

# **Medical record book of the Hospital ship Dunera, taking casualties from South Africa to Britain**

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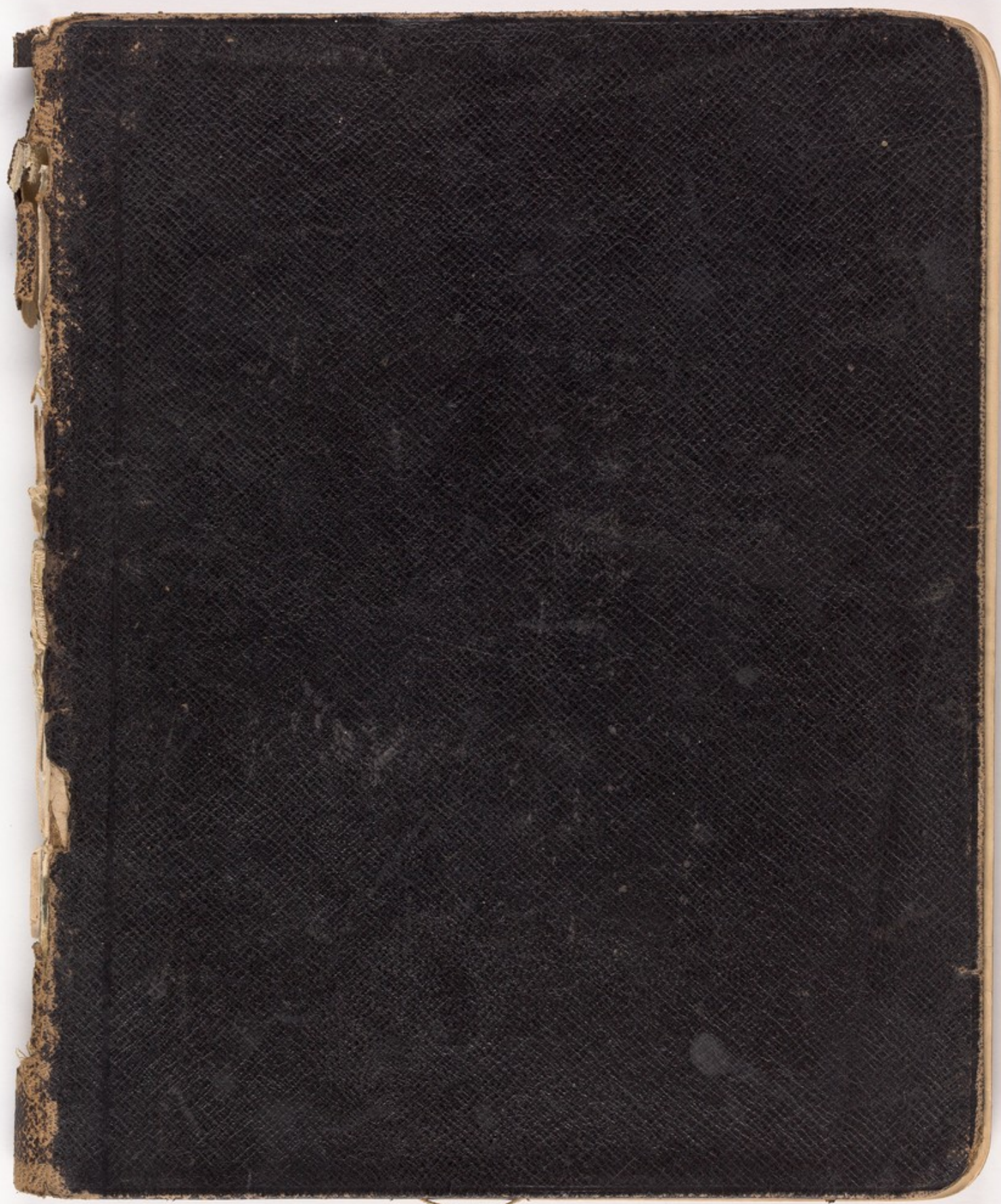
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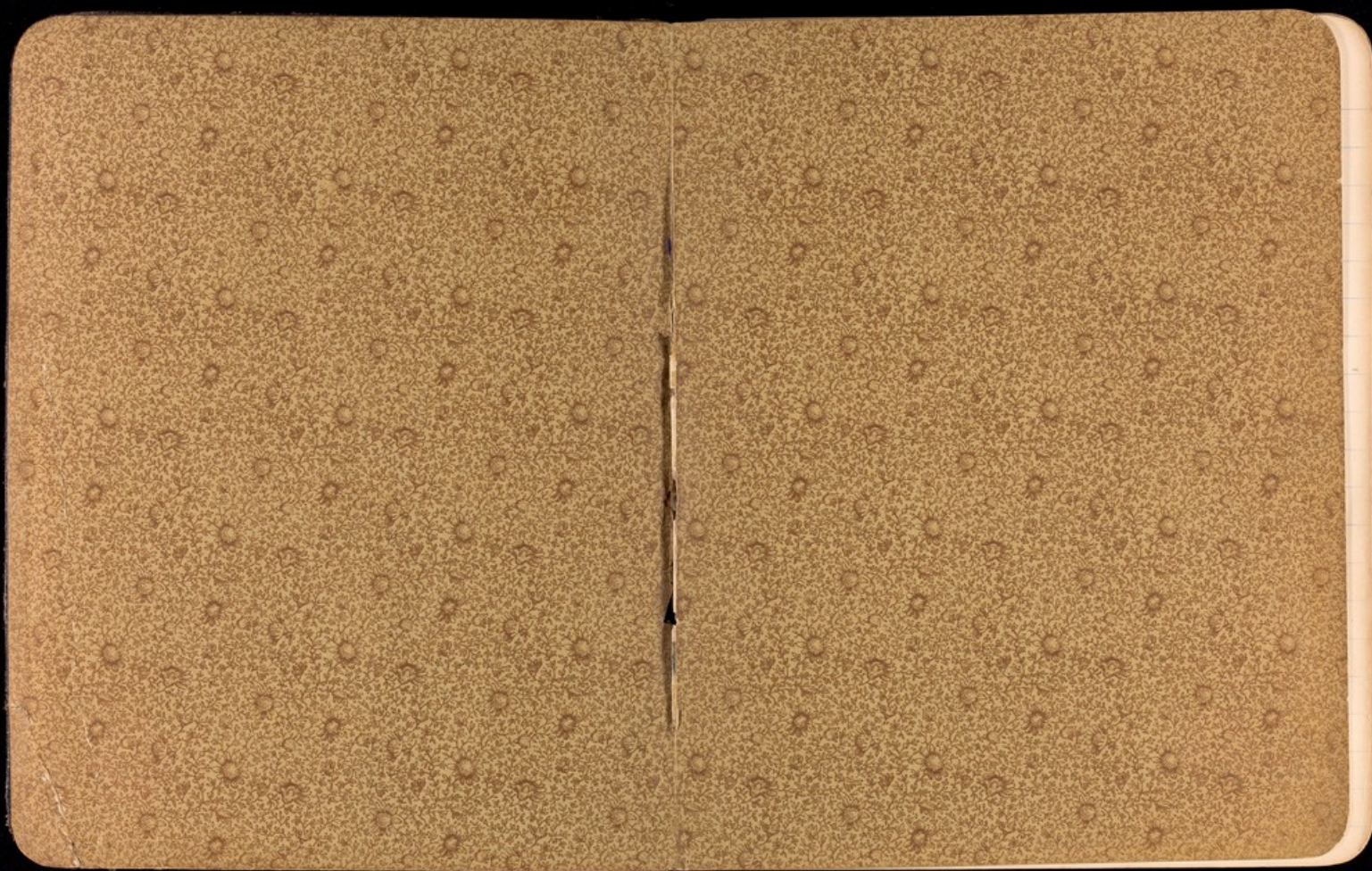
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### Hospital Ship "Dunera".

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First patients arrived 221 + 10 fr + 10 fr = 233 in number.

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# Hospital Accommodation.

Officers.

Ward - 6.

\* Cabins 23. - Reduced to 18.

\* This includes Chaplain's cabin.

2<sup>nd</sup> Cl. Saloon/pr

W.O.s or convalescent

or for isolation

12.

Total

~~22~~ 24

12.

Men.

A board. for convalescents 54

B " cots 44

C " " 66.

D " " 42

E. " " 36.

272.

Less 2 for crew 2

Net 270

270

306

Offrs. 29. Men 282

Total.

~~311~~

## Daily wire to P.M.O. Line Com<sup>m</sup>

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Date	Offrs	Men	Deaths - with name of Officers Remarks on adm & discharge
10. 5. 00.	2.	221	0.
11. 5. 00	4	221	0.
12 - -	2	221	0 2 Offrs. sent to other ships.
13 - -	2	178	0. 42 men to W. P. 1st 1st 1st
14 - -	2	179	0
15 - -	5	179	0
16 - -	6	179	0
17 - -	7	180	0
18 - -	8	186.	0
19 - -	8	186	0.
20 - -	6	186	0.
21 - -	6	187	0.
22 - -	6	185	1. L.C. Kidd - G. D. D. - Dy.
23 - -	5	187	1. Pte. Titchener - K.R.R. Diab.
24 - -	5	201.	0
25 - -	8	202	1. P. Francis. D.L.I.
26 - -	8	204	0.
27 - -	8	172	0 32 men disch. to Gen'l Depot.

# Daily, since 5 P.M.O.

Date	Offr.	Men	Deaths	Remarks
28. 5. 1500.	8	172	0.	
29. 5. 1400.	8	172	0.	
30. 5. 00.	7.	84	0.	88 men to "Cheshire" & 7 died to Dept.
31. 5. 00.	6	75	0	
1. 6. 00.	6	59.	0	
2. 6. 00.	6.	55.	0.	
3. 6. 00.	9	127	0.	72 case from Portcourt.
4. 6. 00	9	127	0	
5. 6. 00.	8	127	0.	
6. 6. 00.	8.	121.	0.	
7. 6. 00.	8	121	0	
8. 6. 00.	9	121	0.	
9. 6. 00.	9	121	0	
10. 6. 00.	9	121	0	
11. 6. 00.	9	121	0	
12. 6. 00.	9	111	1	Pt Strick. 19 <sup>th</sup> An. Dysentery.
13. 6. 00	9	112	0	
14. 6. 00.	7	68	0.	Transfers sent to "Assaye"

# Daily strength

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Date	Offr.	Men	Deaths	Remarks.
15. 6. 00	10	146	0	
16. 6. 00	18	206	0.	
17. 6. 00.	18	279	0	Sailed from Durban 8. am.
19. 6. 00	17	279	1	Sgt. Lt. Col. Forrest R.H.G. died.
20. 6. 00	17.	278	1	Pt Peters S. J. Sunday died.
21. 6. 00.	17	277	1	Pt Matthews 2 K.R.R. died.
22. 6. 00.	17	272		
23. 6. 00.	17	272	1	Pt Wainwright March. died.
24. 6. 00.	17	272.	0.	
2. 7. 00.	17	273.	0.	
3. 7. 00.	17	273.	1	Spr. Mitchell R.S. died. also 1 adm.
4. 7. 00.	17	273.		
8. 7. 00.	17	274	0	
9. 7. 00.	17	273.	0	
12. 7. 00.	17	272	1.	O.V. Harris. M.J. A. B. H. died 8 am.
13. 7. 00.	12	194	0	5 Offr. & 78 men landed at Plymouth
14. 7. 00.	0	0	0	all sick landed at Southampton.



# Daily strength

Date	Offrs	Men	Deaths	Remarks
26/7/00	0	0	0	date of re-subordination of Hosp. Staff.
28/7/00	0	2	0	2nd J.H.C. (Hosp Staff)
29/7/00	0	2	0	
1/8/00	0	3	0	1 discharged to duty
7 Aug	0	2	0	
13 Aug	—	3		1 Reserve adm?
5 Sept.	2	8	0	2 Offrs. & 5 men from Avoca transfers.
8 "	2	21	0	
11 "	6	9	0	13 transferred to S.S. Montreal.
12 "	9	18	0	
13 "	10	18	0	
14 "	10	56	0	
15 "	10	56	0	
16 "	12	75	0	
17	14	174	0	100 by coming train
18	15	172	0	
19	17	182	0	

# Daily strength

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Date	Offrs	Men	Deaths	Remarks
20. 9. 00	22	234	1	Pte James 4th died from chr. diarrhoea after dys.
21. 9. 00	21	234	0	
22. "	21	234	0	
23. "	21	234	0	
24. "	21	234	0	
25. "	19	237	0	2 Offrs. & 2 men landed at Cape M.
26. "	23	276	0	
27. "	23	276	0	
28. "	23	277	0	1 man St. J. A. B. admitted.
17. 10. 00	23	277	0	
18. 10. 00	11	177	0	100 for Desmout - 3 staff sick: 4p today.
19. 10. 00	—	—	—	All disembarked - Southampton

## Women

	ad.	dis.	sub.	Remarks
6/11	-1	—	—	
8/11	—	—	—	1
12/11	1	1	—	2
13/11	—	—	—	1
14/11	1	1	—	1







