APPENDIX X.

ANNUAL REPORT OF VETERINARY STAFF SERGEANT G. FRASER.

LETHBRIDGE, 30th November, 1896.

Sir,—I have the honour to render my report for the year ending this day.

The general health of the horses of this division during the year has been excellent, no serious case of disease having occurred.

Some of our team horses have been sent to the herd at St. Marys, for the winter

and will no doubt be in a good shape for next season's work.

The remounts received during the year from Macleod have so far done well and I have no doubt but that they will prove a serviceable lot.

The forage delivered by the contractors is of good quality.

The supply of drugs is satisfactory.

I beg to attach herewith a list of the horses treated this year.

I have the honour to be, sir, Your obedient servant.

> G. FRASER. Veterinary Staff Sergeant.

The Officer Commanding
"K" Division North-west Mounted Police,
Lethbridge.

LIST of Horses Off Duty for the Year ended 30th November, 1896.

Reg. No.	Disease.	Admitted.			Discharged.			Number of Days.
2063 P. 5 1986 2061 1873 1939 1705 1614 1534 1712 2200 1762 1778 1874 1082 2058 R. 2257 2063 1998 1896	Sprained stock Punctured wound in frog Contusion Ossific growths Kick Bruised heel Sprained fetlock Bruised heel do Low ringbone Splint Sprained fetlock do do Bruised coronet Suspensary of ligament. Cut on leg Fever and shock Sprained tendons do fetlock do fetlock	Dec. Jany. do do April do do May do do do June do July Aug. Oct.	11, 27, 28, 1, 6, 28, 5, 5, 5, 18, 17, 2, 16, 28, 24, 24,	1895 1896	Jany. Feb. Marci Feb. April June May do June May do June Aug. July Aug. Sept. Nov. do Oct.	24, 7, 16, 19, 7, 7, 2, 16, 25, 2, 11, 16, 22, 10, 29,	1896 1896	9 44 11 53 11 7 55 20 21 28 27 7 17 74 31 38 29 10 18 6 17

G. FRASER,

Veterinary Staff-Sergeant.