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**HEADQUARTER
UNITS**

Assistant Adjutant
General (Manpower)
(AAG(M))

September 1942, part 2, appendices



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Serial No. 214.

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit Branch A.G. 7... L.H.Q. ... Melb.

Date and Time.—From 10/9/42.0900hrs To 23/9/42.0900hrs.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY No. 371
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H. 103M 2/42

Unit Directorate of Organization ... Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 10/9/42 To 0900 hrs 11/9/42

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.H. 17215

H.Q. Vic L of C Area
" N S W L of C Area.

Copies for information to - Adv L H Q; Q'd L of C Area;
HQ. N G Force; C G S; L G A; Q M G; M G O; C F O;
M S; D S T.

NEW GUINEA B I P O D : RAISING OF.

Further to SM16845 dated 4 Sep 42, approval is given to expand the abovenamed unit to H Q & 4 Secs, vide WE IV/59/2.

Action will be taken, forthwith, by L of C Areas concerned to raise the personnel, enumerated hereunder, for early movement to New Guinea.

H.Q. Vic L of C Area.

Fall River - 1 Sec 1 28 29.

Moresby - Additional Personnel
as under:-

Lieuts	2		
Fitter(Trade Gp I)	1		
Cooks (" Gp II)	2		
Clerks(Trade Gp III)	2		
Tinsmiths(" Gp III)	3		
Drivers M T) Non-	2		
Motor Cyclists) Special	2		
Privates) ists	12. 2	24	26
		3	52 55

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HQ. N S W L of C Area.

Moresby - 1 Sec 1 28 29

" Additional personnel
as under:-

Coy Quartermaster Sgt	1		
Staff Sgt (Clerk)	1		
Tinsmith (Trade Gp III)	2	4	4
		1	32 33

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The personnel required will be withdrawn from B I P C D personnel in the L of C Area concerned and will not be replaced at present.

The whole of the personnel will be concentrated in Brisbane prior to despatch to N G, and held in readiness for movement from Q'd to N G not before 16 Sep 42.

Separate instructions regarding movement to point
of concentration and onward movement to N G are being issued
by L H Q Movements Sec.

[Handwritten Signature]
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
13 Sep 42.

Copies by hand to - D A G(3)
D of O
A A G
O 2 E (4)
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" (S)
" (WE)
Q E G (Mvts) (Major Pretty)
War Diary
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DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING AND MOBILIZATION

Unit..... Date and Time.—From 10/8/1942..... To No. 276.....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
		(a)	A. I. F. Enlistments -	
			Lines of Communication Areas -	
			Queensland 8	
			New South Wales 13	
			Victoria 9	
			South Australia -	
			Tasmania -	
			Western Australia 3	
			Northern Territory -	
			<u>33</u>	
				
			Lieut.-Colonel, Director of Recruiting & Mobilization.	

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WAR DIARY or ~~INTELLIGENCE--SUMMARY~~

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ML 100M 2/42

Unit D'rate. of Education and Vocational Training

Date and Time.—From 2400 hrs. To 2400 hrs.
9th September, 1942 10th September, 1942

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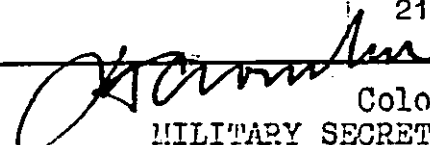
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M. 100M 2/42

Unit MILITARY SECRETARY A.G. 5. Date and Time.—From Thursday To 10th September, 1942.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
"Grong Grong"			The following appointments and promotions have been	
637 Toorak Road,			approved.	
TOORAK.			(1) Maj. S.W. Bryan, 2/7 Aust. Fd. Amb. appointed C.O., 6	
			Aust. Fd. Amb. and promoted to the temporary rank of	
			Lt.-Col., 6th September, 1942.	21/734/2296
			(2) Maj. C.H. Johnston, from D.A.D.H.S., 2 Aust. Corps	
			appointed C.O., 2/1 Aust. Fd. Amb. and promoted to the	
			temporary rank of Lt.-Col., 6th September, 1942.	21/734/2296
			(3) Maj. R.S. Smibert, 2/2 Aust. Fd. Amb. appointed C.O.	
			2/2 Aust. Fd. Amb. and promoted to the temporary rank	
			of Lt.-Col. 6th September, 1942.	21/734/2296
			(4) Lt.-Col. D.M. Salter, 2/2 Aust. Fd. Amb. Appointed	
			A.D.H.S., 1 Aust. Div. and promoted to the temporary	
			rank of Colonel, 6th Sept. 1942.	21/734/2296



Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

A.G.6

WAR DIARY ~~OF INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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M. 100M 2/42

Unit A.G.6(A.G.6(b) Internees) Date and Time.—From 0900 hours 10 Sep. 42 To 1900 hours 10 Sep. 42.

Serial No. 275

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	10/9/42.		1. Telegram No.A.5872 of 9/9/42 from Milbase Perth requesting that issue of coupons to male and female internees in W.A. L. of C. Area be expedited.	<i>tdk</i>
			2. Telegram No.A.46806 of 10/9/42 to Milbase Perth advising that Rationing Commission Melbourne will telegraph Deputy-Director of Rationing in W.A. L. of C. Area requesting immediate issue of coupons. L.H.Q. to be advised of outcome.	<i>tdk</i>
			3. Minute to "Q" Branch (Copy to A/D of C.S.) dated 10/9/42 suggesting that internees be provided only with the same quantity of sugar as is available to Australian civilians, that such allowance should be included in rations, and that no sugar be sold in internment camp canteens. It was pointed out that the policy of applying civil ration scales to internees has already been observed in connection with tea and clothing and is in accordance with U.K. Government Policy.	File No.255/705/98 <i>tdk</i>
			4. Memo to H.Q. N.S.W. L. of C. Area requesting that appropriate medical attention be given to internee CV.22505 MARCEL MALRAIT while at Liverpool Internment Camp, and that if it is found that he cannot be treated satisfactorily there the question of his transfer to the Waterfall Sanatorium be discussed with the Deputy Director of Security Sydney with a view to effect the transfer under conditions concurred in by the Deputy Director.	<i>tdk</i>

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M. 100W 2/42

Unit Directorate of Amenities

Date and Time.—From 2400 hours 9th Sept. '42 To 2400 hours 10th September, 1942

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE, SYDNEY	10/9/42		From Brisbane to Sydney by 'plane.	
AND MELBOURNE			Conferring A.D. Amenities, N.S.W. L. of C. Area, in respect to N.T. films and Hotel Sydney.	
			Conferring Major Hatfield, P.& R.T., in respect to the supply of sporting goods.	
			Conferring Major Israel in respect to the obtaining of "refugee" sporting goods from the Division of Import Procurement.	
			Conferring G.O.C., N.S.W. L. of C. Area, and Hirings Officer, in respect to the Hotel Sydney.	
			Conferring Capt. Oldfield, projected Staff Captain at this Headquarters.	
			Conferring Mr. McKerihan, Hon. Gen. Secretary, A.C.F., with A.D. Amenities, N.S.W. L. of C. Area, on various matters, and in particular to the Hotel Sydney.	
			Conferring with Mr. Ackland, Chairman of Motion Picture Industry, with A.D. Amenities, N.S.W. L. of C. Area, in respect to supply of film and proposed memoranda for publication.	
			Sydney to Melbourne by 'plane.	
			<i>Henry Shep</i> Colonel, Director of Amenities.	

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2. 100% 2/42

Unit D.P.S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 10/9/42 To 0900 hrs 11/9/42

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Unit.....L.H.Q....2nd Echelon.....

Date and Time.—From To

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Wm. L. Miller
214 2nd St. E. Chicago

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Н. 1026 2/48

Unit Directorate of Organization...

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 11/9/42 To 0900 12/9/42

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.M. 17217.

H.Q. Q'd L of C Area.

Copies for information to - Adv L H Q; C C S; I C A; Q M G;
M G O; C F O; D P S S; A S; P M; Inspector of Adm Q'd;
D of Posts.

Q'd L of C Detention Barracks - Charters Towers) RAISING
Q'd L of C Detention Barracks - Warwick) OF.
Q'd L of C Detention Barracks - Change in Nomenclature.

Consequent upon amendments to the O of B, Allied Land Forces in Aust, contained in SM16842, dated 8 Sep 42, action will be taken by Q'd L of C Area, as set out hereunder and in the manner indicated:-

Raise for Q'd L of C Area	W E.	O	O/Rs	T.
Q'd L of C Detention Barracks - Warwick	IV/119C/1 2	44	46	
Q'd L of C Detention Barracks - Charters Towers	IV/119C/1 2	44	46	

2. RE-ORGANIZATION: DETENTION BARRACKS - GROVELY.

The existing Q'd L of C Area Detention Barracks at Grovely will be re-organized and the designation changed as follows:-

	W E	O	O/Rs	T.
Amend "Q'd L of C Area Detention Barracks	IV/70/2	1	13	19"
to				
read "Q'd L of C Detention Barracks -	IV/119C/1 2	44	46"	

The additional personnel required, viz. 1 Offr, 26 O/Rs, will be provided as set out in para 3.

3. Such trained personnel as may be required to form a nucleus for the above units will be withdrawn from similar existing or Provos units, and Q'd L of C Area, in conjunction with R O, will make available the additional personnel required to bring to W E.

L H Q, 2nd Echelon will be advised when these instructions have been implemented.

4. Recommendations for the appointment of offr to the above units will be submitted to L H Q for approval, and the first offr appointed to the Detention Barracks at Warwick and Charters Towers will report to R O for instructions on "Unit Records" procedure.

5. Q'd L of C Area, in conjunction with Q'd L of C Movement Control Gp will arrange for the mvt of the above units to the locations indicated.

Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
11 Sep 42.

P.E.

Copies by hand to - O 2 E (4). D A G(O); D of O; DRE; AAG(O); AAG(C)
AAG(WE); War Diary; File (2).

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.M. 17324.

H Q. N S W. L of C Area.

Copies for information to - Adv L H Q; HQ N G Force; C.G S;
L G A; Q M G; N G O; C F O; M S; D Posts.

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Action will be taken by H.Q. N S W. L of C Area to raise the abovenamed unit in accordance with the instructions contained in SM16958 dated 7 Sep 42.

The personnel will be provided by withdrawal from existing units.

Pending the official issue of the W E concerned, promotions will not be made.

L H Q will be advised when concentration of the personnel is complete and the unit is available for movement to New Guinea.

L H Q Movements Sec are issuing the necessary movement instructions.

K. J. Jones
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
11 Sep 42.

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A A G
D P S S
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A A G(0)
A A G(S)
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Unit DIRECTORATE ACTION

Date and Time.—From 11/9/42 To

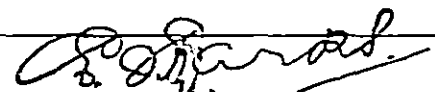
Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	11/9/42		Meeting of A.A.Gs. with Col. Kemsley and other Directors.	
			Matters of general interest discussed.	
			Received from C.G.S. approval for amendment to O. of B. as follows:	
		SM 17095	L.H.Q., Armdiv, N.T.F., 1st Army & L of C Areas.	
			Hosp, Dent, Stat S, Prov, Graves and various.	
			Colonel, Director of Organization.	

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Unit DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING AND MOBILIZATION Date and Time: From 11/9/1942 To No. 277

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
		(a)	<u>A. I. E. Enlistments -</u>	
			<u>Lines of Communication Areas -</u>	
			Queensland 10	
			New South Wales 12	
			Victoria -	
			South Australia 3	
			Tasmania -	
			Western Australia 2	
			Northern Territory -	
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			Lieut.-Colonel, Director of Recruiting & Mobilization.	

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W.T.

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M. 100M 2/42

Unit D'rate. of Education
and Vocational Training

Date and Time.—From 2400 hrs. T_0 2400 hrs.
10th September, 1942 11th September, 1942

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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W. 100M 2/42

Unit MILITARY SECRETARY, A.G. 5. Date and Time.—From Friday XXXX 11th September, 1942.

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Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

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M. 1007 2/43

Unit AG8

Date and Time.—From 0900 11 Sept. To 0900 12 Sept.

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2400 hours

2400 hours

W. 10348 2/42

Unit D¹ rate of Amenities.

Date and Time.—From 10th Sep. '42.

To 11th Sep. 1942

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Henry Clay
Colonel,
Director of Amenities.

SERIAL NO. 267

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Unit D.P.S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 11/9/42 To 0900 hrs 12/9/42

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Unit...L.H.Q. 2nd Echelon.....

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W. 100W 2/42

Unit Directorate of Organization ... Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 12/9/42 ... To 0900 hrs 13/9/42 ...

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

S.M. 17380.

L H Q.

H.Q. N T Force.

Copies for information to - Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
F G O; C F O; M S; D of Posts.

28 LABOUR COY - ADDITIONAL PL - RAISING OF.

Consequent upon the authority contained in L H Q telegram, 246257 of 8 Sep 42, for the raising of one additional pl for 28 Labour Coy, thus expanding this unit to a H Q and five pls, action will be taken by H Q. N T Force to raise for L H Q;

One Additional Pl, 28 Labour Coy WE IV/126/2 1 Offr, 109 O/Rs, ^{T.}110

This pl will be raised by transferring, from units in N T, personnel who have been found medically fit for service in Labour Units only.

Any additional personnel required to complete this pl will be made available by L of C Area Records Office, S.A., from the Def and Emp Pls disbanded, vide SM15151 of 17 Aug 42, and SM17103 of 9 Sep 42.

H Q. N T Force will advise L H Q when these instructions have been implemented.

K. Anise, The
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

12 Sep 42.

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.M. 17379.

H Q. 3 Aust Corps.

H.Q. R A E - 3 AUST CORPS - RAISING OF.

Relative to 3 Aust Corps telegram E230 of 9 Sep 42, and in confirmation of L H Q telegram A47234, of 11 Sep 42, action will be taken by 3 Aust Corps to raise:-

HQ R A E 3 Aust Corps WE XII/14/3 6 Offrs, 20 O/Rs, 32 Total.

Personnel required for this unit will be withdrawn from appropriate units of 3 Aust Corps, and replacements will be obtained by the normal procedure.

H. Rawson R. he
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
17 Sep 42.

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" (WE)
" (C)

Alan Sney

CONFIDENTIALALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM. 17352

Adv L H Q

H Q, First Aust Army	2 Aust Motor Div
H Q, Second Aust Army	H Q, Q'd L of C Area
H Q, 3 Aust Corps	H Q, N S W L of C Area
H Q, N T Force	H Q, Vic L of C Area
H Q, N G Force	H Q, S A L of C Area
H Q, Tas Force	H Q, W A L of C Area
H Q, 1 Aust Armd Div	H Q, N G L of C Area
	R M C.

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D M T; M S; A W A S; D P S S; D of Amenities; P M; D Pests.

L H Q PROVOST SCHOOL.

Consequent upon an amendment to the O of B,
Allied Land Forces in Aust, contained in SM.15193 dated
12 Aug, 42, action will be taken by Vic L of C Area
to raise forthwith for L H Q the undermentioned unit
to the extent and in the manner indicated.

	<u>Offrs</u>	<u>O/Rs</u>	<u>Total</u>
L H Q Provost School W E V/15B/1	2	27	29

The instructional portion of the staff of this
School will be detailed by L H Q, the remainder will be
provided by H Q, Vic L of C Area from personnel unfit for
general service with fighting units; Vic L of C Area Records
Office will issue the necessary instructions for their release.

K. Dawson
for Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
12/9/42.

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM. 11325

H Q, N T FORCE.

Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; G G S; L G A;
Q M G; M G O; C F O; M S; E-in-C; D M M.

2/1 AUST PNR TNG RIFLE COY)
2/2 AUST PNR TNG RIFLE COY) DISBANDMENT OF.
2/11 AUST A TPS COY - RAISING OF.

Consequent upon an amendment to the O of B, N T Force contained in SM.16352 of 29 Aug, 42, action will be taken forthwith by H Q, N T Force to disband the following units :-

		O	O/R	T.
2/1 Aust Pnr Tng Rifle Coy	Approx Strength	3	127	130
2/2 Aust Pnr Tng Rifle Coy	" "	2	140	142
		<u>5</u>	<u>267</u>	<u>272</u>

and to raise in the manner set out hereunder:-

2/11 Aust A Tps Coy	W E	IV/12/2	7	290	297
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Personnel of appropriate ranks and trades from the disbanded units will be absorbed within the W E of 2/11 Aust A Tps Coy.

A list of officers recommended for appointment to the new unit will be submitted to L H Q and such officers as are not absorbed will be posted to appropriate units in N T Force under advice to L H Q.

The O C each disbanded unit will submit to L of C Area Records Office, S A, a nominal roll of all other ranks available for re-allotment and showing the following particulars:-

<u>NO.</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>RANK</u> (Acting or) (Lance to) (be indicated).	<u>Med CATEGORY</u>	<u>TRADE OR</u> <u>SPECIALIST</u> <u>QUALIFICATIONS.</u>
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Other ranks not absorbed will be transferred to N T A R D and made available to L of C Area Records Office, S A, for posting to appropriate units.

L of C Area Records Office, S A, will ensure that all tradesmen are absorbed in their trade capacities and will arrange to make good the deficiencies in personnel required to bring the new unit to W E.

The O C each unit to be disbanded will be responsible for completion of unit records to the satisfaction of L of C Area Records Office, S A and D F O. H Q, N T Force will ensure that this duty is performed.

Action to be completed by 30 Sept, 42.

K. Hanson Lt Col

Major-General,
for ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
12/8/42.

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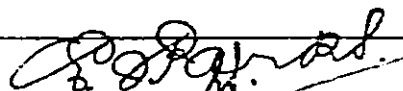
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DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING AND MOBILIZATION

Unit..... Date and Time.—From 12/9/1942..... To No.278.....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
		(a)	A. I. F. Enlistments -	
			Lines of Communication Areas -	
			Queensland 2	
			New South Wales 3	
			Victoria 1	
			South Australia -	
			Tasmania -	
			Western Australia -	
			Northern Territory -	
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			Lieut.-Colonel, Director of Recruiting & Mobilization.	

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Director of Education and

2400 hrs

2400 hrs.

W. 1CCW 2/48

Unit Vocational Training

Date and Time.—From 11th Sept., 1942 To 12th Sept. 1942.

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1800 hours

12 Sep. 42

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Unit A.G.6 (A.G.6(a) P.W.)

Date and Time.—From 12 Sep. 42 To _____

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Unit D. P. S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 12/9/42 To 0900 hrs 13/9/42

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М. 100М 2/42

Unit A.W.A.S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 12.9.42 To 0900 hrs. 16.9.42

Whitladden Lt
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Unit L.H.Q. 2nd Echelon.

Date and Time.—From To

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Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 13/9/42 To 0900 hrs 14/9/42

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WAR DIARY OF THE EIGHTH ARMY SUMMARY

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DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING AND MOBILIZATION ^(Erase heading)

NR. 100M 2/42

Unit.

Date and Time.—From 13/9/1942 To No. 279

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Directorate of Education
Unit and Vocational Training.

Date and Time.--From ^{2400 hrs.} 12th Sept., 1942 To ^{2400 hrs.} 13th Sept., 1942.

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WAR DIARY ~~DOWN IN THE GROUND~~ INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Date and Time.—From SUNDAY

~~Tax~~ 13th September, 1942.

Colonel
MILITARY SECRETARY

Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

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(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarters units)

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Yart A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements reduced.

These items should be destroyed in Part B of page 2 of Army Form W-3000.

Part 8. Other Banks attached from other Corps.

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With description of other units whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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* REINFORCEMENTS NOT YET REQUIRED

MESSAGE FORM.

TO VIC L of C AREA (ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY)
RECORDS OFFICE Brigade,
D.A.G., 2nd Echelon.

THIS MESSAGE MUST NOT BE SENT BY WIRELESS.

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS
DEGREE OF PRIORITY

TIME OF ORIGIN

CAPT
LHQ 2ND ECHELON
(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR)

0930 hrs

T.H.I.

T.O.R.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

LHQ 2ND ECHELON (Unit)

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PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
Lieut.-Colonels	1	—	—
Majors	1	—	—
Captains	4	—	1
Lieutenants	5	—	—
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	11	—	1

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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X. INCLUDES 3 AIF OFFICERS ATTACHED
Ø REINFORCEMENT NOT REQUIRED

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
CAPT (T/LTOL)	V159807	COPPERTHWAIT HC	C HC	YES	
LIEUT (T/MARK)	V159914	TUCKER EB	H G	YES	
LIEUT (T/CAPT)	V10454	THAKLETT WL	STATS	YES	
LIEUT (T/CAPT)	V15272	PARKER LI	CASUALTY	YES	
LIEUT (T/CAPT)	V1725	WATKINS AC	H G	YES	
LIEUT (T/CAPT)	V159796	BRISTOW AC	REGISTRY	YES	
LIEUT	V146021	DICKINSON VR	CLEARING	YES	
LIEUT	VX 39368	CROMPTON RD	H Q	YES	
LIEUT	VX 9323	ELSON AK	CASUALTY	YES	
LIEUT	V145307	ROGERS H G		YES	
LIEUT	VX 22400	ARTHUR MG	MICE-STATS	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
LIEUT	VX 4502	JACKSON AR	AIF POOL	25.7.42	ATTEND FOR DUTY
CAPT	VX 13971	WITHERS AR	"	25.7.42	"
LIEUT	VX 45438	BROCK NV	"	5.8.42	"
LIEUT	VX 41387	ANDERSON NV	"	26.8.42	"
LIEUT (T/MARK)	V51476	BRISCOLL HJ	LHQ	31.8.42	"
LIEUT	VX 27123	FARRELL LM	"	31.8.42	"
LIEUT	V145809	TRATT SA	"	2.9.42	"

LHQ 2ND ECHELON
(Unit.)

12-9-42

(Date of Despatch.)

VIC LOFC AREA
(Signature of Commander.)

(Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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Unit Directorate of Organization...

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs. 14/9/42 To 0900 hrs. 15/9/42

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D'rate of Education and
Unit Vocational Training.

Date and Time.—From 2400 hrs. 13th Sept. To 2400 hrs. 14th Sept., 1942.

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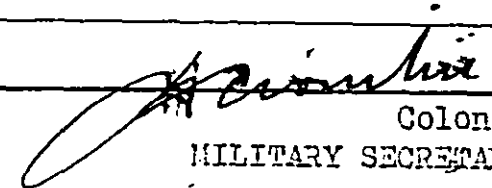
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M. 1002 2/42

Unit MILITARY SECRETARY A.G.5. Date and Time.—From Monday To 14th September, 1942.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
"Grong Grong"			The following appointments and promotions have been approved	
637 Toorak Road,			(1) Maj.(T/Lt.-Col) D.A. Cameron, from C.O., 2/15 Aust. Fd.	
TOORAK.			Amb. appointed C.O., 2/1 Aust. Fd. Amb., 6th September, 1942.	
			(2) Maj. (T/Lt.-Col.) J.G. Rowan from C.O., 47 Aust. Inf.	
			Bn., appointed C.O. 37/52 Aust. Inf. Bn., 6th Sept. 1942.	
			(3) Lieut.(T/Maj.) S.S. Creed, 57/60 Aust. Inf. Bn. appointed	
			C.O. 57/60 Aust. Inf. Bn. and promoted to the temporary rank	
			of Lt.-Col. 6th September, 1942.	
			(4) Lieut. (T/Maj.) C.W. Davidson, 42 Aust. Inf. Bn. appointed	
			to command 9 Aust. Inf. Bn., and promoted to the temporary	
			rank of Lt.-Col. 6th September, 1942.	0251/738/1530


Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

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Unit A.G.6(A.G.6(b) Internees)

Date and Time.—From 14 Sep. 42 To 14 Sep. 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	14/9/42		1. Memo dated 14/9/42 to H.Q. Q'land. and N.S.W. L. of C. Areas giving approval for transfer of internee Q.876C Carlo A. GATTINO from Cowra N.S.W. to Gaythorne, Q'land, for the hearing in Brisbane of his appeal.	
			2. Memo dated 14/9/42 to H.Q. Vic. L. of C. Area referring to advice concerning a 20 dollar note taken from an internee, and requesting advice as to what action was subsequently taken to ascertain whether there was any other money in Internment Camp No.3 contravening N.S. (Int. Camps) Regulations and as to the results of such action.	File No.164/701/480
			3. Memo dated 14/9/42 to Dept. of External Affairs suggesting that a cablegram be despatched to the Colonial Office asking for advice as to the prospects of the transfer from Palestine to Australia of the wives and families of seven internees from Palestine.	File No.255/746/20
			4. Minute dated 14/9/42 to D.G.M.S. concerning arrangements made with respect to internees E.C. HUPPERT and Marcel MAIRAIT, and stating that the present position regarding accommodation which it is proposed to make available at the Waranga Hospital for all open T.B. cases amongst internees other than Japanese, who are being otherwise provided for, is that H.Q. Vic. L. of C. Area has been asked to furnish a sketch plan, estimate of cost and any relevant recommendations to enable further consideration to be given to the proposal with a view to its early implementation.	File No.255/715/250

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Date and Time.—From

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N. 100W 2/42

Unit GRAVES REGISTRATION., LHQ. Date and Time.—From 14.9.42. To 19.9.42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
MELBOURNE .	14.9.42.		From N.T. Force reply to SM.80350 giving all available details on burials of enemy dead in N.T.	
	14.9.42.		To all L.of C. Areas forwarding copy of Instruction No.101281 issued by Department of Air to all R.A.A.F. Units regarding Graves Service.	132/702/221
	14.9.42.		To Victoria L of C Area advising approval for N.O.K. of deceased Japanese Internee KIYO ISHIBASHI to provide memorial for grave.	255/706/38.
	15.9.42.		From H.Q. N.S.W. L of C Area - Further report regarding funeral arrangements TX 1617 Maguire J.P.	
	16.9.42.		Staff Officer, Graves Registration N.G. Force regarding shortages in War Equipment Table and method of reporting same.	
	17.9.42.		From P.O.W.I.B. List of deceased Australians whilst P.O.W.	
	18.9.42.		To H.Q. N.T. Force advising exhumations and reburials in Darwin Public Cemetery not necessary at present.	
	18.9.42.		To H.Q. Q'ld L of C Area - Awaiting advise that War Cemeteries in Q'ld L of C Area are ready to receive burials.	
	18.9.42.		From H.Q. N.S.W. L of C Area - Reference to LHQ.9701 -	
			No financial authority yet received for purposes of Graves Registration.	

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Unit GRAVES REGISTRATION, LHQ. Date and Time.—From 18.9.42. To 19.9.42.

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Unit PROVOST DIRECTORATE LHQ.

Date and Time.—From 0900 Hrs 14/9/42 to 0900 hrs 18/9/42

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H. 100W 2/42

Unit D'rate. of AmenitiesDate and Time.—From 2400 hours 13th Sept. '42 To 2400 hours 14th September, 1942

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
52 Queens Rd., MELB.	14/9/42		Attending Defence Liaison Officer and Mr. Hill. Conferring as to appointment and work W.A.	
			Attending Mr. McKerihan, Hon. General Secretary, A.C.F., on telephone from Sydney, in regard to Sydney Hostel.	
			Receiving deputation from Association of Camp Entertainers and discussing with them the provision of transport for entertainment in Victorian camps.	
			Conferring with C.P.M. in respect to Unit funds.	
			Conferring with Mr. McDougall (Slazenger's) in respect to the manufacture of Sports Goods.	
			Conferring A.D. Amenities, Vic. L. of C. Area, in respect to civilian Concert Parties.	
			<i>Henry Osley</i> Colonel,	
			Director of Amenities.	

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Unit D.P.S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 14/9/42, 0900 hrs 15/9/42.

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Unit...L.E.Q. 2nd Echelon.....

Date and Time.—From..... To.....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
MELBOURNE	14.9.42		DUTY OFFICER - Capt. A. BRISTOW.	
			Major E. B. TUCKER, accompanied by Major. FLEITER and Messrs.	
			PITT and LINDSAY proceeded to Bendigo Detention Barracks.	
			Mr. PITT agreed to remove the oil paintings from their	
			present location and make arrangements for their transportation	
			to another area.	
			Arrangements were made for the paintings to be stored temporarily	
			in a room in the Commandant's quarters, under the strict	
			understanding that no responsibility for their safe custody	
			would devolve on the Department of the Army. It is expected	
			that these paintings will finally be removed within a month.	

W. B. Tucker Mr
J. H. P. 2. E. E. E.

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM.17457

H Q, First Aust Army.
-----Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; D F O; M S; D P S S; D M M; D Posts.
-----111 AUST IND BDE GP ORD WKSHOP) DISBANDING OF.
112 AUST IND BDE GP ORD WKSHOP)
-----Consequent upon amendments to the O of B,
Allied Land Forces in Aust, contained in SM.17161 dated
9 Sep 42, action will be taken, forthwith, by First Aust
Army as set out hereunder :-2 Aust CorpsDisband111 Aust Ind Bde Gp Ord Wkshop -
W E II/18/1112 Aust Ind Bde Gp Ord Wkshop -
W E II/18/1

W E STRENGTH			PRESENT STRENGTH		
O	OR	T	O	OR	T
3	113	116	1	74	75
3	113	116	-	59	59
6	226	232	1	133	134

2. Personnel of the disbanded units will be
allocated in conjunction with D D O S First Aust Army as
follows :-(a) To bring 110 Aust Ind Bde Gp
Ord Wkshop to W E II/18/1(b) Transfer the balance, approx
109 all ranks to within the W E of
suitable Ord Wkshop units in First
Aust Army.

W E STRENGTH			PRESENT APPROX STRENGTH		
O	OR	T	O	OR	T
3	113	116	2	88	90

3. Any personnel surplus or unsuitable for allotment, as
set out in para 2, will be returned to A A O C Tng Depot for
re-allotment.4. L H Q 2nd Echelon will be advised when these
instructions have been implemented together with details of the
personnel allotted, by ranks and trades, as set out in paras
2 and 3.

K. Danvers
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

15/9/42.

Copies by hand to - O2E(4); D A G(O); D of O;
D R M; A A G(O); A A G(C); A A G(WE); War Diary.

SECRETALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.
Victoria Barracks,
MELBOURNE, S.C.1.

SM.17468

Adv L H Q	(10)	S M E	(2)
H Q, First Aust Army	(10)	S of Sigs	
H Q, Second Aust Army	(4)	S A S	
H Q, 3 Aust Corps	(4)	O T S	
H Q, N T Force	(6)	A S C School	
H Q, N G Force	(5)	S of Mech	
H Q, Tas Force	(4)	A O C School	
H Q, 1 Aust Arm'd Div	(2)	Army Gas School	
H Q, 2 Aust Motor Div	(2)	A M C School	
H Q, Q'land L of C Area	(6)	School of Radiophysics	
H Q, NSW L of C Area	(3)	P E R T School	
H Q, Vic L of C Area	(6)	S of M I	
H Q, S A L of C Area	(4)	Bomb Disposal School	
H Q, W A L of C Area	(4)	Guerilla Warfare School	
H Q, N G L of C Area	(3)	School of Army Air Co-operation	
R M C	(2)	D G Public Relations.	
A F V School			
S of A	(3)		

Copies for information to:- Sec Defence (4); Sec Army (2);
Pte Sec; C-in-C; C G S(10); L G A(2); A G(16); Q M G(10);
M G O(10); C F O(2); Business Adviser; C. I. of Adm;
AIF (ME) (4); M L O, London, Aust Army Rep in Washington; M L
E L O; G H Q, S W P A; M L O, U S A S O S; H Q Allied Air
Force; Sec Air Board (3); Chief Auditor Defence and Supply;
Dept of War Orgn of Industry; D G Manpower; Inspector of
Adm, L of C Area, Q'land, NSW, Vic.

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS - REINFT POLICY.

1. SM.10223 of 15 June, 42, laid down the action necessary for the reorganization of Tng Units and Depots.
2. Consequent upon further revisions to the O of S, Appendix "A" of SM.10223 is cancelled, and Appendix "A" attached is substituted.
3. Immediate action will be taken to implement the new Appendix "A", and the subsequent paras contained in this SM. are to be regarded as a further direction of the principles laid down in SM.10223.

STAFFS.

4. New or amended W Es for all tng units have either been issued or are nearing finalization. Immediately these are received action will be taken vide para 4 of SM.10223 to raise units to W E and tng units will complete manning tables as per Appendix "E" also attached.

H Q, L of C Areas or H Q, L of C Area Tng Units as appropriate, will communicate direct with formations or parent units in connection with provision of staff.

No action will be taken to reorganize existing staffs until new or amended W Es are received and until further instructions have been issued by L H Q, which will provide for the relief at earliest of personnel who have completed 6 months with R T Ds, contingent upon med classification, tng requirements and availability of replacements.

In the provision of staffs, the following general principles will be observed :-

(a) Offrs.

C Os Tng Units. Where W Es provide for C Os of Tng Units to be of the rank of Major or above, the names of those nominated will be submitted to L H Q by Formation Comds, two months before reliefs are due. Opportunity should be taken to appoint officers in line for appointment to command at the termination of their tour of duty.

Tng Staff

Only personnel whose med classification is AI or A2 will be appointed.

Where it is desired to appoint an offr of a lower med classification, prior approval of L H Q must be obtained.

Adm Staff

May be Med Class B and will be changed as infrequently as possible.

Engrs & Sigs

Offrs for Engr and Sig Tng units will be selected by E-in-C and S O-in-C vide para 6 of SM.10223.

(b) Other Ranks

Tng Staff.

As for offrs; but where it is desired to include other than Class A personnel in W Es, approval must be obtained from H Q, L of C Areas.

Adm Staff

Will be Class E (Med) and changed as infrequently as possible.

Members of the A W A S will be included where W Es provide and availability permits.

Other duties

As for Adm Staff.

Other special references to Staffs will be found under heading F of Appendix "A".

5. Returns will be submitted to L H Q by H Q, L of C Areas not later than 8 Oct, 42, to show :-

(a) Offrs who have been posted from A I F units.

- (1) Army No
- (2) Rank
- (3) Name in Full
- (4) Parent Unit

- (5) Appointment in Tng Unit
- (6) Date of Posting to Tng Unit
- (7) Date of Posting to AIF (ME) Reinft Depot (if applicable)
- (8) Remarks to include when release for return to parent unit can be effected.

(b) Other Offrs including Class B (Med) and over-age and those supernumerary to W Es.

- (1) Army No
- (2) Rank
- (3) Name in Full
- (4) Med classification
- (5) Parent unit (state where posted from R of Os).
- (6) Appointment in Tng Unit
- (7) Date of Posting
- (8) Remarks to include, where necessary, reference as to future employment within L of C Areas.

6. No action will be taken with reference to O/Rs until now or amended W Es have been received by tng units through L of C Areas, when the following procedure will be followed :-

Tng Staffs

- (a) If drawn from units, interchange will be arranged, where practicable, direct between Tng and Parent Units. Reliefs will be on the basis of 25% every two months until completed.
- (b) Those not drawn from units and those Class B (Med) and over-age will be referred to H Q L of C Areas for disposal.
- (c) All personnel supernumerary to W E including Adm and Gen Duties staff may be retained pending investigation by L of C Areas as to future avenues for posting with transit camps, R R Ds, G D Ds etc.

Tng units will submit through normal channels to Records Offices L of C Areas concerned, nominal rolls under sub-para (b) and (c) above, showing the following :-

- (1) Army No
- (2) Rank
- (3) Name in Full
- (4) Last unit served with
- (5) Med classification
- (6) Trade classification or grouping
- (7) Remarks to include any special recommendations for posting or employment.

Records Offices in conjunction with H Q, Tng Units and H Q, L of C Areas, will arrange for re-allotment.

7. It will be noted that Class "E" tng units have been included to provide recruit tng for Class B (Med) personnel for a period of one month before they are allotted to their respective arm or service. The type and extent of tng for these personnel will vary according to the incapacity of the individual, and every care must be exercised to ensure that tasks allotted are within the physical capacity of the personnel under tng.

8. M M G Tng units and Class "B" Tng units will be administered either by H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots or H Q, Inf Tng Edos as directed by the Comds of L of C Areas.

9. A MT Tng Depot has been included in each of Q'land, N S W, Vic and W A L of C Areas to which selected personnel of all arms will be sent for training as Drivers, M T, after the completion of one month's basic training in the recruit tng coys etc of their respective tng units or depots.

10. An Inf Specialist Gp has been provided for each Inf Tng Bde to train selected personnel in mortar, anti-tank, and intelligence tng, after the completion of their basic training in an Inf Tng Bn.

11. On conclusion of the one month's tng period in the M T Tng Depots and Inf Specialist Gps, personnel will return to their respective tng unit or depot for the third month's tng.

12. A Regtl Sigs Tng Coy is to be established for each of Q'land, N S W, Vic and W A L of C Areas to train reinfsts for Inf, M G and Arty Sigs. These personnel will do one month's basic training with their own tng unit, and two months' sig tng with a Regtl Sigs Tng Coy on completion of which they will return to respective R T Ds.

13. With regard to column 2 of the attached Appendix "A", the number under instruction represents a total of three months' reinfsts, and is only approximate, and as such, is included only as a guide.

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Major-General,
for ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
15/9/42.

ISSUED WITH SM27468 DATED 15/9/42.

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.REINFORCEMENT POLICY

(a) Attention is drawn to para 4 of Gen Instn reference the provision of staffs.

(b) Where provision is made for reinfnts under tng to include personnel for AIF (ME), parent formations of tng bdes etc in conjunction with H Q L of C Areas concerned will be responsible for making up deficiencies in quotas of tng staffs which would be the responsibility of M E formations.

ARMED, CAV, L H AND MOTOR.

L of C AREA	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Q'land	1 Aust Cav Tng Regt	2 Aust Cav Regt 3 " " " 21 " " " 7 Aust Div Cav Regt	5 Aust Div 3 " " 2 " " 7 " "	156	
N S W	HQ, 1 Aust Armd Corps Tng Bde				
	1 Aust Armd Corps Tng Regt	1 Aust Armd Bde 11 Aust Armd Car Regt	1 Aust Armd Div	368	
	3 Aust Army Tank Tng Bn	5 Aust Army Tank Bde	3 Aust Army Tank Bde	226	
	1 Aust Motor Tng Regt	1 Aust Motor Bde 15 Aust Motor Regt	1 Aust Motor Div 1 Aust Armd Div	312	
	2 Aust Motor Tng Regt	2 Aust Motor Bde 20 Aust Motor Regt	1 Aust Motor Div 1 Aust Armd Div	312	
Vic	H Q, 2 Aust Armd Corps Tng Bde.				
	2 Aust Armd Corps Tng Regt	2 Aust Armd Bde	1 Aust Armd Div	368	
	3 Aust Armd Corps Tng Regt	6 Aust Armd Bde	2 Aust Motor Div	368	

L of C AREA	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Vic (contd)	3 Aust Motor Tng Regt	3 Aust Motor Bde 9 Aust Motor Regt 3 Aust Recce Sqn	3 Aust Motor Bde 9 Aust Motor Regt 3 Aust Recce Sqn	332	
	2 Aust Cav Tng Regt	6 Aust Div Cav Regt 9 Aust Div Cav Regt 17 Aust Motor Regt 22 Aust Motor Regt	6 Aust Div 9 Aust Div 1 Aust Armd Div Tas Force	278	
W L	25 Aust Cav Tng Sqn	25 Aust Cav Regt 10 Aust L H Regt	4 Aust Div 3 Aust Corps	100	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY.

ARTILLERY

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Q'ld	1 Aust Arty Tng Regt consisting of:- R H Q and 3 Btys	2/3,5,17 Aust Fd Regts 2,4,8 Aust Fd Regts 2/4, 2/5, 2/6 Aust Fd Regts 15,14 Aust Fd Regts 2/9, 2/11 Aust Army Fd Regts 101 Aust A Tk Regt 106 " " " " 1 " " " " 2 " " " " 101 Tp 17 A Tk Bty 2/1 Aust Med Regt 1 Aust Mountain Bty.	5 Aust Div 3 Aust Div 7 Aust Div N G Force 1 Aust Corps 5 Aust Div 3 " " 6 " " 7 " " N G Force 1 Aust Corps N G Force	723	(a) Comds Aust Arty Tng Regts will be dealt with in a separate instn. (b) Aust Hy and Aust A A Tng Units will be administered direct by HQ, L of C Areas concerned subject to para 4 hereof not to start.
	1 Aust Hy Tng Bty	Hy Arty Fixed Defences BRISBANE, TOWNSVILLE, THURSDAY IS AND NEW-GUINEA		169	
	1 Aust A A Tng Regt	A A Fixed Defences BRISBANE, TOWNSVILLE THURSDAY IS AND NEW GUINEA 3,17,9 Lt A A Btys 224,223 Lt A A Btys 113,114,115 Lt A A Regts 103, 2/2 Hy A A Regts	Q'ld L of C Area N G Force Q'ld L of C Area Q'ld L of C Area Q'ld L of C Area (One Bty) (2/2 Hy AA) (Regt in) (N G.)	762	

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ARTILLERY (CONTD).

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
N S W	2 Aust Arty Tng Regt consisting of:- R H Q and 3 Tng Btys.	21 Aust Fd Regt 12 Aust Army Fd Regt 9,19 Aust Fd Regts 1,20 " " " " 16 " " " " 2/1,2/2 Aust Fd Regts 2/8,2/12 " " " " 7,18 " " " " 102 Aust A Tk Regt 103 " " " " 111 " " " " 104 " " " " 5 " " " " 1 Aust Mod Regt	1 Aust Motor Div 2 Aust Corps 1 Aust Div 10 Aust Div 1 Aust Armd Div 6 Aust Div 9 " " 2 " " 1 Aust Motor Div 10 Aust Div 1 Aust Div 2 " " 9 " " 2 Aust Corps	787	
	2 Aust Hy Arty Tng Regt	Hy Arty Fixed Defences SYDNEY, NEWCASTLE, KEMBLA, JERVIS BAY AND DARWIN.	N S W L of C Area and N T Force.	344	
	2 Aust A A Tng Regt	A A Fixed Defences 221,222 Lt A A Btys 108,110,111 Lt A A Regts 101 Hy A A Regt 2/4 Lt " "	NSW L of C Area " " " " " " O'ceas (ME)	654	
Vic	3 Aust Arty Tng Regt Consisting of:- R H Q and 2 Tng Btys One Svy Tng Bty	11,2/14 Aust Fd Regts 6 Aust Fd Regt 22 " " " 10,15 Aust Fd Regts 48 Aust Fd Bty 105 Aust A Tk Regt 108 " " " 110 " " " (less two Btys) "M" & 14 Aust A Tk Btys 2 Aust Mod Regt 1 " Hy " 4 Flash Spotting Btys 7 Svy Btys	N T Force Tas Force 3 Aust Motor Bde 4 Aust Div 3 Aust Corps 6 Aust Armd Bde 3 Aust Motor Bde 1 Aust Armd Div Tas Force N T Force Second Aust Army " " " Various "	506	

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ARTILLERY (CONTD).

L of C Area	UNIT	TRADES FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Vic (contd)	3 Aust Hy Tng Bty	Hy Arty Fixed Defences PORT PHILLIP, ADELAIDE, HOBART	Vic L of C Area	84	
	3 Aust A A Tng Regt	A A Fixed Defences 1 Lt A A Regt (less one Bty) 112 Lt A A Regt 102 Hy " " 158 Lt " Bty 162 " " "	Vic L of C Area S A " " Tas " " Darwin N T Force Vic L of C Area " " " S A " " Tas Force	512	
W A	4 Aust Arty Tng Bty	2/7 Aust Fd Regt 3 Aust Fd Regt 109 Aust A Tk Regt	9 Aust Div 4 Aust Div 4 Aust Div	136	
	5 Aust Hy Tng Bty	Hy Arty Fixed Defences FREMANTLE, ALBANY	W A L of C Area	80	
	109 Aust A A Tng Bty	A A Fixed Defences 116 Lt A A Regt 3 Lt A A Regt (less one Bty) 109 Lt A A Regt	W A L of C Area " " " " " " " " "	248	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY

ENGINEERS.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
N S W	Engr Tng Centre	All Engr Units (Excl W A)	) All except)	995	Engr Tng Units will come directly under H Q, L of C Areas concerned for local admin.
	A A S/L Tng Bn	All A A S/L Units (Excl W A)	) 3 Aust Corps and) W A. L of C Area.	546	
W A	Engr Tng Depot	Engr and A A S/L Units in W A.	3 Aust Corps and W A L of C Area	170	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY

SIGNALS.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Q'd	No 1 Regtl Sigs Tng Unit.	Arty Inf (Incl Grn C D) and M G Regtl Sigs	As for respective Arty Inf & M G Tng Units	200	(a) H Q Cont Sig Tng Depot will administer Sig Recruit Tng Bn and Sig Tng Bn, with reference to H Q, Vic L of C Area for local adm. (b) Regtl Sigs Tng Units will be staffed by H Q L of C Areas concerned in conjunction with S O-in-C.
N S W	1 Aust Sig Tng Bn (A W A S)			-	
	No 2 Regtl Sigs Tng Unit	Arty Inf (Incl Grn C D) and M G Regtl Sigs	As for respective Arty Inf and M G Tng Units	250	
Vic	H Q Cont Sig Tng Depot 2 Aust Sig Tng Bn (A W A S) No 3 Regtl Sigs Tng Unit	Arty Inf (Incl Grn C D) and M G Regtl Sigs	As for respective Arty Inf and M G Tng Units	160	
	Sig Recruit Tng Bn Sig Tng Bn	All Corps of Sigs Units excl W A All Corps of Sigs Units excl W A	All Formations except 3 Aust Corps and W A L of C Area	819	
W A	No 4 Regtl Sigs Tng Unit	All Corps of Sigs Units, Arty. Inf (incl Grn C D) and M G Regtl Sigs in W A	3 Aust Corps incl W A L of C Area	130	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY.

INFANTRY.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINING FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Q'ld	HQ, Q'ld L of C Area Inf Tng Depot				HQ, L of C Areas will provide staffs for Class "B" Tng Units
	HQ 5 Aust Inf Tng Bde	5 Aust Inf Div	5 Aust Inf Div		
	5 Aust Inf Spec Group	5 Aust Inf Tng Bde (Specialists)	5 Aust Inf Div		
	29 Aust Inf Tng Bn	15,42,47 Aust Inf Bns	29 Aust Inf Bde		
	11 Aust Inf Tng Bn	51,26,31 Aust Inf Bns	11 " " "		
	7 Aust Inf Tng Bn	9,25,61 Aust Inf Bns	7 Aust Inf Bde N G.	1215	
	HQ, 3 Aust Inf Tng Bde	3 Aust Inf Div	3 Aust Inf Div		
	3 Aust Inf Spec Gp	3 Aust Inf Tng Bde (Specialists)	3 Aust Inf Div		
	4 Aust Inf Tng Bn	29/46,22,32/52 Aust Inf Bns	4 Aust Inf Bde		
	15 Aust Inf Tng Bn	57/60,24,58/59 Aust Inf Bns	15 Aust Inf Bde		
	33 Aust Inf Tng Bn	(2/15 Aust Inf Bns (14 Aust Grn Bn (C'D)	9 Aust Inf Div Q'ld L of C Area	1256	
	HQ 7 Aust Inf Tng Bde	7 Aust Inf Div	7 Aust Inf Div		
	7 Aust Inf Spec Gp	7 Aust Inf Tng Bde (Specialists)	7 Aust Inf Div		
	13 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/9,2/10,2/12 Aust Inf Bns	13 Aust Inf Bde		
	21 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/14,2/16,2/27 Aust Inf Bns	21 Aust Inf Bde		
	25 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/25,2/31, 2/33 Aust Inf Bns	25 Aust Inf Bde	1368	
	2 Aust M G Tng Bn	2/3,5 Aust M G Bns	1 Aust Army		
		M G Coys 5 Aust Div Inf Bns (9)		333	
		M G Coys 14 Aust Grn Bn (C'D)(1)			
	1 Class 'B' Tng Unit	All Arms (incl Labour Coys etc)			
		'B' Class personnel Q'ld L of C Area			

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INFANTRY (Contd)

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN.	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
N S W	H Q, N S W L of C Area Inf Tng Depot				
	H Q, 1 Aust Inf Tng Bde	1 Aust Inf Div	1 Aust Inf Div		
	1 Aust Inf Spec Gp	1 Aust Inf Tng Bde(Specialists)	" " " "		
	1 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2,13/33, 41 Aust Inf Bns	1 Aust Inf Bde		
	9 Aust Inf Tng Bn	1/45,17, 18 Aust Inf Bns	9 " " "		
	28 Aust Inf Tng Bn	19,20,54 Aust Inf Bns	28 " " "		
	52 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/1 Pnr Bn 2,7,8,13,18,20 Aust Grn Bns (C D)	N S W L of C Area	2154	
	H Q, 2 Aust Inf Tng Bde	2 Aust Inf Div	2 Aust Inf Div		
	2 Aust Inf Spec Gp	2 Aust Inf Tng Bde(Specialists)	" " " "		
	5 Aust Inf Tng Bn	44,54,56 Aust Inf Bns	5 Aust Inf Bde		
	8 Aust Inf Tng Bn	4,30,35 Aust Inf Bns	3 Aust Inf Bde		
	14 Aust Inf Tng Bn	3,36,55 Aust Inf Bns	14 Aust Inf Bde (N G)		
	30 Aust Inf Tng Bn	59,49,55 Aust Inf Bns	30 Aust Inf Bde (N G)	1722	
	HQ, 6 Aust Inf Tng Bde	6 Aust Inf Div	6 Aust Inf Div		
	6 Aust Inf Spec Gp	6 Aust Inf Tng Bde(Specialists)	6 Aust Inf Div		
	16 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/1,2/2,2/3 Aust Inf Bns	16 Aust Inf Bde		
	17 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/5,2/6/2/1 Aust Inf Bns	17 Aust Inf Bde		
	31 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/13,2/17 Aust Inf Bns	9 Aust Inf Div		
		2/3 Aust Pnr Bn	O'seas (M E)	1707	
	1 Aust M G Tng Bn	2/1,2/2 Aust M G Bns	6,9 Aust Inf Divs		
		M G Coys 14 and 30 Aust Inf Bdes (6)	N.G Force	341	
		M G Coys 2,7,8, 15,18,20 Aust Grn Bns(6)			
	2 Class "B" Tng Unit	All Arms(Incl Labour Coys etc) "E" Class Personnel	N S W L of C Area	-	

INFANTRY (Contd).

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Vic	HQ, 4 Aust Inf Tng Bde 4 Aust Inf Spec Gp 2 Aust Inf Tng Bn 6 Aust Inf Tng Bn 34 Aust Inf Tng Bn H Q, 15 Aust Inf Tng Bde 15 Aust Inf Spec Gp 19 Aust Inf Tng Bn 23 Aust Inf Tng Bn 3 Aust M G Tng Bn 3 Class "B" Tng Unit	4 Aust Inf Div 4 Aust Inf Tng Bde (Specialists) (5, 6 Aust Inf Bns. (3, 9 Aust Grn Bns (C D) (14/32, 38 Aust Inf Bns (2/2 Aust Pnr Bn 2/23, 2/24, 2/43, 2/48 Aust Inf Bns N T Forco 15 Aust Inf Tng Bde (Specialists) and Specialists from 3 and 12 Aust Inf Tng Bns (S A & Tas) 2/4, 2/8, 23/21 Aust Inf Bns (7, 8 Aust Inf Bns (2/4 Aust Pnr Bn 6 Aust M G Bn 19 Aust M G Bn M G Coys 3, 9 Aust Grn Bns (C D) M G Coys 6 Aust Grn Bns (C D) All Arms (Incl Labour Coys etc) "B" Class personnel	4 Aust Inf Div 4 Aust Inf Div 2 Aust Inf Bde Vic L of C Area 6 Aust Inf Bde 6 Aust Inf Bde 9 Aust Inf Div 19 Aust Inf Bde 23 Aust Inf Bde Vic L of C Area Vic L of C Area	1865 965 204 -	

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INFANTRY (Contd)

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
S A	3 Aust Inf Tng Bn	10/48,27,43 Aust Inf Bns	3 Aust Inf Bde (N T)	429	
	4 Class "B" Tng Unit	All Arms (incl Labour Coys etc) "B" Class personnel	S A L of C Area	-	
Tas	12 Aust Inf Tng Bn	12/50, 40 Aust Inf Bns 6 Aust Grn Bn	12 Aust Inf Bde	408	
W A	14 Aust Inf Tng Bde		14 Aust Inf Bde		
	14 Aust Inf Spec Gp	14 Aust Inf Tng Bde(Specialists)	14 Aust Inf Bde		
	13 Aust Inf Tng Bn	11,16,23 Aust Inf Bns	13 Aust Inf Bde		
	35 Aust Inf Tng Bn	2/32,2/23 Aust Inf Bns	9 Aust Inf Div		
		2/11 Aust Inf Bn	2 Aust Inf Bde		
	36 Aust Inf Tng Bn	5,10,19 Aust Grn Bns(C D)	W A L of C Area	1427	
	Aust M G Tng Coy	M G Coys 5,10, 19 Aust Grn Bns (3)	W A L of C Area	36	
	5 Class "B" Tng Unit	All Arms(incl Labour Coys etc) "B" Class personnel	W A L of C Area	-	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY:

A A S C.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Q'ld	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A S C)	All A A S C Units and A A S C Personnel attach- ed.	First Aust Army Troops 1 Aust Corps 1 Motor Div N G Force Q'ld L of C Area	597	
N S W	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A S C)	All A A S C Units and A A S C Personnel attached	2 Aust Corps 1 Aust Armd Div 2 Motor Div N S W L of C Area	715	
Vic	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A S C)	All A A S C Units and A A S C Personnel Attached.	L H Q Troops O'seas (M E) N T Force Tas Force Vic L of C Area S A L of C Area Tas L of C Area	1000	
W A	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A S C)	All A A S C Units and A A S C Personnel attached	3 Aust Corps W A L of C Area	392	

TRAINING UNITS AND EFFORTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY

A A M C.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Qld	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A M C)	All A A M C Units and A A M C Personnel attached.	First Aust Army Troops 1 Aust Corps 1 Motor Div N G Force Qld L of C Area	276	
N S W	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A M C)	All A A M C Units and A A M C Personnel Attached.	2 Aust Corps 1 Aust Arm'd Div 2 Motor Div N S W L of C Area	235	
Vic	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A M C)	All A A M C Units and A A M C Personnel attached	L H Q Troops O'seas (M E) N T Force Tas Force Vic L of C Area S A L of C Area Tas L of C Area	332	
W A	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A M C)	All A A M C Units and A A M C Personnel attached	3 Aust Corps W A L of C Area	136	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY

A A O C.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Qld.	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A O C)	All A A O C Units and A A O C Personnel attached.	First Aust Army Troops 1 Aust Corps 1 Motor Div N G Force Qld L of C Area.	300	
N S W	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A O C)	All A A O C Units and A A O C Personnel attached.	2 Aust Corps 1 Aust Armd Div 2 Motor Div NSW L of C Area.	419	
Vic	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A O C)	All A A O C Units and A A O C Personnel attached	L H Q Troops O'seas (M E) N T Force Tas Force Vic L of C Area S A L of C Area Tas L of C Area.	522	
W A	L of C Area Tng Depot (A A O C)	All A A O C Units and Personnel attached.	3 Aust Corps W A L of C Area	195	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY

PROVOST.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS FOR	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
N S W	L of C Area Provost Tng Depot	Provost Coys, Fls, etc.	First Aust Army 1 Aust Motor Div 2 Aust Motor Div 1 Aust Armcd Div N G Force N S W L of C Area Q'ld L of C Area	132	(a) The Staffs will be detailed by L H Q. (b) Administrative and Gen Duties Staffs will be provided by H Q, L of C Areas concerned. (c) Tng Depots will come directly under H Q, L of C Areas for admn.
Vic	L of C Area Provost Tng Depot	Provost Coys, Fls, etc.	Second Aust Army Tas Force N T Force 3 Aust Corps Vic L of C Area S A L of C Area Tas L of C Area W A L of C Area.	150	

TRAINING UNITS AND DEPOTS.

REINFORCEMENT POLICY

MISCELLANEOUS.

L of C Area	UNIT	TRAINS	FORMATION	APPROX NUMBER UNDER INSTN.	REMARKS
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
Qld	HQ, L of C Area Tng Depots L of C Area M T Tng Depot	Drivers M T (All Arms)	Qld L of C Area		(e) Appointments and replacements of officers on staffs of H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots will be made by L H Q, H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots will make recommendations in special cases. (b) L of C Area M T Tng Depots will be administered by H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots under instructions from H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots. Staffs will be provided by L of C Area Tng Depots. (c) Central Rd Svy Tng Depot will be administered direct by H Q, Vic L of C Area.
N S W	H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots L of C Area M T Tng Depot	Drivers M T (All Arms)	N S W L of C Area		
Vic	H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots L of C Area M T Tng Depot Central Rd Svy Tng Depot	Drivers M T (All Arms)	Vic L of C Area		
W A	H Q, L of C Area Tng Depots L of C Area M T Tng Depot	Drivers M T (All Arms)	W A L of C Area.		

ISSUED WITH SL 17468 DATED 1/9/42.

Sub Unit _____

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA

SM.17476

L H Q
September, 1942

Adv L H Q
H.Q. First Aust Army
H.Q. Second Aust Army
H.Q. 3 Aust Corps
H.Q. N.T. Force
H.Q. Qld L of C Area
H.Q. N.S.W. L of C Area
H.Q. Vic. L of C Area
H.Q. S.A. L of C Area
H.Q. W.A. L of C Area
H.Q. N.G. Force.

Copies for information to:- C G S; L G A; Q M G; M G Q;
S of A; S M E.

TRANSFER TO A A O C - ARTILLERY PERSONNEL.

1. Difficulty is being encountered by the A A O C in obtaining personnel with the knowledge and experience necessary to efficiently handle Arty equipment and spare parts.
2. It is, therefore, desired that certain R A A personnel with good knowledge of Arty stores and equipment, preferably B Q M Sgts or Storemen, be transferred to the A A O C. Personnel transferring will have good opportunities for promotion.
3. Details of transfers desired are:-

R A A PERSONNEL REQUIRED FROMREQUIRED FOR

	<u>Fd</u>	<u>Med</u>	<u>A A</u>	
1 Aust Corps	1	1	-	3 Adv Ord Depot
Qld L of C	-	-	1	3 " " "
1 Aust Corps	1	-	-	12 " " "
Qld L of C	-	-	1	12 " " "
2 Aust Corps	1	1	-	2 " " "
NSW L of C	-	-	1	2 " " "
2 Aust Corps	1	1	-	1 " " "
NSW L of C	-	-	1	1 " " "
Second Aust Army	1	1	-	5 " " "
S.A. L of C	-	-	1	5 " " "
2 Aust Corps	1	1	-	7 " " "
W.A. L of C	-	-	1	7 " " "
N T Force	1	-	1	8 " " "
N G Force	1	-	1	10 " " "
Second Aust Army	2	2	-	Base Ord Depot
Vic. L of C Area	-	-	2	" " "

4. H Q's of Formations and L of C Areas concerned will effect transfers forthwith, subject to the concurrence of the C R A's or Comd A A Defs and C O O's concerned, such transfers to be to vacancies in the W E's of the Ord units indicated, and to be implemented with view to promotion of personnel effected.

5. L H Q will be notified by 15 Oct 42, of action taken.

K. Rawson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
15/9/42.

Copies - DAG(O); MGRA; DEM; D of O; O 2 E; AAG(O); AAG(WE); AAG(C);
War Diary; File.

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM. 17552

H Q, SECOND AUST ARMY.
-----Copies to - C G S; L G A; Q M G; M G O; C F O; Q M G(Mvts);
D P S S; D Posts; D E V T; M S. (2)
-----151 GEN TPT COY : RAISING OF.

With reference to L H Q telegram SD.46446 of 8 Sep 42, an amendment to the O of B may be anticipated providing for the addition of the abovenamed unit as Army Troops Second Aust Army.

The raising of this unit to the W Es set out below is hereby confirmed.

151 Gen Tpt Coy (4 Pls)	W E	Offrs	O/Rs	Total
1 H Q of a Gen Tpt Coy	II/14A/1	5	45	50
4 Tpt Pls	II/14B/1	4	244	248
2 Relief Dvr Incs	II/14F/1	-	62	62
1 Wkshop. Pl	II/14G/1	1	49	50
(HQ & 2 Secs)		10	400	410

The personnel for the abovenamed units were made available from surplus remaining after A A S C Re-organization as provided by SM.13919 of 25 Jul 42, para 9 of which instructed that surplus should be held intact pending further instructions from L H Q.

L H Q 2nd Echelon will be advised when the instructions contained herein have been implemented.

K. Dawson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
15/9/42.

Copies by hand to - O2E(4)
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War Diary.

WAR DIARY

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Unit DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING & MOBILIZATION ~~Date and Time~~ From 15/9/1942 To No. 281

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
		(a)	A. I. F. Enlistments -	
			Lines of Communication Areas -	
			Queensland 9	
			New South Wales 25	
			Victoria 2	
			South Australia -	
			Tasmania -	
			Western Australia 2	
			Northern Territory -	
			38	
			- <i>[Signature]</i> Lieut.-Colonel, Director of Recruiting & Mobilization.	

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WAR DIARY ~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Unit MILITARY SECRETARY A.G.5. Date and Time.—From Tuesday ~~To~~ 15th September, 1942.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
"Grong Grong"			The following appointments and promotions have been approved	
637 Toorak Road,			(1) Lt.-Col.(T/Col.) W.B. Robinson, D.C.M., E.D., from Comd.	
TOORAK			5 Aust. Garr. Bde., appointed Comd. V.D.C., W.A. L. of C.	
			Area , 9/9/1942.	286/701/734
			(2) Capt. (T/Maj.) A.H. Lendon, A.A.M.C. appointed Surgeon	
			Specialist, 2/L A.G.H. and promoted to the temporary rank	
			of Lt.-Col., 11th September, 1942.	
			(3) Chaplain(1st Class) the Reverend A.I. Davidson, E.D.,	
			be appointed Chaplain-General (Presbyterian Denomination)	
			11th September, 1942.	56/701/143

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Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

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Date and Time.—From 0900 hours 15/9/42 To 1800 hours 15/9/42

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	15/9/42		1. Received Cable 8333 dated 11/9/42 from High Commissioner's Office London relative to efforts being made by American Government with Japan for permission to send relief ship from San Francisco. So far unsuccessful but further suggestion made to send ship to Lourenco Marques to be trans-shipped from there by Japanese vessel.	AC.
			2. Received Cable 8328 dated 11/9/42 from High Commissioner's Office London asking whether any lists of prisoners of war in Singapore have been received in Australia.	AC.
			3. Teleprinter dated 15/9/42 to P.M.'s Department with Cable for High Commissioner's Office in reply to 8328 advising that only official notifications from Geneva related to 8 RAAF personnel and that 1685 names received from short wave broadcast Batavia.	AC.
			4. Received Cable 8358 dated 12/9/42 from High Commissioner's Office London stating that although no agreement with Italy, it has been ascertained that Italy has notified Protecting Power of results of examinations by Mixed Medical Commission of British P.W. and internees and that United Kingdom consider Commonwealth should now advise Protecting Power (not International Red Cross) of details of examinations of Italian P.W. and Italian civilians other than those ex Dunera and Palestine which cases are still under consideration.	AC.
			5. Telephonic advice received from D.P.S. (Capt. Piercey) that Attorney General's Dept. Liaison Officer had been notified by phone by his Dept. at Canberra (Mr. Lyons) that draft amending Regulations to authorise remittances to Italy by Italian P.W. will be received in Melbourne in the next day or two.	AC.

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Date and Time.—From

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	15/9/42		6. Received Cable No. MB357 dated 12/9/42 from High Commissioner's Office London requesting Commonwealth's views on the question of requiring H.C.O P.W. ^{who apply for work} to sign a declaration of willingness to work for say 6 months.	<i>AC.</i>
			7. Teleprinter dated 15/9/42 to Prime Minister's Department requesting cable to be sent to High Commissioner's Office London in which it is advised that Commonwealth prefer continuation of present policy of not requiring H.C.O. to sign declaration as it is considered that this policy is in best interests of British P.W. in Germany.	<i>AC.</i>
			8. Minute G Br.(G.S.I.) forwarding copy I.R.C. Delegate's report on visit to P.W.Group Murchison on 15/19 May 1942 for examination and suggesting that any undesirable disclosures therein made might be discussed with Dr. Morel on his next visit.	<i>AC.</i>
			9. Instructions to L.of C.Areas advising that German P.W. Officers will be permitted to give parole once a week for exercise outside their camps and subject to the conditions set out.	<i>AC.</i>
			10. Teleprinter dated 15/9/42 to Prime Minister's Department with Cable for High Commissioner's Office London advising that Commonwealth concurs with proposals for parole for German combatant officers and instructions being given accordingly also asking for advice of any subsequent agreement with Italian Government on same matter.	<i>AC.</i>
			11. Teleprinter to External Affairs dated 15/9/42 suggesting reply to I.R.C. Delegate in regard to cabled request from I.R.C. Geneva that Commonwealth supply to them for Japanese	<i>AC.</i>

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Unit A.G.6(A.G.6(b) Internees)

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Date and Time.—From 0900 hours 15 Sep 42 To 1800 hours 15 Sep 42

Serial No. 280.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	15/9/42		1. Minute to D.P.S. dated 15/9/42 advising that as there exists a possibility that members of the A.M.F. may be interned in any part of Australia, it is considered that H.Q. of all L. of C. Areas and of N.T. and Tasmania Forces should be advised concerning action to be taken relative to discharges and pay of such internees and wearing of uniform by them.	File No.255/711/255
			2. Cipher No.A48050 of 15/9/42 to Milbase Sydney giving approval for the appointment of Mr. Justice A. K. a'Beckett Terrell of Grandview Flat 7 Billyard Avenue Elizabeth Bay a Judge of Appeal of the Supreme Court of Malaya as Assistant to Official Visitors to Internment Camps in N.S.W. L. of C. Area upon the recommendation of Sir Frederick Jordan.	File No.255/714/279
			3. Memo dated 15/9/42 to H.Q. South Aust. L. of C. Area concerning the employment of internees on drainage work in the Barmera-Berri Irrigation Area, and confirming telephone conversation in which it was requested that:-	File No.255/721/453
			(a) If possible local Italian internees only will be employed on this project.	
			(b) If insufficient local Italians volunteer, Japanese internees (preferably locals) may also be employed to make up the required number but in such event it is desired that L.H.Q. be immediately informed of the composition of the work parties.	
			(c) German internees or internees from U.K. are not to be employed on this project.	

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Date and Time.—From 0900 15 Sep. To 0900 16 Sep.

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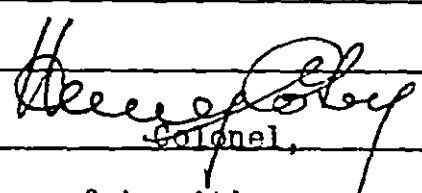
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M. 100M 2/52

Unit D'rate.of Amenities

Date and Time.—From 14th Sept. '42 To 15th September, 1942

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
52 Queens Rd. MELB.	15/9/42		Conferring with Miss Grace Wilson, retired Matron-in-Chief, A.A.N.S., in regard to amenities for Women's Services.	
			Conferring A.D. Amenities, Vic. L. of C. Area, in respect to the appointment of Amenities Officers in that Area.	
			Conferring with Major Leonard and Capt. Gordon Coulter, in respect to the supply of Sports Goods for the Middle East, and the obtaining of certain Sports Goods for this country from India.	
			Conference D.A.G. (P.S.).	
			 Colonel, Director of Amenities.	

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Unit D.P.S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 15/9/42 To 0900 hrs 16/9/42

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Unit Directorate of Organization...

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 16/9/42 To 0900 hrs 17/9/42

K. K. Davis
Lt-Col
for COLONEL
DIRECTOR OF ORGANIZATION

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q

.S.N. 17526.

H Q. Qld L of C Area
 " N S W L of C Area
 " Vic L of C Area
 " S A L of C Area
 " W A L of C Area

Copies for information to - C G S; L G A; Q M G; K G O;
 C F O; D P S S; M S; D G M S; Matron in Chief; D Posts.

DISBANDING of FORTRESS COYS -
RAISING of CAMP HOSPS

Consequent upon amendments to the O of E, Allied Land Forces in Aust, advice of which is contained in SM16013 of 24 Aug 42, and SM16842 of Sep 42, action will be taken by L of C Areas concerned to disband and raise units as follows:-

Qld L of C Area.

Disband - 1 Frt Coy A A M C
 10 Frt Coy A A M C

N S W. L of C Area.

Disband - 2 Frt Coy A A M C
 8 Frt Coy A A M C

Vic L of C Area.

Disband - 5 Frt Coy A A M C
 11 Frt Coy A A M C

S A. L of C Area.

Disband - 4 Frt Coy A A M C

W A. L of C Area.

Disband - 5 Frt Coy A A M C

Tas L of C Area

Disband - 3 Frt Coy A A M C

Qld L of C Area. (for Brisbane & Thursday Is respectively).

Raise - 56 Camp Hosp (30 beds) No. 2 L of C Sub-Area.
 Expand - 6 Camp Hosp (30 beds) Torres Straits
 to - 6 Camp Hosp (60 beds)

N S W. L of C Area. - (For Sydney, Newcastle & Port Kembla respectively)

Raise - 57 Camp Hosp (90 beds) No. 4 L of C Sub-Area.
 61 Camp Hosp (30 beds) No. 3 L of C Sub-Area.
 63 Camp Hosp (30 beds) No. 4 L of C Sub-Area.

Vic L of C Area. - (For Queenscliff & Portsea respectively).

Raise - 58 Camp Hosp (60 beds) No. 8 L of C Sub-Area.
62 Camp Hosp (60 beds) No. 7 L of C Sub-Area.

S A. L of C Area. - (For Port Larga)

Raise - 59 Camp Hosp (30 beds) No. 10 L of C Sub-Area

W A. L of C Area. - (For Keans Pt)

Raise - 60 Camp Hosp (30 beds) No. 12 L of C Sub-Area.

An amendment to WE IV/65/1 may be anticipated to provide that when a Camp Hosp is attached for duty to a Frt, the following additional personnel will be raised:-

Camp Hosp (30 beds)	Offrs 2,	O/Rs 20,	AAHS 4,	Total 26.
Camp Hosp (60 beds)	" 2,	" 23,	" 6,	" 31.
Camp Hosp (90 beds)	" 3,	" 29,	" 9,	" 41.

Offrs of the disbanded units will be re-posted by the D G M S in conjunction with the L of C Areas concerned.

L of C Areas in conjunction with R Os will re-allot other ranks personnel of the disbanded units to the new units with strict regard to the trades and duties to which they are to be assigned.

Any surplus personnel will be placed at the disposal of R Os concerned for re-allotment.

Additional personnel required to complete any of the new units to W E will be obtained as reinforcements by the normal procedure.

The Os C disbanded units will be responsible for the completion of the unit records to the satisfaction of the respective L of C Area R Os and D F Os.

L of C Area R Os will advise L H Q, 2nd Echelon when the instructions contained herein have been implemented.

K. D. Brown Lt Col
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
16 Sep 42.

Copies by hand to - O2 E (9)

D A G(O)	A A G(O)	War Diary
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D R M	" (WE)	

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM. 17563.

H Q, N T FORCE.

H Q, 11(C A) L of C Sub-Area;
Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; C F O; M S; S O-in-C.

14A L of C Sub-Area Cipher Sec)
11 L of C Sub-Area Cipher Sec) Raising of.
Mt Isa Cipher Sec)

Consequent upon an amendment to the C of B,
N T Force contained in SM.17095 of 9 Sep 42, and further
to S D telegram 46164 to N T of 8 Sep 42, action will
be taken by H Q, N T Force, to raise forthwith, from
personnel in N T, the following units :-

	<u>WE</u>	<u>O</u>	<u>OR</u>	<u>T</u>
14A L of C Sub-Area Cipher Sec	IV/7B/1	1	5	4
11 L of C Sub-Area Cipher Sec	IV/7B/1	1	3	4
Mt Isa Cipher Sec	IV/7B/1	1	3	4

L H Q 2nd Echelon will be advised when these
instructions have been implemented.

K. D. Ross
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
16/9/42.

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A A G(S)
" (WE)
War Diary

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM.17534.

H Q, N S W L of C Area.

Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; H Q, N G Force; C G S;
L G A; Q M G; E G O; G F O; D M M.

N G FORCE L OF C AREA ORD WESROP - ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL.

The following deficiencies exist in the above unit and action will be taken by H Q, N S W L of C Area to raise forthwith by withdrawal from appropriate Ord Units the undermentioned personnel necessary to complete W E IV/92/2:-

Armament Artificers -		
Armament Fitters	..	2 S/Sgts
" " (Inst)	..	2 "
Armourers	..	6 Ptes
Clerks, technical	..	1 Pte
Cooks	..	1 "
Equipment Repairers	..	2 Ptes
Fitters, M V	..	1 Pte
Harmonmen	..	2 Ptes
Mechanics, M T	..	1 Pte
" Wireless	..	2 Ptes
Panel beaters	..	2 "
Saddlers	..	1 Pte
Textile Refitters	..	2 Ptes
Wheelers	..	1 Pte
Drivers, M T and Non-specialists	..	15 Ptes
Total O/Rs	..	<u>39</u>

Every care will be taken to ensure that only suitable, competent and trade-tested personnel are selected.

Draft will be held available for movement to N G not before 28 Sep 42. Separate instructions covering movement are being issued by L H Q Movements Sec.

L. Dawson
Major-General,
for ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
15/9/42.

Copies by hand to :- D A G(C); D of O; A A G;
O2E(4); A A G(O); A A G(S);
Q M G (Mvts); War Diary.

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.E. 17567.

H.Q. N S W. L of C Area.

Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; C G S:- L G A; Q M G;
F G O; C P O; D P S S; D of Posts; H S; D H M.

3 AUSTRALIAN TANK ORD WORKSHOP COY - RAISING OF.

Consequent upon an amendment to the C of B, Allied Land Forces in Aust, contained in 3W18232 dated 1 Jul 42, action will be taken by N S W. L of C Area to raise, forthwith, a nucleus of:-

	O	O/Rs	Total.
<u>3 AUSTRALIAN TANK ORD WORKSHOP COY WE IV/864/1</u>	13	402	415

to be located at RUTHERFORD.

2. The nucleus now authorized will consist of such of the surplus to W E, held by 2/1 Aust Adv Ord Wkshop, as can be absorbed within the W E of the 3 Aust Tank Ord Workshop Coy (WE IV/864/1), by ranks and trades. This surplus consists of approx 4 Offrs, 100 O/Rs, Total - 104.

3. Personnel of the surplus referred to in para 2, who are unable to be absorbed, as provided, will be transferred to suitable vacancies within W Es of other Ord Workshop Units.

4. Pending completion of the buildings at RUTHERFORD, the 3 Aust Tank Ord Workshop Coy will be attached to 2/1 Aust Adv Ord Workshop.

5. N S W. L of C Area in conjunction with H S W. L of C Area Mvt Control Gp will arrange for the mvt to the new location, when required.

6. Prior to the posting of additional personnel to 3 Aust Tank Ord Workshop Coy, approval of L H Q, 2nd Echelon will be obtained.

7. L H Q, 2nd Echelon will be advised when these instructions have been implemented, together with details of the strength by ranks and trades of the personnel posted to the new unit to form the nucleus authorized.

K. D. Davis
Major-General.
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
16 Sep 42.

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L H Q (Mvts).

L A G(O) A A G(O) War Diary
D of C " (C) File (2)
D P M " (WE)

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.V.17569

17th September, 1942.

H Q. Qld L of C Area.
 " N S W L of C Area
 " Vic L of C Area
 " S A L of C Area
 " W A L of C Area

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 C P O; Q M G (Mvts)(2); M S.

REINFTS - MIDDLE EAST.

1. With reference to SM16963 of 8 Sep 42, and SM17145 of 10 Sep 42, relative to A I F Reinfts, Middle East, action will be taken by HQs L of C Areas indicated to concentrate, forthwith, for early embarkation Draft Conducting offrs for Voyage Only duty, as shown hereunder:-

	Majors	Cpts	Total.
Qld L of C Area	1	1	2
N S W L of C Area	1	3	4
Vic L of C Area	1	2	3
S A L of C Area	1	1	2
W A L of C Area	1	3	4
TOTAL	5	10	15

2. Selection of draft conducting offrs will be made from those classified Medically fit Class B., preference being given to over-age offrs who have volunteered for service overseas.

3. Home leave may be granted, if practicable, in accordance with SM12651 of 8 Jul 42. At the expiration of leave, Draft Conducting offrs will be posted to the L of C Area depots where the reinfts are concentrated, and will be given immediate charge of the personnel comprising their respective drafts.

L. Dawson Hill
 Major-General,
 ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
 16 Sep 42.

Copies by hand to - O 2 E (5).

D A G(O)	A A G(O)	A A G(S)	War Diary
D A G(PS)	" (C)	DAAG(3)1	File (2)
D O	" (WE)	" (O)	Major Mackinnon
		" (A)	" Mvts.

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DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING & MOBILIZATION

Unit..... Date and Time.—From..... 16/8/1942..... To..... No. 282.....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
		(a)	<u>A. I. E. Recruiting -</u>	
			<u>Lines of Communication Areas -</u>	
			Queensland 18	
			New South Wales 19	
			Victoria 6	
			South Australia 3	
			Tasmania -	
			Western Australia 3	
			Northern Territory -	
			49	
			 Lieut.-Colonel, Director of Recruiting & Mobilization.	

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~~Unit~~ D'rate of Education
~~and Vocational Training.~~

Date and Time.—From 15th Sept., 1942 To 16th September, 1942.

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Unit MILITARY SECRETARY A. G. 5.

Date and Time.—From Wednesday to 16th September, 1942.

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Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

A.G.6

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Unit A.G.6(A.G.6(a) P.W.)

Date and Time.—From 16 Sep. 42 To 16 Sep. 42

Serial No. 281.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	16/9/42		1. Received cable from Troopers London 65327 of 14 Sep. 42 advising that it has been decided to reduce pay of Italian O/R protected personnel to same rates as are applicable to combatant personnel—With effect as from first day after 1/10/42 - reasons for reduction as outlined to be conveyed to Italian protected personnel.	Ac.
			2. Minute to D.P.S. forwarding copy of above cable with request for preparation of necessary amendment to P.W. (Pay Arrangements) Order.	Ac.
			3. Minute to D.S.D. (through D.D.M.I.) requesting advice whether File No.242/701/485 and on what terms postcard size photographs of groups of 10 or more German P.W. in Australia can be taken at the expense of the P.W. for despatch by them to relatives in Germany.	Ac.
			4. Minute to "Q" Branch requesting advice on certain aspects of accounts in c/w No.3 P.W. Labour Detachment Canteen at Cook S.A. L. of C. Area.	Ac. File No.255/708/136
			5. Telegram to Milbase Brisbane (rpt. Sydney) approving transfer of Japanese P.W. under escort to P.W. Camp Hay. Arrange movement with N.S.W. L. of C. Area - advise L.H.Q. action taken.	Ac.

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Date and Time.—From 16 Sep. 42

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.F.Q. MELBOURNE	16/9/42		6. Despatch of teleprinter to Secretary Prime Minister's Dept. File No.255/736/73 requesting despatch of cable to High Commissioner's Office London forwarding summary of recent cabled I.R.C.C. reports on P.W. camp in Germany for information and any action considered necessary.	<i>He.</i>
			7. Despatch of telegram to Milbase Brisbane, Sydney Melbourne Adelaide Perth requesting return to Y.M.C.A. of Xmas cards sent by Y.M.C.A. to Commandants of P.W. & I. Camps for use by German and Italian P.W. & I.	<i>He.</i>
			8. Minute to "G" Branch (G.S.I.) forwarding two sample Xmas cards indicated above and which do not comply with N.S. (P.W.) Regs. and Camp Orders and suggesting that such cards be overprinted to comply with requirements and that appropriate instructions concerning their use be issued to H.Q. L. of C. Areas concerned.	<i>He.</i>
			9. Issue of instructions to all commands concerning Deaths File No.255/202/1803 of P.W. - notices required - Burial - and coronial enquiry.	<i>He.</i>

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Unit D.P.S.

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	17/9/42		Meeting of A.A.GS. with Col. Kemsley and other Directors. Matters of general interest discussed.	
			No communication received from C.G.S. or D.M.O. & P.	
			Colonel, Director of Organization.	

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Unit Directorate of Organization Date and Time.--From 0900 hrs 17/9/42, 0900 hrs 18/9/42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L H Q.			To all Comds South Personnel with seagoing and yachting or marine engineering experience in Pacific Waters reqd urgently man small coastal craft. Nominal roll to be submitted L H Q. your earliest	A48494.
"			To Milbase Adelaide, Melbourne. Approval transfer 100 O/Rs from 5 A O D and 10 Ord Store Coy to B O D, Melbourne.	A48608
"			To Second Army Parramatta, Milbase Sydney, approval granted retain 10 Aust Div Cipher Sec. O of B being amended appropriately	A48631
			To Vic L of C re decision C in Cs Conference instructions to disband 15 Emp Pl to be proceeded with vide SM15935.	
			To HQ 3 Aust Corps, W A. L of C authorizing the disbandment of HQ 13 L of C Sub-Area. and personnel to be at disposal for absorption in appropriate units.	SM17610
			To First Aust Army, Second Aust Army, NSW & Vic L of C Areas, authorizing the raising of 6 Aust Div Ord Wkshop and 6 Aust Div Ord Fd Pk, and action to amend SM17059	SM17615
			To NSW L of C authorizing raising of 1 Aust Mob Amn Repair Shop to WE IV/101E/1	SM17645
			To HQ 3 Aust Corps, W A L of C authorizing the deletion of restrictive marking 9 Aust Adv Ord Wkshop and to raise 5 Aust Army Ord Wkshop to H.E. WE III/78/1	SM17649.

K. Dawson
Col
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21(a)/KD/ED.

TO: LANDOPS-BRISBANE, FIRSTAUSTARMY TOOWOOMBA, SECONDAUSTARMY
PARRAMATTA, THREEAUSTCORPS PERTH, HONFORCE DARWIN, MILCOMMAND
MORESBY, TASFORCE HOBART, ARMDIV MARRABRI, 2 MOTOR DIV MORESBY,
MILBASE BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, PERTH, MORESBY.

FROM: LANDFORCES MELBOURNE

A. 48494 17/9

PERSONNEL WITH ^{YACHTING} SEAGOING YACHTING OR MARINE ENGINEERING
EXPERIENCE IN PACIFIC WATERS ARE REQUIRED URGENTLY TO
MAN SMALL COASTAL CRAFT (.) NOMINAL ROLL SHOWING RANK
POSTING QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE WILL BE SUBMITTED
TO L H Q EARLIEST POSSIBLE

(KSD)

Maj-Gen
Adj-Gen

ADJ(a)/KD/ED.

WILLIAMS ADELAIDE, WILLIAMS MELBOURNE

LANDFORCES MELBOURNE

A. 48608

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APPROVAL GIVEN TRANSFER 100 REPEAT 100 O/Rs
FROM B A O D AND RG ORD STORE COY
TO B O D MELBOURNE (.) PERSONNEL TO BE SELECTED
BY MAJOR PRIEST (.) RANKS WITHIN VACANCIES W S
B O D (.) MOVEMENTS ADELAIDE ARRANGES (.)

(K29)

MAJ-STR

Copies to - D O S (Pers)
"Q" Mvts 2.
O S R.

A.G.1(a)1/MEP/HOD.

SECONDAUSTARMY PARRAMATTA : MILBASE SYDNEY

LANDFORCES MELBOURNE

A. 4863 17/9/42

REFERENCE SECONDAUSTARMY AZ.1120 OF 15 SEPTEMBER (.)
APPROVAL GRANTED RETAIN¹⁰ AUST DIV CIPHER SECTION (.) O of B
BEING AMENDED APPROPRIATELY (.) ADDRESSED SECONDAUSTARMY
PARRAMATTA REPEATED MILBASE SYDNEY

(K.S.)
Maj-Gen
A.G.

Copy to D S D
S O-in-C.

A.O.1(s)1/555/HOB

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L H Q.
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EQ, VIC L of C AREA.
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EMP HIS - DISSEMINATION OF.

With reference to Vic L of C Area memo 9370 of 8 Sep 42, relative to above, the decision to delete Emp Pls from the C of B emanated from the C-in-C's conference and the disbandment of 15 Emp Pl must, therefore, be proceeded with forthwith vide SN.15935 of 21 Aug 42.

(K.D.)

Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL,
18/9/42.

2G1(a)1/KLC/BF

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA

L H Q
September, 1942.

S.M.17610.

H.Q. 3 Aust Corps.
H.Q. W.A. L of C Area

Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A;
Q M G; M G O; C F O; D S D; M S.

13 L of C SUB AREA - DISBANDING OF.

Consequent upon instruction contained in L H Q telegram SD 46490, action will be taken forthwith to disband

H.Q. 13 L of C Sub Area.

2. Personnel of the disbanded unit will be at the disposal of 3 Aust Corps and W.A. L of C Area for absorption in appropriate units.
3. The necessary amendment to the O of E Allied Land Forces in Australia may be anticipated.
4. The Commandant of 13 L of C Sub Area will be responsible for completing all records to the satisfaction of D R O & D F O, and to this end will nominate a responsible officer of his staff to perform this duty.

K. Anderson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

17/9/42.

Copies by hand to -

D A G(O); D of C; D R M; D G M S; A W A S;
O 2 E(5); D P S; A A G(S); A A G(WB).

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA

L.H.Q.
September, 1942.

S.M.17615.

H.Q. First Aust Army
H.Q. Second Aust Army
H.Q. N.S.W. L of C Area
H.Q. Vic. L of C Area
-----Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; C F O; X S; D M M; D O S; D F S S; D of Posts.
-----6 AUST DIV ORD WKSHP)
6 AUST DIV ORD FD PK) RAISING OF.

With reference to SM.17059 dated 8 Sep 42, which contained instructions for the raising of the above A A O C Units, it is advised that the personnel concerned are now located in N.S.W. L of C Area.

2. Action will therefore be taken to amend SM.17059 to read N.S.W. L of C Area in every instance where Vic. L of C Area is shown.

3. The allotment of personnel as provided for in SM.17059 dated 8 Sep 42, will be carried out in conjunction with D D O S, Second Aust Army.

4. Copy of SM.17059 dated 8 Sep 42, is attached hereto for N.S.W. L of C Area.

L. Davies-Ridgely
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
17/9/42.

Copies by hand to - "Q" Mvts; 0 2 E(5)
Lt-Col B.D. Jones (A D O S) Planning.

D A G(O)	A A G(O)	War Diary
D of O	" (C)	File (2)
D R M	" (WE)	

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.Y. 17645

H.Q. N S W. L of C Area.

Copies for information to - Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; D F O; F S; DP S S; D O S; D of Posts.

1 AUST MOB AMN REPAIR SHOP - RAISING OF.

Consequent upon an amendment to the O of B, Allied Land Forces in Aust, contained in SM12208 dated 1 Jul 42, action will be taken by N S W. L of C Area to raise, forthwith, for L H Q:-

	Offrs	O/Rs	Total.
<u>1 AUST MOB AMN REPAIR SHOP WE IV//101E/1</u>	1	13	14

2. Such trained personnel as may be required to form a nucleus for 1 Aust Mob Amn Repair Shop will be made available from existing similar Ord Units, and N S W. L of C Area, in conjunction with Records Office, will supply the additional personnel required to bring to W E. The offr. appointed to the above unit will report to N S W. L of C Area Records Office for instructions on "Unit Records" procedure.

3. L H Q, 2nd Echelon will be advised when these instructions have been implemented.

K. Dawson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
17 Sep 42.

Copies by hand to - O 2 E (5)

D A G(O)
D of O
D R M
A A G(O)
" (C)
" (WE)
War Diary
File (2).

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

S.M. 17649.

H Q. 3 Aust Corps
" W A. L of C Area.

Copies for information to - Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; C F O; M S; D P S S; D M E.

9 Aust Adv Ord Wkshop - Deletion Restrictive Marking.
5 Aust Army Ord Wkshop - Raise to H E.

Consequent upon amendments to the O of B, Allied Land Forces in Aust, advice of which is contained in SW.15623 of 19 Aug 42, action will be taken, forthwith, by 3 Aust Corps and W A. L of C Area as indicated hereunder:-

3 AUST CORPS.

To expand 5 Aust Army Ord Wkshop from Lower Estab

to 5 Aust Army Ord Wkshop (Higher Estab)	O	O/R	T.
WE III/73/1	11	517	328
Strength at 29/8/42	5	90	95
Additional personnel reqd	6	227	233

W A. L of C Area.

To expand for L H Q, the following unit from which Restrictive marking has been deleted -

9 Aust Adv Ord Wkshop (Lower Estab)

WE IV/98C/1	8	257	265
Strength at 29/8/42	7	82	89
Additional personnel reqd.	1	175	176

2. W A. L of C Area in conjunction with W A. L of C Area Records Office will make available the additional personnel required, as and when they become available.

H. H. H. H. H.
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
17 Sep 42.

Copies by hand to - O 2 E (5)

D A G(O)	A A G(O)	War Diary
D of O	" (C)	File (2)
D R M	" (WE)	

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(adapted.)

H. 100M

Unit Directorate of Organization. Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 17/9/42 To 0900 hrs 18/9/42. (Cont'd).

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

SM17672

18th September, 1942.

H.Q., SECOND AUSTRALIAN ARMY.

Copies for information to :- Adv. L.H.Q., C.G.S., L.G.A., Q.M.G.,
M.G.O., C.F.O., P.M., M.S., D.P.S.S., D. of Posts.

3 ARMY TK. BDE. GP. PRO. PL. - RAISING OF

With reference to S.M. 0272 of 8 May 42, Appendix "A4",
action will be taken by H.Q. Second Aust Army to raise 3 Army
Tk. Bde. Gp. Pro. Pl., W.E. 11/20 A/1, Offrs 1, O/R's 38
Ttl 39.

The personnel required will be raised within 3 Army Tk
Bde. and NOT from 2 Cav. Div. Pro. Sqn. as indicated in the
abovementioned Appendix.

K. Dawson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

17/9/42

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D. of O
D. R. M.
O. 2 E (9)
A.A.G.(O)
" (c)
" (W.E)
" (S)

D.A.A.G.(O) 1.
" " 2.
" " (A.I.F.)
War Diary
File (2)

A.G.1(a)2/NMY/NCD.

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM.17691.

H Q, N T Force
H Q, 11 (CA) L of C-Sub-Area.

Copies for information to :- Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; C F O; M S; D S T.

8 PER STAGING CAMP, LARRIMAH (900 MEN)) ADDITIONAL
9 PER STAGING CAMP, ALICE SPRINGS (900 MEN)) PERSONNEL.

Consequent upon amendments to the O of B, Allied
Land Forces in Aust, advice of which is contained in
SM.17095 of 9 Sep 42, action will be taken by H Q,
N T Force to raise the additional personnel required to
expand each of the abovenamed units in accordance with
W B IV/129A/1 - 4 50 54.

H Q, N T Force will advise L H Q when these
instructions have been implemented.

H. Rawson Rth

Major-General,
for ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
18/9/42.

Copies by hand - D of O

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A A G(S)
" (WE)
Q M G (Mvts)
War Diary.

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S.W. PACIFIC AREA.

SN.17726.

L H Q.

H.Q. S A. L of C Area.

Copies for information to - C G S; L G A; Q M G; M G O;
 C F O; D S D; E in C; D M I; D P W & I; D S T; D Posts;
 D P S S; A Q M G(M); H.S; D G M S; D G R; D P S;
 D E V T; D of Amenities;

33 GRN BN (INT CAMPS) : RAISING OF.

An amendment to the O of B, Allied Land Forces in Aust, may be anticipated providing for the addition of the abovenamed unit, and action will be taken to raise, forthwith, to the extent considered necessary by H.Q. S A. L of C Area, in accordance with WE IV/120/3:-

33 GRN BN (INT CAMPS) 33 Offrs, 675 O/Rs, TOTAL - 708.

2. Personnel in excess of W E of 25 Grn Bn (Int Camps) will be absorbed into the new unit. Any additional personnel required will be made available by H.Q. S A. L of C in conjunction with the District Records Office.
3. For the purpose of checking Strength Returns S A. L of C Area will advise L H Q in due course the extent to which 33 Grn Bn is being raised.
4. The command and control of the whole of the camps included in the Loveday Internment Gp will be vested in one H Q, which will be H Q. 25 Grn Bn supplemented to the extent considered necessary, by detachments from H.Q. 33 Grn Bn.
5. It would appear from Strength Returns that 25 Grn Bn has not been re-organised in accordance with WE IV/120/3. This will be carried out forthwith, vide authority given in SM12208 of 1 Jul 42. O of B is being amended accordingly.

L. Dawson
 Major-General,
 ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
 18 Sep 42.

Copies by hand to -

D A G(O)
 D A G(PS)
 D of O
 D R M
 O 2 E(4)
 War Diary
 File (2).

WAR DIARY INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING & MOBILIZATION

Unit..... Date and Time.—From 17/9/1942..... To No. 283.....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
		(a)	A. I. F. Recruiting -	
			Lines of Communication Areas -	
			Queensland 8	
			New South Wales 11	
			Victoria 11	
			South Australia -	
			Tasmania -	
			Western Australia 4	
			Northern Territory -	
			<u>34</u>	
			 Lieut.-Colonel, Director of Recruiting & Mobilization.	

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2400 hrs.

2400 hrs.

M. 100W 2/42

Date and Time.—From 16th September To 17th September, 1942.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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U. 100M 2/43

Unit MILITARY SECRETARY A.G.5. Date and Time.—From Thursday To 17th September, 1942.

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Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

A.G.6

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M. 1008 2/42

Unit A.G.6(A.G.6(a) P.F.)Date and Time.—From 0900 hours
17 Sep. 42 To 1800 hours
17 Sep. 42

Serial No. 282

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	17/9/42		1. Minute to Secretary (through C.G.S.) forwarding for information of Minister comment on statement attributed to Senator Brand concerning employment of P.W. and in its relation to escapes and the proposed adoption of a parole system.	<i>WKS</i>
			2. Minute to Q.M.G. forwarding minute from D.G.M.S. to D.P.W. & I. with recommendation concerning No.5 P.W. Camp Myrtleford and requesting early advice of action taken in accordance with such recommendations.	<i>WKS</i>

19 SEP 1942

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17/9/42 To 17/9/42

Serial no. 282

M. 100M 2/42

Unit AG6 (AG6(b) Internees)

Date and Time.—From 17/9/42 To 17/9/42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	17/9/42		1. Secret memo. dated 17/9/42 to H.Q. Vic. L.of C.Area requesting that nominal rolls be furnished to L.H.Q. of German and Austrian U.K. internees other than those at present held in Compound B of Camp No.2 at Tatura, who desire repatriation to Germany if an opportunity for exchange arises, and forwarding specimen form which is to be signed in triplicate by each internee desiring repatriation.	<i>WLS</i>
			2. Memo. dated 17/9/42 to H.Q. Vic. L.of C.Area concerning segregation of internees with particular reference to Compound "A" of Camp No.2 at Tatura and to internees ANDREJCZAK (returned from P.W. Camp) and EICHENBERG (Leader of German group). It is brought to notice that Camp 2A has been created for a specific purpose and that it is the responsibility of this Department to decide who shall be placed there. Because of the types of internees transferred to it, Camp 2A is always likely to be a source of trouble and therefore requires firm control.	<i>WLS</i> File 255/715/648
			3. Memo. of 17/9/42 to H.Q. Vic. L.of C.Area giving approval for the transfer of six Straits Settlements and four United Kingdom internees from Compound "B" to Compound "A" of Camp No.2 at Tatura, and of U.K. internee GERHARD MIEDZWINSKI from Compound "A" to Compound "B" of that Camp. These transfers are recommended by the Home Office Liaison Officer (Major J.D. Layton).	<i>WLS</i>
			4. Memo. dated 17 Sep. to H.Q. N.S.W. L.of C. and H.Q. Vic. L.of C. approving of transfer of Jap. internee ISHIYAMA Isaburo from Hay N.S.W. to Tatura, Vic.	<i>WLS</i> File 255/741/880

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0900 hours

1800 hours

17/9/42

To

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W. 100M 2/42

Unit AG6 (AG6(b) Internees)

Date and Time.—From 17/9/42 To 17/9/42

Serial No. 282

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Unit AG-8

Date and Time.—From 0900 17 Sep. To 0900 18 Sep.

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11. 100M 2/42

Unit D.F.S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 17/9/42 to 0900 hrs 18/9/42.

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Unit: L.H.Q. 2nd Echelon.

Date and Time.—From To

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Unit A.W.A.S.Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 17.9.42 to 0900 hrs. 23.9.42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q.	16.9.42.		Constitution of Women's Services and Conditions of Service and Discipline.	2 Copies attached.
"	17.9.42.		Nil	
"	18.9.42.		Total enlistments to period ending 0600 hrs. 5th Sept.42.-6326	
"	19.9.42.		Nil	
"	20.9.42.		"	
"	21.9.42.		"	
"	22.9.42.		"	

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Department of the Treasury,
Defence Division, Victoria Barracks.
MELBOURNE.

16th September, 1942.

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MEMORANDUM for -

Secretary,
Department of the Army.

CONSTITUTION OF WOMEN'S SERVICES AND CONDITIONS OF
SERVICE AND DISCIPLINE.

Arising out of correspondence and conferences relating thereto, this matter was submitted to War Cabinet on 31st August, 1942 (War Cabinet Agendum No. 349/1942) on which date, advice has been received, War Cabinet recorded a minute in the following terms :-

"The following decisions were given on the question submitted by the Inter-Departmental Committee, as set out in paragraph 3 of the Agendum -

(1) Women's Auxiliaries:-

(a) Method of Constitution:

The Women's Auxiliaries are to be established as part of the Forces enlisted under the Defence Act.

(b) Disciplinary Provisions:

The disciplinary code set out in Enclosure "G" to the agendum was approved, subject to the services conferring with a view to drawing up a uniform classification of offences and penalties applicable thereto. In the event of any points of difference occurring, they are to be submitted to the Attorney-General for decision.

(c) General Conditions:

The general conditions set out in Enclosure "A" to the agendum were approved.

(2) NURSING SERVICES AND V.A.D.'s:

The above decision regarding the constitution of Auxiliaries is to apply to Nursing Services and V.A.D.'s."

Draft Regulations covering the constitution, conditions of service, and discipline are at present with the Attorney-General's Department. When these have been received and considered by your Department, advice of your views might be furnished to this Department.

It will be necessary, also, to make provision in Financial Regulations for pay, uniform allowances and other matters, and it would be appreciated if you would have the matter reviewed from this aspect and submit your draft proposals.

(Sgd.) G.P.N. Watt
Assistant Secretary.

AGL(b)/GW

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Unit DIRECTORATE OF ORGANIZATION Date and Time.—From 18/9/42 To _____

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Dianses, &c.
	18/9/42		Meeting of A.A.G.s. with Col. Kemsley and other Directors. Matters of general interest discussed	
			Received from C.G.S. approval to amend O of B as follows:	
		SML7463	Re-org of A.A.O.C. units N.G. Force.	
		SML7470	L.H.Q. Armies; and L of C Areas. Various, Inc. Hospitals, P.O.W. and Internment Camp Guards	
		SM 17677	Raising of 4 and 5 Docks Oper Coy.	
			Colonel, Director of Organization	

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N. 100M

Unit Directorate of Organization. Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 18/9/42 To 0900 19/9/42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L H Q			To HQ. N S W L of C Area authorising the raising of 7 HQ Sec "Carrier Pigeon" and 43, 44 and 45 Carrier Pigeon Lofts to WE III/45/1.	SM17872
			HQ Second Aust Army, NSW L of C authorising the raising of additional personnel N G Laundry Unit and 7 MD Mob Laundry & Decn Unit to complete to WE.	SM17873
			To HQ Tas Force authorising raising of 32 Aust A A Wkshop Sec Hy to W E.	SM17874
			To HQ N T Force authorising raising of 232 Aust Lt A A Bty to HQ W E III/27A/1.	SM17876
			To ^{HQ} 2 Aust Motor Div to disbandment 6 Aust Armd Cipher Sec and to raise 2 Aust Motor Div Cipher Sec, WE I/14A/1	SM18001
			To HQ Vic L of C authorising raising of Vic L of C Area M T Training Depot to WE V/64C/1	SM18061

H. Dawson
Col.
D of O.

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM.17872

H Q, N S W L of C Area.

Copies for information to :- Adv L H Q; H.Q, N T Force; C G S;
L G A; Q M G; M G O; C F O; M S; D Posts; S O-in-C; D P S S.

7 H Q SEC (CARRIER PIGEON) AUST CORPS OF SIGS) RAISING
43, 44, and 45 CARRIER PIGEON LOFTS) OF.

Consequent upon an amendment to the O of B,
N T Force contained in SM.17095 of 9 Sep 42, action will
be taken by H Q, N S W L of C Area to raise for N T Force
the units set out hereunder :-

	WE	O	O/R	T.
7 H Q Sec (Carrier Pigeon) Aust Corps of Sigs	III/45/1	1	3	4
43 Carrier Pigeon Loft	"	-	2	2
44 " " "	"	-	2	2
45 " " "	"	-	2	2
		<u>1</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>10</u>

A recommendation for the appointment of the
officer will be submitted to L H Q for approval and on
appointment he will be instructed to report to R O for
instructions on "Unit Records" procedure.

L H Q will be advised when concentration of
the personnel is complete and the units are available for
movement to N T Area, such date to be not later than
5 Oct, 42.

Separate instructions regarding movement are
being issued by L H Q Movements Sec.

L. Hawson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

19/9/42.

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A A G(S)
" (WE)
Q M G (Mvts)
War Diary

A.G.1(a)2/ARN/NOD.

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM. 17873

H Q, SECOND AUST ARMY.
H Q, N S W L of C AREA.

Copies for information to:- Adv L H Q; H Q, N T Force;
D O S.

N G FORCE LAUNDRY UNIT - 6 O/Rs) ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL -
7 DIV H L & F D UNIT - 32 O/Rs) N G FORCE

The above units are deficient in O/Rs as shown above and action will be taken forthwith by H Q, Second Aust Army to make available to H Q, N S W L of C Area 40 O/Rs required to complete to W E.

2. These O/Rs will be drawn from trained A I F personnel in 2 M L & F D Unit and 11 M L & F D Unit.

3. H Q, N S W L of C Area will advise L H Q when these personnel have been concentrated and are ready for movement.

4. L H Q Movements Sec are issuing the necessary movement instructions.

K. Hanson
Major-General,
for ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
19/9/42.

Copies to C2E (6).
Q M G (Mvts) Capt Rutledge

37/401/1093.

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM. 17874

H Q. TAS FORCE.

Copies for information to :- Adv L H Q; H Q, N G Force; C G S;
L G A; Q M G; M G O; C F O; D M M; M S.

32 AUST A A WKSHOP SEC (HY) - N G FORCE - RAISING OF.

Consequent upon an amendment to the O of B, Allied Land Forces in Aust, advice of which is contained in Adv Amdt No 15 SM.17470 of 15 Sep 42, action will be taken by H Q, Tas Force, to raise forthwith, 32 Aust A A Wkshop Sec (Hy) by withdrawal of the undermentioned personnel from appropriate Ord Units.

The ranks and trades indicated for this unit are in conformity with a new W E for A A Wkshops which may be anticipated :-

Detail	Rank & No	Detail	Rank & No
OME (3rd Class	Capt 1	<u>Trade Gp II</u>	
<u>Trade Gp I</u>		Armourer	Cpl 1
Armament Artificers		Carpenter	Pte 1
Fitters	W O I 1	Cook	Pte 1
Instrument	S/Sgt 1	Mech M T	Pte 1
Artisans -		<u>Trade Gp III</u>	
Electricians	L/Cpl 1	Clerk	Pte 1
Fitters	Cpl 1	Drivers Mech	Ptes 2
Fitter, M T	Cpl 1	Tech Storeman	Cpl 1
Instr Mech	Pte 1		
Welder	Pte 1	<u>Non-Specialists</u>	
		Motor-Cyclist	Pte 1
		Orderly	
		Drivers, M T for vehicles and general duties	L/Cpl 1
		Drivers, M T for vehicles and general duties	Pte 1
		Driver, M T for duty as Batman	Pte 1
		Driver	
Total all ranks			20

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Every care will be taken to ensure that only suitable, competent and trade-tested personnel are selected.

L H Q will be advised when the unit is raised and ready for movement.

Separate instructions covering movement are being issued by L H Q Movements Sec.

K. Dawson Hill

Major-General,
for ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

19/9/42.

Copies by hand to - D A G(0)
D of O
A A G
C2E (5)
A A G(0)
" (WE)
Q M G(Mvts) 2 Major Pretty
Capt Rutledge
War Diary.

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN S W PACIFIC AREA.

L H Q.

SM.17876

H Q, N T FORCE.

Copies for information to :- Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; C F O; H G R A; M S; D Posts; D P S S

233 AUST LT A/A BTY - RAISING OF.

Consequent upon an amendment to the O of B contained in SM.17095 of 9 Sep 42, whereby 14 Aust Lt A/A Bty was added to N T Force and a further amendment which may be anticipated changing the designation of this Bty to 233 Aust Lt A/A Bty.

Action will be taken by H Q, N T Force to raise :-

	<u>Offrs.</u>	<u>O/R</u>	<u>Total</u>
233 Aust Lt A/A Bty W E III/27A/1	6	208	214

As no reinforcement personnel are immediately available the new unit will be raised from the surplus to W E in 1 Aust Lt A/A Regt consequent upon the reorganization of that unit in conformity with the new W E III/27A/1.

The personnel so raised will form a nucleus for the new Bty at the strength of the available surplus, the deficiency to be made up later as trained reinforcements become available.

H Q, N T Force will advise L H Q when these instructions have been implemented.

K. Dawson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.

19/9/42.

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CSE (4)
A A G(S)
" (VE)
Q M G (Mvts)
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L H Q

September, 1942.

SM.18001

H.Q. 2 AUST. MOTOR DIV.

Copies for information to :- Adv. L.H.Q., C.G.S.,
L.G.A., Q.M.G., C.F.O., S.O.-in-C., M.S.

6 AUST ARMD BDE CIPHER SECTION - DISBANDING OF
2 AUST MOTOR DIV CIPHER SECTION - RAISING OF

Consequent upon an amendment to the C. of B. Allied
Land Forces in Aust., action will be taken by F.Q. 2 Aust. Motor
Div.

to disband 6 AUST ARMD BDE CIPHER SEC	Off	OR	Tot
	1	.3	4
and raise 2 AUST MOTOR DIV CIPHER SEC WE I/14A/1 (less one Bde det of 1 Sgt. and 1 Cpl)	1	15	16

The personnel from 6 Aust Armd Bde Cipher Sec will be
absorbed in 2 Aust Motor Div Cipher Sec and the balance required
will be raised from within the division.

The O.C. of the unit to be disbanded will be responsible
for completing the unit records to the satisfaction of the L. of C.
Records Office concerned.

K Dawson Hall
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
19/9/42

Copies to :-

D A G (0)	A A G (0)	D A A G (0)1
D O	" (C)	" (0)2
D R M	" (WE)	" (AIF)
O 2 E (5)	" (S)	War Diary
		File 2.

A.G.1(a)2/POP/NOD.

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L H Q.

SM.18061

H Q, VIC L of C AREA.

Copies for information to :- Adv L H Q; C G S; L G A; Q M G;
M G O; C F O; D M T; M S; D P S S; D Posts.

VIC L OF C AREA M T TNG DEPOT - RAISING OF.

Consequent upon an amendment to the O of B,
Allied Land Forces in Aust, advice of which is contained
in SM.13593 of 22 Jul 42, action will be taken by H Q,
Vic L of C Area to raise forthwith to W E :-

Offrs O/R Total

Vic L of C Area M T Tng Depot W E V/64C/1 14 177 191

All ranks on this establishment may be provided
from personnel unfit for general service with fighting
units, and will be provided by Vic L of C Area vide SM.17468
of 15 Sep 42.

Vic L of C Area Records Office will issue
instructions, where necessary, for the release of the
additional personnel required.

K. Dawson
Major-General,
ADJUTANT-GENERAL.
19/9/42.

Copies by hand to :- D A G(O)
D of O
O2E(5)
A A G(O)
" (C)
" (WE)
" (S)
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DIRECTORATE OF RECRUITING & MOBILIZATION

Unit _____ Date and Time.—From 18/9/1942 To No. 284

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
		(a)	<u>A. I. F. Recruiting -</u>	
			Lines of Communication Areas -	
			Queensland -	
			New South Wales 12	
			Victoria -	
			South Australia 9	
			Tasmania 1	
			Western Australia -	
			Northern Territory -	
			<u>22</u>	
			<i>[Signature]</i> Lieut.-Colonel, Directorate of Recruiting & Mobilization.	

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EAS.

NO. 264

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Directorate of Education and
Unit Vocational Training

Date and Time.—From 17th. Sept. To 18th. September, 1942.

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M.S. 1a/SB

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Unit MILITARY SECRETARY A.G.5. Date and Time.—From Friday ~~xx~~xx 18th September, 1942.

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Colonel,
MILITARY SECRETARY.

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Unit AG6 (AG6(a) P.W.)

Date and Time.—From 0900 hours 18/9/42 To 1800 hours 18/9/42

Serial No. 283.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	18/9/42		1. Received cable 8454 from High Commissioner's Office London requesting Commonwealth's views on proposal that payments to individual German P.W. should be made by Protecting Power and not through Army machinery, in view of German Government's refusal to agree to any rate of pay to British other rank P.W. in Germany.	Re.
			2. Despatch of cable to Troopers London forwarding further extract from letter from Australian I.W. referring to "acid" burns.	Re.
			3. Despatch of Teleprinter to External Affairs requesting advice whether it is desired to conform to the request in Cable 8358 from High Commissioner's Office London relative to the notification to Protecting Power of internees examined by Mixed Medical Commission having regard to the possibility of security objections to their actual repatriation.	Re. 282/703/62
			4. Despatch of Teleprinter to Prime Minister's Department requesting despatch of cable to High Commissioner's Office, London advising progress results of examinations by Mixed Medical Commission and totals to date.	Re. 282/703/62
			5. Despatch of Teleprinter to Prime Minister's Department requesting despatch of Cable to High Commissioner's Office London forwarding for information and advice sighted evidence that some Red Cross parcels containing American branded goods addressed to individual Italian P.W. in Australia and which may have been improperly diverted in Italy by someone with access to Official Red Cross labels.	Re.
			6. Receipt of Teleprinter CS.3357 of 18/9/42 from Secretary Army Canberra requesting teleprinted advice of information available in the Department concerning the passage of P.W. mails to and from Germany.	Re.

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1800 hours

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Unit AG6 (AG6(a) F.W.)

Date and Time.—From 18/9/42 To 18/9/42

Serial No. 283.

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0900 hours

1800 hours

M. 100W 2/42

Unit A.G.6(A.G.6(b) Internees)

Date and Time.—From 18 Sep. 42 To 18 Sep. 42.

Serial No 283.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
L.H.Q. MELBOURNE	18/9/42		1. Minute dated 17/9/42 to Secretary (for Minister) advising nature of amendment to N.S. (Internment Camps) Reg. No;6 and recommending that Minister grant approval to the employment of internees (who volunteer) on general agricultural work, camp construction and other specified work at 1/- per day of 6 hours including travelling time.	File No.255/721/324 H.C./
			2. Minute dated 18/9/42 to C.M.G. concerning unsatisfactory nature of present accommodation for internees at Internment Camp, Parkeston, W.A. and suggesting immediate investigation into matter with view to early provision of sleeping huts.	H.C./
			3. Minute dated 18/9/42 to "Q" Branch (D.E.S.) recommending approval of £275 to cover cost materials for visitors hut at Cowra Internment Camp.	H.C./
			4. Memo to H.C. N.S.W. L. of C. Area advising that transfer of internee AMEDEO D'AMERA from Loveday S.A. to a camp in N.S.W. is not approved; and stating reasons therefor.	H.C./

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Unit AG8

Date and Time.—From 0900 18 Sep. To 0900 19 Sep.

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Unit PROVOST DIRECTORATE LHQ

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 18/9/42 To 0900 hrs 24/8/42

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ML 100M 2/42

Unit D'rate of Amenities

Date and Time.—From 17 Sep. '42

To 18 September, 1942.

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NO. 150W 2/43

Unit D.P.S.

Date and Time.—From 0900 hrs 18/9/42 To 0900 hrs 19/9.42

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