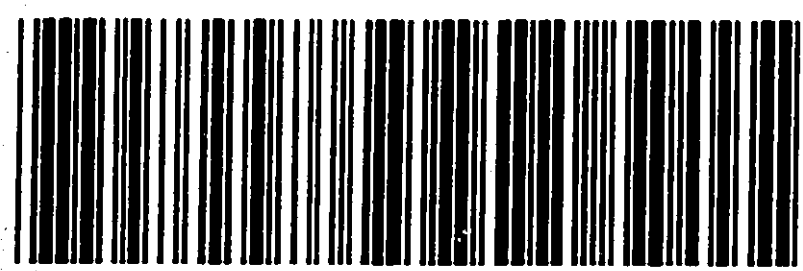
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1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

ROUTINE ORDERS PART I

by

COL J E BARRETT

ADM COMD 1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)
12 Oct 45.

GENERAL STAFF.

389. VEHICLE MARKINGS.

It has been noticed that vehicles are without proper markings.

2. Units will take immediate action to ensure that unit and formation signs are marked clearly on all vehicles.

Capt.
General Staff 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

ADJUTANT & QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S BRANCH.

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5. To be republished in Unit Routine Orders.

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391. RECOMMENDATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO OR PROMOTION IN WARRANT AND NCO RANK (GROs A187/44 and A87/45).

1. All recommendations relative to appointment to or promotion in Warrant and NCO rank will be submitted in triplicate on the pro forma Appendix 'A' hereto.

2. Recommendations will be submitted in accordance with para 9 of GRO 87/45, and attention is drawn to sub para (b) thereof.

3. The substantive rank of the member recommended and any acting rank held will be shown in all cases.

4. When a vacancy is filled by transfer or replacement subsequent to submission of pro forma and prior to the receipt of authority to promote, this HQ will be notified immediately in order that the recommendation may be cancelled.

5. The approval of Formation HQ is not required for appointment to lance rank which should be within WE and submitted direct on AAF W3011 or W 3012 as appropriate, to Estb & Roc.

6. This HQ ROs 92/45, 179/45 and 351/45 are cancelled.

7. Acting Lance NCO appointments.

7. Unless otherwise instructed no further appointments of acting lance-sergeants, acting lance bombardier or acting lance corporal will be made.

8. Where any member is at present holding an acting lance appointment his CO will either:-

(a) appoint him to an appropriate lance appointment (subject to para 5 of this order), or

(b) terminate his acting lance appointment.

9. In connection with lance appointments, attention is drawn to:-

(a) the limitations imposed by paras 3(b) and 3(d) of GRO 693/43 which vary the authority for the appointment of paid and unpaid L/Bdrs and L/Cpls contained in AMR & O 201 (2)

(b) the fact that although the provisions of AMR & O 201 have not been varied in respect of L/Sgts -

(i) no appointment of paid L/Sgts can be made as no such provision is contained in existing WEs.

(ii) As the appointment of unpaid L/Sgts confers the substantive rank of Cpl, an appointment may be made only if the member is being posted to, or already fills, a vacancy for Bdr or Cpl on the WE of the unit.

10. The grant to a member of the appointment of acting lance sgt will not itself have operated to confer upon him any substantive rank higher than that already held by him.

392. FOREIGN CURRENCY.

All exchange of currency will be made through Unit Pay Representatives.

393. WOMEN'S SERVICES.

The release or discharge of female officers AANC and members of the Women's Services, who are wives or fiancees of PsW may be approved after official advice has been given of the recovery of such PsW unless their retention with the unit is necessary in the interests of the Service. An amendment to GRO 45/45 may be anticipated.

394 SPEED MOTOR VEHICLES.

Speed limits for motor vehicles in the MOROTAI Area are amended as follows:-

Staff Cars - Permissible speed 30 mph.

395 EDUCATION OFFICERS.

On relinquishment of appointment of a Unit Education Officer the handbook for Education Officers, together with other pamphlets and instructions issued to him by AA Edn Service are to be handed in to Unit HQ for re-issue to the officer appointed to act as Edn Officer in his stead.

396. ISSUE OF STORES - RAE DEPOT.

Commencing 15 Oct 45, stores will be issued from the above Depot between 0800 hrs and 1200 hrs Mondays to Saturdays inclusive. Emergency issues will be made on the authority of 1 CRE only.

397. POSTAL - MAINTENANCE OF CARD P.S.11 RECORDS BY AIF UNITS.

1. The attention of all units is directed to paras 44 and 49 of the publication "Instructions for the Guidance of Postal Orderlies" noted in General Orders dated 30 Apr 45.

2. Units which are not already maintaining a card P.S.11 record showing the location of all past and present unit personnel will submit a requisition forthwith to 2/i L of 3 Postal Unit for a supply of cards P.S.11 on the basis of the present unit strength plus 10% to meet future requirements.

3. It is necessary that an accurate card P.S.11 record be maintained showing the location of all personnel marched out as, in the event of unit disbandment, such record will be delivered to the Base Post Office serving the area of disbandment in order that the Army Postal Service may correctly dispose of any mail matter received subsequent to the unit disbandment.

4. Attention of units is also directed to para 375 of 1 Base Sub Area Part I Routine Order Serial No 27 and units will ensure that the information contained on Form P.S.17 obtained from soldiers marching out for demobilization is transferred to the card P.S.11 in respect to the soldier or soldiers concerned i.e., an indication as to:-

(a) the private address to which mail matter is to be be redirected.

(b) whether such mail matter is to be returned to the sender.

Major
A/AAAQMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

NOTICES.

REHABILITATION : EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES.

1. This Notice contains details of some vacancies for professional and executive positions in the higher salary group.

2. Positions for tradesmen and others in the lower wage group are notified to personnel by Commonwealth Employment Officers at the time of discharge, and are also published in the Press.

3. Applicants must understand that the success of their applications is not in itself a qualifying factor for discharge in advance of their normal priority.

4. When applying for a position applicants should state full names, date, year and place of birth, and whether they are natural born or naturalised British subjects. If possible applicants should state the estimated date when they are likely to be discharged. Particulars of war service should be given in all cases. Copies only of diploma, references, testimonials or certificates should be forwarded.

Applications are invited for the following positions:-

NEW SOUTH WALES STATE PUBLIC SERVICE.

(1) Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme - Industrial Officer (Sydney).

Qualifications:- Applicants should have a knowledge of industrial conditions generally, in relation to technical training. Inspectorial investigating and administrative experience would be an advantage. The successful applicant would be required to act as Liaison Officer with Industrial Committees appointed in connection with the Reconstruction Training Scheme. Applications should reach the Secretary, Public Service Board, P.O. Box No 2A, SYDNEY, New South Wales not later than 11 Oct 45.

Salary £450 - £550 p.a.

OTHER VACANCIES.

(2) Municipality of Claremont (WA.) - Electrical Engineer.

Qualifications:- Applicants must have sound Electrical training and experience in three phase alternating Current systems, and be fully qualified.
Applications marked "Application for Position of Electrical Engineer" and addressed to the Town Clerk, CLAREMONT, WA should be left at the National Service Office, Wellington Street, PERTH not later than 20 Oct 45.

Commencing Salary £550 p.a.

(3) Charleville Broadcasting Co. Ltd (Queensland) - Broadcasting Station Manager - Announcer.

Applications should be forwarded to the National Service Officer, Charleville, Q'land.

Salary £500 p.a.

(4) Brisbane City Council - Department of Works - Designing Office

(a) Draftsman - First Grade.
Salary £358-£443 p.a.

(b) Designing Draftsmen and Engineers
Salary £420 - 533 p.a.

Applications should reach the National Service Office, BRISBANE Queensland not later than 15 Oct 45.

(5) Perth Road Board (W.) Building Surveying Assistantv

Qualifications:- Applicants should have a sound theoretical and practical knowledge of building construction and drawing and should be capable of undertaking the office, field and court work of a local government building surveyor's department.

Salary £425 - £475.

(6) Company Manufacturing Building Components (Melbourne) - Toolroom Foreman.

Qualifications:- Experience in manufacturing, designing and maintenance of productive plant and equipment. Applications should be addressed to No 456, Engineering Trades Division, 1st Floor, Craig's Buildings, Elizabeth Street, Melbourne, Victoria.

Salary £450 p.a.

(7) Wangaratta District Base Hospital (Victoria) - Manager and Secretary.

Qualifications:- Sound knowledge of Hospital Management and Administration.
Applications should reach the Manager and Secretary, WANGARATTA District Base Hospital not later than 23 Oct 45.
Salary £455-£507 p.a. plus travelling expenses.

(8) Marine Board of Hobart - Assistant Engineer.

Qualifications:- Applicants should possess qualifications entitling them to associate membership of the Institution of Engineers, Australia and should have had experience in the design of structures in reinforced concrete, steel and timber. Preference will be given to applicants having some experience in harbour engineering and/or with construction work.
Applications should reach the Secretary, Marine Board Office, Hobart, Tasmania not later than 22 Oct 45.

Salary £400-550 p.a.

(9) Marine Board of Hobart - Assistant Deputy Harbour Master

Qualifications: Applicants must hold Master's certificate of competency (foreign trade).
Applications should reach the Secretary, Marine Board Office, Hobart, Tasmania not later than 2 Nov 45.

Commencing Salary £525 p.a. (plus uniform

(10) King Island Scheelite N.L. - Mine Manager.

Qualifications:- Good administrative experience essential. Open cut mining and 700 ton concentrator.
Applications should be forwarded to No 450, C/o National Service Officer, 473 Bourke Street, Melbourne, Vic.

Salary £1500 p.a. plus house.

(11) Liberal Party of Australia.

(a) Organisers - Well educated men who are prepared to accept as a profession the organisation od the Party within various Federal Electorates.

Salary £450-£750 p.a. and expenses according to qualifications and ability.

11. Liberal Party of Australia. (contd)

(b) Junior Research Officers - young men, preferably University Graduates or Undergraduates, for staff of Research and Publicity Sections.

Salary £300 - £500 p.a.

(c) Publicity officer. A man with sound journalistic and advertising experience, and with contacts in radio and newspapers. Salary according to experience. Applications to be addressed to the Secretary, Liberal Party of Australia, Box 1925 G.P.O. SYDNEY, New South Wales.

12. Veneer and Plywood Factory (Sydney) - General Manager.

Qualifications:- Must be of good address, have an up-to-date knowledge of business, be able to handle staff, conduct interviews, and take full responsibility.
Applications should be addressed to No 5167, Sydney Morning Herald, SYDNEY, New South Wales.

13. Large Metropolitan Golf Club - Secretary (SYDNEY)

Qualifications:- Applicants must be experienced in administrative work and possessed of a sound knowledge of golf.
Applications should be forwarded to President, No 5204, Sydney Morning Herald, SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

14. Foreman Bricklayer (Sydney).

Qualifications:- Experience in reverberatory furnace and converter maintenance and repairs, also knowledge silica and magnesite brick desirable.
Applications should be addressed to Mount Morgan Ltd, Mount Morgan, Queensland. Salary £ 520 p.a.

15. STATE PUBLIC SERVICE.
Department of Works and Housing (Northern Territory.)

(a) Motor Mechanics (10 positions) Salary £416 p.a.
(b) Diesel Fitters (10 positions) Salary £423 p.a.
(c) Refrigerator Mechanics (3 positions) " £423 p.a.
(d) Automotive Electricians (3 positions) " £423 p.a.

The award under which the men would be engaged is the Northern Territory Works and Services Award. Members would be issued with a Rail Warrant from their home town to Alice Springs, the cost of the warrant to be deducted from men's earnings but refunded on the men's completing six months service.

Applications should be addressed to the Director of Personnel, Department of Works and Housing, 271 Collins Street, Melbourne, C.1. Victoria.

LHQ POOL AA Edn Service det Adv LHQ.

It is advised that vacancies exist for the following:-

(a) Education Sgts - capable of giving lectures, leading discussions, assisting with organisation and conducting of classes etc.

(b) Craft Instructors (Sgts) - having good general knowledge of crafts such as woodwork, metalwork and leatherwork. Must be able to instruct

2. It is requested that applications be called for and submitted to HQ 1 Base Sub Area. Full qualifications and experience is to be stated and personnel with low priority points will be preferred.

FOUND.

Guns Machine Vickers MkIVB Regd No. 1347. Unit having this weapon on charge will advise this HQ.

PRO FORMA APPENDIX 'A'

RECOMMENDATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO OR PROMOTION IN WARRANT OR AND NCO RANK (GRO A187/44)

Unit.....
Serial No.....
Date.....

HQ 1 BASE SUB AREA.

1. Approval is requested to promote to the rank of.....
Number..... .....Rank.....Name.....
(Acting, Lance, Subs.)
Age.....Med Class.....Date of Enlistment.....
Date of Embarkation .....Trade Gp (if any).....
Present Posting.....Date of appointment to present rank.....
Qualifying Schools (if any).....
No of points under Demobilization Plan.....

2. Details of Vacancy.....

3. The vacancy was caused by.....

4. I certify that the previous vacancy in Warrant or NCO rank was filled by

(a) (i) The promotion of No. .....Rank.....
Name.....Posting.....
(ii) Posting previously held.....

OR

(b) (i) The absorption of No.....Rank.....
Name.....
(ii) Previous unit and posting.....
.....

5. I certify that the abovenamed soldier's conduct sheet contains no record of any offence and that since joining this unit he has committed no offence for which a Summary award or award by Court Martial has been made

OR

Attached herewith is a certified copy of the abovenamed soldier's conduct sheet together with covering report.

6. I certify that, after allowing for promotions already approved but not yet promulgated in Routine Orders Part II, this promotion is within WE (here give number of the Unit WE)

.....C.O.

FILE NO.....

APPROVED
NOT APPROVED

DATE: .....
Serial No.....

COL
Adm Comd 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

Distribution:- Unit
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File.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/768.2

12 Oct 45

Subject : EXCHANGE ALLOWANCE - DELETION FROM PAYBOOKS OF PERSONNEL RETURNING TO THE MAINLAND

1 BASE SUB AREA DETAILS DEPOT
1 ARD
1 CORPS FD CASH OFFICE

2/5 AGH)
76 DEP CASH OFFICE)
2/9 AGH) for infm
77 DEP CASH OFFICE)
1 V & O SEC)
DADMS)

Hereunder for information is set out Adv LHQ memo AG440.1 of 9 Oct 45:-

"1. It has been reported by District Finance Officers in Australia that on the arrival of troop ships carrying personnel returning for discharge considerable difficulty was being experienced in arranging for the deletion of exchange allowance from members' paybooks.

2. The difficulty apparently exists in the large number of personnel who immediately on disembarkation leave the staging camp, details depot or leave and transit depot without authority and without reporting to the AnPC staff.

3. The non-deletion of exchange allowance will cause unnecessary delay in finalising the members' account at the discharge depot.

4. In order to obviate this problem it is directed that in all cases where members move by troop ship to Australia the OC Troops will be instructed to arrange for the exchange allowance deletion entries to be made during the course of the voyage.

5. It would be appreciated therefore if arrangements be made for the instructions set out in Appendix "A" hereto were issued to all OC Troop Ships returning to Australia."

2. Appendix "A" to such memo is attached.

Major
A/AA & QMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

12 Oct 45

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Appendix "A" to Adv LHQ
AQ440.1 of 9 Oct 45.

INSTRUCTION TO OC TROOPS

DELETION OF EXCHANGE ALLOWANCE FROM MEMBERS' PAYBOOKS

1. In order to ensure that a minimum of delay occurs in the dispersal of members on arrival in Australia, OC Troops will, during the course of the voyage, arrange for exchange allowance deletion entries to be made in members' paybooks.

2. The deletion of exchange allowance involves an entry on page 2 of paybook and advice to the DFO maintaining members ledged account on an "Exchange Deletion Advice" Form - WF 222. Separate forms WF222 are required for each state of enlsitment.

3. Entries to paybooks and forms WF 222 will be made with the exception of date of disembarkation, as early as possible after commencement of voyage. Entries will be completed immediately the date of disembarkation is known, which should be at least 24 hours before arrival in port.

4. Completed forms WF 222 will be delivered to the nearest Paymaster at port of disembarkation.

5. OC Troops should detail two or more members of the returnees with clerical experience, to report to the Paymaster at point of embarkation for instruction in effecting the entries and to obtain necessary stationery. Members of the AAPC should be utilised if available.

12/Oct/45

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG 163.

Oct 45

Subject:- FORMATION REHABILITATION OFFICERS.

Ref: "Orders for Demobilization of the AIF" Chapter V Part II.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

1. In Western Command and each L of C Area, Rehabilitation Units have been established and are attached to AIF Discharge Depots. The functions of these units are detailed in separate instructions.

2. Attention is invited to para 223 of the above orders, which sets out the functions of Formation Rehabilitation Officers as follows:-

(a) To advise on all matters relating to rehabilitation policy and procedure as laid down by HQ.
(b) To advise on all matters relating to civil re-establishment.
(c) To advise his representatives in units (Education Officers) on all rehabilitation matters.

3. A number of officers have been selected for appointments to formations, and, under the direction of the Ministry of "Post War" Reconstruction these officers have attended a school on Re-establishment (3-22 Sep) for the purpose of gaining an intimate knowledge of the Commonwealth provisions for civil re-establishment of Service personnel. The main subjects covered by this school of instruction were:

(a) Commonwealth policy in re-establishment matters.
(b) Army rehabilitation procedure.
(c) Demobilization procedure.
(d) Vocational guidance.
(e) Placement of disabled
(f) Training under the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme, including University, technical and rural training.
(g) Re-instatement rights in employment.
(h) Repatriation provisions.
(i) Social Service provisions.
(j) War Service Homes and housing provisions generally.
(k) Re-establishment loans.
(l) Land settlement and rural loans.
(m) Establishment in small businesses
(n) Problems of employment
(o) Trades Unions and re-establishment
(p) Ex-servicemen's associations.
(q) Servicemen and society

4. Other subjects on which advice is to be given by Formation Rehabilitation Officers, vide para 222 of "Orders for Demobilization of the AIF" will be communicated to these officers from time to time. These officers are not expected to be able to answer all individual problems, but they have a good general knowledge of the Commonwealth provisions for re-establishment, and consequently will be able to explain the Commonwealth policy as outlined in the Re-establishment and Employment Act and the various other Commonwealth provisions.

5. Formation Rehabilitation Officers are posted supernumary to WE of the Directorate of Rehabilitation LHQ, and are allotted for duty with respective formations. They will act under the directions of the Formation Commander, and in field formations they will co-operate with DAD Education or the Senior Education Officer of the Formation. They will submit a report fortnightly on the 15th and 30th of each month through the formation Commander to LHQ in accordance with pro forma attached (Appendix A).

6. The attachment of these officers and their functions will be made known to all ranks, and every facility will be extended to them to enable them to carry out their duties.

7. Officers of Women's Services. The foregoing applies to male officers. Six female officers who attended the school of instruction have also been allotted for Formations. These officers are posted supernumary to WE of AA Education Service.

8. Rehabilitation Officers allotted for duty to Adv LHQ are as under:-

(a) VX114144 Maj I C McLEOD
(b) VX86617 Capt S J CHILTON
(c) QFX25411 Lt K H DICKSON (AAEWS)

9. VX86617 Capt S J CHILTON will be re-allotted to 1 Aust Base Sub Area on his arrival.

10. Maj I C McLEOD is now at Adv LHQ to advise all formations and units, and pending the arrival of Capt S J CHILTON and Lt K H DICKSON (AAEWS) will be available to advise upon any matter pertaining to rehabilitation.

11. In view of the fact that Formation Rehabilitation Officers are not allotted to 26 Inf Bde, TIMOR Force, MAKASSAR Force, or ALBON Force, those forces will appoint an officer to act in that capacity. The officer appointed may communicate with Maj I C McLEOD in respect of such matters upon which advice is required.

Major
A/AA&QMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

Appendix A.

P R O F O R M A.

FORMATION REHABILITATION OFFICER'S REPORT NO.

(a) Formation .....Date:- .....

(b) Present location of Fmn Rehab Offr.....

(c) General statement of activities:-

(d) Units visited, approx numbers addressed and subjects discussed:-

(e) Numbers and types of queries received (a general guide only):-

1. Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme:-

2. Reinstatement rights in employment:-

3. Re-establishment loans:-

4. Housing:-

5. Land Settlement:-

6. Repatriation provisions:-

7. Service in Interim and Post-War Army

8 General:-

.....
Formation Rehabilitation Officer.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)
AG 163.

13 Oct 45

Subject:- DEMOBILIZATION RETURNS.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

1. Attention is again drawn to 1 Base Sub Area Adm Instruction No 31 of 27 Sep 45 (not to all addressees).

2. Demobilization 95 Returns will be rendered to this HQ by all units under command on Monday of each week, and will disclose all necessary information as at 2359 hrs on the preceding Saturday.

3. Notes on the Compilation of such returns are contained in Demobilization Instructions of 4 Sep 45 para 14 (d)

4. It is emphasised that Appendix "E" of Demobilization Orders has been amended by Demobilization Instructions of 4 Sep 45.

5. Units will ensure that all returns are accurate and are rendered promptly.

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A/AAQMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES
HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1

by

CAPT H.M.S. KELLEY CAMP COMMANDANT

Headquarters
1 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)

13 Oct 45.

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137. GRO251/1945 - WAR GRATUITY.

1. Preliminary. The War Gratuity Act 1945 provides for the payment of a War Gratuity to a member or other person in respect of the War Service of that member. This order briefly summarises the provisions of the Act.

Entitlement -

2. A member may be credited with a Gratuity in respect of any service rendered by him as will fall under the category of general qualifying service as defined in para 7 of this order.

3. A gratuity shall not be claimable or recoverable by any person as a matter of right but shall be deemed to be a free gift by the Commonwealth in recognition of honourable service during the war and may be withheld or deferred by a prescribed authority or made subject to such terms and conditions as a prescribed authority thinks just and proper.

4. Definitions. - For the purposes of this order -

"Australia" means the area (including adjacent islands) which comprise the various States of the Commonwealth, together with the Australian Capital Territory and the Northern Territory;

"Australian Territories" means the territories of Papua, New Guinea and Norfolk Island;

"cessation of hostilities" means the date proclaimed by the Govenor General as the date from which hostilities shall be deemed to have ceased;

"excepted injury or illness" means a self inflicted injury or an injury or illness which, in the opinion of the prescribed authority, was due to or arose from-

(a) the serious default or wilful act of the member; or
(b) any occurence hapenning during the commission of a serious breech of discipline;

"gratuity" means a war gratuity payable under the War Gratuity Act 1945;

"member" means any male or female person who, at any time during the war, has been a member of the Commonwealth Naval, Military or Air Forces, but will not include a male native of the Torres Strait Islands or a male aboriginal native of Australia or Australian Territories who has been enlisted in the Defence Forces at rates of pay less than the minimum rate prescribed in the first schedule to the War Financial (Military Forces) Regulations for a male member of the Australian Military Forces;

"month" means a period of 30 days provided that any period which is less than 30 days will be deemed to be one month;

"oversea area" means -

(a) prior to the 7th December 1941 - any area outside Australia and outside Australian Territories; or
(b) on and after 7th December 1941 - any area outside Australia;

"prescribed authority" means a person appointed a prescribed authority in accordance with the provisions of the War Gratuity Act 1945.

Rate of Gratuity. -

5. The rate of gratuity payable will vary according to type of service rendered by the member and in order to determine the amount payable it is necessary to -

(i) ascertain the member's general qualifying service; and

(ii) the period contained in the member s general qualifying service during which he rendered service of a kind as is accepted as overseas qualifying service as set out in paras 8 to 13 of this order.

6. The rate at which the gratuity will be paid will be £3.15.0 per month in respect of a members overseas qualifying service and 15/- per month in respect of the remaining period of a member's general qualifying service.

7. General Qualifying Service. - A member's general qualifying service will consist of -

(i) overseas qualifying service ; and

(ii) full-time war service, other than overseas qualifying service, rendered by him as a member of the AMF on and after:-

(a) 7th December 1941, where he had completed six months continuous full time war service at that date; or

(b) the date subsequent to 7th December 1941 and immediately following the day upon which he had completed six months continuous full time war service,

but will not include any service rendered by him after the expiration of a period of twelve months subsequent to the cessation of hostilities.

Overseas Qualifying Service.

8. Subject to paras 9 to 11 of this order, overseas qualifying service means that portion of a member's general qualifying service as is rendered on and from the date of his embarkation for service in an overseas area up to and including the date of his disembarkation in Australia on his return thereto.

9. The following type of service rendered in an overseas area will not be accepted as contributing to the member's overseas qualifying service:-

(i) service which was for less than a continuous period of 90 days or which in the aggregate did not equal 180 days in any one period of twelve months, unless the member

(a) had previously rendered overseas qualifying service sufficient to entitle him to a gratuity at the overseas rate; or

(b) was returned to Australia because of injury or illness not being an accepted injury or illness; or

(c) died whilst on service overseas; and

(ii) service in an overseas area other than as a member of a body, contingent or detachment of the Defence Forces engaged in service in that area, e.g. service of a special nature or short duration, such as voyage only service or inspection duties.

10. The period during which a member was receiving treatment in a hospital or convalescent depot immediately following his return from an overseas area, owing to injury or illness not being an excepted injury or illness, will be deemed to be overseas service.

11. After a member has completed his overseas qualifying service, unless he was returned to Australia at his own reque: or for disciplinary reasons or because of an excepted injury or illness, the service rendered by him during a period of 90 days after the date of -

(i) his disembarkation in Australia; or
(ii) his discharge from any hospital or convalescent depot in which he received treatment immediately following his disembarkation in Australia,

whichever later occurs, will be deemed to be overseas qualifying service, unless, before the expiration of that period of 90 days, the member's service was terminated or he re-embarked for further service in an overseas area, when the period from his disembarkation in Australia or his discharge from the hospital or convalescent depot up to and including the date of the termination of his service or the date prior to the day of his re-embarkation will be deemed to be overseas service.

Special provisions as to qualifying service.-

12. Where a member on termination of service has been granted pay in lieu of leave accrued in respect of his war service, a period from the termination of his service equal to the number of days for which he was granted pay in lieu of that leave will be deemed to be service as a member.

13. A member who has rendered overseas qualifying service in accordance with the provisions of this order will, if that service was less than 12 months and he was not returned to Australia at his own request or for disciplinary reasons or because of an excepted injury or illness, be deemed to have rendered 12 months overseas qualifying service.

14. Any period during which a member was not eligible to receive the full daily rate of pay prescribed by War Financial (Military Forces) Regulations for his rank, appointment or classification will not contribute to either his general qualifying service or his overseas qualifying service. The provision of this paragraph will not affect the direction contained in para 13 of this order.

Date of Entitlement.-

15. The War Gratuity Act defines "date of entitlement" as the date on which a member or other person becomes entitled to be credited in the Register of War Gratuities with war gratuity in respect of the service of the member.

16. The date of entitlement will be the date six months after the cessation of hostilities or, in the case of a member who is serving as a member on that date, either -

(i) the date on which the member's service is terminated; or
(ii) the date 12 months after the cessation of hostilities,

whichever is the earlier date.

Date of Payment.-

17. Except as provided in paras 18 and 19 of this order, payment of a gratuity will be made at the expiration of a period of five years and six months after the cessation of hostilities.

18. Where the gratuity payable is less than £10 or where payment of the gratuity is to be made to -

(i) the widow of a member;
(ii) the widowed mother of an unmarried deceased member;
(iii) the mother of a deceased member, if totally dependent on the member at the time of death or in necessitous circumstances; or
(iv) a member who is blind or totally and permanently incapacitated

payment of the gratuity may be made in whole or in part at any time after the date of entitlement that the prescribed authority decides.

19. Application of War Gratuity towards purchase of home.- At the request of a member and on the recommendation of a prescribed authority, the Minister may authorise the whole or portion of the gratuity to be transferred to the War Service Homes Commissioner or other approved authority, for the purpose of being credited by way of deposit or otherwise towards the cost of the erection or purchase of a dwelling house for the member.

20. Interest on War Gratuity.- Unless paid in full within three months from the date of entitlement, a member will be credited with compound interest on his gratuity at the rate of 3½% per annum. The interest so credited will be deemed to be part of the war gratuity and paid accordingly.

21. War Gratuity and Interest not liable to Income Tax.- Any gratuity, together with interest thereon, paid to any member or other person will not be liable to income tax.

22. Deceased members.- The Act contains special provisions applicable to gratuities payable in respect of deceased members whose deaths were due to war service. These provisions provide:-

(i) for the payment of an additional seven months gratuity, at the rate applicable at date of death, to be added to the gratuity that would otherwise be payable;

(ii) that, where a member's death occurred prior to the expiration of the period of [illegible] months immediately following the cessation of hostilities and there was anyone totally dependent on the member, a minimum of three years' gratuity at the overseas rate (total of £138.15.0), will be payable whether or not the member had, at the date of his death, any general qualifying service.

23. Disqualification.- The Act provides that certain classes of members, such as those whose services are terminated on account of an offence or misconduct, may be disqualified from receiving a gratuity.

24. Method of Application.-
Application for gratuity will be made on special forms which will be issued to all members at the time of their discharge.

Capt
Camp Comd, 1 Base Sub Area

Corrigendum: Ref R.O. Pt I Serial 31 Sub 124 (Routine) dated 21 Sep 45,

(1) Delete 0650 hrs. Add 0645 hrs
(2) Delete 0650 hrs. Add 0645 hrs

N O T I C E S

HQ SPORTS AND AMENITIES OFFICER

WX3706 Lt R. NANKEVILL is appointed Sports and Amenities Officer of HQ 1 Base Sub Area (AIF) to date as from 8 Oct 45.

CHURCH SERVICES

PD Service 0915 - Ech OR's Mess

AAES LECTURE

A Lecture on post war Housing Schemes will be given by an AAES lecturer in the OR's Mess at 1900 hrs Wednesday 17 Oct 45.

VACANCIES IN COMMONWEALTH AND STATE PUBLIC SERVICE DEPARTMENTS

When applying for a position, applicants should state full names, date, year and place of birth, and whether they are natrual born or naturalised British subjects. If possible, applicants should state the estimated date when they are likely to be discharged. Particulars of war service should be given in all cases. Copies only of diplomas, references, testimonials or certificates should be forwarded.

Some Government departments are unable to allow adequate time before applications close. It may be assumed, however, that applications from members serving in distant areas will receive consideration if received within a reasonable time after the stated date, provided that an immediate decision is not imperative. Reasons for any delay should be given.

Favourable consideration may be given to the releases from the AMF of successful candidates, but no guarantee can be given in this connection.

Applications are invited for the following positions:-

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.-

(a) Universities Commission - University of Adelaide - Registrar's Department - Secretarial Assistant (Male):

Duties: To assist generally in the administrative work of the department, particularly in secretarial, statistical record and examination work associated with students' courses.

Preference will be given to graduates under 35 years of age.

Applications should reach the Acting Registrar, University of Adelaide, South Australia, not later than 31st October 1945.

Salary: £450-£500 p.a.

(b) Department of Labour and National Service - Industrial Welfare Division - Food Services Branch. Assistant Area Controller (Adelaide):

General administrative knowledge required.

Applicants should apply to Dr. P.H. Cook or Mr. R.C. Bridgeford (8th Floor), 37 Swanston Street, Melbourne, C.1., Victoria, as early as possible.

Salary: £598-£670 p.a.

(c) Council for Scientific and Industrial Research - Physical Chemistry Section - Assistant Research Officer:

Duties: To assist with investigations in the chemistry and physics of solid surfaces.

Qualifications: University degree in science with chemistry and/or physics as major subjects, or equivalent qualifications, combined with some research experience.

Applications should reach the Secretary, Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, 314 Albert Street, East Melbourne, C.2, Victoria, not later than 19th October 1945.

Salary: £396-£540 p.a. (Male)
£321-£465 p.a. (Female).

(d) Department of Health, Australian Institute of Anatomy - Bio-chemist (Canberra):

Duties: The successful applicant will be required to work on bio-chemical research problems in the field of nutrition.

Qualifications: Applicants should hold a university degree with chemistry or bio-chemistry as a major subject. Post graduate experience is desirable but not essential.

Applications should reach the Director, Australian Institute of Anatomy, Canberra, ACT, not later than 10th November 1945.

Salary: £358-£562 p.a.

(c) Universities Commission - University of Melbourne:

(i) Professorship of English Language and Literature:

Salary: £1,248 p.a.

(ii) Lectureship in Russian:

Salary: £448-£598 p.a.

(iii) Senior Lectureship in General Science and Scientific Method:

Qualifications: Training in philosophy, logic and one or more branches of science, and with experience in research.

Duties: Will include the giving to art students of a special course to introduce them to the history, method and discoveries of science, with illustrations from both the biological and physical fields, and the organisation of a course in scientific method for science and medical students in the early years of their training.

Salary: £598-£798 p.a.

(iv) Temporary Appointments to Teaching Staff:

Commencing salaries for Senior Lecturers will be £650, and for Lecturers £500. In both cases, an increment of £25 p.a. will accrue at the end of each of the first and second years of service. Salaries for tutors and demonstrators are as set out below in each case. Unless otherwise stated, each appointment is a full-time one.

Candidates will normally be expected to have graduated with honours in the appropriate faculty of a recognised university, and to show evidence of teaching experience. Preference will be given to properly qualified ex-servicemen:-

Lecturer in English
Lecturer in Dutch
Lecturer in History
Lecturer in Mathematics
Tutors in Mathematics (£250, rising by £25 annually)
Senior Tutor in Economic Geography (£350, rising to £400 by £25 annually)
Part-time (evening) Tutor in Economic Geography (£200 p.a.)
Senior Tutor in Economic History (£350 p.a., rising to £400 by £25 annually)
Part-time (evening) Tutors in Accountancy (4) (£200 p.a.)
Part-time (evening) Tutors in Commercial Law (2) (£200 p.a.)
Senior Lecturer in Law
Lecturer in Chemistry
Senior Lecturer in Physics
Lecturers in Physics (2)
Demonstrators in Physics (5)(£250, rising to £300 by £25 annually)
Senior Demonstrator in Bio-chemistry (£300 p.a.)

Demonstrator in Zoology (£250 p.a., rising to (£300 by £25 annually)
Senior Lecturer in Engineering
Lecturer in Electrical Engineering

Applications (in triplicate) giving the names of two referees (if possible, in Australia) and accompanied by a certificate of physical fitness and a recent photograph should reach the Registrar, University of Melbourne, not later than 31st October 1945.

Full particulars of all appointments to the staff of the University of Melbourne may be obtained from the Registrar of any Australian or New Zealand University.

Closing date for positions (i), (ii) and (iii) is 15th November 1945.

Applications should be addressed to the Registrar, University of Melbourne.

NEW SOUTH WALES STATE PUBLIC SERVICE.-

(a) Technical Education Branch:

(i) Head Teacher of Civil Engineering
(ii) Head Teacher of Aeronautical Engineering
(iii) Teacher of Mechanical Engineering
(iv) Teacher of Civil Engineering
(v) Teacher of Marine Engineering

Salary for positions (i) and (ii): £603-£673 p.a.

Salary for positions (iii), (iv) and (v): £525-£577 p.a.

Applicants for the above positions should have had experience in industry and should possess a degree or diploma, preferably in the honours grade, of a recognised university or technical college.

(vi) Full-time Lecturer-in-Charge, Coal Mining Department:

Duties: To organise and supervise modern courses for the technical training of officers and executives in the coal mining industry. He may be required to make a survey of the requirements of the coal mining industry as a preliminary to framing suitable courses of instruction and, if required, should be prepared to undertake special investigation abroad.

Qualifications: Candidates should preferably be under 40 years of age and possess the following qualifications:-

(1) a degree in mining of a recognised university or equivalent qualifications;

(2) a first-class Certificate of Competency under the Coal Mines Regulation Act or equivalent qualifications.

Closing date: 31st December 1945.

Salary: £839-£893 p.a.

(b) Department of Lands - Valuers: (5 positions)

Duties: To assist in the valuation of agricultural land, and must have had practical experience on the land and have a knowledge of country values.

Applicants may be required to make their headquarters in country centres.

Closing date: 11th October 1945

Salary: £531-£656 p.a.

(c) Dredge Service - Marine Engineers:

Qualifications: Applicants must possess at least a Second Class B of T Certificate of Competency. A higher grade certificate will permit the applicant to accept promotion in order of seniority as vacancies occur to the higher position in the service up to £556 p.a.

Closing date: 8th October 1945.

Salary: £416 p.a., plus victualling allowance.

(d) Forestry Commission - Technical Assistant (Male or Female):

Qualifications: Applicants should possess a degree in science or a diploma of a technical college and should have taken botany and geography as main subjects and should be capable of controlling office staff and performing office duties.

Closing date: 8th October 1945.

Salary: £364-£469 p.a. (Male)
£247-£352 p.a. (Female)

Applications for the above positions should reach the Secretary, Public Service Board, P.O. Box No. 2A, Sydney, New South Wales, not later than the closing date, where shown, or as early as possible where no date is shown.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

41145 (Serial No.)

HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF) (Unit)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 13/10/1945

W.E. 11213 OFFRS. 53 O.R's 2[illegible] + OFFRS. ..... O.R's ..... ATT. BY W.E.

(Oct 8 [illegible])

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Retains. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Retains. Required.
WE				W.Os. Class I.					
2	2								
13	5		5	W.Os. Class II.					
				Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
6	3		3	Staff Sergeants					
24	9		16	Sergeants					
37	11		25	Corporals					
145	13		132	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
229	42		187	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		*			*

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by A.I.F. only. Only units notified in para. 7 of instructions for completion of this return will require analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

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

Detail	A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 18 Years.	C.M.F. 18 Years and over.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	20	167					[redacted]	[redacted]		187
B(1)										
B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
1	22 Fd Regt (Aust)		
1	Board Inv Bde		
1	1 Mech Equip Coy		
1	1 Aust Base Coy		

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

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

HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF) Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 13/10/1945

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reqd. Reqd.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reqd. Reqd.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reqd. Reqd.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Lumber Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Triangulation				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Photo Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangefinders			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographers, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Painters				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Shorehorn			
Carpenters								Riggers				Stokers, Stat. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Assmen				Signallers				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Mendin. Numbers				Timberlike			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Tubemakers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchmen				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Telecommunications)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireless							
Electricians				Cooks				Wireless Operators							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Bkg. and Mod.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cyds)				Engineers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electrical (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Mate Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Aircraft)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Jointers				Conductors							
Mechanics, Radio				Linemen				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Linemen, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Mechanists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Exposimeter				Mechanists, Wood				Drivers, M.T.							
Pattern Maker				Messmen				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Motormen				Driver Tpte. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photorotter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Musicians				Farriers							
Sea Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Asstn.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively.	*	*	

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

13/10/45
Date of Despatch

[signature]
Signature of Commander

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Appendix to W3009 13/4/45

A/G IV/8c/3 — Hq 1 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)

Detail of postings showing rank and trade grouping

Branch or Service	Posting	Rank	WE	PS	DEF	SUR
"G" BRANCH	Clerk	WO2	1	1		
"	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	3	4		1
"	"	TG3	4	3	1	
Attached to GS						
"	Clerk	WO2	1		1	
"	"	Sgt	1		1	
"	"	Cpl	2		2	
"A" & "Q" Branch	"	WO2	1	1		
"	"	S/Sjt	2	1	1	
"	"	Sjt	2	5		3
"	"	Cpl	3	5		2
"	"	TG3	6	6		
"	Orderlies	Ptes	2	2		
Medical	Hyg Inspec	WO2	3	2	1	
"	" "	Sjt	6	2	4	
"	Carpenters	TG3	3	5		2
"	Clerks	WO2	1		1	
"	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	TG3	1		1	
"	Red Cross Dvrs	Sjt	1		1	
"	" " "	Cpl	2	1	1	
"	" " "	Ptes	2	2		
Dental	Clerks	Cpl	1		1	
"	"	TG3	1		1	
Legal	"	Sjt	1		1	
"	"	Cpl	1	2		1
"	"	TG3	3		3	
Provost	"	Cpl	2	1	1	
	"	Pte	-	1		1
Education	"	Sjt	1	1		

Branch or Service	Posting	Rank	WE	PS	DEF	SUR
S & T	Clerks	WO2	1	1	1	
"	"	S/Sjt	2	1	1	
"	"	Sjt	3	1	2	
"	"	Cpls	4	1	3	
"	"	TG3	5	1	1	
"	Orderlies	Pte	2	1	2	
Ord	Amn Exam	WO2	1	1		
"	BCWO	WO1	2		2	
"	"	WO2	-	1	1	1
"	Clerks	WO2	1			
"	"	Sjt	1	2		1
"	"	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	TG3	4	3		1
"	Storemen	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Pte	2	2		
AEME	Clerks	WO2	1		1	
"	"	S/Sjt	1		1	
"	"	Cpl	1		1	
"	"	TG3	2		2	
		Spe	1		1	
Local Adm	CSM	WO2	1	1		
"	CQMS	S/Sjt	1		1	
"	Clerk	Sjt	1			
"	"	Cpl	2	3		1
"	"	TG3	2	1		
"	AAPC	Sjt	1	1		
"	AAPS	Cpl	1	1		
"	Batmen	Pte	22	14		4
"	Cook AACC	Sjt	1		1	
"	" "	Cpl	1	2		1
"	" "	TG2	7	5		1
"	Drivers MT	WO2	1		1	
"	"	Sjt	1		1	
"	"	Cpl	3	1		
"	"	Ptes	37	28	9	
"	Driver/Mech	TG3	5	3	2	
"	Gen Duty	Cpl	6	3	3	
"	" "	Ptes	9	12		3
"	Hyg Duty	Ptes	2	2		1
"	Med Ord AAMC	Sjt	-	1	1	
"	"	Cpl	3	1		
"	"	Ptes	3	2		
"	Orderlies	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	Pte	18	17		1
"	Storeman	Pte	1	1		
"	Water Duty Men	Ptes	2	2		
"	Typewriter Mech	TG1	1		1	
	TOTAL		229	187	66	24

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Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AO/163.

14 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilization.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

Pro-forma as detailed hereunder will be submitted to reach this HQ not later than 1200 hrs 17 Oct 45, setting out by states numbers of personnel with:

(a) 210 to 216 points inclusive.

(b) 203 to 209 points inclusive.

2. This does NOT include [illegible] personnel.

3. (a) Personnel with 210 to 216 points inclusive:

Unit. .....

[illegible]'land		[illegible].S.W.		VIC.		S.A.		W.A.		[illegible]	
Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs

(b) Personnel with 203 to 209 points inclusive.

[illegible]'land		[illegible].S.W.		VIC.		S.A.		W.A.		[illegible]	
Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs

[illegible]
Maj.
[illegible], HQ, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

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Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AO/163.

14 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilization.

AIF UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

Pro-forma as detailed hereunder will be submitted to reach this HQ not later than 1200 hrs 17 Oct 45, setting out by states numbers of personnel with:

(a) 210 to 216 points inclusive.

(b) 203 to 209 points inclusive.

2. This does NOT include WOMEN personnel.

3. (a) Personnel with 210 to 216 points inclusive:

UNIT. .....

N'land		N.S.W.		VIC.		S.A.		Qld.		W.A.	
Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs

(b) Personnel with 203 to 209 points inclusive.

N'land		N.S.W.		VIC.		S.A.		Qld.		W.A.	
Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Offrs	ORs

J R Cameron Lt Col
Maj.
a/- A. AG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

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Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)
AG163.3
15 Oct 45.

Subject:- DEMOBILIZATION REDUNDANT UNITS.

ADV HQ AMF.

1. Ref ADV HQ AMF G 225 SD OG 1 Oct 45 and G407 SD of 31 Aug 45.

A review of units now under command 1 Base Sub Area has been made, and it is recommended that the units mentioned hereunder be made redundant under Phase II. Comments are made concerning certain of the units.

2. SIGNALS. The recommendation regarding Signals units are made subject to the views of your HQ, as there is no Signals Staff attached to this HQ.

(a) HQ "A" Corps Sigs (less dets)
Most of the units under command this unit have already been declared redundant. This memo recommends that 5 Pigeon Sec be declared redundant. It is therefore considered that the detachments should be treated as separate units under the formation in whose areas they are serving, and that the remaining units could be administered by ADV HQ AMF.

(b) 5 Pigeon Sec (Type A).

(c) "A" Det Special Wireless Gp:-
It is understood that this unit is still operating but that it may cease in the near future.

3. MEDICAL.
(a) 116 Mob Bath Unit;
(b) 2/5 AGH. This Hospital recently ceased accepting patients, apparently on the instructions of Medical Services your HQ. The Hospital is also packing its stores and dismantling its wards, apparently on the same instructions. Enquiries at ADV HQ AMF reveal that no staff approval for such action has been given. As the hospital is not now functioning and the units on the island are decreasing, it is considered that the retention of the hospital is not necessary.

4. ORDNANCE.
2/121 Bde Ord Fd Pk. It is understood from Ord. Services that arrangements could be made for the functions of this unit to be taken over by 17 AOD.

5. LABOUR.
HQ 4 Labour Gp. This HQ Memo AG1001.366 of 30 Sep 45 recommended the disbandment of 4 Labour Gp, provided that 1 officer and 2 NCO clerks from the Gp were attached to this HQ to co-ordinate the labour functions at MOROTAI.

6. MISCELLANEOUS.
"A" Det 10 Kit Store:-
It is considered that the need for this unit has now ceased, and that provided units are instructed to pack and crate personal effects and kits, such effects and kits could be sent direct to Kit Store from units through MFO. HQ Aust Kit Store Memo of 19 Sep 45 (copy attached) instructs that Kit Store will not accept certain kits for transmission to the mainland, and that these should be sent by units through MFO. The only kits therefore which are authorised to be handled by Kit Stores are casualty kits. These are so few that it is felt that units could deal with them and forward through MFO.

INT. DIST B-4 'A'
GS (3)
A- (1)
ORD (1)
MED (1)

(Sgd) J E BARRETT Col.
Adm Comd 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

MESSAGE FORM

FROM 1 BASE SUB AREA 15 [illegible] I

TO ALL UNITS UNDER COMD

A05463 unclassified (.) male personnel with 150 points and over declared high priority for demob(.) dispersal of such personnel dependant upon movement of special priority personnel and availability of transportation

[signature]
Capt
15 Oct 45

Message Form

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RESTRICTED.

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Serial No. 32.
Nos 398 to 400

1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1

by

COL J E BARRETT

ADC COMD 1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

15 Oct 43

GENERAL STAFF.

NIL

ADJUTANT & QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S BRANCH

398. WAMA AND PITOE AIR STRIPS.

1. WAMA and PITOE Air Strips are "Out of Bounds" to all personnel of the Australian Military Forces except in the course of duty. The only duty on which personnel will be permitted to enter the strips are:-

(a) Personnel moving by air who must be in possession of Forms A1 and AAF Mob 3;
(b) Personnel connected with the movement of troops, i.e. Movement Control Staff, drivers of MT on duty, and personnel meeting aircraft.

2. Provost personnel are on duty at the Air Strips, and have been instructed that particulars of personnel at the Air Strip and not on duty, are to be taken.

3. Disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

399. DEMOBILIZATION OF THE AMF - MEDICAL BOARDS.

1. Advice has been received from HQ AMF that many members are applying for medical boards upon totally inadequate grounds, in the belief that failure to record a repatriation claim during process of release from the AMF, will jeopardise any future claims.

2. The Repatriation Department has stated that there is no time limit within which a repatriation claim must be made, whether the claim be made for pension or treatment or both. Such application may be made at any time after discharge.

3. Excessive numbers of unnecessary claims will delay demobilization procedure and to prevent such an occurence it is essential that all personnel be fully informed of the situation.

4. In respect of the foregoing the following additional advice has been received from HQ AIF :-

(a) Page 12 of C.A.O. entitled "GENERAL ORDERS" of 27 Aug 45 is being amended.

(b) AIF D2(a) question 7 will be amended to read as follows:-

"Do you wish to claim an immediate War Pension?"

5. When taking the statement by members vide Part I of AIF D2(a), medical officers will explain that a negative answer to question 7 thereof does not prejudice any further claims for pension that the member may make subsequent to discharge.

400. SPEED MOTOR VEHICLES.

1 Base Sub Area Routine Order No. 544 is cancelled.

Major.
for A/A & QMG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

/LD

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163.

15 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilization.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

Pro-forma as detailed hereunder will be submitted to reach this HQ not later than 1200 hrs 19 Oct 45, setting out by states numbers of personnel with : - -

(a) 175 to 202 points inclusive

(b) 150 to 174 points inclusive.

2. This does NOT include LONGSER PERSONNEL.

3. (a) Personnel with 175 to 202 points inclusive.

UNIT _____

Q'land		N.S.W.		VIC.		S.A.		T.A.S.		W.A.	
Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs

(b) Personnel with 150 to 174 points inclusive.

Q'land		N.S.W.		VIC.		S.A.		T.A.S.		W.A.	
Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs	Ofrs	ORs

Maj.
A/A & QMG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

1 Base Sub Area,
G 103.1

16 Oct 45.

RESUME OF ACTIVITIES NO 46, G.S. BRANCH PERIOD 1-14 OCT 45

1. Command

On 3 Oct 45, 34 units came under command this HQ.

A new command and distribution list was issued on 5 Oct 45.

2. Locations

Consequent upon the changes of command a new location statement is being prepared together with a location map.

3. General

(a) Cpl Sheehan and Cpl Glading were marched into this branch as draughtmen.

(b) Copies of surrender documents, copies of C in C's speech and photographs of surrender ceremony which took place at MOROTAI on 9 Sep 45 were distributed to all personnel in units under command this HQ.

(c) Nominations were called for a cooking school to be held in this area for cooks and potential cooks.

(d) A rest camp for troops in this area has been established at 113 Con Depot. Early reports indicated attendances while not up to expectations were satisfactory over the first few days. However a considerable falling off has been evident in the past 2 or 3 days.

4. Communications

A new telephone directory was issued for 1 Base Sub Area on 1 Oct 45.

5. Redundant Units

Consequent on many units being declared redundant this branch has compiled a file on same giving details of personnel, vehicles stores and equipment.

Lieut.
GS 1 Base Sub Area.

HQ 1 Base Sub Area
G 985.2

17 Oct 45.

Subject : JOINING INSTRUCTIONS - 1 BASE SUB AREA No 3 TG II POTENTIAL COOKS COURSE AND REFRESHER COURSE FOR COOKS

1 CRE (Wks)	(3)
10 Ord Veh Pk	(3)
2 Adv 2 Ech	(2)
23 Pl 2/1 Gd Regt	(2)
4 Labour Gp	(2)
ACAC Adv HQ AMF	(2)

1. 1 Base Sub Area No 3 TG II Potential Cooks course and refresher course for cooks will be held for units of 1 Base Sub Area.

2. Location

The course will be conducted at HQ 1 Base Sub Area.

3. Duration

Refresher Course 22 Oct 45 to 5 Nov 45
Course for Potential Cooks 22 Oct 45 to 19 Nov 45.

4. Object

To train potential cooks to TG II standard and to provide a refresher for trade grouped cooks.

5. Instructors

WO II Bendixen H
WO II Davis S.

6. Allotment of Vacancies

The following students have been selected to attend the above school.

(a) Refresher Course

		Unit
SX27001 Spr	MUCKSAD A.L.	9 Wksp and Pk Coy
NX88217 Sgt	BROMHEAD W.V.	10 Ord Veh Pk.
VX100921 Pte	AKERS R.	23 Pl 2/1 Gd Regt

(b) Course for Potential Cooks

NX81574 Spr	ROSS L.D.	9 Wksp and Pk Coy
NX133439 Pte	FLETT R.V.	10 Ord Veh Pk
VX125649 Pte	SHEPPARD I.G.	2 Adv 2 Ech
QX60020 Pte	ROYAL F.O.	33 Works Coy

7. Nominal Rolls

Nominal Rolls in duplicate vide attached pro forma will be forwarded to HQ 1 Base Sub Area with each student.

8. Time of Reporting

Students will report to HQ 1 Base Sub Area at 0800 hrs 22 Oct 45 under local unit transport arrangements.

9. Accomodation and Messing

Will be provided by HQ 1 Base Sub Area

10. Clothing and Equipment

Students will move to course with personal arms and equipment.

11 Qualifications of Students

Students will be of clean appearance and habits, medically suitable for duty as cooks and interested in cooking.

12 Return of Students

Students will be available for return to units at 1600 hrs on the day of completion of course.

Lieut
GS, 1 Base Sub Area

INTERNAL

A	(1)
Camp	(1)
File	(2)
War Diary	(2)

1 AUST BASE SUB AREA NO 3 TG II POTENTIAL COOKS COURSE

AND REFRESHER COURSE FOR COOKS

Nominal roll of students attending Course No ....

Duration ..... Location .....

Army No	Rank and Name	Unit	Age	Med Class	Army Cooking Experience	Schools Attended	Civil Occupation

I certify that the above details are correct in all respects

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Copy No ..5.6....

HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)
G/552.1

17 Oct '45

Subject : 1 Aust Base Sub Area Location Statement No 13

Distribution	Copy No
HQ Comd 1 Base Sub Area AASC	1
HQ 2 Aust Port Op Gp	2
HQ 6 Aust Base Sup Dep	3
17 Aust Adv Ord Dep	4
6 Aust Base Postal unit	5
4 Aust Labour Gp HQ	6
1 Aust Base Sub Area Details Depot	7
1 Aust Adv Rft Dep	8

Copies for Information to:

GHQ SWPA	9
HQ AMF	10-21
Adv HQ AMF	22-26
Fwd Ech LHQ	27
1 Aust Corps	28-30
1 Aust MC Gp SYDNEY	31
2 Aust MC Gp MELBOURNE	32
Det 2 Aust MC Gp HOBART	33
3 Aust MC Gp BRISBANE	34
4 Aust MC Gp PERTH	35
5 Aust MC Gp DARWIN	36
6 Aust MC Gp ADELAIDE	37
7 Aust MC Gp THURSDAY IS	38
10 Aust MC Gp CAIRNS	39
2 Adv 2 Ech	40-41
1 CRE Wks	42-43
11 Aust MC Gp MOROTAI	44
22 L of C Sigs	45
HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	
Comd	46
GS (3)	47-48
AA & QMG	49
'A'	50
'Q'	51
ST	52
Med	53
Ord	54
Pro	55
War Diary	56-57
File	58-59
Spares	60-70

1. Herewith 1 Aust Base Sub Area Location Statement No 13 as at 151600I Oct 45.

2. The serial numbers in the margin are for convenience of reference only and bear no relation to any other document.

3. It is requested that units advise this HQ immediately of any amendments to this Location Statement.

4. Please destroy Location Statement No 12 and return subtended certificate dyly completed to this HQ.

[signature] Lieut
GS, 1 Aust Base Sub Area

HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)

Receipt is acknowledged of copy No ..... of 1 Aust Base Sub Area Location Statement No 13.
Copy No ..... of Location Statement No 12 has been destroyed.

Name and Rank .....
Appointment .....
Formation or Unit .....

[illegible] SUB AREA LOCATION STATEMENT NO 15

AS AT 15 OCT 45

Formation Sign : Black Figure 1 in centre of white square on black background.

Reference Map : MOROTAI BASE SHEET 1 4 inches to one mile except where otherwise stated.

Serial (a)	War Office Serial No (b)	Veh No (c)		Unit (d)	Location (e)	Remarks (f)
				HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS UNITS		
1.	92215	1/740		HQ 1 Base Sub Area (Type B) less det	131130	
2.	92574	11/712		% 11 MC Gp (Type E) less dets	134158	
3.	61001	1/107	D	HQ 1 Corps	116118	
4.	92621	2/567		2 Adv 2 nd Ech less dets	132132	
5.	45129	669		1 Flt [illegible] Met Sqn	122122	(To be disbanded.)
6.	47826	501		1 A.T. Gp	117117	(To be disbanded.)
				ARMOURED		
7.	48480	1/922		[illegible]	141145	
				ENGINEERS		
8.	45309	1/375		1 CRE (Wks)	128145	

Serial (a)	War Office Serial No (b)	Veh No (c)	Unit (d)	Location (e)	Remarks (f)
			ENGINEERS (CONTINUED)		
9	47343	2-11/129	2/11 [illegible] Tps Coy	130144	
10	47344	9/398	9 Wksp & Pk Coy	133150	
11	92351	5/462	5 Mech Eqpt Coy less one mech eqpt pl, and det	154193	
12	92491	7/137	7 Mech Eqpt Spare Parts Sec	133150	
13	92195	21/496	D 21 Mech Eqpt Pk Coy less det	145177	
14	37893	2-3/412	1 Pl 2/3 Forestry Coy	212197	
			SURVEY		
15	45593	5/111	5 Fd Svy Coy less dets	307198	
16	45597	2-1/281	D 2/1 Army Topographical Svy Coy less det	307198	
17	45597	2-1/281	'A' Det 2/1 Army Topo Svy Coy	112115	
			SIGNALS		
18	61008	A/715	HQ 'A' Corps Sigs A & B Det	134158	
19	45812	8/246	D 8 Line Sec	134158	
20	45721	1/304	D 1 Tech Maint Sec	134158	
21	45679	5/304	D 5 Tech Maint Sec	134158	

Serial (a)	War Office Serial No (b)	Vol No (c)	Unit (d)	Location (e)	Remarks (f)
			SIGNAL (CONTINUED)		
22	61335	1/268	D 1 Op Sec	134158	
23	61336	2/268	D 2 Op Sec	134158	
24	45609	13/309	D 13 Trg Op Sec	134158	
25	45675	14/309	D 14 Trg Op Sec	134158	
26	47569	33/287	D 33 Tele Swbd Op Sec	134158	
27	61345	1/201	D 1 D R Sec	134158	
28	47358	24/510	24 Wireless Sec (Lt) Less det	134158	
29	45272	63/510	Det 36 Cypher Sec (Type K)	134158	
30	49326	49/510	Det 49 Wireless Sec (Hy)	128147	
31	45260	63/510	D 63 Wireless Sec (Type C)	128147	
32	45722	21/68	D21 Cypher Sec (Type K)	134158	
33	92318	49/68	D 49 Cypher Sec (Type K)	134158	
34	46326	5/560	5 Pidgeon Sec (Type A) less det	134158	
35	45251	793	A Det Special Wireless Gp	117126	
36	92553	4/757	% 4 Sig Eqpt Sec less dets	164198	
			INFANTRY		
37	61005	2-1/225	23 Pl 2/1 Guard Regt	128129	

Serial (a)	War Office Serial No (b)	Veh No (c)	Unit (d)	Location (e)	Remarks (f)
			TRANSPORTATION		
38	48685	2/694	HQ 2 Port Op Gp	130148	
39	48490	11/610	A Det 11 Small Ships Coy	157132	Incl 6 Refrig Lighter Sec.
40	45198	5/733	5 Port Op Coy less det	132151	
41	48687	2-10/733	2/10 Port Op Coy (Type C) Less 3 Pls	133149	
42	48613	8/855	8 Pl 1 Port Maint Coy	132151	
			SUPPLIES AND TRANSPORT		
43	46062	1/59	HQ Comd 1 Base Sub Area AASC	141458	
44	48842	13/65	13 Sup Dep Pl less det	192188	
45	48842	13/65	Det 13 Sup Dep Pl	320192	
46	48990	183/65	183 Sup Dep Pl	134149	
47	92063	2-1/467	2/1 Fd Baking Pl less det	134148	
48	92466	4/327	4 BPS Coy less dets	142171	
49	48181	51/207	51 BIPOD Pl	129142	
50	92374	65/207	65 BIPOD Pl	192188	Moretai Base Sheet 2
51	91372	2-101/78	D HQ 2/101 GT Coy	132153	
52	92308	2-32/91	2/32 Tpt Pl	133151	
53	92310	2-33/91	D 2/33 Tpt Pl	132151	

War Office Serial No (a)	Vol. No (b)	Unit (c)	Location (d)	Remarks (e)
92311	2-34/91	D2/34 Tpt Pl	132146	
92312	2-35/91	D 2/35 Tpt Pl	129143	
92313	2-101/117	D 2/101 Wksp Pl	133153	
92315	2-37/91	2/37 Tpt Pl	131151	
92316	2-38/91	2/38 Tpt Pl	163280	
61373	2-102/78	D HQ 2/102 GT Coy	132154	
92317	2-102/117	D 2/102 Wksp Pl	133153	
92314	2-36/91	2/36 Tpt Pl	132154	
92419	50/91	D 50 Tpt Pl (Dukws)	132146	
92421	5/312	5 AVI	130146	
61377	2-105/78	HQ 2/105 GT Coy	131148	
92301	2-27/91	2/27 Tpt Pl	130149	
92304	2-29/91	2/29 Tpt Pl	131149	
92305	2-105/117	2/105 Wksp Pl	131149	
92291	2-1/139	2/1 M.C. Pl	134197	
92293	2-1/139	2/1 M.C. Wksp Pl	134197	
92294	6/971	HQ C Div	132197	

Serial (a)	Mov Cable Serial No (b)	Veh No (c)	Unit (d)	Location (e)	Remarks (f)
71	48988	181/65	181 Sup Dep Pl	160201	
72	48991	184/65	184 Sup Dep Pl	161197	
73	92804	1/32	1 Refrig Op Plant Pl	134118	
74	46279	46/65	A Sec 46 Sup Dep Pl	159201	
75	46279	46/65	"C" Sec 46 Sup Dep Pl	162197	
76	92899	3/300	3 Port Det ASC	134158	
			MEDICAL		
77	45756	113/658	113 Con Depot (1000 Men)	334193	Moretai Base Sheet 2.
78	45329	11/696	11 Malaria Control Unit	286195	
79	55214	2-5/827	2/5 Gen Hosp (M) 1200 beds less det	126124	
80	55218	2-9/827	2/9 Gen Hosp (m) 1200 beds less det	133139	
81	92422	2/783	2 ED Med Stores	121124	
82	61566	2-12/57	A Coy 2/12 Fd Amb	121124	
83	46190	116/152	116 Mob BU	121124	
			DENTAL		
84	48106	1/695	1 ED Dental Stores less 2 Secs	121124	

(a)	Sec [illegible] (b)	[illegible] (c)	Unit (d)	Location (e)	[illegible] (f)
			DENTAL (CONTINUED)		
85	45636	80/181	HQ 80 Dental Units	131130	
			B Sec	130146	
			C Sec	158139	
			E Sec	178130	
			F Sec	162199	
			ORDNANCE		
86	92342	17/705	17 AOD (172 FOD) less dets	164198	
87	92343	4/444	4 RSD	165301	
88	[illegible]		1 Sec and Det 1 Para Maint Pl	165231	
89	92344	10/804	10 Ord Veh Park less dets	163137	
90	49043	2-121/83	2/121 Bde Ord Fd Park	141144	
91	92464	5/905	D Det 5 Ord Port Det (Type "B")	133158	
92	46284	6/278	% 6 Sec Offrs Shop (Type B)	136136	
93	61118	2-7/[illegible]	2/7 Mob Laundry & Fwd Decn Unit less det	165301	
94	92345	14/817	14 [illegible] (Type "B") (142 FAD) less dets	136146	
95	49060	2-[illegible]/76	D 2/[illegible] Wksp	141144	
96	92643	13/832	13 Adv Wksp less dets	150174	

AUSTRALIAN ELECTRICAN MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

Nominal (a)	Weapon Serial No (b)	Veh No (c)	Unit (d)	Location (e)	Remarks (f)
			AUSTRALIAN ELECTRICAL MECHANICAL ENGINEERS (CONTINUED)		
97	92387	2-4/416	2/4 Mech Eqpt Wksp	152194	
98	61483	2-93/40	2/93 L.D (Type -)	152194	
99	45736	2-90/40	290 L.D (Type A)	139158	
100	92612	10/317	10 Veh Pk Wksp less det	164194	
			R.A.Y		
101	45781	1/62	1 Corps Fd Cash Office	135155	
102	48552	76/379	76 Dep Cash Office	126194	
103	92215	77/379	77 Dep Cash Office	124197	
			POSTAL		
104	92389	6/376	6 Base Postal Unit Less dets	163199	
105	61162	2-1/397	2/1 L of C Postal Unit (Type B)	163198	
			PROVOST		
106	48031	908	1 Sec Spec Investigation Branch less det	131194	
107	45974	2/35	2 Div Pro Coy Less 2 Secs	132145	
108	61499	1/37	1 HQ [illegible] Armd Div Pro Coy	132146	
			MILITARY PRISONS & DETENTION BARRACKS		
109	92892	20/469	20 Det Bks (Type "A")	179187	

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)
			PRINTING AND STATIONERY		
110	92348	11/320	11 L of C Stationery Dep (Type "L") less Three dets.	135155	
			GRAVES		
111			HQ War Graves Gp (Central Pacific)	113130	
112		934	Pacific Area War Graves Maint Unit	135167	
			LABOUR		
113	92871	4/142	4 Labour Gp HQ	129148	
114	25518	30/833	30 Works Coy	156139	
115	47756	33/833	33 Works Coy Less 4 Pl	131151	
			CANTEENS		
116	25543	32/830	32 ACS Officers Club (Type F)	114112	
117	25543	33/801	33 ACS ORs Club (Type F)	142147	
118	25543	711	Det AAF Canteen Service	134159	
			MISCELLANEOUS		
119	92[illegible]	1/677	1 Base Sub Area Details Depot less det	[illegible]97	
120	25538	1/666	1 Base Post Depot	172135	
121	25538	1/490	1 V & C Sec	132131	

Serial (a)	Equipment Number (b)	Tons (c)	Unit (d)	Location (e)	Remarks (f)
			MISCELLANEOUS (CONTINUED)		
122	46938	37/537	1 Corps Sal Unit		Not yet arrived
123	46938	37/538	'B' Det 37 L of C Sal Sec	133142	
124	47561	39.501	1 AG Kit Store less detr	133138	
125	48038	206	1 Press Unit	112411	

MESSAGE FORM

AG/163

FROM: 1 BASE SUB AREA 1714?0 I

TO: ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5497 UNCLASSIFIED (.) LONGSER personnel (.) all remaining personnel not including my AG 5496 and AG5498 both of 170940 I with exception of officers AAMC AAOC and of rank of lt col and above for LONGSER release will march out to 1 base sub area details depot on 25 oct 45 (.) arrange time march out with details depot (.) all AAOC personnel will remain with units pending further instructions

[signature]
Capt
17 Oct 45

SDS

/LD

MESSAGE FORM. AG/912

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 171215 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG 5503 UNCLASSIFIED (.) LANDFORCES message of 111400K reads (.) quote (.) CAMPAIGN STARS (.) anticipate amendment to make AUSTRALIAN members taken prisoner of war during operations specified para 60 of GRO 253/45 eligible PACIFIC STAR ribbon irrespective of prior six months service qualification under para 7 (A) (.) second last sentence of para 9 (D) will NOT apply to PACIFIC STAR (.) unquote

Capt
Oct 45

S. D. 3.

/LD AG/

MESSAGE FORM

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 17 1200 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5502 UNCLASSIFIED (.) advise if any linotype operators on posted or attached strength (.) required for transfer to 1 press unit (.) units call for applications from personnel on strength (.) .. returns required forthwith

Capt
Oct 45

S.D.S.

/LD AG/

MESSAGE FORM

From . 1 BASE SUB AREA 171200 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5502 UNCLASSIFIED (.) advise if any linotype operators on posted or attached strength (.) required for transfer to 1 press unit (.) units call for applications from personnel on strength (.) returns required forthwith

S. D. S.

Capt
Oct 45.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163.

11 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilization.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

1. Pro-forma, as detailed hereunder, of all officers on posted strength of units under command, with 149 points and under will be submitted to reach this HQ NOT later than 1200 hrs 19 Oct 45.

2. This does NOT include KEY personnel retained for unit cadres etc.

UNIT _____

No.	Rank	Name	Pts	Present Appoint.	Remarks

A/AA & QMG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF) Maj.

/LD

MESSAGE FORM. AG/163

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 17[illegible]I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5498 UNCLASSIFIED (.) LONGSER personnel (.) all remaining personnel with exception of offrs AAMC AAOC COs and of rank of lt col and above who have 178 points and above for LONGSER release will march out to 1 base sub area details depot on 23 Oct 45 (.) arrange time march out with details depot (.) all AAOC personnel will remain with units pending further instructions

B.D.S.

Capt
Oct 45

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MESSAGE FORM. AG/163

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 17/1140 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

AG5496 UNCLASSIFIED (.) LONGSER release personnel (.) all personnel with the exception of officers AAMO AAOC COs and of rank of lt-col and above who have 204 points and above for longser release will march out to 1 base sub area details depot on 21 oct 45 (.) arrange time march out with details depot (.) all AAOC personnel will remain with units pending further instructions

B. D. S.

Capt.
Oct 45

HEADQUARTERS 93D INFANTRY DIVISION
Office of the Commanding General
APO 93

GENERAL ORDERS

NUMBER 89

19 August 1945

SECTION I - AWARD OF THE SOLDIER'S MEDAL
SECTION II - AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL (OAK-LEAF CLUSTER)
SECTION III - AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL
SECTION IV - AWARDS OF THE AIR MEDAL
SECTION V - AWARDS OF THE PURPLE HEART
SECTION VI - AWARDS OF THE MEDICAL BADGE
SECTION VII - AMENDMENTS -- AWARDS OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL

SECTION I

By direction of the President, under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved 2 July 1926 (Bulletin 8, WD, 1926), a Soldier's Medal is awarded by the Commanding General, 93d Infantry Division to the following named officer:

Second Lieutenant JOHN HOOKS, JR., (01299510), Infantry, United States Army, for bravery on 27 September 1944, at Green Island, British Solomon Islands. A loud explosion followed by screams from a nearby impact area, halted the operations of Lieutenant Hooks' platoon. He immediately shouted orders for everyone to take cover and rushed to the impact area over many unexploded shells to render first aid to a soldier who was wounded by the explosion of a dud. Notwithstanding the possibility of another dud, having been disturbed by the recent explosion, exploding, he entered, with utter disregard for his own safety, the danger area. Quickly applying tourniquets and rendering first aid, he then carried the wounded man to safety, thereby saving his life. The actions and bravery displayed by Lieutenant Hooks, at the risk of his own life to save that of one of his men is in accordance with the highest standards and traditions of the United States Military Service, and reflects the greatest credit upon himself. Home Address: Mrs. Virginia Hooks, (Wife), 2304 Troost Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri.

SECTION II

By direction of the President, in addition to the Bronze Star Medal previously awarded, a Bronze Oak-Leaf Cluster is awarded by the Commanding General, 93d Infantry Division to the following named officer, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9419, 4 February 1944, (Section II, Bulletin 3, WD, 1944). The citation is as follows:

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Major CLAIR G. HENLINE, (0454685), Signal Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 21 March 1945 to 1 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Margaret C. Henline, (Wife), 227 West Central Avenue, Orlando, Florida.

SECTION III

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9419, 4 February 1944, (Section II, Bulletin 3, WD, 1944), a Bronze Star Medal is awarded by the Commanding General, 93d Infantry Division, to the following named officers, warrant officers, and enlisted men:

Colonel STANLEY M. PROUTY, (010866), General Staff Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Guadalcanal, British Solomon Islands from 1 February 1944 to 26 June 1944. Home Address: Mrs. Christine Prouty, (Wife), 2 North 18th Street, Wilmington, North Carolina.

Lieutenant Colonel CECIL MAXWELL ARNOLD, (QX6004), Australian Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Wilhemene B. Arnold, (Mother), "Moya", 96 Thorn Street, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia.

Lieutenant Colonel E. J. BOWE, (VFX384), Principal Matron, AANS, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mr. A. J. Bowe, (Father), "Belle-Vue", Weldon Victoria, Australia. (Training School Royal Melbourne Hospital).

Lieutenant Colonel TIMOTHY FREDERICK CAPE, General Staff, Grade 1 (Air), Australian Air Force, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Maude Cape, (Mother), 16 Barrack Street, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia.

Lieutenant Colonel LINDSAY MUSGRAVE CHAPMAN, (NX12381), Australian Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Patricia M. Chapman, (Wife), Clement Pde, Sutherland, New South Wales, Australia.

Lieutenant Colonel J. L. COOK, (NFX12618), Matron, 2/5 Australian General Hospital, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mr. D. G. Cook, (Father), "Gowan Brae", Wollongong Post Office, New South Wales, Australia.

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Lieutenant Colonel FRANCIS HUMPHREY COSTELLO, (VX64666), Australian Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Ida May Costello, (Wife), 83 Cabramatta Road, Mosman, New South Wales, Australia.

Lieutenant Colonel H. CROLL, (NFX138748), Matron, 2/9 Australian General Hospital, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mr. T. Croll, (Brother), Lloyd Street, New South Wales, Australia.

Lieutenant Colonel EDWARD W. HAYWARD, (SX8887), Australian Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 22 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Ursula Hayward, (Wife), Spring Field, Mipcham, South Australia.

CHAPLAIN (Lieutenant Colonel) OSCAR E. HOLDER, (0411122), Chaplain's Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies and Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea from 1 January 1945 to 17 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. James E. Holder, (Mother), 420 East Bright Street, Kingston, North Carolina.

Lieutenant Colonel EUGENE F. MELAVILLE, (0300979), Medical Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 5 June 1945 to 14 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Atelia I. Melville, (Wife), 46 Phelps Avenue, Rochester, New York.

Lieutenant Colonel GEORGE FOX MOTT, (0254500), Inspector General's Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 21 June 1945 to 10 July 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Dorothy W. Mott, (Wife), 1701 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Lieutenant Colonel THOMAS EVELYN WILLIAMS, (VX227), General Staff Corps, Australian Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: c/o Mrs. Hilda Williams, (Wife), 10 Hotham Street, Traralgon, Victoria, Australia.

Lieutenant Colonel ROBERT B. WOOD, (0345737), Corps of Engineers, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 17 May 1944 to 13 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Marguerite H. Wood, (Wife), 289 Kalakaua Avenue, Honolulu, T. H.

Major RAYMOND D. CANADA, (01165059), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies and Zamboanga, Mindanao, Philippine Islands, from 6 March 1945 to 10 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Ferbia Ruth Canada, (Wife), Van Alstyne, Texas.

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Major MAXWELL GEORGE CLEAVER, (TX6125), Australian Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 8 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Elizabeth Wanberton Cleaver, (Wife), 15 York Street, Launceston, Tasmania.

Major HERBERT E. FREITAG, (01293750), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 18 May 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Edna Freitag, (Wife), Scotland, South Dakota.

CHAPLAIN (Major) JAMES C. GRIFFIN, (025848), Chaplain's Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 January 1945 to 17 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Delya Griffin, (Wife), 1504 Cutten Street, Norfolk, Virginia.

Major ALBERT RAY HARRIS, (0263747), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea; Morotai, Netherlands East Indies, and Zamboanga, Mindenao, Philippine Islands from 8 March 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Alice Harris, (Wife), 110 West Main, Weatherford, Oklahoma.

Major (then Captain) JOEL P. HOLCOMB, (01165076), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of combat operations against the enemy at Bougainville, British Solomon Islands from 30 March 1944 to 15 July 1944. Home Address: Mrs. June G. Holcomb, (Wife), 3854 Bartley Drive, Sacramento, California.

Major FREDERICK M. JACOBS, (0397758), Medical Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 20 June 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Peggy Jacobs, (Wife), Route 4, Box 732, Tucson, Arizona.

Major JOHN EDMOUND KAY, (VX108248), Australian Army Provost Corps, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 21 May 1945 to 14 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Lilian Gertrude Kay, (Wife), 36 Karma Avenue, East Malvern, South East 5, Victoria, Australia.

Major LUTHER J. LEMON, (0421960), Medical Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Green Island, British Solomon Islands from 10 June 1944 to 29 October 1944. Home Address: Mrs. Celeste Lemon, (Mother), 42 Macon Street, McDonough, Georgia.

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Major (then Captain) GEORGE W. McKINNEY, (0320589), Adjutant General's Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 March 1945 to 5 June 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Eleanor A. McKinney, (Wife), 604 Forster Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Major (then Captain) TONY F. PERPICH, (01165080), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Emirau, St. Matthias Group, Bismarck Archipelago from 7 July 1944 to 1 October 1944. Home Address: Mrs. Jeanne M. Perpich, (Wife), Route 1, Box 1128, Phoenix, Arizona.

Major WILLIAM B. SMITH, (0422709), Medical Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Stirling Island, Treasury Group, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 July 1944 to 24 July 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Ruth Smith, (Wife), 1125 Bradbury Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Captain ROBERT F. AMOS, (01286415), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 17 May 1945 to 10 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Althea P. Amos, (Wife), 127 Amos Street, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

Captain GEORGE A. ASBURY, (01284625), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Sansepor, Dutch New Guinea from 6 April 1945 to 7 July 1945. Home Address: Miss Dorothy Asbury, (Sister), 623 Columbus Avenue, Boston, Mass.

Captain SYLVESTER W. BOOKER, (01533261), Medical Administrative Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy from 27 August 1944 to 12 June 1945 at Stirling Island, Treasury Group, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies. Home Address: Mrs. Hattie G. Booker, (Mother), 876 Lincoln Avenue, Pasadena, California.

Lieutenant JOSEPH W. BURK, D, (193260), United States Navy Reserve, for exceptionally meritorious achievement in the performance of outstanding services in and around the Halmahera Islands, Netherlands East Indies from 11 June 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mr. Paul E. Burk, (Father), Garden State Highway, Beverly, New Jersey.

Captain JAMES A. HENDERSON, (0321995), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 12 April 1945 to 12 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Lois B. Henderson, (Wife), 443 North Delrose, Wichita, Kansas.

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Captain OTIS H. HORTON, (0413616), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 11 April 1945 to 16 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Iva May Horton, (Mother), Des Moines, New Mexico.

Captain KENNETH W. KINGHORN, (01165752), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 6 June 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home address: Mrs. K. W. Kinghorn, (Wife), 526 W 1st North, Saint Anthony, Idaho.

Captain CEVERA R. LITTLE, (0435595), Medical Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of combat operations against the enemy at Biak, Schouten Island Group, Netherlands East Indies from 3 October 1944 to 1 April 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Althea A. Little, (Wife), 58 Quincy Place, North East, Washington, D. C.

Lieutenant EVERETT T. MEREDITH, S (I), (152296), United States Navy Reserve, for exceptionally meritorious achievement in the performance of outstanding services in and around the Halmahera Islands, Netherlands East Indies, from 22 May 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. C. L. Meredith, (Mother), 38 Franklin Street, Annapolis, Maryland.

Captain JOHN M. O'DONNELL, (NX46880), Australian Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of operations against the enemy from 1 March 1945 to 14 August 1945 at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies. Home Address: Mrs. Marjorie Murray O'Donnell, (Wife), Centra 34 Regent Street, West Kirtland, New South Wales, Australia.

Captain LOUIS PELLMAN, (01689913), Medical Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 April 1945 to 14 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Sadie Pellman, (Wife), 3019 Avenue "U", Brooklyn, New York.

CHAPLAIN (Captain) ROBERT J. SMITH, (0431635), Chaplain's Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Guadalcanal, and Green Islands, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 19 February 1944 to 6 April 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Jennie M. Smith, (Wife), 15 Woodville Street, Everett, Mass.

Captain ANTHONY J. TRACKIKOWICZ, (0453777), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Sansapor, Dutch New Guinea from 6 April 1945 to 7 July 1945. Home Address: Mrs. A. J. Trackikowicz, (Wife), 1316 Harding Street, Hattiesburg, Mississippi.

Captain ERNEST KASTORFF, (01165883), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea; Morotai, Netherlands East Indies, and Zamboanga, Mindanao, Philippines Islands from 4 February 1945 to 10 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Ruth Kastorff, (Wife), Indianola, Mississippi.

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Captain FREDERICK W. ZINK, (01165099), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with combat operations against the enemy at Bougainville, British Solomon Islands from 30 March 1944 to 30 June 1944. Home Address: Mrs. Barbara L. Zink, (Wife), 299 Jackson Street, Hempstead, New York.

First Lieutenant PAUL L. ALLEN, (01549202), Ordnance Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 10 May 1945 to 1 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Irene W. Allen, (Wife), 5057 Kensington Avenue, Saint Louis, Missouri.

First Lieutenant FREDERICK B. HESS, (01574626), Quartermaster Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 May 1945 to 31 July 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Mary B. Hess, (Mother), 122 Burke Street, Martinsburg, West Virginia.

First Lieutenant CHARLES P. HURLBURT, (0405289), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 14 April 1945 to 3 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Erne M. Hurlburt, (Mother), North East Street, Fairburg, Nebraska.

First Lieutenant IRWIN L. KLEIN, (0556507), Military Intelligence, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 28 April 1945 to 14 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. L. Klein, (Mother), 1514 Nelson Avenue, Bronx, New York.

First Lieutenant SNOWDEN M. LEFTWICH, JR., (01327857), Aide-de-Camp(Infantry), United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 July 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mr. Snowden M. Leftwich, (Father), 4910 Park Lane, Dallas, Texas.

First Lieutenant FRANK W. SPENCER, (01013933), Infantry(Tank), United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 17 May 1945 to 14 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Inez B. Spencer, (Wife), 4819 Colonial Drive, Columbia, South Carolina.

Second Lieutenant DAVID J. BURNS, (01559155), Ordnance Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 20 May 1945 to 1 August 1945. Home Address: Mr. F. P. Burns, (Father), Hobart, Louisiana.

Second Lieutenant CHESTER A. HAACK, (01559456), Ordnance Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 20 May 1945 to 1 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Eva M. Haack, (Wife), 5830 Westwood Avenue, Baltimore 6, Maryland.

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Second Lieutenant ROY M. MAY, (01559494), Ordnance Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 15 May 1945 to 15 July 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Dorothy L. May, (Wife), 313 Euclid Avenue, Cannonburg, Pennsylvania.

Chief Warrant Officer EDDIE W. McKINLEY, (W-2119401), United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Guadalcanal, British Solomon Islands; Stirling Island, Treasury Group, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 6 June 1944 to 14 August 1945.

Chief Warrant Officer EDWARD D. YEATMAN, (W-2105747), United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Finschhafen, New Guinea from 16 November 1944 to 30 March 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Muriel C. Yeatman, (Wife), 1530 Zuniga Lane, Los Angeles, California.

Warrant Officer(jg), (then Staff Sergeant) WINIFRED A. HEMBRY, (W-2135066), United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Guadalcanal, British Solomon Islands; Stirling Island, Treasury Group, British Solomon Islands from 21 March 1944 to 12 July 1944; and at Stirling Island, Treasury Group, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 12 August 1944 to 1 May 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Flora L. Hembry, (Mother), Box 723, Lewisville, Texas.

Master Sergeant JOHN A. LEWIS, (34046274), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Guadalcanal and Green Islands, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 March 1944 to 10 April 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Perilee Lewis, (Mother), 1705 - 30th Avenue, Meridian, Mississippi.

Staff Sergeant ROBERT L. ELLINGTON, (35501536), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 10 May 1945 to 25 July 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Pinkie Ellington, (Mother), 3819 Woodland Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

Staff Sergeant LLOYD H. MUNSON, (34079597), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Finschhafen, New Guinea and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 26 December 1944 to 1 April 1945. Home address: Mrs. Mattie G. Munson, (Wife), 611 Charles Street, Donaldsonville, Louisiana.

Staff Sergeant EUGENE J. WALKER, (34552437), Medical Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Stirling Island, Treasury Group, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 26 August 1944 to 25 June 1945. Home Address: Mr. Henry Walker, (Father), 912 Pittman Street, Way Cross, Georgia.

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Staff Sergeant SAMUEL WALKER, (38080553), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in combat operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 18 April 1945 to 10 June 1945. Home Address: Miss Minnie B. Walker, (Sister), Ore City, Texas.

Staff Sergeant STEPHEN WHITE, (34204772), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy at Biak, Netherlands East Indies from 19 November 1944 to 1 April 1945. Home Address: Mr. Porter White, (Father), General Delivery, Bronson, Florida.

Technician Third Grade SIDNEY D. BAILEY, (34005347), Medical Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in direct support of military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 1 December 1944 to 14 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Sidney D. Bailey, (Wife), Greenville Springs, Louisiana.

Technician Fourth Grade WILLIE P. CURRY, (32333286), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Guadalcanal and Green Islands, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 19 February 1944 to 14 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Virginia Curry, (Wife), 680 DeKalb Avenue, Brooklyn, New York.

Technician Fourth Grade LOYAL J. DuVAL, (32337627), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in support of military operations against the enemy at Green Island, British Solomon Islands; Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 9 August 1944 to 10 April 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Robert DuVal, (Mother), 15 Hicks Street, Westbury, Long Island, New York.

Technician Fifth Grade WILBUR J. HODGES, (32367913), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 15 April 1945 to 15 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Bertha M. Hodges, (Wife), Route 1, Box 7, Aurora, North Carolina.

SECTION IV

By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order No. 9158, 11 May 1942 (Bulletin 25, WD, 1942), as amended by Executive Order No. 9242-A, 11 September 1942 (Bulletin 49, WD, 1942), an Air Medal is awarded by the Commanding General, 93d Infantry Division to the following named officers:

Brigadier General LEONARD R. BOYD, (04811), United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flight over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 25 February 1944 to 1 August 1945, for a total of more than one hundred hours. Home Address: Mrs. Marian B. Boyd, (Wife), 1980 Washington Street, San Francisco, California.

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Brigadier General WARREN H. McNAUGHT, (07532), United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 18 February 1944 to 14 August 1945, for a total of more than one hundred hours. Home Address: Mrs. Marion E. McNaught, (Wife), 237 West Fourth Street, Claremont, California.

Colonel RALPH C. HOLLIDAY, (03412), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas, from 25 January 1945 to 1 August 1945, for a total of more than one hundred hours. Home Address: Mrs. Marguerite F. Holliday, (Wife), 1207 Third Road, Baltimore 20, Maryland.

Lieutenant Colonel JERRY S. ADDINGTON, (023041), General Staff Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flight over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 25 February 1944 to 1 August 1945, for a total of more than one hundred hours. Home Address: Mrs. Eleanore Addington, (Wife), 115 Woodlawn Street, Lynn, Mass.

Lieutenant Colonel CHARLES S. STANDLEY, (0295073), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 31 January 1944 to 10 July 1945, for a total of more than one hundred and eight hours. Home Address: Mrs. Marie W. Standley, (Wife), Box 75, Noble, Oklahoma.

Major ROBERT F. COCKLIN, (01165715), General Staff Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 20 February 1944 to 1 July 1945, for a total of more than one hundred and five hours. Home Address: Mr. F. D. Cocklin, (Father), 880 Bush Street, San Francisco, California.

Major CLAIR C. HENLINE, (0454685), Signal Corps, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 13 July 1944 to 1 August 1945, for a total of one hundred and twenty-five hours. Home Address: Mrs. Margaret C. Henline, (Wife), 227 West Central Avenue, Orlando, Florida.

Captain JAMES R. HENDERSON, (0321995), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement as Liaison Pilot for a Field Artillery Battalion, participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 15 February 1944 to 1 August 1945, for a total of one hundred and eight hours. Home Address: Mrs. Lois Belle Henderson, (Wife), 443 North Delrose, Wichita, Kansas.

Captain HOMER S. HUMPHRIES, (0322421), Adjutant General's Department, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 10 April 1944 to 1 June 1945, for a total of one hundred and eight hours. Home Address: Mrs. Norine V. Humphries, (Wife), Parrish Apartments, Maple Avenue, Covington, Virginia.

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First Lieutenant LEANDER A. HALL, (01180929), Field Artillery, United States Army, for meritorious achievement as Liaison Pilot for a Field Artillery Battalion, participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 10 March 1944 to 1 July 1945, for a total of one hundred and thirty-six hours. Home Address: Mrs. Delena P. Hall, (Mother), 650 South Bearborn Street, Mobile, Alabama.

First Lieutenant MILTON P. WEBSTER, (01284064), Infantry, United States Army, for meritorious achievement while participating in sustained aerial flights over operational areas in the Southwest and South Pacific areas from 1 January 1945 to 1 August 1945, for a total of more than one hundred hours. Home Address: Mrs. Elizabeth P. Webster, (Mother), 6603 Langley Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

SECTION V

Under the provisions of Army Regulations 600-45, as amended, a Purple Heart is awarded by the Commanding General, 93d Infantry Division, to the following named enlisted men:

Technician Fifth Grade CLARENCE C. REECE, (37258723), Caverly, United States Army, for wounds received in action at Sansapor, Netherlands East Indies on 3 June 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Samuel D. Reece, (Father), Route 1, Box 8, Cotton Plant, Arkansas.

Private First Class LUCHIOUS LOVE, JR., (34741252), Infantry, United States Army, for wounds received in action at Sansapor, Netherlands East Indies on 23 May 1945. Home Address: Mr. Luchious Love, Sr., (Father), P. O. Box 192, Talkville, Alabama.

SECTION VI

Under the provisions of Circular No. 66, War Department, 1945, the Medical Badge is awarded by the Commanding General, 93d Infantry Division, to the following named enlisted men, for having shared the hazards and hardships of combat:

Technician Fifth Grade WILLIAM A. DORSEY, (32338598), Medical Department, United States Army, at Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 3 July 1945 to 10 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Marie Elizabeth Burns, (Sister), 58 East 127th Street, New York, N. Y.

Technician Fifth Grade WILBUR A. MARTIN, JR., (34741155), Medical Department, United States Army, at Bougainville, British Solomon Islands; Finschhafen, New Guinea, and Morotai, Netherlands East Indies from 24 March 1944 to 10 August 1945. Home Address: Mrs. Wilbur A. Martin, Sr., (Father), Box 1178, Auburn, Alabama.

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SECTION VII

So much of General Orders No. 79, this headquarters, dated 1 August 1945, as reads:

Second Lieutenant (then Chief Warrant Officer) STANLEY B. BATES, (01690840)

is amended to read:

Second Lieutenant (then Chief Warrant Officer) STANLEY B. BATES, (01690848)

So much of General Orders No. 88, this headquarters, dated 18 August 1945, as reads:

First Lieutenant HARVEY J. DEPPER, (01559441)

is amended to read:

Second Lieutenant HARVEY J. DEPPER, (01559441)

So much of Section I, General Orders No. 82, this headquarters, dated 13 August 1945, as pertains to Technician Third Grade STANLEY J. NAKANISHI, (30102332), United States Army, and reads:

Mr. Charles M. Nakanishi, (Brother), 2005 Beretania Street, Honolulu, T.H.

is amended to read:

Mr. Hubert T. Nakanishi, (Brother), 1338 Second Avenue, New York, N. Y.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL JOHNSON:

IRVING W. JACKSON,
Colonel, G. S. C.,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

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Major, A. G. D.,
Adjutant General.

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1 - CO, M/R Det, AFPAC, APO 501

MESSAGE FORM.

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 19 I

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

AG 5342 unclassified (.) imperative that completed AAFs A102 and A209 are forwarded either by air prior to or with troops (.) complete documentation and early delivery these forms most necessary (.) all infm

Capt

19 Oct 45

SDS

/LD

MESSAGE FORM. AG/163

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 191100I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5562 UNCLASSIFIED (.) my AG5496 (.) LONGSER release personnel to march out 21 oct (.) defer movement pending further instructions (.) confirms telephone advice

Capt
Oct 45

S. D. S.

MESSAGE FORM.

AG 952.334

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 180970 I

TO: ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG 5513 unclassified (.) LHQ SME 18 nov 45 to 17 feb 46 (.) advise details NP personnel eligible and available to attend course who desire continue serving PMF (.) returns required this HQ 20 Oct

Capt
18 Oct 45

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MESSAGE FORM.

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 18/1700 I

TO. ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG 5532 unclassified (.) formation commander authorised defer release of officers electing longer release for period not in excess of four months (.) period of deferment expires four months from last day of month in which officer elected longer release (.) submit recommendations forthwith where applicable.

Capt
18 Oct 45

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AG/163

MESSAGE FORM.

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 181520I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

AG5529. UNCLASSIFIED (.) in view difficulty obtaining trained replacements for tn personnel units concerned will ensure that such personnel in units under command are NOT made available for release if the efficiency of tn units will be affected thereby

S. D. S.

Capt
Oct 45.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/1001.428

18 Oct 45

Subject: Disbandment - 3 and 4 Comd AL Secs,
12, 13, 19, 23, 24, 27, 35, 42, 51, 56, 57, 64 Sqn AL Secs

1 AL Group.

Approval has been given and action will be taken to disband the following units :-

3 and 4 Comd AL Secs, 12, 13, 19, 23, 24, 35, 42, 51, 55, 56, 57, 64 Sqn AL Secs.

METHOD.

2. (a) The officers rendered surplus as a result of the disbandment of these units will be disposed of under separate instructions.

(b) Particulars in accordance with CRO A139/44 will be forwarded to HQ 1 Base Sub Area in triplicate. In addition to the information called for by CRO A139/44 the following particulars will be submitted :-

(i) whether officers concerned desire demobilization in accordance with normal priorities.

(ii) whether officers concerned desire to continue serving indefinately if required or for a limited period only during demobilization.

(iii) Number of points allotted to such officers vide Orders for Demobilization AIF.

(c) Other rank personnel, excepting those posted to Secs vide para 3 (a) hereof, rendered surplus as a result of this instruction will be disposed of as follows :-

(i) special priority personnel vide Orders for Demobilization para 10 (b) will be transferred to 1 Base Sub Area Details Depot for movement to AUSTRALIA.

(ii) High priority personnel will be transferred to Redundant units under command

(iii) Low Priority personnel will be absorbed in Interim Army units under command.

3. (a) The undermentioned Secs will be disbanded in their present location and personnel thereof transferred to Movement Control Groups as specified and carried supernumerary to HQ pending absorption :-

35 Sqn AL Sec	12 MC Gp
55 Sqn AL Sec	11 MC Gp
57 Sqn AL Sec	5 MC Gp

EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES

4. (a) Equipment and vehicles of all units except 35, 55, and 57 Sqn AL Secs will be returned to RSD and 10 ord Veh Pk respectively

(b) Equipment and vehicles of 35, 55, and 57 Sqn AL Secs will be transferred to 12, 11 and 5 MC Gps respectively.

UNIT RECORDS

5. Officers commanding units will be responsible for the completion of Unit Records in accordance with the provisions of GRO 229/45 to the satisfaction of 2 Adv 2 Ech and Chief Pmr's Office SWPA.

6. Action is accordance with this instruction is to be completed by 5 Nov 45.

7. HQ 1 BASE SUB AREA will be advised when action is completed.

A/AA & QMG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF) Maj.

DISTRIBUTION:
1 AL Group (16)
2 Adv 2 Ech
A (5)
Q
G
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S & T
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MESSAGE FORM.

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 20/10/45 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5565 UNCLASSIFIED (.) 34 inf bde (.) units will submit as at 1800 hrs 22 oct 45 nominal rolls showing rank and trade of ORs on posted strength who have volunteered for service with 34 inf bde and have not yet been absorbed in units being raised (.) nominal rolls to reach this HQ by 24 oct 45 (.) nil returns where applicable

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Serial No 35
Nos 138 - 141

WAR DIARY

HQ 1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

ROUTINE ORDERS PART I

by

Capt H.M.S. KELLEY

CAMP COMD HQ 1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

20 Oct 45

138. WAMA AND PITOE AIR STRIPS

1. WAMA and PIEOE Air Strips are "Out of Bounds" to all personnel of the Australian Military Forces except in the course of duty. The only duty on which personnel will be permitted to enter the strips are :

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(b) Personnel connected with the movement of troops, i.e. Movement Control Staff, drivers of MT on duty, and personnel meeting aircraft.

2. Provost personnel are on duty at the Air Strips, and have been instructed that particulars of personnel at the Air Strip and not duty, are to be taken.

3. Disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

139. DEMOBILIZATION OF THE AMF - MEDICAL BOARDS

1. Advice has been received from HQ AMF that many members are applying for medical boards upon totally inadequate grounds, in the belief that failure to record a repatriation claim during process of release from the AMF, will jeopardise any further claims.

2. The Repatriation Department has stated that there is no time limit within which a repatriation claim must be made, whether the claim be made for pension or treatment or both. Such application may be made at any time after discharge.

3. Excessive numbers of unnecessary claims will delay demobilization procedure and to prevent such an occurence it is essential that all personnel be fully informed of the situation.

4. In respect of the foregoing, the following additional advice has been received from HQ AMF :

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(b) AAF D2(a) Question 7 will be amended to read as follows :

"Do you wish to claim an immediate War Pension?"

5. When taking the statement by members vide Part I of AAF D2(a), Medical Officers will explain that a negative answer to question 7 thereof does not prejudice any further claims for pension that the member may make subsequent to discharge.

140. CLASSES - EDUCATION CENTRE AMF SHOPPING AREA

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(a) Water colour, sketching, etc - each Saturday, 1430 hrs. All materials are available and the services of two experienced artists have been made available.

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2. It is desired that information above be circulated to personnel interested, and arrangements to be made within the unit to permit the attendance of those desiring instruction.

3. The times of classes are subject to revision dependant on the number of students and times suitable to the majority.

141. TRADING WITH NATIVES

1. All ranks are warned that trading with the nativesiis forbidden.

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H M Kelly. Capt.
Camp Comdt 1 Base Sub Area

NOTICES

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QX49845	Cpl	GOODWIN C G	"	"	27.6. 45

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QX14557	"	TRANTER C F	"	"	" 14/8/45.

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S & T	Clerks	WO2	1	1		
"	"	S/Sjt	2	1	1	
"	"	Sjt	3	1	2	
"	"	Cpls	4	1	3	
"	"	TG3	5	1	4	
"	Orderlies	Pte	2	-	2	
CATERING Spec.		WO2	-	1		1
Ord	Amn Exam	WO2	1	1		
"	BOWO	WO1	2	-	2	
"	"	WO2	-	1		1
"	Clerks	WO2	1	-	1	
"	Sjt		1	2		1
"	Cpl		1	1		
"	TG3		4	5		1
"	Storemen	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Pte	2	2		
AEME	Clerks	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	S/Sjt	1	-	1	
"	"	Cpl	1	-	1	
"	"	TG3	2	-	2	
		SAF	1	-		
Local Adm	CSM	WO2	1	1		
"	CQMS	S/Sjt	1	1		
"	Clerk	Sjt	1	- 0	1	
"	"	Cpl	2	4		2
"	"	TG3	2	2		
"	AAPC	Sjt	1	1		
"	AAPS	Cpl	1	1		
"	Batmen	Pte	22	22		
"	Cook AACC	Sjt	1	-	1	
"	" "	Cpl	1	2		1
"	" "	TG2	7	7		
"	Drivers MT	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	Sjt	1	-	1	
"	"	Cpl	3	1	2	
"	"	Ptes	37	35	4	
"	Driver/Mech	TG3	5	3	2	
"	Gen Duty	Cpl	6	4	2	
"	" "	Ptes	9	12		3
"	Hyg Duty	Ptes	2	2		
"	Med Ord AAMC	Sjt	-	1		1
"	"	Cpl	3	1	2	
"	"	Ptes	3	3		
"	Orderlies	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	Pte	18	19		1
"	Storeman	Pte	1	1		
"	Water Duty - Mon	Ptes	2	2		
" TRADE	Typewriter	Cpl	-	1		1
	Mech	TG1	1	-	1	
	BATTMAN		→	1		1
	TOTAL		229	1~~4~~2	~~4~~1	12
				169. 46	23	9
				198. 64	23	

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Appendix to W3009 1 / 11 /45

Hq 1 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)

Ref IV/3c/3

Detail of postings showing rank and trade grouping

Branch or Service	Posting	Rank	WE	PS	DEF	SUR
"G" BRANCH	Clerk	WO2	1	1		
"	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	3	4		1
"	"	TG3	4	3	1	
Attached to GS						
"	Clerk	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	Sgt	1	-	1	
"	"	Cpl	2	-	2	
"A" & "Q" Branch	"	WO2	1	1		
"	"	S/Sjt	2	1	1	
"	"	Sjt	2	5		3
"	"	Cpl	3	4		1
"	"	TG3	6	6	-	
"	Orderlies	Ptes	2	2		
Medical	Hyg Inspec	WO2	3	2	1	
"	" "	Sjt	6	2	4	
"	Carpenters	TG3	3	5		2
"	Clerks	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	TG3	1	-	1	
"	Red Cross Dvrs	Sjt	1	-	1	
"	" " "	Cpl	2	1	1	
"	" " "	Ptes	2	1	1	
Dental	Clerks	Cpl	1	-	1	
"	"	TG3	1	-	1	
Legal	"	Sjt	1	-	1	
"	"	Cpl	1	2		1
"	"	TG3	3	-	3	
Provost	"	Cpl	2	1	1	
"	"	Pte	-	2		1
Education	"	Sjt	1	1		
				60	46	23 9

Army Form W.3010 (Adapted) (Page 1) (Revised Jan., 1943.)

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

42145 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 20/10/1945. HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 14/10/3 OFFRS. 53 O.R's 229 OFFRS. ..... O.R's ..... ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfs. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfs. Required.
WE 2	2			W.Os. Class I.					
13	14	1	9	W.Os. Class II.					
		1		Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
6	3	3	3	Staff Sergeants					
24	7	15	15	Sergeants					
39	10	25	25	Corporals					
145	15	128	133	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
229 *	41		188 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		*	*	*	*

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by A.I.F. units. Units units entitled to pars. 9 of instructions for completion of this return will complete analysis of Part B(1) and B(2).

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

Detail	A	A.I.P.	C.M.P. Under 18 Years	C.M.P. 18 Years and over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	141	27						[redacted]	[redacted]		188
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
1	10 Aust Hosp Unit		
228	HOVERHEAD SECTION		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
1	33 Mob Bath Unit		
1	2nd Q Unit		
1	Aust Sec Int Corps		
1	ARD		

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

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

HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF)

HQ 1 [redacted] SUB AREA (AIF) Unit

Army Form W.3009 (Adapted) (Page 2) (Revised Jan., 1943.)

42145 Serial No.

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 20/10/1945

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Asstn.			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographic, Dry Plate			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers			
Blacksmiths								Printers			
Bricklayers								Radiographers			
Carpenters								Riggers			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers			
Dispensers				Atomen				Signwriters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Mendis. Numbers			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd'rs. Asst.				Well Sinkers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchmen			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman			
Electricians				Cooks				Woodworkers			
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics							
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Maj. and Med.)							
Fitters				Driver-Operator							
Fitters (Cycle)				Drivers							
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians							
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)							
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators	1			GROUP III.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors			
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchmen				Butchers			
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks			
Grinder, Precision				Kite Operator				Clerks, Supply			
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical			
Mechanics, Instrument (Fitting)				Intelligence Duties				Cook Trainees			
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Conductors			
Mechanics, Radio				Linemen				Cooks			
Mechanics, Typewriter				Linemen, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies			
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders			ATTACHED BY W.E.
Millwrights				Mechanists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals			
Operators, Examiner				Mechanists, Wood				Drivers, M.T.			
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics			
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver-Tpte, Fleet			
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.			
Plasterers				Millers				Equipment Repairers			
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers			
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates			
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers			
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD			Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A respectively.		*	*

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

20/10/45
Date of Despatch

[signature] Capt
Signature of Commander

SIGT

AG 7.23

MESSAGE FORM

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 221205

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG 5625 unclassified (.) conference of unit amenities offrs will be held 23 oct 45 at this HQ recreation hut 1430 hrs (.) all will attend

Capt
22 Oct 45

SDS

/LD

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163.7

7 [illegible] Oct 45

Subject: Demobilization Documents.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

Hereunder list of units and names of personnel for whom Part A of AMF A102 was incomplete on receipt at HSW Ech & Rec :-

NO.	RANK	NAME	UNIT
NX40201	Pte	[illegible]	1 MAF Rft Depot
NX143407	Cpl	MOORE K G	5 Port Op Coy
NX72155	Dvr	BULLBROOK [illegible] J E	2/36 Bgt Pl
NX74079	Cpl	[illegible]	2/9 Gen Hosp
NX78724	Cpl	[illegible]	2/10 Port Op Coy
NX79134	Sgt	[illegible]	2/1 A Bdpt Sup Coy
NX80030	Pte	[illegible]	HQ 1 Corps
NX93075	Dvr	[illegible]	2/36 Bgt Pl
NX93967	Pte	[illegible]	2/3 Fd 2/101 [illegible] Coy

2. It will be appreciated that, in the above cases, it is necessary for HSW Ech and Rec to complete the documents before demobilization procedure can be obtained.

3. To ensure that there is no recurrence of the above, strict attention will be paid by units to the compilation of demobilization documents.

[signature]
[illegible] Maj.
for OC 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG 155.1281

MESSAGE FORM.

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 22/1330 I

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG 5633 unclassified (.) longer release (.) confirming telephone advice of this date (.) the provisions of our AG 5496 and AG 5498 of 17 oct 45 will be implemented with one exception i.e., personnel will march out to 1 Base Sub Area details depot 22 oct 45 (.) auth for mov (a) our AG 5496 of 17 oct 45 for personnel with 204 points and over (.) our AG 5498 of 17 oct 45 for personnel with 178 to 203 points

Capt
22 Oct 45

SDS

MESSAGE FORM

FROM 1 BASE SUB AREA 22 1545 I

TO ALL UNITS UNDER COMD

AG5635 UNCLASSIFIED conference commanding officers all units under comd will be held mens recreation hut this HQ FRIDAY 26 OCT 1530 hrs (.) all COs and OsC will attend (.) subject amenities and education policy and proposals

Major
22 Oct 45

Appendix D1

Grounds for Approval of Discharge in advance of Normal Priority of Female Members who are Married or Engaged to be Married.

1. Definitions

In this Appendix -

"Female Officer" includes a female officer of [illegible], a member of [illegible] and an officer of [illegible] or [illegible].

"Married female officer" or "Married Member" means a married woman with or without children, but does not include a widow or divorcee.

2. (a) Any married female officer or any married member who is desirous of assuming or resuming her domestic responsibilities may on submitting an application in writing through normal channels be discharged (or, if an officer, have her services terminated) in advance of normal priority, unless, for the time being, her retention is considered essential in the interests of the service.

(b) Where the husband of the officer or member has been a prisoner of war the application may be approved at any time after official notification has been received by the officer or member that the husband has been recovered.

3. (a) Any female officer or member of any women's service who is engaged to marry a man who has been a prisoner of war, may, on submitting an application in writing through the normal channels, establishing that hardship will result if the application is not approved, be discharged (or, if an officer, have her services terminated) in advance of normal priority, unless, for the time being, her retention is considered essential in the interests of the service.

(b) The application may be approved at any time after official notification has been received by the officer or member that the man to whom she is engaged has been recovered.

4. Any female officer (except a member of the [illegible]) or any member of the women's service who is engaged to be married and intends to marry in the immediate future, may, on submitting an application in writing through normal channels, be discharged (or, if an officer, have her services terminated) in advance of normal priority unless, for the time being, her retention is considered necessary in the interests of the service.

5. (a) Before making a recommendation for the termination of the appointment of a female officer or before approving discharge in the case of an other rank member of the women's services -

the senior medical administrative officer in the Formation or L of C Area in the case of female officers of the [illegible],

the senior representative of the Matron-in-chief in the Formation or L of C Area in the case of members of [illegible], or

the senior officer of the service in the Formation or L of C Area in the case of members of [illegible] or [illegible],

will satisfy himself or herself of the bona fides of the application.

(b) Recommendations for the termination of the appointment of female officers of [illegible] and members of [illegible] will be submitted to [illegible] vide para 130.

6. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as limiting or affecting the grounds for compassionate discharge set out in Appendix D and the provisions of this appendix are in addition to and not in any way in substitution for those grounds.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163.

22 Oct 45.

Subject: Orders for Demobilization of the AIF - Amendments

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

"Orders for Demobilization of the AIF" are amended as follows:

(a) By adding after 69(a)(iii) the following sub paras:

(iv) Female members who are married and who desire to assume or resume their domestic responsibilities. In the case of a member whose husband has been a prisoner of war, application may be made as soon as the member receives official notification that the husband has been recovered. The conditions under which such personnel will be released in advance of normal priority are set out in Appendix D1.

(v) Female members who are engaged to be married and intend to marry in the immediate future. Those engaged to men who have been prisoner of war may make application at any time after official notification has been received that the man has been recovered. The conditions under which such personnel will be released in advance of normal priority are set out in Appendix D1.

(b) By renumbering para 69(a)(iv) as para 69(a)(vi).

(c) By adding after Appendix D the new appendix attached hereto.

2. Cancellation of GRO 45/45 may be anticipated.

A/AA
AG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF) Maj.

NOTICE

At the request of ADV HQ AMF, Comd will present to MAJOR J E KAY the Bronze Star, awarded to Major KAY by the United States Army.

The presentation will be made in the Mess Ante Room on Wednesday 24 Oct 45 at 1900 hrs. All Officers will be present.

Maj.
AA & QMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

22 Oct 45

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HQ, 1 Aust Base Sub Area(AIF)
G/104.41

22 Oct 45

Subject : 1 Aust Base Sub Area Telephone Directory 1 Oct 45

Amdt No 1

Amendment No 1 to 1 Aust Base Sub Area Telephone Directory issued 1 Oct 45 is forwarded herewith.

[signature] Lieut
GS, 1 Aust Base Sub Area

Distribution

As for 1 Aust Base Sub Area G/104.41 of 1 Oct 45
plus List C

1 BASE SUB AREA - TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

AMENDMENT NO 1

Amend Part I

ADJUTANT GENERALS BRANCH

Page 1

After Lt J AUSTIN insert :-

SC"A"	Capt J.MUDDLE	27
Clerk Stats	Cpl FARRAR C.F.	24

Delete : WO II McDONALD

Insert : Sgt BAKER G

QUARTERMASTER GENERALS BRANCH

After SC"Q" insert :-

"Q"2	Capt G.K.TAYLOR	9
"Q" LO	Lt K.ARBON	9

Chief Clerk Delete :

WO II LAWRENCE

Insert :

Sgt SNELDEN C

MEDICAL

Delete : Maj R.J.FARNBACH

Insert : Lt A.O.WILLIAMS

PROVOST

After DAPM insert

Clerk	Sgt GREENWOOD A.W.	22

Page 2

ORDNANCE

Amend Capt FAULKHEAD to read Lt FAULKHEAD

Delete WO II WHINTEY J W

Insert Sgt ANDREWS L F

LOCAL ADMINISTRATION

After Pay Sgt Insert

Sgt GRENELL N.

ANNEX C

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS UNITS

HQ 1 Corps — Landops 121

Page 3

H. MG GP

DAQMG delete Maj HINDLE

DAQMG(M) insert Maj HARDGRAVE

Page 4

After Naval Reinforcement Gp

Add

SIGNALS

HQ 1 Corps Sigs	Base 163,164
8 Line Sec	Landops 181
1 Tech Maint Sec	Landops 181
5 Tech Maint Sec	Landops 181
1 Op Sec	Landops 255
2 Op Sec	Landops 255
13 Trg Op Sec	Base 163,164 Ext 9
14 Trg Op Sec	Base 163,164
33 Tele Swbd Op Sec	Base 163,164
1 DR Sec	Base 163,164
24 Wireless Sec (LR)	Landops 255
21 Cypher Sec 2 Coys	Base 163,164 Sigs Ext 9
49 Cypher Sec 2 Coys	Base 163,164 Sigs Ext 9
5 Pigeon Sec	Base 163,164 Sigs Ext 7
1 Det Special Wireless GP	Landops 22

Page 5

MEDICAL

A Coy 2/12 Fd Amb to read	Landops 213
116 Mob BU	Base 97

Page 6 After Ordnance Units

ADD ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL ENGINEERS

D 319 LAD	Base 59
2/121 Bde Wksp	Base 146
13 Adv Wksp	Base 63,139
2/4 Mech Eqpt Wksp	Bully 17
2/93 LAD	Bully 17
290 LAD	Base 59
10 Veh Pk Wksp	Bully 65,66

MISCELLANEOUS

1 Adv Rft Depot	Amend Bully 21 to read	Bully 71

MESSAGE FORM

FROM 1 BASE SUB AREA 2340 I

TO ALL UNITS UNDER COMD

AG5655 unclassified (.) on movement of an officer from the unit to which he is posted or attached this HQ to be advised by signal repeated LANDOPS and HQ or L of C concerned

Capt
23 Oct 45

WGT

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163

23 Oct 45

Subject:- DEMOBILISATION.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

1. Pro Formas as detailed hereunder will be submitted to reach this HQ not later than 1200 hrs 26 Oct 45 setting out by States number of personnel -

(a) available for dispersal,
(b) NOT available for dispersal

i. 150 to 155 points inclusive
ii. 156 to 160 " "
iii. 161 to 165 " "
iv. 166 to 170 " "
v. 171 to 175 " "
vi. 176 to 180 " "
vii. 181 to 185 " "
viii. 186 to 190 " "
ix. 191 to 200 " "
x. 201 to 216 " "
xi. 217 and over.

2. This does not include longser personnel
" " " " female " "

3. e.g.,

UNIT.....

(a) Personnel with 150 to 155 points inclusive.

	QLD		NSW		VIC		SA		TAS		WA	
	Offrs	ORs	Off	ORs	Off	ORs	Off	ORs	Offrs	ORs	Off	ORs
(a) Available												
(b) Not available												

Major
A/AAG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

WGT.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG 201.10

23 Oct 45

Subject:- COMMANDER'S CONFERENCE, 26 OCT 45.
EDUCATION AMENITIES ACTIVITIES

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

1. The Education Section of the above Conference will be based upon "Orders for Demobilisation of the AMF" Chapter V Part III.

2. The attached pamphlet is an advance copy of the booklet mentioned Para 228 Chapter V Part III and sets out in detail the matters to be discussed at the Commander's Conference.

3. COs will ensure that they are prepared to submit the number rank and name of UEO and a statement on the accommodation that is available for education activities within the unit, at the a/m Conference.

Major
AA&QMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

WGT

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

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Major
AA&QMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

2 ADV 2 ECH (A.I.F.)
23 Oct 45

Ref : (D/6/96) 17170

DEMOBILIZATION OF THE AMF

PROCEDURE IN RESPECT OF MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL AND UNITS

ACCOUNTING FOR PERSONNEL

Ref Adv HQ AMF Administrative Instruction No. 80 issued 19 Oct 45.

1. Personnel marched out from units will remain on unit posted strength and be accounted for as part of parent unit until such time as the draft moves from the "collecting centre" for embarkation.

2. (a) AAFs Mob 3 prepared in accordance with Adv HQ AMF Adm Instruction No. 80 will accompany each unit draft to the "Collecting centre" where such rolls will be taken over, checked and returned to relevant DCOs upon embarkation.

(b) The 2nd Echelon copy of AAFs Mob 3 will not be rendered to 2 Adv 2 Ech until day of embarkation.

3. Casualties affecting personnel of drafts whilst located at "collecting centre" will be reported to 2 Adv 2 Ech and parent unit on AFs W3012 (Casualty Return attached personnel).

4. An Echelon Liason representative will be available at each "collecting centre" to advise on correct documentation and to collect AAFs Mob 3 and AFs W3012 mentioned in previous paras.

5. (a) Embarkation Nominal Rolls will be prepared by units (in accordance with Adv HQ AMF memo 408 of 1 Oct 45) prior to movement of drafts to "collecting centre".

(b) Upon arrival at "collecting centre". Embarkation Rolls (14 copies) will be taken over from DCOs and distributed by "collecting centre" to Movement Control and Echelon representative prior to movement.

(c) Units will prepare 14 copies of Embarkation Nominal Rolls and in this regard "Standing Orders for Movement" are varied accordingly.

(Sgd by) D McCallum
Lt Col
O I C 2 ADV 2 ECH (A.I.F.)

Distribution:

All units under command (1 Base Sub Area)
Internal List 3

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RESTRICTED.

The information given in this document is not to be communicated either directly or indirectly to the Press or to any person not authorised to receive it.

Serial No. 33.
Nos 401 to 408

1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1

by

COL J E BARRETT

ADM COMD 1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

24 Oct 45

GENERAL STAFF.

NIL

ADJUTANT & QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S BRANCH

401. MAINTENANCE OF ROADS.

Ref map MOROTAI Base Sheet One.

The following road will be closed for repairs from 1100 hrs 21 Oct 45, until further notice.

Route One from road junction Staging Maint Area 163194 to road junction Route Four 174188.

402. PROMOTIONS.

All promotions to Warrant and NCO rank in redundant units are to be deferred pending an announcement of policy.

Recommendations for essential promotions in Interim Army units may be submitted for approval in accordance with normal procedure.

403. PROHIBITED AREAS.

All Native villages and all areas controlled by NICA are out of bounds to all Australian personnel, unless in possession of written authority.

Disciplinary action will be taken against personnel committing a breach of this order.
(To be republished in Unit Routine Orders)

404. TRADING WITH NATIVES.

No natives will be allowed to enter or remain in or near any AIF Headquarters, camp dock installation or other area under Australian Military control, with the exception of natives comprising a working party and under control of a responsible officer or NCO.

Personnel will not trade or sell any article of equipment or rations or any other articles the property of the AIF. to natives for any purpose whatsoever.

404. TRADING WITH NATIVES. (Continued)

COs and OCs will ensure this instruction is strictly enforced and will take disciplinary action against offenders.

(To be repeated in Unit ROs)

405. NOMINAL ROLLS OF DRAFT (GRO 384/44).

It is apparent that units are not complying with the provisions of GRO 384/44, particularly in relation to personnel marched out to Details Depots or Reception Camps for on movement to the mainland for discharge under LONGSER, OccR or Compassionate Grounds.

2. In such cases it is essential that upon movement of the member from the unit, a copy of the AAF Mob 3 be forwarded direct by the unit to the appropriate Det 2 Adv 2 Ech.

406. UNATTENDED VEHICLES

1. Not sufficient care is being taken to observe the instruction promulgated in HQ 1 Base Sub Area RO 261/45.

2. COs and OsC will ensure that the order is strictly complied with and that disciplinary action is taken against offenders.

407. DEMOB PROCEDURE BOOK AAB 87

1. Many instances are occurring of failure to detach form one to the unit postal orderly before personnel leave their parent units for demobilisation.

2. It is pointed out that prompt redirection of mail is essential.

3. Units will ensure strict observance of all printed instructions, especially those on the counterfoil of page one of the Demob Procedure Book AAB 87.

Major
AA & MG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

NOTICES

Applications are invited for the following positions:

STATE PUBLIC SERVICE

1. Maritime Services Board of NSW - Second Assistant Harbour Master - Port of Sydney

Qualifications : Applicants must not be over 45 years of age and must possess a Foreign Going Master's Certificate. A good knowledge of the Port of Sydney is essential and full particulars of sea service and administrative experience are required. Applications should reach the Secretary, Maritime Services Board of NSW not later than 19 OCT 45.

Salary £680 - £740 p.a.

2. Department of Road Transport and Tramways NSW - Assistant Engineer.

Qualifications : Applicants must have a sound engineering training with academic qualifications to the Diploma Standard of the Sydney Technical College in civil or mechanical engineering and have had considerable experience in the design and construction of industrial buildings; mechanical engineering experience would also be an advantage.

Applications should reach the Staff Manager, Department of Road Transport and Tramways, 99 Macquarie St., Sydney, NSW not later than 19 OCT 45.

Salary £419 - £498 p.a.

3. Crown Law Offices, Department of Law, Victoria - Reporter and Shorthand Writer (Male).

Duties : To report cases in courts.
Qualifications : Applicant to be a Licensed Shorthand Writer, and to have a knowledge of Court Proceedings, and reporting evidence of witnesses, both in narrative and in question and answer form, and of Judge's charges and addresses and arguments of Counsel.
Applications should reach the Secretary, Public Service Board, Public Offices, Treasury Place, Melbourne C2 as early as possible.

Salary £505 p.a.

OTHER VACANCIES

1. Municipality of Warren (NSW) - Town Clerk.

Duties : Embrace supervision of outdoor staff and works. Applicants should state certificate number. Applications should reach the Town Clerk, Council Chambers, Warren, NSW not later than 22 OCT 45.

Salary £467 p.a.

2. Glen Wills - Gold Mine - Accountant and Storekeeper.

Qualifications : Applicants to have experience in general bookkeeping, wages and tax calculations and stores records. Accommodation for single man, house provided later. Applications to reach No. 502 National Service Office, 473 Bourke St., Melbourne, as early as possible.

Salary £416 p.a.

3. Accountant (Melbourne, Vic)

Qualifications : Applicants to be qualified or final accountancy standard. Applications to reach A.J.C., C/- Age, Melbourne, Vic, as early as possible.

4. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works - Bookkeeper Metropolitan Farm Werribee.

Qualifications : Applicants must have passed final examination of a recognised accountant's association or equivalent qualifications. Applications numbered 575 should reach the Secretary of the Board not later than 24 OCT 45.

Salary £500 p.a.

5. Draftsmen (Melbourne, Vic)

Duties : To carry out work allotted by Senior Draftsman. Applications should reach No. 560 Scientific Personnel, Box 2842AA GPO MELBOURNE as early as possible.

Salary £390 p.a.

6. Foreman Fitter (Melbourne, Vic)

Qualifications : Applicant to have methodical and tidy manner combined with manufacturing experience in assembling and testing new machines.
Applications should reach No. 561, Box 2818AA, GPO, Melbourne, as early as possible.

Salary £416 p.a.

7. Leo Buring Pty Ltd Sydney (NSW) - Secretary - Accountant.

Qualifications : Qualified and experienced man of mature years. Applications should be forwarded to the Secretary Leo Buring Pty Ltd 255a George St., Sydney NSW.

8. Harris Scarfe Ltd - Radio Department - Manager.

Qualifications : Applicants must have sound training and experience in the Radio Trade and be able to control staff and generally direct the operations of the Radio Department. Applications should be addressed to the Warehouse Manager, Harris Scarfe Ltd. Grenfell St. Adelaide S.A.

9. STATE PUBLIC SERVICE

1. Department of Railways NSW - Way and Works - Assistant Engineers (Sydney).

Qualifications : Applicants should possess knowledge of and have experience in detailing structural steel and be capable of making calculations involved in the design of such work. Applications should reach the Employment Officer, Central Station, Sydney, NSW, not later than 15 Oct 45.

Salary £586 p.a.

2. South Australia Railways - Office of the Chief Engineer - Assistant Engineer.

Qualifications : Applicants should have a University degree in engineering or a Diploma in Engineering from the School of Mines.
Applications should reach the Secretary to the Railways Commissioner, South Australian Railways not later than 23 Oct 45.

Salary £355 - £505 p.a.

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Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163.

OCT 24 1945 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilization of the AIF.
Procedure in respect of movement of personnel and units.
Ref: Orders for Demobilization of the AIF notified in GOs dated 31 August 45.
Demobilization Instruction 1-18 of 4 Sep 45.
This HQ AG/163. of 22nd Oct 45 and Appendix D1.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

It is essential that units have a clearer appreciation of unit procedure prior to the movement of personnel for dispersal.

2. The preliminary action to be performed by units is set out in detail in "Orders for Demobilization of the AIF" and attention is drawn particularly to Chap 1 Part VIII heading C, column three and DO's 152 and 153 thereof.

3. The procedure to be adopted in respect of movement of personnel and units to AUST for dispersal and disbandment, will be as follows :

(a) Personnel moving by sea will move as drafts, organized under control of officers and non-commissioned officers and by states in which demobilization is desired.

(b) Personnel moving by air will, as far as practicable, be for the one state in each plane load, unless circumstances arise necessitating urgent travel for particular individuals.

(c) Redundant units moving by sea will be reduced to cadre size for movement. (Instructions for movement of unit cadres are being issued in a Troop Movement Priority List).

4. To implement the procedure given in the foregoing para it must be considered that when a member marches out from a unit (redundant or otherwise) for embarkation or emplanement, such movement is the first stage of member's dispersal. At that stage therefore all unit procedure must be complete.

5. The organization of drafts for dispersal by state is a problem which, it is appreciated, may cause difficulties, particularly as it is essential that the dispersal of individual members is governed by the priority held.

6. It therefore follows that if priorities are to be maintained drafts will require to be made up of members called forward from a number of units under command of the relevant formation.

7. To provide a means whereby full effect is given to those principles, a collecting centre will be established at 1 Base Sub Area Details Depot, the responsibilities of which are set out hereunder:

(a) To receive from units at an appropriate time drafts of personnel for dispersal
(b) To make a final check to ensure that unit procedure has been completed and where deficiencies exist, to complete procedure
(c) To prepare the drafts finally for embarkation.

8. The final preparation of drafts for embarkation will necessitate ensuring that drafts are properly organized with officers, warrant officers and senior NCOs in correct proportions and that such personnel are capable of maintaining discipline and control.

9. Particular care must be taken in regard to documentation.

10. The following instructions concerning the preparation and use of A.F Mob 3 must be complied with and are supplementary to those in current use vide CRO 384/1944.

(a) Entries on A.F Mob 3

(i) Word "Demob", together with number of relevant formation memo or signal, to be entered as authority
(ii) Unit of destination to be shown as LMD of the area in which the member desires discharge
(iii) Member's Demob Indicator to be entered in final column
(iv) In all cases the member's private address must be shown.

(b) One additional copy of the A.F Mob 3 will be placed in the envelope containing documents of the draft (refer also to DO 155)

(c) All copies of A.F Mob 3 will be signed by an officer and stamped with relevant unit stamp.

11. Attention is directed to directions contained in this HQ memo AG/163 of 22 Oct and Appendix D1. The directions contained therin must be complied with.

12. (a) The "collecting centre" referred to in para 7 hereof will not take on strength any of the personnel forming drafts.
(b) Furthermore the preparation of A.F Mob 3's and the nominal rolls forming part of the embarkation role will be carried out by the units (redundant or otherwise) from which personnel are drawn.
(c) Directions regarding the accounting for personnel in accordance with this procedure are being issued by 2 Adv 2 Sch to all concerned.

13. With regard to the declaration of high priority classifiactions the following points are emphasized:

(a) The possession by a member of a high priority classification is not to be taken as an indication that movement for dispersal is nearby.
(b) Movement for dispersal is entirely dependant upon transportation facilities, and will be spread over several months.

[redacted] Maj.
A & [redacted], 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

INTERNAL DISTRIBUTION:
List B.

1 Base Sub Area
C 704

25 Oct 45

MINUTE

Subject : AWARD OF BRONZE STAR MEDAL (AMERICAN) TO MAJOR J.E.KAY, DAPM 1 BASE SUB AREA

1. The BRONZE STAR MEDAL (AMERICAN) was presented to Major J E JAY on 24 Oct 45 by Col BARRET, Commander 1 Base Sub Area on behalf of Major General JOHNSTON, General Officer Commanding US 93 Division.

Lieut
GS 1 Base Sub Area

WAR DIARY

...Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163.

25 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilisation - Accountant for Personnel.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

Further to this HQ AG/163 of 24 Oct 45, attached herewith copy of 2 Adv 2Ech instruction referred to in the above mentioned memo.

2. It will be noted that para 5 of 2 Adv 2 Ech instruction refers to Adv HQ memo 408 of 1 Oct which is embodied in this HQ AG/163. of 22 Oct 45.

J R Cowper Maj.
A & AG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

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Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/163.

25 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilisation -.
Accounting for Personnel.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

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J R Cowper Lt Col
Maj.
A & AG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

RELEASE FORM

From 1 B.B3 sub unit

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

05699 UNCLASSIFIED (.) 3 87 form three panel ref medical examination (.) medical officer will delete with ink from heading to this panel (.) quote (.) D2 (a) or specialist's report obtained (.) unquote (.) as applicable (.) unit stamps will be impressed on panel and MO will insert signature and date (.) the words (.) quote (.) D2 D2(a) or specialist's reports obtained (.) unquote (.) will NOT be written on panel (.) all infm

Capt.
25 Oct 45

S. D. S.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/1001.160

25 Oct 45

Subject :- DISBANDMENT - 2/102 [illegible] CO:

HQ COMD 1 BASE SUB AREA AASC (6)
2 ADV 2 ECH

1. Approval has been given and action will be taken to disband the undermentioned units :

War Office Serial No.	Unit
61373	HQ 2/102 GT Coy
92317	2/102 Wksp Pl
92419	50 Tpt Pl
92312	2/35 Tpt Pl

Method

2. Personnel

(a) Officers rendered surplus as a result of this instruction will be disposed of under separate instructions. Particulars in accordance with GRO A139/44 will be forwarded to HQ 1 Base Sub Area in triplicate in respect of all officers of units being disbanded. In addition to the information required by GRO A139/44 the following information will be supplied :

(i) Whether officer desires release in normal priority

(ii) Whether the officer elects to serve indefinitely or for a limited period only during the demobilisation period.

(iii) Number of points allotted to the officers vide Orders for Demobilisation.

(b) OR personnel rendered surplus as a result of this instruction will be disposed of as follows :

(i) Special priority personnel vide Order for Demobilisation para 10(b) will be concentrated in Details Depot for movement to Aust.

(ii) High priority personnel will be transferred to redundant units within the formation.

(iii) Low priority personnel will be transferred to Interim Army units within the formation.

Equipment and Vehicles

3. Unit equipment and vehicles will be returned to 4 RSD and 10 Ord Veh Pk respectively.

Unit Records

4. COs of units being disbanded will ensure that unit records are finalised in accordance with the provisions of GRO 229/45 to the satisfaction of 2 Adv 2 Ech and Chief Paymaster.

5. Action in accordance with the foregoing is to be completed by 7 Nov 45.

6. Hq 1 Base Sub Area will be advised when action is completed.

Major
Am.& ~~AMG~~ 1 Base ~~Sub~~ Area (AIF)

INTERNAL DISTRIBUTION :

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1 BASE SUB AREA ADM INSTR No. 38

DISEMBARKATION AND RECEPTION - 34 INF BDE - FIRST CONVOY

1. The undermentioned personnel of 34 Inf Bde will disembark ex LSTs 303 and 419 at MOROTAI ex BORNEO on approx 27 Oct 45. Time of arrival is not yet known, but will be advised so soon as known.

Serial	Unit	Offrs	ORs
1	HQ 34 Inf Bde	8	72
2	34 Inf Bde Sig Sec	2	45
3	65 Inf Bn	15	292
4	28 Fd Coy	3	127
5	121 Tpt Pl	1	74
6	20 Fd Amb	1	29
7	343 LnD	--	11
	TOTAL	30	650

Place of disembarkation - Dock 1 Jetty.

2. Approx 200 unit vehicles will arrive with above personnel. Units arriving are, it is understood, organised as advance parties and will carry accommodation stores.

3. The following officers are appointed fostering officers :

HQ 34 Inf Bde 34 Inf Bde Sig Sec 343 LnD	Lt TRIPP
65 Inf Bn	Lt ROCHE
28 Fd Coy	Lt WILLETT
121 Tpt Pl	Lt McELAN
20 Fd Amb	Capt COEN

Lt DYCE is OC Sorting Area.

4. The following is the general procedure governing the disembarkation.

On arrival of LsTs at Dock 1 Jetty fostering officers will immediately interview the CO of the unit concerned and arrange with CO for working parties for removal of stores not in vehicles to the Sorting Area. Stores will be at all times guarded by a unit picquet. Stores, after sorting into unit lots in Sorting Area, will be transported under arrangements 1 Base Sub Area to unit camp sites at RED BEACH Camp. Vehicles will go direct to unit camp sites RED BEACH Camp. Personnel, excl drivers and picquets, will be transported to 1 ARD and will be located in areas already marked out by fostering officers. 121 Tpt Pl personnel will move direct to unit site.

5. Units will arrange to provide working parties to erect tents and complete construction of camp sites at RED BEACH. Working parties will proceed from ARD to RED BEACH Camp each day until camp sites are ready, except that as portions of the camp are prepared personnel will move to same. Transport arrangements under 1 base sub area.

6. One Wiles Cooker with two cooks will be available in the RED BEACH Camp (168 GT Coy) for the provision of meals for working parties, drivers, picquets etc. 168 GT Coy will arrange rations for the Cooker at RED BEACH Camp.

7. 1 ARD will arrange Canteen supplies for personnel in ARD area, also for unit drivers and picquets proceeding direct to RED BEACH Camp excl 121 Tpt Pl.

8. 1 Base Sub area will arrange delivery of water to RED BEACH area until such times as units can provide own water. Liaison officers in conjunction with 1 Base Sub area have arranged provision of water tanks on the basis of at least one per unit site, such tanks being filled prior to arrival of first troops.

9. DADMS will arrange provision of ambulance and medical orderlies at LST Sorting area.

10. Beach recovery of vehicles will be arranged by 13 Adv Wksps.

CANTEENS

11. Limited stocks are available. Canteens points are located as under :

DID area and Servicing all units Peninsula area. Fostering officers will assist units as regards supplies after arrival in RED BEACH Camps ex ARD.

POSTAL

12. Fostering officers are arranging with Base Postal Unit and will advise COs of arrangements.

ENGINEER STORES

13. Kitchens (Food Preparation Rooms), latrines and showers have been erected in unit sites as far as possible. RAE Stores for any additionall kitchens necessary and for erection of shower and latrine shelters will be made available on demand to this Hq.

COMMUNICATIONS

14. Telephone facilities are very limited and it is unlikely that units will be provided with extensions in the early stages of their occupation.

[illegible] Major
26 Oct 45. A/A.Q.M.G 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

DISTRIBUTION (Landband).

Hq 34 Inf Bde	(12)	6 Base Postal Unit	(2)
34 Inf Bde Sig Sec	(2)	Det ADCS 1 Corps	(2)
65 Inf Bn	(6)	1 ARD	(6)
28 Fd Coy	(2)	Fostering Officers	(7)
20 Fd Amb	(2)	Adv Hq AIF	(4)
121 Tpt Pl	(2)	G	(1)
343 LAD	(1)	A	(1)
11 MC Gp	(2)	Q	(1)
1 CRE Wks	(2)	ST	(1)
Hq Comd 1 Base Sub area ASC	(4)	MED	(1)
168 GT Coy	(2)	ORD	(1)
13 Adv Wksp	(1)	War Diary	(2)
		File	(1)

AQ/AN

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/802

26 Oct 45

Subject : EXTERNAL QUARANTINE - ANIMALS - TROOPS RETURNING TO AUSTRALIA

Adv HQ AMF memo A4031 of 22 Oct 45 is set out for information and promulgation to all ranks :

"1. Subtended is a copy of LHQ memo 136004 of 15 Oct 45 relating to the abovementioned matter for information and necessary action :

GRO 53/1945 and LHQ 110865 of 27 Aug 45 have been issued on the above subject and I require strict compliance with the orders in these two publications.

Articles have appeared in "Salt" explaining the reasons for these orders and the booklet entitled "Mascot Menace" is in course of publication for distribution to troops outside the mainland to impress on them the necessity for strict compliance with orders and instructions regarding animal etc. quarantine.

I cannot stress too highly the danger to Australian agriculture and to Australian health of disregard of these orders. The following diseases which do not occur in Australia exist in the Indies and Asiatic territories and as there were no quarantine restrictions observed by the Japanese during occupation of New Guinea and the Solomons, it must be assumed that such diseases are likely to exist there also. In some cases the recurrence of the diseases have been known in Australia. These have in most cases been traced to disregard of quarantine regulations and their spread has been obviated by action taken by the Health Department.

Disease	Animals Affected	Remarks
Anthrax	Most mammals	Transmitted by direct infection. A few cases have occurred in Aust.
Glanders	Horses, donkeys, etc.	Method of transmission by direct infection. No cases known in Aust.
Psittacosis	Wild birds, chiefly parrots.	Method of transmission by direct infection. Few cases have occurred in Australia.
Rabies	Dogs, monkeys and other mammals	Known also as hydrophobia. Has not occurred in Aust. Method of transmission direct infection.
Equine Encephalomyelitis	Horses, donkeys etc.	Transmitted by mosquitoes and ticks. Not known in Australia.

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Tularemia	Squirrels	Method of transmission direct infection. Not known in Australia.
Distomiasis	Cats, dogs and pigs	Not known in Australia. Transmitted by medium of crabs and snails.
Leptospirosis (Weil's Disease)	Dogs and rats	Mode of transmission per medium of rats. Some cases have occurred in Australia.

All of the above diseases are transmissable to human beings.

Foot & Mouth Disease and Rinderpest	Cattle	Method of transmission is by direct infection. Has not occurred in Aust.
Dourine	Horses, donkeys etc.	Mode of transmission is by Coitus. Has not occurred in Aust.
Swine Fever	Pigs	Direct infection. Has not occurred in Aust.
Fowl Pest	Birds	By direct infection, has not occurred in Australia.

Where the term "direct infection" is used in the "Remarks" column it means disease is transmitted only by direct contact, but also by contamination material such as horns, hides, meat, droppings etc.

In addition to the above diseases which do not present a complete list, there are numerous ticks, insects, plant diseases and noxious weeds in the territories concerned which do not exist in Australia and against which Australian plants, animals and human beings have not acquired immunity.

The spread of the Rabbit, Lantana, Gorse, Briar and Prickly Pear in Australia are instances of what can happen after the introduction of animal or vegetable pests, even in small quantities.

All ranks are to be informed of the dangers involved in bringing back to Australia as curios or mascots any of the articles mentioned in the GRO and I desire that you impress on all officers the necessity for the strictest policing of this GRO whenever embarkation or explanement of personnel under their control or command takes place."

Major
an & Mic 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

26 Dec 45

DISTRIBUTION :

All Units under Comd.
Internal.
War Diary (2)
File (1)

WGT

MESSAGE FORM

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 27/1355 I

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMLAND

AG 5756 unclassified (.) all personnel 217 points and over disclosed as "available for dispersal" our return AG 163 of 23 oct 45 will march out to Det 1 base sub area details depot located 9 PW & I rec camp area on 28 oct 45 for on movt to mainland (.) personnel will reach Det 1 base sub area details depot NOT repeat NOT later than 1200 hrs 28 oct 45

J. C. W. Smith Capt
27 Oct 45

SDS

MESSAGE FORM

MESSAGE FORM

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 27 [illegible] I

TO:- ALL ORDNANCE UNITS

AG 5783 unclassified (.) all AACC personnel of following trades will be regarded as essential personnel until 1 Dec 45 (.) clerks clerks tochnical storemen storemen technical equipment repairers textile refitters parachute repairers parachute refolders ammunition examiners tailors cutters shoemakers (.) personnel of these trades in units being disbanded will be posted to appropriate ordnance units in respective areas and if necessary carried supernumary to WE.

[signature] Capt

27 Oct 45

SDS

FROM:- [illegible]

TO:- [illegible]

RESTRICTED

The information given in this document is not to be communicated either directly or indirectly to the Press or to any person not authorised to receive it

Serial No. 36.
Nos 142 - 144

War Diary

HQ 1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1.

by

Capt H.W.G. KELLEY

CAMP COMD HQ 1 BASE SUB AREA (AIF)

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

27 Oct 45.

142. PROHIBITED AREAS

All Native Villages and all areas controlled by NICA are out of bounds to all Australian personnel, unless in possession of written authority.

Disciplinary action will be taken against personnel committing a breach of this order.

143. TRADING WITH NATIVES.

No natives will be allowed to enter or remain in or near any AMF Headquarters, camp dock installation or other area under Australian Military control, with the exception of natives comprising a working party and under control of a responsible officer or NCO.

Personnel will not trade or sell any article of equipment or rations or any other articles the property of the AMF, to natives for any purpose whatsoever.

144. DAZZLING HEADLIGHTS ON MT VEHICLES. GRO 264/45

1. With the lifting of war-time black-out restrictions on the lighting of road vehicles and the increasing volume of road traffic, complaints are being made by road-user organisations, and particularly by tram drivers, regarding the inconvenience and danger by glaring and dazzling lights on motor vehicles.

The adjustment and operation of headlights so that, as far as practicable, all avoidable dazzle to oncoming traffic is eliminated is not only part of common road courtesy, but is also required by the traffic laws and regulations of the various States.

2. The following action in regard to army MT vehicles will, therefore, be taken by all concerned:-

(i) The headlamps of all MT vehicles required to operate on public highways will be checked and adjusted in accordance with the relevant law of the State in which the vehicle is operating.

(ii) The driver of an army vehicle, when approaching oncoming traffic (including trams) at night, will:-

(a) dip his headlights, if the vehicle is equipped with a dipping device, when at a distance of not less than 300 feet from the oncoming vehicle and keep them dipped until he has passed it, even if the oncoming vehicle does not reciprocate;

(b) keep as near as practicable, having regard to all the circumstances, to the left-hand side of the road;

(c) so reduce the speed of his vehicle that, if it becomes necessary, he can stop it within the assessed limits of vision provided by the depressed beam.

(iii) Drivers will immediately report any defects in the lighting system of their vehicles, including incorrect focusing and aiming of the headlights and functioning of the dipping device, which they are not qualified or authorised to rectify.

3. GRO 9.824/1943 is cancelled.

[signature] Capt.,
Camp Comdt., 1 Base Sub Area.

NOTICES

Applications are invited for the following positions:

STATE PUBLIC SERVICE:

1. Maritime Services Board of NSW - Second Assistant Harbour Master - Port of Sydney.

Qualifications: Applicants must be over 45 years of age and must possess a Foreign Going Master's Certificate. A good knowledge of the Port of Sydney is essential and full particulars of sea service and administrative experience are required. Applications should reach the Secretary, Maritime Services Board of NSW not later than 19 Oct 45.

Salary 630/-/- - 740/-/- p.a.

2. Department of Road Transport and Tramways NSW - Assistant Engineer.

Qualifications. Applicants must have a sound engineering training with academic qualifications to the Diploma Standard of the Sydney Technical College in civil or mechanical engineering and have had considerable experience in the design and construction of industrial buildings; mechanical engineering experience would also be an advantage.

Applications should reach the Engineer, Department of Road Transport and Tramways, [illegible] Bligh Square Sts., Sydney, not later than 19 Oct 45.

Salary 416/-/- - 488/-/- p.a.

3. Crown Law Offices, Department of Law, Victoria - Reporter and Shorthand Writer (Male).

Duties: To report cases in Court.
QUALIFICATIONS: Applicant to be [illegible] Shorthand Writer, and to have a knowledge of Court Proceedings, and reporting evidence of witnesses, both in narrative and in question and answer form, and of Judge's charges and addresses and arguments of Counsel.
Applications should reach the Secretary, Public Service Board, Public Offices, Treasury Place, Melbourne C2 not later, [illegible] Salary 505/-/- p.a.

OTHER VACANCIES

1. Municipality of Warren (NSW) - Town Clerk.

Duties. Embrace supervision of outdoor staff and works. Applicants should state certificate number. Applications should reach the Town Clerk, Council Chambers, Warren, NSW not later than 22 Oct 45.

Salary 467/-/- p.a.

2. Glen Wills - Accountant and Storekeeper.

Qualifications: Applicants to have experience in general bookkeeping, wages and tax calculations and stores records. Accommodation for single man, house provided. Intending applicants to reach No.502 National Service Office, 473 Bourke St., Melbourne, as soon as possible.

Salary 416/-/- p.a.

3. Accountant (Melbourne).

Qualifications: Applicants to be qualified or final accountancy standard. Applications to reach A.J.C., c/- age, Melbourne, Vic, as early as possible.

4. Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of [illegible] - Bookkeeper Metropolitan Farm Morriby[illegible]

Qualifications: Applicants must have passed final examination of a recognised accountants Association or equivalent qualifications. Applications numbered 575 should reach the Secretary of the Board not later than 24 Oct 45.

Salary 500/-/- p.a.

5. Draftsman (Melbourne, Vic).

Duties: To carry out work allotted by Senior Draftsman. Applications should reach No.560 Scientific Personnel Box 2842A, GPO MELBOURNE as early as possible.

Salary 390/-/- p.a.

6. Foreman Fitter (Melbourne, Vic).

Qualifications: Applicant to have methodical and tidy manner combined with manufacturing experience in assembling and testing [illegible] machines. Applications should reach No.561, Box 2418A, GPO Melbourne as early as possible.

Salary £16/-/- p.a.

7. Lee Suring Pty Ltd Sydney (NSW) - Secretary - Accountant.

Qualifications: Qualified and experienced man of mature years. Applications should be forwarded to the Secretary, Lee Suring Pty Ltd 250a George St., Sydney NSW.

8. Harris Scarfe Ltd - Radio Department - Manager.
Qualifications: Applicants must have sound training and experience in the Radio Trade and be able to control staff and generally direct the operations of the Radio Dept., Applications should be addressed to the Warehouse Manager, Harris Scarfe Ltd. Grenfell St. Adelaide S.A.

9. STATE PUBLIC SERVICE

1. Department of Railways NSW - Bridge Works - Assistant Engineers (Sydney)

Qualifications: Applicants should possess knowledge of and have experience in detailing structural steel and be capable of making calculations involved in the design of such work. Applications should reach the Employment Officer, Central Station, NSW, not later than 15 Oct 45.

Salary 585/-/- p.a.

2. South Australia Railways - Office of the Chief Engineer - Asst. Engineer.

Qualifications: Applicants should have a University degree in Engineering or a Diploma in Engineering from the School of Mines.
Applications should reach the Secretary to the Railways Commissioner, South Australian Railways not later than 22 Oct 45.

Salary 355/-/- - 505/-/- p.a.

PROMOTIONS, APPOINTMENTS ETC.

Serial					
1582	QX37190	Cpl	[illegible] D C	[illegible] Sgt	19/10/45.
1583	QX56338	Cpl	JENSEN D J	Appointed L/Sgt	19/10/45.
1592	NX128296	Sgt	BOSDEN J F	Promoted WO II	20/10/45.
1609	VX148711	L/Sgt	BAKER C McG	Promoted S/Sgt	15/10/45
1610	VX142116	Pte	ODGERS S J	Appointed L/Cpl	11/10/45.

Proficiency Pay, Extra Duty Pay etc.

1593	NX139940	Pte	ARNOLD T L	Granted Prof. Pay	1/7/43.
1594	NX35909	Pte	PALMER A B	" " "	13/5/44.
1595	NX200730	Pte	FITZPATRICK K E	Forfeited Prof.Pay	26/9/45.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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43/412 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27/10/1945. HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. 14/6/3. OFFRS. 53 O.R's 29 + OFFRS. ..... O.R's ..... ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.					ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.	DETAIL.	Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
			1	Col. *					
3	2			Lieut.-Colonels *					
5	5			Majors					
26	11		15	Captains					
4		3	7	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
53	24	3	32						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 19 of instructions for completion of form will complete Part B(1) & B(2).

DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A.		32									32
B.(1)											
B.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
TX 16358	Lt.	Beaman K.G.	1 Aust Base Sub Area	26/10/45	
TX 6442	Maj	Baker C.R.	2 PW Rec Coy	26/10/45	
SX 31072	"	Brooks C.J.	8 Base Sub Area		Posn attached and absorbed.
NX 101308	"	Rockenhead E.G.	HQ AIR AME		PPCM
WX 34747	"	McNeil A.C.	HQ Comd RSC		Posn attached, now DDMS HQ 1 RSA

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
VX 117448	Maj	Hill K.V.		25/10/45	Transf to 2 Aust AGH
WX 18235	"	Scott F.B.	HQ 9 Div	19/10/45	To be EME HQ 9 Div

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

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

HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF) Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 27/10/1945 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Col.	VX 1554	Beaman	K.G.	1 Aust Base Sub Area	Yes		
Brig.	VX 34747	McNeil	A.C.	HQ Comd RSC	"		
"	VX 50889	Baker	C.R.	2 PW Rec Coy	"		
"	NX 101308	Rockenhead	E.G.	HQ AIR AME	"		
"	NX 116171	Blackland	S.E.	8 Base Sub Area	No	Mil Dance	
"	VX 103214	Mackenzie	D.C.	Aust Comd Allied Land HQ	Yes		
"	VX 108248	Hall	T.L.	Aust Comd Allied Land HQ	"		
"	VX 37266	Ford	M.J.	HQ ALF	"		
"	VX 100206	Evans	C.F.	Comd Sig	"		
"	VX 21022	Dunstan	D.	Aust Comd Allied Land HQ	"		
Col.	VX 8788	Rowell	C.B.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	"		
"	VX 50216	Blackwood	R.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	"		
"	VX 8 8164	Abercrombie	R.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	"		
"	VX 112252	Scarborough	T.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	No	Dept Educ HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	
"	WX 20206	Kelly	K.M.	Comd Sig	Yes		
"	VX 3203	Thompson	C.B.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	"		1/1
"	WX 22324	Lee	D.C.	Base Sub Area	No	" 12 Fld Amb	
"	VX 108722	Smith	E.M.	R	Yes		
"	NX 100605	Macdonald	T.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	"		
Brig.	WX 24558	Mackenzie	D.	RMO	"		
Col.	VX 21222	Kellaway	V.	Comd Sig	No	" 6 BCD	
"	NX 118726	Mawby	J.C.	"	"	" 13 Fld Amb	
"	NX 22409	Gordon	L.W.	"	"	" CRE	
"	VX 8822	Allan	J.C.	"	"	" Aust Base Sub Area	
Lt.	QX 2207	Thompson	I.G.	"	"	" 12 Aust Base Sub Area	
Col.	VX 133418	Hamilton	C.N.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	Yes		
"	VX 100206	Evans	C.F.	Comd Sig	"		
"	NX 101308	Rockenhead	E.G.	HQ AIR AME	"		
"	NX 15010	Hall	J.	Comd RSC	"		
"	WX 34747	McNeil	A.C.	HQ Comd RSC	"		
"	QX 2170	Ross	I.T.		"		
"	NX 16512	Abercrombie	R.D.		"		
"	VX 11258	Lawson	R.G.		"		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Maj.	WX 29328	Allen D.J.	HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area	1/10/45	Attached SOT.

27/10/45.
Date of Despatch

[illegible]
Signature of Commander

a.w. 10m blks 10/43

2 OCT 1945

Appendix to W3109 / /45

WA IV/3c/3 — HQ 1 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)

Detail of postings showing rank and trade grouping

Branch or Service	Posting	Rank	WE	PS	DEF	SUR
"G" BRANCH	Clerk	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	3	3		
"	"	TG3	4	2	2	
Attached to GS						
"	Clerk	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	Sgt	1	-	1	
"	"	Cpl	2	-	2	
"A" & "Q" Branch	"	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	S/Sjt	2	2		
"	"	Sjt	2	2		
"	"	Cpl	3	5		2
"	"	TG3	6	6		
"	Orderlies	Ptes	2	2		
Medical	Hyg Inspec	WO2	3	1	2	
"	" "	Sjt	6	4	2	
"	Carpenters	TG2	3	5		2
"	Clerks	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	TG3	1	-	1	
"	Red Cross Dvrs	Sjt	1	-	1	
"	" " "	Cpl	2	1	1	
"	" " "	Ptes	2	1	1	
Dental	Clerks	Cpl	1	-	1	
"	"	TG3	1	-	1	
Legal	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	TG3	3	-	3	
Provost	"	Cpl	2	1	1	
"	"	Pte	-	1	-	1
Education	"	Sjt	1	1		
				42	28	5

Branch or Service	Posting	Rank	WE	PS	DET	SUR
S & T	Clerks	WO2	1	1	1	
"	"	S/Sjt	2	1	1	
"	"	Sjt	3	1	2	
"	"	Cpls	4	1	3	
"	"	TG3	5	-	2	
"	Catering Orderlies	Pte	2	1	2	1
Ord	Amn Exam	WO2	1	1		
"	BOWO	WO1	2	1	1	
"	"	WO2	-	1	-	1
"	Clerks	WO2	1	1		
"	"	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	TG3	4	5	-	1
"	Storeman	Sjt	1	1		
"	"	Pte	2	3	-	1
AAEME	Clerks	WO2	1	-	1	
"	"	S/Sjt	1	-	1	
"	"	Cpl	1	-	1	
"	"	TG3	2	-	2	
		Sgt	1	-	1	
Local Adm	CSM	WO2	1	1		
"	CQMS	S/Sjt	1	1	1	
"	Clerk	Sjt	1	-	-	2
"	"	Cpl	2	4		
"	"	TG3	2	2		
"	AAPC	Sjt	1	1		
"	AAPS	Cpl	1	1		
"	Batmen	Pte	22	21	1	
"	Cook AACC	Sjt	1	-	1	
"	" "	Cpl	1	2	-	1
"	" "	TG2	7	8	-	1
"	Drivers MT	WO2	1		1	
"	"	Sjt	1		1	
"	"	Cpl	3	2	1	
"	"	Ptes	37	35	2	
"	Driver/Mech	TG3	5	2		
"	Gen Duty	Cpl	6	2	4	
"	" "	Ptes	9	10	-	1
"	Hyg Duty	Ptes	2	2		
"	Mod Ord AAMC	Sjt	-	2		2
"	"	Cpl	3		3	
"	"	Ptes	3	3		
"	Orderlies	Cpl	1	1		
"	"	Pte	18	17	1	
"	Storeman	Pte	1	1		
"	Water Duty Men	Ptes	2	2		
"	Typewriter Mech	TG1	1	-	1	
	Tailor	Cpl	-	1		1
	Butcher	Pte	-	1		1
	TOTAL		229	183	64	18

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

(Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday —/—/194— HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. —/—/— OFFRS. — O.R's — OFFRS. — O.R's. — ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

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

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

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

Detail		A.I.F.	C.M.F. Under 18 Years.	C.M.F. 18 Years and over.	A.W.A.C.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.F.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A							[redacted]	[redacted]		
	B(1)										
	B(2)						[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
2	A.P.C. Coffs		
2	2/2 Gen. Hosp.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
1	[illegible]		
1	[illegible]		
1	[illegible]		

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

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	REMARKS (e.g., postal alterations if known).

HQ 1 AUST BASE SUB-AREA (AIF)
Unit

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

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfts. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				O.P.O. Assistants		
Armament Artificer				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen		
Fitter				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers		
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing		
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Special		
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers		
Armament Artificer Instrument				Watchmakers				Opticians				Sampstakers		
Armament Artificer Radio				Welders				Painters				Riveters		
Armament Artificer Signals								Panel Beaters				Roughriders		
Armament Artificer Wireless								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers		
Artificer, Artillery								Predictor Numbers				Saddlers makers		
Artificer, Engine								Painters				Shearers and Wool Pressers		
Blacksmiths								Radiographers				Shrouders		
Bricklayers								Riggers				Sisters, Staff, Engine		
Compositors								Sawyers				Storemen, Technical		
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Signallers				Tailors		
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Textile Refitters		
Dispensers				Assistant				Telegraphist, Wireless				Timberlike		
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Well Borers				Vulcanizers		
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Wheelers				Warm Dressers		
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wireless				Whitesmiths		
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Wireless						
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Woodworkers						
Electricians				Cooks										
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics										
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Mtr. and Mod.)										
Fitters				Driver-Operator										
Fitters (Cycle)				Drivers										
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians										
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Railways)										
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.		
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors						
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchmen				Butchers						
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks						
Grinder, Precision				Hoist Operator				Clerks, Supply						
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical						
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coast Trimmers						
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Jointers				Conductors						
Mechanics, Radio				Lascars				Cooks						
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lascars, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies						
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.		
Millwrights				Mechanics, Motor				Draughtsmen, Signals						
Operators, Kinematograph				Mechanics, Wood				Drivers, M.T.						
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics						
Pharmacist				Mechanics				Driver Tptr. Fitter						
Photographers, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, H.C.						
Photographer				Miners				Employment Organizers						
Plumber				Musicians				Fruiters						
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates						
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers						
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * in above with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A, respectively.	*	*

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

—/12/43
Date of Despatch

[redacted] CORDER
Signature of Commander

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War Diary

AA/KC

1 BASE SUB AREA ADM INSTN NO 39 28 Oct 45

DISEMBARKATION AND RECEPTION 4 INF BDE – second flight – ex HMAS "MANOORA"

The undermentioned personnel of 34 Inf Bde will be disembarked ex HMAS "MANOORA" from WEWAK on approx 30 Oct 45. Time of arrival is not yet known, but will be advised as soon as possible.

Serial	Unit	Offrs	ORs	Vehicles	Stores Out of Vehicles
1	67 Inf Bn	17	420	26	104 tons
2	Salvation Army	1	–	–	–
3	26 L of C Sigs	–	122	–	1 ton
4	13 Army Tps Coy	2	58	6	10 tons
5	250 Sup Dep Pl	2	25	5	8 tons
6	8 Port Det AASC	1	5	–	–
7	130 AGH	–	61	–	1 ton
8	112 Adv Dep Med Stores	–	1	–	2 tons
9	89 Dental Unit	–	4	–	–
10	22 Ind. Provost Pl.	–	16	–	1 ton
11	34 Bde Fd Cash Office	–	1	–	–
12	Chief Paymaster's Office	–	3	–	–
13	1 Area Wksps	4	72	14	49 tons
	TOTAL	27	788	51	176 tons

2. Place of disembarkation – not yet known, but will be advised as soon as possible.

3. Units arriving are, in the main, it is understood, organized as advance parties and will carry accommodation stores.

4. The following officers are appointed fostering officers:–

67 Inf Bn – Lt ROCHE
26 L of C Sigs – Lt TRIPP
13 Army Tps Coy – Lt WILLETT
250 Supply Dep Pl – Lt WHELAN
8 Port Det AASC – Lt WHELAN
130 AGH.)
112 Adv Depot Med Stores) Capt COEN
89 Dental Unit)

22 Ind Provost Pl)
34 Bde Fd Cash Office) Lt ARBON
Chief Paymaster's Office)
1 Area Wksp – Lt MANKIVELL.

OC Sorting Area – Lt DYCE.

5. The following is the general procedure governing the disembarkation. On arrival of vessel at dock, fostering officers under arrangements with ESO will immediately interview the OC of the unit concerned and arrange with him for working parties for removal of stores not in vehicles to the sorting area. Tpt under arrangements MVT CONTROL in conjunction with 1 Base Sub Area. Stores will be at all times guarded by a unit piquet. Stores after sorting into unit lots in sorting area will be transported under arrangements Movt Control in conjunction with 1 Base Sub Area to unit camp sites as under:–

67 Inf Bn	-	Red Beach Camp
26 L of C Sigs	-	Red Beach Camp
13 Army Tps Coy	-	Red Beach Camp
250 Sup Dep Pl	-	Red Beach Camp
8 Port Det AASC	-	Red Beach Camp
1 Area Workshops	-	Red Beach Camp
130 AGH	)	
112 Adv Dep Med Stores	)	2/5 AGH Area (under control 113 Con Depot)
89 Dental Unit	)	
22 Ind Provost Pl	-	Red Beach Camp
34 Bde Fd Cash Office	-	Red Beach Camp (28 Fd Coy site)
Chief Paymaster's Office	-	Chief Paymaster's Office, Morotai.

6. Personnel will be transported to 1 ARD and will be located there in sites already arranged by fostering officers, with the following exceptions:-

(a) Drivers and Piquets to unit sites.
(b) 8 Port Det AASC to 168 GT Coy area.
(c) 250 Sup Depot Pl to 168 GT Coy area.
(d) 130 AGH to 2/5 AGH - 2/5 AGH Area controlled by 113 Con Depot
(e) 112 Adv Depot Med Stores-2/5 AGH Area " " " " "
(f) 89 Dental Unit to 2/5 AGH area controlled by 113 Con Depot
(g) 22 Ind Pro Pl to Red Beach Camp.
(h) 34 Bde Fd Cash Office to 28 Fd Coy Red Beach Camp.
(i) Salvation Army Officer with 67 Inf Bn.
(j) Chief Paymaster's Office to Chief Paymaster Morotai.

7. Units will arrange to provide working parties to erect tents, and complete construction of unit camp sites. Working parties will proceed from ARD to unit sites each day until camp sites are ready, except that as portions of the camp are prepared personnel will be moved to same. Transport arrangements will be made by fostering officers through 1 Base Sub Area.

8. One Wiles Cooker with two cooks will be available in the Red Beach Camp (168 GT Coy) for the provision of meals for working parties, drivers, piquets etc. 168 GT Coy will arrange rations for the Cooker at ARD BEACH CAMP and provision of meals as required. 1 ARD will arrange Canteen supplies for personnel in ARD area, also for unit drivers and piquets from units at ARD and proceeding direct to RED BEACH CAMP.

9. 1 Base Sub area will arrange delivery of water to RED BEACH area until such times as units can provide own water. Fostering officers in conjunction with 1 Base Sub area have arranged provision of water tanks on the basis of at least one per unit site, such tanks being filled prior to arrival of first troops.

10. PP will be arranged at Dock by H.Q. Cond 1 Base Sub area AASC.

11. DADMS will arrange provision of ambulance and medical orderlies at Dock.

12. Beach recovery of vehicles will be arranged by 13 Adv Wksps.

13. Traffic control under arrangements DAPM 1 Base Sub area.

CANTEENS

14. Limited stocks are available. Canteen points are located as under:

DID area servicing all units Peninsula area. Fostering Officers will assist units as regards supplies after arrival in RED BEACH Camps ex ARD.

POSTAL

15. Fostering officers are arranging with Base Postal Unit and will advise COs of arrangements.

ENGINEER STORES

16. Kitchens (Food Preparation Rooms), Latrines and showers have been erected in unit sites as far as possible. RAE Stores for any additional kitchens necessary and for erection of shower and latrine shelters will be made available on demand to this Hq.

COMMUNICATIONS

17. Telephone facilities are very limited and it is unlikely that units will be provided with extensions in the early stages of their occupation.

Maj.
AA & QMG 1 Base Sub Area (NZ)

DISTRIBUTION:-

Hq 34 Inf Bde	(12)	
67 Inf Bn	(6)	
26 L of C Sigs	(2)	
13 Army Tps Coy	(2)	
250 Supply Dep Pl	(2)	
8 Port Det RASC	(1)	
130 RAH	(1)	
112 Adv Dep Med Stores	(1)	
89 Dental Unit	(1)	
22 Ind Provost Pl	(1)	
34 Bde Fd Cash Office	(1)	
Chief Paymaster's Office	(1)	
1 Area Whscops	(2)	
11 MC Gp	(2)	
Sigmaster ADV Hq NZF	(2)	
1 CRE Works	(2)	
28 Fd Coy	(1)	
Hq Comd 1 Base SUB Area RASC	(4)	
168 GT Coy	(2)	
2/5 RAH	(2)	
113 Con Depot	(2)	
13 Adv Whsp	(1)	
6 Base Postal Unit	(1)	
Det RACS 1 Aust Corps	(2)	
1 RAD	(6)	
Chief Paymaster NOROTAI	(1)	
Fostering Officers	(12)	
Adv Hq NZF.	(4)	
"G"	(1)	
"A"	(1)	
"Q"	(1)	
ST	(1)	For infm.
Med	(1)	
Ord	(2)	
DAFM	(2)	
War Diary	(2)	
File	(1)	
Spares	(2)	

/LD AG/163.

MESSAGE FORM.

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 281130 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

A05793 UNCLASSIFIED (.) this HQ A05758 of 271135I is cancelled (.) all personnel listed as "available for dispersal" with 217 points and over this HQ AG163 of 23 Oct 45 will march out to det 1 BASE SUB AREA DEPAILS DEPOT located 9 F/ REC camp on 30 Oct 45 LOT repeat LOT 28 oct (.) all personnel to reach det 1 BASE SUB AREA DEPAILS DEPOT LOT later than 1200 hrs 30 oct 45 (.) embarkation rolls will LOT be prepared by parent units (.) all other unit procedure as instructed (.) fourteen copies A.F Mob 3 required (.) personnel electing discharge in the same states and with the same number of points will be included on the same A.F Mob 3

Capt 28 Oct 45.

S. D. S.

MESSAGE FORM

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 29/11/0 I

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG580S unclassified (.) addressees will appoint Unit Edn Officers forthwith (.) all Unit Edn Officers will attend conference this HQ 311430I to be held Engineer Hut V and O Section

Capt
29 Oct 45 SDS

/TD AG/163.

MESSAGE FORM.

FROM 1 BASE SUB AREA 291200 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5815 UNCLASSIFIED (.) all personnel listed as "available for dispersal" with 191 points to and incl 216 points this HQ AG163 of 23 Oct 45 will march out to det 1 BASE SUB AREA DETAILS DEPOT located 9 FW REC camp on 31 Oct 45 (.) all personnel to reach det 1 BASE SUB AREA DETAILS DEPOT NOT later than 1800 hrs 31 Oct 45 (.) embarkation rolls will NOT be prepared by parent units (.) all other unit procedure as instructed (.) fourteen copies AF Mob 3 required (.) personnel electing discharge in the same states and with the same number of points will be included on the same AF Mob 3

S. D. [illegible]

[illegible] Lieut [illegible] Oct 45.

/LD AG/716

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FROM 1 BASE SUB AREA 291130I

TO ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

A35810 UNCLASSIFIED (.) 34 INF BDE (.) all volunteers for JAP OCC FORCE not posted to or absorbed in units being raised will be marched out to 1 ASD for concentration and allotment to units on THURSDAY 1 NOV 45

James Smith Capt 29 Oct 45. S. D. S.

/LD AG/163

LINE-OF-COMMUNICATION FORM.

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 291030 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG5805 UNCLASSIFIED (.) ref DO 59 supplementary returns (.) checking of DO 59 returns rendered as at 1 Oct 45 show considerable deficiencies when strength returns and DO 59 returns compared (.) units will ensure that supplementary returns rendered as at 1 NOV 45 overcome such deficiencies and will include statement that all members accounted for.

[illegible] Capt 2/Oct 45 S. D. S.

/LD AG/163

LINE-OF-COMMUNICATION FORM.

From 1 BASE SUB AREA 291030 I

To ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

AG5807 CONFIDENTIAL (.) personal to comds (.) [illegible] AG07354 of 2509:5M reads as follows (.) quote (.) from AG inspection dispersal centres disclosed that almost entire reasons for delays in finalisation of members occasioned by failure to complete unit documentation (.) as example several hundred members now in LAD TIC without medical examination in units and without D2 or D2(a) and shortage of medical officers in depots to finalise unit procedure causing grave embarrassment (.) comds will appreciate that the completion of each form or entry called for is necessary for the smooth and rapid discharge of members and without the cooperation of units this cannot be achieved (.) comds orders chapter IV state clearly what is required by units and comds will please give this matter their personal attention (.) unquote (.)

[illegible] Capt 2/Oct 45 S. D. S.

1 Base Sub Area

G 855

30 Oct 45.

Subject : MOROTAI REST CAMP

1. The Morotai Rest Camp was originaly established on 4 Oct 45 and HQ 1 Base Sub Area Adm Instr No 33 of 23 Sep 45 sets out full details regarding facilities available; leave passes and record procedure, dress and equipment, travelling and allotment of zones and bus points.

2. The Rest Camp has changed its location and is now situated in the 2/5 AGH area.

3. It will reopen on Monday 5 Nov 45 at 0800 hrs.

4. Daily accomodation will now be 10 officers and 90 ORs allotted as follows :

	Offrs	ORs	Remarks
Zone 1	1	9	Own transport arrangements
Zone 2	1	9	Own transport arrangements
Zone 3	2	18	
Zone 4	2	18	
Zone 5	3	27	
Details Depot	1	9	Own transport arrangements
TOTAL	10	90	

5. Zone commanders will allot vacancies to units within their respective zones in accordance with the allotment set out above. Copies of the allotment will be sent to this HQ and to the Rest Camp.

6. Times of embussing for the rest camp other than zones 1 & 2 and Details Depot, will remain unaltered. Buses will leave on the return journey at 0930 hrs.

7. Officers proceeding to the Rest Camp may do so under their own arrangements and will be received between 0900 and 0930 hrs daily.

8. With the above exceptions the details as set out in Adm Inst No 33 remain unaltered.

9. Attention is again drawn to 1 Base Sub Area G 855 of 17 Oct, which stresses the importance of sending all available personnel to the Rest Camp which has been established for their benefit.

[signature] Lieut
GS 1 Base Sub Area

Distribution as per G 855 of 22 Oct 45

CONFIDENTIAL.

S. & T. SERVICE,
H.Q. 1 AUST BASE SUB AREA (AIF)
30 Oct.45.

Subject: WEEKLY REPORT No. 82 S. & T. SERVICE.

As at 1800 hours 27 Oct.45.

(1) RATION HOLDINGS.

Type.	R.S.R.	DID. FEMS.	DID RAAF.
WHPA.	967,248.	47,000	28,000
AHL (6)	187,866		
A.3	24,880		
O.R. Eur.	47,641		
O.R. Nat.	91,070		
ALC	41,054.		
	1,360,469.	47,000	28,000

(2) RATION STRENGTHS.

	Normal.	Tareina.
AMF. Males	12,772	13,000
" Females	382	
" Hospital Patients	462	
Jap. P.W.	337	
Repat. Indian P.W.	418	
" " " Hosp. Patients	31	
RAAF.	5,238	
Civilians	187	
	19,831	13,000

(3) FRESH COMMODITY HOLDINGS.

	Issues lbs.	Balance lbs.
Beef	38,773	102,982
Bacon	6,346	3,363
Butter	7,284	23,834
Eggs	4,941	15,922
Tripe	657	2,885
Liver	35	3,784
Poultry	737	2,888
Kidneys	287	888
Mutton	1,257	3,638
Hams	33	1,826
Ham T/C.	2,138	8,787
Potatoes	9,219	-
Onions	442	-
Apples	2,882	12,388
Oranges	2,880	8,018
Lemons	2,832	872
Pineapples	-	1,850
Lettuce	1,184	24
Celery	1,190	1,220
Cauliflower	1,826	480
Beans	-	1,080

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Fresh Commodities (continued)

Type	Issues lbs.	Balance lbs.
Silver Beet	-	388
Tomatoes	-	442
Tongue	-	801

(4) DAILY ISSUES OF FRESH COMMODITIES.

The following issues were made during the period 21 to 27th Oct., 45.

Beef	2 issues.
Butter	2 "
Eggs	2 "
Fruit	1 "

(5) BREAD.

The following commodities were produced and issued:-

	Bal.20.Oct.	Prods.	Issued	Balance
2/1st Aust.Fld. Baking Pl.	13,200 lbs	70,400	70,000	13,600

(6) SHIPPING.(week ended 27th Oct. 45)

(a) Vessels discharged:-

Merkur.
Dantrona;

(b) Vessels loaded:-

City of Philadelphia 960 T. (M)

(c) Shipping expected.

AS. Merriman	- Rations	1668 T(M)
GS Pauley	" Vegs	1208 T.(M)
AV 1285	"	218 T.(M)
AV 2069	"	5216 packages.
AV 2078	"	189 T.(M)
AV 2280	"	2042 Packages.
River Clarence	"	1667 T.(M)
Bayella	"	588 T.(M)
	(Flying R.	2333 c/s
	(Vegs D.&	
	Cargo.	780 T.(M)

(7) INSTALLATIONS.

6 Aust M.S. D.	Pits for disposal of condemned commodities to be constructed.
D.I.D. PEKIN.	Depots in satisfactory condition.
D.ID. RAAF.	
2/1st Baking Pl.	
D.I.D. Sabetai.	Ceased operations on 24 Oct. and [illegible] were transferred to D.I.D. RAAF.

(8) GENERAL. (Supplies)

The figures enumerated below show the actual tonnage singlehanded into and dispatched from 6 R.S.D.

Date	Received Tons	Pkgs.	Issued Tons	Pkgs.
21.10.45			12	631
22.10.45			231	7,137
23.10.45			178	7,044
24.10.45			190	11,466
25.10.45	183	7,331	140	10,222
26.10.45			15	994
27.10.45	-	-	-	-
	183	7,331	766	37,494

(9) AIR CONSIGNMENTS:-

Particulars of commodities received by plane during the week are as follows:-

Date.	Plane No.	Commodities Received	Signal.	Commodities Loaded as per Signal.
21.10.45	A72-122 Brisbane	Celery 14 c/s Oranges 16 c/s	ST1676	Celery 14 c/s Oranges 16 c/s
21.10.45	A72-69 Melbourne.	Eggs 11 c/s Apples 10 c/s Oranges 9 c/s Celery 2 c/s Lettuce 5 c/s Cabbages 5 c/s	ST3636	Eggs 11 c/s Apples 10 c/s Oranges 10 c/s Celery 2 c/s Lettuce 5 c/s Cabbages 5 c/s
21.10.45	A72-173 Melbourne.	Cabbages 2 c/s Lettuces 4 c/s Eggs 12 c/s	ST3608	Cabbages 2 c/s Lettuce 4 c/s
21.10.45	A72-102 Brisbane.	Oranges 10 c/s	ST1673	Oranges 18 c/s
22.10.45	A72-312 Melbourne.	Eggs 14 c/s Oranges 11 c/s Apples 12 c/s Cabbage 5 c/s Lettuce 14 c/s	ST3642	Eggs 14 Oranges 12 Apples 12 Cabbage 5 Lettuce 14
22.10.45	A72-104 Melbourne.	Eggs 14 c/s Oranges 11 Apples 12 Cabbage 5 Lettuce 14	ST3642	Eggs 14 Oranges 12 Apples 12 Cabbage 5 Lettuce 14
23.10.45	A24-81 SYDNEY.	Pines. 6 Lemons 2 Apples 8 Oranges 6 Cauflwr. 6 Cabbage 12 Eggs 14	ST01332	Pines 6 Lemons 2 Apples 10 Oranges 6 Cauliflrs. 6 Cabbage 12 Eggs 15

(9) AIR CONSIGNMENTS (Continued)

Date.	Plane No.	Commodities Received.		Signal.	Commodities Loaded as per Signal.	
26/10/45	A24-103 Sydney	Oranges	7 c/s	STGC1338	Oranges	6 c/s
		Apples	9		Apples	10 "
		Lemons	3		Lemons	2 "
		Pines	4		Pines	5 "
		Cabbage	19		Cabbage	20 "
		Cauli.	4		Cauli.	4 "
		Eggs	15		Eggs	15 c/s
24/10/45	A65-48 Townsville	Apples	23 c/s	No Signal Received.		
		Eggs	11			
		Tomatoes	27			
		S. Beet.	14 bags.			
25/10/45	A72-98 Brisbane.	Oranges	10 c/s	SQ1707	Oranges	10 "
		Cabbage	12		Cabbage	12
		Tomatoes	1		Tomatoes	1
25/10/45	A72-65 Melbourne.	Eggs	7 c/s	STJ949	Eggs	7
		Apples	8 c/s		Apples	8
		Oranges	12 Cap.		Oranges	8
		Lettuce	12		Lettuce	12
		Cabbage	4		Cabbage	4
		Beef	1010 lbs			
27/10/45	A72-560 Brisbane.	Oranges	10 c/s	ATL782	Oranges	10
		Cabbages	19			
27/10/45	RCF. TOWNSVILLE.	Cabbage	17 bgs.	No Signal Received.		
		S.Beet	15			
		Tomatoes	10			
		Eggs	11			
		Oranges	19			
27/10/45	A72-559 Darwin.	Beef	1525 lbs	SQ14375	Beef	1570 lbs
27/10/45	A72-564 Darwin.	Beef	1500 lbs	SU14375	Beef	1500 lbs
27/10/45	A72-562	Beef	1500 lbs	SU 14375	Beef	1500 lbs

J.R. Elliott. Major.
DADS. 1 Aust Base Sub Area. (AIF)
(J.R. ELLIOTT.)

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MESSAGE FORM.

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 30 [illegible] I

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

AG 5849 unclassified (.) ref this HQ AG 5815 of 29 oct 45 and AG 5793 of 28 oct 45 (.) only 9 copies AAF Mob 3 required in future for all personnel marching out to collecting centre for demobilisation NOT repeat NOT fourteen copies

[signature]
Capt SDS
30 Oct 45

A/WGT.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG 1001.169

30 Oct 45

Subject:- DISBANDMENT - 2/5 AGH.

2/5 AGH.

1. Approval is given and action will be taken to disband -

WAR OFFICE SERIAL NO	UNIT.
55214	2/5 Gen Hosp.

METHOD - PERSONNEL.

2. AAMC : Officers (Male)

(a) Officers rendered surplus as a result of this instruction will be disposed of under separate instructions. Particulars in accordance with GRO 139/44 will be forwarded to Adv HQ AMF in triplicate in respect of all officers. In addition to the information required by GRO 139/44 the following information is to be supplied:-

(i) whether the officer desires release in normal priority

(ii) whether the officer elects to serve indefinitely during the demobilisation period.

(iii) number of points allotted to the officer vide Orders for Demobilisation.

3. AAMC : Officers (Female), AANS and AAMWS

Personnel will be returned to their State of enlistment for re-allotment.

4. ARCS. Personnel of ARCS attached to 2/5 Gen Hosp will be returned to their state of enlistment for disposal.

5. OR PERSONNEL.

(a) OR personnel rendered surplus as a result of this instruction will be disposed of as follows:-

(i) All priority personnel of 191 points and over will move to Det. 1 Base Sub Area Details Depot located at 9 PW Reception Camp.

(ii) A nominal roll by rank and trade of all personnel in the priority points group 150 - 190 inclusive will be forwarded to HQ 1 Base Sub Area.

(iii) A nominal roll of Low Priority personnel by rank and trade will be forwarded HQ 1 Base Sub Area earliest in order that personnel may be posted to Interim Army Units.

6. EQUIPMENT AND VEHICLES.

(a) Unit equipment and vehicles except as referred to in sub para (b) hereunder will be returned to 4 RSD and 10 Grd Veh Pk respectively.

(b) Equipment and vehicles required to equip an AGH of 600 beds, allowing for an expansion of 150 beds, will be retained and prepared for transfer to 130 AGH on arrival of that unit in this area.

7. MEDICAL STORES AND EQUIPMENT.

Medical Stores and equipment will be returned to 2 Base Depot Med Stores.

8. UNIT RECORDS.

The Commanding Officer of the unit will be responsible for the completion of unit records in accordance with GRO 229/45 to the satisfaction of 2 Adv 2 Ech and Chief Paymaster SWPA.

9. Action is to be completed by 7 Nov 45.

10. HQ 1 Base Sub Area is to be advised on completion.

AA&QMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF) Major

INTERNAL DISTRIBUTION BY 'A':-

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A (3)
Q (2)
Ord (2)
S & T
DADMS (2)
DAPM
2 Adv 2 Ech
2/9 AGH
1 Base Sub Area Details Depot

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MESSAGE FORM.

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 30/6.20 I

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

AG 5859 unclassified (.) attention is directed to Demobilisation Orders Paras 70 71 (.) in all cases where members are regarded as essential by COs of units applications for retention of personnel must be submitted to this HQ for approval forthwith except in cases such as ordnance personnel where instructions have been issued separately (.) the possibility of replacements must be explored thoroughly before any application for retention is submitted (.) it is pointed out that units must restrict the numbers of "key" personnel to the absolute minimum in order to demobilise the maximum number of personnel

Capt
30 Oct 45

SDS.

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AG/201.10

31 Oct 45.

Subject: Education During Demobilization - Pre-vocational and Refresher Trade Training.

Ref: Adv HQ AMF G280.11 Trg of 25 Sep 45 - Orders for Demobilization of AMF 1945 (Chap V Sec 11)
Adv HQ AMF AQ471 of 6 Oct 45 - Education During Demobilization.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

1. In continuance of the scheme for Education during Demobilization, it is proposed to inaugurate classes in pre-vocational trade training in NORCTAI. This training will be of a pre-vocational nature and successful completion of any course will not, of itself, guarantee that the student will be eligible for post discharge vocational training under the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme. It will, however, be taken into consideration when selection for training under C.R.T.S. is being made.

2. Enrolment in courses is voluntary, but, having enrolled, regular attendance at classes will be expected, subject to the exigencies of the service.

3. Courses are of two types :-

(a) Elementary Training : Dealing with the fundamental principles of the subject and the care, use handling and practical application of the tools of trade.

(b) Refresher Training : Provided for tradesmen whose Army vocation has not been conductive to the attention of their skill in their civilian occupation.

4. Courses available :-

(a) Operation and Maintenance of Mechanical Equipment - Refresher

(b) Building Construction - Elementary

(c) Plumbing - Elementary

(d) Refrigeration - Elementary

(e) Bread Baking - Elementary

(f) Mechanics - Refresher

(g) Wood-work - Elementary

(h) Sheet metal - Refresher

(i) Fitting - Refresher

(j) Welding - Refresher

(k) Wood Turning and Pattern Making - Refresher

(l) Boot Repairing - Refresher

FOR OFFICE USE

APPLICATION FOR PRE-VOCATIONAL CLASS
UNIT [illegible]

1. ARMY NO : RANK : NAME :
   CORPS : DMOS PRIORITY :

2. UNIT :

3. (a) CIVIL OCCUPATION :
   (b) CIVIL EXPERIENCE IN RELATION TO PARA 5 (a) :

4. (a) ARMY TRADE :
   (b) ARMY EXPERIENCE IN RELATION TO PARA 5 (a)

5. (a) CLASSES DESIRED :
   (b) INTENDED APPLICATION OF TRAINING IN CIVIL LIFE

.....Signature

6. FOR C.O. OF UNIT -
   Student available for attendance at Class _____.
   Student NOT available for attendance at Class _____

7. FOR OFFICE USE ONLY.
   (a) Interview 1. Necessary ..... 2. Not necessary .....
   3. Not Suitable.....
   (b) Selection 1. Suitable ..... 2. Not suitable.....
   (c) Centre .....

All applications to be forwarded to respective Formation HQ by 6 Nov 65

5. Qualifications of Students :-

(a) Elementary Courses : All personnel who can show that the course undertaken will be of value to them in civilian life, are eligible to apply.

(b) Refresher Courses : Only personnel of some experience in the trades selected will be eligible for these courses.

6. The attention of the above will be drawn to all personnel.

7. Application Forms :-

(a) All persons desirous of undertaking courses will complete the application forms which will be forwarded, in bulk, by units to their respective Formation HQ, NOKOMIS, by 5 Nov 45.

(b) Preliminary selection will be made from these applications and if necessary, the selected students will be interviewed prior to enrolment.

8. Students will remain in their own units and travel daily to and from the units where instruction is to be given. Transport will be arranged by units.

9. Training equipment, tools and material will be provided at the teaching centres.

[illegible]
HQ, 1 Base Sub Area (RAF).

AQ/AN

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

A3/37

31 Oct 45

Subject : DISPOSAL OF REGIMENTAL AND MESS FUNDS AND PROPERTY

hereunder for information and action is set out Adv HQ AIF memo A/324-3/42 of 27 Oct 45 :

"1. Legislation is pending regarding the ultimate disposal of the above funds and of funds accruing from the sale of unit and mess properties of units which will be disbanded in the process of demobilisation of the AIF.

2. The regulations for the Australian Army Canteens Service provide that the balance of funds remaining at the winding up of that Service will be paid to a Trust to be established for benefit of "such members or ex-members of the Military Forces and such dependants of members, ex-members or deceased members of the Military Forces and in such manner as the trustees in their absolute discretion shall think fit."

3. The legislation referred to in para 1 is to enable funds accruing from certain sources including unit regimental funds and funds of unit messes to be added to Canteens funds for the purposes of that trust.

4. For the time being and until this legislation is enacted -

(a) Commanding Officers will ensure that no distributions in cash or kind are made to individual members of a unit from unit regimental funds or to individual members of unit messes from mess funds except as provided hereafter.

(b) The amount which may be expended by a unit or mess on social entertainment will not exceed 25% of the unit or mess fund and in any case will not exceed £1 per head without the approval of the Formation &c Commander.

In the implementation of this order, unit and mess committees, COs and Formation &c Commanders will be guided by the object of this order which is to conserve funds for the purposes set out in para 2 hereof

5. Commanding Officers will ensure that all liabilities of the regimental funds and messes of the unit are discharged prior to disbandment.

Where the existing rules of a mess, which have been approved by the Formation Commander concerned, provide that a refund of entrance fees to the mess shall be made to a member on his leaving the mess and where such refunds have already been made to members who have left the mess, such refunds to members who leave the mess after the date of this order including those still on strength at final disbandment may be treated as a mess liability and may be paid from mess funds.

Mess and Unit Property

6. (a) The provisions of GRO 229/1945 (as amended by para 9 below) will be followed as regards unit property.

(b) Property of unit messes will be appropriately marked for identification purposes and handed over as directed by the HQ L of C Area in which the unit is disbanded. Such property will be stored under arrangements to be made by the HQ L of C Area until instructions for its eventual disposal are issued by HQ AMF.

(c) Formation &c Commanders and COs will ensure that no such mess property is sold or given away by the mess concerned.

(d) Lists of all such property will be prepared by the unit concerned, sufficient copies being made to enable one to be handed to the nominee of the HQ L of C Area accepting the property from the unit, one copy to be attached to the certificate of the CO required by para 45 of GRO 229/1945, one copy to be forwarded to HQ AMF and one copy to the Formation &c Commander under whose command the unit is at the time of disbandment and one copy to the HQ L of C Area in which the unit was raised.

(e) HQ L of C Area will make appropriate arrangements for the storing and safe-keeping of such mess property and may, in the initial stages, utilise the services of personnel of Aust Kit Stores or other appropriate service in the L of C Area, to instruct and supervise the work of the members of the AMF made available by the HQ L of C Area for the storing and safe-keeping of such property.

7. Unit Trophies

A unit committee will be elected by members of the unit to recommend the eventual disposal of unit trophies. A statement of the proposed method of disposal signed by members of the committee and concurred in by the CO will be forwarded to the Formation &c HQ concerned for approval. After approval, a copy of this recommendation will be attached to each of the copies of the list referred to in para 6 and the trophies will be dealt with in the same manner as unit mess property.

8. All monies held in unit trust funds of any nature including messes and all monies subsequently accruing from the sale of mess and unit property will be retained by the CFO in the relative trust account until instructions are issued by LHQ for its eventual disposal in conformity with the legislation referred to in paragraph 1.

9. Paragraphs 43, 50, and 51 of GRO 229 of 3rd September 1945 are cancelled.

10. The above will be issued at an early date as a GRO, which, when issued may be altered from its present form. However, the C-in-C's policy with regard to finalisation of unit funds and property is as set out above and will be taken as a guide until the GRO is received."

Major
AA & QMG 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

21/8/45

DISTRIBUTION: All units under comd
Internal
War Diary (2)
File

Headquarters
1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

AQ/163.

-7 Oct 45

Subject: Demobilization.

ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND.

Pro-forma as detailed hereunder will be submitted to reach this HQ NOT later than 1200 hrs 5 Nov 1945 of:-

(a) NUMBERS OF PERSONNEL BY RANK AND TRADE LISTED AS AVAILABLE FOR DISPERSAL AND HAS 150 to 185 POINTS INCLUSIVE AS PER OUR AQ163 OF 23 OCT 45.

Rank and Trade	No of Personnel	Remarks (for use by this HQ)
examples:		
Capt 2 i/c	1	
Sgt Gen Duty	2	
Ptes Gen Duty	3	
Ptes 132 Carpenter	4	

(b) NUMBERS OF PERSONNEL BY RANK AND TRADE LISTED AS NOT AVAILABLE FOR DISPERSAL AND HAS 186 POINTS AND ABOVE AS PER OUR AQ163 OF 23 OCT 45.

Rank and Trade	No of Personnel	Remarks (for use by this HQ)
examples		
Maj OC	1	
Capt Adjt	1	
Capt "	1	
Sgt PC	1	
Ptes 203 Clerks	2	

2. Units will ensure that returns reach this HQ by the time and date specified.

Maj.
A & QMG, 1 Base Sub Area (AIF)

MESSAGE FORM.

FROM:- 1 BASE SUB AREA 31 [illegible] I

TO:- ALL UNITS UNDER COMMAND

AG 5867 unclassified (.) demobilisation procedure (.) following errors noticed for appropriate action (.) FIRST (.) ref DO 60 (.) second panel not being completed with all available entries (.) more than one may be appropriate and must be inserted (.) SECOND (.) ref DO 69 (c) cases reported of members P.M.F NOT repeat NOT holding approval for termination of service arriving at LTDs for discharge (.) THIRD (.) ref DO 152 (.) some personnel after return arms and eqpt of units being reissued by staging units presumably to dispose of surplus stock (.) sub para (a) gives appropriate procedure (.) A.F 87 form 3 & adjustment panel being signed with complete action having been taken regarding finalisation of issues (.) FOURTH (.) ref DO 153 incomplete A.F 63 and A.B 83 particularly with reference to war service leave create unnecessary difficulties in assessing correct amount of leave due (.) DO 158 (.) mob 3 and A.F 87 form 2 arriving without discharge authority (.) this error one of most frequent occurrences and one of the most easily obviated (.) units will ensure that there is no recurrence of above (.) All infm

Capt
31 Oct 45

SDS