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Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
Keswick.	2 Apr 45	1900	SX.26060 Lt J E Marks, M/O to LTD for transfer to 136 Aust Sup Dep Pl(AIF) in accordance with LHQ Mem. No. 35351 of 14 Mar 45.	K Downs Lt.
	3 Apr	1700	LHQ advised per 'phone that 81 ASD Pl and 33 Aust Fld Bking Pl will be moving shortly. LHQ also advised that the OOB Inv. Com. proposes to delete 87 ASD Pl and make Loveday Int Camp responsible for their own rations - this would be brought into force in the near future. This Office disagrees with the advisability of this proposal and feels that difficulties will arise from Loveday Int.Group, showing a marked decrease in the efficiency of rationing of this Unit. However, with the first class priority being given to conservation of manpower, it is realised that these shortcomings in efficiency will have to be tolerated.	K Downs Lt.
	6 Apr	1700	Capt Lonergan M/I from LHQ to take up duties as Inpr of Supply Depts & A/cs for a period of three months. LHQ Auth No.34845 of 13 Mar 45.	K Downs Lt.
	7 Apr	1700	'(a) HQ SA L of C Area (Amenities service) advise that instructions have been received that, in the event of 87 ASD Pl. being closed at any time, all Amenities on charge are to be returned to Amenities Office Keswick. (b) HQ advise LHQ Mem 44092 of 2 Apr 45 approves the reposting of NX103310Capt Saclier from 2/161 Aust Sup Dep Pl to 81 A S D Pl to date 27 Mar 45. (c) This Office advised HQ that itis anticipated that QX.38406 Lieut. Hill K.P. will be transferred to Infantry and put in a corrigenda to the previous recommendation, viz: that Lieut K P Hill be transfd to 83 ASD Pl. and substituted SX.2626 Lt W S Crierie to be posted to 83 ASD Pl.(LHQ 2794 20/27 Feb 45 refers).	K Downs Lt.

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Heerlen	7 Apr	Contd.	(d) Following advice given to HQ re SX.26937 Sgt Bailey L F, Sgt Issuer of 83 A S D Pl. Medical Class A to the effect that he would be of greater value to the Army in a forward Area, a copy of HQ letter to SA Ech & Rec. advising that this soldier is available for reposting has been received. This states this office's policy of releasing "A" Class men for Operational Areas whenever possible.	
	10 Apr	1700	(a) SX.2626 Lt W B Crierie M/I from GDD on loan and attached to 83 A S D Pl awaiting approval of LHQ to transfer to this Unit.	
			(b) A reply from HQ to our request that authority be given to transfer Unit Drivers MT to 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) as reinforcements as they become surplus to Unit Strength to the effect that until re-organisation involving the withdrawal of units in this Area, Transport Drs MT are not available to reinforce 147 A G T Coy	
	11 Apr	1700	HQ called for applicants of Officers for Conversion to Infantry. The ADST called for all AASC Offcrs eligible for conversion to infantry in accord. with HQ specification. It was given to understand that no influence will be brought to bear and such Officers will voluntarily intimate in writing their desire to take the opportunity offering - QX.38406 Lt K P Hill only applicant.	
			Instructions received that LHQ have approved the following Change of Postings of AASC Offcers:- SX.21581 Capt A M Peacock from 147 A G T Coy(AIF) to O C 197 Aust Sup Dep Pl date d 3 Apr 45 (LHQ Mem 46180 6 Apr 45) VX.111069 Capt F I L Barnes from 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) to RAE(Tn Water Tpt) and placed upon the RSL(Reposting to date 9 Apr 45 (LHQ 46297 - 6 Apr 45.	

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Adelaide	11 Apr	Contd.	VX.10168 Capt J L Osmond from 2/31 Aust Sup Dep Pl. to 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) to date 3 Apr 45 (LHQ 46174 of 6 Apr 45)	
	13 Apr	1700	Advice received that LHQ Memo 46312 advises the placement of SX.21966 Lt J J Taggart,(OC 33 Aust Fd Bkng Pl) on the Retired List is approved for Order in Council.	
			Advice recvd that SX.29279 Capt T C Illert (OC 86 ASD Pl) appeared before a medical board and was marked Class D and recommended to LHQ that his apptmt be terminated on 12 May 45 and that he be placed on Retired List to date 13 May 45. DDMS has intimated that Capt Illert is a repatriation case and the date makes allowance for the period of notice required by the Repatriation Comsn and includes all Leave due.	
			Following on request of DAQMG the Adj. S&T Services made an inspection of PWCC Tumby Bay and report forwarded is attached as Appendix "A".	
	14 Apr	1200	HQ Mem 11611 of 13 Apr and refers LHQ Memo 155393 of 8 Nov 44, advises to further centralise the feeding of Units in this Area that from 16 Apr 45, 85 A S D Pl will ration the undermentioned personnel: HQ 5 A A O D 8 Offcers 11 O/Rs 4 Gsn Guard 15 " D C R E 2 " HQ SA L of C Area 3 " Total 8 - 31 "	
			Catering - The Services of the Catering Supervisor are available to OC 85 A S D Pl and the Caterg Sup. will be responsible for the allocation of 1 Cook and 1 Gen. duty man to Rationing Unit.	
	16 Apr	1700	HQ advise LHQ Sig.No. AG27742 of 12 Apr 45 calls for reciprocal	

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Keswick	16 Apr	Contd.	transfers of SX.29195 Dvr R N Hutson, SX.26772 Dvr AEM Thomas and W/O II V C Bock, 121 Aust G T Coy. A.S.C. It was advised that the personnel of the 147 AGT Coy in this Area has already served two years service at Alice Springs but HQ informed this office the transfers were to be effected. Further to this, the WO II to be sent to this Area was well known by the O C of 147 A G T Coy and he considered him unsatisfactory to take over the duties. However, to further our scheme of intercharging Supply personnel to Transport Units and vice versa, the suggestion of a W O II from H"s of the Supply Dep Coy to replace this man was offered.	
	17 Apr	1700	SX.21966 Lt J J Taggart (OC 33 Aust Fd Bkg Pl) marched out to GDD for Discharge (LHQ Memo 26312) "A"Branch requested a Supply Offcr (Capt) for reciprocal transfer to vice Capt Reynolds. There are only 3 Capts (Supply) at present in this Area, Capt. Young, 84 A S D Pl is med Class B2, leaving Capt.Turner OC 85 A SD Pl A S C and Capt Jeffery 2/i/c 14 ASD Coy.. Both these Offcrs have been away and only recently reposted to this Area. However, as a Lt. was not acceptable, it was necessary to nominate Capt Jeffery for this transfer.	
	18 Apr	1700	LHQ Signal MS28203 of 13 Apr cancels reposting SX.25437 Lt V. Sharp and approves reposting VX.104286 Lt T V Bentley 147 AGT Coy to HQ 2/133 G T Coy and seconded to 8 Fd Amb to date 20 Mar 45. LHQ Memo 48071 of 10 Apr 45 advises approval for reposting of SX.20812 Capt C N I Beurle from 147 A G T Coy(AIF) to 8 Aust M A C(AIF) to date 6 Apr 45. LHQ Memo 49132 of 12 Apr 45 advises scheme being inaugurated whereby AASC pers. who have had two years and a half or more service in N T will be relieved as and when they proceed from NT to take leave and posted where possible within their State of enlistment.	

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Keswick	18 Apr	(Contd)	Advice that apprval is given for 147 A G T Coy to retain the Rifles .303 now on issue to that Unit HQ's state that it is necessary for 'GS' Branch SA L of C Area to advise LHQ of this action when a ruling to the contrary may be given.	
	19 Apr 45	1700	Members of Vic C R B (RAAF) at Oodnadatta will cease to operate on or about 25 Apr 45. Appendix "B" is copy of letter advising RAAF Oodnadatta of necessary accounting.	
	20 Apr	1700	Instructions recvd from HQ's regarding withdrawal of Transport from static Units in Metrop.Area. SA L of C Area R.O. published an Investigating Committee to visit all Units in the Area to check on vehics. and personnel to be withdrawn: VX.112233 Maj Sutcliffe C N SX.22491 Capt. Richards K R SX.13523 Capt. Parr A W S.101 Capt. Pearce T H S As far as possible, Male drivers to be transfd to 147 Aust G T Coy and female dvrs to either HQ Cars or 5 Aust Amb Car Coy This action being necessary as there are no quarters available at 147 A T G Coy for female personnel. This HQs requested that Units be informed that Transport requirements will be carried out by 147 Aust G T Coy and G.1 will be submitted to D A D T 24 hrs in advance. Heads of Branches and Services, before signing G.1, will investigate and see whether the duty can be carried out by train or tram service, and if so, this method will be used in lieu of Departmental transport. To enable the maximum use to be made of all available manpower, 83 A S D Pl and 85 A S D Pl are to be amalgamated. Appendix "C" attached gives information.	

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Alexwick	20 Apr	Contd.	Further to War Diary 18 Apr (c) Vic L of C Area SM2342 sets out method of relieving personnel from N T Force and Appendix. "A" gives 2 drivers and W O II (Ref. War Diary 16 Apr) to be replaced. Comdr. SA L of C Area requested a representative of this Service to go to Barmera to investigate the plan of attaching personnel of 87 ASD Pl to Loveday. Int. Camp and thus saving pers. o.e. Cooks, Drivers, Hygiene etc. The report submitted will be entered later.	
	23 Apr 45	1700	Append. "D" attached gives a report on rationing Loveday Area Revision of Operation of D I D Barmera (Ref War Diary of 19 Apr 45).	
	25 Apr	1700	Reduction in O O B - SA L of C Area. (a) The following instructions for redution of AASC Units have been advised: Auth LHQ SM 3144 of 13 Apr 45 - 5 Aust Amb Car Coy. Present strength of 1 Offcr and 46 O/Rs to be reduced to % 5 Aust Amb Car Coy to a strength of 1 Offcr 30 O/Rs. All male pers. rendered surplus to be transfd to 147 AGT Coy. Progress report to be made fortnightly, commencing 10 May 45 to HQs.	

(b) ADST to re-organise Units on restricted establishment as provided hereunder:

Unit	WE	Auth. Offcrs	Auth. O/Rs	Strength Total	Remarks.
%HQ 14 ASD Coy.	IV/40/2	3	11	14	Restricted by 4 Dvrs M T.
% 83 ASD Pl	IV/40A/2	2	28	36	Restricted by 2 Dvrs MT.
% 84 ASD Pl.	IV/40A/2	2	28	30	" " "
% 85 " "	IV/40A/2	2	28	30	" " "

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Keswick	25 Apr	Contd.	4 Dvrs M T will be transfd from HQ 14 ASD Coy to 147 AGT Coy. All vehics issued to be returned forthwith to 101 Aust Ord. Vehic Park Sec. Report of the completion of this re-organisation is required by HQs.	
			HQ Memo No. 1481 of 25 Apr 45 contains instructions for the disbandment of the following Units: i. One Pl 8 Aux H T Coy in SA ii. 86 Aust Sup Dep Pl. in NSW iii. 87 A S D Pl. in NSW iv. %33 Aust Fd Bkng Pl in NSW.	
			Advice is requested ~~k~~ as to date of disbandment of 8 Aux HTCoy. and date each of remaining 3 units are available for movt to NSW.	
			DAAG I requested to inquire LTD and ETA of NX 103310 Capt I R Saclier posted to 81 ASD Pl (Ref War Diary 7 Apr B).	
			HQ Memo 1482 states in order that 147 AGT Coy may carry out its amended function - approval is contained in LHQ SM3144 of 13 Apr 45 for variation of the types of vehicles allowed by W E	
	26 Apr 45	1700	Further to War Diary 25 Apr 45, entry b & c and Append "D" attached revision of operation of D I D Barmera, a report has been submitted as follows: %8 Aux H T Coy - available for disbandment not later than 7 My 45. 86 ASD Pl.- The disbandment depends upon availability of 84 ASD Pl. to move to Smithfield. At present 84 ASD Pl are engaged on opening for examination and recasing of 15,000 c/s Biscuits Serv. received ex Norforce (under LHQ Ins). This is estimated to take three months and until completed, no action can be taken re the disbandment of 86 ASD Pl.	

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Keswick	26 Apr 45	Contd.	87 ASD Pl. The functions of this Unit is under discussion to raise at least part of the Unit. Until a decision is reached, no anticipated date of disbandment can be submitted.	
			33 Aust Fd Baking Pl - Similar circumstances as to 87 ASD Pl and no anticipated date can be submitted.	
	27 Apr	1700	(a) "G" Branch SA L of C Area Memo No. 12813 of 24 Apr 45 advises arrangement of No.38 Cooking Course - Mobile Wing for Potential Cooks, location to be 85 A S D Pl Keswick. The object being to train pers. as Cook Artificers. The course will be under the Supervision of Catering Supvsr SA L of C Ar. Instructor W O II Barlow H, Aust Army Catering Corps (Mobile Tng Wing)	
			(b) Further to entry of 11 Mar 45 ref posting Capt Peacock - This Officer has applied to go on the R of O. The following Sig. was received by 147 AGT Coy from 23 Supply Dep Coy. dated 26 Apr "SDA 232 Stop Restricted stop Ref LHQ Mem.46186 6Apr 45 stop SX.21581 Capt Peacock A M posting 197 SDPl Stop Advise LTD". DAAG I this Area advises posting now cancelled Auth LHQ Sig. MS30911 of 25 May	
			Review of Manpower - Ref. LHQ Memo SM12639 of 5 Dec 44, a further progress report submitted giving deletion and reductions of AASC Units to D S T.	
	28 Apr	1200 hrs	a/ In accordance with LHQ Instruction regarding action to be taken for the return of MT Vehicles to Ordnance and the transfer of Male M T Drivers to 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) - Appendix "E" attached is a copy of HQ Memo issued to all metropolitan Units in this Area.	

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Keswick	28 Apr 45	Contd.	b/ Signal ST9048 received from West Comd. 23 Apr 45 advising- "Capt Budworth LHQ I MT departs West Comd by Troop Train 25 Apr for duty your Directorate. Appreciate your arrangements Tpt Officer and baggage from rail" Capt Budworth marched in and attached to 147 Aust G T Coy(AIF) to date 27 Apr 45 to commence duties.	
	30 Apr	1700	a/ Advice received LHQ Memo 54293 of 23 Apr 45 to the effect that approval is given for reposting of SX.21675 Lt. H J Winner AASC from 84 Aust Sup Dep Pl to No.1 Q'land L of C Area BIPOD to date 19 Apr 45.	
			b/ Appendix "F" attached is copy of letter to HQs regarding Changes of Postings of AASC Officers.	
			c/ Appendix "G" gives list of duties of 2 W/O I's, 1 Sgt. and 2 Ptes (1 D/R) proposed to be added to S & T Serv. in connection with Transport Organisation.	
			d/ Appendix "H" is a copy of HQ Memo regarding withdrawal of M T personnel and vehics. from Static Metrop. Units and subsequent co-ordination of Transport.	
			e/ Col. Stewart of LHQ visited the ADST SA L of C Area in connection with the Reduction of AASC Units in this Area. On request, a list of proposed Supply Units, the number of personnel and ration strength was given to Col. Stewart - Appendix "I" attached shows depots to be managed by Supply Pls. immediately the re-organisation takes place.	
			f/ HQs were advised that the instructions regarding reduction of 5 Aust Amb Car Coy had been implemented in their entirety. 5 Aust Amb Car Coy now has a strength of 1 Offcr 33 O/Rs, of which 1 O/R is held under instruction for movement and two are held available for disposal under direction of Ech and Rec.	

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War Diary Appendix A

P W C C 7 S.11 - TIMBY BAY - SUPPLY ACCOUNTING.

HQ.
S Aust L of C Area.

The following is Draft Instruction of "Supplies Accounting Units" procedure at present in course of preparation at LHQ:

"1. In areas where there is located either a single Unit or insufficient units indenting for supplies to warrant the establishment of a Supply Depot with a daily maintenance range, special arrangements may be made in accordance with this memo. for rationing such units.

2. Units of a static or semi-static nature may be required to draw periodically bulk supplies of non-perishable commodities from the nearest or most conveniently situated Supply Depot. Units may hold bulk stocks sufficient for maintenance for a period not exceeding 14 days and they may be required to order and accept perishable supplies from local contractors appointed by S&T Service through the prescribed channels.

3. In these circumstances, the Unit or Units concerned, which will be designated "Supplies Accounting" Units, will be required, with their own administrative personnel, to:-

(a) Maintain a provision Supply Account which will be -

(i) ruled off and balanced daily;

(ii) certified by C.O. that daily balance agrees with stocks on hand.

(b) Receive, store, administer and safeguard supplies stocks received from any source.

(c) Inspect as to quality, check as to quantity and issue receipts for all perishable supplies received from contractors pursuant to contract arrangements effected through S & T Service;

(d) Furnish periodical certified stock holding returns to DIST/ADST L of C Area;

(e) Check TS4 for perishable supplies, sign certificate of performance thereon, and forward, under T.S.6(a), to DPO.

4. Procedure to be observed by Units concerned will be:-

(a) Receiving Supplies

(1) Perishables.

Under the terms of Contracts let through the S & T Service, perishable supplies will be arranged for each Unit.

see below Units will collect supplies from contractors using Unit MT. unless under the terms of contract delivery is to be effected by the Contractor

Orders for Supplies (AAF F.59) will be made out in triplicate, thus:
Original to contractor for attachment to claim(TS.4)
Duplicate to be used as voucher supporting entry in Provision Supply Account.

Receipts from contractors will be checked carefully over unit weighing appliances to ensure that correct quantities are received. Attention is directed to DA.73(c)(2).

Receipts will be entered daily in Provision Supply Account (AAF F.753) from duplicate copy of AAF F.59.

Contractors claims should be rendered weekly or fortnightly, direct to the Unit. The C.O. will ensure check of claims with original AAF F.59 attached and with entries in AAF F.753. He will sign personally the relevant certificate of performance on each claim (TS.4) which will be forwarded, with AAF F.59 attached, direct to the DPO for payment, and a fortnightly

statement to A D S T of all purchases made as at end of each accounting period. Claims so forwarded will be covered by the use of TS.6(a).

Attention of Units will be drawn to the provisions of GRO F.19/1943.

(ii) Non-perishables.

All Non-perishable supplies will be obtained by order on the Supply Depot specified by the DDST/ADST L of C Area. Orders will be lodged on AAF F.85 in duplicate, either weekly or fortnightly.

The Supply Depot receiving the order will effect delivery unless the supplies can be more conveniently collected by the Unit. In either case the Supply Officer or his representative will give the Unit a certificate of issue on A.B.10 and will in turn obtain an acquittance from the Unit for the supplies handed over.

Supplies received will be taken on charge in AAF F.753 from the duplicate AB10 recording the certificate of issue.

(b) Issuing Supplies

Each day the Unit QM will draw from stocks on hand the number of rations reqired for issue that day. The number of rations required will be converted to terms of commodities in accordance with the ration scale. The number of rations and the commodities will be recorded on an Issue Slip, AF F.78 in duplicate.

On drawing the commodities from Store the QM will sign the AF F.78 and the original will be used as an issue voucher to the AAF F.753.

Any commodities not consumed in the Unit kitchen will be listed to form t the following day's deletions. Full entitlement should be shown on AAF F.78 and deletions shown as deductions at foot of the form, as at end of each Accounting period a complete list of total issues for period will be submitted to ADST.

(c) Reconciliation of Accounts and Rations Drawn

(i) Accounts - Provision Supply Accounts will be ruled off and balanced daily.

The C O of the Unit will ensure each day a careful check of stocks on hand is made with the balance as per AAF F.753 and he will certify the balance of the account as agreeing with stock on hand.

Surpluses and deficiencies will be investigated and adjustments will be effected under competent authority, vide GRO F.311/44.

(ii) Check of Accounts.

Accounts and Stocks on hand will be checked by AAFC Checking Staff. Provision Supply Accounts and supporting vouchers will be forwarded to DFO for check. Stock counts will be made by AAFC checking staff on the occasion of monthly visits, and checked against balance on AAF F.753.

(iii) Rations Drawn

AF W.3809 will be prepared and submitted as at present.

Units will maintain AFW.3810 in duplicate.

Rations drawn as per part "B" will be recorded from the number as sh shown each day on AF F.78, of which the duplicate copy will be attached to AFW. 3810.

On completion and signing by the C.O. of each AF W.3810, the original will be sent by the Unit to DFO. The duplicate will be sent direct to DDST/ADST L of C Area for inclusion in AAF F.166 return to DST.

(d) Check of Supplies as to Quantity and Quality

HQ L of C Area may request DDST/ADST to make available technically qualified officers to check accounts, stocks on hand and quality of

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2. Inspection of P W C C Tumby Bay and at request of DAQMG was carried out by Lt Downs of S & T and revealed that the following procedure in operation:

(i) Provision Supply Account is maintained but not ruled off and balanced daily but once a fortnight.

(ii) PSA is not certified daily by C.O.

(iii) AAF F.59s are placed once fortnightly with a rough record of daily receipts kept to support this order form.
F.59 is thus posted to PSA fortnightly

(iv) Receipts ex AASC on AB10 are correctly acquitted and taken on charge.

(v) Entitlements with deductions of rations not required are not shown on AAF F.78, which shows rations issued only. The daily issues are listed on AAF F.78, which is totalled and posted to PSA once fortnightly.

3. It will be appreciated that accounting of the Unit falls far short of requirements. It must be borne in mind however, that the Unit has on strength approx. nine (9) personnel, the bulk of whose duties are administration of Ps O W. throughout the Area. The W/O acting as Q.M. has no storeman and is absent on duty for considerable periods at a time.

4. Giving full consideration to the bulk and variety of duties undertaken by the PW C C Staff, it is considered that prescribed accountancy methods will place a heavy strain upon the staff.

5. The suggestion is therefore submitted that the staff of this P W C C be placed on subsistence, which would alleviate many of the Supply Accounting difficulties at present facing the Unit.

6. No difficulty would be experienced in obtaining all supplies locally.

Major,
A. D. S. T. S. AUST. L OF C AREA.

13/4/45.

DAA & QMG (PW & I)
~~AAQMG (for information)~~.

---- Units will be responsible for placing orders for supplies on AAF F59 with each contractor for daily requirements.

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Appendix "B"

2a/Vs 19/4a C R 123 1 242

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - S AUST L OF C AREA.

Keswick Barracks,
KESWICK.

HCO i/c D I D. AASC - C/o R A A F. Codnadatta.
O C 83 A S D Pl. A S C. Keswick.)
14 " Coy. " Smithfield.)
R A A F Station, Parafield.) for information.

WAR DIARY

RATIONING - R A A F.

Advice has been received from R A A F, Parafield, that members of Vic C R B will leave Codnadatta on or about 25 Apr 45.

2. When this eventuates, the R A A F Unit will again operate as a self-rationing Unit, and AASC personnel will be withdrawn.

3. The Stocks on hand are to be reduced to sufficient for 20 men for 30 days; any excess to be returned on AB10 to 83 Pl. Keswick. The oldest commodities will be returned. Replenishment will be effected weekly as at present.

4. As the accounting period ends on 21 Apr. a return, supported by W.5284s, of further issues to C R B from 22 Apr. will be submitted, to this office immediately on handing over to R A A F.

5. R A A F will not prepare the Outgo Summary Sheet but will forward P S A to this office immediately after the close of each accounting period.

6. A R A A F-H C C is to be instructed in A S C procedure, and the A S C H C C may remain for 3 to 4 days after C R B vacate the Area so that efficiency may be maintained.

7. On return, Sgt. Butterick will report to 83 Pl. Smithfield.

8. 14 A S D Coy. will prepare Movement Order for Sgt Butterick but, as the date of departure is uncertain, this will be left blank and filled in by Sgt Butterick on conclusion of his duties.

Major,
A. D. S. T. S. AUST. L OF C AREA.

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appendix C'

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - S AUST L OF C AREA.

Keswick Barracks,
KESWICK.

O C. 14 Aust Sup Dep Coy. Smithfield.
83 " " " Pl. Keswick.
85 " " " " Mile End.

A A & Q M G)
SA Ech & Rec.)
D A A G I)
D A A G II)
D A A G III)

for information.

REVISED OPERATION OF 83 A S D PL AND 85 ASD PL AASC.

To enable the maximum use to be made of all available manpower, 83 A S D Pl. will come under command of 85 A S D Pl. to date 25 Apr 45

2. Personnel of both these Units will, for all practical purposes, be identified as part of 85 A S D Pl. which Unit will submit one set of composite returns (A) to cover both units, inclusive of Field Returns. However, so that HQ S Aust L of C Area and S A Ech & Rec. may drive the information they desire from Field Returns, (AFW3009), these will be modified thus:

(a) Top left hand corner will show entitlements of each Pl. as per W.E.

(b) A schedule will be attached showing for each Pl. following details of Trade or Non-specialist Qualifications:

83 A S D Pl.				85 A S D Pl.				P.S.
W.E.	P.S.	S.	D.	W.E.	P.S.	S.	D.	

(The final column to reconcile with total PS on AFW 3009).

3. A.F.W.3008 will show Units of Officers in Part D.

4. O C. 85 A S D Pl. will take the necessary action to amalgamate Unit records and files and Regimental Trust Funds, Unit Ordnance sub-ledgers, Regimental and Amenities A/cs. etc.

5. For the purpose of Supply duties, this office will hold O C. 85 A S D Pl. responsible for all duties undertaken by members of both Plns. To this end, O C. 85 A S D Pl will budget and allocate duties so as to enable him, in the near future, to staff and operate Supply Depots at Keswick, Mile End, Port Pirie, Mallala Victor Harbour and Mt. Barker.

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RATIONING - LOVEDAY AREA - REVISION OF OPERATION OF D I D - BARMERA

HQ
S AUST L OF C AREA

WE. IV/40A/2 is designed to operate as a Detail Issue Depot, capable of feeding 8,000 men and divisble into three sections, each capable of operating minor Supply posts of 4,000, 1,000 and 500 respectively. Loveday at present has a ration strength of approx. 2,350.

2. The proposal of LHQ C O C B Inv. Committee was that 87 Aust Sup Dep Pl. be deleted from C O C B and the servicing of Loveday Area be undertaken by four AASC personnel carried on W.E. of Loveday Internment Group. This would necessitate Loveday Internment Group augmenting this number with approx. eight of his own staff.

3. It is submitted that Units of the size of Loveday Interment Group were never intended to be placed upon a "Supplies Accounting Unit" basis.

4. We recommend that 87 Aust Sup Dep Pl be retained on the Order of Battle less "A" and "C" Sections. This gives a strength of 1 Officer and 10 Other Ranks to carry out AASC services. It will be noted that this number is less than that prescribed by WE IV/40A/2, for rationing 2,000 odd personnel, made up of AMF and Japanese Internees.

5. A survey of the duties involved in the rationing of Loveday Area reveals that the following are the minimum requirements of AASC personnel:

i. Officer in Charge - - - 1
ii. Clerical
Returns, Ledger, Project Accounting, Ordering of Supplies etc - Clerks - 2
Computation of Ration Breaks:

	Strength	A M F	Jap	
Group H Q	220	1		
14 A.B.	110	1		
14 C.D.	100	1		
14 B.	790		1	
14 C.	730		1	
64 Camp Hosp.	90	1	1	
Woolenook (Twice weekly)	310	1	1	
		Clerks -		2
iii. Butchers - - - -				1
iv. Issuers - - - -				5
	Total all ranks -			11

6. With the foregoing it would be necessary to close the camp at Barmera and quarter the personnel at Loveday. This would enable ASC to retain the stores at Barmera and thus be in a position to expand holdings to meet any sudden influx of POW into Loveday. The disadvantage of retaining the Supply Store at Barmera would be the transport of personnel to and from Loveday daily - a distance of approx. 3 miles each way.

7. On the other hand, if the ration strength of Loveday Internment Group is not to be increased, there are buildings available within the Camp Area to meet all the D I D requirements, in which case D I D Barmera could be vacated in its entirety. Refrigeration at Loveday would normally be adequate but insufficient to carry several days' holdings of meat and produce as is necessary over holiday periods etc. This could be overcome by making double issues of these commodities to the various camps who have their own refrigeration.

8. Consideration has been given to AASC undertaking the duties at present performed by Salvage at Barmera (2 personnel). With S Aust.

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L of C Area absorbing more and more "B" class personnel with a resultant increase in the incidence of sickness, and with the drain of leave and schools, the number of personnel recommended for D I D Barmera is the very minimum required to function and it is therefore inadvisable to undertake the Salvage duties at this juncture.

9. An additional contingency budgeted for is the closing of the Field Bakery at Loveday. Enquiries reveal that L C Garrard, of Barmera, and A.D.Gray of Berri, are each capable of supplying all the present demands under local contract. A.D.Gray would, however, be required to recall the services of a baker 64 years of age whom, it is considered, may not be equal to the task to a degree necessary to ensure continuity of supply, but with additional bakers, this Contractor could readily meet treble the present demand of Loveday.

10. It is considered prudent therefore, that as Field Bakery, Loveday can operate with five personnel, it be retained to guarantee continuity of supply, irrespective of availability of tradesmen or any other industrial disruption.

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Appendix F

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - SA L OF C AREA.

Keswick Barracks, Keswick.
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Memo No. 12744 23 Apr 45.

1. In accordance with LHQ Instruction regarding action to be taken for the return of M T Vehicles to Ordnance and the transfer of Male MT drivers to 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) and also in accordance with GRO 53/43 to which attention is directed, the following intention is promulgated.

2. To avoid duplication of transport, all AASC supplies, viz rations which includes dry rations, perishables, meat, milk, bread, medical comforts, expense stores, wood etc. will, as from 1 May 45 be delivered to Units by AASC, M T Transport supplied by 147 AGT Coy, requisitioned for by Supply, through Transport Control Office.

3. For the delivery of Ordnance Stores and Stationery, it is porposed to divide the Area to be served into zones to be visited as follows:

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TUESDAY	North East Zone Units situated North of Adelaide and East of Lower North Rd to and including Sandy Creek.
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FRIDAY	South West Zone South of Adelaide and West of South Rd up to and including Willunga.

4. The foregoing zoned runs will not be departed from except in exceptional circumstances, and then only with sanction from Transport Officer or O C 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF)

5. Where there are no deliveries to be made to a Unit in any particular zone run, a call will not be made at that unit, unless there are Return Stores to be picked up. Units requiring to return stores to RSD etc. will submit requisition on AAF G.1, giving necessary particulars to Transport Control Office, Keswick Barracks, by 1200 hrs on the day preceding that on which the transport is required, providing always that RSD has been contacted regarding their preparedness to accept stores. Engineer stores will be delivered in like manner when required.

6. All other requirements for transport will be requisitioned for on AAF G.1 to be submitted to Transport Control Office, Keswick Barrcks by 1200 hrs on the day preceding that on which it is required. Transport Officer will be responsible for co-ordinating these requirements. Attention is drawn to the particulars required on AAF G.1. Detail of load and service must be shown. Requisition may specify covered or open vehicles,

7. To bbserve economy and facilitate smooth operation, it will be necessary to detach certain vehicles to Units in the outer areas. Recommendations re this will be made by the Committee investigating Unit Transport, for the approval of HQ SA L of C Area.

8. When such detachments are made, the vehicles, maintenance, inspection recovery and training of drivers will be the responsibility

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c. O C 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) - Detached drivers must be allowed sufficient time during each day to carry out, before and after duty maintenance, and also necessary group and corrective maintenance and will not be given other duties which will prevent them from carrying this out.

O C 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) has the right to change any vehicles or personnel on any detachment for any reason he considers necessary. Any application by detached personnel for A R L., L W O P., Compassionate or Emergency Leave will be forwarded to HQ 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) O C of the Unit to which detachment is made will grant rest days to suit requirements.

(Sgd.) W Haylock
Lt-Col
A A & Q M G S AUST L OF C AREA.

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CHANGE OF POSTINGS - A A S C OFFICERS.

HQ
S Aust L of C Area.

Owing to re-organisation of AASC in this Area, the numbers of Supply Depot Plns has been reduced by 50% by the deletion from the O O B of 86 and 87 A S D Plns and the movement of 81 ASD Pl.

2. This necessitates the cancellation of all previous correspondence re the postings of Officers, and it is submitted that the greatest consideration will have to be given to the problem of placing the most experienced and efficient officers to enable the service to function to the best advantage.

3. It is therefore recommended that the undermentioned be the postings of Officers to Supply Units remaining in this Area:

HQ. 14 A S D Coy	(1)	O.C.	Major J N Bagot
	(2)	Capt.	Capt I H Jeffery
	(3)	Lieut.	Lt. W A L Stapleton.
83 A SD Pl.	(4)	O.C.	Lt. L H Rosman
	(5)	"A" Sectn	Lt F Barnes
84 A S D Pl	(6)	O.C.	Capt. Young
	(7)	"A" Sec.	Lt. Jamieson
85 A S D Pl.	(8)	O C.	Capt. Turner
	(9)	"A" Sec.	Lt. Nason

4. This leaves the remaining Officers of 14 A S D Coy. redundant:

Lieut. Crierie
Lieut. Wilberforce

together with the following officers of 8 Aux H T Coy. who will become redundant upon the disbandment of that Unit, and will be available for reposting:

Lieut. Patterson
Lieut. Hill
Capt. Chamberlain (AAVC)

5. The present postings of these Officers are:

WX.33656	Lieut. Wilberforce -	"A" Section, 86 A S D Pl. which is to be disbanded.
SX.2626	Lieut. Crierie -	At present attached to 83 A S D Pl. from R R & G D D.
SX.21605	Lieut. Patterson -	O C 8 Aux H T Coy. which is to be disbanded.
QX.38406	Lieut. Hill -	Supernumerary to W.E. of 8 Aux H T Coy. - which is to be disbanded.
SX.21765	Capt. Chamberlain -	Attached as Vet. Officer to 8 Aux H T Coy. which is to be disbanded.

6. It has been anticipated that SX.21675 Lt. Winner, at present with 84 A S D Pl. will have been transferred from this Area by the time these recommendations are forwarded to LHQ.

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7. It is further understood that a probable change will be effected in postings as per para.3 of this memo. by the substitution of Capt Reynolds for SX.22062 Capt. Jeffery. This, however, will be a reciprocal transfer under LHQ Instruction.

8. To give effect to postings recommended vide para.3, of this memo, the only changes necessary are:

SX.29224 - Lieut. R K Jamieson from 87 A S D Pl. to 84 A S D Pl.

SX.21889 Lieut. L H Rosman from
"A" Sec. 83 A S D Pl. to
O C 83 A S D Pl.

SX.21553 - Lieut. F. Barnes from O C. 83 A S D Pl. to
"A" Sec. 83 A S D Pl.

9. May these recommendations be regarded as urgent please?

Major,
A. D. S. T. & Z. AUST. L OF C AREA.
27/4/45.

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Appendix "E"

DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

MINUTE PAPER.

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HEADQUARTERS
4th MILITARY DISTRICT
CONFIDENTIAL
196-1-510
30 APR 1945

SUBJECT:— PROPOSED W E OF S & T SERVICES.

HQ
SA L OF C AREA

As requested, the following is list of duties of certain personnel on above proposed W E:

i. D/R - 1 Pte.

To undertake clearance of mail boxes between 147 Aust G T Coy. HQ S Aust L of C Area, and Transport Control Office, to tie up liaison between Transport Control Officer and 147 Aust G T Coy., and maintain urgent delivery service between AASC Units, civilian Contractors and S & T. He also undertakes any urgent delivery for HQ S Aust L of C Area which cannot be covered by normal D R L S.

ii. Transport - W/O I, Sgt and Pte.

To put into operation proposals of LHQ OOB I C, AASC is to undertake - under control of A D S T - the total transport requirements of the metropolitan area.

This necessitates the duties of Transport Office embodying:

1. Co-ordination of Transport and arranging "runs" etc. for the whole Area.
2. Maintaining a daily vehicle availability state.
3. Maintaining check of AAF G.2s for previous day for any misuse of transport.
4. Maintaining a 24-hour 'phone service for transport requisitions.
5. Distribution of DME Tech. instructions and checking of Units to ensure adherence to instructions.
6. Maintaining a file of and complying with M G O Equipment Orders.
7. Checking monthly vehicle Log Sheet Summary - AAF G.6
8. Receiving, checking and consolidating Unit M T, Returns as under:

   Census of Warlike Stores - M T E5-40
   Transport by H T Units
   Operation of MT in L of C Areas
   Transport undertaken for U S and other Services.

iii. W/O I - Supply

1. Preparation of local C/D's for all perishable supplies for all Depots and Self-rationing Units in the Area. This involves the submission to D D S F and D C B of approx. 20 C/D's monthly.

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3. Contact with A S C. D D S F. Alice Springs and N T Force in regard to the packing, purchase and consignment of vegetables to N T. Preparation of weekly schedules of Veg. requirements for S Aust and N T.

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4. As deputed by A D S T from time to time, analysing all survey reports prepared by Inspr of Supplies, and taking action recommended by him for early issues, P/L awards etc.

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(c) replenishment of D I D's and SRU's from A S D Stocks.

6. Arranging for movement of Army-owned stocks to other Areas, necessitating liaison with Movts. and A S C., submission of T.58s, arranging inspections. When items areheld surplus to requirements, notifying A D S T so that arrangements are made with LHQ for movement.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES : SA L OFC AREA
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Keswick Barracks, KESWICK
C.R. 151 3 375

Memo No 12744

23 April, 1945

WITHDRAWAL OF M.T. PERSONNEL AND VEHICLES FROM STATIC METROPOLITAN UNITS AND SUBSEQUENT CO-ORDINATION OF TRANSPORT

1. In accordance with LHQ Instruction regarding action to be taken for the return of M.T. vehicles to Ordnance and the transfer of male M.T. drivers to 147 Aust G.T. Coy (AIF) and also in accordance with GRO 53/43 to which attention is directed, the following intention is promulgated.

2. To avoid duplication of transport, all AASC supplies, viz rations, which includes dry rations, perishables, meat, milk, bread, medical comforts, expense stores, wood etc, will as from the 1 May 45 be delivered to Units by AASC M.T. transport supplied by 147 Aust G.T. Coy, requisitioned for by Supply, through Transport Control Office.

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Warradale	83 and 85	2	-	Wood issues and storage
Mile End	83 and 85	2 - 11	A S D	Supply of Veg. to SA & N T Force- A.S. & all DIDs & SRU's, Fodder, Fuel & Returnble Contnrs, Produce
Mt Barker	83 and 85	1	95	(R A A F)
Port Pirie	83 and 85	8	1099	5 Plus train parties & Veh. Trains etc. & R.A.A.F.
Smithfield	HQ 14 ASD Coy and 84 Pl.	5 - 31	1408	6 A S D for whole Area.
Terowie	HQ and 84 Pl	5	398	2 Staging Camp & Train parties N/S line etc.
Victor Harbor	85 Pl and 83	2	223	2 -(RAAF)
Mallala	HQ and 84 Pl.	3	1407	2 -(RAAF).
		9 - 95		

NOTE: i. 83 Pl and 85 Pl operate as composite Unit.
ii. HQ and 84 A S D Pl operate as composite Unit.

D I D Keswick

2 - 32

Admin.	2	
Issuers	7	incl. delivery
Cook	3	
Office	8	
Hyg.	2	
Mess Ord.	2	
Butchers	3	incl. Delivery
Store NCOs	2	
Carpenter	2	
Petrol Point	1	
	32	

Milk run 0545 hrs
Meat run.

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APRIL - WAR DIARY

LIST OF RETURNS.

1. Location of Unit Strength - 28 Mar 45.
2. Ration Strength
3. Petrol Ration Tickets Issued during 1945.
4. Summary of Discrepancies and Losses of AASC Supplies.
(Four week period ending 7 Apr 45.
5. Return of Horses and Vehics. SA L of C Area for month end Mar 45.
6. Summary of Ration Entitlmts & Issues - week ended 31 Mar 45.
7. Expense Stores - Provisioning - Month ended 31 Mar 45.
8. Transport Return for month of Mar.45
9. Transport undertaken for USA Forces and Other Serv.
10. Receipts & Issues of Combined Food & Spec. Sugar Coupons.
11. Ration Strength.
12. Quartermaster-General's Branch A M F - Storage Accommodation - S & T Services - Appendix "A" and "B"

13. Ration Strength
14. Summary of Ration Ent. & Issues - week ended 14 Apr 45.
15. Consolidated Census of Warlike Stores as at 20 Apr 45(AAF E5-40)
16. Ration Strength - week end 21 Apr 45.
17. Location of Units & Allocation of Unit Strength as at 28 Apr 45.

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LOCATION OF UNITS AND ALLOCATION OF UNIT STRENGTH

A.A.S.C. S. AUST. L OF C AREA

AUTHORITY L.H.Q. MEMOS S M2830 of 17 Mar '44 DATE: 28 April 45

	Offs	O/Rs	147 A.G.T. Coy	8 Aux. H.T. Coy	Petrol Section	5 AACC	14 Aust Sup Dep Coy & Pls 81 & 83-88	33 Aust Fd Bakery	Remarks
Barmera	1	~~20~~ 18	1				1 - ~~18~~ 16		D I D
FORT. LARGS.		2	2				2		
Gladstone		6	6						4 A A D D
Keswick	5	125		2 - 51		1 - 38	2 - 36		DID - HQ H T
Largs Bay	1	34					1 - 34		Fln H Qs
Loveday	1	17	8			2		1 - 7	25/33 Gen Bn
Mallala		5		2			3		RAAF D I D
Mile End	2	18					2 -18		Veg. Section
Mt Barker		1					1		5 M R U - R A A F.
Morgan		1				1			P W C C Hostel
Northfield		7	3	2		2			121 AGH
O'Halloran Hill		1	1						Remount Squadron
Oodnadatta		1					1		AOB RAAF
Plympton	7	186	7 - 186						HQ A G T Coy
Pt Pirie		10	2				8		D I D
Pt Adelaide	2	23	2	2			2 - 19		A S D Store
Smithfield	2	50	2	5			2 - 40	3	HQ- A S D Stores- D I D
Sandy Creek		1				1			
Strathalbyn		2	1			1			Con Dep.
Terowie		12	1	5		1	5		A S D
Victor Harbor		4		2			2		D I D - R A A F
Urrbrae	1			1 -					Vet Section
Warradale		6	4				2		29 Works Coy
Wayville		2	2						HQ & G D D
Woodside									Camp H Q
Hospital		7	5	1			1		
Travelling		3	1			1	1		War Loan
Schools	2	5	2 - 3				2		
Leave		44	35				9		
L W O P		4	4						
Detention		1	1						
	24	596	9 - 269	3 - 70	-	1 - 47	10-200	1 - 10	

Attached 29 Works Coy

84 Pl Port Adelaide	10
86 Pl. Smithfield	10
Total	20

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending 24 Jan 2

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	11	525		460				1861	2846	
Gladstone	1	57							57	
Keswick	32	2743	459	1882	300				5384	7175
Largs										
Mallala	2			1200	200				1400	
Pt Pirie	5	60		878	132				1070	
Smithfield	6	95		63	95	263			516	
Terowie	2	393							393	
Victor Hbr	2			144	37				181	
Whyalla										
Mt Barker	1			90					90	
Pt Lincoln	1								6	
SINGLES INDENTING UNITS										
Morgan	1	8				122			130	
Pt Wakefield	2	49	22						71	
Strathalbyn	1	98							98	
Woodside	1	10							10	
Tumby Bay	1	9				15			24	
Oodnadatta	1			18					18	

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
HQ Adel.Fort		7			
Alberton		8	Mt Barker	5	
Bordertown	111		Morgan	132	
Clare	109		Naracoorte	133	
Gawler			Prospect		9
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	130		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	72		Sandy Creek	7	
Mt Gambier	62 164	23	Tumby Bay Unley	88	9
Mt Pleasant	116½		Willunga		
Maitland	93		Wudinna		93

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"PLAIN" PETROL RATION TICKETS ISSUED DURING 19 45 - S AUST L OF C AREA

Name of Person issued with tickets	No. of consumer's licence	Reg No. of Vehicle	Circumstances under which tickets were issued	Summary of tickets issued: One Gall.	Two Gall.	Five Gall.	Ten Gall.	Totals Galls
Dept of Army Inspn Div	-	-	Official Duties	-	2	-	-	4
Brigadier Bundock	F.36577	16000	" "	1	-	-	-	1
H H Coles	3/76	43823	Chaplains Duties	8	-	-	-	8
Maj E E Broadbent	4994	3224	Official Duties	-	10	-	-	20
Mr. R G Bastian	F.37498	84728	Orchestral Conductor	1	3	-	-	7
Warner R A	2071	194472	Sanitation Service	2	-	3	-	17
Lt Pengelley	Y.21218	95766	Official Duties	4	-	-	-	4
Chaplain W J Bustelli	F.32918	141834	Chaplain Duties	-	5	8	-	50
Capt S C Bishop	Various	-	Medical Services, P O W	40	-	-	-	40
Dept of Army Insp Div.	-	-	Official Duties	1	1	-	-	3
Major Grenfell	-	-	Inspection of Whyalla	6	-	-	-	6
V P Barry	F.37435	105479	Chaplain Duties	1	12	-	-	25
W V Ray) K F V Sanderson)	-	58377	Official Visitors, Loveday	-	8	-	-	16
J James	B.11090	106967	Insp of Rifle Range	6	-	-	-	6
Ch. Coleman	B. 6562	6113	Conveying AAPC Orchestra	1	-	-	-	1
Recruiting Staff	-	-	Official Duties	-	20	-	-	40
Dept Army Insp Staff	-	-	" "	-	1	-	-	2
Brigadier Bundock	F.36577	16000	" "	1	-	-	-	1
" "	"	"	" "	1	-	-	-	1
PWCC - S7 Naracoorte	-	-	Conveying PW to church and medical trips	20	-	-	-	20
Rev. K S Clark	F.30457	171-542	Chaplain Duties	-	2	-	-	4
J C Schmidt	3/32753	203569	Official Duties	3	-	-	-	3
Brig. Bundock	F.36577	16000	" "	1	-	-	-	1
" "	"	"	" "	1	-	-	-	1
Col F N LeMessurier	B.8538	130351	" "	2	-	-	-	2
Mrs. Dutton	10076	188646	Supervising Gardens 105 AWH	2	-	-	-	2
				102	64	11	-	285

ADS&T, S AUST L OF C AREA - Maj

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DIRECT BAG - DST LHQ

SUMMARY OF DISCREPANCIES AND LOSSES OF AASC SUPPLIES

S Aust L of C Area — Area/Force — Accounting Period Ended 7 Apr 45. (Four week)

COMMODITY	Unit of Meas	Rate in pence	DISCREPANCIES: IN TRANSIT Surplus Qty	IN TRANSIT Surplus Value	IN TRANSIT Deficiency Qty	IN TRANSIT Deficiency Value	STOCKTAKING Surplus Qty	STOCKTAKING Surplus Value	STOCKTAKING Deficiency Qty	STOCKTAKING Deficiency Value	LOSSES: Condemnations Qty	Condemnations Value	Enemy Action Qty	Enemy Action Value
RATION COMMODITIES - PRIMARY														
Tea	lbs	24d					3	6 -						
Flour, plain	"	2d					12¾	2 1	274	2 5 8				
Wholemeal	"	2d							69	11 6				
Rice	"	3					14	3 6						
Pepper	"	25d			1	2 1								
Prunes	"	11									106½	4 17 8		
Fruit Pres.	"	6d									7½	3 9		
Bacon tinned	"	28d									7	16 4		
Salmon	"	22d									13	1 3 10		
Meat & Veg	"	9d									8	6 -		
Meat Pres. (Beef)	"	20d									1002¾	83 11 3		
" " "	"	16d									546	36 8 -		
Milk Cond U/S	"	7d									3	1 9		
" " Swt	"	8									1½	1 2		
Sugar	"	4					2½	10	672	11 4 -	170	2 16 8		
Peas B B	"	4					6¼	2 1						
TOTAL					£ -	2 1	£ -	14 6		£14 1 2		£130 6 5		
RATION COMMODITIES - SECONDARY - PART "A"														
Wheat germ	lbs	3d							5½	1 4				
Bakerine	"	5							73	1 10 5				
Dribarm	"	5					3½	1 5						
Barley Pearled	"	6							3¼	1 10				
Bread	"	13/6 per 100 lbs					92	12 4	1098	7 8 2				
Custard Pdr	"	7					7½	4 4						
Sauce Worcester	10 oz Bots	7d							1	7				
Lime Juice Cordial	Bots	15d							1	1 3				
TOTAL							£-	18 1		£ 9 3 7				
RATION COMMODITIES - SECONDARY - PART "B"														
Celery	lbs	2d							207	1 14 4				
Cabbage Fr.	"	1d							3093	12 17 9				
Tomatoes "	"	5d							24	10 -				
Beetroot "	"	1d							212	17 8				
Trombone "	"	1d							584	2 8 8				
Carrots "		2d							372	3 2 -				
Swedes "	"	1d							232	19 4				
Onions "	"	1d							182	15 2				
Potatoes "	"	2d							1560	13 - -				
" "	"	1d							2456	10 4 8				
TOTAL										£46 9 7				
EXPENSE STORES														
Soap Common	lbs	3d					37½	9 5						
Twine Sewing	"	17d							11	15 7				
Lamp Wicks 3/8"	Ft	1d							3	3				
" " 5/8"	"	1d							14	1 2				
Borax	lbs	7d					2	1 2						
TOTAL								£- 10 7		£- 17 -				

Distribution

Major. Signature and Rank _____ Date

A.D.S. & T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area.

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SUMMARY OF DISCREPANCIES AND LOSSES OF AASC SUPPLIES

South Aust L of C Area/Force ~~Accounting~~ Four week Period Ended 7th April 1945

COMMODITY	Unit of Meas	Rate	DISCREPANCIES								LOSSES			
			IN TRANSIT				STOCKTAKING				Condemnations		Enemy Action	
			Surplus		Deficiency		Surplus		Deficiency					
			Qty	Value	Qty	Value	Qty	Value	Qty	Value	Qty	Value	Qty	Value
SUNDRY ITEMS														
Egg crates	ea.	5/-							2	10 -				
Biscuit Tins	"	2/6							2	5 -				
Mallee Roots	lbs	32/- per ton							1344	19 2				
Longwood	lbs	22/2 p/ton							9156	4 10 9				
Bakers Wood	"	2/-p/ton							146356	6 10 9				
	TOTAL									£12 15 8				
GRAND TOTAL						£- 2 1				£83 7 -		£130-6-5		

Distribution

Major,
A.D.S. & T.S. Aust. L. of C. Area.
Signature and Rank

8 April 1945. Date

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RETURN OF HORSES AND VEHICLES - S.A. L OF C AREA.

For Month Ending MAR 45

Camp Location	ON STRENGTH						EMPLOYED DAILY								
	Vehicles			Horses			Vehicles			Horses			Average Daily Mileage	Average Daily Tonnage	Remarks
	Lorry T.T.	G.S.	AMB ~~L.G.S.~~	Rides	Dhts	Packs	Lorry T.T.	G.S.	AMB ~~L.G.S.~~	Rides	Dhts	Pack			
Keswick	17	2	3		41	11	12	2	3		31	4	113	37	
Smithfield	3	1			8		3	1			8		11	15	
Terowie	3	1			8		3	1			8		22	10	
Northfield	1	1			2		1	1			2		13	5	
Viet Hbr		1			3			1			3		11	3	
Mallala	1				1	1	1				1	1	7	4	
	25	6	3		63	12	20	6	3		53	5	177	74	

MAJOR
A.A.&Q.M.G. L of C. AREA

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

WEEK ENDED 31 Mar 19 45

S Aust L OF C AREA/FORMATION _____ SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			29096	28682	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3322	3156	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2314	2290	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	13024	13010	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	47756	47138	
RAAF	Includes 48 Special Flying Rations			34045	C
WAAAF				5510	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				710	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		87403	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

CERTIFIED THAT RATIONS ISSUED ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFs W3810 AND RECEIPTED COPIES OF UNIT FORMS AB 55

_____ DFO REP [signature] SUPPLY OFFICER

Major,
D.A.D.S. & T. S. Aust. L of C. Area

DATE _____ 19__

NB: LARGE VARIATIONS FROM FIGURES SHOWN ON RETURN FOR PREVIOUS WEEK ARE TO BE EXPLAINED IN RELEVANT SECTION IN BODY OF THIS FORM.

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Ration Entitlements and Issues to AMF AANS AWAS AAMWS PW and Internees as per AFs W3810 Submitted by Units

Week Ended 31 Mar 45 19

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALES							
D I D Keswick	17795	17425					
Port Pirie	2760	2748					
Barmera	3643	3700					
Terowie	2814	2817					
Smithfield	638	594					
Gladstone	315	316					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefield	344	330					
111 Con Dep Strath	598	560					
P W Staff Morgan	57	57					
CHQ Woodside	72	75					
Tumby Bay	60	60					
	29096	28682					
A M F FEMALES							
D I D Keswick	3171	3005					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefield	151	151					
	3322	3156					
INTERNEES							
Japs Barmera	13024	13090					
R A A F Male							
D I D Keswick		14155					
Vic Harbor		1180					
Mallala		8478					
Pt Pirie		6530					
Smithfield		420					
AOB Oodnadatta		135					
Group 470		42					
5 M R U Mt Barker		665					
Barmera		2440					
		34045					
W A A A F							
D I D Port Pirie		1000					
Keswick		2130					
Mallala		1380					
Smithfield		675					
Vic Harbor		325					
		5510					
P O W - Italians							
SMithfield	1471	1450					
Morgan	840	837					
Tumby Bay	3	3					
	2314	2290					
Civilians							
Morgan	10	10					
Oodnadatta	700	700					
	710	710					
TOTAL							

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EXPENSE STORES - PROVISIONING

MONTH ENDED - 31 Mar 45 — S AUST L OF C AREA.

Ref LHQ Mema 90192 of 3 Jul 44 and 123371 of 6 Sep 44.

Unit/Animal	Unit of Reference	Number
Armd Units	No. of personnel	Nil
A E M E "	" "	195
AASC Workshop personnel	" "	51
Animals - Donkeys	" of animals	NIL
Horses	" "	274
Anti-Malaria Control Units	" of Units	NIL
Hospital Laundries	" "	"
Mobile Bath Units	" "	"
" Laundries	" "	"
Static Laundries	" "	"
Wheeled Vehicles (MT)	" vehicles	561 M/Cs
" " "	" "	755 Other Vehics.
BIPOD - Drum Handling etc.	" of personnel	NIL
Aus Fld Butchering Coys	" "	"
Aus Sup Dep Coys - Meat Handling	" "	8
Aus Dental Units	" of Units	2 Sections 1REft. Pool

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APPENDIX "C"

Formation:- ~~S Aust L of C Area~~ TRANSPORT RETURN FOR MONTH OF - MARCH 1945 Unit

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Unit & Location	Vehs on Strength excl M/Cs		Total No. G.2s issued for month		MILEAGE				Tonnage Transported	Personnel Transported	Total x-Tonnage including Personnel	Ton x Miles (Task Vehs) incl. Persnl	Petrol used	Av. MPG	Remarks Percentage of Task Vehicles.
	Task	Domestic	Task	Domestic	Domestic	Task Empty	Task Loaded	Total Columns 6, 7, 8							
	Nos	Nos	Nos	Nos	Miles	Miles	Miles	Miles	Tons	Nos	Tons	Ton Miles	Gals	3	ton / 7 ton
PLYMPTON	75	38	908	125	6136	14191	19514	39841	3751	14453	5310	54657	3580	11.1	92 / 8
GLADSTONE	3	-	96	-	-	552	2515	3067	360	1160	592	6059	320	9.5	100
LOVEDAY	4	1	121	-	-	815	3503	4408	532	7340	2000	10037	435½	10/1	100
WARRADALE	4	-	79	-	-	912	1336	2248	97	1705	438	2458	191	11.7	100
NORTHFIELD	2	1	68	-	-	539	1403	1942	231	410	313	1497	141	13.7	100
PORT LARGS	2	-	30	-	-	242	266	508	166	195	205	881	56½	9.0	100
LARGS BAY	2	-	51	-	-	383	796	1179	208	2245	657	2102	117	10.0	100
STRATHALBYN	1	-	23	-	-	116	475	591	67	225	112	915	56½	10.4	100
PORT PIRIE	1	1	28	28	-	371	1084	1455	304	510	406	4094	108½	13.4	100
TERowIE	1	-	31	-	-	34	720	754	82	385	159	1826	83	9.0	100
WAYVILLE	2	-	82	-	-	312	602	914	78	1400	358	1240	96	9.5	100
SMITHFIELD	2	-	47	-	-	671	2116	2787	174	155	205	2278	225	12.3	100
O'HALLORAN HILL	-	1	-	25	-	138	909	1047	24	160	56	2625	85	12.3	-
TOTALS:-	99	42	1544	178	6136	19276	35329	60741	6074	30343	10811	90669	5495	11.0	

Note:- ¤ In L of C Areas: G.S. 3-ton = 5 personnel per ton.
7-ton semi-trailer = 4 personnel per ton.

11 L of C Sub-Area will indicate in the remarks column on each Return the number of personnel per ton on which ton-mile calculations are based. Each type of vehicle to be shown separately.

Signature _____ MAJOR A.D.A.&Q.M.G. S.AUST. L of C. AREA Date 10 APR 1945

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TRANSPORT UNDERTAKEN FOR U.S.A. FORCES AND OTHER SERVICES.

Service or organisation	No. of Vehicles used.	Mileage	Tonnage		Personnel	Remarks.
			Rations	Other Stores		
~~U S A~~	~~29~~	~~1102~~		~~11~~	~~366~~	~~Tpt pers and equpt~~ to and from Railhead and aerodrome.
RAAF	57	1109	56		78	Tpt Rations, Stores and pers.
Cheer-up Hut	12	446		17		Tpt stores.
A W C	21	221		1	355	Tpt Pers and stores
Total for Area	119	2878	56	29	799	

Major,
A. D. S. T. S. AUST. L OF C AREA.

TELEPHONE AL 4181.

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Australian Military Forces—S.A. L. of C. Area.

Please quote this Number when replying.

10527

C.R. 123 7 49

Address Keswick Barracks, Keswick.

Date APR 3 1945

Deputy Director Rationing,
Richards Buildings,
Currie Street,
ADELAIDE.

DST, LHQ

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RECEIPTS AND ISSUES OF COMBINED FOOD AND SPECIAL SUGAR COUPONS.

Appended hereto is a statement of Receipts and Issues of Combined Food and Special Sugar Coupons for this Area during month of Mar45.

	Comb. Food	Spec. Sugar.
Balance as at 28 Feb45.	79,858	2,448
Receipts ex Rationing Commsr.	------	-----
	79,858	2,488
Returns ex Units	166	267
	80,024	2,715
Issues to Units	50,340	1,200
Balance as at 31 Mar45.	29,684	1,515

Major.
ADST., SA L OF C Area.

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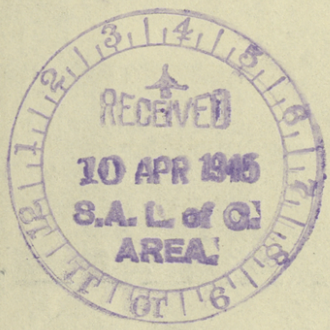



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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending ...7April...

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	520	-	348	-	-	-	1870	2738	
Gladstone	1	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	
Keswick	33	2542	453	2022	304	-	-	-	5321	1600
Largs										
Mallala	2	-	-	1211	197	-	-	-	1408	
Pt Pirie	5	394	-	932	142	-	-	-	1468	
Smithfield	6	91	-	60	96	210	-	-	457	
Terowie	2	402	-	-	-	-	-	-	402	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	168	46	-	-	-	214	
Whyalla										
Mt Barker	1	-	-	95	-	-	-	-	95	
Pt Lincoln	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
Morgan	1	8	-	-	-	120PWs	-	-	128	
Pt Wakefield	2	49	21	-	-	-	-	-	70	
Strathalbyn	1	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	
Woodside	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	
Tumby Bay	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	
Oodnadatta	1	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	19	
		PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.							12474	1600

SINGLE INDENTING UNITS

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton			Mt Barker		
Bordertown	32		Morgan	55	
Clare	96		Naracoorte	44	
Gawler			Prospect		
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	8		Strathalbyn		15
Murray Bridge	7		Sandy Creek	7	
Mt Gambier	26 172	23	Tumby Bay Unley	132	
Mt Pleasant			Willunga		
Maitland	2		Wudinna		

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FORCE OR L OF C AREA - S AUST

PERIOD ENDED - 31 MAR 45

QUARTERMASTER - GENERAL'S BRANCH - A M F

STORAGE ACCOMMODATION - S & T SERVICES.

ACTUAL STORAGE SPACE HELD, OWNERSHIP, RENTAL (WHERE APPLICABLE) CLASS OF BUILDING AND ESTIMATED RATION CAPACITY

LOCATION	Storage Space Held (Area) Sq.ft.			Annual Rental of Col. 4.	Estimated Ration Capacity		Number and Class of Buildings (Cols.2,3 & 4)	Remarks If other than rations are stored, details thereof to be shown
	S&T Bldgs	Other Military	Private Owned		40 Ratns 1 cub ft.	Actual		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Smithfield	22,120	3,600			1,028,800	1,028,800	7 x St.8; 3 x Sydney Williams	
Pt Adelaide			53,000	£1,500	2,120,000	2,120,000	G.I. Bldgs.	
Terowie	7,200				288,000	288,000	2 x St.9	

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Cols.A - Areas of Working Space
Cols.B - Areas of storage space

QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S BRANCH - A M F

STORAGE ACCOMMODATION - S & T SERVICES

WORKING AND STORAGE SPACE IN DIDs

APPENDIX "B"

FORCE OR L OF C AREA S AUST
PERIOD ENDED 31 Mar 45.

LOCATION	Storage Spce held (Area) - sq-ft.						Annual Rentl of Col.4	Estimated Ration Capacity	Number and Class of Buildings Cols.2,3 & 4	Remarks
	S & T Buildings		Other Military		Private Hired.					
(1)	A (2)	B	A (3)	B	A (4)	B	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
BARMERA	2,000	3,000						120,000	G.I. Bldg.	On Rlwy property
KESWICK	8,700	6,500						260,000	G.I. Bldg.	
WALLALA			600	1,000				40,000	RAAF GI Bldg.	At RAAF Stn.
MT BARKER			40	80				2,000	Portn of RAAF Hired Prem.	" "
MILE END	2,100	1,500						-	G I Bldg.	Vegetables & Transhipmt
PORT PIRIE					1,500	5,300	£301	212,000	G.I.Bldg.	Portn used for accomdn of pers.
SMITHFIELD	500	700						28,000	Syd.William Hut	
TEROWIE	436	500						20,000	G.I.Bldg.	
VICTOR HARBOR			200	700				28,000	RAAF G.I. Bldg.	At RAAF Stn

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending 14 Apr 45

D I V D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	492	-	257	-	-	-		749	
Gladstone	1	49	-	-	-	-	-		49	
Keswick	33	2567	457	178	301	-	-	-	3503	2140
Largs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mallala	2	-	-	1230	180	-	-	-	1410	-
Pt Pirie	5	368	-	878	128	-	-	-	1374	412
Smithfield	6	83	-	60	88	215	-	-	446	
Terowie	2	438	-	-	-	-	-	-	438	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	156	45	-	-	-	201	
Whyalla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mt. Barker	1			94					94	
Pt Lincoln	1			SINGLE INDENTING UNITS					6	
Morgan	1	8	-	6 -	-	119	-	-	127	
Pt Wakefield	2	48	2						69	
Strathalbyn	1	85	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	
Woodside	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	
Tumby Bay	1	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	
Oodnadatta	2	90 civlns		20	-	-	-	-	110	
		PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.							8681	2552

Locality VDC HQ	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C 18	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton		13	Mt Barker	73	
Bordertown			Morgan	44	
Clare	58		Naracoorte	44	
Gawler			Prospect		9
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	108		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	8		Sandy Creek	44½	
Mt Gambier	156		Unley		
Mt Pleasant	100		Willunga		
Maitland	44		Wudinna		

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

WEEK ENDED 7 Apr 19 45

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PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			29119	27608	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3351	3163	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2342	2309	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12998	12990	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	47810	46070	
RAAF				31437	C
WAAAF				5205	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				651	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		83363	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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Ration Entitlements and Issues to AMF AANS AWAS AAMWS PW and Internees as per AFs W3810 Submitted by Units

Week Ended 7 Apr 19 45

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
AMF MALES							
DID Keswick	17974	16395					
Port Pirie	2577	2574					
Barmera	3449	3490					
Terowie	3068	3090					
Smithfield	580	605					
Gladstone	344	344					
P&E Sec Pt Wakfld	333	329					
111 Con Dep Strath	599	600					
PW Staff Morgan	56	51					
CHQ Woodside	79	70					
Tumby Bay	60	60					Last weeks figure
	29119	27608					
AMF FEMALES							
DID Keswick	3204	3015					
P & E PT WAKEFIELD	147	148					
	3351	3163					
INTERNEES							
Japs Barmera	12998	12990					
	12998	12990					
RAAF MALE							
Did Keswick		12528					
Vict.Harbour		1095					
Mallala		8610					
Smithfield		420					
AOB Oodnadatta		140					
Group 470 Pt Linc.		42					
5MRU Mt Barker		660					
DID Barmera		1800					
Pt Pirie		6150					
		31437					
WAAF							
DID Pt Pirie		900					
Keswick		2100					
Mallala		1260					
Smithfield		615					
Victor Harbour		320					
		5205					
POW ITALIANS							
Smithfield	1509	1480					
Morgan	833	829					
Tumby Bay	--	--					
	2342	2309					
CIVILIANS							
Morgan	7	7					
Oodnadatta	644	644					
	651	651					
TOTAL							

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CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/4/1945

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4138	6000 M/Cycle Solo		6022A Cars 6 Seater Utility		6030A Truck 15 cwt 4 x 2 G.S.		6030C Vans 1 ton G.S.		6030E Vans 15 cwt G.S.		6030F Vans 12 cwt G.S.		6035A Truck 15 cwt 4 x 2 A A L M G		6062 Lorries 30 cwt G.S.		6065 Trucks 3 ton G.S.		6065E Lorries 3 ton G.S.		6075 Lorries 7 ton Semi-Trlr	
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
8 Aux H T Coy									1	IV 1												
5 Aust Amb Car Coy	1	II 1							1	- -	-	II 1										
147 Aust GT Coy (AIF)	31	III 13	1	IV 1			-	II 1	12	II 1			3	- -			-	III 1	99	II 14	10	III 8
		IV 18						IV 6		IV 8										IV 75		IV 2
		31						7		9										Va 9		10
																				VI 2		
																				100		
14 Aust Sup Dep Coy. including 83-87 Pls.								IV 3	7	II 1	-	IV 1				IV 1			7	II 1		
										IV 2										IV 2		
										3										3		

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CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/4/1945

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4138	6082 Trailer 4 wheeled 3 ton G.S.		6090 Trucks 3 ton Kitchen		6091 Lorries 30 cwt. Kitchen		6093 Trailer 4 wheeled Cooker		6115 Trucks 3 ton Water		6116 Lorrie Water 200 galls		6125 Trucks 3 ton Stores		6125B Lorries 3 ton Stores		6132 Lorries 3 ton B/down		6134 Trucks 3 ton B/down		6136 Trucks 3 ton Garage.	
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
147 Aust G T Coy (AIF)		I 9	1	- -			1	I 1	5	- +	-	I 1			4	I 3	2	I 2				
		IV 1										IV 1				III 1						
		10										2				4						
14 Aust Sup Dep Coy including						IV 3																
83-87 Pls.																						

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DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4138	6136A Lorries 3 ton Garage		6137 Trucks 3 ton Machinery		6137B Lorries 3 ton Machinery		6362 Trucks Ambulance		6365 Ambulance Panel 4 Berth		6366 Ambulance Indian Army type		6386 Trucks 15 cwt Fire Tender		6460 Trailer 3 wheeled Fire Pump A R P		6020 Cars D.S.					
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
5 Aust Amb Car Coy								II 3	5	II 3	28	II 11						IV 1				
										IV 2		IV 1										
										5		12										
147 Aust G T Coy(AIF)	3	I 1			2	I 1																
		II 1																				
		IV 1																				
		3																				
14 Aust Sup Dep Coy. including 83 - 87 Pls.													-	I 1	-	I 1						

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending .21 Apr 45.

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	496	-	75	-	-	-	1852	2423	
Gladstone	1	58	-	-	-	-	-	-	58	
Keswick	33	2665	467	1741	308	-	-	-	5181	2385
Largs										
Mallala	2	-	-	1261	181	-	-	-	1442	
Pt Pirie	5	312	-	787	111	-	-	-	1210	
Smithfield	6	95	-	58	76	194	-	-	423	
Terowie	2	398	-	-	-	-	-	-	398	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	184	45	-	-	-	229	
Whyalla										
Mt. Barker	1	-	-	95	-	-	-	-	95	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Pt. Lincoln	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
Morgan	1	-	-	-	-	115	-	-	115	
Pt Wakefield	2	52	22	-	-	-	-	-	74	
Strathalbyn	1	102	-	-	-	-	-	-	102	
Woodside	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	
Tumby Bay	1	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	
Oodnadatta	2	89	-	19	-	-	-	-	108	
									11884	2385

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

Locality VDC HQ	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C 10	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton		13	Mt Barker	88	
Bordertown	42		Morgan		
Clare	53		Naracoorte		
Gawler			Prospect		11
Kadina		11	Port Pirie		
Lameroo	60		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	88		Sandy Creek	15	
Mt Gambier	215	18	Tumby Bay Unley	88	
Mt Pleasant	12		Willunga	84	
Maitland	51		Wudinna		40

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LOCATION OF UNITS AND ALLOCATION OF UNIT STRENGTH

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	Offs	O/Rs	147 A.C.T. Coy	1 Pl. 8 Aux. H.T. Coy	Petrol Section	5 AACC	14 Aust Sup Dep Coy & Pls 81 & 83-88	33 Aust Fd Bakery	Remarks
Barmera	2	19					2 - 19		D I D
Port Largs		4	3	1					
Gladstone		6	6						4 A A A D
Keswick	5	130	2	2 - 46		1-38	2 - 44		D I D-HQ.MT
Largs Bay	2	31					2 - 31		Pl. HQs
Loveday		17	8			2		7	Fd Bakery- 25/33 Gen Bn
Mallala		5		2			3		R A A F - D I D
Mile End	2	14	2				2 - 12		Veg. Section
Mt. Barker		1					1		5 M R U - R A A F
Morgan		1				1			P W C C Hostel
Northfield		4		2		2			121 A G H
O'Halloran Hill		1	1						Remount Sqn.
Oodnadatta		1					1		AGS - RAAF
Plympton	8	207	8 - 207						HQ AGT Coy.
Port Pirie		10					10		D I D
Port Adelaide	2	19	2				2 - 15	2	A S D Store
Smithfield	3	45	1	5		1	5 - 37	1	HQ ASD Stores D I D
Strathalbyn		2	1			1			Con Depot
Terowie		10	1	4		1	4		A S D
Victor Harbor		5		2			3		D I D RAAF
Urrbrae	1			1 -					Vet Section
Warradale		6	4				2		29 Works Coy
Wayville		2	2						HQ & C D D
Hospital		9	8	1					
Travelling	1	2					1 - 2		War Loan
Schools		4					4		
Leave	2	37	2 - 21				16		
L W O P		1	1						
Detention									
	28	593	10 - 270	3 - 63		1 - 46	14 - 204	- 10	

Attach. - 29 Emp Coy.

84 Pl. Port Adelaide - 11
86 Pl Smithfield - 10
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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

WEEK ENDED 14 Apr 1945

S Aust L OF C AREA/FORMATION _____ SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			29467	28092	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3428	3350	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2168	2165	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12964	12965	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	48027	46572	
RAAF				29603	C
WAAAF				5060	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				627	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		81862	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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DATE 23 APR 1945

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Week Ended 14 Apr 1945

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALES							
D I D Keswick	18654	17345					
Port Pirie	2185	2192					
Barmera	3472	3420					
Terowie	2785	2767					
Smithfield	668	632					
Gladstone	410	400					
P&E Sec Pt Wakfld	368	385					
111 Con Dep Strath	716	750					
P W Staff Morgan	65	63					
CHQ Woodside	81	75					
Tumby Bay	63	63					
	29467	28092					
A M F FEMALES							
D I D Keswick	3271	3185					
P&E Sec Pt Wkfld	157	165					
	3428	3350					
INTERNEES							
Japs, Barmera	12964	12965					
R A A F							
D I D Keswick		12190					
Vic Hbr		1290					
Mallala		8830					
Smithfld		405					
AOB Oodnadatta		136					
Group 470		42					
5 MRU Mt Baker		670					
Barmera		530					
Port Pirie		5510					
		20603					
W A A A F							
D I D Port Pirie		780					
Keswick		2160					
Mallala		1270					
Smithfld		535					
Victor Hbr		315					
		5060					
P O W Italian							
Smithfield	1363	1360					
Morgan	798	798					
Tumby Bay	7	7					
	2168	2165					
CIVILIANS							
Morgan		7					
Oodnadatta		620					
		627					
TOTAL	~~48026~~	81886					

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Unit A.D.S.&T. S. AUST. L. of C. AREA Date and Time:—From 0001hrs 1 MAY To 2359hrs 31 May 45

Place.	Date. 1945	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
Keswick	1 May	1700	O C 85 ASD Pl submitted a list of duties to be performed by personnel. It was appreciated by this office that with amalgamation of 83 ASD Pl and 85 ASD Pl to man Supply Depots at Keswick, Mile End, Pt Pirie, Vic. Harbour and Mt Barker, there would not be adequate personnel after making provision for rest days and leave, quite apart from extraneous drains placed upon manpower from time to time by sickness, schools, etc. However, this shortage of manpower is thought to be of a temporary nature as the duties of the Sup Deps will correspondingly decrease with the disbandment of various units throughout the Area as proposed by LHQ OOB I C. Therefore, an attempt is being made to meet the demands for additional personnel by the re-organisation and distribution of supply duties among the three Sup Dep Pls. to be left in this Area. To this end the ADST has called for a list of duties of every man in 14 ASD Coy; upon receipt of same it is proposed to have a conference of Officers in an attempt to provide some solution to this problem. Further to Append. "A" of April War Diary ref PWCC S.11 - Tumby Bay Supply Accounting in which it was suggested that personnel of this Unit be placed upon subsistence, advice has been received from the AA&QMG SA L of C Area that approval for the placing of this Unit on subsistence is given and ADST is sending a member of his Staff on 7 May 45 to Tumby Bay to close the Supply Records being kept by this Unit.	
	2 May	1700	D I D Keswick hold bulk supplies of firewood at Warradale Camp which is situate approx 8 miles from the Supply Depot. To safeguard, issue, and account for this firewood it necessitates the permanent attendance of one NCO at Warradale. To supply some relief to the strain being placed upon the DID Keswick the ADST has directed that the Warradale Wood dump be	

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Unit A.D.S.&T. S. AUST. L. of C. AREA Date and Time:—From 0001 hrs 1 May To 2359 hrs 31 May 45

Place.	Date. 1945	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, etc.
Keswick	2 May	Contd.	vacated and the wood be stored at Keswick; this enables the part time services of an additional NCO to be made available to the DID. ADST has further directed that the Petrol Pump being operated by the D I D Keswick be handed over to 5 Aust Amb Car Coy. as this Unit and HQ Car Pers Coy will shortly be the only Units within the Metropolitan Area carrying transport on their estab. This will supply the Services of a further man to D I D Keswick.	
			(2) The DAQMG (POW & I) approached ADST to obtain the services of an NCO to undertake the rationing of the PWCC personnel at Morgan as the NCO from that centre had been admitted to Hospital The ADST complied with this request following which the ASC NCO reported to this office that the Supply Accounting at that Centre was very unsatisfactory. ADST therefore sent a member of his own staff to Morgan to put the rationing and accounting on a sound footing. J.C. Downs Lt.	
	3 May	1700	(1) Owing to the reduction of the OOB and with the endeavors of this Office to conserve manpower wherever possible, the ADST has requested that the AASC Stores at Terowie be vacated and a DID opened at the Staging Camp. This would enable the minimum number of AASC personnel to be held at Terowie-	
			(2) Further to War Diary entry of 30 Apr 45(f) ref the deletion of 5 Aust Amb Car Coy. HQ's advise that the two drivers MT AWAS - surplus as a result of the re-organisation, will be transfd to RR & GDD Wayville for re-allotment.	
			(3) Further to War Diary entry of 18 Apr relative to scheme of exchanging pers from NT, three AASC pers. from 147 Aust G T Coy. (AIF) were nominated for replacement. O C 147 Aust G T Coy pointed out that these members had already served in NT and were anxious to go further afield, but as these pers. were the only	

J.C. Downs Lt.

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Keswick	3 May	Contd.	ones available for the tradings required, this office had no option but to nominate them.	
	4 May	1700	Further to War Diary 26 Apr 45. ref disbandment of % 8 Aux H T Coy; it has been decided to leave H T stationed at Mallala, Vic. ~~Harbor and Wayville, pending satisfactory arrangements being made.~~ Wayville-It will be necessary for arrangements to be made for camp refuse and Pig Food which, at the moment, is carted by HT at Wayville. ~~Mallala and Victor Harbor - RAAF were approached to see if~~ they would be prepared to use their transport in lieu of HT; this suggestion was agreed on condition that a repayment be made. The matter was discussed with AA & QMG - SA L of C Area who has written to LHQ suggesting that this matter should not involve ~~any interservice charge.~~	
	5 May	1700	(1) LHQ Memo No. 58453 of 1 May 45 advised approval for the re-posting of SX.13523 Cap A W Parr, AASC from super. to Estab. ~~to Regt. duties of 147 Aust G T Coy to date 26 Apr 45.~~	
			(2) HQ SA L of C Area (G S Branch) advise that the withdrawal of guards of the 4 Gsn Bn on Aeradio Station, Parafield at 1200 ~~hrs 5 May 45, also on SAFU Sheds at Pt Adelaide at 1200 hrs 8 May 45.~~	
	7 May	1700	Owing to the reduction by OOB in SA L of C Area in AASC Units it has been requested that five Works Personnel be permanently ~~attached to Smithfield to assist in the handling of Wood and~~ Straw. It is felt that if this request is not approved, there will be a drastic collapse in the ASC Service in this Area.	
	8 May	1700	(1) Further to entry of 3 Apr ref removal of stores at Terowie and a D I D opened at the Staging Camp/ Approval has been ~~given for these stores to be shifted and O C Terowie Trans.~~ Centre have been instructed to make available one Sydney William Hut.	

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Keswick	8 May	Contd.	(2) In connection with the re-org. of the Sup Dep Coy to HQs and three Pls., the O C of the Coy forwarded a proposed set-up of pers. concerning the changeover of 84/86 Pls. at the same time paying particular attention to medical classification as well as pers who have the necessary qualifications to enable the Pls to function satisfactorily. Append. "A" is a copy of the list suggested. With the idea of conserving manpower, the ADST has set up a proposal to the OC Sup Dep Coy as follows: HQ less certain pers to be stationed at Keswick to carry out all "A" and "Q" duties – Officer Mess, Hygiene – thus relieving the remaining Pls of all such administration. The suggested pers as follows: O C., W.C.II(A), Clerk(A) Lieut (Q), Sgt. (Q), L/Cpl (Q), Sgt (O/M) Steward (O/M) Batman and 2 Hygiene men. Capt. Turner to be appointed Supply Offcer with help of 3 Offcers and 54 O/Rs to carry out duties of Keswick, Mile End, Pt Pirie, Vic Harbor and Mt Barker. Capt Young to be Sup Offcer Smithfield with help of one Capt from HQs, one Lieut and 29 AASC Pers. plus five Works Pers. making total of 3 Offcrs and 34 O/Rs – to carry out duties of Smithfield, Mallala and Terowie. On receipt of a reply from O C HQs Coy the ADST will call the two Sup Offcers and OC into consultation to discuss, add or detract anything which is for the benefit of the Coy.	
			(3) DST Memo No 60086 of 30 May 45 states a vacancy exists for a Lieut. as OC 2 Aust Marine Sup Pl and requests a census of AASC Officers and Senior NCO's suitable for first appointment and to submit suitable nominees who have had practical experience in commercial fishing and possess knowledge of marine engines and the handling of small craft.	

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Keswick	8 May	Contd. (4)	ADST called for a census of AASC Officers in this Area to see if they were desirous of rehabilitating themselves in civil life or whether they wish to serve outside Australia or in another Area, or if they have any compassionate grounds for staying in S Aust. This information will give an immediate check in connection with Change of Postings of Officers etc.	
	9 May	1700	LHQ Sg No QM33125 -"81 ASD Pl. Strengt of 2 Offrs 30 O/Rs to depart Adelaide We 9 May, 1956 Thur 10 May Melb arr 1150 Dep 1325 Fri 11 May Sat 12 May Sydney 0925-1033 Sun 13 May Clapham Arr 1010"	
	10 May	1700	HQ Mem 14275 of 10 May 45 advises that necessary arrangements are to be made to transfer the undermentioned equipment now held on 8 Aust Aux H T Coy charge to 121 Aust Gen Hosp (AIF). Horses M D - 2 Impressed trolley now in use at 121 AGH or Waggon G S - 1 Harness G S Sets - 2	
	11 May	1700	Revision of the Operation of the DID at Loveday reveal that the max. pers required to function the 33 Fd Bakery is five. Application is therefore being made to HQ SA L of C Area to dispose pers rendered surplus to requirements LHQ Sig No. A36642 of 10 May 45 advises: "QX 38406 Lt K P Hill 8 Aux H T Coy is to be concentrated in NSW L of C Area by 14 May 45 to come under command of Second Aust Army to undergo Junr Leaders' Course for conversion to Infantry"	
	13 May	1700	QX.38406 Lt K P Hill M/C to LTD for onward movement to NSW L of C Area. Ref War Diary of 11 May 45.	

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Keswick	14 May	1700	Owing to the difficulties in procuring a saw capable of cutting longwood held at ASD Smithfield and with insufficient personnel available to handle the cutting of longwood, application has been submitted to HQs to retain eight O/Rs of 8 Aust Aux HTCoy to be carried supernumerary to WE of 84 ASD Pl for an estimated time of four months. Appendix "B" attached is copy of letter submitted. Lt H J Winner M/O to LTD for onward movmt to No. 1 Qld L of C Area BIPOD in accord. with LHQ Memo 54293 of 23 Apr 45.	
	15 May	1700	(1) HQ Memo 14656 of 14 May 45 advises 8 Aux H T Coy to transfer to "Q" Staff Wayville the following: 1 Flat Top Vehicle 2 Horses and Harness, also to detach 1 Driver to Wayville.	
			(2) LHQ Memo 55370 of 25 Apr 45, calls for four vacancies for this Area for Technical Training Course for Unit M V Personne. - ~~Driver Mechs Course 21A Serial Vic/168 — 25 Jun — 28 Jul 45.~~ A request was forwarded to HQ SA L of C Area (GS Branch) to have these vacancies cancelled owing to the re-organisation of AASC Units and the following is extract of the letter: "The only AASC Units to carry Dr Mechs within WE are - ~~147 Aust GT Coy (AIF) and~~ % 5 Aust Amb Car Coy. % 5 Aust Amb Car Coy have only retained sufficient male pers. to cope with tasks which females are incapable of handling. ~~The male personnel number 11 (excluding NCOs) of which three~~ are Dr Mechs and ~~eight~~ Drs MT. These three Dr Mechs are fully occupied and it would place the Unit in an impossible position to be without the services of even one of them for a period of five weeks. At present 147 A G T Coy are considerably below WE as regards Drs MT. At the moment 18 vehics are standing idle with no drivers. This Unit has five Dr Mechs	

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Keswick	15 May	Contd.	surplus to WE being fully trained, classified and paid as such. They are being used as Dvrs M T to make available for duty as many vehicles as possible. It seems useless to train additional pers when a surplus already exists. Moreover Drs MT cannot be spared for the same reason as Dr Mechs, viz; it would immobilise additional vehicles.	
	16 May	1700	Further to War Diary entry of 14 May 45. Approval from DAQMG SA L of C Area - has advised that eight members of Works Coy are to be attached to Smithfield to date 17 May 45.	
	17 May	1700	(i) A request has been submitted to HQs to carry SX.11484 L/Cpl Moore G S supernumerary to WE of HQ 14 ASD Coy. L/Cpl Moore has, owing to medical disabilities, been precluded from carrying on as a Dvr MT, but as he is a returned Infantry man and will be extremely valuable on Supply duties, it is considered a reasonable request until the re-organisation of Supply Units is finalised.	
			(ii) Appendix "C" attached is copy of letter submitted to HQs regarding retention of a percentage of pers of 8 Aus Aux HT Coy at six Units in this Area.	
			(iii) A letter from 14 ASD Coy Smithfield has requested approval to poison grass around wood heaps and straw stacks, also on surfaces in the vicinity of buildings and installations. DAQMG has approved of the requisition for the spray. To take necessary precaution against accidents, the following action has been set down by ADST before this commodity is put into use:	
			i. "This is a highly inflammable material and must be suitably stored.	
			ii. This commodity is of a highly poisonous nature and those handling same must be instructed in its use.	

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Keswick	17 May	Contd. iii.	No Weed Killer is to be sprayed upon any land to which animals have access.	
		iv.	Prominent notices are to be displayed stating Weed Killer has been used.	
		v.	Property owners adjoining ASD Area should receive 7 days written notice to the effect that Weed Killer is to be used on Deptl property in order that special care may be taken by them against straying animals gaining access to sprayed area.	
			Further to this the CLO advised they do not know of any regulation requiring a public notice in the press. Notice of the poison being laid must be conspicuously exhibited on the land and no poison must be laid within 100 yards of any public road or way.	
	18 May	1700	Review of Manpwr submitted to DST LHQ in accordance with LHQ SM 12639 of 5 Dec 44. "Ref Supply Installations - It is anticipated that by 31 May 45, 84 ASD Pl will take over Smithfield, and by 30 Jun 45 the 86 ASD Pl should be in a position to move to NSW L of C Area for disbandment." Information re other AASC Units already entered in Diary.	
	19 May	1700	Further to War Diary entry of 27 Apr (b) - the following is a copy of LHQ Memo 59218 of 12 May 45: "It is advised that the release of SX21581 Capt A M Peacock from the AMF is NOT approved".	
	21 May	1700	Further to deletion of 8 Aust Aux H T Coy a report was submitted to HQs of the Officers becoming surplus and stating their desires for transfer to other Arms of the Service. A letter received from HQ states SX.21605 Lt K R Patterson is desirous of being transfd to AALC if a vacancy exists. Lt Patterson is to be interviewed by CLO in this Area, who will submit a report	

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Keswick	21 May	Contd.	and recommendation as to this Officer's qualifications.	
	22 May	1700 (1)	O.C. 5 AAC Coy wrote in to ADST regarding AWAS reinforcements allotted to the Unit on Compassionate Grounds. He states that this Company provides a 24 hour service to hospitals and maintains an emergency lines service throughout the night. All duty drivers are therefore obliged to be on call at any time so must of necessity sleep in barracks. As personnel on compassionate grounds have permission to sleep at home, they cannot be rostered for overnight duty. On account of the reduced posted strength, it is impossible to carry personnel who cannot be utilised as duty drivers for the whole of the 24-hour period. A letter has been forwarded to HQs and SA Ech and Rec f from ADST requested that no further transfer of AWAS drivers on compassionate grounds be effected. Also, it was pointed out that they only have sufficient male personnel to man country detachments and perform maintenance etc duties which AWAS pers. are incapable of undertaking. Further, it is apparent that pers. held in this Are on Compassionate Grounds are loth to accept the restriction imposed on their local leave by the routine of the Unit. This naturally reflects on their work and in turn is reiterated throughout the Unit.	
		(2)	LHQ Memo 64897 of 15 May gives approval for the undermentioned changes of postings, to date 14 May 45: VX.112233 Maj C N C Sutcliffe from 147 AGT Coy(AIF) to O C 160 Aust GT Coy (AIF). and SX.10095 Maj A G Gardner from O C 140 Aust GT Coy (AIF to O C 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF). Movement of Maj Sutcliffe to be made as early as practicable. A letter to HQs has been submitted to the effect that Maj. Sutcliffe will not be able to move from this Area under three weeks as it will take this time for stock-take & hand-over as	

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Keswick	22 May	Contd	laid down in GRO 0 293/44. A further exchange of AASC pers for N T from this Area has been requested in accord. with LHQ SM 3667 of 27 Apr, viz: 2 Pte Issuers 6 Drivers 2 Cpls Admin(1 in charge of section) 1 Cook (Pte) Nominations for the exchange have been forwarded but it was pointed out that/personnel of 147 AGT Coy(AIF) only one member has not had long service in N T. With this Unit called upon to supply replacements for this exchange of personnel scheme, it is impossible to select pers. who have not served for long periods in NT. In fact it was on account of the Units long service that they were relieved and stationed in SA L of C Area. This position applies to almost 100% of the pers of 147 AGT Coy(AIF) who are medically fit for posting to NT and as these men are extremely eager to serve in a forward area, it is requested that action be taken to obtain relief to prevent returning members of this Unit to N T	
	23 May	1700	Advice has been received of LHQ Sig SM39185 of 21 May which reads "MS39185 Restricted Your AQ5399 of 4 May refers SX 21765 Capt H V Chamberlain AAVC Release approved MPR S42222." Capt A V Chamberlain was a permanent attached to the 8 Aust H T Coy now disbanded.	
	24 May	1700	Attached "Appendix D" regarding Movt of 84 ASD Pl from SAFU Stores Pt Adelaide to Smithfield. On completion of Movt. the interchange of personnel between 84 and 86 ASD Pls will take effect prior to movt of 86 ASD Pl to NSW L of C Area. Further to Append "B" attached HQs has approved the transfer from 8 Aux H T Coy of 2 Remounts, 1 Wagon GS and the necessary harness to the following Units - Terowie Transhipment Centre	

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Keswick	24 May	Contd.	HQ 4 Aust Salvage Depot, Camp Comdt Keswick. C O 8 Aux is to confer with DADR regarding the horses to be transfd. Also necessary drivers to man these vehics. are to be detached. In accord. with GRO 477/44 para 4(b) referring to LHQ SM27273 of 4 Dec 43 para 8 a further eight pers from the 8 Aust 8 Aux H T Coy. have been transferred to the Works Coy and detached perm. to Smithfield with the Supply Coy. H E Downs Lt.	
	25 May	1700	The O C 87 ASD Pl at Barmera, has issued a Depot Operation Order as follows: 1. In the event of advice from HQ Loveday Int Group. of a break from either compound, the following procedure will be put into effect as far as possible. 2. Alarm On receipt of alarm all pers. including Salvage pers. including Salvage pers. attached will fall in immediately in front of HQ fully armed and equipped. 3. Store Piquet Will be fully armed and equipped at all times and on receipt of the Alarm will act as switchboard attendant. 4. Motor Transport - Driver of vehic. will immediately stand by vhic and await further orders. 5. Pers. on local leave will report back to camp immediately on receipt of alarm. 6. Pers. will be in charge of senior officer or NCO present who will issue orders. Personnel of this Pl have been issued with arms, equipment and ammunition by C O of the Loveday Int.Group.	
			DST (264/1/1334) Mem No. 59385 of 2 May 45 requested that all Supply Depots set out on AAF F.166 for week end 19 May 45 only the number of indents received against each Force, i.e. AMF - 6 Indents - RAAF - 4 Indents. H E Downs Lt	

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Keswick	25 May	Contd.	An extra copy of this Return will be made in each Depot and despatched to LHQ as soon as possible. These copies were forwarded with the usual weekly figures of A.A.F.166 today.	
	26 May	1700	HQ SA L of C Area (Q Branch) advise that on completion of removal of rations from Large D I D Shed at Terowie, S&T will hand over same to HQ 4 Aust Salvage Depot.	
			An instruction has been issued by ADST to the effect that OsC of Units will ensure that all drivers, prior to leaving on country trips, will carry at least 1 x 4 gall drum Motor Spirit for use in case of emergency and will also draw a supply of Petrol Tickets from S & T Office. Petrol will be normally drawn from Pool Petroleum Pty Ltd Depots and only in case of emergency will supplies be obtained from Reseller garages. Drivers prior to leaving on country trips will be informed of locations of Pool Depots on route. This instruction has been given on account of the number of instances which have occurred where drivers of M T doing country trips have drawn Motor Spirit from Reseller Garages.	
			LHQ Memo 68861 of 22 May 45 advises that HQ RAAF has taken up with S O 1 Training Grp RAAF the question of RAAF Mallala supplying transport for AASC stationed thereat.	
			It is anticipated that RAAF will supply the required transport without charge and instructions have been given to O C 8 Aux H T Coy. to make immediate withdrawal of H T from Mallala. SAFU Stores at Port Adelaide were vacated and 84 Pl moved to Smithfield.	
	29 May	1700	Further to War Diary entry of 22 May 45, relative to members posted to 5 A A C C on compassionate grounds, HQs have advised that these members should make application for approval to live out on subsistence.	

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Keswick	29 May	Contd.	When such applications are made, a statement of the "time off" or local leave available to the soldier will be submitted to this office with a report from O C 5 AACC. HQ's will then give a decision based upon the application and the report.	
	30 May	1700	LHQ Memo No. 70983 of 26 May 45 advises following change of postings: SX.25170 Lt G S Lodge from 65 Aust Sup Dep Pl. to 86 ASD Pl. and WX.33556 Lt J H Wilberforce from 86 Aust Sup Dep Pl. to 65 Aust Sup Dep Pl. to date 25 May 45. LHQ Sig. AG40610 of 26 May 45 advises that V.146464 Capt. W L Bright Inspr of Supplies attach. this HQ's is to be reposted as Snr Inspr Supplies at HQ Vic L of C Area and VX.138571 Lt. F G Gorman from Snpr Sup N T Force to Inspr Supplies, attached to HQ. SA L of C Area. A D S T has directed that the HQ 14 A S D Coy. at Smithfield will move to Keswick to occupy the offices recently vacated by 8 Aux H T Coy. Move to take place by 11 Jun 45. Appendix "E" is copy of proposed administration.	

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LIST OF RETURNS

1. Expense Stores Provisions for Month Ended 30 Apr 45.
2. Petrol Ration Tickets issued during April 45.
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4. AAF F.166 - Summary of Ration Entitlements.
5. Summary of Discrepancies and Losses of AASC Supplies.
6. Summary of Ration Entitlements & Issues, AAF F.166.
7. Return of Horses & Vehics. SA L of C Area - Apr 45.
8. Transpt undertaken for USA Forces and other Serv. Apr 45.
9. Transport Return for Month of Apr 45.
10. Summary of Ration Entitlements and Issues, AAF F.166.
11. Ration Return - 28 Apr 45.
12. Ration Return - Week ending 5 May 45.
13. Summary of Ration Entitlements and Issues F.166 - week ended 12 May 45.
14. Ration Strength.
15. Consolidated Census of Warlike Stores.
16. Summary of Ration Entitlements and Issues - week ending 19 May 45
17. Ration Strength.
18. Location of Units and allocation of Unit Strength as at 28 May 45
19. Receipts and Issues of Combined Food and Special Sugar Coupons.
20. Petrol Ration Tickets Issued during May 1945

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EXPENSE STORES: PROVISIONING.

Month ended 30 Apr 45 — S Aust L of C Area.

Ref. LHQ Mema 90192 of 3 Jul 44 and 123371 of 6 Sep 44.

Unit/Animal	Unit of Reference	Number.
Armd Units	No. of Personnel	Nil
AEME "	" "	195
AASC Workshop Personnel	" "	48
Animals - Donkeys	" of Animals	Nil
Horses	" "	263
Anti-Malarial Control Units	" Units	NIL
Hospital Laundries	" "	"
Mobile Bath Units	" "	"
" Laundries	" "	"
Static Laundries	" "	"
Wheeled Vehics. (MT)	" Vehicles	453 M/Cs
" " "	" "	761 Other Vehics.
BIPOD - Drum Handling etc.	" Personnel	NIL
Aust Fd Butchering Coys	" "	"
Aust Sup Dep Coys-Meat Handling	" "	8
" Dental Units	" Units	2 Sections 1 Rcft. Pool

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LOCATION OF UNITS AND ALLOCATION OF UNIT STRENGTH

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AUTHORITY L.H.Q. MEMOS: M2830 of 17 Mar '44 DATE: as at 28 May 45.

	Offs	O/Rs	147 A.G.T. Coy	1 Pl 8 Aux. H.T. Coy	Petrol Section	5 AACC	14 Aust Sup Dep Coy & Pls 81 & 83-88	33 Aust Fd Bakery	Remarks
BARMERA	1	17					1 - 17		D I D
FORT LARGS		4	3	1					
GLADSTONE		6	6						4 A A A D
KESWICK	5	103	1	1 - 20		1 - 27	3 - 55		DID HQ H T
LARGS BAY		8					8		PL HQ's
LOVEDAY		13	4			2		7	Fd Bakery
MALLALA		2					2		RAAF D I D
MILE END		8	2				6		VEG SECTION
MT BARKER									5 MRU RAAF
MORGAN		2				1	1		P W HOSTEL
NORTHFIELD		3		1		2			121 A G H
O'HALLORAN HILL									REMOUNT SQN
OODNADATTA									AOB RAAF
PLYMPTON	8	197	8 - 197						HQ AGT COY
PT PIRIE		9					9		D I D
PORT ADELAIDE	1	22	4				1 - 16	2	ASD Store
SMITHFIELD	2	57	7	11		1	2 - 37	1	ASD Store D I D
SPRINGBANK		1	1						105 A M H
STRATHALBYN		1				1			Con Depot
TEROWIE		6	1			1	4		A S D
THORNTON PARK		1	1						123 A S H
VICTOR HARBOUR		2					2		D I D R A A F
URRBRAE	1			1 -					VET SEC.
WARRADALE		2	2						29 WORKS COY
WAYVILLE		3	2	1					HQ & R R & G D D
HOSPITAL	1	30	26				1 - 4		
TRAVELLING									
SCHOOLS		3	1				2		
LEAVE	2	32	1 - 25				1 - 7		
L W O P		2	2						
	21	534	9 - 285	2 - 34		1 - 35	9 - 170	10	

Attach 29 Emp Coy.

86 ASD Smithfield - 9

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"PLAIN" PETROL RATION TICKETS ISSUED DURING APRIL 1945 - S AUST L OF C AREA

Name of Person issued with tickets	No. of consumer's licence	Reg No. of Vehicle	Circumstances under which tickets were issued	Summary of tickets issued: One Gall.	Two Gall.	Five Gall.	Ten Gall.	Totals Galls
V D C HQ.	-	-	For Issue to VDC Units-Official duties	2800	-	-	-	2,800
Rev.Lomman F J	F.6881	13088	Chaplain's Duties	-	12	-	-	24
Lt-Col Joyner M S	S/35307	117658	D A D D S Duty	5	-	-	-	5
Dept.Army Inspection Staff	-	-	Official Duties	-	10	-	-	20
Intelligence Sec.	-	-	" "	30	-	-	-	30
" "	-	-	" "	15	-	-	-	15
R A Warner	2701	194472	Sanitary Service, Sandy Creek		1	3	-	17
Amenities Service	-	-	Concert Parties, 2, Film showing	55	15	25	-	210
H H Coles	S/76	43823	Chaplain Duties C. of E.	8	-	-	-	8
P W C C S.3 Clare	-	-	Conveyance of PWs to Church	60	-	-	-	60
P W C C S.7 Naracoorte	-	-	" " "	75	-	-	-	75
PWCC S.4 Murray Br.	-	-	" " "	40	-	-	-	40
Capt. Tamblyn A A	-	-	Convey PWs to Hospital	50	-	-	-	50
Sjt Johns W T	F.36576	"	Official duties (DAPM)	3	-	-	-	3
Pengelley T J	Y.21218	95766	Official duty	3	-	-	-	3
Brig. Wills (LHQ)	4/22112	SA 131,491	" "	1	-	-	-	1
Chapln Barry U P	F.37435	105479	Chaplains Duties	-	15	-	-	30
" Bustelli W	J F.32918	141834	" "	-	5	7	-	45
Capt. Day CH PWCC.	S9 -	-	Transportation of PWs for Med. Attntn	10	-	-	-	10
" WC Thomas "	S.6 -	-	" " " " "	20	-	-	-	20
SX.11685 Maj Broadbent	B4994	3224	Official Duties	20	-	-	-	20
PWCC S.8	-	-	Trsptn of PWs for Med Attn.	175	-	-	-	175
Area Recruiting Staff	-	-	Official Duties	40	45	35	-	305
PWCC S.2	-	-	Taking PWs to Church	15	-	-	-	15
Capt. Buttery PWCC	S13 -	-	" " " "	10	-	-	-	10
P W C C S.1	-	-	" " " "	55	-	-	-	55

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"PLAIN" PETROL RATION TICKETS ISSUED DURING April 1945 - S AUST L OF C AREA

Name of Person issued with tickets	No. of consumer's licence	Reg No. of Vehicle	Circumstances under which tickets were issued	Summary of tickets issued: One Gall.	Two Gall.	Five Gall.	Ten Gall.	Totals Galls
Education Officer	-	-	Lectures and Film Operator's	60	-	-	-	60
Brig. Bundock H S	F.36577	16000	Official Duties	15	20	-	-	55
J James	B.11090	106967	" "	-	3	-	-	6
Prof. Kerr Grant	F.58942	144331	" "	6	-	-	-	6
Ch. Coleman	B.6562	SA6113	AAPC Orchestra	1	-	-	-	1
Capt. Bishop S C	-	-	Medical Serv. P O W	40	-	-	-	40
Lt. Dabovich A R	-	-	" " "	35	-	-	-	35
R G Bastian	37498	84728	Orchestra Leader - Unit Reg. Ball	7	-	-	-	7
Chaplain V P Barry	F37435	105479	Chaplains Duties	-	6	-	-	12
" E J Conlan	A.10599	15524	" "	10	10	-	-	30
Col. LeMessurier	B.8858	130357	Official Duties	6	-	-	-	6
V C Schmidt	3/32753	SA203569	" "	3	-	-	-	3
PWCC S.4	-	-	" "	40	-	-	-	40
				3713	142	70	-	4347

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending 28/4/43.

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	520	-	10	-	-	-	1850	2380	
Gladstone	1	60							60	
Keswick	33	2534	468	1750	302	-	-	-	5054	4545
Largs										
Mallala	2	-	-	1228	180	-	-	-	1408	
Pt Pirie	5	339	-	912	137	-	-	-	1388	
Smithfield	6	93	-	55	81	188	-	-	417	
Terowie	2	449	-	-	-	-	-	-	449	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	179	44	-	-	-	223	
Whyalla										
Mt Barker	1	-	-	92	-	-	-	-	92	
Pt Lincoln	1	-	-	SINGLE INDENTING UNITS						
				6	-	-	-	-	6	
Morgan	1	10	-	-	-	115	-	-	125	
Pt Wakefield	2	50	21	-	-	-	-	-	71	
Strathalbyn	1	92	-	-	-	-	-	-	92	
Woodside	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	
Tumby Bay	1	7	-	-	-	2	-	-	9	
Oodnadatta	1	40 (Civilians)	-	19					59	
									11843	4545

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
HQ Adelaide		10			
Alberton		12	Mt Barker	73	
Bordertown			Morgan	44	
Clare	84		Naracoorte	44	
Gawler			Prospect		8
Kadina		21	Port Pirie		
Lameroo	150		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	12	44	Sandy Creek	18	
Mt Gambier	80	59	Unley		
Mt Pleasant	90		Willunga		
Maitland	44		Wudinna		20

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

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WEEK ENDED 21 Apr 1945

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PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			30184	28564	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3424	3314	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2139	2029	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12946	12930	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	48693	46837	
RAAF				29785	C
WAAAF				5221	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				289	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		33295	
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		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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_____ SUPPLY OFFICER

DATE _____ 19____

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Week Ended 21 Apr 1945

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F Male							
D I D Keswick	10742	17255					
Pt Pirie	2375	2361					
Barmera	3652	3595					
Terowie	3144	3134					
Smithfield	655	654					
Gladstone	420	420					
P&E Sec. Pt Wkfld	354	352					
111 Con Dep Strathlbn	644	610					
P W Staff, Morgan	75	73					
CMQ Woodside	70	75					
Tumby Bay	55	55					
	30184	29834					
A M F Female							
D I D Keswick	3277	3180					
P&E Sec Pt Wkfld	147	134					
	3424	3314					
Internees							
Japs, Barmera	12946	12930					
R A A F							
D I D Keswick		12250					
Vic Hbr		1255					
Mallala		8595					
Smithfield		389					
AOB Oodnadatta		139					
Group 470		42					
S M R U Mt Barker		645					
Barmera		80					
Port Pirie		6390					
		29785					
W A A A F							
D I D Keswick		2120					
Port Pirie		960					
Mallala		1260					
Smithfield		571					
Vic Harbor		310					
		5221					
P W - Italians							
Smithfield	1318	1208					
Morgan	806	806					
Tumby Bay	15	15					
	2139	2029					
Civilians							
Morgan	7	7					
Oodnadatta	282	282					
	289	289					
TOTAL							

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SUMMARY OF DISCREPANCIES AND LOSSES OF AASC SUPPLIES

8 Aust L of C Area/Force — Four week Accounting Period Ended 5 MAY 45

COMMODITY	Unit of Meas	Rate in pence	DISCREPANCIES: IN TRANSIT Surplus Qty	IN TRANSIT Surplus Value	IN TRANSIT Deficiency Qty	IN TRANSIT Deficiency Value	STOCKTAKING Surplus Qty	STOCKTAKING Surplus Value	STOCKTAKING Deficiency Qty	STOCKTAKING Deficiency Value	LOSSES: Condemnations Qty	Condemnations Value	Enemy Action Qty	Enemy Action Value
RATION COMMODITIES - PRIMARY														
Biscuits Serv.	lbs	8d			50½	1 13 6								
Rice Unpolshd	"	3d			347	4 6 9								
Fruit Pres.	"	6d									13-2/16	6 6		
Bacon tinned	"	28d									25	2 18 4		
Pilchards	"	18d									7	10 6		
Salmon	"	17d									5	7 1		
Meat & Veg.	"	9d									2	1 6		
Meat Pres.(Beef)	"	16d									339	22 12 -		
Meat Pres. "	"	20d									4½	7 6		
Golden Syrup	"	3d									6	1 6		
Milk Cond Swtnd	"	8d									30⅝	1 - 5		
Jam	"	6d									1½	9		
Jam	"	7d					54	1 11 6						
Jam	"	7d									3	1 9		
Sugar	"	4d							106	1 15 4	424	7 1 4		
Peas B B	"	4d					6½	2 1						
Beetroot tnd	"	6d									1⅞	11		
					6	- 3		1 13 7		1 15 4		35 10 1		
RATION COMMODITIES - SECONDARY - PART "A"														
Bread	"	13/6 per 100 lbs					162	1 1 3	721	4 16 9				
Tomato Juice	Pts	10d									1½	1 3		
								1 1 3		4 16 9		1 3		
RATION COMMODITIES - SECONDARY - PART "B"														
Beef Fores	lbs	6d							103	2 11 6				
Beef Hinds	"	6d							102	2 11 -				
Peanut Butter	"	15/9 pr Doz 1 lb tins			36	2 7 3								
Cabbage Fresh	"	1d							2304	9 12 -				
Celery Fresh	"	2d							57	9 6				
Tomatoes Fresh	"	3d							383	4 15 9				
Beetroot Fresh	"	1d							191	15 11				
Trombone "	"	1d							120	10 -				
Carrots "	"	2d							156	1 6 -				
Swedes "	"	1d							330	1 7 6				
Onions "	"	1d							90	7 6				
Potatoes "	"	1d							3792	15 16 -				
Poultry "	"	28d									28	3 5 4		
					2	7 3				40 2 8		3 5 4		
SUNDRY ITEMS														
Food Drums 5 gal	ea.	3/6							7	1 4 6				
Egg Crates	"	5/-					3	- 15 -	1	5 -				
Biscuit tins	"	2/6					33	4 2 6						
								4 17 6		1 9 6				
P.O.L.														
Oil O E 50	Pts	9.69d							26	1 1 -				
Motor Spirit	Galls	1/3 gal							13	16 3				
Motor Spirit	"	1/3							4	5 -				
										2 2 3				
GRAND TOTAL					8	7 6		7 12 4		50 6 6		38 16 8		

Distribution

Major,
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Signature and Rank

8 MAY 1945
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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

WEEK ENDED 28 Apr **19** 45

S Aust **L OF C AREA/FORMATION** Keswick **SUPPLY DEPOT**

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			29520	28348	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3399	3253	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2192	2157	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12935	12935	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	48045	46693	
RAAF				30644	c
WAAAF				5205	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				46	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		82488	
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		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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D.A.A.G. & T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area.

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Week Ended 28 April 1945

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALE							
D I D Keswick	18763	17565					
Port Pirie	2176	2161					
Barmera	3518	3590					
Terowie	2910	2915					
Smithfield	609	618					
Gladstone	356	355					
P&E Sec Pt Wkfld	332	335					
111 Con Dep Strath	652	610					
P W Staff Morgan	66	66					
CHQ Woodside	74	70					
Tumby Bay	63	63					
	29520	29348					
A M F FEMALE							
D I D Keswick	3242	3100					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefield	157	153					
	3399	3253					
INTERNEES							
Japs Barmera	12935	12935					
RAAF MALLALA		8430					
Keswick		11920					
Pt Pirie		6610					
Vic Harbor		1270					
Smithfield		440					
AOB Oodnadatta		147					
Group 470		42					
5 MRU Mt Barker		635					
		30544					
W A A A F							
D I D Keswick		2100					
Port Pirie		1000					
Mallala		1245					
Smithfield		560					
Vic Harbor		300					
		5205					
P W Italians							
Smithfield	1354	1320					
Morgan	838	837					
Tumby Bay							
	2192	2157					
Civilians							
Morgan	7	7					
Oodnadatta	39	39					
	46	46					
TOTAL							

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RETURN OF HORSES AND VEHICLES - S.A. L OF C AREA.

For Month Ending APRIL 1945.

Camp Location	ON STRENGTH						EMPLOYED DAILY						Average Daily Mileage	Average Daily Tonnage	Remarks
	Vehicles			Horses			Vehicles			Horses					
	Lorry T.T.	G.S.	Amb. L.G.S.	Rides	Dhts	Packs	Lorry T.T.	G.S.	Amb. L.G.S.	Rides	Dhts	Pack			
Keswick	17	2	3	-	40	11	12	2	3	-	30	4	117	39	
Smithfield	3	1			8		3	1			8		12	17	
Nerowie	3	1			8		3	1			8		21	11	
Northfld	1	1			2		1	1			2		14	5	
Vic.Hbr		1			3			1			3		10	4	
Mallala	1				1	1	1				1	1	8	4	
	25	6	3		62	12	20	6	3		52	5	182	80	

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S AUST L OF C AREA.

C.R. 151 3 308.

TRANSPORT UNDERTAKEN FOR U.S.A. FORCES AND OTHER SERVICES. APRIL 1945.

Service or organisation	No. of Vehicles used.	Mileage	Tonnage		Personnel	Remarks.
			Rations	Other Stores		
U.S.A.	10	372		11	94	Tpt pers. to and from aerodrome.
R A A F	47	940	50		30	Tpt pers. and stores.
R A N	28	1421		123	232	Tpt pers and stores.
Cheer-up Hut	12	494		22		Tpt Stores.
A W C	26	278		3	413	Tpt pers and stores.
Total for Area	123	3405	50	159	769	

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APPENDIX "C"

Formation:- ~~S/Aust L of C Area.~~ TRANSPORT RETURN FOR MONTH OF - APRIL 1945. Unit

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
Unit & Location	Vehs on Strength excl M/Cs		Total No. G.2s issued for month		MILEAGE				Tonnage Transported	Personnel Transported	Total x-Tonnage including Personnel	Ton * Miles (Task Vehs) incl. Persnl	Petrol used	Av. MPG	Remarks Percentage of Task Vehicles.	
	Task	Domestic	Task	Domestic	Domestic	Task Empty	Task Loaded	Total Columns 6, 7, 8							3 ton	7 ton
	Nos	Nos	Nos	Nos	Miles	Miles	Miles	Miles	Tons	Nos	Tons	Ton Miles	Gals			
Plympton	75	38	827	146	7091	12065	16236	35392	2916	13341	4226	49616	3230	10.9	92	8
Gladstone	4		76			551	1622	2173	135	1450	425	4845	239	9.0	100	
Loveday	3	1	102			607	3431	4038	455	6830	1821	8868	402½	10.0	100	
Warradale	4		75			723	1282	2005	70	1850	440	2891	172	11.6	100	
Northfield	2	1	60			622	1180	1802	208	430	294	1381	132	13.6	100	
Fort Largs	2		48			152	253	405	239	490	337	899	55	7.3	100	
Largs Bay	2		46			185	863	1048	140	1885	517	1723	110½	9.4	100	
Strathalbyn	1		22			108	692	800	110	305	171	1256	71½	11.1	100	
Port Pirie	1	1	26	30		301	916	1217	281	505	382	3232	93	13.0	100	
Terowie	1		30			139	804	943	68	440	156	2181	85½	11.0	100	
Wayville	2		54			313	290	603	52	1035	259	644	59½	10.1	100	
Smithfield	2		36			344	1598	1942	138	155	169	2602	155	12.5	100	
O'Halloran Hill		1		22		175	846	1021	23	145	52	2660	80	12,7		
TOTALS:-	99	42	1402	198	7091	16285	30013	53389	4835	28861	9249	82798	4885½	10.9		

Note:- * In L of C Areas: G.S. 3-ton = 5 personnel per ton.
7-ton semi-trailer = 4 personnel per ton.
11 L of C Sub-Area will indicate in the remarks column on each Return the number of personnel per ton on which ton-mile calculations are based. Each type of vehicle to be shown separately.

Signature [signature] MAJOR A.D.M.S. S. AUST. L. of C. AREA Date 10 MAY 1945

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WEEK ENDED 5 May 1945

S Aust L OF C AREA/FORMATION Keswick SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			29857	28258	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3437	3263	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2183	2164	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12918	12935	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	48393	46620	
RAAF				27417	C
WAAAF				4930	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				31	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		78998	
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		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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Week Ended 5 May 1945

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALE							
D I D Keswick	18788	17265					
Port Pirie	2269	2237					
Barmera	3490	3430					
Terowie	3110	3115					
Smithfield	621	604					
Gladstone	405	406					
P&E Sec. Pt Wakefld	354	340					
111 Con Dep. Strath	646	660					
P W Staff Morgan	65	65					
CMQ Woodside	68	75					
Tumby Bay	61	61					
	29857	28258					
A M F FEMALE							
D I D Keswick	3278	3105					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefield	159	158					
	3437	3263					
Internees							
Japs Barmera	12916	12935					
R A A F							
D I D Keswick		11110					
Mallala		8450					
Vic Harbor		1385					
Smithfield		432					
AOB Oodnadatta		138					
Group 470		42					
5 M R U Mt Barker		580					
Port Pirie		5280					
		27417					
W A A A F							
D I D Keswick		2050					
Pt Pirie		760					
Mallala		1255					
Smithfield		555					
Vic Harbor		310					
		4930					
P W - Italians							
Smithfield	1345	1330					
Morgan	838	834					
	2183	2164					
Civilians							
Morgan	7	7					
Oodnadatta	24	24					
	31	31					
TOTAL							

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending . 28 Apr 45 .

D T D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	504	-	-	-	-	-	1848	2352	
Gladstone	1	50	-	-	-	-	-		50	
Keswick	33	2680	463	1834	300				5277	1400
Largs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mallala	2	-	-	1211	178	-	-	-	1389	
Pt Pirie	5	310	-	944	142	-	-	-	1396	
Smithfield	6	87	-	62	80	193			422	
Terowie	2	417	-	-	-	-	-	-	417	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	181	42	-	-	-	223	
Whyalla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mt. Barker	1	-	-	90	-	-	-	-	90	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Pt. Lincoln	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
Morgan	2	9	-	-	-	119			128	
Pt Wakefield	2	47	22	-	-	-	-	-	69	
Strathalbyn	1	93	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	
Woodside	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	
Tumby Bay	1	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	
Oodnadatta	2	5	-	21	-	-	-	-	26	
PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.									11957	1400

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
VDC HQ		24			
Alberton		11	Mt Barker	35	
Bordertown	29		Morgan	21	
Clare	92		Naracoorte	132	
Gawler			Prospect		10
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	138		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	68		Sandy Creek	4	
Mt Gambier	226		**Tumby Bay** Unley	88	
Mt Pleasant			Willunga	84	
Maitland	54		Wudinna		

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending ..5 May 45..

D I S D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	499	-	-	-	-	-	1844	2343	
Gladstone	1	58	-	-	-	-	-	-	58	
Keswick	38	2684	468	1556	292	-	-	-	5000	1220 3420
Largs										
Mallala	2	-		1207	179				1386	
Pt Pirie	5	324		754	108				1182	
Smithfield	6	88		61	79	192			420	
Terowie	2	444		-	-				444	
Victor Hbr	8	-		196	44				240	
Whyalla	-	-		-	-				-	
Mt Barker	1	-		82	-				82	
Pt Linc.	1	-		6	-				6	
Morgan	2	9		-	-	119			128	
Pt Wakefield	2	48	22						70	
Strathalbyn	1	92							92	
Tumby Bay	1	8							8	
Woodside	1	9							9	
Ooodnadatta	1	3		19					22	
									11492	4640

SINGLE INDENTING UNITS

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton		11	Mt Barker	90	
Bordertown	8		Morgan		
Clare			Naracoorte	44	
Gawler			Prospect		
Kadina		10	Port Pirie		
Lameroo	52		Strathalbyn		13
Murray Bridge	84	88	Sandy Creek		
Mt Gambier	32	55	Tumby Bay Unley	2	
Mt Pleasant	100		Willunga	122	
Maitland	48		Nudinna		22

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

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WEEK ENDED 12 May 1945

Sth Aust. L OF C AREA/FORMATION Keswick SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			27147	27394	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3486	3385	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2262	2270	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12906	12885	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	45801	45934	
RAAF				28020	C
WAAAF				5380	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				31	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		79365	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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_____ SUPPLY OFFICER

DATE _____ 19____

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WAIR Diary

Ration Entitlements and Issues to AMF AANS AWAS AAMWS PW and Internees as per AFs W3810 Submitted by Units

Week Ended _____ **19**____

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
AMF MALES							
DID Keswick	16730	16985					
Pt Pirie	2107	2101					
Barmera	3424	3415					
Teroonie	2674	2677					
Smithfield	611	614					
Gladstone	417	414					
P&E Sec. Pt. Wakefld	321	315					
111 Con Depot Strath	661	660					
PW Staff Morgan	63	63					
CRE Woodside	79	70					
Tumby Bay							
	27147	27394					
AMF FEMALES							
DID Keswick	3321	3225					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefld	165	160					
	3486	3385					
INTERNEES							
Japs Barmera	12946	12885					
RAAF							
DID Keswick		10020					
Mallala		8340					
Vic Harbour		1475					
Pt. Pirie		7020					
Smithfield		415					
AOB Comadatta		138					
Grp 470		42					
5 RU Pt. Parker		570					
Barmera							
		28020					
WAAF							
DID Keswick		2050					
Pt. Pirie		1030					
Mallala		1400					
Smithfield		560					
Vic. Harbour		340					
		5380					
PW ITALIANS							
Smithfield	1400	1410					
Morgan	862	860					
Tumby Bay							
	2262	2270					
CIVILIANS							
Morgan	7	7					
Coodnadatta	24	24					
Tumby Bay							
	31	31					
TOTAL							

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending . 12 MAY 45.

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D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	489	-	-	-		-	1843	2332	
Gladstone	1	59	-	-	-	-	-	-	59	
Keswick	33	2390	474	1431	292	-	-	-	4587	Including 5 AACC. 2820
Largs										
Mallala	2	-	-	1191	200	-	-	-	1391	
Pt Pirie	5	309	-	1002	147	-	-	-	1458	
Smithfield	6	87	-	59	80	200	-	-	426	
Terowie	2	382	-	-	-	-	-	-	382	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	210	48	-	-	-	258	
Whyalla										
Mt Barker	1	-	-	81	-	-	-	-	81	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Pt Lincoln	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
Morgan	2	9	-	-	-	123	-	-	132	
Pt Wakefield	2	45	23	-	-	-	-	-	68	
Strathalbyn	1	94	-	-	-	-	-	-	94	
Woodside	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	
Tumby Bay	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Oodnadatta	1	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	19	
PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.									11304	2820

Locality VDC HQ	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C 26	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton		6	Mt Barker	52	
Bordertown	72		Morgan		
Clare	93		Naracoorte		
Gawler			Prospect		10
Kadina		22	Port Pirie		
Lameroo	87		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	19		Sandy Creek	13	
Mt Gambier	230		Tumby Bay ~~Unley~~	102	
Mt Pleasant	6		Willunga	44	
Maitland	52		Nudinna		12

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FORMATION SA L OF C AREA

CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/5/1945

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4138	6600 M/Cycle Solo		6022A Cars 6 seater Utility		6030A Truck 15cwt 4x2 G.S.		6030C Vans 1 ton G.S.		6030E Vans 15 cwt G.S.		6030F Vans 12 cwt G.S.		6035K Truck 15 cwt 4x2 A A L M G		6062 Lorries 30 cwt G.S.		6065 Trucks 3 ton G.S.		6065E Lorries 3 ton G.S.		6075 Lorries 7 ton Semi-trailer	
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
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147 Aust Gen Tpt Coy AIF	31	11 8	1	1V 1			.	11 2	11	11 1			3	. .			.	111 1	99	11 31	10	1 6
		111 7						1V 5		1V 12										1V 62		11 2
		1V 12						7		13										93		111 2
		VA 1																				10
		28																				
H.Q. 14 Aust Sup Dep Cpy							.	1V 3	7	11 1	.	1V 1			.	1V 1			7	11 1		
including										1V 2										1V 2		
83 to 87 Pls										3										3		

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FORMATION S AUST L OF C AREA

CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/5/1945

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/42—B4138	6082 Trailers 4 wheeled 3 ton G.S.		6090 Trucks 3 ton Kitchen		6091 Lorries 30 cwt Kitchen		6093 Trailer 4 wheeled Cooker		6115 Trucks 3 ton Water		6116 Lorries water 200 galls		6125 Trucks 3 ton Stores		6125B Lorries 3 ton Stores		6132 Lorries 3 ton B/Down		6134 Trucks 3 ton B/Down		6136 Trucks 3 ton Garage	
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
147 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	.	1 9 111 1 10	1	. .			1	1 1	5	. .	.	1 2			4	1 4	2	1 2				
H.Q. 14 Aust Sup Dep Coy					.	1V 3																

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CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/5/1945

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4138	6136A Lorries 3 ton Garage		6137 Trucks 3 ton Machinery		6137B Lorries 3 ton Machinery		6362 Trucks Ambulance		6365 Ambulance Panel 4 berth		6386 Trucks 15 cwt Fire Bde		6460 Trailer 2 wheeled Fire Pump ARP		6020 Cars D.S.		6366 Ambulance Indian Army type					
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
5 Aust Amb Car Coy							.	11 3	5	11 3					.	11 1	15	11 10				
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										5								12				
147 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	3	11 1			2	1 1																
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		3 1V 1																				
		3																				
H.Q. 14 Aust Sup Dep Coy including 83 to 87 Pls											.	1 1	.	1 1								

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

WEEK ENDED 19 May 1945

9A L OF C AREA/~~FORMATION~~ Keswick SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			28500	27720	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3407	3328	P
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2329	2290	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12905	12860	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	47141	46198	
RAAF				26765	C
WAAAF				5320	P
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				7	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		70290	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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[redacted] SUPPLY OFFICER

Major,
A.D.S.&T.S. Asst. L. of C. Area.

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Ration Entitlements and Issues to AMF AANS AWAS AAMWS PW and Internees as per AFs W3810 Submitted by Units

Week Ended 19 May 1945

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
AMF Males							
DID Keswick	17056	16345					
Pt. Pirie	3370	3346					
Barmera	3378	3375					
Terowie	2462	2453					
Smithfield	728	708					
Gladstone	369	370					
P&R Sec, Pt.W'field	323	320					
111 Conv Dep, Strath	674	660					
PW Staff, Morgan	64	63					
CHQ, Woodside	76	80					
	28500	27720					
AMF Females							
DID Keswick	3236	3155					
P&R Sec, Pt.W'field	171	173					
	3407	3328					
Internees							
Japs Barmera	12905	12860					
RAAF							
DID Keswick		9970					
Mallala		7450					
Pt. Pirie		7350					
Victor Harbour		1020					
Smithfield		340					
ACB Coonalatta		143					
Group 470		42					
5 MEU Mt. Barker		470					
		26765					
WAAAF							
DID Keswick		2060					
Pt. Pirie		1060					
Mallala		1400					
Smithfield		420					
Victor Harbour		380					
		5320					
PW Italians							
Smithfield	1465	1430					
Morgan	864	860					
	2329	2290					
Civilians							
Morgan	7	7					
TOTAL							

War Diary

RATION STRENGTH

Week ending .19 May 45.

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	482						1843	2325	
Gladstone	1	52							52	
Keswick	33	2436	462	1424	294				4616	4570
Largs										Inc 5 AACC
Mallala	2			1061	200				1261	
Pt Pirie	5	481		1050	151				1682	
Smithfield	6	104		48	60	209	-	-	421	
Terowie	2	351							351	
Victor Hbr	2			145	54				199	
Whyalla										
Mt Barker	1	-	-	67	-	-	-	-	67	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Pt. Lincoln	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
Morgan	2	9	-	-	-	123	-	-	132	
Pt Wakefield	2	46	24	-	-	-	-	-	70	
Strathalbyn	1	96	-	-	-	-	-	-	96	
Woodside	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	
Oodnadatta	1	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	20	
Morgan	1	1	-						1	
PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.									11310	4570

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
VDC HQ		16			
Alberton		8	Mt Barker	67½	
Bordertown	26		Morgan	13	
Clare	48		Naracoorte	44	
Gawler			Prospect		10
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	132		Strathalbyn		13
Murray Bridge			Sandy Creek	8	
Mt Gambier	56	65	Unley		
Mt Pleasant	101		Willunga	95	
Maitland	3		Wudinna		25

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WAR DIARY

RECEIPTS AND ISSUES OF COMBINED FOOD AND SPECIAL SUGAR COUPONS.

Appended hereto is a statement of Receipts and Issues of Combined Food and Special Sugar Coupons for this Area for May 1945:

	Combined Food	Special Sugar
Balance as at 30 Apr	74,884	1,383
Receipts ex Ratg Comsnr	-	-
	74,884	1,383
Returns ex Units	548	-
	75,432	1,383
Issues to Units	18,798	-
Balance as at 31 May 45	56,644	1,383

Major,
A. D. S. T. S. AUST. L OF C AREA

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"PLAIN" PETROL RATION TICKETS ISSUED DURING MAY 1945 - S AUST L OF C AREA

Name of Person issued with tickets	No. of consumer's licence	Reg No. of Vehicle	Circumstances under which tickets were issued	Summary of tickets issued				Totals Galls
				One Gall.	Two Gall.	Five Gall.	Ten Gall.	
VDC HQ Torrens Hall	-	-	Official Duties - VDC Units	2000				2,000
" " " "	-	-	" " " "	710				710
Major F E Broadbent	4994	3224	Unit Duties	20				20
J D Williams	E19178	123.883	DFO Investigations		40	-	-	80
Dvr Newell HQ Cars		44749	Official Duties (War Loan)	7	-	-	-	7
Dept Army Inspn Div.	-	-	" "	3	-	-	-	3
" " " "	-	-	" "	-	8	-	-	16
" " " "	-	-	" "	-	2	-	-	4
Lt-Col Joyner	3/35307	-	" " (DADDS)	5	-	-	-	5
Dept Army Inspn Br.	-	-	" "	2	-	-	-	2
H H Coles	3176	43823	Visiting Camps & Mil. Hosps.	8	-	-	-	8
L B Riley	3/21572	157-761	Camp Duty 2 Service at 123 ASH	4	-	-	-	4
Chapln W J Bustelli	F.32918	141834	Chaplains Duties	5	-	7	-	40
" V P Barry	F.37435	105479	" "	-	15	-	-	30
R A Warner	2701	194472	Sanitation Duties, Sandy Creek Camp	-	1	3		17
C L Coleman	B.6562	SA 6113	AAPC Orchestra - Conveying Drums	1	-	-	-	1
Pengelly T J	Y.21218	95 - 766	Official Duties	4	-	-	-	4
J James	B.11090	106967	Inspector of Rifle Ranges	-	3	-	-	6
Maj Raymond AEME	-	-	Official Duties	10	-	-	-	10
Capt. Sibthorpe	-	-	" "	6	-	-	-	6
Capt Richards	3769	186-212	Official Duties	1	-	-	-	1
Amenities Service	-	-	Conveying Concert Parties, Films etc.	25	-	5	-	50
Mrs Dutton	B.10876	188-646	Hospital Garden Work	12	-	-	-	12
Education Officer	-	-	Lectures and Film Operators	10	-	-	-	10
Dr Henderson	-	115030	Official Duties	10	-	-	-	10
Army Inspection Div.	-	-	" "	1	4	-	-	9
Major Dennis, (POW&I)	-	51243	" "	3	-	-	-	3
				2847	73	15	-	3068

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Appendix 'A'

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KESWICK

RE-ORGANISATION A S C - 84Pl/86 Pl.

Attached hereto proposed set-up of personnel in the changeover of 84/86 Pls.

Instructions regarding medical classifications have been observed where personnel are available.

Your advice of approval and instruction for putting into effect is awaited.

(Sgd J N Bagot Mjr.
HQ 14 A S D Coy. ASC.

PROPOSED SET-UP OF PERSONNEL IN THE CHANGE-OVER 84/86 Pls.

Ext.		Name		Med. Class	Particulars.
Capt.	O C	Young	R J S	B2	84 Pl.
Lieut.		Wilberforce (or another)	J H (JAMIESON)	A1	86 Pl
W O II	Dep Sup.	Thompson	A R	A1	84 Pl
S/Sgt	Clerk	Gage	J C W	A1	86 Pl
Sgt	Clerk	Butterick	G	A1	86 Pl
Sgt.	Issuer	Ryan	J L	A1	86 Pl
Sgt.	Issuer	Clancy	J I	B2	87 Pl
Cpl	Clerk	Cole	N	B2	86 Pl
Cpl	Clerk	Pearson (L/Sgt)	W K	B2	86 Pl
Cpl	Issuer	Siney	H	B2	86 Pl
Cpl	Issuer	Noble	H E C	B2	86 Pl (ex sup)
Pte Gr2	Carp.	Coulter	J A	A1	86 Pl
Pte Gr2	Cook	Wood	E F	B2	86 Pl
Pte Gp2	Cook	McCann	S	B2	84 Pl
Pte Gp 3	Butch	Perry	W A	A2	84 Pl
Pte Gp 3	Butch	BROWN			
Pte Grp 3	Clerk	Ackland	J B	A1	86 Pl
Pte Gp 3	Clerk	Weber	P A	A1	86 Pl
Pte	Hygiene	Noye	J A	B2	86 Pl
Pte	Batman	Junger	R E	B2	84 Pl
Pte	Issuer	Williams (L/Cpl)	A F	B2	84 Pl
Pte	Issuer	Rohrlach	H	B2	84 Pl
Pte.	Issuer	Dawe	C J	B2	84 Pl
Pte.	Issuer	Baum	W A	B2	86 Pl
Pte.	Issuer	Paterson	J D	B2	86 Pl
Pte	Issuer	Groves	R V	B1	86 Pl
Pte	Issuer	Stuart	R M	B1	86 Pl
Pte.	Issuer	Morgan	A R	B1	86 Pl
Pte.	Issuer	Fuller (L/Cpl)	J K	A1	84 Pl
Pte.	Issuer	Smelt	J A	B2	84 Pl

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Appendix B

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8 AUX H.T. COY - RETENTION % PERSONNEL.

HQ
SA L of C Area.

Owing to difficulties in procuring a saw capable of cutting the longwood held at A.S.D. Smithfield the meeting of demands for cut wood is causing this office the gravest concern.

2. With the reduction in strength of 14 ASD Coy insufficient supply personnel are available to handle the cutting of longwood at Smithfield as this occasions a minimum of at least eight personnel to feed the saw, and weigh and stock the cut wood.

3. Application is therefore submitted to retain eight ORs of 8 Aux HT Coy to be carried supernumerary to WE of 84 ASD Pl to cope with this problem which will take an estimated time of four months.

4. It is desired to point out that failing the availability of personnel for this task, six-feet longwood would have to be issued to units which in many cases will be incapable of handling such.

Maj.,
ADS & T, SA L OF C AREA.

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8 AUX H.T.COY -RETENTION % PERSONNEL.

HQ
SA L OF C AREA

It is recommended that the W.E. of the undermentioned units be amended to include 2 Horse.1Vehicle . 1 Driver H.T.

121 ACH.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Camp H.Q (Wayville	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Perowie S.C.	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Salvage	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Camp Condt (Keswick)	"	"	"	"	"	"	"

2. Circular Wood Saws 30 inch blade requires much skill in handling, also a knowledge of set up and daily maintenance.

3. There is a great danger of serious injury if operated by unskilled personnel. The members of H.T at present detached are all skilled in work of this nature.

4. There are two (2) Saws in operation.

Major,

A.D.S.T S AUST L OF C AREA

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Appendix D

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

24/5a MB

Keswick Barracks
KESWICK

O.C. 14 A.S.D. Coy Smithfield
Q.M. 14 A.S.D. Coy Keswick
O.C. 84 A.S.D. Pl Largs Bay
O.C. 85 A.S.D. Pl Keswick
"G" (for information)
"Q" (for information)

MOVEMENT - 84 A.S.D. Pl.

S.A.F.U. Store, Port Adelaide will cease to operate as at 1800 hrs 28 May 45. On 29 May 45 Marching Out Certificate will be prepared in normal manner and submitted to this office.

2. 84 A.S.D. Pl will make all necessary arrangements to move to Smithfield on 4 Jun.45, as at which date Marching Out Certificate for Largs Bay premises will be prepared and submitted to this office.

3. Q.M. 14 A.S.D. Coy will liaise with O.C. 84 A.S.D. Pl to ensure that all stores not required at Smithfield subsequent to movement of 84 A.S.D. Pl are returned and accounted for in the prescribed manner.

4. Prior to movement O.C. 84 A.S.D. Pl will return vehicles on strength to 11 Aust Grd Veh Park in accordance with instructions contained in H.Q. S.Aust L of C Area Memo No 3640Z and GRO 288/43.

5. Upon completion of this move O.C. 14 A.S.D. Coy and O.C. 84 A.S.D. Pl will by mutual agreement as to date, effect the interchange of personnel between 84 and 86 A.S.D. Pln's as previously concurred by this office.

6. Commencing Wednesday 30 May 45, DID Keswick will undertake delivery of supplies to Largs Bay Area, as from which date M.T. of 84 A.S.D. Pl will cease operation of their "ration run".

7. This office will be advised by O.C. 14 A.S.D. Coy when these instructions have been implemented.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - S AUST L OF C AREA.

Keswick Barracks, Keswick

O C. 14 A S D Coy. Smithfield.
84 " Pl. "
85 " " Keswick.
1 Pl. 8 Aux H T Coy. Keswick.
5 Aust Amb Car Coy. "
"G")
D A A G I)
D A A G III) for information.
SA Ech & Rec)

REDUCTION IN MANPOWER - S AUST L OF C AREA.

(HQ 14 A S D Coy).

This Office S Ms Nos. 306 of 24 Jan 45, 413 of 5 Feb 45 and 898 of 7 Mar 45, refer.

2. HQ 14 A S D Coy will be located at Keswick Barracks as from 11 Jun 45 (telephone extns Nos. 171 and 172). Personnel of that Unit will be located as from that date as under:

Keswick		Smithfield (as attachments to 84 ASD Pl for allocation for duty as required.)
1 Major, O.C.		1 Captain
1 Lieut.		1 Sgt (Butcher)
1 W/O II (CSM)		1 Cpl (Transport)
1 S/Sgt (CQMS)		1 Pte (Batman)
1 Cpl (Clerk)		1 Pte T.G.2 (Painter)
1 Pte (Batman)		
1 Pte (Storeman)		
1 Cpl (AACC attached)		
Total all Ranks	8	Total all Ranks 5

3. O C. 14 A S D Coy will effect the necessary hand-over to O C 84 A S D Pl of Supply Depot, Smithfield. T.151 Capt W T Lonergan will supervise the hand-over.

4. The personnel of HQ 14 A S D Coy remaining at Smithfield will be carried as attachments to 84 ASD Pl. O C 84 ASD Pl will in turn allocate these personnel for duty at Smithfield, Terowie, or Mallala as he deems necessary.

5. Upon completion of movement to Keswick, O C 14 A S D Coy. will assume full responsibility for all "A" (including pay), and "Q" (including rationing) duties of 14 A S D Coy. (HQ and Pls.) HQ 14 A S D Coy will undertake all detail of "A" duties of 83 and 85 A S D Pls and will immediately advise O C 84 ASD Pl of information desired from his Unit to maintain Coy H Q records.

6. All applications for discharge, transfers, etc. will, in future, be handled by HQ 14 A S D Coy. as will inter-Platoon transfers, allotment of Nominees for Schools & Courses etc.

7. To summarise the above, this office will regard the following as the allocation of responsibility as from 11 Jun 45:

(a) All A & Q Matters of HQ and Pls - O C 14 A S D Coy.
(b) All Supply duties of Depots at Keswick, Mile End, Port Pirie, Victor Harbour - O C 85 ASD Pl.
(c) All supply duties of Depots at Smithfield, Terowie, and Mallala - - O C. 84 A S D Pl.

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Unit A.D.S.& T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area. Date and Time.—From 0001 hrs 1 June 45 To 2359 hrs 30 June 45

Place.	Date. 1945	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, Etc.
Keswick	1 Jun	1700	Owing to the expiration of the lease of the house at present occupied by D A A G II of this HQ's, the AA & QMG has requested that the ADST Staff move from the offices at present occupied to allow DAAG II to move in. It is the policy of this HQ's to release all hired and rental premises when required, consequently it has been decided that the ADST and his staff will move to the offices previously occupied by the 5AACC and 83 ASD Pl	
			With the disbandment of 8 Aust Aux H T Coy. it has become possible for the 83 Pl to move into these vacant offices. The move is expected to be completed by 11 Jun 45.	
	4 Jun 45	1700	LHQ Memo 72615 of 30 May 45 gives approval for SX.29224 Lt D R Jamieson to be placed upon the R S L (Reposting) to date 25 May 45, and moved to New Guinea Details Depot for posting by HQ 1st Aust Army. HQ S Aust L of C Area to arrange movement of Lt Jamieson as early as practicable. It is anticipated that this officer will arive in Adelaide shortly ex N.T. Lt Jamieson was originally posted to 87 ASD Pl in this Area but had not arrived to take over duty prior to this latest movt. Consequently, the 87 ASD Pl is still minus an Offcr and SX.21553 Lt. F Barnes of 83 ASD Pl has been attached to Administer Comd of this Pl. Although an order has been given to move 87 ASD Pl from this Area, this office still awaits direction as to the request to hold a nucleus WE of this Pl at Barmera to be attchd to Loveday Int. Camp. SX.1670 Lt J T Warren has been medically classified B2 and is to be allotted to this Area. A recommendation has been forwarded to HQs suggesting that this officer be placed on HQ 14 ASD Coy strength as "Q" Officer in lieu of SX.21891 Lt A W L Stapledon, who is Med.Class A1 - the latter Offcr being made available.	

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Unit ADST S Aust L of CArea. Date and Time.—From 0001 hrs 1 Jun 45 To 2359 hrs 30 Jun 45.

Place.	Date. 1945	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, Etc.
KESWICK	4 Jun	contd.	Notification has been recvd to the effect that a precis of correspondence received from LHQ will be issued daily as from 4 Jun 45, to all Branches and Services of this HQ's.	
	6 Jun	1700	5th & 6th Jun - Staff commenced moving on 5th and vacated old offices by 6 Jun 45.	
	7 Jun	1700	HQ's were advised 86 ASD Pl will be available for movt. to NSW on 18 Jun 45.	
			HQ's called for a copy of each Pro Forma used in compiling returns which are submitted to LHQ. As a number of returns are submitted to DST in Memo. form, a copy of all mema were forwarded to HQs for information.	
			V.146464 Capt W L Bright, Inspr of Supplies returned from LHQ after three days' tour of duty regarding reduction of Inspection staff in this Area and retreatment of defective Jam stocks.	
			LHQ Mem 68143 of 21 May 45 notified that all old types of Passes to enter S&T Installations are now obsolete and those in possession of Offcers and O/Rs were to be returned immed. for cancellation. This Office advised that 100 passes had been printed by Stationery Depot and issued to personnel in this Area. Upon check of passes made against register maintained, all passes no longer required had been cancelled and destroyed. LHQ Memo. 74820 of 4 Jun 45 advises promotion of NX 79618 S/Sgt. McGillivray P A to W/O II. WO/McGillivray is a detached pers. from LHQ on staff of Inspr of Supplies.	
			ADST directed that as from 11 Jun 45, pers. of 85 ASD Pl will be prepared for movt. i.e. A.R.L. will be granted and pers. will be brought to DP 1 standard. As from 11 Jun to date of movt. pers. of 86 ASD Pl will come under command of O C 84 ASD Pl for admin. duty and discipline.	

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Unit A.D.S.& T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area. Date and Time.—From 0001 hrs 1 Jun 45 To 2359 hrs 30 Jun 45

Place.	Date. 1945	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, Etc.
Keswick	7 Jun	Contd.	and in the past was railed to Warradle for use in the metropolitan area. Owing to the drastic reduction of manpower in this area, it has been found necessary to vacate the Warradale site and establish a new site in the Keswick Area, on the area previously occupied by 8 Aux H T Coy - now disbanded. The AASC, together with the Works Coy have recently had a reduction of over 50% of manpower and, by using the Railways for the cartage of this wood it would have necessitated more personnel than were available. It would be necessary to load the wood on to MT from the stacks to be carried alongside the Railway truck, then offload onto the truck. When the truck arrived at Keswick unloading of the wood from the Railway to the MT and from MT to the reserve wood Depot, whereas, by using MT throughout, the handling was halved - loaded at Smithfield onto MT and unloaded in the reserve Wood Depot. Therefore the whole position is that the reason MT was used entirely for the work was dictated by the numberof personnel available to carry out the loading and off-loading. Had rail been used to carry this wood, it could not have been unloaded in the time allowed by the Railways and considerable amount of demurrage would have had to be paid."	
	9 Jun 45	1700 hrs	VX146464 Capt W L Bright marched out to LTD on Transfer to Vic L of C Area. ASD Smithfield handed over by HQ 14 ASD Coy to 84 A S D Pl. Capt. Lonergan supervising. Postings - The following postings are noted: SX.2626 Lt. W S Crierie to 84 Aust Sup Dep Pl. SX.21553 - Lt. F Barnes to HQ 23 Aust Sup Dep Coy. SX.21672 Capt A C Reynolds to O C 83 Aust Sup Dep Pl.	

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Unit A.D.S.&T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area. Date and Time.—From 0001 hrs 1 Jun To 2359 hrs 30 Jun 45

Place.	Date. 1945	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, Etc.
Keswick	11 Jun	1700 hrs	HQ 14 Aust Sup Dep Coy. moved in to Keswick from Smithfield.	
	15 "	"	Lt. Wilberforce marched out to LTD for onward movement to N T Force. 7 Drivers M T) from 147 Aust G T Coy. 1 Batman) and 1 Tpt N C O from HQ 14 A S D Coy. warned for draft for N.G. / and sent on ARL - 7 days. Lt. F G Gorman reported for duty as Inspr Supplies, SA L of C Area.	
	18 Jun	1700 hrs	ADST Major R M Lenton delivered a lecture to Heads of Services on Supplies & Transport. Capt. N Kjar - LHQ Inspr of Army Farms, reported for inspection tour of S Aust L of C Area.	
	19 Jun	"	SX.26132 Capt R K Thomas reported for posting as O C 86 ASD Pl (MS36482 of 16/3/45). Steady rain commenced 0900 hrs.	
	20 Jun 45	1700	Progress rept. re Disbandment of 8 Aux H T Coy. advises continued return of Ordnance Stores subject to arrangements with RSD., dismantling of Harnessracks and all other fixtures prior to vacating the Area and the return of scrap timber and iron to Salvage. Ord. Ledgers will be closed by 23 Jun 45. Arrangements have been made with O U E Sec. to commence Audit immediately thereafter. ADST requested HQ's to advise through SA L of C Area R/O's that S.101 Capt T H S Pearce would be Transport Control Offcr in order that Transport reqmts may be co-ordinated.	
	21 Jun	1700	LHQ Memo 18456 of 21 Jun 45 advises approval for the reposting of SX.21581 Capt A M Peacock from Super to Est. 147 AGT Coy. (AIF).	

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Unit A.D.S.& T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area. Date and Time.—From 0001 hrs 1 Jun To 2359 hrs 30 Jun 45

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, Etc.
Keswick	21 Jun (Contd.)		to 40 Aust Tpt Pl vice WX.30980 Capt J F Gill to date 14 Jun 45.	
	22 Jun 45	1700	A further review of Manpower was submitted to LHQ(Ref SM126390 of 5 Dec 44) advising 84 Pl movement to Smithfield - 14 ASD Coy Movt. to Keswick and the position of 147 Aust G T Coy (AIF) now brought up to WE. Also instructions still awaited to hold percentage of 87 ASD Pl and that 86 ASD Pl will be ready for movement by 1 Jul 45.	
			LHQ Mem 79376 of 13 Jun 45 called for Return showing all War-time Controls with due consideration to be given to methods of relaxation. This Office advised HQ that no Wartime Controls have been imposed upon AASC and there would therefore be no repercussions as a result of relaxation.	
			Capt. M Kjar LHq Inspr of Army Farms returned to LHQ.	
	23 Jun	1700	HQ Memo 18709 of 22 Jun 45 advises result of report on Unit(147 AGT Coy) Inspection held on 16 Jun 45: Both "A" and "Q" Matters are very satisfactory and clearly indicate the careful and enthusiastic supervision given them by Offcrs and NCO's. The excellent appearance of the Camp Area is a credit to the Unit	
	25 Jun	1700	Approval given for transfer of SX.21891 Lt A W L Stapledon from Q.M. 14 ASD Coy to 2/32 ASD Pl. LHQ Auth. No. 81858 of 19 Jun 45.	
			LHQ SM5380 of 18 Jun approves of further relief of pers. after long service in NT: 1 Cpl - 77 A S D Pl. 1 Pte Issuer - 79 ASD Pl 1 Pte Issuer - 78 ASD Pl.	
			Nominations to be made from AASC Units in this Area.	

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Unit A.D.S.&T.S. Aust. L. of C. Area. Date and Time.—From 0001 hrs 1 Jun To 2359 hrs 30 Jun 45.

Place.	Date. 1945	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, Etc.
Kennick	25 Jun (contd.)		The notification received from 147 A G T Coy(AIF) of the handing and taking over of this Coy. from VX.112233 Major C N C Sutcliffe to SX.10095 Major A G Gardner, prior to the transfer to Major Sutcliffe	
			Col. Wilkie of DST LHQ Staff visited this Area on Inspection of Supply Depots & A/cs and conferred with ADST and the Inspr. for this Area - Capt W T Lonergan.	
	26 Jun	1700	The ADST - Col. Wilkie, and Capt. Lonergan visited Smithfield Depot on inspection.	
	27 Jun	1700	HQ Memo 19032 of 26 Jun re Saving Manpower and Transport implemented.	
			5 A A C Coy will supervise and allot work to HQ Tpt Section under supervision of D A D T.	
			2. Disbandment of - 1 Pl 8 Aust Aux H T Coy will be completed by Fri Jun 29. 1945.	
	29 Jun	1700	A Lecture by A E S representative was given on A M F Census.	

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JUNE - LIST OF RETURNS - WAR DIARY

1. Summary of Ration Entitlements & Issues, Week ended 26 May 45.
2. Expense Stores - Provisioning.
3. Ration Strength.
4. Summary of Ration Entitlements & Issues, week ended 2 Jun 45.
5. Ration Strength
6. Summary of Ration Entitlements & Issues, week ended 9 Jun 45.
7. Ration Strength.
8. Census of Warlike Stores as at 20/6/45.
9. Summary of Ratn Ent. & Iss. week ended 18 Jun 45.
10. Ration Strength, week ended 16 Jun 45.
11. Summary Ratn Ent. & Iss. week ended 23 Jun 45.
12. Ration Strength - week ending 23 Jun 45.
13. Location of Units and Allocation of Unit Strength as at 28 Jun 45.
14. Petrol Ration Tickets Issued during June 1945.

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

WEEK ENDED 26 May 1945

S Aust. L OF C AREA/FORMATION Keswick SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			26845	26642	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3391	3327	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2374	2375	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12905	12900	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	45515	45244	
RAAF				26680	C
WAAAF				5550	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS					C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		77474	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

CERTIFIED THAT RATIONS ISSUED ARE IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFs W3810 AND RECEIPTED COPIES OF UNIT FORMS AB 55

_____ DFO REP

_____ SUPPLY OFFICER

DATE _____ 19____

NB: LARGE VARIATIONS FROM FIGURES SHOWN ON RETURN FOR PREVIOUS WEEK ARE TO BE EXPLAINED IN RELEVANT SECTION IN BODY OF THIS FORM.

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Ration Entitlements and Issues to AMF AANS AWAS AAMWS PW and Internees as per AFs W3810 Submitted by Units

Week Ended 26 May 1945

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALES							
D I D Keswick	16580	16415					
Pt Pirie	2128	2156					
Barmera	3403	3335					
Terowie	2514	2525					
Smithfield	692	692					
Gladstone	379	377					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefld	350	360					
III Con Dep Strath	650	640					
PW Staff Morgan	79	72					
CHQ Woodside	70	70					
Tumby Bay							
	26845	26642					
A M F FEMALES							
D I D Keswick	3232	3165					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefld	159	162					
	3391	3327					
INTERNEES							
Japs Barmera	12905	12900					
R A A F							
D I D Keswick		10400					
Mallala		7300					
Smithfield		385					
Vic Harbor		1980					
Pt Pirie		6430					
AOS Oodnadatta		143					
Group 470		42					
5 MRU Mt Barker							
		26680					
W A A A F							
D I D Keswick		2040					
Pt Pirie		1030					
Mallala		1400					
Smithfield		590					
Vic Harbor		490					
		5550					
P.W. Italians							
Smithfield	1534	1535					
Morgan	840	840					
	2374	2375					
TOTAL							

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War Diary

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EXPENSE STORES - PROVISIONING.

Month ended 31 May 45. S Aust L of C Area.

Rf LHQ Mema 90192 of 3 Jul 44 and 123371 of 6 Sep 44.

Unit/Animal	Unit of Reference	Number.
Armd Units	No. of Personnel	Nil
AEME "	" "	195
AASC Workshop Personnel	" "	48
Animals - Donkeys	" Animals	Nil
Horses	" "	262
Anti-Malarial Control Units	" Units	Nil
Hospital Laundries	" "	"
Mobile Bath Units	" "	"
" Laundries	" "	"
Static Laundries	" "	"
Wheeled Vehics.(MT)	" Vehicles	468 M/Cs
" " "	" "	763 Other Vehics
BIPOD - Drum Handling etc	" Personnel	NIL
Aust Fd Butchering Coys	" "	"
Aust Sup Dep Coys - Meat Handling	" "	8
" Dental Units	" Units	2 Sections
		1 Reft.Pool

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending 26 May 45.

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	486	-	-	-	-	-	1843	2329	
Gladstone	1	54	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	Inc 5 AACC
Keswick	33	2368	461	1485	291	-	-	-	4605	2063
Largs										
Mallala	2	-	-	1042	200	-	-	-	1242	
Pt Pirie	5	304	-	918	147	-	-	-	1369	408
Smithfield	6	98	-	55	84	219	-	-	456	
Terowie	2	359	-	-	-	-	-	-	359	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	282	70	-	-	-	352	
Whyalla										
Pt Lincoln	1	-	-	- 7	-	-	-	-	- 7	
				SINGLE INDENTING UNITS						
Morgan	2	11	-	-	-	120	-	-	131	
Pt Wakefield	2	70	22	-	-	-	-	-	92	
Strathalbyn	1	92	-	-	-	-	-	-	92	
Woodside	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	
Oodnadatta	1	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	20	
									11,118	2471

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

V D C HQ Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C 17	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton		15	Mt Barker	49	
Bordertown	53		Morgan	275	
Clare	56		Naracoorte	44	
Gawler			Prospect		
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	88		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	64	44	Sandy Creek		
Mt Gambier	80	22	Tumby Bay Unley	88	
Mt Pleasant	13		Willunga		
Maitland	88		Wudinna		51

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

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WEEK ENDED 2 Jun 1945

S Aust L OF C AREA/FORMATION Keswick SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			27708	27493	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3366	3195	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2505	2456	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12846	12840	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	46425	46014	
RAAF				26295	C
WAAAF				5350	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				7	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		77666	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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_____ SUPPLY OFFICER
A.D.S.& T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area

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Ration Entitlements and Issues to AMF AANS AWAS AAMWS PW and Internees as per AFs W3810 Submitted by Units

Week Ended 2 Jun 1945

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALES							
D I D Keswick	16038	15930					
Port Pirie	2779	2757					
Terowie	3135	3124					
Barmera	3471	3415					
Smithfield	673	699					
P&E Sec. Pt Wkfld	371	360					
111 Con Dep Strath	679	710					
Gladstone	351	351					
Tumby Bay							
CHQ Woodside	73	70					
P W Staff, Morgan	78	77					
	27708	27493					
A M F FEMALES							
D I D Keswick	3206	3040					
P & E Sec Pt Wkfld	160	155					
	3366	3195					
INTERNEES							
Japs Barmera	12846	12840					
RAAF							
D I D Keswick		10010					
Port Pirie		5530					
Smithfield		395					
Vic Harbor		2025					
Mallala		8150					
AOB Oodnadatta		143					
Group 470		42					
		26295					
WA A A F							
D I D Keswick		2050					
Vic Harbor		490					
Mallala		1400					
Smithfield		810					
Port Pirie		800					
		5550					
P W ITALIANS							
Smithfield	1637	1621					
Morgan	868	865					
	2505	2486					
CIVILIANS							
Morgan	7	7					
Oodnadatta							
	7	7					
TOTAL							

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending ..2 Jun 45

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	495	-	-	-	-	-	1835	2330	
Gladstone	1	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	
Keswick	29	2299	458	1430	292	-	-	-	4479	inc 5 AACC 3635
Largs										
Mallala 6 SFTS	2	-	1164	200	-	-	-	-	1364	
Pt Pirie	5	397	-	790	114	-	-	-	1301	
Smithfield	6	95	-	56	87	233	-	-	471	
Terowie	2	447	-	-	-	-	-	-	447	
Victor Hbr	2	-	289	70	-	-	-	-	359	
Whyalla										
Pt Lincoln Grp 470	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	7	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Morgan	2	(inc 1 civilian) 12	-	-	-	124	-	-	136	
Pt Wakefield	2	53	22	-	-	-	-	-	75	17 males down
Strathalbyn	1	97	-	-	-	-	-	-	97	
Woodside	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	
Oodnadatta	1	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	20	
									11146	3635

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
V D C		21			
Alberton		6	Mt Barker	60	
Bordertown	46		Morgan	44	
Clare	96		Naracoorte	80	
Gawler			Prospect		
Kadina		26	Port Pirie		
Lameroo	80		Strathalbyn		14
Murray Bridge	70		Sandy Creek		
Mt Gambier	310	20	Tumby Bay Unley	6	
Mt Pleasant	60		Willunga		
Maitland	46		Wudinna		

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WEEK ENDED 9 Jun 1945

S Aust **L OF C AREA/FORMATION** Keswick **SUPPLY DEPOT**

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			26441	26165	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3450	3260	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2685	2598	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12342	12785	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	45418	44808	
RAAF				25570	C
WAAAF				5220	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				7	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		75605	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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Major,
D.A.A.G. & T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area.
SUPPLY OFFICER

DATE 16 JUN 1945 19

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Week Ended 9 Jun 19 45

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALE							
D I D Keswick	16045	15855					
Barmera	3411	3405					
Pt Pirie	2265	2253					
Terowie	2411	2416					
Smithfield	750	719					
Gladstone	210	210					
P&E Sec. Pt Wkfld	336	335					
CHQ Woodside	76	75					
PW Staff Morgan	267	255					
111 Con Dep Strath	670	640					
	26441	26165					
A M F FEMALES							
D I D Keswick	3288	3095					
P&E Sec Pt Wkfld	162	165					
	3450	3260					
INTERNEES							
Japs Barmera	12842	12785					
R A A F							
D I D Keswick		9270					
Pt Pirie		5700					
Smithfield		390					
Vic Harbor		2125					
Mallala		7300					
Group 470		42					
Oodnadatta		143					
		28570					
W A A A F							
D I D Keswick		2020					
Pt Pirie		820					
Mallala		1300					
Vic Harbor		490					
Smithfield		599					
		5229					
P W Italians							
Morgan	864	868					
Smithfield	1821	1730					
	2685	2598					
Civilians							
Morgan	7	7					
Oodnadatta	-	-					
	7	7					
TOTAL							

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RATION STRENGTH War Diary

Week ending ... 9 June ..

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	487	-	-	-	-	-	1834	2321	
Gladstone	1	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	(Inc.5AACC)
Keswick	29	2292	469	1324	288	-	-	-	4373	4855
Largs										
6 SFTS Mallala	2	-	-	1148	185	-	-	-	1333	
Pt Pirie	5	323	-	812	117	-	-	-	1252	
Smithfield	6	170	-	55	84	260	-	-	569	
Terowie	2	344	-	-	-	-	-	-	344	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	303	70	-	-	-	373	
Whyalla										
Pt Lincoln (Grp 470)	-	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Morgan	2	38	-	-	-	123	-	-	161	
Pt Wakefield	2	48	23	-	-	-	-	-	71	
Strathalbyn	1	95	-	-	-	-	-	-	95	
Woodside	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	
Oodnadatta	1	-	-	20	-	-	-	-	20	
									10958	4855

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

Locality VDC HQ	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C 18	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton		14	Mt Barker	89	
Bordertown	47		Morgan		
Clare	40		Naracoorte	88	
Gawler			Prospect		
Kadina		13	Port Pirie		
Lameroo	139		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	91	44	Sandy Creek		
Mt Gambier	134	39	Unley		
Mt Pleasant	2		Willunga	88	
Maitland	57		Wudinna		26

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CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/6/1945

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4138	6,000 M/Cycle Solo		6,020 Cars D S		6022A Cars 6 Seater Utility		6030A Truck 15 cwt 4 x 2 G. S.		6030C Vans 1 ton G.S.		6030E Vans 15 cwt G.S.		6030F Vans 12 cwt G.S.		6035A Truck 15 cwt 4 x 2 AALMG		6062 Lorries 30 cwt G.S.		6065 Trucks 3 ton G.S.		6065E Lorries 3 ton G.S.	
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
8 Aux H T Coy											1	IV 1										
5 Aust Amb Car Coy	1	II 1	9	II 1							1	- -	-	II 1								
147 Aust Gen Tpt Coy(AIF)	31	II 13 III 3 IV 7 23			1	II 1				II 2 IV 5 7	11	II 8 III 1 IV 8 17			3					III 1	99	II 44 IV 47 91
HQ 14 Aust Sup Dep Coy including 83 to 87 Pls.										IV 2	7	IV 1						IV 1			7	IV 2

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CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/ /194

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4138	6075 Lorries 7 ton Semi-Trlr		6082 Trailer 4 wheeled 3 ton GS		6090 Trucks 3 ton Kitchen		6091 Lorries 30 cwt Kitchen		6093 Trailer 4 wheeled Cooker		6115 Trucks 3 ton water		6116 Lorries water 200 gals		6125 Trucks 3 ton Stores		6125B Lorries 3 ton Stores		6132 Lorries 3 ton B/down		6134 Trucks 3 ton B/down	
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
147 Aust G T Coy	10	I 6 II 1 III 2 IV 1 10		I 9 III 1 10	1	- -			1	I 1	5	- -	-	I 2			4	I 4	2	I 2		
HQ 14 Aust Sup Dep Coy							-	IV 1														

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CONSOLIDATED CENSUS OF WARLIKE STORES.

AS AT 20/6/1945

A.A.F. E.5—40. (Revised Oct., 1942.)

DESCRIPTION OF STORES. A.H.M.—4/43—B4128	6136 Trucks 3 ton Garage		6136A Lorries 3 ton Garage		6137 Trucks 3 ton Machinery		6137B Lorries 3 ton Machinery		6362 Trucks Ambulance		6365 Ambulance Panel 4 Berth		6366 Ambulance Indian Army Type		6386 Trucks 15 cwt Fire Bde.		6460 Trailer 2 wheeled Fire Pump A R P					
UNIT.	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD	EST.	HELD
5 Aust Amb Car Coy										II 2	5	II 3	15	II 11								
										IV 1		IV 2		IV 1								
										3		5		12								
147 Aust Gen Tpt Coy (AIF)			3	I 1			2	I 1														
				II 1																		
				IV 1																		
				3																		
HQ 14 Aust Sup Dep Coy																I 1	-	I 1				

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WEEK ENDED 16 Jun 1945

S Aust L OF C AREA/FORMATION Keswick SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			26348	25803	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3427	3341	P
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN	2751	2771	C/I
		JAPANESE			
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12536	12830	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	45362	44745	
RAAF				26710	C
WAAAF				5370	P
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				7	Y
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		76832	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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Week Ended 16 Jun 19 45

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F Males							
D I D Keswick	16074	15559					
Pt Pirie	2210	2208					
Terowie	2471	2461					
Barmera	3398	3375					
Smithfield	741	744					
P&E Sec.Pt Wakefld	328	330					
Gladstone	251	250					
111 Con Dep.Strath	701	700					
P W Staff Morgan	78	76					
CHQ Woodside	97	100					
	26348	25803					
A M F Females							
D I D Keswick	3265	3180					
P & E Sec Pt Wkfld	162	161					
	3427	3341					
R A A F							
D I D Keswick		9720					
Smithfield		375					
Pt Pirie		6045					
Mallala		8250					
Vic Harbor		2145					
Group 470		42					
Oodnadatta		133					
		26710					
W A A A F							
D I D Keswick		1940					
Pt Pirie		960					
Vic Harbor		490					
Mallala		1400					
Smithfield		580					
		5370					
Internees							
Japs, Barmera	12836	12830					
P W. Italians							
Morgan	850	846					
Smithfield	1901	1925					
	2751	2771					
Civilians							
Morgan	7	7					
Oodnadatta	-	-					
	7	7					
TOTAL							

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending 16 Jun 45

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	485	-	-	-	-	-	1833	2318	
Gladstone	1	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	Inc. 5 AACC
Keswick	29	2296	466	1388	277	-	-	-	4427	3805
Largs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Mallala	2	-	-	1178	200	-	-	-	1378	
Pt Pirie	5	315	-	863	136	-	-	-	1314	
Smithfield	6	105	-	53	82	271	-	-	511	
Terowie	2	353	-	-	-	-	-	-	353	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	306	70	-	-	-	376	
Whyalla	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Pt Lincoln Grp 470	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Morgan	2	11	-	-	-	120	-	-	131	
Pt Wakefield	2	46	23	-	-	-	-	-	69	
Strathalbyn	1	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	100	
Woodside	1	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	
Oodnadatta	1	-	-	19	-	-	-	-	19	
									11050	3805

PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.

Locality VDC HQ	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C 14	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
Alberton		8	Mt Barker	6	
Bordertown	120		Morgan	44	
Clare	3		Naracoorte		
Gawler			Prospect		
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	46		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	1		Sandy Creek	7½	
Mt Gambier	198		Tumby Bay Unley	88	
Mt Pleasant	74		Willunga	56	
Maitland	3		Wudinna		18

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SUMMARY OF RATION ENTITLEMENTS AND ISSUES

WEEK ENDED 23 Jun 1945

S AUST L OF C AREA/FORMATION _____ SUPPLY DEPOT

PERSONNEL			ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	RATION SCALE
AMF			25727	25374	C
AANS AWAS AAMWS			3393	3416	F
PW		GERMAN			
		ITALIAN			
		JAPANESE	2794	2755	C/I
		OTHERS			
INTERNEES	GERMAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	ITALIAN	MALE			
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
	JAPANESE	MALE	12826	12805	C/J
		FEMALE			
		CHILDREN			
		TOTAL	44740	44350	
RAAF				25575	C
WAAAF				5410	F
RAN					
WRANS					
UK/DOMINION FORCES					
US FORCES					
OTHER ALLIED FORCES					
CCC					
GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES					
CIVILIANS				7	C
NATIVES					
ABORIGINES					
CHINESE					
JAVANESE					
		TOTAL DID ISSUES		75342	
FOR RECONCILIATION PURPOSES ONLY		ISSUES TO FORMATIONS			
		TOTAL RATIONS ISSUED			

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MAJOR
A.D.S.&T. 8 Aust. L. of C. Area SUPPLY OFFICER

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Week Ended 23 Jun 45 19

UNIT	CURRENT WEEK				PROGRESSIVE OVERDRAWALS		REMARKS
	ENTITLEMENTS	ISSUES	UNDER DRAWALS	OVER DRAWALS	BROUGHT FORWARD FROM LAST WEEK	CARRIED FORWARD TO NEXT WEEK	
A M F MALES							
D I D Keswick	16014	15660					
Terowie	2445	2457					
Barmera	3280	3295					
Pt Pirie	1947	1939					
Gladstone	131	126					
P&E Sec Pt Wkfld	331	330					
Smithfield	673	666					
P W Staff Morgan	68	66					
111 Con Dep.Strath	728	730					
CHQ Woodside	110	105					
	25727	25374					
A M F Females							
D I D Keswick	3101	3130					
P&E Sec Pt Wakefield	146	143					
	3247	3273					
P W Italians							
Morgan	825	825					
Smithfield	1969	1930					
	2794	2755					
Internees							
Japs Barmera	12826	12805					
R A A F							
D I D Keswick		8365					
Smithfield		390					
Port Pirie		6960					
Victor Harbor		1895					
Mallala		7800					
Group 470		42					
Oodnadatta		123					
		25575					
W A A A F							
D I D Keswick		1920					
Smithfield		560					
Victor Harbor		470					
Mallala		1400					
Pt Pirie		1060					
		5410					
Civilians							
Morgan		7					
TOTAL							

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RATION STRENGTH

Week ending .. 23 Jun 45

D I D	No. Unit Served	ARMY Male	ARMY Female	RAAF Male	RAAF Female	P O W Italian	P O W German	P O W Jap	Total	Petrol issued gallon
Barmera	9	465	-	-	-	-	-	1832	2297	
Gladstone	1	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	
Keswick	29	2187	443	1195	274	-	-	-	4099	inc. 5AACC 3805
Largs										
Mallala	2	-	-	1114	200	-	-	-	1314	
Pt Pirie	5	278	-	994	151	-	-	-	1423	
Smithfield	6	96	-	55	80	281	-	-	512	
Terowie	2	349	-	-	-	-	-	-	349	
Victor Hbr	2	-	-	270	66	-	-	-	336	
Whyalla										
Port Lincoln	1	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	6	
SINGLE INDENTING UNITS										
Morgan	2	9	-	-	-	117	-	-	126	
Pt Wakefield	2	47	20	-	-	-	-	-	67	
Strathalbyn	1	104	-	-	-	-	-	-	104	
Woodside	1	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	
OOdnadatta	1	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	17	
PETROL ISSUES P.W.C.C and V.D.C.									10683	3805

Locality	Gallons issued P.W.C.C	Gallons issued V.D.C	Locality	Gallons issued P W C C	Gallons issued V D C
V D C HQ		14			
Alberton		8	Mt Barker	6	
Bordertown	120		Morgan	44	
Clare	3		Naracoorte		
Gawler			Prospect		
Kadina			Port Pirie		
Lameroo	46		Strathalbyn		
Murray Bridge	1		Sandy Creek		
Mt Gambier	198		Tumby Bay Uniley	7½ 88	
Mt Pleasant	74		Willunga	56	
Maitland	3		Wudinna		18

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LOCATION OF UNITS AND ALLOCATION OF UNIT STRENGTH

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AUTHORITY L.H.Q. MEMOS S M2830 of 17 Mar '44 DATE: as at 28 Jun 45

	Offs	O/Rs	147 A.G.T. Coy	8 Aux. H.T. Coy	Petrol Section	5 AACC	14 Aust Sup Dep & Coy & Pls 81 & 83-88	33 Aust Fd Bakery	Remarks
BARMERA	1	16					1 - 16		D I D
BERWICK	5	85	1			1 - 23	4 - 61		HQ Coy. D I D
LOVEDAY		9				2		7	Fd Bakery
MALLALA		3					3		RAAF D I D
MILE END		4					4		Veg. Section
MORGAN		1				1			P W Hostel
NORTHFIELD		2				2			121 A G H
PLYMPTON	7	209	7 - 209						HQ A G T Coy
PORT PIRIE		9	2				7		D I D
PORT ADELAIDE		1					1		A S D Store
SMITHFIELD	4	59	4			1	4 - 54		A S D Store D I D
SPRINGBANK		1	1						105 A G H
STRATHALBYN		1				1			Com Depot
TERONIE		7	1			1	5		A S D
THORNTON PARK		1	1						123 A G H
VIC HARBOUR		2					2		D I D. R A A F
WARRADALE		2	2						29 Works Coy
WAYVILLE		3	3						HQ RR & GHD
HOSPITAL		27	19				8		
TRAVELLING									
SCHOOLS		10	9				1		
LEAVE	3	30	3 - 28				2		
L W O P		3	3						
	20	485	10 - 283	-	-	1 - 31	9 - 164	7	

Attach. 29 Emp Coy.

Smithfield - [illegible] 14

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A.D.S.& T. S. Aust. L. of C. Area.

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"PLAIN" PETROL RATION TICKETS ISSUED DURING 1945 - S AUST L OF C AREA

Name of Person issued with tickets	No. of consumer's licence	Reg No. of Vehicle	Circumstances under which tickets were issued	Summary of tickets issued				Totals Galls
				One Gall.	Two Gall.	Five Gall.	Ten Gall.	
VDC HQ S Aust L of C Area	-	-	For issue to VDC Units	2700	-	-	-	2,700
Dept of Army Insp. Div.	-	-	Official Duties	-	2	-	-	4
" " " "	-	-	" "	-	8	-	-	16
SA L of C Intellig.	-	-	" "	15	-	-	-	15
Capt. Morice (Int.)	-	-	For issue to MRO's (Ref LHQ MIS 2561-16/6/280)	20	-	-	-	20
Lt-Col Joyner (DADDS)	S/35307	117658	Official Duties of DADDS	6	-	-	-	6
H H Coles	3/76	43823	Chaplain duties	8	-	-	-	8
Mrs Dutton	B10876	188-646	Hospital Duties (Garden work)	12	-	-	-	12
R A Warner	2071	194472	Sanitation duties - Sandy Creek	-	1	3	-	17
Army Education Offer	-	-	Lectures, Film Operators, Private Veh.	70	-	-	-	70
Major Broadbent	B.4994	3224	Official Duties	20	-	-	-	20
P W C C S.3	-	-	Conveyance of PWs to Church	70	-	-	-	70
P W C C S.4	-	-	Church Service & carriage of sick P Ws	40	-	-	-	40
Lieut. Dabovich	-	-	" " " " "	32	-	-	-	32
P W C C S.7	-	-	Conveyance of PWs for Medical Visits	35	-	-	-	35
P W C C S.10	-	-	" " " "	35	-	-	-	35
Amenities Officer	-	-	Conveyance of Pictures Concert Parties Etc.	90	30	30	-	300
W V Ray	S/36690	58377	Official Visitor, Trip to Loveday	5	-	3	-	20
F J Lommen	B.6881	13088	Chaplains Duties	-	12	-	-	24
Recruiting Staff	-	-	Official Duties	20	20	20	-	160
Prof Kerr Grant	P.8942	144331	" "	6	-	-	-	6
J C Schmidt	S/32753	SA203569	" " Invention Directorate	3	-	-	-	3
Mr. R. G. Bastian	P.37498	84728	Orchestra Leader, Conveyance of Band	7	-	-	-	7
Capt. A R Cross, PWCC	S.2 -	-	Conv. PWs to Church	15	-	-	-	15
			Carried Forward	3209	73	56	-	3635

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"PLAIN" PETROL RATION TICKETS ISSUED DURING JUNE 1945 - S AUST L OF C AREA

Name of Person issued with tickets	No. of consumer's licence	Reg No. of Vehicle	Circumstances under which tickets were issued	Summary of tickets issued				Totals Galls
				One Gall.	Two Gall.	Five Gall.	Ten Gall.	
			B/F	3209	73	56		3635
P W C C S.8	-	-	Med. & Dent.Treatment - P Ws	75				75
J D Williams, Capt.	E.19178	123.883	DFO Investigations	-	40	-	-	80
J James	B.11090	106.967	Official Duties	-	3	-	-	6
P W C C S.1	-	-	P W Church & Med. Services	60	-	-	-	60
Chaplain W J Bustelli	F.32918	141834	Chaplains Duties	-	5	5	-	35
" Conlan E J	A.10599	15524	" "	10	20	-	-	50
" Barry V	F.37435	105479	" "	-	15	-	-	30
Coleman C L	B.6562	6113	Conveying AAPC Orchestra	2	-	-	-	2
P W C C S.8	-	-	" PW's Church Service	120	-	-	-	120
P W C C S.13	-	-	" Priests to Hostels for Mass	10	-	-	-	10
Pengelley T J	V.21218	75766	Official Duties	4	-	-	-	4
P W C C S.7	-	-	Conveying P Ws to Church	35	-	-	-	35
Col. Sr Staff.Hicks	138253	154-790	Official Duties	4	-	-	-	4
5 Aust Amb Car Coy.	-	-	Use of Ambulances (Emerg.Country Runs)	-	30	-	-	60
Inspection Division	-	-	Official Duties	2	4			10
Major Jones L P M	F.35523	88686	" "	-	1	-	-	2
VDC HQ S A L of C	-	-	" "	2700	-	-	-	2700
Dept. Army Inspec.Br.	-	-	" "	-	1	-	-	2
P W C C S.11	-	-	" "	40	-	-	-	40
Mr B J Lower	3/40601	181407	Orchestra Leader (Unit Ball)	6	-	-	-	6
J C Schmidt	3/32753	SA203569	Official Duties	3	-	-	-	3
Col. LeMessurier	B.8858	130357	" "	3	-	-	-	3
R A Warner	2071	194472	Sanitation Duties, Sandy Creek	2	-	3	-	17
Chaplain Bustelli J W	F.32918	141834	Chaplains Duties	-	2	2	-	14
Mr W C Gillespie	F.32373	SA96078	Chrmn Compensation Brd	-	5	-	-	10
Major Morris W R C	55161	1550	Official Duties,(DADMS)	6	-	-	-	6
Major Wotton	3/40575	18571	" "	3	-	-	-	3
Chaplain Blanchard	JR 3/3560	184-674	Senior Chaplains Duties	2	-	-	-	2
				6296	199	66	-	7024

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