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Unit R.A.E. 3 Aust. Div. Date and Time - From 1 Aug. '42 To 2 Aug. '42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	Aug 1	1530	ADVANCE PARTY MET C.R.E. & H.Q. PARTY AT TIARO & CONVEYED THEM TO PRESENT LOCATION. MAP REF MARYBOROUGH 4" 583818. LOCATION FD. COYS AS FOLLOWS:- 4 FD COY. 584813 10 FD. COY 571825. 53 FD PK COY 585817. 15 FD COY REMAIN AT CASINO. MAP REF TWEED HEADS 4" 623422. ERECTING TENTS, DIGGING PITS.	
	2		CAMP NOW WELL SETTLED, ALL TENTS ERECTED. CAMOUFLAGING COMPLETE. ERECTING LATRINE SHELTERS. MAPS OF THIS AREA SCARCE, BUT SOME MAPS PURCHASED FROM LANDS DEPT. I.O. CONTACTING LOCAL SHIRE AUTHORITIES. CHURCH PARADE 1830 HRS.	

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Unit R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV. Date and Time - From 3 AUG '42 To 5 AUG '42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	3		ROAD & BRIDGE RECCE BY H.Q. ERECTION OF CAMP ACCOM. STORES, MARKING ROADS & CIRCUIT IN AREA. WATER POINT IN TOWNSHIP STILL BEING USED. WEATHER FINE.	
	4		C.R.E. VISIT TO C.E. CORPS FOR CONFERENCE. VEHICLE OVERHAUL BY DRIVERS, MAINTENANCE & RE-OILING ETC. AFTER TRIP. PREPARATION OF MAPS FOR USE.	
	5		TRAINING OF H.Q. PERSONNEL, ERECTION OF ASSAULT COURSE FOR OFFRS & MEN. ISSUES OF NEW EQUIPMENT. ONLY SMALL PERCENTAGE OF MEN ATTACHED THIS H.Q NOT NOW A.I.F. RETURN LATE AREA MAPS. ~~HQS~~ H.Q TO DIV. WEATHER FINE & CLOUDLESS, SOME LIGHT WIND. C.R.E CONTACTS LOCAL AUTHORITIES. C.R.E CONFERENCE WITH COY. COMDRS. RESPIRATOR DRILL 1000-1030 HRS.	

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Unit R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV. Date and Time - From 6 AUG '42 To 9 AUG '42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	6		OFFRS. USED ASSAULT COURSE AT P.T. THIS MORNING. ALL PERSONNEL TO BECOME PROFICIENT IN BUSH WARFARE. MAINTENANCE OF M.T. F.O. ENGAGED IN ROAD RECCE.	
	7		LIGHT SHOWERS. C.E. 2 AUST CORPS EXPECTED VISIT THIS AREA TODAY FOR CONFERENCE C.R.E. LIEUTS MASON & COOKE LEFT FOR ENGR COURSE S.M.E. LIVERPOOL. CAMP INSPECTION BY M.O.	
	8		C.R.E VISIT TO ESK TO SEE C.E. 1 AUST CORPS. C.E. 2 AUST CORPS CAN NOT GET DOWN TO THIS AREA. WIND BLOWING UP DUST FROM ROADS.	
	9		CHURCH PARADE 1000 HRS. DAY OF REST FOR MEN. WASHING & RECREATION. SWIMMING.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST. DIV. Date and Time - From 10 AUG 42 To 13 AUG 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	10		CLEANING UP CAMP AREA. REISSUE OF EQUIPMENT.	
			CONFERENCE AT DIV. H.Q. RE TRAINING AMMUNITION.	
			I.O. R.E. AS C.R.E.s. REPRESENTATIVE. COPIES OF	
			NOTES FWDED. ALL COYS. NIGHT EXERCISE FOR ALL	
			RANKS DIGGING SLIT TRENCHES.	
	11		ROUTE MARCH 9 MILES. WEATHER FINE & WARM.	
			MAINTENANCE OF VEHICLES BY DRIVERS.	
			CAMOUFLAGE OF ALL TENTS NOW COMPLETE.	
	12.		CARPENTER LOANED FROM 4 FD. COY. MAKING	
			BOXES & DESKS PORTABLE FOR USE BY ORDERLY	
			RM. & INT. OFFICE. BRIDGE RECCES BY	
			2 FD. OFFRS. CALCULATOON FWD TO H.Q.	
			DIV.	
	13.		NIGHT MARCH 25 MILES. TPS STOOD UP TO IT	
			VERY WELL, ARRIVED BACK THIS AREA 0800 HRS.	
			AFTER 3 HRS SLEEP ABLE TO DO NORMAL DAYS WORK.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST. DIV. Date and Time - From 14 AUG. '42 To 17 AUG '42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	14		TPS DOING EXTENSIVE TRNG, RIFLE & BAYONET. ALL OFFRS.	
			NOW WORKING ON BRIDGE & ROAD RECCES IN THIS	
			AREA. 53 FD PK COY HAVE COMPLETED BATTLE	
			BOARD FOR I OFFICE.	
	15		C.R.E. VISIT TO BUNDABERG TO ENQUIRE INTO	
			DETRAINING RAMPS & WATER SUPPLY. 10 FD COY PARTY	
			TO ERECT WATER TANKS.	
	16.		CHURCH PARADE 1000 HRS. DAY OF REST. SWIMMING	
			& RECREATIONAL GAMES FOR TPS. WEATHER FINE	
			& WARM.	
	17		ALL OFFRS. CALCULATING BRIDGES, 10 RE. RECCE	
			ROAD FROM TIARO — OAK HURST FOR H.Q. DIV	
			BIVOUAC AREA. INSPECTION OF CAMP &	
			HYGIENE WITH M.O. VEHICLE INSPECTION.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div Date and Time - From 18 Aug '42 To 21 Aug '42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
Maryborough	18		4 Fd Coy erecting detraining ramps at	
			Bundaberg & Oakhurst for M.T. and carriers.	
			10 Fd. Coy erecting water points Bundaberg.	
	19		Report fwded to C.E. 2 Aust Corps shewing	
			Engr. unit locations. C.E. to arrive	
			on Friday for conference C.R.E.	
	20		Road & Bridge recce by F.O.s. Bridge	
			calculations. C.R.E. interviewed local	
			shire council authorities and Bde Comdrs.	
			re local damage by Tps this area. Coy Comdrs	
			conference 2000 hrs.	
	21		C.E. 2 Aust Corps arrived with I offr.	
			Conference C.R.E & inspection of coast line	
			preparation of demo plans & construction.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust. Div. Date and Time - From August 22 '42 To

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	22		C.E. and C.R.E. further recce of coastline, arrangements in hand for work this area by ENGRS. F.O.s doing road and bridge recces. Bridges this Div area are in bad condition. Recce I.O.R.E. with Div party to future 15 Bde area.	
	23		Church parade 1000 hrs, day of rest for tps. Swimming, washing, make and mend.	
	24		Weather fine and warm. Capt. Young rejoins unit after operation. C.R.E. back from recce with C.E., I.O.R.E. back from 15 Bde recce. Report furnished to C.R.E. and H.Q. 3 Aust Div. C.E. Corps left for H.Q.	
	25		Location statement fwded to C.E. Corps shewing Unit and Coy locations. Visit from O.C. 53 Fd Pk Coy who advises 2 sections will go out on Bivouac today for war training.	
	26		Weather fine and warm. C.R.E. visit to H.Q. Div. Maj Pinniger visited C.R.E. A.D.M.S. and Adjt went to Tiaro. Respirator drill and work in respirator 1000-1030hrs. All F.O.s and Coys doing bridge in this area. Pay day this Unit.	
	27		C.R.E. recce northern coastal areas with Coy comdrs. Coy comdrs remained for conference on demo policy. F.O.s doing bridge recce. Weather warm.	
	28		Visit C.R.E. to Div H.Q. for distribution to ~~XXXX~~ Fd.Coys from Infty Units. Spr McMillan visited H.Q. R.A.A. to instruct them how to use cross cut saw.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust. Div. Date and Time - From 29 Aug '42 To 31 Aug '42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	29		C.R.E. and Lt. Nelson with recce party H.Q. 3 Div South to demonstration. Weather fine. All drivers doing weekly maintenance and completing camouflage nets.	
	30		Church parade 0830 hrs. Make and mend day. Organized swimming parade at 1300 hrs. 10% personnel allowed leave to attend Church at 1930 hrs.	
	31		Adjt this H.Q., Capt B.O. Young arrived back from sick leave and recommenced duties. C.R.E. and Lt. Nelson arrived back from demonstration. Weather fine and warm but some dust.	

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

AUSTRALIA. (*Place*) H.Q.R.A.E.3 Aust Div (*Unit*) 31 JULY'42. (*Date*)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (*a*) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (*b*)		Attached for Rations only (*c*)	Detached for Rations only (*c*)	Total Ration Strength (*f*)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (*d*)			VEHICLES:	Mechanical Transport					Guns
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.	H.T. Car.	Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	8	36	44	1		9	15	38				1	4	8		4(3 on loan)		
TOTAL	8	36	44	1		9	15	38				1	4	8		4(3 on Loan)		
SUMMARY Not available for use (*e*)														1				
SUMMARY Available for use												1	4	7		4(3 on Loan)		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	4	22	26
Sick in hospital	1	1	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
~~Guard~~ Schools	1	1	2
~~Picket~~ Special Duties	1	4	5
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
4 Aust Fd.Coy.		2	2
10 Aust Fd.Coy.		2	2
53 Aust Fd.Pk.Coy.	1	3	4
Recce Party.		1	1
TOTAL	8	36	44

(*a*) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(*b*) See Column 31.
(*c*) See Columns 26-27.
(*d*) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & I.566.
(*e*) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(*f*) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Lt Col *Commanding.* R.A.E.3 Aust Div. *Unit.*
C.R.E.3 Aust Div.
Date 31 JUL'42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only
24	25	26	27
Australian Staff Corps			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		
A.A.M.C.	1		1
A.A.V.C.			
Chaplains	1		1
Police			
Civilians			
Other Units–			
4 Aust Fd.Coy.		2	
10 " " "		2	
53 " " Pk.Coy		1	
DETACHED.			
Special Duties			5
Recce Party			1
Schools			1
Hospital			2
15 Aust Fd.Coy.			1
53 " " Pk/Coy.			3
TOTAL ..	3	5	15

OFFICERS

DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS
28	29	30
(a) Not available for duty.		
(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B.O.Young.	Hospital
	Capt M.Berah.	School
	Lieut.W.J.Gowty.	Special Duties.
(c) Attached from other Units.		
(d) Detached to other Units.	Chaplain Eyers	Duty 53 Aust Fd.Pk. Coy.

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Lieut.Cook from R.R.D. CAULFIELD.

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

AUSTRALIA. (*Place*) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. (*Unit*) 30 July '42 (*Date*)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (*a*) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (*b*)		Attached for Rations only (*c*)	Detached for Rations only (*c*)	Total Ration Strength (*f*)	Ration Scale. (*d*)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.	Car	Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	36	43			5	15	33				1	4	8		1		
TOTAL	7	36	43			5	15	33				1	4	8		1		
SUMMARY — Not available for use (*e*)														1				
SUMMARY — Available for use												1	4	7		1		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	21	24
Sick in hospital	1	1	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
~~Guard~~ Schools	1	1	2
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
Special Duties.	1	4	5
15 Aust Fd. Coy.		1	1
10 " " "		2	2
15 " " "		2	2
53 " " Pk "	1	3	4
Recce Party.		1	1
TOTAL	7	36	43

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for Lt. Col. *Commanding* H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. *Unit*.
C.R.E. 3 Aust Div.

Date 30 July '42.

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only
24	25	26	27
Australian Staff Corps			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		
A.A.M.C.	1		1
A.A.V.C.			
Chaplains	1		1
Police			
Civilians			
Other Units—			
10 Aust Fd. Coy.		2	
4 " " "		2	
53 " " Pk "		1	
DETACHED.			
Hospital.			2
Schools.			1
53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.			3
15 " " Coy.			1
Special Duties.			5
Recce. Party.			1
TOTAL ..	3	5	15

OFFICERS

DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS
28	29	30
(a) Not available for duty.		
(b) Absent from Camp	Capt. B.O. Young.	Hospital.
	" M. Berah.	School.
	Lieut. W.J. Gowty.	Special Duties.
(c) Attached from other Units.		
(d) Detached to other Units.	Chaplain Eyers.	Duty 53 Aust Fd. Park. Coy.

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

1 Service (*Place*) H.Q.R.A.E.3 Aust Div. (*Unit*) 29 JUL'42 (*Date*)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (*a*) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (*b*)		Attached for Rations only (*c*)	Detached for Rations only (*c*)	Total Ration Strength (*f*)	Ration Scale. (*d*)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	36	43			5	15	33				1	4	8		1		
TOTAL	7	36	43			5	15	33				1	4	8		1		
SUMMARY Not available for use (*e*)														1				
SUMMARY Available for use												1	4	7		1		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	28	31
Sick in hospital	1	1	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Schools	1	1	2
Piquet			
Employed on duty— 4 Fd Pk Coy		2	2
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd.Coy.		1	1
53 Fd.Pk.	1	3	4
Special duties & Recce Party	1	5	6
TOTAL	7	41	48

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[signature] for Lt Col Commanding. R.A.E.3 Aust Div. *Unit.*
C.R.E.3 Aust Div.

Date 29 JULY'42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only
24	25	26	27
Australian Staff Corps			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		
A.A.M.C.	1		1
A.A.V.C.			
Chaplains	1		1
Police			
Civilians			
Other Units—			
53 Aust Fd.Pk.		1	
10 " Fd.Coy.		2	
4 " Fd Coy		2	
DETACHED.			
15 Aust Fd.Coy			1
53 " " Pk.Coy			3
Special Duties			5
Recce Party			1
Hospital			2
Schools			1
TOTAL ..	3	5	15

OFFICERS

DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS
28	29	30
(a) Not available for duty.		
(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B.O.Young	Hos pital
	Capt.M.Berah.	School.
	Lieut.W.J.Gowty.	Special Duties.
(c) Attached from other Units.		
(d) Detached to other Units.	Chaplain Eyers	Duty 53 Aust Fd.Park Coy.

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

AUSTRALIA. (*Place*) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. (*Unit*) 28 July 42 (*Date*)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (*a*) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (*b*)		Attached for Rations only (*c*)	Detached for Rations only (*c*)	Total Ration Strength (*f*)	Ration Scale. (*d*)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.	Car	Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	36	43			1	15	29				1	4	8		1		
TOTAL	7	36	43			1	15	29				1	4	8		1		
														1				
												1	4	7		1		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	25	28
Sick in hospital	1	1	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard Schools.	1	1	2
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd. Coy.		1	1
53 " " Pk. Coy.	1	3	4
Special Duties.	1	4	5
Recce Party.		1	1
TOTAL	7	36	43

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SUMMARY { Not available for use (*e*) / Available for use . . . .

G. H. Nelson Lieut. for Lt.Col. *Commanding.* R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. *Unit.*

C.R.E. 3 Aust Div. *Date.* 28 July '42.

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only
24	25	26	27
Australian Staff Corps			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		
A.A.M.C.	1		1
A.A.V.C.			
Chaplains	1		1
Police			
Civilians			
Other Units—			
53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.	1		
DETACHED.			
5 Aust Fd. Coy.			1
3 " " Pk."			3
ospital.			2
hools.			1
ecial Duties.			5
cce Party.			1
TOTAL ..	3	2	15

OFFICERS

DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS
28	29	30
(a) Not available for duty.		
(b) Absent from Camp	Capt. B.O. Young.	Hospital.
	Capt. M. Berah.	School.
	Lieut. W.J. Gowty.	Special Duties.
(c) Attached from other Units.		
(d) Detached to other Units.	Chaplain Eyers.	Duty 53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

AUSTRALIA (*Place*) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div (*Unit*) 26 July '42 (*Date*)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (*a*) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (*b*)		Attached for Rations only (*c*)	Detached for Rations only (*c*)	Total Ration Strength (*f*)	Ration Scale. (*d*)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Trac-tors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	36	43		1	1	16	28				1	4	7		1		
TOTAL	7	36	43		1	1	16	28				1	4	7		1		
													2	1				
												1	2	6		1		

SUMMARY { Not available for use (*e*) / Available for use . . . .

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	24	27
Sick in hospital	1	2	3
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
~~Guard~~ xx Schools	1	1	2
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards . .			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd Coy		1	1
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy	1	3	4
Special Duties	1	4	5
Recce Party		1	1
TOTAL	7	36	43

(*a*) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(*b*) See Column 31.
(*c*) See Columns 26-27.
(*d*) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(*e*) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(*f*) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

G. H. Nelson Lieut for Lt Col ..... *Commanding.* R.A.E. 3 Aust Div ..... *Unit.*
C.R.E. 3 Aust Div

Date 26 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

OFFICERS

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			Marched Out
Australian Instl. Corps	/						Lieut G.N.Vance to 15 Aust Fd Coy
A.A.M.C.	1		1				
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains	1		1				
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Caprt B.O.Young	Hospital	
Civilians					Capt M.Berah	School	
Other Units—					Lieut W.J.Gowty	Special Duties	
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy		1					
Detached							
15 Aust Fd Coy			1	(c) Attached from other Units.			
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy			3				
Hospital			3				
Schools			1				
Special Duties			5				
Recee Party			1				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Chaplain Eyers	Duty 53 Aust Fd Pk Coy	
TOTAL ..	23	1	16				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Australia (Place) H.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 27 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T. car	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	36	43			1	16	28				1	4	7		1		
TOTAL	7	36	43			1	16	28				1	4	7		1		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	24	27
Sick in hospital	1	2	3
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard School	1	1	2
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd coy		1	1
53 " " Pk "	1	3	4
Special Duties	1	4	5
Recu party		1	1
TOTAL	7	36	43

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(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

G. Nelson Lieut. for LT COL Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
CRE 3 Aust Div
Date 27 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1				
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains	1		1				
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B O Young	Hospital	
Civilians					Capt M Brah	School	
Other Units—					Lieut W. J. Gowty	Special Duties	
53 Aust Fd Pk coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
53 " " Pk			3				
Hospital			3				
Schools			1				
Special Duties			5	(d) Detached to other Units.	Chaplain Eyers	Duty 53 Aust Fd Pk coy	
Rice Party			1				
TOTAL ..	3	1	16				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

AUSTRALIA (Place) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. (Unit) 25 Jul'42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Trac-tors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	8	36	44			1	17	28				1	4	7		1		
TOTAL	8	36	44			1	17	28				1	4	7		1		
SUMMARY Not available for use (e)													2	1				
SUMMARY Available for use												1	2	6		1		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	24	27
Sick in hospital	1	2	3
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard ~~xxxx~~ School s	1	1	
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
Advance Party	1	4	
15 Aust Fd Coy.		1	
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy	2	3	
Recee Party		1	
TOTAL	8	36	44

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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Lt Col Commanding. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. Unit.

C.R.E. 3 Aust Div. Date 25 July'42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1						
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains	1		1	53 Aust Fd Pk Coy.			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B.O.Young	Hospital	
Civilians					Lieut W.J.Gowty	Advance Party	
Other Units—					Capt M Berah	School	
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy		1					
Detached							
15 Aust Fd Coy			1	(c) Attached from other Units.			
53 " " Pk "			4				
Hospital			3				
Schools			2				
Advance Party			5				
Recee Party			1				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Chaplain F.T.Eyers)	Duty 53 Fd Pk Coy	
					Lieut G.N. Vance)		
TOTAL ..	3	1	17				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

AUSTRALIA (*Place*) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. (*Unit*) 24 July 42 (*Date*)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (*a*) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (*b*): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (*c*)	Detached for Rations only (*c*)	Total Ration Strength (*f*)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (*d*): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
												Car						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	9	35	44	2		2	11	35				1	4	7		1		
TOTAL	9	35	44	2		2	11	35				1	4	7		1		
												-	2	1				
												1	2	6		1		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4. DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	4	29	33
Sick in hospital	2	2	4
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard ---- Schools		1	1
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd. Coy.		1	1
53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.	3	2	5
TOTAL	9	35	44

SUMMARY { Not available for use (*e*) / Available for use . . .

(*a*) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(*b*) See Column 31.
(*c*) See Columns 26-27.
(*d*) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(*e*) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(*f*) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

G.H. Nelson Lieut-Col. *Commanding* H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. *Unit.*
C.R.E. 3 Aust Div.
Date 24 July '42.

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only
24	25	26	27
Australian Staff Corps			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		1
A.A.M.C.	1		
A.A.V.C.			
Chaplains		1	1
Police			
Civilians			
Other Units—			
53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.		1	
DETACHED.			
15 Aust Fd. Coy.			1
53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.			3
Hospital.			4
School.			1
TOTAL ..	2	2	11

OFFICERS

DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS
28	29	30
(a) Not available for duty.	53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.	
	53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.	
(b) Absent from Camp	Capt. B.O. Young.) Lieut. Norman.)	Hospital.
(c) Attached from other Units.		
(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt. M. Berah.) Lieut. Vance.) Chaplain Eyers.)	Duty 53 Aust Fd. Pk. Coy.

GENERAL REMARKS
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Australia (Place)

DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

H.Q. RAE 3 AUST D (Unit) 23 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	9	35	44	✓		✓	11	35				1	4	7		1		
TOTAL	9	35	44	✓		✓	11	35				1	4	7		1		
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)												-	2	1				
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	2	6		1		

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	4	29	33
Sick in hospital	2	2	4
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard Schools		1	1
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Hd coy		1	1
53 " " PR coy	3	2	5
TOTAL	9	35	44

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

G.E.R. Lt. Col. Commanding. RAE 3 AUST DM Unit.

for CRE 3 AUST DM

Date 23 July '42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		1	53 Aust Hd Rb coy			
A.A.M.C.	1						
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	53 " "			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B Orpine Lieut Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Hd Rb coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
85 Aust Hd coy			1				
53 " " Pk coy			3				
Hospital			4				
School			1				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt H. Birch Lieut Nance Chaplain Eyre	Duty 53 Aust Hd Rb coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	11				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) HQ. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 22 July 4! (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ.	8	34	42			2	11	33				1	4	6				
TOTAL	8	34	42			2	11	33				1	4	6				
SUMMARY — Not available for use (e)												–	2	2				
SUMMARY — Available for use												1	2	4				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	28	31
Sick in hospital	2	2	4
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard — Schools		1	1
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd Coy	1	1	2
53 " " PK "	2	2	4
TOTAL			

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Lt Col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
RE 3 Aust Div
Date 22 July 41

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Pb coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	53 Aust Fd Pb coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B O Young Lieut Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pb coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
53 " " Pb "			3				
Hospital			4				
Schools			1				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt M. Birah Lieut Norman Chaplain Eyers	Duty 53 Aust Fd Pb coy	
TOTAL ..	✓	✓	14				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) ..... (Unit) 21 July '42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	8	34	42			2	11	33				1	4	6				
TOTAL	8	34	42			2	11	33				1	4	6				
												-	2	2				
												1	2	4				

SUMMARY { Not available for use (e) / Available for use . . . .

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	28	31
Sick in hospital	2	2	4
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard - Schools		1	1
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd Coy	1	1	2
53 " " PR Coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	34	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Lt.Col. Commanding. RAE 3 Aust D IV Unit.
CRE 3 Aust Div

Date 21 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Pk coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	15 Aust Fd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B O Young Lieut W. Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pk coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd Coy			2				
53 " " PK coy			2				
Hospital			4				
Schools.			1				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt M. Berah Lieut G.W. Nance	Duty 53 Aust Fd Pk coy	
					Chaplain Eyers.	Duty 15 Aust Fd coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	11				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) — HQ RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) — 20 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ.	8	34	42	1		2	11	33				1	4	6				
TOTAL	8	34	42	1		2	11	33				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)												-	2	2				
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	2	4				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4. — DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	28	31
Sick in hospital	2	2	4
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
~~Guard~~ Schools		1	1
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Hd Qrs	1	1	✓
53 " " PR Coy	✓	✓	4
TOTAL	8	34	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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CRE 3 Aust Div
Date 20 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only
24	25	26	27
Australian Staff Corps			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		
A.A.M.C.	1		1
A.A.V.C.			
Chaplains		1	1
Police			
Civilians			
Other Units—			
53 Aust Fd Bty coy		1	
Detached			
15 Aust Fd coy			1
53 " " PR Coy			3
Hospital			4
Schools			1
TOTAL ..	X	√	11

OFFICERS

DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS
28	29	30
(a) Not available for duty.		
(b) Absent from Camp	Capt BO'Young Lieut Norman	Hospital
(c) Attached from other Units.		
(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt. H. Berah Lieut G.H. Vance Chaplain Ezers	Duty 53 Aust Fd Bty Duty 15 Aust Fd coy

GENERAL REMARKS
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Home Forces (Place)

DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div (Unit) 19 July 41 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns	DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport						DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
																			Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	27	30
HQ.	8	33	41			2	10	33				1	4	6					Sick in hospital	2	2	4
																			Sick in lines			
																			Prisoners awaiting disposal			
																			Prisoners awaiting sentence			
																			Absent with leave			
																			Absent without leave			
																			Guard Isolation		1	1
																			Piquet			
																			Employed on duty—			
																			Orderlies			
																			Batmen and Grooms			
																			Hut Orderlies and Guards			
																			Cook's Assistants			
																			Q.M. Fatigues			
																			15 Aust Fd coy	1	1	2
																			53 " " PR Coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	33	41			2	10	33				1	4	6								
												1	2	2								
												—	2	4					TOTAL	9	33	41

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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CRE 3 Aust Div Date 19 July 41

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Rb coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	15 Aust Fd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B O'Young Lieut Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Rb coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
53 " " PR			2				
Hospital			4				
Schools			1				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Gb Berah Lieut Nance	Duty 53 Aust Fd Rb coy	
					Chaplain Eyers	Duty 15 Aust Fd coy	
TOTAL ..	~	2	10				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Flowers (Place) A.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 18 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	car 13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	8	33	41			2	9	34				1	4	6				
TOTAL	8	33	41			2	9	34				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)												1	3	2				
SUMMARY: Available for use												—	1	4				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	28	31
Sick in hospital	2	2	4
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fld coy	1	1	2
53 " " PR coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	33	41

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1:566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Rb coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	15 Aust Fd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B O Young Lieut Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Rb coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
53 " " Rb coy			2				
Hospital			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt M. Berah Lieut Nance Chaplain Eyers	Duty 53 Aust Fd Rb coy Duty 15 Aust Fd coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	9				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Div. (Unit) 17 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns	DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport						DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors					
												car										
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
H.Q.	8	33	41	1		2	10	33				1	4	6					Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	28	31
																			Sick in hospital	2	2	4
																			Sick in lines			
																			Prisoners awaiting disposal			
																			Prisoners awaiting sentence			
																			Absent with leave			
																			Absent without leave			
																			Guard			
																			Piquet			
																			Employed on duty—			
																			Orderlies			
																			Batmen and Grooms			
																			Hut Orderlies and Guards			
																			Cook's Assistants			
																			Q.M. Fatigues			
																			15 Aust Fd Coy	1	1	2
TOTAL	8	33	41			2	10	33			1	4	6						53 " " Pk Coy	2	2	4
											1	3	2									
SUMMARY Not available for use (e)											1	3	2									
SUMMARY Available for use											—	1	4						TOTAL	8	33	41

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Lt Col. Commanding. R.A.E. 3 Aust D. Unit.
C.R.E. 3 Aust Div.
Date 17 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fld Pb coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	15 Aust Fld coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt. B.O. Young } Lieut W. Norman }	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fld Pb coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fld coy			1				
53 " " PK "			3				
Hospital			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt. Jb. Berah } Lieut Nance }	Duty 53 Aust Fld Pb coy	
					Chaplain Eyers.	Duty 15 Aust Fld coy.	
TOTAL ..	~	~	10				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Horses (Place) H.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 16 July 41 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T. car	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ	8	33	41			2	12	31.				1	4	6				
TOTAL	8	33	41			2	12	31				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)												1	2	2				
SUMMARY: Available for use												–	2	4				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	26	29.
Sick in hospital	2	4	6
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fld coy	1	1	2
53 " " PK coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	33	41

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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CRE 3 Aust Div
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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

OFFICERS

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	/						
A.A.M.C.	/		/	53 Aust Fd Pk coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		/	/	15 Aust Fd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B Young Lieut Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pk coy		/					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			/				
53 " " Pk Coy			3				
Hospital			6				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt W. Brush Lieut Norman	Duty 53 Aust Fd Pk coy	
					Chaplain Eyers	Duty 15 Aust Fd coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	12				

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Home Forces (Place)

DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

H.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 15 JULY 4[illegible] (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d)			VEHICLES: Mechanical Transport						Guns
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.	H.T.	Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q. RAE	8	33	41	1		2	12	31				1 car	4	6				
TOTAL	8	33	41	1		2	12	31				1	4	6				
												1	2	2				
												—	2	4				

SUMMARY { Not available for use (e) / Available for use . . . .

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	26	29
Sick in hospital	2	4	6
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd coy	1	1	2
53 " " PK coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	33	41

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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for C.RE 3 Aust Div
Date 15 JULY 4[illegible]

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Pk coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	15 Aust Fd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt. B.O. Young .. Lieut Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pk coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
53 " " Pk coy			3				
Hospital			6				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Mc. Berah Lieut Nance Chaplain Eyers	Duty 53 Aust Fd Pk coy 15 Aust Fd coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	12				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Horses (Place) HQ RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 14 July (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ	8	32	40			2	12	30				1	4	6				
TOTAL	8	32	40			2	11	30				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)												1	2	2				
SUMMARY: Available for use												–	2	4				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	24	27
Sick in hospital	2	5	7
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd coy	1	1	2
53 " " Pk coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	32	40

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

LT col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.

CRE 3 Div

Date 14 July

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Rb coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1					
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt B Oyoung Lieut Norman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Rb coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd Coy			1				
53 " " PK coy			3				
Hospital			7				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Berah Lieut Vance Chaplain Eyre	Duty 53 Aust Fd Rb coy Duty 15 Aust Fd Coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	12				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Thomas Horses (Place) HQ RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 13 July 41 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns	DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport						DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
AQ	8	32	40			2	10	32				1	4	6					Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	4	25	29
																			Sick in hospital	✓	4	6
																			Sick in lines			
																			Prisoners awaiting disposal			
																			Prisoners awaiting sentence			
																			Absent with leave			
																			Absent without leave			
																			Guard			
																			Piquet			
																			Employed on duty—			
																			Orderlies			
																			Batmen and Grooms			
																			Hut Orderlies and Guards			
																			Cook's Assistants			
																			Q.M. Fatigues			
																			15 Aust Std coy		1	1
																			53 " " RAE	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	32	40			2	10	32				1	4	6								
													3	1								
												1	1	5					TOTAL	8	32	40

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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Lt Col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
CRE 3 Aust Div
Date 13 July 41

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.	~~Capt~~		
Australian Instl. Corps	/						
A.A.M.C.	/		/	53 Aust Fd Bty			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		/					
Police				(b) Absent from Camp	Capt BO'Young Lieut Worman	Hospital	
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Bty		/					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			/				
53 " " PK "			3				
Hospital			5				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt. M. Berah Lieut Nance	Dstd 53 Aust Fd Bty	
TOTAL ..	~~/~~	/	10				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Horses (Place) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div (Unit) 12 July '42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	8	32	40			2	9	33				1	4	6				
TOTAL	8	32	40			2	9	33				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)													3	1				
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	1	5				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	27	30
Sick in hospital	2	2	4
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Hd coy		1	1
10 " " "	1		1
53 Aust Hd Pls coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	8	32	40

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Dr. Hawley Lt Col Commanding. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div Unit.
F.C.R.E.
Date 12 July '42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.	Capt B Oyoung	Hospital	
Australian Instl. Corps	1				Lieut Norman		
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Rk coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	10 " " coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Rk coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
10 " " "			1				
53 " " Rk coy			2				
Hospital			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt M. Burch	Duty 53 Aust Fd Rk coy	
					Lieut Nance		
					Chaplain Eyers.	Duty 10 Aust Fd coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	8				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) H.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 11 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Trac-tors	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ.	7	33	40			2	9	33				1 car	4	6				
TOTAL	7	33	40			2	9	33				1	4	6				
SUMMARY — Not available for use (e)													3	1				
SUMMARY — Available for use												1	1	5				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	2	28	31
Sick in hospital	2	2	3
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Hd Coy		1	1
10 " " PR Coy	1		1
53 " " PR Coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	7	33	40

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Lieut-Colonel Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.

Date 11 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.	Capt Borrowing	Hospital	
Australian Instl. Corps	1				Lieut Norman	"	
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Div Coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	10 Aust Div Coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Div Coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Div Coy			1				
10 " "			1				
53 " "			2				
Hospital			3				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Berah	Party 53 Aust Div Coy	
					Lieut Wange		
					Chaplain Eyers	" 10 Aust Div Coy	
TOTAL ..	✓	✓	9				

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H. Qme Florence (Place)

DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

H.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 10 July 44 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	6	34	40		2	2	7	33				1	4	6				
TOTAL	6	34	40		2	2	7	33				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)													3	1				
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	1	5				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	30	33
Sick in hospital		3	3
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd Coy		1	1
10 " " "	1		1
53 " " Pll Coy	2	2	4
TOTAL	7	35	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Hen J Gowly Lieut Col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.

RCRE 3 Aust Div

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only
24	25	26	27
Australian Staff Corps			
Australian Instl. Corps	1		
A.A.M.C.	1		1
A.A.V.C.			
Chaplains		1	1
Police			
Civilians			
Other Units—			
53 Fd Pk coy		1	
Detached			
15 Aust Fd coy			1
10 " "			1
53 Aust Fd Coy			2
Hospital			3
TOTAL ..	2	2	9

OFFICERS

DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS
28	29	30
(a) Not available for duty.		
5-3 Aust Fd Coy		
10 Aust Fd Coy		
(b) Absent from Camp		
(c) Attached from other Units.		
(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Hobbs Branch	Duty 53 Aust Fd Pk coy
	Lieut Vance	" " " "
	Chaplain Eyers	10 Aust Fd Coy

GENERAL REMARKS
(To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)

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Marched Out.

Lieut Watson) to 15 Aust
Lieut Wallace) Fd Coy

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Horses (Place) H.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 9 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T. car	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	35	42			2	9	35				1	4	6				
TOTAL	7	35	42			2	9	35				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)													3	1				
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	1	5				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	30	33
Sick in hospital		3	3
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Hd Coy		1	1
10 " "	1		1
53 " " P Reg	2	2	4
TOTAL	7	35	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Hon J Gowly Lind Lt Col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
RAE 3 Aust Div
Date 9 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.	Capt B.O Young	Hospital	
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Bk coy			
A.A.V.C.		1					
Chaplains		1	1	10 Aust Fd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Bk coy		1					
DETACHED.				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
10 " " "			1				
[illegible]							
53 " " PRs			2				
Hospital			3	(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Berah Lieut Nance Chaplain	Duty 53 Fd Bk coy 10 Aust Fd coy	
TOTAL ..	✓	✓	9				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Bonnie Vale (Place) H.Q. R.A.E. 3 and Div (Unit) 8 July 41 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
												car						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	35	42			2	8	36				1	4	6				
TOTAL	7	35	42			2	8	36				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)													3	1				
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	1	5				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	4	30	34
Sick in hospital		2	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 and Fd Coy		1	1
53 " " Pk Coy	1	2	3
10 and Fd Coy	1		1
4 " " "	1		1
TOTAL	7	35	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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Boyd Lt Col Commanding. RAE 3 and Div Unit.
CRE 3 and Div
Date 8 July 41

EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	4 Aust Fd Coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	10 " " "			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
5 3 Aust Fd Coy	1		1				
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Fd Coy			1				
10 " "			1				
4 " "			1				
Hospital			2				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt A.-G. Berah	Duty 4 Aust Fd Coy	
					Lieut Warner	Duty 53 " " PIR	
					Chaplain Eyers	Duty 10 " " Coy	
TOTAL ..	2	2	8				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Hobart Tasmania (Place) HQ. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 7 July 41 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
												car						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ.	7	35	42			2	8	36				1	4	6				
TOTAL	7	35	42			2	8	36			1	4	6					
SUMMARY Not available for use (e)												3	2					
SUMMARY Available for use											1	1	4					

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	4	30	34
Sick in hospital		2	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fd coy		1	1
53 " " PR Coy	1	2	3
10 " " coy	1		1
4 " " "	1		1
TOTAL	7	35	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Boag Lt Col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
CRE 3 Aust Div
Date 7 July

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	4 Aust Hd coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	10 Aust Hd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Hd P Bcoy			1				
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Aust Hd coy			1				
4 Aust Hd Ch			1				
10 Aust Hd coy			1				
Hospital			2	(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt. M. Berah	Duty 4 Aust Hd coy	
					Lieut Nance	" 53 " " Pk coy	
					Chaplain Eyers	" 10 " Hd coy	
TOTAL ..	2	1	8				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) — H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust. Div (Unit) — 6 July '42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	7	35	42			1	7	35				1	4	6				
TOTAL	7	35	42			1	7	35				1	4	6				
SUMMARY — Not available for use (e)													3	2				
SUMMARY — Available for use												1	1	4				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4. — DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	4	31	35
Sick in hospital		2	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Div Sig Coy		1	1
53 " " PR Coy	2	1	3
10 Hd Coy	1		1
TOTAL	7	35	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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Boy Lt Col Commanding. H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div Unit.
C.R.E. 3 Aust Div
Date 6 July 42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED

OFFICERS

DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Pk coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	10 Aust Fd Coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Fd Pk coy			1				
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			1
15 Aust Fd coy			1				
53 " Fd Pk coy			✓				
Hospital			✓				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt M Berah	Duty. 4 Aust Fd Coy	
					Lieut Nance	53 " " Pk coy	
					Chaplain Eggers	10 " Fd Coy	
TOTAL ..	2	1	8				

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Home Forces (Place)

DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

HQ. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 5 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Trac-tors	
												cars						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ	7	35	42	2		2	11	33				1	4	6				
TOTAL	7	35	42	2		2	11	33				1	4	6				
SUMMARY Not available for use (e)														1				
SUMMARY Available for use												1	2	5				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.			
DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	3	28	31
Sick in hospital		2	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Aust Fld coy		1	1
53 Aust Fld AA coy	2	1	3
3 Aust Div T.E.W.T.	1	3	4
10 Fld coy	1		1
TOTAL	7	35	42

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

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Lt Col Commanding. HQ RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
C.R.E. 3 Aust Div
Date 5 July '42

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EXPLANATION OF ATTACHED & DETACHED				OFFICERS			GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			Marched In
Australian Instl. Corps	1						Lieut G.J.S. Nelson } from 2/16
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Pk coy			Mr Wallace N.A } Aust. A. Fd coy RAE
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1	1	10 Aust Fd coy			
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pk		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Fd coy.			1				
53 Aust Fd Pk coy			2				
Hospital			2				
3 Div T.E.W.T.			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt M. Berch }	53 Aust Fd Pk coy	
					Lieut Nance }	for Duty	
					Chaplain Eyers	10 Aust Fd coy.	
TOTAL ..	2	2	11				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) H.Q. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 4 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T.	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
												car						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	5	34	39	1		2	10	31				1	4	6				
TOTAL	5	34	39	1		2	10	31				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)													2					
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	2	6				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	2	27	29
Sick in hospital		2	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Fd coy		1	1
53 Aust Fd Pk coy	2	1	3
3 Aust Div T.E.W.T.	1	3	4
TOTAL	5	34	39

(a) Show detail of Attached in Column 25.
(b) See Column 31.
(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Bay ..... *Commanding.* ..... *Unit.*

Date .....

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DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			Marched In.
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Fd Pk coy			Sgt Dartnell from 13 D+E.PL.
A.A.V.C.		1					H.Q. 3 Aust Div.
Chaplains							
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pk coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Fd coy			1				
53 Aust Fd Pk coy			2				
Hospital			2				
3 Div T.E.W.T			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Berah } to 53 Aust Fd Pk coy Lieut Nance }		
TOTAL ..	2	2	10				

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Holsworthy (Place)

DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

HQ RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 3 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL								HORSES			VEHICLES						Guns
	Present in Camp. (a) including Attached			Changes since last Return. (b)		Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	Ration Scale. (d)			H.T.	Mechanical Transport					
	Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Marched in	Marched out				I.	II.	III.		Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	
												car						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
HQ RAE	5	33	38			2	10	30				1	4	6				
TOTAL	5	33	38			2	10	30				1	4	6				
SUMMARY — Not available for use (e)													2					
SUMMARY — Available for use												1	2	6				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	2	24	28
Sick in hospital		2	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Fd Coy		1	1
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy	2	1	3
3 Aust Div TENT.	1	3	4
TOTAL	5	33	38

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(c) See Columns 26-27.
(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

Lt Col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.

C.R.E. 3 Aust Div

Date 3 July 42

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DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Fd Pk Coy			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1					
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pk		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Fd Coy			1				
53 Aust Fd Pk			2				
Hospital			2				
3 Div TEWT			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt Bepah Lieut Nance	to 53 Aust Fd Pk Coy,	
TOTAL ..	2	2	10				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Home Forces (Place) HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV. (Unit) 2 JULY 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T. car	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
H.Q.	5	33	38			2	10	30				1	4	6				
TOTAL	5	33	38			2	10	30				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)													2					
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	2	6				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	2	26	28
Sick in hospital		2	2
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Fd coy		1	1
53 Aust Fd Pk coy	2	1	3
3 Div T.E.W.P.	1	3	4
TOTAL	5	33	38

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(d) *Vide* scales laid down by Formation Head-quarters, &c., under M.F.R. & 1.566.
(e) Sick in lines. In workshops, &c.
(f) Column 4, plus Column 7, less Column 8.

BDW LT col Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
CRE 3 Aust Div.
Date 2 July 42

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DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53rd P K Coy.			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1					
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Fd Coy 53 Aust Fd Pk Coy			1/2				
Hospital			2				
3 Div TEWT.			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.	Capt. Berah Lieut Vance	To 53 Fd Pk Coy.	
TOTAL ..	2	2	10				

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DAILY STRENGTH RETURN

Sig. RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 1 July 42 (Date)

Unit	PERSONNEL: Present in Camp. (a) including Attached: Officers	Other Ranks	Total	Changes since last Return. (b): Marched in	Marched out	Attached for Rations only (c)	Detached for Rations only (c)	Total Ration Strength (f)	HORSES: Ration Scale. (d): I.	II.	III.	VEHICLES: H.T. Car	Mechanical Transport: Motor Cycles	Vans	Light Lorries	Heavy Lorries	Tractors	Guns
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Sig.	5	33	38			2	9	31				1	4	6				
TOTAL	5	33	38			2	9	31				1	4	6				
SUMMARY: Not available for use (e)													2					
SUMMARY: Available for use												1	2	6				

DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONNEL SHOWN IN COL. 4.

DETAIL	Officers	Other Ranks	Total
20	21	22	23
Available for parade (to include all those carrying out their normal duties)	2	27	29
Sick in hospital		1	1
Sick in lines			
Prisoners awaiting disposal			
Prisoners awaiting sentence			
Absent with leave			
Absent without leave			
Guard			
Piquet			
Employed on duty—			
Orderlies			
Batmen and Grooms			
Hut Orderlies and Guards			
Cook's Assistants			
Q.M. Fatigues			
15 Fd Coy		1	1
53 Aust Fd Pk Coy	2	1	3
3 Div T.E.W.T.	1	3	4
TOTAL	5	33	38

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B.D. Young Capt for Lt Col. Commanding. RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.
CRE 3 Aust Div
Date 1 July 42.

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DETAIL	Attached	Attached for Rations only	Detached for Rations only	DETAIL	RANK AND NAME	REASONS	GENERAL REMARKS (To include an explanation of Columns 5 and 6)
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Australian Staff Corps				(a) Not available for duty.			
Australian Instl. Corps	1						
A.A.M.C.	1		1	53 Aust Div Pm.			
A.A.V.C.							
Chaplains		1					
Police				(b) Absent from Camp			
Civilians							
Other Units—							
53 Aust Div Sig Coy		1					
Detached				(c) Attached from other Units.			
15 Div Coy			1				
53 Aust Div Sig Coy			2				
Hospital.			1				
3 Div Train			4				
				(d) Detached to other Units.			
TOTAL ..	2	2	9				

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CAMP ROUTINE ORDERS.

by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos/147/148/42

6/8/42 147 DUTIES. 7/8/42

Picquet.No.1 Picquet No.2.

Camp Maintenance. Camp Maintenance.

Spr.CUTTLER.

148 NOTICES.

THE following personnel will proceed on leave on 6/8/42.

Sgt. DARTNALL. L/Cpl. THOMAS.
Spr. HIDDLESTONE. Spr. WALLACE.

CAMOUFLAGE NETS - USE ON VEHICLES.

Camouflage nets must be garnished correctly and put into use immediately.

MAIL-CENSORSHIP OF

Mail for franking purposes must be deposited at H.Q. between 1900 hrs and 2000 hrs each night. and placed in box provided.

The practice of writing crosses on mail is again brought to notice, and in future must cease.

Personnel are not realizing the need for Security in correspondence. This causes mutilation of letters. Compliance with the rules of censorship must be strictly observed. Especially references to movement and location of units should not be made. Personnel should also remember these points when in conversation with, or near anybody outside the unit.

[signature]
for Capt
Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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R.O.1. Nos.153/154/42

9/8/42

153 DUTIES.

10/8/42

Picquet.No.3.

Camp Maintenance.

Spr.Purcell.

Picquet.No.1.

Camp Maintenance.

Spr.Huby.

Cook's Assistant. - As from 1030 hrs.

Spr.Hiddlestone.

154 NOTICES.

The following personnel will proceed on leave on Sunday 9 Aug'42.

Cpl Cooney.
Cpl. Emmins.
Spr.Condon.
Spr.Diprose.

CHURCH PARADES.

C of E Parade will be held at 0800 hrs.

R.C. Church Parade will be held at No.1 Coy. SIGS 3 Aust Div. at 1100 hrs.

SWIMMING.

MARYBOROUGH Council have agreed to place MARYBOROUGH Swimming pool at the disposal of all ranks on leave -- gratis. Troops are to supply own towels, soap etc and must have a shower before entering the pool/ In order that bathing costumes will not be necessary.alterations are being made. Div troops to use pool as required.

STATE SAVINGS BANK OF VICTORIA. The local agents of this bank in MARYBOROUGH are the Bank of New South Wales where deposits and withdrawals may be made on identification being established.

Capt
Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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R.O.I. Nos.153/154/42

9/8/42 153 DUTIES. 10/8/42

Picquet.No.3. Picquet.No.1.

Camp Maintenance. Camp Maintenance.

Spr.Purcell. Spr.Huby.

Cook's Assistant. - As from 1030 hrs.

Spr.Middlestone.

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G.E. Robertson Lt.
for Capt
Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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by

LT-COL. R.A.SIMMONS C.E.E. 3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos 169/170/42

17/8/42 — 169 ROUTINE. — 18/8/42

Picquet No. 2

Camp Maintenance
Spr Cuttler

Picquet No. 3.

Camp Maintenance
Spr Daly

170 NOTICES

USE OF INDELIBLE PENCILS

Indelible pencils contain a dye which, if allowed to penetrate under the skin can in certain circumstances produce dangerous results. The danger is caused by the pencils piercing the skin or fragments of the lead working under the skin. Where it is necessary that indelible pencils be used, all concerned will be instructed that every precaution is to be exercised.

CONSERVATION OF RUBBER

Rubber is very widely employed in many items of Army stores and equipments. In view of the drastic restrictions in supply arising from the Far Eastern situation, it is essential that all ranks take care constantly to prolong the life of items which have any rubber in them and so reduce to a minimum replacement requirements. Unit Commanders will issue orders on the conservation of rubber and rubberised articles of equipment, indicating the measures to be taken to ensure that the maximum life is obtained therefrom. These orders will contain special minimum instructions for unit salvage. Among the principal uses of rubber in the Army, apart from tyres of M.T. vehicles which are dealt with in O.M.O 0.100/1942 are the following :-

(a) Rubber boots, shoes, respirators anti-gas, ground sheets and similar fabrics and steel helmet linings.
(b) Most forms of electrical insulation and accumulators.
(c) Miscellaneous items, such as fan belts and radiator hose on M.T. vehicles and also other types of hose.
(d) Items of medical and dental equipment.
(e) Stationery (elastic bands, rubber stamps and rubber faced date stamp, erasers, etc.)

It is incumbent on all ranks to appreciate that these items must always be used in such a way as to obtain from them the longest possible life. Some factors which tend to reduce the life of rubber and rubberised articles are :-

(a) Careless use.
(b) Exposure to heat, light, oil and grease.
(c) Delay in effecting minor repairs.
(d) Use of articles for purposes other than those for which they were issued.
(e) Bad storage.

As with condemned tyres, all items of Army stores and equipment having a rubber content will NOT be destroyed but will be dealt with by the Salvage Organisation with a view to possible reclamation of rubber. All inspecting officers will give special attention to this subject.

[signature]
Lieut.
Capt.
Adjt. R.A.E. 3 Div.

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LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos.159/160/42

12/8/42 — 159 DUTIES. — 13/8/42

Picquet.No.3. — Picquet.No.1.

Camp Maintenance. — Camp Mahtenance.

Spr. PATERSON. — Spr.CUTTLER.

160 NOTICES.

HOTELS, etc.

1. Except as provided in para 2 hereof no member of the Australian Military Forces when in uniform shall:-
   (a) In any public place;or
   (b) In any doorway or vestibule opening on to any public place or to which access may be gained from any public place;or
   (c) In any highway or public road;or
   (d) In anyvacant land adjacent to a park or public reserve;or
   (e) On any part of a park or recreation reserve;or
   (f) In any public conveyance

   consume any intoxicating liquor or have in his possession any intoxicating liquor contained in a bottle or container of any description.

2. Nothing in this Order shall prevent

   (a) the consumption of liquor upon licensed premises in accordance with the State Liquor Laws or upon the premises of any Naval, Military or Air Force Institute, Mess or canteen in accordance with the regulations and Orders applying to such institute, mess or canteen;
   or

   (b) the supply or possession of liquor contained in a bottle or other container to or by any such institute, mess or canteen in the ordinary course of its lawful business.

All hotelkeepers have been advised accordingly.
(Extract from 3 Aust Div Adm Order No.4. Para(h)).

Capt.
Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O. 1. Nos.161/162/42

13/8/42 — 161 DUTIES. — 14/8/42.

Picquet.No.1.
Camp Maintenance.
Spr. XXXXXX.McMILLAN.R.A.

Picquet.No.2.
Camp Maintenance.
Spr.CUTTLER.

162 NOTICES.

SICK PARADES.

Sick Parades for companies will be held at the following hours - at H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV.

H.Q.	0645 hrs.
53 Fd.Pk.	0650 hrs.
4 Fd.Coy.	0700 hrs.

PERSONAL EQUIPT OF PATIENTS EVACUATED BEYOND UNIT LINES.

(a) It is reported that patients are constantly arriving at CCSs and hosps without mess gear and with insufficient personal kit and cleaning gear.

(b) Attention is drawn to FIRST AUST ARMY Order 121/42 of 10 JUN'42 which will be strictly complied with in future.

REGISTERED ARTICLES FOR POSTING.

Attention is directed to 3 Div. Circular Q375/42 of 10 Apr'42 para 4 of which is set out hereunder.

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" Matter to be registered with correct postage affixed is to be handed unsealed by the person or his representative requiring same to the censoring officer. After censorship, censoring or franking officer will seal the letter or article in the presence of the sender. The censoring officer will pass the registered letter or article to the postal orderly who will effect registration and deliver the necessary receipts to the sender."

Note. The postal regulation will not allow registration of a letter which has had the flap opened and resealed. Letters with the envelopes in a damaged condition will NOT be accepted. It is therefore essential that flaps of envelopes on registered letters be left unsealed before franking.

Capt
Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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CAMP ROUTINE ORDERS.

by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS. C.R.E. 3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos.165/166/42

15/8/42. 165 DUTIES. 16/8/42

Picquet.No.3. Picquet.No.1.

165 NOTICES

WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATE.

War Savings Certificates may now be obtained through Div Paymaster. Personnel desirous of obtaining certificates should hand the appropriate amount to Unit Pay Sgt for transmission to Paymaster 3 AUST DIV H.Q. who will issue receipt and forward War Savings Certificate.

SUBSISTENCE.

Advice has been received from Command Paymaster that new rates of subsistence are now 3/- and 4/6 per diem, the latter being living out rate. These rates subject to the usual certificates, apply to both AMF & AIF and will become operative as from 19 JUN 42.

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Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos.167/168/42

16/8/42 — 167 DUTIES. — 17/8/42

Picquet.No.1. Picquet.No.2.

168 NOTICES.

M.O. PARADES AND INSPECTIONS. - H.Q.

1. Sick Parade 0645 hrs. (daily)
2. Camp Inspection,optional (daily)
3. Foot Inspection 1200 hrs Mon.(Leave pers. to attend Sick Parade.)(Weekly)
   Occasional inspection before and after route marches.
4. Short arm inspection (Fortnightly) Wed. 11.15.hrs.
5. Kit inspection (Fortnightly) Fri.1115hrs.
6. Cooks' Inspection (Weekly)

Lectures by arrangement

CHURCH PARADES.

Church Parade will be held at 0845 hrs.
Holy Communion will be celebrated at 0700 hrs.

R.C.Church Parade will be held at 0915 hrs. on road between RAA and AASC H.Q. 400 yds west of Div H.Q.

STORES - TOOLS ETC.

Stores must not be taken from Q.Tent without knowledge of Q personnel.
Tools must not be taken from vehicles without knowledge of drivers.
Tools taken must be returned at the end of each days work or on completion of job.

MECHANICAL VEHICLES - TRUCKS 3 TON CVT. INSPECTION OF CAP - STEERING GEAR BRACKET, PART No.1798738.

1. A report has been received indicating that several of the above components have been found with a crack extending across the centre.

2. Action is to be taken by all units having this type of vehicle on charge to inspect the particular component and, if necessary, make arrangements for the replacement of the defective part.

G.F. Nelson Lieut
for Capt.
Adjt R.A.E. 3 Aust Div.

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R.O.1. Nos.171/172/42

18/8/42 171 DUTIES. 19/8/42

Picquet. No.3. Picquet.No.1.

Camp Maintenance Camp Maintenance

Spr. DALY Spr. HIDDLESTONE

172 NOTICES.

INTERFERENCE WITH SIGNAL COMMUNICATIONS.

1. The practice of firing wapons from troop trains or M.T. Vehicles on roads is forbidden. Many instances of da mage to ~~XXXXXXXXXXX~~ insulators and telegraph wires, resulting in considerable delay in communica tions, have been attributed to this.
2. If atelegraph wire is broken, the channel of intercommunication is immediately interupted, and the fault must be located before the service can be restored. To effect repairs, line parties must be sent distances of up to 100 miles.
If the insulator only is broken, the wire will rest on or touch intermittently the cross arm, producing a fauty that is very difficult to ~~XXXX~~ locate.
Where the circuit concerned is of the carrier type two or more telephones or telegraph channels may be effected.
The vital importance of maintaining these channels of communication is self-evident.

3.
UNIT NAMES IN WALLETS etc.

Wallets for soldiers are on sale which contain a transparent pocket for the insertion of a card giving the owner's name and unit. If the owner writes in the name of his unit, as generally happens, the effect of removing unit names from paybooks is nullified.
All troops will take steps to have unit names removed from wallets, notebooks diaries, etc. (Q L of C Summary 17)

4.
INFORMATION

The following is an extract of a letter received by a member of the forces - "Isn't it amazing the way news spreads? Yesterday everyone in TOOWOOMBA was simply sizzling with the news of your latest movements. In fact, out of all the prople I met, I seemed to be the only one that hadn't received a telegram. I was simply amazed at the number of telegrams which had been sent through the civilian post. It is no wonder Army officials are beginning to get alarmed at the way army movements get around, and myself, I think the [illegible]iers ought to be a bit ashamed of themselves. (Q L [illegible] Summary 17

G.W. Nelson Lieut.
Capt. Adjt. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div.

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by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS. C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O.L. Nos.177/178/42

23/8/42 177 DUTIES. 24/8/42

Picquet.No.2. Picquet.No.3.

178 NOTICES.

CHURCH PARADES.

R.C. Church Parade is to be held on previous site at 0915 hrs.

C of E Parade - Time to be advised.

PROTECTED ANIMALS, BIRDS AND PLANTS.

1. From reports received it appears that in some cases protected animals, birds and plants are being destroyed by troops.

2. Except in emergency, due to operational requirements all ranks will observe the laws of the States and Territories of the Commonwealth relating to the protection of animals, birds and plants.

PACKAGES FOR TRANSMISSION BY ARMY POST.

1. A number of complaints have been received recently about non-delivery of packages by Army Postal Services.

2. On investigation it has been proved that all cases of non-delivery have been due to incorrect or insufficient address, or careless wrapping of packages.

3. Units will ensure that all packages are correctly addressed and that wrappings are put on securely so that they will not come off in transit.

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by

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R.O.1. Nos.179/180/42

24/8/42 — 179 DUTIES. — 25/8/42

Picquet.No.3. — Picquet.No.1.

180 NOTICES.

LAUNDRY FACILITIES.

As from MONDAY 24 AUG, the MARYBOROUGH Steam Laundry is prepared to undertake washing (excl ironing) at the following prices:-

1 parcel containing 1 shirt, 1 shorts, 1 u'pants, 1 singlet, at a cost of 1/3.

Parcels will be picked up of a THURSDAY and delivered on the following MONDAY.

DISCIPLINE MT.

1. It has been noticed that troops travelling in MT proceeding on leave etc, are standing in the veh or sitting on the side panels while the veh is in motion.

2. This dangerous practice is likely to
   (a) Cause pers to be thrown from the veh and/or
   (b) Cause the veh to capsize in the event of such pers being thrown off their balance and is to be discontinued forthwith.

A Nelson Lieut.
for Capt.
Adjt. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div.

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by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E. 3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos.179/180/42

24/8/42 — 179 DUTIES. — 25/8/42

Picquet.No.3. — Picquet.No.1.

180 NOTICES.

LAUNDRY FACILITIES.

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R.O.1. Nos.241/242/42

3/8/42 — 241 DUTIES — 4/8/42

Picquet No.2.
Camp Maintenance
Spr.Paterson.

Picquet.No.1.
Camp Maintenance.
Spr.Grant.

242 NOTICES.

FEDERAL TAXATION - DEDUCTION FROM DAILY RATE OF PAY OF MEMBERS OF THE FORCES TO MEET TAXES FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 1942.

1. Members of the Forces, other than recently returned A.I.F. are required to lodge income tax returns in any case where the income (total of army and private income), including the value of subsistence, field allowances and allotments, but excluding dependent's allowance, derived during the year ended 30th June 1942, exceeded £156.

2. Members of the Forces so liable for the payment of income tax for the year ended 30th June 1942, will be assisted to meet such payments by having deducted from their drawing rate of pay a daily rate, approx. equivalent to that required, according to their rank and rate of pay. They will be duly advised of the rate to be deducted, and the drawing rate in paybooks will be adjusted accordingly.

3. Deduction and payments will be made by the army and controlled by the District in which the member enlisted, irrespective of whether or not the member derived his income in that State.

4. To enable the Army and the Taxation Department to carry out the proposed procedure, it is necessary that all taxation returns be forwarded to the correct authority. In this connection members should submit their returns for the year ended 30th June 1942 to the Commissioner of Taxes in the capital city of the State in which they enlisted, e.g. a member who enlisted in Victoria, say, with an Army No."V'12345, will forward his return to the Commissioner of Taxes Melbourne Victoria.
(Extract First Aust Army Orders Para A 197. of 22 July '42).

Capt.
Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div (Unit) AIF 11/4/3

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	-		
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	3		
2nd Lieutenants	-		
Quartermasters	-		
Totals	5		

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
T/CAPT	B.O. YOUNG.	RAE	SICK LEAVE

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AIF 11/4/3

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/LT. COL.	SX 2518	T.A. SYMONS (CRE)	R.A.E.	YES	
T/CAPT	V34010	B.O. YOUNG (ADJT)	R.A.E.	NO.	SICK LEAVE
LIEUT	VXM47404	W.J. GOWTY (I.O)	R.A.E.	YES	
LIEUT	VX66142	G.E. ROBERTSON (ENG OFF)	R.A.E.	YES	
LIEUT	VX39028	G.J.S. NELSON (ENG OFF)	R.A.E.	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	V146193	M. BERAH	A.A.M.C.		R.M.O.
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D.		CHAPLAIN

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

2 AUG 42
(Date of Despatch.)

G.J.S. Nelson Lieut.
for (Signature of Commander.)

3 AUST DIV.
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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HQ RHE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) A.I.F. 11/4/3

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	1		
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	2		
2nd Lieutenants	-		
Quartermasters	-		
Totals	5		

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	H.O. YOUNG	RAE	

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A.J.F. 11/4/3. (i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/LT. COL	SX 2515	T.A. SYMONS (C.R.E.)	R.A.E.	YES	
T/CAPT	V 34010	B.O. YOUNG (ADJT)	R.A.E.	NO	SICK LEAVE.
LIEUT	VX 1047404	W.J. GOWTY (I.O.)	RAE	YES.	
LIEUT	VX 66142	G.E. ROBERTSON (ENG OFF)	RAE	YES.	
LIEUT	VX 39028	N.J.S. NELSON (ENG OFF)	R.A.E.	YES.	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	V146193	M. DERAH.	A.A.M.C.		R.M.O.
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D.		CHAPLAIN.
~~NP 10111~~ LIEUT	NP10111	A.S. MANN	STAFF CORPS		

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV.
(Unit.)

G.E. Robertson Lt. Lt-Col. C.R.E. 3 Div.
(Signature of Commander.)

8 AUG '42.
(Date of Despatch.)

3 AUST DIV.
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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HQ. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div (Unit) A.I.F. 11/4/3.

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	-		
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	3		
2nd Lieutenants	-		
Quartermasters			
Totals	5		

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
T/CAPT	D.C. YOUNG.	R.A.E.	SICK LEAVE MELB.

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AIF 11/4/3. (i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/LT. COL	SX2515	(C.R.E) T.A. SYMONS	RAE	YES.	
T/CAPT	V34010	(AUST) B.D. YOUNG	RAE.	NO	SICK LEAVE
LIEUT	VX10[illegible]	(ENG. OFF) W.J. GOWTY	RAE	YES.	
LIEUT	VX66142	(ENG OFF) G.E. ROBERTSON	RAE	YES.	
LIEUT	VX37028	(ENG OFF) G.J.S. NELSON	RAE	YES.	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	V146193	M BERAH.	AAMC		R.M.O.
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	AACD		CHAPLAIN
LIEUT	NP10111	A.S. MANN.	4 AUST FD COY		ENG. OFF

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

[signature] Lt Col. C.R.E. 3 Div
(Signature of Commander.)

15 AUG 42.
(Date of Despatch.)

3. AUST DIV.
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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED. AIF 11/4/3

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
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Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	-		
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	3		
2nd Lieutenants	-		
Quartermasters	-		
Totals	5		

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Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

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LT. COL	SX2918	T.A. SYMONS (CRE)	RAE	YES.	
CAPT.	V340110	D.O. YOUNG (ADJT)	RAE	NO.	SICK LEAVE
LIEUT	V41404	W.J. GOWTY (ENG OFF)	RAE	YES.	
LIEUT	VX66142	G.E. ROBERTSON (ENG OFF)	RAE	YES.	
LIEUT	VX39028	G.J.S. NELSON (EN	RAE	YES.	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	VIAL193	M. BERAH.	AAMC.		R.M.O.
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D.		CHAPLAIN
LIEUT	VP10111	A.S. MANN	4 AUST FD COY		ENG OFFICER.

H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

22 AUG 42.
(Date of Despatch.)

A. Nelson Lieut
(Signature of Commander.)
Lt-Col.
C.R.E. 3 Div.

3 AUST DIV.
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (*Unit*)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED. AIF 11/41

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
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*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
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Captains	1		
Lieutenants	3		
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Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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T/LT.COL	SX2818	(CRE) T.A. SYMONS	RAE.	NO.	SPECIAL DUTY
T/CAPT	VX1034010	(ADJT) B.O. YOUNG	RAE.	NO.	SICK LEAVE.
LIEUT	VX1047404	(IO) W.J. GOWTY	RAE	YES.	
LIEUT	VX66142	(ENG OFF) G.E. ROBERTSON	RAE.	YES	
LIEUT	VX39028	(ENG OFF) G.J.S. NELSON	RAE.	NO	SPECIAL DUTY.

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	V146193	M. BERAH	AAMC.		R.M.O.
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS.	AACD.		CHAPLAIN
LIEUT	NP10[illegible]	A.S. MANN	4 AUST FDCOY		ENG OFFICER

H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

[signature]
(Signature of Commander.)

29 AUG '42.
(Date of Despatch.)

3 AUST DIV.
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals			

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g. present where should, if known).

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV. (Unit) 1 AUG 19 41 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. A.I.F. 11/4/3.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 A/C. ACTING.		
W.Os. Class II.			
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants			
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	4	2	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27		
TOTALS	34	* 3.	*

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
VDT T. NICOLL	A/C. (SUPERNUMERY)		
PTE. EMMINS SR.	53 AUST FD. PK COY		
PTE JOHNSTONE	HQ 3 AUST DIV.		

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
1469	Sgt.	Heffernan E.L.	R.A.E.	Warwick Hospital

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HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

AIF 11/4/3

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
SGTS.	2							
CPLS.	1							
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3							

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... Unit.

Date of Despatch 2 Aug. 42.

G.P. Nelson Lieut. for Signature of Commander.

3 AUST DIV ..... Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. (Unit) 8 Aug 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. A.I.F. 11/4/3.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1. (A/C Acting)		
W.Os. Class II.	–		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	–		
Staff Serjeants	–		
Serjeants	4	3	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27.		
TOTALS	34	* 4	*

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
WO II T. Nicoll	A.I.C. (Superintendent)		
Cpl Emmins S.R.	53 Aust Fd. Pk Coy		
Pte Johnstone	H.Q. 3 Aust Div.		

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
V34467	Sgt.	Stephens E.L.	R.A.E.	Warwick Hospital.

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HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV. Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

A.I.F. 11/4/3.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
SGTS.	2							
CPLS.	1							
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3	-						

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

HQ. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV
Unit.

G. E. Robertson Lt Col.
Signature of Commander.

Lt-Col.
C.R.E. 3 Div

3 AUST DIV.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

Date of Despatch 8 AUG. 42.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ. RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) 15 AUG 19 42 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. AIF 11/4/3.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 (AIC ACTING)		
W.Os. Class II.	-		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-		
Staff Serjeants	-		
Serjeants	4	2	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27		
TOTALS	34	* 3	*

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
WO(II) T. NICOLL	(AIS. SUPERNUMERY)		
CPL. EMMINS. S.R.	53 AUST FD PK COY		

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
34469	A/Sgt	STEPHENS. EL.	RAE	WARWICK HOSPITAL.

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HQ RAE 3 Aust Div Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

A.I.F. 4/4/3.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
SGTS.	2							
CPLS	1							
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3							

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
Unit.

Lt-Col.
C.R.E. 3 Div.
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 15 AUG 42

3RD AUST DIVISION
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) 22 AUG 19 42 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. A.I.F. 11/41/3

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 (A/C. ACTING)		
W.Os. Class II.	-		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-		
Staff Serjeants	-		
Serjeants	4	2	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27		
TOTALS	34	*3	*

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
V74469	A/Sgt.	Stephens E.L.	RAE	Warwick Hospital

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H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV. Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
SGTS	2							
CPLS	1							
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3							

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV
Unit.

[signature] for
Signature of Commander.

Lt-Col.
C.R.E. 3 Div.

Date of Despatch 2 AUG 42

3 AUST DIV
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) 29 AUG 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. AIF 11/4/3

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 (AIC ACTING)		
W.Os. Class II.	-		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-		
Staff Serjeants	-		
Serjeants	4	2	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	24		3
TOTALS	31	* 3	* 3

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1. CPL	A.A.M.C.		
1. CPL	53 AUST FD PK COY RAE		
1. WO(II)	AIC (SUPERNUMERY)		
1. CARPENTER	4 AUST FD COY RAE		

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
SGTS.	2							
CPL.	1							
SPRS.		3						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3	3						

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV. — *Unit.*

Signature of Commander. R.E. 3 Div.

Date of Despatch 29 AUG '42.

3 AUST DIV. — *Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.*

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Army Form C.2118. (Adapted).

Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust.Div. Date & Time---From 1 Sept. '42 to 8 Sept. '42

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
MARYBOROUGH	1 Sept.	F.O. visit to Bundaberg to gain infm re demolitions. C.R.E. conference with G.O.C. Major Stone re demo. job. Road and Bridge recces by F.O.s and Coy Comdrs. Fwded Hiring notices to H.Q. 3 Aust Div.	
	2	Work in Respirator 1030-1100hrs. Respirator drill. C.R.E. attended G.I.s training conference with Adjt. Weather fine and warm.	
	3	Visit O.C. 4 Fd.Coy to C.R.E. re demo job in area. Men issues with worsted shirts without collars, arrangement being made to have collars attached. Recce reports in from 53 Fd Pk. Coy.	
	4	Weather getting hotter. Military M.T. in Div area are cutting roads up, but unable at present to do anything about it.	
	5	Capt. Bates 2 I/C 53 Fd Pk. Coy went to S.M.E. Liverpool N.S.W. Visit of U.S.A.Engrs to C.R.E. Int. Summary to C.E. 2 Aust Corps.	
	6	Church parade. Make and mend for tps. Swimming parade. C.R.E.s Engr demonstration for G.O.C. in Minelaying, firing, Bangalore torpedos, hand grenades, camouflage by new Div.camouflage unit, demonstration highly successful. I.O.R.E. with 3 men left for preliminary recce of Southern areas. Weather sultry.	
	7	Rain during night, but camp well drained.. Instructions re breaking camp for tactical move in near future. Pulling down Prep rooms, filling in Latrines, M.T. maintenance.	
	8 1000hr.	Movement order to move this H.Q. with Div. H.Q. at 1000 hrs. All vehicles packed and ready to move at 0930 hrs, except U.S.A. tents which are to be left as Kit stores in charge of rear party. All personnel travelling light.	
	1900hr.	Arrive new site "Glenview" map ref "Landsborough" 213759 at 1900 hrs. Good campsite, well drained.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust. Div. Date & Time---From 9 Sept. '42 to 17 Sept. '42.

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GREENVIEW.	9 Sept.	All personnel slept by vehicles after unloading, warm night. I.O.R.E has ~~established water points and infm passed on to Div. Respirator day.~~ Lts.Nelson, and Robertson on demo recce.	
	10	C.R.E. visit to G.S.O.1. re tactical situation of Engrs this area. Engr ~~offrs still doing recces of northern areas. Tents erected, camouflage~~ completed.	
	~~11.~~	~~Deep trench latrines dug, boxes not yet to hand.~~ All ~~water points~~ supplying water to Div and bdes. Both 4 and 15 Fd.Coys. are now in this general area. ~~10 Fd.Coy. as yet still at Maryborough. Capt.Prewett 2 i/c 4 Fd.Coy on~~ loan to 2 Aust Corps for job Brisbane. 53 Fd.Pk.Coy. workshop section with ~~office gear. Visit of O.C. 4 and 14 Fd.Coys.~~	
	13.	Lieuts Nelson and Robertson back from ~~recce. Some kits and stores have~~ arrived from Maryborough. Accomodation stores to hand at 53 Fd.Pk.Coy dump. ~~Lieut Vance transferred to 4 Fd.Coy. Church Parade 1100hrs 53 Fd.Pk.Coy.~~ C.R.E. visit to 15 Aust Fd.Coy. Weather now very warm.	
	14.	~~Swimming parade 1400 hrs. Caloundra.~~ ~~Lieut Nelson attached to 15 Fd.Coy., Lieut Robertson attached to 53 Fd.Pk~~ Coy. C.R.E. visit to 15 Aust Fd.Coy.	
	15.	Major Stone arrived from Maryborough where his Coy are doing demo jobs. 10 Fd.Coy now under Comd 2 Aust Corps ~~visit of Lt.Col Condon, C.R.E. Corps~~ Tps.	
	16.	Work in reppirator 1000-1100hrs, all tps becoming used to Respirator now, even telephone conversations are not interupted.	
	17.	Works Return to 2 Aust Corps. C.R.E.s. conference with Coy Comdrs re demo jobs in area. Maps and infm being prepared for despatch to Corps.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust.Div. Date & Time---From 18 Sept.'42 ....to 26 Sept '42

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	18 Sept.	Night excercise tomight, digging additional slit trenches around tents. Camouflaging complete, personnel have settled in.	
	19	I.O.R.E. instructed to find Runway for R.A.A.F. and to meet Air Force representative, but no one has turned up to date. Only one spot suitable at turn off to CALOUNDRA, report submitted to C.R.E.	
	2o	Church parade 0930 hrs, make and mend day, organized swimming in afternoon at CALOUNDRA, men appraciate swim as there is still not much water available.	
	21	C.R.E. at Corps TEWT with Div staff. Census of warlike stores done, copy fwd to E in C. Weather hot today, moonlight night.	
	22	C.R.E. still in TEWT. 12 3/tom vehicles arrives at this H.Q. for dest. 6/15 Fd.Coy. 6/4 Fd.Coy. and have now been taken to respective coys. this new allotment will help situation in coys.	
	23	53 Fd.Pk.Coy. have large supplies of "Scale A" accomodation stores ready for distribution when H.Q. have compiled dist.list. Spr.Givens is back from long range recce patrol complete with 53 Fd.Pk. vehicle loaned for this purpose. Pay day at this H.Q. Work in Respirators 1000-1030.	
	24	C.R.E. interview with G.O.C. Coy.Comdrs conference re demo in area. 4 & 15 Fd.Coy offrs on recce. Canvas sides being fitted to office vehicle. Accom stores for this H.Q. being erected.	
	25	Light showers. Weekly Expenditure return fwded to 2 Aust Corps. Visit of Brig.Mann.C.E. 1 Aust Army.	
	26	Tried out 53 Fd.Pk.Coys' grader on H.Q. road, all vehicle markings being amended and repainted. Preparation of prints and drawings for demo plan for 2 Aust Corps.	

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust.Div. Date & Time — From 27 Sept.'42 ..... to .....

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	27 Sept.	Church parade 0930 hrs. Make and mend. Route march to CALOUNDRA and swim parade.	
	28	Demo plans being printed, "I" office van being fitted by 53 Fd.Pk.Coy. Visit of Brig.Lucas Dept.E.C. who was satisfied with Engrs of this Div. All vehicles markings now complete. Capt.Prewett of 4 Aust Fd.Coy on loan to Corps and stationed in Brisbane for demo work. Visit of Capt Graham who is to take over 10 Aust Fd.Coy from Major A.Stone.(this coy. now under comd 2 Aust Corps).	
	29	Conference C.R.E. and Coy.Comdrs. with C.E.1st Aust Army, C.R.E. left for TOOWOOMBA at 0600 hrs with Capt. Lob. Conference with Div I.O. and I.O.R.E. at 4 Bde H.Q. re road recces and future reports.	
	30	Works Exp. reports to 2 Aust Corps. Water at Div W.P. slightly discoloured after rain, but still quite drinkable. Work in respirator and Anti Gas Capes from 1000-1030 hrs. Monthly stores return for 2 Aust Corps due this H.Q. from Coys.	

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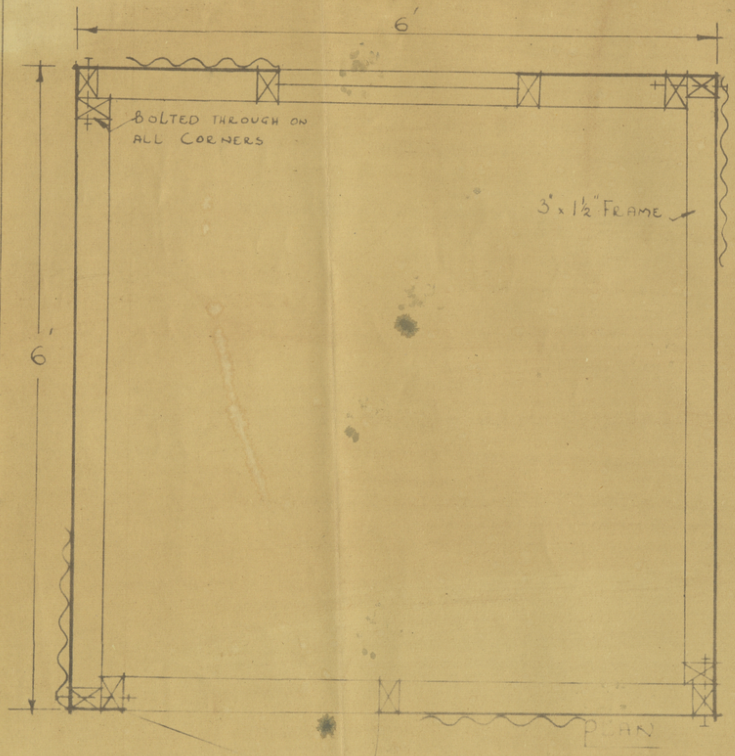

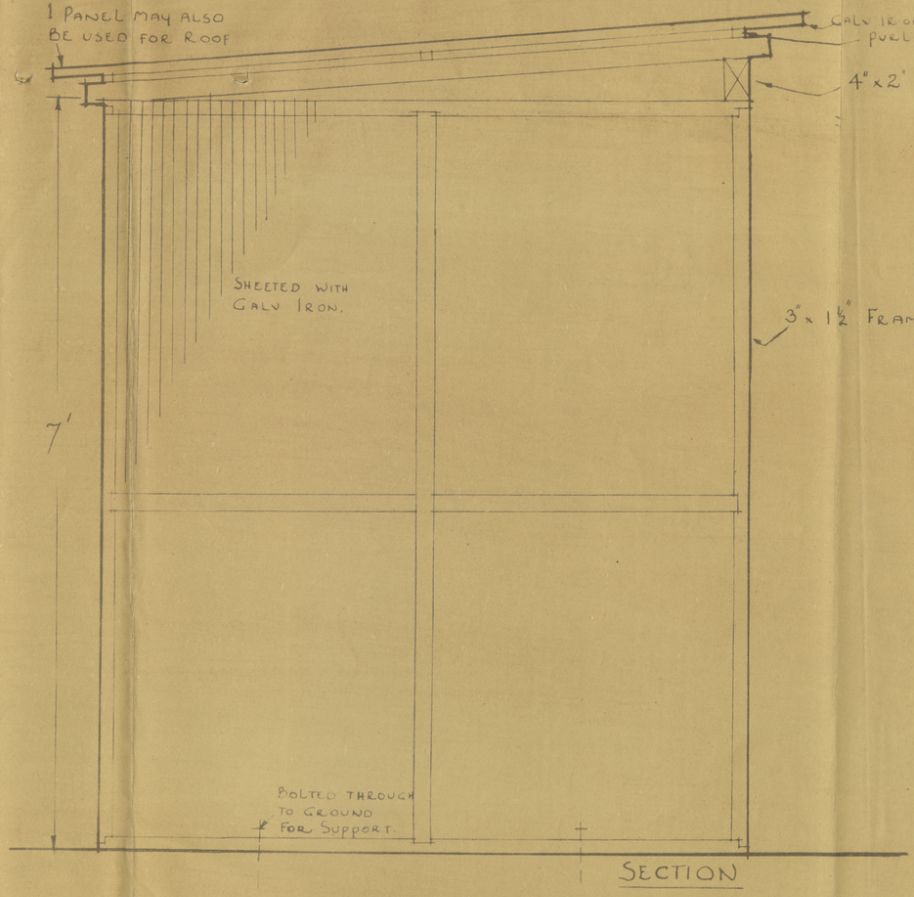

PREPARATION ROOM

SCALE 1" TO 1'

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV.

DRAWN BY T.R.R.

(ADAPTED FOR USE AS FOOD STORE FOR SMALL NUMBER OF PERSONNEL) USING STANDARD PANELS AS SUPPLIED TO UNITS IN ACCOM. STORES ALLOTMENT.)

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G CE/RL.LM.

2 Aust Corps.
4 Sept. 42.

SUBJECT: WEEKLY WORKS REPORT - WORKS EXPENDITURE.

To : CRE 2 Aust Corps Tps
CRE 3 Aust Div

1. A weekly works report on proformas attached, showing the position as at 1200 hours each Tuesday and will be forwarded so as to reach this HQ NOT later than 1200 hrs following Thursday.

2. Any works estimated to cost over £250 are classed as Major Works, and will be shown on proforms Appendix 'A'. Job Nos for such works will be allotted by this HQ.

3. Any works costing less than £250, and for that reason being carried out under financial authority of CE or CRE, will be listed on proforma Appendix 'B'. All such works will be charged against Job No. CETW/1.

4. When estimating cost of Works, the actual cost to the ARMY is the only thing considered, and hence when Army labour is employed, wages should NOT be included in the estimate

5. In view of the financial authorities lately vested in CsRE, TS4's and original covering TS3's only for jobs to amounts in excess of CRE's financial authority, should be forwarded to this HQ for endorsement. These should come in weekly with works reports. Such expenditure will NOT be weekly with works reports. Such expenditure will NOT be incurred without prior reference to and approval of this HQ.

6. CsRE will ensure that -

(i) ORIGINAL TS3 is forwarded with TS4.
(ii) TS3's are signed by "Receiving Officer"
(iii) TS4's are signed by "Claimant"
(iv) Job Nos appear on TS3's.

7. NIL RETURNS for works are required.

8. Initial returns will show position as at 1200 hrs Tuesday 8 Sept 42, and will include all works undertaken involving purchase or hire since last return, plus all jobs current at the take over, retaining for these latter their original 1 Aust Corps Job Nos.

(Sgd.) Major
for H. Batchtold (Brig.)
CE 2 Aust Corps.

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APPENDIX 'A'

WEEKLY WORKS EXPENDITURE REPORT - (MAJOR WORKS)

CE 2 AUST CORPS

JOB NO.	PRIOR-ITY	DETAIL OF WORK	AUTHOR-ITY	DATE ORDERED	TOT EST COST	PROG % OF WORK	PROG AMOUNT LABOUR MIL MAN HRS	EXPENDED		DUMPS	PURCHASE	TOOLS & PLANT		REMARKS
								DEL	CONTRACT			HIRE)	PURCHASE	

The above is how this HQ wishes your Weekly Works Report to be furnished.
Job No CETW 500 is only an example.

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APPENDIX 'B'

WEEKLY WORKS EXPENDITURE REPORT (MINOR WORKS)

CRE ..... FOR WEEK ENDING hrs.

JOB NO.	TS3 No.	AUTHORITY TO PURCHASE	& ITEMS	COST	REMARKS.

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HQ
RAE 3 AUST DIV
AUSTRALIA.
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LT. COL. T.A. SYMONS C.R.E. 3 AUST DIV

R.O. 1. Nos.83/42

183 DUTIES

2/9/42

Picquet No. 1.

3/9/42

PICQUET NO. 2

REPORTING TO H.Q.

Personnel, including Drivers, will not leave H.Q. without reporting the fact to the Orderly Room, stating their destination and expected period of absence.

WASHING CLOTHES.

Soya Stove and Ablution bowls are not to be used for washing clothes between 1500 hrs and 1800 hrs daily. Clothes left in soak in ablution bowls over night must be removed before 0630 hrs each day.

Personnel responsible for Camp Maintenance duties will see that Soya Stove is filled with clean water and stovefire lit at 1500 hours daily.

Capt. Adjt.
R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV.

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R.O.1. Nos. 193/194/42

193 NOTICES.

SICK PARADE.

Sick Parade is held at 0645 hrs daily for H.Q. personnel and attention is drawn to the fact that this is the only time when attention can be given except in case of accident.

A.M.F. XMAS BOOK 1942.

Approval has been given by the C.in-C for the preparation, for publication in December next, of a blik similar to "ACTIVE SERVICE", the 1941 Xmas Book of the A.I.F. in M.E.

The Book will deal with the Australian Military Forces -- P.M.F. A.I.F. C.M.F. V.D.C. A.W.A.S. and V.A.D.--at home and abroad during 1942. The Book will be cloth bound and will consist of 200 pages measuring 10¼" x 8¼". It will include accounts of operations and will be profusely illustrated with reproductions of paintings and drawings by the Official War Artists and with photographs. Space is being reserved for contributions by members of the Forces and all ranks are invited to contribute.

Stories of about 1,000 words, paragraphs, verse, jokes and drawings are required. These ~~xxxxx~~ items may be humorous or otherwise, and should preferably be based on personal experience during the war. Material may relate to any area in which the Australian forces have been employed during 1942 - the United Kingdom, Middle East, Far East, South-West Pacific, Australia, or elsewhere. ~~Xxxxx~~ Items dealing with the South West Pacific and Australia are particularly required. Drawings should be suitable for reproduction by half-tone or line block - preferably the latter.

Contributions should be forwarded to -
The Editor, A.M.F. Xmas Book
C/- Military History Section,
No.2 Aust Base P.O.

They should be submitted as soon as possible and not later than 15 Sep.42. If sent by airmail the postage will be refunded. Advice in advance of intention to contribute and the nature of the contribution and date of despatch would be helpful to the Editor and would be appreciated.

At an early date further particulars will be supplied for the information of those desirious of applying for copies.

LEAVE. In anticipation of leave, consideration should be given to the accumulation of sufficient pay book credits to meet reasonable expenses during the period of leave. In this connection, the following amounts are suggested as a guide.

6 day leave. £3 12 day leave £5 24 day leave

As it is expected that returns will be called for, to show numbers and detraining stations for leave purposes Units will prepare such lists and hold until called for.

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Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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by

LT.-COL. T.A. SIMONS. C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O. 1. Nos.195/96/42

195 NOTICES.

BREACHES OF RULES RELATING TO CENSORSHIP

1. Attention is again directed to FIRST AUST ARMY Order No.15 also to 2 AUST CORPS Order No.13 This 2 AUST CORPS order No. 13 is published hereunder for the benefit of all Units recently taken over by 2 AUST CORPS:-

"(a) The postal articles (referred to in FIRST AUST ARMY Order No. 10) include letters, postcards FS Postcards, green envelopes, and all parcels and telegrams, written or prepared by any members of the Forces.

(b) All ranks are warned that calls from telephone booths are being monitored as a safeguard against leakage of inf. Offenders against security regs will be severly dealt with and all public telephones in camps will be disconnected if it is found that security inf is passing in telephone conversations.

(c) 2 AUST CORPS orders are security documents."

2. Numerous instances of breaches of the rules relating to censorship have been reported. Many of these will be referred back to Units for disciplinary action which must be sufficiently severe to be a deterrent against further breaches.

3. It is of the utmost importance that secrecy relating to strength and location of Units be maintained.

CENSORSHIP CORRESPONDENCE WITH STRANGERS.

(a) All ranks are forbidden to insert advertisements or letters inviting correspondence with strangers in any newspaper or magazine. Nor must they enter into correspondence with any stranger in response to such advertisements or invitations.

(b) Correspondence with "Penpal" is prohibited.
(c) All ranks are forbidden to reply to circulars.
(d) All ranks are warned to exercise the greatest care in acknowledging presents from unknown "friends".

(2 Aust Corps Rb 109)

FIRST AID DRESSINGS.

1. First Field Dressings will be carried by all ranks, either in the hip pocket of the shorts KHD, or the inside pocket of the coat SD, at all times. They will not be carried in respirators, haversacks, or other places.
2. All ranks should be familiar with the use of this dressing and RMOs will instruct tpe w here this is not the case.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—3RD MILITARY DISTRICT.

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(*Date*)

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APPEAL.

1. Subjoined is a copy of a recent letter addressed by the Prime Minister of Australia to the minister for the Army.
2. This letter is to be republished in all Unit Routine Orders at the first opportunity after publication of this RO.
3. Suggestions regarding the best practicable means of implementing the Prime Minister's wishes as contained in paras 5,6,7, and 8 of his letter, are invited from all personnel and should be transmitted through normal channels to LHQ as expeditiously as possible.
4. All formation and unit commanders will, pending the receipt of instructions and directions which will shortly be issued by LHQ, commence such action as deemed appropriate by them, to carry out or support the Prime Minister's wishes;-

My Dear Minister-

"In view of the heavy requirements of the Treasury in regulation to Loan money for the current financial year I have approved of an intensive three months campaign for the purpose of restricting public spending to the minimum, of diverting all available money in to bonds and war savings certificates, and of stimulating production and creating a more realistic war consciousness among the public.

It is desired to raise by public subscription £100,000,000 before Christmas. A loan for this amount will be issued on SEP 3rd, but the intens ive publicity drive will aim even to exceed this amount if possible.

The basis for the appeal will be the need for a much more austere method of living by the public generally., and the publicity will be directed towards securing the co-operation of the public in eliminating many of the avenues of surplus spending that today are resulting in wastage of manpower, raw material, and time and effort that could be directed to war purposes.

The campaign will be conducted by the Department of Information and the general organization of the campaign has been placed in the hands of the Controller of Government Advertising (Mr Hutcheson).

During the period of this special appeal I would appreciate the complete co-operation of yourseld and your department in facilitating access to all facts and material necessary for the requisite propaganda and in giving active assistance that will be sought in differenc5 aspects of the campaign. In this connection, I specially desire that Publicity Officers of all departments should give to the Department of Information and the Campaign Organiser (Mr Hutcheson) their complete co-operation.

Simultaneously it is desired that all departmental publicity during the period in question should be stepped in with the general line of cmapaign propaganda, and directed towards securing a greater public appreciation of the need for the restriction of all forms of unnecessary spending. To ensure a uniform approach to the public it is necessary that all such departmental publicity should be prepared in consultation with the Committee controlling the campaign.

To emphasise to the public the need for austerity standards, I desire all action taken immediately in departments not only to eliminate waste, but to eliminate all activities that are not essential to the conduct of the war.

It is necessary that Service Personnel should set an example of spartan living, and that all privileges that involve unnecessary use of facilities and commodities of which the public is being deprived should be strictly reviewed. I desire not only issue of instructions to this effect, but also that, from time to time, the Service personnel should be addressed upon their responsibility to the civilian community in relation to waste of material and efforts.

It is not desired that any publicity be given to this campaign until an official announcement is made towards the end of August.

Yours sincerely, JOHN CURTIN. PRIME MINISTER.

Capt. Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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AUSTRALIA.
21 Sep'42

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

CAMP ROUTINE ORDERS.

by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos.197/98/42

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197 NOTICES.

M.T.

Drivers are instructed that cabin lights in vehicles are not to be used when vehicles are parked in camp at night; except when ordered by a responsible officer.

CAMPHYGIENE.

Ablutions will NOT be performed adjacent to the tank provided for water storage.

An area will be set aside for ablutions and this area only is to be used.

SHIRTS. WEARING OF.

Shirts will be worn at all times by all ranks when carrying out their normal duties within Camp Areas and will not be removed except when ordered by a responsible offr.

B.C.[illegible]
Capt
Adjt R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV.

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AUSTRALIA.
25 Sep'42

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

CAMP ROUTINE ORDERS.

by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS. C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1 Nos.199/200/42

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199 NOTICES.

RATION BOOKS.

(1) The following is an extract from memo received from Deputy Director of Rationing:-

(2) " The Commissioner desires to advise that the provisions in regard to the interchange of coupons between members of a family rêlate also to the coupons as issued to Servicemen. The only action necessary, if a transfer is desired, is for the Serviceman concerned to hand his book to a member of his family for the coupons to be used on his behalf or for the benefit of the person to whom the book has been given."

200.MAIL

All outward mail for franking MUST be placed in mail Box at office truck by 0800 hrs each day.

If this is not carried out mail will not be franked until the following day, thereby causing delay in delivery.

DAYLIGHT SAVING.

Daylight Saving will take effect from 0200 hours 27 Sep'42 to 0200 hrs 28 Mar'43. In effect at 0200 hrs eastern standard time on 27 Sep'42 time will be advanced 1 hour.

B O'Connor
Capt
Adjt R.A.E.3 Aust Div.

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TO BE MADE UP TO AND FOR SATURDAY IN EACH WEEK.

Army Form W.3009
(page 1)
(Adapted)

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ RAE 1 AUST DIV (Unit) 26 SEP 19 41 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

AIF 11/4/3.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 (A/C A/T/INC)		
W.Os. Class II.			
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants			
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	4	3	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	24		3
TOTALS	31	* 3	* 3

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
PERSONNEL ATTACHED AGAINST W/E		OTHER ATTACHMENTS	
		1 - CPL	53 AUST FD PK COY
SEE BACK		1 - CPL	AAMC (ON LOAN FROM 53 AUST FD PK COY)
		1 - W.O.(II)	A.I.C. (SUPER NUMERARY)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
SGTS	1							
CPLS								
SPRS		3						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3	3						

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... *Unit.*

Lt-Col ..... *Signature of Commander.*
C.R.E. 3 Div.

Date of Despatch 26 SEP 42

3 AUST DIV ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.*

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Inspector Hygiene A.A.M.C. Sgt. 1.
Private A.A.M.C. PTE. 1.

Above are required to fill vacancies shown as attached on W.E. 11/4/3 A.I.F.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) 6 SEP 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. AIF 11/4/3.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 (AIC. ACTING)		
W.Os. Class II.	-		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-		
Staff Serjeants	1-		
Serjeants	4	2	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	24		3
TOTALS	31	* 3	* 3

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
4	A/Sgt	STEPHENS. E.L.	R.A.E.	

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HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV. *Unit.*

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
Sgts.	2							
CPLs.	1							
SPRS.		3						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3	3						

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

HQ. RAE 3 AUST DIV
Unit.

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 6 SEP '42.

3 AUST DIV
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div (Unit) 12 SEPT 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. AIF 11/4/3

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 (A.I.C. ACTING)		
W.Os. Class II.	-		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-		
Staff Serjeants	-		
Serjeants	4	2	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	24		3
TOTALS	31	* 3	* 3

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 - CPL.	A.A.M.C.		
1 - CPL	53 AUST FDRY COY		
1 - W.O. (1)	A.I.C. (SUPERNUMERARY)		

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
Sgts	2							
CPLs.	1							
SPRs.		3						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3	3						

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
Unit.

[signature] Lt-Col.
Signature of Commander. C.R.E. 3 Div

Date of Despatch 13 SEPT '42

3 AUST DIV.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) 19 SEPT 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required. AIF 11/4/3.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1 (AIC ACTING)		
W.Os. Class II.			
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants			
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	4	2	
Corporals	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	24		3
TOTALS	31.	* 3	* 3

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps. PERSONNEL ATTACHED AGAINST W.E.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
		OTHER ATTACHMENTS.	
		1 CPL.	53 AUST FD PK COY
SEE BACK		1 W.O. (II)	AIC (SUPERNUMERY)
		1 CPL.	AAMC (ON LEAVE FROM 53 AUST FD PK COY)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV. Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

AIF 11/4/3.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
Sol. Hygiene (Hamp Assistant)		1						
Sgts.	2							
Cpls.	1							
SPRS.		3						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	3	3.						

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
Unit.

[signature] Capt for.
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 19 SEPT '42

3 AUST DIV.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

Lt-Col
C.R.E. 3 Div.

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1. Inspector Hygiene (Sgt.) AAMC.
1. Private AAMC.

These are required to fill vacancies shown as attached on W.E. 11/4/3.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (*Unit*)
AIF 11/41-5 X 31 ATTACHED-1 X 2

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	-		
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	2		1
2nd Lieutenants	-		
Quartermasters	-		
Totals	4		1

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
			APPOINTMENT		
T/LT. COL	SX 2818	T.A. SYMONS	C.R.E.	YES	
T/CAPT	V34010	D.O. YOUNG	ADJT	YES	
LIEUT	V47404	W.J. GOWTY	I.O.R.E.	YES	
LIEUT	VX66142	G.F. ROBERTSON	FD OFFICER	NO	DUTY 53 AUST FD PK COY

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	V146193	M. BERAH	A.A.M.C.		R.M.O.
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D.		CHAPLAIN

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

Capt for Lt-Col.
(Signature of Commander.)

26 SEP '42
(Date of Despatch.)

3 AUST DIV
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ. RAE. 3 AUST DIV (*Unit*)
AIF 11/4/3 5 x 31 ATTACHED 1 x 2

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	-		
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	2		1
2nd Lieutenants	-		
Quartermasters	-		
Totals	4		1

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
LIEUT	G.J.S. NELSON	RAE	15/4/42	TRANSFER TO 1 AUST FD COY

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	~~Corps.~~ APPT.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/LT. COL	SX2818	T.A. SYMONS (C.R.E.)	G.R.E.	YES	
T/CAPT	V34010	B.O. YOUNG (ADJT)	ADJT	YES	
LIEUT	V41404	W.J. GOWTY (I.O.R.E.)	I.O.R.E.	YES	
LIEUT	VX66142	G.E. ROBERTSON (C.R.E.)	FD. OFF	NO	DUTY 53 AUST FD FR COY

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	UNIT OR Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	V146193	M. BERAH	AAMC		RMO
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	AACD		CHAPLAIN

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

B.O. Young Capt
(Signature of Commander.)
Lt-Col.
C.R.E. 6 Div.

19 SEPT '42
(Date of Despatch.)

3 AUST DIV
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ. RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED. AIF 11/4/3

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	–		
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	3		
2nd Lieutenants	–		
Quartermasters	–		
Totals	5		

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

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T/LT COL	SX2818	T.A. SYMONS (CRE)	RAE	YES	
T/CAPT	V34010	BD YOUNG (ADJT)	RAE	YES	
LIEUT	V47404	W.J. GOWTY (IO RE)	RAE	YES	
LIEUT	VX66142	GE ROBERTSON (FD OFF)	RAE	YES	
LIEUT	VX39028	G.J.S. NELSON (FD OFF)	RAE	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT	V146773	M BERAH	AAMC		RMO
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F T EYERS	AACD		CHAPLAIN
LIEUT	NP10111	A S MANN	4 AUST FD COY		FD OFF

H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV

(Unit.)

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(Date of Despatch.)

(Signature of Commander.)

3 AUST DIV

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
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Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors			
Captains	1		
Lieutenants	3		
2nd Lieutenants	-		
Quartermasters	-		
Totals	5		

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
T/CAPT	B.O. YOUNG	RAE	31/3/42	RETURNED FROM SICK LEAVE

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

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T/CAPT	V34010	B.O. YOUNG (ADJT)	RAE.	YES	
LIEUT.	V41404	W.J. GOWTY (I.O.)	RAE.	YES.	
LIEUT	VX66142	G.E. ROBERTSON (FD OFF)	RAE.	YES.	
LIEUT	VX39028	G.J.S. NELSON (FD OFF)	RAE.	YES.	

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CAPT	V146173	M. BERAH	A.A.M.C.		R.M.O.
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D.		CHAPLAIN
LIEUT	NP10111	A.S. MANN	4 AUST FD COY		ENG OFFICER.

H.Q. RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

(Signature of Commander.)

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust.Div. Date & Time---From 1 Oct. '42 to 8 Oct. '42

Place	Date	Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	Oct	1	Intelligence summary fwded to Corps, Accom returns fwded to Div. Personnel have been issued with another green shirt, collars are being sewn on as before. Weather fine and warm. Demo plans fwded to GS.1. at Div.	
		2	4 Aust Fd. Coy moved to Bridging School DINMORE with exception of rear party and 2 officers who are doing Demo recce. C.R.E. visited 15 Fd.Coy to inspect Bridging and mine laying training.	
		3	Accom returns to Div. This H.Q. have adapted Food prep room to suit small number of personnel. Sketch attached as appendix. Int. summary fwded to 2 Aust. Corps.	
		4	Church parade 0930 hrs. H.Q. personnel swim parade at 1300 hours to CALOUNDRA, make and mend. Cleaning of area.	
		5	53 Fd. Pk.Coy. moved to Div. Site MAROOCHYDORE for intensive training. All sections in operation by 1000 hrs. C.R.E. visit to Fd.Pk.Coy. New camouflage Training Unit formed and attached to this H.Q. under command C.R.E. O.C. Div. Cam. Unit Lieut. D. Walker.	
		6.	Weather fine but sultry. C.R.Es. visit to Bridging School DINMORE to inspect 4 Fd.Coy. R.M.O. is staying with that Coy. at present.	
		7.	Work in respirator and antigas capes 1000-1030. "I" office printing demo plans for 2 Aust Corps. C.R.E. visit to G.S.1. and 53 Fd.Pk.Coy. Court Martial at Div.H.Q. trial of A.W.L. cases. Major Penniger O.C. 4 Fd.Coy. back from demo recce and gone on to DINMORE.	
		8.	Lieut Tulloch back from recce with plans to be printed, photographs to develope for demp plan.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Unit H.Q. R.A.E. 3 Aust. Div. Date & Time---From 9 Oct. '42. to 15 Oct. '42.

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW.	Oct. 9.	Adjt. at demonstration 15 Bde, Jap infiltration methods, Engrs providing fireworks and explosives. Monthly stocks return to 2 Aust Corps. Accom stores return to DAQMG. Div.	
	10	Div require 40' detraining ramp at EUMUNDI Rly station, also water point established at BELLI PARK near EUMUNDI. 53 Fd.Pk.Coy. working on wp. Heavy rain this area.	
	11	Church parade 0930 hrs. Prelim. recce of Rly Station EUMUNDI for ramp. C.R.E. on 2 Aust Corps TEWT at TEWANTIN with Div syndicate. Visit of Lieut Williams 15 Fd.Coy who is going to BRISBANE to purchase hand tools for Coys. Rain prevented personnel from going to CALOUNDRA.	
	12	Lieut Gowty with party of Sappers erecting ramp at EUMUNDI, completed at 1800 hrs, wp. EUMUNDI now in operation. 2 Aust Corps are taking material and equipment from Fd.Coys for other ENGR units. Weather fine again.	
	13	C.R.E. still on TEWT , 53 Fd.Pk. still at Div Site, 4 Fd.Coy. still at Bdg. school DINMORE. I.O.R.E. trying to hire grader for use Div road priorities 2 Aust Corps DEMO plans now completed but require extra copies for ARMY.	
	14	C.R.E. back from TEWT visit of Major Needham and Capt.Lobb. Lieut Williams now in BRISBANE purchasing tools for Coys. Some delay in getting mail through. Div. have issued us with copies of NEW GUINEA strat maps for INFM. Fwded Works Exp. Return to 2 Aust Corps.	
	15	C.R.E. visit to DEP E in C BRISBANE visit of Capt. Lobb re demo works in this area. F.O.s. trying to locate power machinery for use in priority roads. Weather fine.	

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Unit. R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. Date & Time---From. 16 Oct. '42. to. 23 Oct. '42.

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	Oct. 16	4 Aust Fd Coy back from bridging school DINMORE . 15 Aust Fd Coy now at same school plus 230 L.A.D. who are attending to Coy vehicles. Camouflage unit at Training school SOUTHPORT. C.R.E. talks to Drivers re speed of vehicles.	
	17	Heavy rain today. C.R.E. visit to 15 Bde Comdr. H.Q. received number two "Owen" guns today, but have no ammunition for same to date. Personnel being instructed in use of automatic rifles and close fighting weapons.	
	18	Church parade 1100 hrs. Senior Chaplain of this Div, Padre Eyers and R.M.O. with 15 Aust Fd Coy DINMORE.	
	19	Heavy tropical rainstorm, many trees blown down by wind, C.R.E. and Adjt at DIV TNG conference. Lieut Williams arrived with load of Hand tools purchased for Fd Coys in BRISBANE.	
	20	Works expenditure and census of warlike stores fwded. Conference this H.Q. with Coy C.Q.M.S.s. re Engr returns necessary. A/Sgt Emmins who has been with this unit for many years as Offrs Mess steward has been transferred to Dock Coy R.A.E.	
	21	Work in respirators and antigas capes from 1000-1030 . C.R.E. visit to Dep E in C and Bridging school DINMORE. Timber return to 2 AUST CORPS.	
	22	Heavy tropical rainstorm this evening more trees down in DIV area. Lieut Williams back in BRISBANE getting equipment. C.R.E. back from DINMORE.	
	23	C.R.E. visit to DIV re Courts Martial (4 FD COY) visit of Dep E in C Brig. Lucas to see C.R.E. . Weather fine and warm. March flies are getting plentiful.	

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Unit R.A.E. 3 Aust Div. Date & Time---From 24.Oct.'42. to 31.Oct.'42.

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	Oct 24	Accom Stores return to DIV. Timber return to 2 AUST CORPS. Personnel for ~~Dock~~ Dock Coy leave today for GROVELLY and report Saturday for duties in new unit.	
	25	Church parade at 0915 hrs. N.C.Os. who were going to Dock Coy from this unit are not now leaving this unit owing to shortage of A.I.F.- N.C.Os. Accom stores return to H.Q. 3 AUST DIV.	
	26	C.R.E. and I.O.R.E. visit to DINMORE to see 15 Fd Coy at Bridging. 4 Fd Coy to go to ENNOGERA for Rifle range practice today. Camouflage TNG unit back from SOUTHPORT with new equipment. Weather fine but some rain later.	
	27	Weather fine morning but rain this afternoon. Rumours about Home Leave still prevalent, tps of this unit want action though. Morale good, approx 80% A.I.F. throughout whole unit.	
	28	Work in respirators and antigas capes 1000 hrs-1030 hrs. Weather fine and warm but very humid. C.R.E. visit to DIV and 4 FD Coy.	
	29	Works Exp return to 2 AUST CORPS . Div Camouflage Training unit now at SHOWGROUNDS NAMBOUR instructing Div and Bde tps on camouflage.	
	30	Visit of ADJT. to DINMORE to inspect Bridging by 15 Fd Coy. Padre Eyers warned possible transfer to C.C.S. PORT MORESBY. 53 Fd Pk Coy transferred 2 welders to C.E. NEW GUINEA FORCE.	
	31	Coy losing hand and compressor tools required by FIRST AUST ARMY for units embarking for NEW GUINEA. All tps this H.Q. looking forward to possible action in near future.	

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

CAMP ROUTINE ORDERS.

by

LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

R.O.1. Nos.201/42

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201 NOTICES.

CHURCH PARADES.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at 0700 hrs in Field Park Area.

Church Parade for H.Q. personnel will be held at 0915 hrs.

R.C. CHURCH PARADE will be held at previous location.

PHOTOGRAPHS

The practice of having photographs sent from a local photographer to a unit or direct to a home address, is forbidden. This practice discloses location of units and the district from which they are drawn.

REMITTENCE OF CASH OR UNDRAWN PAY

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2. Remittance of Cash or undrawn pay may also be made to Bank Accounts, in which case the following details will be required:-
   (a) The full name of account to be credited.
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   (c) Whether an account is already in existence or whether a new account is required.

3. If a new account is required to be opened two specimen signatures will be obtained.

4. Units will promulgate the above facilities which are made available with the unit by the Pay Sgt.

UNAUTHORISED REMOVAL OF RAILWAY PROPERTY

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LT.COL.T.A.SYMONS.C.R.E.3 AUST DIV.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

CAMP ROUTINE ORDERS

BY

LT COL T.A. SYMONS C.R.E. 3 AUST DIV.

PART 1. Nos. 202/42

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202 NOTICES

CHURCH PARADES

Holy communion will be celebrated at 0700 hrs in Mess Tent

Church Parade for H.Q. personnel will be held at 1130 hrs.

H.Q. CHURCH PARADE will be held at previous location

INDELIBLE PENCILS

(1) Indelible pencils will NOT be used in any office (other than pay) for any purpose throughout 2 AUST CORPS

(2) Pay documents are the only papers exempt from this order.

(2 Aust Corps R.O.1 No 162/42)

AUTHORITY TO ISSUE RAIL WARRANTS AGAINST PAY BOOK DEBIT

As circumstances may occasionally arise in which a soldier on leave from camp is unable to present a rail warrant ticket, and is without means of paying for the journey back to camp, authority has been given for Railway Transport Officers to issue railwarrants under the following conditions:-

(1) Upon production of the soldiers leave pass, and satisfactory evidence as to identity, issue a rail warrant to cover the journey back to camp, conditional upon the soldier accepting a debit in his pay book for the cost of the fare.

(11) The R.T.O. will enter on the debit side of the pay book the date, number of the rail warrant issued, and cost of fare, and sign his name in the place provided. The warrant should have endorsed on it, the number of the pay book, also the numbersof the pages and line on which the debit is entered.

(iii) Should the soldier not be in possession of his pay book, an agreement, (in writing), should be obtained from him, acknowledging receipt of the warrant and authorizing the debit of the cost of the fare in thepaybook

(2AUST CORPS R.O.1 No 165/42)

WEB EQUIPMENT - WASHING OF:

The practice of washing belts, gaiters, and other items of Web Equipment so that they become white is to cease, and all units will take action to restore such web equipment to its orignal colour. This is to be completed by 11 OCT'42

ISSUES AND REPLACEMENTS

All R.H.Q. personnel wanting issues or replacements in clothing or Equipment will report same to R.S.M., who will inplace obtain same from 53 AUST FD PK COY Q.M. Store.

Capt Adjt
R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 24 OCT 42

Attached

Allowed by W.E. 1 X 2

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV *Unit*

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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Lieut.-Colonels ..	1	1		
Majors ..	-	-		
Captains ..	1	1		
Lieutenants ..	3	2		1
2nd Lieutenants	-	-		
Quartermasters ..	-	-		
Totals	5	4		1

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		NIL		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		NIL		

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

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LIEUT	V47404	W.J. GOWTY	I.O.R.E.	YES.	
LIEUT	VX66142	G.E. ROBERTSON	FD. OFFR.	NO	DUTY

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CAPT	V146193	M. BERAH	A.A.M.C.		MED OFFR	YES
CHAPLAIN	V105625	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D.		CHAPLAIN	NO

H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV
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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 31 OCT 42

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Quartermasters	-	-		1
Totals	5	4		1

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LIEUT	VX66192	G.E. ROBERTSON	FD OFFR	NO	DUTY 53 AUST FD PK COY.

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Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of attachment.	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No.)
CAPT	VX108216	M. BERAH	AAMC		RMO	YES
CHAPLAIN	V145636	F.T. EVERS	AACD		CHAPLAIN	NO

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
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Attached Allowed by W.E. 1 X 2

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 7 NOV '42

HQ R.A.F. 3 MET DN. Unit

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1		2	3	4
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* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.
CHAPLAIN	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D	3.11.42	TRANSFER to CCS

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
		NIL	

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Appointment.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No.).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/LT COL	SX 2818	T. A SYMONS	C.R.E	YES	
T/CAPT	VX 111271	B.O. YOUNG.	ADJT.	YES	
LIEUT	VX 111296	W.J. GOWTY	I.O.R.E	YES	
LIEUT	VX 36142	G.E. ROBERTSON	FD. OFFR	NO	DUTY 53 AUST FD. PK. COY.

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of attachment.	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No.)
CAPT	VX 108216	M. BERAH	A.A.M.C.		R.M.O.	YES

HQ R.A.E 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

7 NOV 42
(Date of Despatch.)

Lt-Col. C.R.E. 3 Div.
(Signature of Commander.)

3 AUST DIV.
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A.M.F. _____

W.E. _____ X _____

Attached _____

Allowed by W.E. _____ X _____

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date _____

Unit _____

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4
Ranks and W.E.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals			

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

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Serial No. A/42

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

W.E. Reference A.I.F. 11/4/3
A.M.F. -

HQ. RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) 31 OCT 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E. 5 X 31 **Attached Allowed by W.E.** 1 X 2

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1		2	3	4
Detail and	W.E.	Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1	-		
W.Os. Class II.	-	1 (AIC)		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-	-		
Staff Serjeants	-	-		
Serjeants	2	3	1	
Corporals	1	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27	22		5
TOTALS	31	28	* 2	* 5

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E. **Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.**

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.
1-CPL	1 SGT	AAMC	1- W O(1)	(AIC SUPERNUMERARY)
			1- SGT	53 AUST FD PK COY
			1- CPL	AAMC (ON LOAN FROM
				53 AUST FD PK COY)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
			NIL	

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HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners				B/F	6			B/F	6		
Armament Artificers				Fitters, Railway Signal				Riggers			
Armourers				Fitters, Signal				Rivetters			
Artificers, Artillery				Grinders				Saddlers			
Axemen				Gun Layers				Saddle Tree Makers			
Bakers				G.P.O. Assistants				Saw Doctors			
Battery Surveyors				Gun Operators				Sawyers			
Battery Comdrs. Asst.				Hammermen				Shoemakers			
Blacksmiths				Height Takers				Signallers			
Boilermakers				Helio Operators				Signwriters			
Bricklayers				Instrument Mechanics				Stokers, Stationery Engine			
Butchers				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Storemen, Technical			
Camouflage Modeller				Instrument Operators				Surveyors			
Carpenter and Joiner				Intelligence Duties				Surveyors, Engineering			
Clerks	2			Joiners				Tailors			
Clerks, Engineering				Leather Stitchers				Telescope Identification Numbers			
Clerks, Supply				Linesmen				Textile Refitters			
Clerks, Technical				Linesmen, Signals				Tinsmiths			
Coachmakers				Lithographers				Toolmakers			
Computers				Machinists				Turners			
Concretors				Masons				Vulcanizers			
Cooks	2			Masseurs				Wagon Erectors			
Cooks, Hospital				Mechanics, Dental				Watchmakers			
Coppersmiths				Mechanics, M.T.				Watermen			
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Mechanics, Typewriter				Welders			
Despatch Riders				Mechanics, Wireless				Well Borers			
Dispensers				Millwrights				Wheelers			
Draughtsmen				Miners				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen, Architectural	1		1	Moulders				Wiremen			
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			1	Nursing Orderlies				Woodturners			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				(b)			
Draughtsmen, Topographical	1		1	Nurses, Trained							
Driver Mechanics				Observation Post Assistants							
Driver Operators				Operating Room Assistants							
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Operators, Signal				(c) Non-Specialists			
Electrical Fitters				Opticians				BATMEN	7		3
Electricians				Painters				DRIVERS	10		2
Electricians, Eng. Units				Panel Beaters				SGTS	3	1	
Electricians, Signal				Pattern Makers				CKS	1	1	
Engine Artificers				Pharmacists				SANITARY DUTIES	1		
Engine Hands I/C				Photographers, dry plate							
Equipment Repairers				Photographers, wet plate							
Farriers				Photo-Writers							
Fire Control Operators				Plate Layers				Totals to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.	37	2	5
Fitters				Plumbers				Deficiency in ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.			
Fitters and Turners				Predictor Numbers							
Fitters, Cycle				Printers				PRIVATE RAMC			1
Fitters, Drivers				Radiator Mechanics							
Fitter's Mates				Radiographers							
Fitters, M.V.				Range Takers							
C/F	6			C/F	6			TOTAL			1

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... *Unit.*

Lt-Col
C.R.E. 3 Div.
..... *Signature of Commander.*

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Sgt. W. Hon W.N. (was Acting as W.O. Caterer)

Cpl. Cooney J.J. (was Sgt. Horseman)

Notes—(a) It rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
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(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

Lt-Col.
C.R.E. 2 Div.

Signature of Commander

Date of Despatch

Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

W.E. Reference A.I.F. 11/4/3
A.M.F. -

HQ RHE 3 AUST DIV. (Unit) 24 OCT 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E. 5 X 31 **Attached Allowed by W.E.** 1 X 2

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1		2	3	4
Detail and	W.E.	Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1	-		
W.Os. Class II.	-	1 (AIC)		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-	-		
Staff Serjeants	-	-		
Serjeants	2	3	1	
Corporals	1	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27	23		4
TOTALS	31	29	* 2	* 4

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E. **Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.**

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.
1-CPL	1 SGT	AAMC	1- WOSH	AIC (SUPERNUMERARY)
			1- CPL	53 AUST. FD. PK. COY. RHE
			1- CPL	AAMC (ON LOAN FROM
				53 AUST FD PK COY RHE

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
VX 47556	SPR	WALLACE NA	HQ RHE 3 AUST DIV	SCHOOL OF MECH - SEYMOUR VIC - COURSE NOW - WHEELED VEHICLE WING.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners				B/F				B/F			
Armament Artificers				Fitters, Railway Signal				Riggers			
Armourers				Fitters, Signal				Rivetters			
Artificers, Artillery				Grinders				Saddlers			
Axemen				Gun Layers				Saddle Tree Makers			
Bakers				G.P.O. Assistants				Saw Doctors			
Battery Surveyors				Gun Operators				Sawyers			
Battery Comdrs. Asst.				Hammermen				Shoemakers			
Blacksmiths				Height Takers				Signallers			
Boilermakers				Helio Operators				Signwriters			
Bricklayers				Instrument Mechanics				Stokers, Stationery Engine			
Butchers				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Storemen, Technical			
Camouflage Modeller				Instrument Operators				Surveyors			
Carpenter and Joiner				Intelligence Duties				Surveyors, Engineering			
Clerks	2			Joiners				Tailors			
Clerks, Engineering				Leather Stitchers				Telescope Identification Numbers			
Clerks, Supply				Linesmen				Textile Refitters			
Clerks, Technical				Linesmen, Signals				Tinsmiths			
Coachmakers				Lithographers				Toolmakers			
Computers				Machinists				Turners			
Concretors				Masons				Vulcanizers			
Cooks	2			Masseurs				Wagon Erectors			
Cooks, Hospital				Mechanics, Dental				Watchmakers			
Coppersmiths				Mechanics, M.T.				Watermen			
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Mechanics, Typewriter				Welders			
Despatch Riders				Mechanics, Wireless				Well Borers			
Dispensers				Millwrights				Wheelers			
Draughtsmen				Miners				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen, Architectural	1			Moulders				Wiremen			
Draughtsmen, Mechanical				Nursing Orderlies				Woodturners			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				(b)			
Draughtsmen, Topographical	1			Nurses, Trained							
Driver Mechanics				Observation Post Assistants							
Driver Operators				Operating Room Assistants							
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Operators, Signal				(c) Non-Specialists			
Electrical Fitters				Opticians				[illegible]	1		3
Electricians				Painters				DRIVERS	11		1
Electricians, Eng. Units				Panel Beaters				[illegible]	2	1	
Electricians, Signal				Pattern Makers				[illegible]	1	1	
Engine Artificers				Pharmacists				[illegible] DUTIES	1		
Engine Hands I/C				Photographers, dry plate							
Equipment Repairers				Photographers, wet plate							
Farriers				Photo-Writers							
Fire Control Operators				Plate Layers				Totals to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.	27	2	4
Fitters				Plumbers				Deficiency in ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.			
Fitters and Turners				Predictor Numbers							
Fitters, Cycle				Printers							
Fitters, Drivers				Radiator Mechanics							
Fitter's Mates				Radiographers							
Fitters, M.V.				Range Takers							
C/F	6			C/F				TOTAL			

Notes---(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... Unit.

[illegible] Lt-Col. ..... Signature of Commander. [illegible] E. 3 Div.

3 AUST DIV ..... Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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W.E. Reference A.I.F.....
A.M.F.....

.....(Unit) .....19.....(Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E.....X..... **Attached Allowed by W.E.**.....X.....

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail and	W.E.	2 Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.				
W.Os. Class II.				
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Sergeants				
Staff Serjeants				
Serjeants				
Corporals				
Troopers, Privates, &c.				
TOTALS			*	*

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E. **Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.**

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners				B/F				B/F			
Armament Artificers				Fitters, Railway Signal				Riggers			
Armourers				Fitters, Signal				Rivetters			
Artificers, Artillery				Grinders				Saddlers			
Axemen				Gun Layers				Saddle Tree Makers			
Bakers				G.P.O. Assistants				Saw Doctors			
Battery Surveyors				Gun Operators				Sawyers			
Battery Comdrs. Asst.				Hammermen				Shoemakers			
Blacksmiths				Height Takers				Signallers			
Boilermakers				Helio Operators				Signwriters			
Bricklayers				Instrument Mechanics				Stokers, Stationery Engine			
Butchers				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Storemen, Technical			
Camouflage Modeller				Instrument Operators				Surveyors			
Carpenter and Joiner				Intelligence Duties				Surveyors, Engineering			
Clerks				Joiners				Tailors			
Clerks, Engineering				Leather Stitchers				Telescope Identification Numbers			
Clerks, Supply				Linesmen				Textile Refitters			
Clerks, Technical				Linesmen, Signals				Tinsmiths			
Coachmakers				Lithographers				Toolmakers			
Computers				Machinists				Turners			
Concretors				Masons				Vulcanizers			
Cooks				Masseurs				Wagon Erectors			
Cooks, Hospital				Mechanics, Dental				Watchmakers			
Coppersmiths				Mechanics, M.T.				Watermen			
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Mechanics, Typewriter				Welders			
Despatch Riders				Mechanics, Wireless				Well Borers			
Dispensers				Millwrights				Wheelers			
Draughtsmen				Miners				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen, Architectural				Moulders				Wiremen			
Draughtsmen, Mechanical				Nursing Orderlies				Woodturners			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				(b)			
Draughtsmen, Topographical				Nurses, Trained							
Driver Mechanics				Observation Post Assistants							
Driver Operators				Operating Room Assistants							
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Operators, Signal				(c) Non-Specialists			
Electrical Fitters				Opticians				BATMAN	4		3
Electricians				Painters				DRIVERS	10		1
Electricians, Eng. Units				Panel Beaters							
Electricians, Signal				Pattern Makers				SGTS		2	
Engine Artificers				Pharmacists				CPL		1	
Engine Hands I/C				Photographers, dry plate							
Equipment Repairers				Photographers, wet plate							
Farriers				Photo-Writers							
Fire Control Operators				Plate Layers				Totals to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.	17	3	4
Fitters				Plumbers				Deficiency in ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.			
Fitters and Turners				Predictor Numbers							
Fitters, Cycle				Printers				PRIVATE AAMC			1
Fitters, Drivers				Radiator Mechanics							
Fitter's Mates				Radiographers							
Fitters, M.V.				Range Takers							
C/F				C/F				TOTAL			1

Notes:—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... Unit.

Lt-Col ..... Signature of Commander.
C.R.E. 3 Div.

Date of Despatch 10 OCT 41

3 AUST DIV ..... Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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Ref Col 3 (Surplus)

Sgt. Wilton has been acting
in the capacity of W.O. Palmer
Sgt. Dartnell see Sgt.
Engineers

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

(Erase heading not required.)

Army Form C.2118. (Adapted).

Unit. R.A.E. 3 AUST. DIV. Date & Time---From. 1 Nov. '42 to. 9 Nov. '42

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	Nov. 1	Fwd Int.summ. & Acomm stores returns to DIV & C.E. 2 Aust Corps. Church parade 0915 hrs Padre Eyers con ducted same as last service with this H.Q. preparatory to moving to N.G. FORCE.	
	2	Padre ordered to proceed to BRISBANE for embarkation. C.R.E. lecture to Camfg Unit at NAMBOUR. Visit Capt Lobb, Major Neddham, Major Penniger. Lieut Williams purchasing Hand Tools BRISBANE.	
	3	R.M.O. back from 15 Fd.Coy. Sgt Dartnall with 2 sappers attached to 1 M.O.T. BDE. GYMPIE for Mortar school attending to U.X.B's. C.R.E. conference with G.S.I. at DIV.	
	4	Weather very humid, some rain. Recce Truck in lieu of Cars Utility arrived for C.R.E. Lieut Tandy arrived back from S.M.E. Liverpool N.S.W. and WAGGA.	
	5	DIV. Signal exercise. Adv.H.Q. moved out to new location. Rear H.Q. in charge Lieut Williams.	
West of PALMWOODS	6	Sig. exercise. H.Q. R.A.E. cooperating in exercise. Rain falling, site muddy but vehicles able to pass in and out of camp site.	
GLENVIEW	7	Signal exercise ends. Return to Rear H.Q. Still raining. Strong wind blowing tonight. Lieut Tandy rejoins 4 AUST FD. COY.	
	8.	Church parade at 1o3o hrs Padre Bennet. Tps make and mend. Washing. Rain all gone and weather fine and clear. C.R.E. visit to Coys.	
	9	Liet. Robertson (F.O.) left for Bomb Disposal school BONEGILLA, R.S.M? left for O.T.S. BONEGILLA. Cpl. Collinson to take over Orderly Room Sgt's job from 4 FD.COY.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Unit. H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST. DIV. Date & Time---From 10 Nov. '42 to 17 Nov. '42

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW.	Nov. 10.	Lieut. Williams checking purchases of Hand Tools and distributing same to Coys. Lieut Gowty getting quotes for timber to be used in Bridge and road construction.	
	11	Preparation of 2 AUST CORPS DEMO plan now well under way. Instructions now to hand re Home Leave at 10% per 17 days MELBOURNE. Tps in good spirits. Work in respirators 1000-1030.	
	12	C.R.E. reece with G.1. of roads to fix priorities for road jobs in this area. 8 Semi Trailers arrived ~~for~~ for 53 AUST FD PK COY. to carry Bridging materials.	
	13	Carpenter from 15 AUST FD COY. building fittings on vehicle for orderly room. Weather still fine. Received cycle from ADOS today.	
	14	Accom. ~~stores~~ stores return to H.Q. 3 DIV. 4 FD.COY now biv on road jobs. C.R.E. visit 4 FD. Coy. to inspect Road work. First 10% batch nominal roll fwd G.D.D. for Home Leave. Demo plan (now all complete) fwded H.Q. 3 DIV., with copies for 2 AUST CORPS and FIRST AUST ARMY.	
	15.	Church parade 1000 hrs. Make and mend day. Tps washing. Weather fine and warm.	
	16	Adjutant Capt. B.O. Young moved out for 17 days leave Melbourne. Lieut Gowty acting Adjt. Lieut Green attached temporarily this H.Q. for FD Offr duties to assist in works programme. Lieut Williams checking through C.R.V's with Coy. Q.M's. C.R.E. inspects DIV. exercise with G.1.	
	17	Second batch 10% of personnel for Home Leave fwd 3 AUST DIV. 53 AUST FD. PK COY. on one day Biv. Intelligence Summary and Works Report fwded Corps. Advice from ADOS to transfer ½" and ¾" compressor line inter Coys.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Unit. H.Q. R.A.E. 3 AUST DIV. Date & Time---From. 18 Nov. '42. to.....

Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	Nov. 18	~~Xxxxxx Batch~~ Work in respirators 1000-1030 hrs. Carpenter working on Int. truck. ~~Xxxx~~ News from fighting fronts very good, men keen to get away. Visit of C.R.E. FIRST AUST ARMY TPS and five Offrs to inspect 4 Bde exercise "Jungle Warfare".	
	19	Men issued with 1 pair shorts and 2 worsted shirts, the clothing position is still acute in this Unit. C.R.E. and Field Offr working on New Bridge details and road construction.	
	20	Fwded Census of warlike stores to ADOS, 2 AUST CORPS E.in C. Visit of Maj. Needham and Maj. Penniger re Works. N.C.O. and 4 Sappers detached from 15 Fd.Coy. to assist in 4 Bde. exercise 23 & 24 Nov. to prepare demos and explosives. Lieut Nelson's promotion to Capt. through now.	
	21	C.R.E. and G.1. recce of proposed new DIV site Mapleton area. FD PK COY received 8 semi trailers to carry bridging materials. Weatherfine tending to cool at night. All personnel now have mosquito nets erected.	
	22	Church parade 1030 hrs. Padre Bennet. Mobile Bath personnel attended. Visit to C.R.E. of G.1. to discuss Works and proposed move. C.R.E. and Lieut Gowty visit to new site to plan layout etc..	
	23	~~Visit G.1. to C.R.E. Lieut Green getting prices for timber and steel job.~~ MOUNT EMU. Weather fine and warm. Word received first batch Home Leave ~~personnel leave~~ 26 Nov. '42.	
	24	Visit of C.E. 2 AUST CORPS and Maj Little to see Exercise 4 Bde with C.R.E. of Maj. Needham and Capt. Nelson. 53 AUST FD PK COY sent 8/3 ton trucks to 60 CORPS FD.PK. with surplus accom stores, and back loaded steel for jobs.	Visit

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Place	Date Hr.	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks & References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
GLENVIEW	Nov 25	Conference C.R.E. and Coy. Comdrs re DIV works programme in future. Invitations to C.R.E. and Offrs to attend 53 AUST FD PK COY "Barbecue" tonight. Weather hot. 4 AUST FD COY now under COMD C.R.E. for DIV works programme. Work in repxrspirators for 1000-1030 hrs.	
	26	C.R.E. visit to 4 FD. COY's job MOUNT EMU. Visit C.E.2 AUST CORPS with Maj. Little to see exercise 15 Bde. C.R.E. conducted them over battle area and visited 53 AUST FD PK COY to see works.	
	27	Warning order Maj Pinniger stand by to go to Thursday Island. Lieut Williams back from BRISBANE after buying hand tools, and left immediately for MARYBOROUGH-BUNDABERG. 15 fd.Coy. working on Bde exercise. C.R.E. out all night watching Sappers on Bridge Construction.	
	28	Spr. Edwards back from F.S. & M.R. School. Visit of Maj Pinniger to discuss works with C.R.E. C.E. 2 AUST CORPS arrived to go out to Bde exercise with C.R.E. Visit Maj Needham for C.R.E.	
	29	Church parade 1030 hrs Padre Bennet. Weather fine and hot. Swimming parade at 1300 hrs Lieut Green in charge of party. Lieut Williams back from BUNDABERG with purchases hand tools.	
	30	C.R.E. out all night on 15 BDE exercise. Promotion just through for Capt Lobb now Major O.C. 53 AUST FD PK COY. Just announced H.Q. & 53 AUST FD PK COY 24 personnel to go on Home Leave as from 1 Dec (17 days leave from L.&T.D.) Lieut Green purchasing timber for Bridges (DIV works programme) No word yet of move from this location.	

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DUTIES

Sgt. DARTNALL R. will generally carry out Adm. duties of R.S.M. on H.Q. R.A.E. as from 11 Nov. '42, until further notice.

NOTICES

PACKING AND WRAPPING OF POSTAL ARTICLES

The fundamental requirements in connection with the Packing and Wrapping of Parcels are that they shall be packed in such a manner as to -

(a) Protect the contents from loss or damage arising from the handling and pressure to which the package is unavoidably subject during its transmission through the post.
(b) Preserve the contents from the effects of climatic conditions.
(c) Prevent injury to any person handling the package.
(d) Prevent the contents escaping and causing damage to other postal articles.

Badly wrapped parcels will not be accepted for transmission in either direction through Army Postal Service.

UNLAWFUL USE OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

Upon conviction for unlawfully using an Army Motor vehicle in the opinion of the J.A.G. the accused can be put under a penal deduction for any damage sustained by the vehicle while it is being unlawfully used without proof being given that the damage was due to the accused's negligence. Any damage resulting from an accident is the natural consequence of the use of the vehicle, and, if the vehicle is being unlawfully used, of such unlawful user. The amount that can be awarded as a penal deduction from pay by a Court-Martial is unlimited, and by a C.O. is limited to £5.

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208 NOTICES.

INDISCRIMINATE SHOOTING.

(i) Instances have been reported of indiscriminate shooting by pers. travelling by trains and MT including pers engaged on duty as members of LRRP's.

(ii) Indiscriminate shooting nerar homesteads and inhabited areas is extremely dangerous both to humans and cattle.

(iii) In future definite instns will be issued to offrs and NCO's and O/R's of all units including LRRP's prohibiting such indiscriminate shooting.

(Vi) Strict disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

MEDICAL ATTENTION FOR TROOPS ON LEAVE.

1. It must be impressed on every soldier that it is necessary to inform the Military Authorities at once should he become sick whileon leave. It must be made clear to him that this responsibility rests with him in order that he may not be regarded as being "absent without leave."

2. Instructions must be issued to all troops that if they become ill while on leave from camp they will :-
   (a) Report at once to the nearest Area Medical Officer or Military Hospital; or
   (b) Report at once to the nearest Public Hospital if an Area Medical Officer or Military Hospital be not available; or
   (c) If unable to report at once at the Hospital personally, communicate with the DDMS of the Comd, who will, if practicable, make the necessary arrangements to send for and bring him to hospital; or
   (d) If unable to attend or be taken to a Military Hospital (or Public Hospital where a Military Hospital is not available) provide any necessary medical attention at his own expense, and at once forward a certificate from the medical attendant to the DDMS comd.

3. All invalids must report to the nearest Military Hospital as soon as ~~xxx~~ they are fit to travel.

PURCHASE OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR.

Alcoholic liquor will not be sold to military pers in hotels in 2 Aust Corps Area except between 1800 hrs and 2000 hrs. It will be an offence for any member of 2 Aust Corps units to purchase or attempt to purchase alcoholic liquor except within the authorized hours.

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R.O.1. Nos.209/42

209 NOTICES.

CASUALTIES - PRIVATE COMMUNICATIONS CONCERNING.

1. Private cables and telegrams reporting battle or other casualties are prohibited. In letters, no reference is to be made to any such casualty until after a period of one month from the date of its occurrence.

2. The prohibition and restriction imposed by para 1 hereof are not applicable to communications sent by a member relative to a casualty sustained by himself.

3. This order has been dictated by motives of consideration for the feelings of the relatives of members of the Forces who, in many instances have been caused unnecessary suffering and suspense through information contained in private correspondence from operational areas and which, in some cases, has proved to be inaccurate.

GAMBLING.

Attention of all ranks is drawn to A.M.R.&.O. 322 which states that gambling in camp or other military premises or on any ship carrying troops is forbidden.

This regulation is to be strictly enforced and offenders will be severely dealt with.

CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR

Alcoholic liquor will not be served or consumed in camp except during the hours specified hereunder:-

For one hour during period laid down for lunch viz: 1200 - 1300 hrs.
For one and one half hours during dinner period viz:1715 hrs to 1845 hrs.
"Shouting" is strictly forbidden.

The above rule will be strictly enforced.

CHURCH PARADES

Holy Communion will be celebrated at 0630 hrs.

Church Parade will be held at 1030 hrs.

R.C. Church Parade for H.Q. R.A.E. - As previously instructed.

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R.O.1. No.203/42

203 NOTICES.

DRESS - SUMMER.

1. Summer dress is to be introduced not later than 1 Oct 42 but may be introduced at an earlier date at the discretion of Comd.

1. OTHER RANKS.

A Between 0600 Hrs -1830 hrs - Shorts (if in possession) Belt, boots, puttees short and hose tops or trousers drill khaki gaiters, belts and shirts will be worn. Shirt sleeves may be worn rolled up. Hats will be worn turned down.

B.i. Between 1830 hrs - 0600 hrs - Trousers, drill khaki (or S.D.) and shirts with long sleeves or with appropriate blouse or jacket will be worn. Hats will be worn turned down. Belts.

ii. Where trousers drill khaki have not yet been issued trousers S.D. will be worn with either shirt or jacket S.D.

24. OFFICERS.

Between 0600 hrs-1830 hrs-Drill uniform or shorts and shirts will be worn. Shirt sleeves may be worn rolled up.

B. Between 1830 hrs - 0600 hrs-Drill uniform will be worn.

C. Officers may, in special circumstances or if not in possession of drill uniform wear uniform S.D. Officer Pattern.

D. "Safari Shirts"-Until such time as they are authorised for issue Safari Shirts will be worn only by A.I.F. personnel returned from overseas who are engaged on Operation Stations or on Instructional Duty (VB100679 of 31 Dec 41).

The undermentioned personnel, volunteered for service in the A.I.F., have been classified Medically Fit Class 1, and completed A.A.F. A.200, are transferred to the A.I.F. and allotted Army numbers as shown :-

V34334	Spr.	HEY.W.	VX106373
V34345	"	HIDDLESTONE.R.W.	VX106374
V.56993	"	DAIY.L.B.	VX106370
V285369	"	EDWARDS.G.E.	VX106371
V34725	Cpl.	BUXTON.H.K	VX106366
V34930	Spr.	CONDON.R.T.W.	VX106368
V186289	A/Cpl.	GROUNDS.H.H.	VX106372
V56803	Spr.	BUTSON.F.L.	VX106365
V34026	Sgt.	WITTON.W.H.	VX106375
V57115	Spr.	COLLIER.E.P.	VX106367
V34045	T/Cpl.	COONEY.J.J.	VX106369
V34082	Sgt	JEFFREY.C.B.	VX89248

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R.O.1. Nos.210/42

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210 NOTICES.

SALE OF GOODS IN UNIT CANTEENS.

1. It has been brought to notice that in certain areas unit canteens are selling canteen goods at prices in excess of those laid down by the Australian Defence Canteens Service.

2. Goods purchased from A.D.C.S. for subsequent re-sale in unit canteens are not to be sold at prices in excess of A.D.C.S. retail prices.

3. Copies of price lists will be obtained from A.D.C.S. and posted in a prominent place in unit canteens.

(Extract G.R.O. 9528 of 6 NOV'42.)

VEHICLE CANOPIES.

On two ~~xx~~ recent occasions, reports have been received of canopies being stolen from vehicles.

Units must ensure that leave etc. vehicles are NOT left unattended, in order that such happenings do NOT occur.

Severe disciplinary action will be taken against any offenders apprehended.

FIRE PRECAUTIONS.

All ranks are warned that a fire danger exists from reflection of the sun on hand mirrors etc. left hanging outside tents.
If the rays of the sun are reflected on the canvas of the tent, the probability of fire is great.

CIGARETTE & TOBACCO RATIONS.

After 16 NOV'42, Tobacco and cigarettes will be rationed on the following basis:-

105 cigarettes per man per week.
3 oz Tobacco per man per week.

Purchases will be made weekly, and, when making purchases, units will present copy of current strength return, signed by C.O. or Adjt, to the N.C.O. i/c Bulk Canteen Store.

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R.C.I. Nos.205/42

205 NOTICES.

CHURCH PARADES.

C of E Church Parade will be held at 1130 hrs. on 18 Oct'42

R.C. Church Parade will be held on previous site.

DRESS - SUMMER

Attention is again directed to First AAO 297.
Shorts and shirts will NOT be worn between the hours of 1830 - 0600.
(First AAO 297)

PILFERING BY SOLDIERS OF PINEAPPLES FROM FARMS.

1. Complaints have been received at HQ Q'land L of C Area that soldiers throughout Queensland are pilfering pineapples from farms and doing great damage to the crops.

2. Medical officers in the tropics rely a great deal on pineapple juice for the troops to make up for the shortage of vegetables. The destruction and pilfering of pineapples may seriously affect the health of troops in tropical areas by reducing the supply of pineapples, which is already insufficient.

3. COs of Units will take disciplinary action where any such pilfering or damage is brought to notice.

4. COs will also bring to the notice of troops the national disservice which is being displayed by such actions.

REDUCTION TO THE RANKS.

1. V34062 Sgt POPE,J.F. 53 Aust Fd.Park Coy was charged with the following offence committed on active service:-
Absenting himself without leave from 0615 hrs 25 SEP 42 until 2015 hrs 28 SEP 42.

2. The matter was, on 8 Oct 42, dealt with by Brig Adv Comd and performing the functions of Comd 3 Aust Div and, in exercise of powers conferred upon him pursuant to AMR & O 219, he, that day, reduced the said Sgt to the ranks.

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R.O.1. Nos. 212/42

212 NOTICES.

SICKNESS OF OR INJURY TO MEMBERS OF THE A.M.F. ON LEAVE.

1. It is to be impressed on all members of the A.M.F. that it is necessary to inform the military authorities at once should they become sick or sustain injury whilst on leave. This responsibility rests with the individual in order to avoid the risk of being regarded as "absent without leave" in the event of such sickness or injury preventing his return to his unit by the due date.

2. Any member who becomes sick or sustains injury whilst on leave will:-
(a) Report at once to the nearest military hospital or, where this is impracticable, to the nearest area medical officer; or
(b) Report at once to the nearest public hospital, if a military hospital or area medical officer is not available; or
(c) If unable to attend or be taken to a military hospital (or public hospital where a military hospital is not available), then obtain private medical attention and immediately forward a certificate by the medical attendant to the nearest headquarters of a L of C area, which will take action to notify the unit and the D.D.M.S.

3. When the state of health of members who are injured or become sick whilst on leave permits, they will at once communicate with their unit advising the nature of injury or sickness, location whilst sick - and the probable duration of treatment.

4. Any military hospital, area medical officer or administrative medical authority to which, or to whom a member so reports, will -
(a) arrange for appropriate medical or surgical treatment, and

(b) advise the member's unit that the member has reported and of the arrangements made for treatment, and the nature and probable duration of disability.

5. Members who become sick or sustain injury whilst on leave without pay granted for the purpose of engaging in seasonal or industrial activities in a civil capacity are not entitled to treatment in military hospitals or at government expense. However, in order to maintain records it is necessary that such members should report particulars of any sickness or injury, and of the progress of their treatment, to the nearest area medical officer or administrative medical officer, who will then ensure that the member's unit is advised.

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R.O. 1. NOS. 213/42

213 NOTICES.

ENTERTAINMENT - NAMBOUR PICTURE THEATRE.

Arrangements have been made with the Proprietor of NAMBOUR Picture Theatre, for reduction in prices of admission under.

MON)
TUE)
WED) 300 front seats at 1/6d. plus Tax.
FRI)

THUR 300 seats at 1/- plus tax to all parts of the theatre.

SAT 100 seats at 1/6d. plus tax, if obtained before 1930 hrs.

CONDUCT OF TPS ON TRAINS.

Reports have been received indicating that tps travelling on trains are endangering the public by opening carriage doors and alighting whilst trains are in motion.

Action will be taken to impress on tps the danger they cause to people standing on platforms by this practice, and orders will be issued for its immediate cessation. This practice is a breach of Rly By-Laws, and is punishable by civil authorities.

POSTAL ADMINISTRATION. XMAS POSTINGS.

To assist Base Post Office and FPO staffs to handle heavy mails for the Xmas period, troops are requested to post as early as possible.

Rifle .303 No 2513 complete with bottle oil and web sling found in MENOOGERA RIFLE RANGE AREA. Unit Q stores will check issues and report to this H.Q.

LOST. On THUR 12 NOV - wristlet watch in leather case - on lawn near dressing sheds at CALOUNDRA BEACH. Finder please notify this HQ.

CAMP CLEANLINESS AND HYGIENE.

Personnel are warned against the practices of leaving latrine seats open, and the disposal of rubbish, papers etc. around the camp area. Both practices are unclean and unhygienic.
Disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

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3 Div. Artillery
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No

ADM

(a) Sup P's)
(b) P.P's)
(c) A.P's) Will be fixed by HQ RAA AND THEIR locations advised by signal during exercise.
(d) W.P's)

(e) Tents and flys will be taken but will be used only at SOUTHPORT bivouac site.

(f) Rear Parties of not more than 2½% of Unit Strength may be left at present Bivouac Site.

(g) Regts will arrange fbr the collection and despatch of mail during exercise.

(h) Canteens will operate during exercise.

(i) Carriers will NOT be taken.

(j) Cut fences will be repaired; all gates securely fastened and gun pits and slit trenches filled in, immediately posns are vacated.

(k) CO will submit certificate to this HQ prior to exercise that no tps are carrying ball amn.

(l) Regt will ensure that HQ RAA is advised of all passwords ordered.

(m) Copies of all traces and computations will be forwarded to HQ RAA .

(n) Maps required. GLASSHOUSE 1" to 1 mile
CABOOLTURE
CRESSBROOK
SAMFORD
IPSWICH
BEENLEIGH
TAMBOURINE
SPRINGBROOK.

NOTE. Troops should be advised to take swimming togs with them. It should also be impressed on all tps that one reason for this move is to give them 2 days at SOUTHPORT beach. Future privileges of this nature will depend entirely on their conduct at SOUTHPORT.

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RAA 3 AUST DIV
2 NOV 42.

GUTS FOR GUNNERS.

NO. 14.

1. Gun programs usually have to be used by a begrimed No 1 possibly in a wet or dusty gun pit. Therefore figures must be bold and clear. No alterations should be noticeable.

2. If officers were proportionately as good as their tps, all Regts would be super efficient. To take 43 minutes to work out a Correction of the Moment is plain inefficiency. Whilst on this subject, always have ready at your command post, forms with the standard corrections incorporated in them and thus save as much time as possible.

3. Wire is being unnecessarily bared for phone connections. All sigs should be supplied with a safety pin and wire for this purpose. Cablelayers are strongly built, but having a full reel of cable in the layer whilst travelling not laying is bad, and when in a ddition a sig sits on the reel, even the well built cable layer will subside.

4. On a recent exercise the cable whipped across the road several times because the vehicle was travelling too fast -- and so was duly cut by a foreign pair of side-cutting pliers.

5. The first recce plane will arrive over your position as soon as it is light enough for a pilot to see. If he sees anything, it is only a matter of minutes before his bomb-carrying machine-gunning cobbers arrive. You simply must be washed, shaved, and fed within 15 minutes of first light.

6. If an RV is open or at a crossroads, do not bring all vehicles up to it. It is quite sufficient to have one person or one vehicle at the RV and the rest within call.

7. On the move, the last vehicle of any group should always be a gun. Of course no text book says so but isn't it only common sense? At a halt a gun should be sent up to the top of the column also.

8. Infallibility is not an attribute of Artillery subalterns. All map references in orders, encoding and decoding should invariably be checked by somebody else.

9. "The wireless set worked for only half an hour this morning and since then we have not been able to get anything out of it"; Of course not. All last night you had two accumulators on the charging set. As the sig didn't check with an ammeter, one accumulator was charged at the rate of 13 amps and the other got only two. The one which was getting 13 should have had its resistance built up by a bit of wire or similar device so that both accumulators got an equal amount of charge and then the starved 2-amp one would have lasted you all day.

10. Granted it is difficult for the LMGunner to hit a fast flying fighter. However the determined L M Gunner who puts down a cone of fire at one spot through which the plane must fly has every chance of getting it. Machine gun fire from the bomber will rarely inflict casualties on troops on the ground because his guns are not fixed and have to be aimed.

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GUTS FOR GUNNERS

NO. 15.

1. We have previously pointed out that double communication e.g. R/T and telephone is not only unnecessary but is a waste of wireless accumulators. Proper use of communications can only be achieved by drill. Offrs who have any intelligence will please inaugurate this drill.

2. Many offrs should be glad that no intelligence tests are applied to them. Because we insisted that signal "Chat" should be cut down, various people told their sigs to cut out the word "Sir" when reporting "Through Sir".

3. The CPO is not God. The idea that some CPO's have of limiting GPOs in the selection of tp posns to a pocket handkerchief allotment should be resisted by the GPO. The CPO allots the area. If this is not suitable, the GPO should say so. After all the CPO will not be in that area when the shells and bombs are falling in it.

4. We will have to allot a prize for the most stupid order. Up to date, the leading entrant is the OPC who , at 1410 hrs, ordered that his tps should not be given their midday meal until shooting was finished. The tps got it at 1645 hrs. It will be a real pity if the Jap or the Hun will not leave us alone between 1200 and 1400 hrs so that we can have our midday meal.

4. In bush country, wire laid from 3 to 6 feet above the ground will be shattered for anything up to 50 yds by a bomb or shell burst. The gound is the place to lay wire.

5. On active service there are no safety offrs, but in this state of semi-peace we are compelled to have them. This is no reason why the safety offr should not have an arty board with an arm and arc and the range map positioned on it. Then he will not take 4 minutes to decide whether a gun can fire or not

6. When a gun shoots 20° out for line it can only be assumed that we have discovered a new form of droop i.e. it droops to the right instead of downwards. Similarly when 3 rds from the same gun in a smoke shoot go off 500 yds from the gun, they may be called prematures. People who know say that it is due to bad fuze setting. or incorrect charge setting. Likewise if one gun is consistently shooting 200 yds short, it may be due to the fact that it has not been calibrated; more probably it is due to bad sight testing.

7. Gun Memos of Exam even if retained in the Bty office should be filled in by Nos. 1. Then the promoted or new No 1 will know what his gun has done. For them to be done by the LAD or interred at RHQ is just a continuation of the stupid pre-1939 Militia system.

8. Guns must be oiled, but when working in dusty or sandy country it is lack of plain commonsense to coat working parts in oil, particularly the elevating arcs.

9. Irregularities in ramming make considerable differences in range. Until recently we had never seen the one-handed ramming as practised by certain Nos 2. To get gunners perfect in ramming it is not a bad idea to offer a bottle of beer to the gunner who by ramming properly can force a drill shell right out through the muzzle when the gun is elevated at 25°. 5 bottles of beer will produce 5 gunners who can ram properly.

10. The most poisonous slogan invented for British people was "Safety First". We discovered a survey party which had to go across about 800 yds in front of the guns. "Safety First" told them that they should not take the risk although the guns were firing at not less than 4500 yds. What was the risk?

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GUTS FOR GUNNERS.

NO. 16.

1. Certain units are not getting as much water as they require for drinking and washing. This is simply due to the fact that

   (a) The Bty Captains have not impressed on the water dutymen the importance of their job. (In one unit, when water was down to ¼ a pint per man per day, the water dutymen worked 16/18 hrs per day in going back up to 100 miles on their own initiative to get extra water. No one told them to do it but their offrs had trained them beforehand.

   (b) It should be an absolute rule that the water cart is never empty unless there are rigid restrictions on the use of water. To date we have not found any here so we can only assume that this state of affairs is due to the fact that offrs are not worrying about the welfare of their tps.

2. From some little experience we can assure everyone that it is not necessary to practice discomfort or living under the conditions of the pigsty. Tps will wear tin hats when the necessity arises. Gnrs will likewise wear full web eqpt when it is necessary. Why they should wear it for about 12 hrs per day is known only to those who do not think. It would be a different matter if you were practising marching with full eqpt or some similar exercise. Wearing of full web eqpt in a gun pit is just the 99th illustration of stupidity.

3. Some tps have paid 5/6d to have collars and shoulder straps put on their issue shirts. The only appropriate method we can think of would be to make the troop Comd concerned pay the full cost. Arent you supposed to look after your tps welfare?

4. "We cant do subsection cooking because we have no kerosene for primus stoves" Unless you organise the making of a reserve of kerosene you never will have any. We hate quoting one unit to some of you who know more than we can tell you, but this particular unit before leaving the Middle East had accumulated by careful hoarding, 4 gallons of kerosene per vehicle because they thought they were bound again for active service and they knew that on active service they got no kerosene at all. Nevertheless at no time were they without kerosene for their primus stoves on service In many cases in this country, what is wrong with lighting a fire away from the gun pits, provided that you do not use wet, smoke-producing wood.

5. Australians are full of initiative. "Oh Yeah". How many of you have collected a few dozen smoke shells from the range after a shoot to enable your gunners to practice fuze setting.

6. A procedure is laid down for multiple calls both on the R/T and telephone. If you practise it occasionally you would not waste so much time in calling up 3 people to give them the same message.

7. Let us be as uncomfortable as we can. It would be a vast pity if anyone made a stand for the 10 line U.C so that the sig can sit down on a reel or something of the kind to do his job.

8. Signal "Chat" is still driving us mad. No message should be repeated unless the operator thinks it absolutely essential. "Say Again" is a short clear signal, not a verbose explanation as to why you did not understand the message.

9. Sigs in this Div Arty are apparently lost when using codes. To train them properly it would be a good idea to use codes on the telephone. This might accustom them to using codes.

10. We are gradually getting used to using Signal Logbooks. An improvement would be for the sig to have a piece of board the size of his logbook and 2 elastic or rubber bands holding the book down on to the board. A further improvement is for this to be around his leg above the knee. Even to you it should be obvious that this will free his right hand and probably enable him to write more legibly

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GUTS FOR GUNNERS.

NO. 17.

1. Culverts are ideal for road crossin s for line but do not interpret this as meaning that an unfortunate sig should crawl through the culvert when it is 2 feet deep in mud and slush.

2. All M and S vehicles should carry at least 2 dozen wooden pegs. There should be no delay then in pegging down lines. If your NCO Sigs does not have these on his vehicle at any time, make him cut 5 dozen in his own time and he will not forget them in future.

3. A repetition. Sigs are the most important people in the Bty ones they have been impregnated with a real sense of the duty and responsibility which devolves upon them. Treat them as a privileged class e.g. lay it down that sigs will never be put on certain fatigues. They also require rest. When they are resting they must be as far as possible away from the gun posn so that they can obtain complete rest, but be near enough for any impending move.

4. Faith does not run a signal exchange. There should be "K" labels on all lines coming into a 10 line U.C. Switchboard.

5. We know that you dont like the mechanical cablelayer but still we wish to heavens you would not lay your lines so tightly. When there is insufficient slack left on a line, if a portion of it is knocked out by a bomb or shell you will have the greatest difficulty in repairing the line.

6. Lines into a Tp Comd post must be laid down so that no tangling will occur. 2 pegs 2'6" apart should be put into the ground for each line, the line tied back to the furthest peg from the phone, [illegible] in figure 8. This becomes useful if you have to shift the Comd Post or exchange. The same should apply for each line coming into the Bty Exchange.

7. Please, Oh Please trust your GPO or shoot him. If he cannot keep his guns parallel or have posn corrections applied, the latter is the best course.

8. It should not always be necessary to see rounds from each of the 4 guns on the ground before you guarantee that shells will land in the target area.

9. Judging by the effective performances put up by some OPAs and sigs at recent practices when we casualtied the OPO, it would appear to be advantageous to the Australian Army if some OPOs really became casualties.

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GUTS FOR GUNNERS.
NO. 18.

1. In wartime speed often means lives saved. 3 or 4 minutes is ample time for a detachment to put up a camouflage net. It can be done in that time if a simple drill for putting it up is practised.

2. Survey should normally be taken to pivot guns - not only to the Bty director. Certainly circumstances may necessitate the Svy party stopping short at the Bty director but this should not be done simply to save the Svy party work.

3. Commonsense can be applied even to survey work. To tape 10 traverses up hill and down dale and then pretend that this is a more accurate method than sub-tensing is absurd.

4. Nothing is more demoralising than havin, wounded men unattended around a posn. The RMO must decide on the posn of Bty Aid Posts which must be known to all men in the Bty. A Bty Aid Post should be near a road or track and most decidedly should never be down a valley.

5. Army instns have laid down that a weekly quiz on some technical subject should be held for all offrs. A quiz for tps embracing about 60% military matters and 40% general knowledge will give your tps an interesting break. Organized competitions between sections makes it go better.

6. Recently we noticed a number of loose sight brackets on guns. On one gun this led to a variation up to 3°. Can anyone tell us what DOES a Tp Comd, a Bty Comd, a T. Artificer, and the CC LAD do?

7. Amongst the many well thought out ideas in this Div Arty of how to bore tps is gun drill, BUT, gun drill properly carried out and properly supervised is not only a stimulant, but pays dividends in shooting. R.A.T.M. 5 for instance gives an example of how to make laying interesting and instructive. But then of course offrs of this Div Arty work too hard to have time to read any Tng Pamphlets.

8. "Do as you're B— well told" is usually the remark of the senior fool. It may be necessary occasionally to use it on a junior who is hesitant about carrying out an order, but to say it to a junior who voices a legitimate objection to doing something which he considers impracticable or wrong merely to stifle his objection is silly e.g. a GPO must object when the CPO gives him a suburban allotment in which to put his tps.

9. Sight tests are essential and they must be done accurately. At present in some tps they are being done in an irresponsible and unenthusiastic manner.

10. "We cant get talc to make Sandsographs for Nos 1" BUT we still have talc on Map Boards which we cart about OPs.

11. Most things evolved by the army are the result of considerable experimentation. At times possibly, amendments take some time for adoption. The issue camouflage frame is the best form yet provided. Nevertheless some Nos 1 decided that they could do without the diagonal cross wires. Again, what DOES a Tp Comd do?

12. 10-Line U.C. exchanges have only one disadvantage. They are susceptible to dust or sand. It is no use telling us that they are not satisfactory. Incidentally we saw one sig using jacks after he had picked them up from the sand. Why let such irresponsibles belong to the crack part of a Bty.

13. Earth leads on the lines coming into an exchange should be from 10 to 15 feet long with the pins well spaced but close to the line they earth. This stops induction.

14. In about 6 months time we do not doubt that these resourceful Australians who are so full of initiative (vide any newspaper) will have learned how to use the primus stove. You can actually grill on a primus by using a piece of tin with the sides bent over to carry the fat away from the flame.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE
No.

H.Q. R.A.E.3 AUST DIV.
AUSTRALIA.
31 OCT'42

SUMMARY OF A.I.F. PERSONNEL SERVING WITH A.M.F. UNIT.

Lt.Col	SYMONS.T.A.	C.R.E.
Capt.	YOUNG.B.O.	Adjt.
Capt.	DERAM.M.	A.A.M.C. (Med Offr)
Lieut.	COWTY.W.J.	I.O.R.E.
Lieut.	ROBERTSON.G.E.	Fd.Offr.
W.O.11.	SMITH.C.L.	A/RSM.
Sgt.	WITTON.W.N.	Surplus (was acting W.O.Caterer).
Sgt.	JEFFREY.C.B.	Sgt.Clerk D.R.O. 1 M.D.
Cpl.	DEXTON.H.K.	Transport Cpl.
Cpl.	COO NEY.J.J.	Cook Surplus.
1/Cpl.	GODDARD.J.W.	Clerk.

Spr.	HIDDLESTONE.R.W.	DRIVERS.
"	HUBY.A.P.C.	
"	GILLESPIE.H.B.	
"	CUTTLER.W.L.	
"	GRANT.B.W.	
"	DALY.L.B.	

Spr.	COLLIER.E.P.	BATMEN.
"	CONDON.R.T.	
"	BUTSON.F.L.	

Spr.	HEY.W.	Cook.
"	ROBINSON.T.R.	Arch Draftsman.
"	EDWARDS.G.E.	Topo "

Cpl	NEWMARK A.	AAMC Hygiene
Sgt	EMMINS R.S.	Surplus (On strength of 33 Aust Fd Park Coy)
Chaplain	EYERS F.T.	Chaplain (Not on W.E.)
Part Time Duty Personnel		Nil
AWAS		Nil
VAD		Nil

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TELEPHONE

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE NO.

H.Q. R.A.E.3 AUST DIV.
AUSTRALIA.

SUMMARY OF A.I.F. PERSONNEL SERVING WITH A.M.F. UNIT.

Lt.Col.	T.A.SYMONS.	C.R.E.
Capt.	B.O.YOUNG.	Adjt.
Capt.	M.BERAH.	A.A.M.C. (Med Offr)
Lieut.	W.J.GOWTY.	I.O.R.E.
Lieut.	G.E.ROBERTSON.	Fd.Offr.
W.O.11.	G.L.SMITH.	A/RSM.
Sgt.	WITTON.W.N.	Surplus (was acting W.O.Caterer
Sgt.	JEFFREY.C.B.	Sgt.Clerk DRO 1 M.D.
Cpl.	BUXTON.H.K.	Transport Cpl.
Cpl.	COONEY.J.J.	Cook Surplus.
L/Cpl.	GODDARD.J.W.	Clerk.

Spr.	HIDDLESTON.R.W.	DRIVERS.
"	HUBY.A.P.C.	
"	GILLESPIE.H.M.	
"	CUTTLER.W.L.	
"	GRANT.B.W.	
"	DALY.L.B.	
"	WALLACE.N.A.	

Spr.	COLLIER.E.P.	BATMEN.
"	CONDON.R.T.	
"	BUTSON.F.L.	

Spr.	HEY.W.	Cook
Spr.	ROBINSON.T.R.	Arch Draftsman.
Spr.	EDWARDS.G.E.	Topo "

Cpl.	NEWMARK.A.	AAMC Hygiene.
Cpl.	EMMINS.R.S.	Surplus on Strength of 53 Aust Fd.Park Coy.
Chaplain	EYERS.F.T.	Chaplain (not on WE)
Part Time Duty Personnel	NIL	
AWAS	NIL	
VAD	NIL	

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Serial No. 2/4N

W.E. Reference A.I.F. 11/4/3 A.M.F. –

W.E. 5 X 31

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 17 OCT 42

Attached
Allowed by W.E. 11 X 2

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV *Unit*

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks and W.E.		2 **Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels	1	1		
Majors	–	–		
Captains	1	1		
Lieutenants	3	2		1
2nd Lieutenants	–	–		
Quartermasters	–	–		
Totals	5	4		1

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		NIL		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		NIL		

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
		NIL	

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Appointment.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No.).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/LT.COL	SX2818	T.A. SYMONS	C R E	YES	
T/CAPT	V34010	B.O. YOUNG	ADJT	YES	
LIEUT	V49404	W.J. GOWTY	IORE	YES	
LIEUT	VX66142	G.E. ROBERTSON	FD. OFFR	NO	DUTY 53 AUST FD PK COY

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of attachment.	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No.)
CAPT	V145193	M BERAH	A.A.M.C.		R M O	YES
CHAPLAIN	V145635	F.T. EYERS	A.A.C.D.		CHAPLAIN	NO

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

17 OCT 42
(Date of Despatch.)

Lt-Col.
(Signature of Commander.)

3 AUST DIV
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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W.A.R. DIARY

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Serial No. 2/42

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

W.E. Reference A.I.F. 11/4/3
A.M.F. —

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV (Unit) 17 OCT 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E. 5 x 31 **Attached Allowed by W.E.** 1 x 2

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1		2	3	4
Detail and	W.E.	Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1			
W.Os. Class II.	-	1 (AIC)		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-	-		
Staff Serjeants	-	-		
Serjeants	2	3	1	
Corporals	1	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27	23		4
TOTALS	31	29	* 2	* 4

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E. **Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.**

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.
1-CPL	1 sgt	AAMC	1- CPL	53 AUST FD PK. COY.
			1- WO(II)	AIC (SUPERNUMERARY)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
VX47586	SPR	WALLACE N.A.	HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV	SCHOOL OF MECH SEYMOUR VICTORIA COURSE NO 5 WHEELED VEHICLE WING

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HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners				B/F				B/F			
Armament Artificers				Fitters, Railway Signal				Riggers			
Armourers				Fitters, Signal				Rivetters			
Artificers, Artillery				Grinders				Saddlers			
Axemen				Gun Layers				Saddle Tree Makers			
Bakers				G.P.O. Assistants				Saw Doctors			
Battery Surveyors				Gun Operators				Sawyers			
Battery Comdrs. Asst.				Hammermen				Shoemakers			
Blacksmiths				Height Takers				Signallers			
Boilermakers				Helio Operators				Signwriters			
Bricklayers				Instrument Mechanics				Stokers, Stationery Engine			
Butchers				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Storemen, Technical			
Camouflage Modeller				Instrument Operators				Surveyors			
Carpenter and Joiner				Intelligence Duties				Surveyors, Engineering			
Clerks				Joiners				Tailors			
Clerks, Engineering				Leather Stitchers				Telescope Identification Numbers			
Clerks, Supply				Linesmen				Textile Refitters			
Clerks, Technical				Linesmen, Signals				Tinsmiths			
Coachmakers				Lithographers				Toolmakers			
Computers				Machinists				Turners			
Concretors				Masons				Vulcanizers			
Cooks				Masseurs				Wagon Erectors			
Cooks, Hospital				Mechanics, Dental				Watchmakers			
Coppersmiths				Mechanics, M.T.				Watermen			
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Mechanics, Typewriter				Welders			
Despatch Riders				Mechanics, Wireless				Well Borers			
Dispensers				Millwrights				Wheelers			
Draughtsmen				Miners				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen, Architectural				Moulders				Wiremen			
Draughtsmen, Mechanical				Nursing Orderlies				Woodturners			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				(b)			
Draughtsmen, Topographical				Nurses, Trained							
Driver Mechanics				Observation Post Assistants							
Driver Operators				Operating Room Assistants							
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Operators, Signal				(c) Non-Specialists			
Electrical Fitters				Opticians				BATMAN	7		3
Electricians				Painters				DRIVERS	10		1
Electricians, Eng. Units				Panel Beaters				SGTS.		1	
Electricians, Signal				Pattern Makers				CPLS.		1	
Engine Artificers				Pharmacists							
Engine Hands I/C				Photographers, dry plate							
Equipment Repairers				Photographers, wet plate							
Farriers				Photo-Writers							
Fire Control Operators				Plate Layers				Totals to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.	17	2	4
Fitters				Plumbers				Deficiency in ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.			
Fitters and Turners				Predictor Numbers							
Fitters, Cycle				Printers				PRIVATE AAMC			1
Fitters, Drivers				Radiator Mechanics							
Fitter's Mates				Radiographers							
Fitters, M.V.				Range Takers							
C/F				C/F				TOTAL			1

Notes---(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV ..... *Unit.*

Lt-Col. ..... *Signature of Commander.*

Date of Despatch 17 OCT '42

3 AUST DIV. ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.*

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W.AR. DIARY

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No. 2/42

W.E. Reference A.I.F. 1/42 A.M.F. —

Unit 1 Cor. Ref. Sec. (Unit) 1 Cor. (Date) 19 42

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E. 5 × 21 Attached Allowed by W.E. 1 × 5

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

Detail and	W.E.	Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1			
W.Os. Class II.	—	1 (1 Cor.)		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster Serjeants	—	—		
Staff Serjeants	—	—		
Serjeants	3	3	1	
Corporals	1	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	21	21		4
TOTALS	31	29	2	4

These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D, on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E. Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.
1 Cor.	1 Cor.	AAMC	1 Cor.	[illegible]
			1 — W.Os.	[illegible]

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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Serial No. 6/42.

W.E. Reference A.I.F. 11/43
A.M.F.

W.E. 5 X 31

Attached
Allowed by W.E. 1 X 2

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 14 Nov 42.

HQ. RAE. 3 Aust Div. *Unit*

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks and W.E.		2 **Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels	1	1		
Majors	-			
Captains	1	1		
Lieutenants	3	2		1
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	5	4		1

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Appointment.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No.).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/LT. COL.	SX 2515	T. A. SYMONS	C. R. E.	YES	
T/CAPT	VX 111271	B. G. YOUNG	ADJT	YES	
LIEUT	VX 111276	W. J. GOWTY	L. O. R. E.	YES	
LIEUT	VX 66142	G. E. ROBERTSON	FD. OFFR.	NO	DUTY 53 AUST FD PK COY

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of attachment.	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No.)
CAPT	VX 103216	M. BERAH	AAMC.		R. M. O.	YES

HQ. RAE. 3 AUST DIV.
(Unit.)

[signature] Capt for Lt-Col
(Signature of Commander.) C.R.E. 3 Div.

14 NOV 42.
(Date of Despatch.)

3 AUST DIV
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W.E. Reference A.I.F. 11/4/3
A.M.F.

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ, RAE, 3 Aust Div (Unit) 14 NOV 1942 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E. 5 x 31

Attached Allowed by W.E. 2 x 1

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail and	W.E.	2 Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1			
W.Os. Class II.	-	1 (A.I.C.)		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-			
Staff Serjeants	-			
Serjeants	2	3	1	
Corporals	1	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27	21		6
TOTALS	31	27	2	* 6

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E.

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.
1 CPL	1 Sgt	AAMC.

Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.

Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.
1 WO II	AIC SUPERNUMERARY
1 A/SGT	53 Aust Fd Pk Coy, RAE.
1 CPL	4 Aust Fd Coy, RAE
1 CPL	AAMC (on Load from ~~53 Aust Fd Pk Coy, RAE~~)
1 PTE	HQ, 3 Aust Div.

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
VP4008	WO II	G. L. SMITH	HQ, RAE 3 Div	~~Bomb Disposal School~~, IOTS, BONEGILLA

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110 Coy 3 Aust Div ..... *Unit.*

PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners				B/F	6			B/F	6		
Armament Artificers				Fitters, Railway Signal				Riggers			
Armourers				Fitters, Signal				Rivetters			
Artificers, Artillery				Grinders				Saddlers			
Axemen				Gun Layers				Saddle Tree Makers			
Bakers				G.P.O. Assistants				Saw Doctors			
Battery Surveyors				Gun Operators				Sawyers			
Battery Comdrs. Asst.				Hammermen				Shoemakers			
Blacksmiths				Height Takers				Signallers			
Boilermakers				Helio Operators				Signwriters			
Bricklayers				Instrument Mechanics				Stokers, Stationery Engine			
Butchers				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Storemen, Technical			
Camouflage Modeller				Instrument Operators				Surveyors			
Carpenter and Joiner				Intelligence Duties				Surveyors, Engineering			
Clerks	2			Joiners				Tailors			
Clerks, Engineering				Leather Stitchers				Telescope Identification Numbers			
Clerks, Supply				Linesmen				Textile Refitters			
Clerks, Technical				Linesmen, Signals				Tinsmiths			
Coachmakers				Lithographers				Toolmakers			
Computers				Machinists				Turners			
Concretors				Masons				Vulcanizers			
Cooks	2			Masseurs				Wagon Erectors			
Cooks, Hospital				Mechanics, Dental				Watchmakers			
Coppersmiths				Mechanics, M.T.				Watermen			
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Mechanics, Typewriter				Welders			
Despatch Riders				Mechanics, Wireless				Well Borers			
Dispensers				Millwrights				Wheelers			
Draughtsmen				Miners				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen, Architectural	1			Moulders				Wiremen			
Draughtsmen, Mechanical				Nursing Orderlies				Woodturners			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				(b)			
Draughtsmen, Topographical	1			Nurses, Trained							
Driver Mechanics				Observation Post Assistants							
Driver Operators				Operating Room Assistants							
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Operators, Signal				(c) Non-Specialists			
Electrical Fitters				Opticians				1 Corporal	1		1
Electricians				Painters				1 Private Sanitary Man	1		
Electricians, Eng. Units				Panel Beaters							
Electricians, Signal				Pattern Makers							
Engine Artificers				Pharmacists							
Engine Hands I/C				Photographers, dry plate							
Equipment Repairers				Photographers, wet plate							
Farriers				Photo-Writers							
Fire Control Operators				Plate Layers				Totals to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.	1		1
Fitters				Plumbers				Deficiency in ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.			
Fitters and Turners				Predictor Numbers				1 Private Sanitary Man			1
Fitters, Cycle				Printers							
Fitters, Drivers				Radiator Mechanics							
Fitter's Mates				Radiographers							
Fitters, M.V.				Range Takers							
C/F	6			C/F	6			TOTAL			1

Notes---(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

110 Coy 3 Aust Div ..... *Unit.*

B. H. Lawrence Colonel ..... *Signature of Commander.* Lt-Col. C.R.E. 3 Div.

Date of Despatch 14-11-42.

3 Aust Div ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.*

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War Diary.

PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Establishment	Present Strength	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Establishment	Present Strength
Ammunition Examiners				B.T.			
Armourer Artificers				Buglers, Infantry Signal			
Armourers				Buglers, Signal			
Artificers, Artillery				Cabinetmakers			
Asiatics				Cable Layers			
Bakers				C.P.O. Assistants			
Batmen, Regimental				Cooks			
Blacksmiths				Tailors			
Bricklayers				Telephone Operators			
Butchers				Instrument Electricians, Signal			
Camouflage Modellers				Instrument Operators			
Carpenters and Joiners				Intelligence Duties			
Clerks				Joiners			
Clerks, Engineering				Leather Strikers			
Clerks, Supply				Linemen			
Clerks, Technical				Linemen, Signal			
Coachmakers				Lithographers			
Compilers				Machinists			
Concretors				Masseurs			
Cooks				Mechanics, Diesel			
Cooks, Hospital				Mechanics, M.T.			
Coppersmiths				Mechanics, Typewriter			
Diesel Plant Operators				Mechanics, Wireless			
Dispensers				Millwrights			
Draughtsmen				Miners			
Draughtsmen, Artillery, Coast				Moulders			
Draughtsmen, Engineering				Nursing Orderlies			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			
Draughtsmen, Topographical				Nurses, Trained			
Dvr. & Mechanics				Observation Post Assistants			
Driver Operators				Operating Room Assistants			
Drivers, Transportation Plat.				Operators, Signal			
Electrical Fitters				Opticians			
Electricians				Painters			
Electricians, Ppr. Vuls.				Panel Beaters			
Electricians, Signal				Pattern Makers			
Engine Artificers				Pharmacists			
Engine Hands I/C				Photographers, dry plate			
Equipment Repairers				Photographers, wet plate			
Farriers				Photo-Writers			
Fire Control Operators				Plate Layers			
Fitters				Plumbers			
Fitters and Turners				Pre-Selector Members			
Fitters, Cable				Printers			
Fitters, Electric				Projector Mechanics			
Fitters's Mates				Quarter Masters			
Fitters, M.V.				Range Takers			

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W.E. Reference

A.M.F.

W.E. X

Attached
Allowed by W.E. X

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date

Unit

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks and W.E.	2 **Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals			

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Unit or Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Appointment.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No.).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	[illegible]	T A SYMONS	C R E	YES	
Lt Capt	[illegible]	B D YOUNG	ADJT	NO	LEAVE
Lieut	[illegible]	W J GOWTY	I O R E	YES	
Lieut	[illegible]	G L ROBERTSON	ED OFFR	NO	DUTY 3 AUST FA [illegible]

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of attachment.	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No.)
Capt	[illegible]	M BERAH	HAMG		R M O	YES

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
(Unit.)

Wm J Gowty Lt Col
Lt-Col
C.R.E. 3 Div.
(Signature of Commander.)

21 NOV 43
(Date of Despatch.)

3 AUST DIV
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

W.E. Reference A.I.F. 44/2
A.M.F.

HQ RAE 3 Aust Div (Unit) 21 Nov 19 42 (Date).

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E. 5 X 31 **Attached Allowed by W.E.** 2 X 1

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail and	W.E.	2 Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1			
W.Os. Class II.	-	1 (A.I.C)		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	-			
Staff Serjeants	-			
Serjeants	3	3	1	
Corporals	1	2	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	27	33		5
TOTALS	31	38	* 2	* 5

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E. **Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.**

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.
1 Cpl	1 Sgt	AAMC.	1 WOII	AIC Superannuated
			1 Sjt	53 Aust Fd Coy Engrs.
			1 Cpl	2 Aust Fd Coy Engrs
			1 Cpl	Dismissed from RAE on 21 Aug 42
				51 Aust Fd Coy Engrs)

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
VX [illegible]	WO II	[illegible]	HQ RAE	TOTS Portsea
VX [illegible]	Sgt	[illegible]	"	ES & ME Reinforcements

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HQ RAE, 3 AUST DIV. Unit.

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PART D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W. 3009.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	W.E.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners				B/F	6			B/F	6		
Armament Artificers				Fitters, Railway Signal				Riggers			
Armourers				Fitters, Signal				Rivetters			
Artificers, Artillery				Grinders				Saddlers			
Axemen				Gun Layers				Saddle Tree Makers			
Bakers				G.P.O. Assistants				Saw Doctors			
Battery Surveyors				Gun Operators				Sawyers			
Battery Comdrs. Asst.				Hammermen				Shoemakers			
Blacksmiths				Height Takers				Signallers			
Boilermakers				Helio Operators				Signwriters			
Bricklayers				Instrument Mechanics				Stokers, Stationery Engine			
Butchers				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Storemen, Technical			
Camouflage Modeller				Instrument Operators				Surveyors			
Carpenter and Joiner				Intelligence Duties				Surveyors, Engineering			
Clerks	2			Joiners				Tailors			
Clerks, Engineering				Leather Stitchers				Telescope Identification Numbers			
Clerks, Supply				Linesmen				Textile Refitters			
Clerks, Technical				Linesmen, Signals				Tinsmiths			
Coachmakers				Lithographers				Toolmakers			
Computers				Machinists				Turners			
Concretors				Masons				Vulcanizers			
Cooks	2			Masseurs				Wagon Erectors			
Cooks, Hospital				Mechanics, Dental				Watchmakers			
Coppersmiths				Mechanics, M.T.				Watermen			
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Mechanics, Typewriter				Welders			
Despatch Riders				Mechanics, Wireless				Well Borers			
Dispensers				Millwrights				Wheelers			
Draughtsmen				Miners				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen, Architectural	1			Moulders				Wiremen			
Draughtsmen, Mechanical				Nursing Orderlies				Woodturners			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				(b)			
Draughtsmen, Topographical	1			Nurses, Trained							
Driver Mechanics				Observation Post Assistants							
Driver Operators				Operating Room Assistants							
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Operators, Signal				(c) Non-Specialists			
Electrical Fitters				Opticians				PATMAN	7		3
Electricians				Painters				DRIVERS	11		2
Electricians, Eng. Units				Panel Beaters				SANITARY DUT	1		
Electricians, Signal				Pattern Makers				SGTS	2	1	
Engine Artificers				Pharmacists				CPLS	1	1	
Engine Hands I/C				Photographers, dry plate							
Equipment Repairers				Photographers, wet plate							
Farriers				Photo-Writers							
Fire Control Operators				Plate Layers				Totals to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.	28	2	5
Fitters				Plumbers				Deficiency in ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.			
Fitters and Turners				Predictor Numbers							
Fitters, Cycle				Printers				PRIVATE AAMC			1
Fitters, Drivers				Radiator Mechanics							
Fitter's Mates				Radiographers							
Fitters, M.V.				Range Takers							
C/F	6			C/F	6			TOTAL			1

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

HQ RAE 3 AUST DIV
Unit.

[signature] C.R.E. 3 Div.
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 21—11—42

3 AUST DIV
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

W.E. Reference _____ A.I.F. _____ (Unit) _____ 19__ (Date).
A.M.F. _____

(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

W.E. _____ × _____ Attached Allowed by W.E. _____ × _____

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1		2		3
Detail and	W.E.	Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.				
W.Os. Class II.				
Squadron or Company Quartermaster Serjeants				
Staff Serjeants				
Serjeants				
Corporals				
Troopers, Privates, &c.				
TOTALS				*

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Personnel Attached Against W.E. _____ Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E. _____

Detail and	W.E.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit or Corps to which they belong.

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit or Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).

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Unit R.A.E. 3 Div. Date and Time.—From 2nd Dec 42 To 12 Dec 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25	2 Dec 42		H.Q and subunits stocktaking.	
	6		I5 Fd Coy personnel, barrel bridge, SBG bridge, fieldcraft and marching by compass. IO Fd Coy folding boat equipment, lecture and practice on Goulburn River, water clear. Weather fine. Dust	
	7		IO Fd coy, map reading fieldcraft, biv with Inf. 53Fd Pk coy at Biv. bridging. Hughes creek. I5 Fd coy, compass and barrel bridging exercise on Goulburn river. Weather fine.	
	8		IOFD Coy barrel bridge over Goulburn river, tubular scaffolding in this area, demolitions, lecture and practice, 53 Fd Pk coy Bridging Biv, I5Fd Coy SBG bridge, map reading, compass traverse day and night exercise, ~~Bivwith 52 Inf Batn.~~	
	9		Fd Pk coy Biv, Hughes Crk, IOFd Coy barrel bridge, Goulburn R tubular scaffolding bridge over donga in area, very dry this area, I5thFD Coy field geom, roads and water recce, unloading stores, rifle drill.	
	IO		I5FdCoy Biv, 53Fd Pk Coy camp duties, Hygiene and Sanitation P & R.T this area, IO Fd Coy road works, improvements, Eng recce, Tubular scaffolding bridge over donga, Recruits leave.	
	II		Day of rest, tps given local leave SEYMOUR, washing and competitive games. Weather fine and warm, grass drying up, Camouflage of vehicles proceeding, colors difficult to match in area, green should be used more in dark tonings.	
	I2		I5 Fd Coy map reading, night manoeuvres, clear day, very warm, 53 Fd Pk coy decked rafts on Goulburn river, return stores IO Fd Coy, completion barrel bridge Goulburn river, SBG bridge tubular scaffolding bridge. Recruits leave.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

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Unit R.A.E. 3 Div. *Date and Time.—From* 14 Dec '42 *To* 23 Dec. '42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Seymour Camp 25	14 Dec42		15 Fd.Coy No 1 Section watermanship, anchors, vicinity Goulburn River, fine warm day. No 2 Section and No 3 Section map reading. 10 Fd.Coy completion barrel bridge, completion ~~tubular scaffolding bridge, S.B.G. bridge. Recruits fieldcraft~~ machines eng. recce.	
	15		15 Fd.Coy map reading, rifle drill, camouflage. 53 Fd.Park Coy. bridgework,watermanship, anchorages F.B.E. 10 Fd.Coy camp duties. Recruits fieldcraft, machines Eng. Recce.	
	16		15 Fd.Coy map reading and rifle drill. 10 Fd.Coy Protective ~~Works and Instructional Exercise with 58 Bn.,~~ Atni-tank Obstacles Webb's Paddock . 53 Fd.Pk. Coy. Camp duties.	
	17		15 Fd.Coy section Batt Exercises, section Camouflage, section rifle drill and knots and lashings. 10 Fd.Coy Recapitulation ~~and preparation for Exercises. 53 Fd. Pk.Coy Rifle drill and~~ Demolitions.	
	18		53 Fd.Pk. Coy camp duties. 10 Fd. Coy section Anti-tank obstacles, section Protective Works including camouflage. ~~Weather bright and warm, noted how artificial features show~~ up definite shadows which must be broken. 15 Fd.Coy doing ~~maintenance in own lines.~~	
	20		53 Fd. Pk. Coy camp duties. 15 Fd. Coy on bivouac, weather hot and dry. 10 Fd. Coy Protective Works including camouflage, Fieldcraft and map reading.	
	23		Tps generally object working Xmas Day and on Sundays. Some grumbling at uncertain prospects future leave and cancellation of previous arrangements. Trouble not considered serious this unit but situation being watched.	

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WAR DIARY or ~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Unit R.A.E. 3 Div. *Date and Time.—From* 24 Jan. '42 *To* 1 Feb. '42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25	24 Jan.42.		Morale tps high but apparent shortage of equipment causing enquiries. No apparent Unit troubles. Tps anxious to be in action, present comparative inactivity monotonous.	
	26		No new current rumors. Morale Tps high but Tpt movement baffling to observant personnel. Overseas successes heartening.	
	27		15 Fd.Coy will move 0900 hrs to Secret R.V.. otherwise Fd.Pk. Coy and 10 Fd.Coy training in camp area. Morale tps high but current rumour places losses Pearl Harbour at 40 vessels. ~~New drafts U.S.P. settling down and comprise Trade Gps~~ emminently suited this Unit.	
	28		15 Fd.Coy at I-6 ref Bendigo strat. 10 FdCoy proceeding to vicinity Yea 445097 ref Tallarook 1 inch. ~~Weather cloudy but warm. Morale of Tps high, no domestic~~ worries. Tps prefer bivouacs to camp routine.	
	29		10 Fd.Coy proceeding Terip via Cathkin ref map Alexandra 1 inch. 15 Fd.Coy at H7 ref Bendigo strat. ~~New draft settling down satisfactorily.~~	
	30		~~10 Fd.Coy at Terip ref map Alexandra 1 inch. 15 Fd.Coy in~~ vicinity Axedale ref Bendigo strat, proceeding to Camp 25 arriving afternoon 30 Jan	
	31		Current rumour concerns capture Jap warship off N.S.W. coast. 10 Fd.Coy and 53 Fd.Pk. vicinity Tarcombe ref map Nagambie 1 inch 408387. 15 Fd.Coy returned to Camp 25.	
	1 Feb.42.		~~15 Fd.Coy and 230 L.A.D. at Camp 25. 53 Fd.Pk. now returned~~ to Camp 25. 10 Fd.Coy. ref Nagambie 1 inch 246456, returning Camp 25 during this afternoon. Ration situation unsatisfactory.	

D.3485/5.39.—C.4788.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C 2118 (adapted.)

Unit R.A.E. 3 Div. *Date and Time.—From* Feb 2nd. '42. *To* 12 Feb. '42;

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25.	2 Feb.42		H.Q., 15 Fd.Coy., 53 Fd.Pk. Coy., and 230 L.A.D. training in Camp 25. 10 Fd.Coy. remained at 246456 ref map Nagambie overnight. Ration position reported previously has been rectified. Weather cool and showery. Health of tps satisfactory.	
	5 Feb.42.		H.Q., 10 Fd.Coy., 53 Fd.Pk.Coy.,and 230 L.A.D. training at Camp 25. 15 Fd.Coy. in the vicinity of Wangarratta. Return leave train arrangements on Feb 4th. reported faulty. Control of entraining was lacking throughout the entire train.	
	7 Feb.42		H.Q., 10 Fd. Coy., 53 Fd.Pk.Coy.,and 230 L.A.D. no change in location. 15 Fd.Coy. returning Camp 25 during morning 7 Feb.	
	8 Feb.42.		H.Q., 10 Fd.Coy., 15 Fd.Coy, 53 Fd.Pk.Coy., and 230 L.A.D. all training in Camp 25. Current rumour 7000 Americans moving into Puckapunyal on 9 Feb. unconirmed.	
	9 Feb.42.		Location of H.Q. and sub-units unchanged.Movement to Bde.Gp. known to members of 10 Fd.Coy regardless of security measures.	
	10 Feb.42.		Location H.Q. and sub-units unchanged. Small group of tps led by disgruntled Spr brought forth imaginary grievances. Situation coped with by transferring of leader to 4 Fd.Coy.	
	11 Feb.42.		Location no change. Many tps becoming increasingly sober-minded as danger Singapore situation becomes apparent.	
	12 Feb.42.		Location no change. Erection huts at Nagambie Road camp likely to be delayed through necessary authority from S.Comd. for finance not yet to hand of E.S.B. Seymour.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25.	13 Feb.42		Weather fine,cool breeze. 15th Field Coy at Biv. map ref. TALLAROOK one inch 325256. Bridge	
	14 Feb.42		Heavy rainstorm- saturated troops & blankets 15thFd.Coy. entered camp 25 for day & returned to Biv. site in evening	
	15 Feb. 42		No change of location. Malayian situation & movements of German Fleet in English channel causes concern.	
	16 Feb. 42		4th Fd. Coy.; transferred to Bonegilla Camp. Shortage of equipment is restricting scope of training & means constant repitition of work which is irksome to personnell.	
	17 Feb. 42		No change in location of units. Otherwise NIL report.	
	~~18 Feb. 42~~		~~No change in location of units. Otherwise NIL report.~~	
	19 Feb. 42		No change in location of units. Mild epidemic of diarrhoea amongst troops. Petty thefts prevalent but this situation is under control.	
	20 Feb. 42		Location of units unchanged. News from Darwin responsible for rumour that units would be proceeding to battle stations. Troops keen to fight.	
	21 Feb. 42		H.Q., 10th.,15th Fd. Coys.,& 53rd.Fd.Pk.Coy. at Camp 25 Seymour 4th. Fd. Coy. at Bonegilla. Otherwise NIL report.	
	22 Feb. 42		Demands on Sub-units for trained drivers and tradesmen for building and other works is causing Commanders concern as training is seriously interrupted and efficiency impeared.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25	23 Feb 42		Location unchanged. 10 Fd Coy. road work - improvements, and Eng. recce. 15th. ~~camp duties~~ Fd. Coy camp duties Hygiene and Sanitation.	
	24 Feb 42		No change in location. Five M/C and fourteen vehicles received by H.Q. today. General feeling of satisfaction amongst transport section in consequence.	
	25 Feb 42		Additional seven M/C expected today which will bring strength up to about 37% W.E.	
	26 Feb 42		Location of units unchanged. 10th. Fd. Coy. map reading, compass traverse day and night exercise. 15th. Fd. Coy. decked raft on Goulburn River. 53rd Fd. Pk. Coy. S.B.G. and Tubular scaffolding.	
	27 Feb. 42		Location unchanged. 15th. Fd. Coy. out on exercise with Inf. Bns. 10th. Fd. Coy. Field Geom., road and water recce.	
	28 Feb. 42		15th. Fd. Coy. out on exercise with Inf. Bns. 53 Fd. Pk. Coy. Hygien and Sanitation. 10th. Fd. Coy. folding boat equipment lecture and practice. Location unchanged.	
	1 Mar 42		15th. Fd. Coy. out on exercise with Inf. Bns. Day of rest. Church Parade. Washing and competitive games. No change in location.	
	~~2 Mar. 42~~		~~H.Q. 10th. Fd. Coy., 53rd. Fd. Pk. Coy., 15th. Fd. COY., all training~~ in Camp 25. Bus service causes complaint - matter adjusted.	
	3 Mar. 42		Location unchanged. Training continues. Otherwise NIL report.	

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Unit R.A.E. 3Div. *Date and Time.—From* 4th. Mar.'42. *To* 11th Mar. '42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25.	4 Mar.42		Location no change. Indications that troops feel a desire to be taking a more active part in the war effort are evident.	
	5 Mar.42.		H.Q.,10th Fd. Coy. 15th. Fd. Coy. 53rd.Fd. Pk. and 230 L.A.D. in training at camp 25. 4th.Fd. Coy. at Bonegilla on forward movements.	
	6 Mar.42.		15th. Fd. Coy. participating with Inf. Bns. on exercise in the vicinity of SUGARLOAF. Otherwise no change in location.	
	~~7 Mar.42.~~		~~All Coy. officers advised that Code names Series D came into~~ operation 0001 hrs. 7th. March.-New lists available at H.Q. No change in location of units.	
	8 Mar.42		Location unchanged. Day of rest. Church parades. Local leave SEYMOUR given tps. Washing and sport.	
	9 Mar.42		10th. Fd. Coy. S.B.G. and tubular scaffolding. 53rd Fd.Pk. F.B.E.,A.T.Mines,Compass march by night. 15th Fd. Coy. and 230 L.A.D. at Camp 25.	
	10 Mar. 42		4th.Fd. Coy. at Bonegilla.All other sub-units at Camp 25. 53rd. Fd. Pk. ~~Demolitions,Lecture on explosives,Safety Fuse. 10 th.~~ Fd. Coy.Camp duties. Weather cool but fine. 15th.Fd.Coy. proceeding biv. on 11th.Mar.	
	~~11 Mar.42~~		~~Location as before. 53rd.Fd. Pk. Coy. Demolitions, Dynamo~~ Exploder,Box T&S, Firing Electrically(Practical). 10th.Fd. Coy. A.T.Mines,Musketry Training.Speculations rife about H.Q. units move in view of overseas situation.	

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Unit R.A.E. 3 Div. *Date and Time.—From* 12th. Mar.42. *To* 18th. Mar.'42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25	12 Mar.42		15th.Fd. Coy. on biv.at 387134 ref. map TALLAROOK. 4th.Fd.Coy. training at Bonegilla. 53rd.Fd. Pk. Coy. Demolitions,Camouflet equipment,Borehole charges,and Camouflet practical. 10th.Fd.Coy. ~~Barrel bridge over Goulburn river.~~	
	13 Mar.42		Location of sub-units unchanged.53rd.Fd.Pk. Demolition Preparation of bridge for demo.Demo recce.Unusual movement of personnel around Camp 25 gives rise ~~to~~ to rumours regarding future location of units.	
	14 Mar 42		15th.Fd. Coy. proceeding to 315272 ref. map TALLAROOK. New draft personnel who marched in on 13th. seem settled down. Secrecy regarding movement of 4th. Fd. Coy. and 10th.Fd. Coy. is being maintained.	
	~~15 Mar.42~~		~~Location of units unchanged. 4th. Fd. Coy. informed they move~~ out on 16th. Day of rest. Church Parades. Washing and sports Afternoon free.	
	16 Mar.42		4th.Fd. Coy.with Inf. Bns.on erexcise. H.Q.,10th.Fd.Coy. 53rd. ~~Fld. Pk. Coy. and230 L.A.D. at Camp 25 Seymour. 15th.Fd.Coy.~~on biv. at 294417 ref.map TALLAROOK.	
	17 Mar 42		4th.Fd. Coy. and 10th.Fd Coy. on exercise with Inf. Bns. Location of other sub-units unchanged. Commander and a stores party from 53rd. Fld.Pk. Coy. proceed to Bonegilla	
	~~18 Mar.42~~		~~H.Q. 53rd.Fld.Pk.Coy. and 230 L.A.D.at Camp 25. 53rd.Fld.Pk.~~ on maintenance. 10th.Fld.Coy. at Camp 2 Nagambie. 4th.Fld.Coy. on exercise with Inf. Bns.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp 25.	19 Mar 42		53rd.Fld.Pk.Coy. on maintenance of equipment. Location of sub-units unchanged.	
	20 Mar 42		H.Q., 53rd.Fld.Pk.Coy. and 230 L.A.D. at Camp 25 4th. Fld.Coy. on exercise with Inf.Bn.. 10th.Fld.Coy. at Camp 2. Commander and stores party return from Bonegilla to 53rd.Fld.Pk. Coy.	
	21 Mar 42		Location of sub-units as before.Training continues. Otherwise NIL report.	
	22 Mar 42		Day of rest. Church parades. Local leave Seymour given to tps. Washing and sports.	
	23 Mar 42		4th. Fld. Coy. still on exercise with Inf. Bn. 10th.Fld.Coy. on exersise at Nagambie.53rd.Fld.Pk. Coy.Musketry Training and Minature Rifle Range.	
	24 Mar 42		No change of location of sub-units.Maps and aerial photographs returned to Divisional Headquarters. Small groups receiving instruction in camouflage.	
	25 Mar 42		H.Q., 53rd. Fld.Pk.Coy. and 230 L.A.D. at Camp 25 Seymour.4th., 10th.,and 15th Fld.Coys. on exercise with Inf. Bns.. Censorship of mail reveals general satisfaction amongst troops regarding prospects of move in near future.	
	26 Mar 42		No change in location of sub-units. Camouflage of vehicles and classes of instruction in camouflage proceeding.	
	27 Mar 42		No change in location of sub-units. Paucity of transport creating problem but otherwise ready for move. Training proceeding under difficulties on account of preparations for move.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SEYMOUR Camp25	28 Mar 42		H.Q. with Divisional H.Q. left Camp 25 at 0600 hrs for EUROA. 15th. Fld.Coy. with Inf.Bn. at Camp 25. 53rd.Fld.Pk.Coy. and 230 L.A.D. on exercise march to EUROA. Troops on road marching well and looking fit.Weather fine.	
	29 Mar.42		H.Q.,230 L.A.D., with Divisional H.Q. at Euroa. 53rd.Fld.Pk.Coy. at I-LLH.map ref. Bendigo four miles to one inch.	
	30 Mar.42		H.Q.,230 L.A.D., with Divisional H.Q. at Wangaratta. 53rd.Fld. Pk.Coy. reached Faithfuls Creek. Good march in morning-troops tired after passing Euroa.	
	31 Mar.42.		H.Q.,230 L.A.D., with Divisional H.Q. at Bonegilla. 53rd.Fld. Pk. Coy. reached Baddagmine. Discipline good.	

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