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FROM 1-6-44 TO 30-6-44



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# WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C.2118

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14 JUL 1944

Unit 1 Aust. Fire Comd. H.Q. (A.I.F.)

Date and Time.—From 1/6/44.

To 30/6/44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Lytton	1/6/44.		Fine. S.E Winds	StG.
"	2/6/44		Sky Overcast	StG.
"	3/6/44		Fine	StG.
"	4/6/44		Sky Overcast. General stand Down.	StG.
"	5/6/44		Personnel training with 1 Aust. Coast. Art. Trag. Bty. Overcast.	StG.
"	6/6/44		Routine administration work. Sky Overcast with Light winds.	StG.
"	7/6/44		Fine	StG.
"	8/6/44		Sky Overcast Light winds	StG.
"	9/6/44		Light Rain.	StG.
"	10/6/44		Fine	StG.
"	11/6/44		General Stand Down. Light Rain.	StG.
"	12/6/44.		Routine administration work. Fine.	StG.
"	13/6/44		Sky clear Westerly winds.	StG.
"	14/6/44		Light Rain S.E. Winds.	StG.

# WAR DIARY ~~or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Unit 1. Aust. Fire Comd. H.Q. (A.I.F.) Date and Time.—From 1/6/44 To 30/6/44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Lytton	15/6/44		Sky Overcast.	etc.
"	16/6/44		Fine	etc.
"	17/6/44		Sky Overcast.	etc.
"	18/6/44		General Stand Down. Fine	etc.
"	19/6/44		Routine administration work. Fine.	etc.
"	20/6/44		Fine.	etc.
"	21/6/44		Weather Fine.	etc.
"	22/6/44		Weather Fine.	etc.
"	23/6/44		Weather Fine. Westerly winds.	etc.
"	24/6/44		Weather Fine Southerly winds.	etc.
"	25/6/44		General stand down. Weather Fine.	etc.
"	26/6/44		Routine administration work. Light showers	etc.
"	27/6/44		Dull Overcast.	etc.
"	28/6/44		Personnel carrying out duties with 1 Aust.Coast.Art.Trng.Bty.	etc.
			Dull Overcast. Westerly winds	

WAR DIARY ~~or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Unit 1 Aust. Fire Command H.Q. (A.I.F.) Date and Time.—From 1/6/44 To 30/6/44

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2. / (Serial No.)

W.E. 11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 - OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10				
	<u>W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.</u>				<u>DETAIL.</u>	<u>ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.R.</u>								
	<u>Retaifa Required.</u>	<u>Deficient W.E.</u>	<u>Surplus to W.E.</u>	<u>Poated Strength.</u>		<u>Ara or Corps.</u>	<u>Poited Strength.</u>	<u>Surplus to W.E.</u>	<u>Deficient V.E.</u>	<u>Retaifa Required.</u>				
					W.O.s. Class I.									
					W.O.s. Class II.									
					Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.									
					Staff Sergeants	B.A.M.C.	1							
				1	Sergeants									
					Corporals									
4	4	1	4		Troopers, Privates, etc.	B.B.L.C.	1							
					Civilians counting as O.R.									
4	4	1	5	*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		2.			*				
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 4 of instructions for completion of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).					<u>Detail</u>	<u>A.I.P.</u>	<u>C.M.F.  Under 15 Years and over.</u>	<u>A.W.A.S.</u>	<u>A.A.M.W.A.</u>	<u>CIVIL</u>	<u>R.A.N.</u>	<u>R.A.A.F.</u>	<u>**</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
					A	6	1				[ ]	[ ]		
					B(1)									
					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.

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

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1 H. 2. 5. FIRE. COMP. H. 9. 7. 1. F.

Army Form W.3009  
(Adapted) (Page 2)  
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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.	Reinfc. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W. E.	Posted strength.	Reinfc. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W. E.	Posted strength.	Reinfc. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W. E.	Posted strength.	Reinfc. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammocks			
Filter				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Filter (Electrical)				Testmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Filter (M.V.)				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Fine Lapers			
Armament Artificer				Watchmakers				Opticians				Range-finders	2	-	2
Filter (A.F.V.)				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer								Panel Beaters				Houghriders			
Radio								Photographers, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Armament Artificer								Printer				Saddle-tree makers			
Signal								Radio-gramophones				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Armament Artificer								Riggers				Stokers			
Wireless								Sawyers				Stokers, Big, Engine			
Artificer, Artillery								Signallers				Stereos			
Artificer, Engine								Signwriters				Tailors			
Blacksmiths								Telescope Identif. Numbers				Textile Refiners			
Bricklayers								Well Bores				Tinsmiths			
Computers								Wheelers				Vulcanizers			
Cooks, Hospital								Winchman				Wagon Erectors			
Coppersmiths								Wireman				Whitemiths			
Dispensers								Woodturners							
Draughtsmen															
Draughtsmen (Architectural)															
Draughtsmen (Engineering)															
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)															
Draughtsmen (Topographical)															
Electricians															
Electricians (M.V.)															
Electricians (Signals)															
Fitters															
Fitters (Cycle)															
Fitters (Electrical)															
Fitters (Gun)															
Fitters (Instrument)															
Fitters (M.V.)															
Fitters, Railway Signal															
Fitters, Signals															
Grinder, Precision															
Mechanics, Instrument															
Mechanics, Instrument (Signal)															
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)															
Mechanics, Radio															
Mechanics, Typewriter															
Mechanics, Wireless															
Millwrights															
Operators, Excavator															
Pattern Maker															
Pharmacist															
Photographer, Wet Plate															
Photewriter															
Plumber															
Saw Doctors															
Surveyors															
CARRIED FORWARD															

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.  
(b) Authorized 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 requirement not stated note accordingly on return by insertion of M.B. in col. "Reinfc. 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.

24/6/1944  
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commanding Officer

# **FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS**

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(Adapted) (Page 1)  
(Revised Jan., 1948)

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24 / 1 / 1944 (Unit) 1st Field Coy 113 B. G. H.

W.E. 11 / 11 / 2. OFFRS. 4 O.E's 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.E's 2. 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.
1	1			Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.				1	1
1	1		3						1

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.P.	**	TOTAL.
A.	3									
E. (1)										
E. (2)										

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for completion of form will complete Part 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.E. 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 PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.**

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NAID 113 B. G. H.	Lieut	INNES. T.H.	Now in 113 B. G. H.

1. First, Fire Command H.C.R. Unit

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/6/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

Date of Despatch

True=1/43

Signature of Commander

57 / (Serial No.)

1. Asst. Engr. (Unit) 11. Q (A. H. F.)

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.				
Reinfa. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfa Required
				W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
				Staff Sergeants	ARMY	1			
			1	Sergeants					
				Corporals					
4	4	1	4	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.I.C.C.	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
4	4	1	5	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		2			

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

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## Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To (Unit) is Particularly Requested. 12/1/1944

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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.	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinforce. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Aids.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer/Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer/Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitches			
Armament Artificer/Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Tychometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer/Fitter (A.P.V.)				Tinsmiths				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer/Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer/Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders	2 - 2.		
Armament Artificer/Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer/Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographers, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevardors			
Carpenters				GROUP II.				Riggers				Stokers, Staty, Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				Armourers				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Assamers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Bakers				Signwriters				Textile Reftitters			
Draughtsmen				Bldg. Const's. Asst.				Telescope Identin. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Buller-makers				Well Borers				Valcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Carpenters				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Typographical)				Cooks				Wireman							
Electricians				Dental Mechanic				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mod.)											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Operator											
Fitters				Drainers											
Fitters (Cycle)				Electricians (Engineers)				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (Electrical)				Fine Control Operators				Battery Surveyors				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Fitters (Gun)				Gun Operator				Butchers				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Fitters (Instrument)				Watchman				Clerks				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Fitters (M.V.)				Height Taker				Clerks, Supply				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Fitters, Railway Signal				Heli Operator				Clerks, Technical				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Fitters, Signals				Instrument Operator				Cook Trimmers				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Grinder, Precision				Intelligence Duties				Concrete				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Joiners				Cooks				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Linenman				Dental Clerk Orderlies				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Linenman, Signals				Despatch Riders				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Mechanics, Radio				Lithographers				Draughtsmen, Signals				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Mechanics, Typewriter				Machinists, Metal				Drivers, H.T.				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Mechanics, Wireless				Machinists, Wood				Driver Mechanics				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Millwrights				Masons				Driver Typ. Plant				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Operators, Excavator				Masons				Engine Bands, I.C.				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Pattern Maker				Mechanics, M.T.				Equipment Repairs				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Pharmacist				Mines				Farriers				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mosdiers				Fitters' Mates				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Photewriter				Nurses, Trained				Gun Layers				BATHMAN	1	1	-
Plumber				Observation Post Aids.								BATHMAN	1	1	-
Saw Doctors												BATHMAN	1	1	-
Surveyors												BATHMAN	1	1	-
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Total of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively.			

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialties not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.

(c) Where A.W.S.E. 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.P., in col. "Reinforce. Required."

(e) Where any request or action is made on back of form, the words "see back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander



51 / ..... (Serial No.)  
H. G. (A. I. D.)

W.E. 11/11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.				
1	1		1 2	• • Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.	A. F. M. C.			1	1				
1	1		3					1	1				
DETAIL.				A.I.F.	CMF.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.				3									
E (1)													
E (2)													

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 16 of instructions for completion of form will complete Part 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., 30 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

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

### OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

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### OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO 1 Aug 1944 (Unit) 101st Airborne Div  
 PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 12 / 6 / 1944.

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
109595	Lieut Tyrone	INKER. T.H.	New. ST. 113 <sup>th</sup> A.C. It.

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/6/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

Date of Despatch

Truth--2/43

Signature of Commander

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/6/1944 1st FIRE CO. (Unit) H.Q.

W.E. Y1 / 11 / 2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

1	2	3	4		5	6	7	8	9	10			
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					D <small>E</small> T <small>A</small> I <small>L</small> .	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.							
Ratios Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Poised Strength.			Arm or Corps.	Poised Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Ratios Required			
					W.O.s. Class I.								
					W.O.s. Class II.								
					Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.								
					Staff Sergeants	A.B.M.C.	1						
			1		Sergeants								
					Corporals								
84	84	+1	4		Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.H.P.C.C.	1						
					Civilians counting as O.R.								
84	84	+1	5		Totals of cols. marked * shown agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		2.						
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for completion of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).				Detail	A.I.F.  Under 12 Years.	G.M.F.  13 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.W.S.	CIVIL	B.A.N.	R.A.A.P.	**	TOTAL
				A	6	1							
** 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,				B(1)									
				B(2)									

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

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1 Aust. Fire Comd. HQ. 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 / 1944.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posed Strength.	Reinforce- ment Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posed Strength.	Reinforce- ment Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posed Strength.	Reinforce- ment Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posed Strength.	Reinforce- ment Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Aids.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Filter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Filter (Electrical)				Surveyors				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Filter (M.V.)				Topographical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Filter (A.P.V.)				Surveyors, [unclear]				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Toolmakers				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Turners				Opticians				Rangefinders	2	2	
Armament Artificer Signals				Watchmakers				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Welders				Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographers, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddlery makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevordors			
Computers								Riggers				Stokers, Staty, Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signalers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Assmen				Signwriters				Textile Reftitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identin. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Bollemakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitemiths			
Draughtsmen (Typographical)				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				BATHAN.	1	1	-
Fitters, Railway Signal				Haichman				Beitchers				BATHAN -			
Fitters, Signals				Right Taker				Clerks				DRIVER.	1	1	-
Grinder, Precision				Relio Operator				Clerks, Supply	1	-	1				
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator	-	1	-	Clerks, Technical				TELEPHONISTS	2	2	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Cook Trimmers				Sgt.	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Linemen				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				R.A.M.C. 3/4	1	1	-
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				R.A.M.C.	1	1	-
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Typn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Bands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Roofers				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Aids.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	-	1	-	CARRIED FORWARD	1	-	1	Total of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A, respectively.	10	7	24

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialties not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.

(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.R. personnel are desired show details on back.

(d) Where replacement not desired state accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reinforce. Required."

(e) Where any request of notation is made on back of form, the words "see back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

10/6/44  
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander



At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/1/1944

(Unit)

20.....(Serial No.)

W.E. 11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R.'s 5 + OFFRS. 1 O.R.'s 2 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.				
1	1		1 2	* * Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.	A.P.M.C.			1	1				
1	1		3					1	1				
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.P.	**	TOTAL.
A.				3									
E.(1)													
E.(2)													

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

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified to para. 10 of instructions for completion of form will complete Part 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 Base Camp, Laos (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 10/1/1944

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
N.A. 109595	1st Lt	INNES. T.H.	Now in 113 F.C.H.



Unit

#### PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/1/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

[illegible]

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

[illegible]

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

# **FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS**

Army Form W.3008  
(Adapted) (Page 1)  
(Revised Jan., 1943)

471.....(Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3 / 8 / 1944. *1st Air Force* (Unit) *MAND HQ.*

W.E. *11/11/2*. OFFRS. *4*. O.E.'s *3* + OFFRS. *1*. O.E.'s *2*. 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.				
1	1		1 2	Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.	A.A.M.C.			1	1				
1	1		3.										
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.P.	**	TOTAL.
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for completion of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).				3									
A.													
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.
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### **OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.**

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

## **PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO *1st Air Force* (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 3 / 8 / 1944.**

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
<i>NA. 10121</i>	<i>CRIT.</i>	<i>IANES. T.H.</i>	<i>Now. 11. 113 A.C.H.</i>

1. FIRST FIRE COMMAND H.Q. 1.1.1.

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 2/1/1944 (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.
LIEUT.							
T/PT. NX10957		INNIS	T. H.	DISC.	NO	ADMITTED TO 113. 176 H.	12/4/44
LIEUT. RX42357		TROTT	S. C.	FCPT	NO	LEAVE.	
LIEUT. XA101138		MONK.	H. C.	FCPT	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.

2/15/44.  
Date of Despatch

Truth—1/43.

Signature of Commander H. O.





**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 through.	Reinforce Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted through.	Reinforce Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted through.	Reinforce Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted through.	Reinforce Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.S.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Silbers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.T.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.P.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographers, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddlery makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevardens			
Computers								Riggers				Sickens, Hair, Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Assessors				Signwriters				Textile Editers			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telephone Identif. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd'g Asst.				Well Rovers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Ballroomers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchmen				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanism											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mod.)											
Filters				Driver-Operator											
Filters (Cycle)				Drummers											
Filters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Filters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Filters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN			
Filters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				BATMAN 1 1 =			
Filter, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				BATMAN			
Filters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				DRIVER 1 1 =			
Grinder, Precision				Hoist Operator				Clerks, Supply				DRIVER 1 1 =			
Mechanics, Instruments				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				DRIVER 1 1 =			
Mechanics, Instruments (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Couch Trimmers				DRIVER 1 1 =			
Mechanics, Instrument (Barical)				Joiners				Coverers				DRIVER 1 1 =			
Mechanics, Radio				Linemen				Cooks				DRIVER 1 1 =			
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders							
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Patent Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masons				Driver Typ. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photewriter				Mixers				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Asst.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 16 of Part A. respectively.			

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialties 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 reinforcement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reinforce Required."

(e) Where any request of action is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

3/6/44  
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

1st Lt. Fire Command H.Q.



15.-25-44

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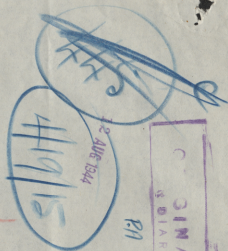
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WAR DIARY

of

1 Aust. Five Command HQ (A.I.F)

From 1-7-44 To 31-7-44



12 AUG 1944

## WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Army Form C.2118  
(adapted.)Unit I Aust. Fire Command H.Q. A.I.F. Date and Time.—From 1/7/44 to 31/7/44 To .....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LYTTON	1/7/44		Sky overcast Rain.	
"	2		Stand Down Rain	
"	3		Routine Admin., Showers	
"	4		Sky overcast, light showers.	
"	5		Sky overcast	
"	6		Sky overcast	
"	7		Fine	
"	8		Sky overcast, light Southerly winds	
"	9		General stand down	
"	10		Heavy fog in morn., General routine admin.	
"	11		Rain	
"	12		Fine	
"	13		Sky overcast, light Westerly winds	
"	14		Fine Westerly winds.	

# WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Army Form C.2118  
(adapted.)

Unit I Aust. Fire Command, H.Q. A.I.F. Date and Time.—From 17/44 to 31/7/44 To \_\_\_\_\_

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LYTTON	15 July		Fine	
"	16 "		General stand down	
"	17 "		Routine Admin. Fine, W. Wind	
"	18 "		Fine	
"	19 "		Fine Westerly winds	
"	20 "		Fine	
"	21 "		Fine	
"	22 "		Fine	
"	23 "		General stand down.	
"	24 "		General routine work, Sky overcast, no rain.	
"	25 "		Sky overcast	
"	26 "		Sky overcast , rain.	
"	27 "		Sky overcast, no rain.	
"	28 "		Some clouds ,no rain.	

## WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118  
(adapted.)

Unit I Aust. Fire Command H.Q. AIF

Date and Time.—From 1/7/44 to 30/7/44 To \_\_\_\_\_

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(Re)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1/2/1944 (Unit) H O 2.15

W.E. VI / 11 / 2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 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.							
Retains Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.			Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Retains Required.			
					W.O.s. Class I.								
					W.O.s. Class II.								
					Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.								
			1		Staff Sergeants	R.A.M.C.	1						
					Sergeants								
					Corporals								
4	4	1	4		Troopers, Privates, etc.	R.A.R.S.	1						
					Civilians counting as O.R.								
4	4	1	5		Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part B on Page 2		2.						
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 1 of instructions for completion of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).				Detail	A.I.P.	C.M.F. Under 15 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL
				A	6	1							
				B(1)									
				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.E. Forces, 10 N.Z. Force.

#### Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

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

[illegible]

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

[illegible]



# **PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in** **Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 1 / 7 / 1944.**

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.A.	Posed Strength.	Reinforc. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.A.	Posed Strength.	Reinforc. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.A.	Posed Strength.	Reinforc. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.A.	Posed Strength.	Reinforc. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Filter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Filter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Silbers			
Armament Artificer Filter (M.T.)				Surveyors, Tigmonometric				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Filter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders		2	2
Armament Artificer Signal				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Resters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stereos			
Comptrollers								Riggers				Stokers, Stdy. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storeroom, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Digpeners				Assmen				Sign-writers				Textile Bobsters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identin. Napsles				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				By, Cond's. Asst.				Wall Bowers				Vehicleers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Witchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Typographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signal)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Filters				Driver-Operator											
Filters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Filters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Filters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Filters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Filters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				BATHAN	1	1	
Filters, Railway Signal				Haithman				Bulchers				BATHAN	1	1	
Filters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				DAVRA	1	1	
Grinder, Precision				Hells Operator				Clerks, Supply				REITHMAN	2	1	1
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				SGR	1	1	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				MANNDAY	1	1	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanism				MANND.	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masons				Driver Typ. Plant							
Photographer, Wei Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, L.C.							
Photewriter				Minors				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Molders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Filters' Males							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Total of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 1, and 1 and 10 of Part A, respectively.		10	74

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialties not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.

(c) Where A.W.A.E. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are detailed show details on back.

(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N/A, in col. "Reinforc. Required."

(e) Where any request of inclusion is made on back of form, the words "see back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this form.

1/7/44  
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

## 52 / (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8/7/1944. 10 USC. FIVE (Unit) 9000 H.Q. P.L.F.

W.E. 17/11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 5 OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 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.								
Retains Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Retains Required.				
				W.Os. Class I.									
				W.Os. Class II.									
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.									
				Staff Sergeants	ARMY	1							
			1	Sergeants									
				Corporals									
3	3	1	5	Troopers, Privates, etc.	ARMY	1							
				Civilians counting as O.R.									
3	3	1	6	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		2.							
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 5 of instructions for completion of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).				Detail	A.I.P.	C.M.F. (Under 15 Years Years.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL
				A	7	1							
				B(1)									
				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.S. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

## Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

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

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Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To \_\_\_\_\_ (Unit) is Particularly Requested. 8/7/1944

[illegible]

**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in  
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday *5 / 7 / 1944*.**

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Filled Strength.	Reinforce- ment.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Filled Strength.	Reinforce- ment.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Filled Strength.	Reinforce- ment.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Filled Strength.	Reinforce- ment.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assist.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Filter				Surveyors, E.S.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Filter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Filter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Filter (A.P.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders		<i>2 - 1</i>	
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographers, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Blacklayers								Radiographers				Stevageors			
Computers								Biggers				Stokers, Stair, Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Assmen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identifi- Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bkr. Comd's. Asst.				Well Bores				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Bulldozers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitemen			
Draughtsmen (Typographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mod.)											
Filters				Driver-Operator											
Filters (Cycle)				Drummers											
Filters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Filters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Filters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Filters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				<i>BATHMAN</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Filters, Railway Signal				Watchman				Beichers				<i>BATHMAN</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Filters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				<i>DAIRMAN</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				<i>DAIRMAN</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator	<i>- 1 -</i>			Clerks, Technical				<i>DAIRMAN</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Cook Trimmers				<i>Sgt.</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concreters							
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				<i>DAIRMAN</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				<i>DAIRMAN</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Pattern Makers				Masons				Driver Mechanics				<i>DAIRMAN</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	
Pharmacist				Masons				Driver Typ. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hand, I.C.							
Photo-writer				Milners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farmers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Filter's Males							
Servicers				Observation Post Asst.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	<i>- 1 -</i>			CARRIED FORWARD	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 5, and 1 and 10 of Part A, respectively.		<i>1083</i>	

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialties not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.

(c) Where A.W.S. and/or 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. "Reinforce 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.

*8/2/44*  
Date of Despatch

*Signature of Commander*

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19-7/1944 1800 T. F. 1800 (Unit)

WE. 11/11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY WE.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10				
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.								
Retains Benefit.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm of Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Retains Require.				
				W.Os. Class I.									
				W.Os. Class II.									
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.									
				Staff Sergeants	ARMY	1							
			1	Sergeants									
				Corporals									
4	2	1	4	Troopers, Privates, etc.	ARMY	1							
				Civilians counting as O.R.									
4	2	1	5	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part B on Page 2		2							
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for completion of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).				Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.B.	A.A.M.W.B.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL
				A	5	1							
				B(1)									
				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.S. Forces, 15 N.Z. Forces.

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

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

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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 15/7/1944.**

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.
Ammunition Exchangers				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assist.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors				Operator, Line				Lather Shavers			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Technical				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders			
Armament Artificer				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Artificer, Artillery								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Engine								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Blacksmiths								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacklayers								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Compositors								Radiographers				Stevarders			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Riggers				Stokers, Slaty, Engine			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Sawyers				Stovermen, Technical			
Dispensers				Assenon				Signalers				Tailors			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Signwriters				Textile Reftitters			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Conf'd. Asst.				Telescope Identin. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Well Barers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Typographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wheelmen				Whitesmiths			
Electricians				Cooks				Wireman							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics				Woodturners							
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mod.)											
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				BETMAN 1 1 -			
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Batchers				BETMAN -			
Fitters, Signals				Light Taker				Clerks				DRIVER 1 1 -			
Grinder, Precision				Malle Operator				Clerks, Supply				TELEPHONIST 2 1 1			
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Sgt. 1 1 -			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signal)				Intelligence Duties				Couch Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Turners)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineamen				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineamen, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Deepack Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Military Signals				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				RAMCHY 1 1 -			
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				RAEC 1 1 -			
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masons				Driver Typin. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hand, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairs							
Plumber				Monitors				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Males							
Surveyors				Observation Post Asst.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 16 of Part A. respectively.			10.74

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.

(c) Where A.V.A.S. and/or A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.

(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.P. in col. "Reinforcements Required."

(e) Where any request of notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

13/7/44.  
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

## 56 / (Serial No.)

1. 1st. Field (Unit) 1st. B. I. B.

ATT. BY W.E.

ATT. BY W.E.

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

Detail		
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A		
B(1)		
B(2)		

A.W.A.B.	A.A.
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R.A.N	R.
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TOTAL	
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**Part C. Other Ranks Included in Part A Detached to Other Units.**

[illegible]

(Unit) is Particularly Requested. 20/7/1944

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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 22/7/1944.**

Details of Tradesmen, GROUP I.	W.E.	Present Strength	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen, GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen, GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen, GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength	Reinforce. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assist.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Typographical				Operator, Line				Leather Sitchers			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders			
Armament Artificer				Welders				Palaters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer								Panel Beaters				Soughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevardors			
Computers								Biggers				Stokers, Staly, Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signalers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Atomers				Signwriters				Textile Binders			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identif. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsman (Architectural)				Bkr, Cond's. Assd.				Well Boreers				Valvecasters			
Draughtsman (Engineering)				Bellarmakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsman (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Witchman				Whitemiths			
Draughtsman (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signale)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Filters				Driver-Operator											
Filters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Filters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Filters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Filters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators											
Filters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				GROUP III.							
Filters, Railway				Batchman				Battery Surveyors							
Filters, Signals				Belted Taker				Batchers							
Grinder, Precision				Bellie Operator				Clerks							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument (Barrel)				Intelligence Duties				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Barrel)				Joiners				Couch Trimmers							
Mechanics, Radio				Linenman				Concretors							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Linenman, Signals				Cooks							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Despatch Riders							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Drivers, H.T.							
Pharmacist				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Driver Typ. Plant							
Photosetter				Miners				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Plumber				Moulders				Equipment Repairers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Farrers							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Fitters' Males							
								Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD							

NOTE.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialties 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 "desired" on back.

(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on reverse by insertion of "N.R." in col. "Reinforce. 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.

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

## 67 / (Serial No.)

1. First First Class H.Q. A.I.F. (Unit)

RS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

### Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfa. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfa. Required
				W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
				Staff Sergeants	A.B.M.C.	1			
			1	Sergeants					
				Corporals					
4	4	1	4	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.B.C.G.	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
4	4	1	5	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		2.			

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, 15 N.Z. Forces.

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

[illegible]

(Unit) is Particularly Requested. 29 / 7 / 194

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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 29/ 7/1944.**

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Reinforced Strength.	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Reinforced Strength.	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Reinforced Strength.	Reinforce. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Reinforced Strength.	Reinforce. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assist.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Filter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Filter (M.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing (Mental)			
Armament Artificer				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Filter (A.F.V.)				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders			
Armament Artificer				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Filter (A.F.V.)								Panel Beaters				Soughriders			
Armament Artificer								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Radio								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Armament Artificer								Printers				Shemmaker and Boot Repairer			
Signal								Radiographers				Stevardors			
Wireless								Riggers				Stokers, Staly, Engine			
Artificer, Artillery								Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Artificer, Engine								Signalers				Tailors			
Blacksmiths								Signwriters				Textile Binders			
Bricklayers								Telescope Identif. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Computers								Well Boilers				Valancers			
Cooks, Hospital								Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Coppersmiths								Winchman				Whitemiths			
Dispensers								Wireman							
Draughtsmen								Woodturners							
Draughtsmen (Architectural)															
Draughtsmen (Engineering)															
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)															
Draughtsmen (Topographical)															
Electricians															
Electricians (M.V.)															
Electricians (Signals)															
Fitters															
Fitters (Cycle)															
Fitters (Electrical)															
Fitters (Gun)															
Fitters (Instrument)															
Fitters (M.V.)															
Fitters, Railway															
Fitters, Signal															
Fitters, Signals															
Grinder, Precision															
Mechanics, Instrument															
Mechanics, Instrument (Signal)															
Mechanics, Instrument (Signal)															
Mechanics, Radio															
Mechanics, Typewriter															
Mechanics, Wireless															
Millwrights															
Operators, Excavator															
Pattern Maker															
Pharmacist															
Photographer, Wet Plate															
Photowriter															
Plumber															
Saw Doctors															
Surveyors															
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.			

NOTE:—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized trades or specialties not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.

(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.F.S. personnel are desired show details on back.

(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.H. in col. "Reinforce 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.

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5 / 8 / 1944 + 1905 T. Fire (Unit)

W.E. VI / 11 / 3 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

### Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

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

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

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# **FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS**

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 / 7 / 1944 (Unit) 542. 17.1.F.

W.E. 11 / 2. OFFRS. 4. O.R.'s 9. + OFFRS. 1. O.R.'s 2. 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.
1	1		1	Lieut.-Colonels					
			2	Majors				1	1
				Captains	A.M.C.				
				Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and					
				A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	1		3					1	1

DETAIL.	A.I.P.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.B.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.P.	**	TOTAL.
A.	3									
E.(1)										
E.(2)										

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for completion of form will complete Part 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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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1/7/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

# FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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..... (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8 / 7 / 1944 (Unit) 1944 P.M.C. (Unit) H. (P.M.C.)

W.E. 11 / 11 / 2. OFFRS. 4 O.R.'s 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R.'s 2 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.
1	1			Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
			1	Captains	P.M.C.			1	1
			2	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	1		3					1	1

DETAIL.	A.T.P.	C.M.P.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.P.	**	TOTAL.
A.		3.								
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. .... / ..... / 1944

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

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8/7/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

# **FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS**

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/7/1944 Unit *1st Air Corps (Unit)*

W.E. *11/12* OFFRS. *4* O.R.'s *8* + OFFRS. *1* O.R.'s *2* 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.
<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>			Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
			<i>1</i>	Captains	<i>R.A.M.C.</i>			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
			<i>2</i>	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>3</i>					<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>

DETAIL.	A.T.P.	C.M.P.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.P.	**	TOTAL.
A.	<i>5</i>									
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.

### **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).



At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 15/7/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

Date of Despatch

Truth—2/63

Signature of Commander

# **FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS**

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22/7 /1944. 1. Aust. Force C. (Unit) H.O. 7.1.1.

W.E. 11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R.'s 9 + OFFRS. 1 O.R.'s 2 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.
1	1			Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
			1	Captains	A.P.M.C.			1	1
			2	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	1		3					1	1

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.P.	**	TOTAL.
A.	3									3.
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.
<del>XXXXXX</del> <u>LIEUT</u>		<u>MONK. H.O.1</u>	<u>L.H.2 Senior Officer</u>		<u>JUNIOR OFFICERS</u>
			<u>ARTILLERY (COAST)</u>		<u>REFRESHMENT COURSE</u>
			<u>SOUTH</u>		<u>NO 1.</u>
			<u>HEAD</u>		
			<u>SYDNEY.</u>		

## **PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO Post From Command (Unit) H.O.**

### **PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 22/7/1944**

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
<del>XXXXXX</del> <u>LIEUT</u>		<u>MONK. H.O.1</u>	<u>AFTER COMPLETION OF COURSE</u>

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22/7/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

3/10. To A.H.Q. SCHOOL 20/7/44  
OF ARTILLARY (CONST)  
JUNIOR OFFICERS  
MEMBERSHIP.  
COURSE No. 1.

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Signature of Commander

# **FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS**

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 29 / 7 / 1944 1st. Free Corp. (Unit)

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W.E. 11 / 11 / 2 OFFRS. 4 O.R.'s 3 + OFFRS. 1 O.R.'s 2 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.				
1	1		1 2	Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.									
1	1		3										
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.P.	**	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.	3								3
				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 1st. Free Corp. (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 29 / 7 / 1944**

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
<u>VX.101933</u>	<u>LIEUT.</u>	<u>MONK. H.Q.I.</u>	<u>PETER COMPTON LE COUSE</u> <u>AT SOUTH HEAD SYDNEY</u>



PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

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.	NA 109595	JNRES.	T.H.	O.C.S.I.	YES.		
LIEUT.	QA 42357	TRETT.	S.C.	P.F.A.	NO	ON LEAVE 4 DAYS 24/11 15/12	29/11
LIEUT.	XA 111958	MCKK.	H.D.H.	P.C.I.	NO.	ATTENDING L.M.R. SCHOOL OF ARTILLERY (COAST.) JUNIOR OFFICERS REFRESHER COURSE No. 1.	

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

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Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

# FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/8/1944. (Unit)

W.E. 24/11/2. OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 2 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 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'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.				
				Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.									
1	1		3										
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.				3									3
E.(1)													
E.(2)													

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\* 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. 5/8/1944.

ARMY NO.	RANK.	NAME AND INITIALS.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
4414958	Lieut	MOORE H.O.I.	Officer in charge of course at Sand Head Sydney

Unit

58 / (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/8/1944. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

58.49

Date of Despatch

Mr. W. R. R. Capt.

Signature of Commander *[Signature]*

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WAR DIARY

OF

1st Aust Fire Command H.Q. (A.I.F.)

FROM 1-8-44 To 31-8-44

3 OCT 1944

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# WAR DIARY ~~or~~ INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Army Form C.2118  
(adapted.)

Unit 1. AUST. FIRE. COMD. H.Q. AIF

Date and Time.—From 1/8/44 To 31/8/44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Lytton	1/8/44.		Routine Admin. Fine and Sunny.	
"	2		Fine	
"	3		Cool. Slight breeze	
"	4		Warm Sunny	
"	5		Fine Cool	
"	6		General stand down. Sky overcast Strong Winds	
"	7		Fine. Westerly winds.	
"	8		Stand down to see 7th Division march.	
"	9		Showery in evenings. Westerly winds.	
"	10		Westerly winds. Showery.	
"	11		Westerly winds Fine	
"	12		Fine	
"	13		General stand down Fine	
"	14		O.C's. Muster parade. Fine . Westerly winds.	

# WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

Army Form C.2118  
(adapted.)

(Erase heading not required).

Unit 1 AUST. FIRE. COMD. H.Q.

Date and Time.—From 1.8.44. To 31.8.44.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Lytton	15/8/44.		O.C's. Muster parade. Fine with southerly winds.	
"	16		Fine. Southerly winds.	
"	17		O.C's Muster parade. Fine	
"	18		Lt. Col Mainwaring and two C/R's marched in to 1 Aust. Fire	
			Command H.Q. Fine.	
"	19		Fine	
"	20		General stand down. Fine.	
"	21		O.C's Parade. Showery.	
"	22		C.O. Visited Canungra. Showery and cool	
"	23		Showery	
"	24		Lt.Col Mainwaring visited Brisbane Fortress. Showery.	
"	25		Fine. Westerly winds	
"	26		Fine and cool	
"	27		Gneral standown - fine	

## WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Army Form C-2118  
(adapted.)

Unit 1 AUST. FIRE COMMAND HQ....

Date and Time.—From 1/8/44 To 31/8/44

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# FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/5/1944 (Unit)

W.E. 11/12 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.									
Rein'ts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.		APES or Corps.		Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'ts Required.		
1	1		2	Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.		ARMY				1	1		
1	1		3							1	1		
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.P.	**	TOTAL.
A.				3									3
E.(1)													
E.(2)													

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 18 of Instructions for completion of form will complete Part B(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).



1st Fire Command Unit

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/8/1944

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	NR4958	INNERS	TH	DCSL	NO	ON 21 DAYS LEAVE	8/3/
LIEUT	GN42357	TROTT	SC	PCA	NO	ON LWOP	7/3/
LIEUT	VX44958	MANN	NO1	PCI	NO	ATTENDING SCHOOL OF ARTILLERY (CONST) JUNIOR OFFICERS 20/7 REFRESHER COURSE NO.1.	

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

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12/8/44  
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

1 Aust. Fire Command H.Q. *MIS*

# **FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS**

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/8/1944 *1st Aust Fmz* 60 *Comp No.* (Unit)

W.E. 11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R.'s 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R.'s 2 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'ts Required.				Deficient W.E.				Surplus to W.E.				Posted Strength.				DETAIL.				Arm or Corps.				Posted Strength.				Surplus to W.E.				Deficient W.E.				Rein'ts Required.							
<u>1</u>				<u>1</u>								<u>1</u> <u>2</u>				* * Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.				<u>HAMC</u>												<u>1</u> <u>1</u>											
<u>1</u>				<u>1</u>				<u>3</u>																								<u>1</u> <u>1</u>											
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.				<u>3</u>																																<u>3</u>							
E.(1)																																											
E.(2)																																											

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 16 of instructions for completion 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.
<u>11/2</u>	<u>1st</u>	<u>Major W.A.R.M.</u>	<u>Ex Bde Forces</u>	<u>12/8/44</u>	
		<u>A.M. 61st Army</u>			

### **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. 19/8/1944**

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
<u>11/2</u>	<u>Capt</u>	<u>INNES T.H.</u>	<u>AFTER COMPLETION OF LEAVE</u>
<u>11/2</u>	<u>Lieut</u>	<u>MONK H.Q.</u>	<u>" " " COURSE</u>

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19 / 8 / 1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

19/8/04  
Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander  
1 Aust. Fire Command

# FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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(Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/1/1944 (Unit)

W.E. 11/11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 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.								
Rate's Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arms or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rate's Required.				
1	1		12	Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs.	H.A.M.C.								
1	1		3					1	1				
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.				3									3
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 PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 26/1/1944.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NI CAPT 10975		LYNES. T.H.	AFTER COMPLETION OF LEVY.
614235	LIEUT	TROTT. S.F.	" " " "
VI 10975		MONK. H.O.I.	" " " SCHOOL.



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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/8/1944 (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	MA109515	INNES	T.H.	DESL	NO	M/O ON 21 DAYS LEAVE	8/8/44
LIEUT	GA142357	TROTT	S.C.	FLA	NO	M/O ON 1 W.O.P. 14 DAYS	21/8/44
LIEUT	VX101958	MONK	H.C.	FCI	NO	M/O TO ATTEND 20/8/44 SENIOR CP PARTY (CONF) JUNIOR OFFICERS REFRESHER (COURSE NO)	

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	NX100956	INDIAN WARRING	1st Aust. Army	18/8/44	

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4 O.R's. 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.				
Benefits Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Benefits Required.
				W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
				Staff Sergeants	ANMC	1			
			1	Sergeants					
				Corporals					
4	4	1	4	Troopers, Privates, etc.	ANPC	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
4	4	1	5	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		2			*

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## Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

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

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## Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To

(Unit) is Particularly Requested. 12/5/194

Army No	Rank	Name and Initials	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
AY34785	SGT	MERTISON R C	102 ACH TOWNWORTH
AY39533	A/ODA	DREW R H	10TH ACH COORPMS BRISBANE
WX 25566	CNR	HUDSON C J	115 ACH NORTHERN
AY37713	CNR	BROWN W	AFTER COMPLETION OF OCCUPATIONAL LEAVE (CHINE CUTLER)

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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 12/8/1944.**

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Present strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Present strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Present strength.	Reinforcements Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Hammermen			
Filter				Surveyors, Topographical				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Tripod/adjusted				Orderlies, Nursing			
Filter (M.V.)				Tinsmiths				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer				Turners				Plate Layers			
Filter (A.F.V.)				Watchmakers				Rangefinders		2-2	
Armament Artificer				Welders				Riveters			
Instrument								Roughriders			
Armament Artificer								Saddlers			
Radio								Saddlery makers			
Armament Artificer								Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Wireless								Silverdress			
Artificer, Artillery								Stokers, Steam, Engine			
Artificer, Engine								Stonemasons, Technical			
Blacksmiths								Tailors			
Recklayers								Textile Editors			
Computers								Tinsmiths			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Valveknockers			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Wagon Drivers			
Dispensers				Assault				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen				Bakers							
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bir, Gen'l's Asst.							
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Bottlemakers							
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters							
Draughtsmen (Telegraphical)				Carpenters and Joiners							
Electricians				Cooks							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics							
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)							
Filters				Driver-Operator							
Filters (Cycle)				Drummers							
Filters (Electrical)				Electricians							
Filters (Gas)				Electricians (Engineers)							
Filters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators							
Filters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Filters, Railway Signal				Hatchmen				Battman 1-1			
Filters, Signals				Height Taker				Battman 1-1			
Grinder, Precision				Radio Operator				Driver 1-1			
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator		-1-		TELEPHONE 2-1			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Dishes				SET 1-1			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signal)				Joiners							
Mechanics, Radio				Linemans							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Linemans, Signals							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers							
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood							
Pattern Maker				Masons							
Pharmacist				Masons							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, H.T.							
Photographer				Miners							
Plumber				Molders							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained							
Surveyors				Observation Post Asst.							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD		-1-		CARRIED FORWARD		12-	107.4

NOTES:—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on rank.  
(b) Authorized trades or specialties not included in list will be added 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 reverse by insertion of "X" in col. "Reinforcements 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.

12.8.44  
Date of Despatch

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## FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19/8/1944. *1st Aust Fdn Co* (Unit)W.E. *VI* / *4* OFFRS. *4* O.R.'s *8* + OFFRS. *1* O.R.'s *2* 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.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
				Staff Sergeants	<i>ARMY</i>	<i>1</i>			
			<i>1</i>	Sergeants					
				Corporals					
<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	Troopers, Privates, etc.	<i>ARMY</i>				
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		<i>2</i>			<i>*</i>

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(3).

Detail	C.M.F.		A.W.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
	A.I.F.	Under 18 Years.							
A	<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>							<i>7</i>
B(1)									
B(3)									

\* \* Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 25 U.K. Forces, 15 N.E. Forces.

## 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	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
<i>1</i>	<i>ATT.</i>						
	<i>1st Aust Army</i>						
	<i>1st H. Regt.</i>						
<i>1</i>	<i>1st Aust</i>						
	<i>ARMY</i>						
	<i>1st BIVE FORCES</i>						

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

## Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To (Unit) is Particularly Requested. 19/8/1944

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
<i>0X34715</i>	<i>SGT</i>	<i>MORTISON R.C.</i>	<i>102 ACH TOWNWORTH</i>
<i>0X34953</i>	<i>1st LDR</i>	<i>DREW R.H.</i>	<i>101 ACH DEPT</i>
<i>WY20049</i>	<i>CNR</i>	<i>HUDSON C.J.</i>	<i>10 ACH NORTHAM</i>
<i>0X53713</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>BROWN W.</i>	<i>AFTER COMPLETION OF SEASONAL LEAVE</i>



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Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Present Strength.	Reinforcements Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammersmen			
Filter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Filter (M.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Filter (A.F.V.)				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders			
Armament Artificer				Welders				Painiers				Riveters			
Signals								Panel Builders				Roughriders			
Armament Artificer								Photographers, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Wireless								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Artificer, Artillery								Printers				Shoemakers and Boot Repairers			
Artificer, Engine								Radio-grammophones				Silverdressers			
Blacksmiths								Riggers				Stokers, Stialy, Engine			
Bricklayers								Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Computers				GROUP II.				Signalmen				Tailors			
Cooks, Hospital				Artisans				Signwriters				Textile Reelers			
Coppersmiths				Assmen				Telescope Identif. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Diapenates				Bakers				Web Drivers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen				Bit. Camd's. Asst.				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Ballroommakers				Winchman				Whitemen			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Carpenters				Wireman							
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Woodturners							
Draughtsmen (Typographical)				Cooks											
Electricians				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (M.V.)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Operator											
Fitters				Drainers											
Fitters (Cycle)				Electricians											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Gun)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.							
Fitters (Instrument)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters (M.V.)				Hitchman				Bulldozers							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Height Taker				Clerks							
Fitters, Signals				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Grinder, Precision				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument				Intelligence Duties				Cook's Tricenters							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signal)				Joiners				Concreters							
Mechanics, Instrument (Turret)				Linsman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Radio				Linsman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lithographers				Despatch Riders							
Mechanics, Wireless				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Millwrights				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Operators, Excavator				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Typ. Plant							
Pharmacist				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Photewriter				Monitors				Farriers							
Plumber				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Saw Doctors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
Surveyors															
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.			

NOTE.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.

(b) Authorized 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.A. personnel are desired show details on back.

(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.B. in col. "Reinforcements 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.

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

1 Aust. Fire Command H.Q.

### FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26 / 10 / 1944 (Unit)

WE VI/11/2 OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 8 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

## Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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## Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

[illegible]

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

[illegible]

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

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Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 26/8/1944.

Totals of columns marked \* to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A, respectively.

(b) Authorized 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 detailed show details on back.

(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in column.

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Signature of Commander