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WAR DIARY OR INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

UNIT: 2/87 Aust. Tpt. Pl. DATE AND TIME - FROM 010600hrs. TO XX 312359hrs.

PLACE.	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION	REMARKS.
HERBERTON RD. WONDECLA.	1 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Church Parade, "Q" Store withdrew Pistols, T.S.M.G's, Lewis Guns. Training:- Rifle inspection, Route March, Preparation for training Syllabus, 2 O/Ranks Detached to LHQ AASC SCHOOL. Meteorological Conditions, Intermittent Showers, Overcast.	
"	2 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle Inspection, Maintenance, Taken On Strength from 2/34 Aust. Gen. Tpt. Coy. Meteorological Conditions Overcast, Intermittent Showers.	
"	3 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand Down Day, Organised Sport, Aust. Rules football match inter platoon, 2 O/Ranks 3 Mobile W/Shops Wing LHQ AASC school, Meteorological Conditions, Intermittent Showers all day.	
"	4 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training, Rifle Inspection, Bayonet Drill, Squad Drill, P.T. 1 O/Rank to 1 Aust. Corps Mobile Hygiene Course, 3 days duration (Rats of Tobruk, prerelease) Meteorological Conditions, Overcast, Intermittent Showers all day.	
"	5 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training Rifle Inspection, Lecture "Security and Supply" Route March, Taken On Strength 4 O/Ranks from 2/34 Aust. Gen. Tpt. Coy. 1 O/Rank Returned from "X" List. Meteorological Conditions, Fine, Warm day, and Cool Night.	
"	6 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Inspection by Col. COLMAN, and Lt-Col. COCHRANE, 1015hrs. Organized Sport, Taken On Strength from 2/164 Aust. Gen. Tpt. Coy. 1 O/Rank. Meteorological Conditions Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	7 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle Inspection Bayonet Drill, Lecture, P.T. 1 O/Rank evacuated to 2/2 Aust. Gen. Hosp. returned from leave 2 O/Ranks, returned from School. Meteorological Conditions Fine, hot day, warm night.	

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PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION	REMARKS.
HERBERTON RD. WONDECLA.	8 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Church Parade, Lecture "Guardsand Sentries" Rifle Drill, P.T. Meteorological Conditions Fine, warm day cool noght.	
"	9 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- P.T. Rifle inspection Lecture Army Organisation (Lt. Jaffray A.R.) Route March Meteorological Conditions Fine, warm day, hot night.	
"	10 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand Down Day, Organised Sport, Aust. Rules football match, Meteorological Conditions, Fine, warm day and night.	
"	11 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle inspection, Respirator Drill, Bayonet drill, Lecture Bren Gun, 4 O/Ranks marched out to Mobile W/Shops. LHQ AASC School. Meteorological Conditions, Fine, warm day, cool night.	
"	12 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, reallotment of personnel, Marched In. 62 O/Ranks. Marched Out, 72 O/Ranks. Meteorological Conditions Fine, warm day, cool night.	
"	13 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Inspection Lt.-Col. COCHRANE, Training, Rifle drill, Route March. Meteorological Conditions, Overcast, cool day and night.	
"	14 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle inspection, Lecture, afternoon Organised sport, Meteorological Conditions, Fine, scattered clouds, slight breeze, Marched Out 6 O/Ranks, Marched In, 6 O/Ranks.	
"	15 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle Inspection, Application of Fire, Bayonet training, Route March, P.T. 5 O/Ranks marched In from 2/164 Aust. Gen. Tpt. Coy. 4 O/Ranks Marched In from HQ W/Shops 2/164 A.G.T.Coy., 1 O/Rank Marched in from 2/85 Aust Tpt Pl. Marched Out 1 O/Rank 2/164 A.G.T.Coy. Meteorological Conditions, Slight Showers, 1600hrs. cool and overcast.	

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PLACE	DATE HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION	REMARKS.
HERBERTON RD WONDECLA.	16 Dec 44	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle Inspection, Church Parade, Bayonet drill, P.T. 1 O/Rank rejoined Unit from "X" List (Hosp.) Meteorological Conditions, Overcast, Showers, Wind, cool night.	
"	17 Dec 44	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand Down Day, Organised Sport, Rugby, Base Ball, 2 O/Ranks, attached from 161 A.G.T.Coy. Meteorological Conditions, warm day, cool night.	
"	18 Dec 44	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle Inspection, Maintenance of Owen Guns, Request Hour, Meteorological Conditions, Warm day, cool Night, with showers, Overcast.	
"	19 Dec 44	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle Inspection, Application of Fire, Bayonet Drill. Route March, Compass March, 1 O/Rank Compassionate leave, (7days) Meteorological Conditions, Overcast, Heavy rains (1200hrs) to (1700hrs) cool night.	
"	20 Dec 44	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle Inspection, P.T. Lecture "Owen Gun" (Cpl. ARTHER.) Organised Sport, Aust. Rules football match, Interplatoon, 1 O/Rank evacuated to 2/1 Aust. Fd. Amb. 1 Off. returned from LHQ Gas School Course 40. Meteorological Conditions Day warm and overcast, electrical storms 1630 hrs. heavy rains, warm night.	
"	21 Dec 44	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Duty Platoon, for 2/164 Aust. Gen. Tpt. Coy. 1 O/Rank evacuated to 2/2 Aust. Gen. Hosp. Mounted Town Picquet HERBERTON 1600hrs. Meteorological Conditions, Overcast, Heavy Showers, warm night..	

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PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION.	REMARKS.
HERBERTON RD. WONDECLA.	22 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle Drill, Bayonet Drill, Application of fire, P.T. Meteorological Conditions, Intermittent showers, cool, day and night.	
"	23 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training:- Rifle Inspection, Lecture Owen Gun, P.T. 1 O/Ranks evacuated to 2/1 Aust. Fd. Amb. Meteorological Conditions. Overcast morning, heavy rains afternoon and night.	
"	24 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand Down Day, Organised trips to Tully Falls and Lake Eacham, Meteorological Conditions, intermittent showers, warm day and night.	
"	25 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand Down Day, returned from 2/1 Aust. XXXXXXX. Gen. Hosp. 1 O/Rank. Meteorological Conditions, Fine warm day and night.	
"	26 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle Drill, Route March, Wood for Kitchen morning and afternoon, P.T. all rifles to Q Store Waterproofing and Armoures. Meteorological Conditions, Fine, warm day, cool night.	
"	27 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Route March, Lecture Bren Gun, Sports Afternoon, Meteorological Conditions, Finewarm day, Cool night.	
"	28 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Route March, Lecture Owen Gun, 4 O/Ranks A.W.L. from 0645 hrs. Meteorological Conditions, Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	29 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Church parade, P.T. Cleaning up of Camp Area, 4 O/Ranks A.W.L. apprehended, 1 O/Rank returned from Hosp. 1 O/Rank evacuated to 2/2 Aust Gen Hosp. Meteorological Conditions Fine day warm night.	

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PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION	REMARKS.
HERBERTON RD. WONDECLA.	30 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Route March, 1 O/Rank Struck Off Strength 6 Months L.W.O.P. Meteorological Conditions Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	31 Dec 44		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Church Parades, STAND DOWN DAY Meteorological Conditions Fine warm day, Cool night.	

Lt.
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OC 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.

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UNIT: 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. DATE AND TIME - FROM 010600 K TO 312359 K. January.

PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION.	INITIALS	REMARKS.
Herberton Rd, WONDECLA.	1 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Church Parade, P.T. Route March, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine day, warm night.	£	
"	2 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Route March, Lecture Owen Gun, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, intermittent Showers Night.		
"	3 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, 1 Vehicle Taken On Strength from HQ COMDAASC 11 Aust Div. P.T. Orgainsed Sport, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, fine warm night.		
"	4 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Lecture Bren Gun, Route March, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine day, cool night.		
"	5 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Issue of Rifles, Rifle Inspection Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		
"	6 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Rifle Inspection, Rifle Drill, W 3008 and W 3009 submitted, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine day, cool night.		Appendix "A" W3008 att.
"	7 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		
"	8 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Rifle Inspection, Route March with Rifles, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine day, cool night.		
"	9 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, 1 Officer. (Lt. A.R.JAFFRAY) evacuated to 2/3 Aust. C.C.S. PT. Rifle Inspection, Route March with rifles, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine day, Cool night.		
"	10 Jan 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Organised Sport afternoon, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.		

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PLACE	DATE HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION.	INITIALS	REMARKS.
HERBERTON RD., WONGABEL.	11 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Duty Platoon, Rifle Inspection, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.		
"	12 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Route March, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		
"	13 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Rifle Inspection, Duty Platoon, W 3008's and W3009's submitted, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine Hot day, warm night.		
"	14 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		
"	15 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Starting of Pl. Schools duration 7 days, Bren, Owen, Electrical, Fuel Transmission and i/c Engines, and Maintenance Schools, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, intermittent showers, warm night.		
"	16 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Schools, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast during day, heavy showers night.		
"	17 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Schools, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, intermittent showers day and night.		
"	18 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by allranks, Schools, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast intermittent showers day and night.		
"	19 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Schools, Meteorological Conditions:- Slight Showers, strong winds day night.		
"	20 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Schools, W3008's and W3009's submitted Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, windy day and night.		
"	21 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent Showers night.		

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PLACE	DATE HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION.	INITIALS	REMARKS.
HERBERTON RD.WONGABEL	22 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Schools, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, intermittent showers day and night.		
"	23 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle, Bren, and Owen Shoot, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, intermittent showers, day and night.		
"	24 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle Training for G.O.C's Parade. Meteorological Conditions:- Heavy rains day and night.		
"	25 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training G.O.C's Parade Meteorological Conditions:- Continual Rains day and night.		
"	26 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, 1 Off. to First Aust Army AASC Schools WONGABEL. Training G.O.C. Parade, Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent Showers day and night.		
"	27 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training G.O.C's Parade, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent showers day and night.		
"	28 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand Down Day. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Showers afternoon and night.		
"	29 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, G.O.C's Inspection, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, intermittent showers day and night.		
"	30 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Inspection of Vehicles by Maj. MT. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, intermittent Showers day and night.		£
"	31 Jan 45.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Rifle inspection, Meteorological Conditions:-Overcast, intermittent showers, day and night.		

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

5/44 (Serial No.)

2/87 AUST TPT PL
At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 2 / Dec / 1944 (2/164 Aust (Unit)
Gen Tpt Coy)

W.E. 111/710/1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts Required
				W.Os Class I					
				W.Os. Class II					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts					
–	–	–	1	Staff Sergeants					
–	–	–	2	Sergeants					
–	–	–	8	Corporals	AACC	–	–	1	–
–	–	–	83	Troopers, Privates, etc	AACC	3	1	–	–
				Civilians counting as O.R					
– *	–	–	94 *	Totals of cols marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		3 *	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		A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
			Under 19 Years	19 Years and over							
A		97						[redacted]	[redacted]		97
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

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

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

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

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

First Aust Army Mob Print Unit—a262—50m—8-43

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2/87 AUST TPT PL
(2/164 Aust Gen Tpt Coy) ..... *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 2 /Dec /194 4.

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.)	1	1	–	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.)	1	1	–	Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors				Dvrs MT	41	41	–
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers				Spare Dvrs	31	31	–
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks	2	2	–	Batmen Dvrs	2	2	–
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply				Orderlies	2	2	–
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical TMT	1	1	–	Water Duty Man	1	1	–
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers				General Duty Men	2	2	–
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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				AACC	3	3	–
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics	6	6	–				
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T. MV	4	4	–	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	2	2	–	CARRIED FORWARD	6	6	–	CARRIED FORWARD	15	15	–	Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively	97	97 *	– *

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.

2Dec 44
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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DETAILS OF NCOs

		WE	Posted Strength	Surplus	Deficient
Mechanist	S/Sgt	1	1	-	-
General Duty Men	Sgt	2	2	-	-
Clerk	Cpl	1	1	-	-
Drivers MT	Cpl	5	5	-	-
Spare Driver	Cpl	1	1	-	-
Attached Personnel					
AACC	Cpl	1	-	-	1
AACC	Ptes	2	3	1	-

DETAILS OF SURPLUS TRADESMEN

VX60216 Pte Gp 11 (Cook) Page H.A. Med. Class A1 x

"X" LIST PERSONNEL

Hospital

1 Dvr MT

PERSONNEL CONSIDERED UNSUITABLE FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

NIL

x 1 Pte Cook Gp 11 (AACC) filling the position of Cpl Cook
(Application for promotion submitted & approved. Casualty Return submitted)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

WD

1/45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/1/1945 2/87 Aust Tpt. Pl. (Unit)

W.E. 111/719 1 OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/1/1945. (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.
S/Lt.	NX65468	JAFFRAY	A.R.	OC Pl	Yes.		
S/Lt.	SX22315	FOOTER	W.T.	2 i/c Pl.	Yes		

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

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

6.1.45
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

Truth—7/43.

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UNIT: 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. DATE AND TIME - FROM 010600K To 282359K FEBRUARY 45.

PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION	INITIALS	REMARKS.
Herberton Rd., WONDECLA.	1 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Heavy rains, days and night.		
" "	2 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Company duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent showers, day and night.		
" "	3 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, W3008's and W3009's submitted. Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent showers, day and night.		Appendix "A" W3008 attached.
" "	4 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent showers, day and night.		
" "	5 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, 13 personnel detached, General Coy. Duties, Meteorological Conditions:-Continual showers, day and night		
" "	6 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle Inspection, and Drill, Meteorological Conditions:- Showers day and night.		
" "	7 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Organised Sport, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Fine day, rains night.		
" "	8 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Lt. Footer W.T. rejoined Unit from Course No.7 Amm. Wing. Meteorological Conditions:- Showers all days.		
" "	9 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent Showers day and night.		
" "	10 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent Showers day and night. W3008 and W3009 submitted.		
" "	11 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Heavy Rains day and night.		
" "	12 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training for Governor Generals Parade, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		

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PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION	INITIALS	REMARKS.
Herberton Rd., WONDECLA.	13 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Training for Governor Generals Parade, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, slight showers night.		
" "	14 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Governor Generals Parade 1530 hrs. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		
" "	15 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, P.T. Rifle Inspection and Drill, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine day, warm night.		
" "	16 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle Inspection and Drill, P.T. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		
" "	17 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, W3008's and W3009's submitted, General Coy. Duties. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine Hot day, and warm night.		
" "	18 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine hot day, warm night.		
" "	19 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Orgainised Sports Meeting. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine hot day, warm night. Lt. Jaffray A.R. evacuated to 2/2 Aust Gen Hosp.		
" "	20 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Coy. Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine hot day and night.		
" "	21 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Fine hot day warm night. Meteorological Conditions. Route March.		
" "	22 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Route March all day. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Warm day cool night.		£

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PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION.	INITIALS	REMARKS.
Herberton Rd. WONDECLA.	23 Feb 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Route March, W3008 and W3009 submitted, Meteorological Conditions:-Fine warm day, cool night.		
" "	24 Feb 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Organised Sport, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day ,cool night.		
" "	25 Feb 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day,cool night.		
" "	26 Feb 45		Atebrin taken bt all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day and night.		
" "	27 Feb 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle inspection and Drill. Meteorological Conditions:-Fine day, slight showers night.		
" "	28 Feb 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, All day Route March. Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent showers day and night.		

(W.T.FOOTER) Capt.
OC 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/2/1945. ..... (Unit)

W.E. 111/710/1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 3/2/1945. (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.
~~S/Lt.~~	~~NX65468~~	~~JAFFRAY~~	~~A.R.~~	~~OC Pl~~	~~yes~~		
~~S/Lt.~~	~~SX22345~~	~~FOOTER~~	~~W.T.~~	~~2 i/c~~	~~No~~	~~First Aust Army AASC Amn. School.~~	

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.

3 FEB 1945
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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UNIT: 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. (DATES AND TIMES) - From 010600 K to 310600K Mar 45.

PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION	INITIALS	REMARKS.
Herberton Rd., WONDECLA.	1 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, windy day and night.		
" "	2 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, all day Route March,Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast,Cool day and night.		
" "	3 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle Drill, W3008's and W3009's submitted,Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Cool day,and night, slight showers:-		Appendix "A" W3008 and W3009 Submitted.
" "	4 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Sports Meeting Dinner, attended by Capt. FOOTER W.T. Maj. Dean. Meteorological Conditions:- Heavy showers day and night.		
" "	5 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Inspection by D.D.S.T. Lecture. Meteorological Conditions:- Heavy Rains day and night.		
" "	6 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent showersday and night.		
" "	7 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle inspectio and drill, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Fine day and night.		
" "	8 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle inspection,Route March, Meteorological Conditions:-.Fine warm day, cool night.		
" "	9 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Rifle Inspection , Meteorological Conditions :- Overcast,Fine day,Heavy Rains at night.		
" "	10 Mar 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, W3008 and W3009 submitted Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittend Showers day,night.		

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Place.	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information.	Initials	Remarks.
Herberton Rd., WONDECLA.	11 Mar 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittend Showers day and n ight.		
" "	12 Mar 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties. Meteorological Conditions:-Overcast,heavy rains day & night.		
" "	13 Mar 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,Route march.Meteorological conditions:-Heavy rains day and night.		
" "	14 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,Rifle Inspection,General duties. Meteorological conditions:-Overcast,heavy rains day & night.		
" "	15 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,Rifle inspection and drill, Meteorological conditions:-Overcast,Intermittent Showers, day and night,Strong cold winds.		
" "	16 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General Duties.Meteorological Conditions:-Overcast,Heavy Rains day & night,Cold.		
" "	17 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks.General Duties.Meteorological Conditions:-Overcast,Cold,Intermittent Showers,day,&heavy showers night. W3008's and W 3009's submitted.		
" "	18 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Stand down day.Meteorological Conditions:-Continual Rains day & night.		
" "	19 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Rifle inspection,Route March. Meteorological Conditions:-Intermittent Showers day & night. Overcast.		
" "	20 Mar 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent Showers,day and night.		

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PLACE	DATE	HOUR	SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND INFORMATION.	INITIALS	REMARKS.
Herberton Road., WONDECLA.	21 Mar 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties,Meteorological Conditions:-Overcast,Showers Day and Night.		
" "	22 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,Rifle inspection,Route March. Meteorological Conditions,Overcast,Warm day,Cool night.		
" "	23 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General Duties,16 personnel re-Inoculated.Met.Cond.Fine Warm Day,Cool night.		
" "	24 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General Duties,W30002 and 9s. submitted.Met.Cond.Fine warm day Cool night.		
" "	25 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,Stand down day,Met.Cond. Fine warm day,Cool night.		
" "	26 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,Rifle inspection & Drill,Route march. Met.Cond.Fine warm day,cool night.		
" "	27 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties,Meteorological Conditions,Cool day,and night.		
" "	28 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties,Rifle Parade, Meteorological Conditions,Fine warm day,cool night.		
" "	29 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties,Meteorological conditions,Overcast,heavy rains day and night.		
" "	30 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,Stand down day,Good Friday. Meteorological Conditions,Overcast,Showers day & Night.		
" "	31 Mar.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties,Meteorological conditions,Overcast,slight showers day & night.		

A.R.Jaffray Lt.
(A.R.Jaffray)
OC 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.

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Army Form. W3008.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS. Serial No. 9/45-

as at 0600 hrs. SATURDAY 3 Mar. 45. UNIT: 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.

W.E. 111/710/1 Off. 2 O/R's 94 - Off. - O/R's 3 att. by W.E.

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

W.E. excluding Attached.					Attached allowed by W.E.			
Rein'fts Required	Deficient W.E.	SURPLUS TO W.E.	Posted Strength	Details Arm Or Corps	Posted Strength	Surplus W.E.	Def W.	
	1	1	1	Captains	2 i/c promoted Capt.			
NR	1	-	-	Lieutenants	to be reposted.			
	2	1	1		-	-	-	

AIF "A"	Total.
1	1

PRO-FORMA. Army Form W 3008.

UNIT: 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Serial No. 9/45.

PART D - NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH.

as at 0600 hrs. SATURDAY 3 Mar. 45.(Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of "A"

Substantive Ranks, and higher temp.. Rank if held.	Army Number.	Surname	Initials	Posting	Whether present with Unit insert "Yes" "No"	If not present with Unit state how employed.
T/Capt.	SX22315	FOOTER	W.T.	2 i/c	Yes.	-

3 Mar. 45.
Date of Despatch.

Capt.
Signature of Commander.

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010600 K To 300600 K April 45.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Herberton Road, Wondecla.	1.Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Stand down day. Meteorological conditions:-Intermittent showers day and night.	
	2.Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Meteorological Overcast slight showers day and night.	
	3 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Meteorological conditions:-Fine cool day and night.	
	4 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks.General duties.2 N.C.O.attended lecture by legal Officer HQ 11 Div.Met.con.overcast day & night	
	5 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks.General area and Brigade duties. M Met.Cond:-Fine cool day and night.	
	6 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Meteorological conditions:-Fine warm day,cool night.	
	7.Apr.45	n	Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.W3008 and W3009 submitted.Met.cond:-Fine warm day,cool night	Appendix "A" W 3008 and W 3009
	8.Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Stand down day. Meteorological conditions:-Fine warm day,cool night.	
	9 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by allnranks. General duties. Meteorological conditions:- Fine cool day,and night.	
	10 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Meteorological conditions:- Fine warm day,cool night.	
	11 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Meteorological conditions:- Fine warm day,cool night.	
	12 Apr 45.		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties; Meteorological conditions:- Fine warm day cool night.	
	13 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Meteorological conditions:- Fine cool day,slight showers at night.	
	14 Apr.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Gen.duties.W 3008 & 9 submitted Met.cond:-Overcast showers day and night.	

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010600 K To 300600 K April 45.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Herberton Road., WONDECLA.	15 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Windy, Intermittent showers day & night.	A.C.S.
" "	1 6Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, slight showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	17 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Cold, slight showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	18 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, cold, slight showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	19 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Cond itions:- Overcast cool day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	20 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, slight showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	21 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, W 3008 and W 3009 Submitted, Met. Conds:- Overcast, Intermittent Showers D & N	A.C.S.
" "	22 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast Intermittent showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	23 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Slight showers, day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	24 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	25 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions, Overcast, slight showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	26 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	27 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent showers day and night.	A.C.S.
" "	28 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, W3008 & W3009 submitted, Met. Conds:- Overcast, slight showers day and night.	A.C.S.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Herberton Road., WONDECLA.	29 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Stand Down Day. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	A.R.S.
" "	30 Apr 45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day and night.	A.R.S.
			A.R.Smith Lt. (A.R.JAFFRAY) for OC 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.	

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

14 / 45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 4 / 1945 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl (Unit)

W.E 111/710/1. OFFRS. 2 O.Rs. 94+ OFFRS. - O.Rs. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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. "A"	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.		1									1
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7/4/1945. (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.
S/Lt.	NX65468	JAFFRAY	A.R.	OC Pl.	Yes		

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

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

7 Apr 45.
Date of Despatch

A.R. Smith Lt.
Signature of Commander

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010100 K To 312359 K

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
HERBERTON ROAD., WONDECLA.	1.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met eorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent showers day and night.	
" "	2.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, slight showers, day and night.	
" "	3.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Fine cool day and night.	
" "	4.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fin e warm day, cool, night.	
" "	5.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, W 3008 & W 3009 Submitted, Met. Conds:- Fine cool day and night.	Appendix "A" W3008 & 9.
" "	6.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
" "	7.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions, Fine cool day and night.	
" "	8.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day and night.	
" "	9.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Co nditions:- Fine cool day and night.	
" "	10.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day and cold night.	
" "	11.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, 22 O/Rs att. from 2/34 A.G.T.Coy. Meteorological Conditions:-Fine cool day & night.	
" "	12.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, W 3008 & W 3009 Submitted, Met. Conds. Fine warm day, and cold night.	
" "	13.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Stand down day. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
" "	14.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010100 K To 312359 K.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
HERBERTON ROAD., WONDEC LA.	15.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day,cold night.	
" "	16.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties,Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day,cold night.	
" "	17.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties,Meteorological Conditions:- Fine co ol day,cold night.	
" "	18.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day cool night.	
"MAPEE."	19.5.45	1600	Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties. W 3008 & W 3009 Submitted.Platoon arrived at new area 1600 hrs. 161 Aust Gen	
			Tpt Coy. Mapee. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
" "	20.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks,General duties in new area. Meteorological conditions:- Fine hot day warm night.	
" "	21.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand down day. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day cool night.	
" "	22.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
" "	23.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day cool night.	
" "	24.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions, Fine cool day and night.	
" "	25.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ransk, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine Cool day, slight showers night.	
" "	26.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties,W3008&9 submitted, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day, slight showers night.	
" "	27.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Intermittent showers, day and night.	

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010100 K To 312359 K

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
MAPEE.	28.5.45		A tebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Cond itions:- Overcast, Windy, Intermittent showers, day & night.	
"	29.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Intermittent showers day and night.	
"	30.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	31.5.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, Fine day, slight showers night.	
			Watford Lt. (M.J.WATSFORD) OC 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.	

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Army Form W.3008
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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

18 / 45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5 / 5 / 1945. 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. (Unit)

W.E. 111/719/1. OFFRS. 2 O.Rs. 94 + OFFRS. – O.Rs. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit. (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
S/Lt.	NX65468	JAFFRAY	A.R.	OC Pl.	No.	On leave.	

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.

5.5.45
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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Army Form C.2118
(adapted.)

WAR DIARY or ~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

(Erase heading not required). 1 June 45 - 30 June 45

Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010100 Z To 302359 Z

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
MAPEE	1.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day and night.	
"	2.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day cool night, W3008 &9 submitted.	APPENDIX "A" W3008 & 9.
"	3.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY. Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	4.6.45	2330	Atebrin taken by all ranks, VX 61170 Pte. GRAHAM L.V. Killed in vehicle accident, approx. 2330 hrs. Met. Conds	
			overcast, warm day, cool night.	
"	5.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Maintenance Met. Conds:- Fine warm day cool night.	
"	6.6.45	1100	Atebrin taken by all ranks, VX61170 Pte. GRAHAM L.V. Funeral, attended by platoon, General Duties afternoon,	
			Meteorological Conditions:- Overcast, cool day and night.	
"	7.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Maintenance Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	8.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Maintenance, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	9.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, W3008 & 9 submitted, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	10.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY Met Conds. Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	11.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Bren and Owen Gun shoot, Met Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	12.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Route March, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night,	

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010100 Z To 30235.9

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
MAPEE	13.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Maintenance, Met Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	14.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Route March, Met Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	15.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met Conds Fine warm day cool night.	
"	16.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, W 3008 & 9 submitted, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	17.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, STAND DOWN DAY Met Conds:- Overcast, rains day and night.	
"	18.6.45	0900	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Departed from Mapee area, at 0900 hrs, arrived 2/109 Aust Gen Tpt Coy. Cairns area	
		1230	1230 hrs. General Duties on arrival, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
CAIRNS	19.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	20.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Maintenance, Met Conds:- Fine warm day cool night,	
"	21.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Maintenance, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, warm night.	
"	22.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	23.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, W3008 & 9 submitted, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day cool night,	
"	24.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, STAND DOWN DAY. Met. Conds:- Fine Hot day, warm night.	
"	25.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks:- General Duties, Met. Conds Fine warm day cool night.	

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010100 Z To 302359

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CAIRNS	26.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day. cool night.	
"	27.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	28.6.45		Atebrin taken by all rnaks, General Duties, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	29.6.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met. Conds:- Fine day, Overcast, slight showers night.	
"	30.6.45		Atebrin taken by all rnaks, Gerenral Duties, W3008 & 9 submitted, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day cool night.	
			Watford Lt.	
			(M.S.WATSFORD)	
			OC 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.	

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 2/6/1945. 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Unit.

W.E. 111/7101. OFFRS. 2 O.Rs. 74 OFFRS. - O.Rs. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
				*					
				Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
1	1	-	-	Captains					
	-	1	2	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
1	1	1	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.		"A" 2									2
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.
NX154904	Lt.	WATSFORD M.S.	2/82 Aust Tpt Pl.	28.5.45	Transferred to this Platoon.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 2/6/1945. (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.
Lt.	NX65468	JAFFRAY	A.R.	OC PL.	NO	LEAVE	
Lt.	NX154904	WATSFORD	M.S.	2 i/c Pl	Yes		

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

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

2.6.45
Date of Despatch

Watsford Lieut.
Signature of Commander

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Army Form C.2118
(Adap ed.)

1 July 45 - 31 July 45

Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. *Date and Time.—From* 010100 K *To* 31239 K

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BALACLAVA	1-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand down day, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, fine cool day, cool night.	
"	2-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, light showers day and night.	
"	3-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, showers day and night.	
"	4-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, heavy showers day and night.	
"	5-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, light showers day and night.	
"	6-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, showers day and night.	
"	7-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, light showers day and night. W3008 and 9 submitted.	Appendix A attached W3008 and W3009
"	8-7-45	1400 hrs.	Atebrin taken by all ranks, Movement from Balaclava to Redlynch. Met. Conds:- Overcast, windy, with light showers day and night.	
REDLYNCH	9-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, heavy showers day and night.	
"	10-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast showers day and night.	
"	11-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, light showers day and night.	
"	12-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night overcast and cool.	
"	13-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night clear and cool. ~~W3008 and 9 submitted~~	~~Appendix A attached~~
"	14-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day clear and warm, night cool. W3008 and W3009 submitted.	Appendix A attached W3008 and W3009

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Unit 2/8 7 Aust Tpt Pl. *Date and Time.—From* 010100 K *To* 312359 K

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
REDLYNCH	15-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand down day, Met. Conditions:- Day overcast and cool, night clear and cold.	
"	16-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm night clear and cold.	
"	17-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night clear and cold,	
"	18-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night ,overcast and cool.	
"	19-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day overcast and windy, night overcast and cool.	
"	20-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night overcast and windy.	
"	21-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and windy, night overcast and cool. W3008 and 9 sub.	Appendix A attached W3008 and W3009
"	22-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, Stand down Day, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night clear and cool.	
"	23-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night clear and cool.	
"	24-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night clear and cool.	
"	25-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day fine and warm, night clear and cool.	
"	26-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day overcast and warm, night overcast with light rain.	
"	27-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day light showers, night overcast and warm.	
"	28-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties. W3008 and W3009 submitted. Met Conditions:- Day light showerd, night heavy showers.	Appendix A attached W3008 and W3009

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. Date and Time.—From 010100 K To 312359 K

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
REDLYNCH	29-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Stand down day, Met. Conditions:- Overcast, showers day and night.	
"	30-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General Duties, Met. Conditions:- Overcast day and night, heavy showers day, light showers night.	
"	31-7-45		Atebrin taken by all ranks, General duties, Met. Conditions:- Day overcast, heavy showers, night light showers.	

[signature] Lt.
O.C. 2/87 Aust. Tpt. Pl.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

27 / 45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 7 /194 5 . 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl (Unit).

W.E 111/710 1 OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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.		1									1
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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27 / 45 Serial No.)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 7 /194.5 (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.
Lt	NX154904	Watsford	M.S.	2 i/c Pl.	yes		

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

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

12 JUL 1945
Date of Despatch

Watsford Lieut
Signature of Commander

a.w. 1½m bks. 3/45

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

28 45 ..../.... (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 14 / 7 /194 5 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 710 / 1 OFFRS. 2 O.R.'s 94 OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 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.	Reinf'ts Required
				Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
NR	1	-	-	Captains					
	-	-	1	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offs.					
	1	-	1						

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) and 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.		1									1
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	Unit From	Date	CAUSE

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday .14/.7./ 194.5.. (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.
Lt	NX154904	Watsford	M.S.	2 i/c Pl.	yes		

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

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

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Date of Despatch

Watsford Lieut.
Signature of Commander
O.C. 2/87 Aust. Tpt. Pl. Capt.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 21/7/194 5 2/87 Aust. Tpt. (Unit) 29/46 (Serial No.)

W.E. 111/71/1 OFFRS. 2 O.R.'s 24 OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 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.	Reinf'ts Required
				Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
NR.	1	-	-	Captains					
	-	1	2	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offs.					
	1	1	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) and 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.		2									2
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
Nx65468	Lieut.	Jaffray A.R.	Lady W'Hurst Con Depot.	17/7/45	Returned from "X" List.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 21 / 7 / 1945 .... (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.	NX65468	JAFFRAY	A.H.	CO	yes		
Lieut.	NX164904	WATFORD	E.S.	2 i/c	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

21 July 45
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
Capt.
O.C. 2/87 Aust. Tpt. Pl.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 28./7../1945....2/7 Aust. Tpt. Pl (Unit)

W.E. 111/719/1 ... OFFRS. 2. O.R.'s 94. OFFRS. - O.R's. 3. ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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) and E(2).

DETAIL		A.A.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.		2									2
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	Unit From	Date	CAUSE

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 28/7 ~~1945~~ (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.	NX65468	Jaffray	A.R.	OC.	yes		
Lieut.	NX154904	Watsford	M.S.	2 i/c	~~yes~~ No	On leave.	

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

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

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Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 7 /1945. 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl (Unit).

W.E. 111 710 1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
				W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
2	-	-	2	Sergeants					
8 1	2	-	6	Corporals	A.A.C.C.C.	1	-	-	- 1
83 23	22	-	61	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.C.	2	-	-	- 1
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
94 24*	24	-	70	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.	A?A.C.C.C.	3 *	-	-	- *3

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"	"B"	C.M.F. A Under 19 Years.	C.M.F. B 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	70	3	-	-				[redacted]	[redacted]		73
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

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

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

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

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

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 7 / 7 /1945 .

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 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							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) * *	*			Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers		*	*	*			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) * *	*			Joiners				Concretors		*	*	*		*	*
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							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant						*	
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				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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

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Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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DETAILS PART E

TRADE OR DUTY	RANK	W.E	POSTED STRENGTH	DEFICIENT	SURPLUS	REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED	REMARKS
TG1.							
ELECTRICION M.V.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-	
FITTER M.V.	Cpl.	1	-	1	-	1	
TG 111.							
CLERKS.	Pte	1	1	-	-	-	
" Tech.	"	1	1	-	-	-	
DRIVERS MECH.	"	6	5	1	-	1	
TG 11.							
MECHANICS	Pte	3	2	1	-	1	
NON-SPECIALISTS.							
ADM. DUTIES.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
BATMAN DVRS.	Pte.	2	1	1	-	1	
DRIVERS MT.	"	36	36	-	-	-	
SPARE DRIVERS	"	30	11	19	-	19	
ORDERLIES.	"	2	2	-	-	-	
WATER DUTIES	"	1	1	-	-	-	
MECHANISTS	S/sgt.	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl. i/c Spare Dvrs.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl. i/c Section.	Cpl.	5	4	1	-	NR.	
SERGEANTS	Sgt.	2	2	-	-	-	
TOTAL.		94	70	24	-	23	
ATTACHED.							
A?A.C.C. COOKS.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
A.A.C.C. "	Pte.	2	2	-	-	-	
TOTAL.		3	3	-	-	-	

DETAILS OF SURPLUS WO'S and NCO's POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GRO 187/44

NIL.

"X" LIST PERSONNEL.

Hospital	7 Dvrs. M.T.	Illegal Absentees	2 Dvrs. M.T.
L.W.O.P.	1 Dvr. M.T.	Detention	1 Dvr. M.T.

PERSONNEL CONSIDERED UNFIT UNSUITABLE FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE?

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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 14/7/1945. 2/87 Aust Tpt Bl (Unit).

W.E. 111/719/1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
				W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1 -	X	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
2	-	-	2	Sergeants					
8 1	2	-	6	Corporals	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	- 1
83 23	22	-	61	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	2	-	-	- 2
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
94 24 *	24	--	70*	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		3 *	-	-	- * 3

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"	"B"	A C.M.B		A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A.I.F.		Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.							
A	70	3	-	-				[redacted]	[redacted]		73
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

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

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

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

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

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 14/7/1945.

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 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							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
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				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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DETAILS . PART E.

TRADE OR DUTY.	RANK	WE.	POSTED STRENGTH	DEFICIENT	SURPLUS	REINFTS. REQUIRED	REMARKS
TG 1.							
ELECTRICIANS M.V.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-	
FITTER MVV.	Cpl.	1	-	1	-	1	
TG 11.							
MECHANICS M.V.	Pte.	3	2	1	-	1	
TG111.							
CLERKS.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-	
CLERKS Tech.	"	1	1	-	-	-	
DVRS.MECHANIC.	"	6	5	1	-	1	
NON-SPECIALISTS							
ADM. DUTIES.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
BATMAN DVRS.	Pte.	2	1	1	-	1	
DVRS.M.T.	Pte.	36	36	-	-	-	
SPARE DVRS.	"	30	11	19	-	20	
ORDERLIES	"	2	2	-	-	-	
WATER DUTIES	"	1	1	-	-	-	
MECHANIST	S/sgt.	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl.i/cSPARE DVRS.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl. i/c SECTION	"	5	4	1	-	NR.	
SERGEANTS	Sgt.	2	2	-	-	-	
TOTAL.		94	70	24	-	24	
ATTACHED							
A.A.C.C. COOKS	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
A.A.C.C. "	Pte.	2	2	-	-	-	
TOTAL.		3	3	--	-	-	

DETAILS OF SURPLUS WO's AND NCO's POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GRO 187/44

NIL.

"X" LIST PERSONNEL.

HOSPITAL 7 Dvrs. M.T.
L.W.O.P. 1 Dvr. M.T.

ILLEGAL ABSENTEES. 2 Dvrs. M.T
DETENTION. 1 Dvr. M.T

PERSONNEL CONSIDERED UNFIT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE.

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WAR DIARY.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 21 / 7 / 1945. 2/87 Aust Tp (Unit).

W.E. 111/71/1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	
				W.Os. Class I.						
				W.Os. Class II.						
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
1 -	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants						
2 -	-	-	2	Sergeants						
8 1	2	-	6	Corporals	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-	1
83 24	23	-	60	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	2	-	-	-	2
				Civilians counting as O.R.						
94 25 *	25	-	69 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		3 *			*	3

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.		A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
		Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.							
A							[redacted]	[redacted]		
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

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

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

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

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

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2/87 Aust. Tpt. Pl. *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 21 / 7 /1945.

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, B.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							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
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				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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Trade or Duty.	Rank	W.E.	Posted Strength	Def.	Surp.	Reinfs. Required.
T.G. 1.						
Electrician M.V.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-
Fitter M.V.	Cpl.	1	-	1	-	1
T.G. 11.						
Mechanics M.V.	Pte.	3	2	1	-	1
T.G. 111.						
Clerks	pte.	1	1	-	-	-
Clerks T.M.T.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-
Dvr. Mechanics	Pte.	6	5	1	-	1
NON-SPECIALISTS.						
Admin. Duties	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-
Batman Dvrs.	Pte.	2	1	1	-	1
Drivers M.T.	Pte.	36	36	-	-	-
Spare Drivers	Pte.	30	10	20	-	21
Orderlies	Pte.	2	2	-	-	-
Water Duties	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-
Mechanist	S/sgt.	1	1	-	-	-
Cpl. i/c Spare Dvrs.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-
Cpl. i/c Section	Cpl.	5	4	1	-	NR.
Sergeants	Sgt.	2	2	-	-	-
TOTAL.		94	69	25	-	25
ATTACHED.						
A.A.C.C. Cooks	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-
A.A.C.C. Cooks	Pte	2	2	-	-	-
TOTAL.		3	3	-	-	-

DETAILS OF SURPLUS WO's And N.C.O.'s POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.R.O. 187/44

NIL.

"X" LIST PERSONNEL.

HOSPITAL	7 Drivers M.T.	ILLEGAL ABSENTEES.	2 Drivers M.T.
L.W.O.P.	1 Driver M.T.	Detention	1 Pte.

PERSONNEL CONSIDERED UNFIT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 28 /7 /1945. 2/8th Aust. Tpt. (Unit)

W.E. 111/710/1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	
				W.Os. Class I.						
				W.Os. Class II.						
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
1 -	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants						
2 -	-	-	2	Sergeants						
8 1	2	-	6	Corporals	A.A.C.C.	1	-	-	-	1
83 25	24	-	59	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	2	-	-	-	2
				Civilians counting as O.R.						
94 25 *	26		68 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		3 *			*	3

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

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Detail	A.I.F. A	A.I.F. B	C.M.F. A Under 19 Years	C.M.F. B 19 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	69	2	-	-				[redacted]	[redacted]		71
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

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

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

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

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

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2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. ..... *Unit*

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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'g. 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.			
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Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
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							
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H. E. Fairman Lt
Signature of Commander

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Trade of Duty	Rank	W.E.	Posted Strength	Def.	Surp.	Reinf. Required	Remark
T.G. I							
Electrician M.V.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-	
Fitter M.V.	Cpl.	1	-	1	-	1	
T.G.III							
Clerks	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-	
Clerks T.M.T	"	1	1	-	-	-	
Dvr. Mechanics	"	6	5	1	-	1	
T.G.II							
Mechanics M.V.	Pte.	3	2	1	-	1	
NON. SPECIALISTS.							
Admin. Duties	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
Batman Drivers	Pte.	2	1	1	-	1	
Drivers M.T.	"	36	36	-	-	-	
Spare Drivers	"	30	9	21	-	22	
Orderlies	"	2	2	-	-	-	
Water Duties	"	1	1	-	-	-	
Mechanist S/sgt	S/sgt	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl i/cSpare Dvrs.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl i/c Section	"	5	4	1	-	NR.	
Sgts.	Sgt.	2	2	-	-	-	
Total		94	68	26		26	
ATTACHED.							
A.A.C.C. Cooks	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
A.A.C.C. "	Pte.	2	2	-	-	-	
Total		3	3	-	-	-	

DETAILS OF SURPLUS W/O's AND N.C.O's POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.R.O. 187/44

Nil.

X LIST PERSONNEL.

Hospital	8 Dvrs M.T.	Illegal Absentees	2 Dvrs. M.T.
L.W O.P.	1 Dvr. M.T.	Detention	1 Pte.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

Army Form C.2118.
(Adapted.)

(Erase heading not required.) 1 Aug. 45 - 31 Aug.45

Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. *Date and Time.—From* 010100 K. *To* 312359 K.

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
REDLYNCH.	1 Aug 45	Atebrin	taken by all ranks.General duties.Met Cond.Overcast,wind,with showers day & night.	
"	2.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond.Day,fine & warm.Night,light showers.	
"	3.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond.Day, overcast fine Night,clear & cool.	
"	4.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Appendix "A"attached W3008 & W3009 sub. Met Cond.Day fine,Night,cool & overcast.	Appendix "A" attached W3008 & W3009 submitted
"	5.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Stand down day. Met Cond.Day,fine & warm.Night,overcast & cool.	
"	6.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties & training. Met.Cond.Day,fine & warm.Night,overcast & light showers.	
"	7.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties & training. Met.Cond.Day,fine & warm. Night,overcast & cool.	
"	8.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Met.Cond.Day,Fine & warm. Night,overcast & cool.	
"	9.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond.Day,fine & warm. Night,overcast & cool.	
"	10.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties & training.Met.Cond. Day,fine & warm. Night, Clear & cool.	
"	11.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Training & general duties.Met.Cond. Day,fine & warm. Night, clear & cool. W3008 & W 3009's submitted.	
"	12.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Met.Cond.Day,fine & warm. Night,clear & cool.	
"	13.8.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Stand down day. Met Cond.Day,fine & warm. Night,clear & cool.	

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. *Date and Time.—From* 010100 K *To* 312359 K.

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
REDLYNCH.	14.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Met.Cond. Day, fine & windy. Night, clear & cool.	
"	15.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Met.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night, clear & cool.	
"	16.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Met.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night,clear & cool.	
OONOONBA	17.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Movement from Redlynch to Oonoonba Met.Cond. Day,fine & warm.Night. overcast with showers.	
"	18.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.Met.Cond. Day, fine & windy. Night, clear & cool. W3008 & W3009's submitted.	
"	19.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. Stand down day. Met.Cond. Day, Hot & windy. Night, clear & cool wind.	
"	20.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond.Day, hot & windy. Night, clear & cool wind.	
"	21.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night, clear & cool.	
"	22.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night, clear & cool.	
"	23.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night, clear & cool.	
"	24.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond. Day, fine & hot. Night, clear & cool.	
"	25.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties.W3008 & W3009's submitted. Met.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night, clear & cool.	
"	26.Aug.45		Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Stand down day. Med.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night, clear & cool.	
"	27.Aug.45	0900	ceased v to be. Atebrin taken by all ranks. General duties. Met.Cond. Day, fine & warm. Night, clear & cool.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

Army Form C.2118.
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Unit ~~2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.~~ Date and Time.—From 1 Aug.45/ 31 Aug 45 010100 K. To 312359 K.

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
OONOONBA	28.Aug 45		General duties. Met.Cond. Day.Fine & Warm. Night. Clear & Cool.	
	~~29.Aug 45~~		General Duties. Met.Cond. Day.Fine & Warm.Night. Clear & Cool.	
	30.Aug.45		General Duties. Met.Cond. Day.Fine & Warm.Night Clear & Cool.	
	31.Aug.45		General Duties. W3008 & W3009's submitted. Met.Cond. Day.	
			Fine & Warm. Night. Clear & Cool.	

for Stratford Lt.
(A.R.Jaffray.)
O.C.2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

31 45 /..... (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 4 / 7 / 5. 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 7 / 41. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 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.
				*					
				*					
I NR.	1	-	-	Lieut.-Colonels					
		1	2	Majors					
				Captains					
				Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
	1	1	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.											
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

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

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 4 / 7 / 5 (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	NX65468	Jaffray	A.R.	OC.	yes		
Lieut.	NX154904	Watsford	M.S.	2i/c	no	On leave (REC)	

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.

..... *Date of Despatch*

..... *Signature of Commander*

a.w. 1½m bks. 3/45

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

31 45 / ..... (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 4 / 7 / 1945. 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 7Q / 1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 24 + OFFRS. – O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
				W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1 –	–	–	1	Staff Sergeants					
2 –	–	–	2	Sergeants					
8 1	22	–	6	Corporals	A.A.C.C.	1	–	–	– 1
83 25	24	–	59	Troopers, Privates, etc.	A.A.C.C.	2	–	–	– 2
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
94 26 *	26	–	68 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		3 *			*3

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. A	C.M.F. B	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
		Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.							
A	69	2	–	–	–	–	[redacted]	[redacted]	–	71
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

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

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

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

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

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2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. *Unit*

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 4 / 8 /1945 .

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							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
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				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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.

4 AUG 1945
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

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DETAILS PART E

TRADE OR DUTY		RANK	W.E.	POSTED STRENGTH	DEFICIENT	SURPLUS	REINF. REQUIRED	REMARKS
T.G. 1								
ELECTRICIAN	MV.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-	
Fitter	MV.	Cpl.	1	-	1	-	NR.	
TT.G. 11								
Mechanics	MV.	Pte.	3	2	1	-	1	
T.G. 111								
Clerks		Pte.	1	1	-	-	-	
Clerks T.M.T.		"	1	1	-	-	-	
Dvr. Mechanics		"	6	5	1	-	1	
NON-SPECIALISTS.								
Admin. Duties		Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
Batman Dvrs.		Pte.	2	1	1	-	1	
Drivers M.T.		"	36	36	-	-	-	
Spare Drivers		"	30	9	21	-	23	
Orderlies		"	2	2	-	-	-	
Water duties		"	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl. i/c Spare Dvrs.		Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
Cpl. i/c Section		"	5	4	1	-	NR.	
Sergeants		Sgt.	2	2	-	-	-	
Mechanist S/sgt		S/sgt.	1	1	-	-	-	
Total.			94	68	26	-	26	
ATTACHED								
A.A.C.C.	Cooks	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-	
A.A.C.C.	"	Pte.	2	2	-	-	-	

DETAILS OF SURPLUS W/O's AND N.C.O's POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GRO. 187/44

Nil.

"X" LIST PERSONNEL.

Hospital	8 Dvrs. M.T.	Illegal Absentees	2 Dvrs. M.T.
L.W.O.P.	1 Dvrs. M.T.	Detention	1 Pte.

PERSONNEL CONSIDERED UNFIT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

(Erase heading not required). 1 Sep. 45 to 30 Sep. 45.

Unit 2/87 AUST TPT PL. Date and Time.—From 010001 K. To 302359 K.

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
OONOONBA	1.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night, W 3008 and W3009 submitted.	appendix "A" att. W 3008 & 9.
"	2.9.45		General Duties, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	3.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	4.9.45		Genral Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	5.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	6.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Day overcast, Cool night.	
"	7.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	8.9.45		General Duties, W 3008 and W 3009 submitted, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	9.9.45		General Duties, STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine windy day, cool night.	
"	10.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	11.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine windy day, Cool night.	
"	12.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine windy day, cool night with slight showers.	
"	13.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	14.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	15.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night. W3008 and W3009 submitted.	
"	16.9.45		General Duties, STAND DOWN DAY. MEteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Unit 2/87 Aust TptP l. Date and Time.—From 010001 K. To 302359 K. 1 Sep. 45 to 30 Sep. 45.

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
COONOONBA	17.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	18.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	19.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditons, Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	20.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine cool day, and night.	
"	21.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	22.9.45		General Duties, W 3008 & 9 submitted, Meteorological Condition:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	23.9.45		STAND DOWN DAY, Meteorological Conditons:- Fine hot day, warm night.	
"	24.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine hot day, warm night.	
"	25.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditi ons:- Fine hot day, warm night.	
"	26.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine hot day, Cool night.	
"	27.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	28.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	29.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night. W 3008 & 9 submitted.	
"	30.9.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night. STAND DOWN DAY.	

A.R.Jaffray Lt.
(A.R.JAFFRAY) O.C. 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.

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35 / 45 (Serial No.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 / 9 / 1945 . ..... (Unit)

2/87 Aust Tpt Pl.

W.E. 111 / 71Q / 1 . OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1/9/1945 (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.
Lt.	NX65468	Jaffray	A.R.	O.C.	Yes.		
Lt.	NX154904	Watsford.	M.S.	2 I/C	Pl. Yes.		

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

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

15 SEP 1945
Date of Despatch

Watsford Lieut
Signature of Commander

a.w. 1½m bks. 3/45

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

35 / 45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 / 9 /1945. 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl (Unit)

W.E. 111 / 210 / 1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 91 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.					
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.	
				W.Os. Class I.						
				W.Os. Class II.						
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.						
1	"		1	Staff Sergeants						
2	"		2	Sergeants						
8	3		5	Corporals	AACC	1	-	-	-	1
83	2		81	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	2	-	-	-	2
				Civilians counting as O.R.						
* 94	5		89 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		* 3	-	-	-	* 3

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. "A"	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		92						[redacted]	[redacted]		92
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

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

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

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

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

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday / /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							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
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				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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

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DETAILS PART "E"

Trade or Duty.	Rank.	WE	Posted Strength.	Surplus.	Deficient.	Reinf. Reqd.
Trade Group 1						
Electrician MV	Pte	1	1	-	-	NR
Fitter MV	Cpl.	1	-	-	1	NR
TRADE GROUP 2						
Mechanics MV	Pte.	3	2	-	1	NR
TRADE GROUP 3						
Clerk.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	
Clerk TNT.	Pte	1	1	-	-	
Dvr Mechanics.	Pte.	6	4	-	2	2
Non-Specialists.						
Adm.Duties.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-
Drs.MT	Pte.	36	36	-	-	-
Spare Dvr's MT.	Pte.	30	32	2	-	2
Batman Dvr's.	Pte.	2	1	-	1	1
Orderlies.	Pte.	2	2	-	-	-
Water Duties.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	-
Cpl I/C Spare Dvr's	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-
Cpl I/C Sections.	Cpl.	5	3	-	2	-
Mechanist S/Sgt.	Sgt.	1	1	-	-	-
Sgts.	Sgt.	2	2	-	-	-
		94	89	2	7	5
ATTACHED BY WE.						
AACC Cooks Gp2	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	-
AACC Cooks Gp2	Pte	2	2	-	-	-
		3	3	-	-	-

DETAILS OF SURPLUS WO's AND NCO's ATTACHED BY G.R.O.

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"X" LIST PERSONNEL.

Hospital.	9	Dvr's MT.
LWOP.	1	" "
Illegal Absentees.	2	" "

PERSONNEL CONSIDERED UNFIT FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

Army Form C.2118.
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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. *Date and Time.—From* 0100 1 Oct. 45 *To*

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CONOONBA	1.10.45	2030	General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine hot day, warm night., Departed from CONOONBA for 1 Aust Pers. Staging Camp.	
-	2.10.45	2030	Tralelling by Train, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
YEERONGPILLY.	3.10.45	1730	Arrived 1 Aust Pers. Staging Camp, 1730 hrs. General Duties on arrival, Met. Conds. Fine warm Day cold night.	
WACOL.	4.10.45	0730	Departed from 1 Aust Pers. Staging Camp0730 hrs. arrived WACOL 0830 hrs. Met. Conds. Fine warm day, cold night.	
"	5.10.45	-	General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cold night.	
"	6.10.45	-	General Duties, W3008 & 9 Submitted, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, slight showers afternoon, cool night.	
"	7.10.45	-	STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	8.10.45	-	General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	9.10.45	-	General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, heavy showers night.	
"	10.10.45	-	General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	11.10.45	-	General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	
"	12.10.45	-	General Duties, 34 O/Ranks M/O RR&GDD for Reallocation, Met. Conds:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	13.10.45	-	General Duties, W3008 & 9 submitted, Met. Conds:- Fine Warm day, Cool night.	
"	14.10.45	-	STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night.	

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Unit 2/87 Aust Tpt Pl. *Date and Time.—From* 0100 1 Oct 45. *To*

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
WACOL.	15.10.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, heavy showers night.	
"	16.10.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	17.10.45	1630	General Duties, Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, Cool night, Movement from WACOL for Puckapunyal 1630 hrs.	
-	18.10.45		UNIT ON MOVEMENT TO PUCKAPUNYAL.	
PUCKAPUNYAL.	19.10.45		Arrived Puckapunyal 1400 hrs. General Duties on arrival, Met. Conds:- Fine warm afternoon, Cool night.	
"	20.10.45		General Duties, 17 O/Ranks Marched Out to RR & GDD for Discharge and Reallocation, Met. Conds. Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	21.10.45		STAND DOWN DAY. Meteorological Conditions:- Fine warm day, cool night.	
"	22.10.45		General Duties, 23 O/Ranks Marched out to Units, Met. Conds:- Fine Warm Day, Cool night.	
"	23.10.45		General Duties, 7 O/Ranks, Marched out for reallocation, Met. Conds. Fine windy day, cool night.	
"	24.10.45		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions: Day overcast. and slight showers, night showers.	
"	25.10.45.		General Duties, Meteorological Conditions Fine warm day. cool night.	
"	26.10.45.		Unit Disbanded.	

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/10/1945 2/87 Aust Tpt, Pl. (Unit) 40/45 (Serial No.)

W.E. 111/710/1 OFFRS. 2 O.R.'s 94 OFFRS. - O.R.'s 3 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.	Reinf'ts Required
				Lieut.-Colonels					
				Majors					
	1	-	-	Captains					
	-	1	1	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offs.					
	1	1	1		-				

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) and E(2).

DETAIL	"A"	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.	2										2
E.(1)											
E.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	Unit From	Date	CAUSE

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday .6../.10./ 194.5... (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.
S/Lt.	NX65468	JA FFRAY	A.R.	OC Pl.	Yes.		
S/Lt.	NX154904	WARSFORD	M.S.	2 i/c Pl.	Yes.		

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

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

Date of Despatch

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6/10/1945 ..... (Unit)

W.E. 111/710/1. OFFRS. 2 O.R's. 94 + OFFRS. - O.R's. 3 ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
				W.Os. Class I.					
				W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
1	-	-	1	Staff Sergeants					
2	-	-	2	Sergeants					
8	3	-	5	Corporals	AACC	1	-	-	
83	3	-	80	Troopers, Privates, etc.	AACC	2	-	-	
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
94 *	6	-	88 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		*			*

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

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Detail	A.I.F. "A"	C.M.F. "A" Under 19 Years	C.M.F. "A" 19 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	89		2				[redacted]	[redacted]		91
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

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

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

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

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

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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			
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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			
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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.			
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Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
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							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
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				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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DETAILS PART "E"

TRADE OR DUTY.	RANK.	W.E.	POSTED STRENGTH.	DEFICIENT.	SURPLUS	REIN'f REQUIRED	TOTAL.
TRADE GROUP 1							
Electrician M.V.	Pte.	1	-	1	-	NR	
Fitter M.V.	Cpl.	1	-	1	-	NR	
TRADE GROUP 2.							
Mechanics M.V.	Pte.	3	2	1		NR	
TRADE GROUP 3							
Clerk.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	NR	
Clerk.Tech.	Pte.	1	1	-	-	NR	
Driver Mech.	Pte.	6	4	2		NR	
NON-SPECIALISTS.							
Admin Duties.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	NR	
Batman.	Pte.	2	2	-	-	NR	
Drivers M.T.	Pte.	36	36	-	-	NR	
Spare Drivers.	Pte	30	31	-	1	NR	
Orderlies.	Pte	2	2	-	-	NR	
Water Duties.	Pte	1	1	-	-	NR	
Mech S/Sgt.	S/Sgt.	1	1	-	-	NR	
Cpl I/C Sect.	Cpl.	5	3	2	-	NR	
Cpl I/C Spare Drs.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	NR	
Sgts.	Sgt.	2	2	-	-	NR	
		94	88	7	1	NR	
AACC.	Cpl.	1	1	-	-	NR	
AACC	Pte.	2	2	-	-	NR	
		3	3	-	-	NR	

"X" LIST PERSONNEL.

Illegal Absentees.	2
L.W.O.P.P.	1
Hospital.	8

PERSONNEL CONSIDERED UNSUITABLE FOR OVERSEAS SERVICE.

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