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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs. 1 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs. 2 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Balcombe	1 Jan 41		Situps	Appendices I
			Unit Routine Orders Jan 42	" II
	1 Jan 41		Casualty Returns W 3011	" III

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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600hrs 4 Jan 42 To 0600hrs 5 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Balcombe	4 Jan 42		Unit Routine Orders Part 1.	Appendix I

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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 3 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 4 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Balcombe	3 Jan 42		Unit Routine Orders	Appendix I.
	" "		Nil Report	" II

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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 2 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 3 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Balcombe	2 Dec 41		Certificate of Destruction of Secrets.	Appendix I
	"		Unit Routine Orders Part I	" II
	"		Situreps	" III
	"		Field Returns Officers & Other Ranks W3008-3009	" IV

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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 2000 hrs 5 Jan To 0600 hrs 6 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Balcombe	5 Jan 42		Unit Routine Orders 5/42	Appendix I

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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 7 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 8 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Balcombe	7/1/42		Advance Party moved to Dandenong 0900 hrs 8 Jan 42 Rly Stn. Kingswood 2114.	
"	"		Movement Order	Appendix I
			Routine Order Part I 7/1/42	" II
"	"		Situation	" III
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Unit 1 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 6 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 7 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Balcombe	6/1/42		Unit Routine Orders 6/1/42	Appendix I
"	"		Strength	" II
"	"		Casualty Returns. W.3011	" III

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Unit 4 Armd. Reg. Date and Time.—From 0600 9 Jan 41 To 0600 10 Jan 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	9 Jan 41.		Message. To A Sqn re personnel proceeding to Schools.	Appendix I.
			Sitreps	" II
			Message re leave trains	" III
			" " Location GUGO	" IV

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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0001 hrs 8 Jan 42 To 0600 9 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	8 Jan 42		Main Body moved from Balcombe to Dandenong by 1100 hrs.	
			Main Table HQ Sqn. "C" Sqn.	Appendix I.
			Message "C" Sqn re knight's code name.	II
			Unit Routine Order Part 1. 8/42	III
			Message from G.O.C. in C.	IV
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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs on 11 Jan 42 To 0600 on 12 Jan 42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	11 Jan 42	0800.	No 10 Troop "F.C." Sqn carried out tank hunting exercise at Batman Ave Melb under control S. Command.	
	"	1040	Sitreps	Appendix I
	"	~~1515~~ 1040	Message re Court of Inquiry Dvr Horton. deceased	" II
	"	1520.	" " Further information for Sitreps	" III

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Unit ..... Date and Time.—From 0600 on 10 Jan 41 To 0600 on 11 Jan 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong.	10 Jan 41.		Situps.	Appendix I
	"		Routine Orders. Part I.	" II

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Unit 4 Armd. Reg. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs on 12 Jan 41 To 0600 hrs on 13 Jan 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	12 Jan 41		Routine Order Pt I.	Appendix I
	"		Casualty Return W3011.	" II
	"	1145	Sitreps.	" III
	"	1220.	Message out re Personnel going on leave.	" IV
	"	1700	" out re Equip, Repairs.	" V
	"	1245	" " re Camouflage of Vehicles.	" VI
	"	0910	" " " Carrier 28629.	" VII
	"	1225	" in re Personnel for Maryung.	" VIII
	"	1936	" " " Phone for R.H.Q.	" IX

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Unit 11 Armd Reg Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs on 12 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs on 14 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	13 Jan 42		Routine Orders Part I No 12/42	Appendix I
"	"		Adm. Instr re Movement of No 10 Troop C. Sqn to Balcombe	" II
	"	1545	Message rec re Carriers completed at C.O.W.	" III
	"	2241	" " " Personnel	" IV

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Unit ..... Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs on 14 Jan 41 To 0600 hrs on 15 Jan 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	14 Jan 41		Routine Order Part I No 13/42.	Appendix I
	"		Recce Report of Bridge Area by O.C. H.Q. Sqn	" II
	"	1030	Sketch.	" III
	"	0900	Message re Conference of C.O.s at Bde.	" IV

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Unit 4 Armd. Reg. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs on 15 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 16 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			Sgn Reconnaissance Reports.	Appex I
Dandenong	15 Jan 41		~~Routine Orders Part I No 14/42~~	~~Appendix I~~
			Casualty Return W 3011	" II
			Sitreps.	" III
			Message out re Wireless Comm.	" IV
			" in re Medical Services	" V.
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Unit 1 Armd Reg. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 16 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 17 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	16 Jan 42		Routine Orders. Pt. I No 14/42.	Appendix I
			Sqn Recce Reports.	Appendix II
			B Sqn "I" Report	" III
			Strength.	" IV
			Message out. Report on Demolitions	" V

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Unit 4 Armd Reg Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 17 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 18 Jan 42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong.	17 Jan 42		Routine Order Pt I No 15/42	Appendix I
			B & C Sqn Reports	" II
			Sketch	" III

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Unit 4 Armd Regt Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 18 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 19 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	18 Jan 42		Reconnaissance Reports B & C Sqns	Appendix I
"	"		Routine Order Pt I No 16/42	" II
"	"		Sitreps	" III
"	"	1030	Message out re Mec Pans No 7 on Issue to Tobruk	" IV

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Unit 4 Armd Reg. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 20 Jan To 0600 hrs 21 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	20 Jan 42		"B" Sqn Activities Report.	Appendix I
			"C" " Intelligence Report.	" II
			HQ " Night March Table	" III

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Unit 4 ARMD. REGT. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs. 19 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs. 20 Jan 42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	19 Jan 42		Recce Report. O Sqn.	Appendix I.
			Message out re U.S. Maps.	" "

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Unit 4 Armd. Reg. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs. 21 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs. 22 Jan 42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	21 Jan 42		Routine Orders Pt I No 7/42	Appendix I
			Casualty Return W 3011	" II
			Intelligence Report. "C" Sqn	" III
			Activities Report. B	" IV
		1115	Sitreps	" V

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Unit 4 Armd Reg. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 22 Jan To 0600 hrs 23 Jan 42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	22 Jan 42		Routine Orders Pt I 18/42	Appendix I
			"C" Sqn Intelligence Report.	" II
			B " Activities Report	" III
			B " Night Drive March Table	" IV

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Unit 11 Armd Reg Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 23/1/42 To 0600 hrs 24 Jan 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	23 Jan 42		Routine Orders Pt I No 19/42.	Appendix I
			"B" Sqn Activities Report	" II
			"C" " Intelligence Report	" III
			Message out re Court Mourning	" IV
			" " Loss of Milk Can	" V

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Unit 1 Armd. Reg Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 24/1/42 To 0600 hrs 25/1/42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong.	25 Jan 42		Routine Orders Nil 20/42	Appendix I
			"B" Sqn Activities Report	" II
			"C" " Intelligence Report.	" III
			Ships	" IV
			Message re Bridging Cadre.	" V
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Unit 4 ARMD. REGT. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 25-1-42 To 0600 hrs 26-1-42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	25-1-42		Int Report C Sqn	Appendix I
			Activities Report B Sqn	" II
			Routine Order Pt I 21/42	" III
		0915	Situps	" IV
		0835.	Message re Situps	" V
		0835.	" " " "	" VI
		0845.	" out. ack above	" VII

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Unit 4 ARMD. REGT. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 26-1-43 To 0600 hrs 27/1/43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	26-1-43		I Report C Sqn.	Appendix I
			Activities Report B. Sqn	" II
			Duty Practice March Table	" III
			Casualty Return W 30	" IV
		1015	Situps	" V
		1310	Message out re Anti-Gas Course.	" VI

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Unit 4 ARMD. REGT. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 27-1-42 To 0600 hrs 28/1/42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	27-1-42		Ing. Programme H Sqn	Appendix I
			I Report C Sqn	" II
			Recce Report. C "	" III
		1734	Message in re Conference CO's	" IV
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Unit 4 ARMD. REGT. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 28/1/42 To 0600 hrs 29-1-42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	28-1-42.		I. Report. H. Qrs.	Appendix I
			Activities Report B "	" II
			I. Report. C "	" III
			Routine Orders No 1 to 28/1/42	" IV
			March Table by Capt Ince.	" V
		1945	Message in to Education Officer	" VI

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Unit 4 ARMD. REGT. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs. 29/1/42 To 0600 hrs. 30-1-42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong.	29.1.42		Activities Report. B. Sqn	Appendix I
			I. Report C "	" II
		1130	Sitreps	" III
		1600.	C.O. to meet C.O. 17 Inf Bde	" IV

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Unit 4 Armd Regt. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs 31 Jan 42 To 0600 hrs 1 Feb 42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong.	31 Jan 42		Routine orders app. I.	
	"		Report "B" Sqn. " II	
	"		" "C" " " III	
			Situation " IV	

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Unit 4 ARMD. REGT. Date and Time.—From 0600 hrs. 30-1-42 To 0600 hrs. 31-1-42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Dandenong	30-1-42		Activities Report H. Sqn	Appendix I
			I. Report C "	" II
		1055	Sitreps	" III
		1430	Cooks not qualified as WO Caterers	" IV
		1334	" "	V.

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FROM KUJO

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
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THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT **AS WRITTEN** BY ANY MEANS.

SIGNED T.L. Ashton Lt

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT **IN CYPHER.**

SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

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Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS:

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Signed

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4 Armd. Regt.,
BALCOMBE.
2 Dec. '41.

G.S.
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Certificate of destruction

I hereby certify that the undermentioned documents, have this day, been destroyed by fire.

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E. P. Seymour Major

Admin. Comd. 4 Armd. Regt..

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FROM KUJO

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SIGNED

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS
DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

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FROM KUJO

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
T. 60	7.	

Sitreps	as	same	ii	Good.	

This message may be sent **AS WRITTEN** by any means.

Signed W. Head L/Cpl.

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent **IN CYPHER.**

Originator's instructions
Degree of priority.

Time of origin 11.40.

Signed

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FROM	KUJO	Originator's Number. T.59	Date. 6	In Reply to Number

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THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS:

SIGNED G L Ash Sgt

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TO KUJO A

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
KUJO	D.F.3.	9	

All Personnel proceeding to Schools 10
will report to KUJO 1330 today
prepared to go. to Schools

Embarking

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TIME OF ORIGIN 1020

SIGNED

SIGNED
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SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.
				WT	1030		Lieut Hamilton				

T.H.I. 1021

T.O.R.

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TO PIJI 10

FROM KUJO

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
DF 2	9	

Sitrep	1010	gg	DANDENONG	ii	good

Including

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT **AS WRITTEN** BY ANY MEANS:

G. L. Ash Sgt

SIGNED

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SIGNED

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TIME OF ORIGIN 1010

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	OUT LIM VLIR 2	22	

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TO PIJI 1

FROM KUJO 7 | Originator's Number. DF 1 | Date. 9 | In Reply to Number

Ref	LEAVE	⊙	Please	advise	if
1138	train	from	MELBOURNE	is	through
train	to	DANDENONG			

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means: Sapphire 7 G Turley

Signed Lieut

If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CYPHER.

Signed

Originator's instructions Degree of priority.

Time of origin 1000

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System In.	Time In.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.
				W7	1020		Sig Chamberlain				

T.H.I. 1001

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TO PITI

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
KUSO 6C.	DF 4.	9.	

PLEASE GIVE PRESENT LOCATION OF GUGO
Dandenong Section

Including

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS:

SIGNED Ernest Hesse

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SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1700.

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SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.

T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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Appendix IV.

39. 4 ARMD REGT.

Headquarters,
Home Forces,
Melbourne.

MESSAGE FROM G.O.C.-in-C., HOME FORCES, TO ALL OFFICERS.

Headquarters, Home Forces, having completed its initiatory and transitional stages, is now about to take over the direction of field operations. I take advantage of the opportunity to send this message to all officers and ask that those concerned will ensure that the spirit of it reaches non-commissioned officers and men also.

1. GENERAL.

(i) With the Japanese at our doors we must put into practice all the knowledge and military experience we possess. We must give life and realism to the military machine and make it work as never before in Australia. We may soon be face to face with a real enemy and we must bring out in ourselves and from the troops we lead, every ounce of courage, tenacity and determination.

(ii) There is no time for complacency nor unworthily passing to another what is properly one's own duty.

(iii) There must be no water-tight compartments, but instead the highest degree of co-operation—the same war for everybody.

(iv) Our eyes must be kept open to see new things and to see what has to be righted.

(v) Nothing can be done without trouble and the taking of personal trouble and interest are vital to success.

(vi) Without mobility of mind and action in leaders we cannot expect mobile forces.

(vii) We must expect to meet hardship, difficulty and danger, but these are as nothing compared with the hardships, difficulties and dangers to which we must subject the enemy.

2. COMMANDERS.

On your influence and leadership depends the standard of training and fighting in your command. Make up your mind. Make a plan. Be clear and explicit. See that every part of your command is working, or ready to work, immediately when called upon. Free yourselves and your subordinates from inertia in all its forms. Train your subordinates to be self-reliant and to use to the uttermost all their own resources.

3. STAFF OFFICERS.

(i) To every Staff Officer of whatever degree of training, experience and length of service, I say,

"Are you alive in the work you are doing, or has it become just routine ? Are you pushing and driving and pulling your full weight ?

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(ii) Every Staff Officer must carry the work entrusted to him to the full limit of his capacity. He must see it right through. No decision which it is within his province to make should be set aside or passed on. Every Staff Officer must appreciate the full meaning of what he is doing. The time for routine outlook has gone. He is now dealing with vital problems and real enemies. He must himself bring real help to the general plan or to those who are requiring it.

(iii) All ''stickiness,'' indecision and other causes of delay must be removed. Wherever things are held up, pressure must be applied from above or below to hurry them through. Our plans against the enemy must not miss because of human frailties in Staff Officers. Each task must be tackled immediately it arises and finished with accuracy, thoroughness and speed.

(iv) There is no greater tonic to hard pressed troops than to know that their interests are watched over by well trained, helpful and enthusiastic Staff Officers.

(v) There may be many branches of staff work, but there is only one Staff, the Officers of which must work as a team.

4. REGIMENTAL OFFICERS AND OFFICERS OF SERVICES.

The same principles apply as for Staff Officers.

To Regimental Officers I say, further,

Keep cool. Do not forget to organise and look ahead. Keep your unit or sub-unit together. Keep control always. Train your men to be confident in their weapons and not to part with them under any circumstances. Be aggressive in attack and defence. Be always ahead of your men in planning and thinking. By your own good example you will influence their morale, develop their courage and allay their fears.

In conclusion, I express confidence in you all—your courage, leadership and military ability—and trust that together we may defeat all those who attack us.

Iven Mackay

22nd Dec., 1941.

Lieut.-General,
G.O.C.-in-C., Home Forces.

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HEADQUARTERS SQUADRON 4 Armd Regiment

MOVEMENT TABLE 8 Jan 42

Ref Map; CRANBOURNE 1;63350

H.Q. SQUADRON WILL FORM UP IN GROUP ROAD, N. of C EAST of 4 Armd Officers Mess, facing N.E. by 0910 hrs 8 Jan 42.

Distance 10 yds.

0915 hrs	Depart forming up place BALCOMBE, Thence to POINT NEPEAN ROAD,	
	20 V.T.M.	15 M.I.H. Maximum speed 20 M.P.H.
0930	T.C.P. MORNINGTON	
0936	Halt. Hq of C RD. JUNCT Ref 1088	
0946	Depart RD. JUNCT Ref 1088	
1016	RD. JUNCTION, FRANKSTON-DANDENONG ROAD	
1106	RD. JUNCT. DANDENONG Ref ~~1681525~~ 16601525	
1116	Bivouac Area, Meet guides.	

Capt C.C.

MARCH TABLE "C" S[illegible]. 4 ARMD. REGT. DA[illegible] 7 Jan 42.

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March from Balcombe to Dandenong.

Maps Cranbourne - Ringwood 1" to 1 Mile.

Order of March

Utility	16630
No.	12 Troop
"	11 "
"	10 "
"	9 "
Trucks	29020
"	29023
"	29025
No.	7256 to move independently.

START LINE	START TIME	M.I.H.	V.T.M.	M.P.H.	ROUTE	HALTS.	REMARKS.
Rds Junct 680 - 843	0820	15	20	20	From Camp site, via Pt.Nepean Rd. to Frankston thence Dandenong Road to Dandenong at 245153 turn left and cross railway at 238154 then advance to Rd Junct 213136	10 mins in the hour for Maintenance to be observed	Troop leaders will report to head of column at halts. Total distance 26 Miles. Time of arrival at last map ref. [illegible] Hrs.

Signed. W B Green Lieut.

O. C. "C" SQUADRON.

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TO PIJI 10

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
KUJO	DF 8	11	

Sikeeps	gg	same	ii	good	

Inclusive

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W Head Lkpe

SIGNED

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SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1040

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SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.
				W	1043	Clamber pig.					

T.H.I. 1041

T.O.R.

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TO PIJI 10

FROM KUJO

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
D.F. 8.	11	

Siturep	gg	same	ii	good	

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1640

SIGNED

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SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.

T.H.I.

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TO ~~Kujo~~ ~~14~~ YUDU

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
~~Y~~ KUJO 14	DF 9	11	12.

Ref your Message 12/42 arrangements being made re court of Inquiry will notify time and place later.

Including

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Ernest Hope

SIGNED

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SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1515.

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SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.
				W	1515		Sig Award				

T.H.I. 1518

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	OUT HM VLIR T	18	

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TO TALI.

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
KUSO	D.F. 10	11	I 173

Ref will be Daily Sitrep. included in Information required future.

Excluding

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Signed Ernest Hope

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Signed

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1520

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SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.
				W	1535		Lyd Heard				

T.H.I. 1522

T.O.R.

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TO PIJI. 10

FROM KUJO.

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
D.F. 6	10.	

Sitreps	gg	same	ii	good.	

Recorded by
[illegible] B Head
Signed

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TIME OF ORIGIN 1000

Signed

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T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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TO P1J1 10.

FROM KVJO 10.

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
DE 12	12	

Sitrops	99	Regiment	remains	same	~~[illegible]~~
~~[illegible]~~	C Sqn	reconnaissance	direction	Keystrong	
a.a.	good				

Including

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS:

Ernest [illegible]

SIGNED

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SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1145.

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.

T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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TO PIJI

FROM KUJO	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
	DF 12	12	A395

16 all ranks daily leaving camp
departing Dandenong 1635 hrs to connect
trains for Bendigo 1740 and Ballarat
1940 ⊙ No personnel going on
leave Fridays or ~~[illegible]~~ Sundays as
no country trains on Sunday

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Signed

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT **IN CYPHER.**

Signed

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1220

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.

T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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TO ZUMI 14

FROM KUJO 7 | Originator's Number. DF 15 | Date. 12 | In Reply to Number

if	JILI	Ag m	Order	2/42	para
7	⊙	1245185	WEBSTER	J.A.	who
is	at	JILI	No 1	Equipment	Repairers
course	~~[illegible]~~	is	Nomination	from	KUJO
⊙	Please	advise	Item	1 O	Ack

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS:

Signed [illegible]

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CYPHER.

Signed

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1700

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.

T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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TO P1J1

FROM KUJO

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
DF 13	12	

Please supply any available information regard
Camouflage of vehicles

7 [illegible]

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS:

Hurley

SIGNED [illegible]

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CYPHER.

SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1245

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.

T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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TO CUTO

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
KUJO	DF 11	12	G2

Carrier	28629	can	be	used	

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS:

Yr Incidence
Yarley
Signed Lieut

IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CYPHER.

Signed

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 0910

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

SYSTEM IN.	TIME IN.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.	SYSTEM OUT.	TIME OUT.	READER.	SENDER.

T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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	OUT		

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TO KUJO

FROM MEZA	Originator's Number. CP 326	Date 12	In Reply to Number

Bdr	Levy	TAGO	Bdr	Hunt	Pl
Cpl	Watson	C/Cpl	Hood	KUJO	Ja
report	No 7	Course	MANYUNG	Today	
all informed					

This message may be sent **AS WRITTEN** by any means:

Signed

If liable to be intercepted or fall into Enemy Hands, this message must be sent **IN CYPHER.**

Signed

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Degree of priority.

Time of Origin. 1225

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T.H.I. 1230

T.O.R.

System In.	Time In.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.
W	[illegible]	[illegible]									

D.3170/8.39.—C.10251.

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	OUT		

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TO KUJO 7

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
PIJI 12	VH 7	12	

No authority yet received by P.O. Dandenong for your PMG line (1) believe on its way (1) Nothing I can do (1) ack

This message may be sent **AS WRITTEN** by any means:

SIGNED

If liable to be intercepted or fall into Enemy Hands, this message must be sent **IN CYPHER.**

SIGNED

Originator's instructions
Degree of priority.

Time of Origin. 1936

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

System In.	Time In.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.
W	2	Chan sig.									

T.H.I. 1938

T.O.R.

D.3170/S.39.—C.10251.

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Appendix II

4 ARMD. REGT.

Bivouac Area,
Dandenong,
13 Jan. 42.

ADM. INSTN.

by

Major E. P. Seymour — Administering Command,
4 Armd. Regt.,
DANDENONG.

Movement of one troop of C Sqn., 4 Armd. Regt. to Balcombe and return.

INFORMATION:
One troop of C Sqn., 4 Armd. Regt. will proceed to Balcombe, on 14 Jan. 42 to take part in demonstration of Tank Hunting for S. Comd. School, Duration 14 - 17 Jan. 42.

INTENTION:
Move to be effected by road.

METHOD:
On arrival, troop will report to Area Commandant, Balcombe/Mt. Martha.

Troop Sgt. will take command of Troop. Troop Leader will remain with Sqn. to assist Sqn. Leader with training.

Squadron Mechanist Sgt. will proceed with troop to carry out necessary duties.

MOVEMENT:
S. T. to be arranged by Sqn. Leader.
Arrive Balcombe 1030 hours 14 Jan. 42.
Return to camp on evening of 17 Jan. 42.

ROUTE:
Will be laid down under Sqn. arrangements.

RATIONS:
Cut lunch will be taken on 14 Jan. 42.

BEDDING AND PERSONAL GEAR:
Bedding and personal gear will be taken by all personnel.

G. Turley. Lieut.
for Adjutant,
4 Armd. Regt.

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	OUT		

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TO KUJO

FROM ZUMI	Originator's Number. N 17	Date 13	In Reply to Number

Advising 3 carriers completed

please arrange to take delivery

This message may be sent **AS WRITTEN** by any means:

Signed

If liable to be intercepted or fall into Enemy Hands, this message must be sent **IN CYPHER.**

Signed

Originator's instructions
Degree of priority.

Time of Origin. 1545

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

System In.	Time In.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.	System Out.	Time Out.	Reader.	Sender.
W	1545	[illegible]									

T.H.I. 1541

T.O.R.

D.3170/8.39.—C.10251.

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MESSAGE FORM.

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TO KUTO

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
PITI	HG 59	13	

Reg	THI	adm	order	2/43	para
7	O	report	PITI	1100	hrs
tomorrow	number	of	personnel	O	persons
report	PITI	1330	hrs	O	nil
informed					

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RECCE REPORT OF BRIDGE AREAS.

MELBOURNE - POINT NEPEAN ROAD, over PATTERSON RIVER, CARRUM and MORDIALLOC CREEK by Norman J. Oliver, Captain, 4 Armd Regt. 1300 hrs, 12 Jan. 42.

Ref. maps CRANBOURNE) 1 : 63360
RINGWOOD)

PART 1. Suitable storages for 1 ton of explosive at Mordialloc Creek bridge, Point Nepean Road.
Best is garage at Mordialloc Railway Station Gates owned by Mr. Hogg. Phone Mordialloc 146. Railway Trolley could be used to transport stores direct from garage to both bridges, Railway and Road within 50 yards of Road Bridge and direct to Railway Bridge.

PATTERSON RIVER BRIDGE - Council tool locker about 15' x 6' x 6' dug out in bank of river 20 yds from Bridge. Council Officers will co-operate.

PART. 2. (a) MORDIALLOC CREEK.

1. There is within 300 yds a road Bridge on A1 Road and a railway bridge, double track supported on about 11 sets of wooden piers with steel girders.

2. The facilities for storing approx. 1 ton of explosive in this area are:-

A wooden council shed very near Road bridge, used for storing tools. This shed is divided by a partition into two parts. One part could be cleared and would hold the material. There is a possibility that this shed could be set alight. It is East of the Bridge, North Bank of Creek. The Railway bridge is approximately 300 yds upstream of this spot.

There is a brick garage, stoutly constructed door, (size about 15' x 10' outside garage) owned by Mr. Hogg. Phone Mordialloc 146. This garage is situated about 20 yds from Railway Signal Box. It is about 150 - 200 yds from road bridge by road, 20 yds from Railway line. Stores loaded on railway trolley could be dispatched to within 50yds of Road Bridge in a few minutes, and direct to Railway Bridge. Mr. Hogg and his sister are strongly recommended by Cr. Davis for security reasons. Stores in this garage would be safe and secret.

Other possibilities at Mordialloc are:-

Iron garage, owned by Mr. Atkins at 9 George St. near Rly Viaduct.

Room at rear of Palais.

Two garages owned by Mr. Perry, Hardware Store.

Brick grandstand at rear - ¼ mile away.

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(b) PATTERSON RIVER BRIDGE. - CARRUM.

Railway and concrete road bridge close together.

Facilities for storing explosive here are:-

N.W. corner adjoining creek and road, Property owned by Cr. L. Righetti Double.brick garage now being used by tenants.

N.E. corner,House owned by Lt. McColl, with concrete brick garage securely locked, occupied by Chev. car, probably not used much.

S.E. corner. Fire Station. There is a tool room, which filled, with door, would make a good storage chamber. Brick Cement Floor.

S.W. Corner. On bank of Patterson River is a dug out about 8'x6'x6' securely timbered, with door lock which Chelsea City Council will make available. Recommended as an explosive dump by City Overseer, Mr. Oates, who is an experienced miner. Council will supply a stout iron and wood door and timber with which a second door could be constructed over the existing door when this chamber would be excellent. See City Engineer, City of Chelsea, near Chelsea Rly Station also Mr. Oates and Mr. Callahan at municipal chambers for Key etc.

PLANS OF MUNICIPALITIES.

Appendix.
Secret.

(a) MORDIALLOC CITY. - 1 copy of enlarged plan to 6 Inf. Bde herewith.

(b) CITY OF CHELSEA - 1 copy of Plan Blue Print, herewith to be copied and returned to City of Chelsea City Engineer.

(c) Plans of Bridges on Patterson River and Mordialloc Creek are not obtainable in these areas, but can be obtained from Mr. Jones, Country Roads Board, Melbourne.

Capt.

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TO P151 10

FROM KUJO

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
DF 21	14	

Strips 66 Regiment remains same B
for reconnaissance direction Cherrum North.
II. good

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TO KUJO

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
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	Conference		officers	14	P151
1430	hrs	today	(1)	all	informed

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TO PIJI. 12.

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
KUJO. 12.	D. F. 23	15.	V. H. 9.

No Wireless communication except wireless set provided and operated by 4 Div. Sigs. D3. communication between R. H. Q. & H. Q. Sqn. no other communication owing to no equipment.

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Ernest H. Hope W.O. 11.

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TIME OF ORIGIN 1050.

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				W	1055		[illegible]				

T.H.I. 1051

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TO KUJO 5

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date	In Reply to Number
PULO 5	M 25	15	

KUJO 5 to cover medical services for detachment KUJO Somerville using unit transport

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T.O.R.

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TELEPHONE

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
No.....

"B" Squadron.
4TH Armoured Regt
Dandenong.
16/1/42

ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR "B" SQUADRON. 15th.

RECCE. Squadron carried out recce of forward area reports that are to hand attached.

INSTRUCTIONS. Troops 1, 2, 3 & 4 driving instructions during recce.
TRAINING. 2. & 4 troops, driver control, capabilities & limitations of Carriers

TROOP MOVEMENTS. S.S.Mb. went to Shining Vale Forest with 3 tonner for logs required for the showers.

SANITATION & CONDITIONS. Good.

MORALE Good.

J. W. Jaska
Driver for S. Duries
B. Squadron.
16/1/42.

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TELEPHONE F 0211

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
No.....

A Squadron 4th Armoured Regiment

Intelligence Report for week ending
1800 hrs 14th Jan 1942

Training:- Troops have carried out training in map reading, wireless, gunnery & mechanical transport.

Service:- Troops have carried out reconnaissance of allotted areas and reports submitted to Squadron Headquarters daily

Leave:- Troops are about to proceed on 2 days leave per month as per instructions from 2nd Inf. Bde

Health & Morale Good

General Training has been curtailed a considerable extent owing to shortage of equipment. The use of petrol has been reduced to a minimum. Steering boxes on Carriers are causing concern to the Mechanical Transport Section. Two more carriers arriving 15th January 1942

A C Phillips Over

"b" Squadron
2/4th Armd Regt
Dandenong
15.1.42.

Intelligence Report on Syllabus carried out by "b" Squadron 14.1.42.

In the morning revisionary instructions were carried out on the Vickers M.G, then Squadron Pay Parade was held.

During the afternoon instructions were given on both the Thompson Sub M.G. and Rifle

At 6.30 in the morning one fighting troop under Sgt Bevan proceeded to Balcombe to a "Tank Hunting School"

Bevan
Dvr.

"b" Squadron
4th Aust Regt
Dandenong
16. 1. 42.

Intelligence Report on Syllabus carried out by "b" Squadron 15. 1. 42.

The Squadron was out all day participating in Driving Instructions with three 3 ton vehicles and one barrier U.G.

While passing through Lyndhurst South a bush fire was observed threatening local houses & was successfully put out by Squadron

Squadron
Duty.

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LEAGUE OF SOLDIERS' FRIENDS
TAKE CARE OF HIM
CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Military Camp at Sgt. J.W. Greening

BATTALION OR UNIT "B" Squadron

4th Armoured Regt
Dandenong.

RECCE REPORT

REF MAP CRANBOURNE 1" : 63360

OBJECTS. A General recce of route.
B. Detailed recce of area. 208138, 219100, 172114, 175128, 195139. 208138.

PART I.

1. Area suitable for AFV. movement but little cover for advance or defence

PART II

ROADS Generally good, some unformed would be unpassable in winter, Good cover on roadside at 208125 for covering road

BRIDGES. Suitable to carry all AFV's.

FIRE POSITIONS. 207138 to cover both roads
208125 " " road.
Hull down position 177126 & 195115

OBSERVATION POSTS. One at 195138 which could be used as a fire position also one at 205125

WATER SUPPLY. Pipe line at 195138 would be very valuable to flood surrounding area's, besides other purposes.

HARBOURS. Only one of any use at 209138. this has covered approaches.

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Military Camp at.....

BATTALION
OR UNIT.....

RECCE REPORT CONT.

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MAP ACCURACY. Generally accurate with the exception of road at 217100 where new road has been made & another budge erected. House at 192116 removed.

GENERAL. Fire positions & O.Pˢ could be set up at places mentioned, but cover generally is sparse. Heavy rains would seriously hamp movements. Communications would be carried out by W. Tx.
Only obstacle would be drain but this could be crossed easily at 208102.

Sgt J.W. Greaning
B. SQUADRON
4TH ARMOURED REG

WEATHER. FINE.

0900 hrs to 1600 hrs.
15/1/42

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RECCE REPORT.

by Sgt. Holland R.S.

REF. MAP. Cranbourne 1" to 1 m.

OBJECTS. 1. General recce of route
2. Detailed recce of area "A." Map Ref. 162082, 167068 169038, 183039, 175087.
3. Detailed recce of area "B." Map Ref. 162082, 149077, 159037, 169038.

PART I.

1. Generally suitable for A.F.V movement.
2. Generally suitable country for A.F.V's.
3. Unsuitable for A.F.V's.

PART II

ROADS. Roads from figs. 175086 to Chelsea — B2.
Pt Nepean Rd from Chelsea to Carrum - B1.
Road Carrum Rly. Stn. to figs 185053 — B3.
The remainder of the roads are either streets, detours or tracks & are all passable. Transport of any kind would not find difficulty in this area whilst well formed roads are utilised

COMMUNICATION. L/T. between Chelsea & Carrum & generally throughout the both towns. L/T along road figs. 155079 to fig. 176087 also roads figs. 161047 to figs 175053.

BRIDGES. Bridge (W) figs 165083 — weak, but drain can be crossed & will not offer any obstacle to A.F.V's.
Bridge (W) figs 167049 - now constructed of concrete
Bridges (Carrum) figs 158051 — reinforced concrete bridge carries all road transport.
Wooden bridge carries double line railway

TANK OBSTACLES. No major tank obstacles other than drain (Patterson River) however this would only be a delaying feature as crossings may be made at figs 157051 also figs 177067. If flooded this drain would be a major obstacle which would cause great delay.
May be possible to flood drain from pipeline at figs 165084 (Engineers task)

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WATER SUPPLY. - Water available from lake line running parallel to road figs 175086 to 152-077 Domestic sources

O. P's. Area very flat - however one may be utilized from figs 171090

RAILWAYS. Only railway - double line rails - Frankston-Melbourne line used for both steam + electric trains

HARBOURS. Cover available in several positions figs 172083.

ACCURACY OF MAP. Fairly accurate. Towns have grown considerably during the last few years
Building at figs 168083 not marked on map
Town Boulevard approx figs 155067 not marked
Bridge figs 166049 marked W now concrete

AIRCRAFT. LAND. Not suitable. Cove suitable N of Area.

GENERAL. Fire position 172083
Main Roads of B2. classification others C.3.
Water supply good
Ground heavily fenced
Intercom. L/T or V/T for very short distance

Training. — Driving Instruction,
Signal Code,
Capabilities & Limitations of barriers
Driver Control,
Observation.

Weather Fine.

R. I. Holland
8 Troop
B. Squadron
4th Armd. Regt.
Dandenong.
0900 hrs to 1600 hrs.
15th Jan 1942.

Recce Report. by. Cpl. F. Pidmer.

Ref. Maps Cranbourne 1" to 1M.

1. General Recce of route.
2. Detailed " " Area Seven. Map Refs.
172115, 215099, 202057, 184058, 167106.

Part I. Generally suitable for A.F.V. movement.
2. Good country for A.F.Vs
3.

Part II.

Roads. All roads bounding area 7 of a B.2. class.

Communications. Only telephone communication were on Wells Rd from 168104 to 175086.

Bridges.

Bridge at M.R 183066 not marked on map, two bridges at 206084 which are shown on map are demolished, all bridges in good condition.

Tank Obstacles.

Main Drain would delay the advancement of A.F.Vs if bridges were blown.

Water Supply.

18" pipe line crosses Main Drain Rd at MR 183111 with 3" stand pipe not marked on map, Wells Rd domestic supply obtained from this main.

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No. .....

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A.C.F.

RETURNED SAILORS AND SOLDIERS IMPERIAL LEAGUE OF VICTORIA WAR SERVICE FUND

THE SALVATION ARMY

Y.M.C.A.

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Recce Report. (Cont). Part II.

C.P's. Knoll at 172090.

Harbours. Good area for harbouring at 174088.

Accuracy Maps. Fairly accurate, Rd Junction at 215099 needs re-mapping.

Aircraft. Land. Good field at S.E. corner 202057.

General.

Country generally flat, numerous drains, some with high banks would make excellent hull & Turret down positions, cover on side of Main Drain Rd & Thompson's Rd offers good concealment from aircraft.

Sgt. H. T. Ridmer.
B. Squadron
Pt 1 Troop.
4th Armd Regiment.
Dandenong.
0900hrs to 1615 hrs.
January 15th 1942.

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From .....

No. .....

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A.C.F.

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TO PIJI .10.

FROM KUJO .10.

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
D.F. 22	15.	

Stops	g g	~~[illegible]~~ Same	v. i.	good	

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THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT **AS WRITTEN** BY ANY MEANS:

SIGNED Ernest Hope

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SIGNED W.O.

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY.

TIME OF ORIGIN 1015.

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T.O.R.

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Recce Report. Appendix II

Ref Map Cranbourne 1"to/M. By L/Cpl W. Purer

Objects 1 Detailed report & recce of route.

2 Detailed recce of area Map Ref 173–114, 215–099, 201–056, 184–058 166–106. 173–114.

Part I

1 All roads on route suitable for AFV's.

2 Mostly suitable for AFV's.

Part 2

Roads All roads around route B2 class excepting from Ref 201–056 to Ref 205–084 which is CH class. Harwood road Ref 204–074 B2 class for small distance West into area then becomes CH. Road along drain Ref 205 084 to Ref 182–068 C2 class.

Communications Only H/T in area or around it is for small distance along Wells Road Ref 166–106 to 175–086

Bridges Bridge at 203–074. in disrepair but AFV's can pass channel it would not offer any obstacle to AFV's

Bridge at Ref 204–074 not marked on Map.

Tank Obstacles Only real obstacle for AFV's is drain Ref 215–099 to 182.068 only a delaying feature at present because crossings can be made at several points but if it were flooded it would be impossible for AFV's

Water Supply Domestic sources. Pipe line runs South through area from Ref 195–106 also water cock at this point.

O.P.S All of area is very flat.

Railways None.

Harbours Country sparsely timbered but several small areas could be used for cover or harbour.

Aircraft Landings Hardly possible most of country is fairly heavily fenced and ti tree would have to be cleared for landing to be made.

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Accuracy of Map.

Artifial features around area Ref 205-084 to 215-099 have been changed considerably and do not coincide with map.

Drain now runs South from 205-099 in a fairly straight line to Ref 205-084 where it curves and runs SW to ref 182-068 Drain from 205-084 South to 201-056 is only small in comparison to other drain. Creek which formerly ran into drain 205-084 - 182-068 is now diverted and runs into smaller drain 205-084. 201-056. Bridges shown at 205-084 are wrong only one bridge remains over smaller channel no bridge over large channel at all at this point. Road now runs along west side of channel from Ref 215-099 to 182-068. Another channel joins large channel at Ref 212-091 not shown on map running in from the east.

General

all area could be travelled over by AFV's cover is very scarce and ground very flat providing very ~~little~~ few places for fire positions or O.P's. V/T could be used over short distances no high ground being available. Area is generally heavily fenced but would not provide obstacle for AFV's.

Training

Crew control, Driver Control, Signal code + driving instruction

Weather Fine.

L/Cpl W Turner
8 Troop
B Squadron
4th Armoured Regt
Dandenong
0900 hrs to 1600 hrs
16th January 1942

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Recce Report

by Sgt J. Stock.

REF. MAP. CRANBOURNE 1" to 1 m.

OBJECTS 1. General Recce of Routes.
2. Detailed Recce of Area 6.

PART I.

1. Generally suitable for A.F.V. Movement.
2. A.F.Vs could move comfortably right through area.

PART II.

Roads: Road 175086 to Chelsea ~~B1~~ B2
" 185054 to Carrum ~~B1~~ B2
" Chelsea to Carrum B.1.
All roads on map shown as Chelsea are B.2.

Communications: L/T from Chelsea to Carrum.

Bridges: Wooden Bridges at 158052, 166048 replaced by Cement Bridges.

Drains: All drains in area are crossable + Main drain at Carrum would only be ~~the~~ tank obstacle if flooded.

Water Supply: Main Domestic + water channels.

O.P.s: Very scarce in the area, one may be found at 172084.

Harbours: Sand pit is only suitable place for harbours, Sea tree is very thick.

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Accuracy of Maps: Roads & tracks fairly accurate.

Aircraft Eastern portion of area very flat, but fences would hamper any attempts at landings.

General Ground is generally flat with heavy tea tree round sand spit.

Weather — Fine

J. Stock Sgt.
3 Troop
"B" Squadron
16.1.42.

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RECCE REPORT.

REF. MAP. CRANBOURNE. 1" TO 1MILE

By LIEUT. I. RYAN.
"B" SQUADRON.

OBJECT. 1. Checking previous recce report.
2. General recce of area 5.

PART. I.

1. Previous reports covered all inaccuracies.
2. Area suitable for AFV movement, only obstacles fenced roads

PART. II

ROADS. Road 162039 to SEAFORD 164014 B1. WELLS RD. B2. all other tracks C2.

BRIDGES New Bridge over drain 164038, Two new wooden bridges over drain on WELLS ROAD. 184039.

WATER. SUPPLY. Mainly domestic
New well at homestead 181022 supplies unlimited drinking water.

COMMUNICATIONS. L/T. along CARRUM SEAFORD. ROAD. No other L/T on area.

HARBOURS. Many harbour area's in area 5. the best being 1802. This harbour has excellent approach & is supplied with water from well 181022.

OBSTACLES. No Tank obstacles are in this area. except drains which when flooded would possibly slow down A.F.Vs. but should not delay them for long.

O. P's This area is fairly low lying & offers no O'Ps.

ACCURACY. Roads shown on map all correct two bridges over Wells road shown as culverts.

RAILWAYS. Only railways in this area are between CARRUM & SEAFORD. This line is a double electric.

AIRCRAFT. There is no suitable landing fields in this area as it is fairly well wooded & fenced

GENERAL Many small drains cross this area & could be flooded by the "main drain" or from PATTERSON RIVER. A large number of vehicles could be concealed in the Southern portion of this District & could be made invisable to Aircraft as timber

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Military Camp at.....

BATTALION
OR UNIT.....

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RECCE REPORT. (CONT) AREA (5)

GENERAL (CONT). is fairly heavy & leaves very green.
Access may be gained to the coast by means of tracks from the main "Carrum – SEAFORD RDS.

WEATHER. Fine

DATE 16/1/42

By.
J. RYAN LIEUT.
B. SQUADRON
NO 2 TROOP

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TELEPHONE

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
No. ....

"B" Squadron.
4TH Armoured Regt.
Dandenong.

Squadron Activities for 16-1-41.

Recce. All fighting troops were out on recce at our forward area, recce reports attached.

Instructions. Driving instructions for all troops.

Troop Movements. S.S.M. Ramsay took 3 ton truck around our area giving H.Q. Troops driving instructions.
Mr Berger also covered area & doing recce in L.R.I.

Training. Driver Control, Crew Control, Arm Signal code, were given to 1 & 4 Troops.

Sanitation & Conditions Good.

Morale Good.

J W Packa
Driver for I Duties

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TO PIJI 10

FROM KUJO 10

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
D.F. 25	16	

Setups	99	Same	i.a.	good	

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TO HEKU

FROM KUJO

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Nominations Two for Demolition School by
1800 Hrs Full Particulars Following

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TO Fiji. 10.

FROM Kuto. 10.

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Situation	99	Same	ii	good.	
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Ernest Hope

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TELEPHONE

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE NO.....

RECCE REPORT.

L/CPL. MARTIN

~~WEATHER~~.

MAP REF. Cranbourne 1" to 1 mile

OBJECTS. (a) General Recce.

(b) Detailed Recce of area 208138, 209100, 172114, 175128 193124 195139 208138.

PART. I

Area suitable for A.F.V. movements, but little cover for advance.

PART. II

ROADS. Mainly class B2 some C4 which would be impassable in winter

BRIDGES All suitable for A.F.V. traffic.

FIRE POSITION 207138 to cover both roads, 208125 to cover road 208114 combination of 3 positions would cover whole area.

Hull down position 177126 & 195115

O. P.'s One at 195138 which could be used as a fire position, also one at 205125.

WATER. SUPPLY. Pipe line at 192108 would be very valuable to flood surrounding land as well as domestic uses

HARBOURS. Excellant harbour at 208114 with good covered approaches, also could be used as a fire position.

MAP ACCURACY. Generally accurate with exception of road at 217100 where new road has been made & new bridge erected, house at 172 removed. house at. 208133 not mapped, house at. 205137 removed & windmill erected

GENERAL. Area generally good for A & V movement, Heavy rain would seriously hamper movement. owing to flat nature of country. Drain about rank obstacle but could be easily crossed at. 208102 unless flooded.

By. A.W. MARTIN. L/CPL.
NO1 TROOP.
"B" SQUADRON.
4TH ARMOURED REC.

TIME. 0900 hrs to 1600

WEATHER. Cloudy & unsettled.

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RECCE REPORT (cont) 2.

O.Ps. This area is very lowlying & no suitable OPs could be found.

Water Supply Mainly domestic. Stand pipe & valve from 18" pipe line is on Main Drain rd at North of area

Harbours No suitable harbour areas are to be found as the country is very bare & dry & offers no cover for A.F.Vs.

Aircraft a large flat area between the Main Drain and the branch drain would be suitable for aircraft landing.

Accuracy Many roads shown on map are now fenced and several small drains are now formed off the Main Drain.

General A.F.Vs could find complete cover for approach behind high drain embankement both from Edith vale & Wells rd's & many turret down positions good be found.

Weather. Fine

J Ryan Lieut
B Squadron
18-1-42

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RECCE REPORT. 1.

By Lieut J. Ryan.

Ref Map — Cranbourne 1" to 1m.

Object
1. Recce of route
2. General recce of area.

Part I
1. Suitable for A.F.V. movement
2. Country good of A.F.Vs

Part II

Roads — EDITHVALE road B1 Main Drain rd B2 all other tracks are C3 all roads are in good condition

Bridges — Bridge at 173115 is strongly constructed (wooden) but is very narrow
Bridges shown on map at point 205083 are no longer in position & must have been removed since map was constructed

Communication — L/T only along WELLS rd.

Tank Obstacle — Drains in this area present the only tank obstacle as they would delay an advance if they were flooded by means of the main pipe line.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
No.....

"B" SQUADRON
4TH ARMOURED REC.
DANDENONG

ACTIVITIES. REPORT. FOR. 18/1/41

RECCE. No 1 & 2 troops went out to recce part of our forward area reports attached.

REST. DAY. 3 & 4 troops day of rest.

MAINTENANCE. Personnal maintenance by 1 & 2 troops. Vehicle maintenance by H Q troops & 1 & 2 troops.

TROOP MOVEMENT. Mr. Beyer & L.P.I. checked up on map inaccuracy. S.S.M. Ramsay moved to our forward area doing instructions

INSTRUCTIONS. S.S.M. driving instructions to H.Q troops. 2 I.C. gave driving instruction, inconjunction with checking map.

CONDITIONS. Good.

MORALE Good

J W Jacka
Driver for I Duties
19. /1/42

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LEAGUE OF SOLDIERS FRIENDS
TAKE CARE OF HIM
CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Military Camp at.....

BATTALION
OR UNIT.....

.....19.....

Recce Report. by Sgt. Barker. R.S.

Ref. Map Cranbourne 1" to 1 mile.

Objects 1. General Recce of routes.
2. General Recce of area bounded by map references 148078, 175~~806~~ 086, 183040, 159037.

Part 1.

1. Good for A.F.V.S.

2. Only fair country for A.F.V.S.
~~Pa~~

Part 2

Roads. All boundaries are B.1 except point Napean Rd which is A.1.
Track refs 164038 to 163045 now B.1.

Communication. T.L from 176054 to Carrum 160047, 175086 W to Chelsea 153078
T.L along Pt Napean Rd from 153078 S^th to 161037

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Military Camp at.....

BATTALION OR UNIT.....

Recce Report. by Sgt. Barker R.S. 19..

Bridges. Bridges about two ton limit at 182047, 181043.
Bridge at 166048 now concrete.
" " 175048 unmarked.
" " 164038 unmarked.

Tank Obstacles.
Unmarked drain ref 181040 to 182051, particularly if filled with water.
Patterson River from ~~the~~ 158051 to 181068

Water Supply. Good throughout area.
Water main from 175086 W to Chelsea 153078, also main from 175086 S^th to 185054 thence S^th 183040 & from 185054 W to Carrum ~~to~~ 160047, Stand pipe at 166048.

C.P's. Only suitable spot 172088.

Railways. As shown unmarked crossings 157062 and Bon Beach Station at same point and an unmarked crossing at 154071.

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LEAGUE OF SOLDIERS' FRIENDS · TAKE CARE OF HIM · CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Military Camp at.....

BATTALION OR UNIT.....

Recce Report. by Sgt. Barker R.S. 19

Harbours. Sgun Size at O.P. 172088.

Accuracy Maps. Generally correct except as stated previously, lightly scrubbed 165075.

Aircraft Land. Nil.

General.

Although Patterson River from 158051 to 181068 is an obstacle A.F.V's easily cross mouth at 157051. (Adjacent to Bridge).

Encountered Squad V.D.C at 171085 doing lesson "How to stop carriers."

Weather. Very good.

R.J. Barker Sgt.
B Squadron 4th A.R.
Dandenong.
18/1/42.

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LEAGUE OF SOLDIERS FRIENDS
TAKE CARE OF HIM
CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Military Camp at January 18th

BATTALION OR UNIT 1750 hrs.

19

Recce Report on Roads bounded ref. figs. 201056 north to figs. 215096 west to figs 243093 south to figs. 228052 & east again to figs. 201056.

Road ref. figs 220097 to 215096 "B2"
" " " 220097 to 233095
I consider it possible for two streams of traffic to pass along this road at any point therefore class "A1"
Road ref. figs 220097 to 214054 "B1"
" " " 220097 to 238069 is with the exception of a channel crossing ref. figs 226088 (packhorse only in winter) an "A3" road.
With the exception of this crossing suitable for M.T. in summer & dry conditions.
Road ref. figs 215096 to 201056 is an "A4" class road.
~~Two~~ bad crossing & one narrow bridge only wide enough for one vehicle at ~~figs~~ respectively figs. 203065 and figs. 218084. Apart from the bad crossing

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Lecce. report cont.

is suitable for M.T. under dry conditions but should think would become exceptionally sticky under wet conditions Road ref. figs 233095 to 243094 is impassable beyond figs 237094 owing to channel & wired entanglements. Main Dandenong Rd. can be reached by following channel around a joinging main rd. at point just North of wooden bridge ref. figs 243096 This road now passable for M.T. would under wet conditions necessitate "horse drawn traffic therefore "A 3" road. Harwood Rd from figs 204074 to figs 217072 a "B2" road; from 217072 to 238068 an "A 2" road.

Thomson's Rd. figs 201056 to figs 228052 is a solid road suitable for heavy M.T. in all weather & I class it as a "B2" rd. Dandenong, Frankston rd. from ref. figs 242094 to figs 228052 is an "A 1" rd suitable for 2 streams of heavy M.T. traffic.

G. P. Bevan
Sgt.

Recce Report
Lt. V. James.
19 Jan 42.
Map Ref 6 ranbourne
[illegible] 1M.

Object: To make ground ~~work~~ Recce of area bounded by Dandenong Drain and Rds. 216097; 206137, 206137; 216136.

Part I: Ground flat, little cover for fire positions Dandenong Drain Tank trap especially if full of water.

Part II

Ground: Ground over area very flat covered with dry grass.
Timber along line 223103; 227124 gives good covered approach to Dandenong Creek from W.

Cover: Cover for fire positions very scarce, but Knoll 216,113 gives good field of fire over front along Dandenong Drain; fields are surrounded by drains approx 3" wide and 2'6" which would provide good protection for dismounted troops from S.A. fire.

Protection: Dandenong Drain gives excellent protection from enemy advance, would hold up both tank and infantry advance if supported by a small force

[signature] Lt.

Time 1300 – 1630 hrs 19 Jan 41. Weather Bright & Sunny

Recce. Report.

by Sgt. M. L. Anderson

Object:- General Ground Recce of Area

M. Refs. 228052 - 236050 - 253048 - 247014 - 229016 - 232033 - 217036

Part 1.

Ground in area 232033 - 249030 - 247014 229016. From McFarlane's Rd suitable for good fire positions and cover for carriers. M. Refs 245031 - 245014. From the above refs to Taylor's Rd not very satisfactory. (very flat)

Ground in area bounded by Rds:- McFarlane's Thompson's Taylor's and Whittakers Rds. Ground slightly undulating odd positions for M.G.s but higher ground against us.

Ground in area bounded by Rds:- McFarlane's Whittakers, Dandenong and Thompson's similar to above area.

Part 2.

Map in the area found to be slightly incorrect so far as houses wind-pump & houses were concerned.

House at M. Ref 236045
" " " " 236097
Water Holes M Ref. 238045
" " " " 235038 Brackish
" " " " 233028
" " " " 234026
Wind Pumps M. Ref 238042, 237038, 243027, 235018, 240017.

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Part 2. cont.

Communications, Telefone line to House at M. Ref 235028 line not in use otherwise no means of telephonic communications available This House has been changed from "St. John's Wood" to "Yakka."

A. Point of Interest:-

The ground in wet weather is according to local residents not suitable for M.T. in the paddocks. Once you break the surface you sink right in.

Time 1400 hrs
Weather Bright Sun.
Windy.

M L Anderson Sgt.

"C." Squadron
4th Arma Regt
Dandenong
19.1.42.

Intelligence Report for "C" Squadron
18.1.42.

Reconnaissance.

Three of our troops carried out ground reconnaissance on the following areas :- Cr James, Map Refs, 210135, 224135, 219100. — Sgt Anderson M. Refs 228052, 236050, 253048, 247014, 229016, 232033, 217036. — Sgt Bevan M. Refs. 215099, 242088, 228052, 201055.

Syllabus.

During the morning personnel were instructed in Respirator Drill & the remainder who did not go out on the recce were instructed in Rifle Work & Dismounted Drill. At 1800 hrs a lecture was given by C.S.L. Taylor on "The Working of the Gear Box.

Morale Good.

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Enclosed :- Troop Leaders Recce Reports.

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FROM KUSO. 10.

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FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
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PLEASE	RETURN	MECHANIZATION	PAMPLET.	NO.
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Appendix I

"B" Squadron.
4th Armoured Rec.
Dandenong.
21-1-42.

Activities Report For. 20.1.42.

Camouflage. Squadron camouflaged all tents not, that weather had broken down, also three newly erected tents.

Troop Movements. Sgt Greening with 3 tonner went no-wards Wells road for scrub to help with the camouflaging.

Instruction. Instruction in the correct sequence of fault finding in Carriers M.G.

Conditions. Good

Morale Good

Sanitation. Good.

Maintenance General maintenance by drivers of all vehicles.

J W Jacka
Driver for S. Dukes
21-1-42

Appendix II

"C. Squadron
4th Armd Regt.
Dandenong.
21.1.42.

Intelligence Report for "C" Squadron
20.1.42.

Reconnaissance:

Recce was carried out in the afternoon by a troop under Cpl Russell over an area M Refs: 199039, 201056, 228051, 218037. & one M Refs, 233095, 242094 & line 237132, 247130.

Syllabus.

During the morning general maintenance was carried out by personnel over camp site.

In the afternoon all personnel were passed through a gas chamber & our spare Headquaters Fighting troops were taken out in Carriers M.G. for instruction.

Morale Good

B Walpole
Dvr.

Enclosed troop leaders
Recce Reports.

Recce Report

By Lcpl Russell

Ref Map Cranbourne 1-63,360

Object. general ground Recce of area
199-039, 201-056, 228-051, 218-037,

Part I

Country in area fairly flat, with very little cover, and unsuitable for tanks or carriers, no suitable fire positions.
Map fairly accurate
There are numerous water pumps throught area

Communications

Telephone communication can be obtained from Ref Points. 228-051, to 218-037 along main Dandenong Frankston Rd. also along road from Ref Point 218-037 to 199-039
Electric Power lines also run along main Road Between Ref Points 228-051 to 218-037,

Points of Interest

Gas main runs underground along West side of Main Dandenong-Frankston between ref Points 228-051 to 218-037.
House at Ref Point 201-039 not marked on map

Weather
Fine and windy.

Time
16-30 hrs

D Russell Lcpl
20/1/42

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Recce Report V. James Lt
20 Jan 42.

Object: To make Recce of area bounded by Dandenong & Harward Rds, and rds 233095; 242094; and line 237132, 247130.

Part I: Ground in this area very flat practically no cover, unsuitable for advance enemy A.F.V's

Part II

Cover: very scarce except along rd 236116, 246116, this rd is not marked on map. Class. C2.

Some little cover along W. Side of Hammond's Rd.

Infantry are digging and wiring in this area, Dannet wire in some cases along Dandenong and Hammond's Rd. Rd 233094; 243093 does not cross Cummerning Ck. but track goes from pt. 237094 to pt 243095 along N. Side Cummerning Ck. joining Dandenong Rd.

Communication: Telephone at houses 241101; 246123.

Additional Features (NOT MARKED)

water hole pt. 235100; house 245116; house 237124; water pipe and tap 246123. Hill feature pt. 237104 provide good Hill down posn for Carriers but no cover from air.

water hole. 242094.

James Lt

Weather: Fine windy

Time: 1500 hrs — 1630 hrs

20 Jan 41

H.Q. Sqn - 4 Armd Regt.
Night Exercise

20/1/42

Route for Night March

Appendix III

Assembly area
H of C facing South
200x N of x Rds 213137

Dep assembly area 2020 hrs
5 MPH.

Thence SW to Rd Junct. 205130
10 MPH
Thence S to Rd Junct 217101
5 MPH
Thence to Rd Junct. 221097
10 MPH
Thence W to Rd Junct
233095

Thence N to D'NONG.
Via GRACE ST
Thence ~~SW~~ to camp area

Approx 9 miles.

20 JAN 1942

HQ Sqn

Appendix I

"C" Squadron
4th Armd Regt
Dandenong
20.1.42.

Intelligence Report for "C" Squadron
19.1.42

Reconnaissance.

Mr James Area, M Refs 220101, 227126, 237125, 232095 ~~2[illegible]~~

Sgt Anderson M. Refs. 238068, 256005, 253048, 228052.

Cpl Russell M Refs. 201057, 228052, 218037, 232034, 229018, 200020

Dvr Mc Inroy M Refs. 215097, 206089, 202056, 214054, 220096.

Syllabus.

Morning:- Those not on recce were instructed in Respirator Drill, Pistol Drill, & Rifle Sighting.

Afternoon:- Those on recce in morning were instructed as above while the remainder carried out a recce

Weather.

Steady rain was experienced during the late afternoon & evening making the camp site fairly muddy.

Morale. Good

Bwalpoll
Dar

Enclosed Troop Leaders

Recce Reports.

Recce Report By Lt. V. James
19 Jan 42.
Map Cranbourne
1" - 1M.

Object: To make a
recce of area bounded by area Rd
220101; 227126; Rd 227126, 237125
Rd 237125; 232095.

Part I: Area very flat, little cover except along Hammonds Rd. and Rd
220101, 227126 Open country for Fire Tasks from Dandenong Drain.

Part II:

Roads: Hammonds Rd, generally good covered approach also rd. 220101; 227126.

Ground: Generally flat, fire posn from Knoll 227105 for approach to Dandenong Drain. Also Knoll 227121; ground between Nthings 10.12 and Eastings 23 25 in this area is being wired by Infantry. Also trenches being dug along E side of Hammonds Rd apparently as Fwd. Defence of Dandenong Drain.
Approaches to this area are generally open but with few isolated trees joining thick timber ½ M. to E Hammonds Rd.

Communication: Nearest Telephone in this area is at house at Map Ref 241101. No other lines in this area.

Some electrical fencing in Squares Nthings 12.13; Eastings 22,24 Capable of taking high voltage; this fencing is being erected by owner of house Map Ref. 227124 who intends extending it around his property.

Additional Features (Artificial) Water Hole M/R 226123
Wind Pumps: Map Refs 232,103; 222097; 206129; 207124. 217106.
Drains in this area not effective Tank Traps.
Houses at Pts: 212121; 221099.

James Lt.

Weather Dull. Dusty, Rain
Time. 1345 - 1615 hrs 19 Jan 41.

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Recce Report

Ref. Sheet Cranbourne 1" to mile. by Sgt. M. L. Anderson

Object:- General Ground Recce. of Area

M. Ref. 238068, 256065, 253048, 228052.

Part I.

Ground in this area rather flat and apart from a Mortar Position 252048 fire positions not suitable to us. The map was found to have the following features not marked.

1. Large Drain running from 243049 to 245068 with bridge crossing at 245064 this continues over Hawood road out of my area.

Above Drain could be a tank obstacle if filled with water.

2. Drain running from 255060 to 240068 small but may be good for infanty to use small arms fire from.

3. Windpump were found at the following M. Refs. 245064 Brackish, 235054 Blackish, ~~245043~~ Waterholes at M. Refs 232055 fed by spring. This place also has a well.

Communication

Telephone at M. Refs 241055 otherwise area is without means of communication.

A. Point of Interest:- M Refs 238068 to 216036 a gas main runs along west side of road from Dandenong to Frankston

Weather Fine
Windy
Time 1225 hrs

M. L. Anderson Sgt
19/1/42

Recce Report

Ref Map Cranbourne 1 in to 1 mile By Cpl Russell

Object - General ground recce of area
201-057, 228-052, 218-037, 232-034, 229-018, 200-020.

Part I

Country fairly flat, and no suitable cover for tanks or carriers, numerous water tanks situated over area. There is a water tank at road junction map Ref 199-039. There is a suitable harbor area at at map Ref 209-030 and 230-022. Country around these two areas fairly thickly timbered and covered with bracken. Map is fairly accurate.

Communications

Telephone communication can be had along the Dandenong - Frankston road from Ref Points 208-019 to 228-052 and also along Whittacres Road from Ref points. 232-033 to 218-035.

Points of Interest.

Water Tank at Ref Point 199-039. is not shown on map. Also Track leading off from Ref Point. 213-018 to 221-035 not shown on Map.

Weather

Fine and Windy
with Rain falling
Time 1600 hrs

W.D. Russell Cpl.
19/1/42.

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THE SALVATION ARMY

Y.M.C.A.

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Recce Report

by Dvr J. McInroy.

Ref Map Cranbourne 1:63,360

Object :- To make general recce of area bounded by map refs. 215·097; 206·089; 202·056; 214·054; 220·096.

Part I

Country very flat. Little cover. Very scattered timber. Roads fair.

Part II

Two wind pumps at map ref 216·098. Only one shown on map Close cover around school for small area. Covered approach along north side of road from map ref 220·096 to map ref 215·097. Small water tanks at school & church, sooth & north respectively of road, at map ref 219·096. Shallow ditch along both sides of road. Channel at map ref 215·097. about 25 yards wide and 12 feet deep. When dry, not a tank obstacle. House, not shown on map at map ref 217·083, has two tanks and thick shelter immediately around house. Drain ~~not shown on map~~ running from road at map ref ~~217·084~~ 217·084 to channel at map ref 205·083, has low cover on both sides. Low ridge running roughly parallel to this drain

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on south side, capable of concealing a number of men or V.M.G's. New house at west of road at map ref. 218.075. Telephonic line from there, running South. House has public 'phone. Hall opposite this house also not shown. House at map ref 216.073 has fair amount of cover and large outbuildings. Drain running parallel east of channel from W. bridge, map ref. 205.083, to map ref 207.090. Large amount of low cover along channel, from W. bridge 205.083 to 219.090, capable of concealing large company of men, on both sides of channel. Channel, not shown on map, branches from drain, shown on map, at map ref 211.092. This channel is approx. 25 yds. wide and 12 ft. deep. Unformed road runs on east side of channel from map. ref. 205.083 to map ref 219.092 where channel runs under road. Country is very flat with very scattered timber. Little cover is available except in areas stated.

Weather :- Cloudy.

Signed Dvr. J. McInroy
"C" Squadron
4th Arm'd Regt
13.30 hrs
19th Jan. '42

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TO PIJI. 10.

FROM KUJO. 10. | Originator's Number. D.F. 29 | Date. 19 | In Reply to Number

REF. U.S. MAPS. WESTERN PORT. 12.
CRANBOURNE .6.

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SIGNED Ernest Hope W/O"

SIGNED

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"6" Squadron
4th Arma Regt
Dandenong.
22.1.42.

Intelligence Report for "6" Squadron
21.1.42

Reconnaisance.

A Detailed ground recce was carried out by a troop under Cpl Russell over an area M Refs. 3236 3114, 3245 3112, 3228 3054, 3214 3055, 3221 3096, 3234 3095, on Grantourne Artillery Map. 1.25000. A Troop of Carriers M.G. under Mr James also carried out a road recce.

Syllabus.

This was "Rest Period" for our Headquarters Troops. The Fighting Troops carried out maintenance on all firearms during the morning & proceeded on recce during the afternoon. Several Personnel carried out "Driving Instructions" under Mr Green.

A Squadron Parade was held in the morning & all Webbing Equipment checked.

Morale Good

Enc. Troop Leaders Recce Report. Bwalpole Dvr.

Recce Report

By - Lpl Russell

Part of 859 Zone 7

Ref Map Cranbourne Artillery area Scale 1-25000

Object general Ground Recce of area 3236-3114, 3245-3112, 3228-3054, 3214-3055, 3221-3096, 3234-3095

Part I

Country fairly flat and sparsely covered with bracken and not very suitable for carrier or tank warfare with the exception of Ref Points 3245-3105 to 3238-3103 which is a fairly good harbour area, and is at present occupied by military troops. Map is fairly accurate.

Communications

Telephone communication can be had along Main Highway between Ref Points 3245-3112 to 3228-3054 and along the Narwood Rd from Ref Pts 3218-3072 to 3238-3070.

Points of Interest

Power Lines and gas main runs along west side of main Dandenong-Frankston Rd between Ref Pts 3245-3112 and 3228-3054

Water Pumps at Ref Pts 3213-3057 and 3217-3076 also Houses at Ref Pts 3236-3069, 3228-3056, 3235-3102 and Road from Ref Pt 3234-3095 to 3243-3096 not shown on map

Weather

Fine & Warm

Fine 1630 hrs

Signed Russell Lpl

21/1/42

Appendix IV

"B" Squadron.
4th Armoured Rec.
1 Dandenong.
22/1/42

Activities Report for 21-1-42.

Recce. By No 3 & 4 troops reports not yet to hand.

Rest Day. No. 1 & 2 Troops day of rest, (Personnal maintenance).

Troop Movements. Cpl. Iser & S.S.M. inspected Harbours on forward area.
S.S.M. in 3 tonner went to forward area for bracken fern required for camouflage.
Sgt. Thompson & L/A.D. moved out in carriers to drain to help remove bogged carriers of No. 3 Troop.

Morale. Good.

Conditions. Good.

J. W. Jacka
Driver for I Duties
22-1-42.

A Squadron

4th Armoured Regiment

Intelligence Report for week ended

1800 hrs 21st January 1942

Source — All troops have carried out reconnaisance of allotted areas and reports sent to Squadron Headquarters daily

Training — Training has been carried out under wing arrangements in Gunnery, M.T. Junior leaders and wireless. Lack of equipment is still hindering training

Leave — Personnel are proceeding on 48 hours leave as instructed

General — 59 more respirators have been received making sufficient to equip every man in the Squadron with same. Slit trenches are being dug

Morale — The health and morale of the troops is good

A. Phillips Lt

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TO PIJI . 10.

FROM	KUJO . 10.	Originator's Number. D.F. 32.	Date. 21	In Reply to Number

Sitreps	g.g.	Same	i.i.	Good.	
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"C" Squadron
4th Armd Regt
Dandenong
23.1.42

Intelligence Report for "C" Squadron
22.1.42.

Reconnaissance.

The following detailed land recce were carried out. Troop under Sgt Patten M Refs. 214054, 201056, 198038, 212037. Troop under Sgt Bevan M Refs. 215136, 238132, 232095, 219098, 206129.

Syllabus

This was "Rest Period" for the four Fighting Troops. In the morning personnel were instructed in the characteristics of the V.M.G, Practical Map Reading, & Protection Against Gas. The recce was carried out in the afternoon.

Morale. Good.

Enc Sgt Pattens recce Report and Sgt Bevans will be fwd tomorrow

Bevalpon
Dir.

Appendix III

"B" Squadron.
4th Armoured Rec.
Dandenong.

Activities Report For 22-1-42.

Instructions. Mr Berger gave lectures on Anti Gas equipment to Squadron.
Revision on, Pistol, Vickers & Lewis Guns.

Troop Movements. Utility went to Dandenong to collect Q. Store Supplies.
Night drive to instruct drivers in convoy & practice night driving. (Copy of route sent to R.H.Q.).

Recce. Reports of recce on 21-1-42 attached.

Conditions. Good.

Morale Good.

J. W. Jacka
Driver for F. Dulies
23-1-42.

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B Sqn
4 Armd. Regt.

..... 19 .....

NIGHT DRIVING. 22-1-42

TIME 2130 to 2300 hours.
V.T.M. 60 = 30 yds.
M.I.H. 10.
LENGTH OF ROUTE 15 miles
ROUTE & MARCH TABLE.

2130. START LINE Gate to "B" Squadron.
2132 TURN RIGHT. along CHURCH. RD.
2138 TURN LEFT. 196139
2142. TURN RIGHT. along HUTTONS. RD.
2148 TURN LEFT. along EDITHVALE RD.
2156. TURN LEFT along WELLS. RD.
2202. CHELSEA HEIGHTS. 173093.
2212 CHELSEA HEIGHTS. 173093 continue SOUTH.
2227. TURN LEFT along THOMPSONS RD.
HALT. 2235. HALT TURN LEFT. 214054
2241 Cross HARWOOD RD. continue NORTH.
HALT.
2251. Cross DRAIN 215100 continue NORTH.
HALT.
2306 TURN RIGHT. along CHURCH ROAD.
2309. TURN LEFT. CHANDLERS ROAD.
2312. RETURN CAMP.

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NIGHT. DRIVE

TRAINING. Convoy & night Driving

ADMINISTRATIVE

All vehicles will move except grounded carriers & 30 cwt 5207. Drivers will draw work tickets for vehicles. Each vehicle will be in charge of N.C.O. Spare drivers will be taken & changed periodically NO. LIGHTS except tailights & headlights of leading vehicle.

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"B" SQUADRON.
4TH ARMOURED REC.
DANDENONG.
24/1/42

ACTIVITIES REPORT FOR. 23-1-42.

INSTRUCTION & TRAINING. General, stripping, cleaning, & naming ~~of~~ parts. of Pistols Rifles, Vicker's & Thompson's guns.

TROOP MOVEMENT. Mr Beyer with utility journeyed to Dandenong for Mess supplies.

SANITATION Good.

CONDITIONS. Good.

MORALE Good

J W Jacka
Driver for F. Duties

24-1-42.

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"6" Squadron
4th Arma Regt
Dandenong.
24.1.42.

Intelligence Report for "6" Squadron 23.1.42.

Reconnaissance.

A detailed land recce was carried out by a troop under Sgt Patten, & will be continued today.

Syllabus.

Morning: The remainder of the Squadron not on recce were instructed in the characteristics of the V. M.G.

Afternoon: Personnel were taken out judging speeds & then rehearsed mounting & dismounting in the event of air attack & quick concealment of vehicles.

In the evening at 21 00hrs the squadron moved out on a night march in 33 on vehicles & carriers M.G.

Morale Good.

Rivalpoll Dwr.

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TO HEKU.

FROM KUJO.

Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
D.F. 34	23.	

Officers will not attend BALLS in uniform during period of court mourning termination 2 Feb 42.

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W.O.U.A.I.C.
R.S.M. 4 [illegible]

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TO PIJI 1.

FROM	Originator's Number.	Date.	In Reply to Number
KUJO 66.	DF 35.	23	

Reference	Camp	R.O.	212	Para. 5	Loss
of	Milk	can.	Not.	KUJO.	

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T.H.I. 1550

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Appendix II

"B" Squadron
4th Armoured Rec.
Dandenong.
25/1/42

Activities. Report For. 24-1-42.

Recce. :- Map inaccuracies checked.

Troop Movements. S.S.M. Ramsay in 3 tonner moved to Spinnyvale for rails to be used in the rock house.
Utility moved out with troops to tank trap demonstration also 2 x 3 tonners moved to same area.
W.O. 2 I.C. & Dvr. Jacka moved to forward area to check several map inaccuracies report not yet to hand.

Instructions. Vickers & Lewis revision, also D.M.D.

Conditions. Good.

Morale. Good.

J. W. Jacka
Driver for S. Davies
25-1-42

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