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H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E, 1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Jul 42 To 31 Jul 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
WEST MAITLAND	4 Jul 42		Sqn commenced preparation of bivouac site for HQ, Fd Park, and 4 Sqn RAE at GRETA.	
	6 Jul 42	0245	Sqn fostered HQ RAE, 2/1 Fd Pk Sqn and 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn into bivouac at GRETA.	
	7 Jul 42		N.C.O's examination held.	
	8 Jul 42		C.R.E. visited Unit and inspected EAST GRESFORD CAMP.	
	13 Jul 42		Course of trg for unit fitters completed after four weeks of lectures and practical work including visits to principal Engr shops in NEWCASTLE DISTRICT, and trg in welding at NEWCASTLE TECHNICAL COLLEGE.	
	19 Jul 42		2 Fd Tp moved from EAST GRESFORD to LARGS.	
	20 Jul 42		Sqn moved to LARGS Camp - "B" Block, joining HQ RAE, 2/1 Aust Fd Park Sqn and 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn.	
LARGS			Lieut Donnelly with party of tradesmen moved out to MUSWELLBROOK to proceed with construction of Advanced Ordnance Workshops.	

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Date and Time.—From 1 Jul 42 To 31 Jul 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LARGS	24 Jul 42		Courses of trg commenced in Elementary Field Engineering to bring untrained men up to standard and specialist courses for Driver Operators and Motor Cycle Orderlies.	
	27 Jul 42		Capt Sharp returned from S.M.E.	
	31 Jul 42		After the concentration of RAE 1 Aust Armd Div at LARGS action was taken to bring all ranks up to an equivalent standard of trg. War equipment was checked and a standardised system of equipping and fitting vehicles decided upon and proceeded with.	

D.H. Macintosh.

WAR DIARY

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2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E - 1 Aust Armd Div

Routine Orders - Part 1

by

Major J G Foreman - Commanding

1942/181 — 1 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO.	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 1 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 2 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		~~Capt~~	~~Hay W A~~
	~~Next for Duty~~		Lieut	Donnolly B J
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39755	A/Cpl	Parris J A
	Next for Duty	NX40020	A/Cpl	Hoazlett D
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
	Next for Duty	NX91150	L/Cpl	Prossor J
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of the Picquet	NX91151	L/Cpl	Prossor R G
	Next for Duty	NX42176	L/Cpl	McCoy A L
	Members of the Picquet	QX19965	Spr	Rowland E A
		NX47784	"	White P Mc
		QX21953	"	Brindley N
		NX41297	"	Jackman A J
		NX89396	"	Imrie J G M
		NX91400	"	Maish C W G
	INLYING PICQUET	NX57060	Spr	Westcott F A
		NX43481	"	Talbot A J
		QX21476	"	Robinson D
	DUTY DRIVER	NX89575	Spr	Aggar W J

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O.C. 3 Fd. Sqn. R.A.E.
1 Armd. Div. A.I.F.

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No. 1942/182. 2 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES	To mount at 1730 hrs 2 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730 hrs 3 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
	Next for duty		Capt	Hay W A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX40020	A/Cpl	Headlett D
	Next for duty	NX7045	A/Cpl	Chad C R
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX91150	L/Cpl	Prosser J
	Next for duty	NX43086	"	Hall R M
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of the Picquet	NX86904	L/Cpl	Worth G R
	Next for duty	QX19933	L/Cpl	Ensor C E
	Members of the Picquet	QX21953	Spr	Brindley N
		NX44621	"	Hough L A
		VX41297	"	Jackman A J
		NX41557	"	Day R A
	INLYING PICQUET	NX48784	Spr	Cooding K J
		NX48899	"	Reidy D B
		NX91138	"	Swan J R
	DUTY DRIVER	NX42706	L/Cpl	Thomson C W

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1942/183 — 3 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 3 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 4 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
	Next for Duty		Lieut	Donnelly B J
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX7045	Cpl	Chad C R
	Next for Duty	NX42996	L/Sgt	Berg E
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43034	L/Cpl	Shepherd S R
	Next for Duty	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore C W M
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of Picquet	QX19933	L/Cpl	Ensor C E
	Next for Duty	NX48575	L/Cpl	Cooper H A
	Members of Picquet	NX77765	Spr	Smedley J
		NX39759	"	Gough E S
		NX43749	"	Sweet S G
		QX24670	"	Appleby A H
	INLYING PICQUET	QX10947	Spr	Holt R A
		NX57475	"	Grant L N
		NX43144	"	Montgomery J
	DUTY DRIVER	QX22014	Spr	Anderson D G

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N O T I C E S

The following are the Specialist Pay Groupings and rates therefor for the A I F.

Group I. 9/- per day. Ammunition Examiners, Armament Artificers, Artificers Artillery, Blacksmiths, Bricklayers, Computers, Coppersmiths, Draughtsmen, Dispensers, Electricians (other than Engineers) Electricians fitters, Fitters, Hospital Cooks, Instrument Mechanics, Millwrights, Pattern Makers, Pharmacists, Plumbers, and Gasfitters, Photographers (wet plate), Photowriters, Surveyors, Toolmakers, Turners, Typewriter Mechanics, Watchmakers, Welders, Wireless Mechs.

Group II 8/- per day. Armourers, Bakers, Battery Commander's Assistant, Boilermakers, Carpenters, Joiners, Driver Mechanics, (eng & mtd) Dental Mechanics, Electricians (Engr Units) Grinders, Gunner Operators, Height takers, Helio Operators, Cooks, Instrument operators, Intelligence duties, Lithographers Lineamen, Machinists, Masons, Masseurs, Mechanics M T, Miners Motor Mechanics, Moulders, Operating Room Asstn, Operators, (Signal) Opticians, Panel beaters, Painters & Decorators, Painters & Signwriters, Photographers (dry plate) Printers Radiographers, Riggers, Saw Doctors, Signallers, (Cav. Arty Inf) Trained Nurses, Wheelers, Well Borers, Wiremen, Wood Turners.

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Group III

7/- per day.

Battery Surveyor, Butchers, Concretors, Coach Trimmers, Clerks, Technical M T Clerks, Despatch Riders, Draughtsmen (Signals) Dental Clerk Orderlies, Driver Mechanics (other than eng & mod) Engine Hands Equipment repairers, Farriers, Gun Layers, (Artillery 2 per gun), Gun Position Officers Assistants, Hammermen, Leather stitchers, Metnal Nursing Orderlies, Nursing Orderlies, Platelayers, Rangetakers, Rivetters, Saddlers, Saddle tree makers, Sawyers, Shoemakers, Tailors, Technical Storeman, Textile refitters, Tinsmiths and Whitesmiths, Vulcanizers, Wagon erectors, Horse Transport Drivers.

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1 Adv H Q	1 Sgts Mess
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1942/184 — 4 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 4 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 5 Jul 42.			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Donnelly B J
	Next for Duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX42996	L/Sgt	Berg E
	Next for Duty	NX39798	L/Cpl	Pickard N
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore CC W M
	Next for Duty	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R M
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of the Picquet	NX48575	L/Cpl	Cooper H A
	Next for duty	NX42293	L/Cpl	Thomas A R
	Members of Picquet	QX11856	Spr	Rutherford R
		NX91409	"	McKenzie T
		NX43698	"	Loos P K
		NX41696	"	Davies H T P
	INLYING PICQUET	NX73501	Spr	Whalan C G
		NX73769	"	Sharman F J
		NX42175	"	Stephenson W S
	DUTY DRIVER	QX22014	Spr	Anderson D G

2. SICK PARADE - DRESS

In future, all men present on morning sick parade to the M O will wear AFV pattern KWD and hats, fur, felt.

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N C O's EXAMINATION

The examination for N C O's and potential N C O's will be held from 1900 to 2130hrs on SUN 5 JUL 42 in the Mens' Mess Room. All N C O's below the rank of full SGT will attend.

RAZOR BLADES

Canteen Board intimates that in future, Razor Blades will only be available on the scale of 1 blade per man per fortnight, and will be purchased through unit.
Steps have been taken to secure initial stock and these are available at Tp Orderly Rooms at the following prices:-

Blue Gillette	.. ..	4d each.
Minora.	.. ..	1½d "
Gem	.. ..	5d "
Valet	.. ..	6d "

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COLOUR PATCHES

A stock of Unit Colour Patches is now in hand and these are available at the following prices at the Squadron Ordarly Room:-

per set of 5 .. .. .. 1/7

One Pair 7½d

One patch .. .. .. 4d.

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5 Tp Cloaks
1 HQ R/E
1 Adv HQ
1 Ord Offcr
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1 Sgts Mess
1 Offrs Qrs
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1942/185 — 5 Jul 42

SUBJECT.	PARTICULARS OF DUTY.	NO.	RANK.	NAME.
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 5 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 6 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
	Next for Duty		Capt	Hay W A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39798	A/Cpl	Pickard N
	Next for Duty	NX10227	A/Sgt	Nicholson V L D
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R M
	Next for Duty	NX53655	L/Cpl	King R O
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Cprporal of the Picquet	NX42293	L/Cpl	Thomas A R
	Next for Duty	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
	Members of Picquet	NX77765	Spr	Smedley J
		NX91282	"	Hunter W B
		NX86485	"	Slattery J S
		NX77782	"	Greenwood R
		NX92220	"	Rutherford W
	INLYING PICQUET	QX21534	Spr	Eaton J A
		QX24288	"	O'Connor J T
		QX19182	"	Britton E L
	DUTY DRIVER	NX49946	Spr	Baldwin W C

2. COURT OF INQUIRY

The Court of Inquiry assembled under R/O 152/1942 of 1 Jun 42 to inquire into the injury sustained by NX42881 A/Cpl EADES R A, will re-assemble for the purpose of}-

(a) Taking medical evidence and reporting on the injuries sustained by A/Cpl EADES.

and (b) Reporting on the damage to the motor cycle.

These reports will be as required by A M R & O 683 (1)(a) and 699 (3),(4) and (5)

Proceedings to reach Sqn H Q by 8 Jul 42.

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No. 1942/186. 6 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1.	DUTIES To mount at 1730 hrs 6 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730 hrs 7 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
	Next for duty		Capt	Hay W A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39798	A/Cpl	Pickard N
	Next for duty	NX10227	Sgt	Nicholson V L D
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R M
	Next for duty	NX53655	L/Cpl	King R O
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of the Picquet	NX42293	L/Cpl	Thomas A R
	Next for duty	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
	Members of Picquet	NX65543	Spr	Dyer V R
		NX91282	"	Hunter W B
		NX86485	"	Slattery J
		NX77782	"	Greenwood R
		NX92220	"	Rutherford W
	INLYING PICQUET	QX21534	Spr	Eaton J A
		QX24288	"	O'Connor J T
		QX19182	"	Britton E L
	DUTY DRIVER	QX22692	Spr	Richards T J

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PUNISHMENTS

NX85643 Spr Darnay J - Breaking out of barracks - Fined £2.0.0

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1942/187 — 7 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 7 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 8 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
	Next for Duty		Lieut	Donnelly B J
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX10227	Sgt	Nicholson V L D
	Next for Duty	NX50066	L/Sgt	Blayden B N
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX53655	L/Cpl	King R O
	Next for Duty	NX44687	L/Cpl	Macpherson O M
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of the Picquet	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
	Next for Duty	NX44794	L/Cpl	Fergusson D J
	Members of Piquet	NX43210	Spr	Tipping T G
		(X19402	"	Head V R
		NX91400	"	Maish C W G
		NX89396	"	Imrie J G M
	INLYING PICQUET	NX48765	Spr	Hurrell W N
		NX10212	"	Thomas R M
		NX44084	"	Bliss D J
	DUTY DRIVER	NX89575	Spr	Aggar W J

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1942/188 — 8 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 8 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 9 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER. Next for Duty			Lieut Donnelly B J Lieut Stuart J A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT Next for Duty	NX50066 NX56383	L/Sgt A/Sgt	Blayden B N Skeet A M
	ORDERLY CORPORAL Next for Duty	NX44687 NX78868	L/Cpl L/Cpl	Macpherson O M Russell P W
	VEHICLE PICQUET Corporal of Picquet Next for Duty Members of Picquet	NX44794 NX48863 NX48874 NX73893 NX48479 QX24688	L/Cpl L/Cpl Spr " " "	Fergusson D J Ferguson K White P Mc Conlan R K Brown W Mc Murphy J
	INLYING PICQUET	NX39242 NX48280 NX91329	Spr " "	Benson L S Dolaghan D Sparkes K E
	DUTY DRIVER	NX44875	Spr	Clover W R

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1942/189 — 9 Jul 42

1. DUTIES. To mount at 1730 hrs 9 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730 hrs 10 Jul 42

ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
Next for duty		Capt	Hay W A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX56383	A/Sgt	Skeet A M
Next for duty	NX67616	A/Sgt	McIntosh R F
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX78868	L/Cpl	Russell P W
Next for duty	NX42176	L/Cpl	McCoy A L
VEHICLE PIC UET	NX46263	L/Cpl	Ferguson K
Next for duty	NX91150	L/Cpl	Prosser J
Members of Picquet	NX92677	Spr	Chapman K E
	NX39757	Spr	Gough E.S.
	VX24670	Spr	Appleby A.M
	NX43464	Spr	Holden R.S.
INLYING PIC UET	NX73412	Spr	Hobbs, E.A.
	NX50463	Spr	Adams, E.C.
	NX48586	Spr	McKenzie D N
DUTY DRIVER	NX42706	L/Cpl	Thomson C W

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1942/190 — 10 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 10 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 11 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
	Next for Duty		Lieut	Donnelly B J
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX67616	A/Sgt	McIntosh R F
	Next for Duty	NX37452	A/Cpl	Cowgill S G
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX42176	L/Cpl	McCoy A L
	Next for Duty	NX86904	L/Cpl	Worth G R
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of Picquet	NX91150	L/Cpl	Prosser J
	Next for Duty	QX19933	L/Cpl	Ensor C E
	Members of Picquet	NX41557	Spr	Day R A
		QX11856	"	Rutherford R
		NX44621	"	Hough L A
		QX21953	"	Brindley N
	INLYING PICQUET	NX66268	Spr	Underhill J E
		NX43163	"	Mitchell W J
		NX44369	"	Hodges K O
	DUTY DRIVER	QX22014	Spr	Anderson D G

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N O T I C E S

OFFENCES - AWARD OF PUNISHMENTS

NX42830 Spr Weedon J F - Neglect to obey Squadron Standing Orders- Award - Fined £1 and 14 days C B

NX39790 Spr Brooks K I - Failure to appear at place of parade appointed by his Comanding Officer - Award - Fined 5/-

NX73503 Spr Gillham J - Failure to appear at place of parade appointed by his Commanding Officer - Award - Fined 5/-

NX55821 Spr Hay T D J - Failure to appear at place of parade appointed byb his Commanding Officer - Award - Fined 10/-

NX42382 Spr Doffman L F - Absence without leave - Award - Fined £2.

NX66133 L/Sgt Whymark D - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Reverted to rank of Corporal.

NX41557 Spr Day R A - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 10/- and 7 days C B

NX77782 Spr Greenwood R - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 10/- and 7 days C B

NX43573 Spr Clark D H - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 10/- and 7 days C B

NX48899 Spr Reidy D B - Found beyond limits fixed by Standing Orders without a leave pass - Award - Admonition.

NX85643 Spr Darngy J - Absence without leave - Award - 21 days detention.

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1942/191 — 11 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 11 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 12 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER Next for Duty		Lieut Lieut	Donnelly B J Stuart J A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT Next for Duty	NX37452 NX50063	A/Cpl L/Sgt	Cowgill S G Blayden B N
	ORDERLY CORPORAL Next for Duty	NX86904 NX91151	L/Cpl L/Cpl	Worth G R Prosser R G
	VEHICLE PICQUET Corporal of Picquet Next for Duty Members of Picquet	QX19933 NX44034 NX91282 NX92220 NX77782 NX43749	L/Cpl L/Cpl Spr " " "	Ensor C E Shepherd S R Hunter W B Rutherford W Greenwood R Sweet S G
	INLYING PICQUET	NX73894 NX42920 QX21488	Spr " "	Bussell F W Hellas G G O'Connor R V
	DUTY DRIVER	NX49946	Spr	Baldwin W C

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OFFENCES - AWARD OF PUNISHMENTS

NX43573 Spr Clark D H - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined £1.
NX41644 Spr Cowgill J F - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 5/-
NX55821 Spr Hay T D J - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 10/-
QX15582 Spr Hannan R A - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 5/-

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by

Major J G Foreman - Commanding

1942/192 — 12 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO RANK NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 12 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 13 Jul 42	
	ORDERLY OFFICER Next for Duty	Lieut Stuart J A Capt Hay J A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT Next for Duty	NX10227 Sgt Nicholson V L D X19821 Cpl Achen N L S
	ORDERLY CORPORAL Next for Duty	NX91151 L/Cpl Trosser R G NX48575 L/Cpl Cooper H A
	VEHICLE PICQUET Corporal of Picquet Next for Duty Members of Picquet	NX44034 L.Cpl Shepherd S R NX30151 L/Cpl Burnell D R VX41297 Spr Jackman A J NX86421 " Smith R C NX42187 " Griffiths D T NX49849 " Clinton F J
	LIGHTING PICQUET	NX90580 Spr Simpson G A NX73515 " Sewell J R X25629 " Slatter G W
	DUTY DRIVER	X22692 Spr Richards T J

G D Macintosh.
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CORRIGENDA

Routine Order No.1942/190 of 10 Jul 42.
delete all reference to:
NX43573 Spr Clark D H - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 10/- and 7 days C B

Should read;

NX43573 Spr Clark D H - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - Fined 10/- and 14 days C B

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1 Adv H Q	1 S S M	1 Offrs Mess	

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1942/193 — 13 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 13 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 14 Jul 42.			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
	Next for Duty		Lieut	Donnelly B J
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	QX19821	A/Cpl	Ashen N W S
	Next for Duty	NX39755	A/Cpl	Parris J A
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX48575	L/Cpl	Cooper H A
	Next for Duty	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore C W M
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of Picquet	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
	Next for Duty	NX42293	L/Cpl	Thomas A R
	Members of Picquet	QX19402	Spr	Head V R
		NX86485	"	Slattery J S
		NX77765	"	Smedley J
		NX43698	"	Lees P K
	INLYING PICQUET	NX42175	Spr	Stephenson W S
		NX43144	"	Montgomery J
		NX91747	"	Linsell A J
	DUTY DRIVER	NX44875	Spr	Glover W R

for Capt.
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LOST. A Brown leather wallet has been lost between Sqn Orderly Room and lines previously occupied by 3 Tp. Finder please return to Sqn Orderly Room.

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Routine Orders - Part 1

by

Major J G Foreman - Commanding

1942/194 — 14 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 14 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 15 Jul 42.			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Donnelly B J
	Next for Duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39755	A/Cpl	Parris J A
	Next for Duty	NX40020	A/Cpl	Heazlett D
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore C W M
	Next for Duty	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of Piquet	NX42293	L/Cpl	Thomas A R
	Next for Duty	NX53655	L/Cpl	King R O
	Members of Picquet	NX44875	Spr	Glover W R
		X19965	"	Rowland E A
		NX48479	"	Brown W Mc
		NX73893	"	Conlan R K
	INLYING PICQUET	NX96793	Spr	Marshall R
		NX95069	"	Langlois R E T
		NX57475	"	Grant L N
	DUTY DRIVER	NX89575	Spr	Aggar W J

2. INDEPENDENT (COMMANDO) COYS - AIF

1. In view of the fact that these Independent Coys may form the spearhead of future operations, and that their activities may be of the greatest value in supplementing any major offensive operations, it is of paramount importance that opportunity of enlistment in these Coys be given to all personnel of AIF and CMF Units with a view to ensuring that suffifient suitable personnel are always available for selection.
2. It is desired that Commanding Officers co-operate, even to the extent of encouraging their best personnel to offer their services for duty in Independent Coys, as it is considered that such sacrifice is definitely beneficial to the whole force, and an insurance towards success.
3. Applications are to be forwarded by COs to HQ L of C Area, & the latter will arrange for personnel to be brought before Selection Boards, and for successful applicants to be despatched to Guerilla Warfare School, Foster, Victoria.
4. Commencing forthwith, selected CMF personnel will be enlisted AIF and all record matters finalised prior to despatch to Guerilla Warfare School for training.

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INDEPENDENT (COMMANDO) COYS. A I F

Personnel in all units, (AIF & MF) are informed that recruiting of Officers and NCOs for Cadre Courses, and ORs for Training Courses, for the abovenamed Coys, will be proceeding continusously until October and December, 1942, respectively.

In addition, the following specialists are required:-

R A E Section: - (Lieut - NCOs - Sprs) Fitters, Carpenters and Joiners, electricians, pioneers.
Corps of Sigs Section - (Lieut - NCOs - Sigmn) Instrument Mechanics operators (Sigs) Signallers, Clerks, Drivers MT Mechanics (MT)
Cooks - Sergeants, Corporals, other ranks.
AAOC - Armourers (Cpls)
AAMC. - Captains, Sergeants, Cpls, Medical Orderlies.

Applicants for allotment to Independent Coys must possess the following qualifications:-

(a) Age over 20 years and under 35 years.
(b) Medically fit and active with a liking for physical training.
(c) Amenable to discipline and able to keep own counsel.

It is desired that applicants should have completed at least three months' individual training.

Volunteers must be willing to take risks outside those normally taken by personnel serving in fighting units.

Successful applicants will be trained in Guerilla Warfare. In the case of Officers and NCOs the period of training will be ten weeks and other ranks five weeks.

Training will cover the following:-
Fieldcraft, Night Operations, Unarmed Combat, All Weapons, Explosives, Demolitions, Booby Traps, Raids, Riding, Swimming and Rowing.

3. FORMATION OF INDEPENDENT COYS (AIF)

Extract from HQ 1 Aust Armd Div memo.

"The Adjutant General has ordered that in future, recruiting in "1 Aust Armd Div for Independent Coys be confined to Motor "Regts and non-technical personnel of other units of the "Division."

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by

Major J G Foreman - Commanding

1942/195

15 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 15 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 16 Jul 42			
	ORDERLY OFFICER Next for Duty			Lieut Stuart J A Capt Hay W A
	ORDERLY SERGEANT Next for Duty	NX40020 NX7045		A/Cpl Heazlett D L/Sgt Chad C R
	ORDERLY CORPORAL Next for Duty	NX78990 NX44794		L/Cpl Liptrott T L/Cpl Fergusson D J
	VEHICLE PICQUET Corporal of Picquet Next for Duty Members of Picquet	NX53655 NX44687 NX77881 X24688 X24670 NX39865		L/Cpl King R C L/Cpl Macpherson C M Spr Collyer R H " Murphy J " Appleby A H " Pout R H
	INLYING PICQUET	NX42942 NX39790 NX40106		Spr Fisher R " Brooks K I " Veness W L
	DUTY DRIVER	NX42706		L/Cpl Thomson C W

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2. COURT MARTIAL - PUBLICATION OF RESULTS OF TRIAL

The result of the trial of the undermentioned members by Court Martial convened by H, RAE - 1 Aust Armd Div is published below:

Nature of Court - D C M
Member Tried - NX50119 Spr R J Goulding, 2/1 Aust Fd Pk Sqn R A E - 1 Aust Armd Div
Charges & Findings - 1. Desertion.
2. Escaping Arrest
3. Loss, by neglect of eqpt, clothing and regimental necessaries.
4. Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline.

Findings
On the first charge, Not guilty of desertion but guilty of AWL, and on the 2nd, 3rd and 4th charges guilty.

Sentence - (a) Six months detention.
(b) Discharge from the Defence Force of the Commonwealth of Australia.

Date of Sentence 2 Jul 42. Confirmation 4 Jul 42.
Date of Promulgation. 7 Jul 42.
Period of confinement awaiting trial. 20 days.

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Major J G Foreman - Commanding

1942/196 16 Jul 42

SUBJECT	PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. DUTIES.	To mount at 1730hrs 16 Jul 42 To dismount at 1730hrs 17 Jul 42.			
	ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
	Next for Duty		Lieut	Donnelly B J
	ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX7045	L/Sgt	Chad C R
	Next for Duty	NX56383	A/Sgt	Skeet A M
	ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44794	L/Cpl	Fergusson D
	Next for Duty	NX78868	L/Cpl	Russell P W
	VEHICLE PICQUET			
	Corporal of Picquet	NX44687	L/Cpl	Macpherson O
	Next for Duty	NX41644	L/Cpl	Cowgill J F
	Members of Picquet	NX42310	Spr	Tipping T G
		NX39757	"	Gough E S
		X24670	"	Appleby A H
		NX43464	"	Holden R S
	INLYING PICQUET	X18134	Spr	Thomas J A
		X21534	"	Eaton J A
		NX60131	"	Clark H F G
	DUTY DRIVER	NX89575	Spr	Aggar W J

2. MEDICAL ATTENTION WHILST ON LEAVE

Considerable difficulty is being caused by Military personnel visiting Area Medical Officers whilst on leave.

In many cases, these soldiers are suffering from minor complaints or were in a sick condition when they left camp on leave.

All personnel will be advised that the only condition under which medical attention can be given by A M O's is in case of emergency caused by acute illness whilst actually on leave.

In all other cases normal medical attention will be given on unit sick parade, either before or after leave, by RMO's.

D H Macintosh.
Capt.
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N O T I C E S

OFFENCES - AWARD OF PUNISHMENTS

NX44621 Spr Hough L A - Conduct to prejudice of good order & military discipline (urinating on vehicle park) - Fined £1.0.0.

NX44046 Spr Reilly H S J - 1st charge - Disobey lawful command. 2nd charge - Disobey lawful command - 14 days detention on both charges combined.

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by

Major J. G. Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

1st Australian Armoured Division

Field - 17 Jul 42

1. DUTIES - To mount at 1730 hrs 17 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730 hrs 18 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Donnelly B J
Next for duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX56383	A/Sgt	Skeet A M
Next for duty	NX39573	Sgt	Ross A R
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX78868	L/Cpl	Russell P W
Next for duty	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R M
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	NX41644	L/Cpl	Cowgill J F
Next for duty	VX19933	L/Cpl	Ensor C E
Members of the Picquet	NX92677	Spr	Chapman N E
	NX45124	Spr	Cullen G
	NX43749	Spr	Sweet S G
	NX77755	Spr	Titterton R H
INLYING PICQUET	NX96349	Spr	Robertson A
	NX96363	Spr	Davidson B J
	NX95614	Spr	Graham W E
DUTY DRIVER	VX22014	Spr	Anderson D G

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by

Major J.G.Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

1st Australian Armoured Division

Field - 18 Jul 42

2. DUTIES - To mount at 1730 hrs 18 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730 hrs 19 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
Next for duty		Capt	Hay W A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39573	Sgt	Ross A R
Next for duty	NX50063	L/Sgt	Summons F B
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R M
Next for duty	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	QX19933	L/Cpl	Ensor C E
Next for duty	NX91151	L/Cpl	Prosser R G
Members of the Picquet	NX91282	Spr	Hunter W B
	NX49849	Spr	Clinton F J
	VX41297	Spr	Jackman A J
	NX86421	Spr	Smith R C
INLYING PICQUET	NX95730	Spr	Williams K
	NX26197	Spr	Dolaghan J
	NX93211	Spr	Hewett N L
DUTY DRIVER	NX73792	Spr	Martin J J

D U Macintosh.

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(D U Macintosh)
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LOST in 3 Tp Lines between 1200 and 2300 hrs 15 Jul 42 - 1 steel helmet, the property of Spr O'Connor J T. Finder please return to Sqn Orderly Room.

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by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

1st Australian Armoured Division

Field - 19 Jul 42

3. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 19 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 20 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Donnelly B J
Next for Duty		Capt	Hay W A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX50063	L/Sgt	Summons F B
Next for Duty	NX10227	Sgt	Nicholson V L D
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
Next for Duty	NX44034	L/Cpl	Shepherd S R
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	NX91151	L/Cpl	Prosser R G
Next for Duty	NX86904	L/Cpl	Worth G R
Members of Picquet	QX11856	Spr	Rutherford R
	NX42187	"	Griffiths D T
	NX41696	"	Davies M T P
	NX44621	"	Hough L A
INLYING PICQUET	NX55821	Spr	Hay T D J
	NX43573	"	Clark D H
	QX23629	"	Slatter G W
DUTY DRIVER	QX22692	Spr	Richards T J

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A sum of money has been found. Owner may have same on application to Sqn Orderly Room.

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by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

1st Australian Armoured Division

Field - 20 Jul 42

4. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 20 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 21 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER			Lieut Fardon R K
Next for Duty			Capt Hay W A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX10227	Sgt	Nicholson V L D
Next for Duty	NX50066	A/Sgt	Blayden B N
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX42293	L/Cpl	Thomas A R
Next for Duty	NX44034	L/Cpl	Shepherd S R
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX86904	L/Cpl	Worth G R
Next for Duty	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
Members of Picquet	QX19402	Spr	Head V R
	NX48479	"	Brown W Mc
	QX19965	"	Rowland E A
	NX77765	"	Smedley J
INLYING PICQUET	NX48586	Spr	McKenzie D N
	NX50643	"	Adams E C
	NX93803	"	Woods J
DUTY DRIVER	NX49946	Spr	Baldwin W C

5. DAILY ROUTINE
New time-table issued separately will come into operation forthwith.

6. WEARING OF BERETS
Members of this Sqn will NOT wear berets until the complete Sqn issue has been made.

7. SALUTING
Strict attention is to be paid to saluting and Officers will be saluted at all times.

D U Macintosh Capt.
(D U Macintosh)
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by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R Royal Australian Engineers

1st Australian Armoured Division

Field 21 Jul 42

8. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 21 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 22 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Madsen E C
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX50066	A/Sgt	Blayden B N
Next for Duty	NX43329	A/Cpl	Rutledge A B
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX41530	L/Cpl	Crofts M H
Next for Duty	NX43575	L/Cpl	Tarran H E
GATE GUARD			
Corporal of Guard	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
Next for Duty	NX50019	L/Cpl	Smith W A
Members of Guard	NX86485	Spr	Slattery J S
	NX44875	"	Glover W R
	NX77881	"	Collyer R H
	NX39883	"	Pout R H
INLYING PICQUET	QX10947	Spr	Holt R A
	QX21476	"	Robinson D
	NX95996	"	Towart H N
DUTY DRIVER	NX91138	Spr	Swan J R

9/ REST DAY

This week only, the Rest Day will be on Thursday. 50% of Sqn personnel may be granted leave on that day from 1200 hrs.

10. DRESS - EARLY MORNING PARADE

Dress for early morning parade will be KWD AAFV pattern with boots, no hat.

11. OFFENCES - AWARDS OF PUNISHMENT

NX73769 Spr Sharman F J - Absence without leave - Award - 14 days detention.

NX44825 Spr Miller R - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award -Fined £2.

NX96628 Spr Ranson J - Failure to obey Sqn Standing Orders - Award - Fined £1.

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by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

1st Australian Armoured Division

Field 22 Jul 42

12. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 22 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 23 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
1. ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Madsen E C
Next for Duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX45529	A/Cpl	Rutledge A B
Next for Duty	NX40125	A/Cpl	Craig C W
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43575	L/Cpl	Tarran H E
Next for Duty	NX42347	L/Cpl	Terry C H
GATE GUARD			
Corporal of the Guard	NX40010	L/Cpl	Kilpatrick A
Next for Duty	NX42531	L/Cpl	Bruderlin A W
Members of the Guard	NX44289	Spr	Talbot N A
	NX73893	"	Conlan R K
	QX24688	"	Murphy J
	NX93803	"	Woods J
INLYING PICQUET	NX42175	Spr	Stephenson W S
	NX43283	"	Arnfield F J
	NX92330	"	Prosser F
DUTY DRIVER	NX89575	Spr	Aggar W J

13. COURT OF INQUIRY

A Court of Inquiry has been convened by Major J G Foreman to inquire into and report on the illegal absence of NX44195 Spr Shaw N K.

President .. .. .. Capt Macintosh D U
Members .. .. .. Lieut Madsen E C
Lieut Stuart J A

Proceedings to reach HQ 3 Fd Sqn by 29 Jul 42.

14. BANDMASTER AND DRUM MAJOR

1 Aust Armd Bde is requesting the services of a Bandmaster and Drum Major. Any personnel who could fill these positions is requested to make application through Sqn Orderly Room.

D U Macintosh.
Capt.
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Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 23 Jul 42

15. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 23 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 24 Jul 42.

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER			Lieut Stuart J A
Next for Duty			Lieut Fardon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX40125	A/Cpl	Craig C W
Next for Duty	VX60765	Sgt	Lowe C P
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX48466	L/Cpl	Manning J G
Next for Duty	NX42847	L/Cpl	Terry C H
GATE GUARD			
Corporal of the Guard	NX42531	L/Cpl	Bruderlin A W
Next for Duty	NX82237	L/Cpl	Hudson J J
Members of the Guard	NX41557	Spr	Day R A
	NX91400	"	Maish C W G
	NX43210	"	Tipping T G
	QX24670	"	Appleby A H
INLYING PICQUET	NX39851	Spr	Sharman R J
	NX57475	"	Grant L N
	NX49242	"	Fisher R

16. POSTAL ADDRESS

The use of the indicators "A I F AUSTRALIA" and "HOME FORCES" in postal addresses will be discontinued forthwith.

In future, the address for correspondence (including telegrams) for members of the Field Army serving in Australia or its territories, (i.e. New Guinea & Papua) will comprise:-

(i) Army Number.
(ii) Rank
(iii) Name.
(iv) Squadron, Battery, Company or other sub-unit.
(v) Unit (i.e. Regiment, Battalion etc.)
(vi) The indicator "AUSTRALIA.

Mail matter and telegrams for personnel of units comprising fixed defences, training units, hospitals & other stationary establishments will continue to be address to place names as hitherto.

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17. TELEGRAMS FROM SOLDIERS

The condition governing the acceptance of concession rate telegrams from military personnel have, for security reasons, been modified.

In future, the sender's unit must not appear in the endorsement on telegrams lodged by military personnel.

The Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs is instructing all his Departmental Officers accordingly.

18. DISTRICT COURT MARTIAL

A District Court Martial convened by the G O C NSW L of C Area was held at Singleton on the 27th and 28th days of Jun 1942 for the trial of NX78285 Spr MASON F J 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E - 1 Aust Armd Div..

The accused was charged with A A 15 (1) in that he, whilst being a soldier on active service absented himself without leave from 2359hrs on 23 May 42 until 0630hrs on 17 Jun 42.

The accused pleaded not guilty. The Court found the accused guilty of the charge.

The Court sentenced the accused to undergo detention for FOURTEEN (14) days/

The accused was twelve days in custody awaiting trial.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 11 Jul 42 by the G O C NSW L of C Area.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at Holdsworthy on 16 Jul 42.

19. FEDERAL TAXATION

Deductions from daily rate of pay of members of the forces to meet taxes for the year ending 30 Jun 42 other than recently returned AIF will be arranged.

Members of the forces are required to lodge Income Tax Returns in any case where the income (as a soldier & private income) including the value of subsistance, field allowance and allotments, but excluding dependents allowance, derived during the year ended 30 Jun 42, exceeding £156 Members of the forces so liable for the payment of Income Tax for the year ended 30 Jun 42 will be assisted to meet such payments be having deducted from their drawing rate of pay a daily rate approximately 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.

Deductions and payments will be made by the Army & controlled by the District in which the member enlisted, irrespective as to whether or not the member derived his income in that State.

To enable the Army & the Taxation Dept. 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 30 JUN 41 TO THE COMMISSIONER OF TAXES IN THE CAPITAL CITY OF THE STATE IN WHICH THEY ENLISTED.

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20. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 24 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 25 Jul 42.

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Fardon R K
Next for Duty		Capt	Hay W A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	VX60765	Sgt	Lowe C P
Next for Duty	NX39473	L/Sgt	Blackwell K C
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX42847	L/Cpl	Terry C H
Next for Duty	NX42176	L/Cpl	McCoy A L
GATE GUARD			
Corporal of Guard	NX82237	L/Cpl	Hudson J J
Next for Duty	NX38785	L/Cpl	Armstrong J G
Members of Guard	NX39757	Spr	Gough E S
	NX43464	"	Holden R S
	NX92677	"	Chapman N E
	NX95164	"	Graham W E
INLYING PICQUET	QX20309	Spr	Cooper J E
	NX39790	"	Brooks K I
	NX39242	"	Benson L S

C K U Macintosh.
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ADDENDUM TO

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First Australian Armoured Division

Field 24 Jul 42

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21. WEARING OF SHOULDER TITLES "AUSTRALIA"

"Part 1 L H Q Instruction A34044 of 21 Jul states all members of the A I F whether serving with citizen force units or otherwise will wear "AUSTRALIA" shoulder titles on both shoulders when in uniform within and outside AUSTRALIA"

G R O 38/42 is cancelled.

J.J. Stuart Lieut
for Capt.
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First Australian Armoured Division

Field 25 Jul 42.

22. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 25 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 26 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Madsen E C
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX7045	L/Sgt	Chad C R
Next for Duty	NX41514	A/Sgt	Bingham R C
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore C W M
Next for Duty	NX44687	L/Cpl	Macpherson O M
GATE GUARD			
Corporal of the Guard	NX44794	L/Cpl	Fergusson D J
Next for Duty	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R H
Members of Guard	NX56282	Spr	Hamilton H A
	QX22137	"	Andrews L G C
	NX89480	"	Degnan A J
	NX77755	"	Titterton R H
LYING PICQUET	NX49238	Spr	LevineD
	NX48462	"	Shaw F E
	QX18312	"	McMillan L

23. COURT OF INQUIRY

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Inquiry appointed by Major J G Foreman on 22 Jul 42 to inquire into the illegal absence of NX44195 Spr SHAW N K is hereby cancelled.

24. SALUTING

Attention is directed to G R O A 198 regarding saluting. It is not generally recognised that saluting, in common with guards and sentries is one of the best means of obtaining alertness and of training observation for the more serious tasks of battle.
The conditions of service demand that all ranks are trained to be alert wherever they may be and that their eyes are trained to observe whatever is going on around them. The constant practice in observing by both Officers & Other Ranks in order that the correct compliments are paid and returned, is of the greatest value in getting automatic battle standards of observation and alertness.
The orders regarding saluting and returning of salutes will be strictly enforced.

for Capt.
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First Australian Armoured Division

Field 26 Jul 42

25. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 26 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 27 Jul 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Madsen E C
Next for Duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39755	A/Cpl	Parris J A
Next for Duty	NX44267	A/Cpl	Lalor N L G
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44687	L/Cpl	Macpherson O H
Next for Duty	NX78868	L/Cpl	Russell P W
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R H
Next for Duty	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
H Q Picquet	NX44280	Spr	Talbot N A
	NX91136	"	Swan J R
	NX43144	"	Montgomery J
1 Fd Tp Picquet	QX19965	Spr	Rowland E A
	NX43167	"	Williams A R
	NX48479	"	Brown W Mc
2 Fd Tp Picquet	NX53106	Spr	O'Malley J V
	QX23151	"	Carr J F
	NX44237	"	Plummer J
3 Fd Tp Picquet	NX91282	Spr	Hunter W E
	NX92220	"	Rutherford W
	NX55821	"	Hay T D J

(NOTE:- Corporal of Picquet and H Q Vehicle Picquet will mount Gate Guard as from 0645hrs 27 Jul 42)

INLYING PICQUET	QX21534	Spr	Eaton J A
	NX43867	"	Hallcroft S K
	NX42977	"	Dawson K B

26. CAMP LINES

Vehicles must keep to roads in the Camp Area and are not to travel through tent lines. Transport personnel are warned that disciplinary action will follow breaches of this order.

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Field 27 Jul 42

27. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 27 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 28 Jul 42.

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Fardon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX44267	A/Cpl	Lalor N L G
Next for Duty	NX39798	A/Cpl	Pickard N
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX78868	L/Cpl	Russell P W
Next for Duty	NX53655	L/Cpl	King R O
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
Next for Duty	NX91151	L/Cpl	Prosser R G
H Q Picquet	NX77755	Spr	Titterton R H
	NX73597	"	Kennedy A W
	NX96332	"	King A
1 Fd Tp Picquet	NX39790	Spr	Brooks K I
	NX73893	"	Conlan R K
	NX77881	"	Collyer R H
2 Fd Tp Picquet	QX22136	Spr	Richardson D
	QX11518	"	Gallagher P N
	NX50022	"	Paton D K
3 Fd Tp Picquet	NX43698	Spr	Lees P K
	NX42187	"	Griffiths D T
	NX77782	"	Greenwood R

(NOTE:- Corporal of Picquet and 2 Fd Tp Vehicle Picquet will mount Gate Guard as from 0645hrs 28 Jul 42.)

INLYING PICQUET	NX92121	Spr	Mattinson J A
	NX43167	"	Mitchell W J
	QX23629	"	Slatter G W

G D Ullmann
Capt.
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Field 28 Jul 42.

28. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 28 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 29 Jul 42.

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Macintosh D U
Next for Duty		Lieut	Fardon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39798	A/Cpl	Pickard N
Next for Duty	QX19821	A/Cpl	Ashen N W S
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX53655	L/Cpl	King R O
Next for Duty	NX50019	L/Cpl	Smith W A
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	NX91151	L/Cpl	Prosser R G
Next for Duty	NX41530	L/Cpl	Crofts M H
To mount HQ Vehicle lines	NX91400	Spr	Maish C W G
	QX21488	"	O'Connor R V
	NX48899	"	Reidy D B
To mount 1,2 & 3 Tps vehicle lines.	NX43210	Spr	Tipping T G
	NX73501	"	Whalan C G
	NX77881	"	Collyer R H
INLYING PICQUET	QX20309	Spr	Cooper J E
	NX82177	"	Morse B V
	NX57475	"	Grant L N

29 SALUTING

Action is being taken to amend A M R & O 1165 by omitting sub-regulation (1) and inserting in its stead the following sub-regulation:-

"(1) W.Os., N C Os., and private soldiers in uniform shall salute an Officer at all times except when passing or being passed by him -

(i) In a crowded thoroughfare or assembly; or
(ii) during an exercise in the field; or
(iii) when on parade under the immediate control of a superior; or
(iv) when precluded by the nature of their duties from so doing."

This amendment will be anticipated and effect given thereto forthwith. All ranks will be instructed accordingly.

In view ot the number of Officers who have recently been commissioned, care is to be taken to ensure that they fully understand the implications of the provisions concerning saluting.

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29. SALUTING (Continued)

All Officers are to salute their seniors before addressing them on duty or on parade. When not on duty or parade, Officers under field rank are to salute all officers of field rank and upwards. General Officers and Field Officers are to salute their superiors in rank.

Officers are to salute Officers in any of His Majesty's Naval, or Air Forces of the Allied Naval, Military or Air Forces, in accordance with para 2.

M B 86358 dated 13 Nov 41 is cancelled.

30. FEDERAL TAXATION - Deductions from daily rate of pay of members ofthe Forces to meet taxes for the year ended 30 Jun 42.

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 (as a sldier and private income) including the value of subsistance, field allowance and allotments, but excluding dependents' allowance, derived during the year ended 30 Jun 42, exceeding £156.

2. Members of the Forces so liable for the payment of Income Tax for the year ended 30 Jun 42, will be assisted to meet such payments by having deducted from their drawing rate of pay a daily rate, approximately equivalent to that required, according to their rank and rate of pay. They will be advised of the rate to be deducted, and the drawing rate in paybooks will be adjusted accordingly.

3/ Deductions and payments will be made by the Army and controlled by the District in which the member enlisted, irrespective as to 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 30 Jun 42, 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. "VX12345 - will forward his returns to the Commissioner of Taxes, Melbourne, Victoria.

R. C. Sharp
Capt.
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Field 29 Jul 42

31. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 29 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 30 Jul 42.

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER			Lieut Fardon R K
Next for Duty			Capt Hay W A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	QX19821	A/Cpl	Ashen N W S
Next for Duty	NX50063	L/Sgt	Summons F B
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX50019	L/Cpl	Smith W A
Next for Duty	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX41530	L/Cpl	Crofts H H
Next for Duty	NX44034	L/Cpl	Shepherd S R
To mount HQ Vehicle Lines	NX92832	Spr	Bellamy H S
	NX93211	"	Hewett M L
	NX48586	"	McKenzie D N
To mount 1, 2, & 3 Tps Vehicle Lines.	NX95724	Spr	Pout J
	NX44084	"	Bliss D J
	NX91245	"	Clapham A W
INLYING PICQUET	NX96349	Spr	Robertson A
	NX97108	"	Jones G B H
	NX97109	"	Jones B T L

32. DUTIES: To mount at 1145hrs 29 Jul 42
To dismount 2359hrs 29 Jul 42

TOWN PICQUET			
Sergeant of the Picquet	VX60765	Sgt	Lowe C P
Members of Picquet	NX50753	Spr	Adams E C
	NX96369	"	Davidson B J
	NX96673	"	Morris M V
	QX22137	"	Andrews L G C

33. OFFENCES - AWARD OF PUNISHMENTS

NX43281 Spr Flack G J - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and Military Discipline - Award - Admonished.
QX19402 Spr Head V R - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award - 7 days detention.
NX96144 SprTrussell R W - Absence without Leave - Award - 7 days detention.
NX95614 Spr Graham W E - Absence without leave - Award - 7 days detention.

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(R C Sharp)
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First Australian Armoured Division

Field 30 Jul 42:

34. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 30 Jul 42:
To dismount at 1730hrs 31 Jul 42:

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER.		Capt	Hay W A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Madsen E C
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX50063	L/Sgt	Summons F B
Next for Duty	NX48263	A/Cpl	Ferguson K
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
Next for Duty	NX42531	L/Cpl	Bruderlin A W
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX44034	L/Cpl	Shepherd S R
Next for Duty	NX48466	L/Cpl	Manning J G
To mount H Q Vehicle Lines	NX48187	Spr	Griffiths D T
	NX55821	"	Hay T D J
	NX43163	"	Mitchell W J
To mount 1, 2 and 3 Tp Vehicle Lines,	NX39790	Spr	Brocks K I
	QX19965	"	Rowland E A
	NX43167	"	Williams A R
INLYING PICQUET	NX51834	Spr	Allen W P
	NX43281	"	Flack G J
	NX43656	"	Simeon R W

Capt,
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Field 31 Jul 42

35. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 31 Jul 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 1 Aug 41

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Madsen E C
Next for Duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX48263	A/Cpl	Ferguson K
Next for Duty	NX10227	Sgt	Nicholson V L D
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX42531	L/Cpl	Bruderlin A W
Next for Duty	NX42176	L/Cpl	McCoy A L
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX48466	L/Cpl	Manning J G
Next for Duty	NX38785	L/Cpl	Armstrong J G
To mount H Q Vehicle Lines	NX43283	Spr	Arnfield F J
	NX41696	"	Davies M T P
	NX73893	"	Conlan R K
To mount 1,2 and 3 Tp Vehicle Lines.	NX43764	Spr	Holden R S
	NX53106	"	O'Malley J V
	NX49243	"	Murray D J
INLYING PICQUET	NX39242	Spr	Benson L S
	NX73412	"	Mobbs E A
	NX48784	"	Oeding K J

36. SECURITY

Newcastle is the HQ for Church Army in Australia, and their headed paper can now be used.

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2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

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LOST

A wristlet watch, with black face, luminous dial has been lost in showers.
Finder please return to Sqn Orderly Room.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCE

2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E - 1 Aust Armd Div

N C O's EXAMINATION - TUE 7 JUL 42. 1900 hrs - 2130 hrs

1. CONVOY WORK AND HARBOURING

(a) In convoys what routine halts are made and when? What happens when a convoy makes a routine halt?

(b) Define the following terms -

Density
M I H
Harbouring
Harbour R/V

(c) Describe or draw a sketch (as applicable) of the following signals -

Switch off
Advance
Halt
Column
Emergency break

2. ORGANISATION

(a) What are the vehicles on the War Establishment of a Fd Tp of a Fd Sqn R A E, Armoured Division?

(b) What are the authorised war establishments in Officers and other ranks only (excluding 1st Reinforcements) of the following units of R A E, 1 Aust Armd Div -

HQ 1AD
2/1 Aust Fd Park Sqn
2/3 Aust Fd Sqn?

(c) Give the name and ranks of the following officers of 1 Aust Armd Div -

G O C
Comd 1 Aust Armd Bde
G S O - 1
C R E
OC 2/4 Fd Sqn R A E

3. ELEMENTARY FIELD ENGINEERING

(a) What are the uses of the following knots -

Clove hitch
Lever hitch
Fishermen's Bend?

(b) What is meant by "to rack a tackle,"
- "to reeve a block?"

(c) What information is shown on a field level?

(d) Draw a diagram of a standard Fire Trench (new pattern) or two man weapon slit showing depths, width and length.

4. BRIDGING AND DEMOLITIONS

(a) What bridging equipment is carried by -

(i) A Field Squadron R A E - Armoured Division
(ii) A Field Park Sqn R A E, Armoured Division?

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(b) What is the rate of burning or detonation of -

(i) Safety fuse No. II.
(ii) Cordtex.

(c) What is meant by a "pricker" test?

(d) What would give the highest resistance in the connecting up of detonators? Series, parallel or series-parallel.

5. WATER SUPPLY

(a) What water supply equipment is carried by a Fd Tp of a Fd Sqn R A E, Armoured Division?

(b) How would you measure the yield of a well?

(c) What is the use of the following:-

Alumino-ferric (alum)?
Chlorine?

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A U S T R A L I A N I M P E R I A L F O R C E

R A E - 1 AUST ARMD DIV

COURSE FOR DRIVER OPERATORS

PERIOD - 24 Jul - 14 Aug

114 day periods and 9 night periods = 123 total

= 138 hrs.

SUBJECT	PERIODS DAY	PERIODS NIGHT	CODE LETTER
OPERATOR TNG	56		OT
SCOUT CAR & 6 STR UTILITY	21		OMT
WEAPON TNG	18	1	SATO
MAP READING	13	8	MR
TRADE TESTING	6		OT
	114	9	

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R A E - DRIVER OPERATOR'S COURSE

CODE LETTER, SATO

WEAPON TRAINING

Serial No.	Periods	Day	Lessons	Reference.
SATO 1	1	1	BREN - Genreal discription, introduction & Magazine fitting.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 1
SATO 2	1	1	BREN - Stripping, cleaning & Mechanism, Piston Gp.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 5
SATO 3	1	1	BREN - Stripping, cleaning & Mechanism, Barrel & Butt Gp	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 6
SATO 7	1	2	BREN - Stripping, cleaning & Mechanism, Body & Bipod Gp	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 7
SATO 9	1	2	BREN - Care, cleaning and mechanism	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 8/10
SATO 12	1	2	BREN - Loading & Unloading Sight setting, holding, Aiming & Firing.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 2/4
SATO 17	1	3	BREN - Tripod, description & Setting Up, Ground & Air.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 17/19
SATO 15	1	3	BREN - Elementary handling, immediate action & stoppages	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 11/14
SATO 18	1	3	BREN - A/A Handling	SAT Vol I Pam 6 Less 10
SATO 4	1	1	TSMG - General, loading, unloading, sight setting and aiming.	SAT Vol I Pam 21 Less 21 & App "A"
SATO 5	1	1	TSMG - Holding & Firing, General description of components.	SAT Vol I Pam 21 Less 2 & App A & C
SATO 6	1	1	TSMG - Action of mechanism, cleaning	SAT Vol I Pam 21 Less 1 & App "B"
SATO 8	1	2	RIFLE - Mechanism & Trigger pressing, cleaning (daily & before & after firing) Loading & Unloading.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 1/4
SATO 10	1	2	RIFLE - Accuracy of aim, Aiming at targets at service distances. Aiming at Ground	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 6/8
SATO 11	1	2	RIFLE - Aiming off for wind. Up & Down for movement	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 9/11
SATO 13	1	3	RIFLE - Lying, kneeling, standing & sitting positions.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 13/16
SATO 14	1	3	RIFLE - Snapshooting and rapid fire.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 17/19
SATO 16	1	3	RIFLE - Firing behind cover.	SAT Vol 1 Pam 3 Less 20/22
SATO 19	1	Night	PISTOL - Safety precautions, parts, drawing, retuming, Loading & Unloading, Holding and Firing.	SAT Vol I Pam II

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R A E - DR OP's COURSE

SCOUT CAR and 6 SEATER UTILITY. CODE LETTER - OMT

SERIAL NO	PERIODS	DAY	LESSONS	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
OMT 1	1	4	Lect - Description of Scout Car & specifications.	Lt Garland	Manf Handbook
OMT 2	4	4,5, 6	Lect & Prac - Daily Maintenance.	W/O Douglas	Unit notes
OMT 3	1	5	Lect & Prac - Controls & Operation, Safety Precautions.	Lt Garland	Manf Handbook
OMT 4	2	7	Lect & Prac - Transmission - Main Gear Box.	" " " "	
OMT 5	2	8	Lect & Prac - Transmission - Marmon Harrington Drive.	" " " "	
OMT 6	2	9	Lect & Prac - Car 6 Seater CVT	Sgt Mabbott	Manf Handbook
OMT 7	1	17	Lect & Prac - Daily Maintenance CVT	Sgt Mabbott	Unit Notes
OMT 8	8	12, 17,18.	Prac - Driving Scout Car	Sgt Mabbott	Manf Handbook
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MAP READING CODE LETTER MR

MR 1	1	5	Lect - Object, Introduction, Maps generally.	Capt Horsfall	MMRFS Ch 1
MR 2	1	5N	Lect - Definitions	Capt Horsfall	MMRFS Ch 2
MR 3	1	9N	Lect - Scales & Units	" "	MMRFS Ch 3
MR 4	2	6,9	Lect - Conventional Signs	" "	MMRFS Ch 4 & AAC S/O's App
MR 5	1	10	Lect - Relief & its representation	" "	MMRFS Ch 5
MR 6	2	10,12	Lect - Bearings	Sgt McIntosh Capt Horsfall	MMRFS Ch 6
MR 7	1	11N	Lect - Service Protractor & Prismatic Compass	Sgt McIntosh Capt Horsfall	MMRFS Ch 10
MR 7	1	13	Prac - Service Protractor & Prismatic Compass	" "	MMRFS Ch 10
MR 8	1	12N	Lect - Systems of reference	" "	MMRFS Ch 7
MR 8	1	13	Prac- Systems of reference	" "	MMRFS Ch 7
MR 9	1	15N	Lect - Setting Map & Finding position.	Sgt McIntosh	MMRFS Ch 8
MR 9	3	18,18N	Prac - -do-	Sgt McIntosh	MMRFS Ch 8
MR 11	1	18	Lect & Prac - Finding true north.	Sgt McIntosh	MMRFS App 1
MR 12	1	6N	Lect & Prac - Direction by stars.	Capt Horsfall	MMRFS App 1
MR 13	3	17,17N	Prac - Route Finding & Memorising	Sgt McIntosh	-
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R A E - DR OP's COURSE

SUBJECT - OPERATOR TRAINING - CODE LETTER - OT

SERIAL NO	PERIODS	DAY	LESSONS	INSTRUCTOR	REFERENCE
OT 1	10	4,5,6, & 10	Prac - Morse Code, Sending & receiving.	Royal Corps of Sigs Inst.	ST (All Arms)
OT 2	1	6	Lect - Security	"	Sig Notes
OT 3	1	7	Lect - Organisation of inter-communication.	"	FSPB Pam 2, Ch 4,6/8,11.
OT 4	1	7	Lect - Communications in 1 Aust Armd Div	"	Unit Notes.
OT 5	1	7	Lect - Set Components	"	Sig Notes
OT 6	1	7	Lect - Power Supply	"	Sig Notes
OT 7	1	8	Lect - Principles of Wireless waves	"	ST Vol II
OT 8	1	8	Lect - Principles of Senders	"	Sig Notes
OT 9	1	8	Lect - Principles of Receivers	"	Sig Notes
OT 10	1	8	Lect - Electric current & secondary batteries	"	Sig Tng 1938
OT 11	2	9	Lect & Prac - Battery Charging & Mtce.	"	Sig Notes
OT 12	1	9	Lect - Factors affecting wireless comm	"	Sig Notes
OT 13	1	10	Lect & Prac - Interference & Suppression	"	Sig Notes
OT 14	6	11,12	Prac - Procedure	"	Sig Notes
OT 15	3	10,13	Prac - Daily Mtce & Location of faults	"	" "
OT 16	12	11,13, 14	Prac - R/T Exercise (Mobile)	"	" "
OT 17	12	15,16	Prac - W/T Exercise (Mobile)	"	" "
OT 18	6	19	Prac - Driver Ops Trade Test	-	-
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R A E - DRIVER. OPERATORS' COURSE.

TIME TABLE SAT 24/26 JUL 42

Day	Code Letter No.	Period	Subject	Reference
Day 1 Fri 24 Jul	SATO 1	1	BREN - General description, introduction & Magazine fitting	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 2.
	SATO 2	2	BREN - Stripping, cleaning & meahanism - piston Gp.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 5
	SATO 3	3	BREN - Barrel & Butt Gp.	
	SATO 4	4	TSMG - General, loading, unloading, sight setting. and aiming.	SAT Vol I Pam 21 Less 1 & App A
	SATO 5	5	TSMG - Holding & Firing, General description of components.	SAT Vol I Pam 21 Less 2 App A & C
	SATO 6	6	TSMG - Action of mechanism, cleaning.	SAT Vol I Pam 21 App B & Less 1
Day 2 Sat 25 Jul/	SATO 7	1	BREN - Stripping, cleaning mechanism Body & Bipod Gp	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 7
	SATO 8	2	RIFLE - Mechanism & Trigger pressing, cleaning (daily & before & after firing) Loading & Unloading.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 1/4
	SATO 9	3	BREN - Care, cleaning & Mechanism.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 8/10
	SATO 10	4	RIFLE - Accuracy of Aim, Aiming at targets at Service Distances, Aiming at Ground.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 6/8
	SATO 11	5	RIFLE - Aiming off for wind. Up & down for movement	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 9/11
	SATO 12	6	BREN - Loading, unloading, sight setting, holding and aiming.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 2/3
Day 3 Sun 26 Jul	SATO 13	1	RIFLE - Lying, kneeling, standing & sitting positions.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 13/16
	SATO 14	2	RIFLE - Snapshooting and rapid fire.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 17/19
	SATO 15	3	BREN - Elementary handling, immediate action & stoppages.	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 11/14
	SATO 16	4	RIFLE - Firing behind cover	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 20/22
	SATO 17	5	BREN - Tripod, description, & setting up, Ground & Air	SAT Vol I Pam 4 Less 17/19
	SATO 18	6	BREN - A/A Handling.	SAT Vol I Pam 6 Less 10
	1930-2100	Night	PISTOL - Safety precautions, Parts, Drawing, Returning, Loading & Unloading, Holding Firing.	SAT Vol I Pam 11

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R A E - DRIVER OPERATOR'S COURSE

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DAY	CODE LETTER NO	PERIOD	SUBJECT	REFERENCE
Day 4 Mon 27 Jul	OMT 1	1	Lect - Description of scout car & specifications.	Manf Handbook
	OT 1	2/4	Prac - Morse code, sending & receiving	ST (All Arms) 1938
	OMT 2	5/6	Lect & Prac - Daily maintenance.	Unit notes.
Day 5 Tue 28 Jul	OT 1	1/3	Prac - Morse Code, Sending & receiving	ST (All Arms) 1938
	MR 1	4	Lect - Object, introduction, maps generally	MMRFS Ch 1
	OMT 2	5	Lect & Prac - daily maintenance	-
	OMT 3	6	Lect & Prac - Controls & operation, safety precautions.	Manf Handbook
	MR 2	1930-2100	Lect - Definitions	MMRFS Ch 2
Day 6 Thu 30 Jul	OT 1	1/3	Prac - Morse code, sending & receiving	ST (All Arms) 1938
	MR 4	4	Lect - Conventional signs	MMRFS Ch 4 & AAC S/O's App B
	OMT 2	5	Lect & Prac - Daily maintenance	Unit notes
	OT 2	6	Lect - Security	Sig Notes
	MR 12	1930-2100	Lect & Prac - Direction by stars	MMRFS App 1
Day 7 Fri 31 Jul	OT 3	1	Lect - Organisation of Intercommunication	FSPB Pam 2 Ch 4,6/8,11
	OT 4	2	Lect - Communications in 1 Aust Armd Div	Unit notes
	OT 5	3	Lect - Set components	Sig notes
	OT 6	4	Lect - Power supply	" "
	OMT 4	5/6	Lect & Prac - Transmission - Main Gear Box	Manf Handbook
Day 8 Sat 1 Aug	OT 7	1	Lect - Principles of wireless waves	ST Vol II
	OT 8	2	Lect - Principles of senders	Sig notes
	OT 9	3	Lect - Principles of receivers	Sig Notes
	OT 10	4	Lect - Electric current & secondary batteries	Sig Tng 1938
	OMT 5	5/6	Lect & Prac - Transmission Marmon Harrington Drive.	Manf Handbook

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R A E - DRIVER OPERATOR'S COURSE. 24 Jul - 14 Aug.

Day	Code Letter No	Period	SUBJECT	REFERENCE
Day 9 Sun 2 Aug	OT 11	1/2	Lect & Prac - Battery charging & Mtce.	Sig notes
	MR 4	3	Lect - Conventional signs	MMRFS Ch 4 & AAC S/O's App B
	OT 12	4	Lect - Factors affecting wireless Comm.	Sig notes
	OMT 6	5/6	Lect & Prac - Car 6 Seater CVT	Manf Handbook
	MR 3	1930-2100	Lect - scales & units	MMRFS Ch 3
Day 10 Mon 3 Aug	OT 13	1	Lect & Prac - Interference & suppression	Sig notes
	OT 15	2	Prac - Daily mtce & location of faults	" "
	OT 1	3	Prac - Morse code, sending & receiving	ST (All Arms) 1938
	MR 5	4	Lect - Relief and its representation	MMRFS Ch 5
	MR 6	5	Lect - Bearings	MMRFS Ch 6
	OT 15	6	Prac - Daily Mtce & Location of faults	Sig notes
Day 11 Tue 4 Aug	OT 14	1/3	Prac - Procedure	Sig Notes
	OT 16	4/6	Prac - R/T Exercise (Mobile)	" "
	MR 7	1930-2100	Lect - Service protractor & Prismatic compass	MMRFS Ch 10
Day 12 Thu 6 Aug	OT 14	1/3	Prac - Procedure	Sig notes
	MR 6	4	Lect - Bearings	MMRFS Ch 6
	OMT 8	5/6	Prac - Driving scout car	Manf Handbook
	MR 8	1930-2100	Lect - Systems of reference	MMRFS Ch 7
Day 13 Fri 7 Aug	MR 7	1	Prac - Service protractor & prismatic compass	MMRFS Ch 10
	OT 15	2	Prac - Daily mtce & location of faults	Sig notes
	MR 8	3	Prac - Systems of reference	MMRFS Ch 7
	OT 16	4/6	R/T Exercise (Mobile)	Sig notes

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R A E - DRIVER OPERATOR'S COURSE. 24 Jul - 14 Aug

Day	Code letter No	Period	SUBJECT	REFERENCE
Day 14 Sat 8 Aug	OT 16	1/6	Prac - R/T Exercise (Mobile)	Sig Notes
Day 15 Sun 9 Aug	OT 17	1/6	Prac - W/T Exercise (Mobile)	Sig Notes
	MR 9	1930-2100	Lec - Setting mpa & finding position	MMRFS Ch 8
Day 16 Mon 10 Aug	OT 17	1/6	Prac - W/T Exercise (Mobile)	Sig Notes
Day 17 Tue 11 Aug	OMT 8	1/3	Prac - Driving scout car	Manf handbook
	OMT 7	4	Lect & Prac - Daily maintenance CVT	Unit notes
	MR 13	5/6 1930-2100	Prac - Route finding & Memorising	-
Day 18 Thu 13 Aug	OMT 8	1/3	Prac - Driving scout car	Manf handbook
	MR 11	4	Lect & Prac - Finding ture north	MMRFS App 1
	MR 9	5/6 1930-2100	Prac - Setting map and finding position.	MMRFS Ch 8
Day 19 Fri 14 Aug	OT 18	1/6	Prac O Driver ops Trade test	-

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A U S T R A L I A N I M P E R I A L F O R C E

R A E - 1 AUST ARMOURED DIVISION

COURSE FOR M/C ORDERLIES

Period - 24 JUL to 14 AUG,

114 Day Periods - 9 Night Periods = 123 Total. = 138hrs

SUMMARY OF TRAINING

SUBJECT	PERIODS. DAY	NIGHT.	CODE LETTER
Indian M/C	40	-	IDT
M/T Work	8	2	MT
INTERCOM	14	-	SP
MAP READING	16	6	MR
WEAPON TNG	18	1	SATM
JEEP	15	1	JT
EXAMINATIONS	3	-	ET
	114	9	

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SUBJECT - INDIAN M/C — CODE LETTER "MCT"

Serial No.	Periods.	Day	Lessons	Instructor	References
MCT 1	1	4	Lect:General description of M/C & Specifications	Lieut Garland	Indian M/C Handbook.
MCT 2	1	5	Lect & Prac: Controls & operation	WO.II Douglass	" "
MCT 3	1	5	Lect:General functions of assemblies.	S/Sgt McGuinness	" "
MCT 4	1	5	Lect:Riding & Driving	WO.II Douglass	" "
MCT 4	20	6,8,9 10,11, 12,13, 14	Prac:Riding & Driving	"	" "
MCT 5	1	8	Lect:Daily Maintenance	"	Unit Notes.
MCT 5	6	8,10,11 12,14	Prac: " "	"	" "
MCT 6	1	6	Lect & Prac: The Engine	S/Sgt McGuinness	Indian M/C Handbook
MCT 7	1	7	" " :Fuel system & carburettor	"	" "
MCT 8	1	9	" " :Exhaust,cooling & lubrication	"	" "
MCT 9	1	10	" " : Clutch and Transmissions	"	" "
MCT 10	1	11	" " :Electrical system	"	" "
MCT 11	1	12	" " :Brakes,wheels & Steering	"	" "
MCT 12	1	13	" " :Safety guards & accessories	"	" "
MCT 13	1	14	Lect:Running Repairs	Cpl Whiteman	
MCT 14	1	16	Lect: Tuning	WO. Graham	
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SUBJECT - M/T WORK — CODE LETTER "M T"

MT 1	1	5	Lect:M/T Forms & reoprting of accidents	WO.II Douglass	MBI Q 127/41 MBI Q140/41
MT 2	1	7	Lect: Traffic Control	Sgt Cummings (Div Provost Unit)	
MT 2	4	7	Prac: " "		Provost Corps Notes.
MT 3	1	11	Lect:Road Discipline	Major Cowper.	" "
MT 4	1	15N	Lect:Mounted Drill & convoy work	Major Foreman	UnitNotes.
MT 5	1	18N	Lect:Harbouring & Harbour procedure	"	" "
MT 6	1	6	Lect:Arm & Tactical signal code,Unit signs,sub-unit markings	Lieut Lea	AAC S/O's Apps, A,Ati,D MBI 0/123/41
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SUBJECT - INTERCOMMUNICATION CODE LETTER "SP"

Serial No.	Periods.	Day	Lessons	Instructor	Reference
SP 1	1	4	Lect:Despatch Riders-Duties and responsibilities.	Corps of Sigs	Corps of Sigs Notes
SP 2	1	4	Lect:Message carriage & delivery	"	" "
SP 2	2	4	Prac: " "	"	" "
SP 3	1	4	Lect:Message form procedure	"	" "
SP 4	1	5	Lect & Prac: Approach to Officers	WO.II Henricksen	
SP 5	1	9	Lect:Recognition of principal Div & RAE Officers	Lieut White	
SP 6	1	10	Lect:Location Lists	"	
SP 7	1	14	Lect:Route & Message memorising	Sgt Willis	
SP 7	3	15.16 17	Prac: " "	"	
SP 8	1	17	Lect: Minor Tactics	Lieut White	
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SUBJECT:- MAP READING CODE LETTER "MR"

MR 1	1	5	Lect:Object, introduction, Maps generally.	Capt Horsfall	MTRFS Ch I
MR 2	1	5N	Lect: Definitions	"	" " II
MR 3	1	9N	Lect:Scales & Units	"	" " III
MR 4	2	6,9	Lect:Conventional signs	"	" " IV & AAC S/Os AppB
MR 5	1	10	Lect:Relief & its representation	"	MTRFS Ch 5
MR 6	2	11,12	Lect: Bearings	"	" " 6 & X
MR 7	1	11N	Lect:Service Protractor & Prismatic Compass	"	" " 10
MR 7	1	13	Prac: " "	"	" " 10
MR 8	1	12N	Lect:Systems of Reference	"	" " 7
MR 8	1	13	Prac: " " "	"	" " 7
MR 9	1	14	Lect:Setting map & finding position	"	" " 8
MR 9	6	15,18	Prac: " " "	"	" " 8
MR 11	1	19	Lect & Prac:Finding True North	"	" App I
MR 12	1	6N	Lect & Prac:Direction by stars	"	" "
MR 13	1	17,19	Prac:Route finding and memorising.	"	
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WEAPON TRAINING — CODE LETTER - SATM

Serial No.	Period	Day	Lessons	Reference
SATM 1	1	1	TSMG - General, Loading, Unloading Sight Setting & Aiming.	SAT VOL I Pam 21 Less 1 & App A
SATM 2	1	1	TSMG - Holding & Firing, General description of components.	SAT VOL I Pam 21 Less 2 & App A & C
SATM 3	1	1	TSMG - Action of mechanism, Cleaning.	SAT VOL I Pam 21 Less 3 & App B
SATM 4	1	1	PISTOL - Introduction, Safety precautions, Cleaning, Holding and Trigger pressing.	SAT VOL I Pam II Less 1/2
SATM 5	1	1	PISTOL - Drawing, Returning, Loading and unloading	SAT VOL I Pam II Less 3
SATM 6	1	1	PISTOL - Firing, Single and double action	SAT VOL I Pam II =Less 4
SATM 7	1	2	RIFLE - Mechanism & Trigger pressing, Cleaning (Daily & before and after firing) Loading & Unloading	SAT VOL I Pam 3 Less 1/4
SATM 8	1	2	RIFLE - Accuracy of aim, Aiming at Targets at Service Distances Aiming at Ground.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 6/8
SATM 9	1	2	RIFLE - Aiming off for wind, and Up & Down for movement.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 9/12
SATM IO	2	2	RIFLE - Lying Position.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 13/14
SATM 11	1	2	RIFLE - Kneeling, Standing and sitting position.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 15/16
SATM 12	2	3	RIFLE - Snapshooting and Rapid Fire.	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 17/19
SATM 13	1	3	RIFLE - Firing behind cover	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 20/22
SATM 14	1	3	RIFLE - Individual and Section Fire Discipline	SAT Vol I Pam 3 Less 23/24
SATM 15	2	3	RIFLE - A/A Work	SAT Vol I Pam 6 Less 2, 4/5 and introductory
SATM 16	-	Night.	BREN - Working knowledge of Gun.	
Total	18			

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R A E - M/C ORDERLIES COURSE

TIME TABLE - 27 Jul to 14 Aug 42

DAY	Code Letter No.	Period.	Subject	Reference
Day 4	SP 1	1	Lect: Despatch Riders - Duties and responsibilities.	Corps of Sigs Notes
Mon	SP 3	2	Lect: Message form procedure.	" " " "
27	SP 2	3	Lect: Message Carriage and delivery	" " " "
Jul	SP 2	4/5	Prac: Message Carriage and delivery.	" " " "
	MCT 1	6	Lect: General description of Indian M/C & Specifications	Indian M/C handbook.
Day 5	MCT 2	1	Lect & Pract: Controls and operation.	Indian M/C handbook
Tue	MT 1	2	Lect: M/T forms & reporting of accidents	MBI Q127/41 MBI Q140/41
28	SP 4	3	Lect & Pract: Approach to Officers	
Jul	MR 1	4	Lect: Object, Introduction, maps generally.	MMRFS Ch I
	MCT 3	5	Lect: General functions of assemblies.	Indian M/C handbpok.
	MCT 4	6	Lect: Riding and Driving	" "
	MR 2	1930-2100	Lect: Definitions.	MMRFS Ch 2
Day 6	MCT 4	1/3	Prac: Riding & Driving	Indian M/C handbook
Thu	MR 4	4	Conventional signs	MMRFS Ch 4 & AAC S/O's App B
30	MT 6	5	Lect: Arm & Tactical signal code, unit signs, sub-unit markings	RAC S/O's App A, Aii D, MBI O/123/41
Jul	MCT 6	6	Lect & Prac: The Engine	Indian M/C handbook.
	MR 12	1930-2100	Lect & Prac: Direction by stars	MMRFS App I
Day 7	MCT 7	1	Lect & Prac: Fuel system & carburettor	Indian M/C Handbook
Fri	MT 2	2	Lect: Traffic Control	Provost Corps Notes.
31	MT 2	3/6	Prac: Traffic Control	" " "
Jul				
Day 8	MCT 4	1/3	Prac: Riding & Driving	Indian M/C Handbook
Sat	MCT 5	4	Lect: Daily Maintenance	UnitNotes
1 Aug.	MCT 5	5/6	Prac: Daily Maintenance	" "
Day 9	MCT 4	1/2	Prac: Riding& maintenance	Indian M/C handbook
Sun	MR 4	3	Lect: Conventional signs	MMRFS Ch 4 & AAC S/O's App B
2 Aug	SP 5	4	Lect: Recognition Principal Div & R A E Officers.	
	SP 5	5	Prac do. do.	
	MCT 8	6	Lect & Prac: Exhaust, cooling & Lubrication	Indian M/C handbook
	MR 3	1930-2100	Lect: Scales & Units	MMRFS Ch 3

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DAY	Code Letter No.	Period	Subject	Reference
Day 10	MCT 4	1/2	Prac: Riding & Driving.	Indian M/C Handbook.
Mon	SP 6	3	Lect: Location lists.	
3 Aug	MR 6	4	Lect: Relief & its representation.	MMRFS Ch 5
	MCT 9	5	Lect & Prac: Clutch and Transmissions	Indian M/C Handbook
	MCT 5	6	Prac: Daily Maintenance	Unit Notes.
Day 11	MCT 4	1/2	Prac: Riding & Driving	Indian M/C Handbook
Tue	MCT 10	3	Lect & Prat: Electrical system	" " "
4 Aug	MR 6	4	Lect: Bearings	MMRFS Ch 6 & X
	MT 3	5	Lect: Road Discipline	Provost Corps Notes
	MCT 5	6	Prac: Daily Maintenance	Unit Notes.
	MR 7	1930 2100	Lect: Service Protractor & Prismatic Compass	MMRFS Ch 10
Day 12	MCT 4	1/3	Prac: Riding& Driving	Indian M/C Handbook
Thu	MR 6	4	Lect: Bearings	MMRFS Ch 6 & X
6 Aug	MCT 11	5	Lect & Prac: Brakes, Wheels and steering	Indian M/C Handbook
	MCT 5	6	Prac: Daily Maintenance	Unit Notes.
	MR 8	1930 2100	Lect: Systems of Reference	MMRFS Ch 7
Day 13	MR 7	1	Prac: Service protractor & prismatic compass	MMRFS Ch 10
Fri 7 Aug	MCT 12	2	Lect & Prac: Safety guards and accessories.	Indian M/C Handbook
	MR 8	3	Prac: Systems of Reference	MMRFS Ch 7
	MCT 4	4/6	Prac: Riding& Driving	Indian M/C Handbook
Day 14	MCT 4	1/2	Prac: Riding & Driving	Indian M/C Handbook
Sat	MCT 5	3	Prac: Daily Maintenance	Unit Notes.
8 Aug	MR 9	4	Lect: Setting map & finding position.	MMRFS Ch 8
	MCT 13	5	Lect: Running Repairs.	
	SP 7	6	Lect: Route & Message memorising.	

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R A E - M/C ORDERLIES COURSE

DAY	Code Letter No.	Period	Subject	Reference
Day 15 Sun 9 Aug	JT 1	1	Lect: General description & specifications of vehicles.	Vehicle handbook
	JT 2	2	Lect & Prac: Controls & Operation, names of parts & general functions	" "
	JT 5	3/4	Lect & Prac: Engine, Fuel system Setting Map & Finding position	" "
	MR 9	5	Prac:	MMRFS Ch 8
	SP 8	6	Prac: Route & message memorising	-
	MT 4	1930 2100	Lect: Mounted drill & Convoy work	Unit Notes.
Day 16 Mon 10 Aug	MCT 14	1	Lect: Tuning	
	JT 6	2/3	Lect & Prac: Clutch, Gear boxes, Transmission & four wheel drive	Vehicle handbook
	JT 7	4/5	Lect & Prac: Electrical, braking, and steering systems	" "
	SP 7	6	Prac: Route & message memorising	
Day 17 Tue 11 Aug	JT 8	1/2	Lect & Prac: Driving instruction	Vehicle handbook
	JT 4	3	Prac: Daily Maintenance	Unit Notes.
	SP 8	4	Lect: Minor tactics	
	MR 13	5	Prac: Route fiding & memorising.	
	SP 7	6	Prac: Route & Message memorising	
	JT 3	1930 2100	Lect: Daily Maintenance	Unit Notes.
Day 18 Thu 13 Aug	JT 8	1/2	Lect & Prac: Driving instructions	Vehicle handbook
	JT 4	3/4	Prac: Daily Maintenance	Unit Notes.
	MR 9	5/6	Prac: Setting map & finding position.	MMRFS Ch 8
	MT 5	1930 2100	Lect: Harbouring & Harbour procedure.	Unit Notes.
Day 19 Fri 14 Aug	MR 11	1	Lect & Prac: Finding True North	MMRFS App I
	MR 12	2/3	Prac: Route finding & Memorising	
	EXAM	4/6	Prac: Examination	

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SUBJECT:- JEEP CODE LETTER "JT"

Serial No.	Periods.	Day	Lessons	Instructor.	References.
JT 1	1	15	Lect: General description & Specifications of vehicle.	Lieut Garland	Vehicle handbook
JT 2	1	15	Lect & Prac: Controls & Operation. Names of parts & general functions.	S/Sgt McGuinness	" "
JT 3	1	17N	Lect: Daily Maintenance	WO.II Douglass	Unit Notes.
JT 4	3	17/18	Prac: " "	"	" "
JT 5	2	15	Lect & Prac: Engine, Fuel system	Sgt Egan	Vehicle Handbook.
JT 6	2	16	Lect & Prac: Gear boxes & four wheel drive	"	" "
JT 7	2	16	Lect & Prac: Electrical, braking & Steering systems	"	" "
JT 8	4	17/18	Lect & Prac: Driving Instruction.	"	" "

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. F.D. S.Q.N. R.A.E.
~~1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.~~ (Unit)
A.I.F

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		1
Lieutenants	4		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8.		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).
Tx 6 no 1661	Sharp R.E. Sharp	[illegible]	[illegible]

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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.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Yes	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	✓	✓	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	✓	✓	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	✓	No	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	✓	Yes	
✓	[illegible]	[illegible]	✓	✓	
✓	[illegible]	[illegible]	✓	✓	
✓	[illegible]	[illegible]	✓	✓	

(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.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

2/3 AUST. F.D. S.Q.N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F.

(Unit.)

[illegible] Capt

(Signature of Commander.)

[illegible]

(Date of Despatch.)

Adv. HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. F D. S Q N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F
.....(*Unit*)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		1
Lieutenants.....	2		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8		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).
Capt	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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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.
Major	NX 11141	Foreman [illegible]	Quart Mr Gen	Yes	
Capt.	NX 70555	[illegible]	✓	✓	
✓	NX 70776	Macintosh [illegible]	✓	✓	
✓	NX 6044	[illegible]	✓	No	Sent Cessation
Lieut	NX 6118	[illegible]	✓	Yes.	
✓	NX 69447	Madsen [illegible]	✓	✓	
✓	NX 7616	[illegible]	✓	✓	
✓	NX 40022	[illegible]	✓	✓	

(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.

2/3 AUST. F D. S Q N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F

(Unit.)

[illegible] Capt

(Signature of Commander.)

11 [illegible]

(Date of Despatch.)

[illegible]

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WE A.I.F. 1/1940/11/2 8X291 Attached NIL x 3.

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2/3 AUST. F D. S Q N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F (Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	2		2
Lieutenants	4	1	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	7.	1	2.

*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.
		NIL		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		NIL		

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).
TX 6099 Capt.	Sharp R.C.	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	2 i/c To rejoin Unit when course at SMC Casula is completed.

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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.~~ Appointment.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	NX 11141	Fouman G.G.	O.C.	Yes.	
Capt.	NX 70726	Macintosh D.U.	1 2 i/c	✓	
✓	NX 70555	Hayes A.	2 p Coma	✓	
Lieut	NX 76166	Tarrant P.K.	2 p Coma	✓	
✓	NX 40022	Stuart J.H.	2 p Coma	✓	
✓	VX 69447	Madsen E.C.	2 p 2 i/c	✓	
✓	TX 6110	Downey B.J.	2 p 2 i/c	✓	

(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.
		NIL			

2/3 AUST. F.D. S.Q.N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F.
(Unit.)

D U Macintosh Capt
(Signature of Commander.)

18 July 42
(Date of Despatch.)

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.
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WE A.17. 1/19 Vol/11/2 8X291 attached NIL x 3 pass in Reinforcements.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. F D. S Q N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F
(Unit)

Warden

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	2		2
Lieutenants	4		1
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	7	-	2.

*Insert detail of higher ranks 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.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
TX6110 Capt.	Sharp R.C. 2 I/C.	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	Completion of SMC Course Casual Previously posted X hist.

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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.
Maj	W11141.	Foreman J.G. O.C.	Appointment ~~[illegible]~~ Sgn	Yes.	
Capt.	NX70776	Macintosh DW	A 24c	✓	
"	NX70535	Hay WA.	3b Coma	✓	
Lieut	NX76166	Fardon RK	3b Coma	✓	
✓	NX40022	Stuart JA	A 3b Coma	✓	
✓	VX69447	Maltzen CC	3b 24c	✓	
✓	TX6110	Donnelly B.J.	3b 24c	No	Det to 2/1 Aust Adv. Ord Wkshops.

(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.

2/3 AUST. F D. S Q N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F

(Unit.)

D Macintosh Capt

(Signature of Commander.)

25 July 42

(Date of Despatch.)

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 AUST. F.D. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) July 12. 19 (Date).
A.I.F.

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	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.	1	–	–
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1	–	–
Staff Serjeants	–	–	–
Serjeants	10	–	1
Corporals	26.		
Troopers, Privates, &c.	290	12	
TOTALS	328.	* 12	* 1

*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 Corporal	2/16 Aust. Fd Amb.	2 Sappers	2/1 Aust Fd Coy
1 Corporal	1 Aust Armd Corps Dist Wksp.		
1 Corporal	1 Aust Divisional Postal		
1 Corporal	2/1 Aust Fd Pk Coy		
1 Sergeant.	2/1 Aust Fd Pk Coy		
1 Sapper	HQ RAE 1 Aust Armd Div		
1 Sapper	2/1 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).
NX47981	L/Sgt.	Blackmore W.R.	2/1 Aust Fd Coy	Son of Corporal Blackmore
VX60763	A/Sgt.	Carter J.W.	✓	Taken commission
NX43394	L/Sgt.	Rogers A.R.	✓	Transferred.
NX42911	L/Cpl	Mahon A.E.	✓	2/16 Aust Fd Amb. Previously reported
NX48875	Spr	Tehan R.	✓	NX39611. Identity confirmed in company
NX76245	✓	Masons J.	✓	Detention - Identity confirmed in Quarantine
NX48615	✓	Gray J.	✓	AWOL - Identity confirmed in company

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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		

X "PRO FORMA" Amendment to A [illegible]

Part A

1	2	3	4	5	6
DETAIL	WAR ESTAB-LISHMENT	POSTED STRENGTH INCLUDING ATTACHED	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY	REMARKS
W O Class I					
W O Class II	1	1			
S or C Q M S	1	1.			
S/Sgts	—	-			
Sgts	11	10		1.	
Cpls	26	26.			
Group 1 Specialists	65	69	4	[illegible]	
" 2 "	84	91	7	[illegible]	
" 3 "	25	25			
Tprs, Ptes, etc	104	105	1		
TOTALS	317	328	12.	1	

X To agree with Part D on Page 2

Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)								

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.

2/3 AUST. F D. S Q N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F.
Unit.

C. L. Macintosh Capt
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 4 July 42

Adv. [illegible] 1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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2/3 AUST. F D. S Q N. R.A.F
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) 11 May 42 19 (Date).
A.I.F

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	10		2
Corporals	26		
Troopers, Privates, &c.	288	11	
TOTALS	326.	* 11	* 2

*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 Corporal	1 Aust Armd Div Postal		
1 Corporal	1 Aust Armd Div Sigs Dis & Shops		
1 Corporal	1/16 Aust Sta Amb.		
1 Private	Aust Defence Services		

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).
NX 47981	L/Sgt.	Blackburn WR	1 Aust Tel Sqn	Sent to Convalescent
VX 6076	Pte	Carter GW	✓	Leaves are
NX 53794	L/Sgt	Rivers LR	✓	Completed.
NX 42814	L/Cpl	Rullen H.C.	✓	16 Aust Sta Amb.
NX 44875	Pte	Tatham RJ	✓	102 AGH. (Ulcer treatment)
QX 18769	L/Cpl	Coates WJ	✓	102 AGH. (to complete)
NX 44085	Pte	Day J	✓	3 CCS
NX 89396	✓	Entwisle Jas	✓	3 CCS
NX 78285	✓	Mason FJ.	✓	Detention on completion of.

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1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F. 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,	SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT.										REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.									
General duty personnel																				
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)																				

X "PRO FORMA" Amendment to A F. W3009

Part A

1	2	3	4	5	6
DETAIL	WAR ESTABLISHMENT	POSTED STRENGTH EXCLUDING ATTACHED	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY	REMARKS
W O Class I					
W O Class II	1	1			
S or C Q M S	1	1			
~~S/Sgts~~ Sgts.	12	10		2	
Cpls	26	26			
Group 1 Specialists.	65	65			
" 2 "	84	95	11		
" 3 "	25	19		6	
Tprs, Ptes etc	103	109	6		
TOTALS	317	326	17	8	

X To agree with Part D on Page 2

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1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F. *Unit.*

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 11 July 42

Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.

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W.E. A.I.F. 1/1940/4/2 8X291 attached NIL X3.

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Serial No 29-7-42

2/3 AUST. F.D. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. A.I.F. (Unit) 19 July 42 19..... (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	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.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants	-		
Serjeants	11		
Corporals	24.		1
Troopers, Privates, &c.	248		5.
TOTALS	285	*	*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.

attached against NIL

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Others attached	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 Corporal	Cav Regt 1st Armd Div	1 Private	2/3 Defence Canteen
1 Corporal	Cav Regt 1st Armd Div Workshops		Service
1 Corporal	7th Aust Armd Div Amb.		

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).
NX 12981	Sgt.	Blackwell A.R.	Base Sig Unit	Reported AWL on completion
VX 60762	Cpl	Taylor J.H.	✓	of Amb Canteen Services.
NX 13691	Sgt.	Simms A.R.	✓	Absent posted X list.
NX 12981	Cpl	Allen A.C.	✓	2/3 Fd Amb. Returned from
NX 10615	Cpl	Ray J.	✓	2/3 Fd Coy Re-admitted
NX 15396	✓	Annie Jim	✓	2/3 F.C. on completion
NX 14775	✓	Lewis R.	✓	2/3 Fd Amb. of Treatment.
NX 12349	A/Cpl	Coates W.J.	✓	2/3 Fd Coy Engrs. Re-posted
NX 18891	Spr	Bennett S.A.	✓	2/3 Fd Coy Engrs. posted to X List.
NX 13936	✓	Goodenough R.	✓	2/3 Fd Coy Engrs.
NX 13963	✓	Packham A.K.	✓	2/3 Fd Coy Engrs. Re-posted from
NX 19215	✓	Jenkins W.J.	✓	2/3 Fd Coy Engrs. Still are
NX 16403	✓	Sykes S.	✓	2/7 Aust Gen Hosp Readmitted
NX 16235	✓	Gordon R.	✓	2/3 Fd Coy Engrs

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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	—	1	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	—	1	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	1	—	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical	—	—
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors	—	—
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering	—	1
Dispensers			Masons	—	—	Tailors	—	—
Draughtsmen	—	—	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.	—	1	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	—	1	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers	—	4	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C	—	—	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters Signwriters	—	—			
			Pioneers	2	—			
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	1	7		2	1.		—	

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.

2/3 AUST. F.D. S.Q.N. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F
Unit.

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 18 July 42

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Wardiary

1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) ..... 19..... (Date).
A.I.F

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants	—		
Serjeants	11		1
Corporals	27	1	7
Troopers, Privates, &c.	261.		
TOTALS	301.	* 1	8*

*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.
Against W.E.		Attchd	
Corporal	7/6 Aust Div Sqdns.	Sig	
Corporal	Aust Armd Div Reinforcement		
Corporal	7/6 Aust Armd Div Wksps		

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).
NX 43889	Spr.	Stewart AW	7 Aust Div Sigs	112 Aust Depot.
NX 43822	✓	Lumby. HL.	✓	Detention
NX 44875	✓	Zobel R	✓	102 AGH. on completion of treatment.
NX 44085	✓	Way J.	✓	2 C.C.S.
NX 49396	✓	Inkile JHm	✓	2 C.C.S.
NX 44783	✓	Britton DL.	✓	120 Aust Gen Hosp
NX 44646	✓	Kenny H.J.	✓	Detention
NX 73769	✓	Shannan FJ.	✓	Detention
				The above are trade Specialists

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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	—	2	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	—	1	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks	1	—	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical	—	—
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering	—	1
Dispensers			Masons	—	—	Tailors	—	—
Draughtsmen	—	1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.	—	1	Tinsmiths	—	—
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics	—	—	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators	—	1	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units	—	1	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers	—	4	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C	—	1	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers	—		Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters + Signwriters	—	—	Pioneers	4	—
						Dvrs M.T.	—	—
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	1	11		—	1.		4	1

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
A.I.F
Unit.

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 25 July 42

1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

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1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants	—		
Serjeants	11		1
Corporals	29	2	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	257		8 11
TOTALS	298	* 2	* 9 12

*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 Corporal	1 Aust Armd Div Postal	1 Corporal	1 Gen Svgs
1 Corporal	NIL Aust L of C Unit		1 Aust Gen Hosp
1 Corporal	If unfit for Base Ord Depot was to 113 A.G.H. 27/5/42		

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).
NX4999	Spr	Smith AW	Aust Fd Engrs	113 Gen Depot.
NX2822	"	Lindsay NL	"	E.T.O. Overseas.
NX11975	"	Tolson R.	"	2/2 A.G.H. Convalescent
NX40975	"	Wray J.	"	2 C.C.S. Wounded
NX59296	"	Wilson J.H.	"	2 C.C.S. Sick
NX57671	"	Lawrence K	"	120 Aust Gen Hosp. Convalescent
NX40793	"	Patton D.L.	"	120 Aust Gen Hosp. Convalescent
NX22062	"	Blake C.H.	"	113 Gen Depot.
NX40576	"	Glennon J.J.	"	2 C.C.S.
		The above personnel are Headquarters		

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE
1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Aug 42 To 31 Aug 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LARGS	10 Aug 42		Received O.O. No. 1 - 1 Aust Armd Div warning Unit to move to concentration area for Div manoeuvres near NARRABRI.	
	12 Aug 42		LtCol H B Wood CRE 1 Aust Mot Div visited Unit and stayed overnight.	
	13 Aug 42	1000	3 Fd Tp under Comd Capt W A Hay moved from LARGS and came under comd 1 Aust Armd Bde as from 15 Aug 42.	
	14 Aug 42		Major J G Foreman, O.C., evacuated to Hospital. Capt Sharp administering comd.	
	17 Aug 42	0732	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn, less 3 Fd Tp, moved from LARGS en route to NARRABRI at 0732 hrs, under Comd HQ RAE.	
FIELD			Sqn bivouacked for the night 6 miles N.W. of QUIRINDI.	
	18 Aug 42		Sqn moved from bivouac area to NARRABRI, arriving at 1416 hrs, the correct time stated in the Div march table.	
			Excellent road march discipline was carried out in the Sqn	

W.H. Macintosh

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H. 100M 2/42 Unit ..... Date and Time.—From ..... To .....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
NARRABRI TRG AREA	18 Aug 42	(CONTINUED)	which was complimented at several control points by Officers of the Provost Corps. DWM	
		1400	2 Fd Tp under Comd Lieut Fardon R K detached at the NAMOI RIVER BR near TURRAWAN, with a role of establishing a water point for the Adv A.S.C. Column and the Adv Tps of the Support Group. DWM	
			1 Fd Tp under comd Lieut Stuart J A established Div water point on NAMOI RIVER. Considerable trouble was experienced with the K & L pump and these would appear to be unreliable for field work. It would appear that a heavier type for of pump is required. DWM	
	24 Aug 42		Maj J G Foreman rejoined Unit ex hospital. DWM	
	27 Aug 42	0800	3rd Tp and 2 Fd Tp reverted to Sqn Comd and remain in support of 1 Aust Armd Bde and Support Group respectively. DWM	

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H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E
1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Aug 42 To 31 Aug 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SUMMARY OF WORK		TRG	From Aug 1 to 14, specialist schools were carried out for M.C.O's, Dvr-Ops, and Fd Engr subjects. From 17 Aug to 31 Aug Tps were kept hardened up by route marching and fieldcraft exercises.	
		ENGR WORK	Work was commenced on the fitting up of Unit vehicles to carry personnel and equipping sqn for Div Manoeuvres. From 17 Aug to 31 Aug, 1 Fd Tp carried out Div duties in water points, construction of A.C.V's and Div Concert Party eqpt. 2 and 3 Fd Tps did normal Bde work under comd to 27 Aug 42, thence in support.	
			VEHICLES	
			Petrol consumption of Sqn vehicles on move - LARGS TO NARRABRI. Country - flat and undulating, with 10% hilly country.	
			Jeeps - 20 m p g Scout cars - 10 Car D.S. - 20 ~~Vans 15 cwt~~ - ~~17~~ Vans 1 ton - 16 Water truck (full) - 12.5 3 Ton G.S. W/winch - 10 3 Ton 4 x 4 W.D. - 8.8 (averaged over 20 vehicles.) M/C's - 55	
			Total petrol used, HQ plus 2 tps, 826 gals. Total veh mileage 12,300 miles. Average m p g for all vehicles (33) 14.8 m p g.	

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS, PART1

Serial 215
No. 44

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 4 Aug 42

44 DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 4 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 5 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Madson E C
Next for Duty		Lieut	Donnelly B J
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX39798	A/Cpl	Pickard N
Next for Duty	QX19821	A/Cpl	Ashen N W S
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX86904	L/Cpl	Worth G R
Next for Duty	NX42293	L/Cpl	Thomas A R
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX82337	L/Cpl	Hudson J J
Next for Duty	NX41644	L/Cpl	Cowgill J F
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	QX18312	Spr	McMillan L
Vehicle Lines	NX41696	"	Davies M T P
	NX91400	"	Maish C W G
To mount 2 and 3 Tps	NX43163	Spr	Mitchell W J
Vehicle Lines	QX11856	"	Rutherford R
	NX43210	"	Tipping T G
INLYING PICQUET	NX39851	Spr	Sharman R J
	NX48784	"	Oeding K J
	QX19368	"	Cardew L H

M Sharp
Capt
2 i.c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS, PART 1

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Nos 45 - 50

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 6 Aug 42

45. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 5 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 6 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Donnelly B J
Next For Duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX73968	L/Sgt	Robertson W A
Next for Duty	NX48575	A/Cpl	Cooper H A
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
Next for Duty	NX50019	L/Cpl	Smith W A
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX91151	L/Cpl	Prosser R G
Next for Duty	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	QX24670	Spr	Appleby A H
Vehicle Lines	QX19179	"	Corrie W J
	NX96563	"	Davidson B J
To mount 2 & 3 Tps	NX71700	Spr	Gibson D G L
Vehicle Lines	QX19402	"	Head V R
	NX73792	"	Martin J J
INLYING PICQUET	NX48280	Spr	Dolaghan D
	NX56282	"	Hamilton I A
	NX93211	"	Howatt M L
REGIMENTAL GUARD			
Sergeant of the Guard	NX39573	Sgt	Ross A R
Corporal of Guard	NX43329	Cpl	Rutledge A B
Members of Guard	NX49243	Spr	Murray D J
	QX21476	"	Robinson D
	NX40106	"	Venoss W L
	NX42937	"	Dawson K B
	NX44046	"	Reilly H S J
	QX21997	"	Love E R
	QX19646	"	McMahon T
	QX18109	"	Stewart S
	NX45093	"	O'Connor C
	NX49244	"	Cowon F J

46. TOWN PICQUET
To mount at 1700hrs 5 Aug 42
To dismount at 2359hrs 5 Aug 42

Sergeant of Picquet	NX42494	A/Sgt	Bingham R C
Members of Picquet	NX97108	Spr	Jones G B
	NX97109	"	Jones D T
	NX95996	"	Towart H N
	NX96509	"	Robertson A

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47. CAMP LIBRARY

The Camp Library is available between 1645hrs and 1730hrs and between 1830hrs and 2145hrs daily.

The library is situated in the mess hut in rear of the lecture room in B block

The books in it are available for reading in the hut during the above hours.

48. PERSONAL EQUIPMENT

When personnel are evacuated to Hospitals or Detention Barracks, it is essential that they take all personal equipment.

49. OFFENCES & AWARDS OF PUNISHMENT

NX92030 Spr Collins P J H - Absence without Leave - 7 days C B
NX73894 " Bussell F W - Absence without leave - Award - 14 days detention, Sentence suspended.
NX73507 Spr Else F J - Absence without Leave - Award - Fined £1.
NX96363 Spr Davidson B J - Absence without leave - Award - Fined £3.
QX19965 Spr Rowland E A - Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline - Award Fined £1 and 14 days C B.

50. WINTER DRESS

All ranks are warned that Winter Dress MUST be worn for evening meals unless proceeding on a night exercise.

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ROUTINE ORDERS, PART 1

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 6 Aug 42

51 DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 6 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 7 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Fardon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX56383	A/Sgt	Skeet A M
Next for Duty	QX19821	A/Cpl	Ashon N W S
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R M
Next for Duty	NX42176	L/Cpl	McCoy A L
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX78990	L/Cpl	Liptrott T
Next for Duty	NX49378	L/Cpl	Smith F L C
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	NX83808	Spr	McHale A W
Vehicle Lines	QX24688	"	Murphy J
	NX38289	"	Schippell R R C
To mount 2 and 3 Tps	NX42830	Spr	Weedon J F
Vehicle Lines	NX51060	"	Westcott F A
	NX48874	"	White P Mc
INLYING PICQUET	QX10947	Spr	Holt R A
	NX73882	"	Ambrose R
	NX49946	"	Baldwin W C

52. SHIRTS, MILITARY, KHAKI

In view of the danger of the contraction of malaria, dengue etc. from mosquito infection, the practice of shortening the sleeves of shirts will cease forthwith.
Disciplinary action will be taken in every case of contravention of this order.

53. C A and Y M C A HUTS

The Church Army and Y M C A Huts are out of bounds to all ranks during parade hourse.

54. CHURCH SERVICES

Roman Catholic: Personnel to report outside 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn Orderly Room at 0800hrs each Sunday.
Other Denominations: At Church Army Hut and Lecture Hut at 0930hrs each Sunday.
Dress: Usual working dress, but rifles will not be carried.

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Field 7 Aug 42

55. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 7 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 8 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Hudson E C
ORDERLY SERGEANT	QX19821	A/Cpl	Ashon N W C
Next for Duty	NX48263	A/Cpl	Ferguson K
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX42176	L/Cpl	McCoy A L
Next for Duty	NX78868	L/Cpl	Russell P W
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX49378	L/Cpl	Smith F L C
Next for Duty	NX44034	L/Cpl	Shepherd S R
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	NX45124	Spr	Cullen G
Vehicle Lines	VX41297	"	Jackman A J
	NX83076	"	Jerome W H
To mount 2 & 3 Tps	NX49290	Spr	Kellas G G
Vehicle Lines	NX95793	"	Marshall R
	NX43144	"	Montgomery J
INLYING PICQUET	NX66268	Spr	Underhill J B
	NX96673	"	Morris H V
	NX77782	"	Greenwood R
REGIMENTAL GUARD			
Sergeant of the Guard	NX10227	Sgt	Nicholson V LD
Corporal of the Guard	NX39755	Cpl	Parris J A
Members of the Guard	NX41696	Spr	Davies H T P
	NX91400	"	Naish C W G
	NX39790	"	Brooks K I
	NX48899	"	Reidy D B
	NX48479	"	Brown W Mc
	NX77881	"	Collyer R H
	NX44631	"	Hough L A
	NX39757	"	Gough E S
	NX43281	"	Flack G J
	NX42175	"	Stephenson W S
Librarian	NX86904	L/Cpl	Worth G R

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56. DRESS

BERETS
The Issue of berets to this Squadron has now been completed and in future the hat, fur, felt, will not be worn.

GAITERS
Gaiters will always be worn with Service Dress in the Street or in the camp.
Where a man desires to attend a dance and take advantage of the privilege of wearing shoes, he will apply to have his leave pass endorsed to that effect.

SERVICE DRESS
Attention is again drawn to the instruction that Service Dress will be donned by all ranks except cooks and mess orderlies before the the evening meal, whether on the meal parade or not.
The only exception to this rule will be in the case of men proceeding on a night exercise in the field.

57. CARRYING OF ARMS

Carrying of rifles at the trail is a prerogative of certain British Rifle units only.
All ranks armed with the rifle will carry same at the slope at all times except when definitely ordered to do otherwise as a drill or manouvre.

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by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R - Royal Australian Engineers

Field 8 Aug 42

59. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 8 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 9 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Madson E C
Next for Duty		Lieut	Stuart J A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX48263	A/Cpl	Ferguson K
Next for Duty	NX40020	A/Cpl	Hoozlett D
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX78868	L/Cpl	Russell P W
Next for Duty	NX43575	L/Cpl	Tarran H E
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX44034	L/Cpl	Shephard S R
Next for Duty	QX19933	L/Cpl	Ensor C D
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	NX86485	Spr	Slattery J S
Vehicle Lines	NX91134	"	Swan J A
	NX44289	"	Talbot A J
To mount 2 & 3 Tps	NX43280	Spr	Thornton R N
Vehicle Lines	NX77755	"	Titterton R H
	NX91226	"	Carey E J
INLYING PICQUET	NX87809	Spr	Ryan A G D
	QX11856	"	Rutherford R
	NX10212	"	Thomas R M

60. TOWN PICQUET
To mount 1700hrs 8 Aug 42
To dismount 2359hrs 8 Aug 42

Sergeant of Picquet	NX42996	L/Sgt	Berg E
Members of Picquet	NX91282	Spr	Hunter W B
	NX92823	"	Bellamy H S
	NX80538	"	Brooks P
	QX23151	"	Carr J P

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Field 9 Aug 42

61. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 9 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 10 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
Next for Duty		Capt	Macintosh D U
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX40020	A/Cpl	Hazlett D
Next for Duty	NX40125	A/Cpl	Craig C W
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44687	L/Cpl	Macpherson C M
Next for Duty	NX50019	L/Cpl	Smith W A
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX38785	L/Cpl	Armstrong J G
Next for Duty	NX43686	L/Cpl	Young J
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	NX92030	Spr	Collins P J N
Vehicle lines	NX96372	"	King A F
	NX91747	"	Linsell A J
To mount 2 & 3 Tps	NX73515	Spr	Sewell J R
Vehicle Lines	NX90380	"	Simpson G A
	NX83844	"	Whitley J E
INLYING PICQUET	NX91425	Spr	Clapham A W
	NX73920	"	Donnelly B L
	QX11518	"	Gallagher P N

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Field 10 Aug 42

62. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 10 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 11 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER Next for Duty			Capt Macintosh D U Lieut Fardon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT Next for Duty	NX40125 NX44267	A/Cpl A/Cpl	Craig C W Lalor N L G
ORDERLY CORPORAL Next for Duty	NX50019 NX42531	L/Cpl L/Cpl	Smith W A Bruderlin A W
VEHICLE PICQUET Corporal of Picquet Next for Duty	NX43686 NX48466	L/Cpl L/Cpl	Young J Manning J G
To mount HQ & 1 Tps Vehicle Lines	NX77753 NX7299 NX50022	Spr " "	Holt W M H Little J G Paton D K
To mount 2 & 3 Tps Vehicle Lines	NX44237 NX85581 NX43786	Spr " "	Plummer J Riddell J H Smith J R
INLYING PICQUET	NX96121 QX22136 QX22988	Spr " "	Mattinson J A Richardson D Rickerby N R
REGIMENTAL GUARD Sergeant of Guard Corporal of Guard Members of Guard	NX50063 QX18269 NX60131 NX73901 NX42937 NX43973 NX43657 NX82177 NX81068 NX81980 NX43163 QX19937	L/Sgt A/Cpl Spr " " " " " " " " "	Summons F B Coates W J Clark H F G Tynan D L Dawson K B Donaldson G L W Holland E R Morse B V Spencer S C Sprod W H Mitchell W J Crees J A

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First Australian Armoured Division

Field, 11 Aug 42

63. DUTIES - To mount at 1730 hrs 11 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730 hrs 12 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Fardon R K
Next for duty		Capt	Hay W A
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX44267	A/Cpl	Lalor N L G
Next for duty	NX48575	A/Cpl	Cooper H A
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX42531	L/Cpl	Bruderlin A W
Next for duty	QX21534	L/Cpl	Eaton J A
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	NX48466	L/Cpl	Manning J G
Next for duty	NX41644	L/Cpl	Cowgill J F
To mount Hq & 1 Tp Vehicle Lines	QX24670	Spr	Appleby A H
	NX96363	Spr	Davidson B J
	NX71700	Spr	Gibson D G L
To mount 2 & 3 Tp Vehicle Lines	NX73972	Spr	Martin J J
	NX48586	Spr	McKenzie D N
	NX83808	Spr	McHale A W
LYING PICQUET	NX44621	Spr	Hough L A
	NX44320	Spr	Woods J H
	NX43464	Spr	Holden R S
LIBRARIAN	NX91151	L/Cpl	Prosser R G

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Field, 12 Aug 42

64. DUTIES - To mount at 1730 hrs 12 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730 hrs 13 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Madson L C
Next for duty		Capt	Macintosh D U
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX48575	A/Cpl	Cooper H A
Next for duty	NX43329	A/Cpl	Rutledge A B
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43575	L/Cpl	Tarran H E
Next for duty	NX42847	L/Cpl	Terry C H
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	NX82337	L/Cpl	Hudson J J
Next for duty	NX38785	L/Cpl	Armstrong J G
To mount HQ & 1 Tp Vehicle Lines	NX95724	Spr	Pout J
	NX39883	Spr	Pout R H
	NX91329	Spr	Sparkes K E
To mount 2 & 3 Tp Vehicle Lines	NX42920	Spr	Kellas G G
	QX22137	Spr	Andrews L G C
	NX48139	Spr	Ashton G H
INLYING PICQUET	VX41297	Spr	Jackman A J
	NX48430	Spr	Robinson C J
	NX73412	Spr	Hobbs E A
To mount 1700 hrs 12 Aug 42			
To dismount 2359 hrs 12 Aug 42			
TOWN PICQUET			
Sergeant of the Picquet	NX56383	Sgt	Skeet A M
Members of the Picquet	NX39242	Spr	Benson L S
	NX41514	Spr	Seaton W T
	NX91747	Spr	Linsell A J W
	NX42938	Spr	Levine D

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NOTICES

A Dance will be held at the Church of England Hall, WOODVILLE, to-night.
Admission - 1/- All troops cordially invited.

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by

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Commanding - 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 13 Aug 42

65. DUTIES To mount at 1730 hrs 13 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730 hrs 14 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	No.	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		~~Capt~~	~~Macintosh D V~~
~~Next for duty~~		Lieut	Gordon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX43329	A/Cpl	Rutledge A B
Next for duty	NX40125	A/Cpl	Craig C W
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43575	L/Cpl	Tarran H E
Next for duty	NX82337	L/Cpl	Hudson, J J
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	NX38785	L/Cpl	Armstrong J G
Next for duty	QX19933	L/Cpl	Lincor C E
To mount HQ & 1 Tp Vehicle Lines	NX48479	Spr	Brown T M
	QX19937	Spr	Cross J A
	QX15525	Spr	Coleman N C
To mount 2 Tp Vehicle Lines	NX44825	Spr	Miller R
	NX50843	Spr	Morris J
	QX22461	Spr	Blake H L
INLYING PICQUET	NX73503	Spr	Gillham J
	QX21476	Spr	Robinson D
	NX44046	Spr	Reilly H S J

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by

Captain R C SHARP

Administering Command 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 23 Aug 42

70. USE OF WATER

During the current manoeuvres allotment of water will be two gallons per man per day and every endeavour must be made to conserve the water supply. This allotment of water is for all purposes.

All water in this Area is not passed as fit for human consumption and troops will not drink any unauthorised water or fill their water bottles from any source except the water cart.

71. SANITARY ARRANGEMENTS

Strict sanitary discipline must be observed at all times and the facilities provided must be used. Severe disciplinary action will be taken against offenders who disregard these instructions.

All personnel using the latrines must immediately use the loose soil provided.

72. WEARING OF BERETS

The wearing of berets will be discontinued forthwith.

73. OVERCOATS

Overcoats will not be worn on the early morning parade unless ordered.

74. DISTRICT COURT MARTIAL

A D C M convened by the GOC NSW L of C Area, was held at SINGLETON on 27th day June, 1942, for the trial of NX39822, Spr W E Weekes, 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn.

The accused was charged with A.A. 15 (1) Absence without Leave, in that he, whilst a soldier on active service, absented himself without leave from 0800 hrs on 22 May, 1942, until 0645 hours on 1st June, 1942. SECONDLY with A.A 40 Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline.

The accused pleaded not guilty to each charge. The Court found the accused guilty of both charges.

The Court sentenced the accused to undergo detention for SIXTY (60) days.

The accused was in custody awaiting trial for 21 days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 11 July, 1942 by the GOC, NSW L of C Area.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at Detn Bks Holsworthy on 28th July 1942.

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by

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Administering Command 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 14 Aug 42

66. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 14 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 15 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER Next for Duty			Lieut Madsen E C Lieut Stuart J A
ORDERLY SERGEANT Next for Duty	NX39798 NX50066	L/Cpl A/Sgt	Pickard N H Blaydon B N
ORDERLY CORPORAL Next for Duty	NX78990 [illegible] NX43086	L/Cpl [illegible] L/Cpl	Liptrott T [illegible] Hall R H
VEHICLE PICQUET Corporal of Picquet Next for Duty	QX19933 NX30151	L/Cpl L/Cpl	Ensor C E Burnell E R
To mount HQ & 1 Tps Vehicle Lines	NX73579 NX48874 NX45124	Spr " "	Wilson N H White P Mc Cullen G
To mount 2 Tp lines	NX96403 NX73968 NX39847	Spr " "	Tully S Mosso-Robinson I L Martin N
INLYING PICQUET	NX43280 NX95730 NX43749	Spr " "	Thornton R N Williams K Sweet S G

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First Australian Armoured Division

Field 15 Aug 42

67 DUTIES. To mount 1730hrs 15 Aug 42
To dismount 1730hrs 16 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Fardon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX50066	A/Sgt	Blaydon B N
Next for Duty	NX43294	L/Sgt	Myers L R
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43086	L/Cpl	Hall R M
Next for Duty	NX48466	L/Cpl	Manning J G
VEHICLE PICQUET	NX30151	L/Cpl	Burnell E R
Corporal of Picquet	NX53355	L/Cpl	King R O
Next for Duty			
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	NX73503	Spr	Gillham J
Vehicle Lines	NX92677	"	Chapman N E
	NX77763	"	Smedley J
To mount 2 Tp	NX43167	Spr	Williams A R
vehicle Lines	NX49586	"	King C T
	NX73507	"	Ellse F J
JNLYING PICQUET	NX91126	Spr	Carey E J
	NX91138	"	Swan J R
	NX86485	"	Slattery J S
REGIMENTAL GUARD			
Sergeant of Guard	VX60765	Sgt	Lowe C P
Corporal of Guard	NX40125	Cpl	Craig C W
Members of Guard	NX43722	Spr	Brennan J F
	NX26197	"	Dolaghan J
	NX51060	"	Westcott F A
	NX95164	"	Graham W S
	NX49245	"	Jenkins W J
	NX95069	"	Langlois R E
	NX90396	"	McGrath R A
	NX95793	"	Marshall R
	NX50643	"	Adams E C
	NX44823	"	McErlon W A

68. OFFENCES, Awards of Punishments

NX90580 Spr Simpson G A - Absence without leave -
Award - seven days detention.

Capt.
A 2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

DISTRIBUTION

3 War Diary
3 Tp Clerks
1 HQ RAE
1 Adv HQ
1 Ord Offr
1 Ord Sgt
1 Ord Cpl
1 S S M
1 S Q M S
2 Sprs Mess
1 Sgts Mess
1 Offrs Qrs
1 Nat Bd
1 2 i/c
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Serial 227
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ROUTINE ORDERS, PART 1

by

Captain R C Sharp

Administering Command 2/3 Aust Fd San Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 16 Aug 42

69 DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 16 Aug 42
Tp dismount at 1730hrs 17 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Fardon R K
Next for Duty		Lieut	Madson E C
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX43294	L/Sgt	Myers L R
Next for Duty	NX39473	L/Sgt	Blackwell K C
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX48466	L/Cpl	Manning J G
Next for Duty	NX40010	L/Cpl	Kilpatrick A
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX53655	L/Cpl	King R C
Next for Duty	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore C W H
To mount HQ & 1 Tps	NX80538	Spr	Brooks P
Vehicle Lines	QX11518	"	Gallagher P M
	NX41572	"	Hancock H R
To mount 2 Tp	NX50022	Spr	Paton D K
Vehicle Lines	NX44237	"	Plummer J
	NX44986	"	Stacy J M
INLYING PICQUET	NX97108	Spr	Jones G B
	NX97109	"	Jones D T
	NX91425	"	Clapham A W

A H Macintosh
Capt
A 2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

DISTRIBUTION

3 War Diary	1 S S M
3 Tp Clerks	1 S Q M S
1 HQ R/E	2 Sprs Mess
1 Adv HQ	1 Sgts Mess
1 Ord Offr	1 Offrs Qrs
1 Ord Sgt	1 Notice Bd
1 Ord Cpl	1 2 i/c
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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1

Serial 229
Nos. 75 - 79

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 27 Aug 42

75. ADDRESSING OF CORRESPONDENCE

Many members of the Division are still not aware of the necessity of instructing their correspondents of their correct address. The name of the Div must be included in the address, and the abbreviation "A.A.D." will not be used for "Aust Armd Div." Personnel of 1 Aust Armd Div will notify their correspondents of the importance in the correct method of addressing of correspondence and use of abbreviations.
If members of the Div continue to display carelessness in this respect blame cannot be attached to 1 Aust Armd Div Postal Unit or the Army Postal Services in general for excessive delays in mail delivery.

Following is a specimen address of a member of 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE:-

"NX999999 Spr Brown A Y
1 Fd Tp
2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE
1 Aust Armd Div
AUSTRALIA."

76. DRESS - M/CYCLIST ORDERLIES

Men employed on this duty will not wear Blue and White Signal Armlets, unless employed as extra Despatch-Riders as part of the Divisional Communications.

77. CONSERVATION OF RUBBER

(a) It has been noticed that along roads there are discarded rubber motor tyres lying about.
(b) Drivers of all Army vehicles will be instructed that, when worn out motor tyres are seen along the roads, they will be collected by Army drivers and given to Salvage Sections in camps. This will not involve any additional running, but when drivers are on normal duty a lookout will be kept for these tyres.

78. TRESPASSING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY

The area beyond the fence around the bivouac area is private property and complaints have been received at Div from the owner that troops are trespassing. In future no personnel will proceed beyond the boundaries of the fence unless ordered to do so, and disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

79. USE OF WATER

The allowance of water is 2 galls per man per day and this amount must be adhered to for all purposes. Special arrangements will be made by the Sqn for washing facilities on rest days

R C Sharp Capt.
(R C Sharp)
2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE

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ROUTINE ORDERS, PART 1

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn : Roysl Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 2 Aug 42

41. Duties to mount 1730hrs 2 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 3 Aug 42

CORRIGENDA TO ROUTINE ORDER No. 213 of 2 Aug 42

Delete:	ORDERLY OFFICER Next for Duty	Capt Macintosh D U Lieut Fardon R K
and substitute		
	ORDERLY OFFICER Next for Duty	Lieut Fardon R K Capt Hay W A

R A Sharp
Capt.
2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

DISTRIBUTION

3 War Diary
3 Tp Clerks
1 HQ RAE
1 AdV HQ
1 Ord Offr
1 Ord Sgt
1 Ord Cpl
1 S S
1 S Q M S
1 Sgts Mess
2 Sprs Mess
1 Offrs Qrs
1 Notice Bd
1 2 i/c
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ROUTINE ORDERS, PART 1

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 3 Aug 42

42. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 3 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 4 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Capt	Hay W A
Next for Duty		Lieut	Madsen E C
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX41548	A/Cpl	Adderton JP
Next for Duty	NX39798	A/Cpl	Pickard N
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore C W M
Next for Duty	NX43575	L/Cpl	Tarran H E
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	NX44687	L/Cpl	Macpherson C M
Next for Duty	NX82337	L/Cpl	Hudson J J
To mount HQ Vehicle Lines	NX48479	Spr	Brown W Mc
	NX73893	"	Conlan R K
	NX39757	"	Gough E S
To mount 1, 2 and 3 Tps Vehicle Lines	NX45764	Spr	Holden R S
	NX48899	"	Reidy D B
	NX44681	"	Hough L A
INLYING PICQUET	QX20309	Spr	Cooper J E
	NX59850	"	Wrighter A W
	NX81980	"	Spred W H

48. UNIT IDENTIFICATION

All reference to the unit identification must be removed from wallets and eqpt of all personnel forthwith. Envelopes and letters containing unit identification must be burnt as soon as possible after receipt.

Capt.
2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

DISTRIBUTION

6 War Diary	1 S S M
6 To Clerks	1 S Q M S
1 HQ RAE	2 Sprs Mess
1 Adv HQ	1 Sgts Mess
1 Ord Offr	1 Offrs Qrs
1 Ord Sgt	1 Notice Bd
1 Ord Cpl	1 2 i/c
	1 File.

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by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn - Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 1 Aug 42

37. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 1 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 2 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER		Lieut	Stuart J A
Next for Duty		Capt	Macintosh D U
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX10227	Sgt	Nicholson V L D
Next for Duty	NX40125	A/Cpl	Craig C W
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX43686	L/Cpl	Young J
Next for Duty	NX44794	L/Cpl	Fergusson D J
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of Picquet	NX38785	L/Cpl	Armstrong J G
Next for Duty	QX21534	L/Cpl	Eaton J A
To mount HQ Vehicle Lines	NX73501	Spr	Whalan C G
	QX19937	"	Crees J A
	QX18312	"	McMillan L
To mount 1, 2, and 3 Tps Vehicle Lines.	NX77881	Spr	Collyer R H
	NX96628	"	Ranson J
	NX55821	"	Hay T D J
INLYING PICQUET	NX82177	Spr	Morse B V
	NX48430	"	Robinson C J
	NX39851	"	Sharman R J

38. MOTOR CYCLES

Don R's or personnel riding motor cycles or combinations will dismount at least one hundred yards from any Headquarters which they desire to contact.

39. OFFENCES - AWARDS OF PUNISHMENT

NX91274 Spr Rice E W - Absence without leave - Award - Fined £3.
QX19965 " Rowland E A - Absence without leave - Award - Seven (7) days C B
NX96363 Spr Davidson B J - Absence without leave - Award - Fined £3.
NX43976 Spr Duckett C J - Absence without leave - Award - fourteen (14) days detention.
NX86546 Spr Giles E H - Absence without leave - Award - fourteen (14) days detention.

R C Sharp
Capt.
(R C Sharp)
2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

DISTRIBUTION

3 War Diary	1 Adv HQ	1 Ord Cpl	2 Sprs Mess	1 Notice Bd	
3 Tp Clerks	1 Ord Offr	1 S S M	1 Sgts Mess	1 2 i/c	
1 HQ RAE	1 Ord Sgt	1 S Q M S	1 Offrs Qrs	1 File.	

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First Australian Armoured Division

Field 2 Aug 42

40. DUTIES. To mount at 1730hrs 2 Aug 42
To dismount at 1730hrs 3 Aug 42

PARTICULARS OF DUTY	NO	RANK	NAME
ORDERLY OFFICER			Capt Macintosh D U
Next for Duty			Lieut Fardon R K
ORDERLY SERGEANT	NX40125	A/Cpl	Craig C W
Next for Duty	NX41548	A/Cpl	Adderton J P
ORDERLY CORPORAL	NX44794	L/Cpl	Fergusson D J
Next for Duty	NX44021	L/Cpl	Moore C W M
VEHICLE PICQUET			
Corporal of the Picquet	QX21534	L/Cpl	Eaton J A
Next for Duty	NX44687	L/Cpl	Macpherson O M
To mount HQ Vehicle Lines	QX19965	Spr	Rowland E A
	NX43167	"	Williams A R
	NX49843	"	Murray D J
To mount 1, 2, and 3 Tps Vehicle Lines.	NX42187	Spr	Griffiths D T
	NX42175	"	Stephenson W S
	NX43656	"	Simeon R W
INLYING PICQUET	NX42937	Spr	Dawson K B
	NX44046	"	Reilly H S J
	NX90219	"	Bonnett E R

Capt.
A 2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

NOTICES

LOST

A Khaki shirt has been lost from 2 Tp Lines.
Finder please return to Sqn Orderly Room.

DISTRIBUTION

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3 Tp Clerks	1 S Q M S	
1 HQ RAE	2 Sprs Mess	
1 Adv HQ	1 Sgts Mess	
1 Ord Offr	1 Offrs Qrs	
1 Ord Sgt	1 Notice Bd	
1 Ord Cpl	1 2 i/c	

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Attached 1x16 x 3.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

War Diary

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		1
Lieutenants	4		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8		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.
Tx 6099 Capt.	Sharp R.C.	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	27.7.42	Taken on strength ex 'X' list

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.
Major	NX11141	FOREMAN J.G.	O.C.	Yes	
Capt.	NX70335	HAY WH	TP COMD	✓	
✓	NX70776	MACINTOSH DH	✓	✓	
✓	TX6099	SHARP RC	2 i/c	✓	
Lieut.	NX76164	FARDON RR	TP COMD	✓	
✓	NX40622	Stuart JA	TP 2 i/c	✓	
✓	NX69447	MADSEN EC	TP 2 i/c	✓	
✓	TX6110	DONNELLY B.J.	TP 2 i/c	No	Det to 2/1 Aust Adv Ord W/shops.

(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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
~~1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.~~
(Unit.)

1 Aug 42
(Date of Despatch.)

[signature] Capt
(Signature of Commander.)

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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W.E. AIF. 1/1940/11/2 8x291 plus 181 Relapts 1x47
Attached nil x 3.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Sweet 22/7/42

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. .....(Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3 4		1
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8		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.
		Nil		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		Nil		

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).
	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	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.
Maj	NX11141	Foreman JG	DC	Yes	
Capt	TX6099	Sharp RC	2 MC	✓	
✓	NX70585	Bayw H	Sp Cmd	✓	
✓	NX70676	Macintosh Dr	✓	✓	
Lieut	NX76166	Fardon RR	✓	✓	
✓	NX40022	Stuart JH	Sp 2 i/c	✓	
✓	VX69407	Madsen EC	✓	✓	
✓	TX6100	Donnelly BJ	✓	✓	

(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.
		Nil			

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit.)

H Sharp. Capt
(Signature of Commander.)

8 Aug 42
(Date of Despatch.)

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.
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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 whereabouts if known).

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Attached Nil x3

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 Aust Fd Sgn RAE
1 Aust Armd Div (Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		
Lieutenants	4		1
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8		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.
		Nil		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		Nil		

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).
Maj	Foreman J.G	2/3 Aust Fd Sgn	3 CCS Greta

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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.
Maj	WX11141	Forman J G	OC	No	3 CCS Greta
Capt	WX70535	Hay W A	Sp Coord	No	Operational duty
"	WX70726	Macintosh D M	Sp Coord	Yes	
"	TX6099	Sharp R C	2 i/c	Yes	
Lieut	WX76166	Fardon R K	Sp Coord	Yes	
"	WX40032	Stuart C A	Sp 2 i/c	Yes	
"	WX69447	Madsen E C	"	Yes	
"	TX6110	Donnelly B J	"	No	Operational 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.
		NL.			

2/3 Aust Fd Ign Rab
Aust Armd Div. (Unit.)

D U Macintosh Capt.
(Signature of Commander.)

15. 8. 42
(Date of Despatch.)

Adv HQ Aust Armd Div
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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		
Lieutenants	4		1
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8		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
		Nil		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
		Nil		

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)
Maj	Foreman J G	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	3 CCS Greta

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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
May	WX 11141	Foreman C.G.	OC	No	Sick leave ~~Sec's Grade~~
Capt	NX 70535	Hay W.A.	Tp Comd	No	Operational Duty
✓	NX 70726	Macintosh Dr	Tp Comd	Yes	
✓	TX 6079	Shark R.C.	Tp 2 i/c	Yes	
Lieut	NX 76166	Gordon R.K.	Tp Comd	Yes	
✓	NX 40022	Stuart Ia	Tp 2 i/c	Yes	
✓	VX 69447	Madsen E.C.	✓	Yes	
✓	TX 6110	Donnelly B.J.	✓	No	Operational 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
		Nil			

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

(Unit)

R.L. Sharp Capt
(Signature of Commander) Nil

22 August
(Date of Despatch)

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

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Attached Nil x 3

Serial No 35/7/42

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

.....(Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		
Lieutenants	4		1
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8		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
WX11141	Foreman J G	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	24/8/42	Ex sick leave

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
		Nil		

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)
	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	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
Maj	WX 11141	Foreman J G.	O.C.	Yes	
Capt	NX 70535	Hay Wa	Tp Comd.	No	Detached for duty
"	NX 70726	Macintosh Dr	"	Yes	
"	TX 6099	Sharp RC	2 i/c	Yes	
Lieut	NX 76166	Fardon RK	Tp Comd	No	Detached for duty
"	NX 40022	Stuart JA	Tp 2 i/c	Yes	
"	VX 69447	Madsen EC	"	No	Detached for duty
"	TX 6110	Donnelly BJ	"	No	

(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
		Nil			

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
(Unit)

[signature] Capt
(Signature of Commander) 2 i/c

29 August
(Date of Despatch)

Adm HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

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War Diary

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 AUST. [illegible]
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
.....(Unit) August 19..... (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	11		1
Corporals	28	2	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	255		13
TOTALS	296	* 2	* 14

*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.

Details	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Details	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
Aliens 26		Others	
1 Aust Armd Div Postal	Corporal	1 Corporal	1 Aust Armd Div Sigs
1 Corporal	2/6 Aust Fd Amb		
1 Corporal	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Adv H.Q.		
	at present patient in 113 Gen Hosp		

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).
NX12822	Sgt.	Cuthbertson	2/1 Aust Armd Regt	L.T.D. Wagga Wagga.
NX43889	"	Stewart AW	"	112 Gen Depot.
NX41975	"	Dixon R.	"	102 AGH.
NX44818	"	Wray J.	"	3 CCS
NX89396	"	Currie JG	"	3 CCS
NX57631	"	Townsend N	"	120 Gen Hosp.
NX44783	"	Patton DL	"	120 Gen Hosp.
QX23162	"	Blake CA	"	112 Gen Depot.
QX24586	"	Manor AH	"	3 CCS

The above personnel are tradesmen.

Are Duties Postal / Cooks / Batmen / Signs / Tradesmen / Completion of Tradesmen

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2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. 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		2	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		2	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		1	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks	1		Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical	–	–
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons	–	–	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		1	Tinsmiths	–	–
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics	1		Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		1	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		5	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		1	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters	–	–			
			Pioneers	2				
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	2	13.		2	1		–	1

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 1 Aug 42

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E. Unit.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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	—	2	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	—	1	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		1
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen	—	1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.	—	1	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics	—	—	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators	—	1	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	—	4	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C	—	1	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters			Pioneers	2	
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	—	12		—	1		2	1.

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

17/8 W Sharp Capt
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 8 Aug 42

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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Attached Nil x 3

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R&E (Unit) 15 Aug 42 (Date).
Aust Armd Div

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	10		2
Corporals	5		1
Troopers, Privates, &c.	255		13
TOTALS	292	*	*16

*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.

Against 15

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 Corporal	1 Aust Armd Div R&E		
1 Corporal	2/6 Aust Fd Amb		
1 Corporal	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord W/shop		
Apresent patient		113 AG 4	

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).
NX142822	Spr	Curby N L	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	ETD Wagga Wagga
NX43889	"	Stewart Asst		117 Gen Hospt
NX44085	"	Wray J		3 CCS
NX89396	"	Smith H S		3 CCS
NX57631	"	Townsend R		130 Aust Gen Hospt
QX32462	"	Blake CA		117 Gen Hospt
QX34586	"	O'Connor TS		3 CCS
		Above personnel are in addition		

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2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R.A.E. ..... Unit.
1 Aust Armd Div.

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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	-	2	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	-	2	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	-	1	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	-	1
Dispensers			Masons	-	1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		1	Tinsmiths		1
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators	-	1	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	-	4	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C	-	1	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters	.	.	Pioneers		1
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	-	11		.	2		.	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.

2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R.A.E. ..... Unit.
1 Aust Armd Div

D. U. Macintosh Capt
2/1 Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 15 Aug 42

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 AUST. ... N.A.L.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) 22 Aug 1942 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	8		4
Corporals	24		2
Troopers, Privates, &c.	~~288~~ 254		~~20~~ 14
TOTALS	288	*	* 20

*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. Against WE

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
Corporal	1 Aust Armd Div Postal		
do	2/1 Lt Fd Amb		
do	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord W/Shop	At present patient in 113 AGH	

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).
NX 42822	Spr	Carby N L	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	ETC Magga
NX 44085	"	May J	"	3 CCS
NX 89396	"	Imrie J G M	"	3 CCS
NX 57631	"	Townsend K	"	130 Sp Gen Hosp
QX 22962	"	Blake C A	"	112 Con Depot
QX 24586	"	O'Connor F G	"	3 CCS
NX 57475	"	Grant L H	"	112 Con Depot
QX 18134	"	Thomas J A	"	117 AGH

To rejoin unit on completion of treatment.

Above personnel are tradesmen

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1 AUST. ARMD. 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.	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		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		1
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner		3	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		1	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		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		1	Tinsmiths		1
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	-	4	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		1
Engine Hands I/C	-	2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		1	Pioneers	-	4
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	-	11		-	3		-	26

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Signature of Commander. Capt

Date of Despatch 22 Aug 42

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E. (Unit) 29 Aug 1942 (Date).
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	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.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	9		3
Corporals	26		
Troopers, Privates, &c.	249		19
TOTALS	286	*	22

*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. Against W.E.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
Corporal	Base Ammo Pt Postal		
✓	2/1 Aust Fd Park		
✓	2/1 Aust Ammo Coy	At present patients in	
Ord Wkshop		13 AGH	

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).
NX 44055	Spr	Mayo J	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	10 AGH.
NX 89096	✓	Smith J.S.	✓	3 CCS GRETA
QX 22462	✓	Blake Ca	✓	117 Gen Hospt
NX 57631	✓	Townsend H.	✓	120 Spec Hosp (ETD 3)
QX 24586	✓	O'Connor J.G.	✓	117 Gen Hospt (ETD 3)
NX 57475	✓	Grant L.M.	✓	✓
NX 45965	✓	Russell Wm	✓	2 MD. TTD.
QX 18134	✓	Thomas J.A.	✓	117 AGH
QX 20309	✓	Cooper J.E.	✓	3 CCS
NX 96678	✓	Rawson J.	✓	do
NX 41530	Cpl	Capps Sam H	✓	do
NX 42175	✓	Milroy A.D.	✓	do
NX 96121	Spr	Mathieson J.A.	✓	do
NX 43930	✓	Kellas E.G.	✓	do
NX 95274	✓	Pratt J.	✓	do

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1 AUST. ARMD. 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		2	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		1
Blacksmiths		2	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		3	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		1	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		1	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		1	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		2	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians		1	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		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	Others		2
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)		12		—	6		—	4

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. *Unit.*

D U Macintosh Capt
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 29 August

Reinf 1 Aust Armd Div.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Sep 42 To 30 Sep 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
NARRABRI TRG AREA	4 Sep 42		Sqn ordered to construct route from BOGGABRI to NARRABRI for Tank Transporter Traffic.	DWM
	5 Sep 42		O.C and 2 i/c drafted out Trg Programme.	DWM
			1 Fd Tp (Plus 1 Sec 3 Fd Tp) moved to LOW LEVEL BR at BAAN BAA to construct ford.	DWM
			2 Fd Tp strengthening up bridge, at BIBLA CK.	DWM
			3 Fd Tp constructing detour BULLAWA CK BR.	DWM
	6 Sep 42		Tk Transporter Route via MAULES CK completed.	DWM
	7 Sep 42		1 Fd Tp returned to Sqn HQ Bivouac Area.	DWM
	9 Sep 42		2/3 Aust Fd Sqn moved to new bivouac site on NARRABRI - MILLIE stock route approx 2 miles from NARRABRI - WEE WAA ROAD.	DWM
			2 Fd Tp and 3 Fd Tp rejoined Sqn HQ from separate Bivouac areas.	DWM
			G.O.C. inspected RAE 1 Aust Armd Div and sent message congratulating Fd Tps concerned on speed and execution of work on Tank Trans-	DWM

DW MacArthur

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Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Sep 42 To 30 Sep 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
NARRABRI TRG AREA	9 Sep 42	(CONT'D)	porter route.	Dull
			C.R.E. started course of lestures for Officers and senior	
			N.C.O's on aspects of Fd Engr work required in current	
			manoeuvres.	Dull
	10 Sep 42		Capt Sharp transferred to comd 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn RAE.	Dull
			Capt Macintosh took over duty as 2 i/c.	Dull
	13 Sep 42		C R E Course of lectures completed.	Dull
	14 Sep 42		Lieut B.J.Donnelly and 2 N.C.O's detached to Support Group	
			to give instruction classes in Fd Engr work to 17 Mot Regt.	Dull
	16 Sep 42		Lieut B.J.Donnelly and party returned to Sqn.	Dull
	18 Sep 42		Sprs WIlliams K and Schippell R R J accidentally drowned	
			during Sqn demonstration.	Dull
	22 Sep 42		Sqn moved from MILLIE RD to a camp 4 miles from WEE WAA on	
			BURREN JUNCTION Road.	Dull

- D.H.Macintosh

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H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Sep 42 To 30 Sep 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
NARRABRI TRG AREA	22 Sep 42		Capt D U Macintosh left for NEWCASTLE to supervise S.B.G. at Gominan & Co Ltd. DUM	
			Lieut Gerny R S marched in from HQ RAE, taken on strength. DUM	
	27 Sep 42		Nine men moved out to NARRABRI - MOREE road for tomming of bridges. DUM	
	28 Sep 42		3 Fd Tp moved out to site 4 miles N.N.E. of BAAN BAA to build road deviation. DUM	
	29 Sep 42		Capt Miller F W marched in to strength from 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn RAE. DUM	
			Lieut B J Donnelly marched out on transfer to 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn RAE. DUM	
			Major J G Foreman became A/C.R.E. 1 Aust Armd Div. DUM	
			Capt Hay adm comd Sqn in absence of O.C. and 2 i/c. DUM	
	30 Sep 42		Sqn moved to new bivouac site on NARRABRI - WEE WAA Rd approx 12 miles from NARRABRI. DUM	

D U Macintosh

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ROUTINE ORDERS - Part 1

Serial 230
Nos 80 - 82

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

Field 2 Sep 42

80. LAUNDRY SERVICES - 1 AUST ARMD DIV

The mobile laundry will provide a weekly service for all units in 1 Aust Armd Div for the washing of -

a. K W D A A F V pattern, shirts & shorts

b. Cotton goods

c. Woollens

All articles must be marked correctly with marking ink and tp comds have been supplied with the necessary information on procedure.

This Unit's day is Sat 5 Sep 42.

All personnel desiring to use this service will hand in articles to their Section Comds by 0800 hrs on 5 Sep 42

81. PAY

For the purpose of ascertaining the amount of pay required for the Sqn it is requested that paybooks of all personnel desirous of drawing pay next pay day hand in pay books to Tp Clerk or Sqn Orderly Room on 3 Sep 42. Apencilled notation should be shown in the withdrawals column of the amount required.

82. PASSIVE AIR DEFENCE

Troops will take shelter under camouflage nets for the purpose of eating meals.

83.

R G Sharp
Capt

(R G Sharp)
2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE
1 Aust Armd Div.

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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1

Serial 230
Nos. 83 - 87

by

Major J G Foreman

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

First Australian Armoured Division

Field 12 Sep 42

83. SECURITY IN THE FIELD

All letters, envelopes, etc should be completely destroyed immediately they cease to be of use. All ranks are reminded that personal letters and, in particular, envelopes which reveal Unit names, should be promptly destroyed or kept in a safe place.

84. CIVILIAN TRAFFIC

Instances have recently occurred of sentries pulling up civilians, questioning them, and, in some cases preventing them from proceeding on their business.
All ranks are to be instructed that civilians passing on public highways, travelling stock routes, rds leading to private homes, and other areas open for use to the public are not to be impeded in any way nor subjected to questioning.
This applies even where it is necessary for civilians to pass through unit harbouring areas etc. provided they are travelling on an authorised route.
This instruction does not affect the principles laid down relating to internal security.

85. CENSORSHIP

The attention of all ranks is drawn to the fact that crosses and other marks on the bottom of letters are censorable and will be expunged from all letters.

86. ABLUTION - HANDI RIVER

The HANDI RIVER is source of civilian water supply and in order to prevent fouling of same and for the prevention of disease it will not be used by troops for washing, ablutions, bathing or any other

/purposes

purposes. This prohibition extends to all other rivers and creeks in vicinity of the area. Water will be drawn only from authorised distribution carts or points.

87. SNAKES AND SPIDERS.

During the present season a large number of snakes will appear in present training area; also a number of red back and black spiders. Most of the snakes are venomous and the spiders' bite will cause severe illness.
All ranks are to be warned to be on their guard against these at all times, and will be instructed in the means of First Aid for such bites.
Precautions such as examination of bedding, packs and vehicle cabins before using, and refraining from putting hands in logs, and dead timber will greatly reduce the incidence of bites. A simple tourniquet should be used immediately prior to scarification.
Tourniquet should be applied to thigh or upper arm for 20 minutes, relaxed for 2 - 3 minutes and then re-applied.
Simple scarification with a knife, then washing with water will usually suffice to prevent absorption of toxins.
An M O should be informed if possible so that he may decide the need for Anti-venine.
Bites from Red Back spiders usually cause sweating and physical distress for some hours but are rarely of serious consequence.
An M O should be advised.

It is desirable that an accurate description of the snake or spider that has caused a bite be given to the M.O.

Capt.
(D G Mackintosh)
2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn 2 Div

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Nos. 88-89

by

Major J G Forsyth

19 SEP 1942

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

88. WAR SAVINGS CERTIFICATES and WAR LOANS

Following is a circular received from HQ 1Aust Armd Div:-

"1. The Div Cmnd desires to direct the attention of all ranks to the financial problem facing this country in carrying the war to a successful conclusion.
2. The work being done by all ranks is evidence of their determination to leave no stone unturned in their efforts to defeat our enemies.
3. In the dispersed areas in which the troops are living it may be difficult for them to arrange contributions to War Savings Certificates and War Loans, and it is known that many areedesirous of doing so.
4. If necessary arrangements can be made through the A.A.P.C. for facilities to be provided to Units. The Div Cmnd would like reports as to whether or not Units desire these facilities to be provided."

Any man desirous of arrangements being made as above shall apply to their Tp Officers immediately. Tp officers will report the requests to Sqn H Q.

89. WILLS

Personnel who have not made wills will report to the Sqn Orderly Room forthwith.

D U Macintosh

Capt.

(D U Macintosh)
2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE

DISTRIBUTION
1 Sqn S M
3 War Diary
3 Tps
1 File

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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1 — Serial 232
Nos. 90-91

by

Major R O Bowman — 27 Sep 42

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

90. SNAKES AND SCORPIONS

2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Routine Order No. 230, para 87 of 12 Sep 42 is amended as follows:-

Delete "Simplescarification with a knife, then washing with water will usually suffice to prevent absorption of toxins"
Insert "Before scarification with knife, area of bite will be washed with water or urine (which is sterile) to prevent venom which is on skin surface being absorbed."

91. ROAD TRAFFIC

In dry weather all vehicles will use side tracks. Convoys will use only these tracks on "rule of the road" side. When weather conditions are such that surface of earth on side tracks tends to adhere to tyres all vehicles will use roads and NOT side tracks, and traffic will be reduced to absolute minimum.

R Gerny
Lieut.
(R S Gerny)
for 2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE

NOTICES

APPOINTMENTS

QX19821 A/Cpl Ashen H W S appointed L/Sgt.
NX37452 L/Sgt Cowgill S G appointed A/Sgt.
NX41644 L/ Cpl Cowgill J F appointed A/Cpl.
NX44807 A/Cpl Hamlett J appointed A/Sgt. as from 26 Sep 42.

FINES AWARDED

QX19990 Spr Weir R H - when in camp Bound beyond limits fined by Sqn orders without a leave pass. Award - Fined £3.0.0.

NX70868 Spr Russell P W - Do Award Do
NX10458 Spr Hastings H T- Do Award Do
NX39850 Spr Wrighter A W- Do Award Do

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ADDENDUM to - ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1 — Serial 232 Nos. 92 - 96

by

Major J G Foreman — 27 Sep 42

Commanding 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

92. COURT MARTIAL - PUBLICATION OF RESULT OF TRIAL

Nature of Court:	D.C.M.
Place of trial:	H.Q 2 Aust Armd Bde
Member tried:	HX44621 Spr HOUGH L A., 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E 1 Aust Armd Div
Charges & Findings:	When a soldier acting as a sentinel sleeping on his post. (A.A.6(2)(e)).
Finding:	Guilty.
Sentence:	180 days detention, with recommendation that sentence be suspended.
Date of sentence:	11 Sep 42
Confirmation:	Confirmed, but sentence suspended, 21 Sep 42.
Date of promulgation:	27 Sep 42.

93. M.T. - SPEED LIMITS ETC.

Irrespective of any previous instructions all vehicles of this Unit will observe a MAXIMUM SPEED LIMIT of 25 m.p.h. with the exception of M/C's, Jeeps, and Staff Cars, which will observe a maximum of 35 m.p.h. A speed limit of 8 m.p.h. will be observed throughout the Unit area.
All vehicles will keep off made roads where there are tracks on EITHER side of road and use the tracks.
No vehicle will leave the Unit area except by permission of 2 i/c and where possible at least TWO HOURS NOTICE will be given of movement in order to allow of co-ordination.
Camouflage nets will be put out whenever a vehicle halts for a
p period exceeding TWENTY MINUTES.

94. MATERIALS, STORES, etc

All material coming into or going out of the Unit MUST be checked IN and OUT by the SQN O M S; all ranks will take note and observe strictly.

95. DRESS

Rules for dress are still not being observed. OVERCOATS will NOT be worn after 0615 hrs unless specially ordered by SQN COMD. Men desirous of wearing JERSEYS or PULLOVERS after 0815 hrs will wear them UNDERNEATH the shirt.

96. PICQUETS

All picquets except GATE GUARDS will in future, dismount at REVEILLE and will be present at MUSTER PARADE. GATE GUARDS will conform to above orders for DRESS and will roll and neatly stow all gear by 0615 hrs.

R S Gerry
Lieut.
for 2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn

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Attached Nil 83

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

Serial No
36/7/42

.....(Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		1
Lieutenants	4		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8		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
Capt	Gay WA	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	2/9/42	On operational duty
Lieut	Fardon RK	"	"	"
"	Madsen EC	"	"	"
"	Donnelly GJ	"	"	"

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
		Nil		

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)
	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	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
Maj	NX 11141	Forman J.G.	OC	Yes	
Capt	TX 6099	Sharp R.C.	2 i/c	"	
"	NX 70756	Macintosh D.V.	Tp Comd	"	
"	NX 70535	Hay [illegible]	"	"	
Lieut	NX 76166	Gordon R.D.	"	"	
"	TX 69447	Madsen E.C.	Tp 2 i/c	"	
"	TX 6110	Donnelly [illegible]	"	"	
"	NX 40022	Stuart J.A.	"	"	

(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
		Nil			

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
~~1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.~~
(Unit)

5 Sep 42
(Date of Despatch)

MSharp Capt.
(Signature of Commander) 2 i/c

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

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[illegible] plus Reinfs 1x17
Attached Nil x 3

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	2		2
Lieutenants	5	1	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8	1	2

* 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
Lieut (MAM 225161)	BRETTLE HJ	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE	11/9/42	Taken on strength - To complete WE

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
Capt (TX6099)	SHARP RC	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE	10/9/42	Transferred 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn RAE Aust Armd Div

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
Major	WX 1401	FOREMAN JC	DC	Yes	
Capt	WX 20772	CUMMINGS DH	2/4	"	
"	[illegible]	HAY WA	Transport	"	
"	WX 21411	FARROW AH	"	"	
Lieut	WX 21417	HARDEN EC	To 2/4	"	
"	WX 21411	DONNELLY RJ	To 2/4	"	
"	WX 21422	STUART JA	To 2/4	"	
"	WX 21331	GRETTLE HT	"	"	

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Attached nil x 3

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

.....(Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	2		2
Lieutenants	5	1	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	8	1	2

* 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
		NIL		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
		NIL		

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~~ APPOINTMENT	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJOR	WX 11141	FOREMAN JG	OC	YES	
CAPT	NX 70726	MACINTOSH DW	2 i/c	"	
"	NX 20525	HAY WB	Tplt Cmdr	"	
LIEUT	NX 76166	PARDON RW	"	"	
"	VX 69447	MADSEN EC	To 2 i/c	"	
"	TX 6110	DONNELLY BJ	"	"	
"	NX 40022	STUART JA	"	"	
"	NXM 22516	BRETTLE AJ	RELIEFS DSEO	"	

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WE AIF 1/1940/11/2 - 8X291 Plus 1 Reinfts 1K17
Attached Nil x3.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	3		1
Lieutenants	5	1	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	9	1	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
LIEUT SX18491	GERMY R.S.	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE	22.9.42	Taken on strength Ex HQ RAE 1 Aust Armd Div

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
CAPT NX70726	MACINTOSH D.U.	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE	22.9.42	Detached for duty in NEWCASTLE

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	Appointment Corps	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJOR	WX11141	FOREMAN JG	OC	YES	
CAPT	NX70226	MACINTOSH DW	2 i/c	NO	Duty - NEWCASTLE
CAPT	NX70535	HAY WA	Tp Comd	YES	
CAPT	NX76166	FARDON RK	"	"	
LIEUT	VX64947	MADSEN EC	Tp 2 i/c	"	
"	TX6110	DONNELLY BJ	"	"	
"	NX40032	STUART JA	"	"	
"	NXM225161	BREITLE HJ	REMT OFF	"	
"	SX18491	GERNY RS	"	"	

(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

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
(Unit)

Capt
(Signature of Commander)

26 SEP 1942
(Date of Despatch)

Adm HQ Base Area
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

(Adapted)

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) 5 SEP 1942 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	9		3
Corporals	26		
Troopers, Privates, &c.	239	[illegible]	29
TOTALS	276	* [illegible]	*32

*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. AGAINST WE

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
CORPORAL	1 Aust Armd Div Postal		
✓	2/16 Aust Lt Fd Amb		
✓	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord Wk/Shop	At present 103 Con Depot	

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).
NX 44085	Sgt	WAY J	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	102 AGH
NX 89396	"	IMRIE JG	✓	CCS GRETA
QX 22462	"	BLAKE GA	✓	112 Con DEPOT
NX 57631	"	TOWNSEND K	✓	ETC WAGGA
QX 24586	"	O'CONNOR FG	✓	112 Con Depot
NX 57475	"	GRANT LN	✓	112 Con Depot
QX 18134		THOMAS J A	✓	112 AGH
QX 20309		COOPER JE	✓	102 AGH
NX 96628		RANSON J	✓	3 CCS
NX 41530	L/Cpl	CROFTS MH	✓	✓
NX 42175	"	McCOY AL	✓	✓
NX 46131	Sgt	MATTINSON J	✓	✓
NX 42920	"	KELLAS GG	✓	✓
NX 48386	✓			
NX 95274	✓	PORT J	✓	✓
QX 21953	✓	BRINDLEY N	✓	✓
NX 53481	✓	TALBOT AJ	✓	✓
QX 15535	✓	COLEMAN NC	✓	✓
NX 52488	✓	ELWOOD RJ	✓	✓
NX 44876	✓	TOBIN R	✓	✓

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ABOVE PERSONNEL ARE TRADESMEN.

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1 AUST. ARMD. 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	-	2	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	-	2	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	-	2	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	-	1	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks	-	1	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering	-	1
Dispensers			Masons	-	1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen	1	-	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.	-	2	Tinsmiths	1	-
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators	-	2	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians	-	2	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	-	2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters	-	2	PIONEERS	-	11
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	1	12		-	7		1	12

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. *Unit.*

Date of Despatch 22 Feb 43
5 Sept 42

M.C. Sharp Capt
Signature of Commander.

Adm 2/3 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS. (Adapted)

Attached 3.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E. (Unit) 12 SEP 1942 19 (Date).
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	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.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	9		3
Corporals	26		
Troopers, Privates, &c.	238		30
TOTALS	275	* —	*33

*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.
CORPORAL	1 Aust Armd Div Postal Unit		
✓	2/11 Aust Lt Fd Amb	(At present 3 Cds S)	
✓	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord Wksp	(At present 103 Con Depot)	

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).
NX 89396	Spr	IMRIE JG	2/1 Aust Fd Sqn	11 Con Depot.
NX 57631	-	TOWNSEND R	-	ARD 1 Aust Armd Div?
NX 54475	-	GRANT LM	✓	11 Con Depot.
QX 18114	✓	THOMAS JA	✓	117 AGH
QX 20309	-	COOPER JE	-	102 AGH
NX 96623	✓	RANSOM J	✓	3 Cds S
NX 41580	L/Cpl	CROFTS MH	✓	3 Cds S
NX 42320	Spr	KELLAS GG	✓	102 AGH
NX 95274	✓	POUT J	✓	11 Con Depot.
QX 21753	✓	GRIMSLEY M	✓	11 Con Depot.
NX 53451	✓	TALBOT AJ	✓	102 AGH.
QX 15535	✓	COLEMAN NC	✓	3 Cds S
NX 53458	✓	ELWOOD AJ	✓	✓
NX 44576	✓	TOBIN R	✓	✓
NX 49586	✓	KING CT	✓	
NX 91222	✓	HUNTER WB	✓	16 Camp. Hosp.
NX 75769	✓	SHARMAN FJ	✓	113 AGH
QX 22014	L/Cpl	ANDERSON DG	✓	3 Cds S
QX 24266	Spr	O'CONNOR JT	✓	3 Cds S

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1 AUST. ARMD. 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		2	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		1	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen	1		Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		2	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		2	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians		1	Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		2	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	PIONEERS		19
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	1	10		-	5		-	19

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.

1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

D Mullaemtok Capt
Signature of Commander.

2/1 Adak Aust Inf Bde
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

Date of Despatch 12 SEP 1942

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) 19 Sep 1942 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	-	-	1
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1	-	-
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	9	-	3
Corporals	26	-	-
Troopers, Privates, &c.	230	-	38
TOTALS	266	* -	*42

*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.
CORPORAL	1 Aust Armd Div POSTAL UNIT		
DO.	2/16 AUST LT FD AMB	(AT PRESENT 3CCS)	
L/CPL	DO	(REPLACING CPL DURING ABSENCE)	
CORPORAL	2/1 AUST ARMD CORPS ORD WK/SHOP	(AT PRESENT 103 CON DEPOT)	

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).
NX 38785	L/Cpl	ARMSTRONG J G	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	3CCS
NX 42822	Spr	CURBY NL	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	ETC WAGGA
NX 89396	"	IMRIE JGM	do	do
NX 57475	"	GRANT LN	do	112 Con Depot
QX 18134	"	THOMAS JA	do	102 Con Depot, Queensland
QX 20309	"	COOPER JE	do	102 AGH
NX 96628	"	RANSON J	do	3CCS
NX 41530	L/Cpl	CROFTS MH	do	do
NX 42920	Spr	KELLAS GG	do	102 AGH
NX 95274	"	POUT J	do	112 Con Depot
NX 53481	"	TALBOT AJ	do	102 AGH
QX 15525	"	COLEMAN NC	do	3CCS
NX 52488	"	ELLWOOD RJ	do	do
NX 49586	"	KING CT	do	do
~~NX 78785~~	"	~~MASON FJ~~	~~do~~	
NX 73769	"	SHARMAN FJ	do	113 AGH
QX 22014	L/Cpl	ANDERSON DG	do	3CCS
QX 24288	Spr	O'CONNOR JT	do	3CCS
NX 91138	"	SWAN JR	do	do
NX 50543	"	NORRIS J	do	do
NX 41557	"	DAY RA	do	do
QX 23151	L/Cpl	CARR JP	do	do
NX 48880	Spr	WOODS JH	do	do
NX 82337	L/Cpl	HUDSON JJ	do	do

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1 AUST. ARMD. 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		1	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		1
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		1	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner		4	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		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		2	Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		3	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		1	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		2	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		1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	PIONEERS		18
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	-	14		-	8		-	20

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

[signature] Capt
Signature of Commander. 21/c

Ado HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

Date of Despatch 19 SEP 1942

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

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Attached NILX 3

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) 26 Sep 19 42 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	–	–	1
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1	–	–
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	9	–	3
Corporals	26	–	–
Troopers, Privates, &c.	226	–	42
TOTALS	~~226~~ 262	* –	46

*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.
Corporal	1 Aust Armd Div	Postal Unit	
✓	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord. Wk/Shop	At present 103	Con Depot.
✓	2/16 Aust Lt Fd Amb.		

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).
NX92220	Spr	Rutherford W	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	3 C.C.S.
QX21444	✓	Huch E J	✓	102 AGH
NX44370	✓	Maods J.H.	✓	3 CCS
NX90580	✓	Simpson G.A	✓	102 AGH
NX41572	✓	Hancock H.R	✓	102 AGH
NX86031	✓	Kendall W.J	✓	3 CCS
NX51060	✓	Mestcott F.A	✓	3 CCS
NX91425	✓	Clapham A.W	✓	do.
NX95852	✓	Lilly N	✓	do
NX89476	L/Cpl	Combe M T	✓	do.
NX45093	Spr	Ellis K.C.	✓	do.
NX39847	✓	Martin N	✓	do
NX43867	✓	Hallcroft S.K.	✓	do.
NX96332	✓	King A.F.	✓	do
NX39883	✓	Pont R.H.	✓	do

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2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. 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		2	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		1
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		1	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner		3	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		1	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		1
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		3	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		3	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		1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		3	PIONEERS		20
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	-	14		-	9			23

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. Unit.

Capt
2 I/C Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 26 Sep 42

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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Army Form C. 2118
(adapted,)

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E
1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Oct 42 To 31 Oct 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
NARRABRI TRG AREA	2 Oct 42		Water point GALATHERA dismantled and materials returned to	
			D.E.P. Capt D U Macintosh returned from NEWCASTLE and took over ~~comd~~ adm comd of Sqn.	DUM
			Commenced construction A.L.G's vicinity BELLATA.	DUM
	4 Oct 42	1200	1 Fd Tp attached to 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn as from 1200 hrs. for div exercise.	DUM
	5 Oct 42		C.R.E. (Lt-Col J A McComb) addressed men of Sqn on his departure on leave prior to relinquishing his appointment.	DUM
	10 Oct 42		1 Fd Tp returned under comd 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn.	DUM
	13 Oct 42		2 Fd Tp moved out to area North of MILLIE to repair damages to property resulting from Div exercise.	DUM
			Tng programme for Battle Practice initiated. See Syllabus attached.	DUM
	15 Oct 42		2 Fd Tp returned to Sqn H Q.	DUM
	17 Oct 42		Capt W A Hay took over duties as 2 i/c	DUM

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Army Form C. 2118
(adapted,)

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE
1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Oct 42 To 31 Oct 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
NARRABRI TRG AREA	18 Oct 42		Trg programme suspended.	
	19 Oct 42		2/3 Aust Fd Sqn moved out to EDGEROI to take part in Div exercise commencing 20 Oct 42. 2 and 3 Fd Tps under comd 1 Aust Armd Bde from 1900 hrs and moved then to vicinity BOGGY CK TANK.	
	20 Oct 42		2/3 Aust Fd Sqn engaged in Div Movement exercise.	
	21 Oct 42		Div exercise terminated due to rain. 2 and 3 Fd Tps under comd Sqn. Sqn returned to bicouac site on NARRABRI-WEE WAA Rd less 1 Fd Tp which remained repairing fences and other property damage.	
	25 Oct 42		1 Fd Tp moved to vicinity MILLIE.	
	26 Oct 42		Composite Tp from 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn under comd 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn	
		0700	Recce parties from four tps under comd Sqn moved out and plotted all fences in 64 sq mile area near MILLIE preparatory to opening gaps therein for div exercise on following day.	

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Army Form C. 2118
(adapted,)

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

H. 100M 2/42

Unit 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E
1 Aust Armd Div

Date and Time.—From 1 Oct 42 To 31 Oct 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			Lieut J A Stuart evacuated to hospital and posted to "X" List.	DAM
NARRABRI TRG AREA	26 Oct 42	1400	All Fd Tps moved out to locations vicinity MILLIE.	DAM
	27 Oct 42		Sqn opened 229 gaps in fences in vicinity MILLIE and picqueted them to permit armd brigades to manoeuvre. All transport clear of area by 1200 hrs.	DAM
	28 Oct 42	1000	Sqn moved into area to repair gaps in fences.	DAM
			382 fence gaps, 10 bore drain crossings, 3 telephone lines, 2 gates and 1 culvert repaired.	DAM
			Sqn moved back to previous bivouac on NARRABRI-WEE WAA Rd.	DAM
	29 Oct 42		Mobile Stage for Div Concert Party completed and first performance given on it at 2000 hrs in Sqn bivouac area. All RAE officers and several local landowners invited to attend.	DAM
	31 Oct 42		Party of men took part in Sports Meeting organised by 1 Aust Armd Div, at NARRABRI Showground, and gave demonstration of unarmed combat.	DAM

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Nos. 97 -

ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1

by — 15 Oct 42

Capt D H Macintosh

Administering Coy and 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

97. UNAUTHORISED REMOVAL OF RAILWAY PROPERTY.

Attention is directed to the prevalence of theft by members of equipment from Railway Refreshment Rooms.

Any member found to be improperly in possession of any article of equipment belonging to a Railway Refreshment Room will be charged with an offence.

98. SICK PARADES

All ranks are reminded that sick parades are held at 0700 hrs and 1630 hrs. Personnel will report to Medical Orderly promptly at those times, and only urgent cases will be treated during intervening intervals.

99. CHIEF-MARTIAL - PUBLICATION OF RESULTS OF TRIALS.

1. A DCM convened by the G.O.C., NSW L of C Area was held at Sydney on 12th Sep 42 for the trial of NX78285 Spr P.J.Mason, 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd Div.

The accused was charged with Desertion in that he absented himself without leave from 0800 hrs on 24 July, 42 until 0745 hrs on 24 Aug 42.

The accused pleaded not guilty. The court found the accused not guilty of the charge but guilty of absence without leave from 0800 hrs on 24 July, 1942 until 2359 hrs on 9 Aug 42.

The court sentenced the accused to undergo detention for 28 days.

The accused was in custody awaiting trial for 18 days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed by the Commander, T D. HQ NSW L of C Area on 23 Sep 42.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at HOLDSWORTHY on 1st October, 1942.

2. A DCM convened by Maj-Gen H.C.H.Robertson, C.B.E., D.S.O. O.B.E. 1 Aust Armd Div was held at 1 Aust Armd Div P.W. CAGE on 1 Oct 42 for the trial of NX86546 Spr GILES H H 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd Div.

The accused was charged with disobeying a lawful command given by his superior officer.

The accused pleaded not guilty. The court found the accused guilty of the charge.

The court sentenced the accused to be fined the amount of two pounds (£2.0.0.).

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed by the G.O.C., 1 Aust Armd Div on 7 Oct 42.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused ~~at~~ in the field on 14 Oct 42.

100. ORDERS FOR DRESS. Dress for all ranks will be steel helmets, shirts, shorts, boots, hose tops, and puttees. Steel helmets need not be worn before Squadron parade or after the evening meal parade. Berets will only be worn when ordered by O.C. Greatcoats will only be worn when ordered by O.C.

101. BOUNDARY FENCES. Members of the Sqn are warned against climbing over the boundary fences of the camp. Growing timber may not be cut or mutilated in or about the camp bounds. It will only be cut, in any place, under the direct order of an officer.

W A Hay Capt.
(W A Hay) A 2 i/c 2/3 Aust Fd Sq

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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1 — Nos. 102 - 106

by

Capt D N Macintosh

27 OCT 1942

Administering Command 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn Royal Australian Engineers

102. WEB EQUIPMENT

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 Web Equipment to its original colour.

103. USE OF GREEN ENVELOPES

It is noticed that a considerable number of Green Envelopes are circulating through the Field Post Office without impression of Unit Censorship Stamp.

All Green Envelopes will bear the Unit Censor Stamp, although not necessarily censored.

104. DRIVING OF TRUCKS 3 TON F W D G S (JIMPS)

A number of accidents have recently occurred to these vehs. These accidents could have been avoided by more careful driving.

All ranks are to be instructed that greater care is to be exercised when driving these vehs. Future accidents will be treated as negligence on the part of the drivers.

Owing to the direct action of the steering these vehs should be driven in the same manner as an ordinary light car, and drivers should remember that the smallest turn of the steering wheel will cause the vehicle to turn.

105. DRYING OILS

1. To protect hessian, the practice of dipping same in oil is often resorted to.

2. Such drying oils as linseed or tung oil, when in contact with cellulosic material such as hessian, jute, cotton waste, canvas, etc. set up a gradual reaction in which heat is produced. If conditions are such that some thermal insulation is effected - for instance, if after treatment with linseed oil the hessian is rolled up or the cotton waste heaped up - a temperature may be reached when the cellulosic material will spontaneously ignite. Fires have started in this way.

3. Precautionary measures are to see that the hessian etc. is spread out for a period of several days or that the oil has been thoroughly washed out with kerosene or substitute.

4. Stocks of hessian are held in D E P 1 Aust Armd Div. All personnel concerned will be advised of the afore-mentioned facts so that necessary precautions can be taken.

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106. COURTS-MARTIAL - PUBLICATION OF RESULTS OF TRIALS

1. A DCM convened by the G.O.C., 1 Aust Armd Div was held at P.O.W. Cage 1 Aust Armd Div on 1 Oct 42, for the trial of QX11518 Spr GALLAGHER P N , 2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE, 1 Aust Armd Div.

The accused was charged with - When a soldier acting as a sentry sleeping on his post.

The accused pleaded not guilty. The court found the accused not guilty of the charge.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at in the field on 26 Oct 42.

Lieut.
for 2 i/c
2/3 Aust Fd Sqn R A E

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SERIAL No 40/7/42 WE-AIF 1/1940/11/2 - 8 x 291 Plus 1 REINFTS 1 x 17 Attached NIL x 3

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	4		
Lieutenants	4		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	9		

* 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
CAPT	MILLER F.W.	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE	29.9.42	Taken on strength ex 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn
~~CAPT~~	~~MACINTOSH DU~~	✓		— To Complete WE
CAPT	MACINTOSH DU	✓	2.10.42	Returned Unit ex Detached For Duty

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
LIEUT	DONNELLY B.J.	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE	29.9.42	Transferred To 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn RAE
MAJ	FOREMAN J.G.	✓	✓	Detached For Duty To HQ RAE

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	Appointment ~~Corps~~	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJOR	WX 11141	FOREMAN JG	OC	NO	DETACHED - HQ: RAE
CAPT	NX 70726	MACINTOSH DU	2 i/c	YES	
✓	NX 70535	HAY WA	Tp Comd	✓	
✓	NX 76166	FARDON RK	✓	✓	
LIEUT	VX 69447	MADSEN EC	Tp 2 i/c	✓	
CAPT	QX 22566	MILLER FW	Tp Comd	✓	
LIEUT	NX 40022	STUART JA	Tp 2 i/c	✓	
✓	NXM 225161	BRETTLE RJ	✓	✓	
✓	SX 18491	GERNY RS	REINFTS OFFR	✓	

(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

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit)

3 OCT 1942
(Date of Despatch)

R S Gerny Lieut for Capt
(Signature of Commander) 2 i/c

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

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Attached MIK3.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

(Unit)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	4		
Lieutenants	4		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	9		

* 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.
		Nil		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		Nil		

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 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.
MAJOR	WX 11941	FOREMAN JG.	2/3 AUST FD SQN	NO	DETACHED - HQ RAE
CAPT	NX 70726	MACINTOSH DW	"	YES	
"	NX 70535	HAY WA	"	"	
"	NX 7666	FARDON RK	"	"	
"	QX 27866	MILLER FW	"	"	
LIEUT	NX 40032	STUART JA	"	"	
"	NX 77961	BRETTLE HJ	"	"	
"	NX 64447	MADSEN EC	"	"	
"	SX 18491	GERNY RS	"	"	

(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.
		NIL			

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
(Unit.)

R S Gerny Lieut Capt
(Signature of Commander.) 2i/c

10 OCT 1942
(Date of Despatch.)

Adm HQ 1st Aust Armd Div.
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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WE. AIF 1/1940/11/2 8x291 Plus Receipts 1x17=9x308
Attached Nil x 3

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (*Unit*)

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			
Majors	1		
Captains	4		
Lieutenants	4		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	9		

* 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.
		Nil		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		Nil		

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 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.
Major	WX11141	Foreman J.G.	2/3 Aust Sdsqn	No	Duty-HQ RAE
CAPT	NX70726	Macintosh Dr	"	Yes	
"	NX70535	Hay WA	"	"	
"	NX76166	Fardon RK	"	"	
"	QX22566	Miller LW	"	"	
LIEUT	NX40022	Stuart JA	"	"	
"	NXM225161	Brettle JG	"	"	
"	VX69447	Madsen GA	"	"	
"	SX18491	Gerry RS	"	"	

(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.
		Nil			

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
(Unit.)

R S Gerry Lieut for Capt
(Signature of Commander.) 2/1

17 OCT 1942
(Date of Despatch.)

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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Attached Nil x 3

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd Div

(*Unit*)

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	2		
Majors	4		
Captains	4		
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	9		

* 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.
		NIL		

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
		NIL		

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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SERIAL No. 43/7/42

W.E. AIF 1/1940/11/2 - 8x291 Plus Reinfts 1 x 17 = 9 X 300

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Attached Nil X 3

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. Appointment	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	WX11141	Foreman J G	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn OC	No	Duty - HQ RAE
Capt	NX70726	Macintosh D U	" 2 i/c	Yes	
"	NX70535	Hay W A	" Tp Comd	Yes	
"	NX76166	Pardon R K	" /	Yes	
"	QX22566	Miller F W	" /	Yes	
Lieut	NX40022	Stuart J A	" Tp 2 i/c	Yes	
"	NXM225161	Brettle H J	" /	Yes	
"	VX69447	Madsen E C	" /	Yes	
"	SX18491	Gerny R S	" Reinfts Offr	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.
Lieut	~~NX~~ VX72713	Easton T C	HQ RAE 1 Aust Armd Div	17.10.42	Duty

2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd Div

(Unit.)

(Signature of Commander.) Capt 2 i/c

24 Oct 42

(Date of Despatch.)

Adv H Q 1 Aust Armd Div

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.,
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

(*Unit*)

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			
Majors ... ... 1 ...	1		
Captains ... ... 4 ...	4		
Lieutenants ... ... 4 ...	3		1
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals ... ... 9 ...	8		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.
~~Lieut~~	~~Stuart J A~~	~~2/3 Fd Sqn~~	~~26.10.42~~	~~Evacuated to 3 C.C.S. and posted "X" List. (Examination & X-Ray).~~

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Lieut	Stuart J A IN40022	2/3 Fd Sqn	26.10.42	Evacuated to 3 C.C.S. and posted "X" List. (Examination & X-Ray).

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).
Lieut	Stuart J A IN40022	2/3 Fd Sqn	3 Aust C C S

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W.E.AIF 1/1940/11/2 8 x 291 Plus Reinfts 1 x 17 = 9 x 308

Attached Mil x 3

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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.
Major	WX11141	Foreman J C	O.C.	No	Duty - HQ RAE
Capt	NX70726	Macintosh D U	2 i/c	Yes	
Capt	NX70535	Hay W A	Tp Cond	Yes	
T/Capt	NX76166	Pardon R K	Tp Cond	Yes	
Capt	QX22566	Miller P V	Tp Cond	Yes	
Lieut	VX69047	Madsen SC	Tp 2 i/c	Yes	
Lieut	NXM225161	Brettle H J	"	Yes	
Lieut	SX18491	Germy R S	Reinft Off	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.
~~Lieut~~	VX72713	Beeton T C	HQ RAE 1 Aust Armd Div	17.10.42	Duty

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
~~1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.~~ (Unit.)

(Signature of ~~Commander~~.) Capt 2 i/c

31 OCT 1942 (Date of Despatch.)

1 Aust Armd Div (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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1x17 = 9x308 Attached Nil

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E. (Unit) 3 OCT 1942 19 (Date).
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	10	-	2
Corporals	25	-	1
Troopers, Privates, &c.	222		46
TOTALS	259	*	49

*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 WE — OTHER ATTACHMENTS

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 CORPORAL	1 Aust Armd Div Postal Unit	NIL	
1 CORPORAL	1 Aust Armd Corps ORD WKSHOP	At present 103 Con Depot	
1 CORPORAL	2/6 Aust Fd Amb		

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).
NX 47330	Sgt	PROSSER F	NX Aust Fd Sqn	3 CCS
QX 23461	Sgt	BLAKE HL	"	"
NX 43663	L/Sgt	YOUNG J	"	"
NX 32052	"	WOODWARD TA	"	"
NX 44041	Sgt	REILLY HSJ	"	"
QX 21727	"	PEARCE ET	"	"
NX 49211	"	HEWETT ML	"	"

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A.I.F. serving with Unit		A.M.F. serving with Unit		Part-time duty		Masseuse		A.W.A.S.		V.A.D.	
O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs
9	258	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surpl (a)	Reinf Requ (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surpl (a)	Reinf Requ (a)	Tradesmen, etc.	Surp (a)	Rein Req (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters		4	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		1
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		2	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner		4	Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks		2	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		2	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		1
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		3	Tinsmiths	1	
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		1	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		3	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units		1	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	PIONEERS		16
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	-	20		-	10		1	19

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Date of Despatch 3 OCT 1942

R. Spong Lieut for Capt
Signature of Commander.

Adv HQ 1 Aust Armd Div.
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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		4	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		1
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		2	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner		4	Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks		2	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		2	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		1
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		3	Tinsmiths	1	
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		1	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		3	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units		1	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	PIONEERS		16
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	-	20		-	10		1	19

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(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Lieut for Capt
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 3 OCT 1942

1 Aust Armd Corps Tps
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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REPLACEMENTS REQUIRED FOR PERSONNEL ATTACHED UNDER UNIT W/E

Shoemaker required to replace NX42629 A/Cpl SHIRVINGTON R L, attached from 2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord Wk/shop, who is at present in 103 Convalescent Depot.

SERIAL Nos 41/7/42. WE ARE 4/9440 pop. 8A 391 Aus Regts 1917 pp 308

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS. *(Adapted)*

2/5 AUST. ED. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) 10 OCT 1942 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	10	-	2
Corporals	25	-	1
Troopers, Privates, &c.	~~221~~		47
TOTALS	~~258~~	*	*50

*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 UNDER 1 AUST ARMD DIV

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 Cpl	1 Aust Armd Div Postal Unit		
1 Cpl	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord Wksp	OTHER ATTACHMENTS Attached 102 Con Depot	
1 Cpl	2/11 Aust L.A.D. Wksp		

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).
NX 73547	Spr	KENNEDY AW	2/5 Aust Fd Sqn	Sick
NX 50544	"	DAVIS HB	"	"
QX 17402	"	HEAD VR	"	"
NX 44958	"	KING CT	"	"
NX 44958	"	STACY JM	"	"

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1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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

W.3009 SUMMARY

A.I.F. serving with Unit		A.M.F. serving with Unit		Part-time duty		Masseuse		A.W.A.S.		V.A.D.	
O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs	O	ORs
9	257	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		1
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		2	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner		3	Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks		1	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		2	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		1
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		3	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		3	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		3	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units		1	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	PIONEERS		16
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	.	22		-	9		-	19

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 10 OCT 1942

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

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1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters		3	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		1
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		2	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner		3	Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks		1	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		2	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		1
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		1	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		3	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		3	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		3	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units		1	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	PIONEERS		16
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	.	22		-	9		-	19

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 10 OCT 1942

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

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Attached Nil x 3.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. (Unit) 17 OCT 1942 19 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	10		2
Corporals	25		1
Troopers, Privates, &c.	~~[illegible]~~ 231		37
TOTALS	268	*	40

*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 HE Other attachments

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 Cpl	1 Aust Armd Div Postal Unit		
1 Cpl	2/3 Aust Armd Corps Ord mk/shop	At present 103 Con Depot	
1 Cpl	2/3 Aust Lt Fd Amb		

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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2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. Unit.

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A.I.F. serving with Unit		A.M.F. serving with Unit		Part-time duty		Masseuse		A.W.A.S.		V.A.D.	
O	ORS	O	ORS	Y O	ORS	O	ORS	O	ORS	O	ORS

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Axemen			Fitters, Drivers					
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		2	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner	2		Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks		1	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		2	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		1	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		1
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		2	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		1	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		3	Tinsmiths	1	
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		2	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		3	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians		1	Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		2	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		2	PIONEERS		13
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	2	18		-	7		1	15

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.

2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV. *Unit.*

Signature of Commander. Lt Gen Lieut Col Capt 2/1c

Date of Despatch 27 OCT 1942

Adm HQ Aust Armd Div. *Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.*

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE
1 Aust Armd Div (Unit) 24 Oct 1942 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II.	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	9		3
Corporals	24		2
Troopers, Privates, &c.	225		43
TOTALS	260	*	48

*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 WE — Other attachments

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 Cpl	1 Aust Armd Div Postal Unit		
1 Cpl	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord Wk/shop	At present 103 Con Depot	
1 Cpl	2/16 Aust Lt Fd Ambulance	3 O.Rs - Entertainment Unit, HQ 1 Aust Armd Div	
		1 Offr and 1 O.R. - HQ RAE 1 Aust Armd Div.	
		4 O.Rs - 2/1 Aust Fd Park Sqn RAE 1 Aust Armd 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).
NX91274	Spr	Rice E W	2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE	3 Aust C C S
NX67616	Sgt	McIntosh R F	Do	S.H.E. Liverpool
NX50063	L/Sgt	Summons F B	Do	Do
NX90396	Spr	McGrath R A	Do	3 Aust C C S

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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		2	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		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		2	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		2	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		2	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		1	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		1
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		1
Dispensers			Masons		2	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		3	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		2	Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		2	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		2	Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians		2	Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		2	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
					2	Pioneers		17
	-	21		-	8			
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	-	21		-	8		-	19

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2/3 Aust Fd Sqn RAE 1 Aust Arml Div Unit.

[signature] Signature of Commander. Capt 2 i/c

Date of Despatch 24 Oct 42

Adv Hq 1 Aust Arml Div Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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.			
W.Os. Class II. 1	1		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants 1	1		
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants 12	9		3
Corporals 26	24		2
Troopers, Privates, &c. 260	[illegible]	7	44
TOTALS 300	266	* 7	* 49

*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	1 Aust Armd Div Postal Unit	1 O.R. HQ RAE 1 Aust Armd Div 4 O.R. 2/1 Aust Fd Park Sqn RAE	
1 Cpl	2/16 Aust Lt Fd Ambulance		
1 Cpl	2/1 Aust Armd Corps Ord Wksp	)At present 103 Con Depot?	

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).
NX9397	Spr	Varry J H	2/3 Fd Sqn	102 A.G.H.
NX39850	Spr	Wrighter A W	"	3 Aust C C S

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W.3009 Summary

A.I.F. Serving with Unit	A.M.F.	Part Time duty	Masseuse	AWAS	VAD
0 ORS 8 266	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters		2	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		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		3	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner	1	2	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		1
Dispensers			Masons		2	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		3	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		2	Tinsmiths	1	
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		7	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		2	Miners	5		Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians		2	Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers		2	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C		2	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		8	Non-specialists		17
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	1	23		5	8		1	18

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2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Signature of Commander. Capt 2 i/c

Date of Despatch 31 OCT 1942

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

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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)
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Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths		1	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers		3	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner	1	2	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		1
Dispensers			Masons		2	Tailors		
Draughtsmen		3	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.		2	Tinsmiths	1	
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics		7	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators		2	Miners	5		Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians		2	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		3	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers		2	Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters		8	Non-specialists		17
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	1	23		5	8		1	18

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2/3 AUST. FD. SQN. R.A.E.
1 AUST. ARMD. DIV.
Unit.

Signature of Commander. Capt 2 i/c

Date of Despatch 21 OCT 1942

1 Aust Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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2/3 AUST INDEP FD SQN R A E

WAR DIARY - NARRATIVE OF ACTIVITIES

NOV 1942 - SEP 1943

Nov 42. Adm Comd Capt D U MACINTOSH.
Unit moved NARRABRI - GUNNEDAH on completion of manouvres.
Personnel proceeded on leave during November.

Dec 42. Preparation made for movement - destination unknown.
Capt R A HORSFALL assumed Adm Comd ex 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn R A E.
Lt G L PARKER joined Unit ex 2/4 Aust Fd Sqn R A E
Number personnel and Capt D U MACINTOSH marched out as nucleus 6 Aust Fd Sqn R A E.
Presentation of "WOOD CUP" to 2/3 Aust Indep Fd Sqn R A E at Divisional Parade. Cup presented for all round efficiency in Division.

Jan 43. Unit moved in troops by rail GUNNEDAH to MOROWA, WEST AUST. by road MORAWA - MINGENEW. Sqn HQ arrived MINGENEW 18 Jan.
Camp set up and water supply provided for 1 Aust Armd Bde.
Following officers joined Unit in transit - Lt R L MILLER, Lts. MORGAN, REDMOND, THORNBORROW.

Feb 43. to Mar 43. Lt. EASTON marched out to Bomb Disposal Course at WAGGA, N.S.W.
Major J G FOREMAN seconded to British Army in Middle East.
Road construction - Rebuilt MORAWA-MINGENEW road, 40 miles.
Major C F FLINT posted to Unit as OC ex RAETC, WAGGA, N.S.W.
Capt R A HORSFALL to S M E (Fd) LIVERPOOL.
Unit moved to new location on MINGENEW-YANDANOOKA Road.

Apr 43. Road constructed MINGENEW-YANDANOOKA to take all inter-unit traffic.
Water supply extended to provide for Div.
Inspection by Army Minister. All QX personnel in Division paraded. Mr FORDE pleased that such a fine Div should comprise almost 100% QX personnel.

May 43. Inspection of Div by General Sir Thomas BLAMEY and Lieut - Gen. Sir H GORDON-BENNETT - Display of Div strength with Engr support given on sand plain, MINGENEW.

Jun 43. Unit training, particularly minefields. Cyclone caused much damage at GIN GIN - part Unit employed in repair and salvage.

July 43. Work commenced on new C C S at ARRINO. 75% complete when ordered to demolish.
Main road MINGENEW-MULLEWA bridged for maintenance and communication.

Aug 43. Unit moved with Division to MOORA - month spent mainly in setting up camp and building internal roads - many delays due to "wet" season.
Water supply improved in area.

Sep 43. Back track built from main PERTH Road to LYONS CAMP Road to avoid transit through MOORA, maintnenace carried out on LYONS CAMP Road and other roads and tracks in 1 Aust Armd Bde area.
Spr W S GRAHAM killed in motor-cycle accident near THREE SPRINGS.

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