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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF. Date and Time.—From 1 July, 43 To 31 July, 43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Corps Dump. Port Moresby Base Area.	3		Lieut R.S.Gerney attached from 12 CRE.(Works). posted to 2/4 Fd Sqn and marched out this day.	R.O.'s, W 3008
	8		Erection of Recreation hut for the use of Unit Personnel, commenced.	W 3009.
	9		Production of blast bombs for use in forward areas, commenced. These seem to be the answer for the operational work of digging out the enemy. A section of Bomb Disposal Unit attached for duties for bomb production. Output 300 per day. 1%	
	10		Increase in fevers noticed. 1% All other sickness kept well in check, by strict sanitation and hygeine control within Unit. Condition of camp favourably commented on by in-specting hygeine officers.	
	12		Ilolo Mill now producing 3000 super feet of timber per day. Thisis an increase of 2000 super since mill was taken over by Unit.	
	15		All firefighting appliances, within area, inspected and found to be in good order and condition.	
	17		Laying of new water main through camp commenced. The intention is to supply all sections with showers and washing water.	
	18		Mechanical Equipment and W.E. of 2/1 M.E.Coy taken over by this Unit owing to 2/1 M.E.Coy returning to ma inland.	
	21		Ten Tradesmen , on "X" List from engineer units, attached from N.G.F.Bridging Park owing to pressure of work on hand.	
	22		Leave has been officially granted to personnel of this Unit who have been on the island 12 months or more. The first 12 marched out this morning.	
	23		Arrangements made whereby all engineer tradesmen on "X" List and at Bridging Park, to be attached to this Unot to help cope with increased work on hand.	

201—N.G.F.P.S.—5/43/10m.

[signature] Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
by
MAJOR J. CARTER
O.C. 59 AUST.CORPS FD PK COY. AIF.

30 July 43.

270. Drinking Water.

Section Commanders are responsible that personnel in their area consume water from Drinking Water Tanks only.

When tanks (or tank) are empty Section Commanders will notify Orderly N.C.O. who will then collect filling cock handle from Q.M.S. and refill tank with water. R.A.A.F. Cpl. will ensure that the correct amount of Chlorinating Powder for the chlorination of the tank water is issued to the Orderly N.C.O. Q.M.S. on demand will issue a sufficient supply of Chlorination Powder to the Orderly and R.A.A.F. N.C.O. for camp use only.

271. Spilling the Good Oil.

(No. 5 of a Series of Anti-Waste messages issued by direction of C.-in-C.)

What's a cupful of petrol anyway? Well. two cupfuls equal one pint, and if every vehicle inthe Australian Army wastes a pint of petrol a week through careless filling or over-filling, more than 550,000 gallons a year is lost.

In our Army today it is the individual saving which counts, whether in petrol, or clothing, or food, or anything else we use. No matter how small that individual saving may be appear to be, the aggregate, when measured in terms of our total strength, is enormous.

Here's another slant on petrol economy in our Army. If every vehicle were saved 15 miles of running per week, the yearly petrol saving would exceed 5,000,000 gallons - plus 21,000 tyres - plus lubricants and replacement parts. Would anyone dare deny that a better organisation of vehicle work, - a more careful or intelligent allotment of G.1 orders - could result in this saving, or even greater savings.

There is a shortage of petrol in the world today, and an even more serious shortage of tankers. Waste of petrol - even by the cupful - is sabotage of our war effort.

A/Deputy Lieut Col
Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy. AIF.

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ROUTINE ORDERS 24 July,43
BY
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267. Red Cross Stores.

(G.R.O. A 298 of 19 July,43 is reprinted here below.)

Under no circumstances will stores marked with the Australian Red Cross Society label be purchased or offerred for sale. Red Cross goods are provided free for the benefit of the sick and wounded.

268. Aerated Water Factory - Empty Bottles.

(G.R.O. Q 302 of 19 July,43 is reprinted here below.)

(i) Considerable difficulty is being experienced in obtaining sufficient empty bottles for bottling aerated waters , thus retarding production.

(ii) Units will advise personnel that all empty bottles suitable for this purposewill be collected and handed in to Canteen Issuing Points or Salvage.

(iii) Units are advised that unless empty bottles are returned at the time of drawing fresh supplies, it may not be possible to meet unit requirements.

269. Anti-Waste.

(No. 4 of a series of Anti=waste messages issued by direction ofC-in-C

"BOOTS,BOOTS,BOOTS" ------- and SOCKS!

" A soldier is no better than his feet, his feet, his feet,"reiterates Kipling. "Feet" means boots and socks, and care of these is not only an important part of soldierly training- it is an important saving of the country's manpower effort. One pair of boots saved per man per year totals more than half a million pairs for our Army. Two pairs of socks saved means a million pairs less to manufacture. Both savings are within the bounds of possibility.
The principle cause of boot wastage is failure to repair at an early stage- before the inner sole is worn. This can be prevented by proper care at regular kit inspection.

Socks are wasted by failure to repair at the first sign of a hole, and by laundering in too hot water which causes shrinkage. Civilian assistance for sock mending can always be obtained in settled areas , and all troops must be instructed in the correct method of washing socks.

Signed John Carter Major.
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd PkCoy.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES — NEW GUINEA FORCE

Headquarters

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS
BY
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O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF.

23 July 43

266. REQUEST HOUR.

Request hour will be held every Sunday morning immediately following Church Parade.

(G.R.S. A492 of 2 July,43 is printed below.)

Request Hour.

1. This order seeks 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 AWL rate ;

(c) to reduce the numbers 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 of a soldiers personnel service of his domestic background ;

(f) to provide an "off the record " informatio Bureau ;

(g) to provide an army social service.

2. (a) In most units, the relation between officers and other ranks are such that any grievances or problems which is troubling an other rank is satisfactorily solved, either through normal channels of complaint laid down in A R M O 289 or by informal contact between the man concerned and his sub unit commander.

(b) Occasionally, however, the frequent changes of officers and men and the dispersal of some units make it more difficult for officers and men to get to know each other as thoroughly and quickly as desirable. In such cases, other ranks are at a loss when they wish , not to make a formal complaint, but to obtain information informally on some matter. As a result a number of soldiers Difficulties, which could and sheul dbe resolved in the unit,are received at L H Q in the form of complaint through irregular channel

3. (a) Company etc. commanders will see request men daily in accordance with the customs of the service and subject to operational emergencies.

(b) All Units and organisations, including units etc. of woman's services and all detachments will in addition institue forthwith a weekly request hour - a period during which an officer is available for informal consultation of all ranks.

4. (a) The exact method of execution of this order must rest with commanding officers. In fighting units the close association of officers and men and the direct responsibility of platoon etc. commanders for the welfare of the men minimises the problem. In units of the services the organisation in general does not offer the same contacts.Training Units, General Duties Depots , Recruit Reception Depots, Leave and Transit Depots, and large Headquarters need particular care.

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(b) Whatever method is adopted, however, the following principle will be observed :-

(i) In every squadron, battery, company or equivilent sub unitwill be a period in the week in which another rank may see an officer on any personnal or service matter, other than a formal complaint. The time and place will be published in the weekly training programme or standing orders.

(ii) Access to the officer must be direct, without the requirements of previous notification or permission from a warrant or non-commissioned officer.

(iii) The interview should not take place in the sub units office and should be entirely informal.

6. The object of this order and the unit etc. arrangements to comply with it will be explained to all ranks on parade. This proceedure will be repeated from time to time as a continious offer always open for acceptance.

7. So far as it is possible, the officer himself should deal with questions raised at request hours. If the matter is one that should be raised as a formal complaint (e.g. because it involves a complaint against another soldier or superior), he should tell the soldier that it must be raised and if necessary explain the proper channel.

7. The following are typical of the matters which will be raised by soldiers at the request hour :-

(a) Considerations affecting the welfare of the soldiers family Requests for leave to join his family to adjust difficulties will usually be associated with requests of this nature.

(b) Straight out applications for compassionate leave.

(c) Applications for a transfer to home states on compassionate grounds.

(d) Legal Problems affecting the soldiers private affairs.

8. In dealing with problems associated with family welfare, the object should be to have the soldier assisted by the following agencies ; rather than leave his unit to attend them personnely :-

(a) <u>The Family Welfare Organisations now operating most effectively in each state.</u>

These organisations have available trained social service personnel capable of executing the most intimate investigations without offence. Reference to these agencies may be made direct by commanding officers or through Amenity Service Channels, as required by the bureaux referred to above are as follows :-

(i) Queensland.
Mothercraft Association War Auxiliary
Victoria Chambers,
Queen Street ,
Brisbane.

(ii) New South Wales.
Family Welfare Bureau
Cnr. Martin Place & Phillips Str.,
Sydney.

(iii) Victoria.

(i) Victorian Fighting Forces Welfare Service.

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(3) Victoria.

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

(ii) A.I.F. Women's Association
437 Collins Street,
Melbourne.

(4) South Australia.

Fighting Forces Family Welfare Bureau.
24 James Place,
Adelaide.

(5) Western Australia.

Family Welfare Bureau,
C.T.A. Buildings,
Perth.

(6) Tasmania.

A.C.F. Welfare Centre.
A.C.F. Building,
131 Collins Street,
Hobart.

(b) The Australian Army Chaplain's Department - Morale Section.

Soldiers may prefer or the circumstances may indicatethe Chaplaincy as a more appropriate channel of investigation and report for the information of the soldier on questions affecting his family. A morale section is now organised in the office of the Chaplain General at L.H.Q. (477 St. Kilda Rd., Melbourne.) On the recommendation of the chaplain, the commanding officer will send his report direct to the DAAG (CSD),477 St Kilda Rd.,Melbourne, when the required investigation will becarried out by the clergy in the parish of the soldier's family, as directed by the Chaplain-General concerned. After investigations, reports will be conveyed direct to the commanding officer by the DAAG (CSD). Detailed instructions to chaplains are being issued by the office of the Chaplain-General, but applications may be made forthwith through this channel. Particulars should include number, rank, name, religion, unit and age of the soldier together with the home address of his next of kin etc.

(c) In dealing with applications for legal assistance, the following should be borne in mind:-

(i) The free service provided by visiting legal representatives from the institutions listed in para. 7 of GRO A 272/ 43.

(ii) The utilisation of the army legal service, the nearest member of which is available to advise as required by the commanding officers.

9. Reports
Armies, Field Forces, L of C Areas,etc., will render to LHQ, for the information of the commander-in-chief, quarterly reports on the operation of this order. Reports will be brief, but should indicate to which the troops have availed themselves of the request hour and an analysis of the subject matter brought forward.

Signed John Carter Major.
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy. AIF.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
BY
MAJOR J CARTER
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy. A.I.F.

21 July. 43.

265. EXTRACT FROM N.G.F. ORDER 10/7/43.

ON TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION NO. 57.

1. A noticeable slackening of work, lack of discipline and absence of Regimental bearing has been noticed in R.A.E. Units in recent weeks.

2. The main faults observed are:-

(a) A tendency to carry out work at the slowest possible rate with prolonged rest periods which sometimes exceed the work period.

(b) Unshaven and unkept appearance of troops.

(c) Failure to pay compliments to Officers.

3. It should be borne in mind that Sapper Units are expected to set an example as regards working parties and discipline. The reputation for efficiency built up by the Sappers in the Middle East was earned by hard work and rigid discipline. The loss of this reputation by slackness in New Guinea will not be tolerated.

4. It is directed that the attention of all ranks be drawn to these matters on parade. Disciplinary action will be taken in future cases and the officer, N.C.O., or Sapper i/c of the working party will be held responsible.

John Pickett Carter Major.
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
BY
MAJOR J CARTER
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF

18 July 43

263. ANTI WASTE MESSAGES NO? 3

Giving Rubber to the Jap.

Waste of rubber is the equivalent of giving rubber to the Jap - and he already holds 90% of the world's rubber plantations. Shortage of supply in this vital sinew of war is the biggest raw material problem facing the Allies.

Rubber is being wasted every day in the Army through neglect of preventative maintenance and bad driving. Such waste is sabotage of our war effort . It must be prevented by disciplining transport personnel to obey the regulations laid down for driving and maintenance. The principle causes of tyre wastage are :-

Under inflation. The commonest fault of all - and the worst, especially in conjunction with overloading. Causes a racking of walls which makes tyres useless for retreading. A recent check of several units showed that out of 957 tyres tested , only 152 were correctly inflated.

High Speed. -,also - vicious acceleration - sudden braking.

Tread too far worn. If tyre is removed immediately tread pattern disappears it can be recapped. If too far worn, complete retreading is necessary, entailing the use of much more rubber.

GET DOWN ON FAST ~~XXXXXX~~ OR ROUGH DRIVING.

KEEP A CHECK ON TYRE PRESSURES

LOOK OUT FOR WORN TYRES.

264. Gas Capes

Gas capes will be aired for a period of not less than 4 Hours every aWednesday Morning.

Major
O C 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Cot AIF.

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BY

MAJOR J CARTER
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd HK Coy., AIF

16 JULY, 42

260. DRESS

All personnel leaving Coy Area will be correctly dressed. Australians should be proud of their Army and should cultivate pride in their appearance and military bearing. It should not be necessary to obtain observance of this rule by punishment.

261. ANTI MALARIAL PRECAUTIONS

The attention of all ranks is drawn to paragraph 15 of Coy Standing Orders which reads as follows :- " From 1800 hrs daily all ranks will wear slacks and gaiters , shirt sleeves rolled down and buttoned at the wrist."

262. LABELLING OF PACKAGES

Small packages ~~with~~ such as Bell's Wax Vestas Tins etc., must have an addressed label attached before they will be accepted for mailing.

J Bm Carter
Major
O C 59 Aust Corps Fd HK Coy AIF

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O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy. AIF

14 July 43

258. Attention is drawn to para 1 Appendix "D" of company standing orders which reads :- " A night picquet, consisting of a picquet commander and 6 members is mounted at 1800 hrs daily". etc.

No exemption will be made to this rule. Section Sgts will ensure that substitute picquets are detailed in the event of a picquet workingout of camp or detained on work within the camp, area.

Sunday night picquets will in future be drawn from personnel confined to camp.

259. Water for drinking purposes will be drawn ONLY FROM DRINKING WATER TANKS. Location of drinking water tanks are as follows:-

Drinking Water Only

1. Kitchen - Concert Party, Workshops
2. R A P - RAP (tap) and Transport
3. Officers Mess
4. E & M - E & M, L SA D 7 & 2/1 M E Coy.
5. Carpenters Shop - Sawmill, Carpenters, Field Stores.

John [illegible] for Major
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy AIF.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS 10 July,43.
BY
MAJOR. J. CARTER.
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY.,AIF.

255. APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS, etc.

NX 123154 Spr. Mangan. S. Appointed L/Cpl. 7 July,43.

256. VEHICLE TRAFFIC - WARD'S DROME.

(N.G.F. Order A 282 is reprinted here below.)

No vehicle will enter WARD'S DROME or use the drome as a highway, unless on duty specifically requiring it to do so.

257. ANTI - WASTE.

(No.2 of a series of Anti-Waste messages issued by C-in-C is reprinted here below.)

Do you ever look in the garbage tin?

The supply of food for the Armed forces of Australia and our Allies is one of today's greatest problems, and wastage of any kind of foodstuff must be prevented. An occasional examination of the garbage tins provides a good check on food wastage, which, when it occurs, is due mainly to carelessness or lack of intelligence of cookhouse staff or mess orderlies. Here are some hints on how to read the riddle of the Garbage tin:-

(a) Potato Peelings: G.R.O. Q 610/42 states potatoes must be scrubbed and cooked in their skins,(the part immediately under the skin is a principal source of Vitamin C). Frequently this order is disobeyed and much of the potato is wasted bu careless people. Look also for the sound tubers thrown into tne tin by weary "spud barbers" who occasion--ally reduce their task by disposing of them in this manner.

(b) Bread: The prescence of bread in garbage tins can usually be traced to mess orderlies placing too much on the tables, especially at meals where vegetables are served. Bread slices should be of medium thickness and cut diagonally.

(c) Cabbage Leaves: Cooks are instructed to remove discoloured leaves only. Too frequently several layers are removed- amounting to 25% , or more, of the cabbage- and these green outer leaves contain more vitamin and food value than the blanched heart.

Frequent and unannounced inspections should be made by an officer or trustworthy N.C.O. when unit garbage tins are being emptied.

J. Carter

Major

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS
BY
MAJOR.J. CARTER.
O.C.59 AUST CORPS FIELD PARK COY.,(A.I.F.)

6 July,43.

253. ISSUE OF PISTOLS AND BINOCULARS.

(Memo from DA & QMG, New Guinea Force is reprinted here below.)

It is directed that pistols on issue to personnel in the Moresby Area should be withdrawn from their possession and maintained in Unit armouries.

Safeguard of the weapons while in armouries is Unit responsibility. They will be maintained available for immediate issue at all times and may be drawn from armouries as required, or as directed by C.O's.

Provisions of suitable accomodation and proper functioning of of armouries is the responsibility of the C.O.

While in the possession of personnel, pistols will be kept in the immediate personal possession of the individual at all times except in cases when it is expedient to place them temporarily in the custody of a properly posted guard.

When lanyards are not available for issue units will provide suitable substitutes from their own resourses.

254. "SOLDIERING ON".

(An extract from a memoraddum to C.O's concerning the above is reprinted here below.)

Should any member of the Unit believe that his order has not been delivered, enquiries will gladly be made. It would be appreciated, however, if it could be made clear whether the member has been definitely advised that the book has not been delivered or is jumping to the conclusion that delivery has not been made simply because the addressee has not advised him of receipt. This request is made , as up to the present we have found in nearly every case of non-delivery that the addressee has actually received the book.

In investigating a report of non-delivery it is necessary for us to know the member's Army number; if he has another number this should also be given. It is also of assistance, although not essential, that the number of the Unit schedule under cover of which the order was sent to this Section should be quoted.

Major.
O.C. 59 Aust Corps. Fd Pk Coy.,AI

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS 11 July,43.
by
MAJOR.J. CARTER.

O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FIELD PARK COY.,A.I.F.

250. MALARIA CONTROL.

(N.G.F. Order A 269 of 28 June,43 is reprinted here below.)

(1) New Guinea Force Administrative Instruction No.92 of 19 April 43 para 9 is amended as follows:-
(2) In Moresby Base Area and Aust Sub-Base Milne Bay all tents and huts shall be closed and sprayed with mosquito spray between 2000 and 2200 hrs on three nights a week. The tents should be closed during spraying and for 20 minutes after spraying. Half an ounce of mosquito spray is sufficient for one 12 x 14 tent.
(3) In all other respects Para 9 of New Guinea Force Instruction No.92 of 19 April,43 will beobserved.

251. REGIMENTAL FUNDS.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditure.

Receipts to 30 June,43. - £ 174-7-5. Expenditure - £ 44-15-1

Balance at 30 June,43 - £ 129-12-4.

252. ANTI-WASTE.

(No.1 of a Series of Anti-waste messages issued with G.R.O's by C-in-C for the guidance of Commanding Officers).

A Special Order by the Commander-in-Chief, issued recently, dealt with the need for avoiding waste of material and manpower in the Australian Army. It concludes with the following injunction :-

> "It is the special and immediate duty of every officer and soldier to take whatever action within his authority to prevent wasteful diversion of national resources ..... and to establish the Australian Army as a national model in wartime economy as well as in the already proven qualities of service and sacrifice."

Everything used by our Army-food, clothing, housing (whether tents or hutments), equipment of every kind - requires manpower to produce and Australia is extremely short of manpower. All this splendid material can be made to go much further, or last longer, if every member is educated to treat it as though it is his own personal property, as though he had bought it and is responsible for its repair and replacement when damaged or worn out. It must bee brough home to all ranks that care of Army property is a high form of patriotism, that neglect, whether willful or careless, is a sabotage of our war effort.

Today the training of our forces to be economy-minded is second in importance only to training for battle. Most of our men will respond well to an appeal for economy when they are shown how and why. Those who wont must be disciplined to do so.

Waste MUST be avoided. It WILL be avoided when excutive officers of Units get the habit of keeping a look-out for signs of waste and taking prompt action to prevent.it.

Major.
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,(AIF)

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Headquarters

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

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PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	I G HANLON	RAE 1 AUST	SME (FD) COURSE 9/13
LIEUT	H N DEVESON	CORPS TROOPS	SME (FD) COURSE 13

a.w. 3m bks 3/42

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. APPT	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX 61144	J CARTER	O C	YES	
LIEUT	NX 112381	J J A HALL	A/2/IC	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	SX 18491	R S GERNY	12 AUST CAD WORKS	28 JUL 43	SEC OFFR
CHAPLAIN	NX 137512	F A KING	AACD		PADRE

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Unit.)

5 Jun
[signature] for Major
Coy., R.A.E.
(Signature of Commander.)

3 July 1943
(Date of Despatch.)

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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AIF WE 5/151 111/2Q1/1

50 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

10 July 43

.....(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	H.N. BENESON	HAE 1	SME (FD) COURSE '43
LIEUT	I C HANSEN	Hist Corps Troops	SME VOT COURSE (2/43)

a.w. 3m bks 3/42

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
			Appt		
MAJOR	VX [illegible]	J CARTER	C E	YES	
LIEUT	NX12331	T J H HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
SGT	SX 26336	A H SEGNIT	12 CHEMICAL	20 Apr	SEC CLK
CHAPLAIN	NX137512	EH KING	AACD	5 JUNE	PADRE

50 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Unit.)

10 July 43
(Date of Despatch.)

Major
Coy., R.A.E.
(Signature of Commander.)

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit) 17 JULY 43

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT.	H. N. DENESON	R.A.E. (CORPS TROOPS)	SME (FD) COURSE 93
LIEUT	I. G. HANLON		SME (FD) COURSE 91A

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 ~~Corps.~~ APPT.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61104	J. CARTER	O.C	YES.	
LIEUT	NX112381	J. J. A. HALL	SECT. OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	SX26380	A. H. SEGNIT	R. CRE WKS	20 APR 43	SEC. OFFR.
CHAPLAIN	NX137512	F. H. KING	AACD	3 JUNE 43	PADRE

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Unit.)

17 JULY '43
(Date of Despatch.)

Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Signature of Commander.)

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	A N DEVESON	AUST INF (Corps)	MECHANICAL ENGR
LIEUT	I C HANLON	Troops	SME (FD) COURSE 90 LIVERPOOL

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
			HQDT		
MAJOR	VX37731	H E GRIFFITHS	CE	YES	
LIEUT	WX23511	T J H HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	SX13510	AH JEGNIT	INFANTRY	23 July 43	H/SEC OFFR
LIEUT	VX37731	H E GRIFFITHS	ROYAL AUST ENGRS	23 July	H/SEC OFFR
Captain	VX137512	F H [illegible]	[illegible]	23 July	H/SEC OFFR
LIEUT	NX127648	S D CALDWELL	ROYAL AUST ENGRS	23 July	H/SEC OFFR

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy. (Unit.)

24 July 43 (Date of Despatch.)

Major (Signature of Commander.)

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

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59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy AIF (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
CHAPLAIN	F M KING	A.H.C.D	29 July 43	TRANSFERRED TO 58-59 AUST INF BN

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	A N DEVESON	RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops	~~SME~~ LTD AUSTRALIA
LIEUT	J C MANLOW		SME (5) COURSE 90 LIVERPOOL

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
			HQDT		
MAJOR	NX11434	J T CARTER	E E	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J T A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	SX26350	H A SEGNIT	12 CRE (RADAR)	20 APR 43	SEC OFFR
LIEUT	VX31751	A E CHRISTIE		23 July 43	"
LIEUT	VX127448	S D CALDWELL		23 July 43	"

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy AIF
(Unit.)

31 July 43
(Date of Despatch.)

(Signature of Commander.)

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

59th Aust. Corps Field Park Coy (Unit) 3 (Date) 19 43.

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			
W.Os. Class II.	2	1	—
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1	—	—
Staff Serjeants	1	—	2
Serjeants	4	—	1
Corporals	20	3	—
Troopers, Privates, &c.	141	—	12
TOTALS	169	3	15

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
ATTACHED PERSONNEL NIL		ATTACHED PERSONNEL NIL	

These personnel A.R. urgently required.

Number	Rank	Name	Trade Grouping	present where about.
NX 123153	Cpl.	Priestley J M	Corporal	L of D Australia
NX18 1082	Spr	Barry C M	Electrician	A.T.F.D Randwick
NX114.760	L/Cpl.	Dempsey W H	Electrician	A.T.F.D Randwick
NX100035	Sgt	Lewelo W S J	Sec. Sgt.	3 Fd Ambulance
VX72364	Spr	Lath A V	Plumber	8/5 A.G.H.
QX20937	Spr	Massey J J	Mechanic M T	3 Fd Ambulance
NX94973	Cpl.	Minors H R	Corporal	3 Fd Ambulance
VX107000	Spr	Thompson D F	Fitter	8/5 A.G.H.

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REQUIRED REINFORCEMENTS AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required by this Unit:-
Mech. S/Sgts. - 2 (To be appointed from personnel already with unit).

Specialists, with exception of Surveyor-Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with unit.

SURPLUS CORPORALS.
Surplus Corporals to fill vacancies created by S/Sgt promotions.

								Plate Layers			
Blacksmiths	4	—	—	Fitters, Railway Signal				Plumbers	2	—	—
Boilermakers	1	—	1	Fitters, Signal				Predictor Numbers			
Bricklayers	NIL	3		Grinders				Printers			
Butchers				Gun Layers				Radiator Mechanics			
Camouflage Modeller				G.P.O. Assistants				Radiographers			
Carpenter and Joiner	8	—	1	Gun Operators				Range Takers			
Clerks	61	6	—	2	Hammermen				Riggers			
Clerks, Engineering				Height Takers				Rivetters			
Clerks, Supply				Helio Operators				Saddlers	1	—	—
Clerks, Technical				Instrument Mechanics				Saddle Tree Makers			
Coachmakers				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Saw Doctors			
Computers				Instrument Operators				Sawyers	2	—	—
Concretors	2	—	—	Intelligence Duties				Shoemakers			
Cooks	101	5	—	1	Joiners				Signallers			
Cooks, Hospital				Leather Stitchers				Signwriters			
Coppersmiths				Linesmen				Stokers, Stationary Engine			
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Linesmen, Signals				Storemen, Technical	8	—	—
Despatch Riders				Lithographers				Surveyors			
Dispensers				Machinists				Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Draughtsmen	1	—	—	Masons				Tailors			
Draughtsmen, Architectural				Masseurs				Telescope Identification Numbers			
Draughtsmen, Mechanical				Mechanics, Dental				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen, Signal				Mechanics, M.T.	2	—	1	Tinsmiths	2	—	—
Draughtsmen, Topographical				Mechanics, Typewriter				Toolmakers			
Driver Mechanics	2	—	—	Mechanics, Wireless				Turners	4	—	—
Driver Operators				Millwrights				Vulcanizers			
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Miners	2	—	—	Wagon Erectors			
Electrical Fitters				Moulders				Watchmakers			
Electricians				Nursing Orderlies				Watermen			
Electricians, Eng. Units	3	—	2	Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				Welders	6	—	—
Electricians, Signal				Nurses, Trained				Well Borers			
Engine Artificers	6	—	1	Observation Post Assistants				Wheelers			
Engine Hands I/C	8	—	1	Operating Room Assistants				Whitesmiths			
Equipment Repairers				Operators, Signal				Wiremen			
Farriers				Opticians				Woodturners			
				Painters	2	1	—				
CSM	1	1		Operators-Equipment	6	—	—	ATTACHED PERSONNEL			
CQMS	1	—	—								
Veh Sjcts	3	—	2	Painters	29	5	—	NIL			
Sgts	5	—	1	Hygiene Orderly	1	—	—				
Dr Cpls	3	—	—	Water Orderman	1	—	—	RE-m Regs -			
Drivers	5	—	2	Drivers M T	33	—	6	NIL			
MT Crewmen	2	—	—								
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)		4	14	6	1 Cpl	6	7			—	1

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

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit.)

Signature of Commander: [signature] Major 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

Date of Despatch 3 July 43

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

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

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			
W.Os. Class II.	2	1	—
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1	—	—
Staff Serjeants	1	—	2
Serjeants	4	—	1
Corporals	20	3	—
Troopers, Privates, &c.	141	—	12
TOTALS	169	* 3	* 15

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

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

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters 3	—	—	Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers 2	—	—
Blacksmiths 4	—	—	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers 1	—	1	Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers N/L	3		Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner 8	—	1	Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks 01 6	—	2	Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers 1	—	—
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers 2	—	—
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors 2	—	—	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks 101 5	—	1	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical 8	—	—
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering 1	—	1
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen 1	—	—	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T. 2	—	1	Tinsmiths 2	—	—
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners 4	—	—
Driver Mechanics 2	—	—	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners 2	—	—	Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders 6	—	—
Electricians, Eng. Units 3	—	2	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers 6	—	1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C 8	—	1	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters 2	1	—			
CSM 1	1		Operators-Equipment 6	—	—	ATTACHED PERSONNEL		
CQMS 1	—	—						
Tech Sects 3	—	2	Printers 29	5	—	10 Aust Coy		
Sects 5	—	1	Rigger Diggers 1	—	—			
1st Cooks 3	—	—	Water Boilermen 1	—	—	Reinf Regts		
Batmen 5	—	2	Drivers M.T. 33	—	6	NIL		
MR Orderlies 2	—	—						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	4	14	6 WO 1 Cpl	6	7		—	1

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

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
Unit.

Signature of Commander. 56 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

Date of Despatch 3 July 42

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Unit

SKILLED RESERVE PERSONNEL (ORE) SURVEY THIS UNIT.

TRADE.	ARE OF GOOD STANDING IN THIS UNIT.	EFFECTIVE PERSONNEL.
TRADE GROUP I		
Blacksmiths	4	
Draughtsmen	1	
Electric Artificer	1	
Fitters	5	
Gun-Lifters Erectors	6	
Riveters	2	
Surveyors (Engineering)	1	
Turners	4	
Welders (Electric and acetylene)	6	
TRADE GROUP II		
Bricklayers	1	
Carpenters and Joiners	8	1
Cooks	5	
Drivers Mechanics	2	1
Electricians (Engineer)	2	
Miners	5	
Painters and Signwriters	2	
Sawyers	2	
Mechanics M T	2	1
TRADE GROUP III		
Clerks	5	
Operators	5	1
Engine Hand I C	3	2
Saddler and Harness Maker	1	
Technical Storeman	3	2
Tinsmiths	2	
NON - SPECIALISTS		
Attendants Composite	5	
Batman	5	
M/C Orderlies	2	
Wireless Fitters	1	
Water Duties	1	
Privers M T	33	7
Sleepers	80	3
Medical		
Orderly	1	
Q.M.S.	1	
Mech. S/Sgts	3	
Sgts.	3	
Totals	181	19

Percentage of Posted Strength. 11.2 %

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

(Unit) 19 (Date)

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Deficiencies required.

Class	Posted strength (including officers)	Surplus to Establishment	Deficiencies required to complete Establishment
W.O. Class I			
W.O. Class II			
Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sergeants			
Staff Sergeants			
Sergeants			
Corporals			
Drivers Artillery, &c.			
Total			

*These totals should agree with the details shown in Part B on page 1 of Army Form W.3009

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Trade	Unit and Corps in which employed	Date	Unit and Corps to which transferred

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

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

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59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit) 10 July 1943 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			
W.Os. Class II. 1	2	1	—
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants 1	1	—	—
Staff Serjeants 3	1	—	2
Serjeants 5	4	—	1
Corporals 18	19	1	—
Troopers, Privates, &c. 153	140	—	13
TOTALS 181	167	* 2	* 16

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
ATTACHED AGAINST WE		ATTACHED PERSONNEL NOT RETURNED BY WE	
	AIFHQ Supps Pln Regt	2/1st Tk Coy	20 ORs
1 AAMC Cpl	1 — —	101 Army Tps Coy	1 OR
		12 CRE (Works)	1 OR
		[illegible]	[illegible]
		C E Branch	1 S/Sgt
		18 Fd Coy	2 ORs

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

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
VX123153	Cpl	PRIESTLEY J M	AAE (Mot)	LTD AUSTRALIA
VX150233	Sgt	LAWRIE W S J	Corps Troops	1 Aust Corps Recpt Camp
VX131082	Spr	BARRY C M	Electrician	ATTD KINDWICK
VX114758	Hcpl	DEMPSEY W H	"	ATTD PINDWICK
VX94973	Cpl	MYERS H R	Artificer	9 Fd Ambulance
VX24550	Spr	McCARLEY S H	Sawyer	9 Fd Ambulance
VX50991	Spr	ARCHARD L W	Turner	9 Fd Ambulance
VX123172	Spr	PENNINGTON H	Driver	11 Fd Ambulance

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. WE	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. WE	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. WE	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters 8	—	—	Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers 2	—	—
Blacksmiths 4	—	—	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers 1	—	1	Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers N/L	3		Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner 5	—	—	Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks (a) 6	—	3	Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers 1	—	—
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers 2	—	1
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors 2	—	—	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks (b) 5	—	—	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical 8	—	—
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering 1	—	1
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen 1	—	—	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T. 2	—	—	Tinsmiths 2	—	—
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners 4	—	1
Driver Mechanics 2	—	—	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners 2	—	—	Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders 6	—	1
Electricians, Eng. Units (b) 8	—	2	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers 6	—	1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C 8	—	1	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters 2	1	—			
CSM 1	1	-	Operators, Excavators			ATTACHED PERSONNEL		
CQMS 1	—	—	(b) 6	—	—			
MECH STORES 3	-	2	Hygiene Duryman 1	—	—	1 AAMC Cpl		
SGTS 5	—	1	Water Duryman 1	—	—			
BATMEN 5	—	1	Pioneers 29	4		RE-IN REGD —		
MK ORDERLIES 2	—	—	Drivers MT 33	—	7	NIL		
TOT Cpl 3	—	—						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	4	12		5	7		—	4

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

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
Unit.

Signature of Commander. Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

Date of Despatch 10 July 43

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

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SUMMARY OF EFFECTIVE PERSONNEL (CMP) SERVING WITH UNIT

DETAIL	EST OF CORPS FD HK COY	EFFECTIVE PERSONNEL
TRADE GROUP I		
Blacksmiths	4	
Draughtsmen	1	
Engine Artificer	5	
Fitters	8	
Operators- Excavators.	6	
Plumbers	2	
Surveyors(Engineering).	1	
Turners	4	
Welders (Electric and Acetylene).	6	
TRADE GROUP II		
Boilermakers	1	
Carpenters and Joiners	8	1
Cooks	5	1
Driver Mechanics	2	1
Electricians (Engineer)	8	
Miners	2	
Painters and Signwriters	2	
Sawyers	2	
Mechanics M.T.	2	
TRADE GROUP III		
Clerks	6	
Generators	2	1
Engine Hands I.C.	8	1
Saddler and Harness Maker	1	
Technical Storemen	8	2
Tinsmiths	2	
NON-SPECIALISTS		
Transport Corporals	3	
Batmen	5	1
M/C Orderlies	2	
Hygeine Dutymen	1	
Water Dutymen	1	
Drivers M.T.	33	6
Pioneers	29	2
N.C.O.'s		
C.S.M.	1	
C.Q.M.S.	1	
MESS S/SGTS.	3	
SGTS.	5	
Total	181	116

Percentage of Posted Strength 9.5 %

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS. (Adapted)

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit) 17 JULY 19 43 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			
W.Os. Class II. 1	2	1	–
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants 1	1	–	–
Staff Serjeants 3	1	–	2
Serjeants 5	5	–	–
Corporals 18	19	1	–
Troopers, Privates, &c. 153	142	–	11
TOTALS 181	170	* 2	* 13

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
ATTACHED AGAINST WE.		ATTACHED PERSONNEL NOT ALLOWED BY WE	
	POSTED SURPLUS AGAINST WE	2/16 Fd Coy	2 OR's
1 AAMC CPL	1 – –	CE Branch	1 S/Sgt
		~~16 Fd Coy~~	2 ~~OR's~~
		12 CRE (Lines)	1 OR
		101 Army Troops	1 OR
		NCE Training Sqdn	2 OR's

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

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX123153	CPL	PRIESTLEY J M		L T D AUSTRALIA
NX13085	SPR	BARRIE C M	ELECTRICIAN	A T T D RANDWICK
NX114758	L/CPL	DEMPSEY W H	"	A T T D RANDWICK
NX9497	CPL	MINERS H R	ARTIFICER	9 FD AMBULANCE
NX13178	SPR	PENNINGTON H	DRIVER	9 FD AMBULANCE
NX12280	SPR	McCURLEY S H	SAWYER	2/9 M G H

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REQUIRED REINFORCEMENTS AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required by this Unit :-
Mech S/Sgts.- 2 (to be appointed from personnel already with Unit).

Specialists, with the exception of Surveyor Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.

Surplus Personnel.
Surplus Corporals to fill vac ancies created by S/Sgts promotions.

Bakers				Fitter's Mates				Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors				Fitters, M.V.				Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.				Fitters, Railway Signal				Plumbers	2	– –
Blacksmiths	4	–	–	Fitters, Signal				Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers	1	–	1	Grinders				Printers		
Bricklayers	NIL	3	–	Gun Layers				Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers				G.P.O. Assistants				Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller				Gun Operators				Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner	8	–	–	Hammermen				Riggers		
Clerks	(b) 6	–	3	Height Takers				Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering				Helio Operators				Saddlers	1	– –
Clerks, Supply				Instrument Mechanics				Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical				Instrument Mechanics, Surgical				Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers				Instrument Operators				Sawyers	2	– 1
Computers				Intelligence Duties				Shoemakers		
Concretors	2	–	–	Joiners				Signallers		
Cooks	(b) 5	–	–	Leather Stitchers				Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital				Linesmen				Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths				Linesmen, Signals				Storemen, Technical	8	– –
Dental Clerk Orderlies				Lithographers				Surveyors		
Despatch Riders				Machinists				Surveyors, Engineering	1	– 1
Dispensers				Masons				Tailors		
Draughtsmen	1	–	–	Masseurs				Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural				Mechanics, Dental				Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical				Mechanics, M.T.	2	–	–	Tinsmiths	2	– –
Draughtsmen, Signal				Mechanics, Typewriter				Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical				Mechanics, Wireless				Turners	4	– –
Driver Mechanics	2	–	–	Millwrights				Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators				Miners	2	–	–	Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant				Moulders				Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters				Nursing Orderlies				Watermen		
Electricians				Nursing Orderlies (Mental)				Welders	6	– 1
Electricians, Eng. Units	(b) 8	–	2	Nurses, Trained				Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal				Observation Post Assistants				Wheelers		
Engine Artificers	6	–	1	Operating Room Assistants				Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C	8	–	1	Operators, Signal				Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers				Opticians				Woodturners		
Farriers				Painters	2	1	–			
CSM	1	1	–	(Earthworks Excavators						
CQMS	1	–	–	(b)	6	–	–	ATTACHED PERSONNEL		
MECH SGTS	3	–	2	HYGIENE DIVISION	1	–	–	1 AAMC CPL		
SGTS	5	–	–	WATER DUTYMAN	1	–	–	REINFORCE – NIL		
BATMEN	5	–	2	PIONEERS	29	6	–			
MTC DESPATCHES	2	–	–	DRIVERS M T	33	–	7			
TPT CPLS	3	–	–							
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)		4	12	(b) INC	141	7	7		–	3

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

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. Unit.

Signature of Commander Major 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

Date of Despatch 17 JULY 43

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

(Adapted)

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit) 17 JULY 19 43 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			
W.Os. Class II. 1	2	1	—
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants 1	1	—	—
Staff Serjeants 3	2	—	2
Serjeants 5	5	—	—
Corporals 18	19	1	—
Troopers, Privates, &c. 153	142	—	11
TOTALS 181	170	* 2	* 13

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
ATTACHED AGAINST WE.	POSTED SURPLUS NEW HEAD	ATTACHED PERSONNEL NOT ALLOWED BY WE	
		2/16 Fd Coy	2 OR's
1 AAMC CPL	1 - -	CE Branch	1 S/SGT
		~~4 Fd Coy~~	~~2 OR's~~
		12 CRE (WKRS)	1 OR
		101 Army Troops	1 OR
		NCE Training Sqn	2 OR's

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

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX123153	CPL	PRIESTLEY J M		A T D AUSTRALIA
NX131087	SPR	BARRIE C M	ELECTRICIAN	A T T D RANDWICK
NX141758	L/CPL	DEMPSEY W H	"	A T T D RANDWICK
NX94978	CPL	MINERS H R	ARTIFICER	9 FD AMBULANCE
NX123178	SPR	PENNINGTON H	DRIVER	9 FD AMBULANCE
N240880	SPR	MCCURLEY S H	SAWYER	2/9 M G B

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..... Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. WE	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. WE	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. WE	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters 8	—	—	Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers 2	—	—
Blacksmiths 4	—	—	Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers 1	—	1	Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers NIL	3	—	Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner 8	—	—	Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks (b) 6	—	3	Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers 1	—	—
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers 2	—	1
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors 2	—	—	Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks (b) 3	—	—	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical 8	—	—
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering 1	—	1
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen 1	—	—	Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T. 2	—	—	Tinsmiths 2	—	—
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners 4	—	—
Driver Mechanics 2	—	—	Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners 2	—	—	Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders 6	—	1
Electricians, Eng. Units (b) 8	—	2	Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers 6	—	1	Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C 8	—	1	Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters 2	1	—			
CSM 1	1	—	(CHEMICAL EXCAVATORS					
CQMS 1	—	—	(b) 6	—	—	ATTACHED PERSONNEL		
MECH SGTS 3	—	2	HYGIENE DUTYMAN 1	—	—	1 AAMC CPL		
SGTS 5	—	—	WATER DUTYMAN 1	—	—	REINFORD — NIL		
BATMEN 5	—	2	PIONEERS 29	6	—			
DVR ORDERLIES 24	—	—	DRIVERS M T 33	—	7	" " " NIL		
TPT CPLS 3	—	—						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)	4	12	(b) INC 141	7	7		—	3

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

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
Unit.

Signature of Commander 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. Major

Date of Despatch 17 JULY 43

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

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SUMMARY OF EFFECTIVE PERSONNEL (CMF) SERVING WITH UNIT

DETAIL	EST OF CORPS FD PK COY.	EFFECTIVE PERSONNEL
TRADE GROUP I		
Blacksmiths	4	
Draughtman	1	
Engine artificer	5	
Fitters	8	
Operaters Excavators	6	
Plumbers	2	
Surveyors Engineering	1	
Turners	4	
Welders (Electric and Acetylene)	6	
TRADE GROUP II		
Boilermakers	1	
Carpenters and Joiners	8	1
Cooks	5	1
Driver Mechanics	2	1
Electricians (Engineer)	8	
Miners	2	
Painters and Signwriters	2	
Sawyers	2	
Mechanics M.T.	2	
TRADE GROUP III		
Clerks	6	
Concreters	2	
Engine Hand I/C	8	1
Saddler and Harness Maker	1	2
Technical Storeman	8	
Tinsmiths	2	2
NON - SPECIALISTS		
Transport Corporals	3	
Batmen	5	1
M/C Orderlies	2	
Hygeine Dutyman	1	
Water Dutyman	1	
Drivers M.T.	33	6
Pioneers	29	2
N.C.O.'s		
C.S.M.	1	
C.Q.M.S.	1	
MECH S/SGTS.	3	
SGTS.	5	
Total	181	17
Percentage of Posted Strength		10 ½ %

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 24/7/43. 69 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 11/291. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 131 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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.
—	—	1	2	W.Os. Class I.					
—	—	—	1	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
2	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
—	—	—	5	Sergeants					
—	—	—	18	Corporals	AAMC	1	—	—	—
11	11	—	142	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
13 *	13	1	169 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *			— *

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.L.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	153		16				[redacted]	[redacted]		169
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
1	CE BRANCH		
2	2/1 Fd Coy		
1	12 CRE (WKS)		
1	101 Army Trps		
2	HQ NGF Transmitters		
2	2/3 Fd Coy		
1	2/4 Fd Coy		
1	2/1 Fd Coy		
2	4 Fd Coy		
1	10 Fd Coy		
2	5 Army Trps		

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.
6	HQ NGF		
3	2/1 ME Coy		
1	101 Army Trps		

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).
WX12313	Cpl	KRIESSLER J M	NGF HQ SEALHEIM

REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED & SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required:-

Mech. S/Sgts - 2 (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)

Specialists, with exception of Surveyor-Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.

The difference in the totals of columns in Part A and columns in Part E is caused by surplus in pioneers, bricklayers, electricians, painters and O.S.M's.

Instrument				Turners	4	—	1										
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers													
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1										
Armament Artificer Wireless																	
Artificer, Artillery																	
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1														
Blacksmiths	4	4	—														
Bricklayers	NIL	3	—														
Computors																	
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.													
Coppersmiths				Armourers													
Dispensers				Axemen													
Draughtsmen	1	1	—	Bakers													
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.													
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	—	1										
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters													
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—										
Electricians				Cooks (a)	5	4	1										
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics													
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—										
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator													
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers													
Fitters (Electrical)	4	1	3	Electricians													
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—										
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.					
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	2	—		
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	—		
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	3	3	SICs	3	1	2		
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				SGTs	3	5	—		
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				TELEPHONISTS	3	3	—		
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				CAPTAIN	1	—	1		
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	ARTIFICERS	2	2	—		
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				KITCHEN DUTY	1	1	—		
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATER DUTY	1	1	—		
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.					
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAMC	1	1	—		
Operators, Excavator (a)	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				Cpl					
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics									
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant									
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1						
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers									
Plumber	2	2	—	Moulders				Farriers									
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates									
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers									
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	5	CARRIED FORWARD	66	60	10	CARRIED FORWARD	86	76	15	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	192	190	* 2		

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(a) INCLUDING 1 CPL

24 July 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
Major
69 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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69 Aust. Corps Field Park 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.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
munition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering	1	–	1	Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
nament Artificer er				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
nament Artificer er (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
nament Artificer er (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
nament Artificer er (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
nament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	3	1	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	–	Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	–
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	–					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	NIL	3	–					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	1	1	Storemen, Technical	8	8	–
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen	1	1	–	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	–
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	–	1	Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	–	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks (a)	5	4	1	Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	–								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	4	1	3	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	35	6
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	–					DRIVERS MT	33	27	6
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	2	–
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	–
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (c)	6	3	3	SICS	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				SCS	3	5	–
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				TOT CLKS	3	3	–
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				COOKS	3	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	–	MESSORDERLIES	2	2	–
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				GUARD DUTY	1	1	–
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATER DUTY	1	1	–
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				RAMC	1	1	–
Operators, Excavator (b)	6	6	–	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				Cpl			
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	–	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	–	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	2	–	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	5	CARRIED FORWARD	66	60	10	CARRIED FORWARD	86	76	15	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	192	190	* 24

–	–	–	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.																				
2	2	–	1	Staff Sergeants																				
–	–	–	5	Sergeants																				
–	–	–	18	Corporals	AAMC	1	–	–	–															
11	11	–	142	Troopers, Privates, etc.																				
				Civilians counting as O.R.																				
13 *	13	1	169 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *																	– *	

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.L.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.
* * 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.	A		153		16							169
	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	CE BRANCH		
2	2/1 Fd Coy		
1	12 CRE (WKS)		
1	101 Army Trps		
2	NGF Transit Camp		
2	2/3 Fd Coy		
1	2/7 Fd Coy		
1	21 Fd Coy		
2	4 Fd Coy		
1	10 Fd Coy		
2	5 Army Trps		

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.
6	HQ NGF		
3	2/1 ME Coy		
1	101 Army Trps		

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).
WX12313	Cpl	FRIESLEY J M	NGF HQ BELLHEIM

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

/ 39 (Serial)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 31/7/1943. 39 Fd Wks Coy (Unit)

W.E. 11/7/43. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 161 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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.
	—	1	2	W.Os. Class I.					
	—	—	1	W.Os. Class II.					
	2	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	—	—	5	Staff Sergeants					
	—	—	18	Sergeants					
	—	—	18	Corporals	ARMC	1	—	—	—
2	6	—	147	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
	—		—	Civilians counting as O.R.					
*	8	1	174 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *			*

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	158		16				[redacted]	[redacted]		174
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
5	2/11 Fd Coy		
1	11 Army Tps		
1	RCAF (Coke)		
1	Cabinmaker		
3	2/7 Fd Coy		
1	2/9 Fd Coy		
10	2/1 Fd Coy		
3	2/2 Fd Coy		
3	2/5 Fd 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.
6	HQ ALF		
3	2/1 MEC		
1	101 Army Tps		

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).
[redacted]	Cpl	Pawsley J.M.	NCF ARD SELARGIM

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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 31/7/194 3

REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required:-

Mech. S/Sgts. - 2 (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)

Specialists, with exception of Surveyor-Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.

The difference in the totals of columns in Part A and columns in Part E is caused by surplus in pioneers, bricklayers, electricians, painters, plumbers, & C.S.M.

Bricklayers	11	3	—					Radiographers				Repairer					
Computors								Riggers				Stevedores					
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Stokers, Staty. Engine					
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Storemen, Technical	8	8	—		
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Tailors					
Draughtsmen	1	1	—	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Textile Refitters					
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—		
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	—	1	Wheelers				Vulcanizers					
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Wagon Erectors					
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Wireman				Whitesmiths					
Electricians				Cooks (a)	5	5	—	Woodturners									
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics													
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—										
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator													
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers													
Fitters (Electrical)	4	1	3	Electricians								Sappers	29	34	—		
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					Privates	33	28	5		
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.					
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	2	—		
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	—		
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (c)	6	4	2	Sgts	3	1	2		
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				Cpls	5	3	—		
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				L/Cpls	3	3	—		
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	3	2	1		
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Privates	2	2	—		
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Cyclists	1	1	—		
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Interpreters	1	1	—		
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.					
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				Pte Ck	1	1	—		
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.									
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics									
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant									
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1						
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers									
Plumber	2	2	—	Moulders				Farriers									
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates									
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers									
CARRIED FORWARD	31	30	5	CARRIED FORWARD	66	63	3	CARRIED FORWARD	36	31	5	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	152	145	* 7		

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(a) Excludes 1 Cpl

31 July 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

...../37 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 31/7/1943. 37 Fd Wksp (Unit)

W.E. 11/2nd L. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 161 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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	2	W.Os. Class I.					
	—	—	1	W.Os. Class II.					
	2	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	—	—	5	Staff Sergeants					
	—	—	18	Sergeants					
	—	—	147	Corporals	ARMD	1	—	—	—
6	6	—		Troopers, Privates, etc.					
	—	—	—	Civilians counting as O.R.					
*	8	1	174*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *			*

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).

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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	158		16				[redacted]	[redacted]		174
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
5	2/6 Fd Coy		
1	2/1 Fd Wksp		
1	2/1 Fd Park (WKS)		
1	2/1 Fd Coy		
3	2/1 Fd Coy		
1	2/2 Fd Coy		
10	2/2 Fd Coy		
3	2/3 Fd Coy		
3	2/6 Fd 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.
6	HQ NLF		
3	2/1 ME Coy		
1	101 Army Tank		

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).
[redacted]153	Cpl	PAWSLEY J.M.	NGF ARD HILLERSDEN

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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.
				Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1	Operating Room Assts.			
				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard			
				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line			
				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal			
				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard			
				Turners	4	4	—	Operator, Wireless			
				Watchmakers				Opticians			
...ificer				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	—
..., Artificer								Panel Beaters			
...cer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate			
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers			
Bricklayers	Nil	3	—					Radiographers			
Computors								Riggers			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters			
Draughtsmen	1	1	—	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	—	1	Wheelers			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Wireman			
Electricians				Cooks (a)	5	5	—	Woodturners			
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics							
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—				
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator							
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers							
Fitters (Electrical)	4	1	3	Electricians				Fitters	29	34	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—	Riggers	23	28	5
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III. DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors			
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers	1	2	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply			
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical			
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks			
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals			
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.			
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics			
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant			
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers			
Plumber	2	2	—	Moulders				Farriers			
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates			
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	31	30	5	CARRIED FORWARD	66	63	7	CARRIED FORWARD	96	81	15
								Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	192	175	*

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31.7.43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander Major

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.AIF. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Aug.43 *To* 31 Aug.43.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Corps Dump	7		WO 2. Stow. G.J. Sgt Cornford.D.S. and L/Cpl. Shearer.L.W. marched out to OCTU.	R.O's. W 3008 & W 3009.
Port Moresby Base Area.	9		Record days output for Ilolo Mill 4200 super feet.	
	10		Lieut A.H. Segnit and 50 O.R's left as advance party for Buna.	
	14		Record output for Ilolo Mill -One Week = 18800 super feet.	
	16		2 O.R's and 10% of stores left for Buna.	
	20		Lieut H.N. Deveson rejoined Unit ex Recreational leave and SME (Fd) Course 93 and resumed as acting 2/I.C.	
	21		Lieut Oadding attached from Engineer reinforcements for duty. Road roller completed for 7 Aust Div.	
	23		Warning order for movement received.	
	28		Loading of Field Stores on SS Josiah Earl, commenced.	
	29		Loading for Corps Dump stocks completed.	
	30		Unit equipment loaded with exception of the following trucks 2 x 3 ton Tippers, 1 x 3 ton G.S., 1 semi-trailer., and 1 transporter. 239 L.A.D. attached and moving with main body with 1 x 15 cwt 4x4 and hand tools.	
	31	1930	Movement Order received.	C 2128 attached.

MAJOR

O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY.AIF.

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MESSAGE FORM

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CALL AND INSTRUCTIONS	IN	No. of Groups GR.	OFFICE DATE STAMP
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(ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

TO 59 AUST CORPS FLD PK

FROM	Originator's Number	Date	In Reply to Number
MOUTS MORESBY	5015	31	

UNIT to be lined up on
ordered of nominal roll at TRIANGLE
MAIN WHARF MORESBY by 0630 HOURS
1 SEPT 43 on Emb to
Commence immediately on Ack

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS: (*(EXCEPT)) WIRELESS

SIGNATURE [signature]

* ORIGINATOR MAY DELETE "EXCEPT" AND INSERT "INCLUDING."

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

SIGNATURE.....

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS
DEGREE OF PRIORITY

TIME OF ORIGIN 1900/31

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS
by
MAJOR J.CARTER
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY AIF.

5 Aug 43.

272. USE OF TYRE CHAINS ON ROADS. NGF ORDER A314.
New Guinea Force Order 514/42 is cancelled and the following order substituted:-
Chains will only be used on wheeled transport when cond tions demand their use. The use of chains on roads duting dry weather is forbidden. Disciplinary action will be taken against drivers of vehicles for any breach of this Order.

273. ENEMY GRAVES - DESECRATION. NGF ORDER A 317.
Disinterment of buried Japanese by unauthorised persons or other desecration of Japanese graves is forbidden. Severe disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

274. NATIVE VILLAGES. NGF ORDER A 319.
1. Save as provided in para.2 hereof, the following native villages are out of bounds to all troops except when on duty necessitating entry therein:-

MANU MANU GOROHU KIDO LEILEI PUPA KAHIRU	West of Moresby.
TUPUSLELEI GAILE NEW YABULORI NEW PARI KAPA KAPA	Eats of Moresby.

2. Personnel, not on duty necessitating entry, desiring to enter any of the above villages, will obtain permission to do so in the following manner:-
Leave pass issued by the member's Unit will be produced to APM NEW GUINEA Force who may endorse permission thereon. The leave pass so endorsed will be produced to the District Officer, HANUABADA or his representative who may then grant permission to enter the village specified.

275. REGIMENTAL FUNDS.
Statement of Receipts and Expenditure:
Receipts to 31 Jul 43 - £ 211.6.- Expenditure - £ 72.14.9.
BALANCE AT 31 July 43 - £ 138.11.3.

Major,
(JOHN CARTER)
OLC. 59 AUST.CORPS FD PK COY. AIF.

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BY
MAJOR J CARTER
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY AIF.

276. "INCOME TAX- LIABILITY OF MEMBERS AND OF THE FORCES AND THE LODGMENT OF RETURNS". (Para 5,of G.R.O. F.486/1943.)

Any member of the forces whose total income from both military and private sources exceeds £250 for the year ending 30th June 1943, must lodge a return to the Deputy Commissioner of Taxation in the State in which the member enlisted.It should be noted that taxable military income includes pay at the active rate before deducting allotment or tax deductions, field allowance, any amount paid to the member for subsistence whilst not rationed and quartered,and an amount of 2/5d per day for the period when the member is rationed and quartered by the Army,but does not include deferred pay and dependants allowance. Income tax return forms will be made available by pay representatives.

277. "Security Of Information"
The attention of all ranks should be directed to the fact that the communication to any person otherwise than in the course of official duty,of any naval, military or air-force information is an offence under the Defence Act punishable by fine,imprisonment, or both. DON'T SPREAD RUMORS- even if you have reason to believe them to be correct, if its of military importance,KEEP IT TO YOURSELF.

278. "OUT OF BOUNDS"
The kitchen buildings are out of bounds to all other than persons on duty at the kitchen. The area between the skillion and kitchen is not to be used as a thoroughfare to the showers.

MAJOR.
59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY AIF.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
by
MAJOR J. CARTER,
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

279. DISCIPLINE - DETECTION OF SPEEDING. N.G.F.Order A334.
Attention is drawn to speed limits operating in the Moresby Area. From 18 Aug 43 "Speed Traps" will be operated by Provost in MORESBY and other areas.

280. NATIVE ADMINISTRATION - UNAUTHORISED SUPPLY OF EXPLOSIVES ETC. TO NATIVES. N.G.F. Order A 335.
The supply without authority of any arms ammunition or explosives to natives is prohibited. Severe disciplinary action will be taken in all cases of breach of this order.

281. SAFETY RAZOR BLADES. N.G.F. Order Q340.
Stocks of safety razor blades held in New Guinea are very low and it is anticipated that no further supplies will come forward for at least two months.
Strict economy in their use is therefore essential.

282. ARMOURERS. N.G.F. Order Q346.
Returns will be submitted by all Units to respective Formations headquarters not later than 31 Aug giving a list of personnel who have attended an armourers course of instruction in Australia or abroad and who are not being employed as armourers. Return will state duration and location of course attended.

283. PUBLIC STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS OF THE FORCES. G.R.O. A 582.
1. The attention of all members is directed to the provisions of AMR & Os 309 and 310 and to GROs G.103/1942, G.466/1942, G.561/1942 and G.192/1943.
2. Members are forbidden to communicate with the press or to give interviews for broadcasting or other media of publicity on military matters, whether by correspondence, personal interviews with press representatives or by any other means except in accordance with para. 3 hereof.
3. Members who have been on active service may give interviews on first hand experiences in battle to uniformed accredited war correspondents, provided that every proposed statement of the nature referred to in this paragraph will be submitted before publication for the approval of an officer of the Directorate of Public Relations. The publications of names of members above the rank of lieutenant is prohibited unless specifically authorised.
4. No restriction is placed on members in regard to articles, stories or poems for publication in the press, in periodicals or other publications, provided that these do not deal with military matters and that no indication of the military rank or unit of the contributor is given.
5. MBI A.65/1942 is cancelled.

284. ARMY NUMBER - CHANGE OF
The undermentioned personnel, having volunteered for service in the A.I.F., being classified medically fit Class A1 or A2, and completed A.A.F.A200 are transferred to A.I.F. and allotted "X" numbers as shown:-

N195957.	Spr.	Mahon, E.L.	Army No. now NX 153927	8.7.43.
N192418.	"	Brown, H.	Army No. now NX 153589	22.3.43.
N211382.	"	Robertson, D.L.	Army No. now NX 153575	22.3.43.

John Carter Lt

Major,
(JOHN CARTER)
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF.

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20 Aug 43.

ROUTINE ORDERS
by
MAJOR J. CARTER.
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

285. FEDERAL ELECTIONS.

Voting will take place on 20 Aug in the Coy Recreation Hut. Voting will commence at 0900 hours and will be done by Sections in the following order:-

Headquarters.
Workshops.
E & M.
Field Stores.
Transport.
Attached Personnel.

Sections will be warned by Coy runner.

John Carter Lt-t Major.
(JOHN CARTER)
O.C. 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

25 Aug 43.

ROUTINE ORDERS
by
MAJOR J.CARTER
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

286. CONSERVATION OF WATER.

The attention of all ranks is drawn to the need for conservation of water for either drinking or ablution purposes.

Careless use of water increases:-

1. The wear and tear of pumping plant.
2. Waste water for the breeding of mosquitoes.

Personnel will not leave taps turned on for longer than necessary. Wsh basins, etc., must be used at all times.

287. "ONE WAY" ROADS.

Violation of notices prominently displayed in the Unit Area for the direction of vehicles will be treated as an offence and disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

Major,
(JOHN CARTER)
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43 / (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8 / 5 /194 3 . 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 11 / 1 . OFFRS. 3 O.R's. 181 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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.					
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
—	1	—	4	Sergeants					
—	—	2	20	Corporals	AHMC	1	—	—	—
11	10	—	143	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
—	—	—	—	Civilians counting as O.R.					
11 *	13	2	170 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *			*

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.	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		155		15				[redacted]	[redacted]		170
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
1	CE Branch	1	113 Con Dept
1	AI Maintenance		
1	(illegible)		
3	2/4 Fd Sqn		
1	2/4 Fd Coy		
3	2/8 Fd Coy		
1	2/8 Army Tps		
3	2/8 Fd Coy		
2	2/8 Fd Coy		
12	2/8 Fd Coy		
1	2/8 Fd Coy		
3	2/8 Fd Coy		
33	2/8 Fd Coy		
4	2/8 Fd 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.
32	52 Div Sigs		
3	116 Fd Regt		

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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REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

The foll owing reinforcements are NOT urgently required :- Mech.S/Sgts - 2. (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)
Specialists, with the exception of Surveyor-Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.

The difference in totals of columns of Part A and columns in Part E is caused by a surplus in pioneers, bricklayers, electricians ,painters and plumbers.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

143 / (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6 / 3 /194 3 . 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 7 1 / 1 . OFFRS. 3 O.R's. 161 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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.					
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
4	1	—	4	Sergeants					
—	—	2	20	Corporals	AHMC	1	—	—	—
11	10	—	143	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
	—	—	—	Civilians counting as O.R.					
11 *	13	2	170 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *			*

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	155		15				[redacted]	[redacted]		170
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
1	CE Branch	1	113 Cn Dept
1	NI Hdqrs Corps		
1	(RCE(WA))		
3	2/4 Fd Sqn		
1	2/6 Fd Coy		
5	2/8 Fd Coy		
1	2 Army Corps		
3	2/9 Fd Coy		
1	2/10 Fd Coy		
12	2/11 Fd Coy		
1	2/12 Fd Coy		
33	2/3 Fd Coy		
4	2/4 Fd 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.
32	52 Div Sigs (Sup)		
5	116 Fd Regt		

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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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	6	5	1
Blacksmiths	4	4	—
Bricklayers	4	3	—
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen	1	1	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4
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	6	—
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	2	3	—
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors			
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Surveyors, B.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	4	—
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	5	1
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers	1	—	1
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—
Cooks (a)	5	5	—
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Hello Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons			
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—
Miners	2	2	—
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	66	62	9

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	2	3	—
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	2	—
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identifn. Numbers			
Well Borers			
Boilermakers			
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks (a)	6	4	2
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	2	2	—
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	86	80	12

DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Miners	24	32	—
Drivers, MT	33	26	7
ESM	1	1	—
CQMS	1	1	—
Sjts	3	1	2
SQMS	5	4	1
Tpr Gp	3	3	—
Batmen	3	4	1
Mechanics	2	2	—
Hyg Orderly	1	1	—
Water Cart	1	1	—
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
RAMC Cpl	1	1	—
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	132	171 *	*

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.

25 Aug 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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W.E. 11 / 11 / 1. OFFRS. 4 O.R's. 170 + OFFRS. – O.R's. 1 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.					
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
1	1	—	4	Sergeants					
—	—	2	20	Corporals	NAME	1	—	—	—
10	10	—	143	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
11 *	13	2	170 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *	—	—	— *

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	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.							
A	155		15				[redacted]	[redacted]		170
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
1	CE BRANCH	1	113 Gen Depot
1	RCAF (WORKS)		
1	101 Maint Troops		
5	4/4 Fd Sqn		
14	2/6 Fd Coy		
6	3/5 Fd Coy		
3	9 Fd Coy		
1	2/9 Fd Coy		
13	10 Fd Coy		
1	12 Fd Coy		
3	2/16 Fd Coy		
2	18H Fd Coy		
11	21H Fd Coy		
14	53 Fd Pk 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.
52	7 FD SQN (WORKS)		
5	HQ RCE		

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 /194 3.

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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	—	Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	N/A	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	8	—
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen	1	1	—	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	—	1	Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks (A)	5	5	—	Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical) (A)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	36	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					DRIVERS NT	33	26	1
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	1	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (A)	6	4	2	SISGT	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				SGT	3	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				TP CPL	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATMEN	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MK WORKERS	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				MESSENGER	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATER DUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				MMG Opr	1	1	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	6	2				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6	CARRIED FORWARD	16	12	9	CARRIED FORWARD	36	10	13	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	112	* 99	* 4

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.
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(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.

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

/[illegible] (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 14/8/1943. 39 Corps Fd Wksp (Unit)

W.E. 111/[illegible]. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 171 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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.					
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
—	1	—	4	Sergeants					
—	—	2	20	Corporals	ARMC	1	—	—	—
9	9	—	144	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
9 *	12	2	171 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 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	155		16				[redacted]	[redacted]		171
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
1	HQ Barrack		
4	2/4 Fd Coy		
3	2/9 Fd Coy		
2	2/10 Fd Coy		
2	2/11 Fd Coy		
10	2/2 Fd Coy		
2	53 Fd Coy		
1	Base (Engrs)		
1	Military Forces		

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.
5	HQ NGF		
50	Reinforcements		

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).

.....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.	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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	—	Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	NIL	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	3	3	—
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen	1	1	—	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	—	1	Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	3	3	—	Wireman							
Electricians	4	5	—	Cooks	4	5	—	Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4	Electricians								Pioneers	29	36	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					Unclassified	33	26	7
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Clerk	1	1	—
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Cooks	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	21	6	4	2 Shop	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				Shop	3	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Turner	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	5	4	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Mess Waiters	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Hospital Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Water Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				RAMC Cpl	1	1	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6	CARRIED FORWARD	66	62	9	CARRIED FORWARD	28	30	12	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	153	* 172	* 22

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14 August 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

/ (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 2 / 6 /194 3 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. III / 379 / 1. OFFRS. 5 O.R's 151 + OFFRS. — O.R's 1 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	2	W.Os. Class II.					
	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
	—	—	5	Sergeants					
	—	— 1	19	Corporals	A/M/C	1	—	—	—
6	6	—	107	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
*	8	2	175	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 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.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	159		16				[redacted]	[redacted]		175
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
2	2/10 Fd Coy		
1	C.E. Bde HQ		
1	10 Army Troops		
1	HQ (Aust)		
3	2/5 Fd Coy		
1	2/9 Fd Coy		
2	10 Fd Coy		
3	10 Fd Coy		
4	21 Fd Coy		
4	33 Fd Coy		
3	2/4 Fd Sqn		

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.
6	HQ NGF		
3	2/10 Fd Coy		
1	1st Army Troops		

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).
[redacted]	Spr	Armstrong S.W.	M/C A.A.M.C. Adelaide

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REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required :- Mech.S/Sgts. - 2. (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)

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																s of nen. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
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																ding			
Instrument																			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers							
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	— 1	Painters	2	3	—	Rivetters							
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders							
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers				1	1	—	
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers							
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer							
Bricklayers	4	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores							
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine							
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical				8	8	—	
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors							
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters							
Draughtsmen	1	1	—	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths				2	2	—	
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers							
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	—	1	Wheelers				Wagon Erectors							
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths							
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Wireman											
Electricians	5			Cooks	6	5	5 —	Woodturners											
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics															
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mod.)	2	2	—												
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator															
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers															
Fitters (Electrical)	4	1	3	Electricians												Pr. Sen:	29	35	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—									Drvr. Mt	33	28	5
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.							
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C.S.M.				1	2	—	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				C.Q.M.S.				1	1	—	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	Sgts.				3	1	2	
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				Sgts.				5	5	—	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tp. Cpls.				3	3	—	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen				5	4	1	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	M.P. Orderlies				2	2	—	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Hospital Duty				1	1	—	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Office Duty				1	1	—	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.							
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals											
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				A.A.M.C. (a)				1	1	—	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics											
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant											
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1								
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers											
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers											
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates											
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers											
CARRIED FORWARD	31	30	5	CARRIED FORWARD	66	63	8	CARRIED FORWARD	56	51	11	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.				82	66	* 11	

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9/Oct/43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 6 /194 3 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 111/399/1. OFFRS. 3 O.R's. 151 + OFFRS. – O.R's. 1 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	2	W.Os. Class II.					
	–	–	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	2	–	1	Staff Sergeants					
	–	–	5	Sergeants					
	–	– 1	19	Corporals	AAMC	1	–	–	–
6	6	–	147	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
*	8	2	175	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 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).

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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	159		16				[redacted]	[redacted]		175
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
2	1st Fd Coy		
1	2/6 Fd Coy		
1	121 Army Tps		
1	HQ 1 Aust Corps		
3	2/5 Fd Coy		
1	2/6 Fd Coy		
2	10 Fd Coy		
3	12 Fd Coy		
1	21 Fd Coy		
4	33 Fd Coy		
3	2/4 Fd Sqn		

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.
6	HQ 1 Aust Corps		
3	2/6 Fd Coy		
1	121 Army Tps		

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).
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

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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	1	–	1	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	4	–	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	–1	Painters	2	3	–	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	–
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	–					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	4	3	–					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	–	Storemen, Technical	8	8	–
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen	1	1	–	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	–
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	–	1	Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	–	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks (a)	5	5	–	Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mod.)	2	2	–								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	4	1	3	Electricians								Pte (Sen)	29	33	–
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	–					Driver MT	33	28	5
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C S M	1	2	–
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				C Q M S	1	1	–
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	Sjts	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Sgts	5	3	–
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tpt Cpls	2	2	–
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	–	M/Drivers	2	2	–
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Hygiene Duty	1	1	–
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Area Duty	1	1	–
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator (a)	6	6	–	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAMC Cpl	1	1	–
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	–	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	3	–	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	–	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	31	30	5	CARRIED FORWARD	66	63	8	CARRIED FORWARD	36	31	11	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	182	166	* 19

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.

(a) see 1 Cpl

7/6/43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

AIF WE
111/29A/1
5/181

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	H. N. DEVESON	RAE 1 Aust Corps	LTD. AUSTRALIA
LIEUT	I. G. HANLON	TROOPS	SME (FD) COURSE 90 LIVERPOOL

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. APPT	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J. CARTER	O.C.	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J. J. H. HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	SX26380	A. H. SEGNIT	12 CRE	20 April	SEC. OFFR
LIEUT	VX59731	H. E. GRIFFITHS	WORKS	23 July	"
LIEUT	NX127448	S. D. CALDWELL	–	23 July	"

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Unit.)

[signature]
(Signature of Commander.)

1 Aug 43
(Date of Despatch.)

NG FORCE
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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

AIF WE 5X181
11/29/41

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
LIEUT	S D CALDWELL	12 CRE (WKS)	14 AUG 43	TRANSFERRED TO POSTING ATTACHMENT CORPS

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	H N DEVESON	RAE 1 AUST CORPS TROOPS	NGFARD
LIEUT	I G HANLON		SME (FD) COURSE 90

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. APPT	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J. CARTER	O.C.	YES	
LIEUT	VX112381	J.J.A. HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	SX26380	A.H. SEGNIT	12 CRE (WKS)	20 APR 43	SEC OFFR

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Unit.)

(Signature of Commander.)

14 August 43.
(Date of Despatch.)

NGFORCE
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11/294/1

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy. R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
LIEUT	H N DEVESON	RAE 1 Aust	20 Aug	Returned Ex SME Course
		Corps Troops	43	
LIEUT	AH SEGNIT	"	11 Aug	Taken on Strength Ex Hqrs 1 Aust Corps Posting From Base Reinforcements

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	I C HANLON	RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops	SME Fd Course 9a

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX41447	J. CARTER	O.C.	Yes	
LIEUT	VX43363	H N DEVESON	Adjt	YES	
LIEUT	VX42381	J I A HALL	Sec Offr	Yes	
LIEUT	SX26310	A H SEGNIT	Sec Offr	NO	WITH ADVANCED DETACHMENT

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	VX39731	HE GRIFFITHS	12 CRE (MECH)	23 July 43	Sec Offr

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy. R.A.E.
(Unit.)

Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy. R.A.E.
(Signature of Commander.)

21 August 43
(Date of Despatch.)

N G FORCE
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59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (*Unit*)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
LIEUT	K CEDING	ENGR REINFS	24 AUG 43	ATTACHED FOR DUTY

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	J C MANLOW	RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops	SHAPPA PO CLASS 'A'

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX 6406	J CARTER	C of E	YES	
LIEUT	VX 103303	H N DEVESON	11/2/16	YES	
LIEUT	NX 42361	J J H HALL	Sec Offr	YES	
LIEUT	VX 21350	H R SECRET	SECRETY	NO	WITH SCIENCE DETACHMENT (TO BE STRUCK OFF STRENGTH WHEN)

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	NX 48184	K J CEDING	ENGR REINFS	24 AUG 43	DUTY

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (*Unit.*)

28 August 43 (*Date of Despatch.*)

(*Signature of Commander.*) Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

N. Corps Troops (*Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.*)

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF. Date and Time.—From 1 Sept.43 To 30 Sept.43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Port Moresby Base Area	1	0630	Unit embarked on SS Josiah Earl less rear party of 6 O.R's. Capt. Andrews and 10 O.R's of 239 L.A.D.	R.O.'s, W 3008 and W 3009.
	2 & 3		At sea.	
BUNA	4	1100	Unit disembarked at BUNA at 1100 hrs moved to camp with 72 D/C.R.E. Location Ref Map BUNA East Special 1" to 1 Mile 250266. Personnel employed Camp Duties and roofing existing hut frames Commenced unloading vehicles from ship.	
	5		Unloading W.E. from ship. Camp construction.	
	6		Constructing pontoon raft for 6 Docks Operating Coy. Lieut. Griffiths designing Pile driving equipment for installation at Morobe. Received C.E. Instruction 133 for personnel and stores to be warned for movement to construct Corps H.Q. at MOROBE. Party to consist of 2 N.C.'s and 10 O.R'S.	
	7		Major Carter and Lieut Deveson inspected sawmilling plant ex Dyer's saw mill from Victoria at American Engineer's Dump, ORO BAY, with view to to installing same at LAE when Unit moves forward. American Base Engineer, Col Rhodes, willing to hand over all equipment on advice from American H.Q.	
	8		Steam pump head fabricated and repaired for USN Ship BROOKS.	
	9.		Notified that C.S.M. Lightfoot evacuated from 10 Fd Ambulance to Port Moresby with malaria. Construction of pile driver for MOROBE commenced.	
	10		Lieut Deveson and party collected Dyer's sawmilling plant from American Base Engineers at ORO BAY. Urgent call for Mk.111 F.B.E. Bridging by 9 Div. necessitated dismantling part of bridge connecting CAPE ENDAIDERE. E & M Section repairing Road Bearers and fabricating decking to replace section taken from bridge.	

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF. Date and Time.—From 1 Sept.43 To 30 Sept.43.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUNA Map Ref. Buna East Special 1" to 1 Mile 250266	11		Received advice placing Unit under command 1 Aust Corps as from 7 Sept.43. Administration to be carried out by 11 Aust Div. until 1 Aust Corps organization is complete.	
	12		Dismantling Mk.111 F.B.E. Bridge leading to CAPE ENDAIDERE FOR forward movemnt . Loading on L.S.T. craft. Unloading Dump stores and Unit W.E. at BUNA BEACH HEAD.	
	16		Movement of advance party to MOROBE cancelled and movement to LAE substituted. 2 N.C.O's and 10 O.R's on 24 hrs notice to mo	Report on Stores and equipment damaged, lost and pillaged in transit from Moresby to BUNA. Copy attached.
	17		In anticipation of early move forward the folloing Units were advised that personnel and equipemnt now on loan would be withdrawn on receipt of warning order. - 55 Fd Pk Coy, 2/14 Fd Coy and 12 Fd Coy.	
			E.in C. Lt Gen Steele accompanied by Brig. Maine and Brig Torr inspected area	
	21		Building C.R.E. H.Q. at ~~strip point~~ STRIP POINT. Advice received LHQ SA 50295 re Mechanical equipment arriving per SS James Goodhue.	
	22		BUNA area raided by Japanese bombers at 0300 hrs. One bomb approx. 63 kilos dropped in Unit lines causing neither damage or casualties. Bombers made two runs over target area. Flood-lights at wharf were not extinguished and until after first bombs dropped.	
	24	0200	Received verbal warning order for Unit to move forward loading to commence at 0900. Party to consist of Major Carter, Lieut Deveson, Lieut Hall, Lieut Griffiths and Capt Andrews LAD officer, and 50 other ranks. also 400 tons of engineers stores to commence Corps Dump in new Area .1500 Official warning orde received No.REC 722.	
	25		Loading of LST 18 commenced at 0900 and completed at 1500 hrs. Engineer stores reduced to 100 tons including Petrol and distallate approx. 50 tons. 30 ~~Kiwi~~ additional personnel taken also Lieut Liddy and 5 O.R's of Bomb Dosposal. Embarked at 1530 and LST moved to anchor in bay. Transport taken Trucks ~~3 ton G.S. - 10, Trucks 3 Tom G.S.~~ Tipper - 10, Derrick - 1, Transporter - 1, 15 cwt 4x4 - 3, 15 cwt 4x4 water cart - 1.	

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Army Form C.2118 (Amended.)

Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Sept.43 *To* 30 Sept.43.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUNA	26		L.S.T. at anchor in BUNA BAY with personnel and vehicles aboard. Majro Carter O.C. troops.	
	27		L.S.T. sailed at 0800 and beached at LAE 0015 hrs.	
	28	0015	Unloading of stores and vehicles commenced and completed at 0130 hrs. Unit vehicles moved to bivouac area and stores were left at beach with picquet . Bivouac area Ref Map, LAE 3508 1:25000 , 402702 . 0800 Lieut Griffiths reported to C.R.E 1 Aust Corps Troops for duty. Major Carter advised of camp location Ref Map LAE 3508, 1:25000 , 445707. 0900 Unit vehicles moved to camp site and commenced to establish camp. Although three vehicles broke rear axles all transport reached camp site. 1400 - Vehicles were unloaded and reported to beach to move stores to transit area on site of bivouac. Stores cleared from beach by 1900 hrs.	
	29		One three ton tipping truck reported to 2/1 M.E.Coy for transfer to that Unit. Seven three ton tipping trucks reported to 11 Fd Coy for transfer to that Unit. C.R.E. 1 Aust Corps Troops advised 30 tons of stores arriving from NASSAU BAY . Coy. Transport reported to VOCO Point to receive same. Unit clearing jungle in preparation for Workshop and accomodation areas.	
	30		C.R.E. 1 Aust Corps Troops signal REC 732 one truck 3 ton tipper was exchanged with 2/1 M.E. Coy for 3 ton G.S. Advised by C.R.E. that temporary sawmill be installed to provide decking for bridge being constructed by 2/14 Fd Coy Recce. made and site found approx. ref . map LAE 3508 1:25000 465692. Camp construction proceeding. 2200 hrs. Lieut Liddy, Bomb Disposal attached, reported to beach and took over 9,3 ton trucks of Eng. stores and moved them to transit area.	

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H.N. Jackson Major,
O.C.59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

MINUTE PAPER

C.3977/40

SUBJECT: REP A6 367

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF.
18 Sept. 43

C.R.E.
1 Aust Corps Troops.

Report on Stores and Equipment damaged, lost and pillaged in transit.

1. Large quantities of Engineer Stores are arriving in this Area, 90% of which are damaged in transit.

2. A case in point is the movement of this Unit's Stores and Equipment from previous location by means of "Liberty" ship.

3. All stores were packed and crated, stronger crates and more careful packing were employed, yet in spite of this only 10% arrived in a usable condition and few, if any, packages arrived intact. Machinery appears to receive no consideration of any kind and it is estimated that at least a month's work is involved in the repair and replacement of parts broken and lost in transit.

4. Any items of equipment such as nails, small pumps, and in many cases, articles which no Unit can have any reasonable use for, are sighted on the beach by our picquet, but do not reach our stores and it would appear that they are either misdirected or else pillaged. As an arrangement is in operation with A.A.O.C. and A.A.S.C. for the return of misdirected stores it can only be assumed that these articles are stolen.

In this category is a small planing machine contained in a box, 2' 2" x 4' 6" approximately.

J. Carter

(John Carter) Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.

Distribution

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS 7 Sept.43
by
MAJOR.JL CARTER.
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

286. CONSERVATION OF WATER.

The attention of all ranks is drawn to the need for conservation of water for either drinking or ablution purposes.

Careless use of water increases :-

1. The wear and tear of pumping plant.
2. Waste water for the breeding of mosquitoes.

Personnel will not leave taps turned on for longer than necessary. Wash basins, etc., must be used at all times.

287. "ONE WAY" ROADS.

Violation of notices prominently displayed in the Unit area for the direction of vehicles will be treated as an offence and disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

for
Signed H.N. Deveson Lieut Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS. 7 Sept.43.

BY

MAJOR. J. CARTER.

O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

288. WASTE OF WATER

NO water is to be used from kitchen area for washing or ablutions.

Particular notice will be taken of correct drinking water tanks.

289. URINALS.

Personnel indiscriminately urinating in areas other than latrines will be severely dealt with.

Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.
ROUTINE ORDERS
BY
MAJOR JOHN CARTER
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

290. DEPOSITS TO PAY BOOKS AND CASH REMITTANCES. G.R.O. F.628.

1. The attention of all members is drawn to the necessity for obtaining official receipts for all moneys paid to members of the AAPC.
2. The official receipts issued by AAPC personnel are of two kinds, viz.:-

(i) Pay Sergeants' Receipts (WF176) - issued by pay sergeants and personnel carrying out pay duties within units;
(ii) Commonwealth of Australia Official Receipts (as used in all Commonwealth Government Departments) - issued by paymasters of formations and depot cash offices.

Deposits to Pay Books.
3. Credits arising fromcash deposits appearing inmembers' pay books are only accepted as bona fide in cash offices if one of the above receipts for the amount of the credit is affixed to the back of the pay book. Unless this credit entry is so supported, no portion thereof can be drawn until confirmation is obtained.

Cash Remittances.-
4. Upon completion of a Cash Remittance (Form WF131A), the remitter must receive from the member of the AAPC concerned one of the above receipts for the amount paid by him, the number of which should be quoted in any inquiry relative to same.
5. It is the responsibility of all members to obtain receipts for all moneys paid to members of the AAPC.

291. GIFT PARCELS FOR UNITED KINGDOM ADDRESSES: DUTY FREE CONCESSION.
(G.R.O. Notice.)

1. A concession has been sanctioned by the United Kingdom authorities which permits members of the AMF and the British Army, serving in Australia, to send to their relatives and friends in the United Kingdom four (4) gift parcels a year, dutyfree. The usual postage rates are payable.

2. Such parcels must not weigh more than 5 lbs each nor exceed 30/- in value, and contents may not include:-

(a) any drinkable spirits;
(b) more than ½ lb total weight of tobacco, including cigars and cigarettes (200 cigarettes or 50 cigars =1/2 lb), or any tobacco goods marked "H.M. Ships only";
(c) More than ½ pint of scent;
(d) more than 2 lbs of any one foodstuff;

3. Special Customs Declarations (Army Form W5192) will be affixed to the parcels; these will be secured through normal stationery channels for issue, under unit arrangements, on a basis of a maximum of four (4) a year to any one sender. A comparatively few forms should suffice for needs of any one unit, and each form issuedtherein will have entered upon it the recipient's number and name and be signed by the issuing officer in the space provided.

4. It is stressed that full duty will be charged on the contents of parcels which infringe restrictions expressed in para.2.

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Headquarters

292. SPECIAL ORDER OF THE DAY by Lt.Gen. SIR EDMUND HERRING. K.B.E., D.S.O., M.C., E.D. GOC 1st AUSTRALIAN CORPS.

The capture of SALAMAUA marks the end of a campaign of 7 months duration. It has been a campaign of very great importance to the Allied Cause in the South West Pacific, and I desire to take this opportunity of extending to all of you, Australian and American alike, who have taken part, my heartfelt congratulations. You have all done a magnificient job, have outfought the Jap and have triumphed in spite of the difficult terrain and trying conditions in which you have been called on to fight.

This message is addressed primarily to all of you who have borne the heat and burden of the fighting, to the infantry first and foremost, to the gunners who have so worthily supported them, to the sappers for their grand work in this undeveloped country, to the signalmen who have maintained the vital communications and the medical services who have cared for the sick and wounded in most difficult circumstances.

It is also addressed to all those who have not actually taken part in the fighting, but have made the victory possible by their unceasing and unselfish devotion to duty on the lines of communication by sea and land, to those who have prepared supplies, to those who have loaded them into planes and on to ships, to those who have carried them through the air and over the water, to those who have handled them in all stages of their movement forward and finally those, including the natives, who have carried them to the forward troops.

I would also thank the Air Force for their generous co-operation at all times, and for their magnificient contribution to the victory won.

[signature] Major,
(JOHNCASTER)
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS 23 Sept.43

by.

MAJOR.J. CARTER.

O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,A.I.F.

293. MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL.

Personnel who are to be detached, admitted to hospital etc, and on returning to Unit from detachments or hospital will report to Coy. H.Q. before reporting to platoons.

294. SECTIONS - CHANGE OF NAME. (W.E. Amendment No.6 Notified 10 Sept.43).

In future sections will be known as and referred to as Platoons.

295. SWIMMING PARADE.

An officer will be detailed daily to conduct the swimming parade at 1700 hrs. Personnel will not enter the water unless the officer is present. Inthe interests of general health no underwater swimming or diving will be permitted.

Major;
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	IG HANLON	RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops	SME (ED) COURSE 90

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. APPT	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	CARTER J	OC	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	DEVESON HN	A/2/IC	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	HALL JTA	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX21370	SEGNIT AH	SEC OFFR	NO	WITH ADVANCE DETACHMENT

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
VX59371	LIEUT	GRIFFITHS HE	12 CRE (WORKS)	23 JY 43	SEC. OFFR

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit.)

[signature] 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Signature of Commander.)

3 Sept 43 (Date of Despatch.)

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known).
LIEUT	I G HANLON	RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops	SME For Course 90

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. Appt	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	H N DEVESON	A/2 I C	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26380	A H SEGNIT	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	VX59371	H E GRIFFITHS	12 CRE (WKS)	23 July 43	SEC OFFR

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Unit.)

[signature]
(Signature of Commander.)

11 Sept 43
(Date of Despatch.)

1 Aust Corps Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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111/29 A/1

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

SERIAL No. 46

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. Appt	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	H N DEVESON	2 i/c	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26360	A H SEGNIT	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	VX59371	H E GRIFFITHS	DCRE (WKS)	23 July	SEC OFFR
LIEUT	VX108215	SF BROWN	19 BN	21 Aug	DUTY ETC

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.
(Unit.)

H N Deveson
(Signature of Commander.)

18 Sept 43
(Date of Despatch.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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Serial No 47

A.I.F. W.E.
111/29A/1
6 & 178 + 6 Attached by WE

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	WE	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants	4	3	—	1
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	4	—	2

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
LIEUT	S F BROWN	19 Bn	25 Sept	Attachment ceased Unit moved forward

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 ~~Corps.~~ APPT	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C.	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	H N DEVESON	2 I/C	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J J A HALL	SEC. OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26380	A. H SEGNIT	SEC OFFR	NO	COMMANDING REAR DETACHME AT ENGINEER DUMP - BUNA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	VX59371	H E GRIFFITHS	12 CRE (WKS)	23 July 43	SEC OFFR

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit.)

[signature] Major
(Signature of Commander.)
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

25 Sept 43 (Date of Despatch.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3 / 4 /194 3. 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. III / 3 / 41. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 181 + OFFRS. O.R's. 1 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.					
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
—	1	—	4	Sergeants					
—	—	2	21	Corporals	A.A.M.C.	1	—	—	—
11	10	—	144	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
—	—	—	—	Civilians counting as O.R.					
11*	13	2	172*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1*	—	—	—*

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.P.		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	157		15				[redacted]	[redacted]		172
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
1	L.O. BRANCH		
3	21 A.F.D. 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.
52	72 DKRE (WKS)		
6	REAR PARTY		

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).

3 Sept 43
Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy

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59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy. R.A.E.

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REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required:- Mech.S/Sgts. - 2. (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)
Specialists, with the exception of Surveyor-Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.

The difference in totals of Columns of Part A and columns in Part E is caused by a surplus of pioneers, bricklayers, electricians, painters and plumbers.

	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.		W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.		W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Stokers, Stoking Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	Nil	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen	1	1	—	Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Bollermakers	1	—	1	Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks (a)	5	5	—	Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	38	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					BRICKLAYERS	3	2	1
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C.S.M.	1	1	—
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				C.Q.M.S.	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	S/SGTS	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				SGTS	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				TPT CPLS	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATMEN	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MR. ORDERLIES	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				HYGIENE DUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATER DUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				BAME CPL	1	1	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6	CARRIED FORWARD	66	62	9	CARRIED FORWARD	86	85	12	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	172	173*	24*

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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FIELD RETU...

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday...

W.E. 11 / 3 / 41. OFFRS. 5 O...

Part A. Posted Stre...

1	2	3	4							
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.										
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.							
—	—	—	—	W.Os. Class I.						
—	—	—	1	W.Os. Class II.						
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants						
—	1	—	4	Sergeants						
—	—	2	21	Corporals	A.A.M.C.	1	—	—	—	
11	12	—	144	Troopers, Privates, etc.						
—	—	—	—	Civilians counting as O.R.						
11*	13	2	172*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1*	—	—	— *	

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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
1	LE BRANCH		
3	21 A Fd 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.
52	72 DIVRE (WKS)		
6	REAR PARTY		

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).

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 3 / 4 /194 3.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Surveyors, B.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	4	—
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	5	1
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)			
Armament Artificer Instrument			
Armament Artificer Radio			
Armament Artificer Signals			
Armament Artificer Wireless			
Artificer, Artillery			
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1
Blacksmiths	4	4	—
Bricklayers	NIL	3	—
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen	1	1	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4
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 (a)	6	6	—
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	2	3	—
Saw Doctors			
Surveyors			
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6

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	2	3	—
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	2	—
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers			
Wheelers	1	—	1
Winchman			
Wireman	8	8	—
Woodturners			
CARRIED FORWARD	66	63	12

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			
Rivetters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers	1	1	—
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Tailors			
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
C.S.M.	1	1	—
C.Q.M.S.	1	1	—
S/SGTS	3	1	2
SGTS	5	4	1
TPT CPLS	3	3	—
RATMEN	5	4	1
MR. ORDERLIES	2	2	—
HYGIENE DUTY	1	1	—
WATER DUTY	1	1	—
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
BAME CPL	1	1	—
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	142	173	24 *

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.

3 Sept 43
Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander
69 Aust Corps Field Park Coy

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

45 /.....(Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 11 / 9 /1943. .....Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 299 / 1. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 151 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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.
5	5		—	W.Os. Class I.					
1	1		—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
	1	—	4	Sergeants					
		3	21	Corporals	NAME	1	—	—	—
			143	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
*			170*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 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	155		15				[redacted]	[redacted]		170
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
1	CE Branch		
3	21 Fd Coy		
24	19 Bn		
10	10 Fd Coy		
2	55 Fd Pk 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.
6	Road Party		
	(S Hamp Regt)		
8	55 Fd Pk Coy		
3	HQ 1 CE		
7	10 Fd Coy		
2	21 Fd Coy		

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).

.....Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.....Unit

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.....9/1943.

REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required :- Mech.S/Sgts - 2. (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)
Specialists, with exception of Surveyor-Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.

The difference in totals of columns of Part A and columns in Part E is caused by surplus in pioneers, bricklayers, electricians, painters and plumbers.

Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Trigonometrical				Operator, Switchboard				Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Wireless				.....O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	4	—	Opticians				.....mermen			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Painters	2	3	—	.....her Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Panel Beaters				.....rlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Photographer, Dry Plate				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Artificer, Artillery								Predictor Numbers				Plate Layers			
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Printers				Rangefakers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Radiographers				Riveters			
Bricklayers	NIL	3	—					Riggers				Roughriders			
Computors								Sawyers	2	2	—	Saddlers	1	1	
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Signallers				Saddletree makers			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signwriters				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Dispensers				Axemen				Stevedores				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Storemen, Technical				Tailors			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers	1	—	1	Well Borers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Wheelers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Winchman				Wagon Erectors			
Electricians	4	—	4	Cooks	5	5	—	Wireman				Whitesmiths			
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics				Woodturners							
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	37	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	3	—					PIONEERS MT	33	26	7
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	Sjt's	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				Cpls	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tpt Cpls	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATTMEN	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MT DRIVERS	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Hygiene Dy	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATER Dy	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				ATTACHED Cpl	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6	CARRIED FORWARD	66	62	9	CARRIED FORWARD	86	80	12	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	182	171	* 25

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(d) Where replacement not desired note accordingly on return by insertion of N.R. in col. "Reints. Required."
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11 Sept 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
Major
Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 11 / 9 /1943. 2/3 Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 299 / 1. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 181 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 1 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	1		—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
	1	—	4	Sergeants					
		3	21	Corporals	NAME	1	—	—	—
			143	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
*			170 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 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.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	155		15					[redacted]	[redacted]		170
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
1	CE Branch		
3	2 Fd Coy		
24	19 Bn		
10	10 Fd Coy		
2	55 Fd Pk 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.
6	Road Party (S Army Route)		
8	55 Fd Pk Coy		
3	11 Fd Pk Coy		
7	10 Fd Coy		
2	2 Fd Pk Coy		

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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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 18 / 9 /194 3. 58 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 2991. OFFRS. 3 O.R's. 176 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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.					
			—	W.Os. Class II.					
			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
			1	Staff Sergeants					
			4	Sergeants					
		3	20	Corporals	Attd. Unit	2	—	—	—
			139	Troopers, Privates, etc.	Attd.	4	—	—	—
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
*			163 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		6 *	—	—	— *

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	156	—	15	—	—	—	[redacted]	[redacted]	—	171
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
1	CE Branch		
3	21 Fd Coy		
24	19 Inf Bn		
10	W Fd Coy		
2	55 Fd Pk 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.
5	Rear Party		
	(C.E. Army Troops)		
8	55 Fd Pk Coy		
3	NQ NCF		
2	HQ Fd Coy		
2	2nd Fd Coy		
27	Rel Lemnos		

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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58 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. Unit

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REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required :- Mech/S/Sgts- 2. (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)
Surplus Corporals (3) to fill vacancies created by S/Sgts and Sgts promotions. Specialists with exception of Surveyor-Engineering to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.
The difference in totals of columns of Part A and columns in Part E is caused by surplus in pioneers, bricklayers, electricians, painters and plumbers.

	W.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.

Fitter (M.V.)				Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing					
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental					
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers					
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefakers					
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters					
Armament Artificer Wireless				Boilermaker	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders					
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—		
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers					
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer					
Bricklayers	N2	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores					
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine					
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	7	1		
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors					
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters					
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—		
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers					
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Bellringers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors					
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths					
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Wireman									
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners									
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics													
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—										
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator													
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers													
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	38	—		
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					DRIVERS MT	33	20	8		
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.					
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C.SM	1	—	1		
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				C.Q.MS.	1	1	—		
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (b)	1	6	4	2	S/SGTS	3	1	2	
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply				Sgts.	5	4	1		
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Cpls	3	3	—		
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATMEN	5	4	1		
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MESS ORDERLIES	2	2	—		
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Hyperbaric	1	1	—		
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATERDUTY	1	1	—		
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.					
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AAMC Cpl	1	1	—		
Operators, Excavator (a)	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.									
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AAAC.					
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				C.O.R.	5	5	—		
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1						
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers									
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers									
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates									
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers									
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6	CARRIED FORWARD	61	57	9	CARRIED FORWARD	81	75	12	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	182	171	*26		

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
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(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.

18 Sept 43
Date of Despatch

[signature]
Signature of Commander
Major
58 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 18/9/1943. 58 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 111/2991. OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 176 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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 AELOWED 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.					
			—	W.Os. Class II.					
			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
			1	Staff Sergeants					
			4	Sergeants					
		3	20	Corporals	ANZAC-MAE	2	—	—	—
			139	Troopers, Privates, etc.	ANZAC	4	—	—	—
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
*			165 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		6 *	—	—	— *

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).

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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		156	—	15	—	—	—	[redacted]	[redacted]	—	171
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
1	CE Branch		
3	2 Fd Coy		
24	19 Inf Bn		
10	4 Fd Coy		
2	55 Fd Wks 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.
5	Rear Party		
	(6 Army Troops)		
8	55 Fd Coy		
3	HQ 4 Fd		
2	4 Fd Coy		
2	2 Fd Coy		
27	Rel Lines		

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).

58 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. Unit

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Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength	Reinfts. Required	Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength	Reinfts Required	Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Poste Stren	Rein Requ	GROUP III. (cont.)	W.F	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Boilermaker	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	Nil	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Bullrunners				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical) (6)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	30	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					DRIVERS MT	33	20	8
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C SM	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				C QMS.	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (6)	6	4	2	S/Sgts	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Sgts.	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				L/Cpls	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATMEN	5	4	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MO ORDERLIES	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				HYGIENE DUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATERDUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				ARMC Cpl	1	1	—
Operators, Excavator (6)	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AAAC.			
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				C.O.R.	5	5	—
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	31	29	6	CARRIED FORWARD	61	57	9	CARRIED FORWARD	81	75	12	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	182	171	*26

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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18 Sept 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
Major
58 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 25 / 9 /194 3. 59 Aust Corps Tps Coy (Unit)

W.E. III / 391 / 1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
—	—	1	6	Sergeants	AACC	1	—	—	—
—	—	2	19	Corporals	AACC / AAMC	2	—	—	—
11	12	—	134	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	3	—	—	—
			—	Civilians counting as O.R.					
12 *	15	3	166 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		6 *	—	—	— *

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.	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	12	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		166
B(1)		5	1								6
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
5	Band Depot.		
1	CE Grams		
3	2/1st Coy 3 with Rear Detachment		

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.
6	Rear Details 8 Aust Army		
93	Reinforcements Tours		
66	Rear Detachment Burma		

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).
		REMARKS	
The following personnel are not currently required - but upon application from Units (Corps (2)) to fill vacancies Army Coy Stat Branches			
The difference (if any) between Columns 4 and 7 of Part A is caused by Surplus Officers, Cooks, Clerks, Electricians & Fitters			

Part E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 25 / 9 /194 3.

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	6	5	1
Blacksmiths	4	4	—
Bricklayers	[illegible]	3	—
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1 +
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4
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	5	1
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	2	3	—
Saw Doctors	1	—	1
Surveyors			
CARRIED FORWARD	32	28	8

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	4	—
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	4	2
Boilermaker	1	—	1
Sawyer	6		
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics	[redacted]	[redacted]	
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians	[redacted]		
Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons			
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—
Miners	2	2	—
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	62	55	12

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			
Rangetakers			
Riveters			
Roughriders			
Sailors			
Saddlers			
Predictor Numbers			
Saddletree makers			
Printers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Radiographers			
Stevedores			
Riggers			
Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Sawyers	2	2	—
Storemen, Technical			
Signallers			
Tailors			
Textile Refitters			
Signwriters			
Tinsmiths			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Vulcanizers			
Well Borers			
Wagon Erectors			
Wheelers			
Whitesmiths			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
CARRIED FORWARD	52	73	15

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	1	1	—
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Storemen, Technical	8	9	1
Tailors			
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
PIONEERS	29	28	—
DRIVERS MT	53	46	7
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
CSM	1	—	1
CQMS	1	1	—
Mess Sgt	3	1	2
Sgts	5	6	—
Cpls	3	3	—
BATMEN	6	4	2
MT Orderlies	2	2	—
Cooks	2	1	—
Mess Orderly	1	1	—
Office Orderly	1	1	—
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
AACC	5	5	—
AAMC	1	1	—
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	134	12 *	28

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25 / 11 / 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF. Date and Time.—From 1 October, 1943 To 31 October 43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE 3508 1:25,000. 465692	1		Stores delivered to unit area and unloaded. Lighting set and lights installed for 11 Fd Coy on site of new road being constructed by that company. Temporary mill completed to produce urgent bridge timber. Salvaged machinery plant from LAE drome Lieut Liddy Bomb Disposal, working with Allied Intelligence ~~removing UX bombs in area of LAE drome and collecting enemy~~ equipment to forward to LHQ intelligence.	
	2		Advised 20 tons of Engineer Stores arriving at Voco Pt. 2200 hrs by LST. Manufactured 6 sets skids for unloading petrol from ~~LST. Delivered to beach at 2100 hrs. Instructed by CRE to~~ send 6 O.R's to SALAMAU Isthmus to collect 2 gas engines Cpl. Wiseback and 5 O.R's in party. Party under direction Capt Marshall 11 Fd Coy. US Army provided barge for salvaging this material. Recce made to Malahang wreck as to Engineer Stores available. Articles of value removed. Good quantity of coal will be salvaged.	
	3		0200 Daylight saving commenced. S/Sgt Burnett sent back to BUNA for liasion work inn forwarding by LST. Engineer stores urgently required in this area. Approx. 30 tons Engineer stores arrived by LST. Stores were unloaded to transit and carted to unit area. Recce party returned from SALAMAU and ~~reported that engines would require lifting~~ equipment to remove. Time too short to make complete recce of area.	
	4		Personnel Shortage: Present Coy posted strength 4 & 166 of these 1 Offr., Lieut Segnit, and 99 O.R's are detached. This shortage is retarding and limitting the amount of productive work that can be provided by this Coy. and extra personnel so far are unavailable from other sources. Heavy rains caused traffic hold up on main road to camp.	
	5		Very heavy rain falling making conditions very boggy. Cpl. Cameron sent to HQ 1 Aust Corps to install pumping plant.	

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF. Date and Time.—From 1 October 43 To 31 October,43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE	7		50 natives reported for duty . Employed at saw mill and cutting timber for stores sheds also clearing jungle. NX 123164 Spr. Curtis. W.J. badly lacerated middle finger of right hand at Coy. saw mill. Evacuated to 2/1 A.G.H.,MORESBY Trucks taking stores to 1 Aust Corps NADZAB unable to complete trip owing to roads being impassable. Heavy rain again falling.	
	8		Raining stadily. Main road only open to ration vehicles. Stray Japanese still in area. Cpl. Cameron N. driving tractor near MALAHANG Mission fired on. Jap then took to jungle.	
	9		Workshop Pl fabricating Pile driver Monkey from 60 lb rails for 11 Fd Coy. Approx. weight 1000 lbs. Roads impassable ration truck unable to reach LAE.	
	10		SALVAGED EQUIPMENT. The following equipement salvaged from LAE drome:- 1 MACSON lathe 12" centre. 1 dividing head 1 "John Heine" Punch Machine, 1"John Heine" Metal bending machine, 1 vertical drilling spindle, 1 Radial drilling machine, Sundry shafting and 1 compressor. Very little work was required to repair this machinery for use will prove invaluable for work in dump. Approx value £1700.	
	11		E & M Pl working on arrangement to fit up 8 Tanks for watering points with 2 deliveries. Plans submitted by Major Cann 2/14 Fd Coy. LAE area raided by Japanese aircraft making 8 runs during the night. 1 stick of bombs dropped in Unit area causing casualties to 151 A.G.T. personnel.	
	12		Pile driver monkey completed for 11 Fd Coy . Col Bell,CRE, inspected area and expressed satisfaction with progress made and amount of work produced with the limited number of personnel.	
	13		Two red alerts during night of 12/13 Oct. Planes over in force but did not drop bombs.	

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF. *Date and Time.—From* 1 October, 43 *To* 31 October 43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE	13		Second bench set up for saw mill completed and tested. First cut produced 1300 Super ft. Large demands for timber have been submitted to unit for accomodation installation in area. Accomodated 2/124 Bde Wkshps, temporarily until their kitchen etc., erected. A list of 15 personnel urgently required submitted to CRE to call them forward from leave and rear details. Native labour completed erection of second hut for stores.	
	14		Commenced building up of supplementary power unit for mill.	
	15		Arrangements made with 4 Bde , Amenities to have picture show on 16 th.	
	16		Two red alerts during night of 15 th. Planes over area. No information as to where bombs fell. Heavy rain falling.	
	17		Roads to LAE closed. No vehicles able to get through. Heavy rain falling.	
	18		Heavy rain of late has slowed work in area. Building of store sheds being constructed by native labour.	
	19		Building plumbers and carpenters shops. Latrine seat manufacture commenced. Joiner for carpenters shop being assembled for latrine seat manufacture. Tank manufacture impossible owing to lack of Spirits of salts. Power has been applied to curving roller to speed output when manufacture commences. Timber mill producing enough timber for imediate requirements. Anticpate extra production with more power.	
	25		Extra power unit installed at mill. Output increased to 1000 super ft. Dismantling Petter Engine 72 HP & 41 KVA set at LAE drome . Salvage party under control of Lieut Hall.	
	26		Making ditcher for roads , experimental drains. Salvage from LAE drome brought into Dump.	

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Unit. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF. *Date and Time.—From.* 1 October, 43 *To.* 31 October, 43.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE	27		Major Carter and 2 NCO's reported to LAE drome to go to BUNA re forwarding of stores and mechanical equipment & personnel. Owing to heavy rain plane didnot arrive and all personnel ~~rain~~ returned to camp. Approx. 60 tons of Engineer stores arrived by LST . LST departed with lot of stores still on board owing to not being unloaded on time. Unit received 14 lbs fresh butter the first supply for many weeks.	
	28	1015	Major Carter and 2 NCO's emplabed for BUNA.	
	29		Manufacture of Tanks commenced.	
	30		Saw mill output 1700 super ft.	
	31		Inspection of Area by Col.Toyer 5 C.E(Works).	

H Toyer Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy, AIF.

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(d) Proficiency pay will be automatically forfeited if a soldier commits a breach of good conduct, and the soldier will be required to complete a further period of six months service with good conduct to qualify for restoration of proficiency pay.

(e) The C.O. is empowered to withdraw proficiency pay if there has been a falling off in the efficiency of a soldier and such soldier will be required to again qualify by examination before proficiency pay can be restored.

(f) Personnel promoted to the rank of acting corporal or acting bombardier or higher are not entitled to proficiency pay.

292. DISCIPLINE - PILFERING.

All cases of pilfering willbe tried by court martial. A very serious view will be taken of this crime which is declared to be "unusually prevalent".

[signature] Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy. AIF.

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ROUTINE ORDERS. 16 Oct.43.
BY
MAJOR. J. CARTER.
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY.,AIF.

293. LEAVE - COMPASSIONATE , SEASONAL OR OCCUPATIONAL.

(5 Aust Div R.O. Part 1 Para A34 is reprinted here below.)

Instructions have been promulgated by LHQ to the effect that applications for compassionate leave or seasonal and occupational leave made by personnel serving in New Guinea will be treated as if such applicant was in a far distant operational station such as the Middle East.

294. AIR RAID ALARMS.

(Extracts from 5 Aust Div GS Instruction No 42 are reprinted below.)

Procedure within Units in Advent of Air Raid Alarm.

(a) Until local unit alarms sound no action will be taken to disturb normal routine and the sounding of one unit alarm will not be taken as a reason for neighbouring units to sound their alarms. They will receive their warnings through the usual channels.

(b) The local unit alarm will be sounded when enemy planes can be seen in the vicinity of that unit area. Otherwise work will be carried on as normal . The sight of soldiers rushing for cover at any time is degrading and bad for morale, but rushing to cover before enemy aircraft are even in sight betrays sheer panic.

(c) On hearing the unit alarm all personnel will be prepared to take cover in their vicinity. ON NO ACCOUNT WILL FIRING OF SHOTS OR CALLING OUT WARNINGS BE PEEMITTED WHATEVER. Personnel will seek whatever cover is available cooly and calmly, and where no local cover is available at short distance from the area of their employment they will lie flat on the ground.

(d) Immediately planes have left the area normal work will be resumed without waiting for the "all clear" to be sounded. An air raid sentry may be posted until the "all clear" signal is given through the normal channels.

Lights.

All lights will be screened immediately to prevent emission of direct rays. Non-essential lights will be extinguished. All lights other than essential will be e tinguished on warning being given.

Alarm will be given on Unit gong by H.Q. by day and by Picquet by night.

Action by Drivers of Vehicles.

(a) Vehicles will not halt on roads unless there is an apparent and imminent danger to the vehicles or the person driving. In that case vehicles will not approach closer than 75 yds from the preceeding vehicle by day and 30 yds by night.

(b) Should it become necessary for the driver to take cover he will ens ure that the ignition of the vehicle is switched off.

(c) In the LAE area drivers will maintain as wide a dispersal of vehicles as possible.

(d) Suitable dispersal areas for vehicles depending on local conditiond will be selected by each Unit.

(e) Vehicles waiting to load will be dispersed as far as possible and will on no account whatever be blocked up closer than 75 yds by day and 30 yds by night between vehicles. This instruction will be enforced by all C.O(s of xxxxxxxxx Units.

General Prohibitions.

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General Prohibitions.

(a) The firing of three shots as a local warning by Units within the LAE AREA will not be carried out and disciplinary action will be taken by all Commanding Officers of Units against personnel adopting this dangerous and unnecessary practice.

(b) Calling out or shouting instructions to vehicles or within bivouac areas to put lights out is to cease forthwith.

(c) Running to cover will NOT be allowed since the only action permitted is for troops to lie down or seek available cover in a cool manner. This is for their own safety.

(d) Signals to indicate air raids, etc., except as authorised in this instruction , are expressly forbidden. Care will also be taken that the signal to take cover is given by the Unit's own sentry and not as the result of repetitions of signals of other Units. All ranks must be inculcated with the determination that enemy action will in no way delay the development or the continuance of works essential to this operational base.

(e) Telephone calls will not be made during the period Air Raid Red - Air Raid Green, except for those of operational nature or those concerned with matters of extreme importance.

[signature]
Major,
O.C. 59 AustCorps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.
ROUTINE ORDERS.
BY
MAJOR. J. CARTER.
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY.,AIF.

20 Oct.43.

295. DRESS-RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops. (CRE Instruction is reprinted).

(a) The followmg order of dress will be worn at all times except as specified in para (b) :-

Hats Fur Felt with puggaree or hat bands with correct colour patch, shirts, trousers, gaiters and boots.

(b) Personnel employed on manual labour may be permitted to remove shirts between 0700 hrs and 1830 hrs at the discretion of O's.C.

(c) Units will ensure that hats are worn in the authorised fashion i.e. with dent running from front to rear.

(d) Personnel will NOT be allowed to wear :-

Shorts, under any circumstances.

Any unauthorised form of dress such as articles of USA uniform.

Any shorts on issue will be withdrawn and held in Unit Q Store.

(e) Personnel should be in possession of at least three serviceable sets of shirts and trousers.

296. DAMAGE TO SIGNAL COMMUNICATIONS.

(5 Aust Div.GS Instruction No.45 is reprinted below.)

(a) The importance and difficulty of maintaining line communications throughout the Corps Area need hardly be stressed. Reports are being continually received of deliberate sabotage to signal lines. In some cases vital lines to forward areashave been cut with wire cutters or pliers for the purpose of making fishing lines and clothes lines. In some cases careless driving has caused extensive damage and prolonged periods of broken communications.

(b) As even maintenance of lines is extraordinarily difficult in t this theatre, the task of signals will rapidly become impossible , if the present lack of consideration shown by some troops, for what are obviously signal communications, continues.

(c) Action will be taked immediately by Commanders concerned to ensure that the importance of maintaining signal communications is impressed on all personnel under their command. Should this not prove effective other steps should be taken, where necessary, to ensure that signals communications are not interrupted.

(d) Personnel in charge of works will pay particular attention to avoidance of damage to signal lines and will warn signals personnel as early as possible if the work is likely to cause damage to lines. This applies in particular to road construction where signal lines are are liable to be affected by clearing and felling timber.

297. CARRYING OF ARMS.

(An extract fro 5 Aust Div. GS Instruction No.43 is reprinted below).

It has been a we ll broadcast fact that a few Japanese continue to inhabit the jungles around LAE, emerging at appropriate times to steal food and even, when opportunity offers, to shoot the odd soldiers. In practically every case the selected target was unarmed and answered the challenge by executing an undignified if not disorderly retreat through the jungle.

In future all ranks will carry personal arms outside camp areas.

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297. (cont).

In future all ranks will carry personal arms when outside camp areas.

All ranks of working parties will carry arms to the scene of their task and groundthem or pile them (under guard if the situation warrants it) so that they are immediately available in an emergency.

Drivers will carry arms in vehicles at all times and personnel carrying out recces or works in isolated areas should carry at least one SMG in each party.

H. Jeneson Lund Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.AIF

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ROUTINE ORDERS 5 Oct.43
BY
MAJOR. J. CARTER.
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

290. DEPOSITS TO PAYBOOKS AND CASH REMITTANCES.
(5 Aust Div. Routine Order Para A 17 is reprinted below).

1. The attention of all members is drawn to the necessity for obtaining official receipts for all moneys paid to members of the AAPC.
2. The official receipt issued by AAPC personnel are of two kinds:-
(a) Pay sergeants receipts (WF 176)- issued to pay sergeants and personnel carrying out pay duties within Units.
(b) Commonwealth of Australia Official Receipts (as used by all Commonwealth government departments) - issued by paymasters of formations and depot cash offices.

3. Deposits to Paybooks:-
Credits arising from cash deposits appearing in member's paybooks are only accepted as bona fide in cash office if one of the above receipts for the amount of the credit is affixed to the back of the paybook. Unless this credit entry is so supported no portion thereof can be drawn until confirmation is obtained.

4. Cash Remittances:-
remitter Upon completion of cash remittance form(WF131A) the must receive from the member of the AAPC concerned one of the above receipts for the amount paid by him, yhe number of which should be quoted in any inquiry relative to same.

5. It is the responsibility of all members to obtain receipts for all moneys paid to members of the AAPC.

291. PROFICIENCY PAY.
(5 Aust Div. Routine Order Para A17 is reprinted below.)

1. Attention is directed to GRO f 660 of 10 Sept.43.

2. Briefly the provisions of this GRO are as follows:-

(a) On and from the 1 July43 proficiency pay at the rate of sixpence per day will be paid to every male member of the AMF who holds the appointment of lance corporal or lance bombardier or the rank of private or its equivalent, and who is not in receip of specialist or trade group allowance.
(b) Entitlement to proficiency pay is dependent on fulfillment of the following conditions :-
(i) Completion of six month's continuous service, full time war service prior to 1 July,43Periods of leave with pay will be accepted as service.
(ii) For six months prior to 1 July43 the soldier has been of good conduct.
(iii) That on the first occasion subsequent 1 July,43 on which he is examined, he passes the prescribed examination for proficiency in the arm or branch to which he belongs.

(c) A soldier's conduct is deemed good unless he has committed one of the following breaches :-
(i) When an award has been made by a military authority imposing on the soldier a penalty higher in scale set out in AMR & O 414(b) than confinement to barracks for seven days, providing no fine of less than £1 shall be deemed to be a breach of good conduct.
(ii) When the soldier has been convicted by a civil court and fined £5 or more or sentenced to a imprisonment, whether or not such sentence is suspended upon the soldier's entering into a bond.

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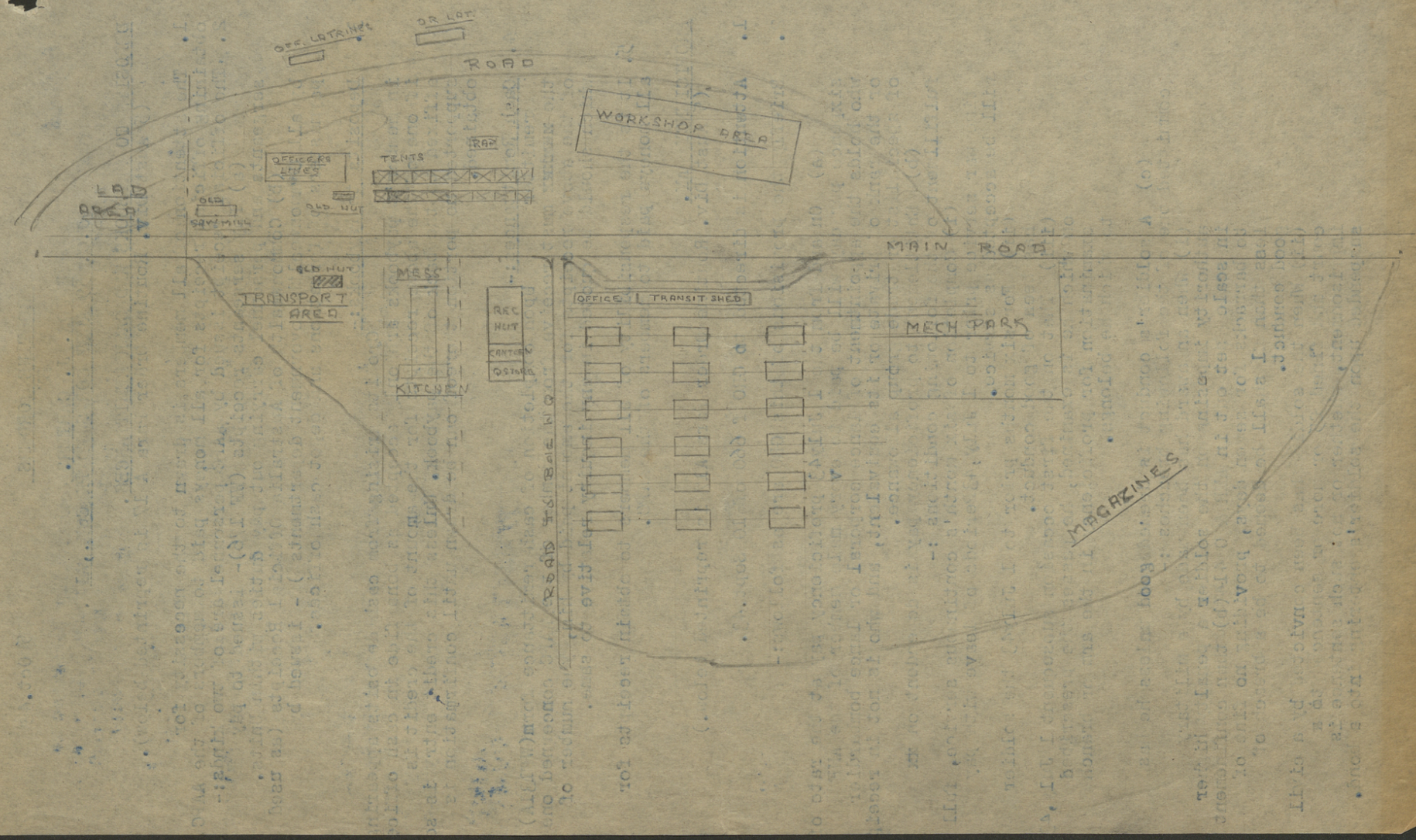

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

43 / 43 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 2 / 10 / 1943. 39 Corps Tk Coy AIF (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 1 / 1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 175 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class II.					
	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
	—	1	6	Sergeants	AACC	1	—	—	—
	—	2	19	Corporals	AACC + AAMC	2	—	—	—
11	12	—	139	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	3	—	—	—
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
12 *	15	3	166 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		6 *	—	—	— *

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	152	12	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		166
B(1)	3	1	—	Included by WE						
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
5	Bomb Disposal		
1	CE Bomb		
3	AFD Coy — (with Rear Echelon)		

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.
6	Rear Details Port Moresby		
97	Reinforcement Reserve		
54	Rear Echelon - Buna		
12	HQ 1 Aust Corps		

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).
		REMARKS	
The following personnel are not urgently required —			
1 Mech Sgts			- 2/ to be posted from Pioneer Coy with Unit
to fill Corporal (2) to fill vacancies created by Sgts promotions. Also vacancies to be posted from trainees already with Unit			
The difference in totals of columns of Part A and figures in Part E is caused by surplus of pioneers bricklayers, electricians, painters & plumbers			

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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 2 / 10 / 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	6	5	1
Blacksmiths	4	4	—
Bricklayers	4	3	—
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4
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	5	1
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	2	3	—
Saw Doctors	1	—	1
Surveyors			
CARRIED FORWARD	32	45	8

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	4	—
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	4	2
Wireless Mechanics	1	—	1
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	8	8	—
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	4	3	—
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Hello Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons			
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—
Miners	2	2	—
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	62	55	12

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	2	3	—
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	2	—
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Tinsmiths			
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks (63)	6	4	2
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors	2	2	—
Cooks			
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	52	73	15

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	1	1	—
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Tailors			
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
Pioneers	89	88	—
Drivers MT	33	26	7
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
CSM	1	—	1
CQMS	1	1	—
Mech Spec	3	1	2
Cpls	5	5	—
Tpt Cpls	3	3	—
Batmen	6	4	2
QM Storemen	2	2	—
Kitchen Duty	1	1	—
Mess Duty	1	1	—
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
AACC	5	5	—
AAMC	1	1	—
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	194	142	28

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.

2 October 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander ..... Maj
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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

/ (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 9/10/1943. 59 Corps Fd Coy AIF (Unit)

W.E. 111 13/41/4. OFFRS. 6 O.R's 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
	—	1	6	Sergeants	AACC	1			
	—	2	19	Corporals	AACC & HAMC	2			
12	13	—	138	Troopers, Privates, etc.	HACC	3			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
13 *	16	3	165 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		6 *			*

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	151	12	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		165
B(1)	5	1	attached by WE							6
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
5	Bomb Disposal		
1	CE Board		
3	21 Fd Coy — 2 MG Sect		
	Det Unit		

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.
6	Rear Party — Port Moresby		
12	Rear Party — 1 Base		
12	HQ 1 Aust Corps		
12	Air Maintenance — Nadzab		
27	Recreational Leave		

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).

59 Aust Corps Fd Coy AIF
Unit

REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED AND SURPLUS PERSONNEL.

The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required :- Mech.S/Sgts.- 2. (To be appointed from personnel already with Unit.)
Specialists, with the exception of Surveyor-Engineering, to be appointed from trainees already with Unit.
Surplus in Corporals (2) to fill vacancies created by S/Sgts promotions.
The difference in totals of columns of Part A and columns in Part E is caused by surplus in pioneers, bricklayers, electricians, painters and plumbers.

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Trade	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Trade	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Trade	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. PART III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Assistants			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners	4	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Cutmen			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	4	2	Painters	2	3	—	s, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Wireless				BOILERMAKER	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	14	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Stat'y. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters	8	7	1	Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians .				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	33	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					DRIVERS MT	33	26	7
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	MECH S/SGTS	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				SQ-Ts	5	6	—
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				FOR CLK	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATMEN	6	4	2
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MESSORDERS	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				HYGIENE	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WATER DUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				HACC	3	3	—
Operators, Excavator (a)	6	5	1	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				HAMC	1	1	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	1	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	—	1	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	28	8	CARRIED FORWARD	62	54	13	CARRIED FORWARD	82	72	16	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	184	171	29

NOTES.—(a) If rank other than private is involved give details on back.
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9 October 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
	—	1	6	Sergeants	AACC	1			
	—	2	19	Corporals	AACC & HAMC	2			
12	13	—	138	Troopers, Privates, etc.	HACC	3			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
13 *	16	3	165 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		6 *			*

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B(1)	5	1	attached by WE							6
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
5	Bomb Disposal		
1	CE Board		
3	21 Fd Coy — 2 MG Sect		
	Detached	12	MG 1 Aust Corps
		12	AIR MAINTENANCE — NADZOAB
		27	RECREATIONAL LEAVE

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.
6	Rear Party — Port Moresby		
42	Rec Det Cairns — Boats		
12	HQ 1 Aust Corps		
12	AIR MAINTENANCE — NADZOAB		
27	RECREATIONAL LEAVE		

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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GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Streng.	Reinf. Requ.	GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Streng.	Reinf. Requ.	GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Streng.	Reinf. Requ.	details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	4	2	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				BOILERMAKER	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	14	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Stnty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters	8	7	1	Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians .				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	38	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					DRIVERS, MT	33	26	7
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				COMS	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	MECH STORES	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				SC-T	5	6	—
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				FOR CUR	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATMEN	6	4	2
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MECHANICS	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				HYGIENE	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				WINTER DUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				HACC	3	3	—
Operators, Excavator (a)	6	5	1	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				HAMC	1	1	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	1	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	—	1	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	28	8	CARRIED FORWARD	62	54	13	CARRIED FORWARD	82	72	16	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	184 *	171 *	29

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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Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

(Serial No.) 30 '43

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 16/10/194 3 54 Const Coy (Unit)

W.E. 111 2/AI / / . OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 118 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
—	—	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
	2	—	1	Sergeants					
	—	1	6	Corporals	AACC	1	—	—	—
	—	2	19	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	2	—	—	—
14	11	—	140	Civilians counting as O.R.	AACC	3	—	—	—
*			*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		*			*
15	15	3	169						

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			X	X							
B(1)		152	13	2							167
B(2)		5	1	—							6

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
5	Bomb Disposal		
1	CE Branch		

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.
6	Rear Party (Port Moresby)		
44	Rear Detachment (Buna)		
12	HQ 1 Aust Corps		
11	3 Inf Bde Maintenance		
27	Recreational Leave		

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).
			Reinforcements Required for Surplus Personnel
			The following reinforcements are NOT urgently required = Mech Spts 2. (To be moved from Townsville already with Unit)
			Reinfts with exception of Surveyors, Engineering Clerk Officials from Townsville already with Unit
			Surplus Corporals (2) to fill vacancies created by Spots promotions
			The difference in totals of columns of Part A and Part E is caused by Surplus in Fitters, Bricklayers, Electricians, Painters & Plumbers.

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AIF W.E. 111/2/AI/1 6 Y 175 1 Attached.

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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 16/10/1943.

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	6	5	1
Blacksmiths	4	4	—
Bricklayers	NIL	3	—
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4
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	5	1
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	2	2	—
Saw Doctors	1	—	1
Surveyors			
CARRIED FORWARD	32	28	8

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Surveyors, E.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	4	—
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	4	2
Boilermakers	1	—	1
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	8	7	1
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—
Fire Control Operators			
GROUP III.			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons			
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—
Miners	2	2	—
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	62	54	13

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			
Rangetakers			
Riveters			
Roughriders			
Saddlers			
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Riggers			
Stokers, Stat. Engine			
Sawyers	2	2	—
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers			
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
CARRIED FORWARD	82	72	16

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	1	1	—
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Stat. Engine			
Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Tailors			
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	184	173	29

Pioneers 20 40 —

Divers QLD 35 32 1

DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.

CSM	1	—	1
CQMS	1	1	—
Mech Spts	3	1	2
Spts	5	6	—
MT Cpls	3	3	—
Kitchen	6	4	2
MT Drivers	2	2	—
Nurses	1	1	—
Water Duty	1	1	—

ATTACHED BY W.E.

AACC	5	5	—
AAMC	1	1	—

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16 October 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

51/43 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 23/10/1943 5th Aust Corps Tk Mk Coy (Unit)

W.E. 111/2/1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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
1	1	—	—	W.Os. Class I.					
—	—	—	1	W.Os. Class II.					
—	2	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
—	—	—	3	Staff Sergeants					
—	—	—	3	Sergeants	AMEC	1	—	—	—
—	—	2	19	Corporals	AMEC	2	—	—	—
12	12	—	139	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AMEC	3	—	—	—
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
13 *	15	2	165 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *	—	—	— *

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		150	13	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		165
B(1)		5	1	(included in WE)							6
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
1	4th Fd Amb		

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
6	Rear Party (Port Moresby)		
62	Base Detachment (Brisbane)		
18	HQ 1st Aust Corps		
10	3rd Aust Tk Mnt Workshops		
9	Recreational Leave		

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).
Reinforcements		Regiment Surplus Personnel	
The following reinforcements are NOT urgently			
required - WEC 3/ICTs - 2 (to be appointed from			
[redacted] personnel already with Corps)			
Specialty will exception of Surveyor Engineering			
to be appointed from Cohenes already with Unit			
Surplus components (2) to fill vacancies			
[redacted] Sig/Opr formations			
The difference in totals of columns in Part A			
and columns this part E is caused by surplus and			
[redacted] overlaps between services			
[redacted]			

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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 23/10/1943.

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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	4	2	Painters	2	3	—	Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Boilermaker	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	3	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	7	1	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4	Electricians								Pioneers	49	40	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—					Drivers M.T.	23	26	7
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C.S.M.	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Cpls.	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	Mess Sgts.	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Cooks	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Sgts.	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	6	4	2
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Mt. Transports	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Motor Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Water Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				AMEC	5	5	—
Operators, Excavator (a)	6	5	1	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AMC	1	1	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1	Engine Hands, I.C.	5	7	1				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	—	1	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	28	8	CARRIED FORWARD	42	33	14	CARRIED FORWARD	92	81	11	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	184 *	171 *	30

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(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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23 October 43
Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

52 / 46 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 30 / 10 /1943 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy, R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 44 / 1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 128 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
—	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
—	—	—	5	Sergeants	AAMC	1	—	—	—
—	—	1	18	Corporals	AAMC & AAMC	2	—	—	—
11	11	—	140	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	3	—	—	—
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
13 *	14	1	165 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *	—	—	— *

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, 15 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		131	12	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		165
B(1)		5	1	—	ATTACHED by W.E.						6
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
1	4 Fd Amb		

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
6	Rear Party (Cowra)		
64	Rear Party (Bathurst)		
12	HQ 2 Aust Corps		
10	3 Aust Div Maintenance		
9	Reinforcement Leave		

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).
Reinforcement Figures & Surplus Personnel			
The following reinforcements are NOT urgently			
required by Unit but will be required			
from personnel already with Unit			
Should unit exceptional Army undertaking take			
off Surplus Corporals & Pte Vacancy Created by			
Appointments			
The differences in the totals of columns			
Part A and Column 1 Part E is caused by			
surplus personnel Cooks, Bootlegs, Clerks, Drivers			
and Fitters			

59 Aust. Corps Field Park 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 30 / 10 /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	6	5	1
Blacksmiths	4	4	—
Bricklayers	4	3	—
Computors			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4
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	5	1
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	2	3	—
Saw Doctors	1	1	—
Surveyors			
CARRIED FORWARD	32	27	7

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	4	—
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	5	1
Armament Artificer Signals — Boilermaker	1	—	1
Armament Artificer Wireless			
CARRIED FORWARD	62	55	12

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters	2	3	—
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	3	—
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers			
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—
Fire Control Operators			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons			
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1
Miners	2	2	—
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	82	74	15

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	1	1	—
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Storemen, Technical	3	7	1
Tailors			
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
PIONEERS	29	31	—
DRIVER, MT	33	26	7
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
CSM	1	—	1
CQMS	1	1	—
CLERKS S/SGT	3	1	2
CLERK	3	3	—
Pte Clk	3	3	—
BATMEN	6	4	2
MESSMEN	2	2	—
COOKS	1	1	—
STORE BOY	1	1	—
BICYCLE BOY	1	1	—
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
AAMC	5	5	—
AAMC	1	1	—
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	184	165 *	33

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.

30 October 43
Date of Despatch

W. Paterson Lieut
Signature of Commander

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A.I.F. W.2994

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

W.E. Reference
A.M.F.
W.E. 6 X 178

Date 2 Oct 43.

Attached
Allowed by W.E. — X 6

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy Unit

PART A. — STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1 Ranks and W.E.		2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached)	3 Surplus to Establishment	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment)
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants	4	3	—	1
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	4	—	2

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary

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

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause
LIEUT	H.E. GRIFFITHS	(2/2 FIELD PARK COY)	25 Sept 43	Transferred to 59 Aust Corps Troops

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

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

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PART D. — NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	2 Personal Number	3 Name and Initials	4 Appointment	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJOR	VX6444	J. CARTER	OC	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	A.N. DEVESON	2 IC	YES	
LIEUT	VX112281	J.J.P. FAHY	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX21550	H.K. SECCAFF	SEC OFFR	NO	COMMANDING RENA DETACHMENT ENGINEER DUMP - BUNA.

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A.I.F. 1st Unit
W.E. Reference
A.M.F.
W.E. 1 X 15

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 9 October 43

Attached
Allowed by W.E. X 6

1st Unit Coy Tpt Coy ... Unit

PART A. — STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1 Ranks and W.E.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached)	3 Surplus to Establishment	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment)
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors 1	1	-	
Captains 1	-	-	1
Lieutenants 4	3	-	1
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals 6	4	-	2

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary

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

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

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

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

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PART D. — NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	2 Personal Number	3 Name and Initials	4 Appointment	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJ	VX[illegible]	T [illegible]	OC	YES	
CAPT	VX[illegible]	[illegible]	2IC	YES	
LIEUT	VX[illegible]	[illegible]	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	VX[illegible]	[illegible]	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	VX[illegible]	[illegible]	SEC OFFR	NO	ATTACHED 2/4 ARMD BDE DETACHMENT-BUNA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	Personal Number	Name and Initials	Unit or Corps	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No)

1st Unit Coy Tpt Coy AIF ... (Unit)

9 October 43 ... (Date of Despatch)

[signature] ... (Signature of Commander)

HQ 1 Aust Corps Troops ... (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

5th Aust Corps Sett Coy AIF (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX 61404	J. CARTER	Hqdt. C.C	YES	
LIEUT	VX106363	H.M. DEVESON	2 I/C	YES	
LIEUT	NX12361	J.J.H. HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26330	A.T. JEFFERIS	SEC OFFR	NO	COMMANDING REAR DETACHMENT - RUPA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

5th Aust Corps Sett Coy, AIF (Unit.)

H. Carter Major (Signature of Commander.)

4th October 43 (Date of Despatch.)

KAE 1 Aust Corps Troops (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

A.I.F. W.E.
111/29 A/1
6 & 178
& 6 attd. by W.E.

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy AIF (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1		2	3	4
Ranks.	WE	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
	*			
	*			
Lieut.-Colonels				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants	4	3	—	1
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	4	—	2

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. Appt	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C.	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	H.N. DEVESON	2/I.C.	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J.J.A. HALL	SEC. OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26380	A.H. SEGNIT	SEC OFFR	NO	COMMANDING REAR DETACHMENT — BUNA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy AIF
(Unit.)

23 October '43
(Date of Despatch.)

J M Carter Major
(Signature of Commander.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

A.I.F. W.E. 111/29A/1 6 & 178 attd by WE 6

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59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1		2	3	4
Ranks.	WE	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
	*			
	*			
Lieut.-Colonels				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants	4	3	—	1
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	4	—	2

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. APPT	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C	NO	REAR DETACHMENT -BUNA
LIEUT	VX108363	H.N. DEVESON	2 I/C	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26380	H H SEGNIT	SEC OFFR	NO	REAR DETACHMENT -BUNA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit.)

[signature] (Signature of Commander.)

30 October 43 (Date of Despatch.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Nov.43 *To* 30 Nov.43 Sheet 1.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE 1 : 25,000 465692	1		NX 112385 Sgt. Costin.F.H. died at 106 C.C.S. (Clinical Scrub Typhus) QX 29257 Spr. Massey. J.J. on seriously ill list with same complaint at same C.C.S. Timber mill output 2859 super ft.	
	2		Major Carter and 2 N.C.O's returned from Buna by air. NX 112385 Sgt. Costin. F.H. buried at LAE military Cemetery Funeral attended by CRE 1 Aust Corps Troops, Col. Bell, Major Carter, Lieuts. Deveson and Hall S/Sgts Hayes and Baker and Cpl. Hayes. - Mill output 2500 super ft. - 16 O.R.'s arrived from rear party at BUNA by LCT.	
	3		Cpl. McPherson. and 5 O.R's arrived from BUNA by small craft. CRE Col. Bell and Major Varney 2/11 Fd Coy inspected Dump 2/11 Fd Coy to commence building Dump in accordance with plan submitted to CRE by this HQ?	
	4		Very heavy rain falling. 30 Fd Regt personnel reported for duty as working party. Unit notified QX 29257 Spr. Massey. J.J. placed on seriously ill list 3/11/43 diagnosis clinical Scrub Typhus.	
	5		2/11 Fd Coy building road etc in Dump Area. Coy inspected by Brig Main , C.E. NGF.	
	6		Unit advised Spr. Massey placed on dangerously ill list, diagnosis, clinical scrub typhus and bronchial pneumonia. Total amount of timber produced at mill 6 days cutting 13000 super ft.	
	7		Working party from 14 Fd Regt. returned to Unit. Padre Fullerton conducted Church Service. Unit visited by LtCol Pocock of British Military Mission to discuss part played by Corps Fd Pk Coy in N.G. campaign as this Unit to present date only Corps Fd Pk Coy to have served in N.G. campaign under jungle conditions. Several Japanese planes over area at midnight . No bombing in Area.	

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Sheet 2.

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF Date and Time.—From 1 Nov.43 To 30 Nov.43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE	8		Advice received re recreational leave - 9 personnel allotted this Coy. At present rate of leave a period covering 16 months would be necessary yo give all personnel leave. By that time the biggest percentage of the Unit would have 3 years service in New Guinea.	
	9		Unit advised that QX 29257 Spr. Massey. J.J. died at 0700 hrs diagnosis Clinical Scrub Typhus and Bronchial Pneumonia.	
	10		Buried at LAE cemetery Funeral attended by CRE , Col Bell, Major Carter Lieuts Devesons and Hall and 6 O.R.'s. Padre Fullerton , 1 Aust Corps Padre officiated. Bugler supplied by 5 Aust Div.	
			Leave personnel in charge of S/Sgt Kirk reported to 5 Div Reception camp Working party from 14 Fd Regt reported for duty on roads under construction by 2/11 Fd Coy. Major Carter made recce of present mill site with the intention of installing Dyer's saw mill . Timber in area enough for 6 months requirements.	
	11		Coy water cart , owing to failure of brakes run back into Busu River. L/Cpl. Harriott. A.V. had narrow escape from drowning in the swollen river. Efforts to recover the truck failed.	
	12		BUSU River still in flood making salvage of water cart impossible at present.	
	13	1245	Air Raid Red 4 Jap planes passed over area at high altitude.	
	14		Notified 170 tons Engineer stores arrived by ship at LAE unloading commenced by lighters. Transit dump construction nearing completion 2/11 Fd Coy supplying labour. Order received f or 16 x 1000 gal. tanksfor water points and 50 x 200 for accommodation .	
	15		CRE reports that new sawmill on much larger scale to be installed near present site. Erection to commence as soon as possible.	
	16		sawmill output for 6 days - 17600 super ft. Lieut Meade , reinforcement officer, reported with 31 O.R's from rear party at BUNA . Lieut Meade posted to Workshop section. 4 O.R's rejoined unit from detachment and rear party. 9 personnel from 20 Fd Coy attached to manufacture saw benches and power units,	

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF *Date and Time.—From* 1 Nov.43 *To* 30 Nov.43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	17		Mechanical plant arrived for Corps Pool . Plant being serviced and will be issued to C oys as directed by CRE LAE fortress. Saw mill averaging 3000 super ft daily. E & M section commenced repair of tractors and road plant.	
	18		Engineer stores now coming in steadily. Large stocks of following stores reported for next 24 hrs. Iron , sandbags, arc mesh, cement, general stores, tanks, timber, pipe, MSR? malthoid and truck loaders.	
	19		L/Cpl; Dempsey. , Sprs. Rosenthal and Sexton reported ex leave.	
	20		Timber output for mill for 6 days 17583 super ft. All 9 x 4 decking required for Butibum Bridge completed.	
	21		Cpl. Carroll and 3 O.R's arrived by boat from rear party BUNA 2/23 Corps Fd Pk Coy moved into area allotted opposite this Unit. Every assistance being given them to help settle into camp. Two ships at present unloading Engineer stores at LAE.	
	22		Arrangements made by E & M section to daily service and maintain all Mech Equipt on issue from Corps Pool. Workshop Pln maintaining daily output of 2 x 1000 gal tanks.	
	23		Lieut Segnit and 6 O.R's arrived from BUNA with remainder of coy plant including "S" Loading truck and "T" Loading power Unit Workshops being considerably inconvenienced by shortage of elec.welding rods and tank rivets. Presents stocks of Mild steel and RSJ's deplorable. Mechanical Equipment also held up for spare parts. Salvage party of S/Sgt Hayes and 10 OR's wet to SALAMAUA for useful equipt. Timber mill reached highest daily output = 3613 super ft.	
	24		Lieut Segnit emplaned for BUNA to collect balance of stores required for Sawmill. LT Col Buckley . Design Directorate, called and discussed Equip with Major Carter.	
	25	Receive details for handing over dump to 2/23 Corps Fd Pk on 30 Nov . Sgt Dorsett to attend Conference at CRE LAE Fortress Attached copy of report on Mech equipt submitted by Lieut Hall to CAR LAE Fortress.		

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF Date and Time.—From 1 Nov.43 To 30 Nov.43.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	27		Highest cut to date reached at Coy saw mill for week - 18044 super Major. Coles SORE Stores LHQ called and discussed stores position. Lieut Segnit returned from BUNA with Steess engine and plant for Saw mill	
	28		Dump closed for issuing until Dec 3 to allow complete check before handing over to 2/23 Corps Fd Pk Coy.	
	29		~~Rear Party in charge CSM Lightfoot arrived from Port Moresby by SS "Clarence King~~ Total all ranks 8. 9 personnel attached to 3 Aust Air Maintenance ~~rejoined Unit . Salvage party of 1 Cpl. and 6 OR's went to SALAMAUA~~ for 5 days. Timber mill output for day - 3600 super.	
	30		E in C General Steel accompanied by CE NGF inspected camp. 2/14 Fd Coy commenced building for new coy saw mill.	

W Lawrence Kent. Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF.

201—N.G.F.P.S.—5/43/10m.

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ROUTINE ORDERS.
BY
MAJOR.J.CARTER.
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF. 4 Nov.43

295. USE OF GRENADES, HAND, JAPANESE TYPE 91.

(1) This grenade in use by the Japanese and quantities have been captured and used by our troops. Tests indicate that the grenade has certain characteristics which amy lead to injurt in the hands of inexperienced personnel. These characteristics are :-

(a) The delay f use, marked 4/5 secs, has been known to burn in much less time. Some tested fuses burned in 3 secs.

(b) While the delay fuse is burning, a considerable quantity of black smoke is emitted through the escape hole at the base of the fuse tube, and small fragments of the delay fuse are often forced out. At night or even at dusk or dawn, a defininte glow from this hole can be seen.

(2) The following precautions will be taken if the grenade is used:

(a) it will be thrown immediately after the head has been struck

(b) when striking the grenade , the hand will be kept clear of the escape hole at the side of the fuse tube.

296. INFORMATION REGARDING LOCATION OF GRAVES.

(1) It has been noticed that letters of condolence sent to next-of-kin by commanding officers, chaplains and others have, in some cases, disclosed the location of particular units by referring specifically to the place of burial of deceased members.

(2) Letters of condolence to next-of-kin and others from commanding officers, chaplains and others will refer only to the actual burial service and contain no information regarding the location of the grave. (GRO A270/43).

297. GRAVES REGISTRATION - PHOTOGRAPHS OF GRAVES.

(1) Application from personnel for photographs of graves of decease comrades will not be made to HQ NGF.

(2) Each individual grave in a war cemetery in NG is photographed and the negative passed to the next of kin, free of charge by DGR.

(3) PERSONNEL requiring prints may obtain them (price 6d ea.) on application to DGR , Victoria Barracks, Melbourne, and applications will be addressed accordingly. (NGF 0 A423/43).

298. TRAFFIC IN CIGARETTES, TOBACCO, AND CIGARETTE PAPERS.

1. All members will not, to the extent that his duty requires him to do so, sell, exchange or part with the possession of, any cigarettes tobacco or cigarette papers , for money or alcoholic liquors, or for any goods, articles, or things whatsoever.

2. A member wil not, except in the course of duty or where he has been given specific authority by his O.C. personally, be aboard a ship vessel or any w ater craft between 1700 hrs and 0800 hrs.

3. The above provisions have been ontoduced in an endeavour to check the practice of members trafficing in the above , and disciplinary action will be taken in respect of all breaches.

Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., A.I.F.

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ROUTINE ORDERS. 18 Nov.,43.
by
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O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF.

299. MITE CONTROL TO PREVENT SCRUB ITCH AND SCRUB TYPHUS.
(5 Aust Div Routine Order A85 of 15 Nov.43 is reprinted below).
1. Attention is directed to the necessity for taking thorough precautions to prevent Scrub Itch and Scrub Typhus.

2. To avoid Scrub Itch and Scrub Typhus the following measures will be enforced :-
(a) Wherever practicable, troops moving or working through kunai or jungle areas should not sit down except on tracks, roads or new logs. Area covered by kunai, fallen leaves, and damp logsare usually dangerous and should be avoided.
(b) Insect repellent lotion will be used on the socks and trousers legs, from the top of the calf to the cuff

To apply, first smear the lotion on the hands which are rubbedover toe sock. Do this three or four times for each sock, rubbing from low down on the instep to the top. Next treat the trousers legs in same way from the top of each calf to the cuff. Frequent light s smears of the lotion to those areas of clothing are preferable to a few heavy ones. The quantity of lotion required is one teaspoonful.

3. This application kills those mites which infest the treated areas of the clothes. It remains effective for one week , provided clothes are NOT washed more than three times. Lotion should therefor be applied each week.
Recent research indicates that 95% of infestation of the body by mites is on the feet and ankles and that other parts of the body become involved almost entirely by the mites crawling up from the feet and ankles ; therefor if the preventative measures outlined above are enforced , troops will be rendered practically 100% mite free.

4. It is emphasised that the practice of merely smearing repellent on the skin is NO protection against mites.

5. All tropps are warned that the principal danger from typhus arises from failure to report to RAP. Prompt and early treatment minimises the danger,

6. Gaiters will be worn at all times.

7. The scale of issue of Insect Repellent Lotion will be one bottle per man each 28 days for use as mite repellent in addition to the similar use as mosquito repellent.

300. DISTILLING AND SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR.
(5 Aust Div Routine Order A87 of 15 Nov.43 is reprinted below).

1. Attention is drawn to Ordinance No.33 of 1936 and Ordinance No.17 of 1931 incorporated as part of the laws of the territory of New Guinea under the New Guinea Act 1920.

2. Briefly the relevant provisions of the ~~xxx~~ Ordinance No.33 are :-
" 18A/ - (i) A person shall not brew any liquor unless he holds a licence or a permit to do so , granted by the ~~Commissioner~~ Administrator.
Penalty : For the First Offence - £50; and for any subsequent offence, £100 or imprisonment for six months".
18A - (ii) Any person who distills any liquor shall be guilty of an offence.
Penalty : £100 or imprisonment for six months".

The relevent provisions of Ordinance No.17 are :-
"18 - (i) Except as expressly provided in this Ordinance, a ~~xxxx~~ person shall not directly or indirectly sell any liquor or cause any liquor to be sold ----
Penalty : For the first offence £50 for the second £100 or imprisonment for six months; and for any subsequent offence

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imprisonment for twelve months.

"18.(iii) Upon any conviction, under this section, of a person who is not a holder of a licence under this Ordinance , the offender shall forfeit to the Administrator all liquor in his possession with the vessels containing the liquor."

3. All cases of breaches of the above Ordinances and all cases of the brewing and distilling of intoxicating liquor or the sale of such intoxicating liquor to any person by any member of the Forces will be tried by Court Martial.

301. ROAD TRAFFIC - UNFINISHED ROADS. (5 Div Routine Order Q89.)

1. New road construstion is seriously delayed through traffic ruts filling with water and causing the ground to become boggy.

2. Units will instruct drivers NOT to travel on unfinished roads and NOT to drive within 30 yds of staked centre lines of new roads.

302. REMITTANCES OF UNDRAWN PAY AND CASH.
(N.G.F. Order A438 of8 Nov.43 is reprinted below).

It is anticipated that there will be a heavy demand by members to avail themselves of the opportunity of sending Remittances to residents in Australia, as Xmas gifts, and ,e,bers are therefor requested to remit early.

Remittances forwarded through paymasters and received by District Accounts office, New Guinea on or before 12 December 1943 will be paid by 25 December 1943.

303. DISCIPLINE - PREVALENCE OF THEFT OF MILITARY STORES AND SUPPLIES.
(GRO A734 of 29 Oct.is reprinted below.)

1. The offence of stealing and fraudulent misapplication ofstores and supplies from military depots, installations, transportation services, and even from fellow soldiers have increased to an extent which renders effective and immediate remedial action necessary.

2. The use of terms such as "pilfering","scrounging",etc., to describe such offences uends to obscure their gravity and may cause thaem to be somewhat lightly regarded. On the contrary, such offences must be viewed very seriously and offenders will render themselves liable to severe punishment.

3. The impression may exist that an isolated instance of theft of military stores and supplies,though a mean and despicable act, does not involve any appreciable weakening of the war effort. Such an impression, if it exists, is completely erroneous. The cumulative effect of such thefts affects seriously the maintenance of the troops in the field, dislocates supply, organisation at all points, involves grave waste of man hours, and is, in fact, equivalent in result ot that of direct treasonable activity.

4. These considerations impose an obligation of honour on all members to do their utmost to prevent theft and to assist in every way in the bringing to justice of offenders.

5. As a general rule, no suspension or remission to be made in respect of any award or sentence imposed upon a member for any offence mentioned in this order.

304. MALARIAL CONTROL AND SUPPRESSION.
(5 Aust Div. Admn. Instn. A5 is reprinted here below).

1. Collective Measures to be applied by Units.
The unit area will be sprayed regularly.
Reveille will not before o700 hrs (local time)0
Bathing and showers will not be permitted after 1830 hrs (Localtime
No natives will be permitted to remain in Unit areas for any purpose whatsoever after 1800 hrs.

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304.(cont)1. Individual Measures to be Observed by all Personnel.

(a) All personnel will wear shirts with long sleeves, and long trousers at all times.

(b) All personnel will wear gaiters at all times.

(c) No personnel will be permitted to be in possession of short trousers at any time whatsoever. Trousers legs will not be rolled up.

(d) Kit inspections will be carried out regularly and C.O's will will be held responsible for ensuring that personnel are not in possession of short trousers or cut down clothing.

(e) At the evening meal or 1830 hours, whichever is the earliest , all personnel will have their sleeves rolled down and buttoned at the wrist. Shirt fronts will be buttoned, except that the collar button may be left undone.

(f) Mosquito Nets. Every person will sleep under a serviceable mosquito net and keep it in a state of repair.

(g) Mosquito Repellent Lotion. Every person will be in possession of the current issue of mosquito repellent lotion and use it in accordance with the directions.

2. Atebrin Suppression.
(a) Every person will take one tablet of atebrin each day except Sunday. Commanders will ensure that this is done by very strict and detailed supervision.
(b) No individual will take quinine in lieu of Atebrin except upon written authority of the ADMS.

3. Insecticidal Spray.
Tents , offices, huts.,etc will be sprayed thoroughly with insecticidal spray a reveille and at dusk or during the evenin

4. Night Air Alarm.
Individuals proceeding to slit trenches and shelters.etc will be properly dressed and apply mosquito repellent lotion. Slit trenches should also be sprayed with insecticidal spray.

5. General.
(a) Driving Discipline: The majority of mosquito breeding areas are man made by drivers who make new tracks at random over the kunai and jungle fringes or who drive across drains etc.,This carelessness on the part of drivers must be checked.

(b) As materials become available units will construct mosquito proof showers for the use of personnel employed on night woking parties.

Major,
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ROUTINE ORDERS 26 Nov.43.
BY
MAJOR. J. CARTER.
59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF.

305. Personnel Suitable for Use as Tradesmen.
(5 Aust Div. R.O Part 1. A 96 of 23 Nov. is reprinted below.)

1. A survey of ~~xxxxxx~~ personnel on the strength of all Units will be made immediately to ascertain whether any personnel not at present being employed in a trade capacity could be used as tradesmen.

2. Tradesmen required urgently for use in Wkshps are those listed in Appx."c" to GRO 0578/42. Unit personnel records will be searche and the contents of this Routine Order made known to troops on parade in an effort to obtain in formation regarding any personnel suitable for use in any of the trades listed. Personnel suitable for training as Drivers M.T. are also required.

3. Any soldier who has :-

(a) Been employed in a trade in civil life, or,
(b) Received any training or schooling in a trade in civil life or in the army will be considered to be a potential tradesman in that particular trade, if he is not already employed as a tradesman.

4. Information on all potential tradesmen located within the Unit will be forwarded to Coy. H.Q. by 1200 hrs 2 Dec.43, with the following details :-
(a) Soldier's name, number and rank.
(b) Present duties within Unit.
(c) Brief details of training or other factor rendering him possibly suitable.
(d) Any trade test passed within the army.

306. REMITTANCES OF UNDRAWN PAY AND CASH.
(5 Aust Div R.O. Part 1 A 99 of 23/11/43 is reprinted below.)

1. It is anticipated that there will be a heavy demand by members to avail themselves of the opportunity of sending Remittances to residents in Australia, as Xmas gifts, and members are therefore requested to remit early.

2. Remittances forwarded through paymasters and received by District Accounts Office, New Guinea on or before 12 Dec 43 will be paid by 25 Dec.43.

307. A.A. EDUCATION SERVICE - PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS.
(5 Aust Div R.O. Part 1 A100/43 is reprinted below.)

1. Attention is drawn to the fact that members of the AMF who are pursuing courses of study by correspondence may wish to present themselves for public examination , the majority of which are held in November and December each year.

2. Such members shouldbe instructed to consult a full time Education Officer, who will assist in arranging examinations and supervision .

3. Commanding Officers and officers in charge of Units will facilitate the holdings of examinations as far as conditions of service permit.

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308. DISCIPLINE - PREVALENCE OF THEFT OF MILITARY STORES AND SUPPLIES.
(5 Aust Div R.O. Part 1 A101/43 is reprinted below.)

1. The offences of stealing and fraudulent misapplication of stores and supplies from military depots., installations , transportation services andd even from fellow soldiers have increased to an extent which renders immediate and effective remedial action necessary.

2. The use of terms such as "pilfering" " scrounging" etc., to describe such offences tends to obscure their gravity and may cause them to be somewhat lightly regarded. On the contrary, such offences must be viewed very seriously and offenders will render themselves liable to severe punishment.

3. The impression may exist that an isolated instance of theft of militaryu stores and supplies, though a mean and despicable act , does not involve any appreciable weakening of the war effort. Such an impression, if it exists, is completely erroneous. The cumulative effect of such thefts affects seriously the maintenance of the troops in the field, dislocates the supply organisation at all points, involves grave waste of man hours, and is, in fact, equivalent in result to that of directly treasonable activity.

4. These considerations impose an obligation of honour upon all members to do their utmost to prevent theft and to assist in every way in bringing to justice of offenders.

5. As a general rule, no suspension or remission is to be made in respect of any award or sentence imposed upon a member for any offence mentioned in this order.

309. REMITTANCES FROM MEMBERS.
(5 Aust Div R.O.Part 1. A103/43 is reprinted below.)

1. The attention of all ranks is drawn to the arrangements which exist for a member to send a remittance of cash or undrawn pay to any person resident in Australia or to another member, wherever serving.

2. These arrangements provide that remittances may be made through Army channels by members who are serving in localities where money orders or banking facilities for remittances are not available with reasonable convenience.

3. Remittances through army channels are affected by the member completing a remittance form (WF131 or WF 131A) and handing the form to a pay sergeant or paymaster, together with the cash in the case of a remittance of cash, or the member's paybook for entry of the debit in the case of a remittance of undrawn pay.

4. A member sending a remittance should take particular care to see that full details are clearly and legibly set out on the remittance form. This applies especially to the name and address of the person to whom the remittance is to be sent.

5. The member will ensure that he obtains a receipt from the pay sergeant or paymaster for any cash handed over.

310. DRESS - WEARING OF SHIRTS. All personnel will wear shirts at all times unles actually engaged in strenuous manual labour such as pick and shovel work and timber felling, shirts will not be removed unless officer i/c of work gives direct permission.
Proceeding to and from and during smokos and meal periods shirts will invariably be worn.

Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF.

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REP/447.

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF.
25 Nov.43.

Report on Condition of Mechanical Equipment Received in Corps Pool ex Buna.

C.R.E.
LAE Fortress.

The following information is submitted to you as requested :-

D6 Tractor ,AWC No. 16103.- Engine No. 5R1199 S.P.

Remarks : Superficial examination revealed no defects,
Tool set incomplete,
No Alemite grease gun,
Master clutch adjusted and machine serviced,
Handed over to 4 Aust Army Fd Coy.,RAE,
Tractor reinspected at 1300 hrs, 24/11/43 and trouble found in master clutch which had developed under working condition
Further report to be submitted when ~~xxxxxx~~ clutch is stripped down for examination and repairs.

D6 Tractor,AWC No.16100. - Engine No. 5R1188.

Remarks : Superficial examination revealed no defects,
Tool set incomplete
No Alemite grease gun
Machine serviced and handed over to 2/14 Aust Army Fd Coy
Master clutch reported to be grinding whilst in disengaged position
Clutch being stripped down for examination and repairs
Further report to be submitted.

Attached to above Tractor- W & J,P.C.U Type D.D.,P.C.U. Ser. No.23.

Remarks : Superficial inspection revealed no defects.

Attached to above Tractor - AWC No. 17125, Le Tourneau Carryall, Model M.S. Serial No. AS 261 M.S.

Remarks : Superficial examination revealed no defects
Serviced and handed over to 2/14 Aust Army Fd Coy.

Held for Allocation.

Le Tourneau 6 yd Carryall Model M.S. Ser. No. AS 284 M.S. AWC No. 17137.

Remarks : Superficial examination revealed no defect
To be serviced.

Le Tourneau P.C.U. Type R 6 S.P. Ser. No. A.U.395 AWC No. 6-090.

Remarks : To be examined and serviced.

Waugh and Josephson 4 yd. Carryall Type S 68-012 AWC No. 20932.

Remarks : Superficial examination revealed no defects.

T.D.9 AWC 16431 Engine No.BM 4908 Ser. No.T.D.C.B. 4932. T4.

Remarks : Superficial examination revealed no defects
Handed over to 11 Aust Fd Coy.

T.D.9 AWC 14603 Ser. No.T.D.C.B. 4907 T4

Remarks : Superficial examination revealed no defects
Steel wire rope renewed and tractor handed over to 2/14 Aust Fd Coy.

Lieut

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

AIF WE
111/29A/1 6 & 178 6 atta

.....(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1		2	3	4
Ranks.	WE	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
	*			
	*			
Lieut.-Colonels				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants	4	3	—	1
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	4	—	2

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps. APPT	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	H N DEVESON	2 i/c	YES	
LIEUT	NX117381	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26380	H H SEGNIT	SEC OFFR	NO	COMMANDING REAR DETACHMENT BUNA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

(Unit.)

[signature] (Signature of Commander.)

6 November 43
(Date of Despatch.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

AIF WE 11/29/41 64178 16 ata

Serial No 54

59 Aust Corps Tel Pk Coy AIF (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.		2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants	4	3	—	1
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	4	—	2

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	Corps Adpt	YES	
LIEUT	VX102363	H N BENSON	2/1 A.C.	YES	
LIEUT	NX41320	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX20380	A H SECCULL	SEC OFFR	NO	COMMANDING REAR DETACHMENT — BUNA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

59 Aust Corps Tel Pk Coy AIF
(Unit.)

13 November 43
(Date of Despatch.)

[signature]
(Signature of Commander.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Tps
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Nominal No 55

59 Aust Gen Tpt Coy (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Lieut	C F Hedge	2/4 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	14 Nov 43	Taken on Strength Authority AGS (MT) No 7334 of 10/11/43

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	NX12381	J J A Hall	Sec Offr	Yes	
Lieut	NX 20778	C F Hedge	Sec Offr	Yes	
Lieut	SX 24896	E N Skeans	Sec Offr	No	Rank Detachment Leave

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

59 Aust Gen Tpt Coy HQ (Unit.)

(Signature of Commander.)

20 November 43 (Date of Despatch.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

AIF WE 111/29 A/1 64178 + 6 attd by WE

Serial No. 56

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1		2	3	4
Ranks.	WE	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
	*			
	*			
Lieut.-Colonels			–	
Majors	1	1	–	–
Captains	1	–	–	1
Lieutenants	4	4	–	–
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	5	–	1

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	~~Corps.~~ Appt.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O C	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	H N DEVESON	~~2 I/C~~	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	NX30179	C F MEADE	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	SX26380	A H SEGNIT	SEC OFFR	NO	DETACHED – BUNA

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy, AIF
(Unit.)

[signature]
(Signature of Commander.)

27 November 43
(Date of Despatch.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

53/43 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/11/1943 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 11/3A/1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	2	—	1	Staff Sergeants					
—	—	—	5	Sergeants	ANCC	1	—	—	—
—	—	—	17	Corporals	ANCC	1	—	1	1
14	14	—	137	Troopers, Privates, etc.	ANCC	2	—	—	—
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
17 *	17	—	161 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		5 *	—	1	1 *

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		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		147	12	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		161
B(1)		4	4	1	ATTACHED	UNIT					5
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
1	4 Fd Pk 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
6	REAR PARTY (MERSEY)		
9	RECREATIONAL LEAVE		
10	HQ 2 AUST CORPS		
11	SHOT GUN MAINTENANCE		
44	REAR DETACHMENT (RUAH)		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To (Unit) is Particularly Requested. /1943

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX [redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]	STRATHC Camp Woodlands
NX 114758	L/Cpl.	Dempsey WH	STRATHC Camp Seelbach

59 Aust. Corps Field Park 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 6/11/1943.

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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	5	1	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				[redacted]	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	4	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Stat'y. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	3	—	Storemen, Technical	8	6	2
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters	5	5	—	Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	5	7	1	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mcd.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								PIONEER	29	31	—
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4	Electricians								DRIVER MT	32	25	3
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (Q)	6	4	2	Mess Stwd	3	1	2
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Cook	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Mt Sgt	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	5	4	2
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Sgt Cooks	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Water Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hygiene	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AMCC	3	4	1
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				ANME	1	1	—
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	1	1	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	6	2				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	1	—	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	28	8	CARRIED FORWARD	62	54	13	CARRIED FORWARD	82	71	17	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	164	146	33

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.

6 November 1943
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

54 / 42 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13 / 11 /194 3 [illegible] Park Coy, R.A.E.) (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 29 / 1 . OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class I.					
1	—	—	1	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
—	—	—	3	Staff Sergeants					
—	2	—	3	Sergeants	ARCE	1			
—	—	3	20	Corporals	ARME	2			
16	17		134	Troopers, Privates, etc.	ARCE	3			
			—	Civilians counting as O.R.					
17 *	20	3	161 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *			6 *

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.	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		149	10	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		161
B(1)		3	1		ATTACHED			By	WE		6
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
1	4 To HQ		
2	2/4 To Coy		
4	4 To 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
6	REAR DETAILS		(THREDBO)
41	REAR DETACHMENT		(CANUNGRA)
13	RECREATIONAL		LEAVE
8	HQ 2nd Corps		
9	3 Aust Div		MAINTENANCE

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

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
Plumbers with qualifications of Surveyor-Engineering to be attached from Trades already with Unit			
Surplus Corporals to fill Sgts vacancies			

[redacted] 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 15 / 11 /194 3.

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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	2	3	1	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Boilermaker	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	2	2	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Stat'y. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	2	—	Storemen, Technical	8	6	2
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	2	—
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	6	2	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	3	6	3	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Harness	29	39	—
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4	Electricians								Drivers MT	32	23	8
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	6	—								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C.S.M.	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Cooks	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	Mech Sects	3	3	—
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Sec Offr	5	3	2
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tpt Offr	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	6	4	2
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Mil Cyclists	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Waiters	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hygiene	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	6	4	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				ARCE	5	5	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				ARME	1	1	—
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	—	2	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	6	2				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	1	—	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	27	9	CARRIED FORWARD	62	52	16	CARRIED FORWARD	32	20	10	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	134	111	* 23

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.

13 NOVEMBER
Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

53 / 43 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20 / 11 /1943 3 Aust Corps FD PK Coy (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 111 / 1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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
	1	—	—	W.Os. Class I.					
	—	—	1	W.Os. Class II.					
	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
	—	—	3	Staff Sergeants					
	2	—	3	Sergeants	NIL	1			
	—	2	19	Corporals	NIL	2			
	15	—	138	Troopers, Privates, etc.	NIL	3			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
14 *	19	2	164 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *			*

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		132	10	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		164
B(1)		3	1				WE				6
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
2	2/11 Fd Coy		
1	4 Fd Coy		
4	4 Fd Coy		
30	11 Fd Coy		
9	20 Fd 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
6	Rear Details Moresby		
13	Medical Tent	Lae	
16	Rear Detachment Kuma		
4	HQ 2 Inf Bde		
9	3 Aust Am	Madang Lae	

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).

[redacted] 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 20 / 11 /194 3.

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	1	-	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	6	—	Painters	2	3	-	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Blacksmiths	1	-	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	NIL	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Stat'y. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	3	—	Storemen, Technical	5	7	2
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	1	1
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd'rs. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	6	6	2	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	2	—								
Fitters	8	6	2	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Painters	29	33	—
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4	Electricians								Painters A/T	33	2	1
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	—	1
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Cooks	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	6	6	2	Storekeeper	3	2	—
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Sgts	3	3	1
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Batmen	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	6	5	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Pte Cooks	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Water Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hygiene	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	4	2	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				NCO	3	3	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				Pte	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	6	2				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	3	3	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	1	—	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	27	9	CARRIED FORWARD	62	54	13	CARRIED FORWARD	42	32	7	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	164	*	*

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER [illegible]

56/ (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27/11/1943 59 Aust Corps Tank Coy (Unit)

W.E. 11/198/1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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	1	—	—	W.Os. Class II.					
—	—	—	1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
—	—	—	3	Staff Sergeants					
—	2	—	3	Sergeants	AAEC	1			
—	—	4	21	Corporals AAEC 4	AAMC	2			
12	14		137	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAEC	3			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
13 *	17	4	165 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *			*

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.P.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.								
A	153	10	2					[redacted]	[redacted]		165
B(1)	5	1		1 ATTD by WEI							6
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
2	2/11 Fd Coy		
1	4 Fd Amb		
6	4 Fd Coy		
25	14 Fd Regt		
4	2/11 Fd Coy		
8	2/11 Fd Coy		
1	110 RAE Wksp		

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
6	HQ 2 Aust Corps		
14	Recreational		Leave
4	HQ 2 Aust Corps		
9	3 Aust Div		Maintenance
1	HQ 2 Aust Corps		
4	Strome Camps		Reverting Trm
			Leave

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).

59 Aust Corps Tank Coy AAC 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 27/11/1943.

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	6	4	2
Blacksmiths	4	4	—
Bricklayers	Nil	3	—
Computorr			
Cooks, Hospital			
Coppersmiths			
Dispensers			
Draughtsmen			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—
Draughtsmen (Topographical)			
Electricians			
Electricians (M.V.)			
Electricians (Signals)			
Fitters	8	7	1
Fitters (Cycle)			
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4
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	5	1
Pattern Maker			
Pharmacist			
Photographer, Wet Plate			
Photowriter			
Plumber	2	2	—
Saw Doctors	1	1	—
Surveyors			
CARRIED FORWARD	32	27	8

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.
Surveyors, Engineering	1	—	1
Surveyors, R.A.A.			
Surveyors, Topographical			
Surveyors, Trigonometrical			
Toolmakers			
Turners	4	4	—
Watchmakers			
Welders	6	6	—
BOILERMAKER	1	—	1
GROUP II.			
Armourers			
Axemen			
Bakers			
Bty. Comd's. Asst.			
Boilermakers			
Carpenters			
Carpenters and Joiners	8	6	2
Cooks			
Dental Mechanics			
Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	1	1
Driver-Operator			
Drainers			
Electricians			
Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—
Fire Control Operators			
GROUP III.			
Gun Operator			
Hatchman			
Height Taker			
Helio Operator			
Instrument Operator			
Intelligence Duties			
Joiners			
Lineman			
Lineman, Signals			
Lithographers			
Machinists, Metal			
Machinists, Wood			
Masons			
Masseurs			
Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—
Miners	2	2	—
Moulders			
Nurses, Trained			
Observation Post Assts.			
CARRIED FORWARD	62	53	13

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	2	3	—
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers	2	3	—
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers			
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
CARRIED FORWARD	82	71	17

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	1	1	—
Saddletree makers			
Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Stevedores			
Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Storemen, Technical	8	7	1
Tailors			
Textile Refitters			
Tinsmiths	2	1	1
Vulcanizers			
Wagon Erectors			
Whitesmiths			
DRIVERS MT	33	27	6
PIONEERS	24	24	—
[illegible]			
DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
CSM	1	—	1
CQMS	1	1	—
MECH'S ASST	3	3	—
Sgts	5	3	2
Tpt Cpls	3	3	—
BATMAN	6	3	—
MK Orderlies	2	2	—
WATER DTY	1	1	—
HYGIENE	1	1	—
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
AAEC	3	3	—
AAMC	1	1	—
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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Dec 43 *To* 31 Dec 43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE 3508 1 : 25,000. 465692	1	0800	Lieut Segnit transferred to C.E. NGF emplaned for Port Moresby. Checking of stores & listing nearing completion for hand over to 2/23 Corps Fd Pk Coy. Unloading vehicles from "Clarence King"	
	2		Lieut Manlon returned to Unit from SME (Fd) & put in charge of building new saw mill. Stores and Transit dumps handed over to 2/23 Corps Fd Pk Coy. All stores received from "Clarence King" stacked in both Dumps	
	3		Total Timber output for saw mill for November 71,885 super First weeks output of 12,967 super gradually increasing and mill now maintaining daily average of 3,000 super. 2/14 Fd Coy preparing to commence building of new mill. Coy sinking for water at mill sight reached a depth of 37 ft no sign of water found. New kitchen and mess building at mill now completed and ready to take extra personnel.	
	4		Salvage party returned from Salamaua with good stock of mild steel and sundry shafting.	
	5th		Instruction for strict wearing of shirts received from C.R.E.	
	6		Two TD 14 International Tractors engines have been dismantled owing to main bearing failure. Machines are nearly new and seemed to have been severely neglected by units using same in transit. 2 M.E. W/Shps are effecting repairs as best as can be done in the field. Generally tractors and mech equipt on issue to Fd Coys are giving much more trouble than usual. Every endeavour is being made to keep up rigid maintenance inspection.	
	7		Major Grayson Smith . AIF Forestry Unit and Lieut McAdam RANGAU inspected Saw mill site and discussed with Major Carter sawmilling in the area & suitable sawmilling equipment. Workshop platoon kept very busy on accomodation stores for all area installations Tank making ceased 7 days ago on account of shortage of Flat Gal Iron. Plumbers diverted to ridging and guttering manufacture.	

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Sheet -2- *Unit* 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF *Date and Time.—From* 1 Dec.43 *To* 31 Dec.43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE 3508 1 : 25,000 465,692	8		Lieut Deveson and Hall contacted American Engineers in vicinity of LAE re co-operation for spare parts for Mech. Equipt. Agreement reached by both parties and should facilitate better supply of track parts which up to present time are very difficult to obtain from mainland although our Engineer stores organisation have had 15 months experience to realize the importance of this matter.	
	9.		S/Sgt Burnett and Cpl Cameron N.A. emplaned for Moresby to collect tractor spares if possible and to recover clutch palte from D7 Tractor recently arrived.	
	10		Output from mill 6000 super due to cutting baulk timber E & M Pln. successfully repairing parts unobtainable for tractors and as many machines as possible being kept on road. Busu Rd completed to camp area.	
	11		Weeks output for mill 24,213 super ft . Average daily putput 4035 super ft.	
	12		Tank production seriously held up for flat iron. There does not seem to be any in Engineer stores sent forward. To meet the si tuation this Coy has fabricated a machine for re-rolling corrugated iron which will ease the position until stocks arrive.	
	13		Erection of new mill going on satisfactorily. Machinery is being installed in conjunction with building.	
	14.		Heavy rain 5½" recorded last night.	
	15.		Sinking hole for mill over having reached 42 ft without signs of water. 2 Miners on loan from 1 Aust Bomb Disposal Coy Erection and installation of mill progressing satisfactorily Fd Stores Pln being used to instal mill and ordinary roads around camp area and workshops in the jungle. Power boats reserved for operations being removed to Coy area. Lieut Deveson & party loaded first boat at MALAHANG wreck & brought to area. One boat being used to lay signal cable across Markham River . One being used on recce up Markham by Water Transport Personnel.	

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Unit 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF Date and Time.—From 1 Dec.43 To 31 Dec.43

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE 3508 1: 25,000 465,692	16		Lieut Hall compiling report on condition of all mechanical equipment in Corps Pool for submission to E in C.	
	17		Major Carter & Capt Andrews 239 L.A.D, inspected launch "Lady Stradbroke" at anchorage at LAE Boat held up for major engine repairs which AEME say is not repairable. After inspection it was found that broken parts had been forwarded to Port Moresby for repairs.	
	18.		Advice received from CRE that Injector for Rushton-Hornsby Engine unobtainable on the mainland. Meanwhile E & M Pln repaired old injector with which facilities available was no mean feat Bearing out our previous advice to CRE re obtaining spare parts for salvaged engines. This is the first example of trouble which is going to be met with in installaing certain salvage machinery . When an equivalent unit unit is held by our own ordnance with ample spares always available . The Rushton set is a 41 K.V.A. and the standard substitute would be 2 23 K.V.A. sets.	
	19		S/SGT Burnett & Cpl. Cameron. N. returned from Port Moresby with parts for D7 tractors and several spares for Mechanical Equipment. Mill output for week 20,658 super. New mill building nearing completion.	
	20		Sprs. Pennington, Mundy and Wilson C.G., moved out with three power boats to the Markham River to act as a ferry service for 2 Aust Corps Recce parties. Sickness rates have increased mainly temperatures. personnel returning to Unit after few days in C.C.S.	
	21		Unit advised that 2/23 Corps Fd Pk Coy would be leaving the area and this Unit would have to take over stores again. Spr. Pennington returned to Unit. Power boat he was in charge of on Markham River developed engine trouble and boat washed up on mud bank. Owing to rising river Pennington abandoned the boat and endeavoured to make the bank. Spr. Pennington's report attached.	
	22		Lieut Hanlon and administrative staff taken over Stores Dump under 5 Aust C.R.E(Works)	
	23		VX 90890 Lieut Wilson C.A. joined Unit as re-inforcement officer Coy refrigerator manufactured by E & M Pln. now installed readt to take Xmas goods.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
LAE 3508 1 : 25,000 465,692	24		By arrangement with C.R.E. Lieut Wilson exchanged with 2/14 Fd Coy for Lieut Allen. Lieut Allen to take over stores Platoon.	
			Major Carter and Lieut Hanlon attended T.E.W.T. for officers arranged by Col. Bell. Timber delivered to Busu Hospital site for 5 days ending	
	25		24th Dec. - 14,951 super ft. Total output 17704 super.	
			Xmas Day. - Unit entertainment consisted of rifle shoot, sports meeting and euchre tournament. Canteen supplies were excellent for Xmas meals. Turkey and ham in ample quantities were available. Xmas Day was taken as an additional rest day.	
	27		First section of new mill nearing completion. Plant expected to be running tomorrow. Extra work fabricating salvaged material caused slight delay in completion. Working party of 25 Artillery personnel from 14 Fd Regt reported for duty. Workshop section handling large tank orders	
	28 30		Lieut's Deveson, Meade, Brettle. Allen, attended C.R.E TEWT for officers. Major Carter Admin. Comd. R.E 1 Aust Corps Troops during absence of C.R.E. Lt. Col. Bell at Finschhafen.	
	31		Major Miestliess HQ and Capt Bathin S.O.R.E. (Scouts) CE NGF, inspected area. Major Miestliess discussed mech. Equipt with Lieut Hall, E & M Platoon.	

O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy., AIF Major

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" On 20 Dec.43 with Lieut Brettle ,of CRE HQ, Sprs. Wilson. C.G.; and Mundy. W.L. of 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy and one native guide, we left LAE wharf at 0930 hrs en route for Markham Point with two American Power Boats from RAE Bridge Park. Supplies for 10 days were carried.

Lieut Brettle and myself were in the leading boat. Owing to the strength of the current it was necessary to run the engines at full speed to make headway. Soundings were continually taken owing to the numerous mud banks. Two banks were encountered but we were able to get off them but it was noticed that the engine was overheating. I found the water pump was out of action due to being clogged with mud and sand. I ran the boat on to a mud bank and the other boat came back to my aid and the pump was cleaned as much as possible. Owing to the engine trouble I told Mr Brettle that the boat could not be taken any further up the river. On his instructions the supplies were loaded on the other boat and Mr Brettle continued on with that boat. Before leaving they pushed the boat into the water and I started the engine which I now thought may be able to get the boat back, but after 200 yds the engine failed completely and the river carried the boat on to another mud bank, turning the boat on its side. I endeavoured to get the boat back in the water, but by myself I could not. I waited about half an hour and could not see anyone so I decided to try and make the bank, as I thought it essential to get help before the river rose to save the boat. I tied two drums to my rifle and put on my life jacket and entered the water but was enable to make either bank and was washed down the river about one and a quarter miles and out to sea. I was picked up by an American barge and taken ashore and treated by an American doctor. I could not report back to my Unit last night and was brought over by an American barge this morning. Under the circumstances I did as best as I could to take immediate steps for the recovery of the boat. I was successful in retaining my rifle and ammunition."

Signed : H. Pennington Spr.,
21 December 1943.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
BY
MAJOR J.CARTER.
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

22 Dec 43.

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311. LEAVE - CHRISTMAS 1943. N.G.F.Order A 467.

1. Subject to operational requirements and such parades as may be deemed necessary for administrative purposes, Christmas Day 1943, will be observed as an additional rest day.
2. Sufficient personnel will be retained on duty to enable all Headquarters to function.
3. Personnel retained for duty on Christmas Day 1943, may be permitted to take Monday 27 Dec 43 as a rest day in lieu.

312. INSECT REPELLANT LOTION AND ANTI-MITE FLUID. N.G.F.OrderA468.

1. The production of insect repellant lotion and anti-mite fluid in adequate quantities is a matter of great difficulty as some of the essential constituents are in short world supply.
2. These substances will NOT be usded for any other purpose than those for which they are issued.

313. DRESS.

N.G.F. Order A 456.

1. No further issues of shorts will be made to personnel in NEW GUINEA.
2. The following dress will be worn at all times:-
   (a) Slacks and shirts or safari jackets. Shirts or safari jackets will be worn with long sleeves fastened at the wrists and buttoned in all respects except at the collar where the button may be left undone.
   (b) Boots and socks with anklets web or gaiters SD or puttees short.
3. Attention is drawn to Coy R.O.Para.55. Hats will be worn by personnel outside camp area, both day and night.
4. A member issued with American gaiters may wear same in lieu of Gaiters SD. They are standard equipment and must not be cut down.

314. TRACK DISCIPLINE.

All vehicles will keep to the formed roads and hard standing within the camp area. Disciplinary action wil be taken against any driver who wilfully causes wheel ruts.

315. MOSQUITO NETS.

Platoon Commanders will check all mosquito nets on issue to personnel and ensure nets are in serviceable condition.

316. ANTI-MOSQUITO SQUAD.

The following personnel have been detailed as Coy Anti-Mosquito Squad:-

Cpl. Butler, A.T.
Spr. Carr, B.
" Martin, K.S.J.
" Pinnington, H.

(JOHN CARTER) Major,
O.C. 59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy.,AIF.

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Routine Orders
by
MAJOR JOHN CARTER
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY., AIF.

29 Dec 43 No. 12.

317. RESTRICTED AREAS. HQ LAE Sub Base Area Routine Order.

1. The undermentioned installations are out of bounds to all ranks unless on duty:-

ASD (temporary) .....Butibum River
ASD (permanent) .....Busu Road.
No.1 BIPOD DEPOT ....Busu Road.
No. 2 BIPOD DEPOT ....Busu Road.
DID ....Charing Cross.
FD BAKERY ....Charing Cross.
REFRIGERATOR ....Charing Cross.
ADOS BULK STORE & ISSUING PT 24 ...Busu Road.

318. MINING AND SALE OF GOLD. HQ LAE Sub Base Area R.O.

1. It is an offence against the laws of the Territories of Papua and New Guinea to:-

(a) fossick for gold or otherwise engage in mining without being possession of a Miner's Right; or

(b) Take or remove gold from the claim of another person (even if in possession of a Miner's Right); or

(c) bein possession of gold without lawful excuse or

(d) export gold from these Territories without a Licence.

2. These laws apply to, and will be observed by, all members of the AIF.

319. PERSONNEL WITH KNOWLEDGE OF PHARMACY.

Personnel (of whatever rank) whom prior to enlistment were pharmacy students will report to Orderly Room and give particulars.

320. UNAUTHORISED USE OF TRANSPORT AIRCRAFT.
HQ LAE Sub Base Area Routine Order.

1. Tpt A/craft operate from Lae Air Strip in connection with maintenance programmes of Forward divisions. A/craft space is of vital importance to Air Mtce Coy and must not be misused.

2. It has been noticed that large numbers of Aust Troops congregate on Air Strip particularly on rest days for the purpose of endeavouring to obtain unauthorised flights with Transport Loads.

3. This practice must cease. Stern disciplinary action will be taken against all offenders.

4. PLATOON comds will ensure that this order is brought to the notice of all ranks.

Major,
(JOHN CARTER)
O.C. 59 AUST CORPS FD PK COY. AIF.

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

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SERIAL No. 57.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

59 Aust Corps Tank Coy (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1		2	3	4
Ranks.	WE	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
	*			
	*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1			
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants	4	4	—	—
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	5	—	1

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
LIEUT	I G HANLON	RAE 1 Aust Corps Tps	2 Dec 43	REJOINED EX SME VIA 1 Aust Corps Reception Camp

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
LIEUT	A.H. SEGNIT	"	1 Dec 43	TRANSFERRED TO CE NGF

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	~~Corps.~~ APPT	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	VX 6144	J CARTER	OC	YES	
LIEUT	VX 108363	H.N. DEIESON	2/1 C	YES	
LIEUT	NX 112381	J.J.A. HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	N 45334	I G HANLON	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	NX 30179	C F MEADE	SEC OFFR	YES	

NO OFFICERS WITH ACTIVE SERVICE PRIOR TO 3/9/39

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

59 Aust Corps Tank Coy (Unit.)

[signature] (Signature of Commander.)

4 Dec. 43. (Date of Despatch.)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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W.E. Reference

A.M.F.

W.E. 6 X 178

Attached
Allowed by W.E. — X 6

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 11 December 43

59 Aust Corps Fd Pk Coy Unit

PART A. — STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1		2	3	4
Ranks and W.E.		Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment)
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels . .				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants . . .	4	4	—	—
2nd Lieutenants .				
Quartermasters . .				
Totals . . .	6	5	—	1

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary

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

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

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

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

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PART D. — NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	Personal Number	Name and Initials	Appointment	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	OC	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	W N DEJESON	2 i/c	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	NX45534	I G HANRON	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	NX30177	C F MENDE	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	Personal Number	Name and Initials	Unit or Corps	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No)

59 Aust Corps Fd Amb Coy
(Unit)

11 December '43
(Date of Despatch)

(Signature of Commander)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

655—N.G.F.P.S.—3/43—5m.

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W.E. Reference

A.M.F. —

W.E. 6 X 178

Attached
Allowed by W.E. — X 6

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Date 18 Dec 43

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy. R.A.E. Unit

PART A. — STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1		2	3	4
Ranks and W.E.		Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment)
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels . .				
Majors	1	1	—	—
Captains	1	—	—	1
Lieutenants . . .	4	4	—	—
2nd Lieutenants .				
Quartermasters . .				
Totals . . .	6	5	—	1

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary

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

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

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

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

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PART D. — NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	2 Personal Number	3 Name and Initials	4 Appointment	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C	YES	
LIEUT.	VX108363	H N DEVESON	2/I.C	YES	
LIEUT	NX30179	C F MEADE	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J J A HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	N45534	C G HANLON	SEC OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	Personal Number	Name and Initials	Unit or Corps	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No)

(Unit)

(Signature of Commander)

18 Dec 43
(Date of Despatch)

RAE 1 Aust Corps Troop
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

655—N.G.F.P.S.—3/43—5m.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

W.E. Reference
A.M.F.
W.E. 6 X 182

Date 25 December 43

Attached
Allowed by W.E. – X 6

59 Aust Corps Tank Coy Unit

PART A. — STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1 Ranks and W.E.		2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached)	3 Surplus to Establishment	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment)
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels				
Majors	1	1	–	–
Captains	1	–	–	1
Lieutenants	4	5	1	–
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
Totals	6	6	1	1

* Insert detail of higher rank as necessary

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

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause
LIEUT.	C.A. WILSON	RAE Aust Corps Troops	23 Dec 43	POSTED FROM ENGR REINFR – NE 450/10 Dec

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Unit or Corps	Date	Cause

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

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

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PART D. — NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	2 Personal Number	3 Name and Initials	4 Appointment	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
MAJOR	VX61144	J CARTER	O.C.	YES	
LIEUT	VX108363	H.N. DEVESON	~~SEC OFFR~~ 2 I.C.	YES	
LIEUT	NX30179	C.F. MEADE	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	NX112381	J. J. A. HALL	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	N45534	I.C. HANLON	SEC OFFR	YES	
LIEUT	VX90890	C.A. WILSON	HQ OFFR	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held	Personal Number	Name and Initials	Unit or Corps	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment	Allowed by W.E. (Insert Yes or No)
LIEUT	NX115816	H J BRETTLE	RAE	23/12/43	Duty	No

59 Aust. Corps Field Park Co. RAE
(Unit)

[illegible]
(Signature of Commander)

DEC. 1943
(Date of Despatch)

LAE BASE SUB AREA
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

57 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 4 / 12 /194 3 39 Corps Tk Coy (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 39A 1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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.					
—	—	—	3	Staff Sergeants					
—	2	-	3	Sergeants	AACC	1			
—	—	3	20	Corporals RAEC	AAMC	2			
13	14	—	137	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	3			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
13 *	16	3	165 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *	—	—	—

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.P. A.I.P.	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		153	10	2							165
B(1)		5	1		attached by WE						6
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	4 FD Ambulance		
2	2/4 Fd Coy		
1	4 FD Surg		
25	14 Fd Regt		
3	2/14 FD Coy		
1	HQ RAE 1 Tk Corps		

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
4	HQ 2 Tk Corps		
1	HQ RAE 1 Armd Corps		
18	Recreational Farm		
2	BUNA	—	32 OFFICERS

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).
SURPLUS PERSONNEL			
SURPLUS	CORPORALS	TO FILL VACANCY OF	SETS
SURPLUS	TRADESMEN	—	SAWYER NECESSARY 117 SAWMILL TO KEEP UP REQUIRED OUTPUT
SURPLUS	ELECTRICIAN	— BRING TRADMEN TO FILL	VACANCIES OF ELECTRICIAN & FITTER

39 Armd Corps Tk Coy 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 4 / 12 /194 3.

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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	6	—	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				BOILERMAKER	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	NIL	2	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	3	—	Storemen, Technical	8	8	—
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	1	1
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	6	2	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	1	1								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								DRIVER MT	33	27	6
Fitters (Electrical) (a)	4	—	4	Electricians								PIONEERS	29	37	—
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	1	—
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (a)	6	4	2	MESS STAFF	3	3	—
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				SQMS	3	3	2
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tpt Cpls	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				BATMEN	6	5	1
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	MK DRAFTING	2	2	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				WATER DUTY	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				HYGIENE	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator (a)	6	5	1	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AACC	5	5	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AAMC	1	1	—
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	3	2	—	Engine Hands. I.C.	8	6	2				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	2	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	1	—	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	29	1	CARRIED FORWARD	62	53	12	CARRIED FORWARD	82	71	16	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	184	159	26

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.

4 Dec 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
OC 39 Armd Corps Tk Park Coy, R.A.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

58 /_____ (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 11 / 12 /194 3 _____ (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 194 / 1 . OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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.					
—	—	—	3	Staff Sergeants					
—	2	—	3	Sergeants	RAE	1			
—	—	3	20	Corporals	RAME & RAEC	2			
14	15		136	Troopers, Privates, etc.	RAEC	3			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
14 *	17	3	164	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *			*

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.	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		152	10	2							164
B(1)		5	1		attached		2(1)	W.E			6
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	4 Fd Amb		
~~2~~	~~4 Fd Coy~~		
1	4 Fd Coy		
25	4 Fd Regt		
1	HQ RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops		

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
4	HQ 2 Aust Corps		
1	HQ RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops		
17	RECREATIONAL LEAVE		
2	72 OFFRS —		BWNA

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).
SURPLUS PERSONNEL			
SURPLUS CORPORALS TO FILL			VACANCIES OF SGTS
SURPLUS TRADESMEN. SAWYER NECESSARY AT MILL TO KEEP UP REQUIRED OUTPUT			SURPLUS ELECTRICIANS TO FILL
VACANCY OF ELECTRICAL FITTERS			
DIFFERENCE IN TOTALS OF			COLUMNS OF PART A AND
COLUMNS OF PART E IS			CAUSED BY SURPLUS IN
PIONEERS, BRICKLAYERS, ELECTRICIANS, SAWYERS & PAINTERS			

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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 11 / 12 /194 3.

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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	6	—	Painters	2	3	—	Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Boilermakers	1	—	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	NIL	2	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Stat. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	3	—	Storemen, Technical	8	8	—
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	1	1
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	7	1	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	1	1								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								PIONEERS	24	38	—
Fitters (Electrical)	4	—	4	Electricians								DRIVERS MT	33	25	8
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	5	—								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				CSM	1	1	—
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				CQMS	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (1)	6	4	2	MTOS/SGR	3	3	—
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Sgts	5	3	2
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tpt Cpl	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				MC Cpl/Drs	2	2	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Batmen	6	5	1
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Water Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hygiene	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	5	1	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				RAEC	5	5	—
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				RAME	1	1	—
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	2	—	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	5	3				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	2	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	1	—	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	27	7	CARRIED FORWARD	62	54	11	CARRIED FORWARD	82	71	11	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	154 *	130 *	28

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.

11 December 43
Date of Despatch

K J Cavelaper
Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

/ 34 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 18 / 12 /194 3 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 111 / 1 . OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 6 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.					
			3	Staff Sergeants					
	2		3	Sergeants	ANCC	1			
		3	25	Corporals	ANCC + AAME	2			
14	15		136	Troopers, Privates, etc.	ANCC	3			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
14 *	17	3	164 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *			*

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		130	12	2				[redacted]	[redacted]		164
B(1)		5	1		Attached 6 Div HQ						6
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
1	4 Fd Coy		
1	4 Fd Amb		
21	14 Fd Regt		
2	HQ AAE 3 Div		
1	HQ AAE 1 Aust Corps		

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
3	HQ RAE 1 Aust Corps Troops		
17	RAE 2 Aust Inf Div		
2	72 Sec Fd Regt RAA		
3	HQ 2 Aust Corps		
1	HQ RAE 3 Div		

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 18 / 12 /194 3.

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	1	-	1	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	4	-	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	6	-	Painters	2	3	-	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Boilermakers	1	-	1	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	-
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1					Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	-					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	Nil	3	-					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	3	-	Storemen, Technical	8	7	- 1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	-	2
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	-	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	7	1	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)	2	1	1								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Pioneers	29	33	-
Fitters (Electrical)	4	3	1	Electricians								Drivers MT	33	26	7
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	4	-								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C.S.M.	1	1	-
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				C.Q.M.S.	1	1	-
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	41	42	2	Asst Storekeepers	3	3	-
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Storemen	5	3	2
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tool Clerk	3	3	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Mt Cmdrs	2	2	-
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	-	Batmen	6	5	1
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Hygiene	1	1	-
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Hdqrs Duty	1	1	-
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	5	1	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				AAEC	5	5	-
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				AAME	1	1	-
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	-	2	Engine Hands, I.C.	8	5	3				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	-	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	2	-	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	1	-	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	31	4	CARRIED FORWARD	62	55	10	CARRIED FORWARD	82	72	15	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	184	164 *	28 *

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18 Dec 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander Major
O.C. 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

60 /____(Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 25 / 12 /194 3 59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E. (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 2 / 1. OFFRS. 6 O.R's. 182 + OFFRS. — O.R's. 6 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.					
	—	—	2	Staff Sergeants					
	2	—	3	Sergeants	AAOC	1			
	—	1	17	Corporals	AAOC	2			
17	17	—	138	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAOC	3			
	—			Civilians counting as O.R.					
18 *	19	1	164 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2		6 *	—	—	— *

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	151	11	2							164
B(1)	5	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	HQ RA Corps		

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
3	HQ 2 Aust Corps		
19	Reconstruction Corps		
1	HQ RAE 3 Div		
3	HQ RAE 1 Aust Corps (Cpl. Cl.)		
1	Specialist		
2	Base (72 BRAE)		

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).

59 Aust. Corps Field Park 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 25 / 12 /194 3.

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	1	—	1	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	4	—	Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders	6	6	—	Painters	2	3	—	Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless				Boilermaker	1	1	—	Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery				Refrigeration Mechanic				Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers	1	1	—
Artificer, Engine	6	5	1		4	—	4	Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths	4	4	—					Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers	Nil	3	—					Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers	2	3	—	Storemen, Technical	8	6	2
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths	2	—	2
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanisers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)	1	1	—	Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners	8	7	1	Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mcd.)	2	1	1								
Fitters	8	7	1	Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								Painters	29	36	
Fitters (Electrical)	4	3	1	Electricians								Shipwrights	33	26	7
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)	4	4	—								
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				C.S.M.	1	1	—
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				C.Q.M.S.	1	1	—
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (G)	6	4	2	Mess Stwds.	3	3	—
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Cooks	5	3	2
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Tpt. Cpls.	3	3	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				M.T. Cpl. Drivers	2	2	—
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors	2	2	—	Batmen	6	6	—
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Hygiene	1	1	—
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies				Water Duty	1	1	—
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator	6	6	—	Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				Attch	6	5	—
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				2 AMU	1	1	—
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.	2	—	2	Engine Hands, I.C.	6	5	3				
Photowriter				Miners	2	2	—	Equipment Repairers							
Plumber	2	2	—	Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors	1	1	—	Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	32	32	3	CARRIED FORWARD	46	51	12	CARRIED FORWARD	86	24	17	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	188	170 *	2

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Date of Despatch 25 DEC 43

Signature of Commander Major
59 Aust. Corps Field Park Coy., R.A.E.

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