra" arrived carrying the 36th.N.Z.Reinforcements and A.M.C. Personnel- Medical Officers. Captain TAIT S.M.O. & Lieut Hart, and 39 Other Ranks A.M.C. Total number of troops on board (1029) There were nine (9) admissions direct to Suez Government Hospital, viz. four (4) Venereal cases and five (5) General cases.

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Attached are lists of Daily admissions and Discharges from Hospital for Australian and New Zealand Troops.

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June.5th.1918.

Pte Ralph returned from A. I.F. Headquarters, Cairo.

June.6th.1918.

Conference of C.O. AUSTCAMP- O.C. Troops "WILLOCHRA"- S.M.O AustCamp- to discuss working hours. Recommended that Troops be kept under shelter between the hours of 1100 & 1600 and that at least two Bathing Parades be held weekly after 1600.

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June.7th.1918.

Notice in G.R.O's re danger of CHOLERA? TYOHUS, BILHARZIA. DYSENTERY & VENEREAL DISEASE.

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June.7th.1918.	Pte Ralph marched out to A.I.F. Headquarters Cairo for duty.	676
	0.C. & S.M.O. inspected Camp surroundings.	
	H.M.A.T. "Port Darwin" arrived carrying 718 Australian Troops. A.A.M.C. Personnel comprised Col.MILLARD C.M. Captain.LUKE, Captain HUMPHRIES and 24 Other Staff Sorgeant Dispenser, and Lieut.Maloney, and Staff Sorgeant of Australian Dental Corps	Ranks.
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June.9th.1918.	Latrines policed.	PPENDIX . 2
June, 13th.1918.	S.M.O. (Capt H.G. Leahy) reported to A.D.M.S. A.I.F. Cairo, on duty.	1 PPENDIX . Z
June.17th.1918.	Capt. Humphries A.A.M.C. reported to A.I.F. Headquarters for duty. S.M.O. accompanied A.D.M.S. A.I.F. to Port Said re fitting of "Port Darwin" as Invalid	
T	Dental Kit ex "Port Darwin" sonsigned to Dental Officer, 14th.A.G.H. Port Said.	Appendix 4.
June. 18th. 1918.	Capt. Humphries reported back to Suez for Duty Humps Contacts isolated.	Appendix L
June.19th.1918.	Capt. Humphries reported to Maoscar for Duty. Lieut Maloney A.A.D.C. reported to No.14 A.G.H. for duty.	Appendix 4
	S.M.O. interviewed P.M.O. Suez Government Hospital re Dysentery.	Oppendin 1
	E.M.O. Suez compiled list of drugs for PORT DARWIN.	Appendix 4
June.20th.1918.	Camp Sports, Boxing Contests, Capt LUKE, Medical Officer on duty, in attendance	NN.
June.21st.1918.	Fire at Oil Refinery, 2 Medical Officers and 20 A.A.M.C. other ranks in attendance.	
	Sgt. Dispenser ex Port Darwin reported to A.D.M.S. A.I.F. for Duty. Annual Meeting of the Suez Branch of Army & Navy Medical Association at Bel-Air Hotel.	Appendix
June. 22nd. 1918.	Disinfectants unobtainable from 90th. Sanitary Section. Red Cross stores arrived.	181
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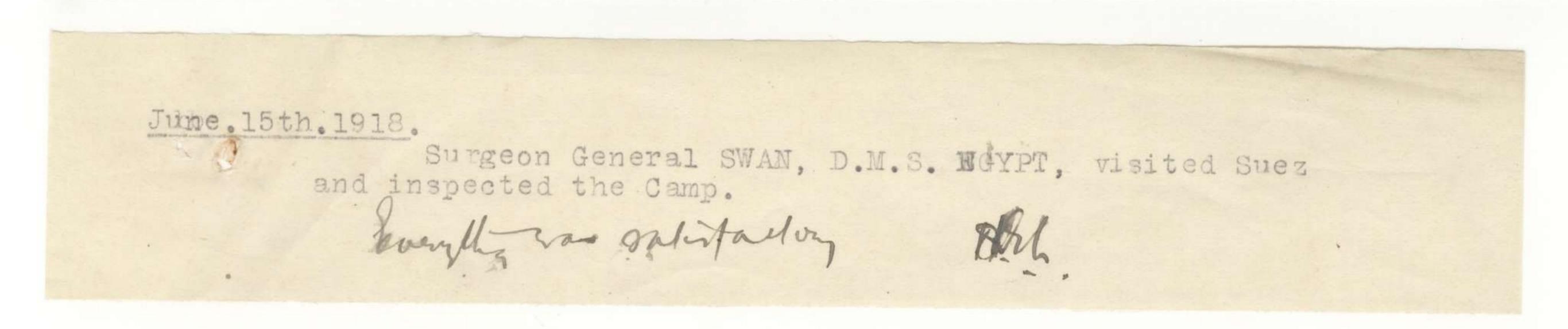
June.25th.1918.

Medical inspection of all troops.
Forwarded to A.D.M.S. particulars of two V.D. cases ex Port Darwin. S.M.O. reported to A.D.M.S. on duty.

June.26th.1918.

Iwenty three (23) other ranks A.A.M.C. marched out to Meascar for duty with A.I.F. E.E.F.

Appendix L



Date.

Summary of events.

Remarks.

June.28th.1918.

Sent short report on Infectious diseases to A.D.M.S.

P.M.O. Government Hospital, Suez, inspected Camp sanitation.

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June.29th.1918.

Afriangements made with E.M.O. Suez, re stretchers and transport of Invalids from train to Port Darwin.

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Attached are lists of Daily admissions and Discharges from Hospital for Australian and New Zealand troops.

July. 1st.1918.

Lecture to A & N.Z. Officers on First Aid. Medical Board held at Government Hospital. Suez. PRESIDENT.

Captain. H. G. LEAHY.

MEMBERS.

Captain. W. WOOD. Captain. A. E. TAYLOR.

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A.D.M.S. A.I.F. arrived at Suez.

July. 2nd.1918.

A.D.M.S. AIF. arranged with S.M.O. Suez, and O.C. 6th.Military Laboratory for suspension of all Appendix/2 other work while Stools & Swabs from Camp are being examined.

July. 3rd.1918.

Report from Laboratory re 26 Stool specimens and 23 Nose & Throat Swabs. Stools of (1) Officer-Lieut Gresham, N.Z.Dental Corps and (11) other- Appendix / ranks returned as suspicious.

The following troops marched out en route to the United Kingdom.

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NEW ZEALANDERS.

OFF. O/R.

28 929.

The following? "Troops in transit" were left in camp.

OFF. O/R.

NEW ZEALANDERS.

The following "Troops in Transit" were left in Suez, Government Hospital.

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NEW ZEALANDERS.

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As is usually the case with new troops coming to Egypt, the number of cases of Diarrhoea in the 36th. New Zealand Reinforcements. was very large from the beginning of their stay at Suez.

Several of these cases exhibited the Clinical signs of Dys-

entery and they were admitted to Hospital.

Steps were immediately taken to strictly enforce Camp Orders with regard to Sanitation, and the staff of Sanitary Police was doubled.

Disinfectants were provided in all Latrines and the Police were instructed to report any man who neglected to make use of the disinfectants provided for washing hands.

Several apparently mild Diarrhoea's suddenly became very ill. and the possibility of their being Bacillary Dysentery was confirmed on

their being admitted to Suez Government Hospital.

With so many Diarrhoea's in Camp these sudden illnesses provided food for grave reflection and orders were issued that any man with the slightest sign of Diarrhoea who did not report on the next sick parade, would be severely dealt with.

Stool specimen tubes were procured, but only a limited number as the Military Laboratory at Tewfik was barely able to cope with the work of the various Hospitals.

As examinations could not be made of all cases of Diarrhoea and as the number of men suffering from Diarrhoea was much greater than the available Hospital accommodation, the Diagnosis and disposal of Dysentery cases seemed to present considerable difficulty.

Remembering how suddenly and gravely ill Mild Diarrhoeas had in various instances, suddenly become, the lack of Laboratory

facilities appeared very serious.

There were only Clinical signs to determine a man's fitness or otherwise, and these were unreliable.

Rumours of embarkation were current among the troops and the possibility of missing the boat through being detained in Hospital was responsible for many men not reporting sick until their condition became very serious.

The existence of such a state of things reflects the greatest credit on the keenness of the men to get to France, but it is feared that a good deal of infection was spread by such men in spite of all precautions.

Comparing the figures for N.Z. Troops with the Australian figures, it is seen that Dysentery was confined almost exclusively to New Zealand troops, but a few Australians developed the infection. though in a mild form.

The Fact that New Zealand troops developed Dysentery in such a severe form, while the Australians remained more or less immune pointed to one or two things, viz:

That the New Zealand troops were living in surroundings to which they were more unaccustomed than were the Australians. It is possible that the conditions existing in Australia in Winter, when these troops embarked, more closely resembled conditions in Suez, than does a New Zealand winter, in which Heat and Dust would hardly exist.

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(2) That the New Zealand troops already had the disease among them in a latent form.

Several of the men who paraded sick and were found to be infected, stated that ever since Gallipoli where they had suffered with Bacillary Dysentery, they had been subject to mild Diarrhoea.

Mr Fidler a N.Z. Y.M.C.A. Secretary, said he had Diarrhoea on landing from the "Willochra" and was walking about for a couple of days before his condition obliged him to parade sick.

This man developed the disease in a severe form and eventually died.

Dysentery convalescents when evacuated from the Suez Government Hospital were sent back to the Camp, although they were still infective. Precautions were taken to prevent any one being infected from these carriers, and all Dysentery convalescents were provided with separate Messing and Latrine accommodation

The order dealing with the use of disinfectants after visiting latrines was rigidly enforced.

The disinfectants were placed outside the latrines and a Sanitary Policeman was on duty night and day at each latrine, to see the disinfectants were used.

The incubation period being so variable, prevented us from seeing if these extra measures had any effect on the spread of the disease.

The Camp was inspected at different times by; SURGEON GENERAL SWAN, D.M.S. EGYPT:- LT-COL DAWSON, D.S.O., A.D.M.S. A.I.F. EGYPT:- LT-COL PRIDMORE, S.M.O. SUEZ:- Dr. CRESWELL, P.M.O. SUEZ GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL:- and the O.C. 90th.SANITARY SECTION:-

No serious fault was discovered on any occasion.

when this Camp was planned and the Cook-houses built, unfortunately no cement or stone floors were laid down. Suez is very windy and the proximity of this Camp to a busy Aerodrome means a considerable amount of dust, but all precautions have been taken since the beginning of the Camp, to prevent food being contaminated by dust.

The Mess Huts immediately adjoin the Cook-houses, and the windward sides of cook-houses have been kept closed

All dixies and eating utensils were cleaned with sand-baked in trays in cook-house ovens.

Safes were kept fly-proof and tables scrubbed continually with soap & soda; floors were kept as sterile as possible with dis-

infectants.

No man with any suspicion of Diarrhoea was employed as Cook, Mess Orderly, or in the Q.M. Store. Any man employed in any of these capacities, had his stool examined when the Laboratory was able to do it.

Before embarkation, Lt-Col DAWSON D.S.O., A.D.M.S. A.I.F. interviewed the S.M.O. Suez, and the O.C. No.6 Military Laboratory, Tewfit to make arrangements for suspension of other work while the Stools of all Diarrhoeas in Camp & all Dysentery Convalescents were examined. This was agreed to, and by working night and day Capt. Horne of the Laboratory was able to examine and report upon all stools sent to him. The result was that every man of whom the slightest suspicion existed was bacteriologically examined.

Those who were found to be free from Dysentery were allowed to proceed while the definitely infective and all suspicious cases were

retained in Camp.

The organism idolated in most cases of Dysentery from this Camp was C.L.A, though one case of Amoebic Dysentery occurred. This maximum man had previously contracted Dysentery on Gallipoli and in all probability, the Amoebic Dysentery he showed here was a long standing complaint.

Attached are graphs tracings of

- (1). Diarrhoeas parading sick.
- (2). Cases of above Diangosed as Dysentery.
- (3). Dysentery cases in Hospital.

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MUMPS.

when the "Port Darwin" arrived in Suez, it was found that a number of Mumps cases were in Isolation. These were admitted to the Suez Government Hospital and arrangements were made to isolate contacts should further cases occur in Camp.

Previous to the arrival of Australian troops ex "Port Darwin" no cases of Mumps had occurred among the New Zealand troops ex "Willochra" and when eventually the first of the two New Zealand cases did occur, it was a fortnight after the arrival of the "Port Darwin", which incubation period points to Australian Troops as being the source of infection.

Camp. That it was not unwise to isolate these contacts is indicated by the number of men who developed the complaint while in isolation.

Most cases were of a mild form, with the infection confined to the Parotid Gland. In one case the Submaxillary Gland alone apparently was infected. In one case Orchitis appeared without any apparent infection of the Salivary Glands.

A few of the cases developed a mild Orchitis.

Attached is graph tracings of admissions to Hospital.

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DIPHTHERIA.

Camp of New Zealand and Australian troops from the "Willochra" and "Port Darwin" respectively

The cases were sent to Suez Government Hospital and the contacts isolated completely from the remainder of the troops.

The Noses & Throats of these contacts were douched & gargled several times daily with 1% Formalin and during the period of isolation the Throat & Nose swabs of all, were examined & found negative for K.L. on three successive occasions.

As with the Diarrhoeas, orders were issued that all cases of sore throat must report on sick parades as soon as possible.

The first case of Diphtheria was an Australian soldier who reported sick on June 17th, 1918. The second case was a New Zealander who reported sick on June 25th, 1918. The third case reported sick on 1st July, 1918.

Prior to embarkation Nose & Throat swabs of all contacts were found to be negative for K.L. and they were allowed to proceed.

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HEALTH OF TROOPS.

Considering the fact that the Australian and New Zealand Troops occupying this Camp during the month of June, were almost without exception, new troops fresh from the inaction and softening influences of shipboard, and in a tropical. insanitary country, to which they were not acclimatized, their general health was fairly satisfactory.

That an epidemic of Bacillary Dysentery broke out is to be regretted, but it is difficult to establish the real reason for the outbreak. A number of causes may have contributed to it and the fact that the Camp was formely occupied by French troops and that previous Australian and New Zealand drafts had occupied the site during the winter and spring months and never during the heat of summer indicates a possible predisposing cause.

The village of ARBEEN immediately adjoining the Camp was known to be a typical Egyptian village in that various endemic diseases previaled. During June cases of Bubonic Plague Typhus and Ameebic Dysentery and Cholera might be there undetected was responsible for various food and leave restrictions being imposed on both Officers and men.

Uncooked vegetables were forbidden and the troops were warned against such articles as, ice-cream, Ginger Ale, Ginger Beer, Fruit. Sweets etc. By arrangement with the APM. Sucz restaurants were forbidden to offer these articles for sale to men from this Camp, under penalty of having their premises declared "out of bounds".

The Railway siding alongside the Camp- Wabour-el-Maya Station.

is constantly being used to embark troops.

During June these troops have been mostly native troops from India and the practice of marching them on to the platform during the afternoon and entraining them any time next morning rather encourages insanitation. That this area is being fouled is very obvious after each lot aft of troops has departed, for there is invariably ocular and olfactory evidence in quantity as to the thoroughness with which these troops neglected to use the latrines provided.

To suggest that such troops behaving thus should be regarded as a possible source of infection is not unreasonable. Complaints from time to time had curiously little effect.

On one occasion during June a G.R.O. misunderstood by the Health Authorities of Suez, led them to open all of one issue of canned

meat, for the purpose of inspection.

The result was that they sent on what was considered suitable for this Camp, and it is only charitable to suppose that the meat consigned to us was superior to the meat we received. The meat arrived here with all man tins open and uncovered; it was condemned forthwith.

It is only fair to state that when this anomaly was pointed out, the Health Authorities were satisfied to let the Camp Medical Officer's judge as to the suitability or otherwise of the rations for the future.

The C.O. of this Camp gave the Medical Officers every assistance with regard to sanitation and men & extra measures were always forth-coming unhesitatingly on the recommendation of the S.M.O.

TRAINING OF A.M.C. PERSONNEL.

The total number of "Other Ranks" of the Australian and New Zealand Medical Corps in the Camp during June, was great than sixty, and the facilities for training them were few. On this account the absence of even a small field hospital was unfortunate, though the establishment of an "Observation Text" provided some of them with the elementary ideas of sick nursing.

Lectures on First Aid, particularly with respect to the use of

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the "First Field Dressing" and sundry other lectures as per list attached were delivered, but little of the practical side was available.

Fortunately only on rare occasions did Aeroplanes from the near by Aerodrome crash in our lines, but these few occasions enabled A.M.C. personnel to get an idea of what to do in case of necessity, though greatly discouraged and misinformed by the local product of a London Branch of the St.Johns Ambulance.

but it would not have been inadvisable to detach a number of A.M.C. personnel to the Suez Government Hospital for duty during their stay in Suez. I believe this was suggested to the P.M.O. of the Hospital on one occasion but for some reason it was not enthusiastically received, and so the matter dropped.

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June. 8th.18.	60.	116.
June. 9th.18.	41	27.
June.10th.18.	50.	103.
June.11th.18.	29.	109.
June.12th.18.	72.	95.
June.13th.18.	78.	90.
June.14th.18.	63.	84.
June.15th.18.	29.	36.
June.16th.18.	29.	38.
June.17th.18.	63.	96.
June.18th.18.	70.	92.
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June.21st.18.	44.	81.
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June.17th.18.		-	*** 0			1.	2.	
June.18th.18.			*** 0			3.	***	** 0
June.19th.18.						3.	*** **	*** **
June.20th.18.			*** **					
June.21st.18.		1.	*** **			1.	500 g	
June . 22nd . 18.		-	****			2.	***	*** 0
June. 23rd. 18.						3.	***	
June.24th.18.			1000 0			2.	***	-
June.25th.18.		*** *	***			4.		407 4
June.26th.18.						***	-	***
June. 27th. 18.		*** 0					***	***
June.28th.18.			-00 0			***	400 4	60 8
June.29th.18.			***			co 6	***	600 4
June.30th.18.			400			4	***	
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AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL

DAILY ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL, MAY 1918.

AUSTRALIAN TROOPS.

Date.	Diarrhoea.	Dysentery.	Mumps.	V.D.	Ingluenus. Measles.	
May. 1st.18.				***	1.	
May. 2nd.18.			-			
May. 3rd.18.						
fay. 4th.18.						
day. 5th.18.		-,	2.		***	
May. 6th.18.		***		***		
May. 7th.18						
lay. 8th.18.				*** 0		
May. 9th. 18.			1.			
May. 10th. 18.			***		1. Appendicitis	1.
May.11th.18.		~ 0			Cramps	L.
lay.12th.18.	1.					
Iay.13th.18.				*** 0	1.	
May. 14th. 18.	l.					
May.15th.18.					Tonsillitis	1.
May.16th.18.		****	0			
May. 17th. 18.			1.			
May. 18th. 18.					***	
Lay.19th.18.				0	- Influenza	1.
lay.20th.18.					(Sep. Throat	1.
May.21st.18.	76° g		- mar 4	***	***	
May. 22nd. 18.			***			
lay. 23rd.18.						
day.24th.18.			***			
lay . 25th . 18.	9.					
May.26th.18.						
May.27th.18.				- 4		
lay.28th.18.						
May.29th.18.						
lay.30th.18.	Ma g	****		*****		
lay.31st.18.		0				
	2.	***	3.		3. Various	6.

ADMIS	SSIONS &	DISCHARGES	AUSTRALIA	TROOPS MAY 191	.8.	
Date.		Admission		Die	charge	es.
	Infectio	us . V. D. Ger	neral.	Infectious	· V.D.	General.
May. Ist.18.	l.	total G	62 G	8.	-	I s
May. 2nd.18.	*** 0	-		2.	***	3.
May. 3rd.18.				1.		4.
May. 4th.18.			-	1.		7.
May. 5th.18.			au .	3.		3.
May. 6th.18.			em 6	1.	90	2.
May. 7th.18.				5.		5.
May. 8th.18.	es 4	****	-	1.		
May. 9th.18.	1.			1.		
May.10th.18.	1.		1.	2,0		1.
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May.12th.18.	en e		1.			
May.13th.18.	1.	****	en 0	3.		1.
May.14th.18.	100 5	00 00	1.	1.	1.	6.
May.15th.18.	- mar 13	sa g	1.	1.	es 10	2.
May.16th.18.				COD (5)		
May.17th.18.	1.			4.	MAD (0)	3.
May.18th.18.		***	O		1.	
May.19th.18.			7			
May 20th.18.			20	ala O		7
May.21st.18.		400 0			7 .	10
May. 22nd.18.		***		3.	1.	10
How O'Zma 70	5 S	400 0	43 0		est 0	l.
May 23rd .18.		*** 0	eo. 9	7	***	2.
May 24th. 18.		****	*** 6	1.		1.
May. 25th.18.		NOW 25	*** g		as 0	1.
May. 26th. 18.	NOW 10	- 0	ec 0	Lo	*** 0	***
May. 27th. 18.					D	
May 28th 18.	0		*** 4	1.	0	2.
May.29th.18.	***		*** 0	***	~ 0	*** 0
May.30th.18.	- CO - CO	no 0	CO 0	*** D	** 6 .	en 6
May.31st.18.		0	~ 0		0	20
Total:	6.		8.	43.	3.	49. 181

ADMISSIONS & DISCHARGES AUSTRALIAN TROOPS JUNE 1918.

Date	Infectious	aission		Infectious	arges.	eneral.
June 1st.18.	- a B	- 0	NO 0		- 0	- 0
June. 2nd.18.			MOS - 40	•	160 D	
June.3rd.18.		***		1.		
June. 4th.18.	*** 0	0				1.
June. 5th.18.	- ME - D					1.
June. 6th.18.					0	
June. 7th.18.	7.	3.	13.9		B	
June. 8th.18.	9.		1.			
June. 9th. 18.	. 1.0					1.0
June.10th.18.		****	2.		- •	3.
June.11th.18.	*** **	1.	1.	***	0	*** 0
June.12th.18.			1.			1.
June.13th.18.			1.			*** 0
June.14th.18.		1.	2.			
June.15th.18.	***	0	2.			2.
June.16th.18.			1.		0	1.
June.17th.18.	1.	0	7.			1.
June . 18th . 18.	2.	- 0	3.	0	war 16	1.
June.19th.18.	3.		4.	- 0		2.
June.20th.18.	3.		1.			1.
June.21st.18.	4.	1.	3.6	1.0		1.
June.22nd.18.	2.	0	2.	5.		1.
June.23rd.18.	4.		3.	1.	0	6.
June.24th.B8.	3.		2.	0		
June.25th.18.	1.		2.	- CO - CO		5.
June.26th.18.	2.		3.	0		1.
June. 27th. 18.			4.	wa 0	w 0 41	
June.28th.18.	1.0		4.	wer 6		2.0
June.29th.18.	1.	men (y	4.	1.	1.	4.
June.30th.18.			4.			7.
Total:	35.	6.	71.	9.		42.

Note. 6
June. 9th.18. 1 Case Influenza discharged & re-admitted Measles.

June.21st.18. 1 Case Mumps discharged & re-admitted Influenza.

June.28th.18. 1 Case Diarrhoea discharged & re-admitted Dysentery.

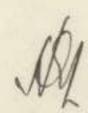
9 direct admissions from Port Darwin.

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL. JUNE. 1918.

AUSTRALIAN TROOPS.

Date.	Diarrhoea.	Dysentery.	V.D.1	Aumps.	Influenz	18.	
June. 1st.18.				;	0		
June. 2nd.18.		0	0	-			
June. 3rd.18.	0		- 0	- 4	0		
June. 4th.18.			0	4			
June. 5th.18.				** 0			
June. 6th.18.			-0	- 0			
June. 7th.18.			3.0	7.0	12.0	Rhoumatism Ø/	1.
June. 8th.18.	- 0	0	0	0	0	Tonsillitis	1.
June. 9th.18.	0	- 4	0	· a	0		
June.10th.18.		0	- 0	0	7.0	Quinsy	1.
June.11th.18.	1.		1.	0			
June.12th.18.				0		Bronchitis	1.
June.13th.18.				0		Synovitis	1.
June.14th.18.	1.		1.			Tonsillitis	1.
June.15th.18.	1.			0	1.		
June.16th.18.				** 6	1.		
June.17th.18.	1.				6.	Diphtheria	1.
June.18th.18.	1.		2.	*** 0	2.		
June.19th.18.			3.	3.	3.	Gas Enteritis	1.
June. 20th. 18.	1.		*** 0	3.			
June.21st.18.	2.		1.	4.			
June . 22nd . 18.	1.			2.	1.		
June. 23rd. 18.	2.			3.	***	Scabies 1.Sep	Fincer 1
June.24th.18.				3.		Inj Penis	1.
						Spr Ankle	l.
June.25th.18.				1.	1.	Otorrhoea	1.
June.26th.18.	1.			2.		Hydrocele	1.
S OUTTO & NO OTT & TO &	ole S			~ 0		Sore Toes	1.
June. 27th. 18.		-		-	2.	Tonsillitis	2.
June. 28th. 18.	2.					Rheumatism	1
ANIIG & VOUIT & TO &	10.0		00 0			Castritis	i.
June.29th.18.	2.			7	1.	Tonsillitis	
June.30th.18.	9	- 0		70		Bronchitis	1.
arria o o o ni o To o	60						7.0
						Gastritis	7.0
Total:	18.		8	29.	31.		22
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Note. / Direct admissions from "Port Darwin"



ADMISSION	S & DISCH	ARGES NE	W ZEALAN	D TROOPS MAY 19	18.		
Date		Admissi	CONTRACTOR OF A STREET, CANADA		Discharg	es.	
	Infection	ous. V. D.	Jeneral.	Infectio	us. V. D.	General.	
May. 1st.18.						The same of the sa	
May. 2nd.18.				1.		l.	-1.5
May. 3rd.18.				3.			
May. 4th.18.	0	- •	- D	4.	Q	2.	
May. 5th.18.			7.0			1.	
May. 6th.18.			7	2.			
May. 7th.18.			The s	1.		4	
May. 8th.18.	*	- 0				1.	
May.9th. 18.			20			0	
May.10th.18.			****	1.		6	
May.11th.18.			0	1.		- 0	
May.12th.18.						- 0	
May.13th.18.			7		- •		
May. 14th. 18.			10	ate o		1.	
May.15th.18.			- 0	1.		2.	
May.16th.18.	-	- •		B	0	I.	
May.17th.18.			6		0	*** 0	
May, 18th. 18.	***	6	- 0	T.		ma 6	
May.19th.18.	G		0		*** 5	***	
May. 20th. 18.		-			- 0	1.	
May. 21st. 18.	*** *	- •	7			900 g	
May. 22nd. 18.	*** 0		7.0	*** 6	-	1.	
May. 23rd. 18.	- 0						
May.24th.18.	-				*** 0		
May. 25th. 18.		*** 6	- •	1.		***	
May. 26th. 18.	•		****			0	
May. 27th. 18.	***				0	0	
May. 28th. 18.		-				***	
May. 29th. 18.	0	*** A	6			2.	
May.30th.18.		0		-		10	
May.31st.18.		4.	5° d		- 0	10	agent age growthy
	TAL	4.	11.	17.		16. 10/	_

ADMISSIONS & DISCHARGES NEW ZEALAND TROOPS JUNE 1918.

Date.	Admissio	ns.		Discharges		
Ta	afectious. V. D.	District Control	Infecti	ous. V. D. Ger	neral.	-
Juha. 1st.18.				war de	- C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C - C	
June. 2nd.18.	-	1.		***	***	
June. 3rd.18.		1.	****			
June. 4th.18.	2.	1.	***		1.	
June. 5th.18.		1.		***	1.	
June. 6th.18.	*** 6		***		l. Died.	
June. 7th.18.		5.				
June. 8th. 18.		2.		***	. 4.9	
June. 9th.18.	4.0	1.	= 4		2.9	
June . 10th. 18.		7 .	L.		2.0	
June.11th.18.	1. 2.	6.				
June.12th.18.	*** *** ***	4.0	***		. 24	
June.13th.18.	1:	48	***	1.	***	
June.14th.18.		11.	*** 6	*** 0	. 1.	THE REAL
June.15th.18.		7 .	0	****		
June. 16th. 18.	2.9,	2.		****	2.09	
June.17th.18.	1.0 2.	10.	*** **	NO 0	0.9	
June.18th.18.	1.0	8.	**		. 3.9	
June.19th.18.	1	6.			0 .	
June. 20th. 18.		6.	*** 6		. 1.	
June.21st.18.	6.0,	8.	*** 0		. 0 . 9	
June 22nd 18.	1.00	3.	****		1.0	
June.23rd.18.	1.	5.		***	. 0 .	
June.24th.18.	W 0 / W 3	3.	1	-	7.0	
June 225th. 18.	6.0	2*	(died.1) 5.	1.	14*	
June.26th.18.		7.	122-2 7 12		72 1	
June. 27th. 18.	109	6.	(died.l.)].		3.9	
June.28th.18.	2.00,	7 *	4.0	ali 6	3.9	
June . 29th . 18.	1.9	2.			2.00	
June. 30th.18.		40	2.		4.0	
Total:	31. 4.	128.	16.	3,	74.	
		908		NO - 100 CO - 111 NOW THE THE NOT NOW AND NOW		- HARP
Note.9th.June	.lCase Discha	rged & Re-	-admitted as	Dyesntery.		
	1Case Gastri		-	-admitted	leastes.	
	.2cases Diarri	1068	do		lysentery.	
17th.June			do	do	do	
18th.June			do	do	do	
21st.June	.6 cases do		do	do	do	
22nd.June	.l case do .5 Cases. 27t	do	ao do	a o do	2041	
25th. June	e.5 Cases. 27t	h.June. 1	case. Zuth.J	une . zuasos.	savon June 1	· GST(20)
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DAILY ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL. MAY. 1918.

HEW MEALAND TROOPS.

Date.	Diarrhoea.	Dysentery	.Mumps	V.D.M	easle	S.
Mov. let 10			HE NO 400 CD AD -			
May. 2nd.18.						
May. 3rd.18.			-	- •		
May. 4th.18.		-		-		Gastritis 1.
May. 5th.18.						7.0
May. 6th.18.				-	***	Influenza 1.
May. 7th.18.	-		-			and a factorization and a
May. 8th.18.	2.			***		
May. 9th.18.						
May.10th.18.						
May.11th.18.			** 0		-	
May.12th.18.						
May.13th.18.	***			-		Burn on ankle 1.
May.14th.18.						
May.15th.18.			a	-		
May.16th.18.		0		0		
May.17th.18.						
May.18th.18.				- 0		
May. 19th. 18.				- 0		
May.20th.18.						
May.21st.18.			40 0			Septic throat. 1.
May. 22nd. 18.	-					
May. 23rd.18.					0	
May. 24th. 18.	100 %					
May. 25th. 18.			- 4			
May. 26th. 18.	*** 2					
May. 27th. 18.				0		
May. 28th. 18.		-				
May. 29th. 18.		-				
May.31st.18.				4.9	0	Phthsis 1. Nephritis 2.
						Rheumatism 1. Myocarditis 1.
			-			
	2.	MF 9		4.	***	Various 9.
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ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL. JUNE. 1918.

NEW ZEALAND TROOPS.

Date. June. 1st.18. June. 2nd.18.	Diarrhoea.	Dysenter;	y . V . D .	Turans -	Influen	79.	
		the same and the same and the same and the				THE CO. III	
Tuna - 2nd TA		-,	-,	- 0			
A MITTO A WITH A MY O A	***		- 0			Nasal Catarrh	1.
June. 3rd.18.				-	** *	Helminthisis	1.
June. 4th.18.		2.		0		Lumbago	1.
June. 5th.18.				** *	4M 19	Appendicitis	1.
June. 6th.18.		*** 4	0				
June. 7th.18.	2.					3/Stroke	1.
						Tonsillitis	1.
						Chronic Otorrho	
June. 8th.18.	2.						000
June. 9th.18.	20	2.	-		-	Haemorrhoids	1.
June.10th.18.	6.	** 0				Gastritis	1.
June.11th.18.	2.	1.	2.		-	Nephritis	1.
						Heat Stroke	1.
						Pleurisy	7
						Haematuria	1.
Jone.12th.18.	1.				3.	THE GIRES O INT. T.C.	7.0
June.13th.18.	3.	1.				Cellulitis	1.
June.14th.18.	8.				1.	Gas Enteritis	
					7. 0	Ret. of Urine	1.
June.15th.18.	6.				1.	Mane at ottue	1.0
June.16th.18.	1.			- 0	1.		
June. 17th. 18.	5.		2.		2.	Rheumatism	3
			~ 0			Conjunctivitis	1.
						Haemorrhoids	
June.18th.18.	7.	1		-		Sunstroke	1.
June.19th.18.	3.		44.0	1.	1.	Rheumatism	1.
THE RESERVE			0	40	7.0	Gas-Enteritis	1.
June.20th.18.	4.				2.	GER-MINGLINIS	1.
June. 21st. 18.	6.		44 9				
June. 22nd. 18.	2.		0		2.		
June.23rd.18.	3.			7	1.		
			- 0	1.	2.		
June. 24th. 18.	3.	-0		-3		70.8 - 2 - 2 - 2 - 2	
June. 25th. 18.	2.		** 4	0		iphtheria	1.
June. 25th. 18.	4.	0		0	1.	Colic	1.
Firm o OWala 7 O	1					Purparis Rash	1.
June.27th.18.	4.		0	***	0	Iritis.1. Ulcer	1.
June.28th.18.	6.	*** 0	- 0	0		Haemorrhoids	1.
June. 29th. 18.	1.				0	Inguinal Swellin	g l.
June.30th.18.	1.		- 0	- 0		Quinsy	1.
Total:	82.	6.	4.	2.	17.	Various	30.

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Discharges From Hospital. June 1918.

AUSTRALIAN TROOPS.

Pate.	Diarrhoea.	Dysenter,	y.V.D.I	nfluer	iza.	
Tune. 1st.18.		~.				
une.2nd.18.		-				
une.3rd.18.		-	-		Mumps.	7
une. 4th.18.					Fistula	1.
une. 5th.18.			-		Ing. Glands.	1.
une. 6th.18.			-	- 6	O T THE CONTROL OF	7.0
une. 7th.18.		-,	****	-		
une. 8th.18.	****					
une. 9th.18.		Nº 3				
uno.10th.18.	9.			3.		
une.llth.18.				100 g	Aptheitie	7
une.12th.18.					Arthritis	7
une.13th.18.					The second at the state of the	70
une.14th.18.						
une.15th.18.	***			2.		
une.16th.18.			44.		Quinsy	7
une.17th.18.				1.	Country M.	1.
une.18th.18.				1.		
une.19th.18.				1.	Tonsillitis	7
une.20th.18.					Boil on knee	1.
ane.21st.18.			-	1.	TOUTH OIL TIEGO	1.
nne.22nd.18.	1.				Mumps	
ane.23rd.18.	1.		-		Mumps. 1. Bronchitis	5.
me.24th.18.				-	Te DIOUGHIRE	1.
me. 25th. 18.	2.			3.		
me.26th.18.	- MK 4				Enlarged tonsila	-
me. 27th. 18.					THE POR SOUGHTS	1.
me.28th.18.				-	Scabies	7
me.29th.18.			1.		Measles 1. Spr Ankle	1.
ne.30th.18.	2.	-	100.0	4.	Hydrocele.left.	I.
					-Autropara erare	l.
Total:	6.		1.	2.3	Various 19.	



DISCHARGES FROM HOSPITAL. JUNE.1918.

. NEW ZEALAND TROOPS.

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Date.	Diarrhoea	. Dysentery.	V.D.	Influe	nza.
June. 1st.18.	100	0	0	***	
June. 2nd.18.					
June. 3rd.18.		0			
June. 4th.18.	*****		-		Pneumonia 1.
June. 5th.18.				0	Eythema Nedosum 1.
Hune.6th.18.				***	Myocarditis (Died) 1.
June. 7th.18.			-		A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A A
June. 8th.18.					
June. 9th.18.				***	
June.10th.18.	1.	1.	***	-	Helminthiasis 1.
June. 11th. 18.					Helminthiasis 1.
June.12th.18.	2.		-		
June.13th.18.			1.		
June.14th.18.	-	-	~ 0		Rheumatism 7.
June, 15th.18.		***			nneumatism 1.
June.16th.18.			-		
June .17th.18.	-			2.	
June.18th.18.	1.	1.			The average of the
June.19th.18.	-				Haemorrhoids 1.
June.20th.18.	1.				H/stroke 1. Lumbago 2.
June 21st 13.	-7-0	. MT 4			
June . 22nd . 18.				0	
June.23rd.18.	9			- 0	alabier a ma es a
June . 24th . 18.	2.	9		20	S/stroke 1. Pleuvisy 1.
June . 25th . 18.	4.	Oma E Diad	7		Gastro-Enteritis 1.
	5.	One.5. Died	1.		Catarrh 1.G/Enteritis 1.
June .26th.18.	1.	2 7 704 - 3	4		Haemoorhoids 1.
June . 27th . 18.		1.Died.	-	Lo	Rheumatism 1.
June. 28th. 18.	1.	Lo	70		
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June.11th.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Capt.	LUKE.
June .12th.18.	Capt.	LUKE.	Capt.	HUMPHRIES.
June.13th.18.	Capt.	HUMPHRIES.	Lieut.	HART.
June.14th.18.	Lieut.	HART.	Capt.	TAIT.
June.15th.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Capt.	LUKE.
June.16th.18.	Capt.	LUKE.	Capt.	HUMPHRIES.
June.17th.18.	Capt.	HUMPHRIES.	Lieut.	HART.
June.18th.18.	Lieut.	HART.	Capt.	TAIT.
June.19th.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Capt.	LUKE.
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June.21st.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Lieut.	HART.
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June.23rd.18.	Capt.	LUKE.	Capt.	TAIT.
June.24th.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Lieut.	HART.
June.25th.18.	Lieut.	HART.	Capt.	LUKE.
June.26th.18.	Capt.	LUKE.	Capt.	TAIT.
June.27th.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Liout.	HART.
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June.29th.18.	Capt.	LUKE.	Capt.	TAIT.
June.30th.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Liout.	HART.
July. 1st.18.	Lieut.	HARW.	Capt.	LUKE.
July. 2nd.18.	Capt.	LUKE.	Capt.	TAIT.
July. 3rd.18.	Capt.	TAIT.	Lieut.	HART.
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The Medical Officer on Duty will be on duty from 6 am. to 6 am. He will attend the 7.45 am. and the 4.15 pm. parades, and will be available for

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all emergency calls. Should be leave the vicinity of his quarters or the Officer's Mess, he will leave instructions at the Inspection Hut as to where he is to be found.

Men requiring Dental attention will report on ordinary Sick Parades.

The M.O. detailed for Morning Sick Parade will attend also all Bathing Parades and Route Marches.

LECTURES AS FOLLOWS TO BE DELIVERED TO A.M.C. PERSONNEL.

Date.		Subject	Leci	turer
21.6.18.	The	"SKELETON & FRACTURES"	Lieut.	HART.
24.6.18.		"HARMMORHAGE & TREATMENT"	Capt.	LUKE.
27.6.18.	The	"FORWARD DRESSING STATION"	Capt.	TAIT.
1.7.18.		#SANITATION"	Capt.	LEAHY. S.M.O.

Each lecturer will make his own arrangements regarding time & place.

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OBSERVATION TENT.

From time to time men suffering from minor complaints such as simple sprains, heat exhaustion, scorpion bites, transient gastritis, headache etc. appeared on sick parade.

The necessity for a intermediate stage between Duty & Hospital seemed necessary and for the purpose of establishing such a place a marquee with beds made of stretchers supported by sand-bags was erected.

The purpose of this "Observation Tent" was to provide accommodation for men whom the M.O. desired to keep under observation for not longer than twenty four hours. When it was found that any man required more treatment he was evacuated to Hospital.

This tent was the means of supplying many indisposed men, who would not in any case have been evacuated to Hospital, with a few comforts such as, a more comfortable bed than the hard ground, and cool drinks and soft food, during the short period of their indisposition.

The necessity for providing even a short training for A.M.C. personnel was obvious and this observation tent enabled many orderlies to learn something, if only a little, of the duties with which they were expected to be conversant.

Attached is table of admissions to Observation Tent.

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MEDICAL STORES.

All Medical Stores from New Zealand Transports are left on board the ship.

All Medical Stores from Australian Transports are brought

from the ship to this Camp, where they are checked and stored. Invalid Transports leaving Egypt for Australia are stocked with Medical & Surgical equipment as far as possible from the Camp Medical Store, any shortages being supplied by the E.M.O. Suez,

During June four (4) Sea Transport V.D. Boxes were sent from this Store to A.I.F. Headquarters to be forwarded to Light Horse Field Ambulances in Palestine.

Medical equipment expendable and otherwise urgently required in the Camp Dispensary was supplied from the Store and a list of such articles kept.

The majority of the non-expendable articles were returned to Store on the departure of the troops, and as many of the expendable

articles as have come to hand so far.

Attached is list of Medical Stores packed ready to go on board the "Port Darwin", also list of articles remaining in store and Dispensary.

RED CROSS GOODS.

Red Cross Goods from Australian Transports were sent on to the Australian Red Cross Commissioner at Port Said by boat and were not brought to this Camp.

A small quantity of Red Cross Stores was requisitioned for to be used by troops in the "Observation Tent".

A close check could not be kept on these articles and many of

them are missing.

The remainder were sent to the Government Hospital, Suez for the use of Australian Invalids.

DENTAL SERVICES.

Two Lieutenant Dentists viz, Lieut Maloney A.A.D.C. and Lieut Gresham N.Z.D.C. were available for Dental work, but as the Dental equipment from the "Willochra" was not landed, only one Dental outfitfrom the Port Darwin- was available for use.

However Lt. Gresham fell ill with Dysentery shortly after landing and was evacuated to Hospital, Lt. Maloney was detailed for duty at No. 14 A.G.H. During his absence the Dental Kit was asked for by the S.O.A.D.S A.I.F. and sent to Port Said, man so that when Lt. Gresham returned to duty he had no facilities for working.

As Lieut. Gresham was a Dysentery Convalescent and still infective, the absence of Dental Kit was little loss, and arrangements were accordingly made to send Dental cases to No.5 INDIAN GENERAL HOSPITAL at Port Tewfik for treatment.

INVALIDING.

In the opinion of Capt TAIT, N.Z.M.C., S.M.O. "Willochra" several N.Z. Troops were unfit for active service and should be boarded Accordingly a Board composed of, Capt Leahy H.G. PRESIDENT: with Capt TAIT H. N.Z.M.C and Capt LUKE W.A. A.A.M.C. as MEMBERS, had these men brought before them.

Though none of the men examined could be classed as "A" they were all fit to travel and the possibility of their being used in other places than the front line trenches led the Board to recommend their being sent on with the others.

A Medical Board composed of

PRESIDENT.

A.A.M.C. Captain. H.G. LEAHY.

MEMBERS.

A.A.M.C. Captain. W. WOOD. Captain.A.E. TAYLOR. A.A.M.C.

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DATE	SUMMARY OF EVENTS . RE	MARKS.
1918: Jly. 5	Inspection of "Troops in Transit" still in Camp. All found fit to proceed.	101
Jly. 9	"PORT DARWIN" arrived Suez from Port Said. Instructions received from A.D.M.S., A.I.F. to place on "PORT DARWIN" the remainder of the drugs in Medical Store. Dispensary Stock to be sent to A.I.F. Headquarters, Cairo.	I AND
Jly. 10	Drugs from Medical Store placed on "PORT DARWIN"	NSA.
Jly. 11.	Invalids for Australia embarked on "PORT DARWIN".	ARL
Jly. 12	"PORT DARWIN" sailed. Instructions to Capt. Wood, at Government Hospital, to discharge all U.K. patients direct to Mosscar and Chevallier Island.	John John John John John John John John
Jly. 13	U.K. Troops marched out to Moascar and Chevallier Island.	1 AM
Jly. 14	Suez Infantry Camp closed. S.M.O. reports to A.D.M.S., A.I.F. Cairo, for instructions.	Joh.

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After the departure of the Australian and New Zealand Troops for the United Kingdom on July 3rd 1918, the only "Troops in Transit" remaining in Camp were, one New Zealand Dental Officer, eleven New Zealand other ranks and five Australian other ranks.

These Officer and Other Ranks were kept behind as they were still possible Dysentery Carriers. Stool examinations at the Military Laboratory, later, showed that all with the exception off one New Zealand other rank, were non-infective. These troops were marched out on July 13th, the New Zealand Troops to Chevallier Island and the Australian Troops to Moascar. With each party was sent a memo. fro, the S.M.O. Austcamp, to the effect that they were still possible Dysentery Carriers.

Before the Camp was finally evacuated the sanitation was inspected by the S.M.O. and found to be quite satisfactory. It is understood that the site will be occupied by other troops and allowing for the fact that these troops will be more or less acclimatized before arriving, it will be interesting to see the effect on them of living, during an Egyptian summer, on this area which was a foul area before being occupied by Australian and New Zealand "Troops in Transit"

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