

**AWM52**  
**2nd Australian Imperial Force and**  
**Commonwealth Military Forces unit war**  
**diaries, 1939-45 War**

Item number: 8/2/4

4 Infantry Brigade  
November 1943, Appendices

14/6 to Nov 43

4 September

11 Sept

10/11

25 Nov 43

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|----------|------|------------|--|----------------------|
| 1        |      | MB Fd Comd | Sec 3 Div Pro moved with it the contrary   | Q178.                |
| 1 Sep 43 |      | MB Fd Comd | To instns. Sec will return MILNE BAY tomorrow  |                      |
| 2        | 0900 | MB Fd Comd | Sec 3 Div Pro under comd since 31 Jul. Being returned first available means  | O1 in reply to Q178. |
| 3        | 1415 | BM phone   | 4 Fd Coy & base 29/46 arriving tonight to be guided to 22 Bn + 29/46 Bn staging areas respectively   | Capt West Arranging  |
|          |      |            | 27/52 Bn moving - Bn less two coys vicinity, Capra shed - two coys vicinity, 860436 relieving 2 Coy 2/3 Pns on rd constn between 20 Bde & APO.   |                      |
| 4        | 0905 | BM         | Comd issued orders to C.O. 22 Bn to take over present role and dispositions of 2/13 Bn - role to hold line BUHEM river. Two pls in HOPOI MISSION area, coy at 052406 - One Coy at 052406 - one coy at 031396 - one coy at YELLOW BEACH - Bn HQ at 031396. Standing patrols at BUKAUA mission and track line 063395. Radar at HOPOI mission and at Cape ARKONA to be protected. 22 Bn to move along beach track. Packs to be dumped. At least 4 days rations to be taken. One 15 pr tp to support east of Bn. |                      |
| 5        | 1015 |            | Comd delivered orders to 29/46 Bn. To contact Lt Col Grace 2/15 & take over existing posns.  |                      |

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11 Sep 6	1215		BM	Comd issued orders to 37/5 Bn CO	See also Serial
7	1130		9 Div	37/5 Bn less two Coys will move to area vicinity Copra Shed 820424 SINGAUA plantation. Two Coys to move to vicinity C Coy 2/3 Pms for work on road 4 Aust 3d Amb will relieve 2/8 7d Amb and establish MDS	
8	0350			Order received by 20 Bde from 9 Div. Ref 1" map. 14 7d Regt and 4 7d Amb on arrival come under Comd CMA and ADMS 9 Aust Div respectively. 4 Bde will relieve 20 Bde commencing 11 Sep and completing earliest possible. 4 Bde will relieve 2/13 and 2/15 Bns with one Bn each and dispose one Bn in reserve in vicinity Bridge 922412 and will take over 20 Bde responsibilities and duties. Arty, Engrs, MG and Medical units now under comd of 20 Bde will pass to Comd and of 4 Bde. Above relief by mutual Bde arrangements. Relief as effected will be reported to HQ 9 Aust Div. 20 Bde on relief comes into Div reserve in area about	

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11 Sep 7				7745 where it will resume Comd 2/17 Bn. 20 Bde will move Bde HQ 2/13 & 2/15 Bns fwd as soon as each is relieved. Unit dumps of Sups & amm & ESB Craft how under Comd 20 Bde will be handed over to relief units. 4 Bde per sups will be taken into div res. Maintenance as for 20 Bde except that per bn 4 Bde draws from ASD per BUSO river.	See also Ser 11
9	1130		GI-9 Div	By phone. On 12 Sep 37/5 Bn less two Coys will move to COPRA shed SINGAUA plantation. Two Coys will move vicinity C Coy 2/3 Pms for work on road between APO and 20 Bde HQ. Ref 1/5000 Two Coys 860436. Bn HQ less two Coys 820424. 4 7d Amb will relieve 2/8 7d Amb will establish MDS 920402. One Lt Sec to establish ADS at YELLOW BEACH. One Coy at SINGAUA vicinity 37/5 Bn. 2/8 7d Amb to maintain one Lt Sec with 2/13, 2/15, 2/17 Bns. MDS prepare to move to fwd area	

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9	1130		Gr 9 Bn	3rd Coy move in up 20 Bde. Bn's sub unit of ESB will up 4 Bde until arrival 4th Coy. A Coy of MG remains under command 4 Bde. Coy Pms and all PIB how under command 20 Bde will come under command 4 Bde.		Received by Command 4 Bde.
10	1450		2/13 Bn	A+B Coys 22 Bn at YELLOW BEACH and C Coy gone through.		
11	0740		9 Div	14th Fd Regt + Fd Amb tender command CRA ADMS. 4 Bde relieve 20 Bde as early as possible. Bn to relieve 2/13 + 2/15 one bn reserve 922412. Artillery units + MG's under command from 20 Bde. Relief by mutual arrangements. Relief to be reported 9 Div. 20 Bde to div reserve area 7745 + resume command 2/17 Bn. <del>2/15</del> unit dumps sup + amms and ESB craft under command 20 Bde handed over. 4 Bde res supplies into div res. 4 Bde maintenance same as 20 Bde except that res bn draws from ASD on BUSO track.	048. BM.	See also Ser 9
12	1830		20 Bde	22 Bn HQ and one Coy arrived 2/13 Bn area. One Coy 2/13 Bn remains up command 22 Bn until moot food can be arranged. Two Coys 29/46 Bn relieved 2/15 Bn.		
13	0830		C.O. 29/46	C.O. advised relief of 2/15 Bn. Completed 2/15 Bn on move fwd.		by phone

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11	0700	1030	9 Bn	Div HQ closes present location 0730 hrs and reopens same time area 972434.		Message 0136
15	1135		9 Div II	Request of HQ 4 Bde + relief of HQ 20 Bde.		II.
16	1155		9 Div II	Ref receipt of 2/13 + 2/15 by 22-29/46 Bn. 5/15 Bn later moving to SINGAPOUR plantation.		II.
17	1700		29/46 Bn	Advised I.O. location of Bde HQ. + requested location statement from him. I.O. by phone.		
18	1235		29/46	29 locations HQ 926410 A 920455. <del>Retained C 945410 D 927428.</del>		
19	1400		22 Bn	22 locations HQ 029393 A 975400 HQ may move B. 037387 C 076418 Ipl 096404 D. 028409 Ipl 065389. Bn also advised of Bde HQ location.		
20	1535		to 9 Div	4 Bde Pro sec moved with Bde. Or MB Fd Command Request return Pro sec required for beach duties - request permission to retain personal to be warned about indiscriminate shooting. To be Court Martial offence.		
22	1345		CRE	When 4th Coy arrive CO to report to CO 2/13 Bn, mpr ref. Task to be road from RED Beach to BUNGA R.		
23	1445		Maj Reed	Trucks to be cleared from beach.		
24	1520		ESB.	20 Bde at 417425 + Bn at 97045		
25	1912			4th Coy OC Coy to canal. See entry 13 Sept. Oct.		
26	1900		9 Div	Strip advised location Coy 22 + 29		

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27	1925	Beach		Plane Biacobra (2) reported at last end REB beach crashed into sea 1230 hrs. Parachute seen to descend.	
28	0305	Moy 22bn		BHQ reports unless hot functioning. 4 craft seen offshore. B-D-HQ-A 4 c. possibly in posn	Hint McCabe Maj Reed beach comd.
29	0325	06. MLO.		22bn info 031395 report 4 up craft offshore at 2235 K/12.	
30	1906 1/2	SigO		Cannot communicate thru with 9 Div - through to Sig Centre. Message O2 not through.	O2 see ser 20.
31	2042	Lt Jones		4 Fd Coy under comd CRE Location to be made at CRE's direction	Phone.
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32	010	Left Boyd		Reported no 29/46 boats arrived.	BM, 29bn informed
33		Lt Jones		4 Fd Coy not arrived	
34	1130	9 div		please advise re passwords. I5. Sending s/heps at 1300 daily by DALS until other comm available	F
35	1415	9 div		Sitner to 1300K/13 I6.	
36	0310	Maj Reed		Reported message from 22 Bn 4 up craft moving off shore. Possibly part of 23 craft badly strafed when leaving MOROBÉ ]	Phone. Maj. Reed

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37		Beach Def		No of up small craft approaching east M4 posn and ready to challenge.	Phone
38	0815	Lt Jones	BM.	1000 L.O.B (9 div) arrived via LCT + LCI 2215 K/12. Also 4 Fd Coy	Verbal.
39	1120	Lt Whalen	BM	Japs counter attacked our fuel posns without success.	Verbal
40	1206	IO 29.	BM	Tracks and bay areas being mapped D Coy sent patrol to C Coy.	Verbal
41	1615	9 Div		37bn in res to 4 bde. 37bn less 2 coys to 8204 st. 2 coys 37 to vicinity present location C Coy 1/3 Pm. 2 Coys 37bn labour for RPF. Intercomm between dets to be est by 37bn who will maintain fac org. at all times incl when on labour & be prepared to move at all times short notice. Whole of bde when not on labour for fac. to continue trg. One bty 2/12 Fd Regt under comd 20 bde passes to 4 bde. 2 tps 2/12 Fd Regt + 1 tp 6 Fd Regt in support 24 + 26 Bdes. 14 Fd Regt less 1 tp, 2 tps 2/12 Fd Regt 1 tp 6 Fd Regt in res. RPF. 3 Fd Coy move in support 20 bde. Engr subunits 532 gp ESB in support of bde until arrival 4 Fd Coy. TNR. 1 Coy 2/3 Pm + sec PIB, passes from comd 20 bde to 4 bde MED. 4 Fd Amb, relief 8 Fd Amb + est MDS.	Passed to BM.

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			<p>area RED BEACH and east ADS one coy. vicinity 37 Bn. SINGAPOUR PLANTATION. &amp; maintain one Lt sec with each move fwd.</p>	<p>with one Coy YELLOW BEACH and ADS with one Coy SINGAPOUR PLANTATION. &amp; Fd Amb on relief will come in res 2/13 2/15 2/17 Bns, &amp; hold MDS ready to move fwd.</p>	
42	1615K	9 Div 0143.	<p>0011. INTENTION no change METHOD: than one bn on axis KAMKAMUN 6842 on axis SAMMIL 7044 - northern end objectives MALAHANG MISSION and 71742 will adv. 13 Sep in general westerly NEW YANGA 7341 - WACIAN 7140 - 24 bde will secure as first objective 716392 &amp; if situation permits will 712392. if necessary to enable by masking South end MALAHANG AIR BUSU R between 24 &amp; 26 bdes will river. 20 bde less 2/17 bn &amp; one coy to area APO-APO FISHING VILLAGE. 2/17 bn 0700 hrs. 1 Coy 2/13 bn will move at bn is ordered to move will be RFA. 34ps 2/17 Fd Regt 14ps 2/17 Fd Regt 24 &amp; 26 bdes. 24 bde arrange detail Outline plans 24 &amp; 26 bdes for 13 Sep read 0900K/13 to dis dump at 26 bde jeep labour in that area. 1 coy 37 bn ready to provide labour G beach Location of MDS. in command</p>	<p>26 bde will adv on LAF 13 Sep with not less - MALAHANG MISSION 7040 &amp; not less than 1 bn MALAHANG AIRFIELD 78420 with ultimate 2 immediately north of Airfield. 24 bde direction with right of sector line triangle of rds 707205 all incl to 24 bde the line rd <sup>717406</sup> - MALAHANG ANCHORAGE exploit to track junc 708405 - village westerly adv 24 bde will protect right flank FIELD with one bn. junc pt on east bank not be maintained after 26 bde cross 2/13 will move from present location 13 Sep will be at 1 hr's notice to move from first light to BUAE P R. area &amp; when 2/17 responsible for protecting gun area. comprising 14 guns will be in support of arty fire plan dired with arty LO dir HQ by 0700 hrs.. 1 coy 2/17 MG will move lead &amp; will provide local protection &amp; will move to TICKERENG 7843 and be as required by AQ. with planning</p>	<p>ACK I 7. 1630K/13 PM land.</p>
43	1715	Raman Acay 22			<p>As appx. Incl message W.D ACK I 8 1630K/13. Supplied.</p>

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44	1340	Col Rose.		HQ Coy, A Coy & Paul C Coy <sup>29/46 Bn</sup> put off MILNE BAY this morning for Bde HQ 17, A Coy, <sup>Paul</sup> C Coy & Paul HQ Coy.	at MOROBE. 4 Fd Coy leaving MOROBE. Total at MOROBE. On LST personnel 308.		
45	1353	BM	60 29/46.	Balance of Bu at MOROBE			Phone.
46	1425	Adj 2 Bn		Enquiry re amm & rations.			To Capt S.C.
47	1430	Capt West		General Alarm <sup>at night</sup> for approaching of firing of Profers & TAA guns.	hostile barges or boats commencement		Phone.
48	1910	22	I 13.	Sitrep to 1800 H/13.			
49	1920	22	I 14	Sitrep to 1900 H/13. C Coy. Patrols sent BUKAWA 1600	arrived 140001, 1500 hrs H/13.		Verbal from Capt Dwyer.
50	2005	Capt Dwyer.		37 attempt move to G Beach. A+B at APD & may move Div HQ 805548. 14 Fd Regt almost completed. Winaway stay. Line from 37 to sig attempted. Col Rowan met G1 LAE 6" guns silenced by Indep for 36 hrs. Slight casualties AAA guns mounted prepared to locations But HQ 823436 HQ Coy B Coys 855422 ref one inch LAE. 20 Bde less 4/17 Bn will in Div Reserve.	new <sup>D</sup> Coy at G beach Call HQ to HQ as soon as possible. moving fwd by road. Strip beamerangs landed by did not Centre. Comm to beach being at Div and fwd messages to div. Coy or bombing - have not fired in raid 13 Sep. Barges with take <sup>equip etc</sup> fwd.		
51	2025	37/52		Locations But HQ 823436 HQ Coy B Coys 855422 ref one inch LAE. 20 Bde less 4/17 Bn will in Div Reserve.	82437 Coy 822435 D Coy TRAZ A+		per Capt Dwyer. Sitmap
52	2248	9 Div		in Div Reserve.	move 14 Sep to 4/17 Bn area		
53	2310	9 Div		Small parties of TAPS moving will keep close watch for particularly scrutinise all	about in div area. All units enemy groups and will tracks in their areas.		Rptd units O7 0305 H/14
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45	0315		22 29 37	Div 0115 rptd units.			
54				Mg. 6 Bty.			



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46. 55	0445.	9 Div			<p>OO No 12 / INTENTION. 9 Div will 14 Sep. METHOD 26 bde will adv with KANKANUM 6842 / BUTIDUM 7040 and SAWMILL 7044 to incl <sup>new</sup> southern end objective BITIBUM and southern fringe sector incl NEW YANGA 7344 incl MALAHANG AIRFIELD incl WACIAN 719408 will capture first objective WACIAN ANCHORAGE 715392 and second incl rd to bn 702399 then east with view to crossing R BITIBUM st bde will protect right flank AIRFIELD with one bn. fine pt be maintained. 2/17 bn in div bank. R BUSU earliest practicable with 1 coy which will hold at all deny enemy coastal track &amp; to in res 738402 for protection less 2/17 bn &amp; 2 coys 13 bn will move morning 14 Sep prepare to move res. Coy 2/13 bn will remain area R BUREP. RAAF. 3 tps 2/12 16 guns in support 26 &amp; 24 bdes CRA. etc.</p>	<p>continue advance on <del>the</del> LAE not less than one bn on axis not less than one bn on air axis MALAHANG AIRFIELD with ultimate forest 717422 O st bde with right of suspected enemy locality southern end hence incl rd to bn 702399 hence incl rd to MALAHANG objective MALAHANG MISSION hence bank R BITIBUM to coast at 703388 and attacking WAK. If necessary by making South end MALAHANG between 26 &amp; 24 bdes will not res will move to west 14 Sep and take over NEW YANGA costs est one coy 735398 to maintain remainder of bn beachhead &amp; bridgehead. 20 bde by coastal rd to R BUREP to west bank R BUSU in div in div res protecting fd gun Fd Regt. 1 tp 6 fd regt total 1 tp 155mm of 6 fd regt under</p>	<p>BM Cond Sitmap</p>
47 56	0445.	9 Div			<p>WO. LOB of 20 24 &amp; 26 bdes + 1 coy 2/12 MG at one hours notice from 0800 K/14. Hence D beach. movement of stores of</p>	<p>bn will be prepared to move Probable moves to staging area APO MG Coy as arranged by D.</p>	<p>ACK <sup>08</sup> <del>08</del> 0515K/24 Serial K06 of 66</p>

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57 48	0730	H bde	9 div	37/52 locations 1600K/13. Bu HQ 828406	HQ Coy 82437 C Coy 82435 D Coy	ref map corrected I 8.
58	2150K/13			29/7843 A+B Coys 855443. Enemy air raid in progress 2 planes. 1 of our planes bombs dropped	about 2 miles west about intercepted nil result - 9	
59	1047K/14	29/46		From C Coy 2 parachutists descending crashed. Unable to contact A Coy	vicinity <del>of</del> <sup>MEANT in 89 9446.</sup> where ufi plane yet but patrol sent.	Forward div. O9. 1100K/14. Phone.
60	1057	29/46		1 parachutist descending 5 miles beach and control centre.	inland between track from	Phone
61	1100	H bde	9 div	ufi aircraft crashed approx 2 miles 1040 hrs. Two parachutists descending	East of village 945419 at approx 29/3946. Patrols investigating	
62	1145	I 2 v Bn.		Location state. Bu HQ 031394 HQ 04040 B036397 10pl 043390 11pl 032396 C076417	5 1pl <del>04040</del> <sup>031394</sup> 4pl Buso 2 A978400 15pl 098404 D05425 16, 065389.	Phone.
63	1200	A Coy v r		ref gap papers found 962377	also medical supplies.	To be fwd 9 Div.
64	1300	H bde	9 div v r	litner to 1300 K/14.		
		I 9.	2937.			
65.	1300	I 10.	9 div	ref map Buso 1/25000. Herewith docu occupied JAP post at 962397. collected from same area.	ments collected from previously covering note to Jap Also samples JAP medical supplies papers + medical supplies found	9 Div. DRLS. 1400K/14.
66	1435	9 Div. O177.		up 0166. to move before 0800hrs Jap.	15 Sept.	
67	1500.	I 2 v Bn.		Twin engine bomber discovered Plane entirely burnt - 2 crew Parachutists.	by patrol A Coy v r Bn at 989424 <sup>1400K/14</sup> Phone. 29/46 Div O10 incinerated. No sign of	
68	1510	O 10.	9 div	Serial 6. ref our sig of 14 Sep. twin engine bomber burnt out @ other 2 not yet located.	Aircraft found 989424 Jap 2 members of crew incinerated	
69	1700	Maj Gen Beach Ref		Password LINOLEUM		to Bus Duty 10.
70	1705	22 29		Password to 1300 K/15	LINOLEUM.	

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71	1745	Zint Proff 29/56/16m		14 Sep advised to have bridge over at	MERRY - no further details - enfm. later. I.O.	
72	1715	96W 0147		Sitrep 14 to 2000K/12. 24 bde. A Coy 2/38 lead area. 2/43 bn west YANCA track YANCA 732711 where TAPS have at head eliminated YANCA PLANTATION area 750406. 26 bde. no change despite have constructed. Airer in over final stream. Area subject to enemy mortar MUNDA bn inflicting cas & dispersing moving down west bank BUSO. 20 bde now moving west. Locations night 15/13 C Coy COPRA SHED 2/15 924437. 2/17 2/13 bn relieved by 22 bn area by 29/46 bn area RED beach. 2/15 APO. RAA. enemy guns 71639x engaged 7 div. 10 Sep. 2/23 bn moving SE numbers enemy vicinity WHITTAKER 2/2 para bn patrols food along MARKHAM less 2/31 bn along MARKHAM Rd towards 2/35 bn contacted enemy at track junction MARKHAM to opposite MARKHAM Pt. Coin 503 para inf patrols to DANDY & ERAP R. arrivals 11 Sep. Patrol sent out after parachuted. Bomber shot down 90° from ref location of coys. to Have you men to assist unloading Supply unable to supply.	729395 rest between 78 lead and bn to 734406 One coy 2/43 outposts of NEW at 3MMG. Several TAP parties 2/32 bn east bank BUSO. 1st 24 bde new attempts to cross BUSO. 2/44 bn stream and preparing to be main fire 24 Indep Coy. TAP engaged remainder. Bpl occupied MWSOM new relief by 4 bde completed & 20 bde Sep HQ 20 bde 917415 2/13 less C Coy 911407 bn gun areas BUREP R. 4 bde YELLOW BEACH. 2/15 bn relieved less 2 coys SINGAPORE. 2 coys 37 bn harassing fire throughout 12 Sep from YANU in contact small 588463 ref one inch. 2/35 bn en route R from NARAKAPOR. 11 Sep 25 bde gp HEATH'S & track to BUMBU R from YANU TENSENS (?) 2/2 para less 2 coys along bank sacked TAP patrol 572437 one inch. B Coy PIB at CHIVASING. no tp descending NW YELLOW BEACH Fight between 6 F & 1 up 1 Bomber BUSO 3. of 6 LCT's tonight.	Sitmap BOM Comd. I.O. Phone. Further info given to 29 see serial 59 LO sent to 22 14 Sep.
73	1105	22 bn.				
74	1112	CO 22	Comd.			
75	1120	Obj Sect				

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76	1122	CO 22	Comd.	air raid Warning Station wish to go beyond fuel patrols + require rations + protection Probable place HUON CULF 1/4" 3538 near CAPE GERMIANUS.	Cond - cannot do so without launch.
77	1230	Capt West		Proposed attack on LAE started on schedule	Cond B.M. Verbal.
78	1700	29/46		patrol via BULU RIVER to contact 22 Bn line IN - line out at 1935	22 Bn patrol in search for parachutists tracks east of BULU RIVER.
79	2330			Situps will be sent by phone on wireless 0730, 1930 hrs.	In reply 15.
80	2330	9 Div 0191		Passwords - 14 LINECEUM. 15 LAMPLIGHT 16 LOCALITY. 17 LIFELONG	
81	0645	" D68			
82	0745	I 12	9 Div 22 29 27	Situps to 0730 K/14.	
83	0815	I 13	22, 29, 37, 62 Bns	Passwords for 15 LAMPLIGHT 16 LOCALITY 17 LIFELONG	
84	0630	Phone	22, 29/46	Bde I.O. spoke to Bn I.O's - asked for situps at 0700 + 1900 daily.	
85	1430	37/52	A 1	Locations unchanged.	
86	1700	22 Bn.		Report on BUNEM AREA. 4 bn dispositions by Col O'Connor. C Coy Hopoi Mission (standing patrol at 096403) plus two depts north east. S Coy - coastal strip with pl at 065399 - 044391 plus the MMG's - 036396 - Day line of BUHEM RIVER. pls 049403 - 056418 - 054434 - main A. Coy (less pl) 979400. one pl 963397. RED BEACH 4 pl (TKA). plus details 6 pl. BN HQ - 032394 - HQ Coy (less 194 pl + other details) 043406 - ADS - 031394. E Tr. 032396. THESE DISPOSITIONS HS HT. 1400 HRS. K/15.	Cap for 6 Bns handed to Lieut Ross - others to Cpl Sgt. ACK 37/52 I 11 21414/16.
87	1710	9 Div 0198		Ref/175000. Following will move first light 16 Sep to Div jeephead on east bank RED beach. 1 Coy 27 Bn from SINGHUA. 100 24 + 26 bdes. On arrival gps under command of 27 Bn in GAWAN MUSOM are under direction Div Q rep in jeephead area ref 4 bde pro sec.	RM Comd.
88	1317	G III I 9 Div		29 personnel at MOROBÉ not expected tonight but may be on LCT's which	13M answered.
89	1440	M.L.D.		are expected flight 16/17 Sep	
90	1440	CO 29.		Discussion with Comd about 29 personnel MOROBÉ and also protection of area.	
91	1730	011	37/52	37/52 Bn advised of Div 0198	see serial 87 asked by serial 107.

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92	1837	012	27/53	Maj E. Green to report this HQ with To be detached indefinitely as	personal eqpt only as possible 16 Sep. OC RED BEACH.
93	1935	I14	9 Div 22/29/46	SITNOR to 1930 K/15.	
94	1950	29/46	I10	SITNOR to 1900 K/15	
95	1610	22		boy & P.L. disposed. C. Coy report	HOPOT MISSION looked before occupation By 10 per serial 86.
96	1813	Maj Gen MAGBw.	Phone	All MAGS of 1 Coy & 1 MG will 2 Offrs of 11 TAP to remain.	be moved tomorrow. Offr see serial 87. Offr detailed see serial 92
97	1830	I10	29/46.	Tracks in many cases not	as shown on map. Phone.
98	2020	9 Div	0202	1 Coy 2/2 MG. bn under comd	& bde revert to comd of MG further 804 comd T00 1635
99	2045	Sigma	Phone.	Line to 22 OUT.	
100	2150	9 Div.		ref parachutists of 12 Sep - asked (wireless) for permission yesterday. Obtain positive out for parachutists. Report	Have not been found. B25 crew DO. Phone. See Serials 59 to take out of damaged plane 67, 67, 68 identification and keep patrols as soon as possible
101	2320	22 Bw.	I19.	Sitnors to 1900 K/15. boy's in para	as per 40's report. see serial 86.
102	2350	*	29/46	Informed of serial 100.	
103	0008	16 SEP 43	22	serial 100. Boy saw that guns & fitted with camera definite proof asked for.	plane is JAP bomber stripped of because of markings on plane. Reported to Adjt
104	0100	9 Div.	0203.	Refer in. Enemy maybe attempting north and NE. 7 Div forces at YAW R/BOTI BUM or 1 bn moving to BOA at area KUNDA Br 6854 to hold Bual of track GAWAN 7155 MOMALILLI 807 now at 8056 will move to track see on <sup>duty</sup> track continually & will reinforced as necessary by 4 bde.	ing to swamate LAE by track to 5454 patrolling towards headquarters NA NE camp DIDDY + 563. 1/4 Indep Coy all costs. enemy will be denied use 3 and R BUNGA MOMALILLI. Pl. patrol from 8059. standing patrol will keep hold track fine at all costs being Lack to report & harass enemy

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104	Contd.			<p>16 Sep</p> <p>movement along tracks R BONGA - KIASIA - MOMALILLI &amp; CAWAN - SAMARINC - KIASIA No 1 - MOMALILLI inflicting all possible cas. See PIB now KIASIA will move to MOMALILLI task as above. D Coy 2/3 Pw will be responsible for maintenance of standing patrols &amp; will arrange with ANGAN rep to recruit sufficient native labour to maintain a further pl at MOMALILLI if necessary protective det will be provided to accompany ANGAN rep to MOMALILLI. Report will be made immediately to this HQ when <sup>this</sup> native labour available &amp; 1 pl will move from coy area to relieve pl at track junction this pl when relieved will move to MOMALILLI with task as above</p>	To be acked (acked Ser log)
105	0245	Bde	3/52bn rpt	<p>Warning order. © 37bn will be prepared to move up to 1 coy to assist D Coy 2/3 Pw in case of enemy attempt to evacuate LAE. Sub-unit will move with pack rations &amp; 2 days emergency rations &amp; amm on the man. to move until ordered by this HQ. assistance as required &amp; carrying parties up to one pl in strength will be made available to Bde Sig Officer. ack.</p>	To be acked. by 37/52. bn. Reminder I 23 1005/17 ACK I 13 (1010) sig A 80505/17 Hq. I 12 (message) 1454/18 27/52. acked. D Coy 2/3 Pw - D 4/3-75 00 K/19
106	0240	014	D Coy 2/3 Pw rpt 3/52bn	Serial 104 repeated. ack.	
107	0145	3/52bn		ack to 011 (Ser 91).	
108	18	" 18		<p>Site up to 1800 K/15. 140 pds working parties BEACH AREA. rd making. 1 hour patrol HUKI area nil report. Projected move of 0700 hrs 16 Sept. Pw moving 16 Sept to remaining APO.</p>	Coy attached to 2/2 MG bn moving TIKERENG area leaving 0730 hrs. A + B Coy
109	0105	9 Div	(013)	ack to 0203 (Serial 104).	
110	0400	9 Div		<p>0014. aust quiet. Infr: 7 Div is with one bn blocking route through BOANH 17 m NW TALU 5454 - intention for 16 Sept as for 15 Sept. message as in 0013 with full variations. 26 Bde less 2/2 Pw will capture approach attitude rd from bend 69545 to include BUTIBUM but excluding MALAKKING. MISSION thence to river bend 69940 thence EAST bank river BUTIBUM to river bend 692413 on</p>	<p>← To be acked by D Coy 2/3 Pw Bn reminder Int 1005/17 ACK AD 2 1425 K/17.</p>

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				on capture that area 26 Bde will limits with view to crossing and 26 Bde right of sector including comd. 9 Div will cut off and destroy accordance with separate initials hours notice from 0700 hrs 16 Sept. Regt. In support 24 Bde 23 Bty 12th for additional fd. only support CRA. CRAy P18. in one pl in one pl. less one section and 4 bde-remainder in Div reserve. sitcom to 0700 hrs.	fall SW and recce river within these will seize every opportunity to cross. road to bridge J02399. 2/24 bn under troop only enemy in area MUSOL 68838 in 20 bde in div reserve. will beat one RAA. In support 26 Bde. 24 Bty 12th Regt. and one to 12 bty 6 th Regt. request to CRA. all harassing fire under support 24 Bde. One section 26 Bde comd 2/24 bn. one sec under comd. ack. all informed.	To be acked. acked 0410/16. 015:
111	0935	22 bn				
112	0905	-	9 Div. 22 bn			
113	0945	-	29/46 bn - 27/52 bn	sitcom to 0900 K/16. all informed.		
				cannot understand text of your TICKERING and leaving of jobs.	message. In moving 16 SETS to LAWAKET. request locations KIASIA	
114	1015		9 Div	can you supply map 1" MT SA and KIASIA one.		
115	0700	29/46 bn		sherp to 0700 K/16. 18 pl. moving	from WARWICK to beach def post. to	
116	0812	Maj Green		Pl from D Coy has arrived at Be to take them to their posn.	ach HQ - Capt West on way down	
117	0816	B.M.	2/3 Pw. Bn.	Up of 2/3 Pw Bn in RED BEACH area. B from Beach to BUSO river - bal of	HQ. HQ Coy. 1 pl of rifle Coy - extending men employed on rd & stores.	
118	1055	B.M.	Pw Bn.	Inquiry whether HNGM representative D Coy 2/3 Pioneer Bn - adj has	which is apparently attached to head nothing of such.	V/E. phone.
119	1108	22 bn		Radax pos with to go to CAPE GE as position from 22 bn - Comd	R4 GRD T and wish to take 2 pos. has given his sanction.	
120	0730	29/46 bn		18 pl moving from BUSO 3 to beach def ence posn.		

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121	1200	Capt Dodd 223Bn		Crashed plane very definitely JAP + pistol wing - straight leading tip twin radial engines length	ending up have plates, lens of camera edge, tapered trailing edge, slightly rounded wing 21/22 ft.	Div advised I 18.
122	-	They 223Bn 248.		Herewith plates with Jap markings shot down at ref 9894 v2 BOSO. 1/15 & markings found on parts of the plane	and lenses taken from Jap plane attached in number	some land forward to Div.
123	1210	-	9 Div I20	Crashed plane 19 9847 definite together with camera lens. incinerated.	JAP. have plates being forwarded. all information remainder completely	
124	700/600 TOR 1600	9 Div 0/29.	All units	reports will be impeded with the following reports to Div HQ or to nearest details will be given. even if full details are not available only obs direction of guns etc will be reported.	the importance of finding enemy RAA unit. where possible normal full details will be given. even if full of area should times volume of guns	unit advised F 20
125	1625	all units	all units	repetition of serial 124. (I20).		
126	700 0915 TOR 1600	9 Div.	All units	1 Aust corps instr. to mention will be New GUINEA or engaged in ops until	modern letters that individual is in further notice.	units advised I 19.
127	1630	-	all units	repetition of serial 126. (F19).		
128	"	9 Div		1 Aust corps daily intelligence	Summary - 104.	
129	"	"		" " "	" 5	
130	"	"		" " "	" 6	
131	"	"		" " "	" 7	
132	"	" 0119.		strip 15 to 2000/13.		
133	"	6 3/22 Bn	BM	40 days to be less 2 days over at	FEAR TICKERING - one way moving up to 2 1/2 MG's. at Div JEEP HEAD	
134	1135	BM	29/46.	Passed info on situation at	front. Keep watch for drugglers.	
135	1140		22	as for serial 134. New 2210	Rent Gladstone.	



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136	1407	37/52		Bn HQ part HQ Coy moving TICKERING	Coy left first light HQ Coy also	Phone
137	1630	Capt West		Heavy firing from direction	MOROSE 2200 K/15 0300K/16	Verbal
138	1630	CO. 37/52		37/52 Bn (less two Coys APO one Coy)	moving sq 7745) concentrated TICKERING	
138	1630	Capt West		A Coy & 1/2 MG moved from RED BEACH to	sq 7745 - Maj S. Green has up for	
				beach defence 4 pl 22 Bn, 18 pl 29/46	Bn (on WEST BEACH) & American dets.	
139	1920	22	I 20	Ship to 1900 K/16. Div warning det	left this HQ 1600 for CAPE GERHARDS	
				with spers from this bn. MITCHELL B	reported crash landed vicinity	
				HOPOL. Bufield 1815. patrols	investigating	
140	1920	29/46	I 13	Ship to 1900 K/16. 18 pl was located	910395 for Beach def. 2 pcos 13 pl	
				working as carriers for B Ech		
141	1935	I 21		9 div rptd ship to 1920 K/16. Div warning	station det departed 22 bn HQ 1600	
				22 2937 for CAPE GERHARDS. 18 pl 29/46	located 910395 beach def. A Coy & 1/2	
				MG bn departed RED beach to join & 1/2	MG bn HQ. 37/52 bn less 3 coys	
				moved TICKERING area. McCoy moving	sq 7745 two coys remain APO.	
142	1720	BM	22	patrol beach from <sup>400 yds</sup> east of	RED BEACH - American pers	Phone
				patrolling RED beach.		
143	1800	MLO	13M	LAE has fallen (no details). 9	LST's arriving night 16/17 Sep	Phone
144	1805	BM	29	Patrols could not locate para	chubists & brig ordered them to stop. do	
145	1830	IO 22 Bn		B 25 crash landed vicinity HOPOL	MISSION approx 1815. Patrols	Phone. To 9 Div 017
				investigating.		
146	1930	O17	9 Div	Serial 145 rptd div.		
147	2050	IO 22		B 25 crash landed <sup>in water</sup> and HOPOL Airfield	Crew of 6 alive & safe, copilot	Phone to 9 Div 018
				injured, being treated HOPOL MISSION	No of plane Port of Travelling from	
				WOODSTOCK (Q) to DOBODURA. US plane &	crew.	
				Further report of 'dog fight' out to	sea.	
148	2050	O18	9 Div	Serial 147 rptd 9 Div		
149	2125	HQ's message (at 37 Bn)		Remaining 37/52 night. Sigs 9 Div attempt	institute lift links to 4 bde & beach sigs	Message Phone. to SigO.
				when bde has set. Frequency 4300 K/c 9 div	(7AT) Beach Sigs (4VZ) & bde (KNU)	

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150	2130.	37/52 I16.		Setup to 1800/16. D Coy standing by pers working G Beach A+B Coys	Assist of Pms at ref one in 8/5/48. HQ remain APO.	
151	2135	37/52 I10.		Coy by SINGAWA 0700/16 carrying	with of MG for 2600.	
152	2137	37/52 I12		Locations. 1/25000. Bn HQ + HQ Coy 787424 788433 AB coys 853448	Coy left for TEENHEAD with of MG. D Coy	
153	2150	9 Div	0215.	JAP bombing traps encountered WAGAH	717407 + 719417.	split units.
154	2155	019	2229376/16 by D Coy pms.	serial 153. advised		
155	2155			Aircraft overhead 2115 dropped 5 bombs to West. Again at 2154 in easterly direction dropping 4 bombs.		
156	2205	Maj Green	Phone	My PAA fire heard from SE. Conway	moving in attacked by JAP planes. Phone	
157	2245	9 Div	Phone	MT SALAWAKET 1" as far as is known 4 inch strat.	has not been produced K1751A marked	
158	2230	22		Barge (?) heard off YELLOW BEACH.	Should one be there?	Phone.
159	2235	ESB.		Should be no barge YELLOW BEACH. heard.	Possibly barges landing RED beach	split 22 low phone 2238 K/16
160	0810	I 22	9 Div 22 2937	Setup 0730/17. B Coy + part HQ Coy	29/16 arrived RED Beach approx 2300/16	Amended I 22 1425 K/18 Serial 212 should be HQ Coy only
161	0815	I 21. (2200)		Setup to 0700 hrs. view of crashed B29 hit. one injured 5 uninjured. at 2045 very lights were seen on beach vic MG fire from unidentified plane at investigated beach and reported no lights were reported vic mouth one Jap plane was over in area for bomb approx 600' NE HOPOL Mission. H Coy beach patrol report no activity. approx 2300 hrs a number of bombs were dropped by U/I of C in HUON GULF - South of Bn area.	has unconfirmed reports that blue 066386 followed immorality by two bursts in same area. Patrol activity seen. at 2058 hrs two strong. BUSA RIVER shining out to sea for 2 mins. one low 2100 to 2200 hrs dropping one at 2200 hrs. no damage or cas. in HUON GULF - South of Bn area.	To.O. - 0700.
162	0915	020	29/46 Bn	Tk/Pl & MMG Pl. mine one under comd for purpose of beach defence. ack	of beach defence as from 0930 hrs today	acked by Serial 163.

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163	0953.	29/46 SW #7		ack to Odo.	
164	2250/16	Maj Green		Conway about 20 vessels moved in land west beach.	Phone
165	2320	"		Gurpie from allways low trajectory - 5 miles out to EAST.	Phone.
166	0315/17	Smith 22bn	17 SEP 43	Laybarger is proceeding towards beach	Phone
167	0340	"		Laybarger was travelling towards RED BEACH - appears to be one only not seen.	"
168	0342.			Beach control they know sorting of barge.	"
169	0345	+	Smith 22bn	advised re serial 168.	"
170	0605	Capt West	Maj Green	asked Maj Green to send someone along to see Lt Stewart re balance of	"
171	0620	Capt Carter	Maj Stewart	29/46bn & Lt Coy arrived last night - Maj Green to ring back.	Phone
				for Stewart reports all 29/46bn excl Blay arrived - only 194 bde personnel to	Capt West informed
				arrive were Lt Houghton & Palmer on vehicles also West left back	Capt Dwyer "
				in charge - some wireless sets also arrived & Mr Stewart wishes Capt	
172	0730	Capt Kent	Capt West	Purys to ring them with wireless	verbal.
173	0750	Smith		asked to get recog signals for small sig centre - Bw briefed -	BM
174	0905.	Capt Kent	adj 29/46bn	1 Coy Pw Bw is in comm through	Could informed
				Eng if MG personnel yet arrived - adj sup have not recd word yet at arrival personnel	phone to. adj 29/46bn
				still staged some at BOSO II. & WEST BEACH - as soon as he receives info by phone - understand MG pl is to stay at	
				beach & be under command of Maj Green - could return.	
175	0915	Bw	29/46. Lt Col Amb.	Col Body does not know where bombs landed last night - none in his vic.	Phone Bw.
	0925.			200 wounded from first going through hosp (mostly Walking wounded).	
176	0930	Beach Sig	I.O.	Cap documents still at beach	Phone.
177	0935	Co 29/46bn	BM.	of Odo - cannot come under command by phone - arranging for them to be picked up	BM. recd phone.
				Maj Green immediately - arrival of 0830 hrs - Bw advised that Roff report to	
				received - 29/46 NOT arrived yet & 1 Coy & 2 Coy given posn some time today other pl not to be	
				beach as they still at MOROBE. 1 Coy (20 men) TR/A pl will see guns at	

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178	1130	37/52	I 17	19 Sep 43 - TEXT - lines to 0800K/17. D Coy standing by 4 Bde figs to 2/3 pm bn. Bn HQ pers from Div TEEPHEAD to SAWMILL	to move to 2/3 pm area. 1 pl carrying party working party G BEACH. HQ Coy cutting track area litmap
179	1015	H Houghton		4 Fd Coy arrived MOROBE & sent arrived MOROBE. Rest 29 bn + stores trucks here	signal to 11 Div as to their disposal. Tanks expected within next few days - now 16 Verbally.
180	1450	22	B.M.	Truck pl not yet up to strength.	Adm pl mainly responsible def HQ Coy phone
181	1520	O 21	9 Div	American crew B 25 in sea south suggested this info be passed US HQ to salvage within next 48 hrs	HOPOL strip report aircraft salvageable. Crew by phone from 22. with request for bulldozer + barge. Necessary to save aircraft.
182	1615	I 25	22 <sup>24</sup> 37	recognition signals for small 19 Sep O Bek.	vessels from 1000 K/17 to sunset In Copter. Hik 227. 0815K/18 (22 bn). 17K I 18 2035K/17
183	1620	9 Div	(039)	MT SALAWANET. sheet not printed. R 8360 approx. up 1/63360. 803576.	KIASIA shown as KALSIA four miles 51"
184	1700	29 IO.		Tahols on river nothing to ack 5 022.	report. Phone V/E phone Bn.
185	1715	Maj Green pers fuel etc	O 23 T		
186	1620	9 Div	O 23 T	ref map 1/25000. Allotment new areas have food separately Div HQ moves will leave min members + essential left 2/24 bn will move new area will be extended to include 73rd Coy LAE airfield. 20 24 26 bdes each will bde area. RAA will move new 18 Sep 9 Div area from incl road Dan east to incl 4 bde area.	20 24 26 bdes RAA + Div adm as shown in new area 18 Sep. 24 + 20 bdes move 17 Sep. 26 bde guards required to control LAE area + remainder 17 Sep. Bdy LAE area controlled by Brig WHITEHEAD under comd CRE which is moving area west select 4 res an area for a fd amb in their area 17 Sep. res pl PIB will move new area BEACH KENDRA bn (but excl MAZAHANG AIRFIELD)
187	1620	9 Div	O 23 9	MT SALAWANET sheet NOT printed. location village map 1/63360	KIASIA shown as KALSIA sheet 8360 Approx 803576 units advised O 23. 1720K/17

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188	1620	9 Div	O 242	ref O 237	most div HQ deferred pending receipt advice future development of LAF.	see Serial 186
189	1630	9 Div	O 238	20 bde will maintain 1 bn at 30 mins	notice for emergency. RAA will provide units advised	see Serial 1890.
				UAA protection RED BEACH BEACH, 49	div maintenance + biv areas. RAA 1	
				pl 2/3 pl coy in Sp bde in LAF. remain	dev under CRT with task maintenance	
				development div ada. improvement of	rd through LAF to link 9 div area to	
				MARKHAM VALLEY Rd. preparation beach	+ rd for use in landing additional	
				engr units. in LAF area. PAD.	following PAD measures will be observed	
				by all units. Use concealment + camouflage	- firing AALMG's only when directly attacked	
				Revision of air sentries at all times	+ especially from bathing + washing	
				parties no biv dumps or quarters	proximity 9 Div Bk over BUSU R.	
190	1640	4 bde	222937	Serial 189 advised	after. PAD following measures	ACK. I 9 1925K/17 Beach def 1715K/17
		O 22	bobby Dlayton	to 9 Div Bk over R	BUSU. ACK.	I 15 1800K/17
			OC had beach def.			I 35 1735K/17
191	1720	4 bde	222937	Serial 187 advised.		
		O 23	bobby Dlayton			
192	1945	22 Bw	I 26	Sitrep 1900K/17. HQ Coy now posn 037392 at	1400 hrs. B Coy patrol 1000 hrs left 1400 for	
				BUSAR. estimated duration 3 days. some	wreckage from crashed plane salvaged	
				remainder now submerged.		
193	1945	29 Bw	I 17	Sitrep to 1900K/17. 145 pls 936412 2+4 pls	beach def posn 3+6 pls SOUTHPORT.	
194	1955	4 bde	O 24	Sitrep to 1930K/17	for BUSAR 1400 estimated duration	
		I 26	2937	22 Bw HQ Coy 037392. patrol departed	37/52 biv HQ Coy pos cutting track	
				3 days 29/46 Bw 2+4 pls RED BEACH def.		
				DIV JEEP HEAD TO SAW MILL.		
195	2035	Maj G Krum	BMT	No barges as expected tonight		
196	2205	37/52	I 20	Sitrep to 2000K/17 HQ Coy improving rd	JEEP HEAD BUSO R. Bw HQ D Coy	
				working G BEACH. Pl carrying 4 bde	by retained 1215 hrs. B Coy ready	
				assist D Coy 2/3 Posn down if	required	

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197	+	8/52 bn Too 1720.		18 Sept 43 - TEXT Sitrep to 1700 K/17. Ho Coy improving working parties G BEACH. pl carrying away to change D Coy standing by	road line for lead to BUSO R. Bn HQ D Coy party at Bde sigt returned 1215 hrs. to assist 2/3 Av Brief required.	BM.
198	0815	2/2 bn Too 0700.		Sitrep. to 0600 hrs K/18. 2000 hrs K/17 two HOPOI MISSION. 0045. 2 bombs one flare of JAMBO POINT yellow flare reported drifted to east.	bombs dropped by 4/1 a/c leaving 92° from dropped by 4/1 a/c thought to be in vic NW 962 397 BUSO 1/25000 at 0500 hrs K/18.	BM.
199	0815	29/46 bn Too 0715.		Sitrep to 0700 K/18.		BM.
200	0800		9 Div 22 bn 29/46 bn 17/52 bn	Sitrep to 0730 K/18. all informed.		
201	0900	-55/27	22/29 37	Recognition sigs for small	Vessels for Sep. Act.	Ack 29 I 19 0955 K/18. 22 37.
202	1030	I.O. 22 Bn		Received inform re patrols - patrol 1/2 BUSO 1/25000. ① route Fallen Timber 0544 WIDERU - 138424 - 132429 - 111427 - 096435 west along beach to grid 94	departed 1400/17 - route EA refmap - 075438 - 096435 - 117437 - 134449 - FALLEN TIMBER. ② A Coy 22 Bn 978400-	BM advised
203	1130	I.O. 29/46 Bn		Bde I.O. saw I.O. 29/46 Bn re patrols. one from A Coy north up BUSO R. hrs up BULU R.	advised two daily patrols in operation to WAGANLUHU - other from C Coy - 2 1/2 hrs up BULU R.	BM advised
204	0905 0910.	Bn	Aaj 29 IO 22	Patrol reports to be passed	to Bde.	Phone.
205	0930	29/46	BM	No pers arrived night 17/18	Sep.	Phone.
206	0955	CIT (L) 9 Div	Brig.	Brig required to go 9 Div HQ	Left with HQ1 at 1030 hrs.	
207	1245	AM	29/46 IO.	ref in. enemy may be attempting + NE. CAWAN 755 - MOMALILLI 8673 + will move track June 8059. Standing patrols & will hold June at all costs being re-in report & harass along track R BUNGA	to evacuate LAE by tracks to north BUNGA R. TL standing patrol at 8050 will keep one sec on duty continually forced as necessary by A bde. Task to KIASIA MOMILILLI CAWAN SAMANZING	Verbal. 29/46 to arrange immediately 60 29/46 advised per phone by BM 1245 14/18.

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					to KIASIA No 1 to MOMA LILLI inflicting MOMALILLI with some talk as per for maintenance of patrols & if by by under command will be F 40's may be needed to move	
208	1225	Div	BM		Coy 29/46 relieving D Coy 2/3 and should arrive tomorrow	Phone by by to advised and be advised by by by phone
209	1312	BM	Adj 2/3 Pw		4 bde will adjust its disposition to 2/3 Pw in the TALI-MOMALILLI area	Phone
210	1305	9 Div	O 255		band over will be arranged re relieved will reform rejoin arranged by 4 bde who	Confirmation of phone message received by BM 1215K/18.
211	1325	O 24	29/46		C Coy 29/46 will relieve D Coy 2/3 in TALI-MOMALILLI area. D Coy 2/3 rejoin 2/3 Pw at Ci Beach Both Coys to this HQ. Coy 29/46 will move	Ack 29 br I 20 1400K/18. BM rang Adj 1315 to inquire bed coy for relief. SC arranging ration
212	1435	I 28	9 Div rptd		Amend sitrep 17 Sep. 29/46 buffd 22 29/46 now located that area. B Coy	See Serial 160.
213	1555	4 bde I 29	22 29 37		Taswents from 1200 hrs 18 Sep 20 LILTING 21 LOLLIPOP 22 LUBBERLINE. Ack.	9 Div Sued dead by fire 18 Sep. Ack 28 I 22 1900K/18 22 I 21 2043K/18. 37 I 26 0940K/20.
214	1600	9 Div	G III/III-		Recognition sign ship to shore	ded 18 Sep. Receipt noted 55p7.
215	1600	9 Div.			1 Prod Coy's daily but human	
216	1600	MB Jnl Coord			Amendment 2 Op Enshr No 3	Ack I 30 1610 K/18.
217	1930	22 Bn	I 30		Sitrep to 1900K/18. A Coy patrol of flare or enemy @ otherwise	to investigate flare reported no sign
218	1950	29/46	I 21		Sitrep to 1900K/18 Coy departed Engr's Br	this HQ has for BUNGA River via

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219	1950	I 31	9 dis 22	29/37	Sitrep to 1930K/18. Clay 29/46 by 2/3 Para Bn KIASIA - MOMA LILLI	departed 1600 to relieve D Coy area.
220	1333	Sigs.	BM.		Wireless comm through to 22.	Phone.
221	1350	I O.	29/46		C Coy to report progress from	all available phones.
222	1830	Maj Black	BM		4 gun live vicinity BUSO I. BM	informed him <del>gone</del> <sup>one to</sup> to go to new ship at HWKI. #1
		14 Fd Regt			22 live on beach and one to near	Phone from public phone ESB Maj Black to visit this HQ 19 Sep.
223	1854	Maj Green	BM		No ships expected RED BEACH night	18/19 Sep. Ships expected WEST BEACH
224	2200	37/52	I 22		Sitrep to 1900K/18. D Coy working C one in. A+B Coys no change.	BEACH to 1700. HQ Coy est 755468
225	2225	D 25	37/52		C Coy 29/46 relieving D Coy 2/3 Para Bn task.	Coy 37/52 will not be required for
	19 SEP 43					Bde I.O.
226	0740	I O.	29/46		Sitrep to 0730K/19. by phone to	fil bty departed from YELLOW
227	0750	I 32	9 dis 22	29/37	Sitrep to 0730K/19. one sec 62 BEACH area for RED BEACH area	2300K/18.
228	0810	L 2	I 32		Sitrep to 0700K/19 One sec E Tp Otherwise sitrep	63 Bty moved out at 1100 hrs 18 Sep
229	0800	22.			Track Infun. HOPDI Area.	
230	0930	I O	29/46		Village at 988424 known as BARU - 25 natives. Natives reluctant to give us about JAPS - OK about South. Foot 8 PL occupying today 950416 - leaving A Coy at MERRY less one pl.	police boy SARAMBOM - contains approx info re country north of village track runs from 984450 to BARU.
231	0840	Maj Tilley	BM.		B Coy 29/46 and Capt Lloyd arranging move RED Beach	arrived G Beach 0200K/19. 19 Sep.
232	0840	F Coy 29.			Arrived AHUKI village 0805.	
233	0945	29/46.			Patrol to locate firing unit to 925410.	result. Route 936410 west Phone BM.
234	1045	37/52	I 23		Sitrep 0900K/19. B Coy moved from Coy 2/3 Para Bn. <del>D Coy</del> BWHQ working	APPO area preparatory relieving D G Beach. 2130K/18. A, D, HQ Coys no change.



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235	1230	I' 29/46.		8 pl A Coy moved to	950416 To former clay pen <sup>Phone</sup>
236	1114	Lt Buse	K/A P/Comd	Rang to say his 2 pdx guns were	
237	1115		29/46	Req relief of 62 fd Bty by 54 fd Bty:- Br 915408. Bty HQ. with C Tp. Dtp at	Disposition:- 54 Bty. - Ctp via Engrs YELLOW BEACH. Maj Black at Bde HQ with hgt. towards. (orig no. #37) - N/A. RETURN:- <i>They are obtaining them from MHO</i>
238	1150	9 Div H37	4 Bde	Food immediately recon's honours	
239	1620		2/3 Lt AABty	Arranged to advise passwords.	
240	1930	29/46	I 26	Sitrep 1900 hrs/19 ref 1/25000. 8 pl A posn 950416. C Tp 14 pd Regt in AP Engrs Bn.	Coy from MERRY now occupying 29/46 posn 915409 vicinity
241	1940		22 Bw	2 faint red flares into° from faint lights some distance to sea	032494. Beach Def report in direction SALAMAUVA. Phone. BM informed
242	1945		22 Bw I 34	Sitrep 1900 K/19. Remainder E Tp	62 Bty left OP this morning relieved by 1st fd Regt. Bty less YELLOW Beach area. F. Tp 62 this morning. 8 pl 29/46 hrs
243	1955	I 33	9 Div 22 2937	Sitrep 1930 K/19. 54 Bty 14 fd Regt Dtp in posn 915409 Dtp moving Bty departed from YELLOW Beach at 950416	
<del>244</del>	2350	37/52	I 25	Sitrep to 900 K/19 @ B Coy set	787436 1/25000 1600 hrs 19 Sep.
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245	0652		9 Div	Comd BM SC departed	for 9 Div <sup>Phone</sup>
246	0706	29/46	I 28	Sitner to 0700 K/20.	
247	0755	22	I 35	Sitner to 0700 K/20.	
248	0800	I 34	9 Div 22 2937	Sitrep to 0730 K/20 ref 1/25000 1600 K/19.	B Coy 37/52 Bn moved 787436
249	0810	CO 29/46	Phone	Neglected dump Between Buses attend to security.	29/46. Requested IO to Dump 15 Bn. QM 15 Bn taking security measures. Take left with TO on beach.
250	0940	QM 22.		Request for MASAWENG R Sheets.	
251	0950	29/46 IO	IO.	Natives passing through had no 29/46 IO no ANCIAN rep at	infr regarding JAPS. Informed HQPDI.

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2252	0940	37/52	I 28	Sitrep to 0900 K/20. Enemy plane BUNGA R 0515 K/20. MFI plane
253	11030	DC 2/3 Lt AABty.	IO	2/3 Lt AA to obtain password in gun area (2000 yds due north up 9 Div. 29/46 have already WD. 29/46 km will assemble at today. bay to be equipped to move 1000 rds per LMC. Rations 3 days Ack to 4 Bde
254	1400	BM (Orr)	29 Bw rpld 4 Bde	Today. bay to be equipped to move 1000 rds per LMC. Rations 3 days Ack to 4 Bde
255	1420	IO	CO 29/46	Arranging contact BM re sig O28
256	1425	IO	Maj 6 team	Advised Beach Def. that per 29/46
257	1535	I 35	D Coy 2/3 Pn	request ack Orr Out I 29
258	1540	I 36	b x bty	request ack Orr + I 29
259	1600	9 Div	O 269	mention may now be made the individual is in NEW mention of participation in Ref ADS moving with B Coy 29/46 assembled
260	1415 155	IO	Phone	Ref ADS moving with B Coy 29/46 assembled
261	1540	CO 29/46	LO 1	Have received order that for ops in hand. DC force liaison with MG PI.
262	1640	Lieut Harris Staff ESTB.	LO 1	Confirming D Tp derived B Coy standing by - who is to keep him posted
263	1800	Maj Black	22.	Confirming D Tp derived
264	1900	CO 29/46	LO 1	B Coy standing by - who is to keep him posted
265	1910	BM (from beach)	LO 1	No 11 to be standing by Have LAE stat ready for
266	1940	29/46	I 31	Sitrep to 1900 K/20. B Coy

REMARKS
dropped bombs near mouth over area 0700 K/20. each day from MHO. Ref natives G3I dis to approach ANGAU re natives Buso I). suggested inform ANGAU To be kept away from camps + men taken some for questioning Phone. not to discuss with them Angau re natives passed to units
Buso 2. Fletcher's Coy by 1600 hrs. Amm to be carried 100 rds per man Ack 29 Bw. I 30 1350 K/20 hard one day emergency to be taken
(serial 254). Phone Phone
to be on 1 hour's notice.
in private correspondence that GUINEA. This does not include ops which is still censorable unit. Rptd 22 29 37 54 bty D Coy 2/3 Pn. I 37 1640 K/20. BM to notify our return Phone
Buso 2 1515. Americans will furnish MGR to contact MHO to arrange CO 29/46 advised by phone Capt West 1650.
YELLOW BEACH Phone. CO put into picture by LO 1 Phone.
with sig det + cipher operator Phone.
use moved to SOUTHPORT 1500 hrs.

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267	1942	22	I 35	20-21 SEP 43. Sitrep to 1900K/30. <sup>less A</sup> Bn <del>the</del> Coy awaiting order. A Coy remains C to Tp 14 Fd Regt. Patrol not reported back. Expect return	come Between BUHEM R+031394 YELLOW Beach now joined by returned D Coy 1700. Patrol B Coy tonight.
268	1930	I 38	9 Div 22 29 37.	22 less A Coy come between YELLOW BEACH with A Coy 22.	BUHEM R+ 031394. CTP 546 by B Coy 29 at 932 399.
269	2205	37/52	I 30	Sitrep to 1900K/30.	
270	2110	9 Div	O 295.	for land. Party whom we + are now moving to join you	expected this morning arrived with full details. Arrange meet. ACK D 26 21/10 K/30.
<u>21 SEP 43</u>					
271	0740	LOI <del>29/46</del>	29/46.	18 pl not necessary to keep available	at 1 hour's notice but to <sup>be</sup> kept
272	0745	29/46	I 32	Sitrep to 0700 K/21	
273	0734	22	I 36	Sitrep to 0600 K/21. Patrol B Coy	not <del>for</del> yet returned.
274	0745	I 39	9 Div 22/29/37	Sitrep to 0730 K/21.	
275	0905	I 40	GSI 9 Div	Covering note further name	plates of JAP Bomber of 14 Sep. + Col Brackett. There will be no move for beach.
276	0946	Kind Houghton	BM	GOC wishes to see land	after seeing Col Brackett. in - waiting to report.
277	0955	-	-	Land BM IO + GO 29/46 left Land + BM going on to Div	
278	1505	I.O. 29/46 Div.		Bn parcels to MERRY & KAIR -	PHONE: (for Indon) copy - delivered by L.O. (2 copies for you Indon) to be asked by 3 Ind. (D.R.S.)
279	1615	✓ Bde.	22 Bde.	4 Bde of Indon No 3. (01/82)	
280	1615	"	22-29/46 37/52 499 Div.	4 Bde of Indon No 1. (01/81)	
281	1A30	Signal		Div out of course both by	L/T + W/T
282	1515	MLO	LOI.	ref one inch boat det ESB footsteps and noticed evidence Area has not mopped up. W/T to Div in, line	By 8940 have heard of possible TAP parties. Asked for patrol in 1530.
283	1535	Signal			LOI - Will send patrol before dark @ Rang BUC of beach def and pl West BUC to investigate

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284	1545				B Comd + BM returned	
285	1600	Comp	CO 22		Show on for tomorrow - moving for a few days - LO on	Phone
313	1705	9 Div	I 160		infrm TAMIO natives to contact EMOS TIMOT LAMBANG LOKON- IRELAND boys known to Lt Col VOGNER? TAMI if name is VOGNER very treated with suspicion	EMOS from MEDINA - NEW IRELAND TIMOT - MUNAWAI - LAMBANG - MAIUM - LOKONDAN (ANDAM) - FAFMILAK - Obtained by IO from G3I 9 Div.
314	1805				12-15 Bombs landed in <sup>HQ</sup> area -	2 casualties 1 serious.
315	1855	BM	Col. Body.		No damage but 2 casualties 22 Bn moving first light	from bombing. Informed that
316	1840	22			No damage or casualties	from bombing
317	1841	29/46			do.	Phone
318	1920	29/46	I 33		Sitrep to 1900K/21. No casualties	as result of raid at 1800.
319	1930	22	I 40		Sitrep to 1900K/21. Raid 1755K from A Coy. no cas no damage contact with enemy. Otherwise	nearest bombs 200 yds in sea Patrol returned B Coy 1310K no sifter
320	1930	I 41	9 Div 22		Sitrep to 1920K/21. Approx 12 1800K/21. 2 cas.	bombs fell this HQ area.
321	2016	Maj Green	LO 1		suspected enemy movement near Patrols found tracks. Further reports	to be submitted
322	2047	22			LO arrived	Phone. 1145K/22. Patrol followed tracks 10 week with no effect.
323	2110	O 51	22 Bn.		Infrm received during sep by but 20 Div east MONGI R O enemy in is possibility of more cone effort	Phone placng enemy tps of strength has increased and there than in previous Ops. Ask delay caused by break in line
324	2130	Day 2/3 Pan	DA 76		I 35 ack O 21. recd 1300K/19 O 22 + I 29 not yet received	sub serial 257.

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325	2145	9 Div	0303	First. Reallotment of areas. 2A bde along + sq 7247, 7246, 7146, 7147 but sec present from 765450-747490. RAA east bank southern half sq 7146. 2/3 Pm RED BEACH. each bn area 24 bde MBS 750468 2/11 Feb LOB 24, 26 bdes river BUREP about 785428 LOB will provide labour. Second. Det 2/3 on days moves start. Third moves start. HQ 26 bde own arrangements. RAA arranged PAMC arranged by ADMIS with HQ LOB 24 26 be relieved responsibility of LAE lower area responsible US Offr. Action taken will strip to 1900K/21. Enemy planes engaged 3 bombers fell surrounding area HQ. No damage no cas.	mouth of inland route between approx 2/14G bn area. 26 bde west bank BUREP river BUREP 770448-751480. 2/14G 37/52 sq 7242. PAMC 2/3 Feb Amb ADS in Amb ADS each bn area 26 bde 770442. 2/4 Indep Coy 9 Div Carrier Coy 'D' Beach to which Pm bn 37/52 will revert own unit command 24 bde 21 Sep 26 bde as bn become available by CRA. 7 Feb Coy 23 Sep. 2/3 Pm 22 Sept 26 bdes 22 Sep. Fourth Brig Whitehead will as soon as he can hand over to a be reported 9 Div. by AA 4F over area 1800. No bombs dropped.	
326	2340	37/52	I 21	22 SEP 43	3 bombers fell surrounding area HQ. No damage no cas.	
327	0330					
328	0400	29/46	Phone	29/46	no cas.	Phone
329	0725	29/46	I 35	strip to 0700 K/22	Air raid at 0325	K. 4 to 6 bombs - no damage no cas.
330	0800	I 42	9 Div	strip to 0720 K/22	0330 K/21 enemy BUSO 2. Approx 4 bombs dropped YELLOW SECRET. 2937	aircraft dropped 3 bombs vicinity BEACH area 0 no cas no damage reported.
331	1020	I 43	22 29	25 Sep	PARALLEL 26 LABEL LILY 30 LIKELY 1 OCT INFALLIBLE 0	27 LIMELIGHT 28 CYLINDRICAL 29 Ack. 22 29.
332	1045	D Coy 2/3 Pm	DAG		Have now been relieved by C Coy	
334	1055	I 44	9 Div		Serial 332 advised	
335	1055	I 45	C 29/46		Advise dispositions.	
336	1120	9 Div	0319	27/52 bn comes under command 2A Inf Bde bn comes under command 24 bde		for local admin 0 B Coy 2/3 Pm forthwith.
337	1135	9 Div			OO 15+16 received	
338	1135	9 Div			Specials 1 Quat Corps Int Summary No 7	37 advised 029 1135K/22 Serial 345 Ack. I 46 1135K/41 Pm Mr Houghton 21 Sep IO read at Div 21 Sep

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339	1135	9 Div.		0017 received	ACK. I 471200K/22
340	1135	9 Div	O 307	MOST SECRET. Amend my OO should read sep 4900 KCS code	Amendment made. Need by land while at Div
341	1135	9 Div.	O 309	MOST SECRET. Ref 0017 D Day same as that for DIMINISH Op remain in his notice	Need 1700K/21.
342	0830	BM	Co 37	Move to area 7242, your det you could enter 42MG bar moves tomorrow.	Phone. <sup>Pm</sup> with 43 <del>44</del> bar will revert to <sup>the</sup> Move today suggest you move
343	0935	22.		B Coy at 093384 near HQ 080278	ref MONG R.
344	1112	22	I 43	Situp to 1000K/22. Jwd tps 120409	bn HQ 109393.
345	1125	O 29	37/52	37/52 comes under comd of bde	for local adm as from 0950 today.
346	1215	I 48	9 Div	ref Buso 1/5000. Mucroplated shell surface painting approx 360°. Length percussion cap & time fuse marked 2 in silver band 18 in green band	see serial 336. <del>to</del> DRIS. Infrm need by phone from IO 29 1200K/22
347	1320	22	IF 1	1200K fwd tps 127403 Bn HQ 1224025	reported 929399 lying flat on 20-24 ins diameter 6 ins brass from nose 4 in yellow band 3 inch silver band.
348	1400	10.22		Bde I.O. spoke on phone to 22 I.O. - Bn near patrol party accompanying Bn	HQ now at YAMBO - ADS less small
349	1600	22	I 44	Situp to 1400K/22. Bn HQ 145406	
350	1420	22	IF 2	1400K fwd tps 153410 Bn HQ	148408
351	1850	22	IF 3	Situp to 1800K/22. fwd Coy taking Bn HQ WIDERU.	upper perimeter def east of WIDERU
352	1910	29/46	I 37	Situp to 1900K/22.	
353	1940	I 49	9 div 22	Situp to 1920K/22. 1830K/22 22	bn less A Coy WIDERU area BEACH. NO reports C Coy 29/46
			2927	NO contact. A Coy less YELLOW. 37/52 bar.	

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354	1800	G3I 9 Div	IO.		no lde taken first objective & have	struck some resistance
<u>23 SEP</u>						
355	0707	22	IF4		Sitrep to 0600K/23. Sitrep. move	commenced 0600K.
356	0740	ISD	9 Div		Sitrep to 0730K/23.	
357	0925	22	Phone		Bn HQ 223397 Ewd tps 239397.	Confirmation IFS 0930 K/23
358	0955	IS1	Beach Def		Passwords to 1 Oct.	
359	1205	IF22	IF8		1000K fwd tps 291389 Bn HQ	287388
360	1515.	9 Div.			Red 1 Unit Corps Summary 13+14 &	Preliminary Interrogation Pkt
361	1300	9 Div	IO.		AM 23 Sep. no lde cleared HELDSDACH	Phone
					south at track five south of	Infur passed by
					meaing north. AIR 22 Sep. 35/40	Could 10 CO 23 Pm Bn 1315 K/23
					attached & intercepted by 110 lightnings	
					& probable. Naval vessels returning	
					by 8 B's escorted by 7 F's & 8 planes	
362	1530	030	22 Bn		American pilot parachuted in vicinity	June tracks KUA & MONGI
					ref strat LS 2567. 22 Bn to send	patrol pl strength with 5 days
					patrols to question natives & if	possible locate pilot. This is
					additional to standing patrol	ordered north. Report required
					earlier. ACK.	
363	2200K/22	9 Div	0335		it is proposed to remove all bus	between RED Beach and APO on
					about 25 Sep. Any unit which has	objs on stones on rd from exel
					west bank river BUISO through ALUKI	to APO on 24 Sep will notify
					Div HQ of extra time required to	clear their gear away. RHE will
					notify NOT dismantle bus without	approval Div HQ.
364	1615	22	IF9		1200K. fwd tps 336387 Bn HQ 329889	336387 Jap bivouac area. Signs of div advised 031 1620K/23.
					of occupation as recent as three	days.
365	1640	9 Div	0349		further to my 0325 Immediate	steps will be taken by all
					concerned to clear their objs and	stores from rd by PM 24 Sep.

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366	1640	9 Div	0347	ref in. C Coy 29/46 will assemble near 827513 to rejoin 29/46. Detailed time of moves will be notified.	29/46 advised 032 1655K/23.
367	1820	29/46	C Coy 29 4 bde	C 29/46 will return to this HQ immediately departures. Also report actual time route @ ACK.	Notify estimated time of of departure & report progress on
368	1905	29/46	I 42	Situa to 1900K/23	
369	1820	22	IF 10.	Correction to para IF 9. 1400K adv Contact with enemy 315393 1335K. NOT known NOT considered	tps approx 319393 but HQ 317394. Adv adv halted strength enemy large.
370	2000	I 51	9 Div 4 bde	Situa to 1900K/23. 1335K/23. 22 bn 22 29. but considered small body at 315395. 319393. 29/46 bn situa Unable contact C Coy.	contacted enemy unknown strength 1200K/23 fwd elements 22 bn at
371	1725	29/46		37/58 bn off line	HOI arrange contact via 37 bn
372	1726	Beach Sign		29 bn to ack 032 when C Coy notified on commencement of If cond receives message about 22 try obtain info of arisan	
373	1727	29/46		Cond. Near HQ 4 bde is to set up in strip & is to incl representation en route. Main base HQ incl cond 29/46 bn less 2 coys to move tomorrow with maximum no not to pass ALUKI before 1000 hrs. take their orders. Care to be taken APPD before dark. One Coy 29/46 as in	are contacted Bde HQ to be movement patrols which are to end SAMBERANG Thone. from natives vicinity SAWMILL north MALAHANG Band ordered TO of SE side. Party call 9 Div HQ to set up HQ. advised will remain RED beach area. Serial 1900. Probably vicinity SAWMILL commencing camp SINGATTA Pw might FWD vehs. bn to take PDS. Vehs Conway to leave approx Engos will be on track & drivers 0900 hrs/24 of Sig Wire. Vehs must clear Confirmed message Bde 003 & one coy to protect 0363 0030 R/24
374	1855	G1 9 Div			
375	1900	G1			



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				23/24 Sep dumps at RED Beach. Bde Comd 22 bn + coy 29/46 referred to in tomorrow with vch. 37/52 bn bde.	to remain RED Beach to control Bde 003. 1/3 Tm Bn will move at disposal 5 div on request re	
376 381	-	Comd	CO 29/46	Leaving HQ + Coy. Send up all opt going pick up TKA guns Tentage will be on trucks. Send responsible Offr intercept	near HQ to go with Stewart + Lloyd. Your party on beach 0900K/24. Direct Coy to SAWMILL area. Coy.	Phone
377 382	1947	1/3 Tm	B.M.	1/3 Tm Bn moving vicinity	G Beach - 4 Teeps in convey L/T out at that time	Phone
378 383	2050	1/3 Tm	B.M.	1/3 Tm Bn moving 0700K/24	22 bn BUA area 3139 @ party 8 seen. 2 killed	Phone. Signal advised.
379	0740	1/3 Tm	9. air 29/46 29/46 bn	SITREP to 0730 K/24 @ 1600 K/23 enemy stragglers encountered	to 210401 MONCI. R. not N.I. reported clear to this will be sent beach N.I.	
380	2115	Q.3	22 bn.	Parties will be delivered before 1700 K/24 if beach HQ. by 0900 K/24. Parties Arrange to meet.		Rations required L3 not M.I. 0720K/14.
381	1820	10 IF 20 (220)	4 bn.	Correction to para IF9 No. 317393 @ Bn No. 317394 known NOT considered large.	1400 K. adv. Hqs 319393 bn contact with enemy NOT bn.	Div. 033. See Serial 382. 369 Phoned to G. ad. 1845 hrs. Phone.
24 Sep						
382	0855	Segt.	Capt. Whit.	W.F. is now in to 22		
383	0720	22	IF 11	Sitrep to 1600K/23. perimeter of to east B Coy Bn HQ 316391. Coy enemy stragglers 8 seen & killed	straight vicinity BUA 3139 D Coy HQ COY 311395. Encountered party	
384	1510	22	IF 15.	yourself STRAT MAP this supply ref track give on one	map NOT carried can you inch	
385	1510	22	I 13	Sitrep to 1730K/23. Contact with which 1 considered offr 3 killed 1	enemy BUA 3139 1330K. 8 seen of probably wounded @ 1600K. Our fwd	

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				elements came under fire from few rds mortar approx 1600K. Considered 80mm fire landed 370392. Kit of approx 12 enemy examined relevant documents and items held pending return by barge. our cas one wounded. adv to continue 0800K/24	
386	1510	22	IF13.	Sitrep to 0600K/24. enemy dump located, 375390 contained amm tools petrol NO enemy seen. 5 cases amm BVA destroyed. buttons taken from captured Junic carry anchor badge.	
387	1510	22	IF16	No 11 set meters op see NOT confident now dependent on L/T from BVA river & runners between here & head of cable.	
388	1510	22	IF18	1000K/24 find elements TAMIG, IDU 340385 Bulkt 337387. Tap dump 330389 incl 114 rds approx 75mm 35 cases. 256 300 40 drums petrol tools. Japs wearing respirators. find tps report signs of dragging of guns along track	
389	1545	I53	9 Div	Sitrep to 1000K/24 from 22. ref our I51 of 23 Sep news 3 enemy killed our cas. 1 wounded. 1600K/23 find tps come under fire from by mortar 370392. enemy amm BVA destroyed. dumps at 375390 330389 incl 75mm amm drums of petrol tools. Japs wearing respirators. buttons from clothing carry anchor badge. 1000K/24 find elements 22 at TAMIG, IDU 340385	
390	1635	I54	22	track line should read river river. This line shown on STRAT map 23000 yds north of mouth MONGI R & 11000 yds NNW SAMBERANG. Cannot reconcile STRAT with 1 in series. river line north of MONGI sheet.	In reply IF15. See serial 384.
391	1530	029 Div	0377	fd bty located RED and YELLOW beaches will be moved to C1 beach when apt becomes available	to Maj Black 54 bty.
392	1450	029	BVA	Convoy has reached MUKI & pushing on with difficulty.	Phone.
393	1616	Sc(A)	BVA	Convoy reached MUKI but cannot clear APO by dark owing to bad tracks and 2 broken axles.	BVA instructed Capt Klayth to push off 9 Div re not clearing APO by dark.

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394.	1830.	C 29/46.	BM.	Clay will depart from present on route. Contacted SE who areas. Will move SAWMILL to reach HQ 9 Div 1200K/26.	power 26 Sep + report 9 Div gave instrs proceed SAWMILL unless otherwise directed. expect	BM phoned CO 29 who had not received message 1835K/24
395	1905	G 2 9 Div	BM	Get beach with US extent of damage after equipt you communicate with them for new equipt. 20 bde struck strong enemy at river	No 2 Air Warning det and find was dropped in river. Request and return them to 9 Div  force at river. 20 bde have dumps	
396	1925	22	BN	No not know location US	No 2 Air Warning det.	
397	1930	O 33	22	Ref American HWW det who require that they be returned with you and if they have salvageable. If not with you	left for CAPE CERHAOS. 9 div for reequipt. Please Report if lost equipt. Also is any equipt notify last known whereabouts. 1000 hrs	
398	2020	Bar	G 2 9 Div.	No info of 22 bn since		In answer query by G 2.
399.	2100	9 Div	O 77.	Advise this HQ by 1700K/25 requiring Hpt from G beach	tonnage of equipt stores etc for purpose of concentrations	
400.	1930.	29/46.	I 43	SITREP to 1930K/24		
401	1940	I 55	9 Div yld	Sitrep to 1920K/24. No report 22. 29/46 bn sitnar	from 22 bn since 1000K/24	
<del>402</del> 25 SEP 43						
402	0735	I 56	9 Div yld 29	Sitrep to 0730K/25. No further	report 22 bn. 29/46 sitnar	
403	0820	I 57	27	Awaiting act on 21/21 of 21	Sep 2 I 43 22 Sep.	
404	0945	I 58	9 Div.	Enemy documents captured 23 Sep being fuded by hand	BVA 313 395 by 22 bn on	documents found taken by Pvt Percill 0950K/25.

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405	0859	CO 29	IO 29	17 Coy to be brought Bunka area, commencement of movement.	Await further orders. Report	
406	0945	22	IF 20	Reached general line MONGI R 1330K/24 withdrew during night. Various total 136 rds 75 mm 35 cases 5AA. 338397 estimated approx 3 weeks wrecked also plane complete wreck.	no contact with enemy who gap amun dumps along track braked Zeke observed approx crashed. All instruments	
407	0945	22	IF 19	1200K fwd tps 356427. Bunka 3444/8	22 rds 75 mm 343417	
408	0955	22	IF 25	Have you received our IF 22 OC3 in ref. for crashed airman.	IF 20. Also query for one	IF 20 + OC3 received 0945K/25. Query re serial 390 crashed airman answered 154 1635K/24
409	0955	034	22	Ref our O30 of 23. Send patrol sent. No mine available for	immediately if not already comm to SAMBEANG,	
410	1000	035	9 Div.	22 br est. MONGI R. 1330K/24. withdrew during night. Patrolling	No contact with enemy who fwd & North to SAMBEANG.	
411	1005	I59	22	Only IF 22 NOT received. Query replied our I54 TOO 1635K/24	re crashed airman map ref	
412	1120	IF 23 <sup>22</sup>	IF 13 <sup>22</sup>	Signal to 0600K/24.		
413	1200	IF 23 <sup>22</sup>	IF 23 <sup>22</sup>	Signal to 0600K/25. Between 1802 fire from rifles LMG, 2 inch left flank from direction of approx 70 rds fire falling on coastline that vicinity O No cas straggler killed 360438. All quiet one pl to cross river 0645 hrs. No report received from D Coy	to 1835 came under sustained mortar. MMG, LMG, heard on SAMBEANG. Mtn gun fired TARIKIDU mission and on line of MONGI. 1700K/24 gap at STAND TO this morning. Pakd and penetrate east to 1000 yds less 1 pl at 3847.	
414	1530	IF 29 <sup>22</sup>	IF 29 <sup>22</sup>	Truck 3 half mile N.E. EAST of base of barge deliver rations etc	MONGI river clear of enemy today	Message not understood. Map Refs asked for I60 1540K/25

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415	1555	O36	1555	Ref our message 033 of 24	Sep. Require reply urgent.	See serial 397
416	1430	Sig Office	BM	vrbw received our message	O33 of 24 Sep. BM requires	In reply query by RM
417	1600	vrbw	IF vrbw	Sitrep to 1600K/24. TB Coy 3643	CCoy 3644 D Coy less one pl 3898	
418	1600	9 Div	0338	HQ Coy 3542 pl D Coy of IGADU	3A4429 Bw HQ 360438. Nothing	
				further seen of enemy. Actual	patrolling instituted.	
				Sitrep period 2000K/16 - 2000K/22.	ref one in. 9 Aust Div. only enemy	
				contact from occupation LAE so	moving 28 Sep by 1/4 bn 1/4 Indep Coy	
				all indications TAPS attempting org.	withdrawal across mountain tracks	
				to SIO + MADANG. By 18 Sep 1/4 bn	contacted 1/4 Indep Coy KUNDA BR.	
				20 Sep 4 TAPS found & attacked	GAWAN 2 719587. 21 Sep TAP party apparently	
				org strength 329 carrying packs & fully	armed located moving NW on saddle	
				629569. 21 Sep 2 coys 1/4 bn in MUSONG	- GAWAN area but HQ with 2 coys moving	
				BOANA with one pl indep Coy. 22 Sep	further patrol up east bank BUSU to	
				crossing 628585 which TAPS may use.	TAP main body though 635575. 2000	
				0445K/22 landing FINSCHAFEN area	opposed 6468. freshly dug beach defo	
				quietly overcome. 1 <sup>st</sup> objective line known	642700KNOLL 618685 track 620655	
				village 632660 coast 647667 attained	0940. 1500K bde HQ est 637685. To 700K	
				form as follows. 2/17 one coy 64049x with	pl moving along BONGA track. one coy 617685	
				PIB pl to BONGA report unoccupied. 2x PIB	pl moving west along SATELBERG track	
				1/15 bn successfully attacked enemy	bunkers 634670 20 enemy cars on light.	
				1/13. fwd elements north end FINSCHAFEN	airfield. Artillery shelling FINSCHAFEN beach.	
				2 pls 1/2 MG bn on beach def from 1/17 bn	7 Div. 18 Sep 1/4 expedition from TAP	
				force holding BOANA. TAPS withdrew.	Successful attack of 1/6 Indep Coy KAIAPIT	
				8891 shot inflicted 170 cas followed	by air borne <sup>occupation</sup> ship recently	
				cleared & lengthened by enemy. HQ 21	bde est KAIAPIT. Airpos incl by attacks	
				MADANG - BOGADJIM - MARIHAM VALLEY	RD & FINSCHAFEN - TAMU. IS - CAPE GLOUCESTER.	
				minor harassing attacks 9 div area no	damage cas negligible.	

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419.	2138	<del>63</del> <sup>BM</sup>	92 Div	Some enemy resistance with MMG's along Mbr gun fired approx 70 yds vicinity patrol pl strength crossed MONGI + patrol reported track clear. Mbr gun reported 9-10 natives found hand-1 wounded. 22Bw less D Coy less 1 pl along less 1 pl moving SAMBEANG reported sq 339387 cannot get comms until	Phone Infm from corrupted message IF 29 (Sitrep to 1600 hrs)
<del>420</del>	<del>0730</del>	<del>I63</del>	<del>9 Div</del>	<del>22Bw No report received 29/8/46</del>	
420.	1716	037	22, 29	no further supplies sig cable opportunity units will recover	
421	1720	038.	37.	No further supply D3 cable available case in own area. 37Bw will recover to APO + from TICKERENG 7 miles	
422	1730	G3I 9 Div	IO.	Documents captured BUA by 22Bw 500 camped BUA. Orders received to 21 Aug landed MANGK. 4 Sep at SIO landed 200 (2 coys) came south of 200	Phone Parcel to 22Bw I 61 1745/45 See Serial 423.
423	1745	I61	22	Documents captured BUA 23 Sep 80 Regt estimated 200 tps or part FINSCHHAFEN 6 Sep.	
424	1810	039	22	message 033 of 24 T00 1930K	
425	1915	29	I45	Sitrep to 1900K/45. A Coy moved APO fishing village 1700K.	
426	1940	I62	9 Div	Sitrep to 1930K/45. A Coy 29/46 22Bw following when to	
				4 Mbr along MONGI R. at 1800K/44. TAMIGIDU Mission area. first light 25 Sep moved 3 miles east along coastal track 3 miles east MONGI destroyed recently cuffed & shot. 1 Jap killed our 1 killed west bank MONGI sq 3742, 3743, 3642 D Coy 3847 at 0600K/45. Completely wrecked ZERIC first light morning	
				available in this area. at earliest all cable NOT in use in own area units will recover all cable NOT in use for bde sigs 3 miles from SINGAWA up BUNGA R	
				23 Sep. 19 Aug 3Bw 80 Regt strength proceed to FINSCHHAFEN on 17 Aug. 6 Sep arrived FINSCHHAFEN. 800 Assumed that force is part or whole	
				disclose enemy force part 3Bw thereof which came south from	
				reads -	
				935411 1400K. Capt BOYD + party	
				came vicinity 935411 Report from hand	
					In reply V31 - 033 not received See Serial 397

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427	0030	9 Div		all hrs between incl BUSOK or APO commencing 26 Sep. Stores must be	will be removed by engs clear APO 1200K/26.
428	0320	<del>041</del> 041	2323	Secure beach M3 with one coy fwd immediately secured. ACK	by 1000K/26. notify this HQ
429	2040	135 BM	29/46	One coy other than one on hours notice if days 1 emergency ration normal scale lots of 25 for each boat. Prepare embark	midday move to YELLOW BEACH. Phone A Anniv. Nominal rolls in triplicate midday RED BEACH. Take telephone unit with as much rations
430	2050	135 BM	Key 22	For Capt Dodd. WO. Prepare move again as possible incl 1 emergency - full LMG - one hrs notice to move from 100 men nominal rolls in triplicate 94 men in Coy. INCO left & will disembarkation & CV's from 29 & proceed	scale am 100 rifle 250 SMG 1000 0800K/26. Probably midday. Take 4 parties each of 25 lots. Only be relieved by coy 29/46. - 2 mortar amm plenty of grenades.
431	0730	I 63	9 Div	Sitrep 0720K/26. 22 hrs NO report.	29/46 Situer
432	0930	042	22	0600K/26 Sitrep NOT received.	Expedite.
433	1015	043	9 Div	By American AWW det. Equip reconditioned. Det left HOPOT MISSION	all salvaged & can be from patrol to east of MONGI
434	1100.	22	22	Sitrep to 1600K. Interim report Mountain gun located track approx US. 9 or 10 natives hand cuffed & shot patrol. <del>At least</del> US mountain guns destroyed with strafing last 2 days. 1 wounded but on duty. D Coy less 1 missing. URB located 348426 British M 304M 6040 LOT 15 D61800 P300	3 miles east of river gun now No contact further report from found sea 343416 apparently our cas might 24/25 (killed). pl departed for SAMBEANG this Bomb Marking DEM 100 lb buoy strength unknown.
435	1110.	044	22	Awaiting act our 041 TOO	0323 K/26
436	1130	9 Div	0401	37/52 hrs <del>arrives</del> <sup>reverts</sup> could 5 Div further with could 5 Div on arrival west	Rear HQ & bde & C 29/46 revert bank BUSU
					ACK - IF 3rd 1150K/26. 043/26 Sign checking on call
					Infan supplied by Capt Dodd's see serial 426
					acked see serial 928
					37 29/46 rear Bde advised 439
					045 1125K/26 see serial

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437	1122	22	0726.	Relay 4T Lieut Byers. 22 Bw beach leave by barge to M1	2 days rations at b ferry remainder	
438	1125	045	37/52 C29/26 near Bde	37/52 Bw Coy 29 + rear Bde HQ revert comd	5 div forthwith ACK.	ACK.
439	1140.	22	1F32	litrep to 0600. Patrol 25 sep penetrated enemy. Natives killed total 6 not 9. No progress report. Patrol leaving this morning to search for pilot. Maintaining active patrolling east.	to river 463434. No contact with D Coy less 1 pl proceeding SAMBEANG morning to search for pilot. bank of MONGI. Quiet night.	To div I64 0220 K/26 Serial 440
440	1220	I64	9 div rptd 29/46.	litrep from 22 Bw to 0600 K/26	serial 439 rptd.	
441	1215	BM	OC A Coy 22	No further news. Standby by.		
442	1300	Lieut Haughton BM.	BM.	Capt Lloyd & rear HQ passed 1030K. Coy going beyond MONGI + leaving 8 pls of JAPS + had stopped for 2 days moved 1000 yds beyond river	29/46 1220K. Reports 22 Bw (D Coy) had met small parties supplies + have now	
443	1325	G2 Div	BM.	Entirely up to you whether you wish to protect 8 tons of amm with a coy 29/46 at YELLOW BEACH	In reply query by BM.	
444	1300	22	IF45	Patrol left 0745 K/26 delay due arrival re 033 will advise when report HOPOL Mission	Inquiries in hand received from coy. Last known	
445	1305	9 Div	0406	SECRET. ref one in. Der 27 Sep 43 A from YELLOW BEACH to rejoin 22 Bw details of move will be arranged with HLCVP for move. 22 Bw will com next bound MANGE PT 523421 beyond 9 Div. 2 LC V are available each 26 27 28 up rations from 22 Bw rear dump. held fwd by 22 Bw 5 days maximum	bde will move one coy 22 Bw vicinity mouth river MONGI 532 gp ESB who will provide same present role + move to which no more without ref to Sep for resupply 22 Bw incl picking Minimum day's supplies to be 10 days.	



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446 <del>447</del>	1320	22	1F26	Det reached Cape ARKONA had to attempt repairs on 22 Sep. No	got wet. Det adv to HOPOL mission further info.	Infer also need Capt Dodd Passed Div 043 1015K/26. serial 433.
447	1330.	BM	ESB	Informed ESB of Div 0406 (serial 445) & arranged for barges to leave RED beach 1200K/27.		
448	1340.	BM	OCA Coy 22.	You will leave 1200K/27. Stores dump although keeping various	to be collected & put in one unit's stores together.	see serial 445
449	1346	BM	CO 29/46.	Stand down Coy that was to 2 sigs required & to report Capt All stores being assembled YELLOW	go to YELLOW BEACH - 1 sec plus Curtis (acting MLO) RED BEACH 1130K/27	Phone.
450	1400	BM	ESB.	ESB to send 3 men & 1 off 22 hr. 9 men waiting RED BEACH	RED BEACH & to returned here. reserve beaches for landing gear to embark for YELLOW BEACH 27 Sep	
451	1410	O46	22	SECRET. Your A Coy rejoins you less SAMBEANG patrol will continue No move beyond this point except HQ. Advise by 1000K daily beach on 27 Sep M3 & 28 Sep no advise	M3 approx 1530K/27. 22 hr adv to MANGE PT 523421 on 27 Sep patrols without authority this for landing supplies. Will deliver O ACK	see serial 445 D O406 1305K/26 ACK. IF41 1855K/26
452	1430	O722	O724	Request A Coy be funded by barge patrolling. Suggest replacement	M3 enable more vigorous food from reserve bn.	
453	1430	O47	22 hr.	Over Q6 25 Sep states rationing Not received until 0800K/26.	delivered beach M1 approx 1600K/26	In reply IF39.
454	1445	22	1F37	No report of occupation yet From Sgt Brown AWW Det. Returned fallen timber 054433 - CR - CR made & fired at him with no effect. At least 2 Japs in area	Coy moving soon at present but received	In reply O41 0323K/26 serial 428.
455	1505	OCA Coy 22		From Sgt Brown AWW Det. Returned fallen timber 054433 - CR - CR made & fired at him with no effect. At least 2 Japs in area	from HOPOL to 9 Div via 009393. Approx 011396 saw Jap brown tracks in area thinks 500 yds up in 1800.	Patrol along beach track 500 yds either side of mouth & CK
456	1515	9 div	O369	Setup to 2000K/27.		
457	1515	9 div	O385	Setup to 2000K/27.		

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458.	1700	Lieut Houghton	BM.	20 bde.	3 Coy 2/13 over river Coy 2/13 br 4 month. 2/13 aiming for	
459	1830	OCA Coy	BM	Patrol Report	Time out 1515 K/26 and found footprints and to be landed over see 29/26 who are	see serial 455
460	1855	22 Bn	IF 40	Sitrep to 1600K/26.	The patrol left SAMBEANG to date. No further enemy situation. Small boat steel cable sighted 1600K. No report from Coy	
461	1855	22 Bn	IF 42	M3 secured	1400K.	
462	1855	22	0737	LO1 arrived	this HQ 1620K.	
463	1910.	29/26	I 46	Sitrep to 1900K/26.		
464	1910	37/52	I 42	Sitrep 1800K/26.	Proposed move @ 0700K/27 to area vicinity	
465	1930	I 65	9 Div	Sitrep 1930 K/26.	22 Bn 1400K/26 Coy. Otherwise local patrols only to 1600K/26 report from patrol to SAMBEANG.	
<del>466</del>	<del>0800</del>	<u>27 SEP</u>				
466	0805	22	IF 44	Sitrep 0600K/27.	M3 secured 1500K. to commence D 0700K from MONGI	
467	0740	I 66	9 Div	Sitrep 0720K/27.	22 Bn to 0600K/27 patrol. 29/26 Bn sitrep.	
468	0908			Lieut Gladstone returned from		
469	0927	BM	22 Bn	Be prepared load 3" mortar 2		
470	1055	BM	9 Div	Advice given that KAHAN Ng island for RADAR det Bn landed.	Also 22 Bn move	
					2/15 attempting to cross between plateau & encountering opposition in 1806. Landed creek area tracks leading NE. Report to continue search for <sup>JAP</sup> airmen (?) 0730K search for airmen. NO report seen. active local only due ration ferry across MONGI 369430. 3 barges sent to secure M3	
					37/52 Bn will move from present 713400 LFE 1/5000 patrol secured beach 407425. NO contact with enemy. NO 29/26 sitrep	
					Barges arrived M1 1615K. adv quiet night. NO report from SAMBEANG. Sitrep from SAMBEANG	
					22 Bn. MM G's + 16 belt boxes. main group most suitable cannot be certain until 0700K/27	Opinion of Lt RADAR det.

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471	1055	9 Div	BM	27 Sep. 20 bde infan. 3 coys of 13 bn have have crossed by now. 1 coy + possibly 100 JAP mainies SALANKAUM Pw	crossed river + considered 4 <sup>th</sup> to 2 coys of 15 have crossed. encountered 50 killed rest retired	
472	1135	G2 9 Div	BM	Bin Watching Sta HOPOI to return rations from YELLOW BEACH way	original <sup>see</sup> <del>off</del> to remain supply week & inform Bill when done	BM advised OC A Coy 23 1140K/27.
473	1225	BM	OC A Coy 23	A coy leave sec to replace sec be advised about AWW det. When be sent on by barge	29/46 NOT arrived. Sec could to relieved to return here + will	
474	1240	BM	OC beach def.	1 sec 29/46 to arrive beach tonight A Coy 22 by ration barge 28 Sep. Report	- stopping night + to proceed + arrival	Arrival reported 1255K/27. CO 29/46 advised. ally A Coy 22 embarked for M3
475	2000	I 67	9 div rptd 29.	Sitrep 1920K/27. 22 bn. now est one OLIGADU + one 3 miles East gun previously reported mistakes found SAMBEANG patrol departed MONGI	2 mtn guns abandoned by enemy MONGI on coastal track. 10 latter killed + shot. 0800K/27 bn less for MANGE Pt. 29/46 bn situat.	
476	2020	37/52	I 45	Sitrep 1800K/27. Bn est new area 0945K/27	map ref 712398 LAE 1/25000 at	
477	2025	Rear Bde	A1	ref LAE 1/25000. Rear Bde 715452 comd 5 Div.	37/52 712399. 29/46 712455. under	
478	2025	Capt West		Returned from 22 Bn. Have captured & documents + report on ops.		
479	2115	29 bde	I 375	Sitrep 1900K/27. Bde HQ 686423. B 686427 C 684424 D 685436. 15	47 Bn 687424 HQ Coy 687425 A 685433 + 42 bus no report.	
480	2300	5 Div	O1336	Ref am G 11/76 24 Sep essential	reply immediately	
481	2356	O 48	5 Div	No record of receipt your G 11/76	24 Sep	In reply O1336 Serial 480
<b>28 SEP 43</b>						
482	0745	I 68	9 div rptd	Sitrep to 0730K/28. 1300 K/27 29/46. 436429 without further contact. found abandoned at 380425. NO bn situat.	elements 22 bn advanced to TIGEDU One additional 75 mm gun report SAMBEANG patrol 29/46	

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483	0925	<del>I 42</del> 37/52	I 42.	Sitrep to 1800 K/28. 130 men 2200 - 0400 <del>28</del> 27/28 sep.	working party YOCO Point	
484	0930	I 69	9 div	Can you supply 3 copies	para JAP Equipt (Jun 43).	
485	1110	22 Bw	IF 46	SITREP to 0930 K/28. MANGE Pt C Coy 530422 bu HQ HQ Coy 526421 contact with enemy during adv patrolling continues.	secured 1630K/27. B Coy 533422 location A Coy NOT definite NO (signs of <sup>hasty withdrawal</sup> prepared pos)	correction by later message
486	1115	BM	G2 9 div.	Advised 22 bu sitrep also 6 Two copies track report as far as marked map.	days rations going O Beach. MONGI fuded DRLS with	G2 - Want location prepared pos & whether track jeepable or suitable 3 ton.
487	1130	BM	SC.	Capt Swyer to inform 22 bu to all the way. Incl these reports Capt Swyer to contact Capt Blue re rations	submit to 120 report of track whether jeepable or suitable 3 ton to inform him report this HQ	
488	1135	O 49	22	Rations leaving by barge today beach for info & direction to O delivered approx 1700K today.	1730K. Barges will call at H beach where rations will be	
489	1140	O 50	22	map refs required of prepared of each.	posns & stage of preparation	
490	1500	G1 9 Div	Comd	22 bu to proceed KASANGA on tomorrow. All dumps except move from KASANGA until further permanently under comd. Comm	ment bound. Move commence M13 to move fwd. No further orders. Two barges now to be kept by wireless	Passed 22 bu O 51 1522K/28. Confirmed 9 Div O 4371632K/28. See serial 494.
491	1522	O 51	22.	22 bu will continue adv 0700K/29 except patrolling beyond this pt rations and some maintenance If delivery required fwd O Beach party to mark beach plainly. Same	to KASANGA 607466. no move without authority this HQ. Six days amm will rations be delivered O Beach 29 Sep. ange meet there & direct fwd. ESB attns re contact as advised by LDI	ACK IF 52 0920K/28.

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492	1625		MLO.	22 bn to advance to KASANGA	2 LCV now under command + will	
				load 1030K/29 and leave 1100K/29	ACK.	
493	1645	052	22	9 div require earliest practicable	reports by you in conjunction	IF 53 1630 K/29.
				532 gp ESB on beaches anchorages	and hideouts for small craft	ACK. 22bn <del>IF 53 0930K/28.</del>
				between both incl MANGE PT &	KASANGA. ACK.	
494	1632	9 Div	0A37	SECRET. <del>22bn</del> Further to 0406	(serial 445) On 29 Sep 22bn	Confirmation serial 490
				continuing present role will	start move to next bound	Passed 22Bw 051.15 22K/28.
				KASANGA 6044 beyond which No	move without ref 9 Div. No move	
				unless 5 days sup and amm require	ments held fwd by 22bn. 2 LCV's	
				allotted for maintenance under	arrangements + bde. LOFC dump	
				in rear of main bodies 22Bw	will be taken fwd earliest	
				practicable. 22Bw in conjunct	ion 532 ESB will report on beaches	
				anchorages + hideouts for	small craft between both	
				incl MANGE PT & KASANGA		
495	1740	C29 Div	BM	Will try to obtain 20	miles cable for 22bn	In reply query by BM.
496	22/1955	I 70	9 div rptd	Sitrep 1930K/28. 0930K/28 22bn	less 2 coys MANGE PT 535423. One	
			29/46	coy less one pl SAMBEANG patrol	No report. one pl 406428. One	
				coy moving 406428 to rejoin	bn MANGE PT. active patrolling	
				fwd along coast NO contact	29/46 bn sitrep	
497	29 SEP 43					
497	0730	I 71	9 div.	Sitrep to 0730K/29. 22bn NO	report. 29/46 sitrep	
498	0900	22 Bw	IF 51	Sitrep to 0600. by rain com-	menced 2230 still continuing	
				otherwise sitrep		
499	0930	22 Bw	IF 50	Sitrep to 1730K/28. B Coy 533423	A Coy less pl 531422. C Coy less pl	
				529421 Bw HQ HQ Coy 526421.	Patrol to 566436 returned 1410K	
				NO contact with enemy. Patrol	to 515425 returned 1230K.	
				NO contact with enemy.		

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500	0930	I 72	29/46	<p>29 Sep</p> <p>Passwords daily from 20 Oct. Reach Def. SKILFUL 5<del>7</del> BLOODLESS 6<del>5</del> LITTLE</p>	<p>VALVULAR <sup>3</sup> Oct SOLUBLE <del>34</del> 7<del>6</del> LYSOL 8 LATTERLY</p>	Ack. 29 Bw. Beach Def
501	1000	I 73	9 div 9 ptd 29/46	<p>Sitrep from 22 bn to 0600K/29. B Coy 533423 C Coy less pl 529421 to 515445 returned 1230K/28 + contact with enemy. night 28/29</p>	<p>1730K/28 A Coy less pl 531422 bn HQ HQ Coy 526421. Patrols 566436 returned 1410K/28. NO SEP Situar</p>	
502	1105	GI 9 Div	BM	<p>GOC has decided adv HQ 4 bde Remainder 29/46 to be replaced by tomorrow morning to MALAHANG</p>	<p>B Coy 29/46 remain RED Beach 2/3 Pns. <del>Arrangements</del> Move Airfield by small craft.</p>	<p>MLO informed &amp; requires details for loading 1300K. Confirmed 0457 <sup>serial 504</sup> 1255K/29.</p>
503	1200	22	IF 49.	<p>Jap posns BUA prepared to weapon posn approx 314395. Jap posns weapon pits. both probably coy track &amp; beach BUA to MANGE PT. MONGI crossing coy posn mouth creek June 365441 to <sup>375450</sup> 374504 354426</p>	<p>pits &amp; MG posts on spur centre of on spur 533425 prepared to posns. Numerous foxholes along incl Jap prepared posn 528422. of river to 367438 <del>2</del> coy posn posn 363427 to 359426 pl posn</p>	<p>In reply 050.</p>
504	1255	9 Div	0457	<p>First 29/46 bn less 2 coys will on LAE where it reverts comd 5 Div. Bloy beach. Second. 2/3 Pns bn will detail field Offr to relieve 29/46 bn at RED provision of labour for &amp; control from RED beach &amp; protection by at west bank R BVS0. Third. Moves small craft as arranged by A. Small 5 Div arranging reception 29/46 at</p>	<p>relief by det 2/3 Pns Bw. move to 29/46 &amp; adv HQ 4 bde remain RED det strength 2 rifle coys under comd a beach. TASKS. protection RED beach under Q for unit supply to &amp; least 1 pl of sup &amp; amm dump 29/46 + 2/3 Pns bn will be by craft start RED beach 0800K/30. MALAHANG ANCHORAGE</p>	
505	1255	37/52	I 147.	<p>Sitrep 1800K/28. 60 men working Volo less A Coy <del>settling</del> settling in new area.</p>	<p>PT 0900-1500 today. Remainder bn area.</p>	

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506	1515	9 Div			Aircraft Recognition Lipo for small vessels	ACK I 74 1530K/29.
507	1620	>>(near) BM			AWW Det returning 9 div from HOP01 - move flight 29/30 on morning 30 SEP. 1815K. To move 0615K/30	Move arranged with MLO 1622K & details passed del 1640
508	1700	9 Div	O 471		Following from NGIF. Muted note & 1 pl MG garrison on TAMU IS. book entry indicates 1 coy inf Believed portion 238 Inf Regt.	
509	1700	9 Div	I 183		Documents found BUA OLIGADU area. MG Coy 61 Inf Regt. Receipt for clothing ASA 2055 KAIWA HIGASHI tai notebook ASA 2055 KATSUKABE tai. letters member notebook member FURUKAWA tai. SATO YO tai letter member MOTO	Address book belonging number ASA 2055 - 80 Inf Regt 20 Div. AKATSUKI 6168 PALAU. Paybook MOTO 2803 ASAKURA tai - soldier CHOSEN 24 new address 5 Coy 2 Bn 102 Regt 51 Div. ber CHOSEN 24 OKAMKRA tai savings account CHOSEN 24 2803 ASAKURA tai
510	1745	CO 29/46	BM		Bn HQ closing down 0500K/30	reopening 1630K/30.
511	2015	9 Div	O 474		Ref 9 Div O 457 of 29 Sep (serial 504) 2/3 Pwr Bn will be carried out by 2/3 Pwr Bn less 2 coys.	CO advised of serial 508
512	1945	I 75	9 Div/46		linep to 1930K/29. 22 bn less 3 coy departed 19M 29 Sep for KASIANGA 22 bn. 607447. NO contact with enemy. NO report from SAMBEANG, Pahole D coy 29/46 bn at 935410.	
513	2030	Sig O	BM.		Infm from 22 bn. Est NO contact no data or papers whatsoever. <del>Beaches</del> No good beaches. SAMBEANG	
514	2045	O 53	22		9 div informs that 6 LCM's moving RED BEACH from DIMINISH during night 29/30 or AM 30 Sep.	Infm received from G 2 2045K/29
515	?	22 Cablehead	BM.		Cable taken O beach. line head still BUFT with runner comes to bn. Have been awaiting supplies of more cable will proceed O beach tomorrow & reel back unless otherwise instructed by bn.	

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516	0800	I 76	9 div	sitrep 0730K/30. 22 bn NO report	29/46 bn less B+C Coys departed	
517	0845	I 77	9 div	935410 for MALAHANG area 0600K/30	1400K/29	
518 518	0855	G 2 9 Div	BM.	Lieut Lang OC RADAR equipt landed spot for RADAR. Will visit this	YELLOW Beach looking suitable HQ.	
519	1045	22	IF 55	sitrep 1630K/29. KASANGGA secured enemy. Bin HQ HQ Coy 610450 C Coy local patrolling	1350K/29. HQ: Contact with 613451 A Coy 611450 B Coy 608449	
520	1045	F 78	9 div.	22 bn sitrep to 1630K/29. KASANGGA with enemy. local patrolling	secured 1400K/29 No contact	
521	10 <sup>5</sup> 45	O 54	22	Confirmation of orders sent by BASC expected reach area TIMBULUM Pa in continuance of present role to well packed up & keep close watch river near NIASINGNATU. Patrols not tasks a) protect left flank on track 534483 - LOGAWENG (c) coast today. Rations from O beach to be nominated & marked by you.	Today. Two elements to bde 1 Oct. 22 bn will move tomorrow BUKI 660500. Bn to move on left flank after crossing less than pl strength with arrival BUKI. (b) close watch on track. Three days rations KASANGGA moved tomorrow to beach ACK	ACK. IF 59 1450K/30
522	1240	9 Div	O 483	Further to my O 437 (serial + 94) from FINNSCHAFEN. Elements to 20 <del>to</del> south of LANGEMAK BAY. 22 bn start move 1 Oct from KASANGGA to provided 5 days sup & amm require bn will protect its left flank with strength.	Enemy apparently withdrawing bde may shortly be expected continuing present role will next bound incl BUKI 6650 ments are held fed by unit. 22 patrols of not less than pl	Passed 22 bn O 54 1855K/30 serial 521



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523	1325	I 80	9 div.	report on prepared Jap posns. posns & MC, posts on spur approx 314395. On weapon pits. Both probably coy posns track and beach BUA to MANGE PT MONGI river coy posn mouth of river 365441 to 375450 HQ posn 363427 to	BUA prepared to weapon pits spur 533425 prepared to Numerous foxholes along incl prepared posn 528422. to 367438 coy posn ck June 359426 pl posn 354426.	
524	1330	O 55	22	Report urgently required if 6 LCM's DIMITINISH to RED beach. If observed	observed moving west from give place & time now & 2 smaller craft west.	Inventory from 9 div 1328 K.
525	1344	22 br		Sigs located BUIENIM report 6 barges coming into view. Craft proceeding	places after brief recce. ref 546427 @ 550428 @ 554430 possible hideout estuary	Also reported Cape GERHARD 1230K/30 (message M, 22 br). Reported G, 9 div infan recd IF 22 br
526	1320	I 79	9 div	report from 22 br. likely landing map one in. at 536427 @ 544426 to ESB to 557423 @ 561433 to 563434 @ only 558434 and only if channel cut across wide @ ESB pers some distance in	sand bar approx 30 yds near area. remainder br less A	IF 54 1200K/30 <u>TOPO</u>
527	1430	37/52	I 49	Ship 1800K/29. 60 men working. LAE boy settling in.		
528	1500	37/52	I 50	Situa 0800K/30		
529	1600	37/52	IF 58	Situa 0600K/30		
530	1600		3.5 Div	Received 5 div op Instar No 64		ACK I 81 1615/30.
531	1630	2/3 Pm		Locations Bw HQ + HQ boys not decided	B Coy 923398	
532	1655	22	IF 57	KASANGA Area M1 malarious posn no water. Strongly recommend further good water appears exist	tactical posn practically move KWALANSAM where	
533	1808	9 Div	board.	boy could island, show to go to confer with RADAR TAMU island RADAR OC to go 9 div this	div with photos and show to be done by 9 Div Coy B Coy 29/46 advised to prepare return Ben - 1 hr. estimate 1815K/30.	

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534	<del>1840</del> <sup>1900</sup>	22	IF 60.	Sitrep 1600K. 9 pl arrived KASANGA 1400/K. Coy plus 3 pls adv to occupy KWALANSAM <del>left</del> 1445K. pl patrol 667511 returned 1500K No contact with enemy but signs enemy withdrawal towards LOGAWENG within last 36 hrs. enemy prepared posn incl bunkers sufficient strong coy apparently constructed within last week 341481.		Location Bunkers to be reported 9 div.
535	1840	22	IF 63.	Track KASANGA to 666511 jeepable stream crossing depth one foot at low tide. Track to LOGAWEDIA from NIASING, 10 with engr task. good beach 100 yds width remainder unsuitable from KASANGA to KWALANSAM 626463	MALAHANG, anchorage 1030K/1. patrol to track June 641481 returned signs recent enemy withdrawal	upld 9 div I 86 1000K/1. <u>TOPO</u> .
536	1940	G2 9 div	B.M.	B Coy 29/46 will be moved	MALAHANG, anchorage 1030K/1.	
537	1940	I 82	9 div	Sitrep 1930K/30. 22 bn to 1600K/30. 1500K/30 NO contact but reports along track to LOGAWENG. 29/46 less B+C Coys departed RED beach for MALAHANG area today	patrol to track June 641481 returned signs recent enemy withdrawal	
538	2030	22	0743	Bang KWALANSAM 1630 staying stores from M1 tomorrow beach	might at anchorage ferrying to be notified to BASCO.	
539	2100	9 div	0491	SECRET 0018. Confirming verbal orders. B Coy 29/46 will move from RED beach to MALAHANG on arrival MALAHANG. 6 LCM will MALAHANG, anchorage leaving RED reception + Tin from MALAHANG,	anchorage 1 Oct + revert comd 29/46 lift coy from RED beach to beach 1100K. 5 Div arranging anchorage	Confirmation serial 536
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540.	0710	22	IF 64.	Sitrep 0600K/1. Move commenced	0600K otherwise sitrep	
541	1445K/30	22	IF 56.	Track MANGE Pt. KASANGA. Several to estuary 558434 where to be needed slight widening stretch 200' @ 526436 minor engr tasks. steep climbs several difficult wld weather. 593440 to KASANGA	soft patches otherwise jeepable @ estuary to 583436 jeepable with to 503440 not jeepable without gullies steep banks this stretch greasy	upld 9 div I 85 0950K/1. <u>TOPO</u>

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542	0730	I 88	9 div	Sitrep 0730K/1. 22 bn commenced meal	0600K/1 otherwise sitrep
543	0932	Sig O	22	22 <sup>bn</sup> will keep 24 hour watch	on cable line
544	0945	O 56	22	On arrival BUKI secure DREGER HR suitability when secured @ Report on base for barges @ urgently required	Sig. when secured @ Report on suitability of DREGER HR as ACK
545	1050	I 87	22 29	Aircraft key sigs. present res colon Sep 43 @ time periods unaltered	becomes effective from 0001Z/36 @ ack
546	1030	SC.		B coy 29/06 departed REO beach	1030 hrs to rejoin bn.
547	1310	9 div	T 190	SASEBO No 2 identified BUM 1 Hoop 51 div FINSCHHAFEN 15 Aug SHITAI consisting of 6 + 7 coys OKANO unit latter probably small. Consider coy possibly .51 div sub unit staging MG possibly from MG TAI 61	R. strength NOT known. 4 Fd Maps captured BUA shows MONGI Coy 2 regt guns 3 MG + per 6 + 7 coys from 80 Regt. OKANO through FINSCHHAFEN 8 Sep Regt.
548	1400	O 57	# 5 div	nominations 1 Aust Army Junior J. D. Boughton HQ 4 Aust Inf Bde. Location Statement	Staff School VX 104 185 Lieut
549	1418	9 div		Location Statement	
550	1555	22	1F69	Sitrep to 1300K @ A coy 653532 HQ Coy with enemy during adv. patrol/platoon for TIMBULUM via BUKI + TIMBU native report states enemy unknown present form in lieu lack of water	655528 B Coy 636500. NO contact strength. left KASANGA 0600K via LOGAWENG. Unconfirmed strength LOGAWENG + TIMBULUM BUKI.
551	1625	O 59	9 div	DREGER HR secured by 22 bn. no on suitability of harbours as barge	contact with enemy @ Report hideout NOT received
552	1650	22 bn	O 724	pl patrol KASANGA TIMBULUM by 1330K. No contact with enemy	recd 624543 + 619548 on 20 bde.

29 bn A391 084644  
ACK. 22 bn IF 76 1745K/1  
Advice recd 5 Div 01358

Passed to 22 bn  
I 88 1 Oct.

ACK 058 1435K/7

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553	1725	14 pl 22	JB 1	1 Oct 43. C coy patrol arrived BUTALI night flyer. Track vicinity reported friendly natives left BUTALA less 17 pl to SAMBEANG. Should enemy activity in area seen. Patrol morning 2 Oct.	30 Sep - no trace or info American SAMBEANG. posn patrolled morning 30 Sep to guide D coy reach destination 1 Oct. NO leaving BUTALIA to rejoin bu	Infan passed to div 062 1830K/1
554	1815	9 Div	O 508.	GOC wishes his appreciation of 22 bu's will continue to hold DREGER HR from this HQ.	adv to be conveyed to 22 bu. 22 bu until further orders issued	Passed to 22 bu 060 1815K/1 22 bu to ACK. I 77 1945 Replied to 063 1915K/1
555	1835	O 61	5 Div.	SECRET. SAIG's drawn from 4 received when issue made. Report within 24 hrs	AOD but no request for report will be compiled & filed	In reply show A5. which states NO report received NCIF.
<del>556</del>	<del>1830</del>	<del>O 62</del>	<del>9 Div</del>			
556	1840	22 bu	IF 73	Sitrep to 1600K. Situar. patrol bu posn 6 53529 1545K. patrol with enemy or own Aps. Other	TIMBULUM via BUKI returned reached 624547 No contact patrol not yet returned. BUKI + rejoin bu move emergency ration to be	
557	1930	O 64	14 pl 22 4th 22	14 pl 22 bu will move to area to commence 2 Oct. 3 days + on carried on the man	1600K/1 1545K patrol to TIMBULUM Tm returned NO via LOGAWENG. bu reports departed RED beach for	
558	1930	I 89	9 Div.	Sitrep to 1930K/1. 22 bu to TIMBULUM 624547 via coastal contact NO report from patrol NO water BUKI area. B Coy 29/10 MAHAHANG area today.	large traffic Beach at BUKI 665501 with overhanging trees accommodate NUSSING's. Mend digging coast	Infan given G 2 9 Div 2030K/1.
559	2000	22 bu	IF 74	DREGER HR NOT particularly suitable length 30 yds sandy steep shelving 2 barges. Passage believed west		TOPO Infan phoned G 2 9 Div 2100K/1

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559		Sound			KUMBARA + MATURA. Rations 2 Oct TIMBULUM. Pn ordered meanwhile		
560	2100	9 Div	0510		22bn will until further orders be HR. Combined 9 Div + 532ESB reception 2 Oct probably early afternoon. Strength 20 will remain with 22bn remainder protect + assist recce. ACK.	required. BUKI unless move then required R beach. disposed to hold + protect DREGER arrive DREGER HR in 2 <sup>LCV'S</sup> <del>trucks</del> recce party 40 of whom approx return 9 Div on 3 Oct. 22bn <sup>will</sup> <del>will</del>	Igx ACK 90820K/1 Passed 22bn 065. 215K/1 ACK 22bn IF80090K/2 div advised Iq4 1090K/2
561	2320	9 Div I 99	I 99		captured map shows dug defences ref 1/5000 feature 610542 diggings TAC R 615543 + 625547.	south LANGEMAR BAY MAPE R have been confirmed by	
562	2320	9 Div	0517	2. Oct 43.	1st fd regt will move from present BUSU Br 3 Oct passing under	location to LAE area via contd 5 Div on crossing R BUSU.	
563	0730	-	22bn		advise LOGAWENG patrol report.		I 90.
564	0740	22bn	-		Sitrep to 0600K/ sitnos. active patrolling continues.		IF 78
565	0800	-	9 Div		22bn sitrep to 0600K/2. sitnos. active patrolling continues. awaiting report from LOGAWENG patrol.		I 91.
566	1045	22bn	-		Sitrep to 0830K/ patrol 1 Oct TIMBULUM via LOGAWENG reported LOGAWENG on a 622519 + 1000 yds north clear LOGAWENG. def posn. abandoned MMG dismantled abandoned Not less than 2 days ago.	of enemy. posn prepared 622519 by enemy. one field gun one LOGAWENG. def posn abandoned	IF 79.
567	1115	-	9 Div		Serial 566. <del>and add.</del> repeated.		I 95.
568	1120	-	22bn		check map. ref prepared posn Incl bunkers at 341481.		I 96. In serial 571.
569	1125	GII	8n.		Br told GII. that Patrol of 2 RLs at airmen. patrol. at SAMBEANG case supplies have to come through SAPORUBURG. - GII. tried 065 had been acked by 22bn.	SAMBEANG + 1 pl looking for. to be maintained <del>in</del> in through there instead of been acked by 22bn.	Phone.

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570.	1345	22bn	-	Entire report per runner TIMBULUM. Sawmill. contacted 0945h. 2 enemy killed, over	from patrol present on post to. Small party enemy approx 622553. casualties. 1 wounded
571.	1415	22bn	-	map up 641481.	IF81.
572.	1440.	GTI. 9 Div.	BM.	20 bde have captured FINSCHAFEM. did BM unit come from <sup>GTI</sup> - was of 20 bde moving south. - BM had to TIMBULUM. has encountered	only stragglers remain - where is full dispositions of 22bn. Elements. - Phone informed GTI that patrol of 22bn small party of enemy, killing 2.
573.	1350	I 97	9 Div	0945h/2 22bn patrol to TIMBULUM	SAWMILL contacted small enemy party approx 622533 killing 2. Our cas 1 wounded.
574	1455 <del>1505</del>	066	22bn	<sup>Indicate</sup> quantities petrol located	at dump reported 325390.
575	1450	067	22bn	20 bde captured FINSCHAFEM 20 bde moving south. Enemy	enemy stragglers only remain. Elements evacuating inland route via SATELBERG.
576	1540	17pl	22	2 black objects which at distance approx 1 mile South CAPE GERHARD posn 407427.	appear LCY seem to be drifting unable to est identity from my message passed through switch.
577	1750	612	LO1	GOC does not regard SAMBEANG & rejoin 22bn unless CO desires & bde advise action taken incl	patrol necessary. Patrol may be withdrawn them to remain for own protection clearing of supply dump at M3. Phone.
578	1800	068	22	Did div & recc party arrive if so party to return 3 Oct. ACK	what time. HQ 9 div orders all re bde ACK. 0746
579	1800	9 Div <del>22</del>	0530	Daylight saving time commences E. Aust time zone. Other zones	0200 hrs 3 Oct when time becomes code except WA change similarly up to 22bn I 98 1800h/2
580	1805	069	22bn	SAMBEANG patrol being withdrawn	to M3. Will advise further action later. ACK to I 98. 0750
581	1900	9 Div	0536.	D Coy 22bn will rejoin 22bn vicinity remain SAMBEANG. Advise action taken	DREGER. HQ unless CO requires it to including clearance of supply dump for D Coy confirmation serial 577

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581	2000	system	IF83	2 OCT. Sitep 1630K. Patrol TIMBULUM SAW not 622553 as IF81. 2 enemy posn 617548? abandoned. Patrol 641547 prepared posn on coast vicinity returned BUKY to cover DREGER HR SIMBANG on return take up posn patrol left A Coy 1310K for TIMBULUM	MINE contacted enemy 618548 6095K killed our car 1 wounded enemy to coast returned 1630K enemy 659549 abandoned. B Coy less pl in posn 1615K. pl patrol B Coy 622505 as standing patrol. Further not yet returned.
582	2015	I100	9 Div	Sitep 22 hr. to 1630K/2. patrolling SIMBANG 622559 NO contact. Abandoned	contd TIMBULUM Tn area + enemy posns 617548 + 659549
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583	0535	9 div Sigs	Sigs 214	22 hr will est w/T with 20 bde on complete by change comd 1100L/3 20 bde assume control + reallot after est. 20 bde report results comm.	frequency 5335 Kcs call sign OK1 ACK 071 0830L/3. preliminary call + test 1000L/3 frequencies + call signs as necessary preliminary tests + final est
584	2300 2275K/2	9 Div	0538	MOST SECRET 22 hr will remain 20 bde 1100L/3. 20 bde will be respons incl SCARLET BEACH. Arrived DREGER in present location under arrangements 22 hr to submit earliest to HQ 9 Div location of res all natures. 4 bde comd will revert to comd 5 Div issued separately.	present posn + come under comd Passed 22 hr 070 0720L/3. (serial 585). HR. 22 hr will be maintained 9 Div. 4 bde will arrange for statement of present holdings + on passing 22 hr from under under arrangements to be
585	0720	070	22 hr	MOST SECRET. 20 bde responsible area incl DREGER HR 22 hr will comd 20 bde. Maintenance 22 hr to submit HQ 9 Div earliest statement res of all natures ACK.	for control + def of FINSCHAAFEN ACK. 0750 <sup>47</sup> remain present posn + come under under arrangements 9 div. 22 hr of present holdings + location of

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586	0815	9 div	I101	Ship to 0800L/3 @ >> low NO	
587	0955	>>	IF85	Patrol from low power + LOGAWEN contact 17 low vicinity SIMBANG. LANGEMARK estuary crossing	met north TIMBULUM making approx 1630K/2. Area north considered clear of enemy.
588	1035	>>	IF87	Ship 0600 <del>5</del> /3. track 641542 steep coast steep cliffs height 15 603549 SIMBANG 622551 area	to east vicinity 658505 narrow ft patrolling TIMBULUM Sawmill continues otherwise itner will move to rejoin low at days rations + 1 emergency vicinity SIMBANG approx 1630K/2 message patrol arrival at M3
589	1055	O72	D Coy 22	D Coy 22 low on arrival beach M3 DREGIER HR. D Coy will carry 3	
590	1330	I102	9 div	22 patrol made contact 17 low	
591	0840	PLI 7 PL.		runner despatch SAMBEANG with unlikely before about 1700L/4.	
592.	1340.	I103.	22 low.	Awaiting ack on 068 I98	O70.
593	1400	LAE FRT COMB	O1492.	Extensive damage being caused American scavenging parts of JAP impress on tps that such damage obtaining valuable data. Severe offenders.	by offrs + tps both Aust + aircraft All comds must prevents RAAF experts from penalties will be inflicted on
594	1900	9 Div		Received 0018 9 Div	Ack O73
595	1900	5 Div		Received adm Instn	Ack O74
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596	1035			AR on RED beach firing 5 rds	at 1130 + 1230 hrs
597	1630	O77	9 Div	This HQ available to move from	0800L/5.
5 OCT 43					
598	0900			First flight of barges departed move to SAWMILL Area. Arrived	RED Beach for VOCC Pt. on VOCC Pt 1000 SAWMILL 1230L/5. Passwords.
599	1700			Recd 5 Div Inst Summary +	In reply O567 HQ to move + revert comd 5 Div O575.



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600.	<del>1300</del>	1 Corps.	01030		Following units to move LAE of priority HQ 2/3 Comp AA Regt Comp AA Regt Sig Sec + Workshops. Bal Dep Pl. 2 Sup Dep Pl. Pl 154 Sen Tpt Bde Sec 3 Div Pro 4 Bde Sec 3 Div 130 Bde Workshops 2/3 Aust CCS + bal LAD. HQ RAE will NOT	from MILNE BAY in order 2/6 Ity AA Bty 2/9 Lt AA Bty 2/3 4 AOD. Bal 10 AAD. 1 Co Sup Coy + Workshops Sec. 264 LAD 4 Cash Office 130 Bde Ord Fd PK 3 Bty 101 TKA Regt 14 Fd Regt Sig	Copy of Message to 5 Div TOO 1653K/2	
601		1 Corps	01046		ref 01030 of 2 Oct. Delete all Delete 14 Fd Regt Sig Sec + bal LAD + bal Sig Sec	ref bal 4 AOD relating bal 10 AAD LAD + Substitute 14 Fd Regt	Copy sig to 5 Div 1305K/3	
602		5 Div	01623		15 Bde reverts Comd 5 Div 0900	43.		
603.	1300	22	0749		Ack 068. Our IF 85 refers. 24 bde party being instructed	Div recee party arrived 1445K/2 to return 30 Oct.		
604	1315	22	0745		replied message 24 Sep by runner Scattered drums to 325390.	40 drums petrol 330389+	In reply 066 serial 574	
605	1510	22	01F85		Contacted 9 Div 1445K/2 Conducted to 651642	Small recee island part fed		
606	1430	22	0.		Sitrep to 1600K/3.		TOO. 1740L/3.	
607	1900	29/46.	I 55		Simur to 1800L/6.			
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608	0845	5 Div	01805		29/46 + 37/52 Bm revert comd	4 bde forthwith		
609	0950	22	1F94		Bm located 654528 under LAE near future. remain advise developments.	comd so bde. Expect return present location will		
610	1400	5 Div			Received location statement	+ Amendment 2000 Lushu	ACK I108 I109.	

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1	1300 <sup>h</sup> /27	5 div <del>Q920</del>	03920	MOST SECRET. WO. 4 bde & 4 Fd 1000 <sup>h</sup> /27 for onward move - comd 9 div. Details regards other deto will be issued	Amb placed on 24 hrs notice from ment to DIMINISH to come under disposal of <del>the</del> TILLEY FORCE & later.	
2	1055 <sup>h</sup> /29	5 div	03040.	4 Fd Amb to come under comd & bde forthwith.	4 Fd Amb 094 1055 <sup>h</sup> /29.	
3.	0900 <sup>h</sup> /29	5 div	03018.	WO. 4 bde & Fd Amb will before 0100 <sup>h</sup> /30.	move DIMINISH no move	
4	0900 <sup>h</sup> /29	5 div	03019.	TILLEY FORCE to come under comd 9 div forthwith	4 Fd Amb 093	
5.	1810/29	5 div	Q1176.	First flight to take adv 288 personnel 29/46 hr.	party 4 bde adv party 4 Fd Amb	
6.	<sup>29</sup> <del>30</del> Oct.			4 bde adv instr no 5 issued each flight at intervals of	Move to take place 7 flights 48 hrs.	
7	0430 <sup>h</sup> /30.			First flight departed VOCO	PT <del>to</del> for DIMINISH.	
8.	0200 <sup>h</sup> /1			Bde HQ departed MALAHANG	arrived VOCO PT 0245 <sup>h</sup> /1	
9	0530 <sup>h</sup> /1			Departed VOCO PT arrived	DIMINISH 1400 <sup>h</sup> /1.	
10.	1430 <sup>h</sup> /1			Moved to SIMBANG area		
11.	1000 <sup>h</sup> /2	9 div	0126	TILLEY FORCE to move to rejoin 29/46 hr at	BEACHHEAD MONGI R and to DIMINISH.	

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12.	1200L/4	O97	22 29/46 37/52	ref LANGEMAK BAY 1/2500 FINSCH seaward & landward def of will be held at all cost @ right - KWEMBUNG VILLAGE 5559 (1") - - coast at 636609 @ left body Total gnd to be held at all BUMI - KOLEM - SIMBANG - KREUT B Coast def instrs to be issued held present dispositions and patrol In addition 22 Bn will recce for of SIMBANG & along western slopes recce from mouth of BUMI R west bde res will recce areas allotted located vicinity of rd & track move either north or west as Bn & 37/52 Bn will recce tracks SATELBERG track for movement accompanied by sketches scale 1/2500

13.	0900L/5	9 Div.	055 100. 1245L/3.	Secret @ ref map 1/25000 except water effect 0700L/4 @ 22 Bn will revert revert comd 2/2 MG Bn @ Additional 4 ps Tp 2/2 Pd Regt 12 Bty 2/6 fd regt on PIB & in addition deto RAA for Comd @ Allotment FOO's and arty CO to seaward & landward def of FINSCH 4 bde. all send to 20 bde track
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HAFFEN 1" 4 bde is responsible for  
FINSCHHAFFEN - LANGEMAK BAY which  
Bde bdy all incl track June 5259 (1")  
TIRIMORO - track & CK June 615595 (1/25)  
LOGAWENG PLATEAU - GAGIDU PT.  
costs area south bank mouth R.  
ERG RANGE - SNELL'S KNOLL 629594 @  
separately @ 22 Bn will continue to  
in accordance with 9 Div O55 of 3 Nov  
def posns east of river running north  
KREUTBERG RANGE @ 29/46 Bn will  
to sq 6259 for def posns @ 37/52 Bn  
to 22 and 29/46 Bns & will be  
June 639569 & 640573 & prepared to  
ordered @ additional tracks 29/46  
leading to the north & NW to  
own units. Plans will be submitted  
to this HQ by 1800L/6.

otherwise shown @ following taken by hand from G 1 9 Div  
comd & bde @ D Coy less 2 pls 2/2 MG Bn to Bde Comd 3 Nov.  
~~in~~ sp 4 bde 3 ps 1 dummy TR Bn F @ 4 bde O97 originated  
arrival & D Coy 2/2 MG Bn det C Coy and CO's called to  
Watching & Coast def as detailed separately. conference.  
4 bde by RAA @ 4 bde responsible for  
HAFFEN & LANGEMAK BAY @ right body  
June 5259 ref one in - KWEMBUNCI

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				VILLAGE 5559 ref one in - TIMORO at 6066090 left body with airfield 4 bde LOCANENG PLATEAU - all courts area South bank in KREUTBERG RA SNELLS KNOLL + bde res. Orders for coast def separately and will be put to be held each with one coy. (ref one in) + BUTANENG SAWMILL each of not less than one plybrough, MORENG - CURUNKOR - MAKE RIVER patrols to discover any threat to night cas + prevent foraging vicinity BUTANENG - LOGANENG to night cas + prevent foraging possible OP's + patrols will + WASUTIENG LOGANENG daily def of all sub units + establish if ordered to assume operations except for working + recce parties to def tracks will be at 2 hrs by night + recce entailed by leading north from FINSCHAAFEN		track + CA pine 615595 - cond ld construction unit all incl to GAGIOW PTO 4 bde will hold at R. BUMI - KOLANI SIMBANG retain at least one bn in tracks 4 bde are being issued into execution at once @ localities are TIMORO + track 2190567 patrol policy @ Daily patrols first in general area between + coordinated with 20 bde to FINSCHAAFEN from the west + secondly along tracks in PLATEAU WASUTIENG + LOGANENG to deny enemy + of visit CURUNKOR occasionally 4 bde will coordinate local ments in its sector + be prepared comd of any or all of them all units of 4 bde NOT committed notice by day + 1 hr notice above tracks + recce of routes will be completed earliest possible.	
14	1800 1/2	035	035	Send 1 part ONE @ projected 10019151/1 proposed reallocation Sector + in addition shall forward			

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relief retain one bn in bde res in  
 2/23 bn will take over sector new  
 times keep sufficient strength at  
 body will be notified later. Part  
 stages of relief. Rations (HQR) res of  
 be handed over in present locations  
 B. 3 days emergency rations held by  
 comd any surplus will be returned to  
 man will be at discretion of comd  
 drawn from DID quoting this order as  
 to total of 3 days res when relieved.  
 handed over to 26 bde. B. amount  
 comd surplus in 26 bde area to be  
 natives with 20 bde will be handed  
 be allotted as available. Part TAREK  
 relieve 2/15 bn & then will come under  
 come into div res in present location

approx present area 2/24 bn 26 bde incl  
 held by 2/15 + 2/17 bns and will at all  
 KUMAWA to hold it. Adjustment of bde  
 TWO. Adm to be supplied by 26 bde at all  
 SWPA rations held by respective bdes will  
 by mutual arrangements of units concerned  
 26 bde may be carried at discretion of bde  
 DID. C. normal rations carried on  
 26 bde additional requirements will be  
 authority. D. 20 bde will build up  
 AMIN. A. 20 bde fwd res will be  
 carried on man at discretion of bde  
 handed over to 20 bde. NATIVE LABOUR  
 over to 26 bde additional natives will  
 2/23 bn will move first light 2 Nov to  
 comd 20 bde. On relief 2/15 bn will  
 2/23 bn.

15 19154/4 98W 069 SECRET. Further to my O 35 (log 14)  
 Too 1605. vicinity mouth R. QUOTA reverts to  
 relieve each other on 4/5 Nov & pass  
 26 bde is moving to 613675 on 5 Nov.  
 bn by 2/24 bn the following changes  
 of 20 & 26 bdes and bde sectors right  
 of bde. comd 20 bde & comd 26 bde  
 & responsibility for areas within  
 20 bdes incl to 20 bde track from

ref map 1/50000. FIRST. 2/15 bn in  
 comd 20 bde 4 Nov. 2/24 + 2/17 bns will  
 to comd 20 & 26 bdes respectively. HQ  
 SECOND. On completion relief 2/17  
 will be effected by mutual arrangements  
 to left will be 24 bde 20 bde 26 bde  
 will take over and assume comd  
 following bords. body between 24 +  
 615684 to incl KATIKA incl coast at

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15	contd		4 Nov.	<p>646680 @ body between 20 &amp; 26 village 596687 to track fine excl ring contour 5964. KIASAWA 2. fine 615595 @ 4 bde body with track fine 521598 (ref 1 inch) KUEMIBUNG track &amp; creek 615595 coast at 636606 arrange western limb of 20 bde sq 5966 @ 2/23 &amp; 2/24 bus will revert to comd 20 bde @ THIRD @ Subject 2/15 bus will relieve 2/18 bus who &amp; move to area off SATELBERG rd Comds will during reliefs remain until relief is complete.</p>	<p>bdes incl to 26 bde track from 595673 thence reentrant to 593665 thence track to excl track &amp; creek 26 bde and 20 bde all incl to bde village 555595 (ref one in) TIRIMORO. @ 20 &amp; 26 bdes will mutually responsibility for SATELBERG rd in to comd 26 bde @ 2/17 &amp; 2/18 will pass to confirmation &amp; commencing 6 Nov on relief will revert to comd 26 bde sq 6066 @ FOURTH @ Unit &amp; formation responsible for comd their sectors</p>	<p>Para 3 confirmed 9th. 0 81 6 Nov.</p>
16	1700/5	9div	076	<p>ref 1/25000 @ following moves &amp; Too 1600/5 will arrange to quarter one coy at present occupied by A Coy 2/2 634603 @ D coy 2/2 MG bus ceases arrange reliefs as following @ relieved by 22 bus @ ADOS will 4 bde for this purpose @ D coy 2/2 634603 in def res.</p>	<p>reliefs will take place 6 Nov @ 26 bde Passed to 29/46 bus in area SNELL'S KNOW 627594 rptd 22 37 bus MG bus which will move to area to be in sp 4 bde which will One pl beach def 644596 to be issue of MG's complete to MG bus one relief moves to area</p>	<p>0101 1740 4/5 (serial 76).</p>
17	1740/5	0101	29/46	<p>ref 1/25000 @ following moves &amp; rptd bus will arrange to quarter one coy in 22 37 A coy 2/2 MG bus @ D coy 2/2 MG bus 29/46 bus will relieve pl 2/2 MG bus responsibilities</p>	<p>reliefs will take place 6 Nov @ 29/46 area SNELL'S KNOW 627594 &amp; relieve ceases to be in sp 4 bde @ MG pl 644596 &amp; take over its role &amp;</p>	

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18	1515	29/46	I32	C Coy completed relief A Coy 2/2	MG bn p SNELL'S KNOLL 626593 131046.	( Passed div I 220.
19	1800		I33	No 2 pl (MG) relieved 2/2 MG bn	pl 644596 6 Nov.	1
20	1645	22.	IF227	Patrol. Ref 1 in. A Coy out 0900L village 555605 & return NMS. KANGARUA & return NMS but could NOT estimate number followed estimated enemy at least 3 hrs garden 554570 @ ref 1/25000 @ WASUTIENG track June 606516 no report comm out @ PIB out 0730 track June 558582 CURUNKOR CURUNKOR shown 559616 tin vessel leading West CURUNKOR followed post strength 4 @ attacked post captured 1 LMG, 3 rifles amm our patrol out 1330L in 1625L Coy river # 576553 NMS.	in 1400L route TIRIMORO CURUNKOR D Coy out 0800L in 1520L west to footprints found in garden 554570 tracks to KANGARUA still led west ahead of patrol enemy foraging in B Coy out 0900L in 1330L BUTAWENG return via LOGAWENG NMS. C Coy L 5 Nov in 1520L/6 pl poen West to there west towards MORENGO state should be 556625 @ found track to 512618 where located enemy see killed & wounded & who escaped @ cas nil @ C Coy est comm 1715L poen up MIAPE river to June C/O	Infan passed 9 div. I 221 1930L/6.
21.	071735L	37	1/24	sitrep ref 1 in. Barge unloading	found 3 coys in poen GODDWA 629528	
22	173049.	29/46.	I39.	Sitrep to 081700L. TILLEY FORCE Bn HQ 633597 HQ Coy 635597 A	E rejoined this HQ 081150L @ Disposition	Infan passed to 630597 B 632596 C 627594 D 624595. 9 Div I 230 1900L/20.
23	1730	22	IF232	Sitrep to 081700L. B Coy in	poen LOGAWENG 081423L	do.
24	081740	9 div	O 116.	SECRET @ OO 23 @ ref map 1/2500 harassing attacks by air and sea with 9 and div offensive ops	@ INFAN @ 2 and corps is arranging against enemy WofC in conjunction against SATELBERG @ details later	

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24	Contd.			<p>8 9 Nov.</p> <p>INTENTION @ 9 and div will capture SATELBERG and exploit towards operation will be governed by a 20 bde with in sp C TK 5yr less 3 fd regt 2/13 fd coy less one pl B KUMAWA &amp; commencing on D day will ground east and west through then exploit in general direction present roles @ 4 bde in addition locate and harass enemy southern and 2 and to the west of those places the operation with 62 fd bty 2/12 fd regt in sp 24 bde 33 fd bty 2/12 fd &amp; 12 bty 2/6 fd regt in sp 4 bde OADM @ res of all natures required prior to D Day under arrangements day adv HQ 9 and div opens 638650</p>	<p>high ground east and west through WARDO @ METHOD @ timings for the D day to be notified by HQ 9 and Div sps 23 fd bty 2/12 fd regt 11 fd bty 2/6 coy 2/2 MG bn will continue hold from area JINEVANENG capture high SATELBERG from 551680 to 582679 and WARDO @ 20 &amp; 24 bdes will continue to present role will direct patrols to flank vicinity GURUNKOR-QUEMBUNGI @ RAA all under comd CRA will support regt in sp 20 bde 24 fd bty 2/12 fd regt &amp; 11 bty 2/6 fd regt in sp 26 bde &amp; will have 4 fd btys able to sp 26 bde in 26 bde sector will be moved there to @ RAE &amp; 26 bde @ INTER COMM @ by D</p>	
25.	100900h	22	IF239	ref 1/25000 @ this HQ closes at	616558 reopens 616559 1000L.	
26.	101155	9 div	0132	On 10 Nov budy between 20 & 24 track from 615684 - KATIKA - coast arrangement between bdes to be	bdes will become all incl 24 bde at 646680 @ time of change by mutual notified div HQ.	
27	101155L	9 div	0130	adv HQ 9 div close present location LAUNCH JETTY 638650 @ rear HQ 9 div reopens same time LANGEMAK BAY	101200L & reopens same time vicinity will close present location 101200L & 637568	



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28.	101155L	D 106	37/52	up to 22 29/46.	ref 1/25000 37/52 will site four mortars for harassing fire on NUGIDU peninsula on area opposite MAN EBA PT to 647567 4 mortars will be sited for penetration tasks on area south of track in sq 6256	
29.	111500L	4 Fd Amb	M 240		MDS est 620 560.	
30	111320L	9 div	O 153.		ref my 0022 0 reallocation for bty to 4 bde 23 bty to 24 bde.	bty in sq bde 0 11 bty to 20 bde 12
31	111320L	37/52	A 24		MMG pl in pos 111100L.	
32	101820L	37/52	I 154		ref 1/25000. D coy moved GODOWA 619554 100900L.	
33	111725L	37/52	I 157		SITREP to 111700L ref 1/25000 0 TR PL moved to SIMBANG. 620558 111300L.	
34	111800L				4 bde op instr No 5 issued (ref LANGEMAR BAY)	
35.	141210L	I 256.	9 div 22	2937 hrs 4 Fd Amb.	Rde HQ est 633567 141200L	
36.	141800L	9 div	O 176		SECRET 0 ref my 0022 0 Subject	to confirmation tentative D day 18 Nov.
37.	151130L	9 div	O 192		one coy of 3 pm bn will move to occupied by 4 coys after it will be in div res. O192 still applies.	Nov to area north QUOTJA R mouth

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38	151130L	9 div	O <sup>201</sup> <sub>19</sub>	SECRET ref my OO <sup>22</sup> on Dmin to bide for holding at all costs vital of that responsibility O to bide will which is yet to be confirmed by	one day 2/4 cav sqn will come under comd gnd in KUMAWA & to relieve 2/23 but receive approx 48 hrs notice of D Day HQ 9 div as being 16 17 or 18 Nov.
39.	151500L	9 div	O <sup>213</sup>	MOST SECRET. ref my OO <sup>22</sup> + O <sup>20</sup> 10 under comd to bide 16 Nov.	D day will be 17 Nov O 2/4 cav sqn comes
40.	151717L	29/46	I+7	SITREP to 151700L O 3 pl rejoined	unit 151600L.
41	160700L	9 div.	O <sup>239</sup> .	29/46 but will come into div res practicable 16 Nov. D coy less one pl same area morning 16 Nov O more of unit's gear NOT carried in	in area mouth of QUOJAR earliest 2/2 MMG but will come into div res approx from KEDAM to HELDSBACH jetty by LCV unit jeeps is being arranged by Q.
42.	171500L	9 div	O <sup>259</sup>	one pl D coy 2/2 MMG but comes	under comd to bide 16 Nov.
43.	171500L	9 div	O <sup>245</sup> .	near CTK sqn (3 Hk tp) will move foothills HELDSBACH & complete that area & northwards towards	to area on coastal strip vicinity eastern detailed need of for employment in R SONG.
44	171820L	22	IF <sup>256</sup> .	patrol. 3 day patrol 2 pla A Coy	left TIRIMORO for MORENG MARARUO 170815Z.
45.	191750L	22	IF <sup>272</sup>	sitrep to 1700L 3 day contacted enemy. MORENG our cas one wounded	patrol returned A Coy 1645 had 1000L 18 Nov inflicting same cas otherwise fitnes.

No	TIME	FROM	TO	20 Nov.	TEXT	REMARKS.
46	201745L	22	1F276	Sitrep to 1700L. 2 day patrol contacted small enemy party considered then 539636 <sup>17300</sup> <del>entire</del> Otherwise situer. This HQ doubts accepted as correct pending	D coy returned TIRIMORO 1445L 191200L followed till 1430 NO cas own or enemy. patrol map ref as above NOT investigation	
47	211820L	22	1F279	Int patrol in conjunction report ONE natives do NOT know village 560595 named SAKFO SONGONGE FOUR confirmed FIVE pointed posn QUEMBUNG.	with ANGAU natives sup by 9 di name village 555606 TWO THREE village 571582 named village 585562 named BUKWANG	
48	211840	22	1F280	patrol A Coy out 210830L route night 21/22 Nov 522604 ref one	MORENG track to remain in NO report 231800L	
49	220700	9 di	OA98	air strike MORENG, NOT after south grid 62	1400 NOT east grid 545 NOT 22 Bw advised 220710L I 96.	
50	221745	22	1F282	patrol A Coy less one pl left duration patrol 3 days NO report.	TIRIMORO 220830L for MORENG	
51	231645	9 di	O341	ref one in. ref my O55 (serial 13) each with one coy are QUEMBUNG main track SIMBANG KANGORA track about 590 5670 coys of and patrol south of R MAPÉ	localities to be held by 4 bde 3 (5259) and track fine on in 5458 and TIRIMORO and 4 bde at LOGAWENG & BUTAWENG will be withdrawn.	

No	TIME	FROM	TO	23 Nov.	TEXT	REMARKS.
52	230940	O 111	22bn	MOST SECRET	C Coy 22bn will and occupy high ground ref firm base & patrol fwd keeping will move 24 Nov from LOGAWENG firm base & deny enemy use of vigorous patrolling. 22bn will limit of patrolling. Rations to & days op rations. beat & natives	move 23 Nov from BUTAWENG one in 521605. Task occupy contact with enemy. B Coy 22bn to sq 5458. Task occupy tracks to the South & west by liaise direct with 24 Cav re be built up to 7 days plus remain under control 22Bn.
53.	231655L	O 112	22bn	ref my O 111	ref one in Jacko QUEMBUNG 3 523597.	for C Coy will incl holding
54	231755L	22bn	1F283	Sitrep to 1700L	NO report A Coy.	C Coy on move NO report.
55	241015L	22bn	O 149	Bn HQ will close present location	one in at 241400L.	241400 & open 585564 FINSCHHAFEN
56	241200	9 div	O 356	one Coy 22bn will move area	to & bde be available to FINSCHHAFEN base sub area for labour On 24 Nov one pl 18 fd Coy & on 25 Nov remainder 18 fd Coy come under comd RAE 9 div for works & local adm.	FINSCHHAFEN 24 Nov and on request To 22bn O 115 241245L
57	241245	O 115	22bn	B Coy 22bn will move area	FINSCHHAFEN base sub area for will call this HQ for particulars	FINSCHHAFEN 24 Nov & be available labour. when passing Coy comd re biv area etc.

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58	250715	9 div	D 367	25 Nov ref one in @ ref my 0341 (Serial 51) bde will hold following localities and TIRIMORO + track on 590567 QUEMBANG 3 will move from there north of MORENG and control all arranged by + bde with 26 bde

59	251900L	I 312	9 div	litrep to 251900L @ 25 Nov @ A coy returned to D coy from 527578 ref 1/25000 at 251330L reported at 523608
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Confirmation @ from 25 Nov 4  
back with one coy @ QUEMBANG 3. 5359  
• TWO @ commencing 25 Nov coy at  
to high ground about 1000 yds  
tracks in that area and as  
patrol to KUMAWAT towards MARARUO.

returned TIRIMORO 251000L @ one pl  
one in @ C coy moving 539646 ref  
ref one in @ NO Patrol Activity

REMARKS.

