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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTOn Strat, 271433	1 May 43 Saturday	0630	WEATHER - Clear and cool.	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 8 Offrs 39 O/Rs Detached 1 Offr 3 O/Rs	
		0640	TRG - P & RT	
		0830	Inspection Pde - SD & RE	
		0845-1030	D & M Trg	
		1030	Veh maintenance by MT pers - remainder pers on routine fwd area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER - Overcast and cool.	
		1400	ADM - Field Returns W3008, W3009 issued	
		1445	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/Maj MT, Capt.R.B.MAYNE departed for duty at HQ 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) regarding transfer vehicles. Capt.M.D.McDONALD returned to 18 AUST COY AASC for 1 month field trg.	
		1500	SUPS - Average daily consumption for 2 AUST DIV UNITS, week ending 1 May 43 = 13,289. P.O.L. - Average daily consumption for 2 AUST DIV UNITS, week ending 1 May 43 = 4,186 galls with proportionate oils P.O.L. - HQ consumption for week ending 1 May 43 - Drawn - Petrol = 142 galls DD 40 = 32 pints Issued (own vehs) - Petrol = 130 galls DD 40 = 12 pints DD 60 = 5 pints Issued (outside) - Petrol = 14 galls DD 60 = 2 pints Total mileage covered by HQ vehs, week ending 1 May 43 = 1,826 miles	
		1930-2200	TRG - Recce patrols	
		2100	WEATHER - Raining, unsettled.	

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Appx No. 1

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	2 May 43 Sunday	0630 0630 0640 0830 0930 1030 1200 1400 1500 2100	WEATHER - Fine and cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 37 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 4 O/Rs TRG - Organised games Church Pde - Service conducted by S.A. ref. Mr.J.NICHOLSON Church Pde for R.C.personnel in HQ 2 AUST DIV (AIF) lines conducted by Major COSGROVE. Veh maintenance by MT pers - remainder pers on routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine, cool breeze. Repair and maintenance of clothing and equipment Washing Pde Organised Sport ADM - Routine Order, Serial No.20 issued. WEATHER - Clear and cold.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No.2
" " "	3 May 43 Monday	0630 0630 0640 0830 0830 0845- 1030 1030 1200 1845- 2100 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cool breeze. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 38 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 4 O/Rs TRG - Cross Country run. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Six personnel marched out to D.& M.School, 17 AUST COY AASC. D & M Trg. Veh maintenance by MT pers - remainder pers on routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine, cool wind. TRG - Practical instruction - establishment and functions of PP and SP WEATHER - Fine, cold.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	4 May 43 Tuesday	0630 0630 0630 0830 0845- 1030 1030 1200 2100	WEATHER - Fine and clear. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 37 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 10 O/Rs TRG - P & RT Inspection Pde - SD & RE D & M Trg Veh maintenance by MT pers - remainder pers on routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine and warm. WEATHER - Fine, cool breeze	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	5 May 43 Wednesday	0630 0630 0640 0830 0845- 1030 1030 1200 1600 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cool breeze. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 37 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 10 O/Rs TRG - Organised games Inspection Pde - SD & RE D & M Trg Veh maintenance by MT pers - remainder pers on routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine and cool ADM - Routine Order, Serial No.21 issued. WEATHER - Fine, cold wind.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No.3
" " "	6 May 43 Thursday	0630 0630 0640 0830 0845- 1030 1030 1200 2100	WEATHER - Clear and cold. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 37 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 10 O/Rs TRG - P & RT Inspection Pde - SD & RE Bren Gun instruction Veh maintenance by MT pers - remainder pers on routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine, hot. WEATHER - Clear, mild.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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IN THE FIELD. Ref GERALDTON STRAT - 271433	7 May	0630	WEATHER - Fine & Warm STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Officers 36 O/Ranmks. Detached 2 " 11 "	
		0640	TRAINING - Cross Country Run	
		0730	VEHICLE STRENGTH DECREASE - 2 x 1 Ton Int. transferred to 124 Aust Gen Tot. Coy by rail ex GERALDTON.	
		0830	TRAINING - Inspection Pde - S.D. & R.E. OFFICERS' MOVEMENTS. A/CAASC Maj. A. LEWIS departed for visit to 18 Aust Coy.	
		0845	TRAINING - Bren Gun Instruction	
		1030	Vehicle Maintenance by MT personnsl remainder pers on routine fwd. area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER - Hot, Sultry.	
		1530	OFFICERS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC Maj. A. LEWIS arrived 8 Bde Area.	
		2100	WEATHER - Clear, warm.	
		2300	OFFICERS' MOVEMENTS - Capt. R.B. MAYNE returns from tour of duty.	
	8 May	0630	WEATHER - Warm & fine STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Officers 35 O/Ranks. Detached 2 " 11 "	
		0640	TRAINING - P & R.T.	
		0830	Inspection Pde. S.D. & R.E.	
		0845	Bren Gun	
		1030	Vehicle Maintenance by M.T. pers. remainder pers. on routine fwd. area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER Fine & hot.	
		1400	ADM. Field Returns W.3008, W3009 despatched to D.R.O.	(Appendix 4)
			Sups. Average Daily Rations issued 2 Aust Div week ending 8 May 43, 13,046.	
			P.O.L. Average daily consumption POL for 2 Aust Div week ending 8 May 43 - 4,227 with proportionate oils.	
		1900) 2130)	TRAINING.- Night Exercise - Recce patrols, Protective Patrols, silent movement.	
		2100	WEATHER - Warm.	

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IN THE FIELD-Ref GERALDTON STRAT 271433	May, 9	0630	WEATHER - Cool, overcast. STRENGTH Available for Pde 5 Officers 35 O/Ranks Detached 2 " 11 "	
		0640	TRAINING Organized Sport	
		0830	Inspection parade S.D. & R.E. Vehicle Maintenance by M.T. personnel remainder on routine Fwd area maintenance.	
		1015	OFFICERS MOVEMENTS A/CAASC Major, A.LEWIS arrived at 2 Bde Area.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		1200	WEATHER Cloudy & Cool	
		1400	Washing Pde-Maintenance of personal effects & equipment Organized Sport.	
		1800	Officers Movements - A/CAASC Arrived PERTH.	
		2045	Capt. Ross evacuated MDS	
		2100	WEATHER Cool - Clear.	
	May, 10	0630	WEATHER Fine Cold STRENGTH. Available for Pde 4 Officers 35 O/Ranks. Detached 3 " 11 "	
		0640	TRAINING Cross Country Run	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		0830	Inspection Pde - S.D. & R.E.	
		0845	Bren Gun	
		1030	Vehicle Maintenance by MT personnel remainder pers. on routine fwd. area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER Fine Cold Wind	
		1500	ADM. Routine Order Serial No. 22 issued	Appendix 5
		2100	WEATHER Find Cold	
	May, 11	0630	WEATHER. Find, Cold Wind STRENGTH Available for Pde. 4 Officers 36 O/Ranks Detached 3 " 11 "	
		0640	TRAINING P & R.T.	
		0830	Inspection Parade S.D. & R.E.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		0900	OFFICERS MOVEMENTS. A/AASC Departed PERTH.	
		0930	TRAINING. Bren Gun Instruction.	
		1030	Vehicle maintenance by M.T. personnel remainder pers. on routine fwd area duties.	

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IN THE FIELD - Ref GERALDTON STRA T 271433	May, 11 (Continued)	1200	WEATHER. Fine Warm Windy	
		1530	OFFICERS MOVEMENTS. A/AASC arrived 8 Bde Area.	
		2100	WEATHER. Fine, warm.	
	May, 12	0630	WEATHER. Fine & Mild STRENGTH Available for Pde. 5 Officers 37 O/Ranks Detached 3 " 10 "	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		0640	TRAINING. Organized games.	
		0830	Inspection Pde. S.D. & R.E.	
		0845	Bren Gun Instruction	
		1030	Vehicle maintenance by MT pers. remainder pers on routine rwd area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER. Fine, Warm	
		1400	MEDICAL. Innoculation of personnel at 5 Aust Fd Amb.	
		1850	OFFRS MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC returns ex visit 18 & 22 AUST COYS and DDST 3 AUST CORPS (AIF)	
		2100	WEATHER - Fine & Cool	
	May, 13	0630	WEATHER. Fine & Cool STRENGTH Available for Pde 6 Officers 38 O/Ranks. Detached 2 " 9 "	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		0640	TRAINING Cross Country Run.	
		0830	Inspection Pde. S.D. & R.E.	
		0845	Bren Gun Instruction	
		1030	Vehicle Maintenance by MT Pers. remainder on routine fwd area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER. Fine & Mild	
		2100	Fine, cool wind	
	May, 14	0630	WEATHER. Fine & Mild STRENGTH Available for pde 7 Officers 38 O/Ranks 2 " 9 "	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		0640	TRAINING P & R.T.	
		0830	Inspection Pde. S.D. & R.E.	
		0845	Bren Gun Trg.	
		1030	Vehicle maintenance by M.T. Pers. remainder on routine fwd area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER Fine & Warm.	
		2100	Fine, cool wind	

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IN THE FIELD ref GERALDTON STRAT 271433	15 MAY	0630	WEATHER. Fine & Cool STRENGTH Available for parade 6 Officers 38 O/Ranks. Detached 2 " 9 "	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
		0640	TRAINING P & R.T.	
		0830	Inspection Parade SD & RD	
		0845	Bren Gun Instruction	
		1030	Vehicle maintenance MT Pers. remainder pers routine fwd area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER Fine & Warm.	
		1400	ADM. Field returns W.3008-W3009 despatched to DRO	
		1700	OFFICERS MOVEMENTS. Capt. M.McDonald M/I attached - ex 18 Aust Coy AASC	(Appendix 6)
		1900	PERSONNEL. Advice received of death in hospital of CAO Capt. C.W.RICHARDS.	
		2100	WEATHER. Fine, clear, warm. ADM. Sups. Average daily Rations issued week ending 15 May, 11609 rations. POL Average daily POL issued week ending 15 May, 4167 Galls.	
	16 MAY	0630	WEATHER Fine & Mild STRENGTH Available for parade 8 officers 39 O/Ranks. Detached 2 " 9 "	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
		0840	TRAINING - Church Parade	
		0900	Washing Parade	
		1200	WEATHER Fine & Warm	
		1400	Training Organized Sport - Maintenance personnaleffects-Mobile pictures attended at 17 Coy by H.Q. personnel. (ARL)	
		1500	OFFICERS MOVEMENTS. A/AASC Major Lewis (duty) Capt Pilgrim departed by car for PERTH.	
		2100	WEATHER Fine, clear, cool.	

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	17 May 43 Monday	0630 0630 0640 0830 0845- 1030 1100 1200 1600 2030 2100	WEATHER - Fine and cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 32 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt. A.G. WALES Inspection Pde - SD & RE Bren Gun Instn OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Adm Comd 2 Aust Div AASC, Major A.LEWIS and Adjt, Capt.T.G.PILGRIM attended funeral Capt.E.W.RICHARDS. WEATHER - Fine, cloudy - sultry. ADM - Routine Order, Serial No.23 issued. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Adm Comd 2 Aust Div AASC, Major A.LEWIS arrived DANDARAGAN. WEATHER - Clear, warm	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No.8
In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	18 May 43 Tuesday	0630 0630 0630 0640 0810 0830 0845- 1030 1200 1400- 1630 2100	WEATHER - Cloudy and warm - storm approaching from SW. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 32 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.M.D.McDONALD. P & RT WEATHER - Light rain commenced. TRG - Inspection Pde SD & RE Maintenance and Routine Fwd Area duties. WEATHER - Cloudy and showery. TRG - Fwd area duties WEATHER - Clear and cold.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	19 May 43 Wednesday	0630 0830 0845- 1030 1200 1830	WEATHER - Cloudy, cold. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 36 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 7 O/Rs TRG - Inspection Pde - SD & RE Checking of VOL and routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Adm Comd, 2 AUST DIV AASC, Major A.LEWIS returned from visit Coys and DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF)	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	20 May 43 Thursday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 1200 1500 2100	WEATHER - Fine and cold. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 38 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 5 O/Rs TRG - Inspection maintenance by Capt.R.B.MAYNE. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Veh maintenance and routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine and warm ADM - POL Instruction No.8 issued. WEATHER - Clear, cold.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No.9
" " "	21 May 43 Friday	0630 0630 0830 0845- 1200 1200 1400 1430 1500 2100	WEATHER - Fine and warm. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 37 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 5 O/Rs TRG - Inspection Pde - SD and RE Routine fwd area duties WEATHER - Fine and cool ADM - Routine Order, Serial 24 issued. Inspection vehs 17 AUST COY AASC - "B" Pl - by Capt.R.B.MAYNE, Adm Comd, 2 AUST DIV AASC, Major A.LEWIS interviewed applicants for commission 17 AUST COY AASC WEATHER - Fine and cold.	Appx No.10 (A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 27 1433	22 May 43 Saturday	0630 0630 0630 0830 1200 1200 1500 2100	WEATHER - Fine and cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 37 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 5 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance inspection by Capt.M.D.McDONALD Inspection Pde - SD & RE Veh maintenance WEATHER - Fine and warm ADM - Field returns, W3008, W3009 despatched to DRO SUBS - Average daily consumption for 2 AUST DIV units, week ending 22 May 43 = 11,444 POL - Average daily consumption for 2 AUST DIV UNITS week ending 22 May 43 = 3,785 galls with proportionate oils. WEATHER - Fine and cold	Appx No. 11 (A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	23 May 43 Sunday	0630 0630 0645 0815 0830 0945 1030	WEATHER - Cold but fine. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 37 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 5 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.R.B.MAYNE WEATHER - Light rain commenced. TRG - Checking of VOL and maintenance Church Pde - Padre WAUGH of 17 AUST COY AASC Checking of VOL and maintenance	

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	23 May 43 (Cont'd)	1045 1200 1400 2100	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Adm Comd, 2 AUST DIV AASC, Major A.LEWIS left by car for visit 18 and 22 AUST COY AASC. WEATHER - Showery and cold PERSONNEL - Sports afternoon - Rugby League game with 17 AUST COY AASC - HQ defeated 6 - nil WEATHER - Fine, cold.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	24 May 43 Monday	0630 0630 0645 0830 1200 1800 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cloudy STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 33 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 9 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.R.B.MAYNE Inspection Pde - SD & RE WEATHER - Cloudy and warm WEATHER - Heavy rain - strong winds Heavy rain - strong winds	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
" " "	25 May 43 Tuesday	0630 0630 0645 0830 1200 1400 2100 2300	WEATHER - Wet, cold STRENGTH - Available for pde 4 Offrs 33 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 9 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.M.D.McDONALD Inspection Pde - SD and RE WEATHER - Showery and cold ADM - Supply Instn 38 issued. WEATHER - Showery, cold OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Adm Comd, 2 AUST DIV AASC arrived by car from visit to Coys.	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No. 12
" " "	26 May 43 Wednesday	0630 0630 0645 0830	WEATHER - Fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 35 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 7 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.R.B.MAYNE Inspection Pde - SD & RE	

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 27 1433	26 May 43 (Cont'd)	1030 1100 1200 1500 2100	ADM - Visit by Lt-col.GOGGS, ADT (Tech) LHQ and Major THOMAS, 3 AUST CORPS - check of vehicles. Adm Comd, 2 AUST DIV AASC, Major A.LEWIS, A/Maj MT, Capt.R.B.MAYNE, ADT (Tech) LHQ left for visit 17 AUST COY AASC and inspection of vehs. WEATHER - Fine, cool. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Adm Comd, 2 AUST DIV AASC and A/Maj MT, Capt.R.B.MAYNE, left by car for visit 18 AUST COY AASC, 22 AUST COY AASC, DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) WEATHER - Fine, cold.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	27 May 43 Thursday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0900- 1200 1200 1600 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cold STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 34 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.M.D.McDONALD. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties WEATHER - Fine and cool ADM - Adm Instn No.4 issued. WEATHER - Fine and cool	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No.13
" " "	28 May 43 Friday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0900- 1200 1200 2100	WEATHER - Windy, fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 33 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.A.G.WALES. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Veh maintenance and routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine and cold WEATHER - Fine and cold	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 27 1433	29 May 43 Saturday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0900- 1000 1200 1400 1500 2100	WEATHER - Fine and cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 33 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.M.D.McDONALD Inspection Pde - SD & RE Instruction Tk/A Rifle, Boyes. WEATHER - Fine, cool, light breeze ADM - Field returns W3008, W3009 despatched DRO SUPS - Average daily consumption for 2 AUST DIV UNITS week ending 29 May 43 = 11,755 POL - Average daily consumption for 2 AUST DIV UNITS week ending 29 May 43 = 4,138 galls with proportionate oils. WEATHER - Fine and cold.	Appx No. 14 (A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	30 May 43 Sunday	0630 0630v 0830- 1200 1000	WEATHER - Fine, cold. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 33 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - VOL Check and Maintenance. Church Pde - Padre WAUGH	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271-433	30 May 43 (Cont'd)	1200 1400- 1700	WEATHER - Fine, cold. TRG - Washing and Sports Afternoon - HQ defeated at Rugby League 12 - Nil by 17 AUST COY AASC.	
" " "	31 May 43 Monday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 1200 1700 2100 2130	WEATHER - Fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 2 Offrs 31 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt. A.G. WALES Inspection Pde - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine and warm. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Capt. G.L. NEGUS M/I ex 22 AUST COY AASC DET. WEATHER - Fine, cold. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Adm Comd, 2 AUST DIV AASC, Major A. LEWIS and Capt MAINE M/I ex visit of Coys and DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF), incl inspection with Lt-Col GOGGS, ADT (Tech) LHQ.	(A. LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

Major A. LEWIS

ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

2 May 1943

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180. DISCS, IDENTITY AND BLOOD GROUPING.

A recent check showed that 25% of the patients passing through a Medical Inspection Centre were either not in possession of identity discs or were wearing discs on which the blood grouping had not been recorded.

Coy Comds are responsible that the blood group is stamped on the identity discs of all personnel. Discs are to be worn at all times and disciplinary action will be taken in future when instances of non-compliance with these orders are reported.

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181. CARE OF BOOTS.

Boots A/B and boots H/H are being worn out unnecessarily by the two pairs issued to each soldier being worn on alternate days. The result frequently is that boots are condemned owing to the soldiers reserve pair being repaired when the second pair also require attention.

New boots will be worn till they are broken in and then action will be taken to ensure that one pair only is worn continuously and the other pair is kept in reserve and only to be worn when the first pair are wet or otherwise unserviceable.

(2 Aust Div R/O 19/382)

182. ARMY DRESSING SHED - GERALDTON.

As from 24 Apr 43 an Army Dressing Shed will be available for use of Army personnel on beach at Geraldton. Shed is located adjacent to RAAF Dressing Shed and will be opened from 1200 to 1800 hrs daily.

(2 Aust Div R/O 19/396)

183. PHOTOGRAPHY - APPROVED PHOTOGRAPHERS.

Names of Photographers approved by HQ L of C Areas in accordance with GRO G.645/42 are as follows for WA L of C Area:

Kodaks Pty Ltd. and their agents
Tilley's Ltd and their agents.

It is advised that if personnel desire to send films out of their Coy area for processing, they may enquire through their respective Coys from HQ 2 Aust Div the name of approved photographers in any other L of C Area.

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184. REMOVAL OF RAILWAY SLEEPERS.

All Coys are warned against removing railway sleepers without authority, and OCs will warn all personnel that disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

(2 Aust Div R/O 19/413)

185. SHOOTING WITH SERVICE RIFLES.

It is still being brought to notice that some personnel are shooting with Service Rifles, evidently on rabbit expiditions, with dire results to valuable live stock.

Shooting of service firearms is strictly forbidden, except on duty, and disciplinary action will be taken against offenders. Steps will be taken by OCs to ensure that ammunition is properly safeguarded.

(2 Aust Div R/O 19/419)

186. MOTHERS DAY GREETINGS - TELEGRAMS.

To ensure delivery by 9 May 43, Mothers Day greetings telegrams will be lodged at respective Field Post Offices not later than 5 May 43.

(To be promulgated in Coy Routine Orders).

187. SCHOOLS AND COURSES.

The following personnel of 2 Aust Div AASC have attended Schools and Courses as under :-

NX 117645 Capt. L.E.REID, 17 AUST COY AASC — No.23 War Course, AASC School, NTH. GEELONG. 9 Mar to 1 Apr 43. Qualified 62%

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ROUTINE ORDERS

by

MAJOR A. ELLIS

ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV ASC

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188. PRE-SELECTION OF OFFICERS:

(a) In order to ensure the best use of potential officer material available to the AMF, the establishment of officer Pre-Selection Boards has been approved by LHQ to conduct psychological and other tests of personnel recommended for or desirous of appointment to commissioned rank.

(b) The number of such Boards to function will depend on the numbers of personnel available for examination and will be authorised by LHQ as required.

(c) The composition of officer Pre-Selection Boards will be as follows -

President	Brigadier	A local Commander
Members		
Colonel	(g)	LHQ nominee
Lt-col or Major		LHQ representative
Lt-col or Major		Div nominee
Major or Capt (psychologist)		DGMS nominee
Major or Capt (psychiatrist)		DGMS nominee

In addition a mobile Aptitude Testing Section will be placed at the disposal of Boards by LHQ.

(d) As it is a fundamental principle of the scheme that every soldier who considers himself suitable for commissioned rank shall be interviewed by the Pre-Selection Board, steps will be taken to ensure that all other ranks know of this privilege and are invited to submit applications to COs and OsC units accordingly.

(e) Units will be warned of the proposed itinerary of such Boards. Seven days before the Board sits in any Div area units within that formation will include in its ROs a statement of the objects of the Board.

(f) COs and OsC units will forward to their Div HQ lists of applicants for commissioned rank and of other personnel whom they consider to be suitable for training as officers. These lists will be accompanied by a statement of service and the commander's confidential report on each individual concerned.

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(g) The statements of service and confidential reports will be filed at appropriate Div HQ until required by the Pre-Selection Board. Div HQ will maintain a record of all names submitted and will forward to LHQ through normal channels, at the end of each month a list of personnel awaiting examination.

(h) Div HQ will arrange for the applicants to be medically examined before they appear before the officer Pre-Selection Board.

(i) Candidates will be required to attend the officer Pre-Selection Board for a testing and selection period of three days, during which period they will live and mess with the members of the Board and be treated as officers. Appropriate Formation HQ will make the necessary arrangements to provide a temporary Officers' Mess for this purpose.

(j) After the Board has tested the candidates and personally interviewed each applicant, it will prepare a list of personnel approved as potential officers in order of merit and present same to appropriate Formation HQ. A copy thereof will be forwarded through normal channels to LHQ.

(k) Officer Pre-Selection Boards will in all cases give preference in selection to candidates who have had actual field service in operations against the enemy.

(l) Vacancies at OCTU and direct appointment to commissioned rank in the field will be allotted to candidates in the order or merit determined by the Pre-Selection Board.

(m) The decision of the Board in accepting or rejecting a candidate will be subject only to review of the C-in-C AMF.

Coys will promulgate above Div R/O in Coy Routine Orders and will be read to all ranks. (2 Aust Div R/O 21/403)

189. VISIT OF THE MINISTER FOR THE ARMY:

On the termination of his visit to inspect units of 3 Aust Corps and W Aust L of C Area, the Minister for the Army, Hon. F.m.FORDE, left the following message -

"I was particularly impressed and inspired by my visit to the Divisions in their operational areas. Their smart and soldierly bearing on parade; their obvious physical fitness and their high morale particularly impressed me. Everywhere I sensed the existence of a strong spirit of co-operation and determination to achieve efficiency.

Would you promulgate to the troops my high appreciation of all that I have seen in the Command. Would you say to them - that it was an inspiration to meet them and to see for myself the great enthusiasm that they have brought to their task and the standard that they have so quickly achieved."

The Corps Commander wishes to add his appreciation to the excellent display of the high standard of training and of the discipline of all ranks during the Minister's visit.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/421)

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190. COMMAND:

Approval has been granted (2 Aust Div R/O Serial No.22, para 426 of 4 May 43) for Major A.LEWIS, HQ COMD ASC to administer command of ASC 2 Aust Div during the absence of Lt-col.H.A.NUGENT

191. CLOTHES RATIONING FOR THE ARMY 1943/44:

Attention of Coys is directed to the following -

(a) Details of initial and maintenance issues for ensuing year are contained in GRO 222/42.

(b) The Rationing Commission have advised that acceptance of current issues will be allowed up to 31 Jul 43.

(c) In order that the new issue can be distributed to service personnel not later than 4 Jun 43, units will submit direct to Divisional Paymaster an estimated rerquired number of books not later than 15 May 43.

Coy lists are required at this HQ NOT later than 13 May 43.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/429)

192. WINTER DRESS - LEAVE:

Ref Div R/O 317, which authorized the wearing of Winter Dress as from 1 May 43.

DRESS for 2 Aust Div troops whilst on LEAVE will be as laid down in ASO 8/3, which is promulgated hereunder:

Winter Dress - Other Ranks

(i) SD uniform, belt, boots and hat turned up.
(ii) Gaiters will also be worn by all troops except personnel of Cav units.
(iii) Caps SD will not be worn. They are intended for use whilst on duty only.
(iv) Colour patches will be worn where they are on issue.
(v) Ties will not be worn.
(vi) All buttons of jacket will be fastened.
(vii) Personnel of Cav units will wear feathers in hats.

Winter Dress - Officers

Leave dress for officers will be same as for other ranks or Officer's Uniform, S.D.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/434)

193. DRESS - HAT AND CAP BADGES:

It has been noted that several officers and also drivers, have adopted the habit of wearing in their CAPS, Badges, Hat, Commonwealth, in lieu of Badges, Collar, Commonwealth. This practice is contrary to Standing Orders for Dress, and is to cease forthwith.

This order is to promulgated in Coy Routine Orders and notified to all ranks.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/435)

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194. PMF AND CMF - ENLISTMENT IN AIF:

(a) In accordance with the approval given by War Cabinet on 6th April, 1943, the age limit for voluntary enlistment of males in the AIF is lowered to 18 years, subject to the existing conditions for enlistment in the AIF.

(b) GRO A.168/1942 is amended in para 1(c) by omitting the sentence "Enlistment in AIF will be restricted to personnel between the ages of 19 and 40 years" and inserting the following sentence :-

"Enlistment of males in the AIF will be restricted to volunteers between the ages of 18 and 40 years."

(GRO A.320 of 23 Apr 43)

195. BUNGS AND WASHERS FOR 4-GALL AND 44-GALL DRUMS:

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

To be republished in Coy Routine Orders

(GRO A.327 of 23 Apr 43)

196. RIFLES, No.1, MKS. III AND III^{X} - CHANGED BOLTS, BREECH:

(a) An unduly large proportion of rifles returned to depots by units have been reported as having "Changed bolts, breech".

(b) Bolts, breech, are fitted to rifles to which they are intended to be used. Great care is taken to ensure that they fit and fulfil all conditions to ensure that they are gauged to and within safe limits.

When the bolt is so mated, it is stamped on the lever with the "Factory" or Master No. This number may be seen on the right side of the forward end of the body of the rifle.

(c) COs of units will arrange for all rifles on their charge to be carefully checked in this regard and, where it is found that bolts, breech, have been changed, immediate efforts will be made to place them correctly. If any such changed bolts cannot be placed correctly within the unit, a report showing -

(a) Numbers stamped on bolt levers;
(b) "Factory" number of rifles.

will be submitted to formation HQ which will endeavour to place them correctly between the units of the formation. Should there be any bolts that cannot be placed correctly by this procedure, then HQ formation will instruct the CO of the unit or units concerned to submit rifles to nearest AEME Workshop for refitting of bolt, breech.
Coys will take immediate action.

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ADJ. CCMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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197. 2 AUST DIV R/Os.

Attention is drawn to the following 2 Aust Div R/Os :-

(a) Controlled Stores. R/O 22/436
(b) AAF B.103 - Supplying of Copies. R/O 22/437

198. PROTECTION OF PROPERTY : GATES TO BE CLOSED.

Complaints have been received that there is repeated failure of Convoys to close all gates after the vehicles have passed through, especially in the pastoral areas.

Coys will ensure, by frequent instructions to drivers and disciplinary action against all offenders, that all gates are properly secured immediately the vehicle or vehicles have passed through.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/438)

199. VARIATION OF STANDING ORDERS FOR DRIVERS OF MECHANICAL VEHICLES.

When an officer instructs the driver of any MT vehicle to exceed the authorised speed limits or to infringe any other order or instruction, the officer concerned will so endorse the driver's G.2 and will sign same as accepting full responsibility.

No Officer shall authorise any such infringement except on urgent official grounds, and such grounds shall be clearly and fully indicated in endorsement on G.2.

This instruction will not be taken to indemnify either the officer or the driver from any civil action which may be taken for infringement of the civil code.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/439)

200. PUBLICATIONS RELATING TO MT

From the number of letters received at 7 Aust Adv Ord Depot relevant to the supply of technical MT publications, it is obvious that all Coys are not familiar with GRO 0.124/43. Para 4 thereof details the procedure to be followed and this must be strictly adhered to.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/443)

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201. NON MILITARY USE OF BINOCULARS BY MEMBERS OF THE ARMY.

It has been noticed that the provision of GRO C.50/42 concerning the use of binoculars by members of the Army at race meetings is not being complied with. All serviceable binoculars held by civilians, are being withdrawn for use in the Services. Binoculars are issued to army personnel solely for military use and their use at race meetings or at any time whilst not on military duty is prohibited.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/444)

202. SHIRTS K.D.

In order to conserve supplies of shirts KD, no further issues of shirts KD will be made during the winter months. Coys should be issued with shirts, flannel grey and shirts, khaki worsted on the basis of one of each per man.

Coys will arrange for the conservation of shirts KD and shorts already issued in order that they will be available and in good condition for wear during next summer.

The Routine Order does not apply to troops NORTH of 26 Parallel or to VDC Units.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/445)

203. EXCESS ISSUES - CLOTHING.

GRO C.85/43 provides that stores surplus to a unit's entitlement will be returned to Ord Depot. It has been brought to notice that some units are holding stores without entitlement.

C.O.'s are responsible that either

(a) authority is held to retain stores surplus to WE table or

(b) such surpluses are promptly returned.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/446)

204. DISCIPLINE OF TROOPS TRAVELLING IN MT.

(a) The present standard of discipline of troops travelling in MT leaves much to be desired. Unit and sub-unit Cmds will ensure that immediate steps are taken to improve the standard.

(b) The following points are given as a guide :-

(i) When troops are moved by MT an Officer or NCO, or the senior soldier will be put in charge of each vehicle. This officer, NCO or soldier will be responsible to the senior officer or NCO moving with the vehicles.

(ii) Troops will NOT stand up in a vehicle whilst the vehicle is moving.

(iii) Troops will hit only in the authorised places and in the manner laid down.

(iv) Articles of clothing will NOT be removed unless under instruction of the OC detachment and then only when uniformity of dress ensured.

(v) Troops will NOT shout unnecessarily and will NOT behave in an unsoldierly or disorderly manner.

(c) Reference is made to Standing Orders for drivers of mechanical vehicles 1942.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/448)

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205. AIR SERVICE - PERTH/MELBOURNE AND VICE VERSA.

On Tuesday, 4 May 43 the above service reverted to thrice weekly despatches in each direction as under -

EASTBOUND - ex PERTH Wednesday, Friday, Sunday.

WESTBOUND - ex MELBOURNE Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.

Times of arrival and departure remain unaltered.

It is anticipated the full service will be restored by the end of July 43.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/45C)

206. LEAVE RECREATIONAL - INTERSTATE.

(a) Leave will be available shortly at a date to be advised (subject to operational requirements and to the availability of transport) to personnel 3 Aust Corps in accordance with GRO A.559.

(b) Allotment : On the basis of train loads of approximately 240 personnel (incl AA, RAAF etc) the allocation will be made from the following :-

2 Aust Div
W Aust L of C Area
3 Aust Corps Tps.

(c) Quotas : Bdes and Div Tps will sub-allot quotas to units but will observe requirement that not more than 10 % of a unit may be away at one time. Subject to this requirement so far as possible units will allot by sub-units and personnel will move as such.

(d) Nominal Rolls : (AAF Lob 3) will be prepared by Coys in respect of quota for each train load, and will include address of member whilst on leave. Nominal Rolls (3 copies) to be sent to 4 Aust Mov Control Gp and one copy to LTD 48 hours before scheduled date of departure of each train. Rolls will show home station of each individual so that onward movement can be arranged from LTD S Aust L of C Area.

(e) Leave Passes : Leave Passes will be prepared by Coys concerned, to be endorsed by LTD CLAREMONT. Passes will be handed to CC Train, before entrainment, who will deliver them to CC LTD CLAREMONT on arrival, for endorsement. CC Overland Train will retain and arrange for delivery to individuals only at LTD nearest final destination.

(f) Leave Period : All ranks to be instructed that leave will begin and end at LTD nearest destination. Tps going AWL before arrival at latter LTD will be liable to have leave cancelled in addition to such other disciplinary action as may be involved.

(g) Dress : Particular attention will be paid to dress by all ranks when on leave.

(h) DISCIPLINE : For leave privileges to be retained it is essential that a high standard of discipline be maintained by all ranks throughout.

(i) OFFICERS' BATM : Where possible batmen will be granted leave corresponding with period granted their respective officers and will continue duties en route. In other cases, CC Train will arrange for other personnel to undertake these duties.

(j) Officers and NCOs. : At least 10 officers and proportionate number of NCOs will be allotted to each train and will be responsible to CC Train for conduct of troops.

(k) Meal arrangements KALGOORLIE - PT PIRIE :

(i) Meals between KALGOORLIE and PT PIRIE will be served

from Wilson Cooker on train.

(ii) W Aust L of C Area will arrange rations for West-East train.

(l) Arrangements at KALGOORLIE :

(i) Train stop opposite Transit Camp where tps detrain and entrain. No tps will detrain or entrain at KALGOORLIE.

(ii) Meals at KALGOORLIE are provided by Transit Camp.

(m) Meal Arrangements at NORTHAM and MERREDIN : Will be arranged by W Aust L of C Area.

(n) Arms, Equipment and Personal Kit :

(i) Personnel travelling on leave will not carry arms. Arms will be stored under unit arrangements.

(ii) Messing gear, blankets and web equipment will be carried at all times.

(o) Entraining :

(i) All ranks will be entrained and detrained at Leave Transit Depots.

(ii) Personnel will be entrained as follows :

Between PERTH and KALGOORLIE -

Each 2 Berth Compartment - 3

Each 4 Berth Compartment - 6

Between KALGOORLIE and PORT PIRIE -

Each 2 Berth Compartment - 3 Offrs or 4 O/Rs.

Each 4 Berth Compartment - 6 Offrs or 8 O/Rs.

(iii) Entraining, detraining, transfers at breaks of guage stations and detraining and entraining for meals will be carried out as a drill.

(p) OC Troops :

(i) LTD CLARIMONT will appoint an OC Troops and conducting officers and NCOs for each train. OC Troops will be responsible to permanent OC Train.

(ii) LTD will give any further instructions necessary to the OC Troops on his arrival at the LTD.

(iii) Strict train discipline will be maintained.

(q) Security : Secrecy will be maintained. This will be impressed on all personnel, and attention drawn to ASO 2/33.

(2 Aust Div R/O 22/451)

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ADJ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

PART I 17 May 41

207. COURT OF INQUIRY.

A Court of Inquiry, constituted as under, is convened by order of Major-General H.W.Lloyd, CB, CMG, CVO, DSO, GOC 2 Aust Div, to inquire into and report on loss of Pistol .380", 5 Aust [illegible]

President	Capt. A.G.WILLES	HQ COMD AASC
Member	Capt. A.H.WATSON	17 AUST COY AASC
Member	Lieut. J.C'DONOGHUE	17 AUST COY AASC

208. BREAKING DOWN OF SERVICE OR ENEMY AMMUNITION.

The breaking-down of service or enemy ammunition in any way, other than that authorised by training publications, hand books, regulations in existence or instructions issued from time to time, is strictly forbidden.

The breaking-down of any service or enemy ammunition by unauthorised persons is prohibited.

If information is required on the internal construction of any type of service ammunition, reference can be made to inspecting Ordnance Officers posted to HQ of Corps or L of C Areas.

Enemy ammunition will normally be broken down or demolished by RAE units (preferably bomb disposal units) under instructions from Formation, etc headquarters.

(To be repeated in Coy Routine Orders.)

(2 Aust Div R/C 24/455)

209. IGNITER SETS - GRENADES NO. 36M - SUSCEPTIBILITY TO MOISTURE.

The .22 RF cartridge cap, as used in the igniter sets for grenades No. 36M, is highly susceptible to moisture.

Personnel handling igniter set containers will observe strictly the following procedure :-

(a) Igniter sets are always issued in soldered cylinders. Should a cylinder be opened and the whole of the contents not expended, the cylinder will be resealed by effective adhesive tape or shellac binding.

(b) Detonators which show visible signs of corrosion or verdigris on the caps will be treated as suspect, as these are liable to

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produce blinds. Coys will refer such detonators to an inspecting Ordnance Officer for determination of condition.

Coys will keep the number of "ready use" grenades to a min consistent with operation needs, and in tropical areas number will not exceed four days requirements in advance.

(To be repeated in Coy Routine Orders)

(2 Aust Div R/O 24/456)

210. REMOVAL OF STONE - WHITE PEAK QUARRY.

Stone will not be removed from above quarry by any Coy without first obtaining authority from Town Major, Geraldton.

(2 Aust Div R/O 24/460)

211. DAMAGE TO VEHICLE WINDSCREEN.

Several cases of windscreen splintering have occurred as a result of vehs passing on loosely metalled roads at high speed.

On such roads all vehs will drop to a maximum speed of 20 MPH when approaching a veh from the other direction.

Excessive acceleration after passing any vehicle will be avoided.

In cases of damage to any windscreen, a report will be submitted to this HQ giving full details of the occurrence, before replacements can be obtained.

(2 Aust Div R/O 24/462)

212. BREAD RECEIPTS.

Several instances have occurred recently where Army personnel and Civil Contractors have been found guilty and sentenced to terms of imprisonment for fraud in connection with the supply of bread to the Army.

Contributing causes have been carelessness on the part of units in preparation of indents, the lack of complete weighing of all bread at Supply Depots, the lack of weight records of bread received, and delays in issuing AAF F.59.

It is again emphasized that it is of the utmost importance that instructions in connection with the preparation of unit indents for rations, the weighing in total of supplies received from contractors, the maintenance of records of weights of commodities so received and the prompt issue of the order for supplies (AAF F.59) in confirmation of orders placed by telephone, should be observed most strictly. The relevant instructions appear in MBI Q/501/42. It is desired that the further attention of all concerned should be directed to those instructions by promulgation through Routine Orders.

(2 Aust Div R/O 24/465)

213. PROPERTY OUT OF BOUNDS.

Portions of Mrs. M.A.Dempster's property, known as "COROLIT", situated within the York Arty Range, and described hereunder, is out of bounds to all troops -

Ref Map York sheet 1" to 1 mile - No 400 Zone 1 Map
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the homestead property, including house, sheds and gardens.

Coys of units using the York Arty Range will ensure :

(a) that troops are notified of this order and
(b) its strict observance. (2 Aust Div R/O 24/471)

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214. TRAIN DISCIPLINE.

Several instances have been reported during the past weeks of personnel whilst travelling on the various Railway Systems riding on the steps of vehicles and stepping from one vehicle to another whilst the train is in motion. Accidents have occurred, some with fatal results.

Attention of all ranks will therefore be drawn to the following :

The OC Train is responsible for the discipline of the troops travelling and security of unit equipment and other Service stores conveyed on the train. He will ensure that the regulations of the Railway system are strictly observed by th troops. He will not, however, interfere with prescribed running of the train or the working of the Railway Service. At stations where an RTO is located, OC Train will make any requests to the Railway authorities through that Officer who is the channel of communication between the troops and the Railway Operating Staff.

Before leaving the entraining station, OC Train will warn troops against :

(a) Boarding or leaving trains in motion;

(b) leaning out of windows and doors, or protruding any portion of the body from the train as to be in danger of being struck by side or overhead structures;

(c) throwing anything out of the train;

(d) interfering with or causing damage to railway property (windows, doors, brake-gear and other fittings);

(e) chalk marking of rolling stock;

(f) discharging firearms except pursuant to orders;

(g) carrying or consuming liquor on the train, unless supplied as part of a normal service available in a dining car;

(h) occupying any portion of the train other than that set aside for their accommodation.

(To be repeated in Coy Routine Orders).

(2 Aust Div R/O 24/470)

215. SALVAGE OF USED OILS.

Coys are NOT adhering to instructions contained in 2 Aust Div R/O 310.

Oils recovered are not to the percentage required and many returns called for have not been submitted.

Column 3 of the pro-forma in the abovementioned Div R/O refers to new oil used during the month.

(2 Aust Div R/O 24/473)

216. CHECK OF IDENTITY CERTIFICATES.

Coy Comds will check all Identity Certificates (W.3050) held by AAMC personnel attached (including hygiene) and forward a return in the following form to A.D.M.S. :-

Army No. Name. Serial No.

Returns required from Field Ambs and Dental Units will apply to Officers only. (2 Aust Div R/O 24/474)

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217. 2 AUST DIV R/Os.

Attention is drawn to the following 2 Aust Div R/Os :-

(a) 72 Fd Ord Depot - Range of Holdings	R/O 22/447
(b) Discipline - Absence Without Leave	R/O 24/472
(c) Amenities, Sports Store.	R/O 24/469

218. DRESS : WEARING OF JACKETS, S.D., OFFICERS.

When not performing any military duty, members of the Permanent Military Forces enlisted before 6th October, 1939, who are Warrant Officers, Class I (substantive) may wear jackets, S.D., Officers, as optional dress.

Except as provided above, jackets S.D., Officers will not be worn by warrant officers.

G.R.C. A.574/1942 is cancelled.

(G.R.C. A.352/1943)

219. WIRE GAUZE - USE ON .303-in RIFLE BARRELS.

All pullthroughs at present being supplied are fitted with wire gauze, the general use of which is approved on active service.

By reason of the fact that, under wartime conditions, rifles are subject to almost continuous use, the use of pullthroughs fitted with wire gauze is now authorised under training as well as under service conditions. This authority will not, however, apply to the training of L. of C. unit personnel; in such cases, the wire gauze will be removed before using the pullthrough.

The attention of all concerned is directed to S.A.T. Vol. I, Pamphlet No.3, in regard to instructions for the use of wire gauze. These instructions will be strictly observed.

(G.R.C. C.356/1943)

220. LEAVE WITHOUT PAY.

In order to remove any misunderstanding by members concerning the effect of a grant of leave without pay, irrespective of the authority under which such leave is granted, attention is directed to the provisions of War Financial (Military Forces) Regulations, which provide, in effect, that all pay (including allotments) and pay allowances cease in respect of any period for which a member is granted leave without pay.

When leave without pay is granted, the following will not be payable during the period of such leave :-

(a) pay (including deferred pay);
(b) field allowance;
(c) command allowance;
(d) special allowance;
(e) exchange allowance;
(f) dependants allowance;
(g) travelling allowance;
(h) subsistence allowance;
(i) any allowance payable under regulation 9 of the aforementioned regulations.

Leave without pay will not be imposed on a member compulsorily and, consequently, will always be covered by written application from the member, specifying that leave is desired without pay.

(To be repeated in Coy Routine Orders)

(G.R.C. A.367/1943)

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221. G.R.O.

Attention is drawn to the following G.R.O. :-

Transfer or Individual Soldiers of the AMF. GRO A.368/1943.

222. SCHOOLS AND COURSES.

The following personnel of 2 AUST DIV AASC have attended Schools and Courses as under :-

NX 144937 Dr. COWLEY L.B. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF)	Driver Mechanics Course, Serial No.P95 - 4 MVTC, GRAYLANDS 5 Apr 43 to 1 May 43. QUALIFIED.
N 255584 Dr. MacALLISTER W.B. 17 AUST COY AASC	2 Aust Div Cooking School 31 Mar to 13 Apr 43. QUALIFIED.
N 352400 Dr. GILLESPIE R. 17 AUST COY AASC.	2 Aust Div Cooking School 14 Apr to 27 Apr 43. QUALIFIED.
NX 120306 Major F.L.HARVEY HQ 2 AUST DIV.	No.4 LHQ Tactical School:Senior Wing. 17 Feb to 28 Mar 43. QUALIFIED.

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Part I — 21 May 43

223. PETROL STORAGE AT WORKSHOPS.

Attention is drawn to MBI O.163/41 particularly in regard to the practice to be followed concerning petrol held in vehicle tanks whilst the vehicle is in Workshop. Instances are occurring of vehicle tanks being drained whilst vehicles are in Workshops and this practice will be discontinued.

(2 Aust Div R/O 25/480)

224. PASSENGERS IN ARMY VEHICLES.

In view of the tactical situation and the operational necessity and in accordance with Par 10, Standing Orders for Drivers of Mechanical Vehicles, passengers in the rear of Trucks and Vans of this formation will ride BACK TO BACK.

(2 Aust Div R/O 25/486)

225. SHIRTS MIL KHAKI AND SHORTS KD.

Ref Div RO 445.

Shirts Mil Khaki and Shorts KD will not be worn during the Winter Months.

These articles will be stored under Coy arrangements. Preferably they will be left with the soldier and examined as to condition at all kit inspections.

Bulk storage facilities will be made available should any Coy desire this action.

(2 Aust Div R/O 25/493).

226. 2 AUST DIV R/Os.

Attention is drawn to the following 2 Aust Div R/Os :-

(a) Allotment of SAA, Grenades, Pyrotechnics, Explosives etc for Training. — R/O 25/475

(b) Leave - Personnel attending Schools. — R/O 25/476

(c) Classification of Tradesmen NCOs - Promotion and Reversion. — R/O 25/478

(d) Leave: Annual Recreational Leave - Interstate. — R/O 25/479

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227. ECONOMY IN MANPOWER, MATERIAL & MONEY

Attention is directed to the Special Order issued by the Commander-in-Chief (Aust. Military Forces) on 8 Apr 43. (Issued with GROs).

"It is a primary duty of every member of the Australian Military Forces to ensure that there is no avoidable waste in the use of material provided by the Australian Government for the armed forces.

Severe demands are, of urgent necessity, being made by the Government upon the financial resources of the nation, both by taxation and loan. The people who provide that money are entitled to be fully assured that, so far as the Australian Military Forces are concerned, it is used with the greatest possible economy commensurate with the prosecution of the war to ultimate victory.

This economy involves the most careful examination of every item of expenditure and meticulous care in the employment of available man-power.

Any idea which may exist that unlimited funds are available for any and every purpose must be rigorously suppressed. Funds are available for any project that will contribute toward victory. None are available for un-warranted extravagance.

Care must be exercised in the expenditure of small accounts as well as of the large outlays inseparable from national defence and the preparation of an offensive campaign.

Man-power must be conserved most carefully. Men should not be employed on duties for which women are suitable, if women can be made available for such duties. Two men must not be employed on any duty which can be fulfilled by one. There is no "overtime" in the AMF. Officers and other ranks in non-operational areas must be prepared to complete a task efficiently when circumstances demand it, as much as if the presence of the enemy forces it upon them in the field of active operations.

A particular responsibility devolves upon all officers to ensure that facilities provided for war purposes are not diverted to the personal comfort and convenience of individuals.

Many inconveniences have been imposed upon the nation in order that the resources shall be available to provide the fighting services with the men, material and munitions necessary to prosecute the war, not to enable members of the services to enjoy non-essential facilities denied to the civilian.

All members of the AMF must be ready, if the necessity arises, to adopt the spartan conditions of existence which circumstances have enforced upon the fighting soldier in the areas of actual battle.

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

This Special Order will be published once monthly in all Coy R/Os, commencing this month, until further notice.

(2 Aust Div R/O 25/498)

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228. 2 AUST DIV R/Os.

Attention is drawn to the following 2 Aust Div R/Os :-

(a) 72 Fd Ord Depot - Range of Holdings. R/O 25/482

(b) Tradesmen Surplus to WE. R/O 25/494

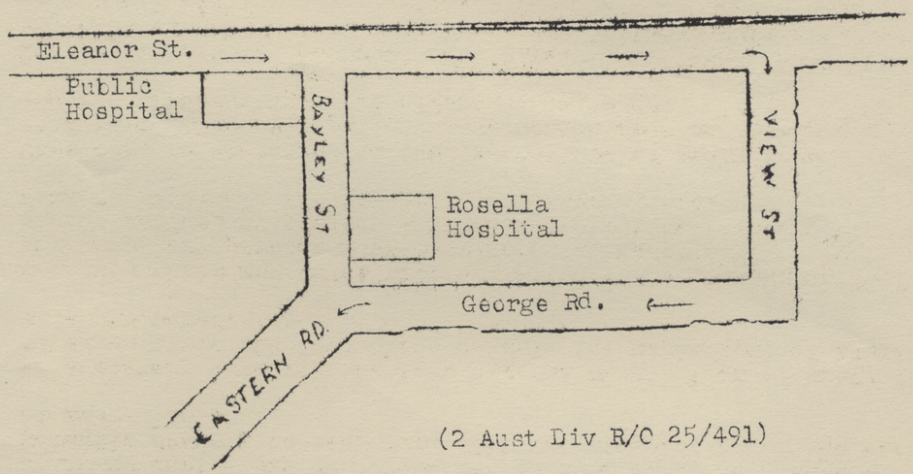
229. MILITARY TRAFFIC CIRCUIT - GERALDTON.

Due to the amount of noise at night in the vicinity of the Public and Rosella Hospitals, occasioned by military vehicles having to change down into low gear to negotiate Bayley St Hill (otherwise known as Hospital Hill), all military vehicles other than staff cars will avoid Hospital Hill and proceed on the outward circuit from GERALDTON, by using View Street and George Street, and thence left into Eastern Road.

This order will apply only after 2200 hrs nightly, and Coy Comds will promulgate this instruction to all drivers.

The necessity for quietness amongst passengers on military vehicles will also be impressed on all ranks.

A sketch of the new circuit is as under :



(2 Aust Div R/O 25/491)

230. SCHOOLS AND COURSES.

The undermentioned personnel of 2 AUST DIV AASC attended schools and courses as under :-

VX 133824 Cpl MacDONALD G.W. Serial JLS 43/9 - Inf Sec Leaders Course - HARVEY - 27 Mar to 24 Apr 43.
22 AUST COY AASC.

QUAL.

(T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

SECRET

Copy No. 8

HQ COMD
2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF)
AUSTRALIA.

27 May 43.

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO. 4

RELIEF OF 22 AUST COY AASC - BY 18 AUST COY AASC.

Ref Maps (MOORA 1" - 4 miles
(PERTH 1" - 4 miles
(MUNDARING 1" - 1 mile.

1. 22 Aust Coy AASC will commence one months fd trg on 1 Jun 43. First move will be to vicinity ref map MUNDARING 218569, clearing camp at 0900 hrs.

2. 18 Aust Coy AASC will provide detachment and assume responsibility for all supply duties in 2 Aust Inf Bde area from 2400 hrs 31 May 43.

3. 18 Aust Coy AASC less detachment will occupy camp area 371209 on 31 May 43, at 0900 hrs and assume responsibility for all supply duties in 8 Aust Inf Bde area from 2400 hrs 30 May 43.

MOVEMENT.

4. 18 Aust Coy AASC Det.

(a) Advance Party of 1 Sgt, 9 O/R will move to ref 428060 on 30 May 43, Move to be completed by 1600 hrs

(b) Main body of 1 Tpt Pl, 11 pers of Comp Pl, and one Sec Wkshop Pl less advance party will move to area Ref 428060 on 31 May 43. Move to be completed by. 1600 hrs

5. 22 Aust Coy AASC Det will move to ref 428060 on 31 May 43. Move to be completed by 1600 hrs

6. Movement will be by MT, and in accordance with 2 Aust Div (AIF) S.O. for Movement.

ADM 18 Aust Coy AASC Det.

7. WET and Scale A equipment will be carried.

8. Advance Party and main body will carry unconsumed portion of rations on day of move. Indents for consumption following days will be placed with Bde ASC Officer, 2 Aust Inf Bde in normal manner.

22 Aust Coy AASC.

9. WET and Scale A equipment will be carried.

10. 22 Aust Coy AASC will detach 2 meat lorries to 18 Aust Coy AASC Det, to remain with detachment.

11. 22 Aust Coy AASC will transfer SRP equipment to 18 Aust Coy AASC Det.

12. 22 Aust Coy AASC Det will return 2 meat lorries to the 18 Aust Coy AASC.

13. 22 Aust Coy AASC Det will return SRP equipment to 18 Aust Coy AASC.

AMENITIES.

14. All fixed camp amenities, e.g. Latrine Seats, Kitchens, Greasetraps, etc. will be left in present positions.

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DUTIES.

Ref list of Units of 2 Aust Div - HQ Comd 2 Aust Div AASC (AIF) SECRET 209/N/43 of 24 May 43.

15. Units to be supplied in 2 Aust Inf Bde Area.

Serial No.		
	27)	28
	65)	29
	23)	30
		41
	5)	42
	57)	43
	20)	48)
		53)
	14	

16. Units to be supplied in 8 Aust Inf Bde Area.

Serial No.		
	35)	37
	25)	38
		41
	62	45
		55)
	4)	50)
	56)	
	19)	68
	16	8 Aust CCS
	36	

AMN.

17. 2 Ech res for units in 2 Aust Inf Bde Area will be carried by 22 Aust Coy AASC.

POL.

18. 2 Aust Inf Bde (AIF) POL res will be held by 22 Aust Coy AASC.

19. 18 Aust Coy AASC Det will draw sufficient 4 gall ternplate drums with Petrol and proportionate oils and greases from DID CHIDLOWS to service 2 Aust Inf Bde Area. On relief ternplate drums will be returned to DID.

20. 22 Aust Coy AASC Det will return ternplate drums to DID MOORA.

21. 2 Aust Inf Bde Area.

PP 279599 1900 hrs - 2000 hrs.

22. Replenishment DID CHIDLOWS 2015 hrs approximately - daily.

23. 8 Aust Inf Bde Area.

PP 268203 1630 - 1730 hrs.
PP 400207 1730 - 1800 hrs.

24. Replenishment DID MOORA approximately 1830 hrs.

SUP.

25. 2 Aust Inf Bde Area.

Replenishment from DID CHIDLOWS at 1045 hrs.
SRP 287620 1100 hrs.
Delivery to Unit Lines at 1530 hrs.

26. 8 Aust Inf Bde Area.

Replenishment from DID MOORA at 1000 hrs.

SRP	381212	1100 hrs.
SP's	401208	1145 hrs.
	368204	1500 hrs.

Ack.

for (T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

Method of Issue - DRLS.
Distribution on back.

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2 Aust Inf Bde	3
8 Aust Inf Bde	4
CAASC	5
Major Sups	6
File	7
War Diary	8, 9, 10.
22 Aust Coy aasc Det	11

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AUSTRALIA.

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14 May 43

SUPPLY INSTRUCTION NO.37

RATION BOARDS AND UNIT CONDEMNATIONS.

1. Attention is directed to A.S.O. 13/4.

AAF 735 will be made out in quadruplicate as two copies are required by this HQ (vide Sup Instn No.9 of 13 Sep 42).

Ration Boards in unit lines will consist of unit QM, a MO and Bde ASC Officer.

2. Subtended is copy of 3 Aust Corps (AIF) memo S&T 53/816/43 of 12 May 43 :-

"LANDING AND RESERVE RATIONS.

Attached scales for above rations are forwarded for your information.

Your attention is drawn to alteration of scale of Tea and Sugar in Reserve Ration.

Arrangements will be made to immediately amend unit holdings in accordance with this new scale where Reserve Rations have been issued in bulk.

Rations held in cartons will not be altered."

(T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

DISTRIBUTION.

17 Aust Coy AASC
18 Aust Coy AASC
22 Aust Coy AASC
Bde ASC Officer 2 Aust Inf Bde
" " " 5 " " "
" " " 8 " " "

C.A.A.S.C.
Major Supplies
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LANDING AND RESERVE

RATION SCALE

EFFECTIVE 1 MAY ---- 1943

COMMODITY		ozs per man per day LANDING	EMERGENCY
BEVERAGES	Tea	3/8	3/8
CEREALS	Biscuits	12	12
CONDIMENTS	Salt	½	
FATS	Margarine or Tropical Spread	1¾	
FRUIT	Preserved	4	
MEAT	Bacon	2	
	Cheese	1½	
	M & V Ration	8	
	Preserved	6	12
MILK	Condensed Unswtnd	3	
SUGARS	Jam Assorted	4	
	Sugar	3	2
VEGETABLES	Tinned : Pork and Beans	2 2/3	
	Tomatoes	2	

DATED, 27/4/43

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2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF)
AUSTRALIA.

20 May 43

P.O.L. INSTRUCTION NO.8

1. P.O.L. Instruction No.1 of 1 Aug 42 has been revised as set out in the undermentioned table. Standard loading of P.O.L. task vehicles in AASC Coys of the Div will be observed in accordance with this table.

		OILS AND LUBRICANTS										
Type of Veh.	Petrol in 4 gall drums.	Pints of Engine Oil to be carried						Grease in lbs 36lb tins		1 gal tins	1 gal tins	~~Pint~~
		DD 20	DD 30	DD 40	DD 60	H 90	DD 140	Chassis Grease	Fibre Grease	Brake Fluid	SA Oils	~~Pints~~
3 ton	160 drums	32	128	96	96	64	32	36	36	1	1	~~-~~
30cwt	80 "	32	96	96	64	32	32	36	36	1	1	~~-~~

Lieut Brass

for (T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

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AUSTRALIA.

25 May 43

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SUPPLY INSTRUCTION NO. 38

RETURNABLE CONTAINERS

1. Subtended is copy of circular Q3/2/51 of 2 Apr 43 from DA & QMG, 3 Aust Corps (AIF) :

1. "Reference 3 Aust Corps Routine Order 780 of 22 Mar 43.

This instruction implements and is to be read with CRO 780, and will apply forthwith.

2. CLASSIFICATION OF RETURNABLE CONTAINERS.

(a) The following chargeable containers are returnable to Contractors through normal supply channels :-

Biscuit tins.
Egg crates.
Egg crate containers.

(b) The following chargeable containers will be returnable to Salvage through normal supply channels :-

All bags (Cost 1/- flat rate for all bags).

3. ACCOUNTING.

(a) Contractors Returnable containers as per para 2 (a) will be accounted for in the normal manner.

(b) All bags will be accounted for through normal supply channels. When returns of bags are made by AASC to Salvage a receipt in duplicate will be issued. One copy to be retained by AASC and one copy submitted to DID to enable necessary adjustments of returnable containers accounts to be made.

4. ALL OTHER CONTAINERS.

In view of the general shortage of containers of all descriptions all other containers not specifically mentioned in paras 2 and 3 will be returned to Salvage."

2. RECEIPTS FOR RETURNABLE CONTAINERS.

In future, F.75's will be made out by the unit issuing, the pink copy being retained by the issuer, and the white copy being handed to the receiving unit. The practice of AASC personnel making out F.75's for containers received from units will cease. Unit representatives who bring returnable containers to S.P.'s, etc. for handing over to AASC will bring also the necessary F.75's made out in the unit lines and signed by the QM."

L.W. Brass Lieut
for (T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

DISTRIBUTION.

17 Aust Coy AASC
18 Aust Coy AASC
22 AustCoy AASC
2 Aust Inf Bde ASC Offr
5 Aust Inf Bde ASC Offr
8 Aust Inf Bde ASC Offr

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

18 / 43 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 / 5 /1943. HQ COMD, 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 5 / 3. OFFRS. 8 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

1

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

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

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		9									
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 / 5 /194.3 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Maj(T/Lt-col)	NX127362	NUGENT	H.A.	CAASC	NO	Detached as A/AA & QMG 2 AUST DIV (AIF)	30-4-43
Lieut(T/Maj)	NX120289	LEWIS	A.	Adm Comd	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj Sups	YES		
" (T/Capt)	WX31983	MAYNE	R.B.	A/Maj MT	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM	T.G.	Adjt	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX112722	BOWLES	B.	Ann. Pet Sup. duties	NO	Detached No. 24 War Course, NORTH GEELONG	20-4-43
" (T/Capt)	VX111022	ROSS	W.A.	" "	YES		
Capt	WX37187	HARRIS	W.P.	RMO	NO	Detached No. 11 Hygiene and Sanitation Course, CLOVELLY, N.S.W.	20-4-43
Capt	N281952	WAUGH	M.M.	Chaplain	YES		

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

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

1 May 43
Date of Despatch

(A. LEWIS) Major,
ADM Comd 2 AUST DIV AASC
Signature of Commander

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SERIAL No. 18

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

WE 11/5/3 incl attached in accordance with GRO A.419 of 25 Sep 42

HQ COMD
2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit) 1 May 19 43 (Date).

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

1?

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1	2		3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached). W.E.		Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.	1	1		
W.Os. Class II.				
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants				
Staff Serjeants	1	1		
Serjeants	3	1		2
Corporals	5	6	1 x	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	28	29	1	
TOTALS	38	38	* 2	* 2

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

x = 1 Cpl Driver (Salvation Army Welfare Officer) in accordance with 3 AUST CORPS ASO, Chap 5, para 14 - carried supernumery to Establishment, vide DAAG, 2 AUST DIV instn.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 O/R	AAMC 2 AUST DIV		
1 Sgt (Hygiene)	AAMC 2 AUST DIV		

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

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g. present whereabouts if known).
NX144936	Sgt	PARKES, L.D.M.	AASC	No.3 Clerical Instr Course, Nth Geelong
NX129012	Sgt	SCARD, H.A.	AAMC	No.10 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, Clovelly, Sydney
NX144937	Dr	COWLEY, L.B.	AASC	WA L of C Area MVTT D & M Course
NX156438	Dr	EVELYN, H.R.	AASC	2/1 AGH, E.GUILFORD

Return especially requested - personnel on "X" List as shown above.

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 / 5 /194.3 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
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" (T/Capt)	VX111022	ROSS	W.A.	" "	YES		
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1 May 43
Date of Despatch

(A. LEWIS) Major,
ADM COND 2 AUST DIV AASC
Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8/5/194 3. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV (Unit)

W.E. 11/5/4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. AASC (AIF) 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX112722	Capt	BOWLES, B.	No.24 War Course, AASC School, NORTH GEELONG

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8 /5 /1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Maj (T/Lt-col)	NX127362	NUGENT	H.A.	CCASC	NO	Detached as A/AA & QMG 2 AUST DIV (AIF)	30-4-43
Lieut (T/Maj)	NX120289	LEWIS	A.	Adm Comd	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj Sups	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX31983	MAYNE,	R.B.	A/Maj MT	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM,	T.G.	Adjt	YES		
" (T/Capt)	VX111022	ROSS,	W.A.	Amn.Pet. Sup. duties	YES		
Capt	WX37187	HARRIS,	W.P.	RMO	NO	Detached to No.11 Hyg-iene & Sanitation Course, CLOVELLY, Sydney, N.S.W.	20-4-43
Capt	N281952	WAUGH	M.M.	Chaplain	YES		

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

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

8 May 43
Date of Despatch

for (A. LEWIS) Major,
ADC COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8 / 5 / 194 3. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 5 / 4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

* = 1 Cpl Driver (Salvation Army Welfare Officer) in accordance with AUST CORPS ASO Chap 5 para 14 - carried supernumary to Establishment vide DAAG, 2 AUST DIV.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	W.E.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
			1	1 W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
			1	1 Staff Sergeants					
1	1		1	3 Sergeants	AAMC			1	1
		2 *	7	5 Corporals					
			27	28 Troopers, Privates, etc.	AAMC	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
1 N.R. *	1	2 *	37 *	35 Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *		1	1 N.R. *

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

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

Detail		C.M.F.								
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	37		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		39
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	HQ 2 AUST DIV (AIF)		
7	17 AUST COY AASC		
1	18 AUST COY AASC		
1	22 AUST COY AASC		

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

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

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To AASC (Unit) is Particularly Requested. 8 / 5 / 194 3

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX144936	Sgt	PARKES, L.D.M.	No.3 Clerical Instr Course, NTH.GEELONG
NX129012	Sgt	SCARD, H.A.	No.10 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, CLOVELLY, N.S.W.
NX120305	Dr	JACKSON, J.	D & M, No.4 M.T.T.D., NORTHAM
NX156438	Dr	EVELYN, H.R.	2/1 AGH, E.GUILFORD

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

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				RSM (AASC)	1	1	
Fitters, Railway Signals				Hatchman				Butchers				Cpl MT	1	2	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks (AASC)	10	9	1	Drs MT	6	6	
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply			N.R.	Batman Drs	4	5	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Batmen	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				M/cyclists	6	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Orderly	1	1	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks (AASC)	2	2					
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				Hygiene Inspector	1		1 N.R.
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				Med. Orderly	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				Batman Dr	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	12	11	1 N.R.	Totals of columns marked • to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	38	38	2 N.R.

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

8 May 43
Date of Despatch

for [illegible] Capt
(A. LEWIS) Major
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 15/5/1943. HQ Cond 2 Aust Div AASC (AIF) (Unit) 20/43 (Serial No.)

W.E. 11/5/4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A.		8									
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO HQ COND 2 AUST DIV (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. ...../...../194.....

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
Nx112722	CAPT	BOWLES B	No 24 War Course AASC School NORTH GEELONG

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 15/5/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Maj(T/Lt-col)	NX127362	NUGENT	H.A.	CAASC	No	Detached as A/AA&QMG 2 AUST DIV(AIF)	30-4-43
Lieut(TMaj)	NX120289	LEWIS	A	Adm.Comd	Yes		
" (T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj Subs	Yes		
" (T/Capt)	WX31983	MAYNE	R.B.	A/Maj MT	Yes		
" (T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM	T.G.	Adjt	Yes		
" (T/Capt)	VX111022	ROSS	W.A.	Asst.Pet Sup.duties	No	Detached 4 CCS	
Capt	WX37187	HARRIS	W.P.	RMO	No	Detached to Nedl Hygiene & Sanitation Course, Clovelly Sydney NSW	20-4-43
Capt.	N281952	WAUGH	MM	Chaplain	Yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lieut	NX120295	BRASS L.W.	17 Aust Coy AASC	26 April 43	Assistant to Adjt.

15 May, 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
(A. LEWIS) MAJOR,
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 15/ 5 /194 3 . Hq Comd 2 Aust Div AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 11/ 5 /4 OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1 1 Cpl Driver (SALVATION ARMY WELFARE OFFICER) in accordance with 3 AUST CORPS ASO chge 5 para 14 carried supernumary to Establishment vide DAAG, 2 Aust Div.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	W.E.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1	1			W.Os. Class I. 1					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
			1	Staff Sergeants 1					
			2	Sergeants 3	AAMC			1	1
		2	7	Corporals 5					
			27	Troopers, Privates, etc. 28	AAMC	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
1 *	1	2	37*	Totals of cols. marked should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. 38		1 *		1	1 *

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

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

Detail		C.M.F.								
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A							[redacted]	[redacted]		
B(1)	37		2							
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
8	17 Aust Coy AASC		
1	18 " " "		
1	22 " " "		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
2	W.A.I.F. of C Area Records Office		

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

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX129012	A /Sgt	SCARD AA.	No.10 Hygiene & Sanitation Course
NX120305	Dr.	JACKSON J.	D & M 4 MTTD NORTHAM.
NX156438	Dr.	EVELYN A.R.	2/1 A.G.H. E. GUILDFORD.

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 16 MAY 1943.

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

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

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters			
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers			
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers			
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	10	10	
Clerks, Supply			
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors			
Cooks	2	2	
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics			
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.			
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	12	12	-

DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
RSM	1	-	1 nr
Cpl. MT	1	2	
Drs. MT	6	6	
Batman Drs	4	5	
Batmen	4	4	
M/Cyclists	6	6	
Orderly	1	1	
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Hygiene Inspector	1		1 nr
Med Orderly	1	1	
Batman Dr.	1	1	
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	38	*38	*2 nr

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

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

for (A. LEWIS) Major,
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22 / 5 / 1943. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 5 / 4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
VX111022	Capt	ROSS W.A.	5 Aust Fd Amb HQS.	9.5.43	Evacuated to 4 CCS Posted to X List

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO HQ COMD 2 Aust Div AASC (AIF) (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 22 / 5 / 1943.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX112722	CAPT.	BOWLES B.	No. 24 War Course AASC School NTH. GEELONG
VX111022	CAPT.	ROSS W.A.	4 CCS MULLEWA.

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HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22/5/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Maj. T/Lt-col	NX127362	NUGENT	H.A.	CAA SC	No	Detached as A/AAG MG 2 Aust Div (AIF)	30-4-43
Lieut T/Maj)	NX120289	LEWIS	A.	Adm. Comd	Yes		
Lieut T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj. Sups	"		
Lieut T/Capt.	NX31983	MAYNE	R.D.	A/Maj MT	"		
Lieut T/Capt.	NX120314	PHARIM	T.C.	Adjt.	"		
Capt.	WX37187	HARRIS	W.P.	RMO	NO	Detached to No.11 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, Clovelly SYDNEY N.S.W.	20-4-43
Capt.	NX28195	WALSH	M.M.	Chaplain	NO	Detached 17 Coy AASC	28-4-43.

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
A/Lieut	NX120295	BRASS L.W.	17 Aust Coy AASC	26 April 43	Assistant to Adjt.
T/Capt.	NX120319	McDONALD M.D.	18 Aust Coy AASC.	15 May, 43	Amm. Pet & Sup. Duties.

22 MAY, 1943
Date of Despatch

Major,
(A.LEWIS) *Signature of Commander*
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

21 /43 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22/5/1943 AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 11/5/4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
NR 1	1			W.Os. Class I. 1					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
			1	Staff Sergeants 1					
			2	Sergeants 3	AMC			1	1
			5	Corporals 5					
		1	28	Troopers, Privates, etc 28	AMC	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
NR 1 *	1	1	36 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. 38		1 *		1	1 *

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

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

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A		37		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		39
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	AMC 2 Aust Div		
1	17 Coy AASC		
2	18 Coy AASC		
1	22 Coy A ASC.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
2	W.A.L of C Area Records Office		
1	17 Coy AASC.		

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

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX129012	A/Sgt.	SCARD A.A.	No. 10 Hygiene & Sanitation Course CLOVELLY N.S.W.
NX120305	DR.	JACKSON J.	D & M 4 MTTD NORTHAM.
NX156438	DR.	EVELYN H.R.	2/1 AGH E. GUILDFORD.

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HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 22 May / 1943 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mcd.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				R.M.	1	-	1 NR
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks				Cpl. MT	1	1	
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply	10	10		Drvs. MT	6	6	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Batmen Drs	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				Batmen	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				M/Cyclists	6	6	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks				Orderly	1	1	
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies	2	2					
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders							
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				Hygiene			
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics				Inspector	1	-	1 NR
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant		1		Med. Orderly	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				Batman Dr	1	1	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	12	13		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	38	*37	* 2 NR

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

22 May 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
(A. LEWIS) MAJOR
AIM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 29 / 5 /1943. 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 5 / 4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 29 / 5 / 1943

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX112722	Capt	B. BOWLES	No.24 War Course AASC School North Geelong
VX111022	Capt	ROSS W.A.	4 C.C.S. MULLEWA

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 29/ 5 /194. 3 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Lieut(T/Maj)	NX120289	LEWIS	A.	Adm Comd	Yes		
Lieut(T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj Sups	"		
Lieut(T/Capt)	WX31983	MAYNE	R.B.	A/Maj MT	"		
Lieut(T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM	T.G.	Adjt.	"		
Capt.	WX37187	HARRIS	W.P.	RMO	NO	Detached to No.11 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, Clovelly, SYDNEY N.SW	20.4.43
Capt.	N281952	WAUGH	M.M.	Chaplain	NO	Detached to 17 Aust Coy AASC	28.4.43

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment.
A/Lieut	NX120295	BRASS L.W.	17 Aust Coy AASC	26.4.43	Assistant to Adjutant
T/Capt.	NX120318	McDONALD M.D.	18 Aust Coy AASC	15.5.43	Amn, Pet and Sup Duties

29 May 1943
Date of Despatch

for (A.LEWIS) MAJOR.
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
Signature of Commander

D.Ltd.—200 pads. 4/43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 29 / 5 / 1943. H.Q. COMD 2 AUS T DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 5 / 4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	WE	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1 N.R.	1			W.Os. Class I. 1					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
			1	Staff Sergeants 1					
			2	Sergeants 3	AAMC			1	1
			5	Corporals 5					
[illegible].R.	1		27	Troopers, Privates, etc. 28	AAMC	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
2 N.R.	2		35 *	Totals of cols. marked * 36 should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *		1	1 *

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

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

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	34		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		36
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	AAMC, 2 AUST DIV		
2	17 COY AASC		
2	18 COY AASC		
1	22 COY AASC		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
2	W. AUST L of C AREA RECORDS OFFICE.		
1	17 COY AASC		

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

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX129012	A/Sgt	SCARD, H.A.	No. 10 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, CLOVELLY, N.S.W.
NX120305	Dr	JACKSON, J.	D & M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM, W.A.
NX145402	Dr	SHARPE, K.A.	D & M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM, W.A.
NX156438	Dr	EVELYN, H.R.	2/1 AGH, E.GUILFORD, W.A.

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HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV (AIF) Unit
AASC

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 29 /May /1943 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				RSM	1	-	1 NR
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Cpl.MT	1	1	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	10	10		Drs.MT	6	5	1 NR
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Batmen Drs	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Batmen	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				M/Cyclists	6	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Orderly	1	1	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks	2	2					
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				Hygiene			
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				Inspector	1	-	1 NR
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics		1		Med. Orderly	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				Batman Dr.	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	12	13		Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	38 *	36 *	3 NR *

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

Date of Despatch

28. (A.LEWIS) Major,
ADJUTANT AASC.
Signature of Commander

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WAR DIARY.

17 JUL 1943

PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS & INFORMATION	REMARKS & REFERENCES TO APPENDICES
In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	1 Jun 43 Tuesday	2400 31 May 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 0900 1200 2100	ADM - 18 AUST COY AASC DET assumed responsibility for sups 2 AUST INF BDE AREA - 18 AUST COY AASC less DET assumed responsibility for sups 8 AUST INF BDE AREA. WEATHER - Fine and cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 1 Offr 6 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.G.L.NEGUS. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties [illegible] - 22 AUST COY AASC started 1 months fd trg. WEATHER - Fine, warm. Fine, warm.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	2 Jun 43 Wednesday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0830- 1200 1200 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 1 Offr 6 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.R.B.MAYNE. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Maintenance and routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine, warm. WEATHER - Fine, cool	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	3 Jun 43 Thursday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0830 0845	WEATHER - Fine, cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 1 Offr 6 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.A.G.WALES Inspection Pde - SD & RE Fwd area duties A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS inspected 17 AUST COY AASC Parade.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	3 Jun 43 (cont'd)	1200 1700 2100	WEATHER - Fine, warm. PERSONNEL - Sgt.PASCOE, 18 AUST COY AASC, arrived to take over duties as Temp RSM WEATHER - Fine, warm	
" " "	4 Jun 43 Friday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 1200 2100 2210	WEATHER - Fine, warm. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 27 O/Rs Detached 1 Offr 6 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.G.L.NEGUS. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Fine, warm Fine, warm OFFRS' PARADE - by order GOC, 2 AUST DIV at Div HQ - welcome to C-in-C. Officers on parade - HQ : Major A.LEWIS, Capt A.G.WALES, Capt R.B.MAYNE, Lieut L.B.BRASS -- 17 AUST COY AASC : Major FRANKLIN, Lieut.J.P.O'DONOGHUE Lieut.R.BLIZARD, Lieut.N.LOGAN - Capt A.M.WATSON Band duties	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
" " "	5 Jun 43 Saturday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 1200 1400 1500	WEATHER - Cloudy, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 6 O/Rs TRAINING - Maintenance check by Capt.R.B.MAYNE WEATHER - Rain TRG - Routine fwd area duties WEATHER - Showery ADM - Field Returns, W3008, W3009 forwarded to DRO SUPS - Average daily rations issued to 2 AUST DIV for week ending 5 Jun 43 = 11,746 POL - Average daily POL issued to 2 AUST DIV for week ending 5 Jun 43 = 4,410 galls with proportionate oils. (Over)	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC Appx No. 1

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	5 Jun 43 (Cont'd)	1900 2100	AMENITIES - 12 pers attended picture show 17 AUST COY AASC. WEATHER - Showery.	
" " "	6 Jun 43 Sunday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 0900 0900- 1200 1200 1400 2100	WEATHER - Showery, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 8 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt A.G.WALES. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Instruction RE by RSM Exercise for MCOs conducted by Capt.R.B.MAYNE. WEATHER - Showery. ADM - A/CAASC inspected 17 AUST COY AASC area - inspected vehs "A" Pl and Amn Dumps "C" Pl. WEATHER - Fine, cloudy	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	7 Jun 43 Monday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 0900- 1700 1030	WEATHER - Showery, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 9 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt R.B.MAYNE Inspection Pde - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties and maintenance. A/Maj Sups lectures to instructors at COTS. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS left by car for visit 18 and 22 AUST COY AASC and DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF).	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 27 1433	7 Jun 43 (Cont'd)	1200 1400 1500	WEATHER - Showery, cool. ADM - Supply Instn No.40 issued Routine Order Serial No.26 issued OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS arrived 18 AUST COY AASC	 Appx No.2 Appx No.3
" " "	8 Jun 43 Tuesday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845 0900- 1630 0845 1700 1200 1830 1900- 2030 2100	WEATHER - Fine, warm. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 24 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 13 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance inspection by Capt A.G.WALES Inspection Pde - SD & RE ADM - Issue of clothes ration books to pers. TRG - Lecture by A/Maj Sups to instructors at COTS OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS at 18 AUST COY AASC inspected Coy Pde, lines and MT. TRG - Inspection of vehs "A" Pl, 17 AUST COY AASC by A/Maj MT WEATHER - Fine and warm OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS arrived 18 AUST COY AASC DET. TRG - Lecture by A/RSM to troops on Tk/A Rifle WEATHER - Fine and warm.	 (A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	9 Jun 43 Wednesday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845 1200 1330 1600	WEATHER - Fine, warm STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 24 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 13 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.G.L.NEGUS. Inspection Pde - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties WEATHER - Fine and warm OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS departed from 18 AUST COY AASC DET for 22 AUST COY AASC. ADM - Supply Instn No.41 issued.	 (A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No.4

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In the Field Ref map, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	9 Jun 43 (Cont'd)	0845 1930 2100	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major LEWIS inspected 18 AUST COY AASC DET Coy Pde, lines, and MT. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major LEWIS returned 18 AUST COY AASC DET. WEATHER - Fine, warm.	
" " "	10 Jun 43 Thursday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 0915 1200 1400- 1700 1800 2100 1000	WEATHER - Fine, warm. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 23 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 14 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt.R.B.MAYNE. Inspection Pde Routine fwd area duties OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS left 18 AUST COY AASC DET for 22 AUST COY AASC. WEATHER - Fine and warm. ADM - Inspection vehs "A" Pl, 17 AUST COY AASC by A/Maj MT OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS returned 18 AUST COY AASC DET WEATHER - Fine and warm. TRG - A/CAASC reviewed trg, inspected linesx and vehs 22 AUST COY AASC	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	11 Jun 43 Friday	0630 0630 0645 0700 0830 0830- 1200 1200 1400	WEATHER - Fine, warm. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 3 Offrs 23 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 14 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt A.G.WALES. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC, Major A.LEWIS departed 18 AUST COY AASC DET for 22 AUST COY AASC. TRG - Inspection pde cancelled owing to rain. Routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Cloudy, cool. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC left 22 AUST COY AASC - 1600 left 18 AUST COY AASC DET for PERTH	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Map ref. GERALDTON Strat 271433	12 Jun 43 Saturday	0630	WEATHER - Cloudy, warm.	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 4 Offrs 26 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 14 O/Rs	
		0645	TRG - Maintenance check by Capt NEGUS	
		0830	Inspection Pde SD & RE	
		0900	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC visited WA L of C Area (Amenities) re sports equipment for HQ Comd and Coys.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		1000	Attended A/DDST conference, discussion with DADT, DADS, Adjt, CA Offr, interviewed Major LEADER.	
		1200	Departed DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) for HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF)	
		1200	WEATHER - Cloudy, cool.	
		1400	ADM - Field Returns, W3008, W3009 forwarded to DRO	
		1500	SUPS - Average daily rations issued to 2 AUST DIV units week ending 12 Jun 43 = 11,698	Appx No.5
			POL - Average daily POL issued to 2 AUST DIV units week ending 12 Jun 43 = 4,427 galls	
		1930-2100	TRG - Fd Exercise, Compass March - conducted by A/RSM.	
		2000	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Major HEALEY and Mr.RICHARDSON of Salvation Army M/I	
		2100	A/CAASC returned from visit to Coys and DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF)	
		2100	WEATHER - Fine, cold.	
" " "	13 Jun 43 Sunday	0630	WEATHER - Fine, cool.	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 7 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 12 O/Rs	
		0645	TRG - Before Duty Maintenance checkedby Capt MAYNE.	
		0830	Church Pde	
		0845-1200	Routine Maintenance and fwd area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER - Fine, warm.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		2100	Fine, cold	

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In the Field Map ref GERALDTON Strat, 271433	14 Jun 43 Monday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0830- 1200 1200 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 12 O/Rs TRG - Before Duty Maintenance Inspection Pde - A/CAASC - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties WEATHER - Cloudy, cool. Fine, cool.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	15 Jun 43 Tuesday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0830- 1200 1200 1500 2100	WEATHER - Cloudy, cold, windy STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 29 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 12 O/Rs TRG - Before Duty Maintenance check by Capt NEGUS Inspection Pde - A/CAASC - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties WEATHER - Cool, windy OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/Maj Sups left by car for visit Coys and DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) WEATHER - Stormy, cool.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
" " "	16 Jun 43 Wednesday	0050 0630 0630 0645 0720 0830 0845- 1200	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/Maj Sups arrived 18 AUST COY AASC DET WEATHER - Cloudy, cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 13 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/Major Sups left 18 AUST COY AASC DET for 22 AUST COY AASC. TRG - Inspection Pde - A/CAASC Routine fwd area duties.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Ref map GERALDTON Strat, 2714 33	16 Jun 43 (Cont'd)	1200 1600 1630 2100	WEATHER- Cloudy, cool OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - RMO, Capt HARRIS M/I ex LHQ Hygiene & Sanitation School, and Recreational Leave. ADM - Routine Order, Serial No.28 issued WEATHER - Fine, cool	Appx No.6
" " "	17 Jun 43 Thursday	0630 0630 0645 0830 1200 1600 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 6 Offrs 27 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 13 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance checked by Capt MAYNE Inspection Pde - A/CAASC - SD & RE WEATHER - Showery, cool. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Major LEADER M/I transferred from 8 AUST SUP COY. WEATHER - Showery, cool.	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
" " "	18 Jun 43 Friday	0630 0630 0645 0830- 1200 1200 1400 2100	WEATHER - Showery, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 7 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 13 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance checked by Capt NEGUS Routine fwd area duties. WEATHER - Showery, cool. ADM - Supply Instn No.42 issued. WEATHER - Fine, cool.	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No.7
" " "	19 Jun 43 Saturday	0630 0630 0645 0830	WEATHER - Fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 7 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 13 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance checked by Capt NEGUS Inspection Pde - Major LEADER - SD & RE	

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In the Field Map ref GERALDTON Strat, 271433	19 Jun 43 Saturday (Cont'd)	0845-1200	TRG - Routine fwd area duties.	
		0900-1200	ADM - A/CAASC at conference HQ 5 AUST INF BDE (AIF) - Subject, "Discipline of tps in 5 Bde area"	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		1200	WEATHER - Cloudy, cool.	
		1500	SUPS - Average daily rations issued to 2 AUST DIV week ending 19 Jun 43 = 11,062 POL - Average daily POL issued to 2 AUST DIV week ending 19 Jun 43 = 4,675 galls.	
		1600	ADM - Field Returns W3008, W3009 issued	Appx No.8
		2100	WEATHER - Fine, cold.	
" " "	20 Jun 43 Sunday	0630	WEATHER - Fine, cold.	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 7 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 3 Offrs 13 O/Rs	
		0645	TRG - Before duty maintenance check - Capt MAYNE	
		0830-0900	Church Pde and conducted by Salvation Army Representative, Mr.PETERSON	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		0900-1200	Routine fwd area duties.	
		1200	WEATHER - Cloudy, cold.	
		2100	WEATHER - Fine, cool.	
" " "	21 Jun 43 Monday	0630	WEATHER - Fine, cool.	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 8 Offrs 29 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 13 O/Rs	
		0645	TRG - Before duty maintenance check - Major MT	
		0830	Inspection Pde - A/CAASC - SD & RE	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
		0845-1200	Routine fwd area duties.	
		1030-1200	10 pers for 3 Aust Corps Weapon Competition given instn by A/RSM	

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In the Field Map ref GERALD-TON Strat, 271433 &	21 Jun 43 (Cont'd)	1200 1400 2100	WEATHER - Fine and warm. ADM - Supply Instn No.44 issued. WEATHER - Fine and warm.	Appx No.9
" " "	22 Jun 43 Tuesday	0630 0630 0645 0800 0830- 1200 1200 1600 1615 2100 2200	WEATHER - Fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 8 Offrs 31 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 11 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance check by Capt WALES. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Major MT and Capt MAYNE left by car for visit to Coys, Fd Ambs, and DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) TRG - Capt NEGUS and 10 O/Rs shoot at Geraldton Range - elimination contest 3 Aust Corps Competition. WEATHER - Fine and warm. ADM - Adm Instn No.5 issued. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC left by car on visit 22 AUST COY AASC and DDST, 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) WEATHER - Fine and cool. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC arrived 18 AUST COY AASC lines.	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No. 10
" " "	23 Jun 43 Wednesday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0830 1200 1220 1555 1615 1635	WEATHER - Fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 5 Offrs 14 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance check - Capt NEGUS Inspection Pde - Capt NEGUS - SD & RE OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC left 18 AUST COY AASC lines for 22 AUST COY AASC. WEATHER - Fine and warm. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC arrived 22 AUST COY AASC lines. A/CAASC left 22 AUSTCOY AASC lines. A/CAASC arrived 18 AUST COY AASC lines. A/CAASC left 18 AUST COY AASC DET	(A.LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 271433	23 Jun 43 (cont'd)	1730 2100	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - A/CAASC arrived PERTH WEATHER - Fine, cool.	
" " "	24 Jun 43 Thursday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0830 0845- 1200 0900- 1045 1200 1400 1520 1720 2100	WEATHER - Fine, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 28 O/Rs Detached 5 Offrs 14 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance check - Capt WALES Inspection Pde - Capt WALES - SD & RE OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - CAA SC, Lt-col. KNIGHT met by A/CAASC Major LEWIS TRG - Routine duties OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - CAASC and Major LEWIS visited 3 AUST CORPS and L of C HQ WEATHER - Fine and warm ADM - Routine Order Serial No. 29 issued OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - CAASC and Major LEWIS visited 2 AUST INF BDE Area " " " " returned PERTH. WEATHER - Fine and cool	(A. LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC. Appx No. 11
" " "	25 Jun 43 Friday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 0900- 1200 2100	WEATHER - Fineŵ, warm STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 30 O/Rs Detached 5 Offrs 12 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance check - Capt NEGUS Inspection Pde - Capt WALES - SD & RE Routine duties. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - Major LEWIS visited 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) WEATHER - Fine, warm WEATHER - Showery, cool.	(A. LEWIS) Major, ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 27 1433	26 Jun 43 Saturday	0615 0630 0630 0645 0830 0845- 1200 1040 1105 1200 1400 1500 1700 1800 2100	OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - CAASC and Major LEWIS left PERTH for GERALDTON WEATHER - Showery, cool. STRENGTH - Available for Pde 5 Offrs 30 O/Rs Detached 5 Offrs 12 O/Rs TRG - Before duty maintenance check - Capt WALES Inspection Pde - Capt WALES - SD & RE Routine fwd area duties. OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - CASC and Major LEWIS arrived 18 AUST COY AASC " " " " left 18 AUST COY AASC WEATHER - Showery, warm. ADM - Supply Instn No.44 issued. Field returns W3008, W3009 forwarded to D.R.O. SUPS - Average daily rations issued to 2 AUST DIV units for week ending 26 Jun 43 = 10, 187 POL - Average daily POL issued to 2 AUST DIV units for week ending 26 Jul 43 = 4,035 galls OFFRS' MOVEMENTS - CASC and Major LEWIS visited 2 Div HQs CASC, Lt-col.F.G.KNIGHT and Major Sups marched in. WEATHER - Showery, warm.	(A.LEWIS) Major ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC Appx No. 12 Appx No. 13
" " "	27 Jun43 Sunday	0630 0630 0645 0830 0830- 1200 1200 1400 2100	WEATHER - Raining, cool STRENGTH - Available for Pde 7 Offrs 31 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 11 O/Rs TRG - Maintenance check by Capt NEGUS Church Pde. Routine maintenance and VOL Check WEATHER - Raining, cool. ADM - Supply Instn No.45 issued. WEATHER - Showery, cool	(F.G.KNIGHT) Lt-col., C.A.S.C., 2 AUST.DIV. Appx No. 14

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In the Field Map ref, GERALDTON Strat, 27 1433	28 Jun 43 Monday	0630	WEATHER - Light showers, cool.	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 7 Offrs 31 O/Rs Detached 4 Offrs 11 O/Rs	(F.G.KNIGHT) Lt-col., C.A.S.C., 2 AUST.DIV.
		0645	TRG - Maintenance check - Capt WALES	
		0830	Inspection Pde - CASC - SD & RE	
		0845-1200	Routine fwd area duties.	
		1000	ADM - CASC and Major Sups visited 2 AUST DIV re redistribution of vehicles.	
		1200	WEATHER - Fine, cool.	
		1400	ADM - Amendment to Sup Instn No.44 issued.	Appx No. 12
		1600	Adm Instn No.6 issued.	Appx No. 15
		2100	WEATHER - Fine and cool.	
" " "	29 Jun 43 Tuesday	0630	WEATHER - Fine and warm.	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 8 Offrs 32 O/rs Detached 3 Offrs 10 O/Rs	(F.G.KNIGHT) Lt-col., C.A.S.C., 2 AUST.DIV.
		0645	TRG - Maintenance check - Capt WALES	
		0830	Inspection Pde - CASC - SD & RE	
		0845-1200	Routine fwd area duties.	
		1020	ADM - CASC visited HQ 2 AUST DIV (AIF) conferred with DAQMG	
		1200	WEATHER - Fine and warm.	
		2100	WEATHER - Fine and cool	
" " "	30 Jun 43 Wednesday	0630	WEATHER - Fine, cold	
		0630	STRENGTH - Available for Pde 8 Offrs 32 O/Rs Detached 2 Offrs 10 O/Rs	(F.G.KNIGHT) Lt-col., C.A.S.C., 2 AUST.DIV.
		0645	TRG - Before duty maintenance.	
		0830	Inspection Pde - Capt WALES	
		0845-1200	Routine duties	
		0900-1030	ADM - Maj Sups, Major LEWIS conferred with BM - RAA on Amn Exercise.	
		1200	WEATHER - Fine and warm	

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ROUTINE ORDERS

BY

MAJOR A. LEWIS

ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

Part 1. 7 Jun 43.

239. PROMULGATION OF ORDERS.
When an instruction is given that an order will be promulgated or republished in Coy. R/Os. Such order will be republished in its entirety.

240. IDENTITY DISCS.
Attention of all Coy. OCs is directed to GRO A649/43. Instructions governing the wearing of identity discs AT ALL TIMES and by ALL RANKS will be published in unit orders. Neglect to wear discs will be treated as breach of discipline.
(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O 28/546)

241 SPEED OF MT.
(a) Maximum speeds will be as set out in SO for Drivers of Mech. Vehs (1942), except in the following cases:-

Max Speed for vans & trucks 12-15cwt will be 35 mph
" " " lorries & trucks up to 3-ton " 30 mph
" " " " " " "(loaded) will be 25 mph

This instruction will be promulgated to all officers and drivers.

(b) All Coys will arrange for a red line (1/16") to be painted on Speedo glasses, opposite the maximum speed permissable for that vehicle.
(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O 28/547)

242 VEHICLES LEFT UN-ATTENDED.
Attention is directed to para.18, SO for Drivers of Mech. vehicles (1942). All Coys will ensure that all officers and drivers are aware of the seriousness with which the practice of leaving vehicles unattended, or not picqueted, is regarded.
(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O 28/548)

243 IMPURITIES IN PETROL.
Recent tests carried out on petrol forwarded in rail tankers have revealed the presence of impurities and water. This is due to the fact that petrol is from old stock at BIPOD. Every effort is being made to prevent impure petrol from going forward to units. Coys will maintain a close watch on petrol issued to them, and will report at once to Bde ASC Officer if any found to be in above condition.
(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O 28/549)

244 RETURNABLE CONTAINERS.
Attention is drawn to 2 Aust Div R/O Serial 28 para 550.

245 UNIT ACCOUNTING.
1. Re-organization of various Units has necessitated changes in unit accountancy and responsibility. The following instructions

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will therefore apply as from 1 Jun. 43.

(a) Units having a WE Table. The CO or OC of every unit or sub-unit having a separate WE Table will be the accounting officer for the stores and equipment of that unit. Where a number of such sub-units are grouped under a Commander eg. AASC Companies. That commander will be the co-ordinating authority. This will not however relieve the Accounting Officer of his responsibility for the Stores and Equipment held by his unit under its War entitlement.

(b) Units on Ledger Accounts. The same principle will apply Units having a separate WE will also have separate ledger accounts, and the COs or OsC of such units will be the responsible Accounting Offrs. Co-ordination will, where necessary, be effected under the orders of the superior authority.

2. Accounting offrs. thus created will immediately apply through ADOS 2 Aust. Div. for Ordnance Account Nos supplying with such application the names of their Accounting Offr and Ledger Keeper or WE Table recording Clerk.

3. Accounts which will not now be required in pursuance of this instruction will be closed off under ADOS 2 Aust Div arrange.

(Vide 2 Aust Div 28/551)

246. DISTRICT COURT MARTIAL.
A DCM convened by the GOC HQ NSW L OF C AREA was held at HQ NSW L of C AREA on 8 May, 43. for the trial of N256436 DR. MARINI R. 2 DIV AASC. The accused was charged with DESERTION.

The accused pleaded not guilty, and the Court found the accused guilty of the charge.
The Court sentenced the accused to 9 months detention. The accused was in custody awaiting trial for 3 days. The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 16 May, 43 by Comdr. No 4 L of C Sub Area
The date for review of sentence was fixed at 23.9.43.
The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at HOLSWORTHY on 19 May. 43.

247 MALARIA - MEASURES FOR PREVENTION AND CONTROL.
Attention drawn to GRO A404 of 24 May, 43.

248. SAVINGS BANKS PASSBOOKS.
1. The inclusion in Savings Banks passbooks of unit names/as part of depositors' addresses may reveal movements of units, because the places at which the accounts have been operated are inscribed in such passbooks.

2. In the interests of security, the following action, with which the Commonwealth and State Savings Banks have expressed their concurrence, will be taken :-
Unit names will be effectively deleted from all passbooks already in the possession of, officers and other ranks. The deletions will be made in a manner which will not mutilate the passbooks unnecessarily. (Vide GRO 408G of 28 May. 43.)

Coys to report compliance by 15 Jun. 43 (To be republished in Coy. R/O's)

249 SCHOOLS AND COURSES - RECORDING OF STUDENT'S QUALIFICATIONS.
Attention drawn to GRO A410 of 28 May, 43.

250 ARMY - RAAF RECRUITING.A
Attention drawn to GRO/412 of 28 May 43.

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Attention drawn to GRO A413. of 28 May, 43. & GRO A415 of 28 May 43

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ROUTINE ORDERS

BY

MAJOR A. LEWIS

ADJ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

Part 1

11 Jun 43

252. ENGINEERING CADETSHIPS:

1. The provision of engineering cadetships (both Civil Engineering and Electrical and Mechanical Engineering) for a limited number of cadets, who may be drawn either from serving personnel or from civilian sources, is under consideration.

2. Although the scheme has not yet been finally settled or approved, applications will be invited forthwith for cadetships on the following basis :-

(a) Cadets will be selected only from candidates between the ages of 17 years and 20 years, who are medically Class A1, who are or become members of the AIF, and who have reached Leaving Certificate standard in English, Mathematics and Science or have equivalent qualifications. Parental consent to join the AIF will be required in respect of any cadet who is not already a member of the AIF.

(b) Cadets selected from civilian sources will be enlisted in the AIF and all cadets will, during their cadetship, remain serving soldiers in the rank of private or sapper, with pay and allowances accordingly. Text books will be provided by cadets at their own expense.

(c) Engineering cadetships will cover a course of military training, courses at approved educational establishments and a final course at an OCTU, over a period of approximately 3 years. Successful cadets will receive commissions subject to vacancies existing. Pending appointment to commissioned rank, such cadets will be allotted to RAE or AEME units in the ranks.

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(d) Cadetships as such will terminate on the cessation of the war, but it is hoped to make arrangements for the completion of the courses which have been commenced, as part of a Repatriation scheme of vocational training.

(e) Cadets who prove unsatisfactory or become medically unfit or who are unsuccessful may have their cadetships terminated and be returned to normal army service.

3. (i) Applications will be made by serving personnel to their COs, who will forward all applications direct to LHQ (E-in-C), to reach LHQ not later than 5th July, 1943. (This is essential to allow sufficient time for selection in time for assembly of selected cadets for the first course expected to commence on 1st September, 1943)

(ii) COs will, with each application, furnish a report on the candidate as to his character, ability and suitability.

(iii) Copies of applications and reports will be forwarded by COs through normal channels to HQ L of C Area in which the unit is serving

(To be republished in Coy routine orders)

(vide GRO G.424/43, 4 Jun 43)

Applications to be submitted to this HQ by 18 Jun 43.

253. LEAKAGE OF MILITARY INFORMATION IN PROCEEDINGS BEFORE CIVIL COURTS:

1. When giving evidence in a civil court, a soldier will merely give his number, rank and name and state that he is a member of the AMF, without mentioning the name of his unit.

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

3. The danger to security in disclosing the location of units cannot be too strongly impressed on all ranks.

(To be repeated in Coy Routine Orders)

(vide GRO A.427/43, 4 Jun 43)

254. GROs

Attention is drawn to the following GRO -

Unit Canteens ..... GRO 528/42

Coys will report compliance with provisions of this GRO by 18 Jun 43.

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BY

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ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AALC

Part 1 16 Jun 43

255. APPOINTMENTS TO AUSTRALIAN ARMY LEGAL CORPS:

1. Appointments to commissioned rank in the Australian Army Legal Corps my be made in the case of persons who are Barristers or Solicitors on the High Court of Australia or of the Supreme Court of a State or who are recognised by the Governor-General as possessing equivalent status and qualifications within His Majesty's Dominion, and who are of the age of 25 years and upwards.

2. Members of the Forces who comply with the above requirements may qualify for appointment to the Corps inter alia by passing at an AALC Course of Instruction, which will be held for this purpose from time to time.

3. A limited number of vacancies in the Corps exists and members of the Forces desirous of making application to attend a Course should submit to HQ 2 Aust Div (AIF) through the usual channels an application in the form set out hereunder. Successful applicants will receive notification to attend the Course in due course.

4. Intending applicants should ordinarily be of the age of 30 years and upwards.

5. Applications should be submitted NOT later than 25 June 43, in accordance with the following pro forma.

AUSTRALIAN ARMY LEGAL CORPS

APPLICATION TO ATTEND COURSE.

No. Rank
Name in Full:
Date of Birth:
Present Unit and Posting:
Civil Qualifications
Date and Place of Admission:

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Whether practised as Barrister or Solicitor:
State where practised:
Particulars of Military Service (giving dates):
Dates of Promotion (if any):
Present Medical Classification:
Previous Medical Classification:
Dependants (names of wife and children with ages of latter to be stated)

Date .... Signature .....

Report of Legal Officer.

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(A.A.L.O. HQ 2 Aust Div AIF)

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6. The contents hereof are to be promulgated in Coy orders.

(vide HQ 2 Aust Div (AIF) memo A9/72/43 of 14 Jun 43)

256. REMOVAL OF GRAVEL:

Gravel will NOT be removed from any property without prior reference to HQ RAE 2 Aust Div.

(vide HQ 2 Aust Div (AIF) R/O No. 29/ 563 of 13 Jun 43)

257. APPLICATIONS FOR PROVOST CORPS:

(a) Applicants for 3 Aust Corps Pro Coy are required immediately. They must be of good physique, minimum height 5 feet 9 inches, with good disciplinary record and preferably have seen service with a field unit.

(b) Other things being equal, preference will be given to those holding license as M/C riders and MT Drs or to those having special knowledge in map reading, first aid and ambulance or convoy duties and MT maintenance.

(c) Men required to wear spectacles or having any marked physical disability are not acceptable.

(d) Applicants will be informed that they must serve a probationary period to ascertain their suitability as Pro personnel.

(e) All personnel will be interviewed and considered by APM 3 Aust Corps or his representative.

(f) Recruits will be given a comprehensive course of training in all duties.

(g) If applicants are of suitable type and not engaged in specialist duties, no obstacle is to be put in their way and their applications will be forwarded to reach HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV LASC (AIF) not later than 21 Jun 43

(to be promulgated in Coy R/Os)

(vide HQ 2 Aust Div AIF R/O No. 29/571 of 13 Jun 43)

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258. ISSUE OF RATION COUPONS TO LEAVE PERSONNEL - EASTERN STATES:

Many units are still omitting to issue tea, sugar and butter Coupons to personnel marching in to LRD for onward movement on leave to Eastern States.

Action will be taken to ensure that in future such personnel are in possession of these coupons.

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O No. 29/578 of 13 Jun 43)

259. MOBILE CINEMA UNIT:

Itinerary 15-27 Jun 43:

Saturday, Jun 19 - 17 AUST COY AASC
Sunday, Jun 20 - Oper HQ 2 Div - RAA - RAE - AASC - SIGS

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O No. 29 of 13 Jun 43)

260. 2 AUST DIV ROUTINE ORDERS:

Attention is drawn to the following 2 Aust Div R/Os -

(a) Rifles - "Lost" and "Found" R/O No. 29/554, 13 Jun 43
(b) Chiropodists R/O No. 29/556, 13 Jun 43
(c) Expenditure - End of Financial Year 1942/43 R/O No. 29/564, 13 Jun 43
(d) Delays in the Routing of Claims for Payment R/O No. 29/565, 13 Jun 43
(e) Wills - AAF A131 R/O No. 29/568, 13 Jun 43
(f) Committal of Soldiers under Sentence to Detention Barracks R/O No. 29/572, 13 Jun 43
(g) AAFs W.3008 and W.3009 R/O No. 29/580, 13 Jun 43

261. USE OF MT - CONTROL AND CO-ORDINATION:

(a) Every effort must be made to economise in the use of MT with a view to the conservation of spare parts, petrol and rubber stocks.

(b) Recent traffic checks have disclosed an uneconomical use of MT - vehicle travelling empty or lightly loaded and similar trips undertaken by vehicles located in the same camp.

(c) Coys will, wherever possible, carefully plan all movement to ensure that the most efficient use is made of MT, both on outward routing and in back loading.

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O No. 29/577 of 13 Jun 43)

262. GROs:

Attention is drawn to the following GROs -

(a) Classification of Casualties to Vehicles and Equipments GRO 0.447, 11 Jun 43
(b) Issue, Return and Storage of Tyres, Tubes and Flaps in Complete Assemblies GRO 0.451, 11 Jun 43
(c) Tag for Returned Tyres - AAF G155 GRO 0.452, 11 Jun 43

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263. AUSTRALIAN ARMY CATERING CORPS - FORMATION, ORGANIZATION AND ADMINISTRATION (Reference: GRO G.209/1943)

Attention is drawn to GRO A.443 of 11 Jun 43, para 5 (b) which reads -

"Coys will render casualty returns transferring other ranks affected to the AACC and attaching them to the units concerned from the AACC."

264. RIFLES, .303-IN - BRIGHT MUZZLES:

1. Instances have been reported that camouflage of troops, particularly snipers, in jungle warfare has been completely nullified by reflection from the bright muzzle end of rifle barrels.

2. Arrangements are being made for the muzzle to be left black in future manufacture and a technical instruction is being promulgated to treat all rifles passing through 4th echelon workshops.

3. As an expedient, OCs of all coys will ensure that the muzzles of all rifles are treated with a dark heat resisting paint, periodical applications being made as necessary. Care will be taken that the paint is kept free of the bore.

4. Rifles Nos. 1 and 3 are affected by the above order. Muzzles of No. 4 rifles have been left black in manufacture, but will be treated if black has worn off.

(Vide GRO G.440 of 11 Jun 43)

265. GUNS, MACHINE, BREN - EROSION OF BREECH BLOCK:

1. Reports have been received that breech blocks of Bren guns have been rendered unserviceable due to deeply penetrated erosion of the breech block face.

2. The above defect is entirely due to oiled ammunition and indicated that instructions contained in GRO O.182(C)/1942 are not being complied with.

3. Immediate action will be taken to ensure that the instructions contained in the abovementioned GRO are implemented, with particular regard to para.(5)

(Vide GRO G.449 of 11 Jun 43)

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BY

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ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC

Part I 24 Jan -

266. SPECIAL ORDER - GENERAL SIR THOMAS BLAMEY:

Attention is drawn to the following special order by General Sir Thomas Blamey dated 8 Apr 43 -

"It is a primary duty of every member of the Australian Military Forces to ensure that there is no avoidable waste in the use of material provided by the Australian Government for the armed forces.

Severe demands are, of urgent necessity, being made by the Government upon the financial resources of the nation, by both taxation and loan. The people who provide that money are entitled to be fully assured that, so far as the Australian Military Forces are concerned, it is used with the greatest possible economy commensurate with the prosecution of the war to ultimate victory.

This economy involves the most careful examination of every item of expenditure and meticulous care in the employment of available man-power.

Any idea which may exist that unlimited funds are available for any and every purpose must be rigorously suppressed. Funds are available for any project that will contribute toward victory. None are available for unwarranted extravagance.

Care must be exercised in the expenditure of small accounts as well as of the large outlays inseparable from national defence and the preparation of an offensive campaign.

Man-power must be conserved most carefully. Men should not be employed on duties for which women are suitable, if women can be made available for such duties. Two men must not be employed on any duty which can be fulfilled by one. There is no 'over-time" in the A.M.F. Officers and other ranks in non-operational areas must be prepared to complete a task efficiently when circumstances demend it, as much as if the presence of the enemy forces it upon them in the field of active operations.

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A particular responsibility devolves upon all officers to ensure that facilities provided for war purposes are not diverted to the personal comfort and convenience of individuals.

Many inconveniences have been imposed upon the nation in order that resources shall be available to provide the fighting services with the men, material and munitions necessary to prosecute the war, not to enable members of the services to enjoy non-essential facilities denied to the civilian.

All members of the A.I.M.F. must be ready, if the necessity arises, to adopt the spartan conditions of existence which circumstances have enforced upon the fighting soldier in the areas of actual battle.

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

(To be republished in
Coy Routine Orders) (Vide Special Order dated 8 Apr 43)

267. DRESS:

The tendency has arisen for troops at Dances to leave tunic buttons undone and even remove blets and tunics in some cases.

It is emphasised that dress at such functions is equally as important as on any other occasions and strict instructions will be promulgated to troops that this practice is to cease forthwith.

Attention is also drawn to the dress of drivers M.F. It has been noted that M.T.drivers are conspicuous generally for their carelessness in dress. Coy Comds will investigate this matter, and ensure maintenance of standard of dress by these personnel.

268. SLIT TRENCHES:

In future slit trenches for protection of personnel against air attacks need not be dug in camps, bivouacs, etc., except during exercises, until ordering of the second stage of readiness.

While exercises are in progress, normal anti-aircraft defence measures will be observed as a drill.

Slit trenches already constructed unless required for training purposes may be filled in at the discretion of the commanders concerned.

Slit trenches will be filled in by the Unit concerned when a bivouac or exercise area is vacated.

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O Ser.No.30 para
592 of 19 Jun 43)

269. ENLISTMENTS RANR:

LHQ have directed that no further enlistments are to be permitted to RANR

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O Ser.No.30 para
605 of 19 Jun 43)

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270. TOILET PAPER - SCARCITY OF:

Owing to the shortage of Toilet Paper the scale of issue has been reduced temporarily and the following scale of issue will operate immediately -

1 roll (of 500 sheets)per 200 men per day;
4 rolls (of 500 sheets) per 200 female personnel per day.

The necessity of prevention of waste will be brought to the notice of all ranks.

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O Ser.No. 30 para 610 of 19 Jun 43)

271. LEFT HAND DRIVE VEHICLES:

The following sign will be prominently displayed on the rear of all vehicles with left hand drive -

Left Hand Drive
No Signals Given

272. CENSUS OF UNIT CENSOR STAMPS:

Returns of Unit Censor Stamps are required from all Units holding Stamps as numbered hereunder:-

1301	937	594	2638
1311	939	921	2559
1307	791	876	89
1792	170	572	221
1923	411	530	209
1958	585	264	284
120	403	2555	
771	547	2592	

Returns will be marked "MOST SECRET" and will include -

(a) To whom issued.
(b) Whether AMF or AIF or otherwise.
(c) Impression of Stamp or Stamps.

NOTE: Return to be submitted (Vide 2 Aust Div R/O Ser.No. 31 para
HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV ASC (AIF) 616 of 22 Jun 43)
by 27 Jun 43

273. RANGE PROCEDURE - SAFETY PRECAUTIONS - SWANBOURNE RIFLE RANGE:

Units attending SWANBOURNE RIFLE RANGE are not observing the normal SAFETY PRECAUTIONS.

All units conducting musketry practices at SWANBOURNE RIFLE RANGE will in future pay strict attention to conduct of practices fired and ensure that all Safety Precautions are fully carried out.

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O Ser.No. 31 para 617 of 22 Jun 43)

274. AMENITIES, SPORT - BOXING:

Troops will not take part in boxing exhibitions or tournaments unless these are conducted under Army supervision and control.

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O Ser.No. 31 para 625 of 22 Jun 43)

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275. 2 AUST DIV ROs -

Attention is drawn to the following 2 Aust Div ROs -

(a)	School Personnel Intrastate and Interstate.	R/O 30/594, 19 Jun 43
(b)	Interstate - Rail	R/O 30/604, 19 Jun 43
(c)	Branding of Army Tyres	R/O 30/606, 19 Jun 43
(d)	Transport of AIPC Personnel	R/O 30/607, 19 Jun 43
(e)	Petrol Remains in Drums Returned for Refilling.	R/O 30/608, 19 Jun 43
(f)	Interstate - Rail	R/O 31/621, 22 Jun 43
(g)	Leave Passes	R/O 31/622, 22 Jun 43
(h)	Movement Arrangements - Direct Contact With 4 Aust Movt Control Gp.	R/O 31/623, 22 Jun 43
(i)	AFW 3006 - Daily Strength State	R/O 31/624, 22 Jun 43
(j)	Trailers, 4-Wheel, Cookers - Elimination of Spare Wheel Assembly	R/O 31/628, 22 Jun 43

276. TRANSFERS TO R.A.A.F.

(a) LHQ has directed that no further transfers to RAAF will be permitted from personnel serving in 3 Aust Corps.

(b) All call-up notices are hereby cancelled.

(c) Details of all current call-up notices are to be notified to this HQ so that DRO and DFO may be advised. Returns to reach HQ 2 Aust Div (AIF) by 1 Jul 43, (NOT later)

(d) Soldiers at present at GDD CLAREMONT awaiting discharge and transfer to RAAF will be returned to their Units.

Return to be forwardedto HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) by 28 Jun 43 as in para (c)

(Vide 2 Aust Div R/O Ser.No.31 para 629, 22 Jun 43)

277. SMOKING WITHIN BULK OR OTHER PETROL INSTALLATIONS:

1. Attention is drawn to Standing Orders for Army Fire Services, paras.37 and 199(b).

2. Smoking and the carrying of matches or smoking materials in any petrol depot, dump or installation are absolutely prohibited. Severe disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

3. Before a working party enters such an establishment, the officer or NCO in charge will ensure that the members of it give up all matches and smoking materials in their possession.

(To be republished in Coy Routine Orders) (Vide GRO Q.463 of 18 Jun 43)

278. GROs:

Attention is drawn to the following GROs:-

(a) Security of Documents in Operational Areas GRO G.455, 18 Jun 43
(b) Responsibility for Public and Regimental Money, GRO F.470, 18 Jun 43

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22 Jun 43

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No.5

RELIEF OF 18 AUST COY AASC DET by 22 AUST COY AASC

Ref maps MUNDARING 1" - 1 mile
PERTH 1" - 4 miles
MOORA 1" - 4 miles

1. 18 AUST COY AASC DET will rejoin main body on 28 Jun 43.

2. 22 AUST COY AASC will occupy camp area ref 42780595 at 0900 hrs 28 Jun and assume responsibility for all sup duties in 2 AUST INF BDE area from 2400 hrs 27 Jun

MOVEMENT

3. 18 AUST COY AASC DET will move in one body to ref 37152094 at 0730 hrs 28 Jun. Pro will escort to BLACK ADDER CREEK. ETA BLACK ADDER CREEK 0829 hrs. Move to be completed by 1524 hrs. 2 copies of Movement Order will be submitted to HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) by 2000 hrs 25 Jun 43.

4. Movement will be by MT and in accordance with 2 AUST DIV SO for Movement.

ADM

18 AUST COY AASC DET

5. Unconsumed portion of days rations will be carried on day of move. 18 AUST COY AASC will place indents for consumption on following days with Bde ASC Offr, 8 AUST INF BDE in normal manner.

6. 2 meat lorries will be returned to 22 AUST COY AASC.

7. SRP equipment will be returned to 22 AUST COY AASC.

SUPPLIES - Ref lists of Units of 2 AUST DIV - HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) SECRET 209/N/43 of 24 May 43.

8. Units to be supplied in 2 AUST INF BDE area -

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27)	5)	14	42	53
65)	57)	28	45	
23)	20)	30	48	

AMN

9. 2 ech res for units in 2 AUST INF BDE area will be dumped by 22 AUST COY AASC.

POL

10. 2 AUST INF BDE POL res will be carried by 22 AUST COY AASC.

11. 18 AUST COY AASC DET will return POL and terneplate drums to DID, CHIDLOWS.

12. 2 AUST INF BDE AREA - PP Ref MUNDARING 279593, 1900 hrs - 2000 hrs

13. Replenishment DID, CHIDLOWS 2015 hrs approx daily.

SUP

14. 2 AUST INF BDE AREA - Replenishment from DID, CHIDLOWS at 1045 hrs
SRP 287620, 1100 hrs - Delivery to unit lines at 1530 hrs

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ADJT 2 AUST DIV AASC

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18 Jun 43

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION No.6

RELIEF OF 22 AUST COY AASC - BY 18 AUST COY AASC

Ref maps (MOORA 1" - 4 miles
(PERTH 1" - 4 miles
(MUNDARING 1" - 1 mile
(COLLIE 1" - 4 miles

1. 22 AUST COY AASC will commence 14 days Jungle Warfare Trg on 4 Jul 43. First move will be to vicinity ref map COLLIE 396874, clearing camp at (Block timings to be advised)

2. 18 AUST COY AASC will provide detachment and assume responsibility for all supply duties in 2 AUST INF BDE AREA from 2400 hrs 3 Jul 43

MOVEMENT

3. 18 AUST COY AASC DET

(a) Advance Party of 1 Sgt, 9 O/R including 3 Comp Pl pers will move to ref 428060 on 2 Jul 43, move to be completed by 1600 hrs.

(b) Main body of 1 Tpt Pl, 8 pers of Comp Pl, and one Sec Wkshop Pl less advance party will move to area ref 428060 on 3 Jul 43. Move to be completed by (Block timings to be advised)

4. Movement will be by MT, and in accordance with 3 Aust Corps Adm Instn AQ10 - road movement.

ADM

18 AUST COY AASC DET

5. WET and Scale A equipment will be carried.

6. Advance party and main body will carry unconsumed portion of rations on day of move. Indents for consumption following days will be placed with Bde ASC Officer, 2 AUST INF BDE in normal manner.

22 AUST COY AASC

7. WET and Scale A equipment will be carried.

8. 22 AUST COY AASC will detach 2 meat lorries to 18 AUST COY AASC DET, to remain with detachment.

9. 22 AUST COY AASC will transfer SRP equipment to 18 AUST COY AASC DET.

AMENITIES

10. All fixed camp amenities, e.g. Latrine seats, Kitchens, Greasetraps, etc., will be left in present positions.

DUTIES

Ref list of Units of 2 AUST DIV - HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) SECRET 209/N/43 of 24 May 43.

11. Units to be supplied in 2 AUST INF BDE AREA -

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	27)	5)	28	41	48
	65)	57)	29	42	53
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		14)			

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AMN

12. 2 Ech res for units in 2 AUST INF BDE AREA will be dumped by 22 AUST COY AASC, and transferred to 18 AUST COY AASC DET.

13. 18 AUST COY AASC DET will take over 2 Ech res for units in 2 AUST INF BDE AREA. Amn to be held in dumps and guarded by 18 AUST COY AASC DET.

POL

14. 2 AUST INF BDE (AIF) POL res will be dumped by 22 AUST COY AASC and transferred to 18 AUST COY AASC DET.

15. 18 AUST COY AASC DET will service 2 AUST INF BDE AREA from POL dump. POL to be turned over.

16. 2 AUST INF BDE AREA

PP 279599 1900 hrs - 2000 hrs

17. Replenishment DID CHIDLOWS, 2015 hrs approximately - daily

SUP

18. 2 AUST INF BDE AREA

Replenishment from DID CHIDLOWS at 1045 hrs
SRP 287620 1100 hrs
Delivery to Unit lines at 1530 hrs.

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for (T.G.PILGRIM) Capt,
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7 June 43

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SUPPLY INSTRUCTION NO. 40.

Subtended is copy of 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) S&T.S3/691/43 of 2 Jun 43:-

" DRIED FRUITS.

Until further notice dried fruits will be issued as under :-

Sunday	Raisins & Lexias	1	oz.
Monday	Prunes	1	"
Tuesday	Sultanas	1	"
Wednesday	Apples	1	"
Thursday	Currants	1½	"
Friday	Prunes	1½	"
	Raisins & Lexias	1	"
Saturday	Apricots.	1	"

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Lt Brain Lieut

(T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
for ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

DISTRIBUTION.

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18 Jun 43

SUPPLY INSTRUCTION NO. 42

SCARCITY OF TOILET PAPER

1. Subtended is copy of 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) memo S&T/S3/256/43 of 11 Jan 43 :-

"It is advised that due to the extreme shortage of Toilet Paper, the Scale of Issue will be temporarily reduced from -

3 rolls (of 500 sheets) per 200 men per day
12 " " " 200 female personnel
to the following scale which will operate immediately :

IN AUSTRALIA 1 roll (of 500 sheets) per 200 men per day
4 " " " 200 female personnel.

IN NEW GUINEA or surrounding Islands :

2 rolls (of 500 sheets) per 200 men per day
8 " " " 200 female personnel."

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for ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

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EXPENSE STORES - SCALE OF ISSUE
Effective 20th June 1943.

COMMODITY	UNIT	PACK	ISSUE
CHEMICALS - EDIBLE.			
Ascorbic Acid Tablets	Bottles	Bottles of 100 (each tablet 25 mgs)	28 Bottles per 100 all ranks per 28 days on Medical Certificate
Salt Tablets	Tins	Tins of 1000 (each tablet 15 grains)	3 tins " " " " "
MALARIA, OR FLY AND PEST CONTROL.			
Anti Mosquito Cream	lbs	7 lb & 1½ oz tins	37½ lbs per 100 all ranks per 28 days
Borax	"	1 cwt bags	5 " " " " " " " when authorised by S.M.O. of Formation
Creosote or Middle Oil	Galls	44-gall drums	4½ galls per 100 all ranks per 28 days when authorised by S.M.O. of Formation
Eranol Z3	Galls	1-gal drums	10 o.c.s. per 56lb case dried fruit. For Supply Stores only.
Mosquito Spray	Galls	5 or 44-gall drums or tins	Malarious Areas - 9 galls. Potentially malarious areas or areas where there is an outbreak of dengue fever 6 galls per 100 all ranks per 28 days (authority of S.M.O.)
Fly Sprays (Flit Guns)	Units		Highly malarious areas 20% unit strength. Other areas where mosquito spray is issued 10% unit strength.
Insect Repellant Lotion	Bottles	4 oz bottles and galls in drums	1-4 oz bottle per man (2½ galls per 100 men) per 28 days, with double issue when in ground contact with the enemy; to be issued in malarious and potentially malarious areas only. For Scrub Typhus 5 galls per 100 men per 28 days on authority of S.M.O.
Lime, slaked (Anti-malarial	lbs	51 lb 4 ply paper bags or drums	Anti Malaria Control Units only. 1120 lbs per AMCU per 28 days.
Malaria Oil	Galls	4, 5 or 44-gall drums	Malarious Areas 50 galls. Potentially Malarious Areas 25 galls, Non Malarious Areas 10 galls per 100 all ranks per 28 days (Authority of SMO required in potentially malarious and non malarious areas)

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COMMODITY	UNIT	PACK	ISSUE.
Paris Green	Lbs	4 or 5 gall drums	Anti Malaria Control Units only. 56 lbs per AMCU per 28 days.
Sodium Arsenite	lbs	1 lb tins	1 lb per 1000 men per 28 days on Medical Authy. only.
Sodium Fluoride	lbs	1 lb tins	" " " " "
WATER PURIFICATION (for Units with molinite filters)			
Alum Potash	lbs	1 lb cardboard cartons.	2 lbs per 1000 all ranks per 28 days.
Filter Earth	lbs	1½ " " "	155 lbs " " "
Lime Slaked	lbs	8 oz " "	1½ " " " "
Polychrome Indicator	Fl ozs	8 oz bottles.	1½ Fl ozs " " "
Taste Remover Tablets	tins	tins of 200 tabs.	2 tins " " "
Water Sterilizing Powders.	lbs	4 oz tins	3 lbs " " "
WATER PURIFICATION (All other Units)			
Lime Slaked	lbs	51 lb 4 ply paper bags or drums	For standing camps, mobile baths etc. 1 lb per 100 galls sullage water to be treated. For mobile laundries 1120 lbs, Hospital or static laundries 560 lbs each per 28 days.
Ferrous Sulphate.	lbs	1 cwt sacks	For standing camps, mobile baths, etc. 1 lb per 100 galls sullage water to be treated. For Mob. laundries 5040 lbs; For hospital or static laundries 2520 lbs each per 28 days
Taste Remover Tablets	Tins	tins of 200 tabs.	2 tins per 1000 all ranks per 28 days.
Water Clarifying Powder	lbs	8 oz tins	1½ lbs " " "
Water Sterilizing Powder	lbs	4 oz tins	3 " " " "
Water Sterilizing Outfits.	Tins	2 Bottles to to 1 tin (Outfit)	For issue in Forward Areas only, where clean safe water is not available. 60 tins per 100 all ranks per 28 days.
CLEANSERS :			
Soap Common	lbs	25x2 lb bars.per case.	50 lbs per 100 all ranks per 28 days.
Soap Sand.	Cakes	96x9 oz cakes " "	15 Cakes " " "
Soap Soft	lbs	30 oz tins	6 lbs per 100 sets harness or saddles or pack saddles per 28 days.
Soap Toilet (unmedicated)	lbs	144x4 oz cakes per case.	2x4 oz cakes per man per 28 days on medical authority.
Soda Ash	lbs	CWT bags	25 lbs per 100 all ranks per 28 days; Mob. laundries 2240 lbs each per 28 days. Hosp. or Static laundries 1120 lbs pach per 28 days.
Soda Washing.	lbs	Drums	75 lbs per 100 all ranks per 28 days
Soda Caustic.	lbs	4 gall or 504 lb drums.	For soap manuf. when authorised by LHQ.
Spic-N-Span or Colosyl	lbs	140 lb bags.	2 ozs per 100 all ranks per 28 days when authorised by formation Commander.

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COMMODITY		PACK	USE
CLOTHS.			
Calico unbleached or Dowlas undyed	yds.	Rolls.	10 yds Calico or 8 yds Dowlas per 100 all ranks per 28 days.
Cloth muslin	"	"	5 yds per 100 all ranks per 28 days.
Cloths Pudding.(calico 1 sq. yd)	each.		7 No. " " "
Cloths Sponge.	each		10 No. " " "
Cotton Waste.	lbs.	3 cwt bales.	10 lbs " " "
Cotton Waste (for cleaning)	lbs.	"	1 lb per vehicle per week.
DISINFECTANTS.			
Chloride of lime or Chlorosene	lbs.	6 lb tins, 112 lb or 125 lb drums.	8 ozs per 100 all ranks per 28 days as required by Medical Officer.
Clensel	Galls	5 or 44 gall drums.	2 fl ozs per 100 all ranks per 28 days when authorised by Formation Commander.
White Cyllin No.1 (full strength)	Galls	1 gallon tins	¾ pint per 100 respirators at intervals of not less than 4 months.
White Cyllin No 2 (¼ strength)	Galls	4, 5 or 45 gall tins or drums	10 Fl ozs per 100 all ranks per 28 days when authorised by Formation Commander.
Disinfectant (Izal type)	Galls	4, 5 or 44 gall drums	¾ pint per 100 all ranks per 28 days when authorised by Formation Commander.
Phenyle	Galls	4, 5 or 44 gall drums	As required by Formation Commander.
LIGHTING			
Candles	lbs	1 lb pkts	As required when authorised by Formation Commander.
Kerosene	Galls		½ pint per lamp per day.
Matches	Boxes	Gross Cartons	1 box per 150 men per week. For kitchen use only.
PAPER			
Bags, paper , various	lbs	14 lb bundles	ASC units as required; other units ½ lb per 100 all ranks when authorised by Formation Commander.
Paper brown	lbs	4 or 5 cwt bales	4 lbs per 100 all ranks per 28 days.
" toilet	Rolls	Gross Cartons	3 rolls per 200 men per day. 12 rolls per 200 female personn per day.
	500 sheets		
Paper White.	lbs.	4 or 5 cwt bales.	4 lbs per 100 all ranks per 28 days.
SUNDRY ITEMS.			
Foot Powder	lbs	2 oz or 28 lb tins.	2 ozs per man per 14 days by medical authority.
Kerosene(for cleaning.)	galls		1 pint per vehicle per week
Nails	lbs	56 lb bails	1 lb per 100 all ranks per 28 days as required.
Razor blades	Units		1 blade per man per week.
Skewers (wood)	"	20 pktsx250 per case.	For ASC Use as required and for issue to Units.
Solid Fuel (Canned heat)	Tins	8 Oz tins	As required by Formation Commander.
Straw Palliasse	lbs	"	10 lbs per palliasse, additional 6 lbs at end of fortnight's use, may be replaced after 30 days, or if damp.

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COMMODITY .	UNIT	PACK	ISSUE.
SUNDRY ITEMS (CONTINUED)			
Twine Binder	Lbs.	5 lb balls	5 lbs per Unit per 28 days. Issued as required thru AASC.
" Ordinary	"	1 lb balls	1 lb per Unit per 28 days .
" Sewing.	"	8 oz hanks.	8 ozs " " "
Water distilled.	Galls.		As required

ø Obtained by Supply Officers and single indenting units from A.A.O.D. and not direct from Contractors.

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SUPPLY INSTRUCTION NO. 43

EXPENSE STORES - SCALE OF ISSUES

1. Subtended is copy of 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) memo S&T.S3/983/43 of 19 Jun 43 :-

"Attached herewith are new scales of issue for Expense Stores, which will come into operation on the 20 JUN 43.

This scale is to be read in conjunction with GRO A404 for Malarial Control and also with CRO 969 concerning temporary measures for issue of Toilet Paper."

for (T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT
ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

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SUPPLY INSTRUCTION NO. 45

KEROSENE FOR CLEANING M.T.

1. Subtended is copy of 3 AUST CORPS (AIF) memo S&T.P3/932/43 of 2 Jun 43 :-

"The following scale of issue for the above will operate forthwith:-

ARMD TPS W/SHOP ARMD BDE W/SHOP MOTOR BDE W/SHOP	)	12 GALLS EACH WEEK.
A.A.S.C. W/S PL.	)	1 GAL EACH WEEK PER SECTION.
L.A.D.'s.	)	2 GALLS EACH WEEK. "

2. This will be in addition to normal expense issues.

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8 " " " " "
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Lt Braw Lieut

(T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - W.A. L. OF C. AREA.

HOSPITAL SUPPLIES - ISSUE AND ACCOUNTING FOR

Attached is copy of Instructions regarding the issue and accounting for Hos ital Supplies. The commencing date for introduction of the first 28 days period will be Sunday 20 Jun, 43. The second will commence on 18 Jul, 43, and every 28 days thereafter.

2. It is to be noted :-

(a) Supplementary Ration Allowance is payable for all Hospital Staff and Patients on full diet for whom "C" Scale Rations are drawn.

(b) S.R.A. is NOT payable for Patients on special diet and for whom "C" Scale Rations less deletions, plus Hospital Supplies are drawn.

3. Stock Sheets (A.A.Form F72) have been forwarded to Hospitals and Field Ambulances, in order to obviate delay in implementing the attached instructions.

(SGD) H.F.C. HILL Major
for
ADST. W.A. L OF C AREA.

11 Jun 43.

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HOSPITAL SUPPLIES - ISSUE & ACCOUNTING FOR

1. As provided in L.H.Q. S.M. 49072 of 27 Mar 43 and L.H.Q. 63518 of 19 Apr 43, the entitlement for Hospital Supplies is as hereunder :-

MAXIMUM SCALE OF HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

Scale 100 patients for 28 days.

Instructions unaltered except for following amendments :-

Delete word "Veal", and substitute "Ox Tongues".

Delete paras 2, 3, 4, and 5, and substitute :-

" (a) The scale of issue to patients of above items will be determined by the Medical Officer.

(b) The above scale will operate in all areas.

(c) No variations in the above scale are permitted, but recommendations by the Senior Medical Officer of Formations for substitutes or extra issues will be submitted to L.H.Q.

(d) Medical authorities will make appropriate deletions from the normal ration scale when any of the above items are drawn.

2. Units drawing hospital supplies are not entitled to supplementary ration allowance (SRA) of 1gd for those patients for whom such supplies are drawn. The SRA does apply for those patients for whom normal ration is drawn and for Staff.

3. For accountancy purposes it is therefore necessary that a record be maintained of (a) daily strength of all patients (as basis for Hospital supplies entitlements (b) daily strength of patients for whom Hospital supplies are drawn (not entitled to SRA) (c) daily strength of staff personnel.

4. The following indents will be submitted to A.A.S.C. by Units demanding Hospital supplies :-

(a) AB55 for all members of Staff and all patients (separate indents for rations for females)

(b) AB55 for Hospital supplies.

5. In the case of (a) above, the indent will cover all "C" Scale rations required by the indenting Unit (patients on light diets are entitled to "C" Scale rations), but it is definitely the CO's responsibility to have endorsed on this AB55 the quantities of those components of the "C" Scale ration which are to be under-drawn consequent upon the drawing of Hospital supplies. As an instance when hospital supplies in the form of white meats (veal, tripe, brains) or fish are ordered, a corresponding reduction in fresh meat must be made in this indent. The reduction is on a quantity - not monetary - basis.

6. The indent for hospital supplies ((b) above) will cover those items enumerated in the above Scale of Issue, and the top line of the Form AB55 will read :-

INDENT FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

and that part of form which reads "Officers and men rationed by Unit on date of preparation of this indent"A" " will be altered to read "Total patients rationed by Unit on date etc.".

The column "Rations demanded" will not be used. Under remarks will be inserted, if total patients for whom Hospital supplies are being demanded is - say 41, "HOSPITAL SUPPLIES for 41 L.D. PATIENTS".

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The Hospital supply items and weights etc. thereof required will then be entered in columnal form in the space for REMARKS. If insufficient space available,"as per attached list" will be written in this portion of form, and a list of items required will be attached to each copy of indent.

7. In the available space under "Components of Ration Not Required" the following entry will be made :- "Appropriate underdrawals have been or will be made in ration indents for these hospital supplies".

DAILY RATION STRENGTH RETURN AF W3809

8. This form will be adapted to show :-

(a) Total Unit strength (Staff and patients).

(b) Total patient strength (full and light diets).

(c) Light diet strength (i.e. patients for whom hospital supplies are being demanded).

This will be done by entering under PERSONNEL opposite UNIT POSTED STRENGTH the total Unit strength (under Offrs and ORs) of all staff and patients. The column heading "ANIMALS" will be altered to read "PATIENTS" and "H.D." to read "TOTAL PATIENTS" and "L.D." to read "LIGHT DIETS". It is to be noted that Light Diet patients are also included in Total Patients and that total patients are included in Unit posted strength under Personnel.

9. The number of patients for whom Hospital supplies are to be demanded and particulars of items to be demanded willbe obtained from a summary of diet sheet forms I.1202 which bear the medical Officer's prescription of hospital supplies required.

COMPARISON OF DAILY RATION STRENGTH WITH RATIONS

DRAWN AF. W3810.

10. This form will show "A" side similar details as prescribed above for AF W3809. The Unit will in the remarks column of this Form make the following reconciliation :-

Total strength for week .....

Less total L.D. strength for week .....

Entitled S.R.A. .....

No additional information is required on "B" side of AF W3809.

UNIT ACCOUNTANCY FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

11. As the scale of issue of hospital supplies is based on [illegible] patients for 28 days, it is necessary that indenting units maintain a record of receipts and entitlements for 28 day periods.

12. This record will be kept on AA Form F72. The first commodity column on this form will be headed "Total Patient Strength" and the remaining columns will be used for the various items of Hospital Supplies. The columns may be subdivided once to permit all hospital supply items being entered on one side of form.

13. AB55's for hospital supplies bearing Supply Officer's certificate of issue will be the supporting voucher for the daily entry "Received this day" and AAF F72 receipted by Sgt Cook etc as issue voucher for entry "Issued this day". These supporting vouchers will be numbered consecutively throughout the period, and such numbers will be inserted in column ruled in the existing date column and headed Voucher No.

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14. The strength shown each day in Total Patient Strength column will be the total patient strength as certified by Unit Adjutant in AF W3809.

15. At conclusion of each 28 day period AA Form F72 will be closed off and a summary as follows will be prepared to show :-

"Totals of Hospital supplies commodities on hand at beginning and drawn during period" .....(28 days)
"Plus over issues of commodities during prior 28 day period" and "less stocks on hand at end of period."

The resultant figures of the above will be compared with "Total entitlements for ..... patients for 28 days per scale".

Issues of commodities in excess of entitlement will then be shown and an explanation of such over-issues signed by the Commanding Officer will be appended. This form will be checked by D.F.O.'s representative.

16. Over issues will be carried forward in the next period AAF F72 in the space normally used for first days transactions by altering "Issues this day" to read "Prior over issues". This entry will not affect the balance on hand, and the entry made opposite that line will repeat those shown immediately above as "Remains brought forward from Sheet No..".

INDENTING FOR HOSPITAL SUPPLIES.

17. As indenting units may require to have available for immediate issue to hospital kitchens items of hospital supplies, indents may be submitted for reasonable quantities of non perishable items in bulk. Daily indents will be required for perishable items and such should be submitted to the Supply Officer with the ration indent 3 days prior to date of consumption.

(SGD) H.F.O'NEILL Major.
for ADST WA L OF C AREA.

11 Jun 43. "

for (T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

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28 Jun 43

HOSPITAL SUPPLIES - INDENTING AND ACCOUNTING FOR

Ref Supply Instn No. 44, of 26 Jun 43.

1. Under "Supply Instruction No.44" insert :-

"Subtended is copy of circular from ADST, WA L of C Area:-"

2. Attention is drawn to paras 4 to 10 and para 17, all of which affect AASC.

3. Bde ASC Officers will check AB.55's and W.3810's from Fd Ambs to ensure that they are being prepared in accordance with these instructions.

(T.G.PILGRIM) CAPT.
for ADJT. 2 AUST. DIV. A.A.S.C.

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Army Form W.3008
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23 / 43 (Serial No.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5 / 6 /1943. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. II / 5 / 4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
VX32297	Capt	NEGUS, G.L.	22 AUST COY AASC	31-5-43	Transferred

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
VX111022	Capt	ROSS, A.	22 AUST COY AASC	31-5-43	Transferred

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO HQ COMD (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 5 / 6 /1943. 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF)

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX112722	Capt	BOWLES, B.	No. 24 War Course, AASC School, NTH. GEELONG, Vic.

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HQ COMD
2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/6/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Lieut (T/Maj)	NX120289	LEWIS	A.	Adm Comd	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj Sup	YES		
" (T/Capt)	WX31983	MAYNE	R.B.	A/Maj MT	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM	T.G.	Adjt	NO	24 days' ARL	16-5-43
" (T/Capt)	WX32291	NEGUS	G.B.	Asst.Pet. Sup.duties	YES		
Capt	WX37187	HARRIS	W.P.	RMO	NO	Detached No.11 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, Clovelly, Sydney, N.S.W.	20-4-43
Capt	N281952	WAUGH	M.M.	Chaplain	NO	Detached to 17 AUST COY AASC	28-4-43

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment.
Lieut	NX120295	BRASS, L.W.	17 AUST COY AASC	26-4-43	Assistant to Adjutant.

5 Jun 43
Date of Despatch

(A.LEWIS) Major,
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
Signature of Commander

D.Ltd.—200 pads. 4/43.

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

23/43 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/6/1943. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV (Unit)

W.E. 11/5/4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 AASC (AIF) ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL. WE	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required
1 N.R.			1	W.Os. Class I. 1					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts					
			1	Staff Sergeants 1					
			2	Sergeants 3	AAMC			1	1
			5	Corporals 5					
1 N.R.	2		26	Troopers, Privates, etc. 28	AAMC	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
2 N.R. *	2		35 *	Totals of cols. marked 38 should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		1 *		1	1 *

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

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

Detail		C.M.F.							
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	34		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		36
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
2	17 COY AASC		
2	18 COY AASC		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
2	W. AUST L of C AREA RECORDS OFFICE		
1	17 COY AASC		
1	3 Aust Corps RSMs & CSMs Course.		

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

Army No	Rank	Name and Initials.		REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX129012	A/Sgt	SCARD,	H.A.	No. 10 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, CLOVELLY, N.S.W.
NX120305	Dr	JACKSON,	J.	D & M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM, W.A.
NX145402	Dr	SHARPE,	K.A.	D & M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM, W.A.
NX140914	Dr	BLOWS,	L.J.	No. 24 Clerks' Course, Perth Technical School.
NX156438	Dr	EVELYN,	H.R.	2/1 AGH, MERRIDEN, W.A.

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HQ COMD,
2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) Unit

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

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

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

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Operating Room Assts.			
Operator, Keyboard			
Operator, Line			
Operator, Signal			
Operator, Switchboard			
Operator, Wireless			
Opticians			
Painters			
Panel Beaters			
Photographer, Dry Plate			
Predictor Numbers			
Printers			
Radiographers			
Riggers			
Sawyers			
Signallers			
Signwriters			
Telescope Identfn. Numbers			
Well Borers			
Wheelers			
Winchman			
Wireman			
Woodturners			
GROUP III.			
Battery Surveyors			
Butchers			
Clerks	10	9	1
Clerks, Supply			N.R.
Clerks, Technical			
Coach Trimmers			
Concretors			
Cooks	2	2	
Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Despatch Riders			
Draughtsmen, Signals			
Drivers, H.T.			
Driver Mechanics		1	
Driver Tptn. Plant			
Engine Hands, I.C.			
Equipment Repairers			
Farriers			
Fitters' Mates			
Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD	12	12	1 N.R.

DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
REM	1	1	
Qml MT	1	1	
Dre MT	6	5	1
			N.R.
Batman Dre	4	4	
Batmen	4	4	
M/cyclists	6	6	
Orderly	1	1	
ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Hygiene Inspector	1	-	1 N.I
Med. Orderly	1	1	
Batman Dr.	1	1	
Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	35 *	36 *	3 N.I *

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

5 Jun 43
Date of Despatch

(A.I.E.W.S.) Major,
AUST COMD *Signature of Commander*

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12 / 6 /1943. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. II / 5 / 4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

(5)

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO HQ COMD (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 12 / 6 /1943 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF)

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX112722	Capt	BOWIES, B.	No. 24 War Course, AASC School, NTH. GEELONG, Vic.

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HQ COMD
2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) *Unit*

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
Lieut (T/Maj)	NX120289	LEWIS	A.	Adm Comd	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj Sups	YES		
" (T/Capt)	WX31983	MAYNE	R.B.	A/Maj MT	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM	T.G.	Adjt	NO	24 days' Ald.	16-5-43
" (T/Capt)	WX32291	NEGUS,	G.B.	Asst.Pet. Sup.duties	YES		
Capt	WX37187	HARRIS	W.P.	RMO	NO	Detached No.11 Hygiene & Sanitation Course, CLOVELLY, SYDNEY, N.S.W.	20-4-43
Capt	N281952	WAUGH	M.M.	Chaplain	NO	Detached to 17 AUST COY AASC	28-4-43

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment.
Lieut	NX120295	BRASS, L.W.	17 AUST COY AASC	26-4-43	Assistant to Adjutant

12 Jun 43
Date of Despatch

for (A.LEWIS) Major,
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC
Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

24/43 /____ (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/6/1943. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV (Unit)

W.E. II/5/4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 AASC (AIF) ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL. WE	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required
			1	W.Os. Class I 1					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts					
			1	Staff Sergeants 1					
			2	Sergeants 3	AAMC	1			
			5	Corporals 5					
1 N.R.	2	1	26	Troopers, Privates, etc. 28	AAMC	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
1 N.R. *	2	1	35 *	Totals of cols. marked * 38 should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		2 *			*

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

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

Detail		C.M.F.							
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	35		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		37
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	17 COY AASC		
2	18 COY AASC		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
2	W. AUST L of C AREA RECORDS OFFICE		
2	W. AUST L of C AREA RECORDS OFFICE		
1	17 COY AASC		
1	18 COY AASC		
1	3 Aust Corps RSMs & CSMs Course		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To ____(Unit) is Particularly Requested. 12/6/1943

Army No	Rank	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX120305	Dr.	JACKSON J.	D & M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM W.A.
NX135402	Dr.	SHARPE K.A.	D.& M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM W.A.
NX140914	Dr.	BLOWS L.J.	No. 24 Clerks Course, Perth Technical School
NX156438	Dr.	EVELYN H.R.	2/1 A.G.H. MERRIDEN W.A.

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HQ COMD
2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) *Unit*

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

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanisers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				RSM	1	1	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Cpl MT	1	1	
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	10	9	1	Drs MT	6	5	1 N.R.
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks, Supply			N.R.	Batmen Drs	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Batmen	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				M/cyclists	6	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Coneretors				Orderly	1	1	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks	2	2					
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				Hygiene			
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				Inspector	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics		1		Med. Orderly	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				Batmen Dr.	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	12	12	1 N.R.	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	38	37 *	2 N.R. *

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

12 Jun 43
Date of Despatch

for (A. LEWIS) Major,
ADM COMS *Signature of Commander*

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GROUP III

Clerks - 1 S/Sgt

2 Sgts

4 Cpls

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TO BE MADE UP TO AND FOR SATURDAY IN EACH WEEK.

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SERIAL No. 25/43

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ COMD
2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (*Unit*)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	WE	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (*i.e.* deficits on establishment).
*				
*				
Lieut.-Colonels ...	1			1
Majors	2	1		1
Captains	6	6	1	1
Lieutenants				
2nd Lieutenants				
Quartermasters				
TOTALS	9	7	1	3

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (*e.g.*, present whereabouts, if known)
NX112722	Capt BOWLES, B.	AASC	No. 24 War Course, AASC School, NTH. GEELONG, Vic.

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 ~~Corps.~~ Posting	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut.(T/Maj)	NX120289	LEWIS, A.	Adm Comd	YES	
" (T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES, A.G.	A/Maj Sups	YES	
" (T/Capt)	WX31983	MAYNE, R.B.	A/Maj MT	YES	
" (T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM, T.G.	Adjt	NO	24 days ARL
" (T/Capt)	WX32291	NEGUS, G.L.	Amn Pet Sup duties	YES	
Capt	WX37187	HARRIS, W.P.	RMO	YES	
Capt	N281952	WAUGH, M.M.	Chaplain	NO	Detached to 18 AUST COY AASC

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	~~Corps~~ Unit	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Lieut	NX120295	BRASS, L.W.	17 AUST COY AASC	26-4-43	Assistant to Adjt
T/Major	WX29303	LEADER, W.J.	8 AUST SUP DEP COY	17-6-43	Attached On Duty

HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF)
(Unit.)

19 Jun 43
(Date of Despatch.)

(A.LEWIS) Major,
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
(Signature of Commander.)

2nd Australian Division
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

25/43 Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19/6/1943. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. II/5/4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 36 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 2 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.		ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		W.E.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
			1	W.Os. Class I.	1					
				W.Os. Class II.						
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
			1	Staff Sergeants	1					
			2	Sergeants	3	AAMC	1			
1 N.R.	1		4	Corporals	5					
1 N.R.	1	1	25	Troopers, Privates, etc.	28	AAMC)	1			
				Civilians counting as O.R.		AACC)	2			
2 N.R.	2	1	33 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.	38		4 *			*

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

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

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A		35		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		37
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	17 COY AASC		
2	18 COY AASC		
1	22 COY AASC		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
4	W. AUST L OF C AREA RECORDS OFFICE		
1	17 COY AASC		
1	18 COY AASC		
1	3 Aust Corps RSMs & CSMs Course, HARVEY		

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To (Unit) is Particularly Requested. 19/6/1943

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX120296	Cpl	CURTIS, T.H.	No. 21 LHQ AASC Supply Course, NTH. GEELONG, Vic.
NX120305	Dr	JACKSON, J.	D & M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM, W.A.
NX135402	Dr	SHARPE, K.A.	D & M 4 MTTD, NORTHAM, W.A.
NX140914	Dr	BLOWS, L.J.	No. 24 Clerks' Course, Perth Technical School.

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

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
C[illegible], Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's, Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				RSM	1	1	
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Cpl MT	1	1	
Fitte[illegible] Signal.				Height Taker				Clerks	10	8	2	Drs MT	6	6	
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply			N.R.	Batmen Drs	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical				Batmen	4	4	
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				M/Cyclists	6	6	
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors				Orderly	1	1	
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals				Hygiene			
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.				Inspector	1	1	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics		1		Med. Orderly	1	1	
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant				Batmen Dr	1	1	
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.				Cooks	2	2	
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD	10	9	2 N.R.	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	38 *	37 *	2 N.R.

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

19 Jun 43
Date of Despatch

(A. L[illegible]) Major
ADM [illegible] 2 AUST DIV AASC.
Signature of Commander

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GROUP - III

Clerks - 1 S/Sgt

2 Sgts

3 Cpls

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/6/1943. HQ COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. II/5/4. OFFRS. 7 O.R's. 34 + OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 4 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
WX29303	T/Maj	LEADER, W.J.	WA L of C AREA AASC	10-6-43	Transferred

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
WX31983	T/Capt	MAYNE, R.B.	17 AUST COY AASC	10-6-43	Transferred

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO HQ COMD 2 AUST (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. 26/6/1943 DIV AASC (AIF)

Army No	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
NX112722	T/Capt	BOWLES, B.	No124 War Course, AASC School, NTH.GEELONG VIC L of C Area (incl) 24 days ARL

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lieut(T/Maj)	NX120289	LIEWIS	A.	Adm Comd	YES		
" (T/Maj)	WX29303	LEADER,	W.J.	Maj MT	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120290	WALES	A.G.	A/Maj Sups	YES		
" (T/Capt)	NX120314	PILGRIM	T.G.	Adjt	NO	24 days ARL	
" (T/Capt)	WX32297	NEGUS	G.L.	Amn.Pet. Sup.duties	YES		
Capt	WX37187	HARRIS,	W.P.	RMO	YES		
Capt	NX157165	WAUGH,	M.M.	Chap.	NO	18 AUST COY AASC	31 May 43

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment.
Maj (T/Lt-col)	VX112155	KNIGHT, F.G.M.	A/ADST Q Branch IHQ	31 May 43	CASC
Lieut	NX120295	BRASS, L.W.	17 AUST COY AASC	26-4-43	Assistant to Adjt
Lieut(T/Capt)	WX31983	MAINE, R.B.	-	10-6-43	MT Duties

26 Jun 43
Date of Despatch

A.G. Wales Capt
for (A.LEWIS) Major,
ADM COMD 2 AUST DIV AASC.
Signature of Commander

D.Ltd.—200 pads. 4/43.

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Sub Rank and higher rank if held	Army No.	Surname	Initials	Posting to which seconded	Date of secondment
Lieut(T/Maj)	NX111984	ADAMS,	G.P.	DAQMG, 2 Div.	7/10/41
Lieut(T/Capt)	NS3803	O'LOAN	R.J.C.	2 Air Liaison Sec	23/3/42
Lieut(T/Capt)	NX120308	CRAIG,	H.D.	3 AASC Trg Coy	1/3/43
Lieut	NX120319	BENNETT,	R.	NSW L of C MT TRG Depot	19/9/42
Lieut	NX112001	BROWN,	S.C.	DTO 2 Aust Div (AIF)	9/6/42
Lieut	WX32924	DONEGAN	E.W.	4 MTTD	4/5/43
Lieut(T/Capt)	VX112073	AINLEY,	G.G.	BASCO, 2 Bde	3/1/43
Lieut	NX120310	WILLIAMS,	D.	BASCO, 5 Bde	10/3/43
Lieut(T/Capt)	NX120317	BYRNE,	E.L.	BASCO, 8 Bde	1/12/42
Lieut	VX111020	LEA,	N.A.	TO 2 Aust Fd Amb	18/3/43
Lieut	NX120316	FERGUSON,	A.J.	TO 5 Aust Fd Amb	30/5/43
Lieut	NX120312	BOAG,	G.A.	TO 8 Aust Fd Amb	3/6/43

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Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL. WE	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required
			1	W.Os. Class I 1					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts					
			1	Staff Sergeants 1					
			2	Sergeants 3	AAMC	1			
1 N.R.	1		4	Corporals 5					
1 N.R.	1	1	25	Troopers, Privates, etc. 26	AACC)	2			
				Civilians counting as O.R.	AAMC)	1			
2 N.R. *	2	1	33 *	Totals of cols. marked *36 should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		4 *			*

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Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A		35		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		37
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	17 AUST COY AASC		
2	18 AUST COY AASC		
1	22 AUST COY AASC		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
2	W A L of C AREA RECORDS OFFICE		
1	18 AUST COY AASC		
1	3 Aust Corps RSMs & CSMs Course, HARVEY		

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Reinfts. Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL. WE	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required
			1	W.Os. Class I. 1					
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Detail		C.M.P.							
	A.I.F.	Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	35		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		37
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	17 AUST COY AASC		
2	18 AUST COY AASC		
1	22 AUST COY AASC		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached
2	WA L of C AREA RECORDS OFFICE		
1	18 AUST COY AASC		
1	3 Aust Corps RSMs & CSMs Course, HARVEY		

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