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25 Nov 41

No.	Des.	Recd	To	From.	Subject	Action Taken	Remarks
298	1030	2345	2/9	AIF (ME) 2nd Schol	Advise if trunk belonging to Lieut Francis is held by you.		
299	10	1945	1st Baplong	1 Cav	Will you take the wireless batteries from the carriers & vehicles sending them over to us. A truck will be coming there from here tomorrow and will pick them up.		
300	1630	2120	2/9	NOI ADV 2nd AIF 1st Schol	Ref your 292 of 24/11 but despatched to Haifa 22/11 and is waiting <del>for</del> collection by Aust Corp for delivery to you.		
301	1917		18 Aust Adls	2/9	Ref A/107/67. Staff 7 Aust 2nd Infog Bde. Nil recommendations.		
302	1125		1 Aust Corp Reg + Engng Unit	2/9	File sent to War Graves Commission A.I.F. (ME) on 20 Nov.		
28 NOV 41							
303	1330		LAD 47 9BN	9/6 LAD 47	Recovery 8 can now handle our carriers. Trouble before was too many authorities who had no authority. Their B.O. says can handle all major repairs.		
304	1730		1 AUST. CORPS PUNISHMENT CENTRE	2/9 AUST INF. BN.	Have you room for one prisoner for 28 days detention. Ack.		
305	1030	2345	2/9 AUST INF. BN.	A.I.F. (ME) INF SCHOOL	Advise if trunk belonging to Lieut Francis is held by you.		
306	1025		2/9 AUST INF. BN.	F.S.S. ALEPPO.	Ref. 1/11 NO vacancies exist this sec. Refer C Sec. F.S.S. attached + Aust. Div. normally applicants join F.S.S. with rank of L/Cpl.		
28 Nov 41.							
307	1000		A.I.F. (ME) INF SCHOOL	2/9 AUST INF BN	Trunk belonging to Lieut Francis held by Unit Q.M.		
308	1115		2/9 AUST INF BN	2/9 AUST INF BN	Permission requested to lodge one O.R. in Field punishment centre. Sentence 28 days detention. Date of sentence 26 Nov.		

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309	1125	1300	2/9 AUST INF BN.	18 AUST INF BDE.	Capt. Fleming Capt Barnes to report this HQ for conference by 1200 hrs 29 Nov 41		
310	1916		2/9 AUST INF BN.	18 AUST INF BDE.	weekly and fortnightly training syllabus urgently required. Please forward immediately.		
311	2130		2/9 AUST INF BN.	2/9 AUST FO REGT.	Specially desire return of Lieut Kenley by 2200 hrs 29 Nov in view of Army shoot. Can you possibly arrange?		
312	1355	1356.	MAJ BERRY 2/9 AUST INF BN.	2/10 AUST INF BN.	<u>28 Nov 41</u> Members of court of inquiry into lost rifles will arrive approx. 1600 hrs to-day.		
313	1545	1751.	2/9 AUST INF BN.	18 AUST INF BDE.	<u>29 Nov 41</u> Ref. adm. course. Lieut. Cary attend course.		
314	1220.		MAJ BERRY 2/9 AUST INF BN.	2/9 AUST INF BN.	D.A.A.G. 7 AUST DIV advises that the Court be adjourned to a date when all members can re-assemble and continue the D.C.M.		
315			18 AUST INF BDE.	2/9 AUST INF BN.	<u>30 Nov 41</u> Nominations are submitted as under for the following courses - Typists course and shorthand writers course Qx 4958 Sgt. Burdocks. K.O. - Qx 4142 Sgt. Skinning. A. - Sx 2635 Cpl. Loft. E.B. - Qx 1220 Cpl. Watson J.B. - Q4366 Cpl. Forsyth L.H. - Qx 9244 Pte. Lucky. E.B. W. - Qx 372 Cpl. Jackson. G.K. - Qx 1990. Pte. Hopkins. A.H.		
316	1840	1845	2/9 AUST INF BN.	18 AUST INF BDE.	Troops authorized to cross Turkish frontier if invited for purpose fraternization only. Ack all informed.		
317	1500	1501	2/9 AUST INF BN. 7 Div Supply Co.	18 AUST INF BDE.	<u>1 Dec 41</u> Refer Q156. Expediate.		
318	1050		18 AUST INF BDE.	2/9 AUST INF BN.	Signal 075. Ack.		

2. Dec 41

319.	0935	0952	79 AUS INF BN.	18. BDE H.Q.	2. Dec 41. Ref. our memo re. behaviour of troops in alleps of 28 Nov. O please ack. receipt immediately by signal.
320.	1530.		18. AUS. INF. BDE.	79. AUS. INF BN.	Ack. O news provided DRLS this morning.
321.	1430.		1 AUS. Condo Field Huncheon Centre.	79 AUS. INF BN.	Admission requested for lodgement of two ORs. O Awarded (a) 28 days F.P. with 28 days forfeiture of pay (b) 21 days F.P. with 14 days forfeiture of pay. O Please advise as to earliest date of admission.
322.	1425		3 Aust Rly Land. Wly R. A.S.	79 AUS	3 Dec 41 Q x 11212 Pte. Hughes on transfer to your unit will report 6 Dec 41 O ack.
323.	1415		7 Aust Rly Land Camp	79 AUS. INF BN.	Q x 11212 Pte. Hughes A.W. will report 4 Dec 41 en route to 3 Aust. Rly. Const Coy.
324.		0939.	79 AUS. INF BN.	10th Corps. Dns. Coy. Beirut.	4. Dec 41. Arrange transfer escort Q x 9153. NAUGHTON. H.C. in custody at Beirut.
325.		0935	79 AUS. INF BN.	10th AUS. Corps. Prov COY.	Q x 9153. NAUGHTON. H.C. in custody at Beirut. arrange transport and escort.
326.	1525		No. 1. ADVANCED STATIONERY DEPOT. RLY	79 AUS. INF BN.	Could our stationery requisition of 23 Nov. 41. be expedited O ack.
327		1120.	18 AUS INF BDE.	79 AUS INF BN.	5 Dec 41 Nominations for malaria school 8-13 DEC. Q x 4260 Sgt Lyddy. - Q x 4535 Sgt East.
328		79	79 AUS. INF BN.	18. AUS. INF. BDE.	A malaria school is being held at HQ 6th Div from 7 Dec till 13th Dec. We want 2 nominations from your Bn. Bn noms to be submitted at HQ 18th Div by tomorrow. Phone through if you want to.
329	1050.		18 AUS. INF. BDE	79 AUS. INF BN.	Ref nominations for malarial school 8-13 DEC O For Q x 4535 Sgt. East. C. A. substitute Q x 4436 Sgt Boulton W.S. O Q x 4535 Sgt East. C. A. admitted to hospital O
330	1025		7 AUS. Div Reception Camp	79 AUS. INF BN.	Q x 2575 A/cpl Murray. G and Q x 3012 Pte. Dawson S.W. will report 5 Dec 41 en route Palestine.

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331	1100	1015	7/9 AUS INF BN	18 AUS INF BDE	C. Os. conference this HQ 1100 hrs SUNDAY 7 Dec Ack O All informed.		
332	1220		18 AUS INF BDE	7/9 AUS INF BN.	ack O		
333	1140		7 AUS, Div Reception CAMP	7/9 AUS INF BN.	<u>6 Dec 41.</u> Qx 723 // cpl. Conroy J. J. will report 6 Dec 41 en route to Palestine.		
334	1645		7/9 AUS INF BN.	1 AUS. CORPS FD. PUN. CENTRE.	Can accept your two men at 1000 hrs on Monday 8.		
335	1230	1245	7/9 AUS/INF BN.	O.C. 3 AUS. Rly Const Coy.	We acknowledge your signal re Pte. Hughes		
336	2040	2045	7/9 AUS INF BN	7/9 AUS INF BN	One officer and 5 ORs of your unit camping with this HQ tonight.		
337	1630	1635	7 AUS, Div repeated 7/9 AUS/INF BN.	AUS. DEPOT	<u>7 Dec 41.</u> Major Lubke 7/9 BN. has marched in @ Request advise action desired re disposal @ Ack.		
338	1100	1340	O.C. 7/9 A. Co. Coy.	LT. BARTKIN.	<u>8 Dec 41.</u> Have moved camp into Aspelo factory to supervise production @ Four men detached to cpl. Carwoods camp to supervise coast road.		
339	1215	1340	G.R.E.	CPL. CURWOOD	no timber rollers in Alaouite sections		
340	1225		A.B.C.D. H.Q. Coys	BN. H.Q.	Coys will submit nominal rolls to R. A. P. and Dental Unit @ One to each @ Immediately.		
341	1020		A.C.D. + H.Q. Coys	7/9 BN.	Br. is to provide 1 Sgt 1 L/Sgt. 1 cpl 1 L/cpl. 110 ORs for Dis Ski Coy @ Coy Cmdrs will report with recommendations to C.O.s residence at 1945 hrs 8 Dec @		
342	1040		A.C.D. + H.Q. Coys	7/9 BN.	Selected men for ski Coy will be transferred from unit @ Volunteers to be called @ First class personnel only wanted @		
343	1210		7 AUS. Div Reception CAMP.	7/9 AUS INF BN.	Qx 4371 L/cpl. McElchrist G. J. will report 9 Dec 41 en route to M.E. Signal School		
344	1838	1839	7/9 AUS INF BN.	18 AUS. INF BDE	Pte. Hamare to report Amenities Officer Dis H.Q. A. Co. has orchestra of 10w concert party		

344	1838	1839	719 AUS INF BR.	18. AUS INF. BDE	pte. Homare to report Amencities Officer 180 16. Q. 1000 hrs. 9 Dec for orchestra of 1000 concert party
345	2010	2121	719 AUS INF. BN.	CRE. 7 17 US DIV	20 yours 9 Dec by by (T) ten tons engr. stores us indented.
346	1623	1633	HARPOON R. B. D. Damasco Mitchell Lattakia	F. C. Off. Aleppo	Price 7/12 - 243 8/12 247 - 1/2 issue. The shipments 7/12 132 - 1/2 tons Aladinties
347	1445	1447	A. B. D. H. Q. Coys	Q. M.	Advise necessary requirements of woollen socks, mittens, scarves, balacavas by 900 hrs 9 Dec.
348			all camp	Q. M.	A truck will be going down to the K. store within the next couple of days. A complete list of all kits required also any kits to be returned to be at R. Q. store by 1200 hrs. 9/12/41.
349			B. S. M. ALEPPO.	B. S. M. LATTAKIA.	have Ed Dins Zabbana is active member of National Bloc with definite Axis sympathies. Possible further information later.
350	1600	1630	Q. M. 7/11 BN.	Q. M. 7/9 BN.	Ref your letter dated 2 Dec. pte. Millard Q x 15077 NOT this unit. Can you arrange delivery pte. Richardson's kit to 7 Dis kit store. Advise.
351	1300	1305	C. P. M. Finance Section	Local Commanding 719 AUS Inf Bns	Particularly urgent. Unit requires draw approximately £300 Australian at Jerusalem Thursday. Can this be arranged and Regimental Trust Fund Book No 242 at your office be sent Field Cash Office Jerusalem under advice to them and us.
352	1730	1720	HARPOON BEIRUT	MITCHELL	Prices seed 270 ordinary none sold stock 7th 1787 tons issues 7th 50 tons.
353	1800	1820	MUTS. M. E. RPTD. HQ 9th ARMY	MUTS. LATTAKIA	A. NIL. C. NIL. B. NIL. D. NIL. E. 1 TRIPOLI.
354	1800	1820	MUTS. H. Q. 9th ARMY RPTD. DOCKS SUPPT. BEIRUT	MUTS. LATTAKIA	Form M 917.8-12-41. EA 45. EC 42. EG 47. EJ 18. EK. 47. EL. 65. IEA 47. IEB. 47. IEL. 89.
355	1800	1820	MUTS. TRIPOLI RPTD. STO. TRIPOLI	MUTS. LATTAKIA	S. V. TOUPIK - EL-BAR. 417. loaded 6 tons SABEL 36 tons gravel asphalt will signal sailing later



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356.	1730	1820	BAKER CARR 357 RUESAUME DAMAS	MITCHELL	Issues 7th 50 tons.		
357	1800	1820	MVTS. M.E. RPTD. H.Q. G.H. ARMY. RPTD. DORS SUPT. BERT.	MVTS. LATTAKIA	Form M9. 8-12-41. A 700th Quay B Taudic & Barker C. 42. D asphalt. I. 42. L. 42. N 0800. O 3 P 3. Q 1400. RE 15 RF 45 R. K 45 RM 45. Military of Quay 42 In height of 11. In the 0 in commercial an. D. 42 47 in height his in the 11th.		
358		1000	18 AUS. INF BDE.	79 AUS. INF BDE.	9 DEC. 41. Ref 6/126/113 @ Recommendation Lieut. R. W. Foster Q x 1253 - Lieut. M. Benson. Q x 6090. Q x 1238. Sgt. Fraser. E. W. - Q x 4544 Sgt. Edgoff - Q x 2875 Cpl. Owen R. H. - Q x 372 Cpl. Jackson. G. K. Q x 4485 Cpl. Conley. L. H. Q x 243 Cpl. Hall. W. A. - Q x 7884 Pte. King. J. - Q x 1793 Pte. Ball. M. - Q x 5542. Hewatson. W. F. - Q x 9004 Pte. De France S. B. - Q x 4807 Pte. Walden G. T. Q x Pte. Stock. A. W.		
359	R200		2/9 BN	TAUSTD	8 DEC. 1 Aust Corp field Purr Centre moves to TR. Camp 9. Rptd 9 DEC 41 @ admission will not Rptd NOT take place on 9 DEC. @ admission from inclusive 10 Dec at TE Camp		
360	0930	1015	2/9 2/10 2/12	18 A. I. BDE	9 DEC. Commanders will submit recommendations of 1 Cpt. 1 Lieut. over age officers for security Bw @ Age Limit Cpts. 35 Lieut 30 years		
361	1030		Radio Cross pole 2/5 1/2 Ant 2/9		will arrive approx 1400 hrs today		
362	1145		all cony BHQ. RAP	E/9	all members of Reg Band with instruments will report to BHQ by 1030 hrs Sunday 13 Dec 41 @ Band will proceed to Kassab under Padre Ma Glueen for church parade @		

					Kassal under Padre McElveen for church parade Band will remain at Kassal over night Program will be arranged by Pte Parnell
363	1910	2339	2/9	CHIEF PBY MASTER AIF	ref your signal RM 4 trust book NO 242 forwarded direct you 8 DEC arrangements will be made for withdrawal JERUSALEM Thursday as requested
364	1515		18 INF 3 DE	2/9	Ref RAB BTW 5 DEC 91 recommendations Lt R Taylor QX1257 - QX1168 Det Sturzacher TR QX 2547 1/sgt Griffiths D.R. QX 646 A/cpl Prentice QX 7456 1/cpl Noble QX 4748 Pte O'Neill QX 1294 Pte Wilson S QX 275 Mashay A QX 13168 Pte Nelson S QX 16773 Pte Allen J.H.F QX 3536 Pte Hersey C.B. QX 20092 Pte Duquid J.H. QX 16436 Pte Swain C QX 7473 Pte Storm C.H. SX 2585 Pte Magey J.R. NX 2014 Pte Shelton J.G.
365	1552		AIF PRINT STATIONARY HQ AIRBASE AREA	2/9	Could our Request of 23 Nov be expedited.
366	2035		MALONEY 2/9	CPT DAUNCH	Landscape targets are unprecureable but are having trees made in this office they will not be coloured will be forwarded as soon as possible
367	1130	1137	2/9 AUST. INF. BN.	AMENITIES OFFR. 18 3 DE	10 DEC. Please advise urgently Will you contribute 5 pounds Syrian towards a trophy for winners of inter-Unit Sports Meeting next Sunday, 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec.
368	1420		AMENITIES OFFICER 18 AUST. INF. 2 DE	2/9 AUST. INF. BN.	Will forward Five Syrian Pounds with Sports Team next Saturday
369	1015	1030	ALL COYS. BN. H.Q. B. COY.	H.Q. COY.	money for stamps to be handed to Transport Officer by 1800 hrs. each Thursday and stamps will be collected by Coys. at 0900 hrs. each Saturday cost of same per Syrian currency Australian 3 <sup>d</sup> cost of Pi 9 <sup>d</sup> cost 27 Pi English 3 <sup>d</sup> cost 11 Pi.
370	0935	0940	RECOVERY	9 BN.	Bedford 30 cwt truck No. 1468233 in charge driver H.M. Brown arriving you today Renew exhaust valves and broken spring.

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371	1100	1215	POLITICAL OFFICER ALEPPO	EVANS PRITCHARD	What day next week would it be convenient for me to pay visit Aleppo to visit you and Stirling.		
372	1200		MVTS SYRIA RPTD. MVTS. NINTH ARMY RPTD. DOCK SPT. BEIRUT	MVTS. LATTAKIA.	Adverse weather here prevent working as from A.M. today		
373			CHAPLAIN PAYNE -13 <sup>th</sup> MESS TAUST. DIV.	CHAPLAIN REYNALDS. 2/9 <sup>th</sup>	Will be sending men to Tripoli for confirmation on Sunday, and there will also be others to go to Aleppo.		
374	1730	1800	BAKER-CARR 357 Rue SALHIE, DAMASCUS	MITCHELL	Issues 9 <sup>th</sup> 50 tons.		
375	1780	1800	HARDON BEIRUT	MITCHELL	Prices 10 <sup>th</sup> 290 issues 9 <sup>th</sup> 50 tons stock 9 <sup>th</sup> 1806 tons.		
376	1800	1801	MVTS. SYRIA RPTD. MVTS. NINTH ARMY RPTD. DOCK SPT. BEIRUT	MVTS. LATTAKIA.	Adverse weather, no work today		
377	1800	1801	MVTS. MIDEAST RPTD. MVTS. NINTH ARMY.	MVTS. LATTAKIA.	Daily shipping positions A. NIL. C.1 B. nil. D. nil. E. nil.		
378	1800	1801	MVTS. MIDEAST RPTD. MVTS. NINTH ARMY RPTD. DOCK SPT. BEIRUT	MVTS. LATTAKIA.	FORM M9 10-12-41. RE. 2. RF. 6 RK 6. RM. 6. Military on quay. 84. In shed nil. In lighter nil. Commercial on quay 47 In shed nil In lighter nil.		
379.	1800	1801	MVTS. NINTH ARMY RPTD. DOCK SPT. BEIRUT	MVTS. LATTAKIA.	EA. 6 EJ. 84 EK. 47. EL. 131. IEA. 84. IEB 47. IEC 131.		
380	1545	1558	O.C. 'A' Sec F.S.S.	1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CORPS.	Chetle delayed, will return morning 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec.		
381.	1830	2000	POI LT. BARKIN TO	RAE 1 AUST CORPS TPS	14 Army Lories reporting asphalt Minema 200 hrs. tomorrow also 10 army Lories		

381.	1830	2030	POV LT. DANKIN TO 2/4 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RAE   AUST CORPS TPS	14 Army lorries reporting asphalt Minima 200 lbs. tomorrow also 10 army lorries time uncertain @ Busers are to draw rations and petrol by arrangement with 2/14 <sup>th</sup> Fd. Coy @ 10 civilian lorries are being hired advice will follow.
382	1930	1330	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN. FOR CAPT. THOMPSON QUASSEN 14 <sup>th</sup> R.A.E.S.	H.Q. RAE 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST. CORPS TPS	Advise P.W.D Syria has reserved petrol for pharaonite bench (?) for Dec. 1600 litres at Damascus 32000 litres at Homs @ Please advise if this will be sufficient.
383	1040	1107	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE. (34 M/T)	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Reference recommendations of officers for security battalion @ Recommendations - Captain Hooper QX 6082. Lieutenant K.A. Hamilton QX 4862.
384	1115	1315	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CORPS FLD PUN CENTRE	yours of 26 ACK @ Can accept your man.
385	0855	0907	all corp. except B & D corp.		Please submit no. of tent poles required to replace broken ones.
386	1630	1945	POLITICAL OFFICER LATTAKIA	POLITICAL OFFICER ALEPPO	your wadi 22 @ Next Monday if possible @ Sterling expects to pro- ceed to DEIREZZOR Tuesday or Wednesday @ Davis.
387	1740	1743	HARPON BEIRUT RETO LT. COL. DANER-CARR SPERRS MISSION DAMASCUS, MAJOR MIT- CHELL SPERRS MISSION	ECONOMIC OFFICER ALEPPO	Pieces 10/12 243 issues British Meat 50 tons municipality & seed shipments nil.
388	1056	1107	2/4 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	Hasset Berry Irvine arrive tonight 11/12 @ will inspect with C.O. demolition plan @ C.O. will keep 12 free for this task.
389	1120		C.Q. ALL COYS.	R.Q.M. GR BN.	Concensus of warlike supplies to be at R.Q store 1800 lbs. 16 <sup>th</sup> .
390	0945		30 ALL COYS.	BN.	Coys. will ensure that ditches are properly dug round tents @ Soil to be packed round edges to stop water coming through @ Tent walls to be pegged securely in the ditch.

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391	1225	1230	CAPT. ANDERSON A/DADOS 7 <sup>th</sup> DIV.	Q.M. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Owing heavy winds urgently require following R.D. tentage - Tents 3 Ylps 3 Poles, ridge with sleeve 1. without sleeve 2. Poles upright with long spike 9 with short spike 2 bottoms 9 Ropes weatherline etc 71 Steel on 3' 6" tent pegs 750 plus 700 ordinary tent pegs. Unit vehicle callous dump. Other vehicles before 1400 hrs C If tentage avail- able can you arrange delivery today Ach.		
392	1145	1230	POLITICAL OFFICER ALEPPO	POLITICAL OFFICER LATTAKIA.	Will visit Aleppo next Monday - Evans Pritchard.		
393	1630	1640	A.C.D. & H.Q. COYS.	Q.M. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	No advice yet of any tentage arriving tonight C Will advise if it does arrive C.		
394	1658	1700.	47 L.A.D.	9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Please despatch by Don R. truck from 18 <sup>th</sup> Bde. Lucas distributor parts as follows rotor cam assembly part no 1048568 vacuum unit assembly part no 1040798 rotor cam assembly part no 1041826 Number required, one of each.		
395	1800.		M.V.T.S. TRIPOLI RPTD S.D. TRIPOLI	M.V.T.S. LATTAKIA	S.V. Toufik el Bari L17 Sailing P.M. Today C		
396	1800		M.V.T.S. NINTH ARMY RPTD M.V.T.S. DOCKS SUPT. BEIRUT	M.V.T.S. LATTAKIA.	FORM M9A. 11/12/41. EA 25, EB 35, ED 35, EH 35, EJ 109, EK. 47. B, EL. 156., IEA. 109, IEB. 47, IEC 150 IB. 90, ID. 574, IF. 90, IR. 90, IT. 90.		
397	1800		M.V.T.S. MIDEAST RPTD M.V.T.S. NINTH ARMY	M.V.T.S. LATTAKIA.	Daily Shipping Positions A. nil, B. nil, C. nil, D. nil, E. I. TRIPOLI.		
398	1800		M.V.T.S. MIDEAST RPTD. M.V.T.S. NINTH ARMY RPTD. DOCKS SUPT. BEIRUT	M.V.T.S. LATTAKIA.	FORM M9. 11/12/41. A. NORTH QUAY B KHEIRNT. ALLAH. R144. C. 200. D. WHEAT. G. 90. H. 90 N. 08.00 O 2 1/2 P 2 1/2 Q 36.00 A. SOUTH QUAY B. M.V. ESTER C. 35. D. COAL K. 35. L. 35 N. 0900 O. 2. P. 2. Q 17.5 C. J. 90 CK. 90 RE 8 R.F. 25 R.J. 35 R.K. 60 RM 60 MILITARY ON QUAY 109 IN SHED NIL IN LIGHTER NIL COMMERCIAL ON QUAY 47 IN SHED NIL IN LIGHTER NIL.		
399	1730	1820	HARBOR		10 <sup>th</sup> 50 tons stock 10 <sup>th</sup> 1756 tons receipts		

399	1730	1820	HARPON BEIRUT	MITCHELL	Prices 11 <sup>th</sup> 270 issues 10 <sup>th</sup> 50 tons steel 10 <sup>th</sup> 1756 tons receipts 9 <sup>th</sup> 119 tons.
400	0820		9 <sup>th</sup> BN	MR. MALONEY	12 <sup>th</sup> DEC. C.O will not be at camp today, daily states and returns to be signed by Capt. Peake, for Col. Martin absent on duty. One party of 15 to attend Mr. Hayes meeting tonight to be deleted. Remaining five parties of 15 to attend American Mission by 1900 hrs. tonight. Orderly Officer to arrange transport. List of personnel selected for special course and Div. Ski Coy. to be typed ready for C.O's signature and addressed to 18 <sup>th</sup> Aust Inf Bn.
401	2003	1107	M.V.T.S. LATTAKIA	M.V.T.S. SYRIA	Ref. your ML/55 of 12 <sup>th</sup> @ My M.B/2216 of today cancels M13/2205 of 11/12.
402					Major Mc Nicol and Capt Shave will arrive at Kassab at approx. 1030 hrs tomorrow. Will inspect defensive areas and Rd Blks and will be stopping for lunch. Both officers from 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CORPS.
403	1855		HARPON BEIRUT RPTD LT. COL. DANBY-CARR SPEARS MISSION + MAJOR MITCHELL LATTAKIA	ECONOMIC OFFICER ALBAPP.	Price 12/12 243 issues British Wheat 50 tons municipality seed shipments 6 tons AH AOWITES
404	1620	1631	2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	2/12 <sup>th</sup> BN	Can you <sup>please</sup> arrange for Lieut Carey and Cpl. Carnohan to be at your H.Q. for count of inquiry on Monday, 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec.
405	1337				Tripoli shipments 50 tons asphalt Latakia/Haifa being arranged different schooners.
406			RE STORES BRANCH OF NINTH ARMY RPTD M.V.T.S. TRIPOLI COPY M.V.T.S. NINTH ARMY RPTD RE AUST. CORPS TROOPS RPTD M.V.T.S. LATTAKIA RPT COPY M.V.T.S. HAIFA TO SSTD. BEIRUT BY HAND.	M.V.T.S. SYRIA	M.V/2213 12 My MV/2205 of 11/12 @ S/V TOUFIE EL BARI yesterday made Tripoli. Unseaworthy condition. Therefore discharging at Tripoli, not Haifa as arranged repeat discharging at.

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407	2200	2202	7 <sup>th</sup> RECOVERY	9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Staff car C.V.T. 18 <sup>th</sup> Bde. Broken down Lattakia ALEPPO differential seized require evacuation to workshop @ Have towed same out lines.		
408	1800	1815	M.V.T.S NINTH ARMY RPTD DOCKS SUPT. BEIRUT.	M.V.T.S LATTAKIA.	FORM M9A 12/12/41. EA.15. EC.84 EG.84. EJ.40. EK.47. EL.87. IEA.40. IEB.47. IEC.87.		
409	1800	1815	M.V.T.S MID EAST RPTD M.V.T.S NINTH ARMY	M.V.T.S LATTAKIA.	DAILY SHIPPING POSITIONS. A. NIL. C. NIL. B. NIL. D. I. E. I. TO BEIRUT		
410	1730	1817	HARBOUR BEIRUT	MITCHELL	Pnces 12 <sup>th</sup> 290 issues 11 <sup>th</sup> 26 tons RECEIPTS 81 tons stock 1811 tons		
411	1730	1815	BAKER-CARR 357 RUE SALHIE DAMASCUS	MITCHELL	Issues 11 <sup>th</sup> 26 tons.		
412	1700	1702	A.C.D. H.Q. COYS BN. H.Q.	CAPT. MCGREGOR A.H.	Bn. Sports Team will leave from Bn. H.Q. at 11.30 hrs 13 <sup>th</sup> Dec 41 @ Coy. Repts. will report to Bn. H.Q. NOT later than 1115 hrs. A/C 1703		
413			ALL COYS.	Q.M. 9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Corps. to return. baking dishes by 1600 hrs. Saturday @ They will be needed for 24 hours. It is in the interest of Corps. to see that there is no delay in this matter.		
414	1045		M.V.T.S SYRIA RPTD DOCKS SUPT. BEIRUT.	M.V.T.S LATTAKIA.	S.V. KHEIRAT ALLAH ARR? DISCHARGED NOV LOADING ASPHALT FOR HAIFA.		
415	1114	1125	L/T COL. MARTIN COMND 9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	CAPT. HOOPER.	Dry cells obtainable @ Can have vibrators fitted into old-Parkinson Little models Total cost £50 @ will take 8 days to prepare @ Shall I order.		
416	1215	1230	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> INF. BDE.	Church services at canteen will be at 0800 hours in future NOT 0715 hrs.		
417	1100	1106	2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/10 <sup>th</sup> 2/12 <sup>th</sup> BNs 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST. CAV.	18 <sup>th</sup> INF. BDE.	Ensure all personell attending Ski School 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec., bring BED(?) (ZERO) ED. rifles		
418			9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	COMMAND STATION ALEPPO	There are four brown carriers for us @ Can we unload them @ they are at Aleppo Command Station & they came by rail		
419	1015	1016	COMMAND STATION ALEPPO	2/9 AUST INF. BN.	Please unload carriers @ Approx time of arrival of carrier party will be notified later.		
420	0910	0912	10.	9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Can you arrange Morris P.V. sent at present Aleppo with Major Berry		

420	0910	0912	1.0. 18 <sup>th</sup> BDE	9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Can you arrange Morris P.V. scout at present Aleppo with Major Berry to be camouflaged at your transport lines.
421	2100	1000	C.R.E. HQS R.A.E 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CO	LIEUT. BATKIN	ACK your 8290. Please to advise if shipment is to be natural or mastic asphalt @ W.O. LATTAKIA received signal for 50 tons mastic @ For your information two schooners of natural asphalt have already been diverted to HAIFA also schooner 250 tons now being loaded is supposed to be going there as they cannot handle at TRIPOLI.
422	1247		M.V.T.S. LATTAKIA	M.V.T.S. SYRIA.	Reserve casing Hotel accommodation for COL GENTRY, COL MORTY, and provisionally for Col. Russell for night 15 arriving by road.
423	0800	0940	C.R.E. H.Q. R.A.E 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CORPS TPS.	LIEUT. BATKIN.	ACK your 890 15 <sup>th</sup> DEC.
424	0800	0940	SO/C.R.E. HQ'S R.A.E 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CORPS TPS	LIEUT. BATKIN.	Require 200 kgs. gelignite, 200 detonators and 500 feet safety fuse for blasting on No. 4 road @ Could you please give me authority to draw from corp dumps.
425	0845	0855	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	Capt. R.C. Hooper QX 6082, born 18 <sup>th</sup> July 1903 @ Present age 38 1/2 years
426	1215		A.D.M.S. (DENTAL) 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CORPS.	9 DENTAL UNIT.	No stocks plaster @ Require urgently WATSON.
427	1540	1555	18 <sup>th</sup> BDE TRANSPORT OFFICER	L-AD. 47 LATTAKIA	Chev. Staff Car, was evacuated to No. 7 Rec. TRIPOLI today
428	1555		A.C.D. H.Q. COYS.	BN. H.Q.	A demonstration of "Crossing wire obstacles" will be given at 1000 hrs Wed, 17 <sup>th</sup> Dec. @ Location, opp. Bn. H.Q. @ Coys. will be marched to area and be assembled by 0945 hrs.
429	1415	1420	2/9 <sup>th</sup> , 2/10 <sup>th</sup> 2/12 <sup>th</sup> BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> INF. BDE.	Units will forward recommendations of Capt. or senior Lieut for appointment as AdjT and Q.M. 1 <sup>st</sup> AUST CORP reception camp to reach this H.Q. 0900 hrs 17 <sup>th</sup> DEC - 41
430	0940	0943	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	2/12 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RE Lieut Carey and Cpl. Carnshaw. Court of inquiry postponed until Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December - 41.



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431	1100	1121	2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. RPTD 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN. RPTD 2/10 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE.	Transfer 5 Norton motor-cycles as follows ○ Bde H.Q. 2 ○ 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Aust. Bn. one ○ 2/10 <sup>th</sup> Aust. Inf Bn. TWO ○ 2/10 <sup>th</sup> AUST. Bn. two ○ Transfers arrange collection ○ Submit forms 871 ○ All informed.		
432	1005	1010	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE.	Submit 1200 hrs. 16 Dec 41, return of vehicles requiring wind- screen replacements ○ One windscreen complete ○ Two glasses only ○ Quote measurements, also make type vehicles ○ All informed		
423	2230		B. COY.	ADJT.	Col. Martin and party will not visit Kasab today 17/12/41		
434	1755		CARRIERS + TRANSPORT	H.Q. COY.	Platoon will hold a hut inspection at 0900 hrs. tomorrow 17/12/41. and note shortages of personnel ○ A Muster parade will be held for the hut inspection		
435	1545	1550	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	Signal 093 ACK.		
436	1510	1535	O.A.P.M TGL AUV	O.M 2/9 <sup>th</sup> 13 <sup>th</sup> A.I. B.	Ref. my letter 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec re. kits lost belonging to Ptes. Worrell + Barnes ○ kits have been located.		
437	0955	1134			101 ORS. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> FLD. COY. NIL OFF. / 6 ORS. 2/5 FIELDAMB 1 OFF. 7 ORS space 7 <sup>th</sup> AUST. SUP. COLN. 2 ○ Units will provide transport and arrange reception ○ All informed.		
438			2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn.	18 <sup>th</sup> INF. BDE	Following reinforcements arrive Aleppo <del>0717</del> 0717 hrs. 18 <sup>th</sup> DEC ○ Officers 20 ORS 2/10 4 off. 30 ORS. 2/12 Bn. 4 off. 31 ORS. 7 cap. 1 off. 5 ORS. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Fld. Regt. 4 off.		
439	1030	1055	18 <sup>th</sup> Bde.	9 <sup>th</sup> Bn.	Answering T.8. 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec ○ Windscreen replacements Morris 15 cast. utility required 4 only measurements 15½" by 9½" oval top thickness ¼" ○ Morris 18 cast. pickup 2 only measurement 13½" by 26¾" by 8¾" by 27½" thickness ¼" ○ BEDFORD 15 cast utility required 3 only by 17½" by 9¾" thickness ¼"		
			CAPT	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	1 <sup>st</sup> Eastern Mail will arrive at Portes		

440	0900	0905.	CAPT PARRY - OAKDEN	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	A woman representative of 'Eastern Mail' will arrive at Frontier post at approx. 0915 hrs, arrange for guide to barracks @ Capt Rutherford G.S.O3 C.W. will arrive Kasab at approx. 1030
441	2210	2211	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	SIGS. 18 <sup>th</sup> BDE.	Ref. message A1077 2117 @ Message was delivered to 18 <sup>th</sup> Bde and they referred it to you @
442	1730	1730	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE. FATHER REYNOLDS.	FATHER TOOEY 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. FLD. BATT. REC.	Am going on leave to Palestine Wed @ Have arranged for troops to attend Mass in town @ If you wish them let them know early Sat. Morning
443	2100	2117	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN	AUST. CORP.	Lt. Col. Martin to report H.Q. 6 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV to take over command of 19 <sup>th</sup> Aust. Inf. Bde. from Brig. VASEY forthwith @ Arrangements will be made for Martin to return to unit to complete handing over if necessary @ There is urgent.
444	1430	1435	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	AMBULANCE OFFICERS H.Q. 18 <sup>th</sup> BDE.	Please submit estimated strength on 24 <sup>th</sup> Dec by 19 <sup>th</sup> Dec. for purposes of distribution of Christmas hampers to tps.
445	1500	1510	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> BDE.	C.O.'s conference will be held at this H.Q. 1100 hrs. Thursday 18 Dec ACK.
446	1035		7 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV. RPTD 18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BDE.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Authority received from 18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. for Lt. Col. Martin to report 6 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV. 17 <sup>th</sup> DEC @
447	1030		6 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Lt. Col. Martin will report to 6 <sup>th</sup> Aust Div approx 1830 hrs. 17 <sup>th</sup> DEC.
448	1015		2/5 <sup>th</sup> FIELD AMBULANCE	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Capt Barnes will arrive approx. 0900 hrs. 18 <sup>th</sup> Dec. to take evidence from C.O. 2/5 <sup>th</sup> Field Ambulance regarding loss of blankets.
449	1100		ALL COYS.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	4 officers + 20 ORs. reinforcements will arrive at B.H.Q. approx 1230 hrs 18 Dec @ Corp. will arrange for guides to report to B.H.Q. by 1200 hrs. 18 <sup>th</sup> @ Companies will arrange accommodation + rations for approx 1 - 6 ORs per coy.
450.	1030.		18. AUS. INF BDE.	2/9 AUS. INF. BN.	Colonel Martin regrets unable to attend cocktail party to - night.

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451.	1015	1045	HARPOUN BEIRUT.	MITCHELL	Market opened at 215 for imported wheat stop no native wheat on sale. stop. Demands received this morning for 300 tons stop & no rice in market.		
452.	1200	1245	LT/COI STIRLING ALEPPO	HOWARD JONES.	Capt Howard Jones arriving Aleppo 18.		
453.	1200	1245	HARPOUN BEIRUT	MITCHELL	Prices midday 215 stop further demand for 65 tons received stop majority of demands for local sales also from DJEBLE - BANIAS - TARTOUS stop. Retail sales proceeding slowly.		
454.	1354 <sup>E.F.M.</sup>	1410	Major Genl + 1800 hrs Beirut	Capt. Peak	What date will you be returning O Acks.		
455.	1530		HARPOUN BEIRUT	MITCHELL	Price this afternoon 215 stop. Rumours in town that no more would be issued stop. Many people therefore bought heavily stop. Most of stock issued yesterday now sold stop. As today's issues came on market purchases slackened.		
456.	1800	1805	MUTS SYRIA RPTD. DOCKS SUPT. BEIRUT RPTD. S. TO TRIPOLI.	MUTS LATTAKIA	96 TONS BITUMEN ON QUAY AWAITING SHIPMENT.		
457.	1800	1805	MUTS MID-EAST MUTS SUPT ARMY RPTD DOCKS SUPT BEIRUT.	MUTS LATTAKIA	Form M9-17-12-41. R/E 10. R/F 30 R/K 30. R/M 30. Military on Quay 99 1/4 In shed NIL. In lighter NIL Commercial on Quay 32 In shed NIL In lighter NIL.		
458.	1400	1800.	CRE HQs RAE IAV CORPS. TDS	Lo. Barkin	Ack your 15-850 Schooner 250 tons asphalt sailed 1600 hrs on 16 Dec for Beirut.		
459.	1800	1805	MUTS HQ NINTH ARMY RPTD DOCKS SUPT BEIRUT	MUTS LATTAKIA	Form M9A. EA 30. EJ 99 1/4 EK 32 EL 13 1/4 IEA 99 1/4 IEB 3 > IEC 13 1/4		
460	1800	1805	MUTS MID EAST RPTD NINTH ARMY	MUTS LATTAKIA	Daily shipping positions A. NIL. B. NIL. C. NIL. D. NIL. E. NIL.		

461.	1825	1840.	Harpor Beirut	Mitchell	Market closing at 215 stop. Small quantities local wheat sold 230 to 240 stop Aleppo merchants have gone back without selling stop further demands received for 60 tons making total accepted for today 300 tons requested for tomorrow.
462.	1825	1840.	Harpor Beirut	Mitchell	125 tons stop Issues today 190 tons stocks 1193 tons stop Harvests up to 400 sugar to 70 maize down to 205.
462.	1430	1450	18 BDN	9 BN.	Vehicle return forms sent today 1400 hrs number troops above 1st line transport substitute in 60 for 160.
463.	1730	1850.	2/9 for Lt. Bathin R.A.E.	H.Q. Corps R.A.E.	On no account is asphalt carted by corps to be shipped to HAIFA @ BEIRUT can take that which cannot be handled through TRIPOLI. Please rectify and signal HQ when asphalt due to arrive BEIRUT @ ack
464	1030	1143.	2/9 AUS INF BN	1 AUS CORPS F.P.C.	Q+ 17341 pte Cross due release Friday 190 please arrange collect 1000 hrs.
465	1000	1055	MVTS LATAKIA R.D.D. MVTS SYRIA	MVTS. TRIPOLI.	SV Farid (L1862). loading Free Train stores approx 30 tons for Latakia due to sail 18th.
466.	1441	1445	9 BN.	Maj. BERRY	Ack @ Expect return afternoon 18.
467		1005	A.D.J.	Transport.	The NCO.
468	1830		OC 9 BN.	OFF/C 2SD.	Re your indent 1/8 of 9 Oct. for 700 Puds. Palm @ 200 already issued so you still require balance of 400 luds @ Signal reply
469.	1000		OFF/C 2SD	OM 2/9	Have received total requirements luds palms 18 DEC.
470	1010		1 AUS. CORP LOC PROV. CORP.	2/9	cply Doyley and 4/cpl part of your unit required as witnesses at Summary of evidence being taken in charges against Sgt Verrall. @ advise date of arrival
471	1020	1328	2/9	1 A. Flot Pains. Centre	cancel our F.P.C./E of 110 pte Cross evacuated to 2/3rd Aust CCS yesterday.

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472	1410	1420	OC 2/9	ACF BEY - SOUTH	Send three ton truck Friday with parade states as at 25 <sup>th</sup> signed C.O. to ACF store one mile SOUTH TRIPOLI on BEYRUT RD pick up xmas hampers.		
473	1700	-	QM. 2/9	7 AUS. PICO TEL AVIV.	Inquiries being made re loss of equipment of W.O. Rviell QX 307 Barnes. QX 2522.		
474	2120	2330	sig 2/9	sig S. TD.	following w/T call signs for 19/12 © DIV HLQ 7CAV ZLP 18BDE MUW 2/9 KHZ		
475	1138	-	7 AUS. DIV RECP. CAMP.	2/9 BN.	W.O. CRANNIE + JAMES. will report to reception camp tonight en route to Palestine		
<u>19TH DEC.</u>							
476	0845	-	ALL COYS	2/9	C.O. conference BNHD at 1200hrs today © ACK.		
477	0958	1959	7 <sup>th</sup> RECOVERY	2/9	Bedford scout Rovy 4168250 is reporting for repairs and overhaul in charge driver C.P. Carter.		
478	1020	-	Lt Noyes R.O. School	2/9	application for 4 days additional leave granted to Lt Noyes. only.		
479	1205	-	2/9	18 BDE	Redirecting Personnel mail SKI PI Personnel to late 7A SW Cav.		
480	1532	-	ALL COYS	2/9	C.O. orderly room morning 20 Dec © tentative time 1100hrs		
<u>20 DEC.</u>							
481	1106	1245	2 AUS. BORING SECT.	2/5 AUS FID AMB.	Send gear of Sap BUTT. NX 72516 to MDS. ALEPPD. © being vac 22 Dec.		
482	1315	-	2/9 BN	1 AUS. CORP. FID. PUN. CENTRE	QX 7460 PTE PEEDS DUE release MONDAY 22 © please arrange collect 1000hrs		
483	1415	-	ALL COYS	2/9	All coys to send in amm. returns for S.A.I.A Tommy Gun Bandier Bundles Cartons by 1200 hrs tomorrow Important		
484	1455	-	O/C AACS	2/9	Will order dated 9 Dec special Xmas fare be supplied in full © advise		
485	1532	-	RMO 2/9	ADMS 7 AUS DIV	Signal No of chropody sets on hand immediately		
486	1207	1223	2/9	18 BDE	ref weekly vehicle strength state submit in terms routine orders 393. 20 Dec 41 © Para BR basis three tonnes		
<u>21 DEC.</u>							
487	1245	-	HAWKSWORTH ENT. BAND BEYRUT.	2/9	Estimated attendance concert party 15 off. 300 ORS.		

488 1400 Alltop Brk Q. 22 DEC.  
 Coys will submit return to Brk Q by 1700 hrs today showing number of personnel who require the following inoculations etc.  
 T.A.B. 1-2-3.  
 T.T. 1-2.  
 Vaccination Blood Grouping

489 1231 1250 9 BN 7 DIV CAV 23 DEC  
 Padre Doyle arrives evening 26 Dec to admin communion morning 27 Dec @ special Xmas Communion.

490 1500 - 7 Aus Div Recept Camp 2/9  
 Following personnel will report afternoon 26 Dec 41 en route 18 Aus Inf Training Bn @ QX 6440 WO1 C.A. TIMMS @ QX 405 S/Sgt BOYLEN. QX 4182 Sgt GRIERSON T.C. QX 415 Sgt DEVANTIER R. QX 646 S/Sgt SCHNEIDER R.F.

491 2207 - 2/9 18 INF BDE  
 Submit nominations and relinquishments for leave commencing 25 DEC. Unmed @ allotment 9 DN 2/12 BN. 2/9 1st Regt 7 DIV CAV. 6 each 2/9 2nd Coy 3 7 DIV Supply Column 5 2nd AA Regt. See AAFC 9 Rec Sect B Div ordnance field parks 3 adv ammun Depot 1 each @ all informed.

492 1825 - 7 Div Recept Camp 2/9  
 Following personnel will report afternoon 25 Dec en route to schools in Palestine @ QX 6082 Capt R.C. Hooper QX 3550 Lieut R.A. Emson QX 17549 Lieut H.A. McColm QX 4799 Sgts Roberts D.G. QX 2620 Cpl Earnshaw C.W.R.

493 1430 1435 O.M.C. 6.M. 2/9 BN  
 Canteen Service Bayreath  
24 DEC 41  
 Have received only pork, turkey and nuts for Xmas fare. Will you advise if balance order being supplied today.

494 1110 1114 18 Aus Div 2/9 INF BDE  
 Nominations for Cairo leave commencing 26 Dec 41 @ QX 1430 Pte Mickleborough K.A. QX 1972 Pte Markwell L.J. QX 3657 Pte Jensen G. QX 17367 Pte Jaffe J. QX 2882 Sgt Ward G.D. QX 1181 Pte Jelford S. @

495 1515 1425 7 Aus Div 2/9 Aus Inf Bn  
 Escort prisoners will leave this area morning 26 Dec @ Will report to D.A.M. Cairo evening of same date @

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496	1705	1720	18 Aust Inf Bn.	19 Aust Inf Bn.	Lieut Wharton, M. to attend No. 1. Adm Course		
497	0800	1220	27 Aust Inf Bn.	21 Aust ASD W/Spa	Lt Campbell to report to Lt Masdal @ plead signal date of arrival.		
498	2130	2133	19 Aust Bn.	18 Bde	Ref CMNA Coy @ Instruct corps sigs to be in sendames line to DJR (E) C #160UR @ circuit from this post to civil Jattakia @ Authority obtained from Residing British Liaison Sig officer		
499	1715	1845	27 Aust Inf Bn	7 Aust Div	Due to Mohammedan festivals leave will NOT be granted to Damasas from incl. night 27/28 Dec to incl. night 29/30 Dec all informed.		
500	1031	1405	27 Aust Inf Bn	18 Aust Inf Bn	Units will nominate 1 personnel for transfer to Provost Section @ persons nominated to comply with A.J.F (M) order 501 and particulars to reach the B.D. by 0900 hrs 27 Dec 41.		
501	1130	1425	27 Aust Inf Bn	18 Aust Inf Bn	Referenced out A/107/94 @ All remaining personnel report 7 Aust Div Reception Camp 6 Jan 42 paragraphs 2-3 and 4 apply.		
502	0930		All Coy	9 Bn	25 DEC 41. A song service will be held in the Red Shield Room in the town at 2000 hrs @ Coffee & biscuits will be served after the service.		
503	0950		All Coy	9 Bn	Men wishing to attend mass in towns can do so in Coy groups NC @ in charge @ as soon as mass is completed they will march back to camp.		
504			27 Aust Inf Bn	18 Aust Inf Bn	Confirming phone message by B.M. @ on 1st day in M.T. our carrier pl. stand by for the 1st @ later support 7.30. coast watching system in event enemy sea raid @ area responsibility from Frontier 1684 to Bani @ establish contact coast		
505	1020	1040	18 Aust Inf Bn	7 Aust Div	Hot MON REPOS near edars out of bounds to Ops @ disciplinary action against offenders @ per Coy to control @ all informed.		

506.	1045	1030.	Kand Inf Bde.	Yans Div	GOC. wishes you merry Xmas and victorious new year.
507	2130	2140	2/9 Bn.	2/12 Bn	Please advise if one vehicle <del>following</del> belonging to Lt. Laffinick arrived with 2/9 Bn party reinforcement school.
508	2110	2120	MR. Hamilton (Officer Impoli).	9 Bn. (Malah)	Transport will report to Officers Club Impoli at 1700 hours tomorrow night 26th Dec.
509	1225	1230	7 Aust Supply Column Rtd 9 Bn	15/11 BDE.	26 DEC 41. Arrange & repeat 7 - 3 tankers report 2/9 Aust Inf Bn 1700 hrs 27 Dec @ returns morning 29 Dec @
510.	1125	1130.	Supt. 18 Bde.	Supt. 7 Div.	please I message 2797 0529 T.H.I. 1110/21 @ also advise message method and time of delivery of message 5800, 7418, T.H.I. 0850/240
511.	1125	1137.	Amendments Off. 9am 18 Bde.	Amendments Off. 11am 18 Bde.	Can obtain hall for 9, 10, 12, and 13 Jan but not for 14 Jan also
512	0955	1015	7 Aust Div.	18 Aust Inf Bde	Ref your A 29/3/937 @ Sgt. Lucas away at course
513.	1050	1110	7 Aust Div.	18 Aust Inf Bde.	Back @ MTP 23 part of only 7 received.
514.	1230	1331	Super 7 Div.	Super 18 Bde.	Ref message PA 0/60 T.H.I. 1728 @ address all not in this area kindly cancel our copy & redirect
515	1415	1427	2/12 Bn Inf Bn	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	Vehicle Lieutenant J. A. J. Binwick not with this unit @
516.	1440	1441.	18 Aust Inf Bde.	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	Nominations for D+M course ME. DM+MM school Qx 2921 Brown KMO Student departs tonight @
517	1445	1449.	7 Div Camp	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	Qx 2921 - the Brown & M will arrive tonight en route to D+M course Palestine
518	1205	1207	Supt. 18 Bde	Supt. 7 Aust Div	message has already been cancelled to you



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					- 26 Dec 41 -		
519	1230	22.0	7 Aust Supply Co 1st Bn 249 Bn.	18 Bde	Exchange 8 1/2 tons report 249 Aust Inf Bn. 1.40.0 hrs 27 Dec @ Return morning 29 Dec @		
520	0905		249 Bn	18 Bde	Return forthwith this H.Q. Copy No 1 of 7 Aust Div. O.D. No 9 after making notes required.		
					- 27 Dec 41 -		
521	0920		1 Aust Adm Sty Dept	249 Bn	Please expedite our requisition dated 15 Dec 41		
522	0935		18 Bde	249 Bn.	Nomination for Regt. Sigs. Course commencing 3 Jan. OX 26 Pte Hyde R.C. @ Recommendation for 18 Aust Inf Bde Provost Sec SX 2568 Lt Cpl Bryant H.R. @ Confirmation following.		
523	1207		o/c A.A.S.S. Beymouth	249 Bn	Ref my messages dated 20 & 24 Dec. Please advise if further deliveries are to be made in connection with Special Xmas fare. This unit's order NOT supplied in full.		
524	1403		7 Aust Div. Receipt Camp	249 Bn	Lieut L.T. Genois OX 2611 will report tomorrow evening en route to school in Palestine		
525	1533		Pay Dept 249 Bn	Corps Pay/ Master	HADONS on Corps register as permanently attached to A section F.S.S.		
526	1417		249 Bn	249 Aust Fd Coy.	For Sgt TENNON. @ Signal Coy HQ date of completion of your work or date when Q.S.P. trucks can be released @ Do you need any additional stores		
527	1518		Sig Mx 249 Bn.	O.C. a. Sec 40 W Sigs	Signalman Wright will be relieved 28 Dec to return 1 Coy for attendance AIF (ME) school of sigs @ Signalman Rudge will relieve him arriving D.R.S.S. trucks for 1 Coy 29 Dec		

528 1200 1400 219, 210 212 18 Bde Units will forward recommendation of Ofpr to allotment as T.O. of Aust Div Inf Specialist Gp. A.I.F. (M.E) Reinf't Dept O statement of qualifications or record of service will accompany recommendation & reach this H.Q. 0900 hrs 28 Dec.

529 1705 18 Bde 219 Bn Recommendation for T.O. of Aust. Div. Specialist Group DX — Lieut A.S. Hamilton O Present T.O. this unit O six months service with unit O Memo confirming recommendation follows by D.R.L.S. 28 Dec

— 28 Dec 41 —

530 1313 1515 219 Bn 1 Adv Sty Dept Your requirements have been collected by H.Q. of Aust Div who are forwarding to H.Q. 18 Bde as soon as possible

531 1530 219 Bn 18 Bde Return all rpts all TSA Mgun amm. held in excess G1098 scale to ASC of Aust Div forthwith O until further notice units will NOT yet NOT expend this amm for training O report forthwith any deficiency G1098 scale O all informed O

532 1500 2000 Melpal, 0 1/c STO Haste, 210 219 Bn, BAOZ (008A00) Arrange cancellation my freight Bcons "B" No 4 of 19/11/41 for despatch of 400 beds palm to 3rd address O Unit no longer require beds

— 29 Dec 41 —

533 1003 219 Bn 18 Bde Nominations required immediately for officers suitable for appointment as Junior Instructor A.I.F. (M.E) Regimental Ofpr school. (DX 4570 Lieut D.J. Joyce recommended by phase 29 Dec informed by letter 30 Dec 41)

534 0910 1525 219 Bn 18 AITB Request permission for WO1 Hill to proceed to A.I.F. (M.E) Intelligence School from Jan 4 until Feb 1

535 1630 18 ITB 219 Bn A/WO1 Hill required for duty this unit O will report immediately after relieved by WO1 Thomas.

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536	0916		2/9	1 Aust LDFC Prov. Coy.	bpl. Hart & cpl. Doyle ex Lydda 29 <sup>th</sup> .		
537	0910			18 I.T.B.	Request permission W.O.I Hill to proceed to A.I.F. (M.E.) Intelligence School from Jan 4 to Feb. 1.		
538	1003			18 Bde.	Nominations required immediately for officers suitable for appointment as <del>2nd</del> Junior Instructors A.I.F. (M.E.) REGTAL Officer School.		
539	1144			1 Aust Prov Coy.	Mares Pawil states my feet are sore & said 2 days in bed required @ Return 31 0		
540	1435			1 Aust Prov. Coy.	2/9. Ack		
541				7 Aust Div.	Received code lists		
542	1640			18 I.T.B.	2/9. A/W.O.I Hill required for duty this unit @ Will report immediately after relieved by W.O. I. Demins		
543	1717			2/9 18 Bde.	Warn all frontier posts WALTER SLOWEN MAUSER, German agent now located RIHANIYE will attempt cross into SYRIA accompanied by VINALL <del>SHORT</del> short thickset mechanic @ STEN HOUSER formally employed MICA Ltd. ROUMANIA. no description @ Ack @ All informed.		
544	2005				C.O's conference at Bde H.Q. 1400 hrs 30 Dec @ 2 1/2's will attend if C.O's absent @ All informed		
545	2110			18 Bde	2/9 Ack.		
<u>30 DEC 41.</u>							
546	0930			2/9 18 Bde.	Ack message @ 255.		

547	0935		17d W'shop.	2/9	Ox 15446 Pte Campbell J.W. will report EL MAJDAL on transfer on 2 Jan 42
548	0940		7 Aust Div Recpt. Camp	2/9	Lieut G. McKay Ox 9770 + Ox 26 Pte Hyde R.C. will report 31 en route Palestine Schools @ Ox 15446 Campbell Jw report 31 on transfer PALESTINE @ Lieut. J.W. Wharton Ox 3570 will report 1 Jan en route School Egypt.
549	1101		18 Bde	2/9	Message Q 255 Ack.
550	1255				Ref. Aust Inf Bde I/123 of 29 @ On no account will name of agent be mentioned in clear over telephone @ All informed
551	1420		Curtis A.C.F.		Can you arrange delivery 100 lbs soap for this unit to DADOS Wednesday @ Have transport calling there
552	1425 1310		2/9	7 Div 7d Cash Office	Please return for cancellation Receipt 54259 new receipt made out @ Correct conversion £A 198 @
553	1900	2135	2/9	18 Bde.	<u>31 DEC 41.</u> Ref 18 Aus Inf Bde 9/126/129 of 30 Dec. @ No objection nominating personnel second ING units provided suitable replacements possible
<del>554</del> 0800	2036		ASAB.	NIRA.	<u>2nd Dec.</u> DONALD.

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554	0945		18Bde	2/9	DONALD.		
555	1010			2/9	D'COY DONALD		
556	1547		all Coys 2/10	2/9	C.O's conference Bw.H.Q. 1400 hrs 2 JAN.		
557	1830			2/9 A.M.	Return of No 1 gallon containers showing serviceable & unserviceable containers & unserviceable containers to be forwarded with return to Q Store by 1200hrs 2 Jan		
558	1830		18Bde	2/9	DONALD		
559	2115		2/9	18Bde	Ack		
560		0825	2/9	D'COY	Donald.		<u>2 Jan</u>
561	0810	0830	2/9		Donald.		
562	0852		18Bde	2/9	Donald.		
563	0932		7 Aust Dis Rec. Coy	2/9	QX588. cpl Grey TW. will report tonight enroute school Egypt		
564	1105	1340	2/9	18Bde	Forward immediately following particulars re OC carriers & age, seniority, length of service with carrier pl.		
565	0940	1342	2/9	18Bde	all units will forward returns to reach this HQ by 1800hrs today showing particulars of captured pistols in possession of members & all pistols calibre .32 & Particular note to be made of 9MM LUGERS & all informed.		
566	0946		D'COY	9Bn	QX558 cpl Grey TW. is selected to attend No 5 Junior Leaders Wing at ME Tactical School @ Aleswa Egypt. Please send him down to BHQ immediately with		
11. Issues & etc will report here by morning today							

					all issues @ He will report here by Monday today to reach Tripoli tonight
567	1104	1155	2/9	7 Aust Div	Re TAWIL @ Payment will be completed upto date of actual discharge and pay books returned to the HQ
568	1400	1435	2/9	18Bde	major Cummings will proceed and take up new appointment today
569	1610		2/9	may. Curtis ACE Buzioth	can you arrange delivery 100 lbs socks for this unit to DADOS Wednesday @ have transport calling there
570	1745		2/9	BM 18Bde	Ref withdrawal Plan for 1731 4237 and 2075 5436 read 1781 4337 and 2075 3436.
571		1638	2/9	18Bde	7 Div. Immediate report required regarding alleged shooting of W.O. McDonald 2/9 Bn
572	1685		2/9	18Bde	particulars carrier pl commander @ age 24 1/2 years @ Seniority joined unit 29 May 41 - 20th on LIETS. Seniority list @ appointed carrier command 19 Sep. 41 @
573	1658		2/9	18Bde	Captured weapons in possession of members NIL @ Pistols .32 Calibre NIL @ Pistols LUGER 9MM. NIL.
574	1658		2/9	18Bde	A/WOII QX4389 McDonald sustained injury from G.S.W. morning 1 Jan 42 @ Court of inquiry convened and taking evidence
575	2010	2011	9/BN	ACoy	Donald.
576	2010	2012	2/9	Deoy	Donald.
577	2010	2052	2/9	02E AIF 2/9 7 Aust Div Aml.	QX4389. WOII McDonald A.C. 2/9 Aust Inf Bn died at M.D.S Tripoli 1910 hrs @ gunshot wound pelvis
578	0933	1932		Pde McQueen SA Services A.I.F	authorities require you to report Depot Bn by Wednesday 1 Jan with personnel list @ ACK.
579	0750	0830	2/9	Deoy	<u>3 JAN. 42.</u> Donald.
580	1025		2/9	18 Aust Inf Bde	Permission has been granted for unit football teams to travel to Palestine to play matches for a period of one week @ please reply immediately if you have a team @ State Code.

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581	1410		18 Amst Bde	2/9	Can field the following Bn football teams O Rugby league or Union a Soccer O Rugby league and Soccer prepared		
582	1510		DADOS Trans Div.	2/9	Ref DADOS. 52/42/9 1/1/42 two sets of hand tools fitters M/T held by this unit. O based on G1098 scale deficiencies nil.		
583	2007		S.A. Lomas A.I.F.	SARAP 2/9BN.	ack.		
584	2050		HQ. B.C corp.	2/9	O.D. church parade c coy lines tomorrow.		
585	2000.			2/9 A Coy	Donald.		
586	2005	2005		2/9 D Coy	Donald.		
587	0900		18 Amst Bde	2/9	Donald.		
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588	0830		18 Amst Bde	2/9	Donald.		
589	1137			2/9 7 Dis.	Medical Boards Maj CUMMINGS and MAJ BATTEN on TUESDAY. 6 aptd 6 Jan 42. at 1100 hrs. O advise if unable to attend at 2/3 CCS BEIRUT.		
590	1355.			2/9 D Coy.	Truck 15 cwt which carries padre in Rd accident. O no one injured O will require men to remove truck from creek near bridge BEDRIYE. O		
591	0803	0805		2/9 A Coy	DONALD.		
592.	1425.		18 Bde	2/9	Contracts for Laundry with Syrian contractors. NIL.		
593	1940			D Coy 2/9	mobile Cinema will arrive before lunch tomorrow 5 Jan arrange for night program in main sleeping quarters O Anti-tank rifle with tools breach cover cleaning rods will be forwarded to Bn HQ. by 1200 hrs tomorrow 5 Jan.		

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594		0930	2/9	D Coy	Donald.
595		1231	2/9	2/4 Lt Ambr.	Ref our signals of Jan R. please expedite burial arrangements for WO2 McDonald H.G.
596		1230	MCELVEEN 2/9	ORLEY S. ARMY	Can arrange transport advise day of arrival
597	1505		ORLEY 33 BN	MCELVEEN 2/9	will arrive TRIPOLI tomorrow 6th Jan.
598	1655		1 AVST CORP FLD PUN. C.	2/9	Ox 16448 Pte Douglas A. held this unit on charge MURDER Permission requested to lodge DOUGLAS in custody at F.P. Centre pending trial. Please advise earliest date of entry
599	2140		all Coy	2/9	Students for unit gas training course will report BNHQ by 0830 hrs 7 Jan. Student from Border Coy will bring bedding etc. Duration 6 days. Lt Evans, Hamilton, Sgt Thomas course instructors. Students will bring all A/gas gear on issue
600		2010	2/9	D Coy	DONALD
601	2140	-	18 Bde	2/9	DONALD
602		2200	2/9	18 Bde	Ref 73 hand percussion grenades MK1. Units will NOT reptd NOT practice throwing these grenades until further orders.
603	1015		7 AVST DIV RECP. CAMP	2/9	<u>6 JAN.</u> SX. 2635 cpl left ER. will report there this afternoon on transfer to 18 Aust Trng Bn.
604		1207	14 Bde 2/9	7 AVST DIV	please expedite despatch monthly living returns due 3 Jan.
605	1235		18 Bde	2/9	No message received from Coy.
606	1350		B.C. HQ	2/9	G.O.C expected 1400 hrs today. Clean camp lines. Officers lecture C.O. residence 1900 hrs tonight. <del>He</del> will arrange 3pt.
607		1645	2/9	A Coy	Require to see certain area. Would like to know date of C.O. visit so that I can be at Coy. Bde Cmd here 5 Jan. States will be back in few days. Sde 1.0 here today. all under control.

Re-DONALD



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608.			2/9	18 Bde	6 JAN CONTINUED ACK.		
609			2/9	1 Corp fld Punishment	accept Douglas 1000 hrs Wednesday 7 or Thursday 8		
610	1635		1 CORP PUN. CENT 2/9	18 Bde	urgently request QX 16448 pte DOUGLAS A. 2/9 on be held in custody fld punishment centre pending trial on serious charge @ advise earliest date acceptance		
611		1915	2/9	18 Bde	confirmation of telephone conversation of 6 Jan @ Course ME COMMAND TNG CENTRE 8 JAN @ QX 9398 CAPT MARSHALL will attend catch train HAIFA 1630 hrs JAN 7 @ No Batman  g.O.C Maj Gen. Allen visited camp during afternoon visiting conv lines.		
612.	0850		18 Bde	2/9	Donald. <u>7 JAN.</u>		
613	0950		2/9	18 Bde	Ref G/71/27 of 30 Dec 41 @ submit information NOT rptd NOT later than 1500 hrs each Thursday ACK		
614.		1100	2/9	18 Bde	pte Douglas to be sent to Field punishment centre T2. Beirut @ He is to go under escort and escort will take his rifle and full equipment for training @ He is to be accompanied by four K warrant of commitment @ He is not to take money, cigarettes amm @ Take all toilet gear @ Forward particulars of Vehicle when he leaves the area		
615	1388		F.S.D AASC ALEPPO	Lt. Benson 2/9	Request Lt. Gregory P.H.F QX 929 to be at HQ 18 Bde 1730 hrs 8 JAN to give further evidence court of inquiry		
616	1813		Lt Col MARTIN 19 Bde	CO 2/9	would like discuss important matters with you @ If possible Sat. 10 JAN @ Please advise if your presence this unit possible above date		

617		0225/8	HQ Coy	ACoy	Suggest you send Det. mstitars to me at once They would help by digging their own post send 12 pair gloves for wiring of ACK
618	1710		ASec Sig	Sig Off 7 Aust Div 2/9	ACK
619	1805		all coy	2/9	C.O.'s orderly Room 1700 hrs & jaw of Pte Best of ACoy will be paraded
620	1740		2/9	7 Aust Div	Pay book of interpreter TAWIL NOT YET received thro HQ Please expediate has TAWIL left LATTAKIA
621		1900	2/9	18 Bde	Report immediately date of evah of QX 5007 W.O. CRANNEY TX
622	2003		18 Bde	2/9	Sixth Aug 1900
623	2020		18 Bde	2/9	Ref C Coy lines BAUKA green flames seen 90 degrees several miles distance
624	2	2046	2/9	18 Bde	Investigate flare and report ACK
625	2145		18 Bde	2/9	DCoy DONALD Temporarily NO communication ACoy
626	2100		18 Bde	2/9	ack
627	2250		18 Bde	2/9	Flare investigated nothing to report.
628	1310	1410	2/9 Aust Div	Flanigan Fitzroy	For Evans Fitchard & Bing Hodson does not repeat LATTAKIA plan sent
629			all coys		C.O. orderly Room 1700 hours
<u>8 JAN.</u>					
630	0730		Father Kyzolas	NIKA	Syllabus shows training today and Friday suggest you have mass on Saturday
631		0950	ADJ.	NIKA	C.O. instructed me to inquire for extra tools etc Require 30 picks & 50 chisels Gloves wiring & camouflage for huts Blankets extra per man Brushes for paint ack
632	0950	1010	all coys	9 Bnd	The following information is required by 0830 hrs number men in Bay at Red bank number men in Binou Mauritania number men not yet been in action
633	1425	1440	2/9 2nd	18 Bde	Reference our circular 1.5.11 all units will make similar amendments to own Security Schemes and submit copies to HQ by 12 Jan. A.C.K. all informed
634	1450		7 Recovery	9 Bnd	Require breakdown of 15 cutters your Recovery Tripoli
635	1610	1616	7 Aust Div	2/9 2nd	Pay book of interpreter TAWIL being forwarded from 18 Bnd Inf Bde.
636	1615	1630	2/9	18 Bde	Reference this H.Q. 5/3/5 dated 2 Jan officers nominated in your C 37 will report this H.Q. at 1100 hrs 7 Aust Div for interview G.O. immediately Dahses will be taken Rations and quarters will be provided at 7 Aust Div Reception Camp Transport will be carried Return direct at 1200 hrs ACK

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637	1650	1700	2/9	18 Aust Inf Bde	Transport of supplies out 01270 units will move with <del>own</del> transport. Accommodation stores G 1098 only will be taken. G 1033 in quadrants will be notified prepared for stores to be handed over. Baggage units will weigh of baggage to be lifted.		
638	1630	1720	2/9	18 Bde	18 Aust Inf Bde Gp. less 2/9 Aust. I & Regt. and 2/9 Aust. 7d Coy will be relieved by Bde from 9 Aust Div in near future. 18 Aust Inf Bde Gp moves Palestine short period training and is now at 48 hrs notice. All units will prepare handover. Present operations responsibilities and plans to relieving units. All addresses will maintain reasonable secrecy but will not withhold information from essential officers. Further orders following. Ack. All informed.		
639	1704	1717	Sig 2/9	OC, A Sub Sigs 7 Aust Bde	W/T set will be relieved 1530 hrs of 9 and T. PT. being sup for de relieved ditto. Relief L/Cpl M. NIKELSEN Sigs. Col Sigs. SINCLAIR.		
639	1725	1740	2/9 Bn	15 Bde	Ref 18 Aust Inf Bde 6/10/72 of 5 Jan 42 Second SKI course postponed until further notice. All informed.		
640	2130	2130	18 Bde	2/9 Bn	Trans Signal 0126 ACK		
642			All Coys	ASAB	Weekly Eng reports will reach Bn HQ no later than 1600 hrs each Wednesday	R.M. 3	
642	0837		18 Bde	2/9 Bn	ACK (in reply to 0127.)	R.M. 4	
643	0854		All Coys & D.M.	ASAB	C.O.s conferences 1100 hrs of Jan. ACK	R.M. 3	
644	2130		ASAB	NIRA	Re R.O.s. No 375 para 376. At least twice weekly donkey trains numbering 50 animals over period of two hours cross the Turkish frontier by tracks from BEDRIYE. Ack	E.P. 24	
645	2130		ASAB	NIRA	Would it be possible to obtain an issue of Jerkin leather. Have found them perfect keeping near warm working in the hills. Ack	E.P. 25	
646	2130		ASAB	NIRA	Look situation poor. Important to have more at the earliest date. Will be returning pig heads for treatment. Ack	E.P. 26	
- 9 JAN 42 -							
647	Stand By Coast		Coy	(B Coy) on Carrier Pt. called out to investigate suspicious activity of small unknown men at RAS BASSITE 161434. No suspicious circumstances.			
647	1710		2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Secret recon party of Aust Div arriving LATTAKIA morning 11 to take over plans and role 2/9 Bn action position as follows. Bn HQ 2 oftrs 2 NCOs each Coy 1 oftr 1 NCO. Ack	0133	
648	0842		ASAB	NIRA	Ack	E.P. 29	
649	1115		NIRA	ASAB	Off	E.P. 30	

650	1855		ASA B	NIRA	Amo. 55 will return to ASA B @ Act?	EP. 22
651	0906		18 Bde	9 Bn	NIRA reports DONALD.	✓
652	0835		18 Bde	9 Bn	DONALD, no report from "A" Coy.	✓
653	0940		12 Bde	9 Bn	Capt HOOPER absent at FD Works. SCHOOL @ Other Officers reporting as ordered @	RM 1
654	0950		1 Aust Corps Fd Pun Centre	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	Committal Warrant Form K requested will be despatched today @	R.M. 2
655.	1147		NIRA, MIXD, RIPE, HYPA, TARA.	ASA B	Weekly, Try reports will reach Bn H.Q. no later than 1800 each TUESDAY.	RM 3
656	1500		18 Bde	2/9 Bn	Weight of baggage stores (51) Fifty One Tons @ Weight of kitbags Officers baggage (24) Twenty Four Tons.	Q296
657	1250		2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Retain Bde and 12 Bn logistic two pending further instructions	T. 12.
658	1721	1850	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Exchange collect from L.A.D. T.O. repaired three motor cycles.	T. 13.
659		1511	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Service possible over Q296 @ MIT now runners will be towed @ Vehicles which can not be towed will be evacuated to 3 Adv w/snaps BEIRUT @ Laid signal cable will be left @ 2nd line Amv will be dumped and landed over @ 4 blankets will be carried by reinforcements balance rolled in bundles of less (2) (1)0 and returned to PAPAS dump on date to be notified @ 4 days ration will be carried @ will move with marching order @ Prepare K factor 5 copies immediately @ All informed	Q298
660		1505	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Capt W.A.D. JAVANT ceases to be seconded to 7 Aust Div and resumes regimental duty as from 15 Jan.	Q299

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661		1330	Pay Sgt 2/9 Bn.	Chief Paymaster R.I.F.	— 9 Jan 1942 — (cont'd)		
					Forward pay books & X 646 R.F. SCHNEIDER to 18 Aust Instrns Inf Tng Bn. and advise action urgently.		
662		1037	all Coy 2/9 Bn.	ASAB	— 10 Jan 1942 —		RM2
					all Coys will prepare accommodation for 10 P/O's INCO arriving tomorrow 11 Jan. ① Bn HQ will prepare accommodation for 2 NCO's ①		
663		1435	all Coys 2/9 Bn	2/9 Bn			RM3.
					Coys will hold muster checks of blankets ① Limit of 4 per man ① HYDA Coy will hold 5 per man ① all surplus to be immediately returned to Bn QM ① Cpl McGrood of NIRA Coy will report to Bn HQ 11 Jan with all gear ①		
664		1105	9 Bn	12 Bde			Q305
					Jerkins leather boots rubber will be returned DADOS in accordance with blanket time table to be issued later		
665		1555	9 Bn	18 Bde			Q309
					second 3rd uniforms will not repeat not be handed in.		
666	1028		recovery	9 Bn.			H.M.1.
					Can you send by truck today one Bedford Solex Cabriolet		
667		1445	C/O 2/9 Bn.	Padre M. Green			✓
					Kindly direct my mail to Depot Bn.		
668		0245	2/9 Bn	Horton Beirut.	— 11 Jan 1942 —		SS580
					Following for EVANS-PRITCHARD ① Enemy submarines reported landed from submarine neighbourhood RAS BAZI 161434 north of LATTAKIA ① Investigate and report direct to unit army and repeat here.		
<p>Stand-by Coy - "B" Coy - called out to investigate above report ① Meanwhile investigation by Adjt showed message to refer to happenings of two days ago ① "B" Coy recalled ①</p> <p>Advance Party 2/13 Bn. arrived 1400 hrs.</p>							

669	0917	2/9 Bn	2/25 Bn.	Regret only play Rugby Union and Soccer. Would like to arrange matches at any time.	A112
670	1132	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Following message received from Aust Corps 2325 hrs 10 Jan. Enemy saboteurs reported landed from submarine RAS BAZIT 161444 North of LATAKIA within last 24 hrs estimated reliability of deduction 60%. Contact source Lieut. LANGLIN, Naval Offr 1/ LATAKIA Investigate and report. Message ends. Message was addressed 2/9 Aust Inf Bn. Advise if received and action taken.	O136
671	1146	Chief Paymaster 23 F.	Pay Dept 2/9 Bn	Paybooks QX 646 R.F. SCHNEIDER forwarded to 18 A.I.T.B	P 8.
672	1410	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	All E2 cooking gear will apt will be taken with unit all informed.	Q316
673	1419	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Ref para 11 B. of 18 Aust Inf Bde O O 1 of 3 Jan. Forward immediately	O138
674	1730	18 Bde	9 Bn	accident report re G Bourton forwarded you this morning 11 Jan.	HM 1
675	1715	DA 703 7 Aus Div	2/9 Bn	Ref 53/1/95 Received	R.D.3.
676	1640	2/9 Bn for F.S.S.	4 Aus Div.	Signal number of vacancies required F.S.S. course CAIRO comm app 19 Jan.	1955
677	1010	G111(I) HQ 9 Div	A Sec F.S.S. 2/9 Bn	—12 Jan 1942— Ref your signal F.S.S. Course. No vacancies required	✓
678	1356	2/9 Bn	N & Coy	Order No. 1. Ask?	CB 1
679	1200	18-21-25 Bdes RAA-RASS-2/9 Bn	7 Aus Div	Ref paragraph 14 and APM orders 23. All carriers 18 Bde Gp except 5 at LATAKIA will be handed over to units 9 Div. Total 74 vacancies SOME will arrange to 5 LATAKIA to TRIPOLI by AASC MT on 13 Jan. Concentration to 2/25 Bn and Bdes and	O 66

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					RAA TRIPOLI area concentrate carriers at loading Rampas and be prepared move 15 Jan @ advise on concentration points.		
					(Cont of.)		
680	1000		2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Secret @ Units will NOT <del>not</del> take first line amm to new locality @ Following scale only will be carried for security @ Rifle 50 rounds LMG 6 mags T3MG 2 mags Pistol full scale MMG 1 belt @ All informed	Q320	
681	1110		2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Secret @ All units except those instructed to contrary will NOT take prisoners when moving	Q322	
682	1658		SOME 9 Aus Div.	9 Aus Inf Bn.	Bde trucks here broken front axle will you exchange breakdown waggon tow same for repairs TRIPOLI or BEIRUT	HMI.	
683		2122	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Secret @ Copies of appreciations and all orders issued by this HQ will be handed over to relieving units representative @ All informed	0140	
					— 13 Jan 1942 —		
684		1845	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Ref para 16 adm order No 1 @ Delete all ref to Light Tanks all informed	0142	
685			Pay Sgt Asst	NARA	Will pay be available	EP43	
686		0735	2/9 Bn	1 Aust Corp Fd Pun Centre	Can not accept until further notice	FPC/132	
687		1250	1 Aust Corps Fd Pun Centre	2/9 Bn	Can you admit OX15326 Pte Hooper W.F. sentenced to 28 days field punishment with loss of pay @ Please signal earliest date of acceptance		

688	2107	18 Dec	2/9 Br	Messages No 62 82 Inmed 31 54 act?
689	0436	2/9 Br	Aust Records	Australia requests brief particulars circumstances of death of QX 4389 WO II MacDonald H. G. O Advise by arial
690	2330	2/9 Br	Harbor Beirut	For Evans Butchard O Hamilton will be away till Thursday evening so hope you will stay over that night
691	1132	4 Aust Div 2/9 Br	18 B de	Ref 7 Aust Div Adm Orders 23 In all cases for 2/10 Aust Inf Br read 2/12 Aust Inf Br and vice versa O all informed
692		All Coy Br HQ R.M.O.	ASAB	"Chipping" Personnel will not take paltrines O All carriers excepting fuel which are to be transported to 7 Aust. Div. under Div arrangements will be handed over to incoming Unit O All ammunition will be handed over excepting following amount to be carried 50 pounds Rifle 1 map per L.M.C 2 maps per T.S.M.C full scale pistol O All Coy messes will close and settle all outstanding accounts by evening of 14 Jan O Certificate from OC Coy to this effect rendered by 1800 hrs 14 Jan.
693		All Coy Br HQ	2/9 Br	O J. Orderly Room 1200 hrs 13 Jan O Pte Hooper D Coy will report for this Orderly Room.
694		ASAB	NISA	-14 JAN 42-
695		ASAB	HYDA	Donald
696		915 Am for ASD	Political officer Latakia	Reference made X 41 of 12-1-42 and X 44 of 13-1-42 Please confirm E.N.S.A Contact party to show at Latakia tomorrow 15-1-42. State time of arrival at Latakia.

RM 6.

E 14/91

Q997

RM 5



No.	Des.	Recd.	To	From	Subject	No	Remarks
					15 JAN - 42		
697					Advance Party left for Palestine		
698				of 13th Div Headquarters Div	Headquarters party Haifa only state leaves 0500 Cannot raise you on phone Delay in train more King Capt Dinsmore immediately		
699				Asst. V. K. A.	Donald.		
					16 JAN - 42		
670					Main party left Haifa for Palestine		
					18 JAN - 42		
671				2/12 2/10 2/10 INF BNS	2/12 BN to provide work party 18/19 20 Oks to report OC leave camp Afula 19 Jan 42 3 ton reports 2/12 BN 420 goods 19 JAN Party departs 0930 hrs route via ULKARAT-SEBASTIA TENIN-AFULA and carries lunch other material provided to carry bedding party return from 20 JAN 42		
672	1475			2/9 BN 18 AVST INF 300	Submit forthwith names two lieuts in order priority as duty offrs. conv. depot		
673	1500			2/9 2/10 2/12 1/11 BNS 2/5 18 AVST ESMIF 600	Acquisition of cash for personnel NOT paid last period may be submitted PM 7 AVST DIV forthwith Syrian currency to be collected within units for exchange by PM 7 Avst Div in bulk at rate ST 1 = DH 3 mils		
674	1100			2/25 2/10 2/10 2/12 INF BNS 7 Div Sec 2/5	2/25 Avst Inf Bn to provide camp duties 18 JAN of CINEMA-PICQUET also on light 3 Oks as leave PICQUET to report CAMP STAFF OFFR: LEANE LINE 1400 hrs		

675 1800 18 and 7 and  
Inf Bn 200  
2/9 Bn  
Lieut T.W. WHARTON 2/9 Bn urgently required as  
administrative staff off - movement control  
group of you a pre-arrange that he reports ECH  
forthwith to Admin

676 1530 Aust del 10 Nov  
2/9 Bn TN  
A.I.F.  
Lieut. Wharton on boat 0900  
approved transfer & require him immediately report  
R.T.O. Giza & Admin when coming forward

677 1550 Aust del 10 Nov  
2/9 Bn TN  
A.I.F.  
Request posting Lieut. C.M. Arnold R.Sh 2/9 Bn  
as E.S.O. NORTH A.I.F. & urgent.

678 1715 2/9 Bn 18 and  
Inf Bn 2/9 Bn  
20 JAN 42  
All cameras except one held by official unit  
photographer will be withdrawn forthwith and  
deposited with unit baggage returned to kit store  
& Ack all informed

679 1400 I.O. 18 and  
2/9 Bn 18 and  
A.I.F. BN  
Personnel proceeding to the higher school will bring  
with them their mess gear and eat their mid-day  
meal at bden H.Q. &

680 1145 all 2/9 Bn  
Corp  
21 JAN 42  
Corps will return by 1500 hrs number of personnel  
examined in TOET in C.W. Eng & Particulars required (i) number  
personnel examined (ii) percentage qualified in following  
sections of "Hitchcock Against R.C.S. & AIR-RAIDS" Part No. 1  
Sections 102, 103, & 104 & last already carried out in JAN  
to be done immediately &

681 1640 2/9 Bn 18 and  
A.I.F. BN  
Ack required for circ I 8 of 20 JAN.

682 1635 2/9 Bn 18 and  
A.I.F. BN 2/9 Bn  
Rep circ I 8 of 20 Jan re disposal of cameras & cameras  
will be departed with affr in charge second edelaw  
and NOT repeat NOT with kit store & Ack all  
informed

683 1430 All 2/9 and  
Inf Bn 2/9 and  
Officers lecture at affr school 200 hrs 21 Jan &  
Lecturer Lt. Col. Cummings & all affr not required for  
night duties will attend & Major Berry Capt Cairne  
ad. this of course requiring last night & Court  
assemble H.Q. 2/9 Bn 20 Jan & Ack &

NO	DES	REC'D	TO	FROM	SUBJECT	No.	REMARKS
684		14/10	all units of 9th Bn HQ		all B122's to be forwarded to Bn. H. Q. immediately		
685		17/40	1st Coy 2nd Coy Clay	19th Bn	the officers' names bagged in cases of the 10th Bn Bn HQ further with ①		
686	1325	1735	GROUP 22	15 <sup>th</sup> BDE.	Ref 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn Admin instruction No. 2 ① ack. 22/1/42.		
687			ORDERLEY OFFICE 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Two cameras on strength ① notify <sup>25/1/42.</sup> Co/ about letter ① Notify H.Q. coy. ref. <del>four</del> cameras drives to Bde. at 1300 hrs ① Send Capt. available for G.O. duties - Hooper - Peck - Bourne - Fleming. ①		
688	1705		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN. 2/10 <sup>th</sup> A.I.B. 2/12 <sup>th</sup> A.I.B. and 2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD. AMB.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE	All maps except those of training areas and road routes will be re- turned to Bde I.O. tomorrow. Maps will be sorted into sheet numbers, old and new series		
689	1235		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN. 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN. RPTD. RAF 7 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE	Confirming verbal instructions <sup>25/1/42.</sup> ① Five squads of 25 each unit will report 2/12 <sup>th</sup> Aust. Inf. Bn. parade ground for instruction in delousing TELLER MINES BOOBY TRAPS etc ① Report at 0845 hrs. 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan.		
690	1610		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	15 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE	ack your exercise at for Coys Copy No. 12.		
691	1719		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 2/10 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD. AMB.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	G.O.C.'s conference will held at 'B' mess 3/0. 7 Aust. Div. 1400 hrs 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan ① all commands + co's down to Bn. and equivalent comds. and grade <u>11</u> staff officers will attend ① Ack.		
692	1305		AUST. RECORDS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Effective strength 33 (thirty three) officers ① eight hundred and twelve (812) O.R.'s ① First line reinforcements with unit - five (5) officers. Forty six (46) O.R.'s ①		
693	0940		ALL COYS AM.O I.O., Q.M	9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	All officers not on duty will <sup>20/1/42.</sup> parade daily in officers' lines for P.T. ①		
694	1145		ALL COYS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Coys will inform this H.Q. <sup>22/1/42.</sup> location of training areas used in daily training ① Information to reach Bn. H.Q. by 0830 hrs daily ① Ptes Parker E.W. & Parker E.W. of D Coy. will report to adjutant at 1330 hrs. 22 <sup>nd</sup> Jan		

695	0700	BN HQ - Q.M. - I.O. - SIG. OFFR. - PIONEER OFFR. - A/A OFFR. - R.M.O. - R.S.M.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	25/1/42. Flap 0 Subunits as named above will receive limited transport 0 All essential stores and equipment will be carried on first loading 0 Remaining equipment and stores will be ferried 0 Exercise commences 0830 hrs. 23 <sup>rd</sup> Jan 0
696	0930		2/9-2/10 2/12 BN	18 Bde Units will collect all private diaries 26/1/42 and forward same to second echelon 0 ACK.
697	1500		ALL COYS. 2/9	25/1/42 all X list and reinf. to report immediately to parade ground opposite BN HQ
698	1500		ALL COYS. 2/9	reinf ORS will parade at 08,26 Jan for medical inspection at R.A.P. 0 Coys will not absorb reinf who will be trained as a body 0 HQ Coy will train specialists as required
699	0930		ALL COYS 2/9 Bn.	26/1/42 Pte diaries of all unit personnel will be forwarded to BnHQ immediately 0 Diaries will be wrapped separately with owners name on outside of wrapper 0 ACK 0
700	1030		18 Bde 2/9	ACK.
701	1400		ALL COYS 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN	Coy counts of Coys engaged on Tbn. exercise will report to each ref 128 1116. Ref map GAZA 1/100,000 by 0845 hrs. on the morning of the 2 <sup>nd</sup> 0 Remainder of Coy under 2 1/2 will leave unit lines at 0830 hrs & re-entrant S 11917 GAZA 1/1000
702	1640		E Coy. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	R.C. mass and confession at recreation 27/1/42. All R.C. personnel in E Coy will parade for this mass 0 Confession will be heard at E.P.I. tent near of Tbn. H.Q. near water tower from 1800 hrs. on- ward 27 <sup>th</sup> Jan 0 GOODARD lines at 0830 hrs. 28 <sup>th</sup> Jan 0
703			2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 2/10 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BDE WARNING ORDER 0 This H.Q. will at 28/1/42 follows 0 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Feb. - 2/10 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN 4 <sup>th</sup> Feb. - 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 6 <sup>th</sup> Feb. 0 ACK.

NO.	DES	RECD.	TO	FROM	28/1/42. A Coy will do Coy exercise set by Tbn. tomorrow 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan. Witnesses for trial of Pte. DOUGLAS will report from TS Coy. to Tbn. H.Q. by 0830hrs 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan @ ACK @.	NR	REMARKS
704	1700		A + B Coys.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.			
705			B Coy. + H.Q. Coy.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Trial of Pte. Douglas — @ Witnesses will not report as — @ The following transport will be returned to V.R.P. BARBARA at 0845 hrs. 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan. <del>Bedford</del> Morris Two 8cwt Morris — one 8cwt Dodge — four 18cwt Bedfords — four 30cwt Bedfords — one 30cwt Ford — six 15cwt C.A.S. Chevrolats @ T.O. is responsible that all transport is delivered clean, is complete with accessories and are delivered at exactly 0845 hrs. 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan. @ Ack @.		
706	1100		9 <sup>th</sup> BN	18 <sup>th</sup> BDE. BDE. MAJOR.	All transport drivers will commence ack-ack. (Tbn) training, immediately. The Bde. exercise set down for Friday week may have to be postponed @ The C.O. will prepare an alternative syllabus to cover this.		
707	0950		ALL COYS.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Personnel who have not yet had T.I. - T.A.B. to report to R.A.P. immediately @ Please treat this as urgent. 29/1/42		
708	1230		18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	ACK @		
709	1210		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. — 2/10 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. — 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	Units will submit a return showing number of O.R. not armed with rifles and reasons for and particulars of same @ Returns to reach H.Q. by 0900 hrs. 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan.		
710	1750		all comp of 9 Bn		30 - 1 - 42 Bn parade 0830 - 0930 hrs 31 Jan @ Officers named and selected NCOs and transport as per R.M. 40. will NOT report to Bn HQ until immediately after Bn parade @ ACK @ R.M.H.		
711	1950	1958	of 9 and 18 Bn		of 9 - 2/10 hrs each provide FIVE (3) three tenners called tentage ordnance SARAFANO 31 Jan 42 @ T.O. Deliver this HQ's @ of 9 Bn provide officer a company @ 12. of 10 Bn vehicles report of 9 Bn transport lines 0830 hrs @ Two trips necessary @		
			all comp		Following officers and NCOs will report to Bn HQ		

712

all Coy  
of 9 Aust  
Inf Bn

The following officers and NCOs will report to Bn HQ  
by 0845 31 Jan 0 Capt Barnes or Lieut. Powell. Cpl. Daint  
and Clarke. Lieuts. Coans - Hunter, Scott, McDonald plus  
four senior NCOs from each Coy and six NCO from R.M. 40.  
Carry 100 lbs. will also cut lunches will be  
carried plus full water bottles. T.O. will arrange  
for transport to report to Bn. @ 0845 hrs. @ Ack @

713

1530

all Coy  
Bn HQ  
R.M.O.

Bn 2 1/2 I.O. Coy Cmdrs, R.M.O. will report to Bn's office  
1915 hrs 30 Jan for CO's conference @ Coy Cmdrs conference R.M. 39  
at 2000 hrs 30 Jan @ Ack by signature @

714

2030 2110

2/9 Bn  
7th  
Altd.

Q x 8289 the CAMERON TOWN 2/9 Bn death on M. 7  
areal 30 ft result head accident @ @ age  
52 religion Presbyterian @ cause of  
death to be notified @ Please advise funeral  
arrangements

715

0930

all Coy  
Bn HQ

31/1/42  
Until further notice all rptd. all Coy officers will attend RM 43.  
administrations parades at 0715 hrs. daily @ The CO  
expresses his displeasure at (a) State of Coy lines (b) at  
marching standard and general turnout on Bn Parade @  
Ack @

716

1125

2/9 Aust  
Inf Bn  
2/10 + 2/12

Ref 7. Aust. Div. SRS/446/16 of 24 Jan @ units will return. J 24.  
all <sup>old</sup> scenario stamps to this HQ today.

717

1215

all Coy  
+ Reults  
9 Bn.

Coy's requiring reinforcements with requisition on OC. Rints for BB 17  
number required @. OC Reinforcements will send x list  
personnel and additional from reinforcement personnel  
@ There will be no selection by Coy Cmdrs. @ Ack by  
signature.

718

1700

Field Coy  
2/9 Aust  
Inf Bn

Road party 11/2/42  
all leaders of unit road party will report HQ. 19 Aust Inf Bn 2100 hrs RM 46  
tonight 1st February @ ACW @

NO 719 DES. 1015 REC'D TO FROM 2/9 Port 18 Side ACh 4-2-42

NO 128 REMARKS Ref. to ADM. INST No 2 R.M. 49. ADM Order 72

720 0815 A.I.F. ME 2/9 Bnd Copy no 10 ACh 5-2-42

721 1400 all Coys 2/9 Bnd Coys are allowed the use of the 30 range ra. of Side H.Q. as follows: A, B, Coy's 0830 hrs - 12/30 hrs 6 Feb. & D.C. Coys 1400 hrs - 45 hrs 6 Feb - A, D, Coy and Rec. Enforcement Coy 0830 - 1645 hrs 7 Feb. Practice Handball tournament - Rifle Coys 4500 hrs Rec. Enforcement Coy 4000 hrs A, D, Coy 5000 hrs. Ammunition from R.S.M. Coys will be practised in Rifle and H.M.G. Coys will supply own targets. Ack R.M. 50

6-2-42 Draft of reinforcements arrived from Dinna

7-2-42 Further draft of reinforcements arrived

8-2-42 Battalion embarked at Juleis commencing at 2000 hrs for Al Maghdal Station. Battalion entrained at Al Maghdal Sta. for El Kantara (in two trains)

9-2-42 First train with main body of Bn. arrived at El Kantara at 0730 hrs. and left El Kantara at 1000 hrs. and entrained again for Suez. Arrived Tewfik Staging Camp at 1200 hrs

10-2-42 In Staging Camp Port Tewfik

11-2-42 At 0900 hrs Bn marched out of Staging Camp at wharf. Bn moved by ferry to new Amsterdam W. 61. at 1130 hrs.

722 1910

all units S.O.R.

units requiring kit-bags etc from hold MUST do so tonight. Unit reps must confer with Ships Baggage Officers at Ships O.R. at 2000 hrs.

723

all units Ships Adj.

Submit forthwith lists of all officers showing cabin Nos. of same separately for all med. officers. One runner from each unit will report for duty to ship's orderly room forthwith.

724 2200

all units SOR.

Unloading baggage 12 Feb.  
1. Three lighters approx require to be unloaded early AM of 12 Feb. Unloading to commence at 0700 hrs.  
2. Each of the following serial nos will detail parties on the following scale, returning them for meals etc. on their own initiative

29263  
29265  
29266  
29267  
61067  
61079  
61086  
55709

10 offr. 3 NCO'S 5 OR

Note. 29263 to represent 61074, 61091, 61128, 61003, 61172, 61203, 61079 to represent 61091, 61080.

725

3. The above parties will report to Lt. Connelley on Prom. Deck forward at 0650 hrs 12 Feb with full details of what is required (A) in cabin (B) in ship's QM stores (C) in hold.

725 2210

all units 80L

1. All arms & amm. must be stored in Armory & magazine respectively. Units will comply through their unit commanders.  
2. Serial 29266 will stow arms in armory at 1000 hours 12 Feb.  
3. Arms will be cleaned on a roster to be fixed. It is not anticipated that it will be possible for units to clean arms more than once in two days owing to restricted space.



NO	DES	RECD	TO	FROM	REMARKS	NO	REMARKS
					<p>4. Gunners of 29263 will act for 610 74, 610 91, 61125, 61105, 61172.          Gunners of 61373 will act for 610 86, 55409.          " " " " " " "          " " " " " " "</p>		
726				O.C. TROOPS.	<p>12-2-42          Each unit named will supply 10.0. R. to HAN 4 Lewis 6 markers N.G.s of ships A.H. Remnant Personnel will report after 1630 hrs today for continuous duty until daylight - 13 Feb 42.</p>		
727	1140.			Ships C.M.	<p>Units will advise this office by 1400 hrs today the number of personnel in possession of (A) mattresses or Hammocks (B) Lifebelts.</p>		
728	1235.			Head of Staff Adjts.	<p>Terminal roll no., Sgts L/Sgts incl birth and location and number to be supplied by 1230 hrs 13 Feb 42.</p>		
729	1245			O.C. Troops	<p>Conference with Comd. 18 Bde and all COs in shipboard training at 1200 hrs 13 Feb Ship's Cinema</p>		
730	1245			O.C. Troops	<p>Cinema performance at 2000 hrs today. Personnel to attend 250 these ordered on a ticket basis 30 OKs each 9, 10, 12 Bn. 200.Rs each 5 Fd. Sgt. 5 Fd. Amb 15 each 4 Fd Coy C Coy A.F.C. 10 each 18 Bde HQ 16d PL Units concerned will issue passes to the cinema accordingly</p>		
731	1255			O.C. Troops	<p>Bands will not play while the ship is leaving or entering port.</p>		
732	1300			O.C. Troops	<p>Each Bn will detail one officer and four NCOs to parade on officer's porch for instruction on MARLIN guns ships A.H. depend.</p>		
	1630.				<p>New Amsterdam in and out          all cantines. Request          10 aft 15 gts 12 OK. Off report to Depts off 10          0800-0900 1130-1330 1800 2000 hrs</p>		

minutes before 0800-0900 1130-1330 1800-2000 hrs.  
Raids will fall in at lower from Deck Starboard  
side aft.

133  
OC traps

There will be an emergency drill at 0930 hrs 13 Feb 42  
Attention is directed to para 14 Part II S.O.S.

134 1650  
all units  
Ships  
Aft

meal hours will be as follows  
0700 second 0745 Third 0830 lunch first 1145 second  
1230 Third 1315 Tea first 1700 second 1745 Third  
1830 O'Nos & Sgts B'fast first 0700 second 0745  
lunch first 1145 second 1230 Dinner first 1745  
second 1830. Officers B'fast 0830 lunch 1815  
Dinner 1915. Junior Offrs from following units  
will be detailed to attend second sitting of WOs  
and Sgts mess 9.10.12. Bn. Tenseads 2/5 3d Regt.  
Tns Hq. 18 B Det. Tns 2/4 3d Coy and 6 Coy AAFC  
Tns each O'ack.

135  
Ships  
Aft

13-2-42.  
mattresses may be drawn at squash court  
E Deck at 1730 hrs today 13 Feb 42.

136 1845  
F.O.D.

OC traps has obtained a privilege for personnel  
concerned which must NOT be abused. The  
privilege is as follows: providing that QUIETNESS  
is maintained and SHIP'S ENGINEERS off watch  
are NOT disturbed MESS ORDERLIES in recreation  
periods may rest on Sun Deck between FUNNELS  
during DAY ONLY. Units will need a PERMIT  
pass for their MESS orderlies who desire to avail  
themselves of the SUN-BAKING.

137  
S.O.R.

crowd at cinema require controlling. ©

138  
P.O.

Requires a nominal roll of all personnel embarked ©  
on H.S. News Amsterdam © Checkraft © Postal  
inquiries sale of stamps etc ©

NO	DES.	RECD	TO	FROM		NO	REMARKS
739.					<p style="text-align: center;"><u>14. 2. 45</u></p> <p>all ranks will carry lifebelts at all times on board this ship &amp; officers will check men <u>NOT</u> carrying same in respect of what units the officer of man may belong to &amp; units will treat this matter as <u>IMPORTANT</u> &amp; <u>ACK.</u></p>		
740			all units	S. Neising	<p>all Senior Commanders will notify ship missing officer of the number of their guards for each sitting also the number of the mess room person to the mounting of their guards &amp; notification to be made personally.</p>		
741					<p>All personnel will be informed by you of the difference between Emergency signal and A. A. Alarm</p>		
742					<p>Please provide one bugler for permanent Duty - Ship's Orderly Room to report ship's Sgt Major S. O. R. <sup>11/11/45</sup> today</p>		
743.	1135			Ship's Adj.	<p>Cos &amp; O's to confer with O/C Troops Ship's Orderly Room 1500 hrs today.</p>		
745	1525			F.O.I.	<p>The following were noted on ship's inspection:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Patrol men were struck by an authorized place. Action is being taken against them.</li> <li>2. Many men were below decks during inspection. Between 1000 hrs and 1630 hrs only daily duties are to be below.</li> <li>3. Luggage eggs were on floors, stables and mats in proper receptacles &amp; racks. Standard of most cabins could be considerably improved. Many fatigues &amp; duties did <u>NOT</u> go to emergency stations. All personnel will act on emergency stations. Sentries remain on their posts until relieved by their orderly officer.</li> </ol> <p>as from 1800 hrs today time for officers mess will be breakfast 1830 hrs lunch 1930 hrs Dinner 1930 hrs</p>		

0830 hrs Lunch / 1330 hrs Dinner / 1930 hrs.  
Meeting of all R.M.O.s / 1630 hrs Officers Lounge @ Deck.

Before memo training on Board ship of 13 Feb @ training  
will not be carried out tomorrow

746

Ships  
Adj.

Conference for B.O.s & O.C. officers lounge port alcove  
1200 hrs today @

747

All R.O.I. to contact Ships S.M. in sergeants' lounge  
at 1600 hrs.

748

1425

SHIPS  
ADJ.

Amendment to time table for E Deck pool will be made in  
accordance with the following table as from 14 Feb 42 @  
1400-1530 hrs of 2nd. 2d. Regt. @ 1530 - 1630 of 9 Aust. Inf Bn.  
1630-1800 of 10 Aust. Inf Bn @

749

1445

Ships

One offr will be detailed to meet ships committee off in STABD  
lives offrs lounge at 1630 hrs today to discuss possibility  
of organising boxing wrestling tournament or  
exhibition bouts.

750

All  
units S.O.L.

Key to light switch aboard outside ships orderly  
locker room is missing. Under phrase returns to  
ships orderly room immediately.

751

Ships  
Adj.

Recall of S.O. issue / withhold all action pending  
further notice

752

Ships  
Q.P.

Let B.O.W. 2. @ proceed in accordance with original  
instruction @

753

1714

Ships  
Adj.

Let C.O.s and O.C. conference today returns of ① personnel  
rpt requiring accommodation ② personnel requiring  
allotment of boat stations urgently required by 1730 hrs  
today.  
The advice port side officers lounge will NOT be used at  
any time as a lounge @ this alcove will be used  
expressly as a conference or lecture room @ Deck

NO	DES	RECD	TO	FROM		NO	REMARKS
<u>15 Feb 42</u>							
754	0710			Ships Adj't	All units and sub-units officers will contact clerks outside ships Orderly Room between 0900 hrs and 1200 hrs today to sign messing certificate		
755				Ships O.R.	Units will supply list of night duty men & actual duties which men are performing will be specified & Return to this Orderly Room 1200 hrs daily		
756	1228			Ships O.R.	Unit Ration clerks will report to Ships RQMS at 1930 hrs to arrange for drawing disembarkation rations		
757	1231			Ships O.R.	Unit Baggage Officers will report to Ships O.R. at 2030 hrs <u>15 Feb</u>		
<u>16 Feb 42</u>							
758				F.O.D.	Units will notify F.O.D. by 0800 hrs the number of O.R's NOT in cabins who are suffering with dysentery & A.C.		
759				Ships Adj't	Please arrange Lieut WHITE to report Ships Orderly Room as soon as possible		
760	1012			O.C. Troops	18 Bde Comd conference at 1130 hrs this morning is cancelled		
761	1200			Ships adj't	The following offrs have not yet signed Mess Certificate, please arrange for them to do so as soon as possible at Ships Orderly Room - Lieuts R. V. Cary, H. J. Joyce, G. Mc Kay, J. Paterson, Padre P. F. Reynolds, Lieuts H. C. Salisbury, H. C. J. Scott and A. F. J. N. White		
762	1223			Ships Adj't	The lower sun deck on either side of the sun deck between		

763 1255

Ships  
O.R.

funnels will NOT repeat NOT be used by any army personnel for any purpose O Units will observe the strictest adherence to this order O Ackn

Please arrange for the following personnel to report to Mr Nayle, Cabin 50 Lower Prom, at 1400 hrs 16 Feb 42 re Court Martials Cpl Naughton & Whitehart -

L/Sjt C.G. Moore, Lieut R.A. Maloney, Pte J.A. Parry, Lieut R.W. Forster, Capt C.C.F. Bourne, Sjt W.S. Boulton, Pte A.H. Killey, Sjt U.F. Thomas, R/Cpl D.G. Gibbs, Pte V.C. Mellors

These men are required for about 20 mins being witnesses in above case O Could Lieut Joyce see me at 1400 hrs also O

764 1620

Ships  
R.S.M.

1 N.C.O. and 2 O.R. from A.A. detachment will report to C.Q.M.S. in charge of supper for guards and special duties at No. 2 mess A deck at 2130 hrs for the purpose of assisting C.Q.M.S. in checking supper permits and to clean mess room at 2230 hrs

765 2036

O.C.  
Troops

Ref Ships Entertainment Circular dated 13 Feb O Prequet will be provided for Ships concert as follows O 17 Feb 2/10 Bn O 18 Feb 2/9 Bn O 19 Feb 2/2 Bn O 20 Feb 2/5 Fd Regt

766 2145

Lieut  
D.G.  
Watson

Courts Martial on charges against Pte Whitehart and Sjt Oliver and A/Cpl Naughton will assemble 0900 hrs 17 Feb 42 O Please arrange for accused and witnesses to attend O Place of court to be notified O Please arrange attendance of one N.C.O. to act as Court orderly also escorts for accused soldiers to be present

767

1st Asst  
Inf Bde

Ref Comds discussion O will be held today 17 Feb as follows 1130 hrs Decentralisation of arty in jungle warfare O 1630 hrs Protection at rest in close country O

NO	DES.	RECD	TO	FROM	SUBJECT
					<u>17 FEB 42</u>
768	1037			Ships Q.M.	A conference of unit Q.M.'s will be held at 1100 hrs in alcove starboard side Offrs Lounge on Prom. Reckn O Q.M.s to supply figures of - a. Deadweight of stores aboard b. Measurement tonnage @ 40 cu ft per ton
769	1043			Ships O.R.	Conference for all C.O.s and O.S.C. Alcove Port side Offrs lounge 1400 hrs today O Actn
770	1219			Ships O.R.	Officers valises and essential O.R. stores - 1. It is anticipated that typs will be disembarked from Main Deck via gangway on to river steamers in the event both of trans shipment and disembarkation; 2. It will therefore be possible for officers valises and the light and very essential of O.R. gear to be carried by personnel during this movement O It will NOT be necessary to stack such stores and detail carrying parties to handle them O They will simply move with the unit; 3. Heavy baggage which it is NOT desirable to carry must be in the hold by 1200 hrs 18 Feb, unless special arrangement for later delivery are made with Ships Baggage Officer; 4. This cancels previous instructions; 5. Actn
771	1220		F O D	Ships O.R.	When duty is duty unit F.O.D to have copy unit Routine orders O Actn.
772	1136			18 Bde	a lecture on the 'new organisation' of the AASC will be given by O.C. 6 Coy AASC in officers lounge at 1630 hrs O Officers as for Condo discussion will attend O O.C. 6 Coy AASC at 1630 hrs today O unit Q.M.S

				Officers as for Condo discussion will attend.
				Ref lecture by O.C. Leary AASC at 1630 hrs today. Unit QMS will attend.
773	1150	1205	all coys	Hours for coop meals for breakfast 19th Feb. will be FIRST SITTING. 0615 hrs. SECOND SITTING. 0700 hrs. THIRD 0745. FOURTH 0830 HRS. in no 1 mess Hall.
774	1320		ship mess officers	
			ship adj.	All unit orderly rooms now located Foyer main Deck. Invd will be completely moved from that quarter by 1900 hrs to day and will reopen same time general O.R. opposite Chips O.R. Only immediate essential gear to be used by all orderly rooms from 1700 today. Surplus boxes of orderly room stores to be stacked if necessary in foyer near G. O.R. Reminder that two copies of nominal rolls due Paymaster by 1600 hrs to day.
775			F.O.D	O.C Troops directs that all troops be warned that firing of fire arms from the ship is <u>NOT</u> permitted without orders and that disciplinary action will be taken against offenders O.C.T.
776	1612		ship adj.	Please check all rifles drawn from Armoury. Rifle No 3611 has been drawn by unit by mistake. If found report to S.O.R.
777	1900	1920	O.C. TROOPS	<u>18/2/42.</u> Comd 18 Aust Inf Bde will speak to tps on public address system at 0900 hrs 19 Feb. Tps will form up as for emergency stations list NO 1. + 2. Stations will move up on Boat Deck 7 Invd other stations move aft to accom. them.
778		1945	ship adj.	Units will ensure that personnel in hospital who will be evacuated 19 Feb. as Hosp. patients are in possession of their full issue and equipment by 0830 hrs 19 Feb.



19. 2. 42.

NO

REMARKS.

NO	DES.	RECD.	TO	FROM	
779			OM	O. R.	The Ration taken over for ship together with unconsumed portion will be required to suffice for five days. @ ack
780	0847			S. O. R.	Arms and amm Returns required by 0800 hrs 19 Feb. 42. has not yet been received @ Please expediate @ ack
781	1030	1036	all Coy	S. Adft.	mov. Control officers board at 1200 hrs @ no movement before @ anticipate all tps will lunch on board.
782.				S. adft.	List of duty personnel to mount at 0900 hrs 20 Feb. List to be fwd. to ships adft by 1400 hrs today @
783				S. Q. M.	Submit by 1600 hrs today list deficiencies all class amm. on E2. scale including Tracer.
784.				Q <sup>m</sup> S. O. R.	The haversack ration issued this morning must be retained for consumption evening meal today 19 Feb. @ mess will be as usual but only butter jam tea will be available to supplement ration already in possession @ ack
785				Q M SOR	Bedding and blankets may be redrawn commencing 1400 hrs 19 Feb from Sgt. 1/c Squash Court. E. Deck Unit will contact sgt. in first instances stating requirements.
786	1440			S. O. R.	all units C. O + O. C's report to FOYER in front of ships. ord room for orders IMMEDIATELY.
787	1735			S. O. R.	all Remenant duties remain unaltered.

788 1635 QMSOR meals will be provided in Sgts and officers mess as usual tonight.

789 1857 Shipadft. no mattress may be redrawn after 1900 hrs tonight  
units may remove portable stores as required for use from 10yer. MAIN DECK O ACK.

790 1905 all units paymaster unit baggage parties on shore will have all pay required and conversions made by rep of Ships staff to proceed on shore approx 1000 hrs 20 Feb.

791 arrived at Bombay 0630 hrs. Prepared to disembark but these arrangements were later cancelled.  
20.2.42.

791 OC Troops Steps will be taken to prevent IAs throwing rubbish and cigarette butts on to tanker and other craft alongside  
offenders will be charged.

792 OC Troops Life belts will be collected and returned to ships racks and storage space. They will NOT be used by men for sleeping or resting on. All belts must be returned by 1100 hrs and personnel will not be in possession there after

793 O/C Troops aircraft will be flying over harbour between 0930 + 1030 hrs 21 Feb dropping sand bags for giving ships personnel practice in observing mine splashes. All a/a officers will be warned and certificates rendered 11 hrs 20 Feb.

794 S.O.R. Bren. K6050 reported missing units will check brens and furnish certificate as to result of check. Unit having having no 4250 on charge. report ship adft. nil return required by 1500 hrs.

This done.

NO.	DES.	RECD.	TO.	FROM	REMARKS
795	1134	1216	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BN 2/18 <sup>th</sup> A.I.B.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	<p style="text-align: right;">23 July 42.</p> <p>Students attending O.T.S. DONEGILL take personal records of service @ Island to school duty</p>
796	1575	1576	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. TN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BDE	<p>Units will advise this H.Q. by 1200 hrs. 24 to July June</p>

NO	DES.	RECD.	TO	FROM	NO	REMARKS.
795	1320			O/c Ships		Conference will be held port side alcove officers lounge 15.50 hrs today. Attendance of all C.O. adfts + F.O.D required.
796	1512			S. Adft.		Personnel occupying cabins main, A, B Decks will return covers for mattresses + pillows. Covers will be folded and placed on berths by 1700 hrs today.
797	1758		ACoy.	S. Adft.		Please provide request consisting of one NCO Six ORS to report F.O.D at ships orderly room 2100 hrs today.
798	1240		all units	S. Adft		21. 2. 42 Conference for all unit adfts or equivalent offrs ship orderly room 1400 hrs sharp today. Ack.
799				Ship adft.		Units failed to observe instructions re messing published at approx 1030 hrs today. This failure resulted in approx 300/400 men missing their midday meal. Written explanation for that failure are required to reach ships orderly room by 1500 hrs. today. Ack.
						22. 2. 42 Transhipped to H.M.T. TAKLIWA. moved to wharf and unit proceeded on leave.
						23. 2. 42. moved to mid harbour.
						24. 2. 42. Convoy left Harbour 1400 hrs.
						25. 2. 42

25.2.42.

800 1350 all Coy S.O.R. Submarine look out will mount duty at 1600 hrs 25 Feb ©  
A/A will mount at first light 26<sup>th</sup> © gun crew 0900 26 Feb © ack

801 1715 all Coy 2/5 7th Amb S.O.R. Pay will be available 26 © officers 50 Rupees © sgt. 20 © O.R.S 10 ©  
Pay sgt act  
ack by signature.

26.2.42.

802 0900 all Coy 2/5 7th Amb Q.M. Conference Coy 2/c officers lounge 1020 hrs today © subjects  
food, weapons, beer, © ack.

803 1030 all Coy 2/5 S.O.R. Coy. Comnd. Conference 1100 hrs

804 1125 All Coy B. Officer Officers Valises + suitcases to be returned to Baggage room by  
1430 hrs. today 26 © ack.

805 1135 all Coy 2/5 S.O.R. Two Perm. mess orderlies will be detailed to each mess table  
© These orderlies are responsible for cleanliness of tables and  
utensils drawing + serving of meals but will attend all Pdes  
© ack.

27.2.42.

806 1000 all Coy 2/9 BN 2/5 7th Amb C.O.D. Coy orderly officers will ensure that "Lights out" is strictly  
observed at time laid down in ship's orders © "Lights out" means  
that sweeps maintain silence and turn in © ack ©

807 0946 all Coy 2/9 BN 2/5 7th Amb Ship's Q.M. Stringles and damaged jackets will be replaced at 1020 hrs  
today © Coy will arrange for one man to collect replaceable  
life jackets and bring them to BOAT deck where they will be  
replaced © A Coy 11 B Coy 7 C Coy 1 D Coy 5 H Q Coy 5 BN HQ 4 Land 11  
2/5 7th Amb 6 © ack.

808 0725 All Coy 2/5 7th Amb C.O.D. all sweeps to be reminded again that food scraps and  
rubbish will NOT be thrown overboard until 1900 hrs.  
daily © mess orderlies & cooks particularly to note © ack ©

809 1035 BN HQ 2/9 BN HQ all Coy C.O.s orderly room 1630 hours to duty in WO's and Sgt's  
Lounge © ack ©

NO.	DES.	RECD.	TO	FROM	REMARKS
810	0900		BNAQ C & D corp.	S.O.R.	28.2.42. Br. H.O. will share fore and deck with C and D corp as training area w.e.f. 28.2.42. @ack@
811	1350		all corp Br. H.O. 7/5 Amb.	S.O.R.	There is a possibility that mails MAY be dispatched from H.T. 59 tomorrow 0800 MAR. @mails to be censored and into ship's orderly room by 0800 MAR. @mails after this time will NOT be received @dispatch is problem at that only @ack@
812	1500		18 AUST AUSTIN FB "DILWARA"	O.C. Troops T-59	Y.D return @ seven cases 2/9 BN since departure Bombay @
813	1435		all Corp Br. H.O. 7/5 Amb.	S.O.R.	Officers daily P.T. class will be held on boat deck w.e.f. 28 @ack@
814	0800		18 AUST BOE "DILWARA"	O.C. TROOPS HT. 59	Y.D return @ Two additional cases @ total nine cases @
815	0800		O.C. Troops H.M.T. TAKIWA	Coman 18 Bde.	Unit's bands will play on entering port and on anchoring  1.3.42. Arrived Colombo 1000 hrs.
816	1351		all Corp Br. H.O. 7/5 Amb. adjt.	S.O.R.	There will be no movement between this ship and the ship to which it is tied.
817	1015		all Corp Br. H.O. 7/5 Amb.	S.O.R.	Inform all troops troop deck lavatories PORT side temporarily out of action @ STBD lavatories to be used until further notice @ack@
818	1000		all Corp Br. H.O. 7/5 Amb.	S.O.R.	All clocks will be advanced 30 minutes @ack@
819			all Corp Br. H.O. 7/5 Amb.	S.O.R.	Corp will supply own working parties and clean their training decks before 1700 hrs @ack@

820.	0930	O.C. troops 98. T59 D.V.O.C. Troops	Y.D. returns are to show unit figures not repeat not ships total
821.	0910	S.M.O.	Brig Dilwara following message received ADM S. If adequate facilities in ships do not repeat not evacuate any casualties RT.
822.	0950	oc. troops HMT of order asst HMT Shetland corps HMT Dunbar castle HMT Andes HMT Laim HMT Nevada HMT Dilwara HMT Tallon C. Coy Q. med.	2.3.42 Brig N.W. B. Johnson has been appointed S.M.O. Australian convey from 1000 hrs 2 Mar 42 @ all informed.
823	0850.	A & H Q Army Coy Offr.	20 hrs to report to Remembrance 0900 hrs to clean rifles @ deck
824.	0830.	all Coys Ships B. HQ 2/5 Fd. Amb. S.M.O.	O.C. troops conference 0915. 2 officers lounge @ deck.
825	2100	all Coys S.O.R. B. HQ 2/5 Fd. Amb.	Ships boats 10 and 12 will be available to troops tomorrow @ allotment of boats is as follows H. Q. Coy 0930 - 0940 Reinf Coy 0940 - 1050 2/5 Fd. Amb 1050 - 1200 A Coy 1300 - 1400 B Coy 1400 - 1500 C Coy 1500 - 1600 D Coy 1600 - 1700. Bn HQ 1745 - 1830 @ Boats will be in charge of officers W.O.s or Sgts.
826	1285	all Coys S.O.R. Bn HQ 2/5 Fd. Amb.	Two ships life boats are available for inter-coy competition this afternoon crews of all ranks with 8 reliefs and one responsible officer per boat @ allotment 1400 - 1430 A & B Coys 1430 - 1500 C & D Coys 1500 - 1530 Reinf 2/5 Fd. Amb. 1530 - 1600 HQ Coy boats 1600 - 1630 Reinf Coy Bn HQ. Boats allotted A S 10 + 12 Port side

The following officers are selected to represent against WO's & Sgts  
 Sixteen men & one con to each boat  
 Two boats with eight men in each boat. Change crews at end of each heat.  
 Con - Capt Bowen  
 1st Heat: Capt Marshall, Capt Fleming, Lieut Taylor, Lieut Joyce  
 Lieut Benson, Capt Maloney, " Wootton  
 Lt Lashburn, Capt de Lelland, " Unsworth, Capt Bennett  
 Lt Emson, Major Cross, " Howell, Lieut Heron

The selected crew will report at ST BD accommodation ladder at 1655 hrs 3 Mar.

827 1145  
 all  
 comp  
 Bn HQ  
 2/5 Advt

S.O.R. Swimming in Ceylon harbour is forbidden & this will be impressed on all ranks. O.A.C.K.O

828 0940  
 all  
 comp  
 Bn HQ  
 2/5 Advt  
 amb

4-3-42  
 S.O.R. It is anticipated that an oil barge or tanker will be moved alongside today & all ranks will be warned against throwing lighted cigarettes butts and matches over the side. O.A.C.K.O

829 1105  
 A-Co  
 D-Co  
 2/9 Bn

5-3-42  
 2/9 Bn  
 I.N.C.O from each of above named comps will report to Sgt BRADFOCK B Coy at 1400-5 in regard to training AASC personnel in weapon training. O.A.C.K.O

829 1825  
 all  
 comp  
 Bn HQ

4-3-42  
 2/9 Advt  
 Strict blackout tonight 2/5 Mar from 1900hrs



		24th Inf amb Bn	till 0630 hrs @ack
831	1145	all corp 79 Bn	5.34Y Bn sub alterns meeting officers lounge 1345 hrs today @ack
832	1840	all corp S.O.R. A/F officer	A/A crews and SUBMARINE repeat-SUBMARINE lookouts will mount for duty at 2000 tonight 5 dear @ack @
833	0830	18 AUST ofc IN F805 TROOPS DILWARRA HT 59	V. D. return @ two discharged @ total 13 cases @ 79 Bn.
834	0820	18 AUST O.C. TROOPS IN F805 H.T. 59 DILWARRA	6.3.42. V. D. return @ one additional case @ one discharged @ total 13 cases @ 79 Bn. @
835	1010	amb all corp Q.M.	CO MS's to report to Sgts lounge at 1045 hrs.
836	1030	all corp S.O.R. 7/5 Fd. amb.	clothes washing @ today P.M. brief every @ Saturday A.M. and P.M. HQ Corp @ Sunday P.M. 245 Fd. amb. Monday AM @ corp @
837	1101	all corp Q.M. 7/5 Fd. amb.	All care must be exercised in use of Ball medicine @ at present rate of loss overhead stocks will be exhausted in 3d @ack.
838	1630	all corp S.O.R.	A/A crews and SUBMARINE crews will mount duty 1700 6 dear @ SUBMARINE lookouts will maintain 24 hrs watch and will report presence of any strange surface craft to ships bridge @ack left Colombo.
839	1130	all corp S.O.R. amb.	7.3.42 CO's orderly room 1200 hrs today @ack @
840	1360	amb of all corp S.O.R. amb.	Commanding SUBS all off except Coy Comd with be on decks by 0615 daily attend to general cleaning and maintenance of Rits Corp 2/1cs will be on top decks from 0915 to 0945 to receive 21pc and hrs inspection

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841	1355		all corp Bn 2/5 Tol amb	SOK	all batmen will parade at 1700 hrs today promenade deck starboard side		
842	1640		all corp Bn 2/5 Tol	SOK	The alarm just completed was exceedingly unsatisfactory All ranks must be impressed with the necessity of speed during alarm and emergency station @ack		
843	1750		O.C. Troop Jaboa 18 Bae		8.3.42 - No smoking below decks at any time and no smoking whatever on decks after blackout strict discipline other wise fire on ship or light at night - may have grave consequences to whole company.		
844	0815		all corp Bn	2/9 Bn	9.3.42 Immediately after command inspection corp will be addressed by Lt. Col. Cummings @ order of Corp @ HQ, Re-imp. D Corp C Corp A Corp B Corp @ Bn HQ will be split between C & B corps @ Corp will remain at station until addressed @ack		
845	0900		all corp Bn 2/5 Tol	Q.M.	Commencing today per ration will be one bottle per man per day NOT repeat NOT half bottle per man per day @ack		
846	1105		all corp Bn 2/5 Tol	2/9 Bn	Officers between 2030 tonight officers lounge @ subjects (a) plato on attack (b) plato on defence @ all officers will attend @ack		
847	1200		all corp 2/5 Tol amb.	S.O.R.	w.e.f. 1630 90 bat (2) additional sentry posts will be added to ship's guard @ posts are aft switchboard and fwd switchboard port side upper trap deck @ tour of duty blackout - lights up @ Duty turn out lower trap deck lights at BLACKOUT and prevent unauthorized interference with switch until LIGHTS - UP @ack.		
848	1115		O.C. 118 Corp 2/9 Bn	2/9 Bn	The following inter-corp transfers will take place w.e.f. 90 bat 42 @ HQ Corp to C Corp @ x 541 The Millarson H. @ Corp to HQ Corp @ x 5026 - PLE MURRAY P. @ack		

849	0940.	all corp Bn/H	10.3.42. 1/4 Bn	as orderly room 1100 10 man the feedback and witness will attend @ack @
850	0830.	all corp 75th amb	1/9 Bn	Pay Wednesday 10th. Exact requirements requisition required 1500 hours today officers 80 rupees Sgts 60 rupees OR 15 rupees @ack
851		all corp 42/5 Bn/H	Bn/H	The practice of 110's and 1965 entering & remaining in cabins before Co's inspection at 1000 hrs must cease forthwith @ack @
852	1130.	all corp Bn/H 42/5 amb	SOR	units corp and subunits will submit returns by 1200 hrs 11 day showing number of personnel who have not received (a) T.A.B. inoculation since 30 Nov 1941. (b) T.T. inoculation since 30 Jun 1941. (c) Blood typing @ returns will be taken from pay book @ack @
853	1340.	all corp Bn/H 75th amb	Ship's staff	all chalk drawings and diagrams will be removed from ship's bulkheads immediately and on the completion of each lesson @ack @
854	1405	All Corps Bn/H 75th amb	9 Bn	All sergeants of Bn will attend a class lounge 2030 hrs on Tuesdays Thursdays for lectures commencing today @ack @
855	0820	oc 4 ps	18 AUST INF 8015	During voyage coms all units will ensure that all offrs selected OKs on scale of three per pl are given maximum time possible in semaphore and sending and receiving Morse @ack @
856	1005	all corp 42/5 Fd Amb	SOR	Coys will make as much use as possible of the present rain for washing clothes & bodies @ Clothing may be hung for drying anywhere on the parade deck @
857	1340	All Corp Bn/H	SOR	T.A.B., T.T. and blood type returns will be at the orderly room by 1200 today. The above any returns have not yet been received @ send these returns immediately and assist in the ship's administration @ack @

NO. DES. RECD. TO FROM.

858. 0950. All Coys 2/9 BN HQ BN

859 1015 C+HQ BN HQ Coys

860 1000 LT-Col 18 AUST CUMMINGS INF TAKIWA BDE

861 18 AUST LT. COL CUMMINGS INF BDE "HT 59"

862. 0955 All Coys 2/9 BN HQ BN. SGT LYDDE

863. 0905 All Coys S.O.R. BN HQ 2/5th Bde

864 1200 LT. Col 18 AUST CUMMINGS INF TAKIWA BDE

865 1630 All Coys BN HQ 2/5th Bde

12.3.42

Lectures by Lieut Hayes on HAND PERCUSSION GRENADE will be given to WO's and NCO's as follows

- 0 Rifle Coys 1100 13 Man officer's snipe room
- 0 HQ snipe room
- 0 AK Coys BN HQ 1500 13 Man officers snipe room
- 0 AK Coys

The following personnel were found sleeping on the fore and aft deck on the port side amidships

- 0 they will do 1/2 hours defaulters drill on prom deck stbd side between the 1300 & 1330 hrs
- 0 The Camp Nelson's Water Brumby's 6. Lines 7 & Cpl Dow
- 0 Sgt Batey
- 0 a Coy will take charge of the defaulters at the time stated
- 0 Ack

Complete list required of all decorations received in your unit since leaving Aust

- 0 names of holders required

Decorations received by members of this unit:-

Brigadier	J. E. G. MARTIN	O. B. E.	D. S. O.
Major	B. N. BERRY	Q. X. 6047	M. C.
Lieut	W. H. NOYES	Q. X. 254	M. C.
	Sgt W. F. MCINTOSH		M. M.
	R. W. HOBSON		D. C. M.
	Cpl G. S. MCGROW		M. M.
	Pte M. A. TAYLOR		M. M.

OK's undergoing signal instruction & OK's from camp who are Regtl Band members will NOT rpt NOT be detailed for ship's or Regtl duties

13.3.42

Ship's inspection at 1000 hrs today

- 0 subject to alteration all personnel not on duty but including sea sick men will be at emergency stations
- 0 Ack

LB 13 RM 28 Query Q. X. 2399 Sgt Hobson R. W. D. C. M. should this read Dobson

after our parades w.e.f. 14 we will be 13145-1630 hrs

- 0 Officers lecture tonight
- 0 PT parade discontinued until further notice
- 0 Ack

7/5 Squad. Officers P.T. parade discontinued until further notice. Ack.

866. All Coys BN HQ 7/5 Fd Amb. 16115-1 P + Reveille 0630 hrs 14 mar.

867. 1735 All Coys BN HQ 7/5 Fd Amb. Clocks will be advanced 30 minutes at midnight.

868. 1335 all Coys 2/5 Fd Amb. S.O.R. Boxing tournament postponed. no parade this afternoon.

869. 1350 all Coys 2/5 Fd Amb. S.O.R. Officers P.T. squad will recommence 1700 hrs today. Ack.

870. 1830 all Coys 2/5 Fd Amb. S.O.R. Clocks advance 30 minutes at midnight 1415. Lights up and Reveille 0630 15 march. Ack.

871. 0950 all Coys 2/5 Fd Amb. 16.3.42. Officers lecture 20.30 tonight. Subject Service compass. All officers will bring compasses on issue. Ack.

872. 1040 all Coys 2/5 Fd Amb. S.O.R. Coys will feed to be by 1600 hrs 17 mar. List of NCOs showing allotment of duties. List will include personnel on other ships.

873. 2/5 Fd Amb 3 Coys. at Inspection 16 mar. floor Troop deck duty also staircase.

874. 1044. 9 Bn 2/5 Fd Amb. S.O.R. Officers Dress for Dinner W.C.F. 16 S.D. Baggage room will be open 1100 to 1245 hrs 1400 to 1600 hrs.

875. 1340 All Coys 2/5 Fd Amb. S.O.R. 16.4.42. It has been decided to exclude all officers from the ships. consolation.

876. 1635 " S.O.R. Ships clocks will be advanced 30 minutes at midnight 16/7. Reveille + lights up 0630 17 mar. Ack.

NO	DES.	RECD.	TO.	FROM	17.3.42	NO	REMARKS
877	0923		all coys	2/9Bn	C.O.s orderly room 1130 today @ a/c.		
878			H.Q. B.C.	bag off.	Store men to report S.O.R. immediately after Boat Stations @		
879			all coys	Bn H.Q.	Clubs will be advanced 30 mins at midnight 17/18 Mar @ Rights up and reveille 0630 hrs 18 Mar	RM 146	
880	0830		Troop ships	18 Bde	Please forward by 0930 hrs today following particulars @ 1. O.C. Troops @ 3 units on board @ 3 strength of each unit	Q 11	
<u>18 MAR 42</u>							
881	1015		O.C. Troops	18 Bde	No instructions available @ Expect instructions on arrival	I 50	
882			all coys	C.O.D.	Sub units will ensure that plates etc are properly dried when stacked on mess tables @ At ships inspection today 18 Mar 42 mess utensils in some instances had not been properly dried		
883	1115		all coys	2/9 Bn	Officers lecture 2030 hrs tonight officers lounge @ Subject situation reports and messages	RM 148	
884	1355		all units	Q.M.	all 2 i/c's CSM C.Q.M.S to attend a conference officers lounge 1600 hrs today @ a/c		
885	1745		all units	2/9 Bn	Clubs will be advanced 30 mins at midnight 18/19 Mar @ Rights up and reveille 0630 hrs 19 Mar		
<u>19 MAR 42</u>							
886	0830		all units	S.O.R.	ships boxing finals today 1415 hrs @ a/c	RM 152	
887	0900		all units	Q.M.	As from 1100 hrs today fresh water will be available for washing of clothes @ large wash up tubs from mess table may be used @ Clothes may be washed on troop deck space @ Dried on training areas @ Coys will provide awn picquets @ In the event of mess table becoming wet during washing these will	DA 63	

888 1635

all units

S.O.R.

event of mess decks becoming wet during washing these will be mopped and dried under cox arrangements @ Ash

20 Mar Rights up 0700 Reveille 0630 @ Ash

R.M. 150

889

all units

S.O.R.

Clothes will be advanced 30 mins at midnight. 19/20 Mar @ Reveille 0630 @ Rights up 0700 hrs 20 Mar

K.M. 1

20 MAR 42

890

all units

S.O.R.

The following picquets will be mounted PERTH - D Coy 10ppr; H.Q. Coy 10ppr; Reinf Coy 1Ajt; A Coy 1Ajt; ABCD Coys 3 O.R. each; Reinf & H.Q. Coys 4 O.R. @ This picquet to report to train at rear of sheds at 1515 hrs @ FREMANTLE - B Coy 10ppr 45 7d Amb 10 O.R. @ This picquet to remain on ship under DAPM's instructions @ Shes-shirts, slushes KD, Greatcoats to be carried @ Ash

Ship berthed in FREMANTLE today and as from 1545 hrs all ranks NOT on duty were granted leave to PERTH until 2300 hrs. official time of anchorage 1148 hrs.

891

1345

2/9

180de

In anticipation of leave o/c Troops will warn All ranks that misbehaviour will result in all leave being cancelled @ Ash

892

1445

all units

S.O.A

all units will collect money for pay immediately @ amount to be drawn by each sub unit to be stated when drawing

893

1340

all units

S.O.R.

no black out tonight @

894

1515

all corp

S.O.R.

PERTH Picquet to parade after deck at 1515 @ ash

895

D Coy

S.O.R.

Immediately this ship berths a Picquet will be mounted as following: 1 Lieut. 1 Sgt. 9 O.R.S. @ one picquet at foot of gangway two picquets on wharf @ picquet to prevent unauthorised persons boarding or leaving @ Picquet to mount on aft deck immediately.

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896	0945		all units	S.O.R.		unit or Coy in possession of any aircraft recognition sheet showing N.E.I markings will return same to Ships orderly Room immediately
897			all units	S.O.R.		officers can collect Calises and suitcases from baggage Room between 1000 hrs and 1200 hrs today.
898	0915		all units	S.O.R.		coys may use <u>21.3.42</u> Vercenty of docks for route marches. ☉ all troops to be aboard ship 1300 hrs
899	0929		all units	S.O.R.		coys will NOT proceed beyond wire enclosure but may move in any part of docks
900	1120		all units	S.O.R.		All mail for dispatch today will be at S.O.R by 1200 hrs.
901	1145		all units	S.O.R.		Dress officers ☉ Belt Sam Browne will NOT be worn with S.D officers pattern now with K.D ☉ But may be worn with shorts and battle dress when off duty
902	1343		all coys	S.O.R.		after parade and inspection at 1400 hrs units may proceed on route marches returning by 1700 hrs.
903			all coys	2/9		Capt HOOPER, LIEUT BENSON, HERON will constitute a court of inquiry immediately into circumstances surrounding the breaking into officers bar 20 march
904	1445		all coys	S.O.R.		A.W.L Returns to be fwd to S.O.R immediately all units parade at 1700 hrs ☉



905	1605	all coy	S.O.R.	all units will hold muster parade at 1700 hrs A.W.L returns to be submitted by 1730 hrs
906	0915	all coy	2/9	<u>22.3.42.</u> all officers will report to off lounge at 1330 hrs all Ranks 1000 hrs A.W.L returns by 1045 hrs
907	0745	all units	S.O.R.	<u>23.3.42.</u> units will return to this O.R. the amount of Indian currency held
908	0825	A Coy	S.O.R.	working party 6 ORs to report to Sgt DIMSDALE Troop kitchen at 0845 hrs Duration of job until 1200 hrs
909	0830	all units	S.O.R.	Baggage room will be open 0900 - 0945 hrs today for return of officers cases C.Q.M.S to report to Q.M. in Spts lounge at 0930 hrs
910	0850	all unit	S.O.R.	Arrest equivalent Foreign Currency to be collected by sub units from messengers office 0900 hrs
911	0915	all units	S.O.R.	W.O. and Spts lounge allotted to 2/5 fld and 1345-1430 hrs 27 March
912	0950	all units	S.O.R.	C.O orderly room 1345 hrs all accused to be in possession of paybooks
913	1335	O.C Troop TAKLIWA	15 Bde	NO. Q15. 23 one pay sufficient only to cover requirements during voyage next part will be made no further pay will be made until units are settled in quarters after disembarkation special cases to be treated on their merits at C.O. discretion

NO	DES	RECD	TO	FROM		NO	REMARKS
914			O.C TROOPS TAKLIWA	18 Bde	O.C's will insure all ranks impressed that they are members of A.I.F returning for disembarkation and that they must always show by their behaviour, self control, discipline, dress and general deportment that they are trained and disciplined soldier superior to personnel NOT members of the A.I.F. It will be pointed out to the <u>off</u> and men that it will be the manner in which they carry out the above that they will be judged and expected as soldiers and not simply their being members of the A.I.F.		
915			O.C TPS TAKLIWA	O.C TPS NAVASSA	To QX 22591 PTE GRAHAM T.B. of 10 Bn aboard please		
916	1450		all units	S.O.R.	next pay will be last pay before disembarkation @ Rates Two pounds O.R. @ £5 serge + WO. @ £10 Officers <u>24.3.42</u>		
917			all units	S.O.R.	Fresh water will be available 25 march from 0900 hrs to 1800 hrs for purpose washing uniforms @ Preference to second hand + dirty uniform holders. @ wash up tubs + mess tables may be used @ Drying to be done on training decks @ coys to provide pegs		
918 0	1830		all units	S.O.R.	clocks will be advanced 30 minutes at mid night 24/25 @ lights up + revaller 0700 and 0630 respectively <u>25.3.42</u>		

919 1340 All Units S.O.R. 25.3.42.  
clocks advanced 30 minutes midnight 25/26 Mar. @ W & F.  
26 Mar. dress for officers. slacks KD slacks w, Safari jackets and  
Jumps Harbi if necessary.

920 0545 all units S.O.R. 26.3.42.  
Return required by 1200 hrs today showing shortages in  
921 0620 ALL UNITS S.O.R. Juniors, trousers, (S.D) Hats (K.F.F) Garters

922 0615 ALL UNITS S.O.R. Ref. A.W.L's gear @ packs to be bagged and labled by coys and  
placed in hold @ Rifles to be tied together and bundled in  
hessian unders supervision armoury officer and  
placed in hold @ Hammocks + blankets returned to RQMS

923 1355 all units S.O.R. To obtain badges. etc Pack store will be open 0830-1730  
one officer per unit to supervise

924 1415 all Corps 2/q D.C Troops conference 1630 hrs officers dining Saloon @  
Following officers to attend @ Acting. C.O, Q.M, 2/5 fld amb. @  
Coy Comnds, Q.M, 2/q Bn

muster Parade for medical inspection will be held by all Corps  
A Coy 0900 B Coy 0920, HQ Coy 0940, C Coy 1030, Bn HQ 1050.  
D Coy 1110 @ Reinf Coy 1130 pdes will be fallen in on firing deck

925 0740 D Coy S.O.R. 27.3.42  
Two ORs to report to Sgt DINSDALE at Ipo cook house at 0900 hrs  
@ Kitchen fatigue @

28.3.42.  
Disembarked at Outer Harbour (Adelaide) and entrained  
for camp at Sandy Creek 15th Aust. Arrived 1630 hrs

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926	1625	1630	2/9-2/10-18 Aust 2/12 A.I. Bk. INF Bde.	29.3.42 units will submit to this HQ by 1100 hrs 20 MAR a return in triplicate showing total number of personnel by states and nearest railway station to home address in each state names of personnel not required South Aust not required.		
927	1630		HQ Coy 2/9 BN.			Truck for disposal of night-soil will be available at 0900 hrs 30 Mar. Please notify Lt Pl. Crane.
928	1600		Camp of 9 BN Banda			what time will trucks for disposal of nightsoil be at this HQ in morning?
929	1435		B Coy Bkta.			Quartermaster guard increased to 190 Rs. Line of mounting 1745 hrs. Place of mounting in front of Bkta facing south.
930	1215		all coy Bkta			Credits in pay books to be worked to 26.3.42. Pay tomorrow 30th. Company requisition by 1800 hours today. Full Books without paying fortnight in advance to pay sergeant immediately after pay complete. If any further leave, pay for days 26.3.42 onwards will be made for pay sergeant. Otherwise pay will be one fortnightly only. Next pay date therefore 9th April. Personnel may draw full amount of credit 26.3.42 tomorrow's pay - pay clerks to report Bkta 1500 hours.
931			A Coy Q.M.			1 officer / Sgt 20 OK to report to QM at stores dump forthwith.
932	1120		all coy Bkta			Personnel proceeding on leave today are those going to Adelaide or suburbs NOT country.
933	1030		all coy Bkta			Personnel proceeding on leave and requiring pay will parade Bkta 1100 hrs.

934	1105	all Coy Bn HQ	Sx <sup>Coys</sup> personnel will parade at Bn HQ at 1205 hrs ready to move.
935	0920	all Coy Bn HQ	Amended orders re leave party dress. Summer dress will be worn by personnel proceeding on leave to ADELAIDE. Ack.
936	1030	A Coy Q.M.	Could you supply working party IN.C.O.6 men to unload bathhouse. Report to kitchen.
937	0820	all Coy Bn HQ	Church parade voluntary. Personnel NOT on church parade will go en route march commencing at 0930 hrs. Ack.
938	0840	all Coy Bn HQ	Field returns to be forwarded to Bn HQ by 0930 hrs 29 MAR. Ack.
939	0945	all Coy Bn HQ	Adj. T. All Coy will submit list to Bn HQ immediately showing amounts of pay desired by personnel who have granted leave today. Credits may be calculated till 5th April pay will be made by pay sergeant direct to soldiers time to be after 1st later pay books to accompany that payment to overdraw personnel 10/- Dues have personnel - S.H. Bell Guts. Not turned up. Compouses have been advised already of personnel going on leave.
940	0825	all Coy Bn HQ	Q.M. Hammocks & blankets will be returned to Hammond from 0800 hrs tomorrow. Order of return D.C.A.B. Bn HQ. Rev. Coy 25 7d Amb. Ack.
941	0810	all Coy Bn HQ	Q.M. Ben guns. Tommy guns. Ben maps. Tommy maps will be drawn by Coy personnel from armoury.
942		all Coy Bn HQ	Q.M. Blankets which were placed in park store on arrival will be drawn in bulk by Coy tonight.
943		all Coy Bn HQ	Q.M. All officers baggage to be in raggy gear by 2100 hrs tonight. Ack.

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944	1810		All Coys. Bn 48 In AMB.	S.O.R.
945	1340		All Coys. Bn 48 In AMB.	S.O.R.
946	1015		All Coys.	S.O.R.
947	1600		R.M.O 2/4	2/5 Hd Amb
948	0810		all coys	B.H.Q.
949	0910		9 Bn	16 Bde

27.3.42  
 All Sgts will report to Ship's R.S.M. 1830 Hrs Ship's orderly room @ Camp plank picket will be detailed by Ship's R.S.M. from all Sgts @ Provost Sgt will detail wharf picket of two R.I.Ps until further orders @ ack

All SX personnel will parade at 1430 hrs on WBL DECK FORWARD PORTSIDE @ a kit inspection will be held this afternoon to collect remaining Salvation Army books @ ack

Attention is drawn to para in R.O's 26 re Salvation Army Library @ This has not been complied with @ all Coys will collect books IMMEDIATELY and return same to library @ The lack of cooperation in this matter shows a very poor spirit on the part of all ranks and shows a grave lack of appreciation of the very good work done by the Salvation Army for this unit @ ack.

Jahluwa berthed at Outer Harbour, Adelaide at 1845 hrs

28.3.42 Disembarked 1315 hrs arrived SANDY CREEK CAMP at 1600 hrs.

29.3.42 SX Personnel on leave to Adelaide and Suburbs

30.3.42 There will be a conference of R.M.O's at H.Q. 2/5 Hd Amb at 1400 hrs 31 march.

31.3.42 Tent guy ropes will NOT be used as clothes lines @ clothes found on lines will be confiscated and owners disciplined to the extent of extra drill @ ack.

Personnel proceeding on leave will depart GAWLER STN. and NOT NTH GAWLER.

950 1035 B Coy 18 Bde  
 951 1000 all Coy 10 AM  
 952 1615 HQ, BHR 2/9  
 953 1630 2/12 2/9 Bns 18 Bde  
 954 1700 all Coy 2/9 BN  
 955 1700 H.Q. Coy 2/9  
 956 1745 all Coy 2/9

There will be a conference of sports officers at HQ 18 Aust Inf Bde at 1430 hrs 31 Mar. Capt B.M. Louett will represent 2/9 Aust Inf Bn

Beers issue on

Following attached personnel are required to Report B Coy orderly room at 0745 hrs 1 Apr 42 @ one @ R I Sec. 3 S.B. 2 Slop @ Dress battle order @ Blankets rolled and tied over packs @ each.

Use of carriers will be reduced to absolute minimum consistent with training requirements @ each.

Winter Dress. i.e. S.D gaiters, Hats will be worn from 1 Apr.

18 Bde says that use of carriers will be reduced to absolute minimum consistent with training

alteration to time table as from tomorrow 1 Apr. @ Revallie  
 0630 Breakfast 0730 midday meal 1300 First training parade  
 1345-1600 @ evening meal 1730 @ each

957 1000 2/9<sup>a</sup> 2/10<sup>b</sup> H.Q. 18<sup>c</sup> AUSTRALIAN INF BDE.  
 + 2/12<sup>d</sup> BN  
 958 1415 ALL COYS. RN. HQ. ADST.  
 959 1945 C. Coy BN. HQ.  
 960 ALL COYS + BN HQ. ADST. 2/9<sup>e</sup> BN.

30<sup>th</sup> Mar.  
 There will be a conference of unit sports offrs at 18 Bde HQ. at 0900 hrs 31 Mar. 42

Pay is available for Companies at Battalion HQ.

Private Fleming R.T.R. to proceed on leave from 0500 hrs. 31 Mar 42 @ Train departs Sandy Creek Rly. Stn. 0800 hrs. Report BN. HQ. 0715 hrs 31<sup>st</sup> Mar.

31 Mar. 42.  
 Coys will be responsible for forwarding to RN.HQ. by 0900 hrs. on Thursday of each week, weekly training syllabus from Monday to Sunday, as per attached pro-forma.  
 First syllabus to be at BN.HQ. by 0900 hrs. Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> April 42 showing details of training for week ending 12<sup>th</sup> Apr. 42

DEP BELF 10 ESW

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961	1320		ALL COYS	H.Q. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	<p align="center"><u>31<sup>st</sup> MAR. 42</u></p> Corps moving out on 2 day exercises will notify this H.Q. ① Their Training Area by day ② Coy H.Q. by night ③ When proceeding on short route marches Corps will notify BN H.Q. the route to be taken ④ ACK ④		
962	1550		ALL COYS	Q. BN.	Free beer issue tonight is cancelled ④ ACK ④ <p align="center"><u>1<sup>st</sup> APR 42</u></p>		
963	0613		ALL COYS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN. AUST INF BN.	Leave pass forms are available at BN HQ. ④		
964	0810		REINF. COY.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	2 NO. O'S. 30 ORS. to erect 60'x25' marquee as Recreation Tent ④ will call for this party when weather suitable ④ ACK ④		
965	0825		ALL COYS AND BN HQ.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	100 personnel to proceed on one days leave to Adelaide ④ Train leaves Sandy Creek 1000 hrs. 1 APR 42 ④ will forward corp allotment few minutes ④ ACK ④		
966	0925		ALL COYS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN. AUST INF BN.	Allotment leave today. To leave 1045 hrs Sandy Creek ④ H.Q. Coy. 52 A. Coy 36 C Coy 36 D Coy 36 REINF. COY. supply picquet 1 offr. 15 ORS. ④ Picquet will travel by transport ④		
967	0930	1125	2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/10 <sup>th</sup> 2/12 <sup>th</sup> BN. AUST. INF BN. 2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD. REGT. 2/4 <sup>th</sup> FD. REGT. 6 COY AASC 2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD. 12 <sup>th</sup> BATT.	18 <sup>th</sup> BN. AUST. INF BN.	All personnel proceeding on HOME LEAVE requiring travel by RAIL and SHIP or BUS are to be in possession of WARRANT AAF 4 ④ Same to be procured from S.C. by units.		
968	1510	1	ALL COYS	2/4 <sup>th</sup> BN.	One day leave Adelaide to all ranks ④ All personnel to have leave next three days ④ Coy. clerks to report to BN H.Q. as soon as possible with number date to go on leave ④ BN. state to be at Tde. at 1400 hrs. 1 APR 42 ④ ACK ④		



969.	1345	1345	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	15 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	attach 2 stoners TWO IS CVTS. with drivers and equipment bedding 6 AUST DIV CAV MAIN STREET TANUNDRA @ Report for duty 1600 hrs. today until further notice.
970	1650		ALL COYS + B.H.Q.	T.H.Q.	All clotheslines except those authorised to be taken down @ ACK @ Bn H.Q. moved out on field exercise on 1 <sup>st</sup> Mar 42 + 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mar 42.
971	1815		ALL COYS + B.H.Q.	Q.M.	C.Q.M.S. will collect uniforms from Q.M. store at 1845 hrs. TONIGHT.
972	1835		Q.M. TR. OFFR. SIG OFFR. P.N.R. OFFR. D.A. OFFR. I. OFFR. R.M.O. R.S.M.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST INF BN.	BN.HQ. exercise 2 APR. @ OFFRS. named above will report to BN.HQ. 1900 hrs. 1 APR. @ ACK @
973	2070		ALL COYS.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST INF. BN.	Following personnel going on S.A. leave will report to T.H.Q. immediately Schmidt N.J., Le Poiveden R.J., Wixon H.T., Hoile W.R., Clark A.R., Cahill H.J. @
974			ALL COYS + B.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> BN.	Allotment leave today A. coy 16 on. C 16, D, 16, REINF. 16, H.Q. coy 24. BN.HQ. 8 @ One officer from each coy also to go @ Leave personnel will parade in front BN.HQ. at 0915 to be inspected and receive passes @ ACK @
975.	2110		ALL COYS.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. BN.	Following officers to go on leave tomorrow 2 Apr 42 Capt PEEK. Capt. Dault, Capt Fleming, Capt. Marshall, Lieut Parbury, Lieut M. Colm @ Train leaves Sandy Creek Station 0833 hrs @ ACK @
976.	0910		2/9 INF. BN.	15 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	Leave trains for Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> and Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> cancelled until further notice. <sup>APA.</sup> 2 MAR 42

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977	0925		2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/10 <sup>th</sup> + 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BNS.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BDE.	REF Tng mortar pl C C.Os. will submit to this H.Q. by 10 APR. notes on tactical handling and loading mortar cameras based on experience gained during present tng. period		
978	1115		RMOs. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/10 <sup>th</sup> 2/12 <sup>th</sup>		Will all R.M.Os. send patients for dental treatment and consultations to the 2/5 <sup>th</sup> Field Amb. by 0830 hrs. Monday to Thursday inclusive @ All informed @ ACK @		
979.	1201		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. 18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.		2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN. band will be relieved from guard mounting today by 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. Band		
980	1350		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. REINF. COY.		Q.X. 2258 Pte DELANEY V. QX 20279 Pte ROSS H. were shown by us on today's parade state as being A.W.L. @ They were members of Adelaide Picquet @		
981			ALL COYS B.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN	Church services Good Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> APR 42. R.C. service will be held near mess hut 'E' lines at 1600 hrs. @ C. of E. service will be held in 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. mess hut at 1930 hrs. @ Entertainments Pictures in N <sup>o</sup> 2 + N <sup>o</sup> 3 mess hut F side at 2000 hrs.		
982	1700				2 APR 42., and 2000 hrs 5 APR 42. The same films will be shown on both 2 <sup>nd</sup> APR. + 5 <sup>th</sup> APR. @ Concert in N <sup>o</sup> 2. Mess hut "F" side at 2000 hrs 8 <sup>th</sup> APR. 42. @ ACK @.		
983	1130		C. COY	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Your training syllabus returned for completion @ It does not contain reference manuals for lessons taught @ Complete and return by 1700 hrs tonight @ ACK @		
934	1235	A	A, B, C, D COYS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RO's 2 <sup>nd</sup> April 42 @ N.F.D. Coy. B Coy @ ACK @		
935	0950		ALL COYS. BN. HQ.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Total personnel in camp for midday meal today 176.		
936	0825		ALL COYS	BN. HQ.	Working dress for O.Rs will be K.D. slacks, sweaters, blue sweaters must not be worn as outside garment @ ACK @		

937	0830	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.	Church parade dress @ S.D.; gaiters Lats K.F. belt - sidearm @ Officers' dress the same @ Ack @
938	1115	R.M.O.s 2/9, 2/10 2/12	2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD.AMB.	Will all R.M.O.s send patients for dental treatments and consultations to the 2/5 <sup>th</sup> Fd. Amb. by 0830 hrs Monday & Tuesday inclusive @ All informed @ Ack @
939	1045	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. BN.	3 APR 42. Gawler granted tonight to 25% of strength @ Times of leave from camp to camp 1700 - 2200 hrs @ Coy. to issue leave passes for above times @ Ack @
940	1625	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	3 APR. 42. Semaphore S.A. band and amateur artists will present sacred band concert in Recreation Marquee at 1845 hrs 3 APR. 42. All welcome
941	0950 1625	H.Q. COY A.D.C.T REINF COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Following is allocation personnel for demonstration use of Anant and Rice boats @ Sat. A.M. TS. COY 40, H.Q. COY 20, A COY. 15. SAT AM. Reinf. Coy. 40 C COY. 15. A COY 10 BN. H.Q. 10 @ A.M. Parade to Transport Lines 0800 hrs @ P.M. parade to Transport Lines 1300 hrs 4 APR. All officers to attend demonstration @ ACK @
942	1115	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN	Citizens of Gawler have invited a number of our personnel as guests at their homes on Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> APR. 42 @ Hot bath, midday meal etc. Allocation as follows H.Q. COY 8 A, 5 B, 4 C, 4 D, 4 Reinf. 4 BN. H.Q. 2 Personnel chosen will parade BN. H.Q. 1030 hrs @ Transport provided @ ACK @
943	1215			9 <sup>th</sup> APR. all personnel range practice @ 11 <sup>th</sup> APR. all personnel BN ex-ercise @ Particulars for 9 <sup>th</sup> & 11 Apr to be notified @ Ack @
944	0820	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	4 APR 42 Written schemes for all coy. exercises undertaken during week ending 12 apr 42 to be at BN. H.Q. by 0900 hrs 5. apr @ Ack @

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945	0820		A + B Coy	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	<p style="text-align: center;">4 APR 42.</p> Capt E.F.J. PEEK will be in readiness to act as waiting member for D.C.M. on Pte Douglas held 6 Apr. All witnesses for same D.C.M. will be ready to give evidence on 6 APR. ACK		
946	1355.		REINF. COY.	BN. H.Q.	Lieut G. L. Unsworth present officer Rydech report to BN. H.Q. immediately on return from Demonstration. ACK		
947	1830		R.M.O.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	<p style="text-align: center;">5 APR 42</p> Advise BN. H.Q. if transport required to carry dental patients to Adelaide dental hospital on 6 APR 42. ACK		
948			ALL COYS + B.N.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BN.	Recd 8 Mar Troop-carrying M.T. will report to unit at 0830 hrs. All Coy and BN. H.Q. will devote days training to embussing, debussing, and road convoy work, in conjunction with training syllabus. Allotments to coys. Rifle coys. 5 per Coy. Re-ly Coy 6.		
949.			ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BN.	a S.B.G. has been erected by 2/4 <sup>th</sup> Aust Fd. Coy. in vicinity small house 833217 Gawler street. Coy will arrange for personnel unacquainted with this type of loc. to inspect it before 1230 hrs. 5 APR. Conducting officers from 2/4 <sup>th</sup> Fd. Coy will —		
950			ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	One day leave Adelaide 6 Apr 42 as follows BN. H.Q. 22 — H.Q. Coy 50 — Reinf. Coy. 22. Train departs Sandy Creek 1010 hrs. — departs Adelaide 2315 hrs. Companies issue leave passes. Personnel paraded BN. H.Q. 0915 hrs inspection. Following officers granted leave as above Lieut. Mackay, Capt. Bourne, Lieut. Heron, Lieut. Sparkes, Lieut. Sparkes, Lieut. Francis, Lieut. Francis, Lieut. Cary, Lieut. Jogg. ACK		

951	0645	All Coys	2/9	Ref Coy schemes, to reach BHQ 36 hrs before commencement
952		All Coys	2/9	Further 14 men for Gawler Leave @ 2 per Coy
953	1010	All Coys	2/9	<u>6 APR.</u> nominations called for players who have previously played first class football, army code @ nominations by 7 APR.
954	1245	All Coys	2/9	Coy OC on 2/10 to CO's tent @
955	1604	All Coys	2/9	Following allocation to ADELAIDE Leave: 7 APR @ B Coy 60 @ Reinf Coy 68 @ Train departs SANDYCREEK 1010 hrs @ departs ADELAIDE 2315 hrs.
956	0805	B.D. Reinf Coy HQ Coy	2/9	<u>7 APR</u> ATK demonstration postponed until 1430 hrs 8 APR.
957		C Coy	2/9	Capt. EN FLEMING member Court of Inquiry at 1400 hrs 7 APR. at HQ 183de
958	1000 hrs	All Coys	2/9	Corp will submit to BHQ by 1100 hrs complete list of A WL showing army no. Time of absence, personal description, address of next of kin
959	1550	MAJ BERRY	2/9	Ry M.T. Troop carriers A Coy 8 APR. RD and TRACK junct 913136, 0945 hrs @ Send Guides to Ry rd junct @ 22230 meet main tpt carrying convoy 0900 hrs 8 APR.
960	0645	A.B. Coy	2/9	<u>8 APR</u> Capt Ruh + Lt Foster will replace Maj Berry and Capt DAUNT chief Range + Butt officers respectively
961	0815	All Coys	2/9	Personnel who have NOT had the one day ADELAIDE Leave will go today
962	0835	BCDR Coy	2/9	Guides for M.T. to report to BHQ at once
963	0900	HQ Coy	2/9	Personnel on mortar - carrier demonstration will be in SD. Battle order
964	1540	All Coys	2/9	all Corp have adv. party personnel ready to move morning 9 APR @ Time to be notified

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965	1115		Rumf Coy	2/9		QX13514 Pte LAUB W J and QX15012 Pte CHAMPION JT to report to 15th Amd. re medical board 1400 hrs 8 APR.
966	1340	1348	2/9	18th Amd		ref modifications to carriers for transport of 3" mortars no alterations until further notice
967	1510		All comp	2/9		approx no of personnel for Range practice tomorrow
968	1700		all Coy	2 M		Kitbags of adv party personnel will be dumped at Q bull store 1830 hrs.
969	1900		all Coy	Q M		By 0530 hrs 9 APR. state showing personnel missing In Camp on Range
970	1920		all Coy	2 M		Re officers gear for adv party Heavy gear on 2A truck 2030 hrs. tonight Valises + packs to be carried
971	1810		all Coy	2/9		adv party parade BHQ at 0600 hrs tomorrow nominal roll to BHQ 1830 hrs Personnel to carry 3 baskets only 4 to be handed in
972			all Coy	2/9		A/TK demonstration postponed
						<u>9 APR</u> Bn to Port Adelaide Rifle Range. Adv Party left
973						Main body figures of vehicles and personnel attached each morning Figures to Div. at 0930 hrs, therefore to Bde. before 0900 hrs <u>6 APR.</u>
974	1700	1800	2/9 AUST. P.N.R. BN 2/3 M.G. BN.	15th AUST INF. BDE.		Conference this H.Q. c.o.s. 0915 hrs 7 Apr.
975						Submit return covering number of men held unit lines sending admission detention barracks since sentences seven days or more Anticipated accommodation available Monday

976	0930	0940	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	Units will submit to this H.Q. by <sup>M<sup>th</sup> APR.</sup> 1200 hrs. 7. APR. complete list of personnel A.W.L showing army number and name time of absence, personal description and address of next of kin. <sup>8<sup>th</sup> APR.</sup>
977	1500	1500	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	c/o 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Severed on motor must be at T.S. by 1030 hrs. <sup>8<sup>th</sup> APR.</sup> If not typed return original.
978	1740	F	B. COY.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	<sup>9<sup>th</sup> APR.</sup> Duty company will supply working party of 50 ORS. with N.C.Os to supervise. <sup>10<sup>th</sup> APR.</sup> 50 picks, 50 shovels to be supplied by unit. Party will report to Sapper Hams. R.V. GAWLER sheet 822227 Rd. Jct. <sup>10-APR. 42.</sup> Lieut May in charge. Report at R.V. at 0845 hrs. Duration of duty 0845 hrs to 1700 hrs. ACK.
979	1640		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	All coys. will have a daily rifle check. Returns to B.H.Q. 0900 hrs. daily. ACK.
980	1830		ALL COYS, REINF. COY. R.S.M.	BN. H.Q.	Bn. parade 0830 hrs C.O. orderly room 0900 hrs. 10 APR 42. Markers to R.S.M. 0820 hrs. ACK.
981	1830		B. COY.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	Lieut H.C. Salisbury to report to B.H.Q. immediately on return. ACK.
982			2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN	BDE. H.Q.	<sup>8 APR 42.</sup> Motor sheet for tomorrow is cancelled. Message 2330 hrs. Staff Capt. Message motor sheet on tomorrow 1030 hrs same place as this morning. G.O.C. will be here, warn sentries etc. Motor ready 1030 hrs.
983	2045		2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD. AMB.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	<sup>9 APR 42</sup> Ambulance needed at Construction Camp immediately. Construction camp could not raise you on phone. G.C. camp asks that either Col. Green or Major Blair accompanies ambulance. On reaching camp enquire Lieut Boehm.

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984	1505		ALL COYS + BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. INF. BN.		Name of soldier to whom rifle 48153 was issued @ C.Q.S. to go into matter immediately @ Returns to BN.H.Q. before 1530 hrs @ ACK @
985	0900		H.Q. COY	2/9 <sup>F</sup> BN.		Rifle check all coys immediately @ Rifle 97061 missing from your coy @ Treat this matter as urgent @ ACK @
986	1540.		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. INF. BN.		8 <sup>F</sup> APR 42. Missing Rifle H.Q. coy reports loss of rifle no. 97061 @ Coys will check all rifles 1345 parade @ Return to this H.Q. @ ACK @
987			BN. H.Q.	B COY. 2/9 <sup>F</sup> BN.		Rifle no 97061 @ Rifle check of this coy's rifles has failed to produce above no 97061. Replying to R.A.E. 6 There are no football nominations from this coy.
988			BN. H.Q.	D. COY.		a check of rifles has been made and missing rifle no 97061 is not in this coy.
989			BN. H.Q.	REINF. COY.		We do not hold rifle no 97061 in our coy.
990			BN. H.Q.	C COY		LOST RIFLE Nil return from C. Coy.
991			BN. H.Q.	C. COY.		A check has been carried out and the missing rifle was not found
992			BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.		I hereby state that a check of rifles in possession of BN.H.Q. has been held and the above rifle is not among them.
993			H.Q. COY	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. INF. BN.		Lieut K.R. Wills to report H.Q. 18 Aust Inf. Bde. at 0900 hrs. 11 APR 42. for transport to Gawler @ ACK @
994	0810		H.Q. COY A.B.C. + REINF COY. + BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> BN.		Syllabus to BN.H.Q. immediately @ ACK @
995	1345		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> BN. H.Q.		Church parade 1500 hrs 12 APR 42 @ Same arrangement as last Sunday @ ACK @



996	1025	H.Q. COY. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	Reference Three cameras to be delivered today. Three Ton. more in their cameras in conveyance R.V. rd. jet. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN. Transport lines 1400 hrs 10 <sup>th</sup> APR. 42. © Convey in charge of camera officer 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Ton. © ACK ©
997	1545	MR BRIMSON ADJT 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN	ADJ A/T Concert tonight is at 2000 hrs © NOT repeat NOT at 1930 hrs. as first stated ©
998	1020	ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. Concert by Adelaide concert party will be held at 2000 hrs tonight in 2/12 <sup>th</sup> Ton. lines Camp F © Tomorrow at 1900 hrs. a feature "Broadway Melody of 1940" will be shown
999	1355	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BN Concert party 2/9 <sup>th</sup> anti-tank lines. 150 personnel 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Ton. invited © Allocation as follows BN. H.Q. 10 H.Q. COY 32 A.B., C., D., and Reinf. Coy. 2100 each © 1930 hrs 10 APR 42 © ACK.
1	1400	ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN. The people of Willaston have invited 30 O.R.s 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN. to their homes, midday meal etc. on Sunday 12 APR 42 © Allocations as follows.
2	1630	ALL COYS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN. Concert party Adelaide concert party will be showing in hut rear of 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Ton mess kitchen © Commences at 2000 hrs. 10 APR 42 © ACK ©
3	1825	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q. Return required by 1900 hrs. to this H.Q. showing list of personnel requiring home leave in Victoria or Tasmania © Ack ©
4	1910	ALL COYS	BN. H.Q. C.O.1 ordering room at 0530 hrs > NOT 0900 accused and witnesses
5	1945	H.Q. COY.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. Sergeant Wells to report to Lawlor police stn. at 0930 hrs 11 APR 42 © Advise late transport from Bde © Ack ©
6	1400	ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. The people of Willaston have invited 30 O.R.s. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Ton. to their homes midday meal etc. on Sunday 12 apr 42 © Allocations as follows BN. H.Q. 2 H.Q. COY. 6. A COY 4 B COY 4 C COY 5 D COY 5 REINF COY. 5. Leave personnel parade at BN. H.Q. at 1030 hrs © Transport provided © ACK ©

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7			B.D. REINF. COY. + H.Q. COY.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	6 APR. 42 Between 1430 and 1530 hrs 7 APR. 1 AUST. ANTI TANK Regt. will send a tp of guns to T3 lines for demonstration © Corps. named above will alter training syllabus and report to parade ground in front of T3N.H.Q. for instruction © Allow one gun per Coy © ACK
8.	1030	1042	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	9 APR 42 Warn Maj. Berry be prepared move air ex Adelaide earliest 10/4 © Baggage equipment together not more 60 lbs © No batman.
9.			ALL COYS + BN. H.Q. Q.M. R.S.M.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	11 APR. 42 Range Practice Sunday 12 APR 42 © Following personnel will attend H.Q. Coy. T3N.H.Q. 6 A. COY. 120 B. COY. 21 REINF. COY. 72 C. COY. 8 D. COY. 8 © D. Coy. will supply butt party of 75 ORS © Capt. Peek will be range offr. © Capt. Hodges butt offr. © Yp. Campyng M.T. will report at 0545 hrs. © All party leave 0600 hrs. Main party 0630 under Bde. arrangements © All other times as set down in unit range circular 9 APR. 42 © Program Sat. afternoon 11 APR. 42 camouflaging of tents © Sump oil will be drawn from Jpt. for this purpose © Indian pattern tents erected with white side to left fly upwards will be reversed and will not be camouflaged ©
10	0810		REINF. COY.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	12 APR. 42 Following personnel to report to 5 FD. AUST for medical board at 0930 hrs. 12 APR 42 Q.X. 7451 Pte Munningham J.R. QX 14389 Pte Virtue R.S. © ACK
11	0800		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Church parade dress © Dress for all ranks will be slacks K.T. shirts, garters, web belts and side arms hat K.F. ©
12	0820		R.C. REINF. COY. + BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	shorts will <u>not</u> be worn on Church parade ©
13	0815		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	No. of personnel for midday meal 12 APR. 42 © Ask no. on back of message ©
14	1040		ALL COYS + BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Sandy Creek Hotel is out of bounds at all times to all ranks © This will be read out on parade twice per day for 3 (three) to all personnel.

15	1525	ADJD	9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Ring Gables Escalage 1730 hrs.
16		ALL COYS.	Q.M.	Breakfast will be at 0500 hrs. 12 APR. for party going to range. Range party will breakfast as follows H.Q. COY. BN.H.Q. TS.COY. with A.COY. & C.COY. Reinf. Coy. with DCOY. &.
17	0920	ALL COYS. BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	Range practice number of personnel who have <u>not</u> fired & These will go to range Sunday 12 APR 42 & ACK &
18	1210	ALL COYS. BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Game at Williamstown & Transport will be provided & Allocation H.Q. COY 11 ORI. and 1 Sgt. A. COY. 7 ORI. TS COY 7 C COY 7, and 1 Sgt. D-7- REINF by BN.H.Q. 3 & Personnel parade to BN.H.Q. at 1915 hrs 11 APR 42 &
19	1330	ALL COYS. BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	Promulgate to all personnel going on leave to VIC. and Westville Tas. that leave will be granted in the near future
20				1 ofr. 6 ORI. Report Sandy Ck. hotel & Clear Sandy CK. of all tps and reasons on duty until relieved tonight & Sandy CK hotel is out of bounds to <u>all</u> ranks at <u>all</u> times &
21	1555	ALL COYS BN.H.Q.	ADJD.	Corp. will contact all VIC. + TAS. leave personnel immediately and ascertain amounts of pay required by these men list of men to BN.H.Q. as early as possible Members may be paid until date of return from leave &
22		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	15 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. TDE.	A return will be submitted to this H.Q. by 2200 hrs. of no. of W.X. personnel showing ofrs. and ORI excluding those A.W.L from 7PT at Geinville now available to go on leave & Per no. showing ofrs & ORI. - if any retained as essential for the move will be stated. &
23	1515	1601	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 APR 42 Lieut. Salisbury to be paraded to G.O.C. 7 <sup>th</sup> Aust. Div. at H.Q. 7 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV. at 1100 hrs 11 APR. 42.
24	1100	CAMP H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	12 APR 42 Enclosed 18 tickets and 2/ being proceeds of sale of tickets social by this unit & ACK &
25	1800			Leave has been approved for VIC + TAS personnel & Return wanted by TDE. tonight at 2000 hrs & Units to retain sufficient personnel to provide two drivers per vehicle and sufficient personnel for security of unit stores & show number required for both places &

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26			18, 21, 25 INF. BDES. 7 <sup>th</sup> AUST. CAV.	7 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV.	0100	8. APR. 42	Three Aust. pattern carriers per bn. to be exchanged with cav. regt. for Eng. pat. carriers in good condition. TSus. will deliver to cav. regt. at Smithfield 1500 hrs. 10 APR. and collect Eng. pat. Vol will not be handed over but adjustments made later on intent to ADOS.
27	1115		R.M.O. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD. AMB.	1115	11 APR 42	Will you arrange to send following personnel for Med. board Sun. 12 APR. @ 0930 hrs. QX 7451 Pte Cunningham J.R. REINF COY. QX 14339 Pte Virtue R.E. QX 15510 Pte Andrews John. REINF COY.
28	0950		R.M.O.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 2.	12 APR 42	Signal from 2/5 <sup>th</sup> Fd. Amb. states - dental treatment will NOT be possible in this area until further notice. Urgent cases only can be sent to Adelaide Dental Hospital. Urgent cases only. ACK.
29	1000		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 3.		Coys. will duplicate Conduct sheets of personnel, one copy will be sent to BN. H.Q. Conduct sheets of tanks and eqts. and above will be held at BN. H.Q. ACK.
30	1610		ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.		14 <sup>th</sup> APR 42	All batmen to report to the officers lines to Lieut. Paterson at once.
31	0935		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.			Returns required at BN. H.Q. immediately. Number of personnel actually on parade. Number not on parade and reasons why. ACK.
32	1145		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN. H.Q.	RAE 4.		Home leave names, numbers, and destinations of personnel going on home leave to W.A. ACK.
33	1142		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.	RAE 2.		C.O.'s orderly room postponed until 1400 hrs today. ACK.

34	1545	B, C, → H.Q. COYS	BN-H.Q.	223.	Please forward to this H.Q. by 1800 hrs. today, a true certified copy, of the conduct sheets, including the last entry of the undermentioned personnel. Ptes Campaign R.O., Wilkinson T., McIntosh J., McCarthy R.W., Andrews J., Jackson J.T. ACKO
35	0816	ALL COYS.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> BN.	RB4	Coy. will submit at once details of today's training.
36	<del>1430</del> 1448	ALL COYS + BN-H.Q.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. INF. BN	R.H. 12.	20 <sup>F</sup> APR. Training syllabus will be at BN-H.Q. by 0800 hrs. 21 APR. Leave to be granted daily between 1600 hrs. - 2330 hrs and on Sundays from 1200 hrs. to 2200 hrs. Leave granted to 10% Coy. strength. All personnel to be issued with leave passes by Coy. Personnel to be in camp at expiration of leave period. No transport will be provided. Dress, hats K.F. belts, waist, gaiters, boots A.T. Personnel to be inspected prior to departure on leave.
37		ALL COYS + BN-H.Q.	Q.M.	DA 1.	Evening meal. B. Coy. BN-H.Q. + officers in A. Coy. Kitchen. E. Coy. + D. Coy. in B+D Coy kitchen. H.Q. Coy and personnel from train in H.Q. Coy kitchen. C. Coy in C. Coy kitchen. Breakfast 21 APR. 42. and all meals thereafter A. Coy. BN-H.Q. and officers in A. Coy kitchen. C. Coy in C. Coy kitchen. E. Coy in E. Coy. kitchen. ACKO
38	1250	ALL COYS + BN-H.Q.	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	R.M1	No rubbish will be burned in unit lines. ACKO
39	1615	B COY	2/9 <sup>F</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	R.M3	B Coy. will supply one tent immediately for detention compound. ACKO
40	1206	A, B, C, D. HQ + REINF. COYS BN-H.Q.	BN-H.Q.	R.M7.	REF. message CRT. Delete 21 APR 42 MARYBOROUGH insert GYMPIE.

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41	1107		ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RM 5	The scrubbing of wet equipment on issue is to cease immediately. This practice destroys the dressing in the webbing and in addition makes the wearer very conspicuous. ACK		
42			ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.		Returns required by 1800 hrs. of names and destinations of leave personnel. Queensland to be in two returns. One for Maryborough and south. The other for north of Maryborough. Also returns for personnel A.W.L. five days or more at Sandy Creek. Personnel missing the boat at Fremantle. Personnel already had leave.		
43			B, D - REINF. COYS + BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.	R.M. 1	Return of personnel requiring transport to home towns in 9th N.S.W. by coast are required immediately.		
44		1824	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	5 <sup>th</sup> FD. AMB	Q.M. 2/42	SX 2866 Pte Campaign R. being evacuated to 102 Gen Hospital Tamworth. Train departs Tenterfield 1915 hrs.		
45	1100		ALL COYS + BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.	RAE 1	22 APR 42. <u>LEAVE</u> . Numbers of personnel who are not proceeding on immediate leave by being A.W.L. from Fremantle and those who were A.W.L. for five (5) days or more at SANDYCREEK. Class all QX + NX personnel as proceeding on immediate leave. ACK		
46			ALL COYS + BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RM. 11	C.O's orderly room 1000 hrs. All accused will attend. ACK. H.Q. Coy Ptes Douse + Bankin not required.		
47	0815		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RM. 10	All battmen will parade in officers lines at 1030 hrs. Each Coy. will supply two picks and two shovels also to officers lines by 1030 hrs. ACK		
48		1440	ALL COYS. + BN. H.Q.	Q.M.		23 APR 42. Personnel not in possession of a uniform will parade outside TSH. at 1600 hrs. 23 APR. ACK		

49	1630	ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	Q.M.	DA.6.	Re. blankets and personal gear <u>not</u> taken on leave. All gear including blankets will be called in. Pallets to groundsheet securely tied and labelled and stored in Coy. areas until further notice. Blankets will <u>not</u> be taken on leave. ACK	
50	1645	ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	Q.M.	DA.10	T.S.M. g's com issue to personnel will NOT repeat NOT be taken on leave. They will be _____ and stored with Coy. weapons. ACK	
51		ALL COYS BN.H.Q. Q.M.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.		Home leave warning order. 343 Personnel for destinations Ballangarrow to Brisbane main line area, South part area Brisbane to Gympie area. Personnel for western lines are NOT repeat NOT eligible. Essential that rifle, respirator, tin hat be taken. Details of personnel to move later.	
52	0915	0925	R.M.Ds 2/9 <sup>th</sup> + 2/10 <sup>th</sup> BNS.	2/5 <sup>th</sup> PD. AMB.	HR.5.	Dental treatment will not be possible in this area until further notice urgent cases only can be sent to Adelaide Dental Hosp. Urgent cases only. 13 APR 42
53	1645	1655	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	I 22	C.O's units to attend BDE COMOS conference at H.Q. 18 <sup>th</sup> BDE 0930 hrs tomorrow. ACK All informed.
54	1235		ALL COYS BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.		C.O.M.S of duty Coy. is responsible for the cleanliness of the bread-cutting bench outside BN. cookhouse. 14 APR 42.
55	1225		ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RME.9.	Coy. will submit a detailed parade state to BN.H.Q. daily by 0840 hrs. ACK
56	0910		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	Q 400	Disembarkation states no luggage required.
57	1010		ALL COYS BN.H.Q.	Q.M.	QC.21	Arrangements will be made to carry officers' values to train. Officers to collect at siding. 15 APR 42.

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58	1115		ALL COYS TSN.H.Q.	TSN.H.Q.	E.L.1.	C.O.'s orderly room 1430 hrs today @ ACK @
59	1400		ALL COYS TSN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> TSN.		Magazines to read on train journey. Personnel may receive these by applying to Padre Cross @ Red Shield Hut @ Apply before 1500 hrs @
60	1410	1410	ALL COYS + TSN.H.Q.	Q.M.	R.Q.4.	Officers' values going on "F" train will be stacked outside officers' mess by 1700 hrs 15 APR @ ACK @
61	1420		ALL COYS TSN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 9	C.O.'s orderly room 1430 hrs 15 APR 42 is cancelled repeat cancelled @ ACK @
62	0930		ALL COYS <del>Q.M.</del>	Q.M.	R.Q.1	All clothes lines in Coy. areas will be taken down and returned to Q. Store @
63			A. COY. REINF. COY. H.Q. COY.	Q.M.	R.Q.5.	Loading of Coy. vehicles will be completed by 0930 hrs. 16 APR @ ACK @
64	1320		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	I. 24.	REF. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN. Admin Inst @ ACK @ 16 <sup>th</sup> APR 42.
65	0850		REINF. COY.	TSN.H.Q.	R.T.1	1 N.C.O + 12 ORS for marking party to report TSN.H.Q. at 0900 hrs.
66	0925		ALL COYS TSN.H.Q. M.O. PADRE REYNOLDS.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 2.	Vietnam leave party report to kitchen 1600 hrs. 16 <sup>th</sup> APR 42 for evening meal @ Party meet 2/10 <sup>th</sup> 2/12 <sup>th</sup> leave parties Rd Junction 82227 GAWLER sheet 1630 hrs @ Rent Hixworth O.C. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Party @ ACK @ 21 APR 42.
67	1500		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	2/5 <sup>th</sup> AUST. FD. AMD.	Q.M. 2/42.	SX 2866 Pte Campaign R. being evacuated to 102 GEN. HOSP. Tamworth @ Train departs Hunterfield 1915 hrs.
68	0815		A, B, C, D H.Q. COYS + TSN.H.Q.	TSN.H.Q.	RM. 3	Coy clerks to report to TSN.H.Q. 0900 hrs today @ ACK @
69	1305		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	AT 2	19 APR 42. Warming Order @ One vehicle two OR expected arrive by road 21 APR 1300 hrs. @ Post guide southern end 6 Coy AASC camp on Glen Innes road at 1300 hrs - all informed
70	0810		ALL COYS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 1	24 APR 42. Names of Sgts. remaining in camp @ Do NOT include those eligible for N.S.W. leave @



71	0950	ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 2	Coys will render by 1600 hrs. today nominal roll of all personnel on leave. Particulars required - No, name, rank, and date leave terminates. ACK
72	0830	ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RAE 1.	25 <sup>th</sup> APR 42. Members of the 1 <sup>st</sup> A.I.F. who may desire to attend ANZAC DAY service at TENTERFIELD Picture Theatre will BN. H.Q. at 1500 hrs. Dress S.D. hat, belt, and gaiters. Personnel will return to camp immediately on termination of service. Hotels are strictly out of bounds. ACK
73	0950	ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2/9 AUST. INF. BN.		Nominal roll of personnel going on leave to W.A., TAS, VIC, also amount of pay required by above personnel. ACK
74	0940 0950	2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/10 <sup>th</sup> 2/2 <sup>nd</sup> AUST. INF. BNS.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. RDE.	DG	22 APR 42. Submit list of offrs. who attended combined tug. centre KAREBIT ME with particulars of wing attended. Telephone reply immediately giving number, name, rank. Officers recently transferred A.M.F. included.
75	1615.	ADJT.	Q.M.	K.Q.4.	27 APR 42. Leave personnel will be provided with tea, bread, and butter at A Coy kitchen at 2200 hrs. 41 42 43.
76		ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	BN. H.Q.	RAE 5.	South Western Leave. Personnel will parade to Coy orderly rooms to receive passes at 1800 hrs. Cops. will receive these from BN. H.Q. Tea will be provided at 2200 hrs. at A Corps. kitchen. Leave Personnel will parade to Transport.
77	1555.	2/9, 2/10 <sup>th</sup> + 2/11 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BNS. 2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD. REGT. 2/4 <sup>th</sup> FD. COY. 6 Coy AASC 2/6 <sup>th</sup> FD AMB	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. RDE.	Q 405	Ref. 7 AUST DIV. A/36/1/1942 PARA 3. Personnel proceeding Qland South 28 APR. must reach Tenterfield R'ary Str. by 2300 hrs tonight NOT 0030 hrs as previously instructed. All in - formed.

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						28 <sup>th</sup> APR
78	1525		ALL COYS	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RAE 5.	O.C. corp will report to BN.H.Q. 1045 hrs 28 APR 42 @ ACK @
79	0935		ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 2	Corps. will select personnel with licenses to drive cars and trucks to be trained as spare drivers @ Selected personnel will remain with corp. @ Lists to BN.H.Q. by 1100 hrs. 29 <sup>th</sup> APR 42 @ ACK @
80	0920		7 <sup>th</sup> AUST. DIV.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RM 1	ACK @
81	1570		A. COY.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 7	29 <sup>th</sup> APR 42. Working party 1 Sgt. 10 ORS. to report to Camp Staff Officer (Lt. Col. Dunbar) at Tenterfield Showgrounds at 0830 hrs. 30 APR 42 @ This party to assist in reception of <del>of</del> convey passing through TENTERFIELD @ Report to transport lines 0800 hrs @ ACK @
82	1750	1752	9 <sup>th</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup> + 12 <sup>th</sup> BNS.	18 <sup>th</sup> TSDE.	I 505.	Headquarters closing School of Arts, reopening new location Douglas Street @ 1600 hrs.
83	1030		ALL COYS.	BN.H.Q.	A.H. 1.	Return to this H.Q. by 1430 hrs. showing any alteration in number of personnel for N.S.W.
84	1655		ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	RAE 7.	30 APR 42. Leave personnel will parade to transport lines 2225 hrs 30 APR 42 @ Tea, bread, and butter, will be available at A + B coy. kitchens at 2200 hrs. Lieut. A.M. Benson in charge leave party @ ACK @
85	1312		ALL COYS.	BN.H.Q.	A.H. 1	Returns to this H.Q. by 1500 hrs. showing number of personnel desiring leave for Tinslane via Toowoomba and intermediate stations including personnel in rear party who can now be relieved @ ACK @
						000 @ 1630 hrs 30 APR 42 @ ACK @

86	1435	ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	<del>#100.</del> RAE 6.	<u>all</u> officers to RN.H.Q at 1630 hrs 30 APR 42 @ ACK @
87	0830	ALL COYS RN.H.Q.	RN.H.Q.	EL. 1.	Submit to this H.Q. by 1200 hrs. today number of officers & O.R.s desirous of playing tennis @ Number of Officers and O.R.s desirous of playing golf @ Number of Officers and O.R.s able to supply own racquets and clubs @ Arrangements are being made for use of local playing facilities, at a small nominal charge @ ACK @
88	0910	ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RAE 1.	1 MAR 42. Allocation have to attend matinee today @ BN.H.Q. - 4 A Coy - 9 C Coy - 9 D Coy - 9 Reinf. Coy - 9 H.Q. Coy - 12 @ Corp. will parade personnel to transport lines at 1330 hrs @ Hunt J.S.C. Harper o.c. party @ ACK @
89	1730	ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.		RAE 9.	1 MAR 42 Names of R.L. football players and positions in which they play so that a match can be arranged between two teams Saturday afternoon @ Lists to this H.Q. by 1000 hrs. 2 May 42 @ ACK @
90	1125	C, D + RESERVE COYS.	BN.H.Q.		2 MAY 42. The above corps are reminded that FIELD returns are due today as soon as possible Please
91	1050	ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	H.Q. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	RAE 1.	Personnel evacuated to hospital will <u>NOT</u> repeat <u>NOT</u> take rifles, but will leave them with their caps @ ACK @
92	1145	ALL COYS BN.H.Q.	BN.H.Q.	<del>BN.H.Q.</del> RAE 3.	<u>FOOTBALL</u> Owing to lack of nominations football match is cancelled @ Normal parade this afternoon @ Muster parade 1400 hrs @ ACK @
93	1300	D. COY.	BN.H.Q.		Pte. Bowman T. will report to BN.H.Q. to assist in orderly room until further notice @

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94.			ALL COYS.	BN.H.Q.		Corps to make up own pay books for leave party up to 14 inst Acquit at BN.H.Q. at 1830 hrs @ ACK @		
95				B.M.		Army comdr will be area tomorrow 4 MAY 42. May visit camps tomorrow. Fences to be left as camiers broke through @		
96			ALL COYS.			A return showing ack equip - steel helmets, and respirators issued to corps. is required by 1200 hrs. 1 MAY 42.		
97	1605		ALL COYS H.Q. COY. BN.H.Q.	BN.H.Q.	S.S.	General clean up of lines <sup>3 MAY 42.</sup> and area 0830 hrs 4 MAY @ All ranks will carry field dressings, identity disks, and pay books @ Army comdr 4 MAY @		
98	1635		ALL COYS + BN.H.Q.	2/9 BN.H.Q.	RAE 7.	Leave personnel to Qld. south of Lat 26° will stand by at Coy Ord Rms. at 1800 hrs. for issue of leave passes @ Pay required to BN.H.Q. by 1700 hrs @ Pay parade will be advised later @ Time of departure will be advised on pay parade @		
99.	0950		A, B, C, D + REINF. COYS	C.O.		Syllabus 1400 hrs to 1630. @ D. Coy rifle range, 'B' pt exercise A + C route march. Reinf. bayonet fighting, fire orders Rapid fire Ing. Weapon Ing. etc @ ACK @		
100	1250		ALL COYS BN.H.Q., T.O. R.A.P.	Q.M.	R.G.7.	Corps will mess at own kitchens as from, and including breakfast 5 MAY 42. @ ACK @		
101	1546		ALL COYS.	BN.H.Q.		<u>N.S.W Leave.</u> Train departs TENTERFIELD 1050 hrs 30 APR 42 30 APR 42 Nominal rolls to BN.H.Q. 1730 hrs. today @ Leave personnel will parade under Coy. N.E.Os. to Transport Lines at 1000 hrs @ Passes from BN.H.Q. will be available at 0900 hrs @ ACK @		

12 MAY 42.

102	1504		2/9 <sup>th</sup> AVLT INF. BN	2 <sup>nd</sup> AVLT INF. BDE.	Message read @ ACK @	4 <sup>th</sup> MAY 42.
103	1445	1505	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Avlt Inf Bn	18 <sup>th</sup> Avlt Inf Bde	Q409	Returns by members only personnel A.W.H. in Tentacula and personnel having failed to return from home leave required to reach this H.Q. by 0900 hrs 5 May
104			All Coy's Bn H.Q.	Bn H.Q. E.L.1		5 <sup>th</sup> May 42 Co's orderly room 1200 hrs today @ Ptes Carney E.R. Hawkins K.A. Auneau K.A.K and witnesses to attend @ Acks.
105	1205		All Coy's 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	Bn	778	6 <sup>th</sup> May 42 Nominal rolls of all personnel on post strengths showing in case of absentees whether A.W.H. or in hospital in detention etc to H.Q. by 1600 hrs @ Acks
106	1900		All Coy's 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn		Return to Bn H.Q. by 0600 hrs 6 <sup>th</sup> May 42 of all personnel who have <u>NOT</u> received a full course of treatment under each of the following (a) Vaccination (b) T.A.B. (c) Tetanus Toxoid. The course of treatment includes yearly maintenance injections of T.A.B. Tetanus Toxoid requirements which will be separately under above headings A.B. & C @ Fl Coy, Reinforce Coy & H.Q. Coy & Bn H.Q. returns will be accepted by 1000 hrs 6 <sup>th</sup> May 42 @ Acks
107	1500	1015	Jobi	PELA	Q415	10 <sup>th</sup> May Co's conference this H.Q. 0900 hrs Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> May @ Acks
108			All Coy's	Bn H.Q.	451	all personnel proceeding on leave tomorrow 11 <sup>th</sup> May 42 will report 1st lines 0715 hrs 11 <sup>th</sup> May @ Acks.
109	1015		All Coy's	Bn H.Q.		Return required urgently by 1200 hrs today showing Rank Destination nearest railway station and what line for Personnel requiring N.Q. leave @ Acks
110	1355		2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	18 <sup>th</sup> Bde	Q416	11 <sup>th</sup> May units will take immediate steps to comply with 7 <sup>th</sup> Aust Div R.O.'s (65-78) 4 <sup>th</sup> May 42 in regard to Para 64
111	1356		2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	18 <sup>th</sup> Bde	Q	Report 7 Aust Div R.O. number 790 Return to reach this H.Q. by 0900 hrs 14 <sup>th</sup> May 42

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112	1653		all Coy's	2/9 Aust	B.R.M.3	All future vacancies in Coy's for M.C.D.'s will be filled from X list personnel in Regt Coy D Coy's will submit requirements through B.H. to O.Ack		
113	1425		2/9 Bn	14 Aust Bde	Q.418	Ret 7 Aust Div to 850 Return required this A.D. 1600 hrs showing A.W.O.L. personnel as at 1200 hrs same day. First returns required by 1600 hrs 12 May 42		
114	<del>1425</del>	<del>1425</del>				The bunch for Spts will leave 12 Bn lines 1745 calling Bann John		
115	1130		A.C. & H.Q. Coy	2/9 Aust Bn	R.M.5	A.C. Coy's will provide road recon parties, as under: O Coy's 2 1/2's on Clergy O H.Q. Coy will provide a 15-cwt truck plus driver for each vehicle party O Capt Marshall and 1 sent for instructions regarding these at 1530 hrs 12 May for instructions regarding these recon's O Ack		
116	1215		Job 1	PISA		<u>12th May</u> HATFIELD & BARTON to leave on 7-15 pm train to night for A.M.F. Record transfers to X list as Sgt for attachment to A.M.F.		
117	1530		all Coy's	2/9 Aust Bn	R.M.6	Syllabus for week ending 24 May to include minimum of TWO night exercise in hilly country O exercise to be of THREE hours minimum O Ack		
118	1815	1840	Job 1	PEZA	J.118	Advise urgently numbers & types of stereoscopes in your possession O Ack		
119	1125		all Coy's	Q.M.	D.A.2	All spiffies held by Coy's will be returned to Q store today for general overhaul O Four gallon petrol containers will be returned to petrol store forthwith		
120			Job 1	PEZA	P1	Please supply return showing sporting material on hand and sporting material required to PEZA by 1600 hrs 13 MAY.		
121	0900		ALL COYS.	BN HQ.		<u>12 MAY 42</u> Number of personnel who returned from leave last night O Number of personnel who have not had leave O Number of personnel yet to return from leave who are not A.W.O.L.		
122	1117	0905	18/5 AUST. INF. BDES. AND ALL DIV. TPS.	7 AUST DIV.	A.173	Applications for leave on compassionate grounds can <u>NOT</u> be considered at present O (insert in R.O.'s as Div order)		

123			<del>ALL COYS</del> ALL COYS BN. H.Q.	2 <sup>nd</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	R.M. 4	The following officers, W.Os, & NCOs will report to Capt. Hooper at unit lines at 0715 hrs 13 MAY. to proceed to arty demonstration at TIMBARRA fd. firing range @ Coy O.C. & 2/C. one other officer per coy. R.S.M, one N.C.O per Coy @ Midday meal will be carried by all ranks @ Party will meet arty. colms at LONDON BRIDGE at 0730 hrs. 13 MAY @ ACK @
124	1025		all coys	Bn H.Q.		C.O.'s conference 1100 hrs officers lines
125	1845		PEZA	JOBI	R.M. 7	MIL return. (reply I 118)
126			all coys	Bn H.Q.		Please submit to Bn H.Q. orderly room by 0900 hrs 13 May. the names positions and experience of Rugby players for selection in Bn team @ Explain League or Union experience
<u>13 MAY 42</u>						
127	0853	0900	all coys	JOBI	CB 1	all personnel AWL from Muster Parade last night will be charged and either dealt with by Coy Comd or remanded to C.O. for trial
128	1415	1418	ADOS LAGO	JOBI	RM 7	SM 7927 ACK.
<u>15 MAY 42</u>						
129	0845	0900	JOBI	PEZA	Q 421	Ref N.Q. leave @ all personnel for MACKAY TOWNSVILLE will travel on 0745 and NOT 0500 as prev. notified
130			all coys	Bn H.Q.	EL 1	C.O.'s Orderly Room 1200 hrs today @ Ptes Gardiner, Williams and witnesses to attend @ ack
131	1000		JOBI	PEZA	Q 422	Ref 7 Aust Min Adm Cir A114 @ Capt Barnes 2/9 Bn O.C. train Lieut Francis 2/9 Bn entraining off 0500 train @ Lieut Harvey 2/12 Bn OC Lieut Heron 2/9 Bn entraining off 0745 train @ Lieut Seddon Bde H.Q. will supervise entraining at WALLANGARRA @ meal halts train one TOOWOOMBA 1004 hrs to 1130 hrs 16 May BRISBANE 1540 to 1740 train two TOOWOOMBA 1255 to 1350 BRISBANE 1800 to 1930 @ RRR will NOT supply meals at BRISBANE

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132	1315		all coys	2/9 Bw	R.M. 7	LEAVE NTH Q'LAND O Personnel proceeding on leave to NORTH Q'LAND will carry all issues O Coys will arrange for early meals under coy arrangements O First train party to report to tpt lines at 0315 hrs 16 May second train party to tpt lines at 0600 hrs 16 May O Nominal rolls of personnel on trains will be carried in quadruplicate by senior offr of each train party O Meals will be provided at TOOWOOMBA as follows - 1st train 1004/1130 hrs 2nd train 1255/1350 hrs O NO meals will be provided at BRISBANE O Trains stop BRISBANE - 1st train 1540/1740 hrs 2nd train 1800/1930 hrs O Actn.		
133	1940	1950	JOBI	PEZA	O. 22	Ref our G/126/128 of 14 May para 2. O Date altered to 0930 hrs TUESDAY 19 May O Actn all informed		
134		2100	PEZA	JOBI	RC 1	Actn (O 22)		
135	1130		all coys	Bn HQ	RM 8	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>16 MAY 42</u></p> <p>A dance is being held in TENTERFIELD, School of Arts commencing 1930 hrs 16 May O Admission free O Coys will submit names of personnel wishing to attend on the following allotment O Rifle &amp; Re Inf Coys 3 OR's each H.Q. Coy 5 OR's O Names will be submitted to Bn HQ by 1600 hrs O Offr in charge of party Lieut TAYLOR who will hand copy nominal roll to piquet at school of arts O Tpt will arrange for one 3ton lorry to carry party leaving lines at 1900 hrs O The following Offrs WO's and NCO's will attend a bridging and assault boat demonstration at TABULAM at 0930 hrs 19 May O Copts FLEMING, DAUNT, HOOPER WO's JESSE CRANNIE, JAMES, DONNELLY and SGT SHARPE O Party will leave unit lines at 0700 hrs 19 May O T.O. will arrange for 2/15 ent trucks to carry party O Actn.</p>		



136 1150 all corps Bn HQ. Please submit to Bn HQ. Orderly Room by 1500 hrs the names and positions of HOCKEY players to represent the BN in a match to be played at 1430 hrs 17 May on Rugby ground against 2/5 Fa Regt

137 1700 all corps 9 BN. 17 MAY 42. Advance party under 2 i/c moved by road to new camp site

138 1600 all corps 9 BN. 14M.2. All Automatic weapons and A/TK rifles, 2" + 3" mortars to be at armory ready for inspection by 0830 hrs 18 MAY 42

138 1600 all corps 9 BN. KH1. Immediately on conclusion of church parade all corps will clean lines of papers, rubbish and tins @ Ready for inspection

139 1042. ADELAIDE SUB. 2/9/42 Bn. Tenterfield No. 1. SECT A.I.P. KIT STORE. KAF 4/17/42. Ref your L3 of 7/5 @ 30 KITS located @ Will consign to you by rail @ advise us your nearest railhead by signal @

140 1310 1306 Jo Bi. Tibi LAGO BIMA (SMA) (A.M.O.) M59. 18. MAY. 42. Dental centre ZUGU closed @ urgent cases only to be sent to ZUGU.

141 1645. All Coys. REINF Coy Bn HQ. 2/9/42 R/113. 1/INF BN. Special party to leave unit lines @ 0600 hrs 20 MAY. @ composition: Rifle and heavy corp, 1 Sgt 30 Rs. HQ Coy 1 Sgt 70 Rs Bn HQ 1/1/42 10 L. @ personnel will carry all issues @ full water bottles @ 50 Rds S. A. A. per man @ N.C.O.s in charge of coy parties will report to Capt Daunt 3 Coy at 1400 hrs 19 MAY. for instructions @ A.K.

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142	1300		All Coys BN.H.Q.	19 AUST INF BN	R.M.12	Personnel nominated to attend engineer demonstration at TABULAM 19 May will report to HQ VODI line at 0715 hrs 19 MAY. Unit transport will NOT be used. VODI will supply all transport. ACK.		
143	1130		JOB1, TIBI VODA, MOKA ZUGU	PEZA	O.27	Vodi will provide transport to engineer demonstration TABULAM tomorrow for following parties JOB1 9 all ranks TIBI 8 MOKA 8 ZUGU 20 Parties to report H.Q. VODI 0715 hrs tomorrow. ACK all informed.		
144	1055		No. 1. Sec A.F. KIT STORE	19 AUST INF BN	R.M.10	Forward Kit Bags R.T.O. Brisbane.		
145	1300	1315	PEZA	JOB1	R.M.11	ACK.		
146	1320		PEZA	JOB1	R.M.12	Copies No 1 and 2. 14 Aust Inf Bde Adm Instr No 6. ACK.		
147	1310	1306	JOB1, TIBI BIMI	LAGO	M.59	For R.M.O. Dental centre ZUGU closed. Urgent cases only to be sent to ZUGU.		
						19 MAY 42		
						Special party under Capt Launt moved by rd to new camp site		
148	1110		JOB1, TIBI	PEZA	Q.432	A.A.C.S. personnel attached will proceed with unit to whom attached		
149	0900	0907	A.B.C.D. Reind H.Q. Coys	Q.M.	D.A. 5	Coys will strike correctly roll and valise one tent per coy and deliver to Q store by 1200 hrs today. Reg and tent valises to be drawn from Q store. ACK.		
						Roll for concert party tonight		

150  
all Corp.  
1801.  
151.  
All Corp. Q M. D.A.7.  
Nominal roll for concert party tonight not to hand. Hil returns required  
ley will arrange to give one suspended portion of day ration to personnel proceeding on adv party tomorrow  
152. 1530 1534 PEZA JOBI. 1583. 14 AUST. INF. BDE. ADM. INSTN. No 7. copies No. 1. AND 2. ACK.

153.  
all Corp  
20 MAY. 42.  
Carriers commenced move to new camp site.  
CO's orderly room 0930. ACK

154 0935.  
JOBI  
BIMI  
TIBI  
VODI  
PEZA I.523  
Rd recon parties will be withdrawn by 22 May. ACK.

155  
JOBI PEZA  
Ref 10 boat truck to Bis tomorrow Lieut Russell under instruction from Bde Major like to proceed with party.

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YAFU

FROM

BEX1

Originator's Number

I 79

Date

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In Reply to Number

Sitrep	1630 hrs	0	Situation	unchanged	0
at	1800 hrs	all	coys	move	out
on	route	march	KILCOY - YEDONIA		CAMP
for	three	nights	and	two	days
0	Bironac	17 June	560676	0	Ref
SYMPIE	1/4				

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*DR. McPhee sgt*

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ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS DEGREE OF PRIORITY

TIME OF ORIGIN

1430

T.H.I.

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SYSTEM IN	TIME IN	READER	SENDER	SYSTEM OUT	TIME OUT	READER	SENDER	SYSTEM OUT	TIME OUT	READER	SENDER

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156	1515		JOBI	BIMI	GH.17	<u>22 May 42.</u> Admin. instr NO. 4 copy 9 Acks		
157	1640		JOBI	TIBI	BOW.1	<u>25 May 42.</u> Was rifle 96021 left in truck B boy 9 Bn HQ or at tree outside Bn HQ.		
158	1615	ALL COYS. BN. H.Q.	2/9. Aust Inf. Bn.		R.M.3	All ranks to be notified that there is NO leave tonight. Duty Coy provide KILCOY picket of ONE officer 10 ORs to mount at 1730 hrs in KILCOY. Rd checks by duty Coy at camp entrance gate commencing 0700 26 May strength ONE N.C.O SIX ORs. NO vehicle to travel outside unit area I.E 5 mile radius without 24 hrs notice to PEZA. This order does NOT include KILCOY WOODFORD and unit exercises. Sgt. pl to provide rpt for KILCOY picket. Acks.		
159	0910	ALL COYS		BN. H.Q.	RAE 4	<u>26 May 42.</u> Bandsmen on strength of coys will report to Sgt Lyddy immediately and remain in Bn HQ lines for band practice. Acks.		
160	0910		B COY	BN. H.Q.	RAE 5	Was rifle 96021 left in truck B boy. This rifle is issued to 2/12 Bn personnel who travelled with B boy. Acks.		
161	0925		JOBI	PEZA	I.532.	Ack		
162	1445		JOBI	PEZA	I.533	Units will return all first edition GYMPIE 4 miles to 1 inch maps to this HQ. by 1200 28 May. Acks All informed		
			B.C.	BN		All maps on issue at TENTERFIELD will be		



			All informed		
163	1530	B, C HQ Coy	BN H.Q.	I.55	All maps on issue at TENTERFIELD will be returned to Bn. HQ today
164	1145	ALL COYS BN HQ	2/9 BN	RAE 7	Pay may be collected at Bn. HQ. from Pay Sgt from 1200 hrs @ Acks
165	1145	B. Coy	BN HQ	RAE 6	Working party 1 N.C.O 6 men to report to Bn. HQ. 1400 hrs @ Acks.
166	2055	TOBI BIMI TISI VODI HIZI ZUGU SABA	PEZA	Q441	AWL return as at 1200 hrs to reach this HQ at 1600 hrs daily @ Illegal absentees struck off strength to be shown as footnote @
167		BN HQ	B. Coy.	B.1.	Rifle NO. 69751 is NOT on issue to any member of B Coy @ Reference rifle 96027 check will be made when boy return to lines @
168	1055	ALL Coy BN HQ Q.M. I.O. R.M. O			6.0 <sup>s</sup> conference 1400 hrs Bn. HQ. @ Acks
169	1010	ALL COYS BN HQ	BN HQ	JMS	A report will be submitted to this HQ forthwith advising if Rifle NO 69751 is on issue to any soldier in their respective coys @ Acks.
170				R.M.1.	All coys will today concentrate on erection of tentage and drainage of tents @ scale of tentage as per TENTERFIELD Camp @ HQ boy will supply 1 - 3 ton lorry with 6. ORS under command of Lieut Willis as bank gathers @ B. Coy will supply 6 ORS under command of N.C.O to report to Bn. HQ immediately @ Spt pl will send

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						ONE 3 Ton lorry to Bn Hq immediately to work with B Coy personnel in timber getting & work parties required for approx 4 hrs & boys will supply 1.0.R per boy to Bn Hq. as runners immediately & Acts.		
171.	1433		T0B1	T1B1	AGS. 2	Ref court of inquiry & Please arrange for Lieut Hayes to report this H.Q. 1000 hrs 27		
172	1615		J0B1	PEZA	R.M 9	Acts.		
173	1635		J0B1	PEZA	O.3	Corps bands will speak to all officers in KILCOY cinema at 1100 hrs Thurs 28 May & officers to be seated in theatre 1045 hrs & Acts.		
174			B,C,D,E H.Q. A COYS	BN HQ		Ref Ing syllabus week ending 7 June & Bn exercise Wed, Thurs, Fri 3, 4, 5 June.		
175	1655		PEZA	J0B1	RM.10	Acts.		
176	1825		HAZU	J0B1	FBI.	6 NO 108 sets 2 fullphones 8 DON MK 5 telephones 16 line exchange 2 10 line exchanges. 5 appar. cable laying & 3 cable only.		
177	1605		ALL COYS BN H.Q.	2/9AUST INF BN	RM. 8	Court of inquiry into illegal absences of 23 clear days and over will sit at Bn. H.Q. at 0930 hrs 27 May & boys with members concerned will ensure presence of C.Q.M.S with lists of issues and W.O. N.C.O.s to give evidence of absence & Acts.		
178	1640		ALL COYS	BN H.Q.	J.H.J.	Boys will conduct own defaulters parades & Acts		

27 May 42.

179 0900

ALL COYS  
BN.H.Q.  
R.M.O.

2/4 MUST  
INF. BN.

PM 11.

Corps commander will speak to all officers in KILCOY cinema at 1100 hrs 28 May. All officers will report Rm H.Q. 0930 hrs 28 May. Opt as follows: B Coy provide 15 best trucks for band B Coy officers. A Coy provide 15 best trucks for A.D. and Reinf Coy officers. H.Q. Coy provide 15 best trucks for H.Q. and Rm H.Q. officers. 2 1/2 Adyt R.M.O. in B.O. car. Ack.

180

ALL COYS  
BN.H.Q.

2 1/2

D.A.B

Conference tonight 1900 at Q.M.'s office to discuss canteen arrangements. One officer repeat officers per Coy to attend. Officers to be Coy canteen representative. Ack.

181 1040

JOBI  
BIMI  
TIBI  
VODI  
HIZI  
ZUGU  
SABA

PEZA

Q.H.H3

AAF G32 Monthly vehicle census return. Units are reminded that this return is required to reach this B.O. on 28 May. Five copies to be submitted NOT four as before.

182 1110

JOBI  
BIMI  
TIBI  
VODI  
HIZI  
ZUGU  
SABA  
MOKA  
NOLI  
KEFA

PEZA

0.8

Reference Corps Commander's visit units to have one officer at cinema at 1030 hrs 28 May to act as guide to Unit officers. Length of lecture 90 minutes. After lecture B.O.'s to remain behind to meet Corps Commander. Ack.

183 1215

JOBI

PEZA

0.5

One officer to attend Camouflage school Chelmside Brisbane 28 May - 1 Jun. Depart Kilcoy by Rail Motor 0745 hrs 28 May. Rail warrant from PEZA. Signal nomination immediately.

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						S.D. Working clothes respirator steel helmet personal rec. gas cape no pay during course Report PEZA 0715 hrs		
184	1253		JOB1 TIB1	PEZA	Q.446	Until further notice there is NO leave to WOODFORD		
185	1635		JOB1	PEZA	O.3	Corps Commander will speak to all officers in KILCOY cinema at 1100 hrs Thur. 28 May ☉ Officers to be seated in Theatre 1045 hrs ☉ Ack		
186	0928	0955	PEZA	HAZU	A.231	Your A/143/84 21 May ☉ note transfer of Lieut WHITE WEF 9 May NOT 22		
187	1828		ADIT 2/9BN	2/12 BN		Provision has been granted for Major KEMPTON to attend exercise		
188	2015		ALL BDE UNITS	18 AUST INF. BDE	I.538	Code names abolished except within battalion and equivalent danger zones ☉ Unless otherwise ordered units will issue own internal code names notifying Bde ☉ Lists issued from Bde will be destroyed by fire ☉ New procedure to be issued shortly ☉ Ack		
189	0945		ALL COYS	BN HQ	I 56	There is a big deficiency in WARWICK sheets ☉ Will boys please check that they still hold none of these sheets		
190	1352		Capt Luthers A. Coy TIB1	Lieut Hoyes JOB1		It is essential for us to swear in a provost attached to 25 Bde to get his evidence ☉ Was unable to contact Staff Capt will you do so and phone back arrangements		

191		bapt Courne	bapt Lowell		Court of inquiry adjourned until 0900 hrs tomorrow Will it be all right to remain in town tonight
192	1815	Lieut Hoyes 2/9 Bn	2/12 Bn	PIX 1	Capt Suthers absent till tomorrow night
193	1500	PEZA	10B1	I 691	Ack
194	1402	PEZA	10B1	I. 689	Lieut D.C. J. SCOTT

195	0900	I.D.	BCOY	D.D.1	<u>28 MAY 42</u> Location report @ B boy will be on route march on WOODFORD RD @ boy lines for afternoon
196	1010	Padie Reynolds	2/5 Aust Sq Regt.	A.151	Members of this regt will attend 10 Bn on Sunday Thereafter service can be held before 0800 hrs every Friday if it suits you.
197	0723	18 Aust. Inf Bde.	2/9 Bn	RM 13	Ack.
198		7 Aust Div.	2/9 Aust Inf Bn.	NB. 1.	Could you divert 9 Bn mail from KILCOY to 7 Aust Div. HQ by Friday evening @ Ack
199		All boys	Bn 2/9		Dress for officers today hats K.F. S.D boots web gaiters shill order.

200	1805	All boys Bn HQ	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	RM.12	<u>27 May 42</u> cinema leave 28 May @ Allotment rifle and reinf coys 44 all ranks @ HQ boy 65 all ranks @ Bn HQ 15 all ranks @ Sgt pl will provide or arrange for transportation of 300 all ranks @
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						<p>Party to leave unit lines at 1850 hrs @ Duty coy will arrange town picket of one bapt one lieutenant two sergeants four corporals, twenty four O.R.s @ Lieut and one Sgt two bpls 12 O.R.s to report for duty KILCOY 0900 hrs 28 May @ Remainder of picket commence duty 1800 hrs 28 May @ bapt Lovett will act as cinema duty officer @ Picket will provide six O.R.s to report to bapt Lovett half hour before start of programme @ boys will provide nominal rolls in duplicate to senior officer of cinema leave party prior to departure from unit lines @ All personnel to be marched into theatre and to be seated quarter hour before commencement @ cinema starts 2000 hrs @ Ack.</p>		
						<p><u>28 MAY. 42</u></p>		
201	1820	1845	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	O/10	<p>This H.Q. closed 1000 hrs 29 May Reopened same time GLENFIELD 575653 map ref @ closed at location 1430 hrs 29 May Reopened at present location in KILCOY 1430 hrs.</p>		
202	1240		2/9 Aust Inf Bn	18 Aust Inf Bde		<p>C.Q.M.S course commencing 1 Jun @ nominees probably have to leave tomorrow @ Phone nominees</p>		
203	1500		2/4 3d Coy 18th Bn	2/9 Aust Inf Bn		<p>Can we borrow from you for the space of one week @ Lashings @ Rope @ Duckboard @ for use in Bn demonstration of river crossing</p>		
204	1425		ALL COYS BN. H.Q. A/TR	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	RM. 14	<p>cinema leave @ All boys will provide leave passes from 1945 hrs to 2359 hrs @ Passes will be distributed by Bn H.Q. bearing unit stamp @ Admission prices week days 1/3 Saturdays 2/- @ All money and surplus tickets returned to Bn H.Q. each boy will be responsible for value of tickets issued @ Ack.</p>		

next day 1/3 Saturday 21. All money and surplus tickets returned to Br. 20. 1600 hrs or boy will be responsible for value of tickets issued @ Ack.

205	1520		2/9 Aust Inf Bn	18 Aust Inf Bde.	09	B.Q.M.S. school @ Students report Orduly Room 18 Bde 0730 hrs 29 May for rail warrant @ S/Lt Penney 2/10 Bn in charge party
206	1500		Br. 20.	B boy	J.P.1	Regarding cinema party tonight Capt Lovett is going into hospital this afternoon and will NOT be available as of cinema party @
207	1530	1545	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	2/4 3d boy	H.1.	If rifle number 60475 was accidentally taken by 2/9 man when returning from leave please inform 2/4 3d boy.
208	1556	1600	All boy 6.1.16	R. 1.16	J.H.1.	boy 6.1.16 will ensure that hut layout is kept up to the standard laid down at TENTERFIELD
209	1610		20 boy B. Remf	Br. 20	RAE.1.	Picture money to Br. 20 immediately @
210	1640	1650	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	18 Aust Inf Bde.	0.10	B.Q.M.S. course @ Location COWRA N.S.W. @ Duration 1 June to 12 June

211	0836		Chaplain G. Payne Rem 7 DIV HQ	Chaplain P.F. Reynolds 2/9 Aust Inf Bn		<u>29 May 42</u> will call upon you at 1500 hrs May 30
212	0925		Padre Blake 2/2 Bn	Aust 2/9 Bn	R.H.15	Time NOT convenient @ other arrangements made @ Ack
213	1020	1028	ADJT 2/9 AUST INF BN	Padre Blake	Cof.E.1.	Able to come at 1100 hrs if convenient @ Ack.

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214	1117		All boys	Bn Hq.	RAE 2	boys will forward with Field Return 30 May nominal roll of officers, N.C.O's and Gp. specialists @		
215	1444	1070	ADMS 7 Aust Bns Aust Corps rpt'd c/o 2/10 Bn c/o 2/9 Bn c/o A.A.S.C c/o 25 FD A.A. D.A.M.S L of C Amen	2/5 Id Amb.	M. 134	boys admitted to this Id Amb. of following diseases @ Dysentery 2/9 1 @ Dengue 2/12 1 @ Leptospirosis 6 boy A.A.S.C. 1 @ Relapsing Fever 25 Id Pk R.A.E. 1.		
						<u>30 May 42</u>		
216	0920		Padre Blake 2/12 Bn	2/9 Aust Inf Bn	J. 3	It will be necessary to hold two church parades for 2/9 Bn at 0930 and 1000 hrs 31 May		
217	0931		All units	B Aust Inf Bde L.A.	O. 13	Map of unit training areas required by 1400 hrs today		
218	0845		Reinf Co	R.S.M.	J.H.J	Supply 1 Sgt 6 O.R.s to report to R.Q.M.S by 0930.		
219	0846		All boys	R.S.M.	J.H.J.	boys will submit a detailed weapons state today by 0930. C. boy to send to Annamoy all T.S.M.C's		
220		0941	Lieut Wells	Mr Wells Com. Rep Bns		Brother on leave in Old (REDCLIFFE) until JUN. 80 would it be possible to get leave meet Sat or Sun father going Melbourne today returns next Sat via Sydney @ Please ring wife Sydney M. 1786 and let her know what you can arrange as soon as possible @ Any further messages to father can always be left at WOODFORD STN with S.M.		
221	1017		Adyt 2/9 Aust Inf Bn	Padre Blake	C/E. 1.	Have arranged with Padre Belmonte to take your church parade at 1000 hrs and I shall take the one at 0930 hrs		



			Inf Bde			0930 hrs
222	1412		18 Aust Inf Bde	2/9 Aust Inf Bde	I.56	Training area boundaries of GYMPIE 1/4 inch sheet 610680 - 610650 - 580650 - 580680
223	1005	1020	2/9 Aust Inf Bde	18 Aust Inf Bde	Q456	Approval given Lieut. W.P.E. Isaacs transfer to 1. Aust. Army Int Sec @ Advise date of departure
224	1900		All Coys	Q.M.	DA6	<u>31 May 42</u> Bread issue tonight will be sixty per cent normal issue remainder made up in biscuits @ Empty canteen beer kegs to be returned to Q.M. store by 0830 hrs tomorrow 1 June @
225	2136	2150	2/9 Bn 2/10 Bn 2/2 Bn 6 Coy ASC	18 Aust Inf Bde	O.15.	C.O.'s conference this H.Q. 1030 hrs 1 June
226	0900	0904	2/9 Aust Inf Bde	18 Aust Inf Bde	Q462	<u>1 June 42.</u> Units will submit nominations from reinf. officers for appointment as to pl. commanders one 1/0. two 4/0. @ Return to show age, education qualifications, past occupations and present employment @ To reach this H.Q. by 1200 hrs 1 June 42.
227	0900	0905	2/9 Aust Inf Bde	18 Aust Inf Bde	Q461	Units will submit by 1200 hrs a consolidated list of all volunteers for RAAF air crews including names already submitted @ Return will show number, rank, name, initials age qualifications, present occupations in unit
228	1610	1611	All units	Bde H.Q.	O/18	Advice received Corps Comd has postponed visit for 12 hours @ Units will attend their time for meeting Corp Land accordingly
229	0825		Major Pemberton with car	Adj 2/9 Aust Inf Bde	RM19	<u>2 June 42.</u> C.O. Requests that all exercise instructions be see returned this H.Q. on completion of exercise @ Ack
230	0845		2/9 Bn	AJA A/T	TM98	O.O.I. Ack
231	0925	0926	2/9 Bn 6 Coy ASC all units in Bde group	18 Aust Inf Bde	Q463	Units will forward certificate to reach this H.Q. by 1200 hrs that names submitted for transfer to air crews are recommended.

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232	1020	1025	All Coy.	B.H.Q.	RM19.	Coy with forward names of volunteers for independent or commando corps to this H.Q. by 1800 hrs 2 June. All nominations will be recommended by Coy Comd. Qualifications, age 20 to 25 preferably single, physical courage intelligence amenable to discipline & nominations will show officers they name coys cpts & P's by numbers and certificates by C.O. to have necessary qualifications.		
233		1620	2/9 Bn	PM.C. Dept.		Information regarding trucks & they have got it.		
234	1830		Adj. BHQ	H.Q. Coy	E B 1	ack. &		In reply to No RM 23.
235	1735		All Coy.	B.H.Q.	RM 23	2/9 Bn. photo troops under command on one hour notice & further details follow & ack.		
236	2000		2/9 ant Inf Bn.	C. Coy	AM 1	Operations order no 1. & ack.		
237	2045		BHQ	QM	DA 7	ack.		In reply to No 009 Copy 9.
						<u>June 3. 42</u>		
238	0945	1230	2/9, 2/10/12 Bns.	18 Bde.	Q 468	Units will fwd recommendations for appointments for staff Capt. - A and staff Capt. - Q. Corps HQ to this HQ. by 1200 hrs today. Recommendations will show age qualifications & education staff ting. and present employment. Subalterns should be considered.		
239	1400	1442	2/9 Bn	18 Bde.	Q 470	A personal explanation in writing signed by the C.O. will be forwarded as to the reasons why parade status were NOT at this HQ by 0530 hrs as directed.		
240	1700	1715	2/9 Bn	18 Bde.	I 549	When filling in 1 Unit Army Bd. Recs for pro forma meet in remark table normal method A, B, etc of classification. all informed.		
241	1840	1853	2/9 Bn	18 Bde.	I 551	Attached code list no 1. This list comes into operations at 0100 hrs 4 June 42. & ack & all informed.		
						<u>June 4 42.</u>		
242	1205	1215	2/9, 2/10 Bns.	18 Bde.	O 19	Vacancy one N.C.O. each Bn to attend S.A. school BONEQUILLA? 14 June - 22 August & nominations immediately.		
243	1445	1500	2/9 Bn	18 Bde.	Q 475	Return will be submitted by 0900 hrs 9 June of all officers in unit & to include present occupator attached, detached & seconded & all informed.		
						<u>June 4 42.</u>		
						At this HQ. mem. re. release reports of 2 June & Para 2.		

					to include present occupiers attached, detached & seconded & all informed.	
244	2000	2001	2/9, 2/10, 2/11 2/15 Inf Bn 2/15 Fd. Regt. 3 Bty 2 A/I Reg. 2/11 Fd Coy. 6 Coy HASC 2/15 Fd. Amb.	Adv. HQ 18 Aust. Inf Bde.	J 556	Ref. this H.Q. memo. re. rd. news reports of a jump @ Para 2. to read 6 copies required by this H.Q.
245			Rear HQ 18 Bde	2/9 Bn	RM 39	Ack.
246			7 Div HQ	2/9 Bn		<p style="text-align: center;">June 5, 42.</p> <p>Have you a truck going to Brisbane tomorrow? If so could it take several soldiers to Brisbane who are on leave. If so what time will it be going and where can they pick it up.</p>
247			all Coys B. HQ		RAC 2.	Syllabus will include 3 days exercise.
248			all Coys. Bn 00.			O.O. directs that all coy comds. check ammo and withdraw immediately any that troops are holding.
249	1855	1900	all Coys	2/9 Bn		leave has been approved but no personnel will leave until train times are notified.
250	1945		all Coys B HQ	2/9 Bn		Division advise no bins available for military personnel @ leave granted to those who can arrange own conveyance.
251		2000	2/9 Bn	1 Lt Chas KilmGore Bris.		We have private Leman B QX 17063 and QX 10993 QUINN L F in custody both A.M.L @ Please send escort immediately as we cannot accommodate prisoners @ goal overflowing.
252	2052	2055	2/9 B HQ	B Coy 2/9 Bn		Certificate of withdrawal of ammo. was supplied to B.H.Q. on morning of 3 June @ Repeat. no order has been issued to troops since morning June 3. @ Your message no orig. no. and no time of origin.
253	1230	1410	2/9, 2/10, 2/11 Bn.	Adv. HQ 18 Bde.	Q 482.	Ref. 1 Anat Des. R.O 118 @ Returns to reach this H.Q. @ 900 hrs of June 1942.
254	1005	1014	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Q 476.	Sgt. HOGAN to report Roma Pt. Str. BRISBANE by 1200 hrs. today.
255			all Coys	Q M. Store	DA 11	<p style="text-align: center;">June 6, 42.</p> <p>A statement showing requirements of boots AB sizes 5, 6, 7, required at this office by 1000 hrs today @ all laundry to be at Q. Store by 1630 hrs today @</p>
256			ABC D Coy	B HQ 2/9 Bn		3 ORs to report to H Q Coy at 1315 hrs today @ to attend a bomb disposal demonstration at woodford.

In reply to no 1551.

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257	0945	0950	CSM's BCD + Pun Coy.	Bun H.Q.	E 21	Returns to R.S.M. by 1100 hrs today a report on the detention prisoners carried out their work on the exercise 3-5 June 42.		
258	1010	1011	RSM HQ Coy	OSM B Coy.	IWH 1	In reply to your message I have to report that both Pte Bonditch & Pte Quinlan carried out their duties excellently on the Bun exercise 3-5 June 42. Very favorable reports from pl. Sgts.		
259	1025		all Coy BHQ	Bun H.Q.	RB 4	Cinema leave to night. Allocation as follows HQ Coy 33 BHC 11 Rifle Coy + Pun Coy 21 ea. Tickets of ea. money and nominal Poles to BHQ 1400 hrs. Transport advised later.		
260	1025	1026	Adj 2/2 Pun	D Coy Capt Hooper	CH 1.	Have you located missing equipment and rifle & Rifle 1167/28 belonging to Pte Gathie. Capt Hooper spoke to Adj. istm about it the day before he left Anterfield.		
261	1104		all Coy	Adj 9th		Coy. Cmds. will report C.O. tent immediately.		
262	1140		Adj 2/9	All Coy		One O.R. from each pl will report to pioneer pl 0900 hrs 4 June to be attached for tug. in anti tank rd blocks minefields etc. Period of detachment 26 days.		
263	1145	1146	Rt Pl 5th Coy	2/9 Aust Inf Bn		Strength pioneer pl 2/9 Aust Inf Bn increased from 1 and 16 to 1 and 20.		
264	1155	1156	all Coy	BHQ		Cinema tonight @ amended price of tickets 1/3		
265	1515	1516	2/9, 2/10, 2/12 Pun 2/5 Reg	Adj HQ 10 Bde		Strip. required daily to be at this H.Q. by 1630 hrs. giving information up to 1600 hrs. Last report by 1600 hrs of June. Required with return. O. Ack. O.		
266	1230	1352	2/9 Bn	Adj HQ 10 Bde	Q 486	leave for 75 personnel approved for Tuesday 9 June if accommodation is already arranged by personnel.		
267			all Coy	Adj.		Ref 2 days accum. leave. Personnel living in Brisbane or surrounding districts may proceed on 2 days leave. leave will not be granted to other personnel until advice is received from this H.Q. that accommodation is available in Brisbane. No's of personnel proceeding on this leave will be advised to this H.Q. not later than 3 days prior to commencement of this leave.		
268	1600	1602	7 awarded 2/9 Bn		RMI	Copy no 5 ack.		In reply to 25 C/11/72.

269	1105	1115	all Coy B.H.Q.	B.H.Q.	E L1	Hold weapons checks and reports to the H.Q. if coys are holding rifle co. 421500
270	1100	1145	all Coy	B.H.Q.	R M 2	all coys. will include in training syllabus a lecture by carrier officers on NCOs on duties and responsibility of carriers comd. @ Arrange directly with carrier office capt. Barnes @ Repeat lecture each month @
271	1210	1220	all Coy B.H.Q.	B.H.Q.	AHE1	Cinema party tonight. allocations as follows H.Q. Coy 33 B.H.Q. 10, each rifle Coy. 21 ea. Nominal rolls to B.H.Q. by 1500 hrs @
272	1300	1315	all Coy B.H.Q.	2/9 Bn	AHE1	Leas days leave. leave will commence on Tuesday 9 June @ leave parties will leave on Tuesdays Thursdays @ Saturday until further notice @ Accommodation must be already arranged by personnel @ times of trains advised later @
273	1540	1545	all Coy B.H.Q.	2/9 Bn H.Q.	R C 1	Personnel who have been recommended for secondment to AMF will not leave camp until further orders are issued.
274	1600	1656	all Coy	2/9 Bn	I 69	Coy will advise I.O. in advance of their movements and liaison areas whilst absent from camp on recess or manoeuvres.

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275	0945		C Coy	2/9 Bn	R A E 2	Duties. @ Coy mount Bn. Duties tonight at Retreat @ Return Camp 1500 hrs today @ Ask
276	0834	0847	2/9 Bn	C. Coy	E P 1	Now that Lieut Foster and Hayes have left, do remainder of personnel nominated for AMF remain in camp. urgent.
278	1325	1410	B.D.C. Coy Atp 2/9 Bn Q.M. 2/9 Bn	2/9 Bn	R M 6	Ath. 2/9 Bn. will attach one pl. to each of B C & D Coys. for Coy exercise this week @ Rtg. to be complete with NCOs as far as possible @ A/C Q.M.S. Ath 2/9 Bn. will advise C & MS of other Coys. strength of personnel to be attached @ O.C. O.C. Ath 2/9 Bn. will be attached to B Coy. for exercise @ Ask
279	0843	0913	all Coy B.H.Q. Atp 2/9 Bn	Adj. 2/9 Bn	R M 4	Leaving leave @ All passes will be made out in DUPLICATE and the copy forwarded to this H.Q. @ Parties will proceed in the following order @ H.Q. Coy 9 June A Coy 10 June B & C Coys. 11 June D Coy B.H.Q. and Ath. 2/9 Bn. 12 June @
280	0915	1150	ADOS 7 Austln	2/9 Bn	R M 5	Ask.
281	1030	1410	ABCD Coys.	2/9 Bn	R M 6	The coys. ABCD will submit by 1500 hrs 8 June nominations of two junior N.C.O.'s per coy. to attend Sec. leaders course @ Ask
282	1110	1120	2/9 Aust Inf Bn.	2/9 Aust Inf Bn.	B A E 6	New kit bag containing personal gear clothes picked up by 2/9 Bn in Helms on Saturday May 30. @ Please inquire and advise @
283	1110	1120	all H.Q. 18 Bde	2/9 Aust Inf Bn.	B A E 7	Name address next of kin Sgt. Roberts D.S. mother Mrs. K.A. ROBERTS, BRUSHY PARK. MOORE RIVER, VIA NEANDARA @

In reply to no  
ADOS 167/15

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284	1425	1426	all Coy.	Q.M.	DA 12	Return strength figures for Sunday required by 1500 hrs today		
285	1435		2/9 Pnn H.Q.	CSM Day.		Ack.		In Reply to RM 6 (2)
286	1437	1438	2/9 Pnn H.Q.	B Coy.	SP1.	Ack		In Reply to RM 6 (2)
287	1510		all Coy + B.H.Q.	2/9 Aust. Inf Bn.	RAE 12	Bn quota Thursday have reduced to 50 @ Amendment Allocation as follows HQ Coy 11 B.H.Q. 4 Rifle Coy 5 Pinn. Coy 7 each @.		
288	1845	1930	Acht. Bde H.Q.	2/9 Pnn.	1. 10	Sitrep HQ Coy on Exercise in Caloundra. Otherwise situation unchanged		
289	0910		DEX 1	HEVV	R.H. 1	ACK. <u>8 JUNE.</u>		
290	1602		ALL COYS.	BEX 1		<u>9 JUNE.</u> C.O. ord. RM. 0830 hrs. <u>10 JUNE</u>		
291	1505	1515	1st AUST MOV + TRANSPORTATION GP. TOWNSVILLE	BEX 1	RAE 9	Application forwarded to Bde @ No decision yet @		
292	1200	1202	THE ADJUTANT, YIKO (2/5 <sup>th</sup> FD REGT)	BEX 1 (FR REYNOLDS)	PH. NO 1	Thanks, will be delighted to stay for breakfast on Friday after Mass		
293	1045	1200	2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN A.I.F. 1st AUST DIV	1st AUST MOV + TAXI GP. T'VILLE	MT 744	Ref letters dated 18 MAY 42 @ When can W.O. Hardy come forwarded @ Urgently required @ Reply @		
294	1030	1940	FEZU H.Q. COY, BN. H.Q. C+D COYS. MEZU. PETA.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BN. BELU.	AL 2.	Cinema allocation tonight HQ Coy 45 B.H.Q. 15. C Coy 30 D Coy 30 @ Rolls and money to BN.H.Q. 1400 hrs @ Tickets 1/3 each @ Outstandingly good program "Glenian" + South of the Border Transport as usual		
295	0800	1120	PADRE REYNOLDS.	YIPD	A 174.	Will you have breakfast with us at conclusion of mass on Friday @		
296	1400		YAFU	BEX 1	I 71.	Sitrep 1630 hrs @ Helu area 631671 @ Reuu area 613653 @ MEJU area 5666 @ FEZU 2, + 4 pls. area 608637 @ BULO and DIKA advised of coys in their areas @ Otherwise situation unchanged @ Ref: Myrs GYMPIE + IPSWICH 1/4"		

297	1220	1500	2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/10 <sup>th</sup> 2/12 <sup>th</sup> BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> BDE	0.25	8 JUNE. Lieut Paterson, Forward, Haskings will report 18 BDE for rail warrants 0730 hrs 10 June @ Depart Killybeg by rail for CABARLATT 0755 hrs.
298			2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> BDE		Transfer 2/Cpl Culley to Corps Aust hqs to 18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BDE @ He is to report to Bde. this morning with all gear.
299			BEXI MDLI	YAFU	0.29	10 JUNE. For information COL. PEYTON U.S. Army L.O. will be in DIV area from 10 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> JUNE inclusive @ Was U.S. Army military attache in Berlin until AVG 41 @ Anticipates visiting Eng. areas and at least one address to proportion of them @ All informed @
300	0900	0907	18 Bde	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	I 72	Sitrep 0900 hrs. A Coy area 631671 B Coy area 613653 C Coy area 573656 H.Q. Coy. 23 + 24 pls. 623631. Remaining Coy. in Camp Area @ Ref maps Gympie to Brisbane 1/4" to mile.
301	0905	0912	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	18 Bde	Q487	Lower O.P. not NCOs from ea unit to be attached to this HQ for duty with 11 pl. of H.Q. Guard Bn. @ Report to Sgt Powell Rear H.Q. 18 Bde 0900 hrs 11 June. ack.
302	0950	0955	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	Capt Suthers 2/12 <sup>th</sup> Bn	AG 51	Ref court of inquiry held by Lieut. Moyes @ Phase forward to SUTHERS at 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn.
303	1055	1105	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	1.0. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn		Trucks wrecked 2 miles N of Mambour @ Will require another trucks to continue recce @ No casualty @ Waiting here.
304	1105	1145	18 Bde	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	R 716	Copy no 1. Ack. @
305	1155	1230	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	18 Bde	Q488	Personnel for 11 pl. H.Q. Guard Bn. bring all gear and unfinished portions of days rations.
306	1123	1145	18 Bde	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	R 717	Ack.
307	1135	1140	Capt Suthers 2/12 <sup>th</sup> Bn	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	R 713	Reference message AG 51 @ Court of inquiry papers collected by 2/12 <sup>th</sup> DR. this H.Q. about 1600 hrs 8 June @
308	1430		18 Bde	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn	I 73	Sitrep. 1630 hrs @ B Coy area 597660 @ C Coy area 577671 @ otherwise situation unchanged @ Ref map Gympie 1/4"
309	1640	1642	2/9 <sup>th</sup> Bn 2/10 <sup>th</sup> Bn 2/5 <sup>th</sup> Bn	18 Bde	1574	Additional sitrep. required 11 June by 0900 hrs. giving details per day @ Normal sitrep by 1630 @ all informed.

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310	1855	1900	2/9 Bn. 2/10 Bn. 2/12 Bn.	18 Bde	030	Dates div collected exercise ref 7 div training objectives to 31 July following @ Paragraph F 6 July paragraphs G & 13 July 2 days paragraphs H for 18 Bde 27 July 3 days <u>11 June 42.</u>		immediate
311	1235	1315	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Q489	Ref 7 Aust. Div. P.D. 84. A return is required to reach this H.Q. by 0900 hrs 17 June 42 as per instructions contained in above orders.		
312	1600	1600	18 Bde	2/9 Bn		Strip 1630 hrs uncharged.		
313	1615	1634	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	032	Pioneer School concluded. P.M. 13 June @ unit will supply transport to return personnel to camp at 0900 hrs. 14 June. All approved.		
314	1645		18 Bde	2/9 Bn	CB1	Ref Garters @ Considered Essential @ Reason, one necessity of uniforms, also, serves to keep bottom of trousers from catching in undergrowth and excludes spear grass from socks. Also, keeps boots free from mud and to some extent, water. Considered that webbing or canvas far superior in strength and utility than bairn or similar material.		
315		1150	Hospital numbers	2/9 Bn		Re @ X 4784 SAAC G.H.L @ Permission to give one web bairn granted.		
316	1600	1601	ALL COYS + BN-HQ	BN-HQ	A.H.I.	<u>12<sup>th</sup> June</u> Coys will have rifle check and report as early as possible @ if either of the following numbers are included in their Coys. 60084 or 65406 @		
317	1850	1805	ADV. H.Q. 15 AUST. INF. BDE	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	F74	Strip 1640 hrs. @ A. Coy returning camp via 598667. 592656 @ D. Coy, leaving at 594673 @ Other coys camp area @ Ref Gympie 1/4"		
318			ALL COYS	BN-HQ		Rearrangement of leave, @ Strip unitary but leave passes @ Men to be issued with rail warrants @ Carry on with railway warrants @ Leave from 0730 hrs tomorrow to 1230 hrs Monday @ Neley to Tonsbane + return		



Carry on with railway warrants @ Leave from 0730 hrs tomorrow to 1230 hrs

Monday @ Neley to Tonslane & return

319 1040 1420/12. 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST INF BN 6<sup>th</sup> COY AHC. N.Q. AUST. INF. BDE Q49L

11<sup>th</sup> JUNE

Advise immediately if rifles Nos 60084 or 65406 on issue to unit personnel @ All informed @

320 1045 1150. A.T.R. COM. A/TR. B.H.Q. TM 170

12<sup>th</sup> JUNE

Report to TB Esp immediately on your return @ Urgent @

321 1225 1230 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BN. AMENITIES OFF. 7 DIV H.Q. RIS.

Will arrange to have drums picked up and they will be well cared for. @ Thanks @

322 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BN. 7 DIV PROVOST

Send transport to 7 DIV Provost WOODFORD to pick up Q.X. 2593 the Cpl. Weaver & Q.X. 16553 Pte Hall, under arrest @

323 1120 AMENITIES OFFR. 7<sup>th</sup> AUST DIV. 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BN.

You can have six drums @ Can you arrange to pick them up @

324 1000 1010 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BN. AMENITIES OFFR. N.Q. 7 AUST DIV. R11

Confirming my phone conversation last night @ 2/10<sup>th</sup> Band playing Woodford Sunday, but as drums being required would appreciate loan of 16 drums less drummers @

325 1036 1038 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BN. 7<sup>th</sup> DIV PAYMASTER.

Ref. Q.X. 4975 GRAHAM. W.F. being despatched from here this day.

326 0930 0931 2/9<sup>th</sup> Bn. 7<sup>th</sup> Div Paymaster. PH1.

Q.X. 4975 GRAHAM named. 14/6/42 wife inquiring @ Forward WFB this office urgently @

13 June 42.

327 0030 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST Inf Bde 2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST Inf Bn. DA10.

Sergeant Cooper located by your cpl hand at 2330 hrs @ drive heavy mist all remaining overnight. Report with hints 13 June. @

328 0620 0625 all Coy B.H.Q. 5<sup>th</sup> Adj. RM 8.

Conference all officers 1030 hrs 14 June at Red Shield Tent @ Aek.

329 0845 0846. all Coy 2/9<sup>th</sup> Bn. B.H.Q. I 75.

Will Coy please arrange that daily sitreps are forwarded with daily parade states each morning if such sitreps have not been sent in advance @ the information from them is required by CO by 0530 hrs.

330 0845 0846 all Coy B.H.Q. Q.M. 2/9<sup>th</sup> Bn. DAR.

Returns required to reach this O.C. by 1200 hrs 14 June of rifles on issue to Coy @ Return to show rifle no. and to whom issued or if held in store @

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331	0900	0925	2/9 Bn 6 Coy HQ	18 Bde.	Q493.	Efficiency returns first line amm. reqd. to reach this HQ by 0900 hrs 14 June 42 urgent.		
332	0915	0935	all Coy	Bn HQ	RC1.	Cinema attachment Bn HQ. 4 HQ Coy 11, Rifle Coy 7 @ nominal Rells. required at Bn HQ. birth money by 1400 hrs @ tickets obtainable at Bn HQ.		
333	0922	0933	all Coy Bn HQ 5th AT Coy	Adj. 2/9 Bn	RM10	Ref. officers conference 1030 hrs. 14 June @ for Red Shield Club substitute Bn HQ. officers mess. @ Ack.		
334	1210	1456	2/9 Bn.	18 Bde.	Q495.	Ref. 7 Aust. Div. R.O. No. 188. Returns to reach this HQ by 0900 hrs. 22 of each month		
335	1220	1458	2/9 Bn	18 Bde.	Q497	Ref. Div. R.O. 141 Returns to reach this HQ. by 0900 hrs 17 June		
336	1240	1300	Kelvin Grove Detention Barracks.	2/9 Bn.	RC2.	Ref. 2 men held at Roma Police Stn. Contact DAPM L of C regarding disposal		
337	1400		18 Bde	2/9 Bn	I75.	Sitrep 1600 hrs @ all Coy in camp area except. par. pl. at JIMNA. Due in tonight or tomorrow morning.		
338	1616	1625	18 Bde	2/9 Bn	RM11.	ADMIN INSTN N°8 COPY. N°1 Ack. @		
339			all Coy.	Adj 2/9 Bn	RM14	The following personnel will be ready to move at one hour notice from midnight 14 June 42 @ All OR all Coy Comds. excepting him. Coy Comd. 10. QM Sig offr Sig Sgt. 2 cooks 2 DR's 2 cypher personnel 14 Sig personnel. CO's batman @ MS. Batman HQ. Coy Comds batman Sig offr. Batman 7 drivers inc. CO's driver @ Following Vechs. will be required 1 car DS 5 15 cwt. Trucks 13 ton truck 3 MC's @ Sig gear as under 108 Pch Sets Heliographs Lucas lamps aerial ground strips @ ant.		
340		1710	DAPM Roma St.	2/9 Bn.		Contact DAPM @ 1400 over re two men held at Roma Police Stn.		
341			18 Bde	2/9 Bn		Ref 2 days leave 150 unit transport to be used before 15 June await our instructions being issued today @ If you have enough home leave passes use for travelling by train use no pro-formas @		
342	1800	1801	2/9 Bn	HQ Coy	RT2.	nil Returns.		

In reply to  
A.H.

14 June 42.

343	0930	0945	Lieut. Mackie	Adj. 2/19 Bn.	R M 14.	Q XI 555. Pte. DELANEY J.P. of 2/19 Bn. HAS REQUESTED YOU AS HIS DEFENDING OFFICER AT DCIA TO BE HELD 15-16 JUNE 42 O ARE YOU AVAILABLE O PLEASE ADVISE IMMEDIATELY O.
344	1130	1131	2/19 Bn Capt Perry	2/10 Bn.	G H 1.	Major Martin not yet returned from leave. Will you carry on with 2/16 Lt Regt. court of inquiry in event of Martin's absence.
345		1150	Adj. 2/19 Bn	Lieut Mackie 2/10 Bn.	P M 1.	Re defence of pte Delaney, am available please give place, time + summary also can you arrange transport.
346	1200	1220	2/19, 2/10 2/12 Bns.	18 Bde.	Q 500	Return by 0900 hrs 16 June nominations four (4) Cpls suitable for promotion to Sgt and transfer 3 and Div O Requires CO's recommendation O Personnel nominated should be available at an early date for movement.
347			12 Bde	2/19 Bn.	I 16	A list of cpls. suitable for promotion to Sgt. and transfer to AMF has already been submitted O are further four nominations required.
348	2005	2055	2/19 Bn	18 Bde	Q 502	Re I 16. yes.
349		1210	All Cpls Bn HQ	RSM 2/19 Bn.		Officers & Spts. Base ball match will be held on A Coy's football ground this afternoon at 1430 hrs O Spts. team are W. O. S. Donnelly, Jim Spts. Mc Giver, Blythman, Wilson, Thompson, Mc Ewane, Roberts, Albert, Emergency Spts. Money & Greg.
350	1230	240	All Cpls. Capt. HQ	Bn HQ.		Personnel (2) from each Coy. will report to Sig officer H.Q. by 1700 hrs. today O Personnel for preference who were being trained prior to arrival in the camp O Personnel will bring all gear and will be attached for training to HQ Coy.
351	1255	1310.	O.Cs. All Coy. Q M Bn HQ	Adj. 2/19 Bn.	R M 16.	C.B.s party with mess as follows. O Car DS. C.O. Adj. plus driver & batman O One 15 Cwt. O'SC coys. & Q M. O One 15 Cwt. officers Valises O R's Gear. plus rations O One 15 Cwt. - cooking gear for all ranks plus Q M, batman. and one cook. O S.P. Bn HQ. ST 0800 hrs. 15 June 42 O Ack.
352	1350	1351	All Coys.	B.H.Q. 2/19 Bn.		During C.O.'s absence on leave. Coy junior off will continue with mess as per orig. instructions.
353			Capt Rowne	18 Bde.		Would it be convenient for Capt. Rowne to report to Bde Major @ 1200 hrs today.
354			18 Bde.	2/19 Bn	I 77	Ack yours O 34.

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In reply to Q 500.

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355	1500	1510	2/9 Bn	18 Aust Inf Bde	034	Ref MURGON T.E.H.T. Requirement 1 NOT required until 0600 hrs 15 June @ Ack.		CIPHER.
356	1530	1541	2/9 Bn	18 Bde.	I580	Ref TEWT. MURGON on exercise 00 NO1 @ For action & General transport Coy. and Pl E General transport Coy @ Ack @ all informed.		
357	1430	1810	18 Bde	2/9 Bn	RM17	Ack.		In Reply To N° 054
358	1630	1810	18 Bde	2/9 Bn	RM18	Ack		... .. N° I580
359	1945		2/9 Bn	18 Bde		Reference Murgon tent. @ Appendix A to 18 Bde memo of 13 June 42 will be returned to this H.Q. by special DR by 2000 hrs 14 June @		
360	1930	2000	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	I583	Div. reports next series aircraft recognition signals not yet available @ Will forward on receipt @ all informed.		
361	2005	2055	2/9 Bn	18 Bde	Q502	yes.		
362			Capt Hooper Bris.	Ajt 2/9 Bn		Endeavour to return to Coy by 0700 hrs 15 June 42. Ready to move out on Ball exercise.		In Reply To E71
363			All Coys. BHQ.	@ M. 2/9 Bn		<u>June 15 42</u> all PQMS to report to Bn Q store at 0830 hrs 16 June C + B Coy tomorrow to report with PQMS.		
364	0839	0860	DADOS E	2/9 Bn	J1	Please advise time armourer Sgt. to be at DADOS E in ref tommy gun @ Ack.		
365	0920		Lieut. Mackis 2/18.	2/9 Bn.	RAE1	Summary forwarded 14 JUNE by DR letter service @ Bde advise anticipate a DCM concerned 15 or 16 June 42 & instruct that accused & witnesses will be kept available at 24 hrs notice @ Exact date will be notified as soon as known @ Would appreciate if you would arrange transport. @		
366		0940	2/9 Bn	Kelvin Grave		Sgt Clerk of Kelvin Detention Barracks said that the Roma Police are holding two of 2/9 Bn Personnel ex 15319 Pte Wilson and Pte Hardgrave and want 2/9 Bn to get in touch with them.		
367	1045	1046	all Coys	2/9 Bn.	AH1	Conference at 1130 hrs today CO'S Tent. Cnds. of Coys. at present in line to attend @ Cnds. to have in possession QYM PIE map 1/4		
368	1200		all Coys BnHQ.	2/9 Bn.	RAE7	Cinema house 15 June 42 allocations as follows HQ Coy 22 BnHQ, 7 Rifle Coy & Rein. Coy 14 @ Tickets purchased individually, at ticket office @ all personnel will be issued with stamped leave passes @ Ack.		

... .. W/AN JESSE J H has been nominated to attend

369			ALG	Bn HQ	RAC 8.	QX3097 WO "JESSE J H" has been nominated to attend OTS. Bonzella @ He will depart KILKORY 0735 hrs 26 June @
370	1200		2/9 Bn	18 Bde.		Piquets report 13 June. It should have been in yesterday morning @ Have not received it @ Can they send it in immediately.
371	1235		2/9 Bn	Kelvin Grove Co. p pors		Have QX22267, QX9923 Burner, QX20710 Burke. Please send escort at once.
372	1236		2/9 Bn	DADOS (E) 1st Div.	OS209	armoury Sgt. to report to DADOS @ 0900 hrs June 16.
373	1630		10 Bde	2/9 Bn		S. Trip - Detachments unchanged.
374	1800		2/9 Bn	10 Bde		Kileng Piquet 3 NCOs 12 ORs to assist 2/5 Tol Reg. on Thursday 16 June @ Report to Piquet offr @ morning or evening?
16 June - 42.						
375	0920	1019	BEXI	YAFU	Q504.	Bn. between Villeneuve & BEXI unsafe for traffic
376	1000		Coys	BEXI		Ray Friday afternoon Regs. required coys 1300 hrs today.
377	1010		Coys	BEXI	RHE. 6	Gas Capes @ Under no circumstances will Gas Capes be used as rain coats @ Ground sheets issued for this purpose
378	1050	1125	BEXI	HIDD	SAR. 1	Lieut. Skinner unable to attend court of inquiry umpiring Bde exercise
379	1050		B+C Coys.	BEXI	EL. 1	Pte Quinlan will be released from detention at 1200 hrs today to be returned to his Coy under escort @ Coys will send own escort sergeant Pte McCarthy, Nolan, Murray, Funnell Quinlan from close escort by 1200 hrs today.
380	1120		Coys	Q.M.	R.S. 1.	Ration state showing personnel on march @ in Camps to be sent to Q.M. by 1500 hrs 16
381	1227		Coys		R.S. 2.	Sufficient fresh rations for one meal for personnel returning from leave @ will be delivered by Coy to H.Q. No. 1 Kitchen today

In Reply to J 1.

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382	1425		Coys	BEXI	K.M. 1	Coys will fwd. to Bn. H.Q. by 1700 hrs today (A) Personnel in Camp. (B) Personnel on march. (C) A.W.L. (D) Hosp. Leave, O Bn. H.Q. will be notified any changes para C		
						17 Jun. 42		
383	0635		BEXI	BEXI adv.	L.F. 1	March state O A Coy all present, B Coy 1 minus C. Coy 2 returned to BEXI, D Coy Camp party plus 6 otherwise unaltered, H.Q. Coy 33 minus, King Coy 11 minus, Bn. H.Q. all present		
384	1055		Coys.	BEXI	S.S. 1	All personnel returning from leave will report to Lieut Sparkes at Bn. H.Q. at 1400 hrs with picks, shovels & axes.		
385	1135	1225	BEXI	D.P.O 1 Aust Army	PRO. 150	Qx 15319 Plt Wilson T., Qx 19573 Plt Hardgrave held at Provoat, Brisbane O Escort necessary immediately		
386	1540			YAFU		W.O. II Hardy A application for transfer has been approved O Authority A/48/6/1018 O Go ahead with transfer		
387			YAFU	BEXI	I 80	Sitrep. 1630 hrs. O Bn. bivouacing at 560676 O At 1800 hrs. route march continued during night to 537674. where bn will bivouac 18 Jun O Ref map GYMPTIE 1/4		
388		1640	BEXI	YAFU	O 39	Vacancies Sec. leader course CABARLAH 30 Jun. 9 Sep. BEXI one SEBA two H/DI one O Signal nominal rolls this H.Q. by 1800 hrs.		
389	1643		YAFU	BEXI	RAF 9	nom. sec. leader course CABARLAH O Qx 8996 A/CPL HARTLEY. AM.		
390			Coys.			Personnel in camp will report to Lieut Sparkes at 0900 hrs H.Q. O Bring picks, shovels O Coys will divide into sfs under N.C.O's who will have roll of their sections		
		1900	BEXI	YAFU		Offr. nominated as umpire for Bde exercise with		

390 Coys. under N.C.O.'s who will have roll of their sections

391 1900 BEXI YAFU Offr. nominated as umpire for Bde exercise will report to Bde maj. 0930 hrs 18 Jun.

392 2110 D 41 Only personnel required report this H.Q. 0930 hrs 18 Jun. Capt. Bourne, Capt. Barnes & two Coy 2 1/2's recce Bde conducted exercise

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393 0805 Q 508 Submit full report on rations at present on issue returns to reach this H.Q. 1900 hrs 20 Jun.

394 0835 A.D.S. 7 Div. BEXI DA. 20 Ref schedule A item 504 @ four transferred from unit See 412.

395 0955 1015 BEXI YAFU Q 506 A report has been received that some boots are not satisfactory @ Please submit report re boots to this H.Q. by 0900 hrs 19 Jun.

396 0955 1016 Q 42 Personnel nominated as instructors H. Q.'s first army will report to Lt. Col. OXLEY 19 Jun. @ movement will be by M.T. @ SEBA will supply one 15 cwt truck @ Personnel will depart this H.Q. 0900 hrs 19 Jun.

397 7 Div Paymaster Py 63. Qx 7465 RECK A.W.L. date 4/5/42 @ advise date returned to unit.

398 Coys. BEXI RAQ 22 2 days accumulated leave on Sat 20 Jun. allocation as follows R. Coys 23. Reinf. Coy 23 H.Q. Coy 43 Bn. H.Q. 12 transport as last Monday @ ack.

399 1025 " RM. 1 Coys will fwd. to Bn. H.Q. by 1700 hrs today nominal roll of personnel who have proceeded on sacking leave showing date of departure

400 1105 BEXI AH. 1 all two day leave cancelled until further notice

401 BEXI YAFU Q 507 Submit return of 303 BLANK AMN held by your unit by 1900 hrs 19 Jun.

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402	1210		Coys.	BEXI	RM. 18	all coys + Bn. H.Q. will concentrate on 19 + 20 Jun. on rd muss as previously advised @ at least 2 offrs will be utilised for completion muss.
403	1320		YAFU	BEXI	RM. 19	Nik return (Q 507)
404	1318		PRY Sjt. BEXI	7 Div Hd Cash office	P. 66	Report signal P1 regarding deferred pay 1240 & 1241.
405	1500		D.F. O I M.D.	BEXI	P. 2	F.P. 772 your telegram Qx17063 FERNAN B returned unit 9 Jun. @ A.W.L. 22 Mar. to 9 Jun
406	1616		Coys	BEXI	R.M. 19	All offrs, w.o.'s + h.c. o's will attend meeting called by C.O. at 1600 hrs 19 Jun 42 @ R.V. at near Bn. H.Q. @ Ack
407			Coys	BEXI		C.O.'s orderly Room 1400 hrs 19 Jun. All Coys include in Syllabus commencing 22 Jun until 29 Jun a lecture by I.O. on air attack @ Coys will contact & arrange with I.O. for times of lectures @ minimum time for lectures 30 minutes to be repeated weekly
408	1642		YAFU	BEXI	I 75	Sitrep all coys on Bn Route march area sq. 5367 @ otherwise situation unchanged
409	1646		Coys	BEXI		Personnel in camp report to Lieut Sparks H.Q. O.K. 0900 hrs 19 Jun. Picks + shovels will be carried
410			Coys	BEXI	RHS 24	1 h.c. O from ea. Rifle Coy 4 h.c.o's H.Q. Coy will be prepared to move from Coy O.R.s at 0430 hrs 19 Jun 42 @ Demonstration and 2h school at COLOUNDRRA @ Cut lunches
411			Coys	BEXI	RHS. 23	Dance VILLENEUVE HALL Sat. 20 Jun. @ 2k15 1/- @ Dancing 1930 - 2359 @ allocation H.Q. Coy 11, Bn. H.Q. 4 Rifle Rifle Coy of each. @ Nominations to Bn H.Q. by 1200 hrs 20 Jun. @ Ack
412	1120	1205	BEXI	7 Aust Div	OS. 223	Advise units to which transferred
413	0900		7 Div	BEXI	RM. 7	QX7465 Pte RECK returned to unit 30 May 42

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413	0900		7 Kin	BEX1	RM.7	QX7465 Pte RECK returned to unit 30 May 42
414	0930	1119		BEX1	YAFU Q509	Units will submit a return to this H.Q. by 0900 hrs 21 Jun show number of sets of shield chains by sizes to fit all vehicles
415	1045		all cogs	BEX1		Submit to this H.Q. by 1300 hrs numbers of men that fell out of march @ H.Q. cog to submit by pls
416	1130		all cogs	BEX1	P2	Cog pays may be collected Pay Sergeants tent 1200 hrs
417	1200		all cogs	BEX1	RAE 23	DAYBORO Annual CWA ball @ Transport leaving by lines at 1800 hrs 19 Jun @ Allocation as follows H.Q. cog 5 Rifle cogs = Reinf cog 3 each Bn H.Q. 1 @ NO information re price of tickets @ Nominations to this H.Q. 1500 hrs
418	1335			BEX1	HEBU	Left camp 3 offrs 67 OR's Left Thms night bivouac 3 offrs 30 OR's Arrived camp 3 offrs 160 OR's
419	1340	1353		BEX1	YAFU Q515	all BRISBANE leave allotments as from today are cancelled @ Further advice will be issued
420	1535		ADMS 7 Kin	9 Bin	AJ 1	NO chiropody set held by this unit
421	1600		Lieut TAYLOR	Capt SWAN		Bde says he will NOT proceed with the Court of Inquiry to Toowoomba but will continue with the umpiring of exercise
422	1610			YAFU	BEX1 I76	Sitrep @ all cogs in area @ Situation unchanged
423	1635		Capt PEEK	Major MATTHEWS	GRM 2	Court of Inquiry adjourned until Monday now further adjourned until further notice @ 9 am required for Court martial commencing Monday 22 Jun
424	1910			HID!	BEX1 RAE 27	UMPIRES 90 Lieut TAYLOR required tomorrow @ Please advise
425	2130			BEX1	YAFU Q517	Ref 7 Aust Kin R.O. 156 return to reach this H.Q. 0900 hrs 22 Jun @ Ref D.R.O. 157 certificate to reach this H.Q. 0900 hrs 29 day of each month @ all informed
426		1057	Sgt French		DADOS	Sgt French to report to DADOS E as soon as possible with modification of Thompson Sub.

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427.						20 Jun 42 minimum requirements of Sandshoes for training purposes. © Requirements by size to Bde 2 Jun 42
428.			BEXI	YAFU	BEXI	Seven offrs. Coy Comd course @ Eastern Comd. School 29 Jun - 5 weeks nominal roll to Bde 31 Jun 42
429.	0845		Coy	BEXI	A.H. 4	Bn. must. parade 0830 hrs tomorrow 31 Jun 42 near where Salvo. tent was previously located © all personnel will attend except Off. Cpl. from each Coy, R.Q.M.S., one O.R. & P.O. Cpl. & Bn. Sd © Prisoner personnel in detention awaiting trial will also be paraded by the guard sgt & escort ©
430.		0920	asst adj.	YAFU		List of offrs. of regt. seniority - © Unit shows Lieut Salisbury between Lieut McManus & Lieut Griffin © Last A.I.F. list No 3 shows him between Lieut Scott & Lieut Wills © Check confirm which is correct pln
431.	1070	1035	BEXI	PORO		Ox 12718 Plt Flannery. Jo Query malaria © Kileoy area © On leave Brisbane two weeks ago © admitted thin M.D.S. 19 Jun.
432.		1220	ADOS. 7 Div	BEXI	DA. 21	3 transferred 19 Bn. A.M.F. One to 19 Bn A.M.F
433.		1346	Coy	BEXI	RAE 31.	2 day leave has been granted to commence 31 Jun 42 © allocation - rifle coys & rifle coy 12 each H.Q. Coy 16 Bn H.Q. 4 © Convoy leaving transport line 0510 hrs © Coys will issue leave passes & submit nominal roll to this H.Q. by 1600 hrs.
434.		1350	Coy	BEXI	RTM 32	Dance Villeneuve Hall 20 Jun 42 © Rifle coys & rifle Coy 7 each H.Q. Coy 11 Bn H.Q. 4 © 2 buckets of each © hold to Bn Sd. 1600 hrs.
435.		1410	Coy	BEXI.	RAE 33	2 days leave © M.T. pick up leave personnel Coy offrs 0445 hrs
						Picture Party 30 Jun 42 © Rifle & rifle Coy 6 each, H.Q. 8 Bn H.Q. 2 M.T. leave transport line @ 1845 hrs. © arrangements as

436	1420	Coys	BEX1	RHE	34	Picture Party 20 Jun 42 @ Rifle & Rifle Coy beach, 100 ft. S Bank of 2 M.T. leave transport lines @ 1545 hrs. @ arrangements as previously pay at door.
437	1425	Coys	BEX1	H.M.	1	all vehs other than Coy Camdus trucks to be returned to qt. lines @ 1100 hrs 31 Jun 42
438	1426	Coys	BEX1	RHE	36	Coys will prepare by 1500 hrs 31 Jun 300 rds of blank amm @ to be prepared under supervision of an officer @ R.S.M. will fwd amm.
439	1427	Coys	BEX1	RHE	35	Coys to return by 1800 hrs number of the carrying vehs required for Btl exercise - loading 18 per veh @ normal loading A echelon vehs.
440	1500	YAFU	BEX1	H.M.	2	Skid chains required size + no. 900 x 16 35 @ 1050 x 20 - 16 @ 650 x 15 - 18 @ 750 x 15 - 1 @ Total 53.
441	1500	Rifing Coy	BEX1	RHE	37	R.M.O. will arrange with O.C. Rifle Coy to choose men for statches beaver course with view of being absorbed
442	1520	Coys	BEX1	R.S.M.		Coys will report to R.S.M.'s tent immediately to draw 300 rds S.A.H. for conversion to blank @ Blank to be returned by 1900 hrs 31 Jun 42
443	1550		BEX1	KENDU	W.13.I	Spot required for 80 men Btl exercise
444	1616	Coys	Q.M.	R.G.	7	Return showing no, rank + name of personnel requiring special face piece for respirators other than small normal or large @ Remarks about exceptional cases to be included @ Return required at Q Store by 1200 hrs 31 Jun 42. @ Nil returns required
445	1620	YAFU	BEX1			Sit repr. - Sit now
446	1745	Coys	H.Q.	Coy	J.S. I	Applicants for Pioneer Pl. will be interviewed by me 1530 hrs 31 Jun 42 @ H.Q. Coy O/R room
447	2230	all units	YAFU	Q	518	advise whether WX 4485 Pt Baerham F.M. is a member of your unit @ Nil returns required @ Returns to reach this H.Q. by 1200 hrs 31 Jun.

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						21 Jun 42
448	0720		Coys	BEXI	WH 1	Musters Parade cancelled @ Church parade same time same place same number last Sunday
449	0745		Coys	BEXI	WH 2	Church Parade held in S.A. Tent H.Q. lines
450	1000		YAFU	BEXI	RHE 40	vs. Pt. Bentham FM is NOT a member of this unit
451	1202		Coys	BEXI	RHE 31	Br. exercise Monday postponed @ Br. Air Co-operation exercise 26 Jun @ alternative exercise 2-5 Jun inclusive
452	1305		BEXI	YAFU	D 46	Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bde will hold a conference of C.O's & C.C's at this H.Q. 1400 hrs 22 Jun. @ Ack @ all informed
453	1305		BEXI	YAFU	D 47	Ref Bde controlled exercises - the following are required for <del>the</del> a conference B.M. Office 1400 hrs 22 Jun for financial adm. details @ Adj. Staff Lt Col. and Ad. Regt Majors Kempton, Gard 2/2 Br. Capt. Bourne 2/9 Br. Capt. Westgarth 5 Bty 2 H/2k Regt. Ref. 2/5 7d Amb. Ref. 6 coy A.A.S.C. @ Ack @ all informed
454	1305		BEXI	YAFU	D 46	
454	1421	1435	BEXI	YAFU	Q 519	Personnel nominated to transfer to 3 Aust Div will report to H.Q. 3 Aust Div. at 1420 hrs 22 Jun for interview @ C.O.C. 3 Aust Div @ All informed
455	1500		YAFU	BEXI	I 81	Sitrep 1630 hrs @ all coys in camp. @ Sit unchanged
456	1551		YAFU	BEXI	T I	Sitrep - Sitnor

457 MIL BASE BEX 1 cpl. Hillson B.W. has been ordered to return to unit immediately. Do not entertain further applications this nature.

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458 0912 all Coy B HQ 2/9 Bns. P.M.I. Training in lieu of cancelled exercise. Coy 3 day exercise with marching by night. All Coys to be in camp by 1800 hrs Thursday 25 June. Bns. av G of scheme Friday 26 June. Tasks.

459 1320 2/9 Bns 18 Bde. Ref G 254 Personnel to report to 7 Anst. Div 1430 hrs 22 June 42 for interview with QOC 7 Anst Div.

460 1415 1415 2/9 Bns 9 Bty 5th Regt. K9 Rations strength 2 July to 5 July 190.

461 1550 1552 all Coys B HQ 2/9 Bns HQ H.M.C. Pictures have 10% of coy. Returns to be submitted as soon as possible to enable rpt. to be arranged.

462 1530 18 Bde 2/9 Bns I 82. Sitrap 1630 hrs. All Coys in camp except HQ Coy. HQ Coy bivouacking tonight BEERWAH and continuous march to CALOUNDRA tomorrow camp 26 June.

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463 0930 1053 all Coys 2/9 Bns I 82. Replacements of maps on issue to coys. can NOT be obtained. Holders of maps are requested to take care in their use. Already several requests for replacements have been made and these could not be met.

464 1030 all Coys B HQ & M RAP B.A.D. Personnel evacuated beyond RAP will take with them only steel helmet, respirator or personal gear. Rifle equipment etc. will not repeat NOT be taken.

465 1125 1140 2/10 Bns 2/9 Bns. P.C.I. Drivers required are available collect when convenient.

466 1134 1216 2/9, 2/10 Bns 18 Bde O 50. Students attending OTS BONEGILLA take personal records of service. Hand to school.

467 1430 18 Bde 2/9 Bns I 83. Sitrap 1630 hrs. HQ Coy at CALOUNDRA 634671. B Coy at Rd. June 595663 and moves during night to br. 610666. A Coy at br. 570644 moves during night to 577644. Other Coys in camp.

468 1445 18 Bde 2/9 Bns I 84. Ack copy 5 No C.V.I.I.A.

469 1545 1546 2/9 Bns 18 Bde. Q525. Units will advise this H.Q. by 1200 hrs 24 June nos. of personnel A.W.C. who have been apprehended by Provos since issue of warrant.

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470			all units 18 Bde GP	18 <sup>th</sup> Aust Inf Bde	8529	all leave will be temporarily suspended till Sunday 28 June @ Buckhs notified for 25 June with provd empty and return with personnel now at base camp @ Personnel and vehicles as detailed for 25/27 commence 28/30 @ 27/29 recommence 30/2 @ 29/ recommence 2/4 July all informed.		
471	1134	1216	2/9 <sup>th</sup> , 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BNS.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BDE	0/50.	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 42. Students attending O.T.S. BONEGILLA take personal records of service @ Hand to school adjt.		
472	1545	1546	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BDE		Units will advise this HQ. by 1200 hrs. 24 June, nos. of personnel AWOL. No have been apprehended by provd. since issue of warrants @		
473	1910		A TROOP	5 BATT.	RES 29.	Codes track no longer required for M Troops @ Capt Hart returned tonight @		
474	1925	2035	2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/10 <sup>th</sup> + 2/12 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BNS.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	0/52.	24 <sup>th</sup> June 42. Ref section leader's course CABARLAN @ course now commences 20 <sup>th</sup> July, terminates 9 <sup>th</sup> Sept. @ Nominations being held, advise amendment if required @		
475	2010	2016	2/12 <sup>th</sup> 2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BNS.	MAJOR KEMPTON.	94 35.	Exercise @ Units dress steel helmets @ Enemy felt hats @ Unpres white arm bands, caps @ Enemy ofn. phase rights of unpres @ Enemy A.F.V. marked by 2 blue flags @ Minor represents M.A.G. fire @		
476	1980		<del>2/9<sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.</del> 2/9 <sup>th</sup> BN.	A. COY.	EP 25.	A. coy location during night 24-25 June 852 463 Caboduro sheet 1" to 1 mile @		
477	1908	1945	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.		2/1 Pioneers require 3 cornet, 1 tenor horn players Saturday to proceed to IPSWICH return Saturday @ Pioneers to arrange that 0800 hrs. Sat. 27 Jun.		
478			DUTY OFFR	STAFF CAPT		Ref. transfer 3 <sup>rd</sup> AUST DIV. @ Following personnel to be at entrance to your HQ. at 1645 morning 25 <sup>th</sup> Jun. Cpl McGaw G.S. Cpl Palazzo R.S. Cpl Russ A.F.G. Cpl Read V.C. Each cpl. will be promoted to subltain rank of sqt. Carvay. return to be received showing promoted sqt. 25 <sup>th</sup> Jun. to 22 Bn. 25 <sup>th</sup> Jun. All personnel will carry complete equipment, arms, blankets, and groundsheet @		

479		1645	1645 2/9 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	18 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.		3 tons. 15 cants. report. 2/10 <sup>E</sup> AUST INF BN. 0845 hrs 25 <sup>th</sup> Jun. Carry water POC unexpired days return
480	1553	1558	18 <sup>E</sup> AUST INF BDE	2/9 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF BN.	R.M. 1	Ref. nominations for MR+FS. course commencing 7 July. Nomination: LIEUT A.N. WORTHINGTON QX.259
481	1525	1535	9 <sup>E</sup> +10 <sup>E</sup> BNS.	18 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF. BNS.	O 51	The following <del>vacancies</del> vacancies for map-reading and field-sketch- ing course commencing 7 July are allotted to 2/9 <sup>E</sup> Tsn. 1 ofr 2/10 <sup>E</sup> 1 NCO. Nominal rolls to be prepared to this H.Q. by 1800 hrs. 24 June LIEUT WORTHINGTON.
482	1430		18 <sup>E</sup> AUST INF BDE	2/9 <sup>E</sup> AUST INF BN.	I 84.	Sitrep 1630 hrs A. Coy at 586646 moving back to camp at 2200 hrs B. Coy at 610666 moving to Stanmore at 2200 hrs C. Coy <del>moving</del> at 613658 D. Coy in camp HQ. Coy bivouacking at PEACHESTER 6066 Ref. IPSWICH GYMPIE MAPS 1/4".
483	1345		D. B+H.Q. COYS.	2/9 <sup>E</sup> BN.	G.M XI	Amendment to today's R.O.s. B Coy duty Coy HQ. Coy N.F.D. Coy.
484			2/9 <sup>E</sup> BN.	PC. A MALE ZUR.		Just returning from hospital Had no way of getting from WOOD FORD to camp, am waiting at WOODFORD tin. also two men returning from leave.
485	1150	1215	ALL UNITS	18 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	Q. 532.	Advise by 0900 hrs 25 Jun. particulars ofrs. marched in or posted to units. NOT yet appeared in orders Nil return required All informed.
486	1042	1055	9 <sup>E</sup> 10 <sup>E</sup> 12 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF. BNS.	18 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF. BDES.	Q. 530.	W. 3006 strength states are not being lodged in accordance with instructions by 1830 hrs. If necessary special D/Rs will be used to comply with this instruction
487	0700	0810	2/9 <sup>E</sup> AUST INF BN A. COY.	18 <sup>E</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	RT 2	Coy strength 2 ofrs. 68 ORS. from 0600 hrs. 25 <sup>th</sup> Jun.
488			ALL COYS 2/9 <sup>E</sup> BN.	ADJT		C.O.s orderly rm. 1400 hrs today.

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489.		1250	2/9 <sup>th</sup> 2/12 AUST INF. BNS.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF BDE.	055.	25 Jun 42. Schools driving and maintenance SEYMOUR 6 <sup>th</sup> July. 15 AUG. © Camer Army vacancies allotted as follows 2/12 Tn 1 off. 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Tn. 1 NCO. © Signal nominal roll this H.Q. by 1800 hrs 25 <sup>th</sup> Jun. ©	
490	1220	1230	ALL UNITS BDE. GP.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE.	Q. 535.	Following telegram received addressed Staff - Capt G begins - Have decided for doctor's certificate 7 days Cpl. Jenter © Limit with Cpl. Jenter on strength to note for future action and notify this H.Q. C.O. conference 1630 hrs. today at C.O.'s tent ©	
491	1515.		ALL COYS.	ADJT.		Sitrep 1630 hrs. © All coys in camp.	
492	1500	1501	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BDE.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.		Nominations for Camer D+M. course 6 <sup>th</sup> July 16 AUG. © Q.X. 1206 A/EPL LANERH.	
493	1524	1525.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF BDE.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	R.M. 2	Ref 7 AUST. Div. Cir. A18. return to reach this H.Q. by 0900 hrs. 4 <sup>th</sup> July © Direct attention to be paid to this time ©	
494			2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	18 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BDE.	Q. 537	Com to sit at recovery tent 1000 hrs. 26 June. If you cannot attend please sign me at recovery tent ©	
495.	2020	2035	CPT PERK 2/9 <sup>th</sup> Tn CPT GATEGOOD. 2/12 <sup>th</sup> BN.	MAJ MATTHEWS. 2/10 <sup>th</sup> AUST INF. BN.	Q.M.R 1	Pretence leave tonight 5% of Coy strength © Sgt arrangements same as usual ©	
496	1315		ALL COYS + BN. H.Q.	2/9 <sup>th</sup> AUST. INF. BN.			