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WAR DIARY OR INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

UNIT 46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) DATE & TIME - FROM 1 FEB 1944 TO 4 FEB 1944

PLACE	DATE	HOUR / File	SUMMARY OF EVENTS & INFORMATION	REMARKS & REFERENCES TO APPENDICES, DIARIES
Singleton	1. 2. 44	531/03	Connecting Elect. Light to Officers Deals Scone.	
✓	✓	451/03	Singleton - Milfo - Heating arrangements Valets Hp.	
✓	✓	483/50	Myambat. ammo. Depot. Fly proofing Offices. Lt & Pwr Meters	
Paddington	✓	531/71	Scone Base Ord. Depot. - Fire Protection Services	
New Lambton	3. 2. 44	00.	Ref. Old Pass. No. 3814. S/Sgt Latham.	
Paddington	✓	00.	✓ ✓ ✓ No 686 S/Sgt. Childs.	
✓	✓	640/25	Removal of C of E Hut. - Tamworth Camp.	
Strathfield	✓	-	Construction progress Report. Period 31. Jan. 44	
✓	✓	70.	Mechanical Equipment.	
✓	4. 2. 44	107	Transfers, Sgt Lohan, Mr Wilmer, Sgt Parmeter, L/Cpl. Shilling.	
✓	✓	X60	Tank Transporter Routes in N.S.W.	
Paddington	✓	643/60.	Tamworth Mil. Hospital - Hurricane Damage to 2 Huts.	
Sydney	3. 2. 44	100.	Ref. Excess Fare. Ticket No. 1507. Tamworth-Liverpool - Spr. Gallagher	
Paddington	4. 2. 44	600/69	Miss. Moylan "Bellevue" Narrabri - Ref. Nuisance created by Rifle Range	
Strathfield	✓	03	Gen. Lighting	
✓	✓	72	accidents to Army Motor Vehicles	
Kenn Innes	✓	721.50	Erection of Partitions at Drill Hall - Armidale	
Paddington	✓	-	6 Aust Maint. Pl. - Detachments	
Tamworth.	✓	207	UKL. 7819. Para K. - Unit Must Hand.	Spr Browne

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Unit 46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) Date and Time.—From -4 FEB 1944 To 11 FEB 1944

St 7455

Place.	Date.	~~Hour~~ File.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Paddington	4. 2. 44	642/50	A.M.F. Regn. No. W1193-41/42. For £3016 Issued on 25/4/42 - Tamworth Council.	
Strathfield	5. 2. 44	—	Nominal Roll Personnel 46 D.C.R.E. wks.	
Paddington	✓	4.00	A.A.F. P.22.	
Strathfield	✓	46	Sanitation Services - Military Establishments.	
Singleton	6. 2. 44	531. 50.	A.W.A.S Ablutions - Scone Camp.	
✓	✓	483. 00.	Cattle Trap. Myambat.	
✓	✓	484-50.	Fly-Proofing O.R.s Kitchen - Chaural Camp	
Tamworth	8. 2. 44	408	Leave for A.W.A.S Personnel on Strength.	
Strathfield	✓	459-69	Singleton A.F.V. Range - Repairs to Mantlets & Embankments.	
Paddington	✓	4.00	Site & Locality Plans - Camps Schools etc.	
Strathfield	9. 2. 44	72.	Motor Vehicle Replacement. Vehicle No C 70246 Dg. 12 Cwt.	
✓	✓	459-69.	Singleton A.F.V. - Repairs to Mantlets & Embankments.	
Paddington	✓	4.00	Site & Locality Plans. Camps Schools etc.	
✓	11. 2. 44	4.83	School of Fire Protection & Fire Fighting.	
Tamworth	6. 2. 44	0.0.	Completed Works. Reports.	
Singleton	6. 2. 44.	531/50.	Scone Camps - Works. A.W.A.S	
Tamworth	6. 2. 44	484/00.	Fly-Proofing - Chaural Camp.	

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Unit 46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) Date and Time.—From 11 FEB 1944 To 14 FEB 1944

St 7455

Place.	Date.	~~Hour.~~ File.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Paddington.	11. 2. 44	A 03	School of Fire Protection and Dese Fighting	
"	"	640. 25.	Removal of 6 of E. Huts - Tamworth Camp.	
Strathfield	"	60.	Repairs & Maint. of Roads in Army Camps.	
Sydney.	"	A 00.	Site & Locality Plans, Camps schools etc.	
Strathfield	12. 2. 44	484 00.	Cattle Trap. Chatswood Camp Muswellbrook.	
Paddington	"	531. 00.	Leone Reserve Aust. A.O.D. - septic Tank.	
Strathfield	"	483 01	Nyamba & Wales Supply. - Smiths Well	
Nyamba &	"	483 - 00	Cattle Trap - Nyambat.	
Glenn Innes	"	70.	Classics - 98.	
Singleton	"	531 - 50	Leone Camp - Works A.W.A.S & Mess.	
Sydney	14. 2. 44	A 07	VX 97481 Spr Broom W.A.	
Singleton	"	451 - 02	Hot water Boilers - Singleton Camp.	
Strathfield	"	70	"A" Stores. - 6 Maint Platoon.	
"	"	70.	Expansion Valves.	

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Unit 46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) Date and Time.—From 14 FEB 1944 To 19 FEB 1944

St 7455

Place.	Date.	~~Hour.~~ File.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Tamworth	14-2-44	70.	Re one Camp Repairs.	
"	"	70.	Signs "For Night use only".	
Strathfield	"	640-00	Refrig. Bells. No. R.176.	
Paddington	15-2-44	—	Return Vouchers - Tamworth Camp.	
Hastings Shire	17-2-44	60.	Oxley Highway - Signboard Re-Erection	
Paddington	"	00.	L.H.Q. Training Instruction No. 3A.	
Strathfield	"	403	Second Aust. Army Junior Leaders school. Instructions.	
Paddington	"	00.	Secondments to A.S.D.	
"	"	643.50	Tamworth Camp - Hurricane Damage to Huts.	Copy to 4 Aust C.R.E.
~~Tamworth~~ Casino	"	69.	Rifle Ranges Camp Staff Casino Adm. area	
Strathfield	18-2-44.	480-60.	Claims by Michael Clark & D.D. Ryan	Erection of Ramps
Sydney D.R.O.	"	405.	NX 134631 Milne. N. S/Sgt.	
Glenn Innes.	"	00.	NX 173299 Cpl. Simpson - NX 148031 Lt. Green	
Strathfield	19-2-44	—	Nominal Roll Unit Personnel	

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Unit 46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) Date and Time.—From 19 FEB 1944 To 22 FEB 1944

St 7455

Place.	Date.	~~Hour.~~ File.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Strathfield	19. 2. 44	70.	Con. Note. No. 484709.	
Paddington	21. 2. 44	71.	Standing orders for Army Vine Services	
Strathfield	✓	480-00	Muswellbrook - Liverpool: Artillery Shelters.	
Paddington	✓	484-00	Works Demand - Chaural Camp - Muswellbrook - Cattle Ramps.	
Strathfield	✓	A11	Recommendation for release of Ser. Pers. Lieut L.E. Bray.	
~~Tamworth~~	~~6. 2. 44~~	~~484-00~~	~~Flyproofing - Chaural Camp.~~	~~6 mtrs Platoon.~~
Broadmeadow	21. 2. 44	Q00.	F20. Unit No 71/43 - 29. 12. 43 & Hastener.	
Strathfield	22. 2. 44	A00.	R.A.E. Trade Deficiencies	
✓	✓	A.01	Surplus W.O's & N.C.O's	
✓	✓	645/02.	Tamworth - 102 A.S.H. Boiler Installation	
✓	✓	A.11.	N219060 Cpl. Joyner W.J. Application for Release	
Paddington	✓	00.	Tamworth - Refrigeration Parts. Tenterfield. Wiles Cooker. Replacements.	
Strathfield	✓	A.03	Schools & Courses. Attended. VX133242 Lieut. Bray L.E.	
✓	✓	A76	Correspondence - 6 Aust. Maint. Pl.	

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Unit 46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) Date and Time.—From 22 FEB 1944 To 42 MAR 1944

St 7455

Place.	Date.	~~Hour.~~ File.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Sydney	22.2.44.	—	Report of DFO Detail check on 11/2/44.	
Strathfield	22.2.44	A.07	N.389634 - Sfx. Smith R L.	
✓	✓	✓	N71524 - Sfx. Hunter D. P.	
✓	✓	459-03.	Singleton A.F.V. Range - New Electrical Batteries	
Broadmeadow	23.2.44	—	Return - staff Cars equiped with L.H. Drive	
Strathfield	✓	100.	Proficiency Pay. - GRO F.660. of 1943.	
✓	24.2.44	000	Proficiency Pay - GRO. F660. of 1943.	
✓	✓	105	N24294 Sfx. Farr R.B - F200	
✓	✓	645/25	182 CGH Tamworth - Educational Hut Reg. IW2034	
✓	✓	643/50	Tamworth Military camp - Hurricane Damage to Huts	
Newcastle	✓	60	Bolcy Highway - Signboard Re-erection	
Paddington	✓	640/00	Releasing Premises - Thebault Bros W. Tam.	
Tamworth	✓	207	GRO F819 Para K. 20 Dec 43 - Unit Trust Funds	
Strathfield	✓	71	Standing Orders For Army Fire Services (Aust)	
Paddington	✓	400	Re Leaving Certificate & Agricultural Specialists	

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Unit 46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) Date and Time.—From 24 MAR 1944 To 25 MAR 1944

St 7455

Place.	Date.	~~Hour.~~ File No.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Paddington	24.2.44.	60	Damaged Roads - Municipality of Singleton	
Glen Innes	25.2.44.	70	Salvage	
Yamworth	✓	A07	Fee Account - £1.11.0	
Strathfield	✓	A07	Transfer - 1169360 L/cpl Shilling G.J.	
Paddington	✓	A11	Recommendation for Release of Service Personnel - Lieut Bray	
Strathfield	✓	-	Return of anti gas Equipment	
✓	✓	-	Return of Unit Equipment	
✓	✓	-	Return of Technical Equipment	
✓	✓	-	Officers Due for Leave During March	
✓	✓	-	Return showing Fighting Strength	
✓	✓	-	Return showing Motor Transport	
✓	✓	-	Supplementary Return for M.T.	
✓	✓	-	Return of Weapons	
✓	✓	-	Officers Postings	

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Unit 46 Aust. L.C.R.E. (Works) Date and Time.—From ~~28 MAR 1944~~ To 1 MAR 1944

St 7455

Place.	Date.	~~Hour~~ File	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Paddington	28/2/44	A00	Passes to Defended Areas.	
Strathfield	✓	640/70	Expansion Valves	
✓	✓	-	Secondment of Officers to A.I.F	
✓	29/2/44	571/03	Wervis ck - Storage Store - Lighting	
Paddington	✓	581/00	Relining: Quirindi Showground	
Strathfield	✓	70	Supply Depot Wervis Creek	
Paddington	✓	643/50	Tamworth Military Camp Hurricane Damage	
New Lambton	✓	70	Engineer Stores Dump - Rutherford	
Strathfield	✓	643/00	Concrete Paving for 'Bean' Wheel Aligning Machine	
✓	✓	A03	LHQ AASC School - Courses in Technology	
✓	✓	A76	Correspondence - 6 Aust Maint Pl.	
Paddington	✓	921/50	Casino Camp accommodation	
B'meadow	✓	70	Jacks - Maint Pl	
Strathfield	1 Mar 44	A00	620662/44 Unit Censor Stamps	

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TAMWORTH
1 Feb 44

Camp Q.M.
SINGLETON

CONNECTING ELECTRIC LIGHT TO OFFICERS' TENTS - SCONE CAMP

Application was made by C.O.O. Reserve Aust Base Ord Depot on 31 Dec 43 for connecting electric light to 2 Officer's tents at an estimated cost of £5.

2. Would you please advise if this work has been referred to you, or carried out by Unit Labour.

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Camp Q.M.
SINGLETON

SINGLETON - MILPO - HEATING ARRANGEMENTS AND WATER TAP

Subtended is copy of letter in reference to the above matter:-

"D.A.D.Posts,
HQ NSW L of C Area

Reference your 18044 of 10 Dec 43.

2. Arrangements have been made for com letion of installation of heating stove at Singleton MILPO.

3. The question of installation of water tap has been referred to AQMG and this service is NOT APPROVED."

(Sgd) R.J. BUTLER Major
For A.H.GARNSEY Col.
2 Aust CE (Works)"

W A Young .....MAJOR
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Camp S.O.
SINGLETON

MYAMBAT AMMUNITION DEPOT
FLYPROOFING OFFICERS, SGTS & ORs MESSES

Reference your Demand for Works Services dated 22 Dec 43 for flyproofing mess at the above Depot at an estimated cost of £25.

2. As flyproofing to mess rooms is not an entitlement this demand has not been forwarded to HQ NSW L of C Area as it would most certainly be not approved by AQMG.

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ESB F. Liaison Section,
Victoria Barracks,
PADDINGTON

SCONE BASE ORD DEPOT - FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES

Reference your memo dated 21 Jan 44 regarding W.8 requisition W2604.

2. The P.26 for the above work was prepared by 2 Aust CE (Works), therefore your request has been forwarded to SORAE (Works.)

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TAMWORTH
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Claims Department,
NSW Government Railways,
SYDNEY

REFERENCE EXCESS FARE RECEIPT No.4655482
TICKET No.1507 TAMWORTH-LIVERPOOL

On the night of Dec 31st 1943, NX160906 Spr Gallagher,M.G. was proceeding from Tamworth to Liverpool on duty. He was furnished with a 2nd. class ticket for the journey.

2. On joining the train at Tamworth he was placed in a 1st. class compartment by the Railway officials as all 2nd. Class carriages were overcrowded but during the journey he was charged 1st class excess fare of 13/7d.

3. As a member of the A.M.F. travelling on duty he may be entitled to 1st preference in travel and a refund of the amount of 13/7d. is requested.

... Enc. 2

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47 Aust DCRE (Works)
NEW LAMBTON

REFERENCE ORDINARY PASS No.3814

The above pass has been returned to this Unit
by NX146571 S/Sgt LATHAM,W.C. and is enclosed herewith.

Enc.

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46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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HQ
NSW L of C Area
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

REFERENCE ORDINARY PASS No.686

The above Pass, on issue to NX134247 S/Sgt CHILD, A.E. has been returned to the Unit and is enclosed herewith.

Enc.

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Victoria Barracks
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REMOVAL OF C OF E UNITY HUT - TAMWORTH CAMP

Reference your memo 23577 dated 25 Jan 44 with attached copy of Camp Q.M's Tamworth No. 648 dated 3 Jan 44.

2. Para (6) of the Camp Q.M's report No.648 merely expresses an opinion that the Church would bear the cost.

3. The hut is constructed of H.W. covered with weatherboard and steel roof trusses sheeted with fibro cement. The cost of removal, re-erection and connecting to services may not exceed £80 under ordinary conditions but under unfavourable circumstances this amount may be exceeded.

4. Before proceeding with this work the Camp Q.M. Tamworth has been requested to obtain a written guarantee from the Bishop of Armidale that the trustees of the Hut will bear full cost of removal and re-erection.

5. On receipt of this guarantee the work will immediately be proceeded with.

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STRATHFIELD

CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS REPORT
PERIOD 31 JAN 44

Receipt is acknowledged of memo SF' dated 28 Jan 44 and Pro Forma A attached thereto.

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STRATHFIELD

MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT

Reference your memo 31/69/43 dated 30 Nov 44 and your B70 dated 24 Jan 44.

2. Forwarded herewith is the information required set out on Pro Forma sheets. This data is similar to that forwarded on 27 Jan 44.

Way
.....MAJOR
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A.M.F. RPON. No. W.1193-41/42 FOR THE AMOUNT OF £5,016. ISSUED ON 25/4/42 - TAMWORTH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Reference your memo 28365 dated 28 Jan 44.

2. The above Requisition was placed with Tamworth Municipal Council for the construction of Detention Barracks, West Tamworth, on the 24 April 42.

3. On the 15 May 42 the Commander, 3 L of C Sub Area arranged to carry out the work by unit labour with the exception of electrical installation. Materials were paid for by the Tamworth Municipal Council. Work was completed satisfactorily by October 42.

4. The Tamworth Municipal Council submitted TS4 for the sum of £1365/10/- as full and final payment for the purchases of material and wages, incurred for the electrical installation. This amount was paid on the 14 Dec 42. The expenditure seems to be reasonable and the work satisfactorily completed.

... 5. P.27 forwarded herewith.

... Enc.

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TRANSFERS

It is recommended that the following transfers be approved:-

NX109280 Sgt Lohan, R. from 46 Aust DCRE to 6 Aust Main Pl.
REASON: The abovementioned is suitable for the supervision of work and labour.

NX94736 Spr Wilmen, V.G. from 46 Aust DCRE to 6 Aust Main Pl.
REASON: The abovenamed is a Driver and is 'B' class. 6 Aust Main Pl is short of drivers and replacement can be made in normal way through DRO.

NX134751 Sgt Primmer, V.R. from 6 Aust Main Pl to 46 Aust DCRE (Works).
REASON: The abovenamed could make a satisfactory Works Foreman and is 'A' class and is at present carried supernumary by 6 Aust Main Pl.

N69360 L/Cpl Shilling, J. Forwarded herewith is application for transfer by the abovenamed which is recommended as he is unfit for tropical services and it is requested that he may be transferred to either 52 or 50 Aust DCRE (Works).

2. Casualty Returns are enclosed herewith, anticipating approval.

Encs. 2

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TANK TRANSPORTER ROUTES IN N.S.W.

The work which remained incomplete on 31 Jan 44 in this territory is as follows:-

PROGRESS REPORT

PRIORITY	ROAD No.	SERIAL No.	PROGRESS
4	S.H.9-MR.290	9/12	Concrete bridge complete with handrail. Approaches 95% complete. Bridge could now be used if necessary.

Way.
.....MAJOR
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46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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TAMWORTH MILITARY HOSPITAL - HURRICANE DAMAGE TO 12 HUTS

Reference your memo 25143 dated 26 Jan 44.

2. The number of huts demolished by the hurricane on 17 Dec 43 was (11) eleven, 2 of which have since been re-erected, namely:-

D. BLOCK: Physiotherapy Hut.
F. BLOCK: Hut No.8.

3. The (9) nine huts which have not yet been re-erected are as follows:-

D. BLOCK: Huts 9, 10, 11, 26, 27, 28.
G. BLOCK: Huts 8, 9, 10.

All re-usable material from these huts has been removed to the Engineer Dump.

4. There is sufficient material to carry out the following work:-

Huts complete.....2
Huts complete except for roof covering.....3
Huts floors only.....2

5. It would be therefore necessary to carry out the following work to restore all demolished huts:-

Provide labour and materials for huts, 2. Estimated cost:	£1,180
Huts complete except flooring provided, 2. Estimated cost:	1,040
Huts complete BUT with new roof covering, 3. Estimated cost:	750
Erection only, huts 2. Estimated cost:	400
TOTAL:	£ 3,370

All brick piers would require re-erection.

6. The above estimates are based on schedule of costs by NSW. A.W.C. contained in memo 178414 of 6 Aug 43.

7. The alternative proposal for the re-instatement of these (9) nine huts would be to carry out the work by unit labour using SUDs and Maint Pl su ervision of trades, purchasing necessary materials and removing (4) four complete huts from K Block as J & K Blocks do not appear to be now required. Cost of carrying out the work by this method would be £270.

8. The alternative proposal of carrying out the work by Unit is recommended on the grounds of economy and expedition.

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MISS M. MOYLAN "BELLEVUE" NARRABRI - COMPLAINING OF NUISANCE CREATED BY USE OF LOCAL RIFLE RANGES BY NARRABRI V.D.C.

Reference General Staff memo 24129 of 25 Jan 44.

2. The present Narrabri Rifle Range was removed from another site and reconstructed in present position about 24 years ago at which time Miss Moylan was given an assurance by the Army that the Range was not to be used without her permission as she has never been prepared to give written firing rights over the portion of her property on the safety zone.

3. At the present time she appears to be enjoying an aggressive argument with the Trustees of the Narrabri Common in which the Range is situated in regard to grazing rights. It would be possible to take over a small portion of Miss Moylan's property under N.S. Regulations so that the Range could be used.

4. However, a far more serious matter is the position of a house occupied by the Common Ranger, which is situated approximately 500 ft. behind the targets and on a line approximately 200 ft. on southern side of these targets. The cottage is occupied by the Ranger's family and there is cattle and horses grazing on the Common immediately behind the stop butts.

5. It seems therefore that the Range is unsafe and should under no circumstances be used.

... 6. Sketch plan attached showing position of Ranger's cottage in relation to Range.

W.A.Young ..... MAJOR
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46 Aust DCRE (Works)

... Enc.

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TENT LIGHTING

Receipt is acknowledged of memo dated 26 Jan 44 enclosing copy of Technical Instruction No. 42.

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ACCIDENTS TO ARMY MOTOR VEHICLES

Receipt is acknowledged of memo A05 dated 28 Jan 44 in reference to above.

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Camp "QM"
GLEN INNES

ERECTION OF PARTITIONS AT DRILL HALL
ELLENGHAN STREET, ARMIDALE

Reference your memo 395/21/44 in regard to the above.

2. As it is not usual to subdivide parade space in Drill Hall it is suggested to you to submit a P.26 for this work. When P.26 is received it will be costed and submitted to HQ NSW L of C Area for approval.

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6 AUST MAINT PL DETACHED

The abovementioned Platoon has eight (8) ORs permanently detached for duty on Static Establishments. There are six (6) Sappers detached for permanent duty at the A.F.V. Range Singleton and two (2) Sappers detached for duty at 102 A.G.H. Tamworth as boiler attendants making a total of eight (8) ORs detached.

2. These permanent detachments clutter up the Establishment of the Maint Pl resulting in a serious diminution of efficiency and working strength as they cannot be used for the normal work of the Maint Pl such as repairs to all Military Installations throughout the DCRE area.

... 3. A list is forwarded herewith of the detached personnel. It will be noticed that they com rise of electricians, carpenter, plumber and other tradesmen.

4. It is requested that an endeavour be made to arrange for all important Static Establishments such as an A.G.H. and an A.F.V. Range to have an operating and maintenance staff attached so that the all Maint Pl may be released to function on general R & M work throughout the area in which the Maint Pl is stationed.

... Enc.

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6 AUST MAINT PL. - DETACHED PERSONNEL.

ARMY No.	RANK	NAME	DATE COMMENCED DUTY	DUTIES	MED CLASS	AGE	STATIONED
N226358	Spr	Coman, L.	15/7/42	Electrician	A	37 ET	Singleton A.F.V.
N28692	"	Wintle, J.	1/11/43	"	B	25 UT	" "
N100696	"	Burslim, W.C.	24/8/43	Carpenter	B	50 UT	" "
N32956	"	Jones, P.R.	24/8/43	Plumber	B	34 FT	" "
NX167841	"	Rawson, J.T.	2/10/43	Pioneer	A	20 FT	" "
N410092	"	Britz, A.J.	23/7/42	Platelayer	B	53 UT	" "
N75525	"	Bone, J.	10/9/42	Pioneer	B	50 UT	Boiler attendant at 102 A.G.H.
N272441	"	Hutchinsky A.	10/9/42	"	B	49 UT	" " "

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TAMWORTH

GRO F819 PARA K, 20 DEC 43 - UNIT TRUST FUNDS

Reference your memo A/55/44 dated 3 Jan 44.

2. The last distribution of this Unit's Trust Funds was made on 17 Nov 43 at the rate of 13/3 per member in which Spr Browne participated.

3. The balance at date is £4.19.8 which is, however, subject to a disputed claim of £7.1.6 from Amenities Branch for Sporting gear which was not received by the Unit.

4. Credit payments are usually received monthly and average £1.10.0.

5. It is suggested that each time a distribution is made that the 1/17 share due to Spr Browne be paid into AWAS Barracks Trust Fund so as to comply with above G.R.O.

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PERSONNEL - 46 AUST DCRE (WORKS)

ARMY No.	RANK	NAME	W.E.	POSITION FILLING	MED CLASS	FIT OR UNFIT FOR TROPICAL SERVICE	HOME ADDRESS	REMARKS
NX124489	T/Major	YOUNG, W.A.	DCRE	DCRE	A1	Fit	64 Derwent St. GLEBE POINT	
NX109256	Cap t	NICHOLSON,R.C	Garr Eng	Garr Eng	A1	Fit	61 King Street, MASCOT	
VX133242	Lieut	BRAY, L.E.	Stores Offr	Stores Offr	A1	Fit	53 Washington St. ESSENDON VICT	
NX146571	S/Sgt	LATHAM, W.C.	Wks Foreman	Wks Foreman	A1	Fit	48 Boundary St. CLOVELLY	
NX134751	Sgt	PRIMMER, V.R.	" "	" "	A1	Fit	Eurimbla St, THORNTON	
NX134247	S/Sgt	CHILD, A.E.	Electrician	E & M	A2	Fit	4 Enid Avenue, GRANVILLE	
NX133963	Cpl	PACK, H.B.	Eng Clerk(Sgt)	Eng Clerk(Sgt)	A1	Fit	471 Dowling St. MOORE PARK	
N219060	Cpl	JOYNER, W.	" " (Cpl)	" " (Cpl)	A1	Fit	Wellesley Flats Wellington St.WOOLAHRA	
N436843	Cpl	SHORT, T.L.	" " "	" " "	A2	Fit	147 Upper St, TAMWORTH	
NX173299	Cpl	SIMPSON,N.M.	Draughtsman	Draughtsman	A1	Fit	16 Highfield Rd, LINDFIELD	
N69366	L/Cpl	SHILLING,C.J.	Dvr Mech	Dvr Mech	B	Unfit	106 Waterloo Rd, BANKSTOWN	
NX148031	Spr	GREEN,W.H	Dvr M.T.	Dvr M.T.	A1	Fit	19 Thomas St, West End BRISBANE	
NX160906	"	GALLAGHER,M.	" "	" "	A1	Fit	53 Parramatta Rd, ANNANDALE	
N25044	"	DOUGLAS,R.G.	Sapper	" "	B	Fit	76 Salisbury Rd, CAMPERDOWN	
NX120570	"	EDGECOCK,W.	Batman	Batman	A2	Fit	10 Smith St, ROZELLE	
N226308	"	ROSS, D.J.	"	"	B	Fit	31 Ashton St, BONDI JUNCTION	
NX110863	"	SCHOLICK,W.	Cook AACC	Cook	A2	Unfit	18 Mitchell St, ST. LEONARDS	
N24294	"	FARR,R.B.C.	Sp r	Cook	B2	Unfit	Cargo Rd, CANOWINDRA	
		Vacant	Driver M.T.					
		"	Eng Art.					

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Mr. R.K. Deer,
2 Aust CE (Works)
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

A.A.F. P.22a

Would you please forward a supply of the abovementioned Army forms as these are urgently required for the completion of Rifle Range inspections.

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SANITATION SERVICES - MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS

Reference your SF dated 10 Jan, 2 Aust CE's 4543 of 6 Jan and further to my memo 46 dated 20 Jan.

... 2. Attached hereto is schedule relating to Sanitation Services at EVANS HEAD just received from Camp Q.M. Casino.

... Enc.

W.A. Young MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

SANITATION SERVICES - MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS

NAME OF CAMP OR ESTABLISHMENT (a)	AVERAGE NUMBER OF SERVICES PER WEEK (b)	PERIOD OF CONTRACT (c)	DATE OF EXPIRY (d)	NAME OF CONTRACTOR (e)
EV AMS HEAD 3 AAHT Det	2 pans per week	No contract in existence	-	Woodburn Shire Council. (Price per service 1/-)

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COMPLETED WORKS REPORTS

Reference fortnightly "completed works" reports.

2. In future a fortnightly report of all completed works will be submitted to the O.C. of this Unit. A nil return will not be necessary.

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Camp S.O.
SINGLETON

SCONE CAMP - WORKS A.W.A.S.

... Enclosed herewith are P26s and Demand for Works Services for above job.

2. Please sign same and return to this Unit.

... Enc.

W.A. Young

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SINGLETON

CATTLE TRAP CHAUVEL CAMP - MUSWELLBROOK

Enclosed herewith are P26s ~~and Demand for Works Services~~ for your signature, re above job.

2. Please return same on completion.

Enc.

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6 Aust Maint Pl
TAMWORTH

FLY-PROOFING - CHAUVEL CAMP

Reference fly-proof door Signal Office, Muswellbrook and fly-proofing OR's kitchen, Chauvel Camp.

2. Please instruct Sgt Lohan as per letters attached.

Enc.

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Sgt Lohan,
46 Aust DCRE (Works)
Monabh Camp
MUSWELLBROOK

FLY-PROOFING - CHAUVEL CAMP

Reference fly-proof door Signal Office, Muswellbrook.

2. Please purchase locally door complete, and proceed with work immediately.

3. Job number will be RM4318.

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Sgt. Lohan,
46 Aust DCRE (Works)
Monash Camp
MUSWELLBROOK

FLY-PROOFING - CHAUVEL CAMP

Reference fly-proofing OR's kitchen, Chauvel Camp.

2. Please proceed with work as outlined at inspection.

3. Draw materials from dump at Muswellbrook.

4. Job number will be RM4318.

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AWAS ABLUTIONS - SCONE CAMP

Enclosed herewith are P.26s and Demand For Works Services for your signature, re the above job.

2. Please return same when completed.

Enc.

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CATTLE TRAP - MYAMBAT

1. Reference proposed cattle trap at main gate Myambat Depot.

2. Would you please prepare "Demand For Works Services".

3. Estimated cost of this work would be £30.

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SINGLETON

FLY-PROOFING ORs KITCHEN - CHAUVEL CAMP

Reference fly-proofing OR's kitchen Chauvel Camp and fly-proof door Signal Office, Muswellbrook.

2. This unit has approved of this work which can be carried out as repairs and maintenance.

3. Estimated cost:-

(a) Fly-proof door = £2

(b) Fly-proofing OR's kitchen = £9

4. Job number will be R & M.4318.

5. Work will be commenced as soon as possible.

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Camp QM.
TAMWORTH

LEAVE FOR AWAS PERSONNEL ON STRENGTH

Reference your memo 739 dated 7 Feb 44.

2. This Unit is controlled only through Engineer chain of Command, therefore, all orders and instructions must originate from the 4 Aust CRE (Works) or 2 Aust CE (Works).

3. However, the AWAS member of this Unit is included on the Duty, Leave and Rest Day Roster designed to avoid dislocation and for the efficient working of the staff.

4. It would be entirely unsatisfactory to have any Officers (not familiar with the incidence, nature and amount of work in an Engineer Unit) controlling the duty and leave periods of any member of this Unit.

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STRATHFIELD

SINGLETON AFV RANGE: REPAIRS TO MANTLETS & EMBANKMENTS

Reference your memo V45960 dated 30 Dec 43.

2. The whole of the work of building up mantlets and filling to embankments was satisfactorily completed by 2 Aust Rly Constr Coy on 28 Jan 44.

3. No fettling nor other work was done to tracks.

4. The embankments and mantlets are now in good order and give adequate protection.

5. It is found difficult to compact filling and embankment slope is rather steep in parts, which may cause subsidence after wet weather.

6. 6 Aust Maint Pl personnel on AFV Range have been instructed in maintenance of this work.

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SITE AND LOCALITY PLANS: CAMPS, SCHOOLS, DEPOTS
HOSPITALS, DRILL HALLS, FORTRESS ACCOMMODATION
A.A. SEARCHLIGHT AND OTHER INSTALLATIONS

CASINO - VICTORY CAMP

Reference memo 12212 dated 14 Jan 44.

2. An attempt has been made to measure up and plot the above camp and services thereto but owing to the size of the site and lack of instruments the plan produced may not be accurate nor give sufficient details.

3. It is understood that Mr. S.J. Hosie, Regd. Surveyor made a detailed survey of this camp about 12 months ago for the Dept of Interior, the time taken for this was 6 weeks. Complete plan of 22 sheets were forwarded to Dept of Interior where tracings were made.

4. It is suggested that application be made to Dept of Interior for copies of these plans which could be checked and brought up to date if necessary.

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MOTOR VEHICLE REPLACEMENT

VEHICLE C70246 DODGE 12-12 CWT

The condition of the above vehicle has been unsatisfactory for some time and is affecting the work and efficiency of this Unit.

2. Pro-forma for replacement and G1033 is forwarded herewith.

3. Could you please obtain approval of ADOS for replacement after which this Unit will apply to 3 Aust Vehicle Park, North Ryde to get another vehicle.

Enc.

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SINGLETON A.F.V. RANGE - REPAIRS TO MANTLETS AND EMBANKMENTS

Reference 2 Aust CE (Works) memo 37224 dated 7 Feb 44.

2. A report was sent memo 459/69 dated 8 Feb 44 stating that the above work was satisfactorily completed.

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SITE AND LOCALITY PLANS: CAMPS, SCHOOLS, DEPOTS
HOSPITALS, DRILL HALLS, FORTRESS ACCOMMODATION
A.A. SEARCHLIGHT & OTHER INSTALLATIONS

Reference memo 283202 of 3 Dec 43.

2. Forwarded under separate cover are the following plans:-

(a) COFFS HARBOUR:	Cadre Camp,	DCRE Plan No. 101 supersedes 2 Aust CE (Works) Plan 7390.	3 copies
"	Tank Hill,	DCRE Plan No.102 supersedes 2 Aust CE (Works) plan 7259.	
(b) LISMORE:	DRILL HALL,	DCRE Plan 103.	
(c) CASINO:	Supply Depot,	DCRE Plan 104.	
(d) "	Exeter Camp (Drill Hall)	2 Aust CE (Works) Plan 7262 amplified to date.	1 copy
(e) "	Dauntless Camp (Carrington Park),	2 Aust CE (Works) Plan 7261 amplified to date.	
(f) "	Showground,	2 Aust CE (works) PLAn 7263 amplified to date.	

3. Regarding Plan No.7390 Coffs Harbour, Cadre Camp. Copy of this plan was returned on 22 Jan 44 but on inspection of site it was found to be incorrect therefore DCRE plan No.101 forwarded herewith should supersede 2 Aust CE (Works) plan 7390.

W. Browne for
.....MAJOR
(W.A.YOUNG)

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SCHOOL OF FIRE PROTECTION & FIRE FIGHTING

Reference your 470/1/2239 dated ...Feb 44.

2. It is advised that the undermentioned NCO will attend the above school.

... 3. Nominal Roll is forwarded herewith together with a Medical Certificate.

NX146571 S/SGT LATHAM, W.C. - 46 AUST DCRE (WORKS)

... Enc.

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NSW L OF C AREA SCHOOL OF FIRE PROTECTION & PREVENTION

No.2 FIRE SENIOR NCOs COURSE 21 FEB - 1 MARCH. 1944

ARMY No.	RANK	NAME	SERVICE	PREVIOUS SCHOOLS	DATE OF BIRTH	MED CLASS	NEXT OF KIN
NX146571	S/Sgt	LATHAM, W.C.	3 2/12	LHQ Bomb Disposal School No. 19 Course 1/11/43 to 27/11/43	14 June 1900	A1	Wife, Mary Elizabeth Latham. 48 Boundary St. CLOVELLY NSW.

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REMOVAL OF C OF E UNITY HUT - TAMWORTH CAMP

Reference 46 Aust DCRE (Works) memo 640/25 dated 3 Feb 44.

2. A guarantee has now been received by the Camp Q.M. Tamworth from the Bishop of Armidale stating the amount expended in the removal of the above hut will be paid to your Diocesan Funds.

3. Work will be commenced immediately.

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
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REPAIR & MAINTENANCE OF ROADS IN ARMY CAMPS
AND ESTABLISHMENTS

Forwarded herewith are plans, in quadruplicate, of roads in COFFS HARBOUR Cadre Camp, Plan No. 101

Enc.

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11 Feb 44

Mr. Cromack,
84 Pitt Street,
SYDNEY

Dear Mr. Cromack,

SITE & LOCALITY PLANS: CAMPS, SCHOOLS, DEPOTS
HOSPITALS, DRILL HALLS, FORTRESS ACCOMMODATION
A.A. SEARCHLIGHT & OTHER INSTALLATIONS

Instructions have been received from HQ. to prepare detail plans of all camps in this Area.

2. Several have been completed but difficulty is being experienced with some sites as we have not sufficient information.

3. This applies to CASINO, Victory Camp on Kyogle Road and it is understood Mr. S.J. Hosie, surveyor, prepared a detailed plan 12 months ago with 22 sheets of drawings which were to be incorporated on one plan of smaller scale.

4. Myambat, Glen Innes and Tenterfield are also localities where there are small camps, which have probably been surveyed by your Department.

5. Could you please see if a copy of these plans are available and if so forward a copy direct so the recording of all additional work may be effected.

Yours truly,

W.A. Young

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
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CATTLE TRAP - CHAUVEL CAMP MUSWELLBROOK

Reference 420/69/142 CE's Branch re Cattle Trap, Chauvel Camp Muswellbrook.

2. Attached herewith are P26s and S18s for necessary action.

Enc.

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SCONE RESERVE AUST B.O.D. - SEPTIC TANK

Reference memo 21643 dated 22 Jan 44.

2. The absorption trenches on private property are only subject to boggy conditions after wet weather. Such boggy conditions being contributed to by effluent to a limited extent.

3. Regarding the methods suggested to overcome the alleged nuisance:-

(1) There is not any direct evidence of the existence of a gravel drift in the locality therefore the labour involved may not be justified at present.

(11) The septic tank is situated 210'-0" from the camp boundary, the ground level of which is only 2' - 6" below level at septic tank. This fall would mean that drain pipes would be laid near surface of ground from top of septic tank, so that it would not dispense with pumping plant as suggested. The Unit occupying the Camp is satisfied with the existing installation.

4. It is recommended that no further work be undertaken to this septic tank.

L. C. Bray Lieut.
.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
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MYAMBAT WATER SUPPLY
PUMPED SERVICE FROM SMITH'S WELL

Interviewing Mr. Smith at the site of the above well on 10 Feb 44 he voiced his dissatisfaction at the rate of progress in connection with carrying out the terms of the Contract, viz: the supply and laying of a 1" service to his residence.

2. Would you please investigate this matter and advise this office as to what progress has been made in this matter.

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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2 A.A.O.D.
MYAMBAT

CATTLE TRAP - MYAMBAT

Reference proposed cattle trap at main gate, Myambat Depot.

... 2. Attached herewith are P.26s for the above work.

3. Please prepare "Demand for Works Services" and obtain thereon signature of Camp S.O. SINGLETON.

4. Return P26s and "Demand for Works Services" to this office.

... Enc.

for .....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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TAMWORTH.

12 Feb. '44.

Camp S.O.
GLEN INNES.

CLAIMS - 98.

Reference your memo 434/6A/44 dated 9 Feb '44.

1. It is pointed out that the enclosed T.S.4's and S.18's should be completed by showing the Bank that the money is to be paid into, also there should be a separate S.18 covering each T.S.4.

2. Please treat this matter as urgent and return forms to this H.Q.

L.E. Bray

.....LIEUT.
(L.E.BRAY).
Stores Officer,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

Encl.

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
12 Feb 44

Camp S.O.
SINGLETON

SCONE CAMP - WORKS A.W.A.S. & MENS

Enclosed herewith are P26s and "Demand for Works Services" for above job.

2. Please sign "Demand for Works Services" and return all forms to this office.

Enc.

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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TAMWORTH
14 Feb 44

D.R.O.
Broadway
SEDNEY

NX97481 SPR BROOM, W.A.

Herewith A.F.W.3011 deleting entry of NX97481 Spr Broom, W.A. showing his transfer to 47 Aust DCRE (Works) as requested in your memo 56-1000/6876 dated 4 Feb 44.

Enc.

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
14 Feb 44

Camp S.O.
SINGLETON

HOT WATER BOILERS - SINGLETON CAMP

Enclosed herewith are P26s and Demand for Works Services for above job for your signature.

2. Please sign same and return to this HQs.

Enc.

MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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ATTENTION CAPT. ROBBIN.

4 Aust. CRE.(Works),
SIR THEFIELD.

46 Aust. ICRE.(Wks),
TAMWORTH.

14 Feb. '44.

"A" STORES.

Ref correspondence 70 1 Feb. 44, para 4, transfer of Stores to 5 Aust. Maintenance Platoon.

1. Attached is a copy of a letter from Spr. . Cowley who at the time of check was on leave, stating that the transfer was made from the 5 Aust. Maintenance Platoon and not the 46 Aust. D.C.R.E.

2. If this is correct the F.19 will need to be adjusted accordingly.

.....LIEUT.
(L.E. BRAY),
Stores Officer,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

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46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works)

4 Aust. CRE.(Works),
STRATHFIELD.

46 Aust. DCRE.(Works),
TAMWORTH.

14 Feb. '44.

Ref Expansion Valves.

2. We have to acknowledge receipt of two Expansion Valves, and Consignment Note No.791431.

.....LIEUT.
(LEE.BRAY).
Stores Officer,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

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46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works) 70.

46 Aust. DCRE. Works,
TAMWORTH.

14 Feb. '44.

O.C.
6 Aust. Maint. Pl.
TAMWORTH.

Ref Scone Camp.

1. Minor repairs and maintenance are necessary according to details attached.

2. Please instruct Sgt. Lohan to carry out the work as soon as possible.

L.E. Bray
.....LIEUT.
(L.E.BRAY).
Stores Officer,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

Encl.

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SCONE CAMP.

SHED 1.

Leakage at foot of wall at Eastern End near doorway. Roof leaking above stack of flannelette. Combustion likely if not rectified.

SHED 2.

Roof leaking above ramp, between the two sections of the shed.

SHED 4.

Window Pane required over main doorway as rain blows in. Also roof leaking at left of doorway over table.

SHED 5.

2 inch square hole above side door opening on to Bowman's paddock.

SHED 8.

Faulty roof at N.W. corner of shed. No apparent hole but water easily soaks through.

SHED 17.

Faulty roofing at South Western corner and also over annexes Nos. A.D.& H. Leaking drain in Northern End.

SHED. 3.

Faulty roof above bay J3 in front of assemblies.

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46 Aust. DCRE.(Works),
TAMWORTH.

14 Feb. '44.

O.C.
6 Aust. Maint. Pl.
TAMWORTH.

Please prepare 6 small signs 12" x 6".

"FOR NIGHT USE ONLY"
To be delivered to Camp Staff Officer, Major Cox, as soon as possible.

L.F. Bray

.....LIEUT.
(L.F.BRAY).
Stores Officer,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E.(Works).

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46 Aust. D.C.R.E.Wks,
TAMWORTH.

14 Feb. '44.

4 Aust. C.R.E.(Works),
STRATHFIELD.

Reference two (2) R.176 Belts, of your memo 506/04/44.

2. We have to acknowledge the receipt of Two (2) R.176 Belts from Dunlop Perdrian Ltd.

.....LIEUT.
(L.E.BRAY).
Garrison Engineer Stores,
46 Aust. D.C.E.E. (Works).

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Address
46 Aust. DCRE.(Wks),
TAMWORTH.

15 Feb. '44.

Sgt. Alcock,
E.S.B. Financial Liaison Section,
Victoria Barracks,
PADDINGTON.

Reference return of Vouchers to N.C.O. in charge of Dump.

2. Would you please return approved vouchers more regularly.

3. Accumulation of same causes inconvenience at dump.

L E Bray

.....LIEUT.
(L.E.BRAY).
Garrison Engineer Stores.
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

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TAMWORTH
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Shire Clerk,
Apsley or Hastings Shire.

OXLEY HIGHWAY - SIGNBOARD

RE-ERECTION

Complaints have been received from Drivers of Military Vehicles that they have been delayed by taking the wrong road due to the absence of a signboard on above Highway at road junction near culvert No.460 and between mile posts 61-62.

2. Would you please re-erect this signboard indicating correct road to Walcha please.

W.A.Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Works
TAMWORTH
17 Feb 44

Stationery Clerk,
2 Aust CE (Works)
HQ NSW L of C Area
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

LHQ TRAINING INSTRUCTION No.3A

Receipt is acknowledged of above (in duplicate.)

W.A. Young MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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TAMWORTH
17 Feb 44

4 Aust CRE (Works)
STRATHFIELD

SECOND AUST ARMY JUNIOR LEADERS SCHOOL
JUNIOR LEADERS COURSES FOR L OF C TROOPS

Reference your memo AB3 dated 14 Feb 44.

2. Copy of adjoining instructions referred to in para 3 were not enclosed with memo therefore could another copy of these instructions be forwarded please.

W.A. Young ....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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Address 46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
17 Feb 44

2 Aust CE (Works)
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

SECONDMENTS TO A.I.F.

Receipt is ackno ledged of memo 42326 of 11 Feb 44, also special memo from Mil. Sec.

W.A. Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

Copy to 4 Aust CRE (Works)

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TAMWORTH
17 Feb 44

2 Aust CE (Works)
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

TAMWORTH MILITARY CAMP - HURRICANE
DAMAGE TO HUTS

Reference your memo 42327 dated 11 Feb 44.

2. Could early advice be given as to whether the cost of re-erection of nine (9) huts as stated in para 7 of memo 643/50 dated 4 Feb 44 is to be included on P.26 covering all expenditure on hurricane damage.

3. Expenditure to date is £238.10.0 and the total repair cost is estimated at £320.0.0. which included the re-erection of two (2) huts.

4. Nine (9) huts have not been re-erected and/or replaced and if four huts are made available from 'K' Block the cost of re-erection, etc., is estimated at £270.0.0.

W.A.Young.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

Copy to 4 Aust CRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
17 Feb 44

Camp "Q" Staff,
CASINO

RIFLE RANGES CASINO CAMP STAFF
ADMINISTRATIVE AREA

... Forwarded herewith is copy of tabulated information of the undermentioned localities:-

BOWRAVILLE	DORRIGO
MACKSVILLE	RALEIGH
SOUTH GRAFTON	KEMPSEY

... Enc.

W.A. Young

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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RANGES IN CASINO ADM. AREA

17 Feb 44

LOCALITY	GENERAL DESCRIPTION	TARGETS	USE	RANGE	GRAZING RIGHTS	OWNER OR LESSEE DANGER ZONE	NAME OF OWNER RANGE AREA	REMARKS
BOWRAVILLE	South Arm Cemetery Rd. ¾ mile from BOWRAVILLE	2	Rifles only	1000 yds	Nil	Crown	Crown	1-100 gal tank. 1 telephone at butts. Poles no wire.
DORRIGO	½ mile South from DORRIGO	2	Rifles L.M.G.	600 yds	Nil	W.E. WHITTAKER	W.E. WHITTAKER	12'X7' target shed. 10'X8' store Poles erected wire broken in two places
MACKSVILLE	Gumma Rd, 4 miles East of Macksville	4	Rifles only	300 yds	Nil	Mr.R.J. AINSWORTH	Mr.R.J. AINSWORTH	2 phones, poles & wire erected.
RALEIGH	North Beach - Bellingen River, 4 miles from Raleigh	2	Rifles LMG MMG	600 yds	Nil	Crown	Crown	2 phones out of order. Telephone to 600yds. Shelter shed 12' X 9'. Target shed 12' X 7'6"
SOUTH GRAFTON	Turn South from Glen Innes Rd. along Skinner St. 2 mls	4	S.A. M.M.G.	700 yds	Private	M. CONOLLY W. PAUL	M. CONOLLY W. PAUL	200 gal tank. Shel. shed 24'X16'. Targ. shed 16' X 12'. Poles & line complete
KEMPSEY	2 miles South, on Crescent Head Rd.	8	S.A. M.M.G.	800 yds	Nil	Crown	Crown	600gal. tank 30'X20' shel Ranger's shed 12'X12'16'.

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TAMWORTH
18 Feb 44

4 Aust CRE (Works)
STRATHFIELD

CLAIMS BY MICHAEL CLARK & O.D. RYAN
ERECTION OF RAMPS

Reference your memo 478 60 dated 14 Feb 44.

2. All the materials are at Singleton except bolts, which will now be obtained locally.

3. Work was commenced to-day and should be completed on 3 Mar 44.

MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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TAMWORTH
18 Feb 44

Attention
CAPT. E. HAMILTON

D.F.O.
R.A.S. Showground
SYDNEY

NX134621 MILNE, H. S/SGT

The abovenamed N.C.O. was marched out to 52 Aust DCRE (Works) vide our W.3011 Ser 73/43 of 7.10.43.

2. Authority quoted 4 Aust CRE (Works) memo 9/312 of 28.9.43.

MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Wks)

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CC.

46 Aust. D.C.R.E.Wks,
TAMWORTH.

18 Feb. '44.

Capt. Knowles,
Camp Q.,
GLEN INNES.

NX173299.CPL.SIMPSON - NX148031 DVR. GREEN.

1. The abovenamed soldierswill be reporting to you to conduct a survey of Camps within Glen Innes Area.

2. It would be appreciated if you could render them every assistance.

A.Child S/Sgt for MAJOR. A.D.O.D.
(W.A.YOUNG).
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

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46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works), TAMWORTH.

19 Feb. 1944.

4 Aust. C.R.E. Works,
STRATHFIELD.

Attached please find Consignment Note No. 484709 covering one (1) Chain forwarded to Darling Harbour 18/2/44.

.....LIEUT.
(L.E.BRAY).
Garrison Engineer Stores,
46 ust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

Encl.

NOMINAL ROLL

19 Feb 44

PERSONNEL - 46 AUST DCRE (WORKS)

ARMY No.	RANK	NAME	W.E.	POSITION FILLING	MED CLASS	FIT OR UNFIT FOR TROPICAL SERVICE	HOME ADDRESS	REMARKS
NX124489	T/Major	YOUNG, W.A.	DCRE	DCRE	A1	Fit	64 Derwent St. GLEBE POINT	
NX109256	Capt	NICHOLSON, R.C.	Garr Eng	Garr Eng	A1	Fit	61 King Street MASCOT	
VX133242	Lieut	BRAY, L.E.	Stores Offr.	Stores Offr.	A1	Fit	53 Washington St. ESSENDON VICT.	
NX146571	S/Sgt	LATHAM, W.C.	Wks Foreman	Wks Foreman	A1	Fit	48 Boundary St, CLOVELLY	
NX134751	Sgt	PRIMMER, V.R.	" "	" "	A1	Fit	Eurimble St, THORNTON	
NX134247	S/Sgt	CHILD, A.E.	Electrician	E & M	A2	Fit	4 Enid Avenue GRANVILLE	
NX133963	Cpl	PACK, H.B.	Eng Clerk(Sgt)	Eng Clerk (Sgt)	A1	Fit	471 Dowling St, MOORE PARK	
N219060	Cpl	JOYNER, W.	" " (Cpl)	" " (Cpl)	A1	Fit	Wellesley Flats Wellington St. WOOLAHRA	
N436843	Cpl	SHORT, T.L.	" " "	" " (Cpl)	A2	Fit	147 Upper St, TAMWORTH	
NX173299	Cpl	SIMPSON, N.M.	Draughtsman	Draughtsman	A1	Fit	16 Highfield Rd, LINDFIELD	
N69366	L/Cpl	SHILLING, G.J.	Dvr Mech	Dvr Mech	B	Unfit	106 Waterloo Rd, BANKSTOWN	
NX148031	Spr	GREEN W.H.	Dvr M.T.	Dvr M.T.	A1	Fit	19 Thomas St, West End BRISBANE	
NX160906	"	GALLAGHER, M.	" "	" "	A1	Fit	53 Parramatta Rd, ANNANDALE	
N25044	"	DOUGLAS, R.G.	Sapper	" "	B	Fit	76 Salisbury Rd, CAMPERDOWN	
NX120570	"	EDGECOCK, W.	Batman	Batman	A2	Fit	10 Smith St, ROZELLE	
N226308	"	ROSS, D.J.	"	"	B	Fit	31 Ashton St, BONDI JUNCTION	
NX110863	"	SCHOLICK, W.	Cook AACC	Cook	A2	Unfit	18 Mitchell St, ST. LEONARDS	
N24294	"	FAR,R,R.B.C.	Spr	Cook	B2	Unfit	Cargo Rd, CANOWINDRA.	
		Vacant	Dvr M.T.					
		"	Eng Art					

R.C.
(L.E. BRAY) Lieut.
W.A. YOUNG Major
Garrison Engineer Stores
46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
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21 Feb 44

Fire Officer
2 Aust CE (Works)
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

RE STANDING ORDERS FOR ARMY FIRE SERVICES

As only one copy of the above order is in possession of this HQ., it was not possible to supply S/Sgt. LATHAM with a copy prior to attending school.

2. 12 copies of the above orders have been requisitioned for from Stationery Department but supplies are not available.

W.A. Young MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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21 Feb 44

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MUSWELLBROOK/LIVERPOOL: ARTILLERY SHELTERS
JOB No.H4775 - EMPLOYMENT OF S.U.D. LABOUR

Reference 2 Aust CE (Works) memo 31001 dated 1 Feb 44.

2. The above shelters will be consigned by rail to 52 Aust DCRE LIVERPOOL scheduled to leave MUSWELLBROOK as follows:-

5 rail trucks on 25 Feb 44.
5 rail trucks on 26 Feb 44.

W.A. Young MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
21 Feb 44

2 Aust CE (Works)
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

WORKS DEMAND: CHAUVEL CAMP, MUSWELLBROOK
ERECTION OF CATTLE TRAP AT MAIN GATE - CHAUVEL CAMP

Reference 2 Aust CE (Works) memo 47380 dated 17 Feb 44.

2. P.26s & S.18s for the above work was forwarded with this HQ. memo 484/00 of 12 Feb 44.

W.A. Young ..MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

Copy to 4 Aust CRE (Wks)

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RECOMMENDATION FOR RELEASE OF SERVICE PERSONNEL -
VX133242 LIEUT L.E.BRAY. 46 AUST DCRE (WKS)

Reference telephone instruction of 21 Feb 44.

2. Forwarded herewith is MPR.2 V5003 in reference to abovenamed Officer also, DAAG (PS) HQ NSW L of C Area memo 49899 of 18 Feb 44.

Enc.

W.A. Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
21 Feb 44

Capt Bacon,
C.O. 3 Ordnance Area
Newcastle Showground
BROADMEADOW

F.20 UNIT No.71/43 - 29/12/43

... Hastener for the above F.20 attached hereto.

2. Your co-operation in obtaining immediate supply of the goods ordered thereon would be appreciated.

... Enc.

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust. D.C.R.E.(Works),
TAMWORTH.

22 Feb. '44.

O.i/c,
Checking Staff,
District Accounts Office,
SYDNEY.

REPORT OF D.F.O. PETROL CHECK ON 11/2/44.

Ref shortage 6 Gals. Petrol,(Vehicle No. 702416).

2. The course of the above shortage was due to a broken petrol line.

3. Breakage was due to excessive vibration.

.....LIEUT.
(L.E.BRAY).
Storekeeper Engineer Stores,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
22 Feb 44

4 Aust CRE (Works)
STRATHFIELD

RAE TRADE DEFICIENCIES

Attached pro-forma reference the above.

2. NX160906 Spr GALLAGHER, M.G. a t present trade grouped as Driver Mechanic Gp.111 and employed as a Driver M.T. is considered suitable for conversion training as Engine Artificer.

Enc.

W.A. Young MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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22 Feb 44

4 Aust CRE (Works)
STRATHFIELD

SURPLUS W.Os & N.C.Os.

Reference your memo A00 dated 18 Feb 44 to O.C. 6 Aust Maint Pl. It appears that while 5 Sgts are shown surplus to W.E. of this Platoon, there is also shown a deficiency of(2) Sgts. and (1) Corporal.

2. It is recommended that 3 Sgts be posted to these vacancies and absorbed into Unit. At the present time it would be possible for D.R.O. to remove competent NCO tradesmen and fill deficiencies with unsuitable NCOs.

3. It is suggested that Sgt. FOLEY, F., Sgt. PREEDY, A.V., Sgt. SMITH, F.J., be posted to the NCO vacancy.

4. Sgt. THOMPSON, J.R. a very reliable NCO with expert knowledge of road works and Sgt. LOHAN, R. is conscientious and possesses initiative in getting works completed quickly.

5. The order of reference for the NCOs concerned is as follows:-

N78121	Sgt. PREEDY, A.V.	Carpenter	B class.
N75528	Sgt. FOLEY, F.	Plumber Gp.11.	B class.
N75530	Sgt. SMITH, F.J.	Carpenter	A class.
N75515	Sgt THOMPSON, J.R.	Mason Gp.11.	B class.
NX109289	Sgt. LOHAN, R.	Carpenter	A class.

Regarding Sgt. PREEDY, A.V. an instruction by memo 19924 dated 16 Feb 44 has been received from DRO for transfer to 2 Aust Base Ord Depot but as this NCO is most valuable it is suggested that every effort be made to have this order cancelled.

W.A.Young
.....MAJOR
(W.A.YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
22 Feb 44

4 Aust CRE (Works)
STRATHFIELD

TAMWORTH - 102 A.G.H. BOILER INSTALLATION

Reference Work's Requisition No.420/23/305 dated 13 Aug 43, Job T4664 the sum of £66.

2. The work required in this requisition:-

(1) Disconnect and install existing second hand half back section to 3 HN - 100 stand - by boiler, was carried out sometime ago by Unit labour and all the sections of this boiler are cleaned with morecene and there are five (5) serviceable half sections in store.

3. Enquiries indicate that the last quotation, that of Messrs. Bridge and Coy, WAYFIELD, for the sum of £66 has never been expended.

4. Now that this work appears unnecessary it is recommended that the money available, i.e. £66 be expended for the purchase of spare parts such as fire bars against glasses, tools, rings, cocks and other fittings to both boilers so that a supply of renewal or replacement parts is readily available.

W.A. Young

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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N21 060 CPL JOYNER, W.T. - APPLICATION FOR RELEASE

Reference your memo A12 dated 14 Feb 44 and your memo dated 27 Jan 44.

2. It would appear that Cpl. Joyner's application was submitted to DAAG (R & M) on the basis that he had no definite employment in prospect.

3. It would appear that this is not correct and herewith is forwarded a letter from his former employer stating that he could be utilised to great advantage.

4. It is requested that the application for release be re-submitted please.

Enc.

W.A. Young MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Works)
TAMWORTH
22 Feb 44

W.O. Wright,
ESB Finance Liaison Section Branch
Victoria Barracks
ADDINGTON

TAMWORTH - REFRIGERATION PARTS
TENTERFIELD - WILES COOKER REPLACEMENTS
F.A. 2/210

Could an itemised list of monies expended under the above financial authority be supplied please. The amount of the requisition was as follows:-

TAMWORTH - Refrigeration parts	=	£29.10. 0
TENTERFIELD - Wiles Cooker Replacements	=	£25. 0. 0

2. As portions of the materials were unprocurable it is desired to make arrangements to get substitutes so that the work may be completed.

W.A.Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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TAMWORTH
22 Feb 44

4 Aust CRE (Works)
STRATHFIELD

SCHOOLS & COURSES ATTENDED - VX133243 LIEUT BRAY,L.E.

Reference your memo A16 dated 19 Feb 44.

2. Schools and Courses attended by abovenamed officer are shown hereunder:-

SCHOOL	COMMENCEMENT & CONCLUSION	QUALIFICATION
SME Fd. Course 72	2/1/43 to18/5/43	Qualified
SME (Fd) Mech. Equip. Operation Course 110.	10/10/43 to 20/11/43	Qualified

W.A. Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
22 Feb 44

Adjt
4 Aust CRE (Works)
STRATHFIELD

CORRESPONDENCE - 6 AUST MAINT PL

An instruction was received here on the 25 Sep 43 and appears to have been misplaced or lost.

2. Could you please forward a copy.

W.A. Young

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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N389634 - SPR SMITH R.L.

... Forwarded herewith is memo 2290 dated 15 Feb 44, in reference to the transfer of abovenamed from 6 Aust Maint Pl to 2 & 3 Aust Ord Port Detachments.

2. The W.E. provides for 8 carpenters and the posted strength is 13 carpenters, thus there is a surplus of 5.

3. Would you please advise if you approve of transfer, which is recommended.

... Enc.

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N71524 SPR HUNTER, D.P.

Reference your memo A07 dated 26 Jan 44.

2. The W.E. provides for 5 fitter electricians and/or electricians and the 6 Aust Maint Pl has posted strength of 5 electricians.

3. However, 2 are permanently detached to the A.F.V. Range, Singleton and this leaves only an effective strength of 3 electricians.

4. These tradesmen are continuously engaged on work in the Tamworth area, particularly at the 102 A.G.H. often answering emergency night calls.

5. It is recommended therefore that the abovenamed be allowed to remain with the 6 Aust Maint Pl until replacement is provided or perhaps a replacement could be sent direct to 5 Aust Maint Pl.

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SINGLETON A.F.V. RANGE

NEW ELECTRIC BATTERIES

Reference your memos 478/03/44 dated 20 Feb and V451/03 dated 26 Dec 43.

2. F20 Unit No. 71/43 was forwarded to O.O. 3 Ordnance Area, BROADMEADOW on 29 Dec 43, on which was ordered Batteries Masse 4 Volt 145 AMP hrs type M.K.E. 8 Block type, quantity 24.

3. As the above goods have not been received by consignee (Camp Staff SINGLETON) a 'hastener' has been forwarded to O.O. concerned.

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Unit: 46 Aust DCRE (Works)

Formation: 2 Aust CE (Works

PARTICULARS OF ARMY STAFF CARS EQUIPPED WITH

LEFT HAND DRIVE

ARMY No.	MAKE	ENGINE NO.	CHASSIS No.	UNIT TO WHICH VEHICLE IS ON CHARGE AT .../.../1944
NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

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PROFICIENCY PAY - GRO F660 OF 1943

Reference your circular A06 (a) dated 12 Feb 44.

2. The following information regarding proficiency pay for personnel of this Unit is forwarded:-

(a) Nil

(b)

NX120570	Spr	EDGECOCK, W.H.	Batman
N25044	"	DOUGLAS, R.G.	M.T. Driver
N226308	"	ROSS, D.J.	Batman

The abovenamed are fully trained to the standard required by their respective duties and have shown themselves efficient and well conducted soldiers.

(c) NX148031 Spr GREEN, W.H., ineligible until 30 Jun 44.

3. Information has not been published in our Unit Orders but will be included in the next issue.

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(W.A. YOUNG)
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PROFICIENCY PAY: GRO F660 OF 1943

Reference your memo A06 dated 21 Feb. 44.

2. Information in regard to above was forwarded to you 23 Feb 44.

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N24294 SPR FARR R.B. - F.200

Receipt is acknowledged of memo dated 22 Feb 44, enclosing F.200 of abovenamed soldier.

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102 A.G.H. TAMWORTH - EDUCATIONAL HUT

RECN. W.2034

... Forwarded herewith is plan and specification checked and signed as instructed by 2 Aust CE (Works).

... Enc.

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24 Feb 44

O.C.
14 Aust Detention Barracks
WEST TAMWORTH

TAMWORTH MILITARY CAMP

HURRICANE DAMAGE TO HUTS

Attached hereto is copy of HQ. NSW L of C Area memo 52202 dated 22 Feb 44 in reference to the re-erection of huts by S.U.D. labour.

2. The work includes the removal of four (4) huts from K. Block and the re-erection of five (5) huts from materials in store or to be purchased.

3. It is desired to start this work as soon as practicable.

Enc.

W.A. Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

Copy to: C.O.
102 A.G.H.

Camp QM.
TAMWORTH

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Department of Main Roads,
49 Wa tt Street,
NEWCASTLE

OXLEY HIGHWAY - SIGNBOARD RE-ERECTION

Complaints have been received from Drivers of Military Vehicles that they have been delayed by taking the wrong road due to the absence of a signbeard on above Highway at road junction near culvert No.460 and between mile posts 61-62.

2. Would you please arrange to re-erect this signboard indicating correct road to Walcha please.

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Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

DEHIRING PREMISES: MESSRS. THIBAULT BROS
WEST TAMWORTH - (HIRINGS SERIAL AH.594)

Reference memo 45035 dated 15 Feb 44.

2. A kitchen shed 14' X 12' constructed by Army of sawn H.W. and sheeted with corrigated iron has been demolished and the recovered material placed on charge at 46 Aust DCRE Store, Tamworth.

3. The premises are now in same condition as at date of hiring.

W.A. Young

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
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O.C.
44 AWAS Barracks
TAMWORTH

GRO F819 PARA K. 20 DEC 43 - UNIT TRUST FUNDS

Distribution of the above Funds of £3.8.0 has been made to Unit members.

... 2. Forwarded herewith is 4/-, being 1/17 share due to NF392156 Spr BROWNE, J.M.

3. Please acknowledge receipt.

... Enc.

.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
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STANDING ORDERS FOR ARMY FIRE SERVICES (AUST)

Reference your memo V71 dated 14 December, 43.

2. Subjoined is report for month of February in regard to camps and installations inspected during month of Feb.

WERRIS CREEK:	Supply Depot		
FIRE ORDERS:	Forwarded on 28 Jan with last report.		
FIRE OFFICER:	NX126769 Lieut. R. Gouge.		
FIRE NCO:	NX88830 Cpl HENDERSON, R.M.		
EQUIPMENT:	Fire buckets		68
	Fire Extinguishers	Soda Ash, 2 Gal	74
	" "	Foam	8
	" "	Carbon Tet-rochloride	1
	Stand Pipe		1
	Fixed Hydrants		6
	Hoses 100 ft. lengths		9
	Branches		4
	Fire Beaters		30
	Trailer Fire Pump (Jupider)		1

PETROL STORE: Two (2) foam extinguishers available, hydrants, fire hose, nozzles and branches in fire boxes in positions adjacent to Bulk Stores. In addition each store has approximately 3,000 gallons of water stored in tank adjacent.

FIRE DRILL: Held every forthight. Squad appear to be well trained. No long grass in vicinity of stores. Other fire risks well controlled. Fire orders displayed where necessary.

W A Youm

.....MAJOR
(W.A.YOUM)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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2 Aust CE (Works)
Victoria Barracks,
PADDINGTON

RE LEAVING CERTIFICATE & AGRICULTURAL

SPECIALISTS

Reference return required re above.

2. Forwarded herewith is pro forma with particulars of qualified personnel of 46 Aust DCRE (Works) and 6 Aust Maint Pl.

Enc.

MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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RETURN OF LEAVING CERTIFICATE

AND AGRICULTURAL SPECIALISTS

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS)

REGT. No.	NAME	RANK	LEAVING CERTIFICATE	AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE	REMARKS
NX173299	SIMPSON, N.M.	Cpl	Yes	No	
N436845	SHORT, T.L.	Cpl	Yes	No	Agricultural student

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NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL	NIL

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DAMAGED ROADS - MUNICIPALITY OF SINGLETON

Reference memo 49701 dated 19 Feb 44.

2. The roads alleged to be damaged by military traffic were inspected by LIEUT. L.E. BRAY, with Municipal Engineer, SINGLETON on 22 Feb 44 and report is as follows:-

(a) LOCALITY: Municipality of SINGLETON.

(b) NAME OF SHIRE: Municipality of SINGLETON

(c) DESCRIPTION OF ROADS:

(i) Lengths and affected widths as per attached schedule.
(ii) Present Construction:
Varying from 21' width to 40' width.
(iii) Present Surfacing: Tar seal.

(d) MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS SERVED: Singleton Military Camp.

(e) CENSUS OF TOTAL TRAFFIC: A census of present traffic would not give a true indication of condition at the time of damage. As no traffic census was made either by the Army or the Singleton Council at that time enquiries from both sources revealed that 60% of Army traffic to 40% of civil traffic eas a fair proportion.

RAAF and USASOS vehicles were neglibible.

(f) PERCENTAGE OF HEAVY DEFENCE TRUCKS TO CIVILIAN HEAVY TRUCKS: Information unobtainable.

(g) ESTIMATED COST OF ESSENTIAL REPAIRS: £1,000 (See attached schedule).

(h) PROPORTION TO BE BORNE BY LOCAL AUTHORITY: £600.

(i) PROPORTION RECOMMENDED AS A CHARGE TO THE COMMONWEALTH: £400.

(j) GENERAL REMARKS & RECOMMENDATION: 1. Under normal conditions with the effluxion of time the roads would have probably required a reseal by this date.

2. The total military & civil traffic over the preceding two years would not have exceeded normal civil traffic in pre-war years.

3. The local authorities, that is the Ratepayers have benefited from having military personnel within the area.

4. It is therefore recommended that if the Municipality of SINGLETON repair the roads set on an Appendix "A", the Commonwealth contribute 40% of the total cost provided; such contribution does not exceed £400.

Encs.

W.A. Young, MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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DAMAGED ROADS - MUNICIPALITY OF SINGLETON

APPENDIX "A"

ESTIMATES OF COST

SERIAL No.	STREET	SECTION	LENGTH	WIDTH	AREA SQ.YDS	PATCHING	RE-SURFACING @ 6d.PER SQ. YD.	TOTAL
1	George St.	John St. to Campbell St.	800'	20'	1777	£10	£45	55
2	John St.	William St. to George St.	2300'	20'	5111	30	128	158
3	Castlereagh St.	John St. to Bathurst St.	700'	20'	1555	9	39	48
4	" "	Church St. to Maitland Rd.	1900'	20'	4222	25	105	130
5	York St.	Bathurst St. to 700' East	700'	20'	1555	9	39	48
6	" "	Church St. to George St.	2200'	20'	4888	30	122	152
7	Bathurst St.	Argyle St. to 600' North	600'	20'	1333	8	33	41
8	Church St.	Kelso St. to 400' North	400'	20'	888	5	22	27
9	Kelso St.	Bathurst St. to Orchard Lane	3300'	20'	7333	43	183	226
10	Munro St.	John St. to Wynyard St.	800'	20'	1777	10	44	54
		TOTAL ESTIMATES :	£1,000			£179	£760	£939

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Camp Q.M.
GLEN INNES

SALVAGE

Reference memo dated 23 Feb 44.

2. A Camp Q.M. should not, under any circumstances despatch Engineer Stores to Salvage or elsewhere without prior approval of the DCRE.

3. In this case, your consignment to Salvage was inspected and several items or parts of items will be serviceable after repair.

W.A.Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks'
TAMWORTH
25 Feb 44

Mr. G. Quast,
45-47 Fitzroy Street,
TAMWORTH

ICE ACCOUNT - £1.11.0

... Enclosed herewith is cheque for £1.11.0 covering account for January.

Receipt of same to be acknowledged please.

... Enc.

H.H.Back for
.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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TRANSFER - N69360 L/CPL SHILLING, G.J.

Reference your memos A07 dated 14 Feb and 23 Feb 44.

2. N69360 L/Cpl Shilling, G.J. was transferred from this HQs to 5 0 Aust DCRE (Works) Bathurst on 23 Feb 44.

3. Copy of Casualty Return Ser 10/44 for abovenamed soldier was forwarded to you 23 Feb 44.

Lieut.
.....MAJOR
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46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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RECOMMENDATION FOR RELEASE OF SERVICE PERSONNEL
VX133242 LIEUT L.E. BRAY - 46 AUST DCRE (WKS)

... Forwarded herewith is Form MPR 2 - V5003 in reference to abovenamed Officer.

2. It is recommended that a request be made to DAAG (PS) that Lieut Bray may be held until a relieving Officer is posted to take over his duties and/or until the 31 Mar 44.

... Enc.

Copy to 4 Aust CRE (Wks)

W.A. Young ..... MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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RETURN OF ANTI GAS EQUIPMENT

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY 44

DETAIL	W.E.T.	ON HAND	WANTED TO COMPLETE
Respirator	20	20	Nil
Anti Gas	-	-	-

L.E.Bray Lieut.

(L.E.BRAY)
Garrison Engineer Stores
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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RETURN OF UNIT EQUIPMENT

46 AUST DORE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY 44

W.E.T.	ON STRENGTH

NOTHING SHOWN ON UNIT W.E.T.

L.E.Bray Lieut.

(L.E.BRAY)
Garrison Engineer Stores
46 Aust DORE (Works)

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RETURN OF TECHNICAL ECUIPMENT

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY 1944

DETAILS

NIL shown on W.E.T.

L.E. Bray Lieut.

(L.E.BRAY)
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OFFICERS DUE FOR LEAVE DURING MARCH

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS)

24 Feb 44

ARMY No.	NAME	RANK	LEAVE
NYL	NIL	NIL	NIL

MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

24 Feb 44

RETURN SHOWING FIGHTING STRENGTH

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY, 44

W.E.		ON STRENGTH		WANTED TO COMPLETE	
OFFRS	ORS	OFFRS	ORS	OFFRS	ORS
3	17	3	15	Nil	2

Lieut.
(L.E.BRAY)
Garrison Engineer Stores
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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RETURN SHOWING MOTOR TRANSPORT

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY 44

DETAIL	W.E.T.	ON HAND	WANTED TO COMPLETE
Motor Cycles	2	1	1
Trucks, 15 Cwt	2	Nil	2
Trucks 12 Cwt	Nil	1	Nil
Trucks 20 Cwt	Nil	1	Nil
Trucks 30 Cwt	Nil	1	Nil
Trucks 3 Ton	1	Nil	1
Car D.S.	1	1	Nil
Bicycles	1	Nil	1

L.E. Bray Lieut.

(L.E.BRAY)
Garrison Engineer Stores
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SUPPLEMENTARY RETURN FOR M.T.

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY, 1944

ARMY No.	MAKE	TYPE CWT.	MAKERS MODEL SERIAL No. OF SERIES AS APPLICABLE	YEAR OF MANUFACTURE	IF VEHICLE RECEIVED SINCE PREVIOUS CENSUS RETURN SHOW SOURCE FROM WHICH RECEIVED.
C15533	Ford	Car G.S.	Engine No.1A12801F Chassis No.1A12801F	1940	
C15591	Ford	12 U.T.	Engine No.1A4893F Model O1A	1940	
64433	Ford	1 Ton van	Engine No.1C.19697.F. Chassis No. 2715 Model WD Ford 01T81	1943	Received from 3 Aust Ord Veh Park, RYDE
48459	Ntn	Side Car	Model W.D.52776	1941	
T31729	Velocette	Solo	Engine No.M[illegible]82968	1939	
57903	Ford	30 Cwt	Engine No.30528.1F	1942	

Lieut.
(L.E.BRAY)
Garrison Engineer Stores
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RETURN OF WEAPONS

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY 1944

DETAILS	W.E.T. No.	W.E.T. AMMUNITION ON MAN	W.E.T. AMMUNITION RESERVE	W.E.T. AMMUNITION TOTAL	ON HAND No.	ON HAND AMMUNITION ON MAN	ON HAND AMMUNITION RESERVE	WANTED TO COMPLETE WEAPONS	WANTED TO COMPLETE AMMUNITION
Pistols .455	7	12	48	126	Nil	Nil	Nil	7	126
Rifles .303	13	50	1000	12	Nil	Nil	Nil	1	1350

Lieut.

(L.E.BRAY)
Garrison Engineer Stores
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

OFFICERS POSTINGS

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS) AS AT 29 FEBRUARY 1944

No.	RANK	NAME	APPOINTMENT	CLASSIFICATION	REMARKS
NX124489	Major	YOUNG, W.A.	46 Aust DCRE	A1.	
NX109256	Capt	NICHOLSON, R.C.	Garrison Engineer	A1	
VX145004	Lieut	BRAY, L.E.	Stores Officer	A1	

L.E. Bray Lieut.

(L.E.BRAY)
Garrison Engineer Stores
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46 Aust DCRE (Works)
TAMWORTH

ENGINEER STORES DUMP - RUTHERFORD

Reference memo 47 Aust DCRE (Works) NEW LAMBTON ES/46/1454 dated 25 Feb 44.

2. The Concrete Mixer referred to in ~~your~~ above memo was loaned out of the Dump at RUTHERFORD a considerable time before I had anything to do with Stores.

3. To whom loaned I have no information.

V.R. Primmer ...SGT
(V.R.PRIMMER)

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46 Aust DCRE (Wks)
TAMWORTH
28 Feb 44

2 Aust CE (Works)
Victoria Barracks
PADDINGTON

PASSES TO DEFENDED AREAS

Attached hereto is Ordinary Pass No.415 which expired on 31/12/43.

2. It is requested that a pass for the year ending 31/12/44 be issued please.

Enc.

Copy to 4 Aust CRE (Wks)

J. Rew Capt
.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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46 Aust. DCRE.(Works).
STRATHFIELD.

28 Feb. '44.

4 Aust. D.C.R.E.(Works).
STRATHFIELD.

EXPANSION VALVES.

1. We acknowledge receipt of the following expansion Valves (Second Hand)-

2 Fedders,
1 Teddington,
1 Sporlan,
1 No. M.1275,

Consignment Note No. 791426.

2. The demand was for 6 No. expansion Valves but flimsey No.2213 on F.C. Lovelock Pty. Ltd. 16 Young Street, Sydney provides for 6 New Sporlan valves.

3. Would you please advise if this is correct or whether the cost has to be adjusted accordingly.

L.E.Bray

.....LIEUT.
(L.E.BRAY).
Garrison Engineer Stores,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E.(Works).

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SECONDMENT OF OFFICERS TO A.I.F.

46 AUST DCRE (WORKS)

REG. No.	NAME	RANK	DATE APPLIED FOR A.I.F.	DATE SECONDED TO A.I. WITH C.A.G.No.
NX124489	YOUNG, W.A.	Major	10/7/42	Secondment not approved.
NX109256	NICHOLSON, R.C.	Capt	June '42	Not yet Seconded.
VX133242	BRAY, L.E.	Lieut	8/3/43	Not yet seconded

6 AUST MAINT PL

V12685	TAYLOR, A.R.	Lieut	Not A.I.F.	

W.A. Young MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

WAY/JMB

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WERRIS CREEK - FORAGE STORE - LIGHTING
JOB No.W.C.5103

Reference AQMG memo 278707 dated 29 Nov 43.

2. The installation of electric light to above store has been completed and P.29 is forwarded herewith.

Enc.

W.A.Young.....MAJOR
(W.A. YOUNG)
46 Aust DCRE (Works)

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AAF. P29.

E.S.B. No.

WORKS COMPLETION REPORT.

LOCALITY: ~~[illegible]~~

1. The undermentioned work (or service) has been completed in accordance with Requisition P.27 No. _____ W.8 No. ~~[illegible]~~ and associated plans and specifications.

2. Project No. _____ Description of Project ~~Materials for Electric Lighting No.6 Storage Store.~~

3. Constructing Authority : ~~2 Aust. C.E. Works.~~

4. Contract Price (if applicable) £ _____ Completed Cost £ ~~7. 11. 6.~~

5. Date of Commence[illegible] ~~[illegible]~~ 14/2/44. Date of completion: ~~6/8/43.~~ 17/2/44.

6. Type of Labour [illegible] ~~Military.~~

7. Manhours (approx) [illegible] Civilian _____

8. Cost of Civilian [illegible] (if [illegible]) £ _____

9. Source of materials ~~Works Dump, Tamworth.~~

10. Cost of Materials £ ~~7. 11. 6.~~

11. Costs other than Labour & Materials £ ~~None.~~
(show details of main items)

12. Photograph work is -
~~ø attached~~
x not available.
~~not available.~~

13. The following plans are attached (Site and lay-out plans indicating types of buildings &c. should be furnished if available). ~~not available.~~

14. All stores issued have been used in job. (Copies of C.R.Vs. attached). ~~used.~~

15. Surplus stores have been returned to Dump. (Copy of C.R.V. is attached). ~~No surplus.~~

16. Remarks (Explan[illegible] of the items shown above;-

~~Works satisfactorily completed and are being used for the purpose for which they were intended.~~

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Aust DCRE (Wks)

CHIEF ENGINEER.

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DEMIRING: QUIRINDI SHOWGROUND
(HIRINGS SEPTAL AH 1430)

Reference your memo 44981 dated 15 Feb 44.

2. There are not any Military installations at the above Showground.

3. Some damage has been caused to floor of one pavilion through overloading of stores by D.I.D.

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C Aust. C.R.E.(Works).
STRATHFIELD.

Forwarding under separate cover one (1) Thermometer "Accoson" ex 16 Aust. Supply Depot, Berris Creek, for repairs to suit "White Rose" Series H boiler.

L.E. Bray

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Garrison Engineer Stores,
46 Aust. D.C.R.E. (Works).

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TAMWORTH MILITARY CAMP
HURRICANE DAMAGE TO HUTS

Reference your memo 55486 dated 25 Feb 44.

2. Forwarded herewith is P.26 for the sum of Five Hundred and Ninety Pounds(£590) for restoration and re-erection of huts and buildings demolished or damaged by hurricane on 17 Dec 43.

Enc.

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NEW LAMBTON

ENGINEER STORES DUMP - RUTHERFORD

Reference your memo ES/46/1454 dated 25 Feb 44.

... 2. Forwarded herewith is statement by Sgt. V.R.PRIMMER.

... Enc.

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CONCRETE PAVING FOR "BEAN" WHEEL ALIGNING MACHINE

.. Forwarded herewith is P.26 for the sum of Eighteen Pounds (£18) for concrete paving to Workshops 'B' Block, Manilla Road Camp.

2. This work is considered urgent and is recommended.

... 3. Copy of DDME memo 56928 of 26 Feb 44 is attached.

... Encs.

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LHQ AASC SCHOOL - COURSES IN TECHNOLOGY

Reference your memo A03 dated 24 Feb 44.

2. Enclosed herewith is Nominal Roll for personnel to attend the above Course.

3. Reference 6 Aust Maint Pl personnel it is advised that none possess suitable educational qualifications.

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46 Aust DCRE (Works)

Enc.

APPENDIX 'B'

Nominal Roll in order of priority of personnel of: 46 Aust DCRE (Works)
nominated to attend courses in FOOD TECHNOLOGY at LHQ AASC SCHOOL.

Personnel of non Scientific training or background but of good general education and some knowledge of foodstuffs or nutrition.

ARMY No.	NAME & INITIALS	UNIT	EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS	KNOWLEDGE OR EXPERIENCE IN FOODSTUFFS OR NUTRITION	NAME, ADDRESS & RELATIONSHIP OF NEXT OF KIN
N436845	CPL SHORT, T.L.	46 Aust DCRE (Works)	Leaving Certificate	Engaged in Agricultural job.	A.J. SHORT, Father. 147 Upper Street, TAMWORTH

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CORRESPONDENCE - 6 AUST MAINT PL

Reference your memo A13 dated 24 Feb 44.

2. The subject referred to in your memo received here on 25 Sep 43 was dealing with 6 Aust Maint Pl correspondence coming through 46 Aust DCRE (Works).

3. Please forward copy of your memo. if available

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CASINO CAMP ACCOMMODATION

Reference your memo 52545 dated 23 Feb 44, also memo 47485 dated 17 Feb 44 and AQMG memo dated 11 Feb 44.

2. The accommodation remaining at Rawalpindi Camp (Showground) is as follows:-

1 Off.,Sgt's and Men's Mess and Kitchen.
1 Off.,Sgt's Mess and Kitchen.
1 Men's Mess and Kitchen.
1 Shower enclosure 6 head.
1 Shower enclosure 12 head.
4 Ablution Benches.

3. Accommodation at Dauntless Camp (Carrington Park) is:-

1 Off., Sgt's Mess Hut and Kitchen.
1 Kitchen
2 Latrines 5 pans.
2 Latrines 2 pans.
1 Shower 6 head.
1 Shower 12 head.

4. Two huts were recently removed from Dauntless - one to Victory Camp (Kyogle Road) occupied by N.R.E.I. personnel and one to Exeter (Drill Hall) for the V.D.C.

5. The specifications of proposed work at Coffs Harbour provides for the removal of the three (3) huts from Rawalpindi (Showground) and one (1) kitchen building from Dauntless (Carrington Park). This will leave one (1) mess hut and kitchen 38'6" X 19'0" at Dauntless (Carrington Park).

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6. Latrines and shower enclosures are dilapidated and could only be considered for repair work or salvage.

7. Schedule of buildings attached.

Enc.

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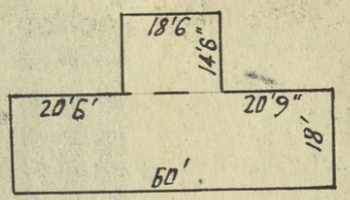
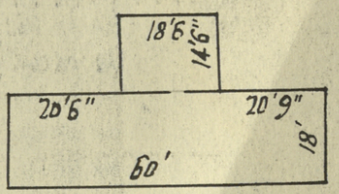
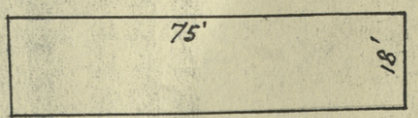
CAMP	No. OF BLDGS	TYPE	SIZE	PLAN
RAWALPINDI (SHOWGROUND)	1	Showers 'A'	6 Head	
	1	Showers 'B'	12 Head	
	4	Ablution Benches		
	1	'Officers', 'Sgts', & 'Mens' Mess & Kitchen		
	1	'Officers', 'Sgts' Mess & Kitchen		
	1	'Mens' Mess & Kitchen		

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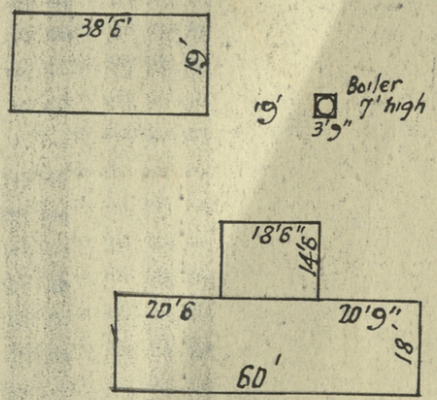
CAMP	No. OF BLDGS	TYPE	SIZE	PLAN
DAUNTLESS (CARRINGTON PARK)	2	Latrines 'A'	5 Pans	
	2	Latrines 'C'	2 Pans	
	1	Showers 'A'	6 Head	
	1	Showers 'B'	12 Head	
	3	Ablution Benches		
	1	Officers' & Sgts' Mess Hut with Kitchen & Bar.		
	1	Kitchen 'K' Wiles		

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O.C.
5 Aust. Maintenance Pl.
BROADMEADOW.

Ref Jacks on loan to 6th Aust. Maintenance Platoon.

2. Forwarding above Jacks per per rail to Broadmeadow Railway Station.

3. Consignment Note No. 484711.

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