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Unit 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Jun. 43 *To* 15 Jun. 43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Townsville	1 Jun.43	-	No.1 Platoon headquarters moved from Sellheim to Townsville. Work being carried out at Stuart, Sig. H.Q.(major project) Townsville area, Charters Towers and Wellington Siding and Barong.	Schedule of Schools appendix 1 War Equipment Received appendix 2 Distribution List Works Depot appendix 3
Brisbane	3 Jun.43	-	Unit Standing Orders re-drafted. Officers' and N.C.O.'s conference at headquarters, Grovely. 2 i/c., Lieut. Conrad and Lieut. Magoffin, C.S.M. and 24 N.C.O.'s.	Unit Standing Orders appendix 4
"	4 Jun.43	-	C.Q.M.S. and Transport Sergeant left for north to inspect war equipment and vehicles.	Unit Routine Orders appendix 5
"	8 Jun.43	-	Officers' and N.C.O.'s conference; 2 i/c., Lieut. Magoffin Lieut. Conrad, C.S.M. and 25 N.C.O.s present.	" 6 W3008-W3009
"	9 Jun. 43.	-	Lieut. Conrad, M.L. QX50102 to be adjutant. Visit by C.R.E. Lt-Col. Young, G., to H.Q. Grovely, and inspection of area. Visit by Brig. Pulver and Major Green to Lady Bowen project.	appendix 7 5.6.43 " 8 12.6.43
"	11 Jun. 43	-	O.C.'s conference. Present: QX42611 Major T.G.MacMinn, O.C., QX45125 Capt. West, J.E., 2 i/c., QX50102 Lieut.Conrad, M.L., Adjutant, N429470 Lieut. Magoffin, R.J. ~~XEX~~	
"	12 Jun.43	-	Welfare and Betterment Committees formed Headquarters, Townsville and Cairns.	
"	14 Jun.43	1400	O.C. attended C.E.'s conference.	
"	15 Jun.43	1900	Officers' and N.C.O.s' conference. Present : O.C., Adjutant, Lieut. Magoffin, C.S.M. and 22 N.C.O.s. Lady Bowen project visited by G.O.C., Minister for the Army and Lt.-Col. Sharpe.	

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12 ARMY TROOPS COY. R.A.E.

Unit 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. *Date and Time.—From* 16 Jun. 43 *To* 28 Jun. 43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
				Distribution List Work Report
Brisbane	16 Jun.43	-	Lecture and films through Army Education Service.	Appendix 1
"	18 Jun.43	-	Visit by C.E. (Works) ~~XX~~ Col. McCausland to Lady Bowen project.	Unit Routine Orders Appendix 2 21.6.43
"	21 Jun.43	1400	C.E.'s conference re L. of C. procession.	" 3 24.6.43
"	22 Jun.43		Officers' and N.C.O.s' conference. Present: QX42611 Major. T.G. MacMinn, O.C., QX50102 Lieut. Conrad, M.L., Adjutant, and N429470 Lieut. Magoffin, R.J. and 22 N.C.O.s.	W3008 W3009 Appendix 3 19.6.43 " 4 26.6.43
"	24 Jun.43		Visit by C.E., C.E.'s Adjutant and C.R.E. to headquarters.	Works Report
"	26 Jun.43		C.Q.M.S. and Transport Sergeant returned from northern platoons.	Appendix 5
"	28 Jun.43		Conference O.C., 2 i/c., Adjutant, C.Q.M.S. and Transport Sergeant re M.T. and "Q" matters.	

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Appendix 1

SCHEDULE OF ESTIMATE REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOLS.

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Serial No.	L.H.Q. SCHOOL	A	B	
39	P.O. S.M.E.	2	1	
40	Mech. Eng. Road Making	2		
42	E. & M.		2	
43	Refresher R.A.E. Officers.		2	
44	N.C.O's Refresher	2		
97	Gas School	4		50% Officers
107	B. D.		6	30% Officers
117	Cooks		2	
		10	13	
	Total	23		

Schedule of Schools to permit arrangements being made ahead of.

[signature]
1/6/43

Note (a) For Instructors.
(b) " Refresher Uplift.

appendix 2

WAR EQUIPMENT RECEIVED FROM 1 JAN. 43 - 30 JUN. 43.

DATE	STORES	QUANTITY
3.1.43	Rifles, S.M.L.E., .303	40
14.1.43	Bicycles, L.P.	8
25.1.43	'37 pat. web equipment received replacing '08 pat.	
16.2.43	Rifles, Mk. 4 .303	72
24.2.43	Pumping sets, R. & T.	2
15.3.43	Rifles, S.M.L.E. .303	50
18.3.43	Compressors, Le Roi	1
7.4.43	Anti-gas equipment	
	Guns, sub-machine, Thompson	10
10.4.43	Machines, grinding, electric	1
12.4.43	Hand tools, bulk of tools received for use in workshops	
15.4.43	Oxy.Acet. set & truck	1
	Machines, drilling, portable, electric	2
	Machines, grinding, electric	1
10.5.43	Detectors, mine	6
18.5.43	L.M.G. .303 Lewis	3
27.5.43	L.M.G. .303 Bren	13
	Lathes, 4½" & 6"	2
	Generators, acetylene	1

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War Establishment - 8 Officers & 267 O/Ranks

Grovely	3 Officers	47 Other Ranks
Courses	1 Officer	2 Other Ranks
Townsville	1 Officer	39 Other Ranks
Charters Towers		2 Other Ranks
Cairns	1 Officer	36 Other Ranks
Cabarlah		1 Other Rank
Lady Bowen Hostel	1 Officer	80 Other Ranks
Newstead		1 Other Rank
Atherton		15 Other Ranks
Hospital		3 Other Ranks
	7 Officers	226 Other Ranks

Attached Personnel.

A.T.T.D. (Carps)	-	14 Lady Bowen 2 Grovely
9 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E.	-	28 Lady Bowen 1 Hospital
3 W. & P. Coy.,	-	2 Lady Bowen
3 Aust. A.A.S.L. Regt.	-	2 Lady Bowen
4 Aust. A.A.S.L. Regt.	-	1 Lady Bowen
1 Aust. Employment Coy.	-	2 Lady Bowen
L.T.D.	-	1 Lady Bowen
1 Aust. Army Tps, Coy.,	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen
Postal Corps.	n-	1 Grovely
A.A.M.C. Cpl.	-	1 Lady Bowen

J. West Capt.
(J. West)

2 i/c, 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E.

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	Grovely	Courses	Townsville	C. Towers	Cairns	Cabarlah	Lady Bowen	Newstead	Hospital	Atherton	TOTAL	W.E.
Officers	3	1	1		1		1				7	8
W.O.II	1										1	1
S/Sgts.	2										2	3
Sgts.	4		1		1		3				9	9
Blacksmiths	1		1				1				3	4
Bricklayers					1		3				4	6
Carpenters	2		4		5		18			4	33	35
Clerks	2		1		1						4	7
Concreters			1		1		2			1	5	6
Cooks	2		1		2		1				6	7
Drauhtsmen							1				1	2
Driver Mechanics	2				1						3	4
Electricians	3		1 2	1	1		4		1	1	12	14
Engine Artificers											-	8
Engine Hands	2		1			1	3			1	8	12
Fitters	2		2		1		2				7	8
Mechanics, M.V.	1										1	2
Painters			2		1		3			1	7	8
Miners			1		2		2	1			6	6
Plumbers			1		1		6				8	8
Sawyers			1				3			1	5	2
Storemen Technical	2		1		1		1				5	7
Surveyors											-	1
Tailor	1										1	1
Tinsmiths			1		1		1				3	2
Turners	1		1								2	4
Welders	2										2	6
Well Borers					2						2	3
Operators, Excavator							1			1	2	6
Batmen	2		1		1		1				5	8
Drivers M.T.	7		5		4		6			1	23	31
Hygiene Dutyman	1										1	1
Motorcycle Orderly	1										1	1
Pioneers (including Corprls.)	6	2	11	1	9		16		2	4	51	43
Water Dutyman			1								1	1
Mason							1				1	-
Stoker							1				1	-
TOTALS	50	3	40	2	37	1	81	1	3	15	233	275

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SHEET 1.

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY., R.A.E. (STH. Q'LAND AREA ONLY).

1. Work completed since last report.

Southport S.M.I. Brick in & repairs to No.2 Ranges.

E. & M. As per report attached.

2. Jobs in progress.

PLACE	JOB	No. OF MEN.	P.C. DONE	APPROX DATE OF COMPLETION	REMARKS
Lady Bowen Hostel	Remodelling;- "A" Block.	Carp. 8.	5%.	22-7-43.	Preparation for main work.
"	"	Plumb. 4.	-	-	Preparation for main work. Completion depends on detail being made available.
"	"	Pioneers 2.	-	-	General work.
"	"B" Block.	Carp 18.	85%.	3-7-43.	Completion depends on arrival of internal fittings.
"	"	B.Layers. 10. Plasters. 10. Plumbers, Drainers (including A.T.T.D.) 4. Painters (inc. A.T.T.D.) 7. Pioneers. 29.	80%. 90%. 60%. 10%. -	2-7-43. 4-7-43. 7-7-43. 31-7-43. -	General Work.

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SHEET 2. REPORT CONTINUED.

PLACE	JOB	No. OF MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX DATE OF COMPLETION	REMARKS.
Lady Bowen Hostel.	Huts:- Officers, AWAS, O.R.s. Kitchen. Male sleeping Qtrs. ,	Carp.4.	80%	14-8-43.	
"	AWAS. Sleeping Qtrs.,	Not commenced	-	18-7-43 commence. 31-7-43 complete.	-
"	AWAS, W.C. and Showers. (6 showers 5 WC)	"	-	18-7-43 commence. 31-7-43 complete.	

(J.E.WEST) Capt.,
2.i/C. 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E.;

ELECTRICIAL & MAINTENANCE SECTION 12 ARMY TROOPS COY. R.A.E.

Work Report 23/5/43 to 5/6/43.

LADY BOWEN HOSTEL:---

10 Electricians and 2 offsiders engaged on Lady Bowen project.

Progress ---- Top floor Lighting circuits completely wired 2(Concealed wiring)

Top floor Power Circuits Completed.

Chasing Wiring Ground Floor Completed.

Basement wing and new block being strpd. ofold Installation.

City Maintenance.

Electricians attended 18 service calls (24 hrs. service per day.)

Charters Towers

2 Electricians engaged on High Tension Switch gear Installation for A.M.C.

Lady Bowen Hot Water

Steel Tenks for the above ordered to Specifications by S/Sgt.

REFRIGERATION

Refrigeration Mechanics completely rebuilt and re-installed Ammonia Compressor unit S.M.I. Southport.
Unit for C.E.'S Mess Moorelands overhauled and re-installed.
Mechanics attended 15 service calls.

ENGINE HANDS AND FITTERS.

Engine Hands and Fitters engaged on routine and general M.T. Maintenance.

Thos. E. Gawn ..... S/Sgt.
(E & M Section)

REFERENCE W/S 16.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

UNIT STANDING ORDERS.

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1. Promulgation of Unit Standing Orders :

(a) Copies of Standing Orders will be kept in Orderly Rooms and such other suitable places and will be made available for perusal by Officers and Soldiers.

(b) It will be the duty of every officer and soldier to make himself acquainted with those orders, which will be read and explained to all members of the Forces.

2. ROLL CALL:

(a) All personnel will attend roll calls at times and places as laid down by the O.C.

(b) Personnel detached from H.Q. will attend roll calls at times and places as laid down by detachment commanders.

3. BOUNDS:

The following are out of bounds to all troops not on duty :-

(a) Officers' Mess and Officers' Lines.
(b) Sergeant's Mess.
(c) Q.M. Stores and Ration Stores.
(d) All Kitchens and attachments.
(e) Welfare Huts during Parade Hours.

4. ROUTINE:

Reveille.	At times as published in Unit R.O's. or laid down by detachment commanders.
1st Parade and Roll Call.	
Sick Parade.	
Mess Parades.	
Work Parades.	
Breach off Parades.	
Retreat.	
First Post.	
Last Post.	
Lights. Out	

5. CHURCH PARADES:

Church Parades will be held as set out in Unit R.O's.

6. NOISE AND SMOKING AFTER LIGHTS OUT:

There will not be any noise or smoking in the Camp between Lights out and Reveille. Troops are not permitted to leave their Huts or Tents between lights out and Reveille except in cases of emergency.

7. INTOXICATING LIQUOR:

The sale of intoxicating liquor in Men's dry canteens whether by chit system or otherwise, is prohibited. In Officers' and Sergeants' Messes the liquor is the property of the members, and will not be sold to non-members. Liquor will not be brought into camp by anybody except those authorized to do so, i.e. brewers, draymen, etc.

8. CLEANLINESS OF LINES:

Personnel are responsible for the cleanliness and orderliness of their personnel gear, tents or billets and the area occupied by them.

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9. TENT OR HUT COMMANDER :

(a) He will be responsible for cleanliness of tent or hut and area in immediate vicinity.
(b) He will ensure that his tent or hut is in inspection order by 0900 hrs.
(c) He will ensure that all men in his tent or hut arise at reveille.
(d) He will ensure that all kits are laid out in regulation manner.
(e) He will, at all times, be responsible for the discipline of his quarters; no noises to be permitted between Lights-out and Reveille.
(f) When proceeding on leave overnight he will place the next seniormember in charge.

10. GAMBLING : Gambling in any shape or form is prohibited. Offenders will be severely dealt with.

11. CAMP ENTERTAINMENT :

Personnel attending Camp Entertainments must observe the local regulations governing same.

12. TRAFFIC CONTROL :

Army vehicles will only be used on work as authorised by the O.C. and on instructions issued by the N.C.O's in charge of transport.
Complete G.2's must be in the possession of drivers of all vehicles.
Speed limit, as laid down in the area in which the vehicle is operating will be strictly observed.

13. LANGUAGE :

Obscene language or obscene writing on walls of buildings are strictly forbidden. Disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

14. TELEPHONE CALLS :

Private, local or trunk line calls will not be permitted over official telephones.

15. LOSSES, ETC.

Losses of, or damage to, clothing and/or equipment must be reported immediately in writing to Unit Headquarters. Failure to report such loss or damage may be taken as an indication of negligence on the part of the person concerned. Troops should not leave valuable articles such as watches, etc. in their huts or tents.

16. LEAVE :

(a) Leave Passes (A.96) will be issued to all other ranks going on leave.
(b) On return to camp, personnel will hand in Leave Passes at the Orderly Room by the time as laid down.
(c) Personnel going on leave must be properly dressed and conduct themselves in an orderly manner; loitering in the vicinity of hotels, use of abusive, obscene or blasphemous language, ~~leiteri~~ are offences and will be dealt with.
(d) Personnel marked "No Duty" will not be granted leave.

17. ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF TROOPS :

All personnel or the Officer or N.C.O. in charge of any party of troops will report immediately to Unit Headquarters on marching and/or prior to marching out.

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18. FIRE ORDERS :

(a) When a fire is discovered and the person discovering the fire is unable to put it out single-handed, he will immediately raise the alarm.

(b) On a fire alarm being raised all personnel will;

(i) If fire is in Unit area, proceed to scene of fire and carry out instructions issued by senior Officer or N.C.O.

(ii) If outside Unit area, fall in on Prade. Ground and await instructions.

(c) Action with tent on fire.

(1) Person first on scene will lower the tent.
(2) The tent, if possible, will be rolled immediately to stifle flames.
(3) Stores, equipment, and clothing will be removed. (Care taken not to allow sparks to fly.)
(4) All tents in the immediate vicinity will be struck.
(5) Care will be taken to keep any article on fire clear of all tents.

19. PRIVATE LANDS :

All ranks will take precautions against damage to stock, crops, fences, trees, gates, outbuildings, etc. during field training. Existing gates will be used and closed after use. Damage to private property will be reported to Unit H.Q. without delay.

20. MEDICAL :

(a) Showers and ablutions benches are provided, and both must be used daily.

(b) All personnel will ensure that all food waste is scraped into refuse bins before washing eating utensils, also that no scraps find their way into the drains, or on to the ground around the bins. All soiled and greasy water must be emptied into drains and not poured on the ground. Waste tea or coffee must be emptied into wet refuse bins.

(c) All cases of diarrhoea will be reported immediately. Personnel affected will not be employed in any capacity in cookhouses, mess huts, canteens, or ration stores.

(d) All cases of skin complaint will report at once. Personnel suffering from boils or sores will not be employed in the cookhouses or Mess Huts.

(e) Special showers will be set apart for sufferers from tinea, while personnel suffering from dhoby itch will use the isolation Latrine.

(f) Attention is drawn to the risk of contracting Venereal Diseases. These diseases are the cause of much loss of training and of self-respect. All personnel running the risk of contracting V.D. are urged to use the prophylaxis provided at the Blue Light Huts.and any man who suspects that he may have contracted V.D. will report at once to his M.O. Early treatment means sure and rapid cure. Delay means a longer period of treatment and possibly permanent ill-health.

(g) Should personnel be taken ill when on leave they will report to the nearest Service H.Q. or Area Medical Officer, or where these do not exist, to the nearest Medical practitioner. Obtain a Sick Report and advise Unit Headquarters.

21. SANITATION:

(a) Refuse bins and bags for waste paper and newspaper will be provided, and all rubbish placed in them accordingly.

(b) Urine tubs will be placed in the lines at nightfall, and removed at daylight the next morning.

(c) Lids of latrines seats must be closed when not in use.

(d) Personnel must use shavings provided to cover excreta.

(e) No person shall use as a sleeping apartment and/or have

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any bed, bed-clothing, private property or personal clothing in any place where foods are stored or prepared for consumption; nor will men perform their toilet or wash or dry their clothes in any such places.

22. PHOTOGRAPHY :

Cameras and photography in any form are prohibited in the Camp Area.

23. CENSORSHIP OF MAIL :

(a) All personnel letters, papers, packets and the like posted by personnel must be submitted to the Orderly Room for franking.

(b) To use any other means of despatch and avoiding censorship is a serious breach of the regualtions.

24. ARMS AND EQUIPMENT :

All members of the Unit will ensure that all arms and equipment on issue to them will be kept in a clean and serviceable condition.

25. RAZOR BLADES :

Personnel will place used razor blades in tins provided at ablution benches.

26. COMPLAINTS :

All ranks are advised of A.M.R.&.O. 293 (1) which reads : "Officers and soldiers are forbidden to use any method of obtaining redress of real or supposed grievances other than those prescribed by the Australian Military Regulations or Orders. Anonymous complaints and complaints through the Press are forbidden." Officers and N.C.O's will ensure that all ranks under their command are fully advised of the correct method of making complaints, and will give every complaint sympathetic hearing.

Writing direct to Army Headquarters, and Members of Parliament is forbidden. Apart from the breach of discipline involved delay must occur as each case must be referred back to the Commanding Officer. Company Commanders will arrange for A.M.R.&.O. 289 to 194 to be frequently explained to all Ranks.

27. CARE OF BUILDINGS :

Personnel occupying buildings of any nature will not in any way interfere with the said buildings; internal Fittings, Furniture, etc. in any way which shall cause damage thereto.

28. CAMP, ETC. - STANDING ORDERS :

When the Unit moves into Camps or billets for which Standing Orders are in existence, such Standing Orders will be observed and will take precedence over these Unit Standing Orders in so far as they are inconsistent with them.

29. DUTIES :

Orderly Duties, Piquets, and general duties will be as detailed from time to time by the O.C. in Unit R.O's. or by detachment Commanders.

Capt.
(J. West)
2 i/c, 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E.

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UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS.

by
Major T.G.MacMinn - Officer Commanding

1. MILITARY PUBLICATIONS : To enable fullest use to be made of Unit Library, redistribution of Publications is to be made, all personnel holding any such publications will hand in particulars of same to Head Quarters or detachment Orderly Rooms.

2. UNIT STANDING ORDERS : Copy of revised standing orders will be posted on Unit notice boards. All members will make themselves conversant with these orders forthwith, failure to do so will not relieve any member from responsibilty for their observance.

3. CENSORSHIP : All members are again reminded of necessity for compliance with censorship regulations. Extract of Unit Standing Order Orders No.1 is as follows :

(a) All personal letters, papers, packets and the like posted by personnel must be submitted to the Orderly Room for franking.
(b) To use any other means of despatch and avoiding censorship is a serious breach of the regulations.

4. ARMY EDUCATION SERVICE : Personnel are notified that the Army Education Service will make available facilites covering a wide range of subjects, those desirious of obtaining the benefit of this service can do so by applying through H.Q. or detachment Orderly Rooms.

5. Pelfering of Fruit from Trains : Attention of all ranks is drawn to Q'land. L. of C. R.O. 31 May, 43, A.347

(a) Reports have been received concerning frequent instances of pilfering of pineapples and other fruit from goods trains, railway stations and sidings, by troops travelling by train particularly on the main northern line in the fruit-growing areas, between Brisbane and Gympie.

(b) Such irresponsible and unlawful conduct is seriously retarding the efforts of fruit growers, who already have to contend with extreme difficulties in producing and transporting crops for both Army and civilian needs.

(c) There is at present an acute shortage of pineapples and pineapple juice, large quantity of which are required by the Department of the Army for supply in canned form to troops in forward areas, and fruit growers, at considerable loss to themselves, are diverting the bulk of their produce to canneries for this purpose. Payment to the producer is made on the weight delivered to the cannery, and the pilfering, ~~which~~ of this fruit in transit causes considerable hardship to growers, whose difficulties are already numerous, as well as interfering with the supply to the Army of a much needed commodity.

(d) All Officers and N.C.O's. travelling by train will be alert to watch for any instances of pilfering, which, if noticed by, or reported to them, will be immediately checked and the names and regimental particulars of offenders taken and supplied to this Headquarters. Strong disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

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6. BUNGS AND WASHES FOR 4 GAL. AND 44 GAL. DRUMS.:
Attention of all Ranks is drawn to Q'land. L. of C. R.O. 31 May, 43 Q.356.

Severe shortages of rubber used in washers and of die-caste metal used in bungs make it essential that these items be conse ved. Units using drums will replace bungs and washers and tighten them with a bung spanner. Care will be taken not to damage bungs by using a hammer or other unauthorised method of opening.

7. UNIT TRUST ACCOUNT : Committes will be formed at H.Q. and detachment H.Q's. to consider how these Funds can best be used for the Welfare and Betterment of personnel. Recommendations from committes will be forwarded to Unit H.Q. to enable the necessary action to be taken to make funds available.

8. A.I.F.: Personnel desirious of changing over to A.I.F. can do so through Unit Orderly Rooms.

West Capt.
(J. West)

2 i/c, 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E.

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UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS.

Appendix "D"

by

MAJOR T.C.MacMINN - OFFICER COMMANDING.

1. LEAVE PASSES (CRO. 326 - 23 APR. 43)

New Leave Pass Books A.A.F. A.96 (revised 1943) are to be adopted forthwith, and issued according to C.R.O.326. Attention of all Ranks is directed to the following instructions :

(a) On the expiration of Leave, Passes will be collected under Unit arrangements, checked and cancelled.

This will be carried out by Orderly Room staff as directed.

2. PERSONAL GEAR IN TENTS :

Owing to repeated cases of articles being lost or stolen when members are on duty or on leave, in future such members will return personal gear and equipment to the "Q" Store for safe-keeping, otherwise stoppage sheets will be raised to cover the cost of any article missing.

3. APPOINTMENTS :

QX.50102 Lieut. Conrad, M.L. will be Adjutant as from 8 June, 43.

4. PUNISHMENTS:

QX.41938	Spr. HEATHWOOD, E.	Neglecting to obey Unit Routine Orders in that he, at Brisbane on 29. 4. 43 posted an unfranked letter written by himself in a Civilian Post Box. Award : Fined 10/- by ~~Maj. MacMinn~~ Capt West 1. 6. 43.
Q.22111	Spr. BERGIN, E.P.	Failing to appear at the place of Parade appointed by his O.C., in that he, at Grovely failed to appear on the 0630 hrs. Parade. Award: Fined 10/- by Capt. West, 2.6.43.
QX.47415	Sapper FORD, R.M.	Failing to appear at the place of Parade appointed by his O.C., in that he, at Grovely failed to appear on the 0630 hrs. Parade. Award: Admonished by Capt. West 3.6.43.
Q.131178	Spr. ROBERTS, C.H.	Absented himself without leave from 0730 hrs. on 15.5.43 to 0630 hrs. on 17.5.43. Award: Fined £3, 14 days C.B. by Maj. MacMinn on 17. 5. 43. informed of loss of 2 days Pay.
Q.137040	Pte. KOPP, M.A.	Absent without leave from 0800 hrs. 25 Apr. 43 to 1000 hrs. 26 Apr. 43. Award: Reprimanded by Maj. MacMinn, 17.5.43. Loss of 1 day's Pay.

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QX.41927	Spr. KELLOW, E.W.	At Grovely absented himself without leave from 2359 hrs. on 15.5.43 to 2230 hrs. on 16.5.43. Award: 14 days Field Punishment by Major MacMinn on 17. 5. 43. Informed of loss of 1 day's Pay.
QX.41937	Spr. GREWE, R.W.F.	At Grovely absented himself without leave from 2359 hrs. on 15.5.43 to 2230 hrs. on 16.5.43. Award; 14 days Foeld Punishment by Major MacMinn on 17.5.43. Informed of loss of 1 day's Pay.
Q.106750	Spr. LYNCH, E.	At Grovely absent without leave from 1730 hrs. on 24 Apr. 43 to 1000 hrs. 26 Apr. 43. Award: Fined £1 by Major MacMinn on 1. 5. 43. Informed of loss of 3 days Pay.
Q.137044	Spr. SHAPLAND, N.R.	At Wickham Terrace ; Conduct to the prejudice of good order and Military discipline in that he at Wickham Terrace , Brisbane, at 1000 hrs. on 1 May, 43 left his post of duty untill 1700 hrs. on 1 May, 43, thus breaking open arreast. Award: Fined £4 by Major MacMinn on 3. 5. 43.

NOTICES :

Contributions are invited from all ranks to a Unit Newspaper, conducted by Corporals Hargreaves and Wanmer, joint editors, in the form of humourous and interesting articles, sketches, poems, etc. to be lodged with Unit Orderly Rooms for forwarding to Headquarters.

J. West Capt.
(J. West)

2 i/c, 12 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.,R.A.E.

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12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY.,R.A.E.

DISTRIBUTION.

18. 6. 43.

War Establishment - 8 Officers & 267 Other Ranks.

Grovely	3 Officers	48 Other Ranks.
Courses	1 Officer	3 Other Ranks
Townsville	1 Officer	36 Other Ranks
Charters Towers		2 Other Ranks
Cairns	1 Officer	33 Other Ranks
Cabarlah		1 Other Rank
Lady Bowen Hostel	1 Officer	89 Other Ranks
Atherton		15 Other Ranks
Hospital		2 Other Ranks.
	7 Officers	229 Other Ranks.

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ATTACHED PERSONNEL.

A.T.T.D. (Carps.)	-	10 Lady Bowen Hostel 3 Exhibition. 3 Grovely.
9 Aust. Army Tps,Coy.,R.A.E.	-	23 Lady Bowen Hostel.
2/101 Aust. Gen. Tpt. Coy.	-	12 Lady Bowen Hostel.
L.T.D.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
R.R.D. Redbank.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Services Tng. Bn.	-	13 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 A.A.R.D.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
3 A.A.S.L. Regt.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Emp. Coy.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
4 Aust. Inf. Tng. Bn.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
11 Aust. Inf. Tng. Bn.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
29 Aust. Inf. Tng. Bn.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
31 Aust. Emp. Coy.	-	3 Lady Bowen Hostel.
A.A.S.L. Regt., R.A.A.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Army Tps,Coy.,R.A.E.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
A.A.M.C.	-	1 Cpl. Lady.Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Spec. Serv.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
Postal Corp.	-	1 Cpl. Grovely.

Major
(T.G.MacMinn)
O.C. 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E.

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DISTRIBUTION :

12 AUST. ARMY TROOPS COY., R.A.E.

18. 6. 43

	Grovely	Courses	Townsville	C. Towers	Cairns	Cabarlah	Lady Bowen	Atherton			Hospital	TOTAL.	W.E.
Officers	3	1	1		1		1					7	8
W.O.II	1											1	1
S/Sgts.	2											2	3
Sgts.	4		1		1		3	1				10	9
Blacksmiths	1		1				1					3	4
Bricklayers					1		5					6	6
Carpenters	3		4		5		17	4				33	35
Clerks	2		1		1							4	7
Concreters			1		1		2	1				5	6
Cooks	2		1		1		2					6	7
Draughtsmen							1					1	2
Driver Mechanics	2				1							3	4
Electricians	3			1	1		6	1				12	14
Engine Artificers												-	8
Engine Hands	1		1			1	4	1				8	12
Fitters	2		2		1		2					7	8
Mechanics, M.V.	1											1	2
Painters	1		2		1		3	1				8	8
Miners			1		2		3					6	6
Plumbers			1		1		6					8	8
Sawyers			1				3	1				5	2
Storeman Technical	1		1		1		2					5	7
Surveyors												-	1
Tailor	1											1	1
Tinsmiths			1		1		1					3	2
Turners	1		1									2	4
Welders	2											2	6
Well Borers					2							2	3
Operators, Excavator							1	1				2	6
Batmen	2		1		1		1					5	8
Drivers M.T.	7		5		3		7	1				23	31
Hygiene Dutyman	1											1	1
Motorcycle Orderly	1											1	1
Pioneers (including Cpls.)	7	3	9	1	8		17	3			2	50	43
Water Dutyman			1									1	1
Mason							1					1	-
Stoker							1					1	-
Total	51	4	37	2	34	1	90	15			2	236	275

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SHEET 1.

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY.,R.A.E. (STH. Q'LAND. AREA ONLY)

Jobs in Progress

18 Jun. 43

PLACE	JOB	No. OF MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX. DATE of COMPLETION	REMARKS.
Lady Bowen Hostel	Remodelling "A" Block.	Carps. 12	25%	22. 7. 43	Mainly First Floor.
"	"	Plumbers 4			Preparation for main work.
"	"	Bricklayers 4	50%		
"	"	Painters 3	5%		
"	"B" Block	Carps. 6	90%	2. 7. 43	Verandah Ceilings Started-extra.
		Bricklayers 5	95%	4. 7. 43	Jacking up balcony and building new piers. - extra since last Report.
		Plumbers) Drainers) 4	70%	7. 7. 43	
		Painters 18	40%	-	Geheral Work.
		Pioneers 29	-	-	
"	"C" Block	Carps. 9	80%	3. 7. 43	Progress of remainder of Work depends on early delivery of staircase and joinery fittings.
		Plumbers 4	50%		
		Plasterer 8	75%		
		Painters	Nil		
		Bricklayers 4	75%		

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SHEET 2.

REPORT CONTINUED.

PLACE	JOB	No. OF MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX. DATE OF COMPLETION.	REMARKS.
Lady Bowen Hostel	Huts :- Officers, A.W.A.S O.R's. Kitchen. Male sleeping Qtrs.		80%		Tradesmen used on other Work.
"	A.W.A.S. Sleeping Qtrs.	commenced Carps. 2	5%	18. 6. 43 commence 31. 6. 43 complete	
"	A.W.A.S., W.C. and Showers. (6 Showers, 5 W.C's.	Not commenced	-	18. 7. 43 31. 7. 43	

A.L. Conrad Lieut. for Major
(T.G.MacMinn)

O.C. 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E.

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ELECTRICIAL & MAINTENANCE SECTION 12 ARMY TROOPS COY.R.A.E.

Work Report 5/6/43 to 19/6/43

LADY BOWEN HOSTEL:) 10 Electricians and 2 offsiders engaged on Lady Bowen project.

Progress Basement and new block, 80% of lighting circuits completed.

Top floor lighting and power circuits completed(concealed wiring)

City Maintenance:-- Electricians attended 20 service call during current period.

Charters Towers 2 Electricians engaged on High Tension Switch gear for A.W.C.

Gaythorne 2 Electricians engaged on new installation of Emergancey lights.at P.O.W.

Yerongapilly 2 Electricians replaced pole and repaired lines at Staging Camp.

Refrigeration

Refrigeration Mechanics attended 12 service calls during current period.

M.T. Maintenance

1 Engine hand engaged at Carbalah on Diesal Engine.

Fitters and 1/C Mechanics engaged on routine Maintenance.

Reference W/S 17.

Thos. E. Lawn .....S/Sgt.
(E & M Section)

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21 Jun. 43. 12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY.,R.A.E. No. 27.

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UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS.

by

MAJOR T.G.MacMINN - OFFICER COMMANDING.

1. CLERKS T.G.III.

A number of vacancies exist in this Unit for Clerks T.G.III. Any member with the necessary qualifications, who desires to apply for one of these positions should make immediate application to Unit H.Q.

2. DAILY BATHS. Attention of all ranks is drawn to Unit Standing Orders, Par.20 (a):- "Showers and Ablution Benches are provided, and both must be used daily"

3. PAY. Personnel desiring to draw more or less than the usual amount of pay, are required to notify the Pay Sergeant one week in advance of Pay day, to enable necessary adjustments to be made. If this notification is not given the normal amount of pay will be drawn.

4. WELFARE & BETTERMENT COMMITTEE.

The following members will constitute the Committee for the Brisbane Area:-

President	-	QX.42611 Major T.G.MacMinn
Vice-Presidents	-	QX.45125 Capt. J.E.West
	-	N.429470 Lieut. Magoffin, R.J.
Treasurer	-	Q.189914 Cpl. Eather, A.F.
Members	-	Q.22111 Spr. E.F.Bergin
		Q.89411 Spr. A.S.Howarth
		Q.191259 Spr. R. Selke
		Q.114465 Spr. W.R. Thorpe
		QX.31153 Spr. K.W. Waller

5. LEAVE. Members requiring ordinary, not recreational Leave must notify the Orderly Room three days in advance.

6. LEAKAGE OF MILITARY INFORMATION - CIVIL COURTS.

(a) When giving evidence in a civil court, a soldier will merely give his number, rank and name and state that he is a member of the A.M.F., without mentioning the name of his Unit.

(b) In no circumstances will a soldier divulge in open court the location of his Unit, unless the bench rules that a full answer is essential to the case, in which event he will offer to write the information on a slip of paper to be handed to the bench.

(c) The danger to security in disclosing the locations of Units cannot be too strongly impressed on all ranks.

M.L.Conrad. Lieut.
(M.L.Conrad)
for O.C. 12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.

NOTICE.

SCREENING OF "NEXT OF KIN"

The censored version of "Next of Kin" will be screened at Brisbane Theatres. The widest publicity possible amongst the civilian population is desired for these screenings. Personnel should be advised to get all their friends and relatives to attend.

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UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS.

24 JUNE, 43. by No. 28

MAJOR T.G.MacMINN - OFFICER COMMANDING.

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Addressing of Mail : R.O. No.23 of 18 May, 43 is hereby cancelled.

The above order has been cancelled on account of the delay and inconvenience that has been caused by the omission of place names from letters addressed to this Unit. In future the following addresses will be used on all official and private correspondence:-

H.Q., 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E., ~~[illegible]~~. GROVELY.
No.1 Platoon, 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E., TOWNSVILLE.
No.3 Platoon, 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E., CAIRNS.

OFFICERS' PRE-SELECTION BOARDS:- Q'LD. L.of C. R.O. PartI. A.384

1. In order to ensure the exploition of the best material available to provide Officers for the A.M.F., the establishment of Officer Pre-Selection Boards has been approved to conduct psychological and other tests of personnel recommended or desirous of appointment to commissioned rank. The composition of and procedure to be observed by Officer Pre-Selection Boards has been laid down by L.H.Q.

2. It is fundamental principle of the scheme that every soldier who considers himself suitable for commissioned rank shall be interviewed by the Selection Board and steps will therefore be taken to ensure that all other ranks know of this privilege and that applications may be submitted to C.O's. and O.C's., units accordingly. Seven (7) days before the sitting of the Board (which date will be notified) all units will include in their Routine Orders Statements of the object of the Board. This requirement does not affect the principle that all other ranks will forthwith be made aware of their rights and that applications may be submitted to C.O's. and O.C's. immediately.

3. C.O's. and O.C's. units will forward to this H.Q. a list of applicants for commissioned rank and other personnel considered by them to be suitable for training as Officers. These lists will be accompanied by a Statement of Service and the Commander's confidential report on each individual concerned. This H.Q. will maintain a record of all names submitted and will hold statements of Service and Commanders' confidential reports until required by the Officer Pre-Selection Board.

H.L.Conrad - Lieut.

for O.C. 12 Aust. Army Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.

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appendix 5

Report on work commenced by No. 1 Platoon 12 Aust. A.Tps.Coy., R.A.E., at Townsville during the month of June 1943.

STUART

Start of signals job. Excavating of foundation and floor area. Set of steel and laying of concrete floor.

Wellington Siding, via Charters Towers: Pulling down of latrine 22ft. x 16 ft and re-erection on concrete floor on new site.

Flyproofing kitchen and tomming up fibro roof. New cooling room on concrete floor and installing unit to same.

Window shades round kitchen and butcher's shop.

Charters Towers: Drainage to 116 A.G.H. 1600 lin. ft. and new showers block for A.M.W.A.S. 116 A.G.H.

Sellheim: Drainage to kitchen Con.Depot, 200 lin. ft. and skillion over washing up tables.

Making vegetable racks to four kitchens at Con.Depot.

Moveable latrines; filling in hole and making good floor, 2 only.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

13/70 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19/6/1943. 12 Aust. A Tpt Coy RAE (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-		-	1	W.Os. Class I.					
-		-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-		-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1		-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-		1	10	Sergeants					
-		3	30	Corporals A.A.M.C. Postal Asst	2	-	-	-	
52		9	184	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
-		-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.					
53.		13	227.	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		2.	-	-	- .

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		C.M.F.								
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	91	-	138							229
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
15	A.T.D.	1	Unit A.A.S.L. Engr.
23	7 A. Tpt Coy RAE	1	16 Tpt Coy RAE
12	2/101 A.G.T. Coy	1	1 Aust. M. Gen. Tpt. Coy
1	L.T.D.		
1	R.R.D.		
13	1 Aust. M. Gen. Tpt.		
1	1 A.A.R.D.		
81	3 A.A.S.L. Regt		
1	1 Aust. Tpt. Coy		
1	4 Aust. I.T.B.		
1	8 Aust. I.T.B.		
1	29 Aust. I.T.B.		
3	31 Aust. Tpt. Coy		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Tpt Coy, RAE Unit

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(Adapted) (Page 2)
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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 19/6/1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	6	-
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	35	33	2
Cooks	7	6	1
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	8	8	-
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	-	1	-
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	6	6	-
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	121	93	29

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	5	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	4	3
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	159	124	39

DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Batmen	8	5	3
Drivers M.T.	31	23	8
Hygiene Sanitary Man	1	1	-
M/Cycle Orderly	1	1	-
Pioneers	43	41	-
Water Duty Man	1	1	-
W.O. II	1	1	-
C.Q.M.S.	1	1	-
Sjts.	2	1	1
Cpls.	9	10	-
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl	1	1	-
A.A.M.C. Cpl	1	1	-
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	229 *	53 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

See Back

Certified Correct.

19 June 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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Note —

1 Draughtsman arch. is cpl.

6 Cooks include 1 cpl. allowed on W.E.
and 1 cpl. not allowed on W.E.

1 Tailor is cpl. not allowed on W.E.

49 Pioneers include 26 cpls.

10 Sgts. include 1 Sgt. Cook not allowed on W.E.

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43/70 (Serial No.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19/6/1943. 12 Aust. A. Tr. Co. R.A.F. (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
-			-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-			1	Majors					
-			1	Captains					
1			5	Lieutenants					
-			-	Quarter-masters					
-			-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-			-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1			7						

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19/6/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.42611	Mac Minn	T.G.	O.C.	yes		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c.	yes		
Lieut.	QX.45127	Chatwood	E.J.	O.i/c No. 2 E & M Platoon	yes		
Lieut.	QX.50102	Conrad	M.L.	O.i/c No. 1 Platoon	yes		
Lieut.	QX.45128	Campbell-Brown	R.	O.i/c No. 1 E & M Platoon	No	Course No. 92 R. S.M.E. Liverpool	16.5.43.
Lieut.	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	O.i/c No. 3 Platoon	yes		
Lieut.	N.429470	Magoffin	R.J.	O.i/c No. 2 Platoon	yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

Certified correct.

19 June 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/6/1943. 12 Aust. A. Tk Coy R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 14/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
-	-	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
-	-	-	1	Captains					
2	-	-	4	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
2	-	-	6						

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		5	1								6
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/6/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.4264	Mac Minn	T.G.	O.C.	Yes.		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c	Yes		
Lieut.	QX.45127	Chatwood	E.J.	O.i/c No. 2 E & M Platoon	Yes.		
Lieut.	QX.50102	Conrad	M.L.	O.i/c No. 1 Platoon	Yes.		
Lieut	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	O.i/c No. 3 Platoon	Yes		
Lieut.	N.429470	Magoffin	R.J.	O.i/c No. 2 Platoon	Yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

Certified Correct.

26 June 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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TABLE F. SECONDED OFFICERS.

1. Sub. Rank and Higher T/ Rank if held.	2. Army No.	3. Surname.	4. Initials	5. Posting to which seconded.	6. date of secondment.
		NIL.			

TABLE G. OFFICERS IN TRANSIT.

1. Sub. Rank and Higher T/ Rank if held.	2. Army No.	3. Surname.	4. Initials	5. Unit or posting to which off. is proceeding.	6. date of leaving unit
		NIL.			

TABLE H. OFFICERS EVACUATED TO HOSPITAL.

1. Sub. Rank and Higher T/ Rank if held.	2. Army No.	3. Surname.	4. Initials	5. Med. Establishment to which evacuated.	6. date of evacuation from unit.
		NIL.			

TABLE I VISITING AND INSPECTING OFFICERS.

1. Sub. Rank and Higher T/ Rank if held.	2. Army No.	3. Surname.	4. Initials	5. Headquarters or unit to which officer is posted.	6. Officers' appointment
		NIL.			

TABLE J. OFFICERS NOT ON POSTED STRENGTH.

1. Sub. Rank and Higher T/ Rank if held.	2. Army No.	3. Surname.	4. Initials	5. Officer's Parent Unit etc.	6. State reason for officer being with unit submitting W.3008, viz patient, student etc.
		NIL.			

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/71 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/6/1943. 12 Aust. A. Tps. Coy RAE. (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-		-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-		-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-		-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1		-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-		1	10	Sergeants					
-		3	30	Corporals	A.A.M.C; Postal Unit	2	-	-	-
50		9	186	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
-		-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.					
51		13	229	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		2	-	-	-

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.P. Under 19 Years.	C.M.P. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	91	-	140							231.
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
12	A.T.T.D.		
1	1 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
18	9 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
14	10 Aust. A. Tps. Coy.		
12	2/101 A.G.T. Coy.		
1	1 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
3	31 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
1	L.T.D.		
1	R.R.D.		
1	1 A.A.R.D.		
1	11 I.T.B.		
1	29 I.T.B.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 26/6/1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	2	2	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	2	4	Painters	8	7	1	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	3	1					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	6	6	-					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine	-	1	-
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	5	-	Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	-
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-	Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers	3	2	1	Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1	Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	35	35	-	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks	7	6	1	Woodturners				W.O. II	1	1	-
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								C.Q.M.S.	1	1	-
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1					S/Sgts.	2	1	1
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator								Sgts.	9	10	-
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2	Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	8	8	-								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	8	5	3
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Drivers M.T.	31	23	8
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	7	4	3	Hqrs. Clerkyman	1	1	-
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				M/Cycle Orderly	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Pioneers.	43	49	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Water Dyman.	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	6	5	1				
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				A.A.M.C. Cpl.	1	1	-
Pattern Maker				Masons	-	1	-	Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1	Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4				
Photowriter				Miners	6	6	-	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	8	8	-	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors	1	-	1	Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18	CARRIED FORWARD	121	95	27	CARRIED FORWARD	159	126	37	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269	231	51
														*	*

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

See Back.

Certified Correct.

26 June 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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NOTE —

1 Draughtsman Arch. is cpl.

6 Cooks include 1 cpl. allowed on W.E.
and 1 cpl. not allowed on W.E.

1 Tailor is cpl. not allowed on W.E.

49 Pioneers include cpls.

10 Sgts. include 1 Sgt. cook not allowed on W.E.

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/6/194. ..... (Unit)

W.E. 7/12/41. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 67 + OFFRS. ..... O.R's. ..... ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
–			–	*					
–			–	*					
–			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
–			1	Majors					
1			5	Captains					
–			–	Lieutenants					
–			–	Quarter-masters					
–			–	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
–			–	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1			7						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 19 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	DETAIL	A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A.	6	1								7.
	E.(1)										
	E.(2)										

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.

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

12 Aust Army Tempo Coy. RAE *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH appendix No 1

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/6/194. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.2611.	Mac Mann	T. G.	O.C.	Yes.		
Captain	QX.43125.	West	J.E.	2/C.	Yes.		
Lieut.	QX.43127.	Kerr-Cowper	E. J.	Pl. Comd.	Yes		
Lieut.	QX.30102.	Connell	M.E.	Pl. Comd.	Yes		
Lieut.	QX.43128	Cooper-Evans	R	Pl. Comd.	No	Comm. to 12R S.M.E. Liverpool	6.5.43
Lieut.	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	Pl. Comd.	Yes		
Lieut.	QX.29070	Macgillivray	R.J.	Pl. Comd.	Yes.		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
					Certified Correct.

5 June 43
Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/6/1943. 12 Aust. A. Tpt. Coy R.A.S.C. (Unit)

W.E. 17/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-		-	1	W.Os. Class I.					
-		-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-		-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1		-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-		1	10	Sergeants					
-		2	29	Corporals	A.A.M.C. Postal Unit	2	-	-	-
54		11	184	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
-		-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.					
55 *		14	226 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		2 *	-	-	- *

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	101	-	127				[redacted]	[redacted]		228
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
10	A.T.T.D.		
2	1 A.R.D.		
1	1 A. Tpt. Coy		
31	7 A. Tpt. Coy.		
2	3 A.A.S.L. Regt		
1	4 A.A.S.L. Regt		
1	12 Aust. Amph. Coy.		
1	31 Aust. Amph. Coy.		
1	1 Aust. I.T.D.		
1	11 Aust. I.T.D.		
1	29 Aust. I.T.D.		
2	A.W.A.S.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Tpt. Coy, R.A.S.C. *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 5/6/1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	4	2
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)			
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	43	25	18

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	35	33	2
Cooks	7	6	1
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	14	12	2
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	-	1	-
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	6	6	-
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	121	91	31

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	5	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	4	3
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	159	122	41

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
G.P.O. Assistants			
Hammermen			
Leather Stitchers			
Orderlies, Nursing			
Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Plate Layers			
Rangetakers			
Riveters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Stat. Engine	-	1	-
Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Tailors	1	1	-
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Batmen	8	5	3
Drivers M.T.	31	23	8
Hygiene Wt/Typists	1	1	-
Officers' Cooks	1	1	-
Pioneers	43	50	-
Water Duty Men	1	1	-
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.M.C. Pte.	1	1	-
W.O. II	1	1	-
C.Q.M.S.	1	1	-
S/Sgts	2	1	1
Sgts	9	10	-
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	228 *	55 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

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5 June 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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Note —

1 Draughtsman arch. is Cpl.

6 Cooks include 1 Cpl. allowed on W.E.
and 1 Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

1 Tailor is Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

50 Pioneers include 2.5 Cplr

10 Sgts. include 1 Sgt. Cook not allowed on W.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/69 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/6/1943. 12 Aust. A. Tps. Coy (Unit) R.A.E.

W.E. 14/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
		-	1	W.Os. Class I.					
-		-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-		-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1		-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-		1	10	Sergeants					
-		2	29	Corporals	A.A.M.C. Postal Unit	2	-	-	-
53		11	185	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
-		-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.					
54.		14	227.	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		2.	-	-	-

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A	—	-		—	—	—	[redacted]	[redacted]	—	229.
	B(1)										
	B(2)						[redacted]				

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
10	A.T.T.D.	1	8 A.A.S.L. Regt
2	1 A.A.R.D.		
1	1 A.T.M. Coy.		
2	3 A.A.S.L. Regt.		
1	4 A.A.S.L. Regt.		
30	9 A.T.M. Coy.		
10	2/101 Aust. G.T. Coy.		
1	1 A. S.S.T. Coy.		
1	29 Aust. I.T.B.		
1	11 Aust. I.T.B.		
1	4 Aust. I.T.B.		
4	31 Aust. Emp. Coy		
1	1 Aust. Emp. Coy		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy, R.A.E. Unit

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Appendix W 8

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 12/6/1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	5	1
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	30	19

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	35	33	2
Cooks	7	6	1
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	8	8	-
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	-	1	-
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	6	6	-
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	121	92	30

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	5	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	4	3
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	159	123	40

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
G.P.O. Assistants			
Hammermen			
Leather Stitchers			
Orderlies, Nursing			
Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Plate Layers			
Rangetakers			
Riveters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine	-	1	-
Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Tailors	1	1	-
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
W.O. II	1	1	-
C.Q.M.S.	1	1	-
S/Sgts.	2	1	1
Sgts.	9	10	-
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Batmen	8	5	3
Drivers M.T.	31	23	8
Hygiene Sanitaryman	1	1	-
M/Cycle Orderly	1	1	-
Pioneers	43	50	-
Water Sanitaryman	1	1	-
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.M.C. Cpl.	1	1	-
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	229 *	54 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
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12 June. 43.
Date of Despatch

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Note —

1 Draughtsman Arch. is Cpl.

6 Cooks include 1 Cpl. allowed on W.E.
and 1 Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

1 Tailor is Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

50 Pioneers include 25 Cpls.

10 Sgts. include 1 Sgt. Cook not allowed on W.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

L3/69 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/6/1943. 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy. RAE (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267+ OFFRS. ..... O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
-			-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-			1	Majors					
-			1	Captains					
1			5	Lieutenants					
-			-	Quarter-masters					
-			-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-			-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1			7						

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7.
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

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

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy. RAE Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/6/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.42611	Mac Minn	T. G.	O.C.	Yes		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J. E.	2 i/c	Yes		
Lieut.	QX.45127	Chatwood	E. J.	O.i/c No.2 E&M Platoon	Yes		
Lieut.	QX.50102	Conrad	M. L.	O.i/c No.1 Platoon	Yes		
Lieut.	QX.45128	Campbell Brown	R.	O.i/c No.1 E&M Platoon	No	Course No. 72A SME. Liverpool	16-5-43
Lieut.	TX.6388	Jones	E. H.	O.i/c No.3 Platoon	Yes		
Lieut.	N.429470	Magaffin	R. J.	O.i/c No.2 Platoon	Yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

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WAR DIARY ~~OF INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

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12 ARMY TROOPS COY. R.A.E.

Unit 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Jul. 43 *To*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
				Distribution List Works Report
Cairns	1 Jul.43		No. 3 Platoon carrying out works Cairns area and Tablelands area.	Appendix 1
Brisbane	1 Jul.43		Preparation of floats for L. of C. procession, consisting of electrical, refrigeration, carpentery and joinery, plumbing, and bricklaying exhibits.	Unit Routine Orders Appendix 2 2.7.43 " 3 13.7.43
"	2 Jul.43		Inspection of floats for procession by C.E., C.R.E., D.C.R.E. Adjutant C.E.	" 4 15.7.43
"	3 Jul.43		L. of C. procession.	W3008 W3009 Appendix 5 3.7.43
"	6 Jul.43		Underwater demolition of piles carried out for A.E.M.E. Contacted L. of C. headquarters re balance of war equipment and controlled stores.	" 6 10.7.43
"	10 Jul. 43		Lieut. Conrad, M.L. QX50102 marched out to No.1 Platoon Townsville and Lieut. Chatwood, E.J. QX45127, transferred to A.E.M.E. special radio section.	
"	11 Jul.43		Visit by G.O.C. and Brig. Pulver to Lady Bowen project.	
"	13 Jul.43		QX45128 Lieut. R.Campbell Brown marched in from S.M.E.	
"	14 Jul.43		Amended war equipment tables lodged with D.A.D.O.S. No.2 (S.Q.) L. of C. Sub-Area. First edition of Unit paper published.	
"	15 Jul.43		Screening of film on earth moving plant. TX6388 Lieut. Jones, E.H. at H.Q. discuss matters relating to No.3 Platoon with O.C., QX42611 Major. T.G.MacMinn.	

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12 ARMY TROOPS COY. R.A.E.

Unit 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. *Date and Time.—From* 17 Jul.43 *To* 31 Jul.43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
				Instruction List Works Report
Brisbane	17 Jul.43	-	QX34746 Lieut. G.W.Pearce taken on strength from R.A.E.T.C. Wagga. Lady Bowen project 75 per cent completed.	Appendix 1 16.7.43
"	20 Jul.43	-	Officers' and N.C.O.s' conference. Present: QX42611 Major MacMinn, T.G., O.C., QX45125 Capt. West, J.E. 2 i/c., N429470 Lieut. Magoffin, R.J. QX34746 Lieut. Pearce, G.W., C.Q.M.S. and 20 N.C.O.s.	" 2 30.7.43 Unit Routine Orders Appendix 3 19.7.43
"	27 Jul.43	-	QX45128 Lieut. Campbell Brown, R. marched out to Wallangarra to locate buried bombs with mine detector. O.C. member of district Court Martial.	" 4 27.7.43 W3008 W3009 Appendix 5 17.7.43
"	28 Jul.43	-	O.C. member of district Court Martial.	" 6 24.7.43
"	29 Jul.43	-	Visit by G.O.C. and C.E. to Lady Bowen Project.	" 7. 31.7.43
"	30 Jul.43	-	2 i/c member of district Court Martial.	Works Report
"	31 Jul.43	-	2 i/c. member of district Court Martial.	Appendix 8

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12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY.; R.A.E.

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War Establishment - 8 Officers and 267 Other Ranks.

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Grovely	3 Officers	49 Other Ranks
Courses		4 Other Ranks
Townsville	1Officer	41 Other Ranks
Charters Towers		2 Other Ranks
Cairns	1 Officer	32 Other Ranks
Cabarlah		1 Other Rank
Lady Bowen Hostel	1 Officer	84 Other Ranks
Atherton		13 Other Ranks
Kalinga		1 Other Rank
Exhibition		2 Other Ranks
	6 Officers	229 Other Ranks

ATTACHED PERSONNEL.

A.T.T.D. (Carpenters)	-	~~8 Lady Bowen~~ 6 Lady Bowen) ~~1 Grovely~~ 2 Grovely) 1 Exhibition)
9 Aust. Army Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.	-	20 Lady Bowen Hostel.
2/101 Aust. Gen. Tpt. Coy.	-	12 Lady Bowen Hostel.
L.T.D.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
R.R.D. - Redbank	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
Yeerongpilly Staging Camp.	-	14 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 A.A.R.D.	-	2 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Employment Coy.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
11 Aust. Inf. Tng. Bn.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
29 Aust, Inf. Tng. Bn.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
31 Aust. Emp. Coy.	-	2 Lady Bowen JHostel.
1 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
A.A.M.C.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
Postal Corps.	-	1 Cpl. Grovely.

Major
(T.G.MacMinn)
O.C. 12 Aust.A.Troops Coy.,R.A.E.

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	Grovely	Courses	Townsville	C. Towers.	Cairns	Cabarlah	Lady Bowen	Atherton	Kalinga	Exhibition	Hospital	TOTAL.	W.E.
Officers	3		1		1		1					6	8
W.O.II	1											1	1
S/Sgts.	2 X		X									2	3
Sgts.	4		2		1		2	1				10	9
Blacksmiths	1		1						1			3	4
Bricklayers					1		5					6	6
Carpenters			7		5		18	4		2		36	35
Clerks	2		1		1							4	7
Concreters			1		1		2	1				5	6
Cooks	2		1		1		2					6	7
Draughtsmen							1					1	2
Driver Mechanics	2				1							3	4
Electricians	1		1				6					8	8
Fitter Electricians.	1		1	1	1							4	6
Engine Artificers												-	8
Engine Hands	3					1	4					8	12
Fitters	3		3		1							7	8
Mechanics, M.V.	1											1	2
Painters			2		1		3	1				7	8
Miners			1		2		3					6	6
Plumbers			1		1		6					8	8
Sawyers			1				3	1				5	2
Storeman Technical	1		1		1		2					5	7
Surveyor												-	1
Tailor	1											1	1
Tinsmiths			1		1		1					3	2
Turners	1		1									2	4
Welders	2											2	6
Well Borers					2							2	3
Operators, Excavator							1	1				2	6
Batmen	2		1		1		1					5	8
Drivers M.T.	9		5		3		6	1				24	31
Hygiene Dutyman	1											1	1
Motorcycle Orderly	1											1	1
Pioneers (including Cpls.)	8	4	8	1	7		16	3				47	43
Water Dutyman			L									L	1
Mason							1					1	-
Stoker.							1					1	-
Total	52	4	42	2	33	1	85	13	1	2		235	275

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SHEET I

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY [illegible]

(S'TH QLD. ARMY)

JOBS IN PROGRESS

3/7/43

PLACE	JOB	NO. OF MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX DATE OF COMPLETION	REMARKS
Lady Bowen Hostel	Remodelling "A" Block	Carps. 12	35%	31/7/43	
"	"	Plumbers 4	5%		
"	"	Bricklayers 4	60%		
"	"	Painters 3	15%		
"	"B" Block	Carps 6	92%	31/7/43	
		Bricklayers 5	97%		
		Plumbers) 4			
		Trainers)	75%		
		Painters 18	50%		
		Pioneers 29	"		
"	"C" Block	Carps 9	80%	31/7/43	Progress of remainder of work depends on early delivery of Kitchen fittings, equipment, etc.
"		Plumbers 4	65%		
		Plasterer 8	95%		
		Painters	90%		
		Bricklayers 4	"		

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REPORT CONTINUED

PLACE	JOB	NO OF MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX DATE OF COMPLETION	REMARKS
Lady Bowen Hostel	Huts:- Officers, A.W.A.S. O.R!S. Kitchen Male Sleeping Qtrs.		80%	31/7/43	
"	A.W.A.S. Sleeping Qtrs.	Carps.2	5%	"	
"	A.W.A.S& W.C. and showers. 6 showers,5 W.C's	Not commenced	"	"	

Major

(T.G.MacMinn)

O. C.12.Aust.A.Tps.Coy.R.A.E.

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UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS.

No.29

2 July, 43

by

MAJOR T.G.MacMINN - OFFICER COMMANDING

1. Recovery of Tradesmen - L.of C. R.O. A.414 - 25 June, 43.

Personnel with trade qualifications who have not been classified may be classified in that trade and so employed on application through Unit Orderly Room, when trade testing will be carried out at Trade Testing Depot.

2. Unit Trust Funds Balance Sheet showing Receipts ans Expenditures from this Fund for months of May and June is hereunder.-

MAY, 1943.

Date	Receipts	£	s	d	Date	Expenditure	£	s	d
1.5.43	Brought Forward	147	13	2	19.5.43	Money Order for cricket gear No.1 Platoon	9	0	0
1.5.43	Cash on hand		19	1	19.5.43	Poundage on M/O		1	0
					19.5.43	Materials for Tailor	1	1	1
25.5.43	Canteen Profits for Feb. 43	16	-	9	25.5.43	Restringing 2 Tennis Racquets No.3 Plat.	4	0	0
					25.5.43	Extra rations for No.3 Platoon.	10	0	0
					25.5.43	Poundage on M/order		1	6
					27.5.43	Repairs to Radio at Grovely.	6	15	1
						Carried Forward.....	133	14	4
	TOTAL	164	13	0		TOTAL	164	13	0

JUNE, 1943.

Date	Receipts	£	s	d	Date	Expenditure	£	s	d
1.6.43	Brought Forward	133	14	4	1.6.43	Comforts for personnel No.1 Pl.	10	0	0
1.6.43	Canteen Profits for March	25	7	3	15.6,43	Comforts for Brisbane Platoons.	10	0	0
					26.6.43	Sporting Materials for Bris. Platoons	12	7	6
					28.6.43	Sporting Materials for Bris. Platoons	5	4	1
					29.6.43	Comforts for Bris. Platoons.	22	6	0
					30.6.43	Cash on Hand	7	14	0
					30.6.43	Carried Forward	91	10	0
	TOTAL	159	1	7		TOTAL	159	1	7

Signed : A.F. MATHER, Cpl.
(Sec. & Treas.)

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3. Aust. Army Catering Corps, G.R.O. A.443 - 11 Jun, 43.:
As from 2 Jul. 43 all Unit Cooks will be transfered to the above Corps, but will remain with the Unit as heretofore for duty and discipline. The following N.C.O's. and Other Ranks are effected :-

Q.14655	Sgt. Simpson, E.V.
Q.14604	Cpl. Orr, A.
N.26353	Cpl. Venn, J.
Q.89896	Spr. Mason, R.H.
Q.14681	Spr. Fletcher, E.S.
QX.51515	Spr. Althaus, E.K.
Q.90868	Spr. Wilkie, R.H.

4. Income Tax. Lodgement of Returns. G.R.O. P.486 para 5 - 11 Jun, 43 :-

Any member of the forces whose Income, from back Military and private sources exceeds £250 for the year ending 30 Jun. 43, must lodge a return to the Deputy Commissioner of Taxation in the state in which the member enlisted. Taxable income includes total actual drawing rate, field allowance, subsistence paid plus 2/5 per day for the period rationed and quartered by the Army, but does not include deferred pay or dependants allowance.

Refunds: If a member is entitled to a refund because deductions made to meet the assessments exceed the amount thereof, the Taxation Dept. will forward a cash refund.

Unit Sergeants Mess : The O.C. has appointed QX.45125 Capt. West, J. as supervising officer.

Signed.

Capt.
(J. West)
2 i/c, 12 Aust. Army Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

13 July, 43 UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS. No. 30

by

MAJOR T.G. MacMINN - OFFICER COMMANDING.

1. PAY DAY: For all members of the Unit attached to H.Q., pay day will be on the Thursday of Pay week. All paybooks must be lodged at H.Q. by 1300 hrs. on the Monday of that week, otherwise pay cannot be drawn. Personnel omitting to lodge their paybooks in time will not be paid until the next period.

2. REDUCTION OF DRIVING SPEED WHEN PASSING SCHOOLS - R.O. Q.441, 6th JUL.43

Drivers of Mechanical vehicles will exercise extreme caution when the presence of school children are noticed outside school areas and obey signals given by the school traffic Patrols, where such are provided.

3. REQUEST HOUR - G.R.O. A.492 - 2 JUL. 43.

This has been established to organise the maintenance and improvement of morale in the Army and in particular:

(a) to create a closer understanding between Officers and men.
(b) to reduce the A.W.L. rate;
(c) to reduce the number of letters written to obtain redress of grievances through unauthorised or improper channels;
(d) to assist the soldier in the solution of his family welfare problems;
(e) to give officers the opportunity to appreciate the incidence on a soldier's personal service of his domestic background;
(f) to provide an "off the record" information bureau;
(g) to provide an Army Social Service.

A weekly Request hour will be instituted as from 12 Jul. 43 on Wednesday of each week between the hours of 1000 and 1100 (detachments as advised by O.i/c) at Orovely and Lady Bowen Project, when:

(a) An other rank may see an Officer on any personnal or Service matter, other than a formal complaint.
(b) Access will be to the Officer direct without previous notification or permission.
(c) The offer is always open for acceptance.

A formal complaint is one involving another soldier or a superior on Military matter.

The following are typical matters which will be dealt with during "Request Hour".

(a) Considerations involving the welfare of a soldier's family.
(b) Applications for compassionate Leave.
(c) Applications for transfer to home state, on compassionate grounds.
(d) Legal problems effecting the soldier's private life.

The following organisations will assist the soldier where it is not possible to obtain leave to attend to them personally. These Organisations have available, trained Social Service Personnel capable of executing the most intimate investigation without offence.

(1) Queensland-

Mothercraft Association War Auxiliary,
Victory Chambers,
Queen Street,
BRISBANE.

(2) Victoria-

(i) Victorian Fighting Forces Welfare Service,
Nicholas Buildings,
Swanston Street,
MELBOURNE.

(over)

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Victoria-
(ii) A.I.F. Women's Association,
437 Collins Street,
MELBOURNE.

(which is affiliated with 2(i).

(3) NEW SOUTH WALES-
Family Welfare Bureau,
Cnr. Martin Place & Phillip Street,
SYDNEY.

(4) South Australia-
Fighting Forces Family Welfare Bureau,
24 James Place,
ADELAIDE.

(5) Western Australia-
Family Welfare Bureau,
C.P.A. Building,
PERTH.

(6) Tasmania-
A.C.F. Welfare Centre,
A.C.F. Office,
131 Collins Street,
HOBART.

The Australian Army Chaplains Dept., Morale Section:

If it is desirable or preferable the Chaplain may recommend the use of this Service through the O.C., when the clergyman in the soldier's Parish will make the necessary investigation, under direction of the Chaplain General, and report back through the O.C.

Officers available:

H.Q.	-	Capt. West
Lady Bowen	-	Lieut. Magoffin
Townsville	-	Lieut. Conrad
Cairns	-	Lieut. Jones

4. Postings: Lieut. Conrad from Crovely to Townsville.

5. Transfers: Lieut. Chatwood to Radio Location Unit.

6. Punishments:

Q.127339 Spr. SOANES, L.B. - At Crovely, A.W.L. from 0645 hrs. 28-6-43 till 0645 hrs. 29-6-43.
Award: Admonished by Capt. West
2. 7. 43.

Capt.
(J. West)
2 i/c, 12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.

Notice. A Film on "Earth Moving Plant" will be screened at the Lady Bowen Hostel on Thursday, 15 July, 43 at 1900 hrs. All Personnel will attend.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

I5 July,43. UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS. No. 3I.
by
Major T.G. MacMinn-Officer Commanding.

I. Extract of Memo from G.O.C.,
i. I was impressed with the display in the procession on 3 July, and proud of the achievements of the various Services and Corps which took part.
ii. The conception of the parade that it would serve to enhance relations with the Public and give the latter some knowledge of the accomplishments of the Army, has, I feel, proved effective.
iii. I would appreciate it if you would convey to those who performed such sterling work, my appreciation of their work.

signed. V.P.Stantke,
Major General,
G.O.C.,Q'land.L.of C. Area.

. Extract of Memo from I Aust. C.E. (Works),
i. I wish to join with the G.O.C. in expressing my appreciation of such interest taken by all personnel to make the R.A.E. exhibit such an outstanding success
ii. Please convey to all personnel concerned my feelings in this matter.

signed:H.E.McCausland, Col.
C.E.,I Aust C.E. (Works).

2. MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL.
All movement will be done through Unit Orderly Room both marching in and marching out. Movement Order will be filled in and signed by Officer or N.C.O. responsible for movement, one copy to accompany personnel, to be handed in to the Unit Orderly Room.

3. FORMAL COMPLAINTS.
All formal complaints will be made through the correct channels;
(a) Verbal- personnel will be paraded through platoon Sgt. to platoon Officer, and if the case warrants further action, through C.S.M. to the O.C.
(b) In Writing,-complaints will be addressed to the O.C. and not to Officers outside the Unit, which practice is to cease forthwith. Complaints to outside sources are not dealt with but referred back to the O.C. for action. The following form will be adoptedas a specimen of letter to the O.C.

(number QXI234.
(rank & name Spr. A.Blob.
(platoon No. 3 Platoon.

(Address to) -O.C.
H.Q.
I2 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E.
AUSTRALIA.

(subject of letter.) RE COMPASSIONATE LEAVE.

(complaint.) I hereby apply for compassionate leavefrom I5 Jul. I943 to I7 Jul. 43.
Reason: To attend to business affecting my family.

(Signed) A.Blob. Spr.

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4. DRIVERS OF ARMY VEHICLES

Drivers of Army Vehicles will at all times adhere to the route to be taken as per G2 (Work Ticket), any deviation from that route for unauthorised or private reasons will result in disciplinary action being taken.

5. TENTS.

All tent sides and walls will be rolled up to the fullest extent daily by 0730 hours, except in inclement weather. The camp duties personnel will be responsible through the Orderly N.C.O. to drop these if rain should fall while personnel are away on duty.

6. DUTIES

Orderly N.C.O. - QI89906 Cpl. Wragge R.W.

Canteen Orderly S/Sgt.- QX4I929 S/Sgt. Gawn T.E.
to mount at I600 hrs, I7 Jul. at Wet Canteen.

7. MARCHING Out

QI89939 Cpl. Hughes. T.P. to Lady Bowen Project.

.....signed
Capt.
2 I/C. I2 Aust Army Troops Coy.R.A.E.

NOTICE.

an examination will be held for M.T. Drivers at I830 hrs. I9 Jul.43
No leave will be granted to Drivers on this night.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Army Form W.3008
(Adapted) (Page 1)
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43/72 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/7/1943. 12 A.T.C. Army Tps Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 14/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
-	-	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
-	-	-	1	Captains					
2	-	-	4	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
2	-	-	6.						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 19 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	DETAIL		A.I.P.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
	A.		5	1								6.
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194....

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/7/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.) Appendix

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.62611	Mac Munn	T.G.	O.C.	Yes		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c	Yes.		
Lieut	QX.45127	Chatwood	E.J.	O.C. No.1 E. & M. Platoon	Yes		
Lieut	QX.50102	Conrad	M.L.	O.i/c No.1 Platoon	Yes.		
Lieut	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	O.i/c. No.3 Platoon	Yes		
Lieut	N.62970	Magoffin	R.J.	O.i/c No.2 Platoon	Yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

Certified Correct.

3 July 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/72 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3 / 7 /1943 12 Aust. A. Tps. Coy, R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. IV /12 /4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 267 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-		-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-		-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-		-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1		-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-		1	10	Sergeants					
-		3	30	Corporals A.A.M.C. Postal Unit		2	-	-	-
49		8	186	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
-		-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.					
50.	-	12.	229.	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		2.	-	-	-

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	102	-	129							231.
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
9	A.T.T.D.		
1	1 Aust. A. Tps. Coy		
19	9 Aust. A. Tps. Coy		
15	1 Aust. Ap. Sv. Inf. Bde		
12	2/101 A.G.T. Coy.		
1	1 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
2	3 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
1	R.R.D.		
2	1 A.A.R.D.		
1	11 I.T.B.		
1	29 I.T.B.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

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Appendix 5

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 3 / 7 /1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	2	2	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	2	4	Painters	8	7	1	Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	3	1					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	6	6	-					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine	-	1	-
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	5	-	Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	-
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-	Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers	3	2	1	Vulcanisers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1	Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	35	36	-	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks	7	6	1	Woodturners				W.O. II	1	1	-
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								C.Q.M.S.	1	1	-
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1					S/Sgts.	2	1	1
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator								Sgts.	9	10	-
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2	Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	8	8	-								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	8	5	3
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Drivers M.T.	31	24	7
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	7	4	3	Gnr. Batsman	1	1	-
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				M/Cycle Drd.	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Pioneers	43	47	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Water D/man	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	6	5	1				
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				A.A.M.C. Cpl.	1	1	-
Pattern Maker				Masons	-	1	-	Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M/T.	2	1	1	Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4				
Photowriter				Miners	6	6	-	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	8	8	-	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors	1	-	1	Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18	CARRIED FORWARD	121	96	27	CARRIED FORWARD	159	127	37	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	231 *	50 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reinfts. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

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NOTE —

1 Draughtsman Arch. is Cpl.

6 Cooks include 1 Cpl. allowed on W.E.
and 1 Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

1 Tailor is Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

47 Pioneers include 26 Cpls.

10 Sgts include 1 Sgt. Cook not allowed on W.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/7/1943. 120 (Unit)

W.E. 14/12/42. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
			1	Majors					
2			4	Captains					
				Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
2.	-	-	6						

	DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	A.		5	1								6.
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

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

.....Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/7/194. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.) Appendix

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX 4268	Mac Mirran	T.G.	O.C.	Yes.		
Captain	TX 43125	West	T.E.	2 i/c	Yes.		
Lieut.	QX 43127	Chetwood	E.J.	Offr. i/c Coy. H.Q. Pl.	Yes		
Lieut.	QX 50102	Conrad	M.L.	Offr. i/c No. 1 Pl.	Yes		
Lieut.	TX 6388	Jones	C.H.	Offr. i/c No. 3 Pl.	Yes		
Lieut.	WX 27470	Mayffen	R.J.	Offr. i/c No. 2 Pl.	Yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
					Entitled unit.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/73 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 10/7/1943. 12 Aust. A. Tps. Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. – O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
–	–	–	–	W.Os. Class I.					
–	–	–	1	W.Os. Class II.					
–	–	–	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	–	–	1	Staff Sergeants					
–	–	–	9	Sergeants	A.A.C.C.	1	–	–	–
–	–	1	28	Corporals	A.A.M.C. Postal Unit A.A.C.C.	4	2 A.A.C.C.	–	–
48	–	10	182	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	4	–	–	2
–	–	–	–	Civilians counting as O.R.		–	–	–	–
49 *	–	11	222 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		9 *	2 A.A.C.C.	–	2 A.A.C.C.

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	102	–	129							231
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	A.T.T.D.		
1	10 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
20	9 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
14	1 Aust. A. Tn. Tps. Coys.		
1	10 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
2	31 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
2	1 A.A.R.D.		
1	R.R.D.		
1	10 Aust. Am. Tpt. Bn.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
2	3 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
1	Camp Staff Colouwin		

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

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

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 10/7/1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	–	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	6	–
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	–
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	–	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	–
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	–	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, B.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	35	36	–
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	8	8	–
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Hello Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	–	1	–
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.V.	2	1	1
Miners	6	6	–
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	114	90	26

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	5	–
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	4	3
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4
CARRIED FORWARD	152	121	36

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
G.P.O. Assistants			
Hammermen			
Leather Stitchers			
Orderlies, Nursing			
Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Plate Layers			
Rangetakers			
Rivetters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine	–	1	–
Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Tailors	1	1	–
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	3	–
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Batmen	8	5	3
Drivers M.T.	31	24	7
Hqrs. Batmen	1	1	–
Mtcycle Ord.	1	1	–
Pioneers	43	47	–
Water Dvrs.	1	1	–
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl.	1	1	–
A.A.M.C. Cpl.	1	1	–
A.A.C.C. Asst.	1	1	–
A.A.C.C. O/R	6	4	2
A.A.C.C. Cpls	–	2	–
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	231 *	51 *

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NOTE—

1 Draughtsman arch. is Cpl.

1 Tailor is Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

47 Pioneers include 26 Cpls.

7 A.A.C.C. personnel include 2 Cpls not allowed on W.E.

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY.,R.A.E.

DISTRIBUTION.

Appendix 1

16. 7. 43.

War Establishment - 8 Officers and 267 Other Ranks.

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Grovely	3 Officers	49 Other Ranks.
Courses		4 Other Ranks.
Townsville	1 Officer	34 Other Ranks.
Charters Towers		2 Other Ranks.
Cairns	1 Officer	32 Other Ranks.
Cabarlah		1 Other Rank.
Lady Bowen Hostel	1 Officer	80 Other Ranks.
Atherton		14 Other Ranks.
Kalinga		1 Other Rank.
Exhibition		2 Other Ranks.
Hospital		3 Other Ranks.
	6 Officers	222 Other Ranks.

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ATTACHED PERSONNEL.

A.T.T.D. (Carpenters)	-	2 Grovely 1 Exhibition. 1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
9 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.	-	22 Lady Bowen Hostel.
15 A.E.C.	-	2 Lady Bowen Hostel.
R.R.D. Redbank	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Serv. Tng. Bn.	-	14 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Spec. Serv.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Employment Coy.,	-	3 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
31 Aust. Emp. Coy.	-	3 Lady Bowen Hostel.
A.A.M.C.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
Postal Corps.	-	1 Cpl. Grovely.
A.A.C.C.	-	1 Sgt. & 1 Lady Bowen Hostel. 2 Grovely 2 Cairns 1 Townsville

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	Grovely	Courses	Townsville	C. Towers	Cairns	Cabarlah	Lady Bowen	Atherton	Kalinga	Exhibition	Hospital	TOTALS.	W.E.	
Officers	3		1		1		1					6	8	
W.O.II					1							1	1	
S/Sgts.	2											2	3	
Sgts.	4	1	1		1		1	1				9	9	
Blacksmiths		1	1						1			3	4	
Bricklayers					1		5					6	6	
Carpenters			5		5		19	4		2	1	36	35	
Clerks	1				1		1				1	4	7	
Concreters			1		1		2	1				5	6	
Draughtsman							1					1	2	
Driver Mechanics	2				1							3	4	
Electricians	2						5	1				8	8	
Fitter Electricians			1	1	1		1					4	6	
Engine Artificers												-	8	
Engine Hands	3					1	4					8	12	
Fitters	4		2		1							7	8	
Mechanics M.V.	1											1	2	
Painters			2		1		3	1				7	8	
Miners			1		2		3					6	6	
Plumbers			1		1		6					8	8	
Sawyers			1				3	1				5	2	
Storemen Technical	1		1		1		2					5	7	
Surveyor												0	1	
Tailor	1											1	1	
Tinsmiths			1		1		1					3	2	
Turners	1		1									2	4	
Welders	2											2	6	
Well Borers					2							2	3	
Operators, Excavator	1							1				2	6	
Batmen	2		1		1		1					5	8	
Drivers M.T.	8		5		3		6	1			1	24	31	
Hygiene Dutyman	1											1	1	
Motorcycle Orderly	1											1	1	
Pioneers(inc. Cpls.)	12	2	8	1	7		14	3				47	43	
Water Dutyman			1									1	1	
Mason							1					1	-	
Stoker							1					1	-	
TOTAL	52	4	35	2	33	1	81	14	1	2	3			

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JOBS IN PROGRESS. 17. 7. 43

PLACE	JOB	No. OF MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX. DATE OF COMPLETION	REMARKS.
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL	Remodelling "A" Block	Carps. 6	55%	31. 7. 43	
"	"	Plumbers 10	50%		
"	"	Bricklayers 4	97%		
"	"	Painters 8	50%		
"	"B" Block	Carps. 8	97%		
		Bricklayers 1	97%		
		Plumbers) 2 Drainers)	90%		
		Painters 10	80%		
		Pioneers 29	"		
"	"C" Block	Carps. 3	97%	31. 7. 43	Progress of remainder of work depends on early delivery of Kitchen Fittings, equipment, etc.
		Plumbers 1	90%		
		Plasterers 5	97%		
		Painters 4	95%		
		Bricklayers 4	"		

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Sheet 2.

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REPORT CONTINUED.

Place	Job	No. of Men	P.C. Done	Approx. date of Completion	REMARKS
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL	Huts:- Officers, A.W.A.S. O.R's. Kitchen Male sleeping Qtrs.		80%	31. 7. 43	
"	A.W.A.S. Sleeping Qtrs.	Carps. 1	7%	"	
"	A.W.A.S., W.C. and Showers. 6 Showers, 5 W.C's.	Plumbers 1 Bricklayers 1	40% 95%	"	50% of Work done.

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Appendix 2

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY.,R.A.E.

DISTRIBUTION.

30. 7. 43.

War Establishment - 8 Officers and 259 Other Ranks.

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Grovely	4 Officers	48 Other Ranks
Courses		3 Other Ranks
Townsville	1 Officer	34 Other Ranks
Cairns	1 Officer	31 Other Ranks
Cabarlah		1 Other Rank
Lady Bowen Hostel	1 Officer	78 Other Ranks
Atherton		14 Other Ranks
Kalinga		1 Other Rank
Exhibition		2 Other Ranks
Hospital		5 Other Ranks
Charters Towers		2 Other Ranks
	7 Officers	219 Other Ranks.

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ATTACHED PERSONNEL.

A.T.T.D. (Carpenters)	-	1 Grovely 1 Exhibition 2 Lady Bowen Hostel.
A.T.T.D. (Plumbers)	-	4 Lady Bowen Hostel.
A.T.T.D. (Painters)	-	3 Lady Bowen Hostel.
9 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.	-	40 Lady Bowen Hostel.
15 A.E.C.	-	4 Lady Bowen Hostel.
R.R.D. Redbank.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Serv. Tng. Bn.	-	12 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Spec. Serv.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Employment Coy.	-	2 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Garrison Bn.	-	4 Lady Bowen Hostel.
1 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
31 Aust. Emp. Coy.	-	1 Lady Bowen Hostel.
A.A.M.C.	-	1 Cpl. Lady Bowen Hostel.
Postal Corps.	-	1 Cpl. Grovely
A.A.C.C.	-	1 Sgt & 2 - Lady Bowen Hostel. 2 Grovely 2 Cairns 1 Townsville.

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DISTRIBUTION:

12 AUST.A.TPS.COY.,R.A.E.

30. 7. 43.

	Grovely	Coombes	Townsville	C. Towers	Cairns	Cabarlah	Lady Bowen	Atherton	Kalinga	Exhibition	Hospital	TOTAL	W.E.	
Officers	4		1		1		1					7	8	
W.O.II					1							1	1	
S/Sgts.	2											2	3	
Sgts.	4	1	1		1		1	1				9	9	66
Blacksmiths	1		1						1			3	4	
Bricklayers					1		5					6	6	
Carpenters			5		5		19	4		2	1	36	35	
Clerks	1		1		1		1				1	5	7	
Concreters			1		1		2	1				5	6	
Draughtsmen							1					1	2	
Driver Mechanics	3				1							4	4	
Electricians	1						5	1				7	8	
Fitter Electricians			1	1	1		1					4	6	
Engine Artificers												-	8	
Engine Hands	3					1	3				1	8	12	
Fitters	4		2		1							7	8	
Mechanics, M.V.	1											1	2	
Painters			2		1		3	1				7	8	
Miners			1		2		3					6	6	
Plumbers			1		1		6					8	8	
Sawyers			1				2	1				4	2	
Storeman Technical	1		1		1		2					6	7	
Surveyor												-	1	
Tailor	1											1	1	
Tinsmiths			1		1		1					3	2	
Turners	1		1									2	4	
Welders	2											2	6	
Well Borers					2							2	3	
Operators Excavator	1							1				2	6	
Batmen	2		1		1		1					5	8	
Driver M.T.	7		5		3		6	1			1	23	31	
Hygiene Dutyman	1											1	1	
Motorcycle Orderly	1											1	1	
Pioneers (inc.Cpls)	11	2	7	1	6		14	3			1	46	43	
Water Dutyman			1									1	1	
Mason							1					1	-	
Stoker							1					1	-	
TOTAL	52	3	35	2	32	1	79	14	1	2	5	226	267	

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Sheet 1.

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COMPANY, R.A.E.

(Sth. Q'land. Area only)

JOBS IN PROGRESS.

30. 7. 43

PLACE	JOB	No. of MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX. DATE OF COMPLETION	REMARKS.
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL	"A" BLOCK	Carps. 6 Plumbers & Dr. 8 Bricklayers 2 Pioneers 8 Painters 18 Plasterer 1	99% " " " " "	31. 7. 43 " " " " "	
	"B" BLOCK	Carps. 4 (Plumbers 4 (Drainers Bricklayers 3 Painters 8 Plasterers 1 Pioneers 6	" " " " " "	" " " " " "	
	"C" BLOCK	Carps. 6 Plumbers Drainers 2 Plasterers 3 Painters 3 Pioneers 4	90% " " " "	8-8-43 " " " "	Complete, excepting Kitchen Equipment, Painting and Electric Hoist.

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Sheet 2

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY.? R.A.E.

REPORT CONTINUED

30 .7. 43

PLACE	JOB	No. of MEN	P.C. DONE	Approx. date of Completion.	REMARKS
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL	Huts:- Officers, A.W.A.S. O.R's. Kitchen Male Sleeping Qtrs.	Carps. 4 Pioneers 1	99%	31. 7. 43	Excluding Painting.
"	A.W.A.S. Sleeping Qtrs.	Carps. 6 Pioneers 2	99%	31. 7. 43	Excluding Painting.
"	A.W.A.S. W.C. and Showers	Carps. 3	99%	31. 7. 43	Excluding Painting.

Major

(T.G. MacMinn)

O.C. 12 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.,RAE

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

19 Jul. 43 UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS. No. 32

by

MAJOR T.C.MacMINN - OFFICER COMMANDING.

Appendix B

1. The following personnel are transfered to A.I.F. and allotted numbers as hereunder :-

Q.147025	Spr. MORRISON, B.	now	QX.53632	on 4. 6. 43
Q.128079	Spr. NORTON, S.W.	now	QX.53633	on 4. 6. 43
Q.137110	Spr. HURST, J.B.	now	QX.53716	on 1. 6. 43
Q.146771	Spr.VESPERMAN,S.L.	now	QX.54098	on 4. 6. 43
Q.119695	Spr. BLOCK, R.G.	now	QX.54099	on 8. 6. 43
Q.108738	A/Cpl. DALE, C.D.	now	QX.54100	on 19. 5. 43

2. Tent Lines - Para 5 of Unit R.O. No.31 of 15 JUL. 43 is ammended to read:
All tent sides and walls will be rolled up to fullest extent by 0730 hrs.

3. PUNISHMENTS :

NX.162228	Spr. MACK, W.	At Lady Bowen Hostel - Failed to appear at the place of parade appointed by his O.C. Award: Fined £1 by Major T.C.MacMinn 16. 7. 43
Q.151024	Pte. ROBINSON, B.	" " " " " " " " " "
Q.148065	Spr. O'KEEFFE, D.J.	" " " " " " " " "
NX.151739	Spr. DEVENISH, R.	" " " " " " "
Q.146589	Spr. WELLS, H.E.	" " " " " " "
Q.27991	Spr. McGINITY, P.M.	" " " " " " "
QX.42265	Spr. GILMOUR, J.L.	" " " " " " "
Q.125245	Spr. KAROEN, N.R.	" " " " " " "
Q.146590	Spr. WELLS, R.F.	" " " " " " "

(J. West) Capt.

2 i/c, 12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.

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Appendix 4

27 JULY, 43 — UNIT ROUTINE ORDERS. — No. 33

by

MAJOR T.G.MacMINN - OFFICER COMMANDING.

1. RECORD DISCIPLINE - EXCESSIVE SPEEDING. L.of C. R.O. Q.460 - 20 Jul. 43:

(a) Drivers of Mechanical Vehicles apprehended by Provost personnel for exceeding the maximum permissible speeds prescribed in G.R.O. Q.30/43 will ensure that such breach and speed determined is endorsed on Transport Work Ticket A.A.F. C.2 by the member of Provost Corps detecting the offence so that the C.O. of the Unit concerned can take corrective action immediately vehicle is returned to Camp Area.

(b) Instances have occurred where the speeds confirmed with Drivers at the time of apprehension have not coincided with the speeds recorded on the Provost Reports when submitted.

2. SANITARY PAPER:

In future no supplies of Sanitary Paper will be made available except to Troops in New Guinea. The C.Q.M.S. will make arrangements to salvage newspaper, etc. in the Camp and have it cut in to suitable size.

3. AIR MAIL LETTER CARDS AND GREEN ENVELOPES:

Air Mail letter Cards are available at the rate of two per week. These cards can be sent through post at ordinary rates, after Unit Censorship. Green Envelopes are available at the rate of 5 per month, these are not subject to Unit Censorship, but are liable to be censored at Base.

Geo W Pearce Lieut.
(Adjutant)

12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

43/74 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/7/1943. 12 Aust Army Tpt Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
-	-	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
-	-	-	1	Captains					
1	-	-	5	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	-	-	7						

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
QX.45128	Lieut.	Campbell Brown, R	X List in S.M.E. (Ad.) Liverpool	11.7.43	R.T.U. after Course No. 72A.
QX.34746	Lieut	Pearce, G.W.	1 Bn. R.A.E. Trg. Centre	17.7.43	On Transfer.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
QX.45127	Lieut	Chatwood, E.J.	2 A.T.T.D. Sydney	17.7.43	On Transfer.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

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

12 Aust Army Trnsp Coy R.A.E. Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17/7/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.42611	Mac Minn	T.G.	O.C.	yes.		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c.	yes.		
Lieut.	QX.50102	Conrad	M.L.	O. i/c. No 1 Platoon	yes.		
Lieut.	QX.45128	Campbell Brown, R.		O. i/c No 12 [illegible] Pl.	yes.		
Lieut.	QX.34746	Pearce, G.W.		Lieut. [illegible]	yes		
Lieut.	N.429470	Magoffin	R.J.	O. i/c No 2 Platoon	yes		
Lieut.	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	O. i/c No 3 Platoon	yes.		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

17 July 43
Date of Despatch

Certified Correct.
Signature of Commander

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Army Form W.3009 (Adapted) (Page 1) (Revised Jan., 1942.)

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/74 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 17 / 7 /1943 12 Aust. Army Tps Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 12-1 / 17/7 OFFRS. 8 O.R.s. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-	-	-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-	-	-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants	1				
-	-	-	9	Sergeants	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	28	Corporals	A.A.M.C. Postal Unit A.A.C.C.	4	2 A.A.C.C.	-	-
48	-	10	182	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	4	-	-	2
-	-	-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.		-	-	-	-
49	-	11	222.	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		9	2 A.A.C.C.	-	2 A.A.C.C.

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 29 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		A.I.P.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A	108	-	123							231.
	B(1)										
	B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	A.T.T.D.		
1	9 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
22	9 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
2	15 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
3	1 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
3	31 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
14	1 Aust. Mtr. Trg. Bn.		
1	1 Aust. Mt. Inf. Trg. Coy.		
1	R.R.D.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 17 / 7 /1943

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	6	-
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
Panel Benters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
GROUP II.			
Sawyers	2	5	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wiremen			
Woodturners			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	8	8	-
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	-	1	-
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	6	6	-
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	114	90	26

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Benters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	5	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wiremen			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	4	3
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	152	121	36

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
G.P.O. Assistants			
Hammermen			
Leather Stitchers			
Orderlies, Nursing			
Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Plate Layers			
Rangetakers			
Riveters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Stat. Engine	-	1	-
Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Tailors	1	1	-
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
W.O. II	1	1	-
C.Q.M.S	1	1	-
Sjt/Tp	2	1	1
Sgts.	9	9	-
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Batmen	8	5	3
Drivers M.T.	31	24	7
Spy Clerk/Typist	1	1	-
M/Cycle Orderly	1	1	-
Pioneers	43	47	-
Water D/Man	1	1	-
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.M.C. Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. Sgt.	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. O/R	6	4	2
A.A.C.C. Cpls	-	2	-
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269	231 *	51 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reinfts. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

See Back

17 July 43
Date of Despatch

Certified Correct.

Signature of Commander

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NOTE —

1 Tailor is cpl. not allowed on W.E.

1 Draughtsman arch. is Cpl.

47 Pioneers include 26 cpls.

7 A.A.C.C. personnel include 2 Cpls not allowed on W.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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43/75 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday ../../194.. 12 Unit Sig Sqn (Unit)

W.E. 17/12/43. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
-	-	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
-	-	-	1	Captains					
1	-	-	5	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	-	-	7						

	DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	A.	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ../../194..

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

..... Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday ../../194. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.12611	McMinn	T.G.	O.C.	Yes		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c	Yes		
Lieut	QX.50102	Connell	M.E.	O i/c No 1 Pl. Sig	Yes		
Lieut	QX.45129	Campbell-Brown	R.	O i/c Wireless Pl.	Yes		
Lieut	QX.34146	Pearce	G.W.	Lieut Att. 2/4 Bn	Yes		
Lieut	WX.21470	Macpuffen	R.J.	O i/c No 2 Pl.	Yes		
Lieut	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	O i/c No 3 Pl.	Yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

24 July 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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Army Form W.3009 (Adapted)
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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/75 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/7/1943. 12 Aust. Army Tk Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 14/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260+ OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-	-	-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-	-	-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-	-	-	9	Sergeants	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	28	Corporals	A.A.M.C. Pat. Unit A.A.C.C.	4	2 A.A.C.C.	-	-
48	-	8	180	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	5	-	-	1
-	-	-		Civilians counting as O.R.		-	-	-	-
49 *	-	9	220 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		10 *	2 A.A.C.C.	-	1 A.A.C.C. *

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		C.M.F.								
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	109	-	121							230
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
40	7 Army Tk Coy.		
8	A.T.D.		
9	15 A.E.C.		
1	3 I.A.E.C.		
2	1 A.E.C.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Tk Coy. R.A.E. *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 24/7/1943. Appendix 6

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8		8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	6	-
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	35	36	-
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	3	1
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	8	8	-
Fire Control Operators			
GROUP III.			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Hello Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	-	1	-
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	6	6	-
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	114	90	26

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	4	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wiremen			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	4	3
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	152	120	36

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
G.P.O. Assistants			
Hammermen			
Leather Stitchers			
Orderlies, Nursing			
Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Plate Layers			
Rangetakers			
Riveters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine	-	1	-
Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Tailors	1	1	-
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Batmen	8	4	04
Clerks, M.T.	31	25	6
Dvr. M.T. Fmn	1	1	-
M.T. Fmn. Ord	1	1	-
Pioneers	43	46	-
Water Dvr.	1	1	-
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.M.C. Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. Sgt.	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. O/R	6	5	1
A.A.C.C. Cpl.	-	2	-
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	230 *	50 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

See Back.

Certified Correct.

24 July 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

a.w. 6m bks 3/43

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NOTE —

1 Tailor is Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

1 Draughtsman Arch. is Cpl.

46 Pioneers include 2 6 Cpls.

8 A.A.C.C. personnel include 2 Cpls. not allowed on W.E.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 31 / 7 /1943. 12 Aust. Army Tk Coy, R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 17 / 12 / 4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
-	-	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
-	-	-	1	Captains					
1	-	-	5	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	-	-	7						

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		6	1								7.
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces.

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 31 / 7 /1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.12611	MacMinn	T.G.	O.C.	Yes.		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c.	Yes.		
Lieut.	QX.50102	Conrad	M.L.	I. + T. H.Q.	Yes.		
Lieut.	QX.45128	Campbell-Brown	R.	O. i/c. No. 1 E. & M. Pl.	Yes.		
Lieut.	QX.34746	Pearce	G.W.	O. i/c. No. 1 Pl.			
Lieut.	NX.27470	Magoffins	R.J.	O. i/c. No. 2 Pl.	Yes.		
Lieut.	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	O. i/c. No. 3 Pl.	Yes.		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

Certified Correct.

31 July 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

s.w. 3m pads 2/43

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 31 / 7 /1943 . 12 Aust Army Tps Coy, R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 14 / 12 / 4 . OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-	-	-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-	-	-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-	-	-	9	Sergeants	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	28	Corporals	A.A.M.C.; Postal Unit, AACC	4	2 A.A.C.C	-	-
48	-	7	179	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	5	-	-	1
-	-	-		Civilians counting as O.R.					
49 *	-	8	219 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		10 *	2 A.A.C.C	-	1 A.A.C.C.

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 16 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		C.M.F.								
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	110	-	119							229
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
11	1 A.T.T. D.		
1	1 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
40	9 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
2	1 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
4	15 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
1	31 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
1	R.R.D.		
12	1 Aust. Air. Ing. Bns.		
1	1 Aust. Af. Air. Ing. Coy		
1	1 Aust. Gen. Bns.		
1	111 A.G.T. Coy.		
2	112 A.G.T. Coy.		
1	1 Aust. Amec. H.T. Coy		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy, R.A.E. Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 31 / 7 /1943. Appendix 7

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	6	-
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	35	36	-
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	4	-
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	8	7	1
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Hello Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	-	1	-
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	6	6	-
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	114	90	26

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	4	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	5	2
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	152	121	35

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
G.P.O. Assistants			
Hammermen			
Leather Stitchers			
Orderlies, Nursing			
Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Plate Layers			
Rangetakers			
Rivetters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine	-	1	-
Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Tailors	1	1	-
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Batmen	8	4	4
Drivers M.T.	31	24	7
Mtge. Mutchman	1	1	-
M/Cycle Ord.	1	1	-
Pioneers	43	45	-
Water D/man	1	1	-
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
R.A.M.C. Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. Sgt.	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. O/R.	6	5	1
A.A.C.C. Cpls.	-	2	-
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	229 *	50 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reinfts. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

See Back.

Certified Correct.

31 July 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

a.w. 6m blks 3/43

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NOTE —

1 Tailor is Cpl. (not allowed on W.E.)

1 Draughtsman arch. is Cpl.

45 Pioneers include 26 Cpls

8 A.A.C.C. personnel include 2 Cpls not allowed on W.E.

Appendix 8

WORKS REPORT No. 1

July 43

No. 1 Platoon,
12 Aust. Army Tps.Coy.,RAE
TOWNSVILLE.

1. WORKS.

116 A.G.H. Charters Towers - Minor Works.completed by 18 July, 43.

Signals Centre - Stuart - Work progressing satiafactory.

Original Work 70% complete. Estimated time necessary for completion, 5 to 6 weeks.

NOTE: All personnel of the Platoon now employed on this job except as set out below :-

2. PERSONNEL.

Lieut. M.L. Conrad took over command of No. 1 Platoon from Lieut. E.J. Chatwood as from 16 July, 43.

Cpl. McNee and party of eight marched into platoon H.Q. on 19 July from duty at Charters Towers.

3. VISITORS.

Lt. Col. Irwin, 1 Aust. C.R.E. pays occasional visits of inspection.

Lt. Co.l. Hargreaves who is in charge of Signals in the Area is a regular visitor.

4. DISTRIBUTION.

1 Plumber, 2 Painters, 1 Fitter attached to 41 D.C.R.E. (Wks.)

1 Fitter - Sellheim Power House.

2 Electricians - Charters Tower's Powerhouse.

Remainder of Platoon at Stuart.

Attached Personnel:

8 Other Ranks attached for duty from Fortress H.Q.

20 Other Ranks Attached for duty from 1 Aust. Employment Coy.

NOTE. All attached personnel employed at Stuart.

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WAR DIARY.

Unit: 12 AUST. ARMY TROOPS COY., R.A.E. From: 1 Aug. 43 To: 23 Aug. 43.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries etc.
Brisbane	2.8.43		Inspection of Lady Bowen Hostel by G.O.C., Q'land L. of C. Area. Work on this project nearing completion.	Appendix 1. movement " 2 warning order " 3 movement state " 4 warning order " 5 " " " 6/7 overland convoy " 8 details of movement " 9 advice to Records. " 10 Unit movement order " 11 works report " 12/14 W3008. W3009.
Brisbane	7.8.43		Warning order from 1 Aust. C.E. (Works) for movement of H.Q. northwards.	
Brisbane	9.8.43		Copy of warning order sent to No.1 Platoon, Townsville No.3 Platoon, Cairns. Lady Bowen Hostel completed less painting. Attached personnel transferred to 9 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.	
Brisbane	14.8.43		Movement state issued.	
Brisbane	18.8.43		Returned ~~eight~~ army vehicles to Q'land. L. of C. Pools, Trucks 3 ton tipping 2, Vans 1 ton G.S. four. Issued from pool trucks 3 ton G.S. eight in lieu of tipping trucks; Vans G.S. 1 Ton, 9; trucks 3 ton workshop 1.	
Brisbane	21.8.43		Warning order received from G.S., Q'land. L. of C. Area. Advice received from No. 3 Platoon, Cairns that quartering arrangements had been completed. Similar advice received from No.1 Platoon, Townsville.	
Brisbane	22.8.43		Warning order received from G.S., Q'land. L. of C. Area giving details of movement of personnel, Vehicles and stores.	
Brisbane	23.8.43		Packing of War Equipment and loading on to Platoon vehicles in hand. Lady Bowen Hostel project completed, according to plans and specifications handed to this Unit. Balance of work viz., cabaret, landscape gardening, furnishings to be carried out by other units. Additional war equipment consisting of hand tools received from A.O.D., Wallangarra.	

O.C. 12 Army Troops Coy. R.A.E.

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Unit: 12 AUST. ARMY TROOPS COY.,R.A.E. From: 24 Aug. 43 To: 31 Aug. 43.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
Brisbane	24.Aug.43		Additional War Equipment consisting of hand tools,etc., received from A.O.D. Wallangarra.	
Brisbane	26.8.43		Completed issue and packing of War Equipment and stores and loaded same on Platoon trucks. All arrangements completed for company movement. Records Office notified of movement.	
Brisbane	28.8.43	~~1100~~	Road convoy (Lieut. M.L.Connick, QX48763 in charge), departed Grovely 0800 hours for Townsville-Cairns. M.T. loaded on goods train at Exhibition by 1100 hrs.	
		1400	M.T. on goods train departed exhibition for Townsville-Cairns.	
Brisbane	30.8.43	0900	Company parade addressed by 2 Aust.C.R.E.(Works) Lieut.-Col. Young.	
		1000	All personnel departed Grovely by M.T. for L.T.D., Exhibition.	
		1300	O.C., QX42611 Major T.G.MacMinn, and personnel left L.T.D. Exhibition by troop train for Townsville-Cairns.	
	31.8.43		Personnel M.T. and stores en route northwards.	
Townsville			Work carried on by No.1 Platoon during the month was construction of Sig. Operational Centre at Stuart.	
Cairns			Work carried out by No.3 Platoon during month consisted of maintenance work.	
Atherton			Work carried out by detachment from No.3 Platoon consisted of maintenance work.	

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O.C. 12 Army Troops Coy. R.A.E.

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H.Q.,
12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.,
Grovely.
9 Aug. 43.

O.i/c.,
No. 3 Platoon,
12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.,
CAIRNS.

M O V E M E N T.

1. Copy of Movement Order attached for your information.

2. Reception and Quartering: Contact C.R.E. and fix location of H.Q. and Platoon with him, alsomake any preliminary arrangements re camp site that are necessary. Final instructions will follow.

3. Advise ME urgently C.R.E's decision to enable movement controls to be advised at this end.

(T.G.MacMinn) Major.
O.C., 12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.

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Australian Military Forces.

Please quote this Number when replying.

C.E.Q42a/MD.		

Address BRISBANE.
Date 7 Aug. 43.

WARNING ORDER.

(1) A 12 Aust Army Troops Coy R.A.E.

12 Aust Army Troops Coy. R.A.E. will be prepared to move to TOWNSVILLE AND CAIRNS-ATHERTON Area.

(2) Tentative date of movement - 26 Aug. 43.

(3) Move will be made with all Transport, Tentage and W.E.

(4) Distribution of Sub Units

H.Q. Pl.)
No.2 Pl.) CAIRNS AREA.

No.1 E.&M.Pl.)
No.3 Pl.) CAIRNS-ATHERTON Area.
No.2 E.&M.Pl.) TOWNSVILLE.
No.1 Pl.)

(5) Nos.1 & 3 Pls. are already at their stations and will act as advance party.

(6) Administration.

(a) No 2 Pl. will concentrate on training. Platoons will alternate with training & duty.

(b) Attached Personnel - All personnel, will, prior to movement of camp be attached to 9 Aust Army Troops Coy R.A.E.

signed A.E.McCAUSLAND Col.
C.E. 1 Aust Chief Engineer (Wks.)

DISTRIBUTION.

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy. R.A.E.	2 copies.
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A.A.G.	2 "
1 Aust C.R.E.(Wks.)	1 "
2 " " "	1 "
8 " " "	1 "
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12 AUST. ARMY TROOPS COY. R.A.E.

MOVEMENT STATE.

1. LOCATION : location of all troops & vehicles to be moved - GROVELY

2. DATE. : 26. 8. 43.

3. PERSONNEL. : to TOWNSVILLE -Officers - 1
Sgts. - -
O/R. - 32

to CAIRNS Officers - 3
Sgts. - 7
O/R. - 97

4. VEHICLES. to TOWNSVILLE 1 ton Vans - 4
3 ton G.S. - 11
3 " Le Roi Compressor. - 1
3 Ton Workshop Lorries - 2

To Cairns - 1 Ton Vans - 10
3 Ton G.S. - 11
3 " Le Roi Compressor. - 1
3 Ton Workshops - 3
3 " Water Truck - 1
(including Truck out of guage)

5. VEHICLES OUT OF GUAGE - Townsville - 2
Cairns - 3

6. STORES - All Loaded on vehicles.

NOTE: No. advance party
No rear party

Major
(T.G.MacMinn)

O.C., 12 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.,R.A.E.

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H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

09203

21 Aug. 43

12 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.
3 Aust. Movement Control Gp.

WARNING ORDER.

Unit will move to destinations as follows -

(a) TOWNSVILLE

No. 2 E. & M. Platoon

(b) CAIRNS

Unit H.Q.
No. 2 Pl.
No. 1 E. &. M. Pl.

2. No move before 26 Aug. 43

3. Move with tentage and accommodation stores and present unit equipment and vehicles.

4. 3 Aust. Movement Control Gp. will arrange move from BRISBANE to destinations, leaving BRISBANE 26 Aug, or as soon thereafter as possible.

5. Particulars G.R.O. G.318 will be submitted to 3 Aust. Movement Control Gp. by these H.Q.

P. V. O. FLEMING
Lt.-Col.
G.S. Q'land. L. of C. Area.

COPIES:
H.Q. 1 L. of C. Sub-Area.
H.Q. 17 L. of C. Sub-Area.
1 Aust. C.E. Works.
Brig. Adm.
A.A.G.
A.Q.M.G.
D.D.O.S.
D.D.S.T.
D.A.Q.M.G. (Mtce)

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H.Q. Q'land L. of C. Area,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

22 Aug. 43

3 AUST. MOVEMENT CONTROL GP.

MOVE OF 12 AUST. A. TPS. COY.

1. Reference our memo 09203 of 21 Aug. 43.

2. Particulars G.R.O. G.318 are as follows -

(a) For Tpwnsville
1. Grovely Brisbane.
2. 26 Aug. 43.
3. 1 Officer 32 Ors.
4. 4 x 1 ton vans.
4 x 3 ton GS.
1 x 3 ton Le Roi Compressor
2 workshop lorries (out of guage).
5. Nil.

(b) For Cairns
1. Grovely Brisbane.
2. 26 Aug. 43.
3. 3 Officers 7 Sgts. 97 ORs.
4. 10 x 1 ton vans.
11 x 3 ton G.S.
1 ton x 3 ton Le Roi Compressor.
3 Workshop lorries (out of guage)
1 x 3 ton water.
5. Nil.

R.F. HARTIGAN, Major
for Lt.-Col.
G.S. Q'land. L. of C. Area.

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1 Aust. C.E. Works
D.A.Q.M.G. (Mtce.)

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NOMINAL ROLL.

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COY., R.A.E.

BRISBANE - CAIRNS (OVERLAND)

Number	Rank	NAME	VEHICLE	PLATOON
Q.191253	Cpl.	BREESE, C.	56346	No. 1 E. & M. Platoon
QX.52573	Spr.	RAY, F.G.	56346	No. 1 E. & M. Platoon
Q.104822	Cpl.	RYE, A.J.	56292	No. 1 E. & M. Platoon
QX.47414	Spr.	WILLIAMS, J.R.	56292	No. 1 E. & M. Platoon
Q.104836	Spr.	THWAITE, J.K.	73443	H.Q.
QX.48283	Spr.	MARTIN, W.A.	73443	H.Q.
	Lieut.	CONNICK	73198	H.Q.
QX.41931	Spr.	TURNER, R.W.	73198	H.Q.

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NOMINAL ROLL

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COMPANY, R.A.E.

BRISBANE - TOWNSVILLE (OVERLAND)

Number	Rank	NAME	VEHICLE	PLATOON
QX.41914	Cpl.	McNEE, H.C.	56299	No. 2 E. & M. Platoon
~~Q.104836~~	Spr.	~~BOOLEY,~~ ISRAEL J.J.	56299	No. 2 E. & M. Platoon
Q.153274	Spr.	NEILL, A.W.C.	56293	No. 2 E. & M. Platoon
QX.49812	Spr.	HAMILTON, K.E.	56293	No. 2 E. & M. Platoon

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To.....3.....Aust. Movt. Control Gp.

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War Diary

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2 AUST.C.R.E. (Wks)., H.Q. (Formation or Unit)

Date.....24 AUG. 43

DETAILS OF MOVEMENT.

Unit	12 AUST. ARMY TROOPS COY., R.A.E.		
Authority for Movement	Warning Order 09203 H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area.		
	Adv. Party	Main Body	Rear Party
(a) Location	--	BRISBANE	--
(b) Destination	--	TOWNSVILLE	--
Earliest date Unit can move	--	26.8.43	--

Stores etc. which cannot be carried in Vehicles	Adv. Party	Main Body	Rear Party	Total
Stores and Equipment				
(a) Deadweight	--	-	-	--
(b) Cubic feet	--	-	-	--
Cased Ammunition				
(a) Deadweight	--	-	-	--
(b) Cubic feet	--	-	-	--

Composition	Strength			
	Adv. Party	Main Body	Rear Party	Total
(a) Officers	-	1	-	-
(b) Warrant Officers	-	-	-	-
(c) Sergeants	-	-	-	-
(d) Rank and File	-	32	-	-
(e) A.A.N.S.	-	-	-	-
(f) A.W.A.S.	-	-	-	-
(g)				
(h)				
Total all Ranks				

Maximum weight to be lifted by ship's gear.	Adv. Party	Main Body	Rear Party

BRISBANE - TOWNSVILLE.

M. T. Make	M. T. Type	Adv. Party	Main Body	Rear Party	Total	Overall length	Width.	Height (cut down)	Number loaded and Empty	If empty, weight empty each type	If loaded weight loaded each type
INTER. 4 x 2	Van 1 Ton G.S.	-	2	-	2	17' 3"	7' 1"	7' 10"	2	1 - 19 -3 -0	2 - 19 -3 -0
G.M.C. 4 x 4	Lorries 3 Ton Compressor ,	1	1	-	1	18' 6"	7' 6"	8' 6"	1	5 -5 - 3 - 0	5 - 5 - 5 -0
FORD 4 x 2	Vans 1 Ton G.S.	-	2	-	2	17' 6"	7' 0"	7' 6"	2	1 - 19- 3-0	2 -19 -3 - 0
FORD 4 x 2	LORRIES 3 T. G.S.	-	4	-	4	22' 6"	7' 6"	7' 6"	4	2 -17 -3- 0	5 -17- 3 - 0
FORD 4 x 4	LORRIES 3 Ton Workshop	-	2 X	-	2	21' 6"	7' 6"	10' 0"	2	3 - 0- 0- 0	6 - 0- 0- 0
									Total 11		

NOTE: M.C. - B.S.A. - 1 on Vehicle.
X - To be sent by Road.

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H.Q.,
12 Aust.A.Tps.Coy.,R.A.E.,
Grovely.
27 Aug. 43.

Officer-in-Charge,
Q'ld. & N.G. Records Office,
WARWICK.

MOVEMENT.

1. It is advised that as from 0900 hours on Monday 30 Aug. 43 H.Q. of 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. will close at Grovely and will re-open at 0900 hours on Thursday 2 Sep.43 at Freshwater, Cairns.

2. Location of various platoons in this Unit as from 0900 hours on 2 Sep. 43 will be as follows:-

H.Q.	CAIRNS
No. 2 Platoon	CAIRNS
No. 3 Platoon	ATHERTON
No. 1 E & M Platoon	ATHERTON
No. 2 Platoon	TOWNSVILLE
No. 2 E & M Platoon	TOWNSVILLE

3. All communications will be addressed to platoons as above.

(T.G.MacMinn) Major.
O.C.,12 Aust. Army Troops Coy.,R.A.E.

Copies to :-

H.Q., Q'land & N.G.Records Office.
Base Post Office, Brisbane.

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MOVEMENT ORDER. SECRET Copy No. #6

INTENTION 12 Aust Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. will move CAIRNS-TOWNSVILLE less No. 1 & 3 Platoons and attached E & M Platoon personnel on 28/30 Aug. 43.

METHOD

Serial 1 M.T. by road O.C. Party Lieut. Connick 28 Aug.43 Cairns TOWNSVILLE. APPENDIX A.

Serial 2 M.T. by rail QX41949 Sgt. Juster W.R. O.C. Train Party to entrain at Exhibition 28/8/43. Appendix B.

Serial 3 Personnel by Troop Train. O.C. QX42611 Major MacMinn T.G. Train Adjutant QX45128 Lieut. Campbell Brown C. report at L.T.D. 1000 hrs. 30 Aug. 43 for further movement. Appendix C.

Serial 1. Road convoy, out of gauge vehicles will depart GROVELY 0800 hrs Saturday 28 Aug. 43.

~~XXXXXX~~ P.O.L. All vehicles will have petrol tanks and spare containers filled with petrol oil and lubricants. Spare four petrol drums filled to be carried number 40.

Density. 15 v.t.m.

Speed. 18 m.i.h. O.C.Convoy will ensure that all necessary precautions are taken to prevent damage to vehicles by fire or otherwise.

Water. Water bottles and spare containers will be filled with water.

Rounds. All Hotels en route will be out of bounds.

Dress. Working dress.

Personnel equipment and blankets will be loaded on vehicles.

Serial 2. Will report R.T.O. Exhibition Siding at 0800 hrs 28 Aug.43 to be loaded on train.

Personnel will be on travelling allowance and will constitute train guard. O.C. train guard will ensure that all necessary precautions are taken to prevent damage to vehicles by fire or otherwise and stores on vehicles are fully guarded.

Dress. Working dress.

Personnel. Equipment and blankets will be loaded on vehicles.

Serial 3. Tentage, tools, blankets and paliasses will be loaded on vehicles by 0700 hrs. 28 Aug. 43 less on blanket which will be carried by personnel on troop train.

Mess Kits. All ranks including Officers will use own Mess Kit at Railway Refreshment Rooms.

Dress. Service Dress will be worn. Hats khaki fur, full equipment, including respirators, rifles, helmets steel and kit bags will be carried.

Security. Destination will not be communicated to any other than authorised persons directly concerned and from whom action is required.

Meals. A.A.F. 59 will be prepared and completed by train adjutant at Railway Refreshment Rooms. Personnel will enter Refreshment Rooms on instructions ~~fxxx~~ issued by train adjutant.

Discipline. N.C.O's. in carriages will be responsible for maintaining discipline and ensuring Railway Property is not damaged.

Entraining. The draft will report L.T.D.Exhibition at 1000 hrs. 30 Aug. 43 for midday meal and entrain at 1400 hrs.

Rail warrants and meal requisitions will be issued by R.T.O. Exhibition.

Arrival at TOWNSVILLE. on movement of all Serials as arranged by 2/1 Aust. Movement and Training Group A.I.F.

Intercommunication. H.Q. 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy R.A.E. will close GROVELY at 0900 hrs. Monday 30 Aug. 43 and will reopen at 0900 hrs. on Thursday 2 Sep 43 at FRESHWATER, CAIRNS.

Appendices. Appendix A. Road Convoy.
" B. M.T. by rail.
" C. Personnel by troop train.

Distribution.			
	1 Aust.C.R.E.	Copy No.	1
	2 " "	"	" 2
	8 " "	"	" 3
	O.C	"	" 4
	2 i/c.	"	" 5
	Pl. Officers	"	" 6/10
	War Diary	"	" 11/12
	File	"	" 13.

..... O.C.
12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E.

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APPENDIX B. A.

OUT OF GAUGE VEHICLES SCHEDULE.

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DAY	DATE	FROM	TO	MILES	REMARKS
1	28 Aug. 43	BRISBANE	GYMPIE	128	R
2	29 Aug. 43	GYMPIE	BUNDABERG	142	R
3	30 Aug. 43	BUNDABERG	GLADSTONE	144	
4	31 Aug. 43	GLADSTONE	ROCKHAMPTON	86	M R
5	1 Sep. 43	ROCKHAMPTON	EMERALD	178	
6	2 Sep. 43	EMERALD	BELYANDO RIVER	180	
7	3 Sep. 43	BELYANDO RIVER	CHARTERS TOWERS	180	R
8	4 Sep. 43	CHARTERS TOWERS	TOWNSVILLE	93	M R
9	5 Sep. 43	TOWNSVILLE	IENISFAIL	180	R
10	6 Sep. 43	IENISFAIL	CAIRNS	65	

NOTE R - Rations and petrol
M - Maintenance

ORDER OF CONVOY

VEHICLE NO	VEHICLE	TYPE	DESTINATION	DRIVER	REMARKS
73198	GMC 4x2	Van 1 Ton G.S.	Cairns	Lieut. Gennick Spr. Turner, R.W.	O.C.
56346	Ford 4 x 4	Lorry 3 Ton W/shop	Cairns	Cpl. Breese Spr. Ray	
56293	Ford 4 x 4	Lorry 3 Ton W/shop	Townsville	Spr. Neill Spr. Hamilton	
56299	Ford 4 x 4	Lorry 3 ton w/shop	Townsville	Cpl. McRae Spr. Israel	
73443	Chev. 4 x 4	Lorry 3 Ton w/shop	Cairns	Spr. Thwaite Spr. Martin	
56292	Ford 4 x 6	Lorry 3 ton w/shop	Cairns	Cpl. Rye Spr. Williams	Fitter M.T.

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M.T. BY RAIL.

APPENDIX 2A.

M.T. Make	Type	Adv. Party	Main Body	Rear Party	Total	Overall Length	Width	Height (Cut down)	No. loaded & Empty	If empty weight each type	If loaded weight each type.
Inl. 4 x 2	Vans 1ton GS	-	4	-	4	17' 3"	7' 1"	7' 10"	4	1t. 19.3q 1lb.	2.19.3.0
Inl.	Lorry 1ton table top	-	1	-	1	22 6	7 4	7 2	1	1 0 0 0	6 0 0 0
Cpt. 4 x 2	1ton hilts	-	2	-	2	16 1	7 8	7 6	2	2 16 0 0	3 16 0 0
GMC 4x4	Lorries 3ton Comp reasor	-	1	-	1	23 6	7 6	8 4	1	5 5 3 0	5 5 1 0
Ford 4x2	Vans 12cwtGS	-	1	-	1	15 0	6 6	6 5	1	1 10 0 0	2 2 0 0
Ford 4x2	Vans 15cwtGS	-	1	-	1	14 0	6 6	6 6	1	1 12 0 0	2 4 0 0
Ford 4x2	Vans 1tonGS	-	1	-	1	17 6	7 0	7 6	1	1 19 3 0	2 19 3 0
Ford 4x2	Lorries 3ton G.S.	-	10	-	10	22 6	7 4	7 6	10	2 17 3 0	5 17 3 0
Note: M/C B S A 3) Norton 1) on vehicles.									21 Total.		

Inl. 4x2	Vans 1tonGS	-	2	-	2	17' 3"	7' 1"	7' 10"	2	1 19 3 0	2 19 3 0
GMC 4x4	Lorries 3ton Compressor	-	1	-	1	18 6	7 6	8 6	1	5 5 3 0	5 5 1 0
Ford 4x2	Vans 1ton GS	-	2	-	2	17 6	7 0	7 6	2	1 19 3 0	2 19 3 0
Ford 4x2	Lorries 3 ton GS	-	4	-	4	22 6	7 6	7 6	4	2 17 3 0	5 17 3 0
Note: M/C B.S.A. one on vehicle									9 Total		
									30 Gd.total		

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PERSONNEL BY TROOP TRAIN — APPENDIX C.

PLATOONS	OFFICERS	OTHER RANKS	DESTINATION
H.Q.	2	~~XX~~ 19	CAIRNS
No. 1 E. & M.	-	24	CAIRNS
No. 2 E. & M.	1	12	TOWNSVILLE
NO. 1 PLATOON	-	13	TOWNSVILLE
No. 2 PLATOON	1	29	CAIRNS
No. 3 PLATOON	-	1	CAIRNS

Appendix II

12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COMPANY, R.A.E. (Sth. Q'land. Area Only)

JOBS IN PROGRESS

9. 8. 43

PLACE	Job	No. of MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX. DATE OF COMPLETION	REMARKS
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL	"A" BLOCK	Carpenters 6 Plumbers & Drainers 8 Bricklayers 2 Pioneers 8 Painters 18 Plasterers 1	Complete " " " " "	Completed " " " " "	Some extras to do. Men marching out during coming week.
	"B" BLOCK	Carpenters 4 Plumbers & Drainers 4 Bricklayers 3 Painters 8 Plasterers 1 Pioneers 6	Complete " " " " "	Completed " " " " "	Some extras to do. Men marching out during coming week.
	"C" BLOCK	Carpenters 6 Plumbers & Drainers 2 Plasterers 3 Painters 3 Pioneers 4	95% "	15. 8. 43 "	Complete, excepting Kitchen Equipment and Painting. Electric Hoist ready for machinery

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12 AUSTRALIAN ARMY TROOPS COMPANY, R.A.E.

REPORT CONTINUED

9. 8. 43.

PLACE	JOB	No. of MEN	P.C. DONE	APPROX. DATE OF COMPLETION.	REMARKS
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL 66	Huts:- Officers, A.W.A.S. O.R's. Kitchen Male Sleeping Qtrs.	Carps. 4 Pioneers 1	Complete "	Completed "	Excluding internal Painting (extra)
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL	A.W.A.S. Sleeping Qtrs.	Carps. 6 Pioneers 2	Complete	Completed	Excluding internal Painting (extrea)
LADY BOWEN HOSTEL	A.W.A.S. W.C. and Showers	Carps. 3	Complete	completed	Some extras being done. To finish on 12. 8. 43.

Major
(T.G.MacMinn)
O.C. 12 Aust. Army Tps. Coy.,R.A.E

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

43/77 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7/8/1943. 12 Aust. Army Tps. Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 plus OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
-	-	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
-	-	-	1	Captains					
1	-	-	5	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	-	-	7						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E[1] & E[2].

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
E.[1]											
E.[2]											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	REMARKS [e.g. present whereabouts if known].

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy. R.A.E. Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7/8/1943. (Total to Agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit [insert Yes or No]	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.42611	Mac Minn	T.G	O C	yes		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c	yes		
Lieut	QX.50102	Conrad	M.L.	Lt att HQ	yes		
Lieut	QX.45128	Campbell-Brown	R	O.i/c. No 2 E&M Pl.	yes		
Lieut	QX 34746	Pearce	G W.	O.i/c. No 1 Pl.	yes		
Lieut.	N429470	Magoffin	R.J.	O.i/c No. 2 Pl.	yes		
Lieut	TX.6388	Jones, E.H		O.i/c. No 3 Pl	yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

7 Aug. 43.
Date of Despatch

Certified Correct.
Signature of Commander

First Aust Army Mob Print Unit—A72—62½M—5/43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/77 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 8 /1943. 12 Aust A Tps Coy R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. IV / 12/ 4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-	-	-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-	-	-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-	-	-	9	Sergeants	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	28	Corporals	A.A.M.C. Postal unit, A.A.C.C.	4	2 A.A.C.C.	-	-
48	-	7	179	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	4	-	-	2
-	-	-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.		-	-	-	-
49 *	-	8	219 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		9 *	2 A.A.C.C.	-	2 A.A.C.C.

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		C.M.F.								
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	109	-	119							228
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust. A.Tps Coy		
33	9 Aust. A. Tps Coy		
5	15 Aust. Emp. Coy		
1	R.R.D.		
16	1 Aust. Air. Inf. Bde		
1	1 Aust. Mt. Air. Inf. Coy.		
4	1 Aust. Garr. Bn.		
1	111 A.G.T.		
1	1 Aust. Amm. M.T. Coy		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy., R.A.E. Unit

Appendix K

Army Form W.3009
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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 7 / 8 /1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	2	2	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	2	4	Painters	8	7	1	Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	3	1					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	6	6	-					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine	-	1	-
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	4	-	Storemen, Technical	7	5	2
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	-
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-	Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers	3	2	1	Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1	Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	35	36	-	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners				W.O. II	1	1	-
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								C.Q.M.S.	1	1	-
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	4	-					S/Sgts.	2	1	1
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator								Sgts.	9	9	-
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2	Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	8	7	1								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Batmen	8	4	4
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Miners M.T.	31	24	7
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	7	5	2	Hyg. Buttymen	1	1	-
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				M/Cycle Ord.	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Pioneers	43	45	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Water D/man	1	1	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	6	5	1				
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				A.A.M.C. Cpl	1	1	-
Pattern Maker				Masons	-	1	-	Driver Mechanics				A.A.C.C. Sgt.	1	1	-
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				A.A.C.C. O/R	6	4	2
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1	Engine Hands, I.C.	12	8	4	A.A.C.C. Cpl.	-	2	-
Photowriter				Miners	6	6	-	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	8	8	-	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors	1	-	1	Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18	CARRIED FORWARD	114	90	26	CARRIED FORWARD	152	121	35	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A, respectively.	269 *	228 *	51 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reinfts. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

See Back.

Certified Correct.

7 Aug. 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

a.w. 6m bks 3/43

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NOTE —

1 Tailor is Cpl. (not allowed on W.E.)

1 Draughtsman arch. is Cpl.

45 Pioneers include 26 Cpls.

7 A.A.C.C. personnel include 2 Cpls. not allowed on W.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43/78 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 14 / 8 /1943. 12 Aust. A.Tps. Coy R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 14 / 12 / 44. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-	-	-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-	-	-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
-	-	-	9	Sergeants	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	28	Corporals	A.A.M.C.; Postal Unit AAEC	4	1 A.A.C.C	-	-
48	-	5	177	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	4	-	-	1
-	-	-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.					
49 *	-	6	217 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		9 *	1 A.A.C.C	-	1 AACC

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		C.M.F.							
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A	112	-	114							226.
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust. A. Tps. Coy		
1	1 Aust. Ap. Air Tng. Coy.		
4	1 Aust. Corps. Coy.		
1	3 Aust. Emp. Coy		
1	R.R.D.		
4	15 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
4	1 A.T.T.D.		
2	112 A.G.T.		
1	111 A.G.T.		
1	113 A.G.T.		
1	1 Aust. Cor. Coy.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy, R.A.E. Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 14 / 8 /1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	6	-
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)	1	-	1
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	4	2
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	31	18

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers.			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	35	36	-
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	4	4	-
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	8	7	1
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Hello Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons	-	1	-
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	6	5	1
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	114	89	27

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	8	7	1
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	4	-
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers	3	2	1
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	7	6	1
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	6	5	1
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	12	7	5
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	152	120	36

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
G.P.O. Assistants			
Hammermen			
Leather Stitchers			
Orderlies, Nursing			
Orderlies, Nursing Menial			
Plate Layers			
Rangetakers			
Riveters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Stat. Engine	-	1	-
Storemen, Technical	7	6	1
Tailors	1	1	-
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	3	-
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Batmen	8	5	3
Drivers M.T.	31	23	8
Engr. Draftsman	1	1	-
M/Cycle Disd.	1	1	-
Pioneers	43	43	-
Water D/man	1	1	-
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Postal Cpl.	1	1	-
A.A.M.C Cpl	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. Sgt	1	1	-
A.A.C.C. Cpls	1	2	-
A.A.C.C. O/R	5	4	1
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	269 *	226 *	50 *

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised trades or specialists not included in list will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.S. personnel are desired show details on back.
(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
(e) Where any request or notation is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be written in one of the blank spaces on this page.

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Certified Correct.

14 August 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

a.w. 6m bks 3/43

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NOTE —

1 Draughtsman arch. is Cpl.
1 Tailor is Cpl. (not allowed on W.E.)
43 Pioneers include 2 Cpls.
6 Clerks include 1 Cpl.
6 Storemen Tech. include 1 Cpl.
7 A.A.C.C. personnel include 1 Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

43/78 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 14/8/1943. 12 Aust Army Tps Coy. RAE (Unit)

W.E. IV/12/41 OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 plus OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
-	-	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
			1	Captains					
1	-	-	5	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	-	-	7						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E[1]& E[2].

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.	—	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
E.[1]											
E.[2]											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
** Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	REMARKS [e.g. present whereabouts if known].

12 Aust. Army Troops Coy RAE Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 14/8/1943 (Total to Agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit [insert Yes or No]	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.42611	Mac Minn	T.G.	O.C	yes.		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c.	yes		
Lieut.	QX.50102	Conrad	M.L.	Lt. att. H.Q.	yes.		
Lieut.	QX.45128	Campbell-Brown,	R.	O.i/c. No.2 E.M. Pl.	yes		
Lieut.	QX.34746	Pearce	G.W.	O.i/c No.1 Pl.	yes		
Lieut	N.429470	Magoffin	R.J.	O.i/c. No.2 Pl.	yes		
Lieut.	TX.6388	Jones,	E.H.	O.i/c. No.3 Pl.	yes.		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

Certified correct.

14 Aug. 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

First Aust Army Mob Print Unit—A72—52½M—5/43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 21 / 8 / 1943 . 12 Aust. Army Troops Coy. R.A.E. 43/79 (Serial No.) (Unit)

W.E. 17 / 12 / 4 . OFFRS. 8 O.R's 260 plus OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

PART A.—POSTED STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
-	-	-	-						
-	-	-	1	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	1	Majors					
1	-	-	5	Captains					
-	-	-	-	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	-	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	-	-	7						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E[1]& E[2].	DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A.		6	1								7
	E.[1]											
	E.[2]											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.
* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces; 10 N.Z. Forces

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO ..... (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	REMARKS [e.g. present whereabouts if known].

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 21 / 8 / 1943 (Total to Agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A).

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit [insert Yes or No]	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Major	QX.42611	MacMinn	T.G.	O.C.	Yes		
Captain	QX.45125	West	J.E.	2 i/c.			
Lieut	QX.50102	Conrach	M.L.	Ft. Offr. H.Q.			
Lieut.	QX.45123	Campbell-Brown	R.	O.i/c. No.2 E.v.M. Pl.			
Lieut.	QX.34746	Pearce	G.W.	O.i/c. No.1 Pl.			
Lieut	N.429470	Magoffin	R.J.	O.i/c. No.2 Pl.			
Lieut.	TX.6388	Jones	E.H.	O.i/c. No.3 Pl.			

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.

Certified Correct.

21 August 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 21/8/1943. 12 Aust. A.Tps. Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 14/12/4. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 260 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 9 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
-	-	-	-	W.Os. Class I.					
-	-	-	1	W.Os. Class II.					
-	-	-	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
1	-	-	8	Sergeants	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-
-	-	1	28	Corporals	A.A.M.C. Postal Unit, A.A.C.C	4	1 A.A.C.C	-	-
49	-	5	176	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	4	-	-	1
-	-	-	-	Civilians counting as O.R.					
51 *	-	6	215.	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		9 *	1 A.A.C.C	-	1 A.A.C.C.

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for compilation of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

* * Personnel belonging to a category not provided for in the analysis will be shown in this Col. Particulars will be shown, e.g., 20 U.K. Forces, 10 N.Z. Forces.

Detail		C.M.F.			A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.								
A	110	-	114								224.
B(1)											
B(2)											

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	1 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.	1	1 Aust. Aust. H.T. Coy.
2	9 Aust. A.Tps. Coy.		
1	1 Aust. Ap. Aus. Eng. Coy.		
7	1 Aust. Air. Eng. Bn.		
3	1 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
2	9 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
6	15 Aust. Emp. Coy.		
2	111 A.G.T. Coy.		
1	112 A.G.T. Coy.		
1	114 A.G.T. Coy.		
1	R.R.D.		
2	1 A.T.T.D.		
1	1 Aust. Amb. Car Coy.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 21/8/1943.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners			
Armament Artificer Fitter			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.E.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	8	-	8
Blacksmiths	4	3	1
Bricklayers	6	6	-
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)	1	1	-
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)	W.O.		
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	6	6	-
Fitters (Gun)			
Fitters (Instrument)			
Fitters (M.V.)			
Fitters, Railway Signal			
Fitters, Signals			
Grinder, Precision			
Mechanics, Instrument			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)			
Mechanics, Radio			
Mechanics, Typewriter			
Mechanics, Wireless			
Millwrights			
Operators, Excavator	6	2	4
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	8	8	-
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors	1	-	1
CARRIED FORWARD	49	33	16

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering			
Surveyors, B.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	2	2
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	2	4

NOTE —

1 Draughtsman Arch 1 Cpl.

1 Tailor 1 Cpl. (not allowed on W.E)

42 Pioneers include 2 Cpls.

6 Clerks include 1 Cpl.

6 Storemen Tech include 1 Cpl.

7 A.A.C.C. personnel include 1 Cpl. not allowed on W.E.

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