

The sanitary condition of the Army continues most satisfactory; indeed, it could scarcely be excelled, and the mortality at present is under that of the Household Cavalry in England, which is a body of men as well taken care of as any troops in the world.

During the present week no casualty has taken place in either the 3rd, Light, or Highland Divisions.

The 1st, 2nd, and 4th Divisions have lost one man each, and four have died in the Artillery, making a total of seven; or a ratio of mortality of 0·0† per cent. to strength.

Taking the last eight weeks, the ratio of mortality has only been at the rate of 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ per thousand per annum, which is considerably under that of the Foot Guards when doing duty in London. The above calculations are exclusive of the Land Transport Corps, and excluding them this week

the admissions to strength have been 2·02 per cent., sick to well 4·36 per cent.

Including the Land Transport, the admissions have been 2·21 per cent.; deaths 0·02 per cent.; sick to well 4·56 per cent. Fevers and pulmonic affections are the most prevalent complaints; but diseases of the stomach and bowels have considerably decreased.

There is an apparent increase under the head of ophthalmia, but this has been occasioned in part by the transfer of cases from their regimental hospitals in camp to the general hospital at the monastery.

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General Sir Wm. Cdrington,
Commanding-in-Chief.