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H.Q. 55 ANTI AIRCRAFT REGIMENT

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WAR DIARY or ~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~.

Army Form C. 2118
(adapted.)

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Unit 55 Aust AA Regt A.I.F. *Date and Time.—From* 1 May 44 *To* 31 May 44.

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Batchelor N.T.	May 1	1000	Lt-col KELSO on reconnaissance for site for HQ of 54 AUST AA REGT which is to move from BATCHELOR.	
" "	" 2	1400	Lt-col KELSO to gunsites.	
	" 3	2100	Lt-col KELSO to inspect GOR.	
	" 4	0600	"Moon Season May 1944".	Attached
			"Standing orders for practise shoot."	Attached
		0900	136 AUST HAA BTY shoot at drogue target, towed by aircraft.	
		1500	Lt-col KELSO to GOR.	
			Full moon manning period commenced.	
	" 5	1000	Lt-col KELSO to HQ 112 AUST LAA REGT to discuss target courses for LAA shoots.	
	" 6	0600	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
		2330	Lt-col KELSO to inspect GOR	
	" 7	2200	Lt-col KELSO to Gunsites (H1 and H2)	
	" 9	0600	Unit Routine Orders Serial No.11/44.	Attached.
		2100	Capt J. A. LANG (Tp Comd "A" Tp 136 AUST HAA BTY) returned	

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Batchelor N.T.	May 9	2100	from LHQ S of A (AA) SYDNEY.	
	" 10	1500	Lt-col BAGLIN returned from LHQ S of A (AA) - resumed	
			command 55 AUST AA REGT, and became AADC BATCHELOR.	
			AA Training Directive No. 10 received, setting out new method	
			of showing tactical signs on all AA vehicles.	
	May 11	0600	Lt FIELDER (ex Tp Comd "C" Tp, 232 LAA BTY) emplaned for	
			move to SYDNEY. - to become an Official War Correspondent.	
		1030	Lt-col BAGLIN and Lt-col KELSO to visit 79 Wing (RAAF)	
			located on BATCHELOR Airstrip.	
		1154	GOR reported plots of unidentified aircraft.	
		1214	Aircraft identified.	
		1500	Lt-col KELSO left, to become AADC DARWIN.	
	May 13	0600	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
	May 14	1000	Lt-col BAGLIN to 112 AUST AA REGT.	
	May 15	1100	NX108616 Capt G. D. FORSYTHE (ex HQ RAA NT FORCE) attached	
			to 136 AUST HAA BTY, as Instructor of Gunnery.	

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Batchelor N.T.	May 16	1407	GOR reported unidentified plots off DARWIN, and gave Yellow warning. Identified as single hostile aircraft.	
		1435	All Clear.	
	May 17	1000	Lt-col BAGLIN to Gunsites to see calibration of Radar sets being carried out.	
	May 18	0800	Lt-col BAGLIN to LONG, to visit 101 AUST AA REGT.	
	" 19	0925	Lt-col BAGLIN to inspect GOR.	
		1400	Lt-col BAGLIN to HQ RAA NT FORCE.	
	" 20	0225	GOR reported unidentified plots.	
		0235	Aircraft Identified.	
		0600	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
		0930	136 HAA BTY guns carried out training with an aircraft testing a new type Drogue target.	
		1235	GOR reported unidentified plots.	
			Lt-col BAGLIN to GOR.	
		1305	Aircraft identified.	

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Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Batchelor N.T.	May 22	0930	Lt-col BAGLIN and Capt HARRY (OC 232 AUST LAA BTY) on reconnaissance of area.	
		1400	Lt-col BAGLIN to see practice loading of 40 m.m. equipment into dummy aircraft.	
		2000	Lecture to all available RHQ and 136 Bty officers at GOR. Subject: "The duties of the G.DO".	
	May 23	0900	Operation Order No. 2 ("E" Tp 232 AUST LAA BTY to move from PELL Airstrip (NT) to SATTLER Airstrip (NT)).	Attached.
		0900	Radar Cadre commenced, at A Tp 136 AUST HAA BTY (H1) for Radar NCOs and operators.	
	May 24	0800	"E" Tp 232 AUST LAA BTY moved from PELL Airstrip.	
		1230	"E" Tp reported "In Action" at SATTLER Airstrip.	
		1400	Lt-col BAGLIN to SATTLER to inspect "E" Tp.	
		1627	GOR reported unidentified plots.	
		1632	Aircraft identified.	

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Batchelor N.T.	May 26	0001	Location Statement	Attached.
		0600	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
		1030	Lt-col BAGLIN to H2 Gunsite to inspect guns.	
		1306	GOR reported unidentified plots.	
		1336	Aircraft identified.	
	May 27	0800	Lt-col BAGLIN to visit 101 AUST AA REGT at LONG.	
	May 28	1030	NX100126 Lt C. J. Doney ("B" Tp 136 AUST HAA BTY) emplaned for SYDNEY to attend LHQ Sof A (AA).	
		1400	Lt-col BAGLIN returned from LONG.	
	May 29	0900	Operation Order No. 3 (HQ 232 AUST LAA BTY to move from LONG to BATCHELOR - 1 June 44) ("E" Tp 232 AUST LAA BTY to move from SATTLER to BATCHELOR 1 June 44.)	Attached
		0900) 1100) 1400) 2000)	Screening of AA training films by a detachment of NT FORCE Visual Training Section. Attended by members of 136 AUST HAA BTY.	

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Batchelor N.T.	May 29	0900	Training Cadre for drivers MT commenced in 136 AUST AA BTY.	
	May 30	0900) 1100)	Screening of Radar Films - attended by Radar operators.	
		1000	Lt-col BAGLIN to "A" Tp 136 AUST HAA BTY to inspect training.	
		1525	GOR reported unidentified plots - "Yellow" warning issued.	
		1531	Aircraft identified as friendly.	

W W Baglin Lt-col
Comd 55 Aust AA Regt.

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HQ 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.

4 May 44.

OC 134 Aust HAA Bty (3)
OC 136 Aust HAA Bty (3)
OC 153 Aust LAA Bty (4)
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File.

MOON SEASON - MAY 1944.

1. The official Moon Season commences on the night of 4/5 May and continues to the night of 12/13 May 44.

2. The probability of a nuisance value raid or an incendiary attack on Dumps in this area is very real.

3. All necessary steps will be taken immediately to see that the AA Defence of BATCHELOR and HUGHES Gun Defended Areas are entirely efficient during this period.

4. It must also be borne in mind that the MGRA is present in the area, and that any inefficiency noticed by him may have an adverse effect on the immediate future of the Regiment concerned.

J Hamilton Lt
Lt-col,
AADC BATCHELOR HUGHES AREA.
AQD

War Diary

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

STANDING ORDERS FOR PRACTICE SHOOT

4 MAY 1944.

1. A practice shoot will be carried out at 0900 hrs on 4 May 44 at BATCHELOR-GOULD - Ref Mrg BATCHELOR 4 ms to 1 inch
DARWIN 4 ms to 1 inch

2. DIRECTING STAFF:-

Director of Practice	: : :	Capt H J C Kahl
Safety Officer	: : :	Lieut S C Gull
Gun Sites Safety Offrs	: : :	Lieut T.C. Croft
		Lieut K.E. Chambers
G. P. O.	: :	As directed by D of P

3. ORDERS FOR DIRECTING STAFF
Orders for Staff of Director of Practice are attached as Appendix "A"

4. DANGER AREA.

The following is the Danger Area for practice 3.7 Full Charge HE Fuze 199 -

Firing Points and Danger Areas -

Firing Points	No.1	4060	3315
	No.2	4025	3365
Danger Areas		3830	3405
		4020	3370
		4060	3315
		3940	3170
		3840	3270
		3810	3350

5. WIRELESS COMMUNICATION.

Communication between ground and aircraft by WT
Communication between Aircraft and ground by WT from plane
Communication between WT Station and D of P by phone.

In the event of WT breakdown - communication by Ground Strips in accordance with Instructions for practice AA Arty 1939.

6. CESSATION OF FIRE.

Any member of the Staff of the Director of Practice or GPO or GPOA of a series may stop the fire at any time for safety reasons.

The order stop will be given by one long blast of a whistle.

All ranks will be instructed in safety precautions and that fire MUST cease immediately a long blast on a whistle is sounded.

Safety Officer is responsible that all ranks are conversant with this Order.

7. RECORDER AND CHIEF OBSERVER.

Where possible recorders for each gun (2) and for each predictor (2) to check accuracy of laying.

At the conclusion of practice GPO will parade personnel for a brief criticism of the Shoot by the Senior AA Officer present.

8. CLEANING OF EQUIPMENT.

GPO on each Site will be responsible that ample hot water and cleaning material is available, and that all equipment is cleaned and oiled and that all empty cases are washed with boiling water (with ½ oz Soda crystal per gallon) dried and smeared inside and out with mineral jelly.

Lt. Col.
Comd. 55 Aust. Comp. A.A. Regt.

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WAR DIARY

RESTRICTED

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

Serial No. 11
Para 67 to 71

ROUTINE ORDERS PART ONE

BY

LT-COL P. A. A. NELSO

ADM COLD

HQ 55 Aust AA Regt AIF
9 May 44.

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67. INCOME TAX - LIABILITY OF MEMBERS RELEASED ON LEAVE FOR SEASONAL OCCUPATIONS

1. Approval has been given for the issue of certificates of exemption from tax deductions in respe ct of the period from the commencement of leave without pay up to and including 30th June, 1944, to members who -

(a) hold a rank not higher than sergeant; and
(b) commence leave without pay on or after 1st April, 1944, for the purpose of engaging in a seasonal occupation.

2. The procedure prescribed by GRO F.16/1944 will be followed and the form of certificate appearing in that order will be used with the substitution in the second pragrahp in the form of the words "30th June, 1944" for "31st March, 1944".

3. No certificate under thus order will be issued -

(a) to a member who was on seasonal leave on 31st March, 1944, and who continues on such leave for a period immediately after that date; or
(b) to a member in respect of any period after 30th June, 1944.

A member who desires to obtain a certificate of exemption regarding any period reffered to in sub-paragraph (a) or (b) of this paragraph should make application to the Deputy Commissioner of Taxation in the member's State of enlistment. (G.O F.138)

68. SEA BATHING - DAR IN AREA

In view of the improved conditions and the ending of the wet season, sea bathing in the Darwin Fortress Area may now be resumed, vide NT FORCE ADM ORDER No. 26/176. Unit RO Ser. No 8 Para 47 is therefore cancelled.

69. POSTAL -(ADM ORDER 22/162)

The attention of all Unit and Sub-Unit Commanders is drawn to "Standing Orders for Army Postal Services 1942" a copy of which should be in the possession of every unit.

No matter how thorough the Postal Service Organisation may be, the efficiency of the whole Postal system will be seriously impaired if any laxity is permitted to occur in the treatment of mail matter within Units.

The distribution of all letters, newspapers, and parcels addressed to a Unit becomes the Unit responsibility upon delivery of the mails to the Postal Orderly and suitable arrangements must be made by units for the safe custody of mail matter, particularly registered articlesand parcels pending delivery to the addressees.

Units are also responsible for seeing that proler redirection records are maintained, and that mail matter received for personnel who have left the unit is correctly redirected to their new units of address.

All mail bags received will be returned to the Postal Service without delay and Commanding Officers will ensure that mail bags are on no account used for purposes other than the conveyance of mails.

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70. REMOVAL OF COAL FROM NA RYS COAL STACKS (ADM ORDER 21/149)
Coal is being removed by unauthorised persons from NA Rys Coal Stacks. These coal Stacks are held as reserves for NA Rys and must not be removed. Disciplinary action is to be taken against any offenders.

71. REGIMENTAL TRUST FUNDS
Audit of Regimental Funds for March 1944 attached as appendices "A" and "B":

(a) Canteen Trading A/cs etc.

(b) Regimental Trust Fund A/cs etc.

Distribution:-
As for Serial No10, less
75 Aust Mob SL Bty.
75 Aust Mob SL Bty Wksps

Darren Lt
A/ADJT 2/1 AUST AA REGT AIF

WATCH FOUND

A Wristlet watch has been found in lines previously occupied by RHQ.
Information can be supplied on application to RHQ Orderly Room.

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55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.
AUDIT OF REGIMENTAL FUNDS MAR 44
CANTEENS TRADING A/C.

	R H Q	SIGS	W/SHOPS	136 BTY	232 BTY		R H Q	SIGS	W/SHOPS	136 BTY	232 BTY.
STOCK	14.10. 2	9 8 3	25.18. 3	48. 4. 8	45.12. 6	SLS.	137. 0. 9.	80.15. 0½	168. 4. 8	930.15. 6	68. 9. 7
PUHCH	158.17. 8	90 13 3	178.11. 2	894.15.11	62. 5. 0						
STOCK											
LOSSES	5. 7			3.12.10							
EXPENSES	- -	- - -	-	- -	-	NET LOSS	-	- -	-	- -	- -
NET PROFIT	3.12.2	3 16 2	10. 1. 9	38.10.11½	4. 9. 2	STOCK	40. 4.10	23. 2. 7½	46. 6. 6	54. 8.10½	43.17.1
	£177. 5. 7	103 17 8	214 11 2	985 4 4½	112 6 8		£177 5 7	103 17 8	214 11 2	85 4 4½	112 6 8

BALANCE SHEET

	LIABILITIES						ASSETS.				
LOANS & ADVANCES	56.11.8	28.0.7	42.10. 0	43. 6. 3		STOCK	40. 4.10	23. 2. 7½	46. 6. 6	54. 8.10½	43.17.1
ACCUM FUNDS	21. 0.8	11.9.7	23.10.11½	42. 3.11	62 17 10	DEBTORS	- 1. 2	4.17. 3		11. 1. 9	-
						CASH	37 6 4	11.10. 3½	19.14. 5½	19.19. 6½	19. 0.9
	£77.12.4	39.10.2	66. 0.11½	85.10. 2	62 17 10		£ 77 12 4	39.10. 2	66. 0.11½	85.10. 2	62 17.10

136 AUST HAA BTY A/Cs

TRADING A/Cs

	"A" Tp	"B" Tp		- "A" -Tp	- "B" Tp
STOCK	-54. 7. 9½	80. 5. 2	SALES	343. 3. 8½	356.18. 5
PURCHs	384.12. 9	409.14. 5	STOCK	95.16.10	133. 1. 2
	£439. 0. 6½	489.19. 7		£439. 0. 6½	489.19. 7

BALANCE SHEETS

LIABILITIES	A"Tp	- "B" Tp	ASSETS.	"A" Tp	-- "B" Tp
SUNDRY LOANS	44. 0. 0	139.10. 0	STOCK	95.16.10	133. 1. 2
CAPITAL	133. 6. 3	64.10.11	DEBTORS		5. 0. 0
			CASH	61. 9. 5	65.19. 9
	£157. 6. 3	204. 0.11		£157. 6. 3	204. 0. 11

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AUDIT REGIMENTAL TRUST FUNDS FOR MONTH

MARCH - 1944.

TRUST FUND A/Cs.

RECEIPTS.

	R H Q & 136 BTY	SIG SECT
Balances Cash	57. 8. 9	17. 5. 8
Sundry Receipts	- 12. 0	-
Canteen Credits	47 17. 7	7.18. 1
	£105.18. 4	25. 3. 9

EXPENDITURE.

	RHQ 136 BTY	SIG SECT.
Sporting Goods	32.12. 9	-
Balances Cash	73. 5. 7	25.3.9
	£105.18.4	25.3.9

OFFICERS' MESS TRADING A/Cs.

	R. H. Q.	136 BTY
Stock	17. 5. 3	4. 9. 9
Purchases	45. 7. 4	24.12. 6
Expenses	9. 8. 5	- - -
Nett Profit	10. 4.11	1. 7. 7
	£82. 5.11	30. 9.10

	RHQ	136 BTY
Sales	44/15/ 4	16/ 5/ 8
Subscriptions	22/14/7	- -
Stock	14/16/0	14/ 4/ 2
	£82/ 5/11	30/ 9/10

BALANCE SHEETS

LIABILITIES

Sundry Loans	29. 0. 0	23.10.11
Capital A/C.	63.18. 2	1.18. 9
	£ 92.18. 2	25. 9. 8

ASSETS.

Fittings	32/ 4/ 8	13/ 0
Cash	11/ 2	8/ 4
Stock	28.12. 7	14. 4. 2
Debtors	31. 9. 9	4. 2
	£ 92.18.2	25. 2. 8

CERTIFICATE:-

We certify that we have examined the Books of Accounts, and Vouchers relating to above Trust A/Cs, and in our opinion these Statements correctly set out the positions of the Funds as at 31 March 1944.

.....Lt
J. D. McKENZIE.

.....
M.E. COWAN
Auditors.

8 May, 1944.

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55 AUST AA REGT AIF

SECRET

Operation Order No. 2

Copy No. 10

Date.. 23 MAY 1944.

Ref Map:- HUMPTY DOO - MARRAKAI 1" to 1 Mile
and BATCHELOR 1" to 1 mile

1. INFORMATION:-

See latest Intelligence Bulletin. An enemy Recce plane photographed DARWIN Area and as a result, certain Fighter Sqns have been changed from their Strips.

2. INTENTION:-

E Troop, 232 Aust LAA Bty, will be deployed to protect Fighter Aircraft occupying inserts on SATTLER Strip.

3. METHOD :- E Troop, 232 Aust LAA Bty will move from present positions at PELL STRIP in their recce groups.

4. Cease firing at PELL and prepare to move by 0700 hrs 24 May 44.

5. Troop will be prepared to occupy positions in SATTLER AREA by 1400 hrs.

6. RV HUMPTY DOO and STUART HIGHWAY Ref Map HUMPTY DOO 084 966 with head of column facing North at 1200 hrs and guide will meet convoy there.

7. Predictors will move in Pred. Echelon in rear of Guns.

8. Lost Vehs - Tp Comd to make arrangements to leave guide at HUMPTY DOO - 084 966 to direct vehs to position in readiness.

9. Fire Orders - The same as Provisional Standing Orders laid down by AADC BATCHELOR.

10. Guns will be dug in.

11. Camouflage - All available material will be used for camouflage.

12. ADMINISTRATION - Adm Instruction will be issued later, and will be notified at new HQ or en route.

13. INTER-COMMUNICATION

Position of Tp HQ to be notified to RHQ immediately on occupation. Co-ords of Gun Sites and Trace to be notified as soon as occupied.

14. Communications at PELL STRIP will close down at 0630 hrs 24 May 44 - Re-open at SATTLER STRIP at 1430 hrs 24 May 44.

15. Warning System - As for that laid down HUGHES Area.

Method of Issue.....

Time of Signature.....

M Baghini Lt-col
COMD 55 AUST AA REGT AIF

Distribution :-

"E" Tp	Copy 1		
232 Aust LAA BTY	Copy 2-3	RAA NT FORCE	Copy 7
55 Aust AA Regt Sig Sec	- 4	CO	" 8
55 Aust AA Regt Wksps	- 5	File	" 9
54 Aust AA Regt AIF	- 6	War Diary	" 10

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MOVEMENT TABLE

E TROOP 232 AUST LAA BTY

SERIAL No.	DATE	VEHICLES	GROUP	DESTINATION	S. P.	TIME PAST S.P.	ROUTE	REMARKS.
1.	24	T.E. M.C. 2	R	HUMPTY DOO & STUART H'WAY THROCK SATLER 071 982	295	0800	PELL STRIP - STUART H'WAY NORTH TO Ref Map HUMPTY DOO RN 084 966.	T.C. moves at normal veh speed and meets Maj Thorne at RV
2.	24	L.E. E.1 - 6 M.C. 3 - 5	F		125	0800		Tp Ldr OC Convoy
3.	24	P.1 - 3 MC 1 Q 1 - 2	T(a)		[illegible]	0900		TSM i/c Convoy
4.	24	P.4 - 6 Q.3 M.C.4	T(b)			0915		Det Comd on MC4 to lead Convoy

Serial	M.I.N.	V.T.M.
1.	20	-
2	12½	10
3/4	15	10

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AADC BATCHELOR. COPY No. 2.

LOCATION STATEMENT AS AT 0001 HRS 26 MAY 44.

LOCATION OF HEADQUARTERS.

Serial No.	Unit or Sub-Unit	General Location	Map Sheet.	Co-ordinates.	Remarks.
1	HQ 55 Aust AA Regt (LE) AIF	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1 m.	073383	
2	HQ 136 Aust HAA Bty.	"	"	054377	
3	HQ A Tp 136 HAA Bty	Gould	"	057316	
4	HQ B Tp 136 HAA Bty	Batchelor	"	025360	
5	HQ C Tp 232 LAA Bty	Anjo Peninsula			
6	HQ D Tp 232 LAA Bty	Melville Bay	Caledon Bay 8 m. to 1"	492433	
7	HQ 153 Aust LAA Bty	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1 m.	013373	
8	HQ A Tp 153 LAA Bty	Gould.	"	048342	
9	HQ B Tp 153 LAA Bty	Coomalie	Marrakai 1" to 1 m.	150447	
10	HQ C Tp 153 LAA Bty	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1 m.	023377	
11	55 Aust AA Regt Sig Section	"	"	074384	
12	55 Aust AA Regt Wkshop Section	"	"	103394	
13	G.O.R. Batchelor	Coomalie	"	140430	

2. SUMMARIZED LOCATIONS OF EQUIPMENTS DEPLOYED.

Serial No.	Airfield	3.7" Mobile	40 mm.	Radar AA No. 1
14	Batchelor-Gould.	8	9	2
15	Coomalie		9	
16	Melville Bay		6	
17	Anjo Peninsula		6	
18	TOTAL	8	30	2

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3. DETAILED LOCATIONS OF EQUIPMENTS DEPLOYED.

Serial No.	Airfield	Type of Eqpt.	Site No.	No. of Eqpts at site.	Map Sheet	Co-ords	Sub-Unit	Remarks.
19	Batchelor-Gould	3.7"	H1	4	Batchelor 1" to 1 m/	057316	136 Bty	Radar
20	"	3.7"	H2	4	"	025360	136 "	Radar
21	"	Radar AA No.1	G1	1	"	057316	136 "	At H1
22	"	"	G2	1	"	025360	136 "	At H2
23	Coomalie	40 m.m.	L1	1	Marrakai 1" to 1 m.	146448	153 "	
24	"	"	L2	1	"	163438	153 Bty	
25	"	"	L3	1	Batchelor 1" to 1 m.	154431	" "	
26	"	"	L4	1	"	158434	153 Bty	
27	"	"	L5	1	"	159427	153 "	
28	"	"	L6	1	"	154413	153 "	
29	"	"	L7	1	"	158398	153 "	
30	"	"	L8	1	"	140418	153 "	
31	"	"	L9	1	"	141430	153 "	
32	Melville Bay	"	L7	1	Caledon Bay 8 m. to 1"	In Area 484431	232 LAA Bty	
33	"	"	L8	1	"	"	"	
34	"	"	L9	1	"	"	"	
35	"	"	L10	1	"	"	"	
36	"	"	L11	1	"	"	"	
37	"	"	L12	1	"	"	"	
38	Anjo Pen.	"	L1	1	No Printed Map	In Airfield Area.	232 Bty	
39	"	"	L2	1	"	"	"	
40	"	"	L3	1	"	"	"	2
41	"	"	L4	1	"	"	"	"
42	"	"	L5	1	"	"	"	"
43	"	"	L6	1	"	"	"	"

Lt-col
Comd 55 Aust AA Regt AIF

Distribution.

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55 AUST. COMP. A.A. REGT.

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Ref Map :- HUMPTY DOO 1" to 1 Mile
MARRAKAI 1" to 1 Mile
BATCHELOR 1" to 1 Mile
PINE CREEK 4 Miles to 1"

OPERATION ORDER NO 3

COPY NO. 15

29 May 44.

INFORMATION:-

1. (a) Certain airfields are being extended and will require LAA defence.

(b) The relief of LAA Units at MELVILLE BAY and MILLINGIMBI is necessaty.

INTENTION:-

2. (a) 232 LAA BTY HQ will move from present location to BATCHELOR 012372.

(b) "E" Tp 232 LAA Bty and one troop 149 LAA Bty will move from present location to BATCHELOR and occupy the following positions.

	"E" TP 232 LAA BTY BATCHELOR	TP 149 LAA BTY GOULD
THQ	022378	
L1	040377	047342
L2	055377	047338
L3	044364	048331
L4	041353	053313
L5	031354	043324
L6	023362	035337
		027345

METHOD:-

3. Movement will be effected in the following serials:-

Serial	Date	Time	Sub-unit	From	To	Remarks
1	1 Jun	0630 (b)	1 Tp 149 LAA Bty	LONG	BATCHELOR	To occupy positions in para 2 (b).
2	1 Jun	0630	232 LAA Bty HQ	"	"	Occupy position shown in para 2 (a)
3	1 Jun	(a)	"E" Tp 232 LAA Bty	SATTLER	"	Occupy position as in para 2 (b)
4	(c)		1 Tp 149 LAA Bty	BATCHELOR	MELVILLE BAY	To relieve "D" Tp 232 LAA Bty
5	(d)		75 Aust(Mob) SL Bty HQ	LONG	LONG	To occupy present 232 LAA Bty

(a) "E" Tp will move immediately after the arrival of "A" Tp 159 LAA Bty.

(b) Interim move only pending movement to MELVILLE BAY.

(c) Further instructions will be issued later.

(d) Time to be arranged between OCs concerned.

4 Lay-out: See para 2 (b) above for lay-out on BATCH GOULD Strips, and trace attached to copy Nos.1,3,9 of Operation Order.

5. "E" Tp Predictors: Predictors will move in Predictor Echelon in rear of guns.

6. R.V.s: OC 232 Bty will RV with Tp Comd 149 Bty at BATCHELOR 032352 at 1100 hrs. (Subject to verification between OsC concerned).
OC 232 Bty will RV with Tp Comd "E" Tpat 363 sign BATCHELOR 055375 at 1300 hrs.

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7. Lost Vehicles: Report to 55 RHQ BATCHELOR 073383 for directions.

8. Movement Orders: See Appendix "A".

9. Fire Orders: Provisional Standing Orders laid down by AADC BATCHELOR.

10. Guns not occupying prepared positions will be dug in.

11. Camouflage: All available material will be used for camouflage.

ADMINISTRATION:

12. Stores: (a) BHQ 232 Bty will move with all stores except engineers'. Engineers stores will be handed over to 75 Aust (Mob) SL Bty. Signature to be obtained on F14.

(b) "E" Tp will move complete with all stores.

13. Ammunition: AP: 51 FAD ADELAIDE RIVER
Railhead: ADELAIDE RIVER.

14. POL: 24 Coy ASC Serial 64 - 50 Mile mark.

15. Supplies: (a) Indents for rations will be submitted by thi HQ for BHQ and "E" TP combined for consumption on 2 June.
(b) Both parties will move with unconsumed portion of rations for 1 June.
(c) Indents now submitted by either parties with ASC Coys in present area for consumption on 2 June or later will be cancelled.

16. Cooking Arrangements: Battery arrangement.

17. Water: Filling point at DMR HQ Batchelor Roa d.

18. Workshops: Battery Capt to report to QM on arrival for liaison with OC 55 AA Regt Wksps Sec.

19. Medical: Aid Posts as normal. RAP at RHQ.

INTERCOMMUNICATION:

20. HQs as in para 2. RHQ as at present BATCHELOR 073383. 232 BHQ will close at LONG 0630 and re-open at BATCHELOR 1200 hrs 1 Jun 44.

21. Line communication will be established by Regtl Sig Sec to all proposed gun sites and LGC by time of occupation. All present telephones to be brought and ready for use on occupation by new detachments. 2 Don V phones at present on loan to 232 Bty HQ to be returned to 101 AA Regt Sig Sec before movement and these will be replaced if necessary by 55 AA Regtl Sig Offr.

22. Warning System: As laid down in Provisional Standing Orders by AADC BATCHELOR.

23. Liaison: Lt Croft will act as LO between 232 Bty and RHQ on 1 Jun 44.

24. RHQ to be notified as soon as each serial completed.

25. Copy of Bty Movement Orders to be sent to RHQ.

Acknowledge.

J Farren Lt
A/ADJT 55 AUST AA REGT AIF

Method of Issue:- War Diary

Time of Signature:- 29 1530 May 44

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136 Aust H.A. BTY	"	4
GDO BATCHELOR	"	5
55 Aust A.A. Regt Sig Sec	"	6
55 Aust A.A. Regt Wksp AEME	"	7
101 Aust A.A. Regt AIF	"	8
149 Aust L.A. BTY	"	9
54 Aust A.A. Regt AIF	"	10
153 Aust L.A. BTY	"	11
HQ R.A. NT FORCE	"	12
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MOVEMENT TABLE - APPENDIX "A" TO OPERATION ORDER NO 3

(i) "E" Tp 232 AUST L.A.A. BTY

Ser No.	Date	Vehicles	Gp	Destination	S.P.	Time past S.P.	Route	Remarks	BY DAY MIH	BY DAY VTM
1	1 Jun	TE MC2	R	RV at 363 sign BATCHELOR 055374	To be arranged by OC 232 Bty	On arrival of relief Tp when known. Min Dist between Gps = 2 mls	Via STUART HWAY to BATCHELOR RD 138434 thence to RV.	Tp Comd will move independently to RV as arranged with OC 232 L.A.A. BTY	Normal	
2	1 Jun	LE E1-6 MC 4-5	F						12½	10
3	1 Jun	P1-6 Q1-3 MC 1 MC 3	T					TSM i/c convoy	15	10
4										

(ii) 232 AUST L.A.A. BTY HQ

4	1 Jun	X	-	RHQ	End of bitumen STUART HWAY via 1 MVS		Via STUART HWAY to BATCHELOR RD 138432 thence to Dest.	OC will move independently and report to CO at RHQ at 0900 hrs	Normal	
5 Etc.	1 Jun	(a)		BATCHELOR 012372		0630		(a) All normal & surplus Bty HQ vehicls-each convoy not to exceed 12 vehs. Minimum distance of 2 miles between groups.	15	10

Convoys moving at night will use headlights unless direct enemy action necessitates lights being extinguished. For movement on STUART HIGHWAY by night convoy speeds & density will be 15 MIH - 20 VTM. Particular care will be given to the control of movement of all convoys. Where it is necessary fro one convoy to pass another convoy travelling in the opposite direction, convoy proceeding SOUTH on STUART HIGHWAY will be halted. Convoy proceeding EAST on BATCHELOR ROAD will be halted.

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6 / 5 /1944 — 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt AIF — 19 44 (Serial No.) — (Unit)

W.E. 111 25A / 3 . OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 plus OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E				
Rein'fts Required	Deficient W.E	Surplus to W.E	Posted Strength	DETAIL	Arm or Corps	Posted Strength	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	-	1	-	- Majors					
3	-	1	-	2 Captains					
9	-	-	-	9 Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs					
13	-	2	-	11					

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL		A.I.F	C.M.F	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A.		11									11
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials	Unit From	Date.	CAUSE

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	Unit To.	Date	CAUSE

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED ... / ... /194 ... .

Army No	Rank	Name and Initials	REMARKS (e.g. present whereabouts if known)

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136 Aust HAA Bty
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF. .....Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/5/1944 (Total to Agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held	Army Number	Surname.	Initials	Posting	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed	Date of Detachment
Capt	NX100105	KAHL	H.J.C.	BtyCapt	Yes		
Lt T/Capt	NX100112	WILLIAMS	H.C.	TpComd	"		
Lt	NX100117	HOOK	E.J.M.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100120	DONEY	C.J.	"	"		
"	NX100121	COWAN	M.E.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100122	CHAMBERS	K.B.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100124	CROFT	T.G.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100123	NEILSON	G.R.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100127	GREEN	J.A.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100125	McKENZIE	J.D.	" "	"		
"	NX100126	CULL	S.O.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number	Name and Initials.	Unit	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

6/5/44
Date of Despatch

H Kahl Capt.
Adm. Comd. 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.
Signature of Commander

Deficiencies.

1 Major - OC (X List) NX100104 Maj O'GRADY R.F.M.

1 Capt - Tp Comd (X List) NX100111 Capt LANG J.A.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

...../...../.....(Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/5/194 4 (Unit) HQ 55 AUST AA BDE AIF 19 44

W.E...../...../..... OFFRS. 11125A 3 O.R's. 5 + OFFRS. 35 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E. 8

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
1 -	1	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
1 1	1	-	-	Majors					
1 -	1	-	-	Captains	(AAMC	1	-	-	-
1 -	-	-	1	Lieutenants	(AA Chap Dept	1	-	-	-
1 -	-	-	1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5 1	3	-	3			2	-	-	-

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		4									4
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
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PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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[illegible] AUST AA REGT AIF ..... Unit

19/44 ..... (Serial No.)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/5/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lt	NX 27730	Noble	S.H.	[illegible]	YES		
Lt	NX100159	Parren	J.T.	TO	YES		
Capt	NX 19025	McPhie	J.M.	RMO	YES		
Chap	NX 161645	Ward	N.M.	PADRE	YES		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt-col	NX 391	Kelso PWA	54 Aust	AA Regt	-Adm Comd - 26/2/44
Lt	NX21952	Ames B.H.	55 "	" "	-Sigs Sec - 22/10/44
Capt	N 383033	Audet L.	55 "	" "	Wksps Sec - 9/11/44
Capt	NX 142009	Schmidt A.F.	55 "	" "	" " - 9/10/44
Lt	VX 108393	Flecke rC.G.	55 "	" "	" " - 9/11/44
Lt	NX 68070	Robson J.C.	55 "	" "	" " - 5/5/44

6 May 44
Date of Despatch

For [signature] Lt-col
Signature of Commander ADM COMD
AOD

Truth—7/43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/5/1944. 232 A.I.S.T. L. (Unit) TY.
55 AUST AA REGT. (AIF)

W.E. III 25A 3 OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
W.E. Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
1	1	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
4	-	-	4	Majors					
4	-	2	6	Captains					
				Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9	1	2	10		NIL				

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DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		10									10
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

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PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
DX601	Lt.	LAMPE D.P.	LHQ School of Arty.(IAA)	6/5/44	Struck off "X" List.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST L AA BTY. / 55 AUST AA REGT.(AIF) — Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/5/194. 4 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt.	VX45197	HARRY	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
"	TX6252	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Comd.	Yes		
"	QX19087	SILCOCK	P.M.	" "	"		
"	NX100108	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt.	"		
Lt.	NX113564	JONES	J.	Tp.Comd.	"		
"	NX79496	[illegible]	B.P.	[illegible]	"	Surplus	
"	NX80498	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp.Ldr.	"		
"	NX72844	McGREGOR	D.C.	" "	"		
"	NX123237	TURPIE	J.W.	" "	"		
"	DX601	LAMPE	D.P.	Bty.Lt.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

6/5/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry Capt
Signature of Commander

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt. - Promotion pending to balance above,
1 Lt. - Surplus to W.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

...../..... (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 23 /5 /1944. 136 Aust HAA Bty, 20/44
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF (Unit)

W.E. 111/254/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
WE				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1			Majors					
3			3	Captains					
9			9	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
13	1		12						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
	A.		12									12
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

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PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
NX100111	Lt			9/5/	From LHQ Sch of Arty
	T/Capt	LANG JA		44	AA Sen Offrs Course
					Ser 54, and "X" List

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty ..... Unit
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF

20/44 (Serial No.)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13/5/44 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Capt	NX100105	KAHL	H.J.C.	BtyCapt	Yes		
Lt T/Capt	NX100111	LANG	J.A.	TpComd	"		
"	NX100112	WILLIAMS	H.C.	"	"		
Lt	NX100117	HOOK	E.J.M.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100120	DONEY	C.J.	"	"		
"	NX100121	COWAN	M.E.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100122	CHAMBERS	K.B.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100124	CROFT	T.G.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100123	NIELSON	G.R.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100127	GREEN	J.A.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100125	McKENZIE	J.D.	" "	"		
"	NX100126	CULL	S.O.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

12/5/44
Date of Despatch

[signature] for Capt.
Signature of Commander

A/OC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

Truth—7/43.

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - OC (X List) NX100104 Major O'GRADY R.F.M.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13/5/1944. 232 AUST IAA (~~Unit~~) BTY.,
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

W.E. III/25A/3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
WE Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	-	-	Majors					
4	-	-	4	Captains					
4	-	1	5	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9	1	1	9		NIL				

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in pars. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		9									9
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
~~NX79496~~	~~Lt.~~	~~B.P. FIELDER~~	~~GDD SYDNEY~~	~~10/5/44~~	~~For transfer to R of O.~~

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday ...../...../194. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Capt.	VX45197	HARRY	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
"	TX6252	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Cond.	"		
"	QX19087	SIDCOCK	P.M.	" "	"		
"	NX100108	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt.	"		
Lt.	NX113564	JONES	J.	Tp.Cond.	"		
"	NX80498	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp.Ldr.	"		
"	NX72844	McGREGOR	D.G.	" "	"		
"	NX125237	TURPIE	J.W.	" "	"		
"	DX601	LAMPE	D.P.	Bty.Lt.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

13/5/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry Capt
Signature of Commander

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt. - Promotion pending to balance above.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

...../...../.....(Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday ...../...../194.... (Unit) 20 44
13 5 4 HQ 55 AUST AA REGT AIF

W.E...../...../..... OFFRS. O.R's. + OFFRS. O.R's. ATT. BY W.E.
11125A 3 5 35 2 8

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
1	-	-	-	1 Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	1	-	- Majors					
1	-	1	-	- Captains					
1	-	-	-	1 Lieutenants	AAMC	1	-	-	- 1
1	-	-	-	1 Quarter-masters	AA Chap Dept	1	-	-	- 1
1	-	-	-	1 A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5	1	2	-	3		2	-	-	- 2

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		5									5
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
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PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
VX 48177	Lt-col	Baglin BA.	LHQ Sch of Arty AA Sen Offrs Crse	10/5/44	From "X" List Ser No. 54

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
NX 391	Lt-col	Kelso P.W.A.	54 Aust AA Regt AIF	11/5/44	- Ceases to be Adm Comd 55 Aust AA Regt AIF
VX108393	Lt	Flecker C.G.	GHQ SWPA Sec 22	14/5/44	- Special Duties

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART A

Major	1	2IC
Captain	1	Adjt (X List)
Captain	1	QM (Pending promotion of Lt nowholding position)

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55 AUST AA REGT AIF ..... *Unit*

20.../44...(Serial No.)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13/5/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Lt-col	VX 48177	Baglin	D.A.	CO	Yes		
Lt	NX 27730	Noble	S.H.	QM	Yes		
Lt	NX 100129	Farren	J.T.	IO	Yes		
Capt	SX 19025	McPhie	J.M.	RMO	Yes		
Chap	NX 161645	Ward	N.M.	PADRE	Yes		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	NX 21952	Amos D.M.	55 Aust AA Regt	Sig Sec	22/10/43
Capt	N 383033	Audet L.	55 Aust AA Regt	Wksps AEME	9/11/43
Capt	NX142099	Schmidt A.F.	55 " " "	" "	9/10/43
Lt	NX 58070	Robson J.C.	55 " " "	" "	5/5/44

13 May 44
Date of Despatch

D.A. Baglin Lt-col
Signature of Commander CO CMD

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20 / 5 /194 4. 232 AUST LAA REGT. (Unit)
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

W.E. III 25A 3 / / . OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
WE				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	-	3	Majors					
4	-	-	4	Captains					
4	-	1	5	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9	1	1	9		NIL				

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		9									9
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST LAA BTY.. Unit
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20/5/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt.	VX45197	HARRY	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
"	TX6252	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Comd.	"		
"	QX19097	SILCOCK	P.M.	"	"		
"	NX100108	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt.	"		
Lt.	NX113564	JONES	J.	Tp.Comd.	NO	REC LEAVE	24/4/44
"	NX80498	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp.Ldr.	YES		
"	NX72844	McGREGOR	D.G.	"	"		
"	NX123237	TURPIE	J.W.	"	"		
"	DX601	LAMPE	D.P.	Bty.Lt.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

20/5/44.
Date of Despatch

Richard Harry Capt
Signature of Commander
O.C. 232 Aust. L. A.A. Bty.

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt. - Promotion pending to balance above.

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday...../...../194 136 Aust HAA Pty (Unit)

20 5 4 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF

W.E. 11/26/3 OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 11 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
WE	Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
					*					
					*					
					Lieut.-Colonels					
1	-	1	-	-	Majors					
3	-	-	-	3	Captains					
9	-	-	-	9	Lieutenants					
					Quarter-masters					
					A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
					Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
13	-	1	-	12						

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DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		12									12
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
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PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
NX108616	Capt	Forsyth.G.D.	RAA HQ	15/5/44	Instructor.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty
55 Aust AA Regt. AIF. *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20/5/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Capt	WX10[illegible]05	KAHL	H.J.C.	BtyCapt	Yes		
Lt T/Capt	WX10[illegible]11	LANG	J.A.	Tp Comd	"		
"	WX10[illegible]12	WILLIAMS	H.C.	"	"		
Lt	WX10[illegible]17	NOCK	E.J.M.	Sec Comd	"		
"	WX10[illegible]20	DONEY	C.J.	"	"		
"	WX10[illegible]21	CONAN	W.J.	Tp Hq Lt	"		
"	WX10[illegible]22	CHAMBERS	K.B.	Sec Comd	"		
"	WX10[illegible]24	CROFT	F.G.	Tp Hq Lt	"		
"	WX10[illegible]27	WILSON	G.R.	Sec Comd	"		
"	WX10[illegible]27	QUEEN	J.A.	Tp Hq Lt	"		
"	WX10[illegible]26	MACKENZIE	J.D.	"	"		
"	WX10[illegible]26	CULL	S.G.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Capt	WX10[illegible]616	Forsyth.C.D.	RAA HQ	15/5/44	Instructor.

20/5/44
Date of Despatch

H. Kahl
Signature of Commander

A/OC 136 AUST HAA BTY. AIF

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DEFICIENCIES

1 Major - OC (X List) NX100104 Major O'Grady R.F.M.

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21.44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20/5 /1944. HQ 55 AUST AA REGT, AIF, (Unit)

W.E. 11125A / 3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
1 1	1			Majors					
1 -	1			Captains	AAMC	1			1
1			1	Lieutenants	AA Disp Dept	1			1
1			1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5 1	2		3			2			2

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
	A.		5									5
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
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PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A".

Major - 1 - 2 i/c

Capt - 1 - Adjt (X List - School)

" - 1 - QM pending promotion of Lt now holding position -

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday...../...../194..... (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lt-col	VX48177	BAGLIN B A	-	B.O.	Yes		
LT.	NX27730	NOBLE S H	-	OM	Yes		
"	NX100129	FARREN J.T.	-	IO	Yes		
Capt	SX19025	McPHIE J.M.	-	RMO	Yes		
Chap	NX161645	WARD N.M.	-	Chap	Yes		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	NX21952	Ames B.H.	55 Aust	AA Regt	Sig Sect - 22/10/43
Capt	N383033	Audet L.	55 Aust	AA Regt	W/Shps AEME 9/11/43
"	NX142099	Schmidt A.F.	55 Aust	AA Regt	W/ShopsAEME 9/10/43
Lt	NX58070	Robson J.C.	55 Aust	AA Regt	W/ShopsAEME 5/5/44
Lt	NX108618	McCaffrey RTP	19 Aust	HAA Bty	AIF - AA Staging Camp 11/5/4

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Date of Despatch

Lt-col,

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

22/44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 11/25/194 3 HQ 55 AUST AA (Unit) REGT AIF

W.E. 27/5/44 OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	-	-	Majors	(AAMC	1			1
1	-	1	-	Captains	(AA Chap Dept	1			1
1			1	Lieutenants					
1			1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5 1	2		3			2			2

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		5									5
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

Major - 1 - 2IC

Capt - 1 - Adjt (X List)

Capt - 1 - QM Pending promotion of Lt now holding position

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27/5/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lt-col	VX 48177	BAGLIN	B.A.	CO	YES		
Lt	NX 27730	NOBLE	S.H.	QM	YES		
Lt	NX 100129	FARREN	J.T.	IO	YES		
Capt	NX 161645	WARD	N.M.	CHAP	YES		
Capt	SX 19025	McPHIE	J.M.	RMO	YES		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	NX 21952	AMES B.H.	55 Aust	AA Regt	Sig Sec - 22/10/43
Capt	N 383033	AUDET L.	55 "	" "	Wksps AEME - 9/11/43
Capt	NX142099	SCHMIDT A.F.	55 "	" "	" " - 9/10/43
Lt	NZ 58070	ROBSON J.C.	55 "	" "	" " - 5/5/44
Lt	NX106618	McCAFFREY R.T.	19 "	HAA Bty	AIF Staging Camp-11/5/44

27 May 44

Date of Despatch

Capt.
Adjt. 55 Aust. Comp. A.A. Regt. Lt-col
Signature of Commander AOD

Truth—7/43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

9 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27 / 5 / 1944. 232 AUST LAA (Unit).,
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

W.E. III / 25A 3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	-	-	Majors					
4	-	-	4	Captains					
4	-	1	5	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9	1	1	9		NIL				

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL		A.I.P.	C.M.P.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		9									9
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST LAA BTY, Unit
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27 / 5 /1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Capt.	VX45197	HARRY	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
"	TX6252	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Comd.	"		
"	QX19087	SILCOCK	P.M.	" "	"		
"	NX100108	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt.	"		
Lt.	NX113564	JONES	J.	Tp.Comd.	NO YES	REC LEAVE	
"	NX80498	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp.Idr.	"		
"	NX123237	TURPIE	J.W.	" "	"		
"	DX601	LAMPE	D.P.	Bty.Lt.	"		
"	NX72844	McGREGOR	D.G.	Tp.Idr.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

27/5/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry Capt
Signature of Commander
O.C. 232 Aust. L. A.A. Bty.

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt. - Promotion pending to balance above.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

22.../44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/5/1941 136 Aust HAA (Unit)
55 Aust AA Regt. AIF

W.E. 111/254/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
WE				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	-	1	-	- Majors					
3	-	-	-	3 Captains					
9	-	-	-	9 Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
13	-	1	-	12					

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part B(1) & B(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		12									12
B.(1)											
B.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 AUST HAA Bty, AIF
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF ..... Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27 / 5 /194 4 . **(Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)**

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt	NX100105	KAHL	E.J.C.	Bty Capt	Yes		
Lt T/Capt	NX166111	LANG	J.A.	Tp Comd	"		
"	NX100112	WILLIAMS	E.C.	"	"		
Lt	NX100117	ROCK	E.J.H.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100120	DOWSY	C.J.	"	"		
"	NX100123	COHAN	M.E.	Tp Hq Lt	"		
"	NX100122	CHAMBERS	K.B.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100124	CROFT	T.G.	Tp Hq Lt	"		
"	NX100123	NIELSON	G.D.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100127	GREEN	J.A.	Tp Hq Lt	"		
"	NX100125	McKENZIE	J.D.		"		
"	NX100126	CULL	S.C.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
t	NX108616	FORSYTH.C.D.	HAA Hq	15/5/44	Instructor

27/5/44
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
A/OC 136 AUST HAA BTY, AIF

Truth—7/43.

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DEFICIENCIES

1 Major - OS (X List) NX100104 Major O'Grady R.F.M.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

19 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/5/1944 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Reg. (Unit) AIF.

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
WE	Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	WE
					W.Os. Class I.						
1				1	W.Os. Class II.						
1				1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
					Staff Sergeants						
16		5		11	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
27		-		27	Corporals	(AACC	3	1	-	-	2
259		5		254	Troopers, Privates, etc.	(AAMC	1	-	-	-	1
					Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	7	-	2	-	9
304	*	10		294 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		12 *	1	2	- *	13

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years	C.M.F. 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL.
A	A	B	XXXXXXXX								
B(1)	304	1	1								306
B(2)											

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached
2	School		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty,
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF. Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 6 / 5 /194 4.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.	50	49		G.P.O. Assistants	127	124	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen	2	2	
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers	32	31		Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers	8	8		Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								WO11	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								S/Sgt	1	1	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Sgts	16	11	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Water Duty	1	1	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Teleph	17	17	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator	26	26		Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman Hy Comp	6	6		Butchers	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				" DVRs	7	7	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator	12	11		Clerks, Supply	2	2		DVRs MT	32	32	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Gun Nos	76	74	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties Platoon	6	6		Coach Trimmers				GDOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Hyg Duty	1	1	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				MC Ord	5	5	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Recorders	6	6	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				Storemen W.E.	2	2	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals					304	294	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AACC	12	11	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant	17	17		AAMC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers	1	1					
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	16 127	16 124		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317	306	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

6/5/44
Date of Despatch

N. Fahe
Signature of Commander Capt.

Actg Comd, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Operators Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Height Takers	11	" 1 Bdr.
Predictor Nos	31	" 4 Bdrs.
Clerks	2	" 1 Bdr.
GPOAs	2	Are Bdrs.
Tech Storeman	1	Is a Bdr.
Drivers MT	32	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Gun Nos	74	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs.

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "A" -

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt	
FCIA	1 "	
Sgt MT	1 "	(X List) - School
Gun Nos 1	2 "	(X List)
Predictor No	1 Gnr	(X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gp 111	1 "	
Driver MT	1 "	(X List)
Gun Nos	2 "	(X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr	(X List)
AACC	2 Ptes	(1 X List) - School.

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "E" -

Fire Control Operators	- 23	Trade Grouped	- 3	in Training	
Height Takers	- nil	" "	- 12	"	(Incl 4 Bdrs)
Predictor	- nil	" "	- 31	"	(" 4 ")
Dvr Mech	- 5	" "	- 12	"	
Clerks	- 1	" "	- 1	"	

Surplus

1 Bdr MT
1 Cpl AACC

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6 / 4 / 1944 HQ 55 AUST AA (Unit) REGT AIF 10 44

W.E 111/254/3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
WE	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.			W.
	Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts Required.
1	-	1	-	-	W.Os Class I					
					W.Os. Class II	AACC	1	-	-	- 1
					Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts	AA PORTAL	1	-	-	- 1
1	-	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants	AAPC	1	-	-	- 1
4	-	-	-	4	Sergeants	AAMC	2	-	-	- 2
3	-	1	-	2	Corporals	AACC	1	-	-	- 1
26	-	-	1	27	Troopers, Privates, etc	AACC	2	-	-	- 2
					Civilians counting as O.R					
35	- *	2	1	34 *	Totals of cols marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		8 *	-	-	- 8

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years	C.M.F. 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A	41 1						[redacted]	[redacted]		42
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC (AIF)		
1	54 Aust AA Regt		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	DRO SA Lgf C Area		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ... / ... /194 ...

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known)

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55 AUST AA POST AIF ..... Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 6 / 5 / 1944 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	-
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	-
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	3	3	-
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	2	1	-	Bat Dvrs	5	5	-
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	3	3	-	Telephonist	3	3	-
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				DRs	5	4	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Dvr Duty	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Dvrs MT	5	6	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				HCOs	6	5	-
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAMC	2	2	-
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAPC	1	1	-
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	1	1	-	Postal	1	1	-
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AACC	1	1	-
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AACC	3	3	-
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	5	5	-	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively	43	42 *	- *

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(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back
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6 May 44
Date of Despatch

for Signature of Commander
Lt-Col
APM COMD

CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
TAILOR	1	Incl 1 Bdr
DRIVERS MT	6	Incl 1 Bdr

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

WO1 1 RSM (X LIST)
BDR 1 CLERK (PENDING PROMOTION)
GNR 1 DR (X LIST)

SURPLUS

1 Dvr MT

Ref Column 7 AAOC member is a Pte pending promotion

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/5/1944. 232 AUST L AA BTY. (Unit)
55 AUST AA REGT. (AIF)
W.E. III 25A 3 /// OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
W.E. Reinfts. Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength	DETAIL	Arm of Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts Required W.E.
				W.Os Class I					
4	1	-	3	W.Os. Class II					
1	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts					
				Staff Sergeants					
24	2	-	22	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	1
20	2	-	18	Corporals	AACC	2	-	1	3
254	30	1	225	Troopers, Privates, etc	AAMC	1	-	-	1
				Civilians counting as O.R	AACC	6	-	1	7
303 *	35	1	269 *	Totals of cols marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		10 *	-	2	*12

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years	C.M.F. 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A	244	1	34				[redacted]	[redacted]		279
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong
8	55 Aust AA Regt W'shops AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt. Sig Section		
1	112 Aust L AA Regt. W'shops AEME		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	S.S.Q. 8 Mobile Works Sqn RAAF		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ... / ... /194...

Army No	Rank	Name and Initials	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST L AA BTY.
55 AUST AA REGT. (A.I.F.) ..... Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 6 / 5 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identifn Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				NCO's	29	26	
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batmen	7	7	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat Dvrs	2	2	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs M.T.	34	34	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.	108	76	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.C. Orderly	7	7	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Storeman	1	1	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Telephonist	12	12	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	-	1		Water Duty	1	1	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	5	5					
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AACC	11	9	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAMC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	22	22					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	36	36					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	100	101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively	315	279	
													*	*	

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6/5/44
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Richard V. Harry Capt
O.C.
Signature of Commander

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs M.T.	34	" 1 "
Gun Nos.	76	" 16 "

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

W.O.II	1	T.S.M.	Pending Promotion
Sgts.	2	D.C.'s	"X" List
Bdrs.	2	Gun Nos.	"X" List
Gnrs.	30	Gun Nos.	11 "X" List.
AACC	Cpl 1		
	Pte 1		"X" List.

SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING

Predictor Nos.	36	Not Trade Grouped but in Training.
Clerks	5	4 Trade Grouped, 1 in Training.
Dvr Mechs.	22	20 Trade Grouped, 2 in Training.
Gun Layers	36	19 T/C Fd.Arty & Tk/A & 17 others in tng.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13/ 5/194 4 136 Aust HAA Bty (Unit) 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.

W.E. 111 /25A/ 3 OFFRS. 13 O.R's 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
WE	Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required	WE
					W.Os. Class I.						
1				1	W.Os. Class II.						
1				1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
					Staff Sergeants						
16		4		12	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
27		-		27	Corporals	AACC	3	1	-	-	2
259		5		25~~4~~3	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	1	-	-	-	1
					Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	8	-	1	-	9
304	*	9		29~~5~~4	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		13 *	1	1	- *	13

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

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Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years	C.M.F. 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
A	A	B	XXXXXXXX								
B(1)	30~~5~~4	1	2								30~~8~~7
B(2)											

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
2	School		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.
~~2/2 Aust AA Regt, AIF.~~ *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 13 / 5 /194 4.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.	50	49		G.P.O. Assistants	127	124	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen	2	2	
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	32	31		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers	8	8		Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								WO11	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mcd.)								S/Sgt	1	1	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Sgts	16	12	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Water Duty	/	/	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Teleph	17	17	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators	26	26		GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				~~Gun Operators~~	6	6		Battery Surveyors	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				" Dvrs	7	7	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker	12	11		Clerks	2	2		Drivers MT	32	32	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Gun Nos	76	75	
Mechanics, Instrument				~~Instrument~~	6	6		Clerks, Technical				GDOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				MT Ord	5	5	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Recorders	6	6	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Storemen	2	1	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.	304	294	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	17	17		AACC	12	12	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAMC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	16	16					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	127	124		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317 *	307 *	

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13/5/44
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
Capt.
I/OC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Operators Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Height Takers	11	" 1 Bdr.
Predictor Nos	31	" 4 Bdrs.
Clerks	2	" 1 Bdr.
GPOAs	2	Are Bdrs.
Tech Storeman	1	Is a Bdr.
Drivers MT	32	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Gun Nos	75	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "A" -

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt
FCIA	1 "
Sgt Mt	1 " (X List - School)
Gun Nos 1	1 " (X List)
Predictor No	1 Gnr (X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gp 111	1 "
Driver MT	1 " (X List - School)
Gun Nos	1 " (X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr (X List)
Storeman	1 " (X List)
Hyg Dutyman	1 Gnr
AACC	1 Pte (X List - School)

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "E" -

Fire Control Operators	- 23	Trade Grouped	- 3	in Training
Height Takers	- nil "	"	- 12	" (Incl 4 Bdrs)
Predictor	- nil "	"	- 31	" (" 4 ")
Dvr Mech	- 5 "	"	- 12	"
Clerks	- 1 "	"	- 1	"

Surplus

[redacted]
1 Cpl AACC

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13 / 5 / 1944. 232 AUST IAA (Unit),
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

W.E. III/25A/ 3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts Required
				W.Os Class I					
4	1	-	3	W.Os. Class II				-	
1	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts					
				Staff Sergeants					
24	4	-	20	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	1
20	-	-	20	Corporals	(AACC	2	-	1	3
254	26	1	229	Troopers, Privates, etc	(AAMC	1	-	-	1
				Civilians counting as O.R	AACC	7	-	-	7
303 *	31	1	273 *	Totals of cols marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		11 *	-	1	12 *

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Detail	A.I.F	C.M.F Under 19 Years	C.M.F 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A	246	1	37				[redacted]	[redacted]		284
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong
8	55 Aust AA Regt, W'shops Sect AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt, Sig Sect.		
1	112 Aust IAA Regt, W'shops AEME		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	S.S.O. 8 Mobile Works Sqn RAAF		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ... / ... /194...

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST IAA BTY?
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 13 / 5 / 1944 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				NCO's	29	24	
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batmen	7	7	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat Dvrs.	2	2	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs. MT	34	34	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.	108	82	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.C. Orderly	7	7	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Storeman	1	1	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Telephonist	12	12	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	–	1		Water Duty	1	1	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	5	5			303	273	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AACC	11	10	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAMC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	22	22					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	36	36					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	100	101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively	315	284 *	*

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Date of Despatch

Richard V Harry Capt

Signature of Commander

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs. M.T.	24	" 1 "
Gun Nos.	32	" 18 "

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A".

W.O.II	1	T.S.M.	Pending Promotion
Sgts.	4	D.Cls	3 "X" List, 1 pending promotion
Gnrs.	26	Gun Nos.	21 "X" List
AACC Cpl.	1		

SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING.

Predictor Nos.	36	Not Trade Grouped but in training.
Clerks	5	4 Trade Grouped, 1 in training.
Dvr. Mechs.	22	20 " " 2 " "
Gun Layers	36	19 T/G Fd Arty & Tk/A & 17 others in tng.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13/5/1944 HQ 55 AUST (Unit) AA REGT AIF

W.E. 111 25A 3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	
W.E. 1	-	1	-	-	W.Os. Class I.					W.E.
				W.Os. Class II.						
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
					AA POSTAL	1	-	-	-	1
1	-	-	-	Staff Sergeants	LAPC	1	-	-	-	1
4	-	-	4	Sergeants	AAMC	2	-	-	-	2
3	-	-	3	Corporals	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
26	-	-	1	27 Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	2	-	-	-	2
				Civilians counting as O.R.						
35	- *	1	1	35 * Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		8 *	-	-	- *	8

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
	A B									
A	42 1						[redacted]	[redacted]		43
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC (AIF)		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	DRO SA L of C Area		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants	5	5	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, B.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	-
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters	1	1	-
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Batmen	3	3	-
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	1	1	-	Bat Dvrs	5	5	-
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply	3	3	-	Telephonists	3	3	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Dvrs	5	5	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Dvrs Duty	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Dvrs MT	5	6	-
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				MCOs	2	5	-
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAMC	2	2	-
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AAPC	1	1	-
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant	1	1	-	Postal	1	1	-
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AAOC	1	1	-
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers				AACC	3	3	-
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	5	5		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	43	43	-*

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13 May 44.
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Signature of Commander Lt-Col [redacted] COMD

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
TAILOR	1	Incl 1 Bdr
DRIVERS MT	6	Incl 1 Bdr
CLERKS	(3) 3	Incl 1 Bdr

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

NC 1 RSM (X LIST)

SURPLUS

1 Dvr MT

Ref Column 7 AAOC member is a Pte pending promotion

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20 / 5 / 1944 . 232 AUST IAA BTY, 55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

W.E. III/25A/3 . OFFRS. 9 O.R's 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
WE	Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	WE
					W.Os. Class I.						
4		1	-	3	W.Os. Class II.						
1		-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
					Staff Sergeants						
24		4	-	20	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-		1
20		-	-	20	Corporals	(AACC	2	-	1		3
254		26	1	229	Troopers, Privates, etc.	(AAMC	1	-	-		1
					Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	7	-	-		7
303	*	31	1	273 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		11 *	-	1	*	12

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

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Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	A 24 B 1		36				[redacted]	[redacted]		284
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
8	55 Aust AA Regt, W'shops AEME		
1	54 Aust AA Regt, W'shops AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt, Sig Section.		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
2	13 Aust Detention Barrack.		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ..../..../194....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST IAA BTY.
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF. *Unit*

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													100	101	
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
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Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batmen	7	7	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat Dvrs.	2	2	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs M.T.	34	34	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.	108	82	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.C. Orderly	7	7	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Storeman	1	1	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
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Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AACC	10	10	
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Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	22	22					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	36	36					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	100	101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	315	284 *	*

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20/5/44
Date of Despatch

Richard T Hanny Cpt
Signature of Commander

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs M.T.	34	" 1 "
Gun Nos.	82	"18 "

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A".

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Gnrs.	26	Gun Nos.	11 "X" List.
AACC Cpl.	1		

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Gun Layers	36	19 T/G Fd Arty & Tk/A & 17 others in tng.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20 / 5 /194 4 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt (Unit) AIF.

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required	
WE										WE
				W.Os. Class I.						
				W.Os. Class II.						
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
1			1	Staff Sergeants						
-			-	Sergeants						
16	5		11	Corporals	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
27	-		27	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	3	1	-	-	2
259	8		251	Civilians counting as O.R.	AAMC	1	-	-	-	1
					AACC	8	-	1	-	9
304 *	13		291 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		13 *	1	1	- *	13

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Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F.		A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
			Under 19 Years	19 Years and over							
A			[redacted]					[redacted]	[redacted]		
B(1)	A	B									
B(2)	301	1	2				[redacted]				304

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	
1	RAA HQ		
2	7 Aust W & P Coy RAE		
2	28 Battalion		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached	Number of O Rs	Unit to which detached

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF ..... Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 20/ 5 /1944 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	32	30		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers	8	8		Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				WO11	1	1	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								S/Sgt	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Sgts	16	11	
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Water Duty	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Telephonist	17	17	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators	26	25		GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator	6	6		Battery Surveyors	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				" Dvrs	7	7	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker	12	11		Clerks	2	2		Drivers MT	32	30	
Grinder, Precision				Hoist Operators	6	6		Clerks, Supply				Gun Hos	76	75	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				GDOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				MO Orderly	5	5	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Recorders	6	6	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Storemen	2	2	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hyg Duty	1	-	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.	304	291	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AACC	12	12	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	17	17					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAMC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	16	16					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	127	123		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317	304	

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
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(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

20/5/44
Date of Despatch

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A/OC 136 AUST HAA BTY, AIF

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Operators Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs
Height Takers	11	" 1 "
Predictor Nos	30	" 4 "
Clerks	2	" 1 "
GDOAs	2	Are Bdrs
Tech Storeman	1	Is a Bdr
Drivers MT	30	Incl 3 Bdrs
Gun Nos	75	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "A"

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt
FCIA	1 "
Sgt MT	1 " (XList - School)
Gun Nos 1	2 " (XList)-
Predictor No	2 Gnrs (X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gp 111	1 "
Driver MT	3 " (X List)
Gun Nos	1 " (X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr (X List)
Hyg Dutyman	1 Gnr
AACC	1 Pte (X List) (School

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "B"

Fire Control Operators	- 23	Trade Grouped	- 3	in Training
Dvr Mech	- 5	" "	-12	"
Clerks	- 1	" "	- 1	"

Surplus

1 Cpl AACC

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

21 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20 / 5 / 1944 HQ 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF, (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 25A / 3. OFFRS 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1	1			W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.	AACC	1			1
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.	AA Postal	1			1
1			1	Staff Sergeants	AAPC	1			1
4			4	Sergeants	AAMC	2			2
3			3	Corporals	AACC(Pte)	2			2
26		1	27	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAOC	1			1
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
35 *	1	1	35 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		8 *			8 *

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
A	42	1						[redacted]	[redacted]		43
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC (AIF)		
2	65 Aust Mob Sl. Bty		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
1	S A L of C Records		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To.....(Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				C/Pad	5	5	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Riveters			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Roughriders			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddlers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Saddletree makers			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Computors								Riggers				Stevedores			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Tailors	1	1	
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd'e. Asst.				Well Borers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				Whitesmiths			
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	3	3	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	1	1		" Dvrs	5	5	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	3	3		Telephonists	3	3	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				M/C Crds	5	5	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Hyg Duty	1	1	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Dvrs MT	5	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				MCOs	6	5	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAMC	2	2	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAPC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	1	1		AM Postal	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAOC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AACC	3	3	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	5	5		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	43	43 *	*

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(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
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20 MAY 44
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Signature of Commander

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Tailor	1	Incl 1 Bdr
Drivers MT	6	" 1 Bdr
Clerks	3	" 1 Bdr

Deficiencies in accordance with Part "A"

WO 1 - RSM - X List

Surplus:-

1 Dvr MT

Ref Column 7 - AACC member is a Pte - Pending Promotion.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

22 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27/5/1944. HQ 55 AUST AREST AIF (Unit)

W.E 111/25/3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts Required.
1 -	1	-	-	W.Os Class I					
				W.Os. Class II	AACC	1			- 1
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts	(AA Postal	1			1
1			1	Staff Sergeants	(AAPC	1			1
4			4	Sergeants	(AAMC	2			2
3			3	Corporals	AACC(pte)	1			1
26		2	28	Troopers, Privates, etc	AACC	2			2
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
35 *	1	2	36 *	Totals of cols marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		8 *			- 8

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces

Detail	A.I.F. A	A.I.F. B	C.M.F. Under 19 Years	C.M.F. 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A	43	1						[redacted]	[redacted]		44
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC (AIF)		
2	65 Aust Mob SL Bty		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	SA L of C Records	Office	

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ... / ... /194...

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known)

First Aust Army Mob Print Unit—a262—50m—8-43

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55 AUST AA REGT AIF
Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 27 / 5 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W E	Posted Strength	Reints. Required	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W E	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine	1	1	-
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	-
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NONTRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors	1	1	-	Batmen Dvr	3	3	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	3	4	-	Telephonists	5	5	-
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				DRs	3	3	-
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Hyg Duty	5	5	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Dvrs LT	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				RCOs	5	6	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors					6	5	-
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAPC	2	2	-
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.	1	1	-	AA Postel	1	1	-
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AACC	1	1	-
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AACC	3	3	-
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively	43	44 *	- *

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(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required"
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27 May 44
Date of Despatch

Adjt. 55 Aust. Coast. A.A. Regt.
Lt-col
For Signature of Commander

CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Tailor	1	Incl 1 Bdr
Drivers MT	6	Incl 1Bdr
Clerks	3	Incl 1 Bdr

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

1 WO 1 - RSM - X LIST

1 BDR - CLERK (Pending promotion within Unit)

SURPLUS

1 Dvr MT

1 Bdr Clerk (Pending absorption within 4 Aust AA Gp vide RAAA~~tth~~)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

9 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27/ 5 /194 4. 232 AUST IAA BTY., (Unit)
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

W.E. III 25A 3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
WE	Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	WE
					W.Os. Class I.						
4		1	-	3	W.Os. Class II.						
1		-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
					Staff Sergeants						
24		4	-	20	Sergeants	AACC	-	-	1		1
20		-	1	21	Corporals	AACC	2	-	1		3
254		26	1	229	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	1	-	-		1
					Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	8	1	-		7
303	*	31	2	274 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		11 *	1	2		*12

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F. A	C.M.F. Under 19 Years. B	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	248	1	36				[redacted]	[redacted]		285
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
8	55 Aust AA Regt, W'shops AEME		
1	54 Aust AA Regt, W'shops AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt, Sig Section.		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
2	13 Aust Detention Barrack.		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST IAA BTY. Unit
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 27/ 5 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1		1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				NCO's	29	25	
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batmen	7	7	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat Dvrs.	2	2	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs M.T.	34	34	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.	108	83	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.C. Orderly	7	7	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Storeman	1	1	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Telephonist	12	12	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	-	1		Water Duty	1	1	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	5	5			303	274	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AACC	11	10	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAMC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	22	22					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	36	36					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	100	101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	315	285	

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27-5-44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry, Capt
Signature of Commander
O.C. 232 Aust. L. A.A. Bty.

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs M.T.	34	" 1 Bdr.
Gun Nos.	83	" 19

DEFECIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A".

W.O. II		1	T.S.M.	Pending Promotion.
Sgts.		4	D.C.'s	3 "X" List, 1 pending promot
Gnrs.		26	Gun Nos.	11 "X" List.
AACC	Sgt.	1		"X" List.
	Cpl.	1		Pending Promotion.

SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING.

Predictor Nos.	36	Not Trade Grouped but in Trainin
Dvr. Mechs.	22	22 Trade Grouped, 45 in training.
Gun Layers.	36	19 T/C Fd Arty & Tk/A & 17 others in tng.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

22 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27 / 5 /194 4 136 Aust HAA Bty (Unit) 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required
				W.Os. Class I.					
1			1	W.Os. Class II.					
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
-			-	Staff Sergeants					
16	4	-	12	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	-
27	-	-	27	Corporals	AACC	3	1	-	-
259	9	-	250	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	9	-	1	-
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AAMC x	1	1	-	-
304 *	13	-	291*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		14 *	2	1	- *

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

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Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.P. Under 10 Years	C.M.P. 10 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
A	302	1	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		305
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	
1	RAA HQ		
4	7 Aust WEP Coy	RAE	
2	28 Battalion		
2	Mob Sch of Arty AA		
4	54 Aust AA Regt		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached	Number of O Rs	Unit to which detached
1	School		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF. ..... Unit

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Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.	50	49		G.P.O. Assistants	127	123	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen	2	2	
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	32	30		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers	8	8		Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				WO11	1	1	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								S/Sgt	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Sgts	16	12	
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Water Duty	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Telephonist	17	17	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators	26	26		GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Fitter-Comp	6	6		Battery Surveyors	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				" Dvrs	7	7	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker	12	11		Clerks	2	2		Drivers MT	32	31	
Grinder, Precision				Fitters	6	6		Clerks, Supply				Gun Nos	76	74	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				GDOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				MC Orderly	5	4	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Recorders	6	6	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Storemen	2	2	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				Hyg Duty	1	-	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				ATTACHED BY W.E.	304	291	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	17	17		AACC	12	12	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAMC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	16	16					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	127	123		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317	305	

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27 May 1944
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W. Kahl Capt.
Signature of Commander
A/OC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

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CLASSIFICTION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Operators Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs
Height Takers	11	" 1 Bdr
Predictor Nos	30	" 4 Bdrs.
Clerks	2	" 1 Bdr
GPOAs	2	Are Bdrs
Tech Storeman	1	Is aBdr
Drivers MT	31	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Gun Nos	74	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs

Attached

1 L/Cpl AAMC (Pending Promotion to A/Cpl)

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "A" -

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt
FCIA	1 "
Gun Nos 1	2 " (X List)
Predictor Nos	2 Gnrs(X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gp 111	1 Gnr
Driver MT	2 Gnrs(X List)
Gun Nos	2 " (X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr (X List)
Hyg Dutyman	1 Gnr

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "E" -

Fire Control Operators	- 23	Trade Grouped	- 3	in Training
Driver Mech	- 5	"	"	-12	"
Clerks	- 1	"	"	- 1	"

Surplus

1 Cpl AACC
1 Bdr MT.

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Unit 55 Aust AA Regt AIF *Date and Time.—From* 1 Jun 44 *To* 30 Jun 44

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATCHELOR NT	1 June	0900	"Moon Period, Jun 44"	Attached
		1100	HQ 232 AUST LAA BTY established at BATCHELOR.	
		"	Lt-col BAGLIN to BATCHELOR Airstrip to watch deployment of	
			LAA guns, moving into the area.	
		1335	"A" Tp 149 AUST LAA BTY guns reported in action.	
		1600	"C" Tp 232 AUST LAA BTY guns reported in action.	
		1700	Amendments to Location Statement.	Attached.
" "	2 June	0807	GOR reported plots of hostile aircraft.	
			(Enemy aircraft type "Dinah" came over DARWIN area. Some	
			rounds were fired by HAA guns at DARWIN.)	
		0900	"All Clear."	
		1000	Lt-col BAGLIN visited HQ RAAF NW Area.	
" "	3 June	0900	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
" "	4 June	1713	GOR reported unidentified plots.	
		1742	Aircraft identified.	
		2040	Lt-col BAGLIN visited GOR to test state of training.	

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Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATCHELOR NT	5 June	1400	Lt-col BAGLIN visited 105 Fighter Sector.	
" "	6 June	0900	Unit Routine Orders, Pt 1 Serial 12/44	Attached.
		1030	Lt-col BAGLIN to 53 OBU (RAAF) reference ground defence.	
		1100	Lt-col BAGLIN to H1 (gunsite) to inspect.	
" "	7 June	1000	G.O.R. moved from COOMALIE to new location at BATCHELOR.	
			(see location statement amendment of 9 Jan 44.)	
		1100	Lt-col HAMMER arrived ex school at SYDNEY. Visited this HQ	
			then moved to resume comd 101 AUST AA REGT AIF.	
" "	8 June	1000	Detachment of 74 AUST DENTAL UNIT marched in. OC S114876	
			Capt SEAMAN L.G.	
" "	9 June	1000	55 AUST AA REGT WKSPS moved to new location (see Amdt to	
			location statement, dated 9 Jun.)	
		1115	Lt-col BAGLIN to BATCHELOR Strip to witness airborne	
			training of 232 AUST LAA BTY, using dummy plane.	
		1700	Amendments to location statement.	Attached.
		1415	Lt-col BAGLIN to visit CO 79 WING (RAAF).	

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Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATCHELOR NT	10 June	0900	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
		1100	Lt-col BAGLIN to BATCHELOR Strip to witness airborne training of 232 AUST LAA BTY.	
		2330	Practise "Red" Alert for whole of DARWIN Area.	
" "	12 June	0728	GOR reported plots of unidentified plane. This proved to be hostile.	
		0817	Hostile aircraft shot down by RAAF "Spitfires" over PERRIN ISLAND NT.	
		1000	Lt-col BAGLIN inspected "A" Tp 149 AUST LAA BTY.	
" "	13 June	1000	Lt-col BAGLIN to HQ RAA NT FORCE.	
		0130	Practise "Red" Alert for DARWIN Area.	
" "	14 June	1137	GOR reported unidentified plots.	
		1203	Aircraft identified as friendly.	
" "	15 June	0830	Lt-col BAGLIN to H1 (ATp 136 Aust HAA Bty) to witness HAA Shoot.	
		0900	HAA Shoot cancelled - target towing aircraft had trouble	

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Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATCHELOR NT	15 June	0900	with the drogue target.	
		1400	Lt-col BAGLIN to H1, for HAA Shoot.	
" "	16 June	0830	Lt-col BAGLIN to H2 (B Tp 136 Aust HAA Bty) to witness HAA	
			Shoot. Some missfires of ammunition occurred.	
		1400	Report on Ammunition	Attached.
" "	17 June	0900	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
		1700	NX100107 Capt DENGATE H.A. returned from RAAF School of Army	
			Co-op, Canberra.	
" "	18 June	1800	Lt-col BAGLIN to visit 18 SQN (NEI).	
" "	19 June	0900	Visual training detachment showed various training films.	
" "	20 June	0900	Visual training.	
" "	21 June	0900	Lt-col BAGLIN to COOMALIE Strip, to inspect "B" Tp 153 AUST	
			LAA BTY.	
		1400	Lt-col BAGLIN to BATCHELOR to inspect "C" Tp 232 AUST LAA BTY.	
" "	22 June	0900	Unit Standing Orders Pt 1. Serial 13/44	Attached.
		0907	GOR reported plots of unidentified aircraft .	

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Unit 55 Aust AA Regt AIF *Date and Time.—From* 1 Jun 44 *To* 30 Jun 44

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATCHELOR NT	22 June	0910	Aircraft identified.	
" "	23 June	1100	Lt-col BAGLIN to H1 & H2 Gunsites (136 Aust HAA Bty), to inspect training.	
	24 June	0900	W 3008 - 9	Attached.
" "	25 June	1000	69 AUST MOB SL BTY arrived in area.	
			O.C. SX21293 Maj GREEN G.D.B.	
		1700	Visit by Lt-col FORD (SORA I HQ RAA NT FORCE) to meet Maj GREEN.	
" "	26 June	0001	Location Statement	Attached.
" "	27 June	1000	Lt-col BAGLIN to inspect "C" Tp 232 AUST LAA BTY.	
		1500	Lt-col BAGLIN to visit RAAF establishment at ADELAIDE RIVER.	
" "	29 June	0900	Lt-col BAGLIN to BATCHELOR Strip, to witness shoot by "C" Tp 232 AUST LAA BTY.	
		1400	Lt-col BAGLIN to GOULD, to witness shoot by "A" Tp 149 AUST LAA BTY.	
" "	30 June	0900	Lt-col BAGLIN to COOMALIE, to witness shoot by "B" Tp 153	

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WAR DIARY or ~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~.

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(adapted.)

(Erase heading not required).

Unit 55 Aust AA Regt AIF *Date and Time.—From* 1 Jun 44 *To* 30 Jun 44

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATCHELOR NT	30 June	0900	AUST LAA BTY. Ta rget shot down after a few rounds fired.	
		1400	LAA Shoot at COOMALIE continued with fresh target.	

W W Bagshaw Lt-col
COMD 55 AUST AA REGT AIF

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HQ 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF,

Ref No:- 2/30/441

1 Jun 44

A/CC 136 Aust HAA Bty (3)
CC 232 Aust LAA Bty (4)
C.D.O. - BATCHELOR (1)
War Diary (1)
File (1)

MOON PERIOD - JUN 44.

1. Full Moon is on the night of 5/6 Jun 44, and Moon manning period will be from 1 Jun to night of 9/10 Jun 44 inclusive.

2. Following RADAR Searches are to be conducted on night 5/6 Jun 44 :-

G.1	2300 - 2400 hrs
G.2	2400 - 0100 "
G.1	0100 - 0200 "
G.2	0200 - 0300 "
G.1	0300 - 0400 "

3. On other nights, with exception of 5/6 Jun, RADAR personnel as follows will be on immediate call, i.e. RADAR manning personnel will sleep on the RADAR Site :-

1 Jun 44	G.1
2 "	G.2
3 "	G.1
4 "	G.2
6 "	G.1
7 "	G.2
8 "	G.1
9 "	G.2

for Lt-col,
AADC BATCHELOR AREA.
AOD

SECRET

Copy No. 2

AADC BATCHELOR AREA

LOCATION STATEMENT AS AT 1700 HRS 1 JUN 44

The following amendments are required to location statement of 26 May 44 :-

Serial 5	Delete	HQ C Tp 232 Aust LAA Bty	Substitute	HQ A Tp 232 LAA Bty
Serial 6	"	HQ D Tp 232 Aust LAA Bty	"	HQ B Tp 232 LAA Bty
Serial 7	"	HQ 153 Aust LAA Bty	"	HQ 232 Aust LAA Bty
Serial 8	"	HQ A Tp 153 Aust LAA Bty	"	HQ E Tp 149 Aust LAA Bty
Serial 10	"	HQ C Tp 153 Aust LAA Bty and Map Ref shown (Map Ref previously shown incorrectly)	"	HQ C Tp 232 Aust LAA (Bty 032377
Serial 14	"	40 mm Guns 9	- Substitute 12	
Serial 15	"	40 mm Guns 9	- Substitute 6	
Serial 23) to 31)	Delete all detail			

After Serial 43 add :-

Serial 44	Coomalie 40 mm	L1	1	Marrakai 1" 1 mile	163438	153 Bty
Serial 45	" "	L2	1	Batchelor1" 1 mile	158434	153 Bty
Serial 46	" "	L3	1	" "	159427	153 Bty
Serial 47	" "	L4	1	" "	154413	153 Bty
Serial 48	" "	L5	1	" "	140418	153 Bty
Serial 49	" "	L6	1	" "	141430	153 Bty
Serial 50	Batchelor "	L7	1	- NOT Deployed	-	232 Bty
Serial 51	" "	L8	1	Batchelor1" 1 mile	056377	232 Bty
Serial 52	" "	L9	1	" "	044364	232 Bty
Serial 53	" "	L10	1	" "	039352	232 Bty
Serial 54	" "	L11	1	" "	031354	232 Bty
Serial 55	" "	L12	1	" "	023362	232 Bty
Serial 56	Gould "	L13	1	" "	047388	149 Bty
Serial 57	" "	L14	1	" "	048331	149 Bty
Serial 58	" "	L15	1	" "	053313	149 Bty
Serial 59	" "	L16	1	" "	043324	149 Bty
Serial 60	" "	L17	1	" "	035337	149 Bty
Serial 61	" "	L18	1	" "	027345	149 Bty

for Lt-col,
AADC BATCHELOR AREA.
A.O.D.

Distribution :-

HQ RAA NT Force	Copy No.	1
War Diary	" "	2
File	" "	3

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

23/44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/6/1944. HQ 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF (Unit)

W.E. 111/254/3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1			Majors	(AAMC	1			1
1	1			Captains	(AACH D	1			1
1			1	Lieutenants					
1			1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5	1	2		3		2			2

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
	A.		5									5
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

Major - 1 - 2 i/c

Capt - 1 - Adjt (X List)

Capt - 1 - QM pending promotion of Lt now holding position

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/6/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
LT-c01	WX48177	BAGLIN	B A	CO	Yes		
Lt	NX27730	HOWLE	S H	CM	"		
"	NX100129	FARREN	J T	IO	"		
Capt	NX161645	WARD	F M	Chap	"		
"	SX19025	McPHIE	J M	RMO	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	NX21952	AMES B H	55 Aust AA Regt		Sig Sec 22/10/43
Capt	N393033	AUDET L	55 Aust AA Regt		Workshops 9/11/43
Capt	NX142999	SCHMIDT A F	55 Aust AA Regt		Workshops 9/10/43
Lt	NX58020	ROBSON J C	55 Aust AA Regt		Workshops 5/5/44
Lt	NX108618	McCAFFREY RT	19 Aust HAA Bty - OC AA Stg Camp - 11/5/44		

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Date of Despatch

Lt-col
Signature of Commander

Truth—7/43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

23/44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/6/1944 HQ 55 Aust AA Regt AIF (Unit)

W.E. 111 25A/3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1	1			W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.	AACC	1			1
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.	(AA Post	1			1
1			1	Staff Sergeants	(AAPC	1			1
4			4	Sergeants	(AAHC	2			2
3			3	Corporals	AACC (Pte	1			1
26		2	28	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	2			2
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
35 *	1	2	36 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		8 *			1 *

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A	43	1					[redacted]	[redacted]		44
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC AIF		
2	65 Aust MCB 6L Bty		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	S A L of C Records		
1	HQ RAA NT Forces.		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To.....(Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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55 AUST AA REGT AIF ..... Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 3 / 6 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	3	3	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	1	1		" Dvrs	5	5	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	3	4		Telephonists	3	3	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				DRs	5	5	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Hyg. Duty	1	1	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Dvrs MT	5	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				NCOs	6	5	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAMC	2	2	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAPC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	1	1		AA Postal	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAOC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AACC	3	3	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	5	6		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	43	44	
														*	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

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Lt-col
Signature of Commander

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CLASSIFICATIONS	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Tailor	1	incl 1 Bdr
Drivers MT	6	incl 1 Bdr
Clerks	4	incl 1 Bdr

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

1 W O 1 RSM - X List

1 Bdr Clerk - PendingPromotion within Unit

SURPLUS

1 Dvr MT

1 Bdr Clerk - Pending absorption within 4 Aust AA Gp - Vide RAA

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23 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3 / 6 / 194 4 (Unit) 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.

W.E. 111 / 25A / 3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
WE				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
1 -	1	-	-	Captains					
3 -	-	-	3	Lieutenants					
9 -	1	-	8	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
13 -	2	-	11						

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	A.	11									11
	E.(1)										
	E.(2)										

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
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PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
NX100120	Lieut.	DONEY C.J.	LHQ S of A Hy AA Gunnery Instructors' (Off) Ser64.	27/5/44	To X List

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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55 Aust AA Regt, AIF ..... Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/6/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Capt	NX100105	KAHL	H.J.C.	Bty Capt	Yes		
~~Lt~~ ~~Tt~~ Capt	NX100111	LANG	J.A.	Tp Comd	"		
"	NX100112	WILLIAMS	H.C.	Tp Comd	"		
Lt	NX100117	HOOK	E.J.M.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100121	COTAN	M.E.	Tp HQ Lt	"		
"	NX100122	CHAMBERS	K.B.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100124	CROFT	T.G.	Tp HQ Lt	"		
"	NX100123	NIELSON	G.R.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100127	GREEN	J.A.	Tp HQ Lt	"		
"	NX100125	McKENZIE	J.D.	"	"		
"	NX100126	Gull	S.O.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Capt	NX108616	FORSYTH.G.D.	RAA HQ	19/5/44	Instructor

3/6/44
Date of Despatch

H. Kahl Capt
Signature of Commander

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A/OC 136 AUST HAA BTY, Capt

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DEFICIENCIES

1 Major - 9C (X List) NX100104 Major O'Grady R.F.M.

1 Lieut - Sec Comd (X List) NX100120 Lieut Doney C.J.

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/6/194 4 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt (Unit) AIF.

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required	
WE										WE
				W.Os. Class I.						
1			1	W.Os. Class II.						
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
-			-	Staff Sergeants						
16	4		12	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
27	-		27	Corporals	AACC	3	1	-	-	2
259	11		248	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	-	-	1	-	1
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC AAMC *	9 1	- 1	- -	- -	9 -
304 *	15		289 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		14 *	2	1	- *	13

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

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Detail	A.I.F.		C.M.F.		A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
	A	B	Under 19 Years	19 Years and over							
A	300	1	2					[redacted]	[redacted]		303
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	
1	RAA HQ		
2	Mob Sch of Arty AA		
4	54 Aust AA Regt		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached	Number of O Rs	Unit to which detached
1	School		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To.....(Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty,
~~55 Aust AA Regt,~~ AIF. ..... *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 3 / 6 / 1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
									50	49			127	122	
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants	2	2	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	32	30		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers	8	8		Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								WO11	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								S/Sgt	1	1	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Sgts	16	12	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Water Duty	1	-	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Telephonist	17	15	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators	26	26		GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				~~Gun Operator~~ Ht Comp	6	6		Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				" Dvrs	7	7	
Grinder, Precision				~~Plo Operator~~ Plotters	12	11		Clerks, Supply	2	2		Drivers MT	32	31	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator	6	6		Clerks, Technical				Gun Nos	76	78	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				GDOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				MC Orderly	5	2	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Recorders	6	5	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Storemen	2	2	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				Hyg Duty	1	1	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				ATTACHED BY W.E.	304	289	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	17	17		AACC	12	13	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAMC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
									16	15					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	127	122		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317	303	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

3 June 1944
Date of Despatch

H. Kahl
Signature of Commander Capt.

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Operators Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs
Height Takers	11	" 1 "
Predictor Nos	30	" 4 "
Clerks	2	" 1 "
GPOAs	2	Are Bdrs
Tech Storeman	1	Is a Bdr
Drivers MT	31	Incl 3 Bdrs
Gun Nos	78	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs

Attached

1 L/Cpl AAMC (Pending Promotion to A/Cpl)

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "A" -

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt	
FCIA	1 "	
Gun Nos 1	2 "	(X List)
Predictor Nos	2 Gnrs	(X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gp 111	1 Gnr	
Driver MT	2 Gnrs	(X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr	(X List)
[illegible]		
Water Dutyman	1 Gnr	
MC Orderlies	3 Gnrs	(1 X List)
Gun Layer Td Gp 111	1 Gnr	(X List)
Telephonist	2 Gnrs	
Recorder	1 Gnr	

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "E" -

Fire Control Operators - 23 Trade Grouped - 3 in Training
Driver Mech - 5 " " 412 "

Surplus

1 Cpl AACC
1 Bdr MT.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3 / 6 /1944 232 AUST LAA REGT (Unit),
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

W.E. III/25A/3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
NE Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	-	-	Majors					
4	-	-	4	Captains					
4	-	1	5	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9	1	1	9		NIL				

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in pars. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		9									9
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/6/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt.	VX45197	HARRY R.	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
"	TX6252	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Comd.	"		
"	QX19087	SILCOCK	P.M.	" "	"		
"	NX100108	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt.	"		
Lt.	NX113564	JONES	J.	Tp.Comd.	No	24 days Rec.Leave	25/4/44
"	NX80498	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp.Ldr.	Yes		
"	NX123237	TURPIE	J.W.	" "	"		
"	NX72844	McGREGOR	D.G.	" "	"		
"	DX601	JAMPE R	D.P.	Bty.Lt.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

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Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry Capt
Signature of Commander

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt. - Pending Promotion to balance above.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/6/1944. 232 AUST LAUNDRY., 55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

W.E. IIA25A 3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
WE				W.Os. Class I.					WE
4		1	-	3	W.Os. Class II.					
1		-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
					Staff Sergeants					
24		4	-	20	Sergeants	AACC	-	-	1	
20		-	1	21	Corporals	(AACC	2	-	1	
254		28	1	227	Troopers, Privates, etc.	(AAMC	1	-	-	
					Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	8	1	-	
303	*	33	2	272*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		11*	1	2	* 12

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	246	1	36				[redacted]	[redacted]		283
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
8	55 Aust AA Regt, W'shops AEME		
1	54 Aust AA Regt, W'shops AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt, Sig Section.		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

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Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
													100	101	
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical		1	1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				NCO's		29	24
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batmen		2	2
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat.Dvrs.		2	2
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs, M.T.		34	34
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.		108	81
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene		1	1
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.C.Orderly		7	7
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Storeman		1	1
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Telephonist		12	12
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	-	1		Water Duty		1	1
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	5	5				303	272
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AACC		11	10
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAMC		1	1
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	22	22					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	36	36					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	100	101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	315 *	283 *	

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
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3/6/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Hardy Capt
Signature of Commander

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs. M.T.	34	" 1 Bdr & 1 T/G III Bty. Surveyor.
Gun Nos.	81	Incl. 19 Bdrs.

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A".

W.O.II		1	T.S.M.	Pending Promotion.
Sgts.		4	D.C's	3 "X" List, 1 pending promoti
Gnrs.		28	Gun Nos.	11 "X" List.
AACC.	Sgt.	1		"X" List.
	Cpl.	1		Pending Promotion.

SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING.

Predictor Nos.	36	21 Trade Grouped, 1 T/G III Gunlayer (Hvy Arty) & 1 Bty Surveyor plus 13 others in tng.
Dvr. Mechs.	22	19 Trade Grouped, 3 in training.
Gun Layers	36	22 Trade Grouped, 14 others in training.

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GRO 652/43

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

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BY

LT-COL B.A. BAGLIN

HQ 55 Aust AA RegtAIF
6 Jun 44.

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72. DIS TRICT COURT MARTIAL

The following sentences, awarded by District Court Martials, held at HQ 55 Aust AA Regt AIF on 17 May 44, are promulgated :-

(a) CHARGE - AWL 30 Apr 43 to 3 May 44 (AA15 (1)
NX 112110 Gnr SHOOBERT C.F. 232 Aust LAA Bty
Sentence :- 12 Months Detention confirmed by Maj-gen A.S. ALLEN, COMD NT FORCE on 24 May 44.
Promulgated :- 29 May 44 at 13 Aust Detention Barracks.

(b) CHARGE - AWL 9 Dec 43 to 3 May 44 (AA15 (1)
NX 134317 Gnr McDONAGH E.C.T. 232 Aust LAA Bty
Sentence :- 120 days Detention confirmed by Maj-gen A.S. ALLEN, COMD NT FORCE on 24 May 44.
Promulgated :- 29 May 44 at 13 Aust Detention Barracks.

73. REGT TRUST FUNDS

Audit of Regimental Funds for April 1944 attached as appendices "A" & "B" :-

(a) Canteen Trading A/Cs etc.
(b) Regt Trust Funds A/Cs etc.

74. WEARING OF SHORTS, DRILL, KHAKI (GRO 0166/44)

1. It has been observed that members of the AMF are wearing shorts, drill, khaki, in very abbreviated form.

2. Shorts have been designed to give the maximum amount of comfort, to give reasonable protection, and to provide for the necessary degree of decency when worn in public.

3. The cutting down of shorts will cease, and no shorts will be worn which have less than the appropriate leg measurements shown in the schedule to this order.

THE SCHEDULE

SIZE OF SHORTS	MEASUREMENT OF WEARER Waist over shirt Inches	MEASUREMENT OF SHORTS Inside leg Inches
29	29	7½
30	30	7½
31	31	8
32	32	8
33	33	8½
34	34	8½
35	35	8½
36	36	9
36X	36	9
37	37	9
38	38	9½
38X	38	9½
39	39	9½
40	40	10
40X	40	9½
42X	42	9½
44X	44	9½

X sizes are for stout figures.

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75. MECHANICAL VEHICLES - FITMENT OF SYNTHETIC TYRES & TUBES (GRO 0167/44)

1. Advice received from overseas indicates that certain new vehicles allotted for shipment are equipped with synthetic tyres and tubes.

2. In order that all concerned may be familiar with the means of identification of these tyres and tubes and the conditions governing their operation, the information and instruction set out hereunder will be noted and strictly adhered to.

3. Tyres:-

(a) Method of identification.- All synthetic tyres will be identified by the letters S R P T, embossed in a red medallion on the tyre sidewall.

(b) Conditions governing operations.- The conditions governing the operation of synthetic tyres are the same as for crude rubber tyres, consequently, the inflation pressures prescribed in current instructions will apply to synthetic tyres.

(c) Treatment of worn or damaged tyres.- Worn or damaged tyres of synthetic rubber will be forwarded through normal channels to returned stores depots where they will be examined by an inspector of rubber who will arrange for further action as may be necessary.

4. Tubes.-

(a) Method of identification.- Synthetic tubes are at present being manufactured from Buna rubber, only, which product is known as GR-S. The synthetic tubes will be identified by a red stripe on the rim area.

(b) Treatment of damaged tubes.- Repair of damaged tubes of synthetic rubber will not be attempted in the field. Any tube that has suffered damage will be replaced and the damaged tube will be forwarded through normal channels to a returned stores depot where it will be examined by an inspector of rubber who will arrange for further action as may be necessary. (325/18/644)

76. LEAVE:

The following amendment to GRO A598/43 is published hereunder:-

"GRO 598/43 is amended by omitting paras 101,102 and 103 and inserting after para 100 the following paragraph :-

"101. (a) Periods of absence without leave will be debited against authorized recreation leave, provided that the maximum debit in respect of any one period of absence without leave will not exceed 24 days. Such debit is not part of the penalty imposed for absence without leave, but is an administrative act and is made on the basis that the member, by absenting himself without leave, has to the extent of his absence used up his eligibility for leave.

(b) In any case in which he considers that the making of the full debit underthis paragraph would cause undue hardship or would not be in the interest of the service, the CO of the unit to which the member is posted may review the debit at any time and may direct that the debit be remitted in whole or in part.

...

(c) Immediately after the charge arising from absence without leave has been disposed of, the member will be informed of any debit made under this paragraph and that such debit is subject to review by the CO, and appropriate entries will be made in the member's AAF A63 (Record of Leave) and AAB83 (Record of Service Book)."

The attention of Sub-unit Comds is drawn to this amendment, which also sets out the Officer responsible for ensuring that these requirements are carried out.

77. MOVEMENT BY AIR

Attention is drawn to GRO Q155/44.
The following is published for the information of all concerned:-

Air Discipline :-

(a) Personnel travelling by air will at all times during the flight be under the command of the captain of the air crew in regard to conduct and safety measures and will carry out his commands.

(b) Personnel on boarding or on leaving aircraft will, on demand by the air transport officer or any member of his staff, produce their movement and emplanement orders and leave passes for inspection and verification.

(c) No member shall travel or attempt to travel by air unless in possession of the requisite orders as prescribed by this order. Disciplinary action will be taken against any member disobeying or attempting to disobey this order.

(d) Any member attempting to travel by air without proper authority as required by this order will be refused travel, and all breaches or attempted breaches of this order will be reported forthwith, with particulars of the offending member's number, rank, name and unit, through the proper channels.

78. FIRE PRECAUTIONS : DRY SEASON (NT FORCE ADM ORDER 29/181)

NT Force Adm Order 77/44 is amended by adding the following paragraph :

"(59) Precautions against fire

(a) When stores, vehicles or equipment are at a cmp site, the area will NOT be left unattended at any time.

(b) Camp fires will be extinguished on leaving a site.

(c) Fires started for the purpose of clearing an area or minimising a fire risk will not be left unattended until finally extinguished."

79. SUPPRESSION OF GAMBLING

Sufficient attention is not being paid by units to the suppression of gambling.
This offense is to be regarded as a serious one and OsC of all Sub-units will take vigorous action to suppress it and will at all times render maximum co-operation and assistance to Pro personnel for this purpose.

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80. WILD PIG - EATING OF (NT FORCE ADM ORDER [illegible])

A warning is issued against eating wild pig in this area.

About 25% of these animals are inflicted with TB and their flesh is definitely unfit for human consumption.

81. TROPICAL SPREAD - RECONSTITUTING

Attention of all OsC is drawn to NT FORCE ADM ORDER para 29 in relation to this item of issue.

82. TRUCK ¼ TON 4X4 JEEP & TRAILERS, JEEP (AUST) NOS 2 & 3 GRO 0175/44 para 3.

INTERCHANGEABILITY OF TYRES AND TUBES: INSTRUCTIONS :-

3. As no spare wheel is now provided with trailers, Jeep, (Aust) Nos 2 & 3, the following action will be taken when the trailer tyre or tube becomes damaged :-

(a) the wheel and tyre assembly will be removed from the trailer and replaced by the spare wheel provided with the Jeep;

(b) action will be taken as soon as possible to repair the damaged tyre or tube to enable the Jeep spare wheel to be released.

Should the tyres or tubes as fitted to the truck, ¼-ton, 4X4 Jeep, or trailer, Jeep, (Aust) Nos. 2 & 3, require replacement, care will be taken to ensure that only the correct tyres and tubes in accordance with para 2 above are fitted.

83. REMITTANCES FROM MEMBERS

Attention of all OsC is drawn to GRO F176/44.

84. CLOTHES RATIONING-COUPONS

1. Attention is directed to GRO F184/44.

2. The 1943-44 clothes rationing year will terminate on 4 Jun 44 and issues of current coupons will cease on that date.

3. Current series of service coupons must be utilised on or before:

(a) In the case of special coupons (printed red) issued to newly commissioned officers and to members on their discharge - 31 Dec 44.

(b) In the case of other coupons - 4 Jun 44.

Personnel temporarily released from the Army.-
Members granted leave without pay for periods of up to 28 days will not be entitled to additional clothing coupons,
Members granted leave without pay for periods in excess of 28 days will be issued by units with a leave pass and a certificate.

Certificate LWOP - CLOTHING COUPONS.
Where a soldier requires coupons he will post this certificate with a request for such coupons, to the Deputy Director of Rationing in the capital city of the State concened who will post to the soldier, care of the address given, the clothing coupons to which he is entitled.

Army personnel who cannot themselves make purchases at an offrs shop, canteen or retail store, may make purchase of rationed goods upon the following conditions ;-

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(a) The number of coupons it is desired to use will be cut out of the ration book or sheet in the presence of the CO, adjutant, company etc comd, camp commandant or paymaster, the pay book at the same time being produced as proof of rightful ownership.

(b) Form ACC F12, with coupons affixed thereto, may then be posted direct to an officers shop, canteen or store or to another individual who can purchase on behalf of the owner of the coupons.

MEMBERS NOT TO APPLY FOR COUPONS

Members will NOT make application for clothes rationing coupons direct to the Rationing Commission, but will submit applications through army channels.

85. IDENTITY DISCS

1. The attention of all units is directed to GRO 4649/42.

2. Failure to wear identity discs not only makes it difficult to identify personnel who are killed or rendered unconscious by accidents but may result in serious delay in giving blood transfusions.

3. OsC will ensure that personnel wear identity discs at all times.

86. NA RLYS - UNAUTHORISED OBSTRUCTION BY MT

1. Train delays and dangerous situations are being caused by MT standing or being driven foul of the main line of NA Rlys.

2. Vehs will cross rly lines only at recognised crossing places, and each driver must assure himself there is no train approaching in the immediate vicinity at the time of crossing.

3. Vehs will at no time be left stationery within 6 feet of any siding on which shunting is in progress, or within 6 feet of the mai the main line.

4. Railway embankments and cuttings must not be used as ramps for the unloading or loading of equipment to or from road vehs.

5. If emergency conditions prevail under which it is essential that that a motor veh should use the railway tracks or bridges at unauthorised places, the veh will not enter on such railway or bridge unless

(a) So directed by a member of the Pro corps
or (b) Arrangements have been made through MC or nearest rly staff for adequate safety precautions to be taken.

Lt
A/ADJT 55 AUST LL REGT AIF

Distribution:-
HQ R.A. NT FORCE (1)
BHQ 136 Aust HAA Bty (2)
"B" Tp 136 " " " (2)
"A" Tp 232 " LAA " (2)
"C" Tp " " " " (2)
55 Aust LL Regt Wksps (2)
QM (1)
RMO (1)
HQ Sgt (1)
War Diary (1)
"A" Tp 136 Aust HAA Bty (2)
BHQ 232 Aust LAA Bty (2)
"B" Tp 232 " " " (2)
55 Aust LL Regt Sig Sec (1)
4 Aust LL Gp "Staging Camp" (1)
IO (1)
RSM (1)
Pay Sgt (1)
File (1)

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55 AUST AA REGT AIF
AUDIT OF REGIMENTAL FUNDS APR 44
CANTEENS TRADING A/C

	R.H.Q.	S I G S	W K S P S	136 BTY	232 BTY	E TRP		R.H.Q.	SIGS	WKSPS	136 BTY	232 BTY	E TRP
A.	40. 4.10	23. 2. 7½	46. 6. 6	54. 8.10½	43.17.1	11. 3. 5	(1)	129.18.8	75.2.3½	132.11.10½	734.11. 4½	73.3.3	268.19.10
B.	112.10.6	64.15.10	123. 1. 0	703. 1. 5	59.15.3	258. 3. 0	(2)				3. 8. 3		
C.	4.3	2. 3. 2	3. 6	15. 7			(3)	28. 8.0	16.8.8	38. 7.10	46. 9. 4	33.1.3	12.14. 2
D.				21. 3. 9		8.17. 9							
E.	5. 7.1	1. 9. 4	6.8.8½	4.19. 4	2.12.2	3. 9.10							
	158. 6.8	91.10.11½	175.19.8½	784.8.11½	106. 4.6	281.14. 0		158. 6.8	91.10.11½	175.19.8½	784. 8.11½	106.4.6	281.14.0

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 APR 44

LIABILITIES								ASSETS					
F.	50.11.8	28.0.7	36.10.0	37.6.3		69.13.2	(4)	48.11.5	19.19.7	28. 1.10	26.18.5	32.8.9	68.19.0
G.	26. 7.9	12.18.11	29.19.8	47.3.3	65.10.0	12. 0.0	(5)	28. 8.0	16.8 .8	38. 7.10	46. 9.4	33.1.3	12.14.2
							(6)		4.11.3		11. 1.9		
	76.19.5	40.19.6	66. 9.8	84.9.6	65.10.0	81.13.2		76.19.5	40.19.6	66. 9. 8	84. 9.6	65.10.0	81.13.2

TRADING A/Cs

	"A" Tp	"B" Tp		"A" Tp	"B" Tp
STOCK	95.16.10	133.1.2	SALES	360.16.7½	514.18.5½
PCHES	316. 7. 1	467.8.1	STOCK	51. 7.3½	85.10.9½
	412. 3.11	600.9.3		412. 3.11	600. 9.3

136 AUST HAA BTY A/Cs

	"A" Tp	"B" Tp		"A" Tp	"B" Tp
SUNDRY LOANS	41.0.0	136.10.0	CASH	117.10.11½	113.10.1½
CAPITAL	127.18.3	64.10.11½	DRS		2. 0.0
			STCK	51. 7. 3½	85.10.9½
	168.18.3	201. 0.11		168.18.3	201. 0.11

BALANCE SHEETS

LEGEND:
- A - Stock on hand
- B - Purchases
- C - Expenses & Stock Losses
- D - Distribution & Messing
- E - Net Profit
- F - Loans & Advances
- G - Accumulated Funds

LEGEND:
- (1) - Sales
- (2) - Returns & Refunds
- (3) - Stock
- (4) - Cash
- (5) - Stock
- (6) - Sundry Debtors

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TRADING ACCOUNTS

	RHQ OFFRS MESS	136 BTY OFFRS MESS
STOCK	£2.14. 7	14.14. 2
PURCHASES	63.17. 9	1. 0. 5
MESS EXPEN	13.15.3	
PROFIT	3.12. 0	2. 9. 1
	103.19. 7	17.13.8

	RHQ OFFRS MESS	136 BTY OFFRS MESS
SALES	75. 0. 1	15.18. 9
SUBS	12. 9. 0	
STOCK	16.10. 6	1.14.11
	103.19. 7	17.13. 8

BALANCE SHEETS

LIABILITIES

LOANS	19. 0. 0	7. 4. 5
CAPITAL A/C	67. 0. 2	4. 7. 10
	86. 0. 2	11.12. 3

ASSETS

CASH	26. 4. 4	2.16. 2
S/DRS	4.16.11	3.13. 8
F & FITT	32. 4. 8	3. 7. 6
STOCK	22.14. 3	1.14.11
	86. 0. 2	11.12. 3

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS & EXPENDITURE TRUST FUND A/Cs

	RHQ & 136 BTY	232 BTY	SIGS	WKSPS
BALANCE CASH	73. 5. 7	95. 2. 7	25. 3. 9	6. 6. 7
S/CREDITS	14. 0			
CANTEEN DIST	52. 2. 0	45.13. 9	2. 4. 7	18.12. 0
	126. 1. 7	140.16. 4	27. 8. 4	24.18. 7

	RHQ & 136 BTY	232 BTY	SIGS	WKSPS
SPORTING GOODS	123.15. 0			
MESSING TR			7. 0. 0	1.17. 6
BALANCE CASH	2. 6. 7	140.16.4	20. 8. 4	23. 1. 1
	126. 1. 7	140.16.4	27. 8. 4	24.18. 7

CERTIFICATE:- We certify that we have examinedthe books of accounts and vouchers relating to the above trust fu and accounts and that in our opinion these statements correctly set out the position of thr funds accounts as at 30 Apr 44.

J.D. McKenzie.....Lt

M.E. Cowan.....Lt
AUDITORS

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SECRET

COPY NO. 2.

AADC BATCHELOR

LOCATION STATEMENT AS AT 1700 HRS 9 JUN 44.

The following amendments are necessary to location statement of 26 May 44:- (as amended)

Serial 12 Delete map reference shown and substitute 104398.
(55 Regt Wksps have moved to area previously occupied by 54 Regt Wksps).

Serial 13 Delete COOMALLIE and map reference shown and substitute BATCHELOR 054377
(GOR has moved to HQ 136 Aust HAA Bty area).

Lt-col
AADC BATCHELOR

Distribution :-

HQ RAA NT FORCE	COPY NO.	1
WAR DIARY	"	2
FILE	"	3

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

24../44.. (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/6/1944 HQ 55 AUST (Unit) AA REGT AIF

W.E. 111/25A/3 OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
	Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
					*					
					*					
1				1	Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	1			Majors	AAMC	1			1
1		1			Captains	AA CH DEPT	1			1
1				1	Lieutenants					
1				1	Quarter-masters					
					A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
					Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5	1	2		3			2			2

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		5									5
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10 / 6 /1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lt-col	VX 49177	BAGLIN	B.A.	CO	Yes		
Lt	NX 27730	NOBLE	S.H.	OM	Yes		
Lt	NX100129	FARREN	J.T.	IO	Yes		
Capt	SX 18025	McPHIE	J.M.	PMO	Yes		
Capt	NX 161645	WARD	N.M.	CHAP	Yes		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	NX 21952	AMES B.H.	55 Aust	AA Regt	Sig Sec - 22/10/43
Capt	N 393033	AUDET L.	55 "	" "	Wksps AEME - 9/11/43
T/Capt	NX142009	SCHMIDT A.F.	55 "	" "	" " - 9/10/43
Lt	NX 58070	ROBSON J.C.	55 "	" "	" " - 11/5/44
Lt	NX108618	McCAFFREY R.T.	19 Aust	HAA Bty	OC Staging Camp - 11/5/44
Capt	S114876	SEAMAN L G	74 Aust	Dental	Unit 8/6/44

10 Jun 44.
Date of Despatch

[signature] Lt-col
Signature of Commander

Truth—7/43.

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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH LABT "A"

Major - 1 - 2IC

Capt - 1 - ADJT (X LIST)

Capt - 1 - CM (pending promotion of Lt now holding position).

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

24 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/6/1944 HQ 55 AUST AA (Unit) REGT AIF

W.E. 11½ 25½ 3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1			1	W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.	AACC	1			1
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.	(AA POST	1			1
1			1	Staff Sergeants	(AAPC	1			1
4			4	Sergeants	(AAMC	2			2
3			3	Corporals	AAOC(Pte)	1			1
26		2	28	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	2			2
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
35	*	2	37 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		8 *		*	8

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	C.M.F.			A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL.
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.							
A	44	1					[redacted]	[redacted]		45
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC AIF		
2	65 Aust Mob SL Bty		
1	74 Aust Dental Unit		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	DRO S.A. L of C Area		
1	HQ RAA NT FORCE		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To.....(Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 10 / 6 / 1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.F.O. Assistants	5	6	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	3	3	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	1	1		" Dvrs	5	5	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	3	4		Telephonist	3	3	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				DRs	5	5	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Hyg Duty	1	1	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Dvrs MT	5	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				NCOs	6	6	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAMC	2	2	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAPC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	1	1		AA POSTAL	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAOC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AACC	3	3	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	5	6		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	43	45 *	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

10 Jun 44.
Date of Despatch

Lt-col
Signature of Commander

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Tailor	1	Incl 1 Bdr
Drivers MT	6	Incl 1 Bdr
Clerks	4	Incl 1 Bdr

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

1 Bdr Clerk - Pending promotion within Unit.

SURPLUS

1 Dvr MT

1 Bdr Clerk - Pending absorption within 4 Aust AA Gp - Vide RAA.

VX 123927 Bdr WHITE G.H. Clerk A1

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

11 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/ 6 /194 4. 232 AUST IAA BDE., (Unit)
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

W.E. III 25A 3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	WE
				W.Os. Class I.						
	1	-	3	W.Os. Class II.						4
	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						1
				Staff Sergeants						
	1	-	24	Sergeants	AACC	-	-	1		24
	-	1	21	Corporals	(AACC	3	-	-		20
	28	1	227	Troopers, Privates, etc.	(AAMC	1	-	-		254
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	8	1	-		
*	30	2	276 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		12 *	1	1	*	303

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	252	1	35				[redacted]	[redacted]		288
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
6	55 Aust AA Regt, Wkshops AEME		
1	54 Aust AA Regt, Wkshops AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt, Sig Section.		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To.....(Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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~~232 AUST LAA BTY.~~, Unit
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 10 / 6 /1944 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
													100	101	
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				NCO's	29	28	
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batman	7	7	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat.Dvrs	2	2	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs M.T.	34	34	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.	108	81	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.C.Orderly	7	7	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Storeman	1	1	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Telephonist	12	12	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	-	1		Water Duty	1	1	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply	5	5			303	276	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AACC	11	11	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	22	22		AAMC	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	36	35					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	100	101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	315	288	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
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10/6/44
Date of Despatch

Richard R Hardy Capt
Signature of Commander

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs M.T.	34	" 1 Bdr & 1 T/G III Bty Surveyor
Gun Nos.	81	" 19 Bdrs.

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

W.O.II	1	T.S.M.	Pending Promotion
Sgts.	1	D.C.	" "
Gnrs.	28	Gun Nos.	
AACC Sgt.	1		"X" List.

SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING.

Predictor Nos.	36	21 Trade Grouped, 1 T/G III Gunlayer (H Atty) & 1 Bty Surveyor plus 13 others in tng.
Dvr. Mechs.	22	19 Trade Grouped, 3 in training.
Gun Layers.	36	22 " " 14 " "

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10 / 6 /194 . 232 AUST IAA (LHH),
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

W.E. III / 25A / 3 . OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
WE				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	-	-	Majors					
4	-	-	4	Captains					
4	-	1	5	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9	1	1	9		NIL				

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in pars. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL		A.I.P.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		9									9
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

11/44 (Serial No.)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/6/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt.	VX45197	HARRY	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
"	TX6252	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Comd	"		
"	QX19087	SILCOCK	P.M.	" "	"		
"	NX100108	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt.	"		
Lt.	NX113564	JONES	J.	Tp.Comd.	No.	24 days Rec. Leave	25/4/44
"	NX80498	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp.Ldr.	Yes		
"	NX72844	McGREGOR	D.G.	" "	"		
"	NX123237	TURPIE	J.W.	" "	"		
"	DX601	LAMPE	D.P.	Bty. Lt.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

10/6/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry Capt
Signature of Commander

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DEFICIENCIES

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt. - Promotion pending to balamce above.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/6/194 4 136 Augt HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt AIF. (Unit)

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
W.E.				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1 -	1	-	-	Majors					
3 -	-	-	3	Captains					
9 -	1	-	8	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
13 -	2	-	11						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		11									11
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty
88 Aust AA Regt, AIF. Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/6/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Capt	NX100105	KAHL	H.J.C.	BtyCapt	Yes		
"	NX100111	LANG	J.A.	TpComd	"		
"	NX100112	WILLIAMS	H.C.	"	"		
Lt.	NX100117	HOOK	E.J.M.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100121	COWAN	M.E.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100122	CHAMBERS	K.B.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100124	CROFT	T.G.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100123	NIELSON	G.R.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100127	GREEN	J.A.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100125	McKENZIE	J.D.	"	"		
"	NX100126	CULL	S.O.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Capt	NX108616	FORSYTH G.D.	RAA HQ	19/5/44	Instructor

10 June 1944
Date of Despatch

N. Kahl
Signature of Commander Capt.

A/OC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - OC (X List) NX100104 Major O'GRADY R.F.M.

1 Lieut. - SecComd (X List) NX100120 Lt DONEY C.J.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.

W.E. 111 / 25A 3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required	
WE										WE
				W.Os. Class I.						
1			1	W.Os. Class II.						
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
1			1							
-			-	Staff Sergeants						
16	4		12	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
27	-		27	Corporals	AACC	3	1	-	-	2
259	13		246	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	-	-	1	-	-
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	9	-	-	-	9
					AAMC x	1	1	-	-	-
304 *	17		287*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		14 *	2	1	- *	13

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F.		A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
		Under 19 Years	19 Years and over							
A	A B	[illegible]					[redacted]	[redacted]		
B(1)	288 1	2								301
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	
1	RAA HQ		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached	Number of O Rs	Unit to which detached
1	School		
2	1 Aust Inf Bn Tps Ord Fd Pk.		
2	NT Force Trg School		
2	RAA HQ		
1	4 Aust AA Group		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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~~55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.~~ ..... *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 10 / 6 /194 4.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.	50	49		G.P.O. Assistants	1	1	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen	2	2	
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	32	30		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers	8	8		Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								WO11	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								~~S/Sgt~~	1	1	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								~~Sgts~~	16	12	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Water Duty	1	-	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Teleph.	17	15	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator	26	26		Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				~~Re Comp~~ Hatchman	6	6		Butchers	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				" Dvrs	7	7	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator	12	11		Clerks, Supply	2	2		Drivers MT	32	30	
Mechanics, Instrument				~~Plotters~~ Instrument Operator	6	6		Clerks, Technical				Gun Nos	76	77	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				GDOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				MC Orderly	5	2	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Recorders	6	5	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Storemen	2	2	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				~~Wks~~ Duty	1	1	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.					304	287	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	17	17		AACC	12	13	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAMC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	16	15		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317	301	*
									127	122					

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Signature of Commander Capt.

Date of Despatch 1944

A/OC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Operators Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Height Takers	11	" 1 "
Predictor Nos	30	" 4 "
Clerks	2	" 1 "
GPOAs	2	Are Bdrs
Tech Storeman	1	Is a Bdr
Drivers MT	30	Incl 3 Bdrs
Gun Nos	77	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs

Attached

1 L/Cpl AAMC (Pending Promotion to A/Cpl)

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "A"

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt
FCIA	1 "
Gun Nos 1	2 " (X List)
Predictor Nos	2 Gnrs (X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gp 111	1 Gnr
Driver MT	3 Gnrs (X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr(X List)
Water Dutyman	1 Gnr
MC Orderlies	3 Gnrs (X List)
Gun Layer Td Gp 111	1 Gnr (X List)
Telephonist	2 Gnrs
Recorder	1 Gnr

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "B"

Fire Control Operators - 23 Trade Grouped - 3 in Training
Driver Mech - 12 " " - 5 "

Surplus

1 Cpl AACC
1 Bdr MT.

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REPORT ON MISFIRES IN AMMUNITION

STATION - H2 BATCHELOR

UNIT :- 55 AUST AA REGT (AIF)

DATE 16 Jun 44.

MISFIRE.

CALIBRE & TYPE OF WEAPON - 3.7" Mobile AA.

NATURE OF AMMUNITION	ROUND (for fixed Amn. Batch No. Filler and date Filling.	TUBE OR PRIMER Type & Mk Lot No Filler and Date of Filling.	CARTRIDGES Nature and Lot No of Propellant Filler and Date of Filling	TOTAL NO OF RDS FIRED - Each lot or batch in which defect occurred.	No. OF DEFECTIVE RDS OF EACH LOT OR BATCH.	CHARGE	REMARKS.
HE	B20 ME 27/6/41	No.2 Mk 11 20 ME 5/41	S 89 ME 27/6/41	9	2	FULL	-
HE	B134 ME 11/42	No2 Mk 11 130 ME 12/41	S 130 ME 11/42	139	2	FULL	-

Lt-col,
COMD 55 AUST AA REGT, AIF.

Distribution
LHQ
RAA NT FORCE
I00 NT FORCE
136 Aust HAA Bty
WAR DIARY
File.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17 / 6 /1944 232 AUST LAA REGT (Unit),
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

W.E. III/25A/3 OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	-	-	Majors					
4	-	-	4	Captains					
5	-	1	5	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9	1	1	9		NIL				

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
	A.		9									9
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST IAA BTY. *Unit*
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/6/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt.	VX45197	HARRY	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
"	TX6252	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Comd	"		
"	QX19087	SIICOCK	P.M.	" "	"		
"	NX100108	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt	"		
Lt.	NX113564	JONES	J.	Tp.Comd	"	24 days Rec.Leave	25/4/44
"	NX80498	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp Ldr.	Yes		
"	NX72844	McGREGOR	D.G.	" "	"		
"	NX123237	TURPIE	J.W.	" "	"		
"	DX601	IAMPE	D.P.	Bty.Lt.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

17/6/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry Capt
Signature of Commander

O.C. 232 Aust. L. A.A. Bty.

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DEFICIENCIES:

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt. - Promotion pending to balance above.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17 / 6 /1944 232 AUST IAA (Unit),
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF,

W.E. III/254/3. OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
WE				W.Os. Class I.					WE
4	1	-	3	W.Os. Class II.					
1	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
				Staff Sergeants					
24	-	-	24	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	1	
20	~~1~~	1	~~21~~	Corporals	(AACC	3	-	-	
254	~~28~~	1	~~227~~	Troopers, Privates, etc.	(AACC	1	-	-	
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	8	1	-	
303	* 29	2	276 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		12 *	1	1	*

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	A 252	B 1	35				[redacted]	[redacted]		288
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
6	55 Aust AA Regt, Wkshops AEME		
1	54 Aust AA Regt, Wkshops AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt, Sig Section		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
3	55 Aust AA Regt, Wkshops AEME		
6	4 Aust AA Gp.		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ..... / ..... /194 .....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST IAA BTY.,
55 AUST AA REGT, AIF?
Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 17 / 6 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
													100	101	
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1		1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				NCO's	29	28	
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batman	7	7	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat. Dvrs	2	2	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs M.T.	34	34	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.	108	81	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.T. Orderly	7	7	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Storeman	1	1	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Telephonist	12	12	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	-		1	Water Duty	1	1	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	5	5			302	276	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AACC	11	11	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAMC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	22	22					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	36	36					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	100	101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	315	288 *	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

17/6/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Hardy Capt
Signature of Commander
O.C. 232 Aust. A.A. Bty.

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs M.T.	34	" 1 Bdr & 1 T/G III Bty Surveyor
Gun Nos.	81	" 19 Bdrs.

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A".

W.O.11	1	T.S.M.	Pending Promotion.
Gnrs.	28	Gun Nos.	
AACC Sgt.	1		"X" List.

SURPLUS.

2 Bdrs & 4 Gnrs.(Gun Nos) pending absorption in 4 Aust AA Gp.
(Authority RAA NT Force memo)

SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING.

Predictor Nos.	36	32 Trade Grouped, 1 T/G III Gunlayer (H Arty) & 1 Bty Surveyor plus 2 others in tng.
Dvr. Mechs	22	18 trade grouped, 4 in training
Gun Layers	36	31 " " 5 " "

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War Diary

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/6/194 136 Aust HAA Bty (Unit)
4 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1 -	1	-	-	Majors					
3 -	-	-	3	Captains					
9 -	1	-	8	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
13 -	2	-	11						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		11									11
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.
~~88 Aust AA Regt, AIF.~~ *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/6/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt	NX100105	KAHL	H.J.C.	Bty Capt	Yes		
"	NX100111	LANG	J.A.	TpComd	"		
"	NX100112	WILLIAMS	H.C.	"	"		
Lt	NX100117	HOOK	E.J.M.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100121	COWAN	M.L.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100122	CHAMBERS	K.B.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100124	CROFT	T.G.	TpHQ Lt	"		
"	NX100123	NIELSON	G.R.	SecComd	"		
"	NX100127	GREEN	J.A.	TpHQ Lt	No	NT Force School	12/6/44
"	NX100125	McKENZIE	J.D.	Tp HQ Lt	Yes		
"	NX100126	CULL	S.O.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Capt	NX108616	FORSYTH G.D.	RAA HQ	19/5/44	Instructor.

17 June 1944
Date of Despatch

H. Kahl Capt.
Signature of Commander
A/OC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

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DEFICIENCIES

1 Major - OC (X List) NX100104 Major R.F.M. O'GRADY

1 Lieut - Sec Comd (X List) NX100120 Lt C.J. DONEY.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/6/1944 136 Aust HAA Bty (Unit) 4 55 Aust AA Regt, AIF.

W.E. 11/5/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required
				W.Os. Class I.					
1			1	W.Os. Class II.					
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
-			-	Staff Sergeants					
16	4		12	Sergeants	AACC	1	-	-	-
27	-		27	Corporals	AACC	3	1	-	-
259	13		246	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	9	-	1	-
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AAMC	1	1	-	-
304 *	17		287 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		14 *	2	1	- *

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years	C.M.F. 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
A		299	2					[illegible]	[illegible]		301
B(1)											
B(2)							[illegible]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	
1	RAA HQ.		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached	Number of O Rs	Unit to which detached
2	School		
2	1 Aust Inf Bn Tps Ord Fd Pk.		
3	NT Force Trg School		
2	RAA HQ.		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To.....(Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty
55 Aust AA Regt, AIF. Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 17/ 6 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.	50	49		G.P.O. Assistants	2	2	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	32	30		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers	8	7		Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				WO11	1	1	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								S/Sgt	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Sgts	16	12	
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Water Duty	1	-	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Teleph.	17	16	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators	26	26		GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operators	6	6		Battery Surveyors	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				" DVRs	7	7	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker	12	11		Clerks	2	2		Drivers MT	32	31	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operators	6	6		Clerks, Supply				Gun Nos	76	77	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				GLOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				MC Orderly	5	2	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Recorders	6	5	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Storemen	2	2	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hyg Duty	1	1	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.	304	287	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AACC	12	13	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	17	17		AAMC	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	16	15					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	127	121		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317	301	
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NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

17 June 1944
Date of Despatch

N. Kahe Capt.
Signature of Commander
NOC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Ops Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Height Takers	11	" 1 "
Predictor Nos	30	" 4 "
Clerks	2	" 1 "
GPOAs	2	Are Bdrs.
Tech Storeman	1	Is a Bdr.
Drivers MT	30	Incl 3 Bdrs.
Gun Nos	77	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs

Attached

1 L/Cpl AAMC (Pending Promotion to A/Cpl)

Deficiencies in Accordance with Part "A" -

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt	
FCIA	1 "	
Gun Nos 1	2 "	(X List)
Predictor Nos	2 Gnrs	(X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gp 111	1 Gnr	
Driver MT	3 Gnrs	(X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr	(X List)
Water Dutyman	1 Gnr	
MC Orderlies	3 Gnrs	(X List)
Gun Layer Td Gp 111	1 Gnr	(X List)
Telephonist	1 Gnr	
Recorder	1 "	
T.I. Number	1 "	(X List)

Deficiencies in accordance with Part "E" -

Fire Control Operators - 23 Trade Grouped - 3 in Training
Driver Mech - 12 " " - 5 "

Surplus

1 Cpl AACC.
1 Bdr MT.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

25/44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/6/1944 HQ 55 AUST (Unit) AA REGT AIF

W.E. 111/25/3 OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	1		Majors	(AAMC	1			1
1		1		Captains	(AA CHAP DEPT	1			1
1			1	Lieutenants					
1			1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5 1	2		3			2			2

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		5									5
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/6/1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lt-col	VX 48177	BAGLIN	B.A.	CO	YES		
Lt	NX 27736	[illegible]	S.H.	OM	YES		
Lt	NX100129	[illegible]	J.T.	IO	YES		
Capt	NX 19025	McPHIE	J.M.	RMO	YES		
Capt	NX161645	WARD	N.M.	CHAP	YES		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	NX21952	AMES B.H.	55 Aust	AA Regt	Sig Sec -22/10/43
Capt	NX93033	AUDET L.	55 Aust	AA Regt	Wksps AEME - 9/11/43
T/Capt	NX142009	SCHMIDT A.P.	55 "	" "	" " - 9/10/43
Lt	NX 56070	ROBSON J.C.	55 "	" "	" " - 3/5/44
Lt	NX108618	McCAFFREY R.T.	19 Aust	HAA Dty	-OC Stg Camp - 11/5/44
Capt	S 114876	SEXMAN L.G.	74 Aust	Dental	Unit - 8/6/44

17 Jun 44.
Date of Despatch

[signature] Lt-col
Signature of Commander

Truth—7/43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

25 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17 / 6 / 194 4 HQ 55 AUST AA REGT AIF (Unit)

W.E. 11125A / / 3 OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts Required.
				W.Os Class I					
1			1	W.Os. Class II					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts	ACC	1			1
				Staff Sergeants	(AA POST	1			1
1			1	Sergeants	(AAPC	1			1
4			4	Corporals	(AAMC	2			2
3			3	Troopers, Privates, etc	AACC	1 (Pte)			1
26		2	28	Civilians counting as O.R	AACC	2			2
35 *		2	37 *	Totals of cols marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		8 *			* 8

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces

Detail		A.I.F	C.M.F Under 19 Years.	C.M.F 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A	44	1						■	■		45
B(1)											
B(2)							■				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC (AIF)		
2	65 Aust Mob L Dty		
3	74 Aust Dental Unit		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
1	DRO S.A. L of C Area		
1	HQ RAA NT FORCE		
1	4 Aust AA Op		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ..... / ..... /194

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

First Aust Army Mob Print Unit—A132—20M—5/43

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HQ 55 ... Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 17 / 6 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Stnty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	2	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identifn Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	3	3	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	1	1		Bdys	5	5	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	3	3		Telephonists	3	3	
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				Cks	5	4	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Lyg Asty	1	1	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Dvrs LT	5	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				NCOs	6	6	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAC	2	2	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	1	2		AAC (M.T.)	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AAC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AAC	3	3	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	5	6		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively	43	45 *	*

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(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col "Reints. Required."
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17 Jun 44
Date of Despatch

Lt-col
Signature of Commander

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Tailor	1	Incl 1 Bdr
Drivers MT	6	Incl 1 Bdr
Clerks	3	Incl 1 Bdr

SURPLUS

1 Dvr MT
1 Bdr Clerk - Pending absorption within 4 Aust AA Gp - Now detache within Gp vide RAA NT FORCE 19/2/8326 of 14 Jun 44.

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1 Dvr Mech - Posted as M/C Orderly
1 Tech Storeman - Posted as "Q" Clerk

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

1 Bdr Clerk - Pending promotion within Unit.

RESTICTED
GRO 652/43

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS PART ONE
BY

LT-COL B.A. BAGLIN
COMD,,

Serial No. 13
Paras 87 - 89

HQ 55 Aust AA Regt AIF
22 Jun 44

87. GENERAL COURT MARTIAL.

The following sentence, awarded by GCM, held in the Field on 9 Jun 44 for the trial of NX 100127 Lt J.A. GREEN, 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt AIF, is promulgated.
CHARGE - AA Sec 40 Whilst on Active Service Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline in that he at about 1010 hrs on 20 Apr 44 on STUART HIGHWAY while a passenger in army vehicle No 10379 permitted the driver of the said vehicle to drive at a speed greater than 30 mph the maximum speed for the said vehicle.

FINDING - Guilty.

SENTENCE - Reprimand, confirmed by COMD NT FORCE on 16 Jun 44. Promulgated on 21 Jun 44 at NT FORCE Trg School (LHQ Sch of Mech (MoE) D & M MATADOR Course No 1.

88. ABSENCE WITHOUT LEAVE (GRO F218).- SUSPENSION OF ALLOTMENTS AND DEPENDANTS ALLOWANCES.

1. Amendments have been made to War Finaficial (Military Forces) Regulations providing for the shortening of the period upon the expiration of which a member's allotment and dependants allowance will be suspended in the event of his absence without leave. These amendments have effect on and from 1st June, 1944.

2. Where a member has been declared an illegal absentee, the District Finance Officer will, under the regulations as now amended, take the action outlined in paras 3 & 4 of this order.

3. Where no dependants allowance is payable in respect of the member's allotment, the District Finance Officer will suspend payment of the allotment as from the earliest possible date.

4. Where the member has made an allotment in respect of which dependants allowance is payable, the District Finance Officer will at once forward a notice to the member's allottee. This notice will inform the allottee that the allotment and dependants allowance will be suspended after payment of two more fortnightly instalments, including any instalments which may be payable on the date of the notice.

5. In addition to the forfeiture of all active and deferred pay (including the amount paid as allotment) for the whole period of the member's absence without leave, the total amount of the dependants allowance paid in respect of any day after the date of the notice mentioned in para 4 of this order will be debited to the member and will be recovered from his future pay.

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PARA 88 Continued.

6. Any allotment and related dependants allowance which has been suspended on account of the member's absence without leave will not be reinstated until the District Finance Officer has been advised of the member's apprehension or return to duty.

89. NON ISSUE OF AAB83 - RECORD OF SERIVCE BOOK.

Returns submitted by GDDs and LTDs have disclosed widespread non compliance with the terms of GRO A739/43. Personnel are still marching out from units without being in possession of AAB83.

Sub-units will ensure compliance with the terms of the GRO by making periodical checks in respect of personnel under their comd. Such checks to be made at least every three months.

Capt
ADJT 55 AUST AA REGT AIF

DISTRIBUTION :-

HQ RAA NT FORCE (1)
BHQ 136 Aust HAA Bty (2)
"B" Tp 136 Aust HAA Bty (2)
"A" Tp 232 Aust LAA Bty (2)
"C" Tp " " " " (2)
4 Aust AA Gp - Stg Camp (1)
RMO (1)
RSM (1)
War Diary ✓ (1)

"A" Tp 136 HAA Bty (2)
BHQ 232 Aust LAA Bty (2)
"B" Tp 232 Aust LAA Bty (2)
55 Aust AA Regt Sig Sec (1)
55 " " " Wksps AEME (2)
QM (1)
IO (1)
HQ Sgt (1)
File (1)

NOTICE

EXAMINATION No.2535 FOR TRANSFER TO THE THIRD DIVISION AS CLERK OR AS CADET.

Quoted hereunder is the text of LHQ 77036 of 7 Jun 44 :-

" 1. I have to inform you that the Commonwealth Public Service Board has advised that the abovementioned examination was notified in the Commonwealth Gazette of 25th May 1944.

2. The Commonwealth Public Service Board has requested that arrangements be made for the attention of all eligible officers to be drawn to the notification of this examination.

3. In connection with eligible officers of the Commonwealth Public Service Board who are engaged on War Service, the Board has intimated that it would be appreciated if particular regard could be given to drawing their attention to the notification of the examination. "

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War Diary

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

26/44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/6/1944 HQ 55 ARST AA (Unit) REGT AIF

W.E. 111/25/3 OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
WE	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				WE
	Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
					*					
					*					
1				1	Lieut.-Colonels					
1	1	1			Majors					
1				1	Captains	AAMC	1			1
1				1	Lieutenants	AA CHAP DEPT	1			1
1				1	Quarter-masters					
					A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
					Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
5	1	1		4			2			2

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		6									6
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
NX100107	Capt	DENGATE H.A.	RAAF Sch of Army Air Co-op Crse No. 26	17/6/44.	Ex School

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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55 AUST AA REGT AIF *Unit*

26../44..(Serial No.)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/6/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Lt-col	VX 48177	BAGLIN	B.A.	CO	YES		
Capt	NX100107	DENGATE	H.A.	ADJT	YES		
Lt	NX 27730	NOBLE	S.H.	QM	YES		
Lt	NX 100129	FARREN	J.T.	IO	YES		
Capt	SX 19025	McPHIE	J.M.	RMO	YES		
Capt	NX 161645	WARD	N.M.	CHAP	YES		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	NX21952	AMES B.H.	55 Aust AA Regt	Sig Sec	- 22/10/43
Capt	NX20033	AUDET L.	55 Aust AA Regt	Wksps AEMS	- 9/11/43
T/Capt	NX142009	SCHMIDT A.E.	55 "	" "	- 9/10/43
Lt	NX 58076	ROBSON J.C.	55 "	" "	- 5/5/44
Lt	VX 145768	JONES V.M.	55 "	" "	- 17/6/44
Lt	NX 108618	McCAFFREY R.T.	10 "	HAA Bty	- OC Stg Camp - 13/5/44
Capt	S 114876	SHAMAN D.C.	74 "	Dental Unit	"A" Sec - 8/6/44

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DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

1 MAJOR 2IC

1 CAPT QM (Pending promotion of Lt now holding position).

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

26 /44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24 /6 /1944 HQ 55 AUST (Unit) AA REGT AIF

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 35 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 8 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1			1	W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.	AACC	1			1
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.	(AA POST	1			1
1			1	Staff Sergeants	(AAPC	1			1
4			4	Sergeants	(AAMC	2			2
3			3	Corporals	AAOC	1(Pte)			1
26		2	28	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	2			2
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
35	*	2	37	* Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		8 *		*	8

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F. A	A.I.F. B	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL.
A	44	1						[redacted]	[redacted]		45
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust MAC (AIF)		
3	65 Aust Mob SL Bty		
3	74 Aust Dental Unit		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached
1	DEO S.A. L of C Area		
1	HQ RAA ET FORCE		
1	4 Aust AA Gp		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To.....(Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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HQ 55 AUST AA BDE AIF ..... Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 24 / 6 /1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants	5	6	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, H.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	2	
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters	1	1	
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operaters				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	3	3	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	1	1		Bat Dvrs	5	5	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	3	3		Telephonists	3	3	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Offs	5	4	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Hyg Duty	1	1	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Dvrs MT	5	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				NCOs	6	6	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAWC	2	2	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAPC	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	1	2		AA POSTAL	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AACC	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AACC	3	3	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	5	6		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	43	45	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
TAILOR	1	Incl 1 Bdr
DRIVERS MT	1	Incl 1 Bdr
CLERKS	1	Incl 1 Bdr

SURPLUS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

1 Dvr MT

SURPLUS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "B"

1 Dvr Mech posted as W/C Orderly
1 Tech Storeman posted as "C" Clerk

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A"

1 Bdr Clerk - Pending promotion within Unit.

NOMINAL ROLL AS PER GRO 187/44 PARA 14 (b)

TRADES	WE	POST ED TR	DEF IC- IEN- CIES	SUR- PLUS	SURPLUS PERSONNEL NO	RANK	NAME	AGE	MED CLASS	REMARKS
Clerks	3	3	-	1	VX 123927	Bdr	WHITE G.H.	34	A1	Detached 4 Aust AA Gp.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/6/194 4 (Unit) 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt AIF.

W.E. 1/1/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
WE				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
1 -	1	-	-	Majors					
3 -	-	-	3	Captains					
9 -	1	-	8	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
13 -	2	-	11						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		11									11
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO .....(Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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36 Aust AA Regt, AIF. *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24 / 6 /194 4 . (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Capt	NX100105	KAHL	H.J.C.	Bty Capt	Yes		
"	NX100111	LANG	J.A.	Tp Comd	"		
"	NX100112	WILLIAMS	H.C.	"	"		
Lt.	NX100117	HOOK	E.J.M.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100121	COWAN	M.E.	Tp HQ Lt	"		
"	NX100122	CHAMBERS	K.B.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100124	CROFT	T.G.	Tp HQ Lt	"		
"	NX100123	NIELSON	G.R.	Sec Comd	"		
"	NX100127	GREEN	J.A.	Tp HQ Lt	No	NT Force School	12/6/44
"	NX100125	McKENZIE	J.D.	"	Yes		
"	NX100126	CULL	S.O.	BHQ Lt	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Capt	NX108616	FORSYTH G.D.	RAA HQ	19/5/44	Instructor

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Signature of Commander

A/OC, 136 Aust HAA Bty, AIF.

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - OC (X List) NX100104 Major R.F.M. O'GRA

1 Lieut. - Sec Comd (X List) NX100120 Lt. C.J. DONEY.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

26 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24 / 6 /194 4 136 Aust HAA Bty 55 Aust AA Regt (Unit) AIF.

W.E. 111/25A/3. OFFRS. 13 O.R's. 304 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 13 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required	
WE										WE
				W.Os. Class I.						
1			1	W.Os. Class II.						
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
-			-	Staff Sergeants						
16	4		12	Sergeants	AACO	1	-	-	-	1
27	-		27	Corporals	AACC	3	1	-	-	2
259	12		247	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	1 1	-	1	-	1
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	9 9	-	-	-	9
304 *	16		288 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		14 *	1	-	- *	13

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19	C.M.F. 19 Years	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N	R.A.A.F	* *	TOTAL
A		A [illegible]						[redacted]	[redacted]		302
B(1)		300	2								
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
2	55 Aust AA W/Shops	AEME	
6	105 Fighter Control	RAAF	
1	RAA HQ		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached	Number of O.Rs	Unit to which detached
2	School		
2	1 Aust Inf Bn Tps Ord Fd Pk.		
3	NT Force Trg School.		
2	RAA HQ.		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... (Unit) is Particularly Requested. ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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136 Aust HAA Bty
~~55 Aust AA Regt~~ AIF ..... *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 24/6/194 4

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
									50	49			127	121	
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants	2	2	
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	32	30		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers	8	7		Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				WO11	1	1	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								S/sgt	1	1	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Sgts	16	12	
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Water Duty	1	-	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								Teleph	17	16	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators	26	26		GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				~~Gr Operators~~ Pt Comp	6	6		Battery Surveyors	1	-		Batmen	6	6	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				" Dvrs	7	7	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker	12	11		Clerks	2	2		Drivers MT	32	31	
Grinder, Precision				~~Plotters~~	6	6		Clerks, Supply				Gun Nos	76	77	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				GDOAs	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				MC Orderly	5	2	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Recorders	6	5	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Storemen	2	2	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hyg Duty	1	1	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.	304	283	
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	17	17					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				AACC	12	13	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				AAMC	1	1	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers	1	1					
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers	16	15					
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	50	49		CARRIED FORWARD	127	121		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	317	302	

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
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(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
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24 June 1944
Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander

A/OC, 136 Aust HAA Btys AIF.

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CLASSIFICATION	POSTED STRENGTH	REMARKS
Ops Fire Control	26	Incl 3 Bdrs
Height Takers	11	" 1 "
Predictor Nos	30	" 4 "
Clerks	2	" 1 "
GPOAs	2	Are Bdrs
Tech Storeman	1	Is a Bdr
Drivers MT	31	Incl 3 Bdrs
Gun Nos	77	" 9 "
GDOAs	3	Are Bdrs

Deficiencies In Accordance With Part "A"

Operator Fire Control	1 Sgt	
FCIA	1 Sgt	
Gun Nos 1	2 "	(X List)
Predictors Nos	2 Gnrs	(X List)
Bty Surveyor Td Gplll	1 Gnr	
Driver MT	2 Gnrs	(X List)
Ht Taker	1 L/Bdr	(X List)
Water Dutyman	1 Gnr	
MC Orderlies	3 Gnrs	(X List)
Gun Layer Td Gplll	1 Gnr	(X List)
Telephonist	1 Gnr	
Recorder	1 "	
T.I.Number	1 "	(X List)

Deficiencies In Accordance With Part "B"

Fire Control Operators - 23 Trade Grouped - 3 in Training
Driver Mech - 12 " " - 5 "

Surplus

1Cpl AACC
1Bdr MT

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

13 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/ 6 /1944 . 232 AUST IAA BTY., 55 AUST AA REGT ALE. **(Unit)**

W.E. III/ 25A/ 3 . **OFFRS.** 9 **O.R's.** 303 + **OFFRS.** - **O.R's.** 12 **ATT. BY W.E.**

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
WE	Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	WE
					W.Os. Class I.						
4		1	-	3	W.Os. Class II.						
1		-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
					Staff Sergeants						
24		-	-	24	Sergeants	AACC	-	-	1		1
20		-	1	21	Corporals	(AACC	3	-	-		3
254		27	1	228	Troopers, Privates, etc.	(AAMC	1	-	-		1
					Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	7	-	-		7
303	*	28	2	277 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		11 *	-	1	*	12

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A		A 252	B 1	35				[redacted]	[redacted]		288
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
6	55 Aust AA Regt, W'kshops AEME		
2	55 Aust AA Regt, Sig Section		

Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
3	55 Aust AA Regt, W'kshops AEME		
6	4 Aust AA Gp.		
1	15 Aust Water Transport Gp.		
1	NT Force NCO's Fd Works Course		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ..... **(Unit) is Particularly Requested.** ...../...../194.....

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST. IAA. BTY. / 55 AUST AA REGT, AIF, ... Unit

13/44 ..... Serial No.

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 24/6/1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers	36	36		Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman				NCO's	29	28	
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				Batmen	7	7	
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								Bat Dvrs	2	2	
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								Dvrs M.T.	34	34	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								Gun Nos.	108	88	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Hygiene	1	1	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								M.O.'s Orderly	7	7	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								Stores	1	1	
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Telephonists	16	19	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	-	1		Water Duty	1	1	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply	5	5			305	277	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAOC	11	10	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AAMC	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant	22	22					
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers	1	1					
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	36 100	36 101		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	315	288	* *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

24/6/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V. Harry Capt
Signature of Commander

a.w. 6m bks 2/43

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Classification	Posted Strength	Remarks.
Clerks	5	Incl 1 Bdr.
Dvrs M.T.	34	" 1 Bdr & 1 T/G III Bty Surveyor
Gun Nos.	82	Incl 19 Bdrs.

DEFICIENCIES IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART "A".

W.O.II	1	T.S.M.	Pending Promotion
Gnrs.	27	Gun Nos.	
AACC. Sgt.	1		"X" List.

Trade	W.E.	Posted Strength	Def.	Surplus personnel.					
				Sur-plus	No.	Rank	Name	Age	Med Class	Re
Gun Nos.	108	19	-	2	V39870	Bdr.	BOYD H.J.	31	A1	Detached to 4 Aust AA Gp pending absorption
					V102131	"	THORNE J.	30	A1	

SPECIALISTS IN TRAINING.

Predictor Nos.	36	32	Trade Grouped, 1 T/G III Gunlayer (H Arty) & 1 Bty Surveyor plus 2 others in tng.
Dvr. Mechs.	22	18	Trade Grouped, 4 in training.
Gun Layers	36	31	" " 5 " "

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

13/44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/6/1944 232 AUST IA (Unit) BDY.,
55 AUST AA REGT. AIF.

W.E. II/25A/3 OFFRS. 9 O.R's. 303 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
WE	Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
					*					
					*					
					Lieut.-Colonels					
1		1	-	-	Majors					
4		-	-	4	Captains					
5		-	1	5	Lieutenants					
					Quarter-masters					
					A.A.N.S and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
					Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
9		1	1	9		NIL				

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		9									9
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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232 AUST IAA BTY.. *Unit*
55 AUST AA REGT,AIF.

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24 / 6 /1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
VX45197	Capt.	HARRY	R.V.	O.C.	Yes		
TX6252	"	HAWKES	R.S.	Tp.Comd.	"		
QX19087	"	SILCOCK	P.M.	" "	"		
NX100108	"	MURRAY	L.	Bty.Capt.	"		
NX113564	Lt.	JONES	J.	Tp.Comd.	No.	24 days Rec.Leave	25/4/44
NX80498	"	GIBBINS	A.C.	Tp.Ldr.	Yes		
NX72844	"	McGREGOR	D.G.	" "	"		
NX123237	"	TURPIE	J.W.	" "	"		
DX601	"	LAMPE	D.P.	Bty.Lt.	"		

PART E.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

24/6/44
Date of Despatch

Richard V Harry Capt
Signature of Commander
O.C. 232 Aust. L A.A. Bty

Truth—7/43.

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DEFICIENCIES.

1 Major - Pending Promotion.

SURPLUS.

1 Lt - Promotion pending to balance above.

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LOCATION STATEMENT AS AT 0001 HRS 26 JUN 44

1. LOCATION OF HEADQUARTERS

Serial No.	Unit or Sub-Unit	General Location	Map Sheet	Co-ordinates	Remarks
1.	HQ 55 Aust AA Regt(LE) AIF	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1m.	073383	
2.	HQ 136 Aust HAA Bty	"	"	054377	
3.	HQ A Tp 136 Aust HAA Bty	"	"	057316	
4.	HQ B Tp 136 Aust HAA Bty	"	"	025360	
5.	HQ 232 Aust LAA Bty	"	"	013373	
6.	HQ A Tp 232 Aust LAA Bty	Anjo Peninsula	—	—	
7.	HQ B Tp 232 Aust LAA Bty	Melville Bay	Caledon Bay 8 m to 1"	492433	
8.	HQ C Tp 232 Aust LAA Bty	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1m.	032377	
9.	HQ A Tp 149 Aust LAA Bty	Gould	"	048342	
10.	HQ B Tp 153 Aust LAA Bty	Coomalie	Marrakai 1" to 1m	150447	
11.	HQ 69 Aust Mob SL Bty	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1m.	099398	
12.	55 Aust AA Regt Sig Sec	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1m.	074384	
13.	55 Aust AA Regt Wkshops AEME	Batchelor	Batchelor 1" to 1m.	104398	
14.	G.O.R. Batchelor	Batchelor	"	054377	

2. SUMMARIZED LOCATIONS OF EQUIPMENTS EMPLOYED.

Serial No.	Airfield	3.7" Mobile	40mm	Radar AA No.1
15.	Batchelor) Gould)	8	12	2
16.	Coomalie	-	6	-
17.	Melville Bay	-	6	-
18.	Anjo Peninsula	-	6	-
19	TOTAL	8	30	2

3. DETAILED LOCATIONS OF EQUIPMENTS DEPLOYED

Serial No.	Airfield	Type of Eqpt.	Site No.	No of Eqpts at Site	Map Sheet	Co-ords	Sub-Unit	Remarks
20.	Batchelor Gould	3.7" Mobile	H 1	4	Batchelor 1" to 1m.	057316	136 Bty	
21.	"	"	H 2	4	"	025360	136 Bty	
22.	"	Radar AA No1	G 1	1	"	057316	136 Bty	
23.	"	"	G 2	1	"	025360	136 Bty	
24.	Coomalie	40 mm	L 1	1	Marrakai 1" to 1M.	163438	153 Bty	
25.	"	"	L 2	1	Batchelor	158434	"	
26.	"	"	L3	1	"1" to 1m	159427	"	
27.	"	"	L 4	1	"	154413	"	
28.	"	"	L 5	1	"	140418	"	
29.	"	"	L 6	1	"	141430	"	
30.	Batchelor	"	L 7	1	NOT Deployed	-	232 Bty	

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Serial No.	Airfield	Type of Eqpt	Site No.	No of Eqpts at Site	Map Sheet	Co-ords	Sub-Unit	Remarks
31	Batchelor	40 mm	L 8	1	Batchelor 1" to 1m	056377	232 Bty	
32	"	"	L 9	1	"	044364	"	
33	"	"	L10	1	"	039352	"	
34	"	"	L11	1	"	031354	"	
35	"	"	L12	1	"	023362	"	
36	Gould	"	L13	1	"	047338	149 Bty	
37	"	"	L14	1	"	048331	"	
38	"	"	L15	1	"	053313	"	
39	"	"	L16	1	"	043324	"	
40	"	"	L17	1	"	035337	"	
41	"	"	L18	1	"	027345	"	
42	Anjo Pen	"	L 1	1	No Printed Map	In Air-field Area	232 Bty	
43	"	"	L 2	1	"	"	"	
44	"	"	L 3	1	"	"	"	
45	"	"	L 4	1	"	"	"	
46	"	"	L 5	1	"	"	"	
47	"	"	L 6	1	"	"	"	
48	Melville Bay	"	L 7	1	Caledon Bay 8 m to 1"	In Area 484431	"	
49	"	"	L 8	1	"	"	"	
50	"	"	L 9	1	"	"	"	
51	"	"	L10	1	"	"	"	
52	"	"	L11	1	"	"	"	
53	"	"	L12	1	"	"	"	

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