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2/19 Infantry Battalion

October - December 1941

WAR DIARY or ~~INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Unit 2/19 Bn A.I.F. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Oct 41 *To* 31 Oct 41

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Kluang	Oct 1		Gas Tests. Night exercises including wire cutting.	
Kluang	Oct 2		Sec. training. Counter attack within perimeter of aerodrome.	
Kluang	Oct 3		Gas tests. Tactical notes for pl. comnds. Night exercise. A	
			Coy moved to Jemaluang. 18 O.Rs. taken on strength from	
			General Base Depot. Lieut. N.S.Davidson rejoined ex hospital.	
Kluang	Oct 4		Domestic duties. Lieut S.F.Burt and 11 O.Rs. rejoined ex 2/10	
			Field Regt.	
Kluang	Oct 5		Church Parade. Bn. Strength 37 Officers 812 O.Rs.	
Jemaluang	Oct 6		Bn.H.Q., H.Q. and Don Coys moved to Jemaluang. Fixing camp.	
Jemaluang	Oct 7		Camp improvements.	
Jemaluang	Oct 8		Preparation defensive position Jemaluang X Rds begun.	
Jemaluang	Oct 9		Lieut. G.Weily anf 5 O.Rs detached Singapore Picket . Work on	
			defensive position.	
Jemaluang	Oct 10		Lieut. R.W.L.Austin and 14 O.R.s taken on strength from General Base Depot . Digging of weapon pits.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Oct 11		Digging of Weapon Pits. 13 O.Rs. transfd. to 22 Aust Inf. Bde.	
Jemaluang	Oct 12		Church Parade. Bn. Strength 38 Officers 824 O.R.s. Lieut.	
			G. Weily and 5 O.R.s rejoined ex Singapore Picket.	
Jemaluang	Oct 13,14		Work on defensive position.	
Jemaluang	Oct 15		4 O.R.s detached to O.C.T.U. 4.9.41. struck off strength.	
			Work on defensive position	
Jemaluang	Oct 17		XXX 10 O.Rs. taken on strength from General Base Depot.	
Jemaluang	Oct 19		Church Parade. Bn. Strength 38 Officers 810 O.Rs.	
Jemaluang	Oct 20		Webbing 1937 and new style mess tins received.	
Jem aluang	Oct 24		14 O.Rs taken on strength from Genera l Base Depot.	
Jemaluang	Oct 25		Start made on new Establishment, 14 O.Rs struck off strength to	
			A.C.C. and ~~nad~~ attached to bn. for duty.	
Jemaluang	Oct 26		9 O.R.s detached to No.1 A.A.S.C. Church Parade. Bn. Strength 39 Officers 792 ORs.	
Jemaluang	Oct 28		Don Coy moved from KLUANG to JEMALUANG.	

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Jemaluang	Oct 29		Lieut. K.L.Westbrook promoted Captain from 31.7.41.	JFB
Jemaluang	Oct 30		Lieut B.D.Crawford detached as instructor,Gas School,Singapore.	JFB
Jemaluang	Oct ~~31~~ 16-31		Except Sundays, Bn. preparing defensive position Jemaluang X Rds.	JFB

J F Burt Lieut

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MALAYA.
11 Oct. 41.

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FIELD WORKS POLICY OF BN.

1. Generally speaking, to make the work in all areas progress on parallel lines, according to priority laid down.

2. This means a fair allocation of labour available and a fair distribution of tools (other than Coy W.E.) under Bn. arrangement.

3. Work in the first stage of priorith can be summarised as-
(a) Digging all Pl. areas to the first stage
(b) Digging other areas, such as Bn.HQ, B Ech. Mtrs. A.A., Gun positions for fixed lines of carriers ~~and~~ Pl. Brens, to the first stage, and the provision of shelter for Sigs. and Bn. staff from rain.
(c) Clearing essential areas as a precaution against fire.
(d) Wiring, both protective and tactical.
(e) Making and improvement of tracks.
(f) Digging of slit trenches in all areas for A.R.P.

4. To allocate men and tools for this preliminary stage, it will be necessary to know -

(a) What W.E. tools ~~must~~ are held by Coys.
(b) What extra tools are held by Coys.
(c) Approx. length of 1st task still to be dug in each Pl. area.
(d) do in other areas.
(e) No. of acres of essential clearing in each Pl. or other area.
(f) Length of track required to give immediate communication.
(g) No. of slit trenches required in each area.
(h) Average number of men available from each sub unit daily.

5. As regards 4 (h) Coy. Comds. and 2 i/cs will meet and decide on what men are available for a maximum effort, considering

(a) Essential camp duties, such as cooks, sanitary &c.
(b) Sick, including light duty. (N.B. L.D. to parade as many as possible camp duties)
(c) Men available.

For Bn. disposal, (c) must remain constant and can only be altered as (b) alters or Bn. allocates other duties.

6. To allow the work to proceed on Monday, Coys. will give to 2 i/c by 1200 hrs. 12 Oct.

(a) Figures as outlined in Para 4.
(b) Details of any difficulties which this may incur.

L Hughes
.....Capt.
(L. Hughes) Adjutant,
2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES
ROUTINE ORDERS
BY

LT. COL C.G.W. ANDERSON — COMMANDING 2/19 BN. A.I.F. MALAYA.

DATE 2 OCT 41 — Part 1 — No.114.

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Orderly Officer	Bn.Ord.Sgt. & Cpl by	From 1800 hrs	To 1800 hrs
B	Lieut P.R.Reynolds	D	2 Oct	3 Oct
D	" J.A.Varley	HQ	3 "	4 "
HQ	" J. Brindley	B	4 "	5 "

2. INSPECTION OF GUARD. Personnel dismounting prior to "Retreat. The Guard Commander will parade members of his guard dismounting at Reveille or at any time previous to "Retreat", to the Bn. Orderly Officer, for magazines to be emptied, and arms inspected, prior to personnel moving back to Coy.

L.HUGHES Capt.
Adjt. 2/19 Bn A.I.F.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.
ROUTINE ORDERS
by
LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON COMMANDING 2/19 BN. A.I.F. MALAYA.
DATE 4 Oct. Part 1. No.115

1. DUTIES.

Details of Fatigues and Protective Duties to be supplied from 4 - 7 Oct. 41 have been published in Movement Order, Ref. 19/10, of 3 Oct.

Orderly Officer.	Bn.Ord.Sgt. & Cpl.	From 1800	To 1800 hrs.
Lieut. J. BRINDLEY	B	4 Oct.	5 Oct.
" A. IBBOTT	B	5 Oct.	6 Oct.(KLUANG
" D.J.R. Glasson	A	5 Oct.	6 "(JEMALUAN
" J. Ritchie	C	6 "	7 " do

2. A.I.F. DEFERRED PAY. Ref. Bde. 9408/70 of 1 Oct. 41. Deferred pay has been credited to members of AIF from date of embarkation, i.e. for the majority of personnel in this Bde. 1,2 or 3 Feb 41. No notice can be taken of rumours or unfounded statements.

3. TRAFFIC CONTROL AREA BETWEEN 79 & 79½ MILE POSTS. Signs are being erected for traffic to slow down to 15 m.p.h. and then to 10 m.p.h. between these points, and all vehicles will observe the speeds laid down between the points specified. The reason for this is that constructional work and traffic to 2/10 Fd.Regt. demands the utmost caution in the vicinity. (Bde. R.O. 88 para 1.)

4. LATERITE. Units may procure laterite from the following pits -
(a) West side of JEMALUANG Rd. Map Ref. 840363. Track is followed about 20 yds into pit.
(b) P.W.D. Quarry, 80¼ Mile Post on west side of JEMALUANG Rd.
(c) P.W.D. Quarry, 85¼ Mile Post, Map Ref. 815507 on west side of and visible from road. (Bde. R.O. 88 para 3.)

5. OUT OF BOUNDS. The sand pit on the east side of JEMALUANG Rd. Map Ref. 861293 is out of bounds. (Bde. R.O. 88 para 4)

6. SAND. Sand required for special building jobs will be requisitioned for through Bde. HQ. (Bde. R.O. 88 para 5.

7. ROAD ACCIDENTS. On several occasions when a vehicle has been involved in an accident on the road, passing vehicles have stopped to allow personnel to view the accident. This practice must cease as it hinders the proper working of breakdown vehicles as well as blocking the road and is a manace to passing traffic. Units will instruct MT drivers that they must not stop their vehicles at or near the scene of an accident, if it is obvious that assistance is being rendered.

8. CHURCH PARADES - 5 Oct. 41. A combined Church Service will be held at 0900 hrs. in the J.M.F. Hall.

L. HUGHES Capt.
Adjutant 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES.

LOSSES. Gold wristlet watch near Cold Storage, KLUANG 2 Oct. 41. marked Nov. 33 on the back. Finder return to A Coy.

2/19 BN. CONCERT. This notice to be read to all troops at first Mess Parade. "2/19 Bn. Concert will be held on 4 Oct. at 1930 hrs. in J.M.F. Hall."

RUGBY UNION. The following Rugby Union fixtures will be played with a view to selection of players for A.I.F. Rugby Union Team.

Date.	Teams.	Played at.	Start time.
8 Oct.	2/18 Bn. V 2/10 Fd.Regt.	Public Padang, Mersing	1615
do	2/19 Bn. V 2/20 Bn. & Bde. HQ	" " "	1730
11 Oct.	2/20 Bn. & Bde.HQ V 2/19 Bn.	JMF Padang, Mersing	1615
do	2/10 Fd. Regt V 2/19 Bn.	do	1730
15 Oct.	2/10 Fd. Regt. V 2/20 Bn. & Bde.	do	1615
do	2/18 Bn. V 2/19 Bn.	do	1730
18 Oct.	22 Aust.Inf.Bde. V 27 Aust.Inf.Bde.	(To be arranged)	

Capt.Keegan will be 2/19 Bn. representative to act as Selector for combined Bde. team and Bde. representative for the A.I.F. Team.

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LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON COMMANDING 2/19 BN. A.I.F. MALAYA.
DATE 7 Oct. 41. Part 1. No. 116.

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Orderly Officer.	Bn.Ord.Sgt & Cpl. by	From 1800 hrs.	To 1800 hrs.
D	Lieut. G.R. Bennett	A	7 Oct.	8 Oct.
HQ	" R. Wilson	C	8 Oct.	9 Oct.
A	" G. Weily	D	9 "	10 "
C	" G.A. Gill	HQ	10 "	11 "

2. PHOTOGRAPHY. Information has been received that films may be safely developed and printed at any of the local photographers establishments in MERSING.

3. NATIVES. Vigorous steps must be taken by all ranks to keep unauthorised natives out of the Camp Lines. Natives are NOT permitted to search rubbish bins. The following classes of native labour are permitted in the camp for the purpose of carrying out their work:-

Rubber Tappers.
Road Workers
NAAFI Servants
Native Barbers.
Mess Servants
Water Pumpers.

Regimental Police will maintain a patrol of the Camp Area from Reveille to Light Out to assist Coys. in carrying out above.

4. DRESS. All ranks will wear long sleeved shirts and slacks or tropical shorts until 0800 hrs. daily. This dress will also be worn from 1700 hrs. daily.

5. HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS. In future Hospital Admissions will take with them ALL PERSONAL GEAR AND ALL WAR EQUIPMENT. Personal documents, i.e. B.122 Conduct Sheet, F.200 and issue cards will be forwarded to Bn.HQ. and will accompany patient to hospital.

6. LATRINES. Coys. will picquet own latrines from Reveille to Light Out daily. Duties of the picquet will be:-
(a) Ensure that an adequate supply of cut newspaper is provided.
(b) Ensure that lids are closed at all times.
(c) Personnel will NOT be allowed to stand on the seats.

7. RUBBISH & GARBAGE DISPOSAL. Bins to be dumped by Coys. at central camp dump between D,D and HQ Coy Kitchens at 0900 hrs. and 1600 hrs. daily. Sanitary Cpl. will arrange for bins to be taken to Rubbish tip, emptied, washed, and returned to Central dump as quickly as possible. Sanitary Cpl. will arrange for soyer to be available at washing point to supply hot water. Soyer must NOT be left at washing point overnight.

8. MAIL CLOSING TIMES. Mails and Telegrams close at Postal Tent at 1000 hrs. Mondays to Saturdays. To enable Air Mails to be posted up to the last minute a special clearance will be made at 1300 hrs. on Tuesdays and Fridays.

~~X~~ 9. SAND PITS. The sand pit on the Coast side of JEMALUANG-MERSING Road is out of bounds.

L. HUGHES CAPT.
Adjt. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES.

1. LOSSES. NX 5709 Pte. Thomas M.H. lost a brown leather wallet containing identity card and branded on outside "M.H." There was a sum of money in the wallet.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS

By LT.-COL. C.G.W.ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 BN.A.I.F. MALAYA
Date: 9 Oct.41 Part 1 No.117

1. DUTIES.

R.S.M. W.O.11 J.J.Loy will perform the duties of R.S.M. from 9 Oct. until 13 Oct.41(both dates inclusive).

Regtl. Duties:- The following duties will parade daily on the "Duties Parade Ground" at 1740 hrs:-
Guard:- 1 Sjt,2 Cpls,15 privates.
Canteen Picquet:- 1 Cpl 2 privates.
B.O.S.:- 1 Sjt
B.O.C.:- 1 Cpl

Dress:- Hats(turned up),shirts(sleeves down),trousers,puttees,boots. Drill order,rifles and 20 rnds of ammunition except that Canteen Picquet will wear steel helmets and belt and bayonet,and Bn Orderly N.C.Os belt and bayonet. The guard will be in possession of anti-malarial cream for use during the night. The guard will change into shorts at 0800 hrs and return to trousers at 1700 hrs.

2. URINE TUBS. The Duty Coy will be responsible for the emptying of the urine tubs at the N.A.A.F.I. canteen and Sjts Mess by 0715 hrs daily. Canteen Picquet will place urine tubs in position at N.A.A.F.I. Canteen immediately on mounting.

3. OBSCENE LANGUAGE.
The use of obscene language will not be allowed,and N.C.Os will take the necessary action against offenders.

4. VEHICLES PROCEEDING TO SINGAPORE OR JOHORE BAHRU.
HQ A.I.F. Q 168/1/5357 gives approval for vehicles to proceed to Singapore for the purpose of purchases of rations, Offs and Sjts mess necessities. Purchases will be limited to articles unprocurable at MERSING through ordinary business channels,or N.A.A.F.I. where it is proved that a financial saving will result. Vehicles returning must clear NORTH end of Causeway by 1800 hrs. Vehicles proceeding to Johore Bahru for the purpose of picking up laundry,reinforcements etc. are not to proceed to SINGAPORE unless prior permission has been granted.

5. ROAD MOVEMENT. Drivers of vehicles will again be instructed that the maximum speed of vehicles in the Bde Gp areas is 30 M.P.H.

6. P.W.D. QUARRIES. When procuring latrite from P.W.D. quarries heaps of small stones will not be removed under any circumstances.These heaps are the result of P.W.D. work and the heaps are their sole property.

7. SPORT. (1) CRICKET:- Two comp.cricket matches are to be held each Sunday on the Padang,Mersing,at the following times:-
0930-1300 hrs and 1430-1800 hrs.

(2) FOOTBALL:- Four football matches are to be played each Sunday on the J.M.F. ground,Mersing,at the following times:-
2 matches 0930-1200 hrs,and 2 matches 1300-1530 hrs.
Fixtures set out in Bde R.O. No.88 will take precednce over the above,and units and selectors will determine use of ground on dates specified in such R.O.

(3) Allotment of Playing Grounds:- Bde R.O. 77,para 3,is cancelled and in lieu thereof the following allotment is made:

J.M.F. Ground.
2/19 Bn.----Tuesdays.
2/20 Bn-----Wednesdays.
2/18 Bn-----Thursdays.
2/10 Fd RegtFridays..
15/16 A/Tk Bty Satu days

Padang.
2/9 Fd Amb------Tuesdays.
Bde HQ----------Wednesdays.
2/10 Fd Coy.----Fridays.

8. Regtl.Audit Board. Capt.C.Fallaw will be president,vice Capt.F.L.Harris.
Reports for Bde will be furnished to Bn HQ by.11 Oct.41.

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9. CONCERTS. The Bde Grp Concert Party will stage its opening concerts as follows:-

Unit Lines.	For Tps In.	Date.	Time.	Band.
2/18 Bn.	Palm Beach	15 Oct	1930 hrs.	2/18
2/10 Fd Regt.	31/21 Camp	20 Oct	"	"
2/20 Bn.	Mersing Area	22 Oct.	"	2/20
2/19 Bn.	Jemaluang	27 Oct.	"	2/19

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt.2/19 Bn.AIF..

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.
ROUTINE ORDERS
by
LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON COMMANDING 2/19 BN. A.I.F. MALAYA.
No.118
DATE 10 Oct. 41.
Part 1.

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Orderly Officer.	Bn.Ord.Sgt. & Cpl. by	From 1800 hrs.	To 1800 hrs.
D	Lieut. Gollan	A	11 Oct.	12 Oct.
HQ	" Austin	C	12 "	13 Oct.
A	" Brindley	D	13 "	14 "
C	" Crawford	HQ	14 "	15 "

Duty Coy will be responsible for Urine Pails at Bn.HQ
Set out 1630 hrs. Removed 0700 hrs.

2. LATEX. Care must be taken to avoid spilling latex from cups in Estate. Complaints have been received that soldiers have been emptying these cups onto the ground.

3. JAM TINS. All 1½ lb Jam Tins will be held in future by Coys. These are for use as templates in shrapnel mines. These will be handed to RQMS at end of each week.

4. CANTEEN PICQUET. NCO in charge of this picquet will supervise the service rendered by the Chinese Boys. He will report personally to Asst. Adjt. at 0900 hrs. on the day following his duty. His report will cover service as well as any complaints or suggestions made by troops.

5. LATRINES. Coys. will prepare a schedule of the duties of the Latrine Picquet and have same placed in a permanent and conspicuous place in their Latrines. This is to be done at once. The Bn.Ord. Officer will inspect all Latrines twice daily, at irregular intervals. He will take the necessary disciplinary action against the picquet if the latrines are not in a satisfactory condition.

6. CHURCH PARADES - SUNDAY 12 Oct. 41.
Combined Service - 0900 hrs.
R.C. Service - 0700 hrs.

7. PHOTOGRAPHY. The following is an extract from a communication from HQ AIF dated 7 Oct. 41 No. I/SM 931 -
"Photography near military positions is NOT allowed, and identity of all persons using cameras near defensive works should be clearly established, by conducting such persons to the nearest police post, where film will be confiscated. Personnel through those hands such film or cameras pass should be as few as possible, and their names noted." (Bde.RO 90 para ..)

8. CAMPS IN RUBBER ESTATES. A.S.O. 155 is superseded by the following:-
"..In order to minimise claims for compensation, units in rubber will reduce the area in which tapping will not be allowed to the absolute minimum, while the cutting down of rubber or any other trees must only be resorted to when such is essential for military purposes. In such cases a detailed record will be kept of the numbers and kinds of trees cut down and agreed on by the District Officer or his representativ and the owner of the land, if available. Such particulars will be forwarded to Adm.HQ AIF Without delay. (REF. HQ AIF RO 54 of 6 Oct.)

9. ECONOMY IN THE USE OF WATER. (a) The greatest care and economy in the use of water is necessary as there is a real danger of shortage of water occurring at most camps.
(b) At various camps brick troughs are supplied in lieu of showers owing to shortage of piping and specials. These thoughs are intended to be used by dipping the water out. They are not intended for either bathing in or washing clothes in. Cases have been observed at some camps of a single soldier bathing or washing his clothes in these tanks and then letting out all the water, the amount of water in each case varying from 50 gallons to nearly 1,000 gallons a time.
(c) The strictest supervision will be exercised by units in this regard. (HQ AIF RO 54 of 6 Oct)

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10. REPORTS. It is the duty of every unit tobring immediately to ~~H~~ notice of HQ AIF, via normal channels, every important and unusual occurrence in respect of serious injury, accident, death other than by natural causes, local incidents, discipline, important gifts to units and similar matters. (HQ AIF RO 54 of 6 Sep)

11. "DUTY FREE" LIQUOR AND TOBACCO. All military vehicles are allowed through the Johore Customs without examination, a guarantee having been given that any dutiable articles in such vehicles would be for the sole use of the Military Forces and would not be sold or given to members of the public. In the case of dutiable goods imported in non-military vehicles, these must be accompanied by a list of the contents of such vehicles signed by an officer not below the rank of Captain certifying that the goods are for the use of H.M. Forces only.
Care will be taken by all ranks to see that there is no infringement of this arrangement by the carriage in military vehicles of any dutiable goods not solely for military use. (HQ AIF RO 54 of 6 Oct.)

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L. HUGHES Capt.
Adjt. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES.

AUSTRALIAN COMFORTS FUND. The following comforts will be distributed per man during Oct. 41 by the Australian Comforts Fund:-

First Issue about 8 Oct. 41.
1 oz cigarette tobacco.
1 pkt cigarette papers
1 pkt. of five razor blades.
1 tooth brush
2 handkerchiefs.
3 pkts. chewing gum.

Second issue about 22 Oct. 41.
2 oz cigarette tobacco
1 pkt. cigarette papers.
1 cake toilet soap.
1 tin boot polish.
1 face washer.
Housewives - approx 1 per 2 men.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
by
LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON COMMANDING 2/19 BN. A.I.F. MALAYA.
DATE 14 Oct. 41. Part 1. No.120

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Bn. Orderly Officer.	Bn.Ord.Sgt. & Cpl. by	From 1800 hrs.	To 1800 hrs.
D	Lieut. Pickup	A	15 Oct.	16 Oct.
HQ	" Davidson	C	16 "	17 "
A	" Howard	D	17 "	18 "
C	" Glasson	HQ	18 "	19 "

Further to B.R.O. No.117 dated 9 Oct. 41.
(a) Five posts will be manned at "Retreat" and only one (Ration Store) taken off at Reveille.
(b) When there are prisoners in confinement the duty Coy will supply an extra 3 Ptes. to maintain No.6 Post (Guard Room)

2. RQMS FATIGUE. The following fatigue will report to the RQMS daily at 0830 hrs. from the Duty Coy 1 NCO 8 Ptes.

3. REGIMENTAL TIME. Regimental Time will be the time obtainable at Regtl. Signal Office at 0730, 1200 and 1730 hrs. daily.

4. REGIMENTAL GUARD. The duties and responsibilities of the Regtl. Guard are laid down in a book held by the Guard Comdr. These must be rigidly adhered to. Equipment will be worn continually throughout the period of guard duty.

5. TIMBER CUTTING. HQ AIF has granted approval for timber to be cut in the following areas:-
(a) North of S. MERSING - Between MERSING and 90 M.
(b) Between JEMALUANG CROSS RDS and 119 M. on KLUANG RD.
(c) Between JEMALUANG CROSS RDS AND 60 M. on KOTA TINGGI RD, but not within ½ M. of MT Harbours at 59½ M. and 67 M.
(d) Between 75 M. and 79 M. but not in the vicinity of existing MT hbrs.
(BDE RO 91 of 13 Oct.)

6. LIGHTING, MT VEHICLES. RefCRMC No.30873/2/(g), units in this Area will revert MT vehicles to normal lighting immediately. Opaque cardboard or metal discs fitted in nearside front headlamps of vehicles will be removed and kept in the vehicle glove box until such time as units are issued with cloth hoods. (BDE RO 91 of 13 Oct.)

7. LAUNDRY. BDE GP. There is now no restriction in the amount of clothing which can be forwarded to the Bde Group Dhoby with the exception of socks, which should be washed by the individual. (Bde. RO 91 of 13 Oct.)

8. LEAVE MERSING. In future all units will issue leave passes to troops who will be absent later than 2230 hrs. (Bde. RO 91 of 13 Oct.)

9. TEMPLATES FOR SHRAPNEL MINES. Empty 2-lb fruit tins will be washed and stores for use as templates in laying shrapnel mines. Coys. will inform Bn. HQ by 0800 hrs. 21 Oct. of number of tins on hand.

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L. HUGHES Capt.
Adjt. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES.

1. LOSSES. 1 Leather Military waist belt left in latrines behind NAAFI Canteen. Finder return to B.H.Q. 16 A/Tk. Bty.

NOTE. These Latrines are OUT OF BOUNDS TO ALL AIF PERSONNEL.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
By
LT.COL.C.G.W.ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 BN AIF MALAYA
Date: 16 Oct 41 Part 1 No.121

1. DAMAGE TO AERODROMES.
It has been reported that at certain aerodromes and landing grounds,lorrie and other mechanical vehicles have been in the habit of crossing the area and so cutting up the surface. Usage of this kind may cause serious damage. Except in an emergency,military vehicles will NOT be driven over any part of the landing surface,without the consent of the RAF Station Commander.(HQ AIF R.O. No.56)

2. CONVEYANCE OF PETROL.
Personnel engaged in loading or off-loading petrol from steel bodied lorri e.g. Marmon Herringtons,will wear rubber soled shoes.(HQ AIF R.O. No.56)

3. CLAIMS.
Where Offrs,W/Os or Sjts are quartered with British or Indian messes,all claims from such personnel will be submitted on an out-of-pocket basis only. The scale of travelling allowance in ASO 120 will not apply. (HQ AIF MALAYA R.O. No. 56 para 9).

4. DEFERRED PAY.
In view of incorrect newspaper statements which have appeared,the following extracts from FGM 42 are republished for information:-
"Approval has been given for extension of the provision of deferred pay to members of the A.I.F. after six months service in Australia or upon transfer to Darwin or such other operational stations as may be determined.
"Operational Stations. Consideration is being given to determining the places which are to be declared Operational Stations,but meantime DARWIN,PORT MORESBY,and RABAUL may be treated as Operational Stations for this purpose.
" Calculation of six months service: The period of 6 months service is to be reckoned from the day on which his pay as a member of the AIF commences,and will not be affected by any absence,forfeiture,or leave without pay,which may have occurred during that period.
"Officers of or above rank of captain. In the case of officers of or above rank of captain,deferred pay is deducted from the rate of active pay except to the extent of 1/- per day.It is,therefore,impracticable to make retrospective adjustments to the full extent of the deferred pay. The adjustment of rates showing the full amount of deferred pay will commence on 7 Aug 41,but for any period prior to that date for which the officer is elgible for deferred pay the adjustment will be effected by showing deferred pay as 1/- per day and leaving the active pay at the rate previously credite . In the case of any such officer who embarked for service outside Australia prior to 7 Aug 41,the adjustment will be made by crediting deferred pay at 1/- per day up to the date of such embarkation.
"Lieutenants and other ranks. In the case of Lieuts,W.Os NCOs and men the full amount of deferred pay will be credited from the date on which the member first becomes eligible for deferred pay.
"Revision of P.M.F.Allowance. In the case of members who have been entitled to an allowance of the difference between AIF and PMF rate of pay(in accordance with MBI.136 of 15 Nov.40), a re-calculation of such allowance will be necessary in respect of any such members who become entitled to deferred pay.The adjustment of rates,showing the full amount of deferred pay will commence on 7 Aug 41,for which the member now becomes eligible for deferred pay,the adjustment will be effected by showing as deferred pay the excess(if any) of the deferred pay over the PMF allowance;if the PMF allowance equals or exceeds the deferred pay no adjustment will be necessary;for this purpose the deferred pay of officers of or above the rank of Captain will be reckoned as 1/- per day" (HQ AIF MALAYA R.O. No.56 Para 11)

5. BASIC DOCUMENTS. It is the duty of units to ensure that when personnel are transferred,attached to other units,or evacuated to hospital,all basic documents accompany them,or are immediately despatched to the unit to which such personnel are moving.Basic documents [illegible] Card,Dental Card,Conduct Sheet.(HQ AIF R.O. 56

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R.O. No.121 (Continued)

6. ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITALS. CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT.
Add to A30 Para 88d
"(d) Personnel evacuated to British Hospitals will also take Mosquito Net." (HQ AIF MALAYA R.O. NO.56 Para 15)

7. U.S. CLOTHING.
U/S Clothing will be washed by unit Dhoby Service before being returned F2 will be certified in the "Remarks Column" by an Officer as follows:
"I certify that this clothing has been washed since being returned as U/S by personnel."
Unless this certification appears on F2s they will be returned to the unit and clothing NOT accepted at BOD. (HQ AIF R.O. No.56,para 20).

8. NAAFI STORES.
All goods sold by NAAFI in the SS,FMS,JOHORE,KEDAH,PERLIS and KELANTAN will be free from Customs Duty.
This concession has been allowed by the Malayan Governments after protra negotiations for a trial period only. If it is found that the privilege i abused in any way whatsoever there is grave danger of the concession bein withdrawn. Formation and Unit Comdrs must therefore do everything in thei power to ensure that goods bought from NAAFI are sold to members of His Majesty's Forces only. This concession does not apply to goods bought through Contractors.(HQ AIF MALAYA R.O. No.56,annexure,para 6).

9. LAMPS FOR USE IN CANTEEN MARQUEES.
It will be the duty of the NAAFI Canteen Cpl each night to draw lamps fr RQMS Store,and have them lighted and placed in position.He will personall return them to RQMS Store after closing Canteen. The NAAFI Canteen Fatigue will be responsible each morning for cleaning and filling these lamps at the RQMS store in readiness for use.

10. ENGINEERING PARTY. In future this party will be supplied only by A.C. a D.Coys.

11. REGIMENTAL FATIGUES.
NAAFI Canteen Fatigue and RQMS fatigues will in future be supplied by HQ Coy each day.

_____ Capt.
Adjt.2/19 Bn.AIF.Malaya.

NOTICES.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND,HOLY COMMUNION. On Friday 17 Oct.41 at 0700 hrs.

DISCUSSION CIRCLE. Members of the Discussion Circle will meet in the Postal Marquee at 1930 hrs,Friday 17 Oct.41 wh a paper on "Australian Banking System" will be submitted by Pte J.C.Rescorl.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By
LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 BN.AIF. MALAYA.
Date: 18 Oct.41 Part 1 No.122

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Bn.O.O.	Bn.O. Sjt & Cpl.	From 1800 hrs to	1800 hrs
HQ	Lieut. Weily	C.	19 Oct.	20 Oct.
A	" Bennett	B.	20 "	21 "
B	" Gollan	HQ	21 "	22 "
C	" Gill	A.	22 "	23 "
HQ	" Ibbott	C	23 "	24 "

NAAFI CANTEEN FATIGUE. 1 NCO and 4 Ptes supplied by HQ Coy daily.This fatigue will be responsible for emptying and washing urine tubs at the following places by 0700 hrs daily and replacing same:- Officers Mess, Sjts Mess,NAAFI Canteen,BN HQ. This fatigue will report to Bn HQ at 0830 hrs daily for the cleaning of NAAFI Canteen area outside wire;preparing lamps in RQMS store for use in Canteen marquees at night,and such other duties as Bn Orderly Officer may require.

2. RECREATION HUT. The Recreation Hut is out of bounds each day during parade hours except for "No Duty" personnel and permanent mess orderlies after finishing their duties. The piano or oth musical instruments will NOT be played therein before 1815 hrs.

3. GAMBLING. All ranks are reminded that gambling is a military offence. No gambling will be permitted in the vicinity of the NAAFI Cantee The game of "Housie Housie" may be played,but shall not interf with the comfort of personnel using the canteen.

4. OUT OF BOUNDS. The following places are out of bounds to tps-
Tokyo Hotel,Mersing.
Native Kampong,north of Mersing River.
Well and water works,Jemaluang. Valves are not to be operated by AIF personnel.

5. TOWN PICQUET. Period of duty will be from 1800 hrs to 2300 hrs unless otherwise ordered by Officer or NCO in charge.
Dress will be turn-up shorts tucked in,shirts with sleeves rolled down,steel helmets.
Picquet will xpatrol the area of MERSING and JEMALUANG township. Picquet will visit out-of-bounds areas at regular intervals.
Picquet will remove any personnel found to be under the influence of intoxicating liquor.
Picquet will take the names of any personnel who are not dressed in accordance with Bde R.O. 75 of 30 Aug,and will forward same to Bde HQ by 0900 hrs of the next day.
Officer or NCO of Picquet will furnish a report to Bde H through Unit HQ.

6. CHURCH PARADE. Sunday 19 Oct.41.
Combined Church Parade,units 2/19 Bn area,Y.M.C.A. hut 0900 hrs.
R.C.Church Parade:- 0930 hrs.

7. PUBLIC TELEPHONE LINE.
All units booking calls through 22 Aust Inf Bde Gp Sig Exchange on public tele line MERSING 31 shall furnish the name of the officer booking the call to the Sig Orderly.These calls,if of a private nature,shall be paid for monthly by the unit.

8. TOWN PICQUET. Ref. para 5. Town Picquet,Jemaluang area will be supplied by 2/19 Bn as follows:- Pay Week,Monday to Sunday incl. 1 Sjt 6 Ors. Off Pay Week,Monday to Sunday incl, 1 NCO 4 O/Rs.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn AIF.

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By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF. MALAYA.
Date: 19 Oct.41 Part 1 No.123

1. DUTIES. For details of Duties see Bn R.O. No.122 of 18 Oct.41.

2. SECURITY. No member of the Military Forces will write,post,transmit, Deliver,or communicate in any manner or attempt to communicate to any person,other than in the execution of his duty,any message of a secret or confidential nature,or likely to be useful to the enemy,or relating to the numbers,description or destination of troops,transports,or warships,or likely to be prejudicial to the public safety,the defence of the Commonwealth,the efficient prosecution of the war or the maintenance of supplies and services essential to the Defence Force or to the life of the community. (HQ AIF Malaya R.O. No.57 16 Oct.)

3. BOUNDS. The following are out of bounds to all ranks:-
Tokio Shokai,Japanese merchant,Jalan Awang,Segamat.
S.Chooma,Photographer,Jalan Sultan,Segamat.
(HQ AIF Malaya R.O. No.57,16 Oct.41.

4. AIF MARRIAGES ABROAD. Provision has been made by the Department of the Army,subject to certain conditions and qualifications,for the passage to Australia of wives and children of members of the Forces who have married abroad. Should this become material in any case application may be made to Adm HQ for information on the matter. (HQ AIF Malaya R.O. No.57 of 16 Oct.41)

5. POSTA L,XMAS CARDS. The following advice received from DGP & T MALAYA is published for information:-
"I have the honour to inform you that because of limited aircraft capacity and the heavy demands already made on the available space for the conveyance of air mails to Australia,it is regretted that a further concession in respect of postage rates on Xmas cards or stationery for conveyance by air to Australia cannot be granted.
" Xmas cards and other Xmas greetings for conveyance by surface mail,may of course be sent by members of the AIF to Australia without payment of any postage. The surface mail services are reasonably good and there is still ample time for surface mail letters from Malaya to secure delivery in Australia before Xmas."
(HQ AIF Malaya R.O. No.57 of 16 Oct.41)

6. ENLISTMENT IN RAAF. Members of the AIF will NOT be released or permitted to apply for enlistment in the RAAF.(Quoted from MB73956 of 3 Oct 41). (HQ AIF Malaya R.O. No.57 of 16 Oct 41)

7. M.T. ACCIDENTS IN JOHORE. H.H. The Sultan of Johore has stressed the necessity for careful driving and has requested that orders be issued for all drivers,showing the importance of NOT driving fast in order that traffic accidents may be reduced. The co-operation of all C.Os is required to achieve this object.

8. MEDICAL.SALVAGE OF BOTTLES ETC. All empty bottles or containers despatched from medical units,incl Adv and Base Depots of Medical Stores,are to be returned to the issuing unit,in good order and condition,as soon as practicable. (HQ AIF MAalay R.O. 57,16 Oct.)

9. CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT. ASO para 88d and R/O 51 para 6 are cancelled and the following will be substituted:-

CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT OF PERSONNEL TRANSFERRED AND EVACUATED.

(a) INTER UNIT TRANSFERS. When personnel are transferred from one unit to another no F6 will be necessary,as all items transferred with them will appear on their F200 card. Items of personal war equipment which be unsuitablr for use in the new unit,will be retained by the transferree and crossed off the F200 in the usual way.

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As personnel transferred will invariably be replaced by personnel fully equipped, only slight adjustments will be necessary to keep each man ful equipped and WETs correct at to war equipment held by unit personnel. In for items not transferred with new personnel will be submitted explaini the circumstances when such items cannot be supplied out of unit Q stor Unit QM will ensure that F 200s are forwarded with personnel.

(b) PERSONNEL EVACUATED TO HOSPITAL. Every member of the Force evacuate to Fd Amb, CCS or Hospital will return arms, ammunition, and war equipment to QM store with the following exceptions:- Helmet, steel; Respirator, ant gas. This equipment, together with all personal belongings, clothing and necessaries and F200 will go with personnel to the medical unit to which they are evacuated.

It will be the responsibility of the unit concerned to see that this in struction is carried out and that F200 is adjusted by the deletion of t items returned to QM store. It will be the responsibility of the medica unit concerned to see that equipment as set out above and F200 follow p sonnel to GBD or wherever they go on being discharged.

Periodically the equipment returned to unit QM store by personnel evacu will be forwarded to GBD and receipt obtained from a responsible perso GBD. F6(Transfer Voucher) will NOT be used for this purpose. It is the r ponsibility of the unit forwarding the equipment to GBD to see that it as complete as possible and sorted neatly into respective bundles for e checking. Where it includes rifles a statement of rifle Nos. will be att or form part of receipt form.

(C) PERSONNEL EVACUATED TO AUSTRALIA. GBD will withdraw all equipment issue personnel with a greatcoat. If personnel are evacuated from Hosp CCS or any other medical unit direct to oat that unit will withdraw al equipment and issue personnel with greatcoats. The withdrawn articles will then be forwarded to GBD and a receipt obtained. F6(Transfer Voucher will NOT be used.

In every instance items withdrawn will be deleted from F200 and items issued entered on F.200. It will be the responsibility of GBD or the me unit concerned to ensure that F.200 accompanies soldier to Australia.

9. COMMUNICATION WITH CIVIL AUTHORITIES. The number of members of AIF approa ing civil authorities on service matters has led to a good deal of dupli ation, occasional confusion, and, insome instances, to conflicting instructions. Direct communication with the General Adviser, the A/Commisioner of Police and heads of departments will in future be limited to following officers:-

Maj. C. Moses, Liaison officer to Johore Government-on all matters.
Lt. Col I. O'Donnell-with PWD(only) on works matters.
Capt. W. Miller-with Actg Com. of Police(only) on matters of discipline & traffic.
Maj. P. Head- Legal Officer-with appropriate Govt. Officials on legal matters(only).

All other officers desiring to make contact on service matters with heads of departments in Johore will do so through Major Moses. Comds in the MERSING, MALACCA, SEGAMAT, KLUANG, and BATU PAHAT areas will make arrangements for one officer to be detailed at act as liaison with local civil officials.
(HQ AIF Malaya R.O. No.57, 16 Oct)

9. NATIVES IN CAMP AREA. The attention of all ranks will again be directed to the necessity for keeping all unauthorised natives out of the Camp Lines. Natives are not permitted to enter lines for the purpose of collecting or delivering laundry. Regtl Police will assist Coys in eforcing this rule. The following classes of native labour(only) are permitted in the camp for the purpose of carrying out their work:- Rubber tappers, road workers, NAAFI servants, native barbers, Mess servants, water pumpers.

L. Hughes, Capt.
Adjt., 2/19 Bn. AIF.

BARBER AND TAILOR.

NOTICE.

The camp barber and tailor shops will be closed all day on Weds and Thurs, 22/23 Oct. 41.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF. Malaya
Date: 21 Oct 41 Part 1 No.124

1. DUTIES. For details of duties see Bn R.O. No.122 of 18 Oct.41.

2. POSTAL. Owing to the shortage of postage stamps the P.M.G.,Johore Bahru, will be issuing in the near future a supply of labels with postal values franked thereon,for use instead of postage stamps on parcels. Units will be advised when they are available. (Bde R.O. No.93 of 20 Oct 41).

3. POPPY DAY APPEAL. On 11 Nov. there will be a Poppy Day appeal throughout Malaya,in aid of the funds of the British legion. These funds are used,not only to assist members of the families of those who were causalties in the last war,but also to assist the dependants of those who lost their lives in this war. A representative from this district will be calling on units in connection with the sale of Poppies throughout this area and it is desired that every assistance possible be given by units to make this day a success.

4. A.D.S.-VEHICLE MOVEMENT TO AND FROM. (1) Vehicles conveying walking sick to A.D.S. for treatment will halt at entrance to hospital grounds and set down such personnel who will march in.Vehicles will turn about and await return of treated personnel on road outside hospital gates.
(2) Vehicles conveying stretcher cases will continue to drive in to A.D.S. (Bde R.O. No.93 of 20 Oct 41)

5. CAMP PICTURE SHOWS. (1) A Camp picture show is operating at MERSING,situated between Senior Rest House and ADS.
(2) A camp picture show will operate in 2/18 Bn lines from 23 Oct.
(3) It is anticipated that a camp picture show will operate in 2/19 Bn lines from 30 Oct 41.
(4) It is proposed to have three shows in each camp per week,with a change of programme each night. If patronised the quality of films will improve,also films held by the AIF will be shown. A programme will shortly be issued.
Admission Charge. Officers--40 cents.
O/Rs 20 cents.
A free show will be available once each fortnight(Bde R.O. 93)

6. SERGEANTS MESS. A special meeting of the Sgts Mess will be held in the mess at 1930 hrs on Weds 22 Oct 41.All Sjts not on duty will attend.

7. CIVILIAN PROPERTY. All ranks are to be warned that timber and other materials MUST NOT be removed from private property,whether for use in defence works or for any other purpose,without the express permission of the officer in charge of works. This order applies to all troops in the JEMALUANG area and immediate disciplinary action will be taken in the event of an infringment of the order.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICES.

1. LOST. In shower enclosures this day,one wristwatch,property of NX 2749,Pte Walker,E.W.,"B" Coy.

2. BDE GRP CONCERT PARTY. Bde Gp Concert Party will give the following concerts:-

At 2/10 Fd Regt---------20 Oct 41.
2/20 Bn----------22 Oct.41.
2/19 Bn----------27 Oct.41.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W.ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya
Date: 22 Oct 41 Part 1 No.125

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Bn.Ord.Officer.	Sit & Cpl by	From 1800 hrs	To 1800 hrs
HQ	Lieut.J.M.Brindley	C.	23 Oct	24 Oct.
A	" B.D.G.Crawford	D.	24 Oct	25 Oct.
B	" A.C.Pickup	HQ	25 Oct	26 Oct.
C.	" N.S. Davidson	A	26 Oct	27 Oct.

2. DRESS. Coys will ensure that all personnel proceeding on leave are properly dressed. Belts W.E. MUST be worn. (Leave Inst. Bde HQ 22 Oct 41)

3. Coys will ensure that no clothes are hung on centre line of tents or on tent ropes.

4. BEER BOTTLES. The practice of taking Beer Bottles into the lines must cease immediately. As from 22 Oct 41 one member of NAAFI staff will remain on duty until 2130 hrs to receive empty bottles. N.C.O. in charge of N.A.A.F.I. picquet will supervise. Owing to the shortage of small change it will NOT be possible to give cash in exchange for bottles and canteen chits to the value of of the returns will be issued.

5. STATIONERY ECONOMY. Unless otherwise directed one copy only of returns, reports,etc.,will be forwarded to appropriate HQ. Returns, reports,and requisitions do not require covering memos unless some special report or explanation which cannot be included on the face of the return is necessary. (HQ AIF R.O. No.58)

6. MAIL. DUPLICATE AND MUTILATED ADDRESSES ON OFFICIAL MAIL. A number of official letters passing through AIF Army Post Offices bear addresses on the front and reverse sides of the envelopes. Some show insufficient information and others have on address written over another.In many cases delay results. Care will be taken to prevent this occurring in future.

7. RAILWAY TIMETABLES F.M.S. railways cannot supply any copies of Time-tables at present.When available they will be procured for units.(Bde R.O. No.94 of 22 Oct 41)

8. SHOPKEEPERS-GENERAL OVERCHARGING. Specific complaints received of over-charging by local shopkeepers of MERSING and JEMALUANG have been investigated and through the District Officer,prices reduced to normal. Reports are desired of similar future occurrences,such report to show time,nature of purchase,and,if possible,normal price,so that action can be taken. It has been indicated to shopkeepers that only those who in fixing of their prices,add a reasonable profit,will be patronised by AIF,and all others will be placed out of bounds,to their own loss.

9 EMPTY CONTAINERS. Units will return empty Malaria Oil Drums to NO.1 Coy AASC immediately.(Bde R.O. No.94 of 22 Oct 41).

10. SPORT. BOXING. It is proposed to hold a 22 Aust Inf Bde Gp Boxing Tournament at an early date. Nominations in all weights should forwarded by units to reach these HQ by 3 Nov.41,so that classification and arrangements for contests can be made.(Bde R.O. No.94 of 22 Oct 41).

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11. COMMUNICATIONS. The capacity of the 22 Aust Inf Bde switchboard being 10 lines, and the demand being 13 lines, observance of the following will expedite traffic.
(1) Field messages will be used in lieu of tele communication whenever possible.
(2) Telephone communication to be used only when contact necessary and/or a decision required immediately.
(3) Brevity in both field messages and telephone conversation is desirable owing to the fact that each unnecessary word occupies valuable line time.
(Bde R.O. No.94 of 22 Oct.41)

12. CHURCH PARADES. Sunday 26 Oct 41.

Combined Church Parades.

Units 2/19 Bn Area-0900 hrs, Padre Greenwood.

R.C.Church Parades.

2/19 Bn area------- 0830 hrs, Padre Sexton.

L.Hughes, Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF

NOTICES

DISCUSSION CIRCLE. There will be a meeting of members of the 2/19 Bn Discussion Circle in the Postal Marquee, Saturday 25 Oct 41 at 1930 hrs.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By
LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya
Date: 24 Oct 41 Part 1 No.126

1. DUTIES.

For details of duties see Bn R.O. No.125 of 22 Oct 41

2. TIMBER CUTTING.
Timber for field works may be felled in the following areas,as well as in areas specified para 5 of R.O. No.126 of 41:-
1. Between mile stone 89(773566) and mile stone 99(774580) east of road only.
2. West side of road about mile stone 72(850309).

3. LIGHTING RESTRICTIONS. AA EXERCISES. Lighting restrictions will be enforced from 0030 hrs to 0600 hrs 25 Oct 41 on road WOODLANDS-JOHORE CAUSEWAY-KLUANG.
Lighting restrictions will also be enforced in JOHORE STATE and SINGAPORE ISLAND from 1800 hrs 27 Oct 41 to 0600 hrs 28 Oct 41. (HQ AIF R.O. No 59)

4. CUSTOMS REGULATIONS. Individual officers and men who have purchased duty-free liquors and tobacco in the S.S. or Unfederated Malay States are not exempt from paying Customs Duties to the F.M.S. Government when taking such items into F.M. States with them. The correct procedure for Military visitors to obtain duty-free liquors and tobacco in the F.M.S. is for them to make their purchases within the F.M.S. through the N.A.A.F.I. or a military formation already situated there. CRMC 42325/Q.(HQ AIF R.O. No.59)

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICES

1. Capt.C.H.Cousens will give a series of talks on International Affairs commencing on Monday 27 Oct 41 and thereafter each Friday night at 1930 hrs. All interested are invited to attend. HQ Coy mess will be used on Monday night. CQMS HQ Coy will obtain sufficient incandescent lights from A and HQ Coys for lighting purposes.

2. A Bde concert will be held in the 2/19 Bn Recreation Hut commencing 1930 hrs Saturday 25 Oct 41.

3. In view of the Bde concert the meeting of the 2/19 Bn Discussion Circle has been postponed from Saturday 25 Oct 41 until Sunday 26 Oct 41,at 1930 hrs,Postal Marquee.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.A.I F. Malaya.
Date: 26 Oct 41. Part One No.127

1. DUTIES For details of duties see R.O. No.125 of 22 Oct 41.

2. SINGAPORE LEAVE.

Coy quotas for each leave party will be:-

Rifle Coys----------	5 O/Rs
HQ Coy	8 O/Rs
Bn HQ	4 O/Rs
Total	32 O/Rs

Nominal rolls to be submitted to Bn HQ by 0900 hrs each Monday for Thursday's party and 0900 hrs each Thursday for Sunday's party.
Parties leaving on the Thursday after pay day will draw pay from Coy pay advance. Other parties will draw pay from Bn HQ..

3. WORKING PARADES.

Commencing Monday 27 Oct 41 working parades will commence at 0800 hrs and finish at 1600 hrs.
Coys will arrange for personnel engaged in field works to be fed at midday in the field. Lunch for personnel remaining in camp will be at 1300 hrs..

4. DAILY RETURNS OF FIELD WORKS.

All Coys must submit this return to Bn HQ by 1700 hrs daily. This is of vital importance.

5. CAMP DUTIES. Will be supplied as follows:-

R.Q.M.S. Fatigue---1 NCO 8 O/Rs-Daily- By HQ Coy.
NAAFI Fatigue----1 NCO 40/Rs--Mon,Wed.,Friday by Bn.HQ.)
Other days by HQ Coy)
Disposal of Rubbish Fatigue-1 NCO 4 O/Rs-when required-
by HQ Coy.

L.Hughes. Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W.ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya
Date:- 27 Oct.41 Part 1. No. 128

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Bn.Orderly Officer.	Sjt & Cpl by	From 1800 hrs	to 1800hrs.
HQ	Lieut.J.A.Howard	C	27 Oct 41	28 Oct 4
A	" J.A.Varley	D	28 Oct 41	29 Oct 4
B	" J.M.Ritchie	HQ	29 Oct 41	30 Oct 41
C	" R.Wilson	A	30 Oct 41	31 Oct 41
D	" P.R.Reynolds	B	31 Oct 41	1 Nov 41.

2. MERSING PICTURE SHOW.

Programmes:- 29 Oct 41. "Lucky To Me".
30 Oct 41 "For Freedom".

Coy markers will report to Bn Ord Sjt at 1815 hrs with accurate strength returns. Coy parties will march to road outside NAAFI at 1825 hrs and will embus at 1830 hrs.

O.C.Picture Party:- 29 Oct.-- Lieut R.W.L.Austin.
30 Oct.-- Lieut. G.R.Bennett.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICES.

1. One book found glove box M.T. vehicle,probably on Saturday,may be recovered by owner on application Bn.HQ.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF. Malaya
Date: 29 Oct 41. Part 1. No.129

1. DUTIES. For details of Duties see R.O. No.128.

2. MESSING-CAFE FOR TROOPS. (1) Tps may frequent this cafe from Sunday to Friday incl.up to 2145 hrs and on Saturdays up to 2345 hrs. (2) This cafe is out of bounds to ALL tps in this area after 2145 hrs Sunday to Friday,incl.,and 2345 hrs on Saturday.

3. JEMALUANG TAILOR. It has come to notice that a Chinese tailor in Jemaluang has khaki material which goes pink on being washed.There is NO redress if soldiers patronise native tailors and such incents occur.A tailoring service is provided,repairs and replacements at Dept expense,and alterations of new issues are effect if C.Q.M.S. are consulted. There is now NO excuse for ill-fit or untidy clothing.

4. RUGBY UNION FOOTBALL.
A Rugby Union football match will be played at Jalan Besar Stadium,Singapore,on 1 Nov 41,starting at 1700 hrs,between team representing the AIF and the British Army. The AIF team is as follows:-

Byron,2/19 Bn.
Brown,No.1 Coy AASC.
Gannon,2/10 Fd Regt.
Ide " " "
Cornforth,GBD.
Lamalli(C.) Sigs
Schulte,2/10 Fd Regt.
Barnes,22 Inf Bde.
Winter,2/19 Bn.
Milner,No.2 Coy AASC.
Ovens,2/10 Fd Regt.
Malin, " " "
Jillett " " "
Kelly,No.1 Coy AASC.
Goddard, " " "

Reserves:(Backs)- Reynolds,2/19 Bn.,Lumby 2/30 Bn. (Forwards) McCauley 2/26,Johnson No.1 AASC.
Referee: Mr McCauley,of Singapore.
Admission:- Stand,$1;Ground 30 cents.

5. COMPASSES. All prismatic and magnetic compasses requiring repair are to be handed into Tech.Stores immediately for despatch Ordnance.

6. DHOBY. Owing to the increasing use of this service it will be necessary for C.Q.M.Ss to have dirty clothes ready for collection by S/Sjt Edmonds at 1000 hrs on the appropriate days.

7. CLEAN NEWSPAPERS. Coys will save ALL clean newspaper. This will be tied in bundles & delivered to Bn HQ each Wednesday.

8. WATER. Commencing immediately the water supply to kitchens will operate during the following hours:- From 0600 hrs to 0900 hrs: 1200 hrs to 1430 hrs;1700 hrs to 1900 hrs.

9. GARBAGE TINS. A central dump has b en established for garbage tins near the existing meat house. As from 30 Oct 41 the following system will operate:- (1) Each Coy will have 6 tins for garbage purposes.(2) Only three of these tins will be at the kitche at any one time,the other three being held at dump;(3) When tin are filled,Coys will take them to the dump and draw clean tins; (4) Sanitary squad will be responsible for emptying this and returning them to the dump in clean condition.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt.2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICES.

LECTURE. The lecture by Capt.C.H.Cousens on International Affairs, hich was postponed on Mon.night owing to blackout, ill be delivered in the HQ Coy Mess Hut on Fri.31 Oct at 1930 hrs.. COMS HQ Coy will arrange lighting.

AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL RCDIG1021334

A.M.R.& O. 1588B.

War Diary

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W.-ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 BN.A.I.F. MALAYA
Date: 30 Oct 41 Part 1 No. 130

1. DUTIES. For details of duties see R.O. No.128.

REGTL. DUTIES. The Regtl. Guard will in future consist of 1 Sjt,1 Cpl 21 Ptes(7 posts).
In the event of there being anyone in confinement, a further post will be required.
No.5 Post,ration store,dismounts at Reveille.

2. WATER TONGS. All ranks will be informed that all Tongs are out-of-bound except from 1600 hrs to 1800 hrs daily.

3. SPEED LIMIT. There is a speed limit of 10 MPH on all roads through the camp. Pioneer Pl will erect a notice to this effect near the entrance to the camp.

4. SOCCER MATCH. 2/19 Bn X1 v. Mersing Malay X1 will play at Mersing at 1715 hrs 31 Oct 41. Coys will furnish a marker to report to Bn O.S. at 1620 hrs with accurate strength state of personnel wishing to attend match. Spectators will march under Coy arrangements to road near NAAFI at 1625 hrs and will embus at 1630 hrs.

5. CHURCH SERVICES. Sunday 2 Nov.41.
Combined Church Parade,2/19 Bn area--0900 hrs,Padre Greenwood
R.C.Church Parade:-2/19 Bn area,0700 hrs. Padre Sexton.
C.of E.Communion, Sat.Nov.1,Recreation Hut,0630 hrs.

6. MERSING CAMP PICTURE SHOW. The hill at the rear of MERSING Camp Picture Show is out of bounds to troops,while pictures are being shown. It should be pointed out to troops that if the picture show is not patronised,quality of films will not improve.(Bde R.O. 95)

7. TEMPLATES FOR SHRAPNEL MINES. Ref.Bde R.O. 91,para 6-Units will contin to save 2-lb fruit tins and will render a return of the number of tins on hand on 10 Nov 41 to Bde HQ by 1800 hrs 11 Nov.41.
(Bde R.O. No.95 of 29 Oct 41)

L.Hughes,Capt.,
Adjt.2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICES.

1. Lecture by Capt C.H.Cousens,Friday 31 Oct 41,at 1930 hrs,"International Affairs". HQ Coy Mess.

2. Short pictures will be shown in the Recreation Hut,Sat.1 Nov.41 at 1930 hrs.

3. A concert will be held in the Recreation Hut Monday 3 Nov.41 at 1930 hrs.

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2/19 Battalion A.I.F IN E. 25 10 41

PART "A"

Details.	Establishment	Posted.	Surplus	Difference	Remarks
W.O. I	1 ✓	1			
W.O. II	6 ✓	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5 ✓	7	2		
~~S/Sgt.~~	~~4~~				
Sjts	~~28~~ 30	26		4	
Cpls	~~65~~ 69	62		07	
Gnrs. I	~~2~~ 1	1			
" II	~~44~~ 43	31		12	
" III	~~51~~ 42	27	2	17	
Ptes	~~666~~ 626	631	5		
Total	~~855~~ 823	792	9	40	

PART "E" — Officers to return this and previous return

(a) Effective Strength as per Part A 792 (Excludes personnel on "X" list but includes detachments

(b) Effective Strength as per Part A previous week 810

(c) Difference of 18

(d) Detachments. Number of personnel detached but included in (a) ~~45~~ 43

Casualties for Week ended

Rankers In		Rankers Out	
From Hospitals	5	To Hospital	23
From Detention		To Detention	
Rankers from Other Units	1	Rankers to Other Units	15
From F.B.D.	14	Other Reasons	
Other reasons			

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2/19 Bn

.....*Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen. etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks															1		1	
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Signallers															6		6	
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners							2		2									
Cooks															1		1	
Runners															3		3	
General duty personnel					2				2						24		24	
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)					2	2			4						35		35	

2/19 Bn
.....
Unit.

5 R 10 41
.....
Date of Despatch.

[signature]
.....
Signature of Commander.
Adjt, for Lt. Col, Comdg. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

2nd Bde Div Troops
.....
Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.

AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL RCDIG1021334

Em. 71
(A.F. W3008)

TO BE MADE UP TO AND FOR SATURDAY IN EACH WEEK

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/19 Bn

..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
*			
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		1
Majors	2		
Captains	10	1	
Lieutenants	24	5	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
District Officers			
TOTALS ..	38	6	1

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

PART B—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
Lieut	Clarkson R.W.L.	D, F	19/7/41	x GB Depot

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
	H.			

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank	2 Higher temporary rank, if held	3 Name and Initials	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON C.G.W.	A I F	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES R F	"	YES	
	NX 34993	BRADLEY R.H.J.	"	YES	
Capt	NX 12579	HUGHES L	"	YES	
"	NX 70191	SNELLING R.R.L.	"	YES	—
	NX 12504	BRACHER W.P.	"	YES	
"	NX 34967	VINCENT T.G.	"	YES	—
	NX 70238	DUNCAN D.I.M.	"	YES	
	NX 34743	NEWTON R.W.J.	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSINS C.H.	"	YES	
	NX 25027	KEEGAN R.W.	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34869	FALLAW C.	"	YES	
Capt	NX 34662	HARRIS F.L.	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34781	WESTBROOK K.L.	"	YES	
	NX 34902	BEHERLEY F.G.	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD F.G.E.	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS P.R.	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP A.C.	"	YES	
	NX 34925	GILL G.A.	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R.	"	YES	
	NX 12534	GOLLAN A.B.	"	YES	
	NX 12600	ABBOTT A.E.C.	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT S.F.	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD B.D.G.	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY J.M.	"	YES	
	NX 32094	WEILAND J.G.	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY J.A.	"	YES	
	NX 26768	HOWARD J.A.	"	YES	—
	NX 34110	BENNETT G.R.	"	YES	
	NX 59618	RITCHIE J.M.	"	YES	
	NX 70190	BATHGATE A.F.	"	N/S	Gen Bde Detail
	NX 34929	JOHNSON R.V.	"	N/O	22 Inf Bde

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment
Capt	NX 35704	CAHILL R.L.	A I F	29 7 40	R M O
Chaplain	VX 31675	HARDIE-GREENWOOD H.	"	14 8 40	2/3 Aust Gen Hosp

2/19 Bn
(Unit.)

12 10 41
(Date of Despatch.)

.....Capt.
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.
(Signature of Commander.)

22 Bde 8 Div Landmong
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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TO BE MADE UP TO AND FOR SATURDAY IN EACH WEEK

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/19 Bn (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	**Posted** strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
District Officers			
TOTALS ..			

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

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
	H.			
	—			

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lieut	NX12538	GLASSON DJR	19 Inf	YES	
	NX35574	GODFREY DDH	"	NO.	Attached 2/4 Pnr Regt
	NX12593	WALKER EH	"	NO	Det Hq 19th Inf
Lieut	NX70159	THOMAS RE	"	NO	Det OCTU
Lieut	NX52466	DAVIDSON NS	"	YES	
"	NX70159	AUSTIN RWL	"	YES.	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment

19 Bn
(Unit.)

12. 10. 41
(Date of Despatch.)

J Hughes Lt Col
Capt.
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg.
(Signature of Commander.)

22 Bde 8 Div Australia
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL RCDIG1021334

Em. 71
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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lieut.	N. 12587	GLAISTON J.T.R.	A.I.F.	YES	
	N. 25774	GODFREY D.D.H.	"	NO.	London Hospital
	N. 12593	WALKER C.H.	"	NO	Det. 22nd Reinf. Camp
Lieut.	N. 32466	DAVIDSON N.S.	"	YES	
	N. 7015Q	AUSTIN R.W.L.	"	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment

2/19 Bn
(Unit.)

18 . 1 . 41
(Date of Despatch.)

H Hughes ..... Capt.
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.
(Signature of Commander.)

2 Bde 6 Div Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL RCDIG1021334

2/19 Battalion A.I.F WE 18.10.41

PART "A"

Details.	Establishment.	Posted.	Surplus	Deficiency	Remarks
W.O.I	1	1			
W.O.II	6	6			
C.Q.M.S	5	5			
S/Sgt.	2	2			
Sgts	33	29		4	
Cpls	62	64	2		
Group I	2	1		1	
" II	44	43	2	8	
" III	31	27		4	
Pte	664 637	632		5	
Total	855 878	810	4	22	

PART 'E' — Differences between this and previous return

(a) Effective Strength as per Part A 810 (Excludes personnel on "X" list but includes detachments

(b) Effective Strength as per Part A. previous week. 824

(c) Difference of 14

(d) Detachments Number of personnel detached but included in (a) 15

Casualties for Week ended

Rankers In		Rankers Out	
From Hospitals	2	To Hospital	8
From Detention		To Detention	
Transfers from Other Units		Transfers 15 Other Units	18
From F.B.D	10	Other Reasons	
Other reasons			

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To be made up to and for Saturday in each week.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/19 Bn (*Unit*) 18 10 1941 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
NX6003 Cpl AA Jones	2/3 AFD Ord Wksp	NX40355 Sgt HE Bendrees	A-A PC
NX5336 Gnr FC Kent	do	NX53268 Pte T Molloney	2/1 Bn L of C
NX5037 Pte R Edwardes	do	NX5367 Cpl HI Bunn	2/1 A Fd Amb
NX5752 Pte WB Zlotkowski	do	NX5362 Cpl PN Wellington	2/1 Bn Police Unit
NX25348 Pte H Speare	2/3 Hygiene		

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

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

2/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen. etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks															1		1	
Blacksmith																		
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers															1		1	
Lieutenant																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Driver MT 1st Class															4		4	
Signallers															7		7	
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks							2		2									

2/19 Battalion A.I.F W.E. 11-10-41

PART "A"

Details	Establishment	Posted	Surplus	Deficiency	Remarks
W.O. I	1	1			
W.O. II	6	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5	5			
S/Sgt.	21	21			
Sjts	33	33			
Cpls	62	64	2		
Group I	2	1		1	
" II	44	44	2	7	
" III	31	28		3	
Ples	664	640		24	
Total	855	824	4	35	

PART 'E' — Differences between this and previous return

(a) Effective Strength as per Part A 824 (Excludes personnel on "X" list but includes detachments

(b) Effective Strength as per Part A previous week. 812

(c) Difference of 12

(d) Detachments. Number of personnel detached but included on (a) 15

Casualties for Week ended

Reduced by		Reduced by	
From Hospitals	2	To Hospital	4
From Detention		To Detention	
From other Units		Transfers 15 Other Units	
From F.B.D.	14	Other Reasons	
Other Reasons			

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

9/19 Bn ..... (*Unit*) 11. 10 ..... 19 41 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
N.6022 Cpl AR James	7/3 A Fd Wksp		
N.5326 Gnr FC Hunt	Do		
N.5037 Pte R Glendenning	Do		
N.3752 Pte N L Black	Do		
N.14955 Sgt W Saunders	A.A.P.C.		
N.5348 Pte J Mahoney	2/2 Fd Bde		
N.3562 Gnr P R Millington	2/2 Fd Park Coy		
N.2754 Pte H Symes	7/3 Fd Hygiene		

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

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

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(A.F. W3008)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank	2 Higher temporary rank, if held	3 Name and Initials	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CG	AIF	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34993	BRADLEY BMJ	"	YES	
Capt.	NX 12579	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 12594	BRAGNER WP	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
	NX 70283	DUNCAN DMc	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 35027	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34869	FALLAGH C	"	YES	
Capt	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 34902	BEVERLEY EG	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AG	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12532	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	GOLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	ABBOTT AGC	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD EDG	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 58094	WEILY JG	"	YES	
	NX 60063	FARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 26768	HOWARD JA	"	YES	
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	YES	
	NX 59618	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	No	Att. Aust Base Depot
	NX 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	No	Att 22 Aust Inf Bde

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment
Capt.	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	AIF	29 7 41	RMO
Chaplain	VX 38675	HAROLD GREENWOOD H	"	14 8 41	22 Aust Inf Bde

2/19 Bn RS
(Unit.)

19 10 41
(Date of Despatch.)

L Hughes Capt. Lt Col
(Signature of Commander.)
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

22 Bde & Aust Troops Overseas
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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TO BE MADE UP TO AND FOR SATURDAY IN EACH WEEK

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/19 Bn ..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	**Posted** strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
District Officers			
TOTALS ..			

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

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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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/1 9 Bn (*Unit*) 25 10 41 19..... (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

NX.36074.	Sjt	Hallinan. K.V.	A.C.C.	NX.55603. Sjt. Dennis. P.G.	A.C.
NX.60119.	Cpl.	Dennis E.	A.C.C.	NX.55795. Pte. Beetson. C.J.	A.C.
NX.35266.	Pte.	Dengate. A.W.	A.C.C.	NX.52248. L/c. Sankey. J.G.	A.C
NX.58017.	"	.Vella. J.	A.C.C.	NX.31197. Pte. Bradbury. E.M.	A.C
NX.35896.	"	.Robertson. R.J.	A.C.C.	NX.35457. " .Bell. A McA.	A.C.
NX.35801.	"	.Campbell. A.J.	A.C.C.	NX.60634. " .Mooney. T.C.	A.C.
NX.35326.	"	.McCaw. E.C.	A.C.C.	NX.35910. " .Dowell. P.	A.C.
NX.14955.	Sjt.	Burchell. H.E.	A.A.P.C.	NX.43836. Cpl. NEIL. J.F.	2/3 A
NX.55752.	Pte.	Flack. N.C.	2/3 A Fd Wk.	NX.56037. Pte. Clendenning.	2/3
NX.53268.	"	.Melouney. J.	22 Inf Bde.	NX.55367. " .Brown. H.I.	2/4
NX.55612.	Cpl.	Wellington/P.R.	Postal Unit	NX.25134. " .Spears. H.	2/5 Fd

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

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

7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen. etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks																		
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Signallers														11		11		
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks																		
Intelligence														1		1		
Range Takers							2		2									
Medical Orderlies														1		1		
Driver Mechanics														16		16		
General duty personnel				2		5			7				4	7		11		
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)				2		7			9				4	7	29		45	

7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

6. 10. 41 ..... *Date of Despatch.*

Lt Hqrs Capt. Adjt ..... *Signature of Commander.*

8th Bde 6th Div Infantry ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.*

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

..... 2/4 Bde - A.D.T. ..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1 Ranks	2 **Posted** strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	3 Surplus to Establishment	4 Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	2		1
Captains	11	2	
Lieutenants	24	30	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
District Officers			
TOTALS ..	39	5	1

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

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
	H.			

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank	2 Higher temporary rank, if held	3 Name and Initials	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lt. Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CGW	A.I.F	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	No	Leave
	NX 34948	BRADLEY RHJ	"	No	Leave
Capt	NX 35279	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 12594	BRACHER WF	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DMc	"	YES	
	NX 34743	NEWTON RWT	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 35027	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34366	FALLON C	"	YES	
Capt	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FE	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AG	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	GOLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	ABBOTT AGC	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDG	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 58094	WELSH JG	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 26768	HOWARD JB	"	YES	
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	YES	
	NX 54618	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	NX 70140	BATHGATE AF	"	NO	Dvl Sig Regt Depot
	NX 34429	JOHNSON RV	"	NO	Dvl 2nd Aust Div Bde

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

1 Substantive Rank	2 Higher temporary rank, if held	3 Name and Initials	4 Corps	5 Date of attachment	6 Nature of attachment
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	A.I.F	29 7 40	Rly O
Chaplain	VX 31675	HARDIE GREENWOOD	"	14 8 40	2nd Aust Inf Bde

2/14 Bn
(Unit.)

26 10 41
(Date of Despatch.)

Lt Hughes Capt for Lt Col
(Signature of Commander.)

2nd Bde 8 Div Jerusalem
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

7/19/Bde

.....(Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	**Posted** strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	**Reinforcements required** (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
District Officers			
TOTALS ..			

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

PART B—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank	2 Higher temporary rank, if held	3 Name and Initials	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lieut	N. 12538	GLASSON D.J.R.	A.I.F.	YES	
	N. 35574	GODFREY D.D.H.	"	NO	Seconded Turkish Army
	N. 12593	WALKER C.N.	"	NO	Del HQ AIF
Capt	N. 70184	THOMAS N.E.	"	NO	Del OCTU
Lieut	N. 52464	DAVIDSON N.S.	"	YES	
	N. 70359	AUSTIN R.W.L.	"	YES	
Capt	N. 12551	BRAND F.N.	"	NO	Sec Instr Staff

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment

29, 4 Bde
(Unit.)

26 10 41
(Date of Despatch.)

L Hughes Capt for Lt Col
(Signature of Commander.)

7th Bde & Div Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

7/19 Bde ..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1 Ranks	2 Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	3 Surplus to Establishment	4 Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
——— *			
——— *			
——— *			
——— *			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	2		1
Captains	10	1	
Lieutenants	24		5
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
District Officers			
TOTALS ..	38	1 6	1

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

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
	H.			

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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2/19 Battalion A.I.F WE 4.10.41

PART "A"

Details.	Establishment	Posted.	Surplus	Deficiency	Remarks
W.O. I	1	1			
W.O. II	6	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5	5			
S/Sgt.	2	2			
Sjts.	33	30		3	
Cpls.	62	65	3		
Grade I	2	1		1	
" II	44	44	2	2	
" III	31	29		2	
Pte.	664	629		35	
Total	855	812	5	48	

PART 'E' — Difference between This and previous return

(a) Effective Strength as per Part A 812 (Excludes personnel on "X" list but includes detachments

(b) Effective Strength as per Part A previous week.. 797

(c) Difference of 15

(d) Detachments. Number of personnel attached for and included in (a) 17

Casualties for Week ended

Rankers In		Rankers Out	
From Hospital		To Hospital	2
From Detention		To Detention	
From other units		Transfers to other units	1 FBD
From F.B.D.	18	Other Reasons	
Other reasons			

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

8/19 Bn (Unit) 4 10 1941 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

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

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

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

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9/19 Bn ..... Unit.

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

DETAIL OF SPECIALISTS, TRADESMEN, ETC.	SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT.									REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.								REMARKS.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		TOTAL.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		TOTAL.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks																		
Bugler															1		1	
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Signallers															6		6	
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks							2		2									
Interpreter															1		1	
Driver MT 1st Class															2		2	

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/19 Bde ..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	2		1
Captains	10	1	
Lieutenants	23	4	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
District Officers			
TOTALS ..	37	5	1

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

PART B—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
Lieut	Donaldson N.S	A I F	2 10 41	X 10 AGH

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank	2 Higher temporary rank, if held	3 Name and Initials	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lt-Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CG	A.I.F.	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34493	BRADLEY BNJ	"	YES	
Capt.	NX 35079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 12594	BRACHER WP	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DIMc	"	YES	
	NX 34743	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 32027	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34869	FALLAW C	"	YES	
Capt	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FG	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FCE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AC	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	COLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	ABBOTT AGC	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD EDG	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 5F094	WEIDT JG	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 26768	HOWARD JR	"	YES	
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	YES	
	NX 59618	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	NO	Sick Base Details
	NX 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	NO	2/2 Aust Hy Bde

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	A.I.F.	29 7 41	R.I.P.
Captain	VX 32675	WINDRE-GREENWOOD H	"	14 8 41	2/4th A.G. Bde

2/4 Bn
(Unit.)

5 10 41
(Date of Despatch.)

J Hughes Capt
Adjt for O.C. 2/4 Bn
(Signature of Commander.)

22 Bde & Div. KUANG
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lieut	Nx 12538	GLASSON DJR	AIF	YES	
	Nx 35574	GODFREY DDH	"	NO	Leave in Syd
	Nx 12598	WALKER CH	"	NO	Del HQ AIF
Capt	Nx 70166	THOMAS RE	"	NO	QSTY
Lieut	Nx 52464	DAVIDSON NS	"	YES	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment

9/9 Bn
(Unit.)

6 10 41
(Date of Despatch.)

A/Major Capt
Adjt 2/9 Bn
(Signature of Commander.)

22 Bde 8 Div KUCHING
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

7/19 Bde ..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	**Posted** strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
District Officers			
TOTALS ..			

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

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.)

AUSTRALIAN WAR MEMORIAL RCDIG1021334

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

Unit 2/19 Bn A.I.F. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Nov 41 *To* 30 Nov 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Oct 31		12 O/Rs taken on strength from General Base Depot.	
Jemaluang	Nov 2		Church Parade. Bn, strength 30 Officers 794 O/rs	
Jemaluang	Nov 3		Lieut. J.A.Howard and 3 O/rs detached to Chemical Warfare School	
			Lieut R. Wilson N.S.Davidson and 15 O/rs detached to 2nd Gordons on exchange	
			duty. Lieut.R.J.C.Chaytor and 2nd Lieut W.A.Ferguson and 14 O/rs	
			from 2nd Gordons attached on exchange duty. Major B.H.J.Bradley	
			& Capt. W.P.Bracher off strength to hospital.	
Jemaluang	Nov 7		5 O/rs from General Base Depot taken on strength. Lieut.A.F.	
			Bathgate rejoined unit and detached to 22 Aust Inf Bde.	
Jemaluang	Nov 8		Capt. F.L. Harris off strength to hospital	
Jemaluang	Nov 9		Church Parade- Armistice service. Bn Strength 37 Officers 795 O/rs	
Jemaluang	Nov. 1 to 9		Bn digging, revetting,wiring and camouflaging defensive position	
			JEMALUANG X rds.	
Jemaluang	Nov 10 to 13		Recapitulation of individual training.	
Jemaluang	Nov 13		Respirator canisters changed to afford protection against arsene.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118
(adapted.)

Unit 2/19 Bn A.I.F. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Nov 41 *To* 30 Nov 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Nov 14		25 O/rs taken on strength from General Base Depot.	
Jemaluang	Nov 14,15		Trial manning of JEMALUANG defences	see attached A/I No 1
Jemaluang	Nov 16		Bn Strength 37 Officers 807 O/Rs . Church Parade.	
Jemaluang	Nov. 13,14,16,17		Intensive gas training and demonstrations - coys taken individually.	
Jemaluang	Nov.18,19		Manning of JEMALUANG defences - div. exercise.	see att. I Summary.
Jemaluang	Nov 20		Capt. H.C.Macdonald rejoined unit ex HQ A.I.F.Malaya.	
Jemaluang	Nov 22		Major B.H.J. Bradley returned from hospital . Capt. T.G. Vincent promoted Major as from 19.9.41. Issue of webbing 1937 completed.	
Jemaluang Jemaluang	Nov. 23. Nov 24		Lieut. J.A. Howard rejoined ex C.W.Course. 2nd Lieut.W.Ferguson attached on exchange duty returned to Gordon Highlanders. T.E.W.T. for Officers.	
Jemaluang	Nov 25		14 O/Rs of A.C.C. taken on strength - Change in establishment.	
Jemaluang	Nov 26.		Lieut.B.D.G. Crawford rejoined unit ex C.W. School . T.E.W.T. for Officers.	
Jemaluang	Nov 27		Capt. F.L. Harris rejoined unit ex hospital.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

Unit 2/19 Bn. A.I.F. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Nov 41 *To* 30 Nov 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Nov 28		T.E.W.T. for Officers. 8 O/Rs taken on strength from G.B.D.	
Jemaluang	Nov 29	1220	Code word " awake " received.	
Jemaluang	Nov 29	1800	Code word "armour" received. Necessary precautions taken in	
			accordance with O/I No 1 dated Nov 29	See attached O/I No 1.
Jemaluang	Nov 30		Church parade. Bn Strength 39 Officers 825 O/Rs.	

Lt. Col
Comdg 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

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EXMS. Copy No 11.

2/29 Bn. A.I.F.
BALIKPA.
14 Nov 41.

OCCUPATION OF DEFENCES.

1. Coys will move out to occupy defences unler own arrangements.

2. T.O. will detail the following trucks. All to report at 1415 hrs
One 1 ton truck to Rifle Coys.
One 1ton truck to Bn. H.Q. (Asst. Adjt)
Trucks to H.Q.Coy as per their requisition.
All trucks to report back to T.O. after completion of their task.

3. Bathing Tongs may be used from 1330 hrs today and Saturday.

4. Duties D Coy will relieve B Coy guard at 1530 hrs.

5. Leave. Personnel from B & H.Q. Coys who are going to the A.I.F. Rest Camp on Saturday will remain in camp.

Lieut.
(F.G.B.Neild) Asst. Adjt.2/

Copy No 1 A Coy.
2 B Coy.
3 C Coy.
4 D Coy.
5 H.Q.Coy
6 R.S.M.
7 Q.M.
8 T.O.
9 R.M.O.
10 File
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EXMS

1700 hrs 18 NOV 41 JENALUANG.

Instructions regarding War Diaries and Intelligence Summaries are contained in F. S. Regs., Vol. 1. Title pages will be prepared in manuscript.

WAR DIARY
OR
INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.
(Erase heading not required.)

Hour, Date, Place.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices

OPERATIONAL INTELLIGENCE.

1. Enemy Dispositions.
a) Large number of heavy bombers are based in Southern F.I.C.
b) 2 Aircraft carriers are at present based on SAIGON, F.I.C.

2. Enemy Air Activity.
a) 600 Parachutes have been used in large scale manoeuvres in F.I.C. during past two weeks.
b) One enemy Recce aircraft flew over Bn area at 1620 hrs today.

3. Enemy use of Gas.
It is known that 5 Japanese Chemical Warfare Regt. now in F.I.C.

4. Enemy Seaborne Activity.
Seven transports, whose reported destination was F.I.C. are now overdue. It is possible that they are off coast of Malaya.

5. Enemy 5th Column Activity.
Two ammunition trucks holding A/Tk and Mortar ammo were destroyed in JENALUANG area at 1550 hrs.

CONCLUSIONS.
From the following three points,
1) Enemy recce aircraft.
2) Undisclosed enemy transports.
3) Sabotage of Ammo trucks.
it seems likely that the Japanese intend early operations against X Malaya. From the fact that the 5th Chemical Warfare Regt is in Indo China, it seems that they intend to use Gas.
A constant vigil against paratroops is emphasized.

..... Lieut.
(S.F.Burt)
I.O. 2/19 Bn.

Distribution:
A,B,C,D,HQ Coys. 16 Stk bty.,22 Aust Inf. Bde.,HQ A.I.F.,
War Diary 2, FILE.

Army Form C-2118.

S. A. P.—G. 281.— 12-9-40.—8000 Pads.

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2/19 Bn AIF Malaya
29 Nov 41

All Coys.

OP INSTRUCTION 1

1. All personnel will move under arms at all times-- Mags not charged.

2. No troops will leave camp except on duty.

3. Each Coy except C Coy will increase the Quarter Guard to 1 NCO and 6 O/Rs,one post on Coy stores and one roving post on Coy lines.

4. Officers will move in pairs,armed,or accompanied by armed orderly.

5. Officers will be armed and equipped at all times,except when taking exercise or asleep.

6. All guards have been doubled.

7. O C Carrier Pl will decide on a Carrier Patrol towards KOTA TINGGI but will not send it until receipt of a further order.

L Hughes Capt.

(L.Hughes)
Adjt 2/19 Bn A I F Malaya.

War Diary

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EX MS.

War Diary

19/10

2/19 Bn. A.I.F. Malaya.
12 Nov 41

Bn HQ and all Coys 2/19 Bn.
C.O., T.O., R.M.C., S.O. Q.M. 2/19 Bn.
16 A Tk Bty
"X" Bty Fd Arty.

WARNING ORDER.

Warning Order:- All ranks are warned to stand by for a practice manning of the JEMALUANG defences.

Probable Duration of Exercise:- From 1600 hrs Friday 14 Nov 41 to 1200 hrs Saturday 15 Nov 41.

An Admn order will be issued later.

T Hughes

Capt:
(T. Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

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19/10 SECRET 2/19 Bn.A.I.F. Malaya
10 Nov 41

War Diary

All Coys.
HQ. 8.H.T.Q. War Diary.

ALTERATIONS TO SIGNATURE SPACES OF ARMY MESSAGE FORMS.

(a) It has been decided that the wording of the two signature spaces at the foot of the message form shall be amended to read as follows:-

LEFT HAND SPACE.

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means (except) (.....) Wireless (.....)

Signature.....
"Originator may delete "except" and insert "including".

Right Hand Space.

This message must be sent in CIPHER if liable to interception or to fall into enemy hands.

Signature

(b) Reprints of the message form will include the above amendments, but until such reprints are available the necessary alterati n to the left hand space will be made by the originator at the time of signature.

(c) Consequent on the above amendments, the following changes in signal procedure will be introduced:-

MESSAGE SIGNED IN	SERVICE INSTRUCTION	MEANING.
Left Hand Space (as written except wireless)	DLC	To indicate that the message must be enciphered if sent by wireless.
Right Hand Space	LIC	To indicate that the message must be enciphered if sent by any method liable to interception.

(d) The above procedure will be adopted forthwith. Signal Training Vol V 1938 will be amended in due course.

(e) Originators of messages are however notified that t o instruction as laid down in Malaya Comd Signal Instruction No.11 of 9 Jul 41, extract of whih reads as follows, still applies:-
Except for exercises, until No.1 degree of Readiness is assumed, all messages for transmission by W/T will be enciphered.
After No.1 Degree of Readiness, and during exercises, security measures as per Military Training Pamphlet No.23, Part 3, Sec 19 will be observed.

L Hughes

Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn.A.I.F.
Malaya.

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19/54 War Diary

2/19 Bn.A.I.F. Malaya
~~22d~~ 9 Nov 41

All Coys 2/19 Bn.,A.I.F.
R.M.O.,QM,T.O.,R.S.M. 2/19 Bn.
16 A Tk:Sigs.

ANTI-MALARIAL PRECAUTIONS.

In view of the monsoonal season and the increase in the incidence of malaria,strict enforcement of malarial precautions will be undertaken by all ranks.

The present good record of the unit speaks for itself in regard to the value of enforcement of these precautio ns and it is the duty of every one to maintain good health,particularly as it entails only a little inconvenience.

The order relaxing dress precautions in the morning is cancelled,and commencing Monday 10 Nov 41 the original order will be enforced:- i.e. in the morning long sleeves and trousers until 0800 hrs. For those men leaving camp before 0800 hrs,the change to shorts will be made immediately prior to departure.

Evening precautions have not been strictly adhered to. It is the duty of all ranks to see that they are correctly dressed,particularly in regard to sox and stockings.

Carelessness in precautionary measures may lead to grave casualties and it is up to all to maintain their health.

L Hughes Capt.
(L.Hughes)
Adjt 2/19 Bn.,A.I.F/,Malaya.

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2/19 Bn. A.I.F. Malaya
9 Nov 41.

O.C. 2/19 Bn.A.I.F.
All Coys 2/19 Bn.A.I.F.
Q.M.,T.O.,R.M.O.,S.O.
16 A.Tk

Ref. HQ A.I.F. Malaya G.3293 of 26 Aug 41 hereunder subscribed:-

1. It has been observed that insufficient time has been devoted by units to A Gas Trng.
2. Henceforth units will hold a Gas parade once every week. During this period respirators will be worn continuously for at least ten minutes by all offrs and tps on parade. Rifle exercises and/or a short march, preferably across country, will be conducted during which respirators will be worn.
3. Officers i/c units will take this opportunity to check the fitting and condition of all respirators.
4. After use respirators will be thoroughly wiped out with cloths disinfecting and face pieces slightly smeared with chalk French, which is obtainable on indent to D O D.
5. Alarms will be sounded and tps practised in putting on respirators from both the slung and the alert positions.
6. Care will be taken at all times by offrs and NCOs to see that face pieces are kept in the correct manner when not in use.
7. Opportunity is taken to stress once again the need for the thorough ing of all tps in A Gas measures.

L Hughes

Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn.,AIF.

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19/10

2/19 Bn.A.I.F. Malaya
9 Nov 41

All Coys 2/19 Bn.
S.M.,I.S. BSM 2/19 Bn.

TRAINING.

During the period of training, commencing Monday 10 Nov 41, Coys will detail 4 O/Rs each to level and camouflage their parapets in their own Coy areas.

Clearing. 4 O/Rs per Coy will be detailed to report to the A/Adjt each morning at 0745 hrs for clearing fields of fire under Bn arrangements. Cpl Cane, A Coy, will be N.C.O. i/c on Monday and Tuesday. A/Adjt will arrange N.C.O. i/c for the remainder of the week.

All above troops must be selected from well-trained personnel.

L Hughes
Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt., 2/19 Bn.AIF.

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SECRET

Copy No 15 Diary

Ex M2.

2/19 Bn. A.I.F. Malaya
13 Nov 41

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION. No 1

1. A trial manning of JEMALUANG defences will be carried out 14/15 Nov 41. Occupation to be completed by 1700 hrs.
2. All posts will be fully manned, including HQs, OPs, RAP. Weapons will be laid on primary tasks.
3. Amn will NOT be taken out excepting S.A.A. on issue to personnel.
4. Movement.
   X Bty to be clear of JEMALUANG police station by 1500 hrs.
   2/16 A/Tk Bty " " " " " 1530 "
   2/19 Bn " " " " " 1630 "
5. Messing. All food will be cooked by Coys in "B" Ech area and messing will be done by Coys down to Sec posts. Coys will mess attached tps in own Coy areas.
6. Distribution of attached tps to sub unit areas for messing:-

A Coy	X Bty OP	A/Tk Bty one gun team, with No 7 Pl
B Coy	X Bty OP	A/Tk Bty " " "
C Coy	A/Tk Bty two gun team.	
D Coy	A/Tk Bty two gun team and	Gp Hqrs.
Bn HQ	X Bty Hqrs	A/T Bty HQs A/T Gp Hqs.
B Ech	A/T Bty	B Echelon

7. Two men bivouac shelters will be erected.
8. Further administrative orders as per appendix A.

C.G.W.Anderson.Lt Col.
C.O. 2/19 Bn A.I.F.

APPENDIX "A"

Administraive Instruction No.1

1. DUTY COY. D Coy will arrange to take over duties with A/Adjt instead of C. Coy.
2. PERSONNEL REMAINING IN CAMP.
   (a) One NCO and 3 O/Rs as picquet for Coy lines.
   (b) C.Q.M.S. Bn HQ and one cook.
   (c) Camp R.A.P. orderly.
   (d) Sjt White and Batmen picquet for Officers Mess and lines.
   (e) Picquet on Sjts Mess by Mess personnel.
3. MEDICAL. Camp R.A.P. will remain with one orderly. Remainder at operational R.A.P.. Bathing in pools and streams will NOT be permitted.
4. DRESS. All Ranks. Steel helmets, shirts (long sleeves), tropical shorts, stockings or hose tops, boots, short puttees, Darwin Cape, W.P. Cape Marching Order, with respirators.
5. BAGGAGE. Officers:- Valises in A Ech to areas: Balance of officers kit will be packed and left in tents laced up.
   O/Rs: Kit bags will be stacked in Coy store ready for movement to rear HQ (No move will be made).
6. ANTI MALARIA. Gloves, sentry nets and 2 men nets will be taken into the field. Any exposed portions of the body will be given frequent applications of anti-malarial cream.
7. ANTI GAS. All sentries will wear anti-gas capes etc.
8. EVENING MEAL. Evening meal Friday 14 Nov 41 will be cooked in camp and placed in hot boxes. Sjt Dennis will liaise with A/Tk Coy cooks re the similarity of menu or the cooking of rations or cooks. Food will be distributed according to tactical situation.
9. RATION STATE Coys will hand to Q.M. an accurate ration state (standard return) for each meal showing all attached personnel such as X Bty, anti Tk Coy or personnel from other Coys both in camp or on exercise. States to be at Q.M. office at 1600 hrs 14 Nov 41 for Friday's evening meal and in the event of any movement before breakfast at 0500 hrs 15 Nov 41. X Bty and anti Tank Coy will notify Bn HQ or QM of detached personnel at the same times.
10. EMERGENCY RATIONS: Emergency rations will not be issued to Coys for this exercise.

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11. DRINKING WATER will be drawn as usual from forward water points. Water tanks will proceed at once to B echelon area where water will be distributed under Bn arrangements. Coys will draw water as required from tanks per medium of red water tins from B Ech area only.

12. C.Q.M.S. Mitchell and 1 cook and necessary orderlies will stay in camp to ration and feed all protective personnel and essential duties left in camp during the exercise. Rations will be issued to Coys as delivery by AASC permits either in camp or on exercise.

13. Cookers. Coys will take out and use Cookers oil and stands L.P.

14. LATRINES. Field latrines will be dug by Coys. Screens latrine will be drawn from Bn Q store and MUST be erected around latrines. Latrines are to be dug deeply and in a place where they are not likely to interfere with future defence works.

15. TRANSPORT. While 2/19 Bn has the task of occupying JEMALUANG Defences the following tentative re-allocation of Transport will be made:-

Office-Office Van.
Coy SAA-5 x 1 ton(reserve)
Coy QM- 5 x 1 ton(for use as stores and cupboards)
Bn 2 i/c--1 x 15cwt van.
Q.M.,T.O.,I.O.,Sigs--4 x 15 cwt vans.
Pioneer--2 x 1 ton
Res ~~Amn~~ Mortar Amn--4 x 1 ton
Res Rations--2 x 30 cwt.
Petrol--1 x 30 cwt.
R.M.O.--3 x 1 ton(to use as ambulance)
R.M.O.--1 x 15 cwt.
Troop Carrying--15 x 1 ton(for use as mobile role if required for 1 Coy)
Detached to ASC--9 x 30 cwt.
" " Div Pool--1 x 30 cwt
3 x 1 ton
3 x 15 cwt.

For the purpose of the exercise the trucks attached to Div Pool will remain in camp.

2/19 BN TRAINING SYLLABUS FOR WEEK ENDING 15 NOV 41

DAY.	0800-0900	0900-1000	1000-1100	1100-1200	1200-1300	1300-1400	Remarks.
Monday 10.	C1	Coy Commanders TEWT by Commanding Officer					
	A12	A12	A15	A17	A19	A14	C11
	B15	B3	B6	B13	B20	B19	B11
	D3	D6	D18	D9	D15	D20	
Tuesday 11	D1	-	-	-	-	-	
	B12	B12	B17	B9	B4	B3	1830-1930
	A20	A7	A7	A7	A13	A9	Lecture to NCOs
	C15	C19	C20	C7	C7	C7	by R.S.M.
Wednesday 12	P1	Commanders TEWT by Company Commanders			-	-	
	HQ1	-	-	-	D7	-	
	D19	D3	D4	D7	C16	D7	
	C6	C13	C3	C4	B10	C17	Division Concert
	B7	B7	B7	B4	A4	D10	
	A4	A3	A6	A3		A16	
Thursday 13	A1	-	-	-	-	-	
	B5	B5	B5	-	-	-	
	-	-	-	C5	C5	C5	Address by
	C2	C2	C9	C3	C4	D10	Capt.Cousens.
	D7	D7	D7	D17	D10	B2	
	B14	B7	B7	B7	B2		
Friday. 14	B1	-	-	-	-	-	
	A5	-	-	D5	-	-	A11
	C12	C12	C8	C8	C8	C8	D11
	D2	D2	D4	D16	D14	D13	
	A7	A7	A7	A18	A10	A10	
Saturday 15	C1	-	-	-	-	-	
	D12	D12	D8	D8	D8	D8	Leave.
	A8	A8	A8	A8	A2	A2	
	B8	B8	B8	B8	B18	B16	

INDIVIDUAL TRAINING FOR WEEK 10-15 NOV.

1. Duty Coy.
2. Gas Decontamination Drill.
3. Rifle.
4. Bren.
5. T.E.W.T. for Sec Comdrs by Pl Comds.
6. Grenade.
7. Sec Patrols.
8. Pl Patrols.
9. Map Reading & Use of Compass.
10. Occupation of Defensive Position.
11. Night Patrols.
12. 2" Mortar.
13. Recce reports and Messages.
14. Gas Training.
15. Close Order Drill.
16. Fire Discipline and Control.
17. Judging Distance.
18. Anti Aircraft.
19. Bayonet Fighting.
20. Lecture-- "Tactical Training for Malaya."

Note: Each Coy to draw three 2" mortars when required.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT. COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 BN.AIF: MALAYA
Date:- 31 Oct 41 Part One No.131

1. DUTIES. As from Retreat 31 Oct, Bn.Ord Sjt and Cpl will be supplied by Duty Coy.
Duty Coy. Bn.Ord.Officer. From 1800 hrs to 1800 hrs.

D.	Lieut. A.Ibbett	31 Oct 41	1 Nov.41
HQ	Lieut. G.Weily	1 Nov 41	2 Nov 41
A.	Lieut. G.A.Gill	2 Nov 41	3 Nov 41
B.	Lieut. A.B.Gollan	3 Nov.41	4 Nov 41
C.	Lieut.R.W.L. Austin	4 Nov 41	5 Nov 41

NAAFI CANTEEN PICQUET. This picquet will be increased to 1 NCO and 4 O/Rs from Wednesday to Sunday of each pay week. At other periods it will consist of 1 NCO and 2 O/Rs.

2. URINAL TUBS. Duty Coy will be responsible for emptying, washing and returning urinal tubs as follows:-
NAAFI Canteen.
Officers Mess
Sjts Mess
Bn Orderly Room.

3. BATHING. Water in streams and ponds in the JEMALUANG area has been proved dangerous. ALL ranks will be warned against bathing or washing in such places.

4. TONGS. As from 1 Nov 41 personnel will be permitted to use the tongs during the following hours:-

Officers-----1630 to 1800 hrs:
O/Rs---------1430 to 1630 hrs.

At all other times tongs are out of bounds to ALL ranks.

L.Hughes. Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICES

FOUND. One money belt(empty). Left in picture party truck 30 Oct.41. Owner apply to Bn.HQ.

COMMUNION SERVICE. C. of E. Communion Service, Recreation Hut, Sat. 1 Nov.41 at 0630 hrs.

TRUST ACCOUNT. The following amounts have been paid into the 2/19 Bn AIF Trust A/C since our arrival in Malaya:-

24 May 41	£23-9-8
28 Jul 41	£79-7-5
28 Jul 41	£89-12-7
29 Sept	£175-0-0
	£367-9-8.

This money is a portion of the profits from the Canteen attached to our unit only. This should bring to the notice of all ranks that the damage to equipment etc of NAAFI is a direct loss to the Bn.. This money is in the Trust A/C now. Some of it is earmarked for the

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF Mala
Date: 2 Nov.41 Part 1 No.132

1. DUTIES. For details of duties see R.O. No.131 of 31 Oct 41.

2. TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS. CAPITATION POLICY. Actual cost of repairs to MD vehicles involved in third party accidents will in all cases be notified to Malaya Comd direct with copy to appropriate HQ..The actual cost will include charges for labour,materials etc. to which are to be added 'overheads' assessed at 70% of labour cost and the total will be converted to local currency. (HQ AIF R.O.No.60 of 30 Oct 41).

3. HITCH-HIKING. This practice has become prevalent,particularly on Singapore Island,and is prohibited. All units,Pro Coy,and picquets will take all possible steps to repress this objectionable practice(HQ AIF R.O. No.60 of 30 Oct 41.)

4. BOTTLES. The loss of Beer and Mineral bottles in camps has reached an acute stage.O.Cs of units are directed to give the NAAFI organisation within their area every assistance possible in preventing the loss and breakage of these bottles. Disciplinary action is to be taken against any soldier-----(a) Breaking or destroying bottles. (b) Preventing NAAFI employees from collecting empties.(c) Allowing natives,other than NAAFI employees to collect bottles in camp area (HQ AIF R.O. No.60 of 30 Oct

5. ANZAC CLUB SINGAPORE-LOSS OF BOOKS. The loss of books from the small reading library provided by the Anzac Club,Singapore,for the use of personnel visiting the Club may result in the discontinuance of this facility.
The preseevation of the property of this club should,as a matter of honour,be the care of every member of the AIF visiting the Club.
(HQ AIF Malaya R.O. No.60 of 30 Oct 41.)

L.Hughes,Capt.
2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya

NOTICES.

DISCUSSION CIRCLE. There will be a meeting of the 2/19 Bn AIF Discussion Circle at HQ Coy mess at 1930 hrs this night.W.O.1 J.M.Gillespie will read a paper on "Post War Reconstruction".

FOUND. Recreation Hut,Hat,complete with band and colour patch.Owner make application Bn HQ.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn:AIF MALAYA
Date: 3 Nov.41 Part 1 No.133

1. WATER TONGS. The times laid down for using Tongs MUST be observed by ALL ranks. Coys will arrange to save sufficient water for personnel who are engaged on duty during the bathing hours.

2. DUTIES (a) Regtl.Guard Ref. B.R.O. 130 dated 30 Oct 41 amend' strength of guard to read " 2 cpls" instead of "1 cpl".
(b) Battalion Orderly Sergeant
Battalion Orderly Corporal
In future these duties will be supplied by the Duty Coy. Attention is also directed to B.R.O. 117, which directs that these duties parade with the guard and picquet.

L.Hughes, Capt.
Adjt2/19 Bn AIF.

NOTICES

LOSSES.

The following transport licences have been lost:- No 83 and No.95. If found return to Bn.HQ.

FOOTBALL. RUGBY LEAGUE

B B.Coy V. Bn HQ--------1600 hrs
A Coy 2/18 Bn. V. D.Coy 1715 hrs
Spectators parade on Road near NAAFI at 1520 hrs.

SOCCER. 2/19 Bn V. 2/20 Bn.
Spectators and players will parade at 1600 hrs on Road near NAAFI.

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Warfare

AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 BN.AIF:MALAY
Date:5 Nov.41 Part 1 No.134

1. DUTIES

Duty Coy.	Bn.Orderly Officer.	From 1800 hrs	to 1800 hrs
D.Coy	Lieut. P.R.Reynolds	5 Nov 41	6 Nov 41
HQ	Lieut. A.C.Pickup	6 Nov 41	7 Nov 41
A	Lieut. J.Varley	7 Nov 41	8 Nov 41
B	Lieut. D.J.R.Glasson	8 Nov 41	9 Nov 41
C	Lieut. G.R.Bennett	9 Nov 41	10 Nov 41

2. REGTL GUARD.
Dress: Guard duties in future will parade in helmets steel and respirators gas at the ALERT position. Hats khaki will be brought to the guard room with the beds. Sentries will wear helmets steel and carry respirators at the ALERT. Except when mounting and dismounting, will wear hats khaki without respirators.

3. LEAVE. Personnel wishing to proceed on leave to places north of KLUANG will submit their applications through Coys to Bn HQ by 1800 hrs each Tuesday. Leave will only be granted to personnel who can prove that they have made satisfactory accommodation arrangements. The timetable will be:-
Forward journey by train departing KLUANG 2247 hrs Thursday.
Return " " " arriving " 0251 " Wednesday.

4. SINGAPORE LEAVE. Ref. Para 2 R.O. 127 of 26 Oct.41.
Coy allotments for leave commencing Sunday 9 Nov 41 will be:-
Rifle Coys--------3 O/Rs each.
HQ Coy 5 O/Rs
Bn HQ 15 O/Rs
Thereafter Coy allotments will be as follows:-
Rifle Coys 5 O/Rs
HQ Coy 8 O/Rs
Bn HQ 3 O/Rs.

5. SINGAPORE LEAVE. The following instructions will apply to future organised parties:-
1. Dress. Usual leave dress. Spare clothing to be carried in pack. Belt W.E. must be worn by all personnel.
2. Hostel Charges. These amount to 60 c. per man for the three day Coys will arrange to collect this money from leave perso and O.C. party will collect same from Coys by 1730 hrs on the day prior to commencement of leave.
3. Leave Passes. Coys will make out leave passes from 0700 hrs on commencing day until 1200 hrs on day of return.
4. Pay. Except on the regular fortnightly payday, pay parade will be at 1600 hrs on day prior to start of leave. All leave personnel will parade at this time irrespective of whether they require pay.
5. Movement Timetable Parade at Tpt lines----0715 hrs
Embus 0720 "
Join Convoy x-rds 0730 "
(Note new Times)
Embussing will only be carried out on the order of O.C. Party.

6. SECURITY. All ranks should be again warned against the practice of signing chits, receipts, orders etc in business houses and clubs with their name and unit. This is a direct contravention of Security Instr. Malaya Comd. (Bde R.O. No.97).

7. HIRING OF BOATS. As the monsoonal swell has started, all ranks will be informed that, until further notice, boats will not be hired for private purposes. All hiring of boats for military purposes must be done through these HQ.. Army tongkangs will not proceed outside river mouths without approval of the HQ
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8. M.T. If any unit in this Bde Gp has vehicle No.V.14946 on strength suc unit should notify these HQ as soon as possible.(Ref.10117/2 Bde HQ) (22 Aust Inf Bde R.O. No.97 of 4 Nov.41)

9. POSTAL. Ref. Bde R O 93,para 2--in future small paper labels bearing "Postage Paid Johore.....cts" will be procurable from Civil and Army Field Post Offices,for use on parcels in lieu of stamps.

10. DRESS From Thurs 6 Nov 41 until Sat 8 Nov 41 all ranks remaining in camp will carry steel helmets and respirators with them during the hours 0800 hrs to 1400 hrs.

11. SIGNAL INSTRUCTION-SIGNAL TIME.
Official Time. (1) Till further orders,Signals down to Dets, will when possible,obtain official time from the following sources,using privately owned Radio receivers where available.
(a) BBC direct time service from Daventry at
0605 local time on 11-75 m.c.
0720 11-75 m.c. last det
1820 11-79 m.c.
"Big Ben" is normally correct at the hour(first stroke) or half hour(last stroke).
(b) BBC relayed from local broadcasting stations-from Singapore at 0720 on 9-69 m.c.
1820 6-175 m.c.
7- 25 m.c.
6- 08 m.c.
(c) Local stations from Singapore
at 1330 on 9-69 m.c.
6-175 m.c.
7-250 m.c.
(2) Dets without suitable wireless sets and with no Radio Receiver in their immediate neighbourhood will be given official time in the normal way by their senior station.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.,A.I.F. Malay

NOTICES.

1. AIF CONCERT PARTY.

AIF Concert Party will visit 2/19 Bn camp on Tuesday 11 Nov 41 and Weds 12 Nov 41.

2. FOOTBALL. Rugby Union,Sat.8 Nov.41
2/19 Bn v. 2/18 Bn.
2nd XVs at 1615 hrs,1st XVs at 1715 hrs.

3. FOUND. Electric torch,Camp roadway,apply 16 A.Tk ord.room.

AIF H.Q. No. 10[illegible] para 11.

Bn.Time: Coys will procure Bn time from Sig Tent at 0730 hrs daily and that time will remain standard until Retreat.
Retreat will be sounded at 1800 hrs irrespective of the whereabouts of the Guard.
Sigs will ensure that an accurate timepiece is supplied to the Phone Orderly and that all Sig personnel are instructed as to the necessity of giving accurate time.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.

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ROUTINE ORDERS.

By Lt.Col. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya
Date:- 9 Nov.41 Part 1 No.135

1. CHURCH PARADES. Sun. 9 Nov.41.
Combined Church Service-----0845 hrs.
R.C. Service----------0930 hrs.

2. SICK PARADES. It is important that all personnel attending the RAP should be accompanied by 3 copies of the A46. This procedure must be followed even in urgent cases when an individual reports to the RAP at other than the standard sick parades.

3. CHANNELS OF COMMUNICATION. Cases have arisen in which members of the AIF have communicate direct with other forces in Malaya, including the R.A.F. All ranks will be advised that any future departure from the regulations relating to channels of communication will constitute an offence and will be punished accordingly. O/Rs should be warned that their sole channel of communication on official matters is through their C.Os. (Para 7 HQ A.I.F.Malaya R.O. No.61 of 4 Nov)

4. CONCERT PARTY.A.I.F. The following is laid down in the itinerary for the month of November:-
Tues,11 Nov.41 and Weds 12 Nov 41---JEMALUANG.
Mon.24 Nov.41 JEMALUANG.

5. PIANO IN RECREATION HUT. This piano is not to be used by unauthorised persons. Permission to use the piano must be obtained from Band Cpl.

6. CARRIERS. (1) Personnel learning to drive shall be taught and given practice in a clear space of ground free of difficulties--if units do not possess such a ground one will be allotted by Bde HQ.
(11) Greater care of carrier movement in timbered or scrub country is essential to maintain an effective number of carriers for their primary role.
(111) Disciplinary action shall be taken in cases of wanton or careless driving. (Bde R.O. No.98 of 7 Nov)

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt.,2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICES.

PICTURES-MERSING.
Sun 9 Nov 41--------"One Mile From Heaven" with 4 Shorts (Free Show)
Mon.10 Nov.---------"IT's on the Air".

LOST. By NX35171 Cpl A.L.Robinson "B" Coy in camp area paybook containing money. Return Bn HQ.

POPPY DAY. Owing to shortage in Malaya of Earl Haig Poppies locally made emblems may be worn by Military personnel on 11 Nov.41 (HQ A.I.F.R.O. No. 61.

COMFORTS FUND. Comforts Fund issues will be made available in Nov as follows:-
First(8 Nov):- Tobacco,1 oz;cigarette papers,1 pkt; razor blades 1 pkt;laundry soap 1 ;tomato soup,1 tin to 5 men.
Second(22 Nov):- Tobacco 2 ozs;cigarette papers 1 pkt; Toilet soap 1;writing pad 1;tooth paste 1.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS

By

Lt.Col. C.G.W.Anderson Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya.
Date: 10 Nov 41 Part 1 No. 136

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Bn Orderly Officer.	From 1800 hrs	to 1800hrs.
D.Coy	Lieut. G.Weily	10 Nov	11 Nov
HQ	Lieut. G.A.Gill	11 Nov	12 Nov
	Lieut. A.B.Wilson	12 Nov	13 Nov
B	Lieut. R.J.C. Chaytor	13 Nov	14 Nov.

2. BATHING TONGS. Coys will be responsible for the cleanliness of their own Coys tongs. Sanitary Col of the week will be responsible for cleanliness of Officers and Sjts tongs.

3. FOOTBALL AND PICTURE PARTIES. As from today Coys will furnish Bn HQ with an accurate strength return of these parties at least 4 hrs prior to embussing time.
Coy markers will report to Bn Ord Sjt 10 minutes before and Coy parades will march on to markers 5 minutes before embussing time. Coys will ensure that NCOs as follows are included:-

Parties up to 15 O/Rs----------1 Cpl
" " " 30 O/Rs----------1 Sjt
" over 30 O/Rs ----------1 Sjt,2 Cpls.

All ranks will be warned that embussing will only be carried out on the order of the O.C. Party or the B.O.S.

4. DUTIES. NAAFI Canteen Picquet. This picquet will in future be under the command of an N.C.O. not under the rank of corporal. A copy of the duties of the NAAFI Canteen Picquet is being supplied to all Coys for the information of NCOs.

5. INCREASE IN RATES OF PAY(HQ AIF R.O. No.62 Para 1)
Approval has been given for the following increases in rates of Pay and Dependants Allowance as from 7 November 1941.
(1) PAY.
(a) A.I.F. Personnel--All ranks(excluding members of the A.A.N.S.)Active Pay increase by 1/- per day,Australian Currency.
(b) Members of the A.A.N.S.(including Masseuses) Active Pay increased by 8d per day Australian Currency.
(11) DEPENDANTS' ALLOWANCE.

	Old Rate.	New Rate.
First Dependant	3/-	3/6
Two Dependants	5/6	6/-
Three Dependants	7/-	8/-
Each Additional Dependant	1/6	1/6

(111) STANDARD RATE OF ALLOTMENT TO DEPENDANTS.

	Old Rate	New Rate.
(a) Officers,Matron in Chief,a Principal Matron or a Matron	5/-	5/6
(b) All other Ranks and a Sister or Staff Masseuse,a Staff Nurse,or a Masseuse	3/-	3/6

All Officers and other Ranks and members of the A.A.N.S.(incl Masseuses) who have allotments to Dependants at the old standard rates as set out above will be required to increase such allotments to new standard rate as set out. The drawing rate of such officers and O/Rs will accordingly be increased by only 6d per day and of members of the AANS by only 2d a da
(1V) The Staff Paymaster will issue instructions to all units through the Divisional Paymaster regarding the amendments to be made to Paybooks and allotments to give effect to the foregoing. No action will be taken by uni pending receipt of these instructions.

6. ACCIDENTS AND BREAKDOWNS.M.T. VEHICLES. Cases have occurred where more than one W/Shop Unit has been called out to accidents or breakdowns of M.T vehicles.Demands for breakdown or recovery vehicle should be made by Officers Only.

L.Hughes,Capt.
2/19 Bn.,A.I.F. Malaya

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

Lt.Col. C.G.W.Anderson Commanding 2/19 Bn.A.I.F. Mala
Date: 12 Nov 41 Part 1 No.137

1. DUTIES

Duty Coy.	BN. Ord. Officer	From 1800 hrs	To 1800 Hrs
A	Lieut. J.M.Brindley	12 Nov 41	13 Nov 41
B	Lieut.R.W.L. Austin	13 Nov 41	14 Nov 41
C	Lieut. D.R. Glasson	14 Nov 41	15 Nov 41
D	Lieut J.Varley	15 Nov 41	16 Nov 41

2. TAILBOARDS.
All ranks are to be warned that the only personnel authorised to open the tailboards of vehicles are the drivers. Personnel riding in the back of trucks MUST NOT drop the tailboard. This practice has resulted in the hinges of 3 tailboards breaking during the past week.

3. MEALS.
Commencing Thurs 13 Nov 41 all Coys will hold evening meal parade at 1730 hrs. No alteration from this time will be permitted, except that meals will be kept for personnel engaged on duty at this time.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 BnAIF.

NOTICES.

COMFORTS FUND. Ref R.O. No.135 of 8 Nov 41.
Cigarette papers were wrongly included in the list of articles for distribution on 8 Nov 41.

LECTURE. The second of the series of lecture by Capt.C.M.--Cousens on International Affairs will be delivered at the Recreation Hut commencing 1930 hrs Thurs. 13 Oct 41.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
by

Lt. Col. C.G.W.Anderson Commanding 2/19 Bn A.I.F. Malaya.
Date 16 Nov 41 Part 1 No 138

1. DUTIES

Duty Coy.	Bn. Ord. Officer	From 1800 hrs	To 1800 h
A	Lieut. G.R.Bennett	16 Nov 41	17 Nov
B	Lieut A. Ibbott	17 Nov 41	18 Nov
C	Lieut. J.Chaytor	18 Nov 41	19 Nov
	Lieut. G.A.Gill	19 Nov 41	20 Nov

2. VEHICLE SPEEDS.
(a) Two types of accident to MT are viewed with concern and are too fr uent, namely -
(i) When civilians on the road or roadside are struck, and
(ii) When army vehicles are overturned.
(b) It is considered that both these types of accidents could be avoi to a very great extent by a general decrease in the speed of army -cles, particularly in towns and villages, and on the open road i narrow sections and around curves.
(c) The number of such accidents, and observation of military vehicles the road, indicate a growing tendency on the part of drivers to tra at a speed at which they cannot deal with an emergency. In particular drivers must be prepared for careless behaviour on th road by the native population, and for other vehicles to force them on to the side of the road where perhaps grass or loose surface causes a tendency to skid.
(d) Breaches of the above nature are to be the subject of special disc linary measures against both driver and the senior officer in the vehicle
(Para 1 HQ A.I.F.MALAYA R.O. no 63 of 11 Nov)

3. TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS - CAPITATION POLICY - ASSESSMENT COST OF REPAIRS.
(a) R.O. 60 para 1 is cancelled.
(b) Actual cost of repairs to W D vehicles involved in third party acc idents will in all cases be notified to Malaya Comd direct, with c to appropriate HQ.
(c) The actual cost in sterling will be calculated as under, and will include charges for labour, overhead and materials.
(i) All direct labour to be charged in sterling at 1/4 Stg per
(ii) Overhead - 70% will be added to direct labour charge to c all supervision etc.
(iii) Materials -to be charged at cost. Costs (in Stg) to be o from C O O, B O D, Alexandra.
In the case of minor parts, costs may be obtained from the ado and converted to Stg at 2/4-Stg to the £1.
(Para 2 HQ A.I.F. L MALAYA R.O. NO. 63 of 11 Nov)

4. CLASSIFICATION OF VEHICLES
A S O para 66 LIST "B" 9b) will be amended by altering classification figure opposite Lorries, 3 ton Ford and Chevrolet, from "6" to "9"
(Para3 HQ A.I.F.MALAYA R.O. NO. 63 of 11 Nov.)

5. INTOXICATING LIQUOR - CONSUMPTION OF. The hours during which into ating liquor may be supplied or consumed in Officers' Messes, Sergean Messes, Men's Canteens and Institutes will be restricted by Commandin Officers to conform in general, as far as the exigencies of the Servic permit, with those imposed by the civil authorities.
(Para 4 HQ A.I.F. MALAYA R.O. NO. 63 of 11 Nov).

L.Hughes Capt.
Adjt. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES

N.A.A.F.I. Distribution received for July amounting to £ 519.86

LOST One khaki hat at A.I.F. Concert 11 Nov 41, marked NX 60360 Pte. Gallaher. Finder please return to A Coy Orderly Room.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 BN.AIF. MALAYA
Date:- 22 Nov 41 Part 1 No.140

1. DUTIES.

For particulars of duties(Bn Ord Off.etc.) see R.O. No.39,of 20 Nov 41.

2. CHURCH PARADES. Sunday 23 Nov 41.

R.C.:- N,A.A.F.I. Marquee 0730 hrs.
Protestant:- Recreation Hut--0900 hrs.

3. 3" M.S. -U's From Concertina Wire.

CRE AIF states "It is understood that there are quantities of these scattered over the Mersing area. As these are valuable for use in the manufacture of bolts,it would be appreciated if you could arrange to deliver them to the R.E. Dump at MERSING".
Coys will return all U's to Q store when erecting Dannert obstacles.

4. URINE TUBS.

Para 3 R.O. 139 is hereunder repeated:-

Duty Coy will be responsible for emptying,washing,and returning urinal tubs as follows:-
N.A.A.F.I. Canteen
Officers Mess
Sjts Mess
Bn Orderly Room.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF.

NOTICE.

1. CONCERT. A concert will be given in the Recreation Hut commencing 1930 hrs to-night,22 Nov 41.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn.A.I.F. Ma
Date:- 24 Nov 41 Part 1 No.

1. DUTIES For particulars of Duties see R.O. No.139

2. UNET LINES A.D.S. All troops in the Mersing Area will be informed that these lines are out of bounds to Troops excepting those moving to or from the A.D.S.. Reason:- These lines are being used as a short cut to the CAMP PICTURE SHOW by large bodies of troops. (22 I Bde R.O. No. 101)

3. EMPTY FRUIT TINS. Empty 2 lb fruit tins for use as templates in laying shrapnel mines are now on hand in sufficient quantities,and need no longer be saved. Tins already saved are to be stored by units.

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4. A.I.F. CONCERT PARTY.
Future concerts will be given at VICTORY CAFE,MERSING,which has seating accommodation for 300. 2/19 Bn has been allotted 300 seats for performance on 27 Nov 21. Coy allotments are:-

Rifle Coys and Bn HQ-----46 all ranks each.
HQ Coy----------70 " " "

Coys will furnish parade state for this party to Bn HQ by 1800 hrs 26 Nov 41. A Coy will supply 1 officer 4 O/rs to report to O.C. Concert Party at 1845 hrs to ensure seating and other arrangements. Programmes will serve as admission tickets and will be delivered to Coys by 1000 hrs 27 Nov 41.

5. TATTOO. In future Tattoo Roll Call on Saturday nights will be at 234 hrs. Lights out will be at 2359 hrs. No noise will be permitted aft 2230 hrs.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.A.I.F.

NOTICES

1. BOXING TOURNAMENT.

Heats of Bde Boxing Tournament commence on Saturday 29 Nov 41 at J.M.F.Ground. Refree:-Padre Sexton.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

Lt Col. C.G.W.Anderson Commanding 2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya
Date:- 25 Nov 41 Part 1 No.142

1. DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	Bn Orderly Officer.	From 1800 hrs	to 1800 hrs
HQ	Lieut. J.Chaytor	26 Nov 41	27 Nov 41
A	Lieut. J.A.Howard	27 Nov 41	28 Nov 41
B	Lieut. A Ibbott	28 Nov 41	29 Nov 41
C	Lieut. G.R.Bennett	29 Nov 41	30 Nov 41
D	Lieut. G.A.Gill	30 Nov 41	1 Dec 41

2. "LIGHTS OUT"
The following procedure will be carried out as from to-day:-
(a) Coy Ord Sjts will report to B.O.S. when lights have been extinguished in their respective lines.
(b) B.O.S. will note time of report on each Coy Tattoo report and he will advise Bn O.O. as soon as all reports have been received.

3. RESPIRATORS ANTI GAS.
HQ AIF memo of 22 Nov 41 states:-
"Ref visit of Capt.Duncan to these HQ 20 Nov 41 the following information is furnished:-
"The rubber in-let valves are considered quite satisfactory and reliable under Malayan conditions. If valve is out of place before connecting tube is connected,it can be pulled into its correct place by means of tool positioning.
"In the matter of containers which allow air to be blown outwards through the inlet valve,reference should be made to Pam 2 P A G(Respirators) p.23 sec viii,which states " a slight leakage through inlet valve is not a cause for replacement."
The above is promulgated for information.Any defective containers will be submitted to Q.M. for adjustment.

L.Hughes,Capt,
Adjt 2/19 Bn AIF.

NOTICES

1. N.A.A.F.I. allocation to Bn funds for the month of August was $693.95

2. A Bde Gp XV will play Johore at Mersing at 1700 hrs Sunday 30 Nov 41.
Bde Gp team is as follows:-
Full-back,Byron,2/19 Bn; three-quarters,Seymour,2/18 Bn,Reynolds 2/19 Bn,Ide(Capt) 2/10 Fd Regt,Lihou,2/10;halves,Pidcock,2/18Bn, Conlan,2/19 Bn;Forwards, Winter,Smith 2/19 Bn,Barnes,22 Inf Bde, Mahoub,Fuller,Counter,2/18 Bn;Ovens,Malin(vice Capt) 2/10;Reserves, Mann,Burt 2/19 Bn,Christensen,Lewis 2/20 Bn.
Teams will practice Mesring 1630 hrs Thursday,Friday 27/28 Nov.

Add B.O. No.142 of 25 Nov 41.

6. INCANDESCENT LAMPS. Incandescent lamps in need of rapir MUST be returned to the Bn Q.M.. In no circumstances must repairs be attempted by individuals.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn AIF.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

Lt.Col. C.G.W.Anderson Commanding 2/19 Bn AIF Malaya
Date:- 28 Nov 41 Part 1 No.143

1. LEAVE. There will be no organised leave from 7-14 Dec.incl.

2. XMAS HOLIDAYS. Xmas Day will be treated as a Sunday.There will be no leave and units will arrange own celebrations within own Camp areas. (HQ AIF R.O. No.66 of 24 Nov 41)

3. CHURCH PARADES. Sun. 30 Nov 41:
Combined Church Parade-0900 hrs-Padre Greenwood.
R.C.Church Parade 0930 hrs-Padre Sexton.
Sun. 7 Dec.41
Combined Church Parade-0900 hrs-Padre Fleming
R.C.Church Parade 0830 hrs-Padre Sexton.

4. DRESS. (a) Officers-Badges of rank.Officers must NOT wear unauthoris patterns of badges of rank.In particular,cloth stars or crowns are not authorised for wear by AIF Malaya.
(b) Generally-Singapore. There is considerable laxity in the dress of all ranks while on leave in SINGAPORE. Instructions have been given to picquets that the orders concerning dress are to be rigidly enforced. In particular the regulations as to the rolling down of sleeves at 2000 hrs and the prohibiting of the wearing of short sleeved shirts after this hour will be observed. Action will be taken against any personnel found not complying with this regulat Other matters to which attention is drawn include shirts unbuttoned and "sweat rags" round necks.(HQ AIF R.O. No.66 of 24 Nov)

5. ANZAC CLUB. Para 3 HQ AIF R.O. No.66 of 24 Nov 41 states:"Complaint has been made to these HQ of the loss of cutlery at the Anzac Club, Singapore. Any member of the AIF found stealing these articles will be severely d alt with.The theft of these articles,from a club established and conducted by voluntary helpers for the benefit of AIF personnel is a reflection on the AIF and all ranks are asked to cooperate as a matter of honour to ensure the detection of offenders. It should be added that the replacement of this cutlery is a matter of considerable difficulty and its loss may handicap the continuance of the facilities provided by the club."

6. CONVALESCENT OFFICERS. In the case of Convalescent officers sent to 2 Con Depot,other than from AGH,CCS,MDS or ADS,Comds will give 72 hrs notice to 2 Con Depot and an AAF A46 and a memo from Unit M.O. will accompany each officer so transferred.(HQ AIF R.O. No.66 of 24 Nov)

7. P.O.L. SUPPLIES. SAFETY PRECAUTIONS. Petrol in unpainted 4-gallon tins is now being supplied to units.Great care must be taken to avoid mixing these tins with kerosene tins,which they resemble. Petrol tins are branded with "W.D" and broad arrow and embossed on the side "Highly Inflammable". Kerosene tins are embossed on the top with the word "Kerosene" Units will arrange separate storage accommodation for the two commodities.

8. UNION JACK CLUB,SINGAPORE.Attention is drawn to the fact that the Union Jack Club,SINGAPORE,is not open to officers.(HQ AIF R.O. 66)

9. UNIT SERIAL NUMBERS. M.T.Units will take steps immediately to ensure that all vehicles are fitted with Unit Serial numbers.Vehicles issued from VRP will be fitted with unit serial numbers within 48 hrs of delivery.(HQ AIF R.O. No.66 of 24 Nov 41)

10. DRIVERS STAYING OVERNIGHT AT G.B.D. Drivers accompanying vehicles to GBD staying overnight,must carry written Movement Order giving times of departures from GBD the following day. GBD will not allow vehicles to move from GBD on verbal instructions or requests of drivers.(HQ AIF R.O. No.66 of 24 Nov 41.)

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11. SERIOUS DANGER WITH MT VEHICLES. This order is to receive special attention of C.O's without delay.
Split wheels as fitted to some M.T. vehicles will become the stand in future. The two halves are bolted together by an outer row of nuts and will burst apart with extreme violence if the nuts are slackened while pressure is in the tyre, and personal injury, sometimes fatal, will surely be sustained. The nuts must on no account be slackened off at all until the tyre is completely deflated.
C.Os will ensure that such warning is communicated to each driver as well as promulgated in Unit Orders. They will arrange for a qualified fitter from the nearest W/Shop etc. to give a demonstration to drivers of the method of construction, stripping and assemply of split wheels and the explain the means of identification other than the red paint on nuts or warning plates.
They will arrange for W/Shops or Unit tradesmen to paint the outer row of wheel nuts of split wheels immediately with red paint. Warning plates are being made and will be fitted to each split wheel, including spare. Units will keep in touch with W/Shops until the latter have fitted these plates.
W/Shops will be issued with a tin of red paint immediately (F20 not required) but must make application if further quantity is required. Similarly a first issue of warning plates will be made without indents (HQ AIF R.O. 66 of 24 Nov 41)

12. PREVENTION OF INFESTATION OF BARRACKS, HUTS, CAMPS, BY BED BUGS.
The following instructions will be adhered to by all units in order to prevent the infestation of barracks, huts, and camps by bed bugs, which are a potent source of dirt diseases.
Sustained individual effort is necessary to make any measures effective. One badly kept bed is sufficient to reinfest a whole room or hut.
(1) A specific day and hour each week will be fixed and this hour will be spent in anti-bug measures by occupants of the hut or block. 2/19 Bn will spend the hour between 0800 and 0900 hrs each Saturday on these measures.
(2) An NCO and anti-bug squad will be detailed for each hut and barrack room and will supervise and assist in cleaning as below:-
(a) Remove kit-boxes, beds, bedding, mosquito nets and equipment from barrack rooms and huts and scrub out thoroughly the barracks room or hut, paying particular attention to crevices and cracks, doors, windows and shutters.
(b) Search every article taken out for adult bugs and eggs, which look like pearly white pin heads. Search particularly seams of mattresses, tops of mosquito nets and crevices in beds.
(3) Infected wooden beds should be boiled where a bed boiler is available. Otherwise they should be treated with paraffin or Zaldecide. Iron beds should be flamed with a blow lamp when a blow-lamp is available.
(4) Mosquito nets will be laundered by boiling at least once every three months or more often if recommended by M.O. i/c Unit.
(5) Officers of the unit will, on inspection, pay particular attention to signs of bug infestations.
(6) If bugs are found, de-bugging should take place every day until no more bugs are seen. (HQ AIF RO No. 66 of 24 Nov.)
Note: Para 2 refers to barracks and hutted camps. In tented camps the senior soldier in each tent will be responsible for supervision of cleaning.

L. Hughes, Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn AIF.

NOTICES.

SPORT. PLAYING GROUNDS.
The following revised allotment concerning the Padang, MERSING, has been received. Any units desirous of using the ground on the days allotted to AIF will inform the Bde Amenities officer at least one day before it is required.
Saturday AIF; Sunday, cricket; Monday RAF; Tuesday AIF; Weds AIF; Thursday RAF; Friday Mersing Football Association..

Over)

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R.O.143.Notices(Ctd)

SPORT.FOOTBALL.

It is anticipated that the following team representing the State of Johore will play against Bde Gp team on Sunday 30 Nov at J.M.F. Ground,MERSING:

Full Back--Willoughby
Backs(One to be selected):Sjt Robertson,Lieut.Gerrard, Capt.Matheson.
Half Back-Potter
Five-Eighth-L/Cpl Ramalli
Forwards:- Galpin,McMahon,Hasler,Capt.Cantreal,Hamlyn, Maj.Moses,One to be selected.
Refree--Mr Mavor.

FOOTBALL.

The following members of the AIF have been elected by MRU Assn to represent Singapore and Johore against RAF and RAAF at SCC grounds on 6 Dec 41:-

L/Cpl Ramalli C(Capt)--8 Aust div Sigs.
Gnr.Ide 2/10 Fd Regt.
Lieut. P.R.Reynolds 2/19 Bn
Cpl Winter 2/19 Bn.

Personnel will proceed to Singapore on Friday 5 Dec 41 and report to Mr Vaughan-Jones who has arranged accommodation. Tpt will be supplied by 22 Aust Inf Bde and will report to HQ 8 Div Sigs at 1630 hrs on 5 Dec 41 to pick up L/Cpl Ramalli for conveyance to Singapore. Vehicle will then report back to GBD where it will remain until Sun 7 Dec 41. Vehicle will then report to Anzac Hostel at 1230 hrs Sunday and return to unit with organised leave party.
Personnel must report at Hostel by 1245 hrs 7 Dec 41.

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2/19 Battalion A.I.F. W.E. 1st Nov 1941

PART "A"

Details.	Establishment	Posted.	Surplus	Difference	Remarks
W.O. I	1	1			
W.O. II	6	6			
C.I.Ms	5	6	1		
S/Sjt.	4				
Sjts	~~33~~ 30	27		3	
Cpls	~~62~~ 69	61		8	
Group I	~~2~~ 1	1			1
" II	~~49~~ 43	32		11	
" III	~~31~~ 42	33	2	11	
Ples	~~662~~ 634	627		7	
Total	~~855~~ 831	794	3	40	

PART 'E' — Difference between this and previous return

(a) Effective Strength as per Part A. 794 (Excludes personnel on "X" list but includes detachments

(b) Effective Strength as per Part A. previous week. 792

(c) Difference of 2

(d) Detachments. Number of personnel detached but included in (a) 9

Casualties for Week ended

Marched In

From Hospitals 8
From Detention
Transfers from Other Units 1
From F.B.D. 13
Other returns

Marched Out

To Hospital 18
To Detention
Transfers 15 } 21
Other Units
Other Returns

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Rigbon (*Unit*) 6 11 1941 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
NX.36074.Sjt Hallinan.R.V.	A.C.C.	NX.35603.Sjt.Dennis.P.G.	A.C.C
NX.60119.Cpl.Brown.E.	A.C.C.	NX.55795.Pte.Beetson.G.J.	A.C.C
NX.35266.Pte.Dengate.A.W.	A.C.C.	NX.52248.L/c.Sankey.J.G.	A.C.C
NX.58017. " .Vella.J.	A.C.C.	NX.31197.Pte.Bradbury.E.M.	A.C.C
NX.35896. " .Robertson.R.J.	A.C.C.	NX.35457. " .Bell.A McA.	A.C.C
NX.35801. " .Campbell.A.J.	A.C.C.	NX.60634. " .Mooney.A.C.	A.C.C
NX.35326. " .McCaw.E.C.	A.C.C.	NX.35910. " .Dowell.P.	A.C.C
NX.14955.Sjt.Burchell.H.E.	A.A.P.C.	NX.53836.Cpl.NEIL.J.F.	2/3 A Fd
NX.35752.Pte.Flack.N.C.	2/3 A Fd Wk.	NX.56037.Pte.Clendenning.	2/3 do
NX.53268. " .Melouney.J.	22 Inf Bde.	NX.55367. " .Brown.H.I.	2/4 do
NX.55612.Cpl.Wellington/P.R.	Postal Unit	NX.25134. ".Spears.H.	2/5 Fd

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

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

2/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen. etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks																		
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers															1		1	Horse wounded
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers ..																		
Signallers															1		1	Posted and Joining after bombardment
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks							2		2									
Range Taker Sergeant Instructor															1		1	
																		D/R capture Training Mob. Coll. Regt by Capt.
General duty personnel				1					1				3	8	7		18	
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)				1			2		3				3	8	24		40	

2/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

2 / 4 / 4 ..... *Date of Despatch.*

W Hughes ..... Capt.
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F. *Signature of Commander.*

2 Bn 2 Bde ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.*

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/19 Bn

..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	2		1
Captains	12	3	
Lieutenants	23	2	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
District Officers			
TOTALS ..	39	5	1

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

PART B—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
Lieut	Bracefort B D C	A 11th	5 10 41	C/W Europe

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1 Substantive Rank	2 Higher temporary rank, if held	3 Name and Initials	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CGW	A I F	NO	Leave
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34993	BRADLEY BHJ	"	YES	
Capt	NX 35079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 12594	ARCHER WP	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DJMC	"	YES	
	NX 34784	NEWTON RWJ	"	NO	Leave
	NX 34932	LUCENS CH	"	NO	Leave
	NX 35327	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34469	FALLAW C	"	YES	
Capt	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
	NX 34721	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FG	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGL	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PL	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AG	"	YES	
	NX 34925	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12573	COLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	IBBOTT ACC	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD RDG	"	NO	Det C/W School
	NX 70592	RIVOLEY TM	"	YES	
	NX 51546	WILEY TG	"	YES	
	NX 60000	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 26768	HOWARD JA	"	YES	
	NX 54110	BENNETT CR	"	YES	
	NX 54618	RITCHIE TM	"	YES	
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	NO	Det Gen Hosp Duty
	NX 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	NO	Leave 22 Inf Bde

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	A I F	29 7 42	Sig Lt
Captain	VX 37073	HARDIE GLENWOOD H	"	14 8 42	22 Inf Bde

7/10 Bn
(Unit.)

2 - 11 - 42
(Date of Despatch.)

Capt.
A I F
(Signature of Commander.)

Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 7/10 Bn. A.I.F.

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/19 Bn

.....(Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1	2	3	4
Ranks	**Posted** strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	Surplus to Establishment	Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
District Officers			
TOTALS ..			

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

PART B—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lieut	NX 12538	GLASSON D.JR	R.A.F	YES	
	NX 25274	GODFREY DDH	"	NO	Selected Indp 204
	NX 12593	WALKER GH	"	NO	Dir HQ R.A.F
Capt	NX 70189	THOMAS RE	"	NO	Seconded QCTV
Lieut	NX 52464	DAVIDSON N.S	"	YES	
	NX 70139	AUSTIN R.W.L	"	YES	
Capt	NX 12251	BRAND FN	"	NO	Sick Hosp Indp

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment

2/1 Pnr Bn
(Unit.)

2 11 41
(Date of Despatch.)

Hughes Lt.Col
(Signature of Commander.)
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/1st Bn. A.I.F.

2d Bde 7 Div Armd Cav
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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2/19 Battalion A.I.F WE 8.11.41

PART "A"

Detail.	Establishment	Posted.	Struck off	Differences	Remarks
W.O.I	1	1			
W.O.II	6	6			
C.Q.M.S	5	6	1		
S/Sgt.	4				
Sgts	32	27		3	
Cpls	69	61		8	
Group I	1	1			
" II	43	31		12	
" III	42	26	2	18	
Ptes	634	636	2		
Total	831	795	5	41	

PART 'E' — Differences between this and previous return

(a) Effective Strength as per Part A 795 (Excludes personnel on "X" list but includes detachments

(b) Effective Strength as per Part A previous week. 794

(c) Difference of 1

(d) Detachments Number of personnel detached but included in (a) 12

Casualties for Week ended

Rankers In		Ranked Out	
From Hospitals	8	To Hospital	12
From Detention		To Detention	
Transfers from Other Units		Transfers 15 to Other Units	
From F.B.D	5	Other Reasons	
Other reasons			

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Nig Bn (*Unit*) 8 11 41 19 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

ATTACHED PERSONNEL.

NX.36074.	Sjt	Hallinan.R.V.	A.C.C.	NX.35603. Sjt.	Dennis.P.G. A.C.
NX.60119.	Cpl.	Penman.E.	A.C.C.	NX.55795.	Pte. Beetson.G.J. A.C.
NX.35266.	Pte.	Dengate.A.W.	A.C.C.	NX.52248.	L/c. Sankey.J.G. A.C.
NX.58017.	"	.Vella.J.	A.C.C.	NX.31197.	Pte. Bradbury.H.M. A.C.
NX.35896.	"	.Robertson.R.J.	A.C.C.	NX.35457.	" .Bell.A McA. A.C.
NX.35801.	"	.Campbell.A.J.	A.C.C.	NX.60654.	" .Mooney.K.C. A.C.
NX.35326.	"	.McCaw.E.C.	A.C.C.	NX.35910.	" .Dowell.P. A.C.
NX.14955.	Sjt.	Burchell.H.E.	A.A.P.C.	NX.53836.	Cpl. NEIL.J.F. 2/3 A
NX.35752.	Pte.	Flack.N.C.	2/3 A Fd Wk.	NX.56037.	Pte. Clendenning. 2/3
NX.53268.	"	.Melouney.J.	22 Inf Bde.	NX.55367.	" .Brown.H.I. 2/4
NX.55612.	Cpl.	Wellington/P.R.	Postal Unit	NX.25134.	".Spears.H. 2/5 Fd

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

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

20669—40/100 bk—28-5-41—R 80/46.

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7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners															1		1	
Clerks															1		1	
Despatch Riders (Dvrs Motcycle)															16		16	
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Signallers															11		11	
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks																		
Range Takers							2		2									
Technical Storeman															1		1	
General duty personnel			1				2		3				3	8			11	
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)			1				4		5				3	8	30		44	

7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

9 11 41 ..... *Date of Despatch.*

J Hughes ..... Capt.
Adjt, for Lt. Col. Comdg 7/19 Bn A.I.F. ..... Lt Col
Signature of Commander.

25 Bde & Div Troops
Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

..... (Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1 Ranks	2 **Posted** strength **counting** against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	3 Surplus to Establishment	4 Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
..... *			
..... *			
..... *			
..... *			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	1		2
Captains	18		
Lieutenants	23		1
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
District Officers	1		
TOTALS ..	37		3

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

PART B—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
Lieut	Barker AE	A I F	7.11.41	To A/SO 22 Aurora Rd

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause
Lieut	Barker AE	A I F	7.11.41	To A/SO 22 Aurora Rd
Major	Burdett EH	"	3.11.41	To 10 AGH
Capt	Rundle WP	"	3.11.41	To 10 AGH
Lieut	Crawford BDF	"	30.10.40	To Gnl School
	Powell JA	"	2.11.41	In charge Duty Lt Jordans
	Spencer NA	"	2.11.41	SD

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CGW	A I F	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
Capt	NX 35379	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 7519[illegible]	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DMC	"	YES	
	NX 34734	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 34952	COWENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 31072	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34869	FALLAW G	"	YES	
Capt	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	NO	Rejoin
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	NO	Rejoin
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERLEY EG	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AG	"	YES	
	NX 34925	GILL GM	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	COLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	ABBOTT AGC	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	Leave
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDG	"	NO	Del Gen School
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 57094	WEILY JG	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 26765	HOWARD JA	"	NO	Ex Course 3rd Infantry
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	YES	
	NX 59619	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	NO	On LL by Bde HQ
	NX 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	NO	Reunion 22 Inf Bde HQ
	NX 12535	GIBSON DJR	"	YES	
	NX 35070	GODFREY DJH	"	NO	Del Gen School

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment
Capt.	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	A I F	29 7 40	RMO
Capt/Lieut	VX 38675	WARDLE-GREENWOOD H	"	14 8 40	22 Inf Bde
Lieut		CHAYTOR RJC	"	3 11 41	Exchange Duty
W/Lieut		FERGUSON WH	"	3 11 41	Do

Dpt Bn
(Unit.)

9 11 41
(Date of Despatch.)

A Hughes ... Capt & Col
(Signature of Commander.)

Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg
2/4 Bde & D.I. Base Group
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

2/19 Bn

.....(Unit)

PART A—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

1 Ranks	2 Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached)	3 Surplus to Establishment	4 Reinforcements required (*i.e.*, deficits on establishment)
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
_____ *			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors			
Captains			
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
District Officers			
_____			
TOTALS ..			

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary (*e.g.*, Major-General, Colonel Commandant, etc.).

PART B—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK

Officers JOINED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

Officers QUITTED during week

Rank	Name	Corps	Date	Cause

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed
Lieut.	NX 12378	WALKER GH	AIF	No	Del HQ AIF
Capt	NX 70169	THOMAS RE	"	No	Sick OCTU
Lieut	NX 52664	DAVIDSON NS	"	No	Ex to 2nd Aust Fd Amb
"	NX 70169	AUSTIN RWH	"	YES	
Capt	NX 12551	BRAUND FN	"	No	Sick 2/4 Fd Amb

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS

Substantive Rank	Higher temporary rank, if held	Name and Initials	Corps	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment

2/4 Fd Amb
(Unit.)

9 " 41
(Date of Despatch.)

A Hughes ..... Capt 2/4 Fd Amb
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Commanding Unit
(Signature of Commander.)

22 Bde & Div Troops
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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15.11.4

PART. A.

FIELD RETURN OTHER RANKS.

DETAIL.	ESTABLISHMENT.	POSTED.	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY.	
W.O.Cl.I.	1	1			
W.O.Cl.II.	6	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5	6	1		
Sergeants.	30	28		2	
Corporals.	69	62		7	
Group I.	1	1			
Group. II.	43	31		12	
Group. III.	42	26	2	18	
Privates.	634.	646	12		
TOTAL.	831.	807	15	39	

PART. "E".

Difference between this and previous Return.

(a). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. 807 (Excludes personnel on "X" list, but includes detachments.

(b). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. previous week 795

(c). DIFFERENCE of 12

(d). DETACHMENTS. Number of personnel detached for duty in cluded in (a). 15

CASUALTIES FOR WEEK ENDED. _____

MARCHED IN.

From HOSPITAL 10

" DETENTION _____

Transfers from OTHER UNITS. _____

From. G.B.D. 25

OTHER REASONS. _____

MARCHED OUT.

To HOSPITAL 22

To DETENTION _____

Transfers to OTHER UNITS. 1

OTHER REASONS _____

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/19 Bn ..... (*Unit*) 15 11 41 19..... (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

ATTACHED PERSONNEL.

NX.36074. Sjt Hallinan. R.V.	A.C.C.		NX.55605. Sjt. Dennis. P.G.		A.C.C.
NX.60119. Cpl. Dennis. E.	A.C.C.		NX.55795. Pte. Beetson. G.J.		A.C.C.
NX.35266. Pte. Dengate. A.W.	A.C.C.		NX.52248. L/c. Sankey. J.G.		A.C.C.
NX.58017. " .Vella. J.	A.C.C.		NX.31197. Pte. Bradbury. E.M.		A.C.C.
NX.35396. " .Robertson. R.J.	A.C.C.		NX.35457. " .Bell. A McA.		A.C.C.
NX.35801. " .Campbell. A.J.	A.C.C.		NX.60634. " .Mooney. M.C.		A.C.C.
NX.35326. " .McCaw. E.C.	A.C.C.		NX.35910. " .Dowell. P.		A.C.C.
NX.14955. Sjt. Burchell. H.E.	A.A.P.C.		NX.53836. Cpl. NEIL. J.F.	2/3	A Fd
NX.35752. Pte. Flack. N.C.	2/3 A Fd Wk.		NX.56037. Pte. Clendenning.	2/3	do.
NX.53268. " .Melouney. J.	22 Inf Bde.		NX.55367. " .Brown. H.J.	2/4	do
NX.55612. Cpl. Wellington/P.R.	Postal Unit		NX.25134. " .Spears. H.	2/5	Fd H

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

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

9th Bde Amm Coy
Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks														1			1	
Drivers Horse														16			16	
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Riveters Tents														1			1	
Signallers														12			12	
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks							2		2									

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

7/19 Bn A.I.F. (*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	**Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	1		2
Captains	17	6	
Lieutenants	23	-	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
Totals	37	6	2

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Harris FL	A.I.F.	8.11.41	M.D.S. Sick

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	NX 12495	ANDERSON C6W	A I F	YES	
Major.	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
Capt	NX 35079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DIMC	"	YES	
	NX 34734	NEWTON RWF	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 35072	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34869	FALLAW O	"	No	Leave
Capt	~~NX 34655~~	~~HARRIS FL~~	"	~~YES~~	
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FG	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AC	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	GOLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	IBBOTT AGC	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDG	"	Not	Sick C.M.F. Sch
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 58094	WEILY JG	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 26768	HOWARD JA	"	No	Evacuee Jordan
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	YES	
	NX 59618	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	No	Del 2/2 Aby Bn
	NX 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	No	Sick do

(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.
Capt	NX 35744	CAHILL RL	A I F	24-7-41	RMO
Chaplain 4th	NX 38675	HARDIE-GREENWOOD	"	4-8-40	2/2 Aust Inf Bde
Lieut		CRAYTOR RJC	2nd Jordans	5-11-41	Evacuee Duty
T/Lieut		FERGUSON, WH	"	5-11-41	Do

2/19 Bn
.....
Unit.

16 11 41
.....
Date of Despatch.

A Hughes Lt Col
.....
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/19th Aust. Bn.
Signature of Commander.

2/2 Bde & Divs Troops
.....
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

7th Fd Bty AIF .....(*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	NX12538	GLASSON DJR	AIF	YES	
	NX35574	GODFREY DDH	"	No	See Dispatch
"	NX12593	WALKER CH	"	No	Det HQ AIF
Capt	NX70169	THOMAS RE	"	No	See OCTU
Lieut	NX52464	DAVIDSON NS	"	No	Ex Ch 2nd Echelon
	NX70159	AUSTIN RWL	"	YES	
Capt	NX12551	ERLUND FN	"	No	See 2nd Echelon
"	NX12599	MACDONALD HCH	"	No	Det HQ AIF

(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.

7th Fd Bde
Unit.

16. 11. 41
Date of Despatch.

L Hughes Adjt. for Lt. Col, Comdg. 2/1st Fd Bde A.I.F. Capt. L.I.O.
Signature of Commander.

2/1st Fd Bde & Dns Ammunition
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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PART. A. FIELD RETURN OTHER RANKS. 22.11.41

DETAIL.	ESTABLISHMENT.	POSTED.	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY.
W.O.Cl.I.	1	1		
W.O.Cl.II.	6	6		
C.Q.M.S.	5	6	1	
Sergeants.	30	28		2
Corporals.	69	62		7
Group I.	1	1		
Group.II.	43	31		12
Group.III.	42	26	2	18
Privates.	634.	649	15	
TOTAL.	831.	810	18	39

PART. "B".

(a). Difference between this and previous Return. EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. 810 (Excludes personnel on "X" list, but includes detachments.

(b). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. previous week 807

(c). DIFFERENCE of 3

(d). DETACHMENTS. Number of personnel detached for duty in cluded in (a). 15

CASUALTIES FOR WEEK ENDED. 22.11.41

MARCHED IN.

From HOSPITAL 11

" DETENTION

Transfers from OTHER UNITS. 2

From G.B.D.

OTHER REASONS.

MARCHED OUT.

To HOSPITAL 9

To DETENTION

Transfers to OTHER UNITS.

OTHER REASONS GBD 1

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

9th Bde (*Unit*) 22. 11. 1941 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

ATTACHED PERSONNEL.

NX.36074.	Sjt	Hallinan.R.V.	A.C.C.	NX.35603. Sjt. Dennis.P.G.	A.C.
NX.60119.	Cpl.	Bennis E.	A.C.C.	NX.55795. Pte. Beetson.G.J.	A.C
NX.35266.	Pte.	Dengate.A.W.	A.C.C.	NX.52248. L/c. Sankey.J.G.	A.C
NX.58017.	"	.Vella.J.	A.C.C.	NX.31197. Pte. Bradbury.E.M.	A.C
NX.35896.	"	.Robertson.R.J.	A.C.C.	NX.35457. " .Bell.A McA.	A.C
NX.35801.	"	.Campbell.A.J.	A.C.C.	NX.60634. " .Mooney.E.C.	A.C
NX.35326.	"	.McCaw.E.C.	A.C.C.	NX.35910. " .Dowell.P.	A.C
NX.14955.	Sjt.	Burchell.H.E.	A.A.P.C.	NX.53836. Cpl. NEIL.J.F.	2/3 A
NX.35752.	Pte.	Flack.N.C.	2/3 A Fd Wk.	NX.56037. Pte. Clendenning.	2/3
NX.53268.	"	.Melouney.J.	22 Inf Bde.	NX.55367. " .Brown.H.I.	2/4
NX.55612.	Cpl.	Wellington/P.R.	Postal Unit	NX.25134. " .Spears.H.	2/5 F

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

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

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.									Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.		
Bricklayers																			
Butchers																			
Carpenters and Joiners																			
Clerks															1		1		
Despatch Riders																			
Draughtsmen (topo)																			
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																			
Electricians																			
Farriers																			
Draw tenders															16		16		
Fitters																			
Masons																			
Painters and Decorators																			
Plumbers and Gasfitters																			
Saddlers and Harness Makers																			
Signallers															12		12		
Storemen technical															1		1		
Vickers Machine Gunners																			
Cooks																			
Range takers							2		2										

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

7th Bn ..... (*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	**Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	3		
Captains	10		
Lieutenants	23		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
Totals ..	38		

* 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.
Capt	Wilson, A.H.	Inf	20.11.41	From AIF
Capt	Bradley, E.H.J.	"	22.11.41	From AIF

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CGM	AIF	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34993	BRADLEY BHJ	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	NO	Leave
Capt	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DIM	"	YES	
	NX 34734	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 34033	COLKINS CH	"	YES	
	NX 32072	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
	NX 32079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 70229	THOMAS RE	"	NO	OCTU
	NX 12599	MACDONALD HCH	"	YES	
	NX 12557	BROUND FN	"	NO	2nd Coy
Tech	NX 34669	FALLAW A	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FC	"	NO	Leave
	NX 34742	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PA	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP RC	"	YES	
	NX 34635	GILL GJ	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12524	COLLINS AJ	"	YES	
	NX 12600	ABBOTT ACG	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDG	"	NO	Del Gn Course
	NX 70222	BRINDLEY EM	"	YES	
	NX 52094	WEILY JG	"	NO	Leave
	NX 60090	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 36768	HOWARD JA	"	NO	6 Bde Landing
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	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.
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	A.I.F.	29.7.41	R to
2 Lieut	VX 38675	WILLIAMS-ELLINGWORTH	"	14.8.41	22 Inf Bty Rae
Lieut		CRATTOR RC	2/3 Bn	3-11-41	Exchange Derby
2/Lieut		PERGUSON WA	"	3-11-41	"

2/19 Bn
Unit.

23.11.41
Date of Despatch.

Lt Col
Comdr. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.
Signature of Commander.

2 Bde 8 Div Landing
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

3/1 QBn

.....(*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	NX 5946	RITCHIE JM	AIF	YES	
	NX 70190	BAILIGHTE AF	"	NO	Del 2nd Bn 4 Bde
	NX 34926	JOHNSON RJ	"	NO	Do
	NX 12558	GLASSON DJR	"	YES	
	NX 12592	WALKER GH	"	NO	Del HQ AIF
	NX 52464	DAVIDSON NS	"	NO	Posted 2nd Garrison
	NX 70159	AUSTIN RWL	"	YES	
	NX 35174	GODFREY ADH	"	NO	204 Inoc

(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.

7/19 Bn
Unit.

23 11 41
Date of Despatch.

Comdg 19 Bn, A.I.F. Lt Col
Signature of Commander.

7 Bde 2 Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OTHER RANKS.

29.11.41

PART. A.

DETAIL.	ESTABLISHMENT.	POSTED.	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY.	
W.O.Cl.I.	1	1			
W.O.Cl.II.	6	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5	7	2		
Sergeants.	~~30~~ 34	34			
Corporals.	~~60~~ 70	71	1		
Group I.	1	1			
Group. II.	~~43~~ 53	54	1		1 Cook
Group. III.	42	44	2		2 Range Takers
Privates.	~~634.~~ 633	607		26	
TOTAL.	~~831.~~ 845	825	6	26	

PART. "B".

Difference between this and previous Return.

(a). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH as per Part A. _____ (Excludes personnel on "X" list, but includes detachments.

(b). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH as per Part A. previous week 815

(c). DIFFERENCE of 10

(d). DETACHMENTS. Number of personnel detached for duty included in (a). 15

CASUALTIES FOR WEEK ENDED. 29/11/41

MARCHED IN.		MARCHED OUT.	
From HOSPITAL	5	To HOSPITAL	12
" DETENTION		To DETENTION	
Transfers from OTHER UNITS.	14	Transfers to OTHER UNITS.	
From. G.B.D.	8	OTHER REASONS	
OTHER REASONS.			

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/19 Bn (*Unit*) 29 11 41 19..... (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
N 46455 Sjt Ouchen H	AAPC	N 52268 Pte Williams J	2/2 Aust Def Coy
N 32752 Pte Hunt L	2/3 AFW	N 53267 Cpl Brown H	2/4 AFW
N 53876 Gnr Reid J	Do	N 55612 Gnr Dillington GR	6 Div Sigs
N 56037 Pte Vandervaag C	Do	N 25134 Pte Spears N	2/5 Fd Hygiene

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

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts if known).
N 43402	Pte	Porter JA	AIF	G B Depot

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7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks																		
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers ..																		
Signallers																		
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks							1		1									
Reinforcements							2		2									
General duty personnel			2			1			3						26		26	
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)			2			1	3		6						26		26	

7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

30 11 41 ..... *Date of Despatch.*

Lt Hughes Cpl I/C ..... *Signature of Commander.*

7/Bde HQ ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.*

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

2/19 Bn .....(*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
..... *			
..... *			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	3		
Captains	11	1	
Lieutenants	23		
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
Totals ..	39	1	

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Lieut	Lawson BAG	AIF	26 11 41	Ex Sig Course
Capt	Lewis JL	"	27 11 41	Ex NDS & T Staff
Lieut	Howard JA	"	28 11 41	Ex Sig Course

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CGW	AIF	YES	
Major	NX 12525	DAVIES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34993	BRADLEY RHJ	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
Capt	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	No	Leave
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DM	"	YES	
	NX 34734	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 35072	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
	NX 35379	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 70189	THOMAS RE	"	No	OCTU
	NX 12599	MACDONALD HCH	"	YES	
	NX 12551	BRAUND FN	"	No	2/6 Inf Bn
	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
Tlt	NX 34869	FALLAW C	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34902	RIVERLEY FC	"	YES	
	NX 34942	NEILD FCE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AC	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL EA	"	No	2/4 Fortress Coy
	NX 12532	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	GOLLAN AR	"	YES	
	NX 12600	IBBOTT ACC	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BOC	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 58094	WIENY JG	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JR	"	YES	
	NX 26768	HOWARD JH	"	YES	Fit for duty

(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.
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	AIF	29 7 41	R.M.O
Captain	NX 34675	WARDALE-GREENWOOD	"	14 Feb 41	2/4 Aust Bde
Lieut		CHAYTOR RTC	2/4 Fortress	5 11 41	Fortress Engrs

7/19 Bn

Unit.

20 11 41

Date of Despatch.

Lt Col

Signature of Commander.

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

.....(*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	NX 52410	BENNETT GR	AIF	YES	
	NX 30618	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	NX 34929	JOHNSON RJ	"	No	Det 2/2 Bde
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	No	Do.
	NX 12538	GLASSON DJR	"	YES	
	NX 12193	WALKER EH	"	No	Del HQ AIF
	NX 32464	DAVIDSON NS	"	No	Sick 2/3 Fd Amb
	NX 70154	AUSTIN RWL	"	YES	
	NX 35574	GODFREY DDH	"	No	2/4 Inf Bn

(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.

2/19 Bn
Unit.

30—11—41
Date of Despatch.

O. H. Lenehan Lt Col
Signature of Commander.

2 Bde & Div Troops
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit 2/19 Bn A.I.F. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Dec 41 *To* 31 Dec 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Dec 1	1	Kitbags and surplus gear packed on trucks ready for dispatch to G.B.D.	WB
Jemaluang	1	1117	Code word SEAVIEW received-HQs manned with skeleton staffs and coys ready to move within 10 hrs notice.	WB
			Lieut N.S.Davidson and Lieut R.Wilson and 14 O/Rs returned from 2 Gordon Highlanders.Two Officers and 14 O/Rs of 2 Gordons returned to own unit. 10 O/Rs rejoined ex No.1 A.A.S.C.	WB
Jemaluang	1-6		Bn strengthening defensive posn. and acting on ARMOUR and SEAVIEW	WB
Jemaluang	6		5 O/Rs struck off to 8 Div Provost.Capt. R.W.Keegan detached to A.F.V.School. 20 O/Rs taken on strength from G.B.D. Code word RAFFLES received,zero 1830 - new code 1st 0320 7 Dec.	WB
Jemaluang	6	2310	JEMALUANG defences manned by this Bn (Bn HQ 858274 3H/12),16 A.Tk Bty and X Bty 2/10 Fd.Regt.	WB
Jemaluang	7		62 O/Rs over W/E returned to G.B.D. Bn Strength 38 Officers 840 O/Rs	WB

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Jemaluang	Dec 7	2400	JAPAN declared war on GREAT BRITAIN and U.S.A.	
Jemaluang	8		Quinine to be taken daily from now on, Civilians ordered to	
			evacuate Jemaluang village. & Issue of anti gas clothing com-	
			pleted. Capt.R.W.Keegan rejoined ex A.F.V.School.	
Jemaluang	9		Evacuation of JEMALUANG village proceeding. Demolition of houses	
			for fields of fire. Preparation A.Tk minefield. Capts ~~XXXXXXXXX~~	
Jemaluang	10 &	2010	~~and~~ R.W.J.Newton and W.P.Bracher rejoined. Report of enemy paratps from X Bty Waggon Lines - Bn stood to	Report W.L.O. X Bty.
			But report proved wrong after Patrols sent out.	
Jemaluang	10		Evacuation of civilians, demolition of houses in village and	
			preparation of minefields.	
Jemaluang	11	1833	C Coy in new position HQ 852336	
Jemaluang	11		Demolition, wiring and digging further slit trenches	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Dec 12		Owing to lack of trucks civilian evacuation poor, about 400 civilians still in Jemaluang. Digging slit trenches and Demolition. C Coy patrolling fwd area.	DJB
	Dec 13		Civilian evacuation, demolition, and clearing for fields of fire; camouflaging.	DJB
Jemaluang	Dec 14		Bn strength 40 Officers 774 O/rs. Digging of communication trenches, wiring and camouflaging. Demolition and clearing for fields of fire.	DJB
Jemaluang	Dec 15		Wiring, camouflaging, digging alternative A.Tk minefield. Evacuating natives from jungle surrounding village.	DJB
Jemaluang	Dec 16	2119	Brilliant orange flare dropped number miles S.W. 851333 3 11/12 no plane heard. Lack of transport hindering civilian evacuation. Demolition, wiring and clearing.	DJB
Jemaluang	Dec 17		Capt. H.C.H.MacDonald detached to J.M.F.	DJB

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Dec 17		Demolition, clearing, trenching and closing gaps in wire.	
		2010	Unidentified plane dropped flare Over B Ech area.	
Jemaluang	Dec 18		Clearing, demolition, and camouflaging, digging of anti-tank	
			ditch begun.	
Jemaluang	Dec 19		Capt. K.L. Westbrook detached to J.M.F. Demolition, clearing fields	
			of fire, wiring and revetting.	
Jemaluang	Dec 19		Lieut. J.E. Quinlan joined unit ex G B D	
Jemaluang	Dec 20		Capt. H.C.H. MacDonald rejoined unit ex J.M.F. Clearing fields	
			of fire, revetting and camouflaging.	
Jemaluang	Dec 21		Camouflaging, strengthening position and weapon testing.	
Jemaluang	Dec 22		Capt. R.E. Thomas rejoined unit ex O.C.T.U.Bn Strength 41 Officers	
			767 O/Rs. Clearing fields of fire, demolition & camouflaging.	
Jemaluang	Dec 23	1056	Jap. heavy bomber Army 97 passed over area at high speed.	
Jemaluang	Dec 23		East Portion village burnt down - trench improvements.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Dec 23		7 O/Rs detached to DROSE force.	WB
Jemaluang	Dec 24		Clearing fields of fire, digging of dugouts, camouflaging	
			and road maintenance,	WB
Jemaluang	Dec 23		Capt. C.H. Cousens off strength to hospital(burns)/	WB
Jemaluang	Dec 25		First Xmas day in field. Mass and Communion servises by respect-	
			ive Padres. Special Xmas dinner. Capt. K.L.Westbrook rejo ined	
			ex J.M.F.	WB
Jemaluang	Dec 26		Improving A/A defences, demolition, communication trenches and	
			camouflaging. 9 O/Rs on strength from G.B.D.	WB
Jemaluang	Dec 27		Preparation of minefields, gravelling and corduroying new	
			harbour for B Echelon.	WB
Jemaluang	Dec 28		Improving defences, camouflaging preparation of minefields. Bn	
			Strength 40 Officers 776 O/rs.	WB

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Unit 2/19 Bn A.I.F. *Date and Time.—From* 1 Dec 41 *To* 31 Dec 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Jemaluang	Dec 29		Preparation of minefields and work on new harbour.	WD
Jemaluang	Dec 30		Work on harbour for B Echelon. D Coy tactical exercise.	WD
Jemaluang	Dec 31		Improving Defensive positions.	

Lt. Col.
Comdg. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.

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2/19 Bn A I F Malaya
19 Dec 41

ADMN ORDER NO.13

The following is copy of ADMS dated 15 Dec 41

REPORT ON FORWARD DEPLOYMENT AREAS-13/14 DEC.

Hygiene and Sanitation.

Too little attention is being paid to hygiene and sanitation by units in deployment areas. Cooking areas have become fouled with fat and food drbis. The construction of latrines is very poor, shallow trench latrines are still in use in some places.

Evacuated Chinese houses on estates & in towns are a potential source of danger, with the accumulation of rubbish, rotting foodstuffs, & collections of human faeces.

It is realised that heavy rain& conditions of the ground render sanitary measures difficult, but unless steps are taken immediately to improve the general standard of sanitation and hygiene, the health of the tps willsuffer Attention is also drawn to the fact that all a/malarial drainage & oiling has ceased with the evacuation of townspeople, estate employees etc. This increases the danger of malaria greatly, and a/malarial precautions must be stressed again. Units can keep areas clear of tins & other receptacles which may hold water. Personnel can also carry out oiling of any breeding places within the immediate vicinity.

Recommendations.

Structure of deep trench latrines in all units should be done immediately. Timber & iron are available from demolition work, & satisfactory covers can easily be made for trenches. Burial of all waste foodstuffs, general cleaning up around unit B echelons, spraying areas surrounding cookers with Lysol or Izal.

Addition of oil, Lysol, or Izal to faecal accumulation or burial to adequate depth.

Burning of rubbish around town areas. General tightening up of hygiene & sanitation matters in all units.

Capt Greville and personnel of 2/5 Aust Fd Hyg Sec are now in the area to carry out certain of the duties and advise units, but without full co-operation of all units, it will be impossible for this small number of men to produce satisfactory results.

N.B.:-The practice of killing pigs and leaving the bodies andentrails etc lying exposed to flies is a serious offence. Numbers of personnel from units outside JEMALUANG area have also been offending in this regard.
Every officer and N.C.O. is responsible that such practices cease and that offenders are dealt with.

L Hughes
.....Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn AIF

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2/19 Bn A I F Malaya
19 Dec 41

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER No.9

The following has been received from Malaya Comd:-

To avoid the danger of SHOOTING our own airmen who may descend by parachute from damaged aircraft, parties of six or less (6 or less) parachutists should be surrounded but will not be fired upon unless definitely identified as enemy.

L Hughes
Capt
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn AIF.

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HQ 22 AUST INF BDE,
IN THE FIELD.
25 DEC 41.

SPECIAL ORDER OF THE DAY

BY

BRIG H.B.TAYLOR, M.C., V.D., COMD 22 AUST INF BDE, MALAYA.

I desire to express to all ranks of the 22 Aust Inf Bde Gp, which I consider it is indeed a privilege to command, my sincere good wishes for a Happy Xmas and a Victorious New Year.

In conveying this message to you I take the opportunity to express how deeply I appreciate your hard work and cheerful performance of duties under trying conditions.

I am confident that this spirit will prevail in all the tasks we shortly may have to perform, and am assured of the ultimate success of our arms.

(H.B. TAYLOR) Brig
Comd 22 Aust Inf Bde Gp.
25 Dec 41.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS

By

Lt.Col. C.G.W.Anderson Commanding 2/19 Bn AIF Malay
Date:-2 Dec 41 Part 1 No.144

1. DUTIES

Duty Coy.	Bn Orderly Officer	from 1800 hrs to 1800 hrs	
		1 Dec 41	2 Dec 41
HQ	Lieut.R.W.L.Austin	2 Dec 41	3 Dec 41
A	Lieut. B.D.G.Crawford	3 Dec 41	4 Dec 41
B	Lieut. N.S.Davidson	4 Dec 41	5 Dec 41
C	Lieut. R Wilson	5 Dec 41	6 Dec 41
D	Lieut. P.R.Reynolds	6 Dec 41	7 Dec 41
HQ	Lieut. A.Weily		

2. DRESS.
Several cases have been noticed of AIF personnel without shirts driving vehicles in public places including Singapore.
Instructions have been issued that such disregard of the regulations as to dress will result in the offenders being immediately charged with disobedience of orders as to dress.(HQ AIF R.O. No.67,28 Nov 41)

3. DISCIPLINE.
ASO 25 a is cancelled and the following substituted:-
"DISCIPLINE-ARRESTS BY BRITISH AND AIF PROVOST PERSONNEL

"(a) In every case where an AIF soldier is arrested,particulars of alleged,offences and witnesses' statements will be obtained by the soldier's C.O. from A.P.M. Malaya Comd or O.C. 8 Div Pro Coy as the case may be.
"(b) Disciplinary action will not be completed until such information is received.
"(c) Normally such information will be sent direct to C.O.,but if it is not forthcoming within a reasonable time the C.O. will ascertain if any such information is available before disposing of the matter."
(HQ A I F R.O. No.67,para 4,of 28 Nov 41).

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt 2/19 Bn.AIF.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn AIF Malaya
Date:- 3 Dec 41 Part 1 No.145

1. ADMINISTRATION.
As from 1 Dec 41 the following system will apply.The following will be read in conjunction with AIF S.O. Ch.111

(i) Evacuation for Medical Reasons:
(a) Personnel evacuated beyond R A P will be upon the X list and struck off the strength of their units.This applies notwithstanding that such evacuation is in fact for a short distance only,but movement for less than 24 hrs beyond R A P for such purposes as Dental inspections,consultations,eye testing,and similar purposes will not be treated as evacuation for this purpose.
(b) Subject to the qualifications appearing below personnel placed upon the X list are immediately replaceable by reinforcements.

(ii) Officers On X List:
(a) A proportion of reinforcement Officers has been permitted to remain with units.One of the reasons for this is to make such personnel immediately available to assist the unit during any temporary deficiency in Officer personnel. When an Officer is placed upon the X list he will not be replaceable by an Officer from reinforcements at base, except upon application by his C.O. approved by superior command and acceded to by HQ AIF. Such application should not be made unless the absent officer is expected to be away for a prolonged period or some urgent need exists for his replacement.Such urgency should be exceptional as every unit should train personnel to take over duties of superior officers at short notice and the temporary absence of officers provides opportunities for testing such personnel. Upon the outbreak of actual hostilities the replacement of officers in accordance with AFW 3008 will be automatic.
(b) When an order is made by HQ AIF directing replacement of an officer on the X list by a reinforcement officer such direction will in due course be included in Postings Order. When such an Order is made the evacuated Officer on discharge from medical unit will proceed to G.B.D. and be posted to the reinforcements of his unit.
(c) In other cases,subject to such period of convalescent treatment or leave as may be directed,the evacuated officer will return direct to his unit under direction of the appropriate authority controlling the zone in which he is situated and upon rejoining his unit will be struck off the X list.

(iii) Other Ranks on X List.
Generally.(a) Unless otherwise directed OR's not evacuated beyond ML will return direct to units.
(b) Personnel evacuated beyond MDS will come under control of Adm HQ and will proceed on discharge from medical unit to GBD where they will be posted to reinforcements of units and in due course rejoin the unit with reinforcements.
(c) Original members of units will,as far as practicable be returned to their own units from GBD by first available draft.
(d) The rapidity with which casualties can be replaced and the certainty with which units can be maintained at War Establishment depends greatly on the efficiency of the system by which casualties are notified to 2 Ech and the accuracy of returns.Page 2 of AFW 3009 must be accurately completed in full detail. Para 'E' of AFW 3009 will be compiled as laid down in Para 129,ASO.

(iv) Non Commissioned Officers.
(a) When an NCO is placed upon the X list the commander of his unit may either(a) transfer a substantive NCO from reinforcements with unit and post him in place of the evacuated NCO or (b) make an acting appointment in his place. Such acting appointments may be confirmed after the expiration of two months.

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The power to make acting appointments should not be readily exercised as the promotion and reversion of NCOs is not in the best interests of the service. Attention is drawn to AIF S.O. para.36 as amended which must be read in conjunction with this instruction.
(b) An acting NCO appointed in place of personnel on the X list will be reverted by Comd of unit immediately on return of evacuated NCO.
(c) An NCO on the X list on being posted to reinforcements of unit at GBD will as soon as fit for action in the field proceed with the next draft of reinforcements to unit notwithstanding that a substantive appointment may have been made in his place. The unit will therefore at times be over strength in the non-commissioned rank of personnel in unit. This will be adjusted at the first opportunity-thus, if a Cpl is one Cpl over strength as to rank, upon the evacuation of a Cpl he will be replaced from reinforcements by a pte only. No substantive or acting appointment will be made without special authority from HQ AIF until supernumerary NCO ranks have been absorbed.
(v) Warrant Officers on X List.
The procedure in relation to NCOs on the X list will apply to W.Os with the following exceptions:-
The appointment must be confirmed by GOC AIF. Acting rank will not be confirmed until the expiration of 3 months from date of appointment to acting Rank.
(vi) Trade Specialists:-The principles laid down in respect of NCOs on X list apply also to Trade Group specialists.
(vii) Camp Hospitals etc: In the case of units in reserve stations in respect of which the functions of ADS or MDS are being carried out by a Cam Hospital, CRS or CDS, these will be treated as equivalent to ADS or MDS.
(viii) Arms, Equipment and Personal Effects and Personal Records on Evacuation:- (a) Arms, equipment and personal effects will in all cases be taken with personnel proceeding beyond RAP to ADS or MDS and will be taken into store and will remain with ADS or MDS until patient either returns to unit or is moved beyond MDS.
(b) If personnel return from ADS or MDS to unit from which evacuated their arms, equipment and personal effects will be similarly returned. If personnel are evacuated under circumstances preventing arms & equipment or personal effects moving with them to ADS or MDS such arms and equipment and effects will be sent to the ADS or MDS to which such personnel are evacuated as soon as possible.
(c) For the purpose of carrying these directions into effect each ADS or MDs will provide the necessary storage space and will indent for the appropriate stationery.
(d) In order to ensure the due care and maintenance of arms and equipment in existing climatic conditions there will be attached to each ADS or MDS a private of the AAOC who will be under general supervision of the QM of the ADS or MDS respectively.
(e) Movement and control of arms and equipment and personal effects to ADS or MDS will be by divisional units under divisional direction. Beyond MDS they will be under the control of Adm HQ. It will be the responsibility of Adm HQ to secure the safe custody and due movement of such effects when moved beyond MDS.
(f) Basic documents will also move with personnel on evacuation.
(g) Subject to any directions that may be issued by Adm HQ the following will be the normal procedure in respect of personnel evacuated beyond MDS:-
Steel helmets, respirator, all personal clothing and effects, and all personal records will go with personnel to Medical Unit to which they are evacuated.
All War Equipment other than steel helmet and respirator will be forwarded by MDS to GBD periodically.
(ix) Evacuation to Detention Barracks and Return brom Detention Bks
Evacuation will be direct; arms, equipment, personal effects & basic documents will accompany personnel. Such personnel will be on X list and replaced by reinforcements but on release will be returned to unit and if necessary held supernumerary to Establishment pending absorption (HQ AIF R.O. No. 68, of 1 Dec 41)

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2. Privately Owned Firearms. All privately owned firearms,which do not form part of the authorised scale of military equipment are required to be licensed by their owners with the Civil police. The only exception to this rule is where the firearm is placed in a regulated military armoury and kept there;one the firearm has been taken out for any reason whatever,it may not be returned to store and must be licensed.
A record of the location of all privately owned firearms which do not form part of the authorised scale of military equipment,and which are not licensed by the Civil police as above,is required to be maintained and all units will report forthwith through the proper channels particulars of these arms on the pro-forma below:-

Owner	Make and Nature of firearm	Maker's No.	Where Stored.

An up-to-date record of the location of these unlicensed firearms will be maintained by all Coys and submitted to Bn HQ by 0900 hrs Sunday 7 Dec 41,subsequent alterations to be notified from time to time. (HQ AIF R.O. No 68 of 1 Dec 41)

3. Reports-Unusual Occurrences. (a) In future brief reports in letter form will be submitted by Officers Commanding units direct to HQ Malaya Comd,with copies to all intermediate formations concerned, in the event of:- (i) Any outrage or serious affray.
(ii) Any serious crime or breach of discipline;(iii) Any serious loss of arms;(iv) Any serious accident(for instructions re traffic accidents see ASO's)
(b) These reports will be submitted on occurrence. On the occurrence of an exceptionally serious incident the Officer Commanding Unit concerned will consider advisability of sending above report by wire. (HQ AIF R.O. No.68 of 1 Dec 41)

4. Pay and Cash Offices. On and after 1 Dec 41,8 Div Fd Cash Office will be located at HQ AIF Malaya and the Depot Pay Office on and from 2 Dec 41 will be located at Kubu Park,Malacca,Tele Nos being J.B. 92364 and Malacca 196 respectively.
Units located in the Malacca,Tampin,Klebang,Jasin,Segamat,Kluang, Batu Pahat,Kuala Lumpur and Ipoh areas will therefore,on and after 2 Dec 41 deal direct with the Depot Pay Office ONLY in respect of the undermentioned matters:- Advances for Pay--Subsistence--Acquittance of Advances-Trust A/C Withdrawals-Credits to Paybooks-Cash Remittances.
Inquiries in respect of all other Pay matters will be addressed to 8 Div F.C.O.
Units in other areas will address all inquiries relative to Pay Services direct to the latter office.(HQ AIF R.O. No.68 of 1 Dec 41).

5. NAAFI-AIF CONCERT PARTY:- NAAFI have agreed to contribute to the cost of equipping the AIF Concert Party to the extent of $1500.This contribution is acknowledged with thanks.(HQ AIF R.O. No.68 of 1 Dec).

6. CANTEEN:- Beer bottles,whether full or empty,are NOT to be taken from the Canteen area.Coys will ensure that all ranks are familiar with this order.

L.Hughes,Capt.
Adjt.,2/19 Bn.AIF Malaya.

NOTICES

Members of the Legal Profession in AIF Malaya.

1. Those who have submitted their names to the Legal Officer in accordance with R.Os 37 & 44 who are in Singapore at any time and desire to take advantage of the offer of the Singapore Bar Committee should get in touch direct with the Hon Sec.,Mr R.H.Green,C/O Messrs Braddell Bros.,Meyer Chambers,Raffles Place-Phone 5291.
2. No AIF member will receive invitations from the Singapore Bar members unless his name etc. has previously been forwarded through the Legal Officer. Recent arrivals in Malaya with legal qualifications and coming withim the terms of the Notice in R.O. 44 should therefore take the action directed by the notice.(Notice,HQ HQ R.O.68 of 1 Dec 41).

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W. ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn AIF Malaya
Date:- 4 Dec 41 Part 1 No. 146

1. DUTIES

Duty Coy.	Bn Orderly Officer	From 1800 hrs	to 1800 hrs
C	Lieut.R.Wilson	4 Dec	5 Dec
D	Lieut.P.R.Reynolds	5 Dec	6 Dec
HQ	Lieut.A.Weily	6 Dec	7 Dec
A.	Lieut. A.B.Gollan	7 Dec	8 Dec
B.	Lieut.J.Varley	8 Dec	9 Dec
C.	Lieut. J.A.Howard	9 Dec	10 Dec

2. REGIMENTAL DUTIES.
NAAFI Canteen Fatigue. The NAAFI Canteen Fatigue will,in future, in addition to cleaning Canteen area,be responsible for cleaning cleared area behind guard tents and areas to the east and south of Pioneers' hut. This fatigue is under the orders of the Bn Ord. Sjt and will report to him before being dismissed.

R.Q.M.S. Fatigue--Under the control of the R.Q.M.S. and will be used to clean the area between R.Q.M.S. hut and Pioneers' hut. This fatigue will also report to Bn Ord Sjt before dismissal.

Bn Ord Sjt- Will be responsible for cleaning the remainder of the Bn Admin area,using either L.D. personnel or the NAAFI fatigue.

3. PAY OFFICE
In future,inquiries and interviews with Pay Sjt,regarding pay matters will be carried out only between 1500 and 1700 hrs daily, exdept Sundays.
At other times pay office is out of bounds.

4. REGIMENTAL GUARD.
Strength-1 Sjt,3 Cpls,36 Ptes.(12 Ptes will be relieved from Guard at Reveille).
It is to be noted that Guard personnel to be relieved must be dismissed by the Bn Orderly Officer.
Dress:- will include Helmet steel and Respirator.

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NOTICES

NAAFI contribution to Bn funds for the month of September amounted to £485.89.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS.

BY.

LT-COL.C.G.W.ANDERSON.M.C. COMMANDING 2/19 BATTALION.A.I.F.
DATE. 8.DEC.41. PART. I. No 147.

I.

The following summary of terms in use by Malaya Command War Establishments is adopted for use by AIF Malaya.
(a). "Full War Establishments" signifies all personnel shown on the line "total unit including attached" plus re-ifforce--ments where specified by numbers.
(b). All War Establishments will be quoted to include Offrs. If it is desired to refer to Other Ranks only, the fact will be stated.
The following terms will be used in all correspondence.
(a). Full. W.E. (b). W.E. less attached (c). W.E. less first re-inforcements. (d). W.E. less attached and first re-infor--cements.
Total weapons allowed by War Establishments include weapons shown in Part V of War Establishments (Part IV in certain War Establishments, chiefly of the Indian Army) and weapons allow--ed for first re-inforcements. If it is desired to refer to weapons in part (IV) or (V) only, the fact will be stated.

2. Tyre Pressures.

The following table shows pressures to be maintained in tyres on fully laden M.T. vehicles and guns.

Equipment.	Tyre.	Front.	Rear.
1 Ton Van.	900x16.	25	33
30 Cwt Lorry.	900x18.	40	65
3 Ton Lorry.	1050x18.	45	70
Tractor FWD type 3 &3A	1050x18.	50	60
Ambulance	900x13	15	25
2-pr A/Tank Gun.	550x16	28.	-
18 pr Mk IV Gun.	900x20	35	-
25 pr Gun	900x16	40	-
4.5.-in How	900x20	45	-
No 9 Trailer.	900x20	35	-
No 12 Trailer.	900x20	35	-

3. M.T. Vehicles Canopies.

(a). A request is to be submitted for any of the above items which are required immediately to replace deficient or unserviceable canopies. The former are to be accompanied by an explanation regarding the deficiency and the latter are to be certified U/S by a W/shops Officer.
(b). Separately from the above, a return is to be submitted showing further canpoies which will be required replacing within two months.
(c) A list is to be included covering the requisitions (F20) previously submitted indicating both Unit number and date
(d) Each list must show Reg. No. of vehicle, make, model, number and Army description of body.
(e). Unless a reply is received within 5 days it will be understood that Units are submitting a Nil return.
HQ Coy and QM to give matter required attention. Submitting Nil return if necessary.

4. Passes.

Attention is drawn to the necessity for close observance by all ranks of ASO. 17G.

5. Tins Mess Bottles Water of Aluminium Manufacture.

Units will render a return stating the Number of Tins Mess and Bottles Water, manufactured of Aluminium, in their possession. The returns will state position on 1 Dec. 41. Nil returns will be rendered. All returns to reach DADOS by 12 Dec. 41. Q.M. to give matter required attention.

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6. French Chalk must NOT be used on Anti-Gas Clothing such as capes, hoods, and curtains. Chalk is to be used for the preservation of rubberised stores such as sheets ground and respirators.

Use of French Chalk

7. Cells, Inert, Type S, will NOT be used in instruments such as Telephones D. MkV Fullerphones, Remote Control Units ~~ss~~except in an extreme emergency.
In this climate, the electrolyte of Cells, Inert Type S, very soon creeps from the cells of the battery box, and causes severe corrosion to the aluminium of which these boxes are made. Cells Dry X MkIII should be used wherever possible.

Damage to Instruments Caused by Cells Inert Type S

8. (a). Where camouflage paint MT on MT vehicles has become blistered or begins to peel, new camouflage paint will not be applied until the old paint has been cleaned off and a primary coat applied.
(b). In the case of woodwork, the old paint will be scraped and throughly removed. A primary coat of White Lead (or suitable lead paint as available) will be applied as a base It must be allowed to dry throughly before applying the camouflage paint. Indents to be placed for:- Paint. PFU Red and White Lead Priming "S" Section I I, stating number of vehicles to be painted.

Camouflage Paint

9. All units will be paid on Monday 22 Dec. 41 instead of the usual Pay day.

Pay Arrangement Christmas.

10. A warning is given that parcels have reached Australia with the covering not interfered with but containing rubbish instead of the contents actually purchased. Personnel should always carry out final sealing themselves.

Parcels for Despatch to Australia

11. Censoring officers are also reminded that it is essential to sight contents before censoring.

Censoring of Parcels

12. Attention is directed to ASO. para 76. No movement of vehicles to BOD will be permitted without the authority of DADOS AIF or Admin HQ respectively. Approval will state date, time and purpose of visit.

Misuse of Vehicles.

13. (a) As from 13 Dec 41 areduced air mail letter card service to Australia will be introduced Rate 12 cents each.
(b). The available aircraft space and load is limited and it is therefore desirable that letter cards be used instead of air mail letters to the maximum extent.
(The forgoing instructions para 1 to 13 are extracts from A.I.F.R.O.70 of 1941).

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ROUTINEORDERS.
BY

LT-COL.ANDERSON. C.G.W. COMMANDING 2/19BN A.I.F.
20 Dec. 41. PART.1. No. 148

1. A practice shoot will take place on Sunday 21 Dec as follows. --

WEAPON.	TARGET AREA.	TIME.	PERSONNEL TO FIRE.
Lewis. M.G. 29rnds per gun.	A convenient bank short range.. Coy Comds to select.	1100 hrs.	Nos 1 & 2 of Sec.
2" Mortars. 2 rnds per Pl. Safety Officer Capt. Fallaw.	286297 to 283310.	1430 Hrs.	2 Mortar Nos from each rifle Pl. Pl Sgts to attend also. Pl. Comds may attend. R.V. Slaughter house 1400 hrs.
Bakelite Bombs. 4 per Coy. .E.C.D & Hq Coys.	Area to be selected by Coy. Comds.	1600 hrs.	As many Personnel as possible to witness. Men must be in trenches. Spectators at a safe distance from thrpwer. If possible try on soft and hard grounds. Reports required from Coy Comds.

2. POSTAL
Troops are not complying with Postal regulations in that name and address of sender must be shown on back of envelope. Any further omissions will result in delay of mail.

3. CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT A/GAS.
a. Personal anti-gas clothing and equipment will be carried at all times by all ranks.

b. Eyeshields, ointment , curtains anti-gas , cotton waste and first field dressing will be carried in the respirator haversack.

c. Capes will be carried rolled but should be unrolled and aired for a few hours at least once a week.

d. Unit and reserve anti- gas clothing should be stored conveniently at hand, and should be aired for a few hours at least once a week. Heavy articles should not be places op top of the anti-gas clothing.

e. When curtains A/Gas are worn on steel helmets, care must be taken to see that no portion of the under-surface of the curtain (i.e. that which will ultimately come near to, or in contact with, the face or neck of the wearer) is exposed to any possible contamination by liquid gas.

f. The flap which hangs down from the brim of the helmet may be worn either held together behind the wearer's neck beneath the brim, or rolled up under the brim itself. If tjis latter method is adopted, the curtain should be unrolled at ferquent intervals to prevent stickiness of the material.

g. Curtains anti-gas will not be worn on steel helmets until the out break of hostilities.

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2/19 BN. A.I.F.
Malaya 20 Dec 41.

ADMN. ORDER NO 14.

1. ALARMS.

The practice of calling " AIRCRAFT" or other alarms, or giving false messages for the purpose of jokes is to be ceased forthwith. The habit is a dangerous one.

Instances have occurred where personnel have failed to carry out a d etc. because they have been the subject of jokes on the subject prior to the order and then failed to realise the genuine order.

RESERVE OF STONE OR BRICK FOR RE-BUILDING.

Re MERSING- JEMALUANG ROAD. Reserve of Stone and Brick for re-buildin As from 20 Dec TUGO , one Sec, will deposit dumps along this road. All ranks shall be warned that no bricks or stone shall be taken from these dumps. Severe diciplinary action will be taken against offenders. All Officers mov along this road shall be responsible for enfordement of this instruction.

3. AIRCRAFT.

Planes will fly over LAMA area frequently from night recing and w. often have to drop flares to find direction. Our planes should signal by torch the code word of the day to identify themselves. Onus is on aircraft to identify itself. Navigation lights will be used when approaching or over the coast. Code word will be advised.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

By

LT.COL. C.G.W.ANDERSON Commanding 2/19 Bn AIF MALAYA
Date:- 21 Dec 41 Part 1 No.149

1. CONSUMPTION OF PORK & POULTRY.
Severe stomach disorders have resulted from the eating of pork and poultry by tps,and for health reasons this practice must be stopped forthwith.

2. TOOLS.
Check number of picks,shovels,chunkols etc in Coy areas. Any in excess of actual requirements or W.E. will be dumped at Hall of Mirrors for return to R.E.,for despatch to area where they are URGENTLY needed.Heads of broken axes should be returned also.

3. ABBREVIATION. Abbreviation "Indep" will be used in the title of AIF units containing the word "Independent" (HQ AIF R.O. No.71 of 19 Dec 41).

4. CONDUCT TO CIVILIANS. In all cases in which Military Operations necessitate an infringement of private rights,every consideration and courtesy must be shown to the civil inhabitants affected. Any conduct not in accordance with this direction will be made the subject of immediate disciplinary action.It is essential that the goodwill of inhabitants be retained. (HQ AIF R.O. No.71 of 19 Dec 41)

5. CIVILIAN VEHICLES. The indescriminate requisitioning and commandeering of civil tpt by soldiers is causing considerable confusion and dislocation of services which are rendering valuable service to the Army.It is again stressed that Bde comdrs only have authority to requisition, except in cases of energency,which have not yet arisen.Disciplinary action will be taken in all cases where this order has been disobeyed. Following vehicles must be traced and returned immediately to the Office of the Surveyor of Forests,JOHORE BAHRU:-

Motor Cycle 7571.B.S.A. Taken from the 52 mile Johore Mesring Road on 12 Dec 41.

Motor Cycle 7618 Triumph. Taken from MAWAI on 10 Dec 41.

If they have been commandeered,names of persons responsible will be furnished to these HQ immediately.

6. TRANSPORT. Unit maintenance of all M.T. must be given greatest possible attention.There can be no replacement of vehicles at present and every vehicle that goes out of commission affects the mobility and efficiency of the unit particularly & the force as a whole.(HQ AIF R.O. No.71 19 Dec)

7. THOMPSON SUB-MACHINE GUNS.To reduce possible formation of rust in the breech,Thompson Sub-Machine Guns Breech Oilers will be removed and oiled weekly.Breech oilers will be assembled immediately oiling has been carried out.(HQ AIF R.O. No.71 of 19 Dec 41)

NOMENCLATURE. The designation of three new batteries consequent on reorganisation of Fd Regiments is,2/14 Fd Regt No.64,2/15 Fd Regt,65,2/10 Fd Regt,60.

8. UNSIGNED DEBIT ENTRIES IN PAYBOOKS. Many cases have been noted of patients being admitted to hospital with paybooks in which there are unsigned debit entries.It is the duty of Pay Sergeants to ensure,before evacuation of any member from the unit,that all unsigned debit entries,covering amounts which are known not to have been paid,are marked "No Entry" and signed by the Pay Sergeant.(HQ A I F R.O. No.71 of 19 Dec 41).

9. CHAPLAINS, IDENTIFICATION IN WAR. Approval is given for Chaplains of all denominations to wear as a ready identification whilst on field service, a "Red Cross" brassard on the left arm and a plain white brassard bearing the word "Chaplain on right arm. (HQ A I F R.O. No.71 of 19 Dec 41).

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11. GROUND TO AIR SIGNALS. All units in possession of Ground to Air Signals(i.e."T" Panel Equipment) will ensure that the following instructions are carried out:-
(a) All panels etc.,painted black and yellow on reversed sides will, if to any extent murky or blotched,be repainted. The Yellow side must be bright and clean.
(b) Panels formed of canvas of a brownish colour,and as yet unpainted. will now be painted,will now be painted,instructions as at (a) being followed.
(c) Certain Panels have been issued which are of a white and unpainted canvas.These,when they become dirty and difficult to distinguish (and only then) will also be painted as at (a). (HQ AIF R.O. No.71 of 19 Dec 41).

12. TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS. The General policy regarding traffic accidents involving third party is now as follows:-
(1) Units engaged in operations need not make individual reports but should keep a brief record on AAF G 13 of cases in which civilian vehicles are involved. AAF G 13 to be forwarded direct to Command,copy to appropriate HQ,as opportunity offers,to enable a check on claims to be maintained.
(2) Other units will submit full reports where civilians are involved if circumstances permit. Otherwise AAF G 13 giving the particulrs will be reported to Command Headquarters as soon as possible with a copy to appropriate HQ.
(3) If possible short statements of witnesses should be obtained and attached to the G.13.
(HQ AIF R.O. No. 71 Of 19 Dec 41.)

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AD N~~xxxxxxxxx~~ ORDER No.11

1. CAMOUFLAGE.
Owing to the present state of emergency and the consequant need of speed and simplification in the carrying out of camouflage work, all schemes in priority areas will be composed of "Toning Down", i.e., obliteration of all light reflecting surfaces. This applies to roads, roofs, weapon pits and trenches.
Particular care will be taken to see that posns are not given away by incautious drying of clothing, mosquito nets, sheets etc.
Mosquito nets should be stained by using a weak solution of Condy's Crystals, or, if this is not available, a mixture of tea or coffee.

PRECAUTIONS-A/GAS
In order to preserve curtains A/Gas it is desirable that they should not be worn by personnel until actual outbreak of hostilities.
Officers i/c units will use their discretion in this matter.
Empty petrol tins labelled "Gas Alarm" will be hung in convenient places at frequent intervals in camps and bivouacs to supplement rattles.
As the efficiency of detector paint is not maintained beyond a period of from three to four weeks, the date of application will be scratched on all areas of detector paint, on vehicles, or on such other places as it may be used.

SLIT TRENCHES IN OPERATIONS.
The decision as to whether slit trenches will be dug when troops are halted during operations must be made by the local commander. This will depend on the length of time likely to be spent in the area, the possibility and scale of air attack and the ground situation. The dimensions of such trenches will be:-

(a) 3 ft wide at top and minimum depth of 3 ft (when time permits)

(b) Increase to 4 ft and revet as soon as time permits.

Unless these trenches are sited under adequate cover, the excavated soil should be removed; otherwise it is easily spotted from the air and the presence of the air is disclosed.

These instructions supersede those issued in Army in India Training Memoranda No 4 para 11(c) and No 10 para 3.

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ADMN.
~~OPERATION~~ ORDER No.8

To render water(Well water,streams,etc.) fit for drinking when water from normal sources is unobtainable.

1. Add four(4) scoppfuls of Water Sterilizing Powder to a water bottle,mix with a little water,shake ,and complete the filling with water to the top.

2. Crush to a powder four(4) taste remover tablets,add to another water bottle and shake thoroughly for a minute or two.

3. Add to every man's water bottle one scoopful of the water sterilizing solution,allow af least thirty(30) minutes contact,and then add one scoopful of taste removed solution.

Note:- A scoop is provided in each tin of water sterilizer powder beneath the inner seal.

Water sterilizing powder deteriorates when exposed to the air. Replace the lid tightly immediately after use.

Store in dry place.

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ADMN ORDER NO. 7

1. FEET. All Comds are responsible that mens' feet are kept in good condition. Continual wearing of boots makes feet spongy.

2. LATRINES. Latrines require STRICT attention. Pioneers are coming around to drill bore-holes. Use deisel oil for disinfecting latrines.

3. WATER. R.M.O. will issue instructions re use of chemicals for purifying water.

4. CHINESE. Coys will be responsible for moving natives to the road to be evacuated. DONT discover natives & then phone Bn to have them moved.

5. AIR. Precautions against air raids must NOT be relaxed. Washing carelessly exposed is asking for trouble.

6. NEWSPAPERS. A free issue of newspapers of 9 per 100 men is being made with rations.

7. AMN. Coys are responsible that attached tps from other Coys etc in the Bn are supplied with SAA.

8. TROOP COMFORTS. are being issued under supervision of Padre. Don't expect perfection all the time, but everything will be done to ensure maximum amount and an even distribution.

9. MALARIA CONTROL. Malaria is still an enemy. B & D Coys will divide the rubber in the old camp area and turn all cups upside down. Deisel oil will be used to oil standing water etc.

10. CARE OF SAA. Every round of S.A.A. is worth its weight in gold. Comds must be certain that it is not lost or liable to corrode.

11. B.ECHELON. Capt. W.P. Bracher is responsible for the defence of B Ech area. All personnel in the Bn are soldiers regardless of their appointment, and so must take their share of responsibility in regard to the immediate defence of personnel under their control.

12. FLIES Flies mean diarrhoea. Don't leave food scraps etc exposed.

13. WATER. A reserve of drinking water in your pl or Coy area is recommended. A well at present in existence, or to be dug should be set aside for drinking only.

14. PARANGS. Keep all parangs that are found without owners. The Japs move quickly through the jungle. We will need parangs to move quickly in chase of them soon.

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18 Dec 41

ADMN ORDER No.9

A/MALARIAL MEASURES.
In some parts of Malaya our local defence against Malaria in the shape of field work has had to be destroyed,or cannot be progressed with,or our troops have to operate in areas where there is no protection at all by natural means.
Under these circumstances let all,in the Medical Services,play their part in bringing the local war to an early and successful conclusion. Our role today in Malaya is of greater importance in the long run than the role of guns and ammunition. I have often repeated in lectures & memoranda that war in this country is likely to be won or lost by the degree of effort on the part of the Medical Services in the prevention of malaria.
All now depends on the value of personal prophylaxis. All ranks know what should be done. Let every man see that it is done not ,erely tonigl or tomorrow night,but every night. Constant preaching,never ending supervision are necessary. Regimental Medical Officers above all have in their hands a responsibility such as regimental medical officers have not had in any campaign in history. May they realise that responsibility in all its gravity. Behind the regimental medical officers are the fiel ambulance commanders,who must lead,instruct,and advise.
The issue of orders regarding prophylaxis against malaria is not enough. Medical officers must all the time watch and see that these orders are carried out in detail.
The sheet anchor in the prevention of malaria is the mosquito net,but a mosquito net can be,and often is,used in such a way that it is valueless. Tired men may relax their precautions and it is the medical officer's solemn duty to see that this does not happen except under circumstances of military exigencies.
The Medical Service is responsible for keeping men fit to fight the enemy. Let that not be forgotten.
In most fighting areas suppressive quinine or atebrin is being used. This method of prevention is second only to the proper use of the mosquito net. The medical officer is directly responsible for seeing that this suppressive treatment is carried out rigorously when ordered.To implement that responsibility he must utilize the officer commanding the unit.

The above are extracts from HQ 8 Aust Div ADMS Circular No.38.

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OPERATION INSTRUCTION No.3

TRIAL SHOOT.

A trial shoot by X Bty 2/10 Fd Regt and Mortar Pets will take place on Friday 19 Dec 41.

The following areas will not be occupied by any tps during the hour stated:- Squares 8234 8334 between 1130 and 1230 hrs. 8429 8529 8630 8730 8629 8729 between 1000 and 1100 hrs.

Movement of transport between JEMALUANG and MERSING will not be interrupted.

UNIT.	TARGET AREA	TIME OF SHOOT.
X Bty	Track Junc 867295	1000-1100
X Bty	Track 870290	1000-1100
X Bty	Tin Mine 868307	1000-1100
X Bty	Track 848291	1000-1100
X Bty	Edge Rubber 850298	1000-1100
X Bty	Joo Lye Est Hill 266 833345	1130-1230
Mortars	Chinaman Ridge 868294	1000-1100
	Tin Mine Area 870286	1000-1100
	" " " 867288	1000-1100
	Edge of Rubber 855288	1000-1100 Smoke Only

Coys will certify that patrols have been notified re the shoot and all personnel have been warned.

Interpreter attached will warn Labour gangs not to be alarmed.

D Coy will provide a picquet to control movement of gangs in event of any alarm being caused.

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ADMIN. ORDER NO.1

Issued in conjunction with 2/19 Bn A I F Op Int 1.
Ref Map JEMALUANG Sheet 3 H 12

INTENTION.

1 To provide for the maintenance of Force J.

SITUATION OF FORCE J.

2. The defence of the area will be effected with three rifle Coys fwd, two in rear. A Tk bty will be very dispersed. X Bty with the exeeption of Comd posts & OP will be close together.
Supplies will be readily obtained from ASC units stationed in or very near the defensive area.

SUPPLIES.

3. Supply Point:
(a) Unit vehicles allocated to the task of drawing rations from ASC will be permanently located at the SUPPLY POINT in M.T. Harbour No.1 at 67½ mile post K.T. Rd 878250.
After receipt of rations from ASC vehicles will move to the B Ech area. Upon rations being dropped in B Ech area the vehicles will return to Supply Point.
Movement will be co-ordinated by Supply Officer.

(b) Reserve Ration.
(1) One day's rations will be carried on the man and will NOT be consumed unless authorised by Coy etc comd.

Emergency ration scale:-

Tinned meat	12 oz
Biscuit	12 oz
Tea	½ oz
Sugar	2 oz

(11) In Pl etc reserve two days Hard rations will be held and will not be consumed unless authorised by Bn Comd

Hard ration scale:-

Timned meat	12 oz
Biscuit	16 oz
Tea	1 oz
Sugar	4 oz
Tin milk	4 oz

(c) Indents for Rations.
(1) Units in JEMALUANG area will submit indents(AB 55B) in duplicate to Bd AASC NCO at Supply Point by 1600 hrs each day and 72 hrs prior to day of consumption.
(11) Indents will be sybmitted for the replacement of any reserve consumed. It is important that such indents be rendered as early as possible so that all reserves are adequately maintained.
Distribution. Food will be forwarded from B Ech area to Coys under Coy arrangements.
Personnel of A Tk Bty will be fed by Coys in the areas in which the guns are sited.

4. AMMUNITION.
Full scale of W.E. will be held in the Bn and will be distributed as follows:-

	On The Man Or With Gun	Pl Res	Coy Res	Bn Res. @
Rifle	50	50	25	25
SSA Tk	200		40	
L M G	1000	500	8	
Pistol	12	6		
Grenade(a)		24		108
2" M H. E.	36			36
2" M Sm				
3" M.H. E.	72	15		30
3" M Sm	24	5		
Sub MG	300		150	150
Signal	20			

Note:(a) :- 1 box grenades for Carrier and Bn HQ.
A.P. will be established in M.T. hb No.2 at 6½ mile post KOTA TINGGI RD 878250.
Bn res will be replemished from A.P. where demands will be made direct by M C orderly by
Bty Comds for A Tk amn and arty amn
CSM HQ Coy for SAA and Inf amn
An extra scale of 303 SAA and Anti s and Tk mines will be issued

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AMMUNITION Contd.

ARTY. AMM. To be dumped in Gun Pits om first Degree of Readiness.

RESERVE. Will be kept on wheels in H.Q. Coy Area.

5. P.O.L.

(a)1. WITH VEHICLE. All drivers will ensure that at all times vehicle tanks are maintained fully replenished and from Second Degree of Readiness all vehicles will carry one 4 gal. tin of petrol.

11. UNIT RESERVE. Petrol truck will be maintained fully laoded, care being taken to provide for the required percentage of oil as shown F.S.P.B. para.9. Sec.5.

(b) Petrol Point will be established at M.T. Hbr. No.1. M.S. 67½. KOTA TIMGGI RD. map ref 878250 at a time to be notified.

(c) Indents will be sibmitted direct to P.P. Vehicles will reportmto P.P. with indents.

(d) KEROSENE. One weeks supply of Kerosene on the basis of 21 galls per burner will be held in reserve.

6. R.A.E ORGANISATION

(a) FD END. DUMPS.

MERSING.	Near XXXXXX HINE'S bungalow 833466.
KOTA TINGGI.	At J.V.F. accommodation.
KLUANG.	Adjoining P.W.D. Store.

The dumps contain stocks of Fd. Eng Stores, water supply equipment, reserve bridging equipment and reserve of tools.

7. WATER (a) Coys will conduct a water survey in close proximity to Sec Posts etc. and B Ech..
There are a number of wells available, additional wells will have to be sunk to augment existing supply which is as follows.--
(a) Wells in JEMALUANG camp.
(b) Water point 848318.

(b) Times and places for drawing water will be laid down from time to time.

(c) System of distribution of water will be from Water Points in Water Carts to B Ech area, thence by 2 of 1 gall tins to fwd Tps.
It may be possible for Water Cart to move to fwd Coy areas during hrs of darkness.

8. LAUNDRY.

(a) Laundry points will be astablished at JEMALUANG in vicinity 69 M.S. KOTA TINGGI RD at 861265.

(b) Methof of handling laundry.

i. Units clean laundry will be pooled in sizes in a Central dump at B Ech. Hbr. and will be issued according to sizes.

ii. Clean laundry will be moved to fwd Tps and dirty laundry brought back with, or at the time of ration movements.

iii. Dirty laundry will be moved to Laundry point where it shall be boiled, rinsed and dried only.

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9. PAY. Pay will be made available as the situation permits on a maximum drawing rate for all ranks.

10. PRISONER OF WAR.
The existing cage at JEMALUANG will be ~~xxxx~~ shifted to a position WEST of JEMALUANG, location to be notified later.

11. BURIALS.
(a) Cemetry will be at Rubber Estate 843268.
(b) Own dead will be brought out from fwd Areas to Cemetry as situation permits.
(c) Enemy dead will be disposed of in accordance with instrs to be issued during operations.
(d) Before burial personal effects of own dead will be removed and placed in a sand bag, orother suitable receptacle , securely tied. labelled with number, name, Coy and Unit. They will be moved to Units B Ech as opportunity offers a forward transmission to Base later.

12. M.T. MOVEMENT
(a) Regt'l Police will establish traffic control post at entrance to BN. HQ.
(b) Entrance to B Ech Hbr will be picqueted at all times.

12. MEDICAL.
R.A.P. at BN HQ Area evacuation direct to M.D.S 9 Fd Amb at KOTA TINGGI.
Ambulances will be available at M.T. Hbr. 57th Mile.
R.M.O. will use D/R to requisition ambulances.
M.D.S. KOTA TINGGI.

13. ORD. W/SHOP SERVICES.
(a) Ord Units will be located and will function as shown below.
74 LAD at 843450 - Recovery and maintenance of all vehs (but not guns) SOUTH of 167 rd.
69 LAD at RUBBER FACTORY area SQ 8445 - Recovery and maintenance of all vehs and guns NORTH of 167 rd and fd guns in the area of Force M.
Det 85 LAD (under comd 69 LAD at RUBBER FACTORY area sq 8445 - Recovery and maintenance of all A tk guns under comd Force M.
Det 10 Rec Sec adjacent to the location of 74 LAD - Tp deal with 2nd Line repairs as passed to them by LADs.

By mutual arrangements, however, the above mentioned Units will work in co-operation in the interests of economy, men and equipment. Any necessary co-ordination will be effected by BDE HQ.
(b) Det10 Rec. Sec will establish recovery post adjacent to its area, from which theparent unit will recover as opportunity offers.

14. SALVAGE.
(a) Salvage dump will be established at B Ech Area, salvage will be sent back in ration vehicles.
(b) When expolsives or amm have been expended there remains a number of very valuable articles of equipment, which special care should be taken to salvage. The following are items referred to. --

Packages and their internal fittiggs.
Screws for boxes
plugs for bombs or shells
Cylinders or tinned plate containers for tubes.
Detonators etc..
Grummets.
Empty cartridge cases
Small arms cases, belts, bandoliers, cartons etc..
Carriers for Mortar Amm.

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SALVAGE Contd. In addition there are used portions of Mortars or Howitzers changes, which should be carefully packed in packages, marked "Explosives" and desp,tched seperatel from non- explosives items. The utmost care should be taken that live amm and explosives are returned separately, properly packed and NOT mixed up with empti All of the above items of salvage will be returned to AASC through BDE.

15 CANTEEN

Canteen will be established in B Ech area after S.D. C is evacuated.

16. HYGIENE AND SANITATION.

Anti-malarial gloves and veils will be used by all ranks not under mosquito nets between dusk and dawn. Anti-malarial cream will be smeared on exposed parts of the body every two hours.

17. POSTAL

Post Office will fenction in B ~~area~~= Ech area.
Stamps will be on sale at BN HQ.
Letters will be censored by Officers and sent back with rations. Franking Stamp will be placed on letters at Post Office.

18. EVACUATION OF CIVILIANS.

All civiliabs in the area are to be evacuated under a Civilian Evactuation scheme.

19. BAGGAGE & ACCOMMODATION STORES.

Stores will be taken into the field on the following scale:-

(a) Tents each sec,Pl and Coy HQ one tent
Bn HQ 6 tents.
HQ Coy 22 "
16 A.Tk Bty 10
X Bty 10

(b) Soyer Stoves 10 per Bn
Btys as sub allotted from Army comd.

(c) Surplus Baggage and Accommodation Stores.
(i)&(ii)will be moved to BATU PAHAT on the following priority:-
(1) Officers trunks and kitbags of all ranks.
(2) Mess gear.
(3) Camp and Accommodation Stores to G.B.D.
(i) &(ii) will be stacked in B Coy Mess Hut.

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OPERATION. ORDER No2.

(1).
INFORMATION. 22 Aust Bde Gp as before.
"A" Coy of 2/30Bn is disposed in NITHSDALE EST area.
The Task allotted to the Bn is responsiblity of preventing enemy penetration from NORTH and EAST of the Line MERSING-JEMALUANG.

(2).
INTENTION. To deny the enemy penetration along the road from the NORTH and penetration from the coast to the road.

(3).
METHOD. "C" Coy with attached tps will take up ~~dixpxxxxx~~ dispixxositions in and SOUTH of the JOO LYEestate. Although the dispositions have been fixed initially, the Coy will at all times be prepared to adopt a mobile offensive role

(4).
The following points will be held. HILL 167 8438 fwd edge rubber 8533, area of track juncs. ~~362936~~. 862343

(5). The following tps are under Comd of O.C. "C" Coy "C" Coy
1 sec carriers.
1 sec 16 A/Tank Bty.
The following will be in support;-
1 tp 2/10 Fd Regt and F.O.O.

(6).
Patrols each 2 o/rs-twice per night and twice per day
(i). From JOO LYE est. to contact patrol from 2/30 Bn points of contact to be mutually arranged.
(ii). Along PUMP STN Rd. to PUMP STN. 889336.
(iii). From JOO LYE est. to CEMETRY 8531

(7). To be in position by 1800 hrs 11. Dec. 41.

(8).
ADM. Present arrangements.
Intercom Line(civil wire)
108 set.
D.R.

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ACK.

Signed at.....hr. .....Capt and Adjt
2/19 Bn A.I.F.

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C Coy	"	No 3.
D Coy	"	No 4.
HQ Coy	"	No 5
16 A/Tank	"	No 6
X Bty	"	No 7
C.O.	"	No 8
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REPORT BY W.L.O GELU ON REPORT OF PARATROOPS BY ONE OF MY SENTRIES AND PATROL SENT OUT 10 DEC.41

Yesterday 10 Dec 41 my Battery Cdr instructed me to clear the houses in tin mine areas 843267 and 842257,which wqs done to bhe best of my knowledge. At 1740 hrs a sentry reported light could be seen in one of the houses. I deceided to investigate,advising Bty Capt. I left at 1750 hrs with 6 O/Rs. On arriving at the house one native was leaving with two bags over his shoulder. I shone my torch and ordered him to halt. He immediately dropped his burden and ran. I fired and missed. At the same time I heard another person moving about inside. I went in leaving the former to the two men on that side of the house to which he ran and saw him disappearing between the side of the house and the roof. These two people escaped on searching the house one native was found hiding under a bed. We sent him to Btl HQ. The house is a store of some kind containing petrol,drums of oil, rice etc. I intend to investigate this house further to-day and will submit a further report.

(Signed) J. GILLAM Lieut.
VX 34838

Report by Sentry at 2030 hrs.10 Dec 41.

Visibility,dark. Bright illumination from large star.

I saw what appeared to be a star falling.Then it passed between myself and skyline of forward jungle slope opposite across gully 300 yds away. I then thought it may have been a bomb. As it did not explode I reported to N.C.O. of Guard that I thought I had seen what could have been a paratroop. This happened during the firing of shots in the same locality.

(Signed) QX 20989
J.K.Beard,Gnr.,
HQ Troop,X Bty
2/10 Fd Regt.

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2/19 Bn A I F Malaya
11 Dec 41.

A,B.C.D.HQ Coys Bn HQ
15 Pl,Mortars,Pioneers
AA Pl,2 Ech, Carriers
GELU
DELA.

} 2/19 Bn A I F.

ORDER OF THE DAY.

The following has been received from Malaya Comd:-

Special Order of the Day. In this time of trial the General Officer Commanding calls upon all ranks Malaya Command for a determined and sustained effort to safeguard Malaya and the adjoining British territory. The eyes of the Empire are upon us. Our whole position in the Far East is at stake. The struggle may be long and grim, but let us all resolve to stand fast come what may and to prove ourselves worthy of the great task which has been placed in us.

Commanders are to make sure that all ranks are informed. It is needless to add that the Far East includes Australia. "

Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn A I F

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2/19 Bn A I F Malaya
15 Dec 41

All Coys 2/19 Bn.
16 A/Tk
"X" Bty.

OPERATION ORDER No.6

Hereunder is a copy of CRMC 38953/1(O) of 11 Dec for immediate action:-

"Units will carry out an inspection of all UNLAID mines on charge, but not under any circumstances mines that have already been laid.

"The method of inspection is as follows:-

"(1) Remove the Cartridge Pistol by turning in an anti-clockwise direction.

"(2) Remove the Detonator Pistol by unscrewing the ring.

"(3) Remove the body of the MINE from the MORTAR by removing the two fixing screws situated at the bottom of the MORTAR.

"(4) When the MINES are dismantled they will be inspected carefully, particular attention being paid to the DETONATOR TUBE, CARTRIDGE CHAMBER, and filling hole plug. Where signs of greenish blue crytsals are found the MINES will be set aside and the numbers, so found together with packing particulars will be forwarded AT ONCE to the I.O.O. MALAYA specially labelled "For Special examination by the I O O MALAYA" and this order quoted.

Mines required in replacement to be immediately notified to DADOS who will signal requirements to C.O.O.,B.O.D.

The crytals referred to are not dangerous unless they are left untreated and it is therefore most important to return them AT ONCE as ordered herein."

L Hughes Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn.,A I F

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2/19 Bn A I F
JEMALUANG.

SECRET.
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OPERATION ORDER NO.1

Ref. Map JEMALUANG 3 H/12 1" to 1 mile.

INFORMATION

1. The most probable initial JAPANESE moves are likely to aim at establishing air forces in SOUTH THAILAND & MALAYA in order to attack our Air Forces and to deny to us the use of our aerodromes. For these reasons a seaborne attack on MERSING is a move we must be prepared to face.
IT IS OF GREATEST IMPORTANCE TO HOLD THE ENDAU-MERSING AREA AGAINST SEABORNE ATTACK, SINCE IT IS THE ONLY PLACE AT WHICH A SUCCESSFUL LANDING GIVES A DIRECT LINE OF ADVANCE TO SINGAPORE AND ALSO ON ACCOUNT OF THE COMNS LEADING TO KAHANG AND KLUANG AERODROMES.
(Extract from A I F Operation Inst No.9 Pt 11)
The position of JEMALUANG in relation to the abovementioned line of advance and comns.makes it vital ground to the defence.
The MERSING area is being held by 22 Aust Inf Bde Gp less 2/19 Bn and att tps.
The following tps under comd C.O. 2/19 Bn are available for the defence of the JEMALUANG AREA.
2/19 Bn
"X" Bty 2/10 Fd Regt
16 A.Tk Bty less one Tp.

INTENTION.

2. 2/19 Bn and att.tps will deny the JEMALUANG RD.JUNC against main enemy attack from the direction of MERSING.

METHOD.

3. Main battle position in the genrral area GREEN HILL 867286 HILL 123(8627) PALM HILL 8528 LALANG HILL 858284.SOUTH edge of rubber 8528.
Ground vital to the defence in this area includes GREEN HILL LALANG HILL and PALM HILL.

4. (a) F.D.L.S. will include GREEN HILL 867286,S.E. corner of rubber 860289,Hill 120 853286

(b) Fwd tps
Right "A" Coy
Centre "D" Coy
Left "B" Coy

(c) Inter Coy Boundaries. MERSING RD from Br 861292 to M.S. 70,862281. incl. to "A" Coy. Creek 856286 to creek 856281 incl to D Coy.

(d) Reserve.
Location C Coy A rea 855275 to 859277 to Hill 123 8627.
One sec Carriers Rd Junc 856274
Tasks (1) Counter attack on any one fwd Coy area.
(11) Counter penetration

5. Carriers.
Two fwd secs. one res sec.
(a) Task one fwd sec,(1) Patrol fwd to M.S. 77.
(11) On penetration by enemy maintain contact and delay movement SOUTH.
(111) On passing through covering tps return to SOUTH slopes LALANG HILL 858283 prepare for second task.
(b) One fwd sec under comd O.C. "C" Coy. On completion of this task return to LALANG HILL,prepare for second task.

(c) Second task Mobile reserve by day prepared to carry out the following tasks (1) Support of fwd pls "B" and "D" Coys.
(11) Counter penetration tasks.
By night to cover rear areas fwd coys.

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5.d. One Res Sec.
Task by day (i) Mob. Res.
(ii) Support "C" Coy if required.
(iii) Support Counter attacks.
By night to increase fire power of rear Coys as required.
Personnel on new establishment without M/C will be under comd. O.C HQ. Coy and used to protect B Ech area.

6 PROTECTION.

a. COVERING TPS. Under Comd O/C "C" Coy.
"C" Coy less one Pl.
One Sec Carriers.
One Sec 16 A.Tk. Bty.

TASK. To delay enemy in the vicinity of JOO LYE ESTATE 8434 and CEMETERY 8531.

b. PATROLS. The following standing patrol tasks are allotted.
By night NO outpost will be provided but Coys will provide inter- coy patrols within the Bn perimeter.
By day, Coys will provide their own outposts.

Ser. No.	Sub Unit.	Strength.	Task.
1	"A" Coy	1 N.C.O. 4)/Rs	a. Patrol ~~track~~ area TRACK 87~~23~~01 b. Delay the enemy as long as possible. c. Maintain contact with the enemy. d. Establish a report centre and report to Bn daily at 0900 hrs and 1700 hrs.
2.	"B" Coy	1 N.C.O. 4 O/Rs	a. Patrol area TRACK JUNC. 845293. b.c.&d. as for Serial 1.
3		1 N.C.O. 4)/Rs.	a. Patrol area TRACK JUNC 883282 b.c.&d. as for Serial 1.

7. FIRE PLAN.
Defensive fire will be by observation whereever ~~possible~~ practicable. When this is NOT practicable fire on fixed lines will be as below, in periods of 5 mins. with repetitions as necessary.

Sub Unit.	Location.	Target Area.	Nature of amm.	No of rds for 5 mins.	Remarks.
E.Tp X Bty.	1.	Left Edge. E.485031 N 329122. Right edge. E485231.N329122.		60 per Tp.	C.D.F. ~~Red~~ Red over Red.
F.Tp.X Bty		Left edge. E 485815.N 329440. Right edge. E486019.N 329440.		60 per Tp.	
2 Det Mortar. 858276	2.	855288		20 per Det.	C.D.F.Task.
2 Det.Mortar. 862286		867288		20 per Det	C.D.F.Task.
2 Det Mortar. 859285.		860292.		20 per Det.	C.D.F.Task.

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FIRE PLAN. Contd.

Sub.Unit.	Location.	Target Area.	Nature of Amm.	No of Rds for 5Min.	Remarks.
1.A.A.Gun.	859268				A.A.Task.
1.A.A.Gun.	854269	7			
1.A.A.Gun	849271				
1.A.A.Gun	857264				
A.Coy	865 1.864291. =±±±±±= 863292.	865295.867293 865295		125	C.D.F.
	862291	863293			TASK.
	868287	3 869287			
	864287	865291.868298.			
CARRIER.	859284	Cabbage Valley 855286			
	859284	D.Wire. 858286			NIGHT
	859283	Behind Palm Hill		125.	C.D.F.
	855275	6 Hill 855281			TASK.
	855275	Wire 853276			
	855275	Slope 851278.			
D.COY	861288	858287			
	858286	859288			
	±±±±±=	4		125	CDF TASK.
	857285	857287			
	±±± 856284	876288			
B.COY	851288	853289			
	852288	5. 850289			
	853288	853289		125	C.D.F.Task
	853285	852287			

8. (a) Field Works.
Weapon pits and crawl trenches will be dug as narrow as possible consistent with local conditions, and 3' 9" to 4'9" in depth.
Weapon pits will be connected by crawl trenches to form sec posts, but sec posts will NOT be connected to form Pl localities.

(b) Priority of work.
Digging to weapon stage, then crawl trenches.
Protective wire.
Clearing.
Tactical wire.
Road building, A.Tk obstacles.
Laying of templates for mines.

(c) Wire.
Wiring will be of the double apron type in most places, with a coil of concertina in the apron.
Barbed wire may be used instead of concertina.
In swamps and tin mine areas a triple concertina fence may be erected.

(d) Demolitions.
Plan for demolitions will be issued in the form of an App.

(e) Pnr Pl Tasks
(1) Supervise construction of Bn HQ area.
(11) Supervise construction of culverts and roads in Bn HQ and B Ech area.
(111) Prevent enemy penetration from the direction of KOTA TINGGI.

9. (a) Obstacles.
The following A/Tk obstacle will be constructed by improving natural obstacles and ditching.
Fwd obstacle from SUNGEI JEMALUANG 865294-MERSING RD 863292-Tin Mine area 858287-S.W. corner of rubber 852286-Tin mine area 847290.
Rear obstacle. Creek 8527 to tin mine area in 8627, to be joined by a ditch near Br 860281.
The obstacles will be strengthened by revetting the ditches and erecting concertina wire.

(b) A.Tk.Mines. will be placed round the perimeter of fwd pls of "A", "D" and "B" Coys which are fwd of A.Tk ditch.
Mines will also be placed in the wire and at Rd blocks on the MERSING, KOTA TINGGI and KLUANG rds.

(c) A.Pers. Mines. The following policy will be observed in laying A.Pers mines:-
(1) They will be laid in areas that can be distinguished by our own tps.
(11) They will be used to deny ground to enemy that is not of use to own tps.
(111) Mines will be carefully surveyed in and plotted on Bn Fire Plan Map.
(1v) Allocation A & B Coys 120 each
D Coy 60
HQ Coy 50
A Tk obstacle 50
Bn Res 100

10. Adm. Adm Order No 1 is issued in conjunction with O.O. No.1

11. INTERCOMN. BN HQ 858274
Signal Plan is issued as an app.
C.D.F. EAST of MERSING RD. Red over Green.
C.D.F. WEST of MERSING RD. Red over Red.

ACK. 900hrs 13 Dec.

L Hughes Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn

Distribution:-

A Coy No 1 — HQ A Tank No 6 — Qm No 11.
B Coy No 2 — X Bty No 7. — Sig Offr No 12
C Coy No 3 — Co. No 8 — Field No 13 & 14
D Coy No 4 — T.O No 9 — Dalgety No 15-16
HQ Coy No 5 — RMO No 10 — Base 17, 18, 19, 20.

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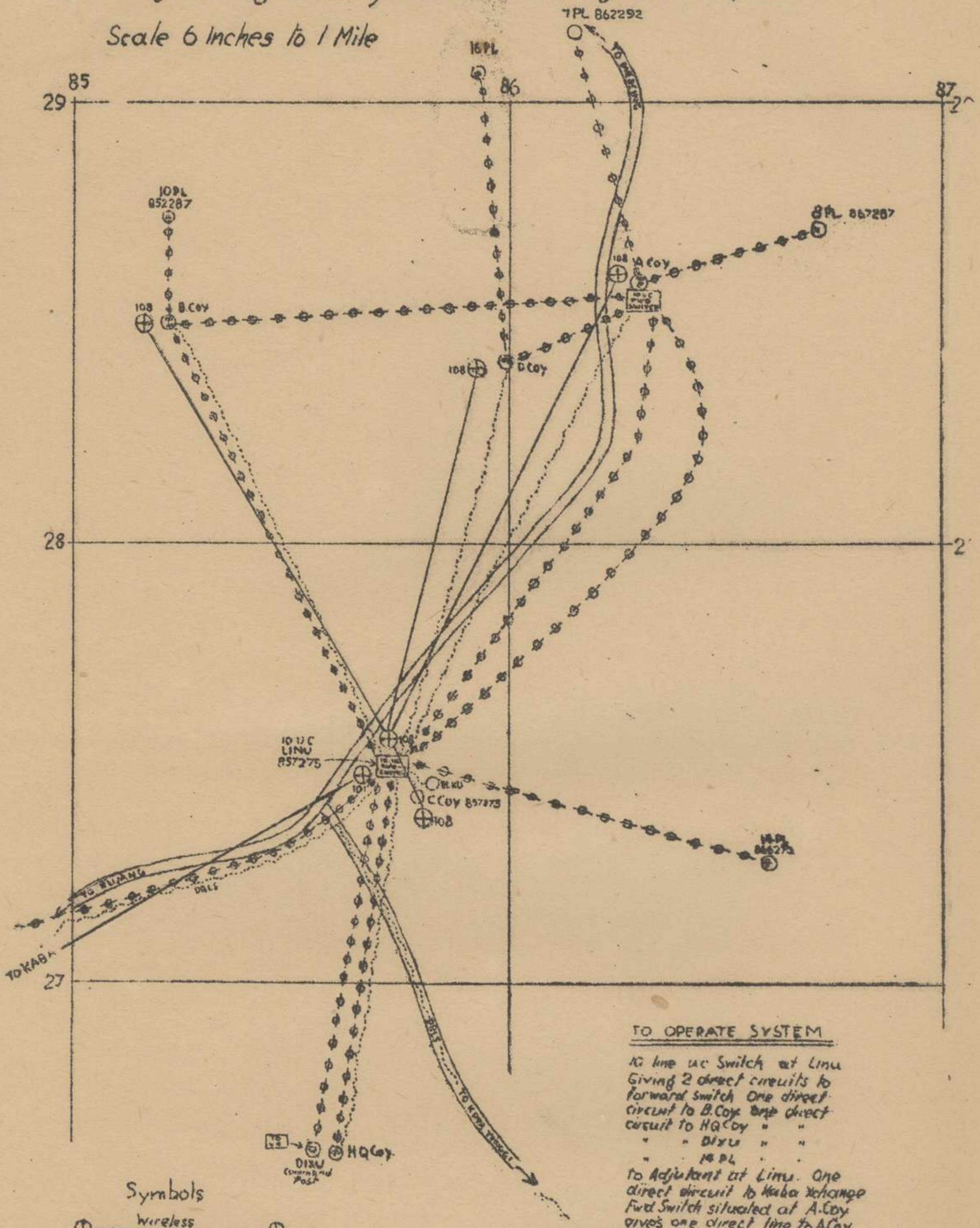
Signal Plan Jemaluang Area. Issued in conjunction with O.O.1

Scale 6 Inches to 1 Mile



Symbols

- Wireless
- Line poled
- Line
- Telephone D 5 B
- 10 line Switch 10 U/C
- Coy & PL. H.Qs.
- Orderly & DRLS

TO OPERATE SYSTEM

10 line u/c Switch at Linu Giving 2 direct circuits to forward switch One direct circuit to B.Coy one direct circuit to HQ Coy " "
" - DIXU " "
" 16 PL . .
to Adjutant at Linu. One direct circuit to Kuba Xchange Fwd Switch situated at A.Coy gives one direct line to A Coy
" " " " " B.Coy
" " " " " B Coy
which will not operate when direct line from B.Coy to Linu is serviceable.....
PLS 7 & 8 connected omnibus circuit to additional D5 at A.Coy. HQs PL 16, connected exclusive service between PL HQs & B.Coy HQs.....
10 P L connected exclusive service to B.Coy HQs.....

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2/19 Bn A.I.F.
MALAYA.
1 Dec 41.

ALL COYS and R.S.M.

SECURITY MEMO NO. 1.

1. All cameras and diaries will be packed today in Officers trunks and men's kit bags and returned to Base. Pl.Cmndrs and R.S.M. will inspect all field kit to see this has been done.

2.

2. All text books, notebooks containing information except F.S.P.Bs., pamphlets on Japanese army and air force will be boxed under coy. arrangements for immediate return to base.

3. All secret documents having no further use will be burnt.

4. All men will carry Pay books at all times.

5. All men will be warned that if taken prisoner they will only give name, rank and number . No other information whatsoever.

L Hughes
..... Capt.
(L.Hughes)
Adjt.2/19 Bn A.I.F.

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War Diary

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2/19 Bn A I F Malaya
30 Nov 41

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION.

1. This instruction is issued tentatively and will only be put into effect if it is necessary to evacuate the camp and occupy Battle stations.
2. General Outline. All tents will be struck except Officers Mess Ten Officers trunks, O/Rs kit-bags and personal gear etc. will be stacke in Officers Mess Tent. All accommodation stores will be dumped in areas detailed below. All W.E. will be taken to Battle stations. Rations etc. and B Echelon will move to B Ech area.
3. Arrangements have been made for non operational stores to be moved in following priority:- (a) Officers Trunks and O/Rs kit bags.
   (b) Mess property.
   (c) Accommodation Stores.
4. The evacuation will be carried out as follows:-
   (a) Vehicles will be loaded with W.E., rations etc.
   (b) Men's kit bags will be completely stacked in Officers Mess Marquee together with Officers' Trunks.
   (c) Tents will be struck, 80 tents required for field will be stacked EAST end "B" Coy lines. The remainder will be stacked in present A Tk Bty camp area.
   (d) Accommodation stores, other than furniture, will be stacked in Attap YMCA hut. Furniture will be stacked near water point.
5. Tents will be taken in the field and allotted as follows:-

Each Rifle Coy---13	(1 each sec, Pl HQ and Coy HQ)
No.1 Pl	2
2 Pl	2
3 Pl	4
4 Pl	3
5 Pl	2
6 Pl	9
Coy HQ	1
Bn HQ	5

6. Transport:- As allocated below during the occupation of the area only:-

C.O.s Car------1---		H3
I Officer	1	H4
Bn Office Van	1	H5
Bn 2 i/c	1	A1
T.O.	1	Q1
Q.M.	1	Q2
Sigs	1	R1
Pioneers	2	K15-R2
Ambulance	3	H6-H7-AA4
RMO	1	M1
Reserve SAA	5	A3-4-5B3-4
Res Mortar	4	Q3-4-5-6
Petrol	1	Q10
Res Rations	2	H8-Q15
Coy Q.Ms	5	A2-B2-C2-D2 HQ Coy AA1
Div Pool	6	Q14, AA2-3, B1 C1 D1
Tp Carrying	15	M2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9 B5 C 3-4-5 D3-4-5
Water Trucks	2	Q7-8

For the purpose of moving out to Battle stns. Tpt officer will allocate vehicles to Coys from the vehicles allocated to troop carrying on the following scale:- Rifle Coys--3 each.
HQ Coy 6

The trucks will be unloaded quickly on roadside and will report back to the Tpt office as soon as possible, having the problem of traffic congestion in mind at all times.

(Over)

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7. S A A S A A will be taken into the field as issued to Coys now; the remainder will be Bn reserve and will be loaded in composite loads on the vehicles allocated for that purpose.

Mortar amn will be dumped with mortars except Bn Res which will be left on trucks allocated for that purpose.

Grenades will be issued later as ordered.

8. WORKING PARTIES.

(a) Each Coy will be responsible for its own work as set down in para 4

D Coy will strike Sjts Mess tents
A Coy will strike tents Officers lines.
B Coy will supply any duties required by Q.M.

(b) Q.M. will be responsible for supervision of dump in Y M C A Hut, Tent Dump and Furniture Dump. He will detail a responsible N C O for the supervision of each Dump.

(c) Working parties will handle all stores carefully, stacking with economy of space and sectionised where possible.

9. Asst Adjt will supervise the movement of N A A F I and Regtl Tailor to Be Ech area. Tpt will be provided by T.O. after Coys have moved to Battle stations.

L Hughes

Capt.
(L.Hughes) Adjt 2/19 Bn AIF.

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ARMY FORM C-2121 (Large)
(Pads of 100)

MESSAGE FORM.

CALL AND INSTRUCTIONS.	IN War diary	No. of Groups. GR.	Serial No.
	OUT		OFFICE DATE STAMP.

(ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

TO A, B, C, D, HQ Coy RSM, Hq. O.

FROM LIXA	Originator's Number. 0.7	Date. 1	In reply to Number.

Kitbags will be Trucks will be suitcases readied books arrangement ⊙ Test Coy parked Trucks loaded and in ⊙ Tpt allocated A Coy Q10 is Q B6 as. C Coy D Coy QD6 B Coy Q15 M4 Bn HQ M2 HQ Coy M3 Officer trucks Officer ord Sgt Mess M6

Truck to for Officer M7 Officer lines will gear ⊙ will

Truck Coy HQ to call collect at test

Trucks at will 1800 report hrs To ⊙ be

Cameras in and gear packed must for be

gear etc ⊙ under be lines follow Q12 M5. Q13 ⊙ report

each books Loaded

included

THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN BY ANY MEANS

SIGNED J Hughes Capt

IT IS LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS. THIS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER.

SIGNED

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS AS TO DEGREE OF PRIORITY

TIME OF ORIGIN. 1610

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

System in	Time in	Reader	Sender	System out	Time out	Reader.	Sender.	System out	Time out	Reader.	Sender.

T. H. I.

T. O. R.

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PART. A.

FIELD RETURN OTHER RANKS.

6. 12. 41

DETAIL.	ESTABLISHMENT.	POSTED.	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY.	
W.O.Cl.I.	1	1			
W.O.Cl.II.	6	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5	7	2		
Sergeants.	~~30~~ 34	34			
Corporals.	~~60~~ 70	70			
Group I.	1	1			
Group. II.	~~43~~ 53	41	1	13	
Group. III.	42	25	2	19	
Privates.	634.	655	21		
TOTAL.	~~831~~ 846.	840	26	32	

PART. "E".

Difference between this and previous Return.

(a). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. 840 (Excludes personnel on "X" list, but includes detachments.

(b). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. previous week 825

(c). DIFFERENCE of 15

(d). DETACHMENTS. Number of personnel detached for duty in cluded in (a). 13

CASUALTIES FOR WEEK ENDED. 6. 12. 41

MARCHED IN.

From HOSPITAL 7

" DETENTION

Transfers from OTHER UNITS. 1

From. G.B.D. 20

OTHER REASONS.

MARCHED OUT.

To HOSPITAL 9

To DETENTION

Transfers to OTHER UNITS. 4

OTHER REASONS

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

7/19 Bn (*Unit*) 6 Dec 19 41 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
NX 14955 Sjt Bunchee H S	2/2 A.P.C.	NX 53761 Dvr Nelsen J	2/2 Aust Dy Bde
NX 53631 Gnr Neil D J	2/3 A.F.D.	NX 25267 Gnr Brown H J	2/4 A.F.D.
NX 54037 Gnr Glendenning G NX 25126 Gnr Spencer H	Do	NX 53612 Gnr Willoughby R	2/2 Aust Fd Wksp

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

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

7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen. etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.									Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.		
Bricklayers																			
Butchers																			
Carpenters and Joiners														1		1			
Clerks														1		1			
Despatch Riders																			
Draughtsmen (topo)																			
Drivers H.T. and/or T.C.														17		17			
Electricians																			
Farriers														1		1			
Fitters																			
Masons																			
Painters and Decorators																			
Plumbers and Gasfitters																			
Saddlers and Harness Makers ..																			
Signallers														12		12			
Storemen technical																			
Vickers Machine Gunners																			
Cooks							1		1										
							2		2										
General duty personnel			2				21		23										
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)			2				24		26					32		32			

7/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

6-11-41 ..... *Date of Despatch.*

J Hyslop Capt ..... *Signature of Commander.*

7 Bde 9 Div Jerusalem ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.*

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

2/19 Bde ..... (*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	**Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	3		
Captains	10		
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants	23		
Quartermasters	1		
Totals ..	38		

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Lieut	Watson R	A 2 3	1 12 41	x Gordon Highlanders
Lieut	Dunstan NS	1	1 12 41	x do

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Newton RS	A 2 2	29 11 41	To Shepparton Det
Capt	Keegan RB	1	5 12 41	To AFV School

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CBW	AIF	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34993	BRADLEY BHJ	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
Capt.	NX 70191	SINELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DHC	"	YES	
	NX [illegible]	NEWTON [illegible]	"	[illegible]	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 25072	KEEGAN RW	"	No	AFV Course
	NX 25079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 70169	THOMAS RE	"	No	Sick OCTU
	NX 12599	MACDONALD HCH	"	YES	
	NX 12551	BRAUND FN	"	No	Sick 2nd Echelon
	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
T/Capt.	NX 34869	FALLAW C	"	YES	
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FC	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AC	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	GOLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	IBBOTT ACG	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDG	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 58094	WEILY JC	"	YES	
	NX 6090	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 76768	HOWARD JA	"	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.
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	AIF	29 4 40	RMO
Lieutenant	NX 38675	WARDLE-GREENWOOD H	"	14 2 41	2/2 Pnr Bn

J Hughes

7th Bde
Unit.

7 12 41
Date of Despatch.

Capt. Lt Col
Signature of Commander.

2 Bde 2 Div Troops
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

2/19 Bn (Unit).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt	N× 5211 0	BENNETT GR	A I F	YES	
Nx	N× 59618	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
Nx	N× 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	No	Det to Bde
Nx	N× 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	No	"
	N× 12538	ELASSON DJR	"	YES	
	N× 12593	WALKER GH	"	No	Det HQ AIF
	N× 52464	DAVIDSON NS	"	YES	
	N× 70159	AUSTIN R×VL	"	YES	
	N× 35574	GODFREY DDH	"	No	Ldg Det Dunlop

(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.

9/19 Bn
Unit.

7 11 41
Date of Despatch.

J Hughes
Capt
Adjt. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.
Signature of Commander.

2 i/c

2nd Div Reinforcements
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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SECRET. COPY NO. 15

2/19 Bn.;A.I.F. Malaya
6 Nov.41.

ORDERS FOR DIS ERSION FROM TENTED CAMP-JEMALUANG.

1. INFORMATION. It is anticipated that the Bn will be in the state of No.1 degree of readiness before bombing is possible, but there is always the possibility of an attack without warning. In the absence of A.A. Guns in this vicinity, and assuming that the enemy are in possession of information re the location of the camp, it may be assumed that low level bombing may be the first type of attack, and that after dispersion and the erection of tripods for Brens the attacks may be made from a greater altitude.

2. INTENTION. To disperse the Bn quickly from the Camp area.

3. METHOD. The four rifle Coys will disperse to the edges of the rubber as indicated on the sketch issued. Bn HQ and A Tk Bty will remain in the Camp area.
"A" Coy will disperse to the North and in vicinity of X Rd to the tin mine area(853297). O.C. Coy will organise the Coy move so that the role of anti-parachute troops may be undertaken at once. This will require all small arms to be taken out on the initial move.
"B" Coy will disperse in the direction of the No.10 Pl defences.
"C" Coy will disperse along the Eastern edge of the rubber(858295)
"D" Coy will move to the S.E. corner of the rubber(859289)
HQ Coy less No.4 Pl will disperse in the area between Main Rd through Camp and X road(855295).
No.4 Pl will immediately move out to para troop tasks previously recced.
A Tk Bty will disperse in present Camp area.
8 Div Sigs and Royal Corps of Sigs vehicles will disperse in the camp area on the SOUTH side.

4. ADMN. Cooks and kitchen staff will find cover in immediate vicinity of the kitchen areas, and will proceed with the preparation of food with as little delay as possible. One cook or mess orderly will picket the kitchen and food stores at all times.

5. Guards will remain on their posts.

6. Transport will be opened to greater intervals in the space allotted in the rubber, excepting vehicles required to move "A" Coy. Vehicles required to move "A" Coy will move to X-road and come under comd OC "A" Coy.

7. Arrangements for rations will be as the situation allows.

8. R.A.P. at present location, i.e. at the entrance to camp. The hut may be evacuated, but R.A.P. will operate in that vicinity.

9. Coys will disperse with all small arms & personal weapons with personnel.

10. Coys will arrange to picquet Coy stores etc..

11. Stretcher bearers will be allotted 2 per Coy., remainder report at RAP. One S.B. Cpl will report to Bn HQ.

12. All personnel in camp without specific task will report to RSM, who will detail extra personnel to act as stretcher-bearers if necessary.

13. All personnel will take clothing, boots and equipment when ordered to disperse.

14. RSM will detail Band and other personnel to passive air defence tasks/ in the camp area

INTERCOMM. Bn HQ-present location.
Motor Cycle orderlies:- 1 to Bn HQ;
1 to OC "A" Coy.
1 to O.C. No.4 Pl.
1 to RAP.
100 W/T sets to A,B,C,D Coys, No 4 Pl and Bn HQ.

R F Oakes Maj.
(R.F.Oakes) for Lt Col.
Comdg.

Distribution: No 1-A Coy
2-B Coy
3-C Coy
4.D Coy
5-HQ Coy
6-C.O.
7. Tpt O.
8-A Tk Bty.
9-8 Div Sigs
10- Royal Corps Sigs.
11-Q.M.
12-C.O.
13-File
14-File

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19/128.

2/19 Bn A.I.F.
MALAYA.
29 Nov 41.

ALL COYS. O INSTRUCTION 1.

1. All personnel will move under arms at all times - Mags not charged.

2. No troops will leave camp except ~~xxxxx~~ on duty.

3. Each coy. except C Coy will increase Quarter Guard to 1 NCO and 6 O/Rs, on e post on Coy stores and one roving post on Coy lines.

4. Officers will move in pairs,armed, or accompanied by armed orderly.

5. Officers will be armed and equipped at all times,except when taking exercise or asleep.

6. All guards have been doubled.

7. O.C. Carrier Pl will decide on a Carrier Patrol towards KOTA TINGGI but will not send it until receipt of a further order.

LHughes Capt.
Adjt. 2/19 Bn A.I.F. Malaya.

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PART. A. FIELD RETURN OTHER RANKS. 13-12-41

DETAIL.	ESTABLISHMENT.	POSTED.	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY.	
W.O.Cl.I.	1	—		1	
W.O.Cl.II.	6	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5	7	2		
Sergeants.	~~30~~ 33	35	2		
Co porals.	~~68~~ 70	71	1		
Group I.	~~1~~ 1	1			
Group. II.	~~45~~ 53	40	1	14	
Group. III.	~~45~~ 42	24		18	
Privates.	~~654~~ 565	590	25		
TOTAL.	~~822~~ 776	774	31	33	

PART. "E".

Difference between this and previous Return.

(a). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. 774 (Excludes personnel on "X" list, but includes detachments.

(b). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. previous week 840

(c). DIFFERENCE of 66

(d). DETACHMENTS. Number of personnel detached for duty in cluded in (a). 8

CASUALTIES FOR WEEK ENDED. 13-12-41

MARCHED IN.

From HOSPITAL 5

" DETENTION

Transfers from OTHER UNITS.

From. G.B.D.

OTHER REASONS.

MARCHED OUT.

To HOSPITAL 4

To DETENTION

Transfers to OTHER UNITS. 5

G.B.D.

OTHER REASONS 62

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

Nigbn (*Unit*) 13 12 1941 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
VX14955 Sjt		NX53367 Pte	2/4
HE BURCHELL	A A P C	H J BROWN	A F A WKS
VX53826 Cpl		NX53268 Pte	
J F NEIL	2/3 A F A WKSHPS	J MELONNEY	22 Aust Tnr Bde
VX56037 Pte		NX55612 Cpl	
C CLENDENNING	Do	P R WELLINGTON	8 Div Postal Unit
NX35752 Pte		NX25134 Pte	
N G FLACK	Do	SPEARS M	2/5 Fd Hygiene Sect
VX60096 JAMES Pte	Do		

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

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

2/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers															1		1	
Butchers															1		1	
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks																		
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Signallers															13		13	
Storemen technical															1		1	
Vickers Machine Gunners							1		1									
Cooks						1		1										
Driver Mechanics															16		16	
General duty personnel			2		2	1	25		30	1							1	
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)			2		2	1	26		31	1					32		33	

2/19 Bn ..... *Unit.*

1st Dec 41 ..... *Date of Despatch.*

A Waghe ..... Capt. A/Coe
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/19 Battalion
Signature of Commander.

2 Bde & Div Troops ..... *Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.*

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

2/19 Bde .....(*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	**Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	3		
Captains	12	2	
Lieutenants	23	"	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
Totals ..	40	2	

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Keegan R.W.	A.D.S.	7.12.41	Ex AFV Course
"	Butcher W.P.	"	8.12.41	Ex 19 AC HQ on Leave
"	Newton R.J.	"	9.12.41	Ex GB Depot

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	NX 12545	ANDERSON GGW	AIF	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34903	BRADLEY BHJ	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
Capt	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DMC	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 34734	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 35072	KEEGAN RJ	"	YES	
	NX 35079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 12594	BRACHER WP	"	YES	
	NX 12599	MACDONALD HCH	"	YES	
	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34869	FALLAW C	"	YES	
	NX 70189	THOMAS RE	"	NO	DEL OCTU
	NX 12551	BRAND FN	"	NO	SIG SCH Duntroon
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FC	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PA	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AG	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	COLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	IBBOTT ACG	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDE	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 56096	WELLY JC	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JA	"	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.
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	AIF	29/7/41	R/O
Chaplain	VX 38675	WARDLE-GREENWOOD A	"	14/8/41	2/19 Bn

2/19 Bn
Unit.

14 - 12 - 41
Date of Despatch.

Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg 2/19 Bn. Capt. A/Coe
Signature of Commander.

22 Bde & Div Troops
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

2/4 Bord .....(*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	NX 26768	HOWARD JA	R IF	YES	
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	YES	
	NX 56611	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	NX 70536	GIBSON DJR	"	YES	
	NX 52464	DAVIDSON NS	"	YES	
	NX 70156	AUSTIN RWL	"	YES	
	NX 24926	JOHNSON RV	"	NO	Sec 22 Bde
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	NO	Sec 22 Bde
	NX 12593	WALKER GH	"	NO	Sec HQ AIF
	NX 25574	GODFREY DDH	"	NO	Sec 2/4 Fd Amb

(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.

7/9 Bn
Unit.

14 12 41
Date of Despatch.

A. Hughes Capt.
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 7/9 Bn. A.I.F. Lt Col
Signature of Commander.

22 Bde 6 Div Reinforcements
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	NX 12595	ANDERSON CGH	AIF	YES	
Major	NX 12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX 34992	BRADLEY PHJ	"	YES	
	NX 34967	VINCENT TG	"	YES	
Capt	NX 70191	SHELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 70233	DUNCAN DJM	"	YES	
	NX 34932	COUSENS CH	"	YES	
	NX 34734	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 35072	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
	NX 35079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	~~YES~~ NO	Det. J.M.F
	NX 12594	BRACHER WP	"	YES	
	NX 12599	MACDONALD HCH	"	YES	
	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34869	FALLAW C	"	YES	
Capt	NX 70189	THOMAS RE	"	NO	Det. OCTU
	NX 12591	BRAUND FN	"	No	Sick 2/4 Depot
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERLEY FC	"	YES	
	NX 34742	NEILD FGF	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AC	"	YES	
	NX 34925	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	GOLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	IRRETT ACG	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDG	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY TM	"	YES	
	NX 5809	WELLY JG	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JR	"	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.
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	AIF	24 7 41	R/O
Captain	VX 38675	HARDIE GREENWOOD H	"	14 8 41	2/4 Bn

2/19 Bn
Unit.

21 Aug 41
Date of Despatch.

A Hughes Lt Col
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F.
Signature of Commander.

22 Bde 8 Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	NX 26768	HOWARD JR	AIF	YES	
	NX 54110	BENNETT GR	"	YES	
	NX 50618	RITCHIE JA	"	YES	
	NX 12538	GLASSON DJR	"	YES	
	NX 52464	DAVIDSON NS	"	YES	
	NX 70159	AUSTIN RWL	"	YES	
	NX 35243	QUINLAN JE	"	YES	
	NX 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	NO	Sick 2/2 Bde
	NX 70190	BATHGATE AF	"	NO	Sick 2/4 Bn
	NX 12593	WALKER GH	"	NO	Sick HQ AIF
	NX 35574	GODFREY DDH	"	NO	Sick 2/4 Bn

(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.

2/19 Bn
Unit.

21 12 41
Date of Despatch.

J Hughes Capt
Adjt. for LT-Col Commdg 2/19 Bn A.I.F. & Coe
Signature of Commander.

22 Bde (Dun Force)
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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7/19 Bn A I F ..... *Unit.*

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks																		
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers															1		1	
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers																		
Signallers															14		14	
Storemen technical															1		1	
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks							1		1									
General duty personnel				1		23			24					2			2	
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A)				1		24			25					2	32		34	

7/19 Bn
Unit.

21-12-41
Date of Despatch.

A Hughes Capt.
Adjt. for Lt. Col. Comdg 7/19 Bn. A.I.F.
Signature of Commander.

2 Bde 5 Div Jonahung
Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

2/19 Bn A.I.F. (*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
..... *			
..... *			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	3		
Captains	12	2	
Lieutenants	24	1	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
Totals ..	41	3	

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Lieut	Dunbar K.	A.I.F.	19/2/41	Ex G.H.D.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt.	Westbrook K.L.	A.I.F.	19/2/41	Des. F.M.F.

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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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

7/19 Bn A.I.F. (*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

* 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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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

PART. A. FIELD RETURN OTHER RANKS. 20.12.41

DETAIL.	ESTABLISHMENT.	POSTED.	SURPLUS	DEFICIENCY.	
W.O.Cl.I.	1	1			
W.O.Cl.II.	6	6			
C.Q.M.S.	5	6	1		
Sergeants.	~~30~~ 33	33			
Corporals.	~~60~~ 70	68		2	
Grcup I.	1	1			
Group.II.	~~43~~ 53	40.	1	14	
Group.III.	42	24.		18	
Privates.	~~634~~. 565	588	23		
TOTAL.	~~831~~. 776	767	25	34	

PART. "B".

Difference between this and previous Return.

(a). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. 767 (Excludes personnel on "X" list, but includes detachments.

(b). EFFECTIVE STRENGTH. as per Part A. previous week 774

(c). DIFFERENCE of 7

(d). DETACHMENTS. Number of personnel detached for duty in cluded in (a). 9

CASUALTIES FOR WEEK ENDED. 20.12.41

MARCHED IN.

From HOSPITAL 1

" DETENTION

Transfers from OTHER UNITS.

From. G.B.D. 2

OTHER REASONS.

MARCHED OUT.

To HOSPITAL 7

To DETENTION

Transfers to OTHER UNITS. 3

OTHER REASONS

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

7/19 Bn (*Unit*) 20-12-1941 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
No 1149 Sgt H S Burchell	AIF PC	No 2513 Pte H Symons	7/8 Battalion
No 5286 Pte J J Rice	7/3 AFA	No 35806 Pte HL Forrest	6 Aust C
No 3637 Pte G Glendenning	do	No 35349 Pte Stringer JAS	do
No 2572 Pte Hall	do	No 6715 Pte DR Waugh	do
No 6096 Pte JA Jones	do		
No 5267 Pte ZJ Brand	7/4 AFA		
No 5268 Pte J McInerney	22 Tpt Pln		
No 5612 Pte PR Wellington	5 Div Postal Unit		

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

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

2/1 Pnr

.....(*Unit*).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	**Posted** strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
*			
Lieut.-Colonels	1		
Majors	3		
Captains	11	3	
Lieutenants	24	1	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters	1		
Totals	40	2	

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

Part B.—Particulars of Officers Joined or Quitted during week.

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Westbrooks K L	A I F	25/6/41	From M F
1	Thomas K E	1	22/12/41	From CTY

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Bowen D J	A I F	23/12/41	To Hospital (Rem

Part C.—Description of Officers whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt. Col	NX12542	ANDERSON EGM	AIF	YES	
Major	NX12525	OAKES RF	"	YES	
	NX34993	BRADLEY BHJ	"	YES	
	NX34967	VINCENT FG	"	YES	
Capt	NX 70191	SNELLING RRL	"	YES	
	NX 70223	DUNCAN DMc	"	YES	
	NX 34734	NEWTON RWJ	"	YES	
	NX 35072	KEEGAN RW	"	YES	
	NX 35079	HUGHES L	"	YES	
	NX 34731	WESTBROOK KL	"	YES	
	NX 12564	BRACHER WP	"	YES	
	NX 12599	MACDONALD HCW	"	YES	
	NX 34662	HARRIS FL	"	YES	
T/Capt	NX 34669	FALLON C	"	YES	
Capt	NX 70189	THOMAS RE	"	YES	
	NX 12551	BRAUND FN	"	NS	Sec. 2nd Div. Sup.
Lieut	NX 34902	BEVERIDGE FC	"	YES	
	NX 34743	NEILD FGE	"	YES	
	NX 12527	REYNOLDS PR	"	YES	
	NX 34741	PICKUP AC	"	YES	
	NX 34935	GILL GA	"	YES	
	NX 12522	WILSON R	"	YES	
	NX 12534	COLLAN AB	"	YES	
	NX 12600	ABBOTT ACG	"	YES	
	NX 34960	BURT SF	"	YES	
	NX 12601	CRAWFORD BDG	"	YES	
	NX 70592	BRINDLEY JM	"	YES	
	NX 56094	WESLEY JG	"	YES	
	NX 60090	VARLEY JA	"	YES	
	NX 34768	HOWARD JH	"	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.
Capt	NX 35749	CAHILL RL	AIF	24.7.42	RMO
Chaplain	VX 32675	ARGYLE-GREENWOOD H	"	4.8.42	2/4 Bn.

2/4 Bn
Unit.

28.12.42
Date of Despatch.

Signature of Commander.

25 Bde
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.

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Part D.—Nominal Roll of Officers on Strength.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	N. 5410	BENNETT GR	A I F	YES	
	N. 5618	RITCHIE JM	"	YES	
	N. 12539	GLASSON DTR	"	YES	
	N. 5346	DAVIDSON NS	"	YES	
	N. 7015	AUSTIN RWL	"	YES	
	N. 35243	QUINLAN JE	"	YES	
	N. 34929	JOHNSON RV	"	NO	Sick to Base
	N. 7090	BATHGATE AF	"	NO	Do
	N. 12593	WALKER GH	"	NO	Sick to A I F
	N. 35574	GODFREY DDH	"	NO	Sick to Aust

(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.

7th Bde.
Unit.

28 IV 21
Date of Despatch.

Signature of Commander.

Lt Col

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

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen. etc.	Surplus to Establishment.									Reinforcements Required.								Remarks.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		Total.	
Bricklayers																		
Butchers																		
Carpenters and Joiners																		
Clerks																		
Despatch Riders																		
Draughtsmen (topo)																		
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																		
Electricians																		
Farriers																		
Fitters																		
Masons																		
Painters and Decorators																		
Plumbers and Gasfitters																		
Saddlers and Harness Makers ..																		
Signallers																		
Storemen technical																		
Vickers Machine Gunners																		
Cooks																		

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS.

9th Bde HQ (Unit).

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

* 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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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

2/19 Bn (*Unit*) 27 12 1941 (*Date*).

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

Part A.—Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishment).
W.Os. Class I	1		
W.Os. Class II	6		
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	5	1	
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants	33	1	
Corporals	70		1
Troopers, Privates, &c.	661		6
TOTALS ..	776	2	7

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

Part B.—Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

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

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

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

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