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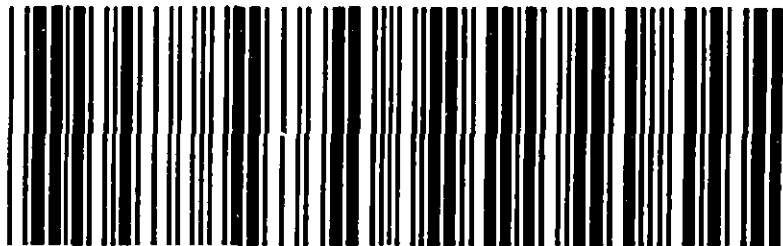
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December 1942, part 1



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Unit *HQ. Qld LofC FIRE*

Date and Time: From *0001 hrs* To *2359 hrs. 1 DEC 42*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
<i>BRISBANE</i>	<i>1 DEC 42</i>	<i>0930 hrs</i>	<i>Digest of L.H.Q. news No 122 to 000123 3011.</i>	
			<i>No 42</i>	<i>Alpha 1</i>
		<i>1000 hrs</i>	<i>Raising of barriers, cupola, etc</i>	<i>No 10874 Secret</i>
				<i>12/137/112 (Alpha 2)</i>
		<i>1015 hrs</i>	<i>Raising of HQ + H.B.C.D. Sec. 54 Aust.</i>	<i>No 10884 Secret</i>
			<i>Dental Unit</i>	<i>12/136/112 (Alpha 3)</i>
		<i>1427 hrs</i>	<i>Movement of Section 12 Aust Army</i>	<i>No 002029 M.B.G.</i>
			<i>Troops Coy RIFLE BRISBANE to SELLHEIM</i>	<i>56/1/150 (Alpha 4)</i>
		<i>1430 hrs</i>	<i>Concentration of Personnel at TOWNSVILLE</i>	<i>No 002030 M.B.G.</i>
			<i>for embarkation per H.T. DUNTRON</i>	<i>56/2/933 (Alpha 5)</i>
		<i>1452 hrs</i>	<i>2/1 Hospital Ship</i>	<i>No 002035 M.B.G.</i>
				<i>62/5/10 (Alpha 6)</i>
		<i>1615 hrs</i>	<i>Location Station and 1617 showing units allotted to</i>	<i>No 10839 Secret</i>
			<i>in Hob Area + their locations 2221 2359 hrs 30/10/42</i>	<i>10/94/112 (Alpha 6 ii)</i>

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Unit HQ OLD LOFC AREA

Date and Time From 0001hrs To 2359hrs 5 DEC 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	5 DEC 42	0930hrs	Digest of L.H.Q. review of situation 116	
			126 to 0001Z - 4 DEC 42	A/4/2 13
		1115hrs	Movement of Allied Forces - U.S. 17 S.O.S.	116 002093 116Bf
			387 Port Batt (Trans) BRISBANE to	56/1/17 (A/4/2 14)
			TOWNSVILLE	
		1200hrs	Routine Order Pl 1 by Lt Col G. A. Stubbs	116 002104 116Bf
			Comd., 3 Aust. Moot Control Gp	51/1/1 (A/4/2 14A)

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Unit H.Q. Qld. LofC/PREF

Date and Time: From 0001 hrs To 2359 hrs 7 DEC 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	7 DEC 42	1000 hrs	Report of L.H.G. visit No 128 to 0001 hr	
		6 Dec 42		(Appx 16)
		1030 hrs	Reinforcements for New Guinea and Tropical Areas North of Australia	No. 93499 A.B.R.
		1100 hrs	Movement of vehicles 16, 17 + 18 Secs.	202/1/112 (Appx 17)
			Aust. Ind. Sig. Corp. to TOWNSVILLE	No. 002118 M.B.G.
		1200 hrs	Movement of 2/14 A.G. H. to TOWNSVILLE	56/1/335 (Appx 18)
				No. 002119 M.B.G.
		1210 hrs	Movement of H.G. Records to TOWNSVILLE	56/1/346 (Appx 19)
				No. 002123 M.B.G.
		1226 hrs	Movement of Details 2/1 Aust. Sig. Park Sec. to Destinations	56/1/304 (Appx 20)
				No. 002124 M.B.G.
				56/1/364 (Appx 21)

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Unit H.Q. QLAND LOFC HREN Date and Time From 0001 hrs To 2359 hrs 7 DEC 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	7 DEC 42	11.16 hrs	Raising of 6 Sec H.Q. B I POD	No. 11139 Secret 12/150/42 (11/12/21A)
		14.20 hrs	Raising of Base Supply Depot Type C for H.Q. Force	No. 11140 Secret. 12/15/42 (11/12/21B)

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Unit *113. QLD LOFC HREF* Date and Time: From *0001 hrs* To *2359 hrs 8 DEC 42*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
<i>BRISBANE</i>	<i>8 DEC 42</i>	<i>0930 hrs</i>	<i>Digest of L.H.A. newsit No 129 to 00612. 7 Dec 42</i>	<i>Appx 22</i>
		<i>0935 hrs</i>	<i>Movement of 7 Aust Armcd Regt to GYMPIE</i>	<i>No 002130, 11/6/42, 56/1/316 (Appx 23)</i>
		<i>1000 hrs</i>	<i>Raising of L.H.A. Depot of Dental Stores Personnel for Sub Depots</i>	<i>No 11172, Secret 12/147/42 (Appx 24)</i>
		<i>1058 hrs</i>	<i>Transfer of Personnel to Aust. Inf. Coy</i>	<i>No 11183, Secret 13/372/42 (Appx 25)</i>
		<i>1100 hrs</i>	<i>Disbanding of 1111 & 1112 Aust. Ind. Bde. Gp. Id. Ph. & the raising of 4 Aust Army Ord Id. Ph. (L.F.)</i>	<i>No 11184, Secret 12/140/42 (Appx 26)</i>
		<i>1126 hrs</i>	<i>1 Farm Boy A.A. S.C. - Additional Personnel</i>	<i>No 11187, Secret 12/72/42 (Appx 27)</i>

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Unit *H.Q. QLD LofC FIRE II*

Date and Time From *0001 hrs* To *2359 hrs 10 DEC 42*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
<i>BRISBANE</i>	<i>10 DEC 42</i>	<i>0930 hrs</i>	<i>Digest of HQ received No 131 to 0001 hrs</i>	
			<i>9 Dec 42</i>	<i>Apdx 3</i>
		<i>1000 hrs</i>	<i>Disbanding of 22 Aust Ind. Amb. 1st Bn</i>	<i>No 11309 Secret</i>
			<i>raising of 3 Aust Ind. Sec MHC</i>	<i>12/1144/42 (Apdx 32)</i>
		<i>1216 hrs</i>	<i>Movement of 10 Aust Anti-Malarial</i>	<i>No 002184 116 Bf.</i>
			<i>Control Unit to NORFORCE via Mt Isa</i>	<i>56/1/268 (Apdx 33)</i>
		<i>1256 hrs</i>	<i>First flight, "Pygmy"</i>	<i>No 002193 116 Bf.</i>
				<i>56/1/352 (Apdx 34)</i>
		<i>1300 hrs</i>	<i>Concentration of personnel at TOWNSVILLE</i>	<i>No 002194 116 Bf.</i>
			<i>for embarkation "TARDONIA" and "DUMMIE"</i>	<i>56/1/319 (Apdx 35)</i>
		<i>1609 hrs</i>	<i>Movement of 1 Aust Gaz. Bn to SOUTH MORETON</i>	<i>No 002205 116 Bf.</i>
			<i>and COWAN COWAN and Movement of 13</i>	<i>56/1/375 (Apdx 36)</i>
			<i>Aust Gaz. Bn - SOUTH MORETON and COWAN</i>	
			<i>COWAN to BRISBANE</i>	

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Unit **H.Q. QLAND LOFC AREA**

Date and Time From 0001hrs To 2359hrs 11 DEC 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	11 DEC 42	0930 hrs	Digest of R.H.A. report No. 132 to 00011	
		1000 hrs		(Alpha 38)
		1115 hrs	First Flight Pygmy	No. 002206, 11289
				56/1/352 (Alpha 39)
		1200 hrs	N.G. transfer of Personnel for Workshop Units	No. 11330, Secret
		1215 hrs	Raising of 336 Austh A.R. (Type II)	13/388/112 (Alpha 40)
				No. 11332, Secret
				12/1149/112 (Alpha 41)

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Unit *H.Q. Q.L.D. LoFC FIREB*

Date and Time: From *0001 hrs* To *2359 hrs 14 DEC 42*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	14 DEC 42	0930 hrs	<i>Digest of L.H.A. report No. 135 to 0001 hrs</i> <i>13 DEC 42</i>	<i>Appx 47</i>
		1200 hrs	<i>Impressed Amb. Train: Based</i> <i>at BRISBANE</i>	<i>No. 114.50 Secret</i> <i>13/426/42 (Appx 48)</i>
		1329 hrs	<i>Movement of 13 Aust Gen Br</i> <i>BRISBANE to CAIRNS</i>	<i>No. 002251 M.B.</i> <i>56/1/375 (Appx 49)</i>
		1340 hrs	<i>Movement of 1 Lt 20 Aust Gen Boyard</i> <i>Adv Party 74 Aust AA S/L boy to destination</i>	<i>No. 002254 M.B.</i> <i>56/1/391 (Appx 50)</i>
		1415 hrs	<i>Rail Movement 3 Aust Gen Br</i> <i>BRISBANE to CAIRNS</i>	<i>No. 002264 M.B.</i> <i>56/1/316 (Appx 51)</i>
		1600 hrs	<i>Routine Orders Pt 1 by Lt Col G A</i> <i>Stubbs</i>	<i>No. 002259 M.B.</i> <i>51/2/1 (Appx 51 A)</i>

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Date and Time: From 0001 HRS. To 2359 HRS. 16 DEC 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Brisbane	16 DECAR	0945hrs	Digest of H.M.G. report No 137 to C.O.C.I. to 15 Dec 47	Appx 5H
		1057hrs	Movement of Bunkers to Aust Armed Regt. to M.G.A.B.D. SELLHEINI	No 002289/M.B.G. 56/1/391 (Appx 55)
		1100hrs	Movement of Personnel - Bunkers Order Q 217 to SYDNEY	No 002296/M.B.G. 56/1/313 (Appx 56)
		1200hrs	Movement of Motor Vehicles to NEW GUINEA	No 002299/M.B.G. 56/1/352 (Appx 56A)
		1215hrs	Atherton Tableland Project	No 002362/M.B.G. 56/1/391 (Appx 56B)

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	17 DEC 42	0930hrs	Request of L.H.O. Fleet No. 138 to 00017.	
			16 Dec 42	Q/4/x 57
		1100hrs	Concentration of Personnel at TOWNSVILLE	No. 002310/1188
			For Embarkation "MONTORO"	56/1/ROH. (Q/4/x 57A)

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Unit *H.Q. Bld. LofC FIRE* Date and Time From *0001 Hrs.* To *2359 Hrs. 19 DEC 42*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
<i>BRISBANE</i>	<i>19 DEC 42</i>	<i>0930 hrs</i>	<i>Digest of L.H.Q. review of situation</i>	
			<i>No 140, to 0001 Z. 18 Dec 42</i>	<i>Al/p 61</i>
		<i>1115 hrs</i>	<i>Amendment No 1. to Atd LofC Area</i>	<i>No. 11776 Secret</i>
			<i>Location Statement No 17 as at 2359</i>	<i>10/94/42 (Al/p 62)</i>
			<i>from 17 Dec 42</i>	
		<i>1359 hrs</i>	<i>Raising of 18 Sec Aust Mil Stores</i>	<i>No. 11728 Secret</i>
				<i>12/151/42 (Al/p 63)</i>
		<i>1500 hrs</i>	<i>Disbanding of 101 Aust Mobile Bde</i>	<i>No. 11774</i>
			<i>Mount</i>	<i>(Al/p 64)</i>
		<i>1515 hrs</i>	<i>Raising of 235 Lt. A.A. Bty Wharfedale</i>	<i>No. 11777 Secret</i>
			<i>Sub Section. A.L.H.E. N.G.</i>	<i>12/159/42 (Al/p 65)</i>
		<i>1600 hrs</i>	<i>Re-organisation of Fortress</i>	<i>No. 11807 Secret</i>
			<i>Engineers, R.A.E.</i>	<i>12/163/42 (Al/p 66)</i>

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Unit H.Q. QLD LofC PREF Date and Time: From 0001 hrs. To 2359 hrs. 21 DEC 42.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	21 DEC 42	0910 hrs.	Request of L.H.Q. reword No 1112 to 00012	
			2 nd Dec 42.	Ap/px 69
		1000 hrs.	Routine Order Pt 1 by Lt Col G A	No 002347 MBG
			Stubb's Comd 3 A/cot Mount Control	51/2/1 (Ap/px 69A)
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Date and Time: From 0001hrs To 2359hrs 22 DEC 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	22 DEC 42	0930 hrs	Report of L.H.C. received No. 143, to COCIN	
			29 DEC 42	Alpha 70
		1115 hrs	Movement of H. Hvy. Blys. 1920 + 155 MM. 16002373, 1126g	
			Gen. Raupfs 11, Replacement Landul	56/1/1 (Alpha 71)
			Ref. 4 and 6 R.E. to destinations	
		1120 hrs	2/1 Hospital Ship	16002374, 1126g
				62/5/12 (Alpha 72)
		1130 hrs	Movement of Vehicles to NEW GUINEA	16002376, 1126g
				56/1/352 (Alpha 720)

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Unit H.Q. QLD LofC AREA Date and Time: From 0001 hrs To 2359 hrs 24 DEC 42

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	24 DEC 42	0935 hrs	Digest of L.H.Q. recsit No. 145 to 20012	
			23 Dec 42.	Appx 75.
		1000 hrs	Raising of 1 Aust. Ind. L. H. Sq.	No. 11978, Secret.
				12/167/42 (Appx 76)
		1009 hrs	Raising of 5 Aust. Base Supply	No. 11979, Secret
			Depot (Type C).	12/164/42 (Appx 77)
		1215 hrs	Concentration of Personnel at	No. 002206 11/68
			TOWNSVILLE for embarkation per THROONH	56/1/35 (Appx 78)
		1230 hrs	Movement of L. Hq. Bty + Engrs 155	No. 002411 11/68
			M.M. to TOWNSVILLE	56/1/422 (Appx 79)
		1259 hrs	Movement of 2/8 Aust. Ind. Coy	No. 002429 11/68
			to MATARANKA via MT. ISA	56/1/469 (Appx 80)

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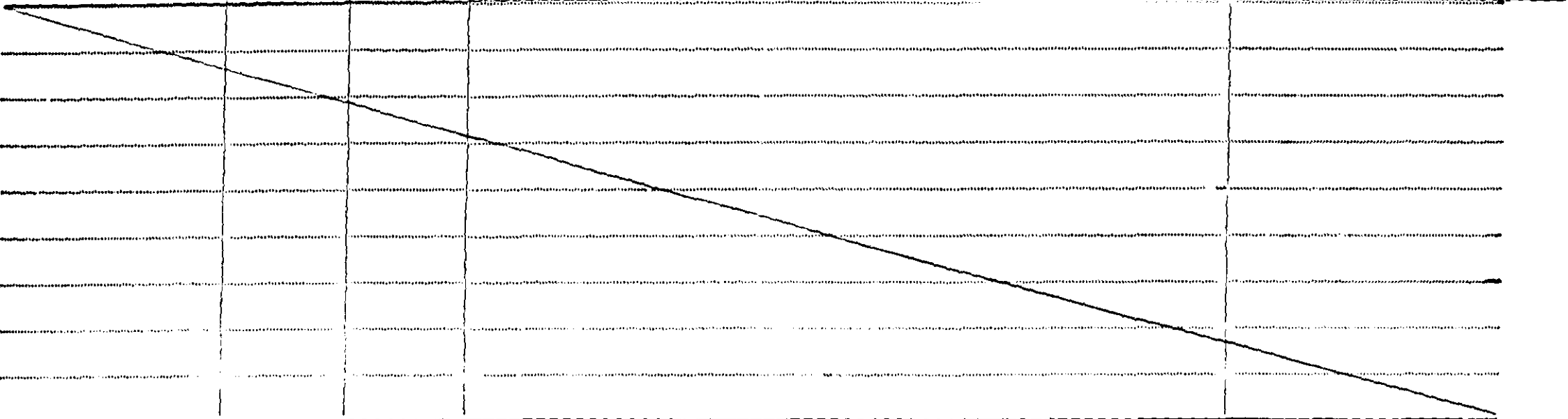
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Date and Time.—From *0001 hrs* To *2359 hrs 25 DEC 42.*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
<i>BRISBANE.</i>	<i>25 DEC 42</i>	<i>1035 hrs</i>	<i>Receipt of L.H.Q. receipt No 146 to</i>	
			<i>00017. 24 Dec 42</i>	<i>Alpha 81.</i>
		<i>1100 hrs</i>	<i>Movement of personnel to</i>	<i>No. 002448 1148 G.</i>
			<i>destination:</i>	<i>561/429 (04/42 27)</i>
				

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Unit *H.Q. QLD LofC AREA.* Date and Time From *0001 hrs.* To *2359 hrs. 27 DEC 42.*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BRISBANE	27 DEC 42	0925 hrs	Digest of L.H.Q. report No 146 to 0001 hrs.	
			28 Dec 42.	Appendix 84
		1100 hrs	Movement of 20 Aust Line Sec Signals No 002461 M.B.L.	
			and 22 Aust Line Sec Signals to destinations	56/1/351 (Appendix 84A)
		1110 hrs	Movement of 9 Aust Hd Ambulance No 002462 M.B.L.	
			to destinations	56/1/317 (Appendix 84B)
		1415 hrs	Old hofb Area booking & catering School No 100436 Q.L.F.	
			No 11 Course (Special) for Potential Cooks	34/1/206 (Appendix 84C)
			30 Dec 42 - 24 Jan 43	

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Unit *H.Q. QLD LofC AREA* Date and Time.—From *0001/hrs* To *2359/hrs 30 DEC 42*

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
<i>BRISBANE</i>	<i>30 DEC 42</i>	<i>0950/hrs</i>	<i>August of L.H.Q. revised No 152 to 0001</i>	
			<i>29 DEC 42</i>	<i>A/4/x 91</i>
		<i>1356/hrs</i>	<i>Receiving of Coast Artillery: 155 MM Bldg No 12126 Secret</i>	
			<i>+ Int. Engg. C. A. H. Seco</i>	<i>12/172/42 (A/4/x 91A)</i>
		<i>1410/hrs</i>	<i>Reinforcements: L.H.Q. Eng. Centre No 12130 Secret.</i>	
			<i>(Jungle Warfare)</i>	<i>12/116/42 (A/4/x 91B)</i>

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JULY NO. 4.....

DISPATCH OF L.H. . REF: NO. 123 to 30014 30th NOV 43

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1. L.H.I. Portuguese report that an enemy transport with destroyer escort arriving at KILI 24 Nov. brought a new commander and 2000 troops. On 26 Nov. 1000 Japanese including some natives moved along the trail from KILI to K. 133. The enemy occupies K. 133 by night and work by day on the road from K. 133 to K. 134 which has been possible to K. 134 since Nov. 24. There are indications that the enemy is endeavouring to open all roads. On 27 Nov. heavy casualties were inflicted on 100 hostile natives who were lured into a trap near KILIMBO (the KILIMBO line) the remainder fled in the direction of KILIMBO. On 28 Nov. 100 Japanese wearing camouflaged clothes and some natives entered G. 130 on foot. Later they went north and then returned to KILIMBO. 500 Japanese were unloading trucks and probable tractors at the new wharf at K. 133. It is considered the vehicles are for use in aerodrome construction. On 27 Nov. 15 trucks of Japanese and natives arrived at K. 133, 13 of these trucks proceeded east. The Japanese are reported to be building a new dome at KILIMBO (near KILIMBO 133 13 miles S.E. of K. 133).
2. INDIA 133: At 0400 on 29 Nov. the German vessel K. 133 on route from K. 133 to K. 134 via KILIMBO was scuttled approx. 900 miles S.E. of K. 133 (KILIMBO) when intercepted by Allied warships.
3. INDIA 133: At 0400 on 29 Nov. 2 German planes flew over K. 133. One A/C was shot down by our A/C fire.
New Britain: At 1400 on 29 Nov. an air raid was in progress at K. 133, the 'All Clear' being given at 1412. At 1612 a further raid was in progress, the 'All Clear' was sounded at 1710. Further details of these air raids are awaited. At 0820 on 29 Nov. Allied A/C bombed and strafed the new wharf. Bombs fell among enemy A/C at the wharf and of the 'Lorne' and direct hits were scored on two other A/C. Cracked wharves at the S.E. corner were strafed and several fires were started. A large number of enemy personnel were observed at the S.E. corner. At 1612 Allied A/C again bombed the wharf. 610 bombs were dropped in the target area but results are unobserved. Heavy A.A. opposition was encountered from known positions and a large bushfire was observed to spread up the KILIMBO Valley. At 1800 Allied A/C again attacked the new wharf but results were not observed. Much A/C activity was observed in and around the wharf during 29 and 30 Nov. At 0800 29 Nov. Allied A/C attacked KILIMBO. Bombs fell in the target area causing fires. At 2100 Allied patrols located and attacked with mortar fire enemy A.A. positions in the vicinity of the new wharf but results are not yet known. Our army concentrated on the KILIMBO 133 and strong Allied patrolling was in progress. At 0715 one enemy bomber escorted by 2000 was over KILIMBO and KILIMBO 133, but no details are available. During the morning of 29 Nov. a successful mortar shot of 130 bombs was carried out on enemy positions by our troops advancing on KILIMBO along the KILIMBO 133. Our troops were reported astride the KILIMBO 133 and KILIMBO 133, with patrols on both flanks. One patrol brought in 100 neutral natives during the morning. A small party of enemy troops, some without arms or equipment were contacted 1 mile S. of K. 133. On the night 28/29 Nov. our troops met heavy opposition approx. 400 yds. of coast and 1000 yds. S. of KILIMBO. Other portions of our forces were almost in KILIMBO 133 despite heavy opposition. Harassing fire on enemy positions and stores dumps continued throughout the night 28/29 Nov. By 0200 29 Nov. our troops had secured a footing in the S.E. corner of the KILIMBO 133 against strong opposition from the north and west. The KILIMBO 133 is reported to be clear of the enemy and native patrols accounted for 25 enemy killed between 19 and 28 Nov. From 0230 29 Nov. to 0620 29 Nov. Allied A/C made four attacks on the KILIMBO 133. The target area was bombed and strafed and fires were started. On 29 Nov. Allied A/C attacked the enemy wreck near K. 133 which is the old supply dump and scored direct hits with 5/1500 lb. bombs. At 1800 on 29 Nov. four enemy A/C approaching from the direction of K. 133 were attacked the vicinity of KILIMBO 133 (KILIMBO 133) but no damage or casualties were caused.
New Britain: From 0655 to 0835 on 29 Nov. Allied A/C attacked four enemy

destroyers on a westerly course approx. 43 miles N. by N. CARB KING (ROCKS ISLAND). Several direct hits were obtained on one destroyer setting it on fire and the vessel was last seen motionless and listing badly. Another destroyer was hit twice and heavily damaged,, it was last seen moving slowly. A possible hit was scored on a third destroyer with no apparent damage.

AIRY NIGHTINGALE: At 0610L on 28 Nov. four destroyers were seen approx. 18 miles N.N.W. of CARB KING travelling on an easterly course. At 1300L 3 destroyers were sighted 40 miles N. by N. THOMSON, course E.N.E. On 29 Nov. air photos. revealed four twin-engined hy. bombers, 41 bombers and 70 fighter bombers on the KIRIATI Atoll (KIRIATI). At 0511L on 29 Nov. 1 destroyer 2 medium and 2 small transports were in the BUKA LAGOON. On 29 Nov. 2 light cruisers, 12 destroyers, 1 large tanker, and 10 cargo vessels were in the BUKA LAGOON-NO TANKER IS. AREA. On 27 Nov. it was reported that 20000 tons of shipping, including 2 merchant vessels and 1 tanker were at BUKA L.

N. L. Island L. of C. Area - 0930 hours - 1 Dec 45 (L.I. AREA)

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TELEPHONE—

H. B., G'LAND. I. OF C. AREA.

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7. Diary.

RAISING OF SEC. - RAISING OF.

Reference H.B. 1. 910871 of 25 Nov 42.

An amendment to the C. of C. may be anticipated whereby the above unit will be raised forthwith and C.O.C. will please take action accordingly.

2. W.E. IV/17B/1 1 offr. C.O.C. Total 4.

3. The Sec. will be raised from personnel already serving in G'land. I. of C. Area Sig. Units. It will be noted that this Sec. is authorised to be high grade cipher and is therefore entitled to the Lieut. in accordance with the provision by W.E. IV/17B/1.

4. The A.A.G. will be advised when the unit is raised.

5. Acknowledge.

Capt.
For A.A.G. H.B., G'land. I. of C. Area.

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RE: A.A.G. L. of C. AREA. ISLAND. L. of C. AREA.

Reference L.N. . 1001/70 of 25 Nov 42.

An amendment to the L. of C. A.A.G. may be anticipated providing for the deletion of restrictive marking against the abovementioned Unit, which will be raised forthwith and B.D.M. L. will please take action accordingly.

2. . L. IV/71/2 3 4/2, 25 4/2 Total 32.

3. The Officers will be nominated by B.D.M. L.

The personnel will be raised in conjunction with Island. L. of C. Area Records Office who will please issue instructions for the release of O/As required to complete L.N.

4. An appropriate Officer will be instructed to report to Records Office for instruction in Unit Records procedure.

5. The A.A.G. will be advised when the Unit is raised.

6. Acknowledge.

Carl Case
Capt.
for A.A.G. H.Q., Island. L. of C. AREA.

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No. 002029

1 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF SECTION 12 AUST ARMY TROOPS COY R.A.E.
BRISBANE TO SELLHEIM

Personnel of the above will move to SELLHEIM on Thursday, 3 Dec 42, to relieve the Section stationed there, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

25 O.Rs.

3. N.C.O. IN CHARGE OF DRAFT:

Sgt. CONNELL.

4. ENTRAINMENT:

Personnel will report to R.T.O. ROMA STREET at 1930 hrs 3 Dec 42, and will entrain under his direction on Townsville Mail, departing 2000 hrs Thursday, 3 Dec 42.

5. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

R.T.O. will issue rail warrants and meal requisitions. Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

6. RETURN OF SECTION TO BE RELIEVED, NOW STATIONED AT SELLHEIM:

Section stationed at SELLHEIM will notify 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F. immediately they are relieved, and will return to BRISBANE as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

7. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

O.S.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

8. SECURITY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Acknowledgement is requested.

[Signature]
for Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G. (M).

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19 2 L. of C. Sub-Area
20 O.C. 12 Aust Army Troops Coy R.A.E.
21 Draft Conducting N.C.O., C/o 12 Aust Army Troops Coy R.A.E.
22 R.T.O. ROMA STREET
23 " ROCKHAMPTON
24 " MACILLY
25 " TOWNSVILLE
26 5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE
27 1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE
28 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F. TOWNSVILLE
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1 Dec 42

CONCENTRATION OF PERSONNEL AT TOWNSVILLE FOR
EMBARKATION PER H.T. "DUNTROON"

Reference Adv. L.H.Q. M.O. No.23 dated 23 Nov 42 and
Amendment No.1 dated 29 Nov 42, personnel enumerated hereunder will
move to TOWNSVILLE on Wednesday, 2 Dec 42, in accordance with the
following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

Ser- ial No.	Unit	Offs.	O.Rs.	Total	Unit Stores	
					Meat Tons	Weight Tons
1	Details 2/42 Aust L.A.D.	1	4	5	-	-
2	" 25 Bde Sec 7 Aust	-	-	-	-	-
3	Div Ord Fd Pk Wkshop	1	10	11	-	-
4	Details 25 Bde Sec 7 Aust	-	5	5	-	-
5	Div Ord Fd Pk	-	-	-	-	-
6	Details 16 Bde Sec 6 Aust	3	112	115	-	-
7	Div Ord Fd Wkshop	-	-	-	-	-
8	Details 8 Line Maintenance	1	26	27	-	2
9	Sec L.H.Q. Sigs	-	-	-	-	-
10	Details 1 Aust Mob Ammn	1	13	14	-	-
11	Repair Shop	-	23	23	-	-
12	A.M.F. Concert Party	-	-	-	-	-
13	A.A.O.C. Personnel	-	6	6	-	-
14	(Shoemakers)	3	66	69	1	-
15	Details 10 A.O.D.	2	20	22	1	-
16	Details 8 A.A.D.	1	8	9	1	-
17	Details 2 Aust Sig Pk Sec	-	14	14	4	2
18	3 Aust D.R. Sec	13	307	320	11	58
19	TRAIN NO.1	-	-	-	-	-
20	2 Aust AA Bde HQ Sigs	2	53	55	45	20
21	Details H2 NG Force L of	1	4	5	1	-
22	C Sigs	-	-	-	-	-
23	33 Telephone Switchboard	-	22	22	1	-
24	Operating Sig Sec	1	39	40	2	-
25	10 Operating Sec Sigs	-	-	-	-	-
26	26 Telephone Switchboard	-	22	22	1	-
27	Operating Sec	2	62	64	-	-
28	Frt Sigs Port Moresby	-	31	31	-	-
29	Details 1 Aust Corps Sigs	-	20	20	-	-
30	Details 6 Aust Div Sigs	-	1	1	-	-
31	Details 21 Aust Inf Bde Sigs	-	3	3	-	-
32	Details 55 W/T Sec	-	-	-	-	-

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M.C.O. 526

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2. PERSONNEL (Contd.):

Serial No.	Unit	Offs.	O.Rs.	Total	Unit Stores	
					Mens. Tons	Weight Tons
23	6 Aust Line Sec Sigs	2	63	65	55	19
24	L.H.Q. Cipher Replacement Sec	-	10	10	-	-
25	23 Hy W/T Sec L.H.Q.Sigs	1	37	38	4	2
26	10 Hy Regt AA Bde HQ Sig Sec	-	50	50	45	20
27	9 Tech Maintenance Sec	1	22	23	6	2
28	11 Aust Lt AA Regt Sig Sec	1	38	39	36	12
TRAIN NO.3		5	220	225	146	55

Serials as above will depart by three special trains from ASCOT Siding as under:-

3. TRAIN NO.1:

Serials 1 - 12 inclusive.

Baggage van will be placed at ASCOT Siding at 0900 hrs 2 Dec 42, into which unit stores will be loaded, loading to be completed by 1130 hrs.

Entrainment - Personnel will be at ASCOT Siding, ready to entrain, at 1250 hrs 2 Dec 42, and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs ASCOT Siding at 1330 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42.

4. TRAIN NO.2:

Serials 13 - 22 inclusive.

Baggage van will be placed at ASCOT Siding at 1000 hrs 2 Dec 42, into which unit stores will be loaded, loading to be completed by 1200 hrs.

Entrainment - Personnel will be at ASCOT Siding, ready to entrain, at 1350 hrs 2 Dec 42, and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs ASCOT Siding at 1435 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42.

5. TRAIN NO.3:

Serials 23 - 28 inclusive.

Baggage van will be placed at ASCOT Siding at 1030 hrs 2 Dec 42, into which unit stores will be loaded, loading to be completed by 1800 hrs.

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5. TRAIN NO.3 (Contd.):

Entrainment - Personnel will be at ASCOT Siding, ready to entrain, at 2145 hrs 2 Dec 42 and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs ASCOT Siding 2220 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42.

6. O.C. TRAINS:

The senior combatant Officer of each train will be O.C. Train.

7. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

R.T.O. ASCOT will issue bulk second class rail warrants for all Serials, ASCOT to TOWNSVILLE, and meal requisitions as per time tables. Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

8. TIME TABLES:

Time table will be handed to O.C. Train by R.T.O., prior to departure of each train.

9. ARRIVAL TOWNSVILLE:

Reception and staging pending embarkation as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

10. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

O.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

11. CONDUCT OF TROOPS:

Attention of Draft Conducting Officer is drawn to N. Comd. Instruction A.303 of 4 Nov 40. Writing with chalk on Railway carriages is strictly forbidden.

The attention of O.C. Draft is also drawn to the following Military Board Instruction A.103, which must be promulgated to all ranks:-

"No member of the Military Forces, when in uniform, shall carry, or cause to be carried, on to any train on which he is about to travel, or have in his possession or control, or consume whilst travelling in any train, any intoxicating liquor, unless it be supplied to him as part of a normal service available in a dining car."

12. WATER BOTTLES:

Personnel are to arrive at Station with their water bottles filled, and will be instructed to take every opportunity to keep same filled at Railway Stations during the journey.

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13. SECURITY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Care must be taken by all concerned to preserve secrecy regarding destination, dates and times of movement. Particulars of unit and destination must not be chalked on Railway carriages.

Officers commanding troop trains or bodies of troops on ordinary passenger trains are to be instructed that the troops under their command are not to send telegrams or letters, and are not to make telephone calls whilst travelling to their destination.

Acknowledgement is requested.

for Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G.(M).

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21/23	Os.C. Trains, C/o Camp Commandant, ASCOT	"
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29	" MACKAY	"
30	" TOWNSVILLE	"
31	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE	"
32	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE	"
33	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F., TOWNSVILLE	"
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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002035

1 Dec 42

2/1 HOSPITAL SHIP

With reference to Adv. L.H.Q. M.O. No.25 of 30 Nov 42, it is advised that the following personnel will embark on the 2/1 Hospital Ship in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

Serial	Unit	Offs.	AANS	O.Rs.	Total	Stores Tons M
1	171 US Station Hospital	17		114	131	1000
2	US Army Nurses		61		61	
3	2/9 AGH		24	65	89	
4	NX.105641 Pte BYFIELD K.C.			1	1	
5	Cpl CLAYTON			1	1	
6	Padre DOYLE	1			1	
		18	85	181	284	1000

3. UNIT EQUIPMENT:

Under arrangements of U.S. H.Q., unit equipment of 171 U.S. Station Hospital will be delivered to No.1 NEWSTEAD Wharf at 0900 hrs Tuesday, 1 Dec 42.

Personal baggage not required on voyage will be loaded with unit equipment.

4. MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL:

(a) Under arrangements of U.S. H.Q., personnel of 171 U.S. Station Hospital and U.S. Army Nurses will arrive NEWSTEAD Wharf by motor transport at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42.

(b) Under arrangements H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area, Australian Nurses of 2/9 A.G.H. will be met on arrival at SOUTH BRISBANE Station at 1415 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42, and transported to No.1 NEWSTEAD Wharf.

(c) Under arrangements H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area, 65 O.Rs. of 2/9 A.G.H. will move from ASCOT Camp to NEWSTEAD Wharf, arriving NEWSTEAD Wharf at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42.

5. EMBARICATION:

On arrival at Wharves, personnel embarking will be formed up in the order in which their names appear on Unit nominal rolls, ready for embarkation. Embarkation will be carried out under the control of the E.S.O.

M.C.O. 527

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S... EMBARKATION (Contd.):

Embarkation will commence at 1415 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42.

6. RECORDS PROCEDURE:

Nominal Rolls in sextuplicate will be prepared by Units, Groups, Detachments and/or individual persons on Draft, by headings shown hereunder. Nominal Rolls will be clearly headed with name of Unit of personnel on draft and are to be signed by an officer authorised to despatch the members. Also included in the heading will be a reference to the authority for the movement i.e. number of S.M. or other authorising memorandum with date and registration number.

The following are the headings:-

Serial No. Army No. Rank and Surname (in block) and full christian names.

7. EMBARKATION KITS:

Under arrangements of H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area, Amenities Officer, Embarkation Kits for personnel embarking will be placed on board the "MANUNDA" at 1100 hrs Wednesday, 2 Dec 42.

8. **SECURITY:**

The necessity of maintaining the strictest secrecy in connection with this movement must be impressed upon all concerned.

Acknowledgement is requested.

Lt.-Col.
A.Q.M.G. (M)

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16/21 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
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23 S.T.O. Naval Office
24 D.D.M.S. Q'land. L. of C. Area
25 O.C. 2/1 Hospital Ship
26 Camp Commandant, ASCOT
27 U.S. H.Q. (Col. DIETZ) S.D.R.
28 Capt. LEVER, "Troop Movements", No.3 Base Section U.S. H.Q. SDR
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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

HQ Qld L of C Area,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No. 10839 .

1 Dec 42.

LOCATION STATEMENT NO. 17.

Location Statement No. 17 showing units allotted to Qld L of C Area and their location as at 2359 hours 30 Nov 42, is -/- forwarded herewith.

2. Branches and units concerned will immediately notify this Headquarters of any errors in this Statement and will also ensure that advice of any future alterations is given as early as possible.
3. It is brought to notice that this Statement shows all units on the Order of Battle by their correct designation, and units will ensure that only these correct designations are used.
4. The serial numbers shown in the margin are for convenience of reference only, and have no relation to any other document.
5. Please destroy Location Statement No. 16, complete the att certificate of acknowledgment and destruction, and return same to this H.Q.

AVO Fleming

Lt.-Col.,
G.S. Qld L. of C. Area.

DISTRIBUTION - See Overleaf.

To - H.Q. Qld L of C Area.

From -

Receipt is acknowledged of Copy No(s).... of Qld L of C Area Location Statement No. 17 as at 2359 hours 30 Nov 42, and destruction is certified of Copy No(s).... of Qld L of C Area Location Statement No. 16.

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Location Statement No. 17.

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27 DAAG I
28 DDMS
29 APM
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56 Qld L of C Area Stationary Depot
57-88 3 Aust Movt Control Gp (for distribution to other M.C.Gps)
89 1 Aust Docks Control Det
90 Corps HQ VDC
91 Qld L of C Area Med & Vet Stores.
92 1 Aust C.E.(Works)
93 1 Aust C.R.E.(Works)
94 2 Aust C.R.E.(Works)
95 Sig Master 2 Aust Corps
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98 Press Relations Liaison Officer
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100 HQ Qld L of C Area Trg Depots.
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102 3 Aust Base Postal Unit
103 HQ Vic L of C Area
104 HQ Tas L of C Area
105 HQ SA L of C Area
106 HQ WA L of C Area
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Victoria Barracks
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Dec. 42.

LOCATION STATEMENT NO. 17.LOCATION OF QLD L OF C AREA UNITS AS AT 2359 HOURS 30 NOV 42.

Serial No.	Unit.	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>Headquarters.</u>			
1	H.Q Qld L of C Area	101	Victoria Barracks BRISBANE	
2	Qld L of C Area Sec Int Corps	101	do	
3	Central Bureau Int Corps		BRISBANE	LHQ units operating in Area
4	A.T.I.S.		do	
5	2 Aust Spec Int Pers Sec		do	
6	4 Aust Spec Int Pers Sec		do	
7	"Z" Sec FSS		TOWNSVILLE	Under Comd LHQ Unit
8	25 Aust Fd Security Sec		CAIRNS	do
9	26 Aust Fd Security Sec		ROCKHAMPTON	do
10	27 Aust Fd Security Sec		BRISBANE	do
11	6 Aust Fd Censorship Sec		do	LHQ Unit allotted to Q L of C Area.
12				
13	HQ 1 (N.Q) L of C Sub-Area (Higher Estab)	161	TOWNSVILLE	
14	HQ 2 (S.Q) L of C Sub-Area (Higher Estab)	104	KELVIN GROVE BRISBANE.	
15	Qld L of C Area Band		WARWICK	
16	Qld L of C Area Public Relations Fd Unit	156	Victoria Barracks BRISBANE	
17	3 Aust Movt Control Gp (Type B) Q'land		do	LHQ Unit allotted for duty with Qld L of C Area.

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>Headquarters.</u> (contd)			
18	2/1 Aust Movt & Tn Gp A.I.F.		TOWNSVILLE	LHQ Unit allotted for duty with 1 L of C Sub-Area.
19	1 Aust Docks Control Det (Type A) BRISBANE		do	LHQ Unit Rear HQ BRISBANE
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	<u>ENGERS.</u>			
26	1 Aust C.E.(Works)		BRISBANE	
27	1 Aust C.R.E.(Works)	160	TOWNSVILLE	
28	40 Aust D.C.R.E.(Works)		CAIRNS	
29	41 Aust D.C.R.E.(Works)		TOWNSVILLE	
30	2 Aust C.R.E.(Works)	186	Church House Ann St., BRISBANE.	
31	42 Aust D.C.R.E.(Works)		ROCKHAMPTON	
32	43 Aust D.C.R.E.(Works)		WOOLLOOWIN BRISBANE	
33	44 Aust D.C.R.E.(Works)		WARWICK	
34	3 Aust Wkshop & Pk Coy	124	FRASER'S PADDOCK BRISBANE	Det at TOWNS- VILLE & WALLAN- GARRA
35	1 Aust Camouflage Trg Unit	168	TOWNSVILLE	
36	2 Aust Camouflage Trg Unit	174		To be raised
37	5 Aust A Tps Coy		WARWICK	
38	12 Aust A Tps Coy	170	GROVELY, BRISBANE	Sec. at SELLHEIM
39	(1 Aust Bomb Disposal Coy	148	CHEERMSIDE BRISBANE	LHQ Unit
39(a)	(HQ and No.2 Sec			
40	(No. 1 Sec			on operational tasks
41	(No. 3 Sec		TOWNSVILLE	
42	(No. 4 Sec		BRISBANE	To move MARY- BOROUGH.

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks
	<u>ENGRS (contd)</u>			
43	2/3 Aust Docks Operating Coy "A" Gp		MURDINGSBURRA, TOWNSVILLE	
	"B" Gp		CAIRNS	
44	4 Aust Docks Operating Coy		TOWNSVILLE	
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48				
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
49	1 Aust L of C Sigs	130	Dunstan House BRISBANE	F.T.D.Cadre only
50	Q'land L of C Area Sigs	143	Chermside, BRISBANE	Operating Sig offices at TOWNSVILLE, CHARTERS TOWERS AND CAIRNS
51	Q'land L of C Area Cipher Sec		VICTORIA BARRACKS BRISBANE	
52	No. 1(N.Q) L of C Sub-Area Cipher Sec		TOWNSVILLE	
53	CAIRNS Cipher Sec			Being raised
54	HQ 1 Sec (Carrier Pigeon) Aust Corps of Sigs.		Chermside, BRISBANE.	
55	HQ 5 Sec (Carrier Pigeon) Aust Corps of Sigs		do	
56	1-8.Aust Carrier Pigeon Lofts		do	
57	Det HQ Sigs LHQ		BRISBANE	
58	Dets HQ & of Secs, 1 Coy Sigs LHQ		do	LHQ Units operating in Area
59	HQ 2 Coy Sigs LHQ		do	
60(a)	20 Aust Telegraph Operating Sec.		do	
60(b)	21 do		do	
60(c)	22 do		do	
60(d)	15 Aust Wireless Sec		do	
60(e)	16 do		do	

Serial No.	Unit.	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>SIGS (contd)</u>			
60(f)	17 Aust Wireless Sec		BRISBANE	
60(g)	22 do		do	
60(h)	13 Aust D .R. Sec		do	
60(j)				
60(k)				
61	Adv LHQ Cipher Sec		do	
62				
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64				
	<u>SUP & TPT.</u>			
65	127 Aust Gen Tpt Coy		TOWNSVILLE	LHQ Unit under comd Qld L of C Area. Sub-Depots at
66	111 Aust Gen Tpt Coy		ST. JOHN'S WOOD BRISBANE.	Formerly 101 & 105 Aust Res Mt Coys.
67	112 Aust Gen Tpt Coy		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE.	
68	113 Aust Gen Tpt Coy		do	
69	1 Aust Aux H.T. Coy (HQ & four Secs)	177	ENOGGERA, BRISBANE	Dets at WALLANGARRA & WELLCAMP
70	2 Aust Aux HT Coy (HQ & three secs)	147	TOWNSVILLE	Dets at SELLHEIM, HUGHENDEN, CLONCURRY, HAUGHTON VALLEY, PENTLAND CHARTERS TOWERS, AITHERTON.
71	1 Aust Amb Car Coy (L.E)	188	ENOGGERA, BRISBANE.	
72	4 Aust Sup Personnel Coy	184	do	Secs to be raised as required
73	10 Aust Sup Pers Coy	151	TOWNSVILLE	
74	Adv Supply Depot, Type D (TOWNSVILLE-SELLHEIM)		do	Sub-Depots at CHARTERS TOWERS, HUGHENDEN, CLONCURRY, SELLHEIM
75	Adv Supply Depot, Type C, (REDBANK-ENOGGERA)		ENOGGERA, BRISBANE	Sub-Depots at REDBANK & LANDS BOROUGH.
76	Base Supply Depot, Type B, (BRISBANE-CABERLAN)		ALBION BRISBANE	Sub-Depots at TOOCOOMULL, CABERLAN, WARWICK. ALBION Depot functions as an O.S.D.

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
77	Adv Supply Depot, Type "D" (ROCKHAMPTON- EMERALD)	127	ROCKHAMPTON	Sub-depots at: EMERALD, CHERBO & WINTON.
78	1 Aust Fd Butchering Coy		BRISBANE	One Sec only raised
79	2/1 Aust Fd Butchering Coy (less one sec)		CHARTERS TOWERS	HQ and two secs only raised
80	1 Aust Fd Bakery		ENOGGERA	
81	Det HQ and one Sec 2/2 Aust Fd Bakery		CHARTERS TOWERS	
82	Qld L. of S. Area B.I.P.O.D.		YERONGA BRISBANE	B & F Secs - TOWNSVILLE. E Sec - CAIRNS
83	2/1 Aust Petrol Depot Type A		TOWNSVILLE	
84	2 Aust Pack Tpt Coy		ROLLINGSTONE	LHQ unit tempor- arily under comd. At present att 5 Aust Div.
85				
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87	<u>NOTE.</u> 1 Aust Corps Tps AASC under Comd. <u>A.A.M.C.</u>		See Serials 560-566 incl.	
88	Qld L of C Area Depot Med & Vet Stores		Charlotte St. BRISBANE.	LHQ Unit.
89	104 Aust Adv Depot Med Stores		TOOWOOMBA	LHQ UNIT Formerly Qld L of C Area No. 1 Sub Depot Med & Vet Stores.
90	103 Aust Adv Depot Med Stores		CHARTERS TOWERS	LHQ Unit.
91	Qld L of C Area No. 3 Sub-Depot Med & Vet Stores		STANTHORPE	do
92	1 Aust Blood & Serum Prep Unit		TOOWOOMBA	do
93				
94				
95	112 Aust Gen Hosp (1200 beds)	178	GREENSLOPES BRISBANE	

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	<u>A.A.M.C. (contd)</u>			
96	116 Aust Gen Hosp		CHARTERS TOWERS	LHQ Unit.
97	117 Aust Gen Hosp		TOOWOOMBA	LHQ Unit
98	2/2 Aust Gen Hosp		WATTEN SIDING HUGHENDEN	do
99	2/4 Aust Gen Hosp		REDBANK	do
100	2/11 Aust Gen Hosp		WARWICK.	LHQ Unit.
101	126 Aust Special Hosp (200 beds)		KANGAROO PT BRISBANE	Absorbing 9 Aust Camp Hosp.
102	2 Aust Women's Hosp. (50 beds)		REDBANK	
103				
104				
105	2 Aust Camp Hosp (90 beds) No.2 Sub Area		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE	
106	3 Aust Camp Hosp (210 beds) No.2 Sub Area		ENOGGERA BRISBANE.	
107	4 Aust Camp Hosp (150 beds) No.2 Sub Area.		EXHIBITION GDS.BRISBANE	
108	5 Aust Camp Hosp (210 beds) No.1 Sub-Area		ATHERTON	
109	7 Aust Camp Hosp (150 beds) No.2 Sub Area		REDBANK	
110	8 Aust Camp Hosp (90 beds) No.2 Sub Area		WARWICK	
111	10 Aust Camp Hosp (30 beds) No.2 Sub Area		101 Con Depot COORPAROO	
112	47 Aust Camp Hosp (150 beds) No.2 Sub Area		GOONDIWINDI.	
113	56 Aust Camp Hosp (30 beds) No.2 Sub Area		LYTTON	Brisbane Fortress Dressing Sta Cowan
114	66 Aust Camp Hosp (30 beds) No.1 Sub Area		SELLHEIM	Being raised For 114 Aust Con Depot.
115	67 Aust Camp Hosp (30 beds) No.2 Sub Area		102 Aust Con Depot, WARWICK	Being raised
116	70 Aust Camp Hosp (30 beds) No.2 Sub Area			Not yet raised
117	71 Aust Camp Hosp (Composite) (30 beds) No.2 Sub Area.		TABRAGALBA	Dressing Sta at BRIBIE

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks
118				
119	77 Aust Camp Hosp (120 beds)		TENTERFIELD	On O of B NSW L of C Area.
120	82 Aust Camp Hosp(30 beds) No.1 Sub Area		SELLHEIM	Being raised.To serve NGFARD.
121				
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125	101 Aust Con Depot (2000 men)	137	COORPAROO BRISBANE	L.H.Q.Unit.
126	102 Aust Con Depot (1000 men)	102	WARWICK	do
127	114 Aust Con Depot		SELLHEIM	do
128				
129				
130	1 Aust Amb Train		BUNDAMBA SIDING	LHQ Unit
131	5 Aust Amb Train		CHARTERS TOWERS	do
132				
133	Qld L of C Area Sub-Depot of Dental Stores		SOUTH BRISBANE	LHQ Unit
134	HQ 51 Aust Dental Unit		GOONDIWINDI	Formerly 212 and 306 Aust Dental Units.
135	A Sec do		GLEN INNES	Formerly 309 Aust Dental Unit.
136	B Sec do		TENTERFIELD	Formerly 311 Aust Dental Unit
137	C Sec do		GOONDIWINDI	
138	D Sec do		do	
139	E Sec do		do	
140	HQ 52 Aust Dental Unit		EXHIBITION BRISBANE	Formerly 206 and 207 Aust Dental Units
141	A Sec do		REDBANK	Formerly 202 Aust Dental Unit
142	B Sec do		GROVELY BRISBANE	Formerly 310 Aust Dental Unit

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	<u>A.A.M.C. (contd)</u>			
143	C Sec 52 Aust Dental Unit		EXHIBITION BRISBANE	Formerly 312 Aust Dental Unit.
144	D Sec do		do	
145				
146	HQ 53 Aust Dental Unit		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE	Formerly 307 & 314 Aust Dental Units
147	A Sec do		TABRAGALBA	Formerly 208 Aust Dental Unit
148	B Sec do		COWAN COWAN	Formerly 313 Aust Dental Unit.
149	C Sec do		CHERMSIDE	
150	54 Aust Dental Unit			Not raised.
151	11 Aust Anti-Malaria Control Unit		TOWNSVILLE	LHQ Unit.
152	12 Aust Anti-Malaria Control Unit		ASHGROVE BRISBANE	do
153	1 Det Aust Sea Amb Tpt Coy			} LHQ Units to be raised and allotted to Qld L of C Area
154	2 Det Aust Sea Amb Tpt Coy			
155				
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158				
	<u>A.A.O.C.</u>			<u>Serials 159-167</u> <u>Incl. All LHQ</u> <u>Units -</u>
159	HQ 3 Aust Adv Ord Depot	10	WALLANGARRA	Soc. at Brisbane
160	5 Aust Ord Store Coy		do	Secs at Brisbane
161	HQ 12 Adv Ord Depot		CHARTERS TOWERS	Small dets at Hughenden, Townsville & Cairns.
162	2/4 Aust Ord Store Coy		WALLANGARRA	Det at CHARTERS TOWERS
163	Qld L of C Area Veh Prep Det		ENOGGERA, BRISBANE.	
164	1 Sec Officers' Shop		TOWNSVILLE	
165	HQ 1 Aust Adv Amn Depot		WALLANGARRA	

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	<u>A.A.O.C.</u>			
166	1 Aust Ord Amn Coy		WALLANGARRA	Sec at HELEDON
167	HQ 7 Aust Adv Amn Depot		BARONTA near HUGHENDEN.	
168	3 Aust Ord Amn Coy		SELLHEIM	Dets at HUGHENDEN & BROOKFIELD & STRATFORD
169				
170	12 Aust Ord Amn Coy		ENOGERA BRISBANE.	Det at BLACKBUTT
171	Central Ord Depot A.A.O.C (BRISBANE)		GAYTHORNE BRISBANE.	Commonly known as 4 COD
172	3 Aust Ord Depot Sec (Provision)		WALLANGARRA	
173	4 Aust Ord Depot Sec (Provision)		CHARTERS TOWERS.	
174	9 Aust Mob Laundry & Fwd Deen Unit		WARWICK	Att Qld L of C Area
175				
	<u>ORD INSTALLATIONS.</u>			
176	3 Adv Ord Depot			
176(a)	HQ Office		WALLANGARRA	
176(b)	Sub Depot No.1 Gp I Office	}	BRISBANE	
	" Depot No. 1 Gp II Office		HARRISTOWN	M.T. Cell, Sth BRISBANE.
176(c)	Sub Depot No.2 Gp III	}	WALLANGARRA	Stores at CAMBOOTS & CLIFTON
	" " " Gp IV			
176(d)	" " No.3 Gp V	}	WALLANGARRA	
	" " " Gp VI			
176(e)	Returned Stores Depot		GAYTHORNE, BRISBANE	Boot. repair shop - MILTON Equipment Sec - GAYTHORNE.
177	31 Rd Ord Depot		CHARLESTON	
178	12 ADV ORD DEPOT		CHARTERS TOWERS	Sec at BARONTA
178(a)	Sub Depot No. 1		do	
178(b)	Sub Depot No.2		do	

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
178(c)	Sub Depot No.3		CHARTERS TOWERS.	
178(d)	Returned Stores Depot		do	
179	121 FD ORD DEPOT.		do	
180	1 ADV AMN DEPOT		WALLANGARRA.	
180(a)	11 Fd Amn Depot		HELIDON	
180(b)	12 do		ENOGGERA	
180(c)	13 do		BLACKBUTT	
181	7 ADV AMN DEPOT		BARONTA	
181(a)	71 Fd Amn Depot		SELLHEIM	
181(b)	72 Fd Amn Depot		BROOKHILL.	
182				
183				
	<u>A.E.M.E.</u>			
184	Qld L of C Area Wkshop A.E.M.E.	117	Stanley St., STH BRISBANE	Formerly Qld L of C Area Ordnance Wkshops.
185	5 Aust Adv Wkshop A.E.M.E.		CHARTERS TOWERS	Formerly 5 Aust Adv Ord Wkshop
186	6 Aust Adv Wkshop A.E.M.E.		TOOWOOMBA	Formerly 6 Aust Adv Ord Wkshop
187	7 Aust Adv Wkshop A.E.M.E.		TOOWOOMBA	To move WALLANGARRA.
187(a)				
188				
	<u>MISCELLANEOUS.</u>			
189	Qld L of C Area Accounts Office		Ann St. BRISBANE.	
190	1 Aust Depot Cash Office (Type A)-ENOGGERA		ENOGGERA BRISBANE	
191	2 Aust Depot Cash Office (Type B) METROPOLITAN NORTH		VIC.BCKS BRISBANE.	
192	3 Aust Depot Cash Office (Type B) METROPOLITAN SOUTH.		STH BRISBANE	
193	4 Aust Depot Cash Office (Type B) CHERMSIDE.		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE.	
194	5 Aust Depot Cash Office (Type B) STH BRISBANE FD		St.Laurences Sch.Sth Bne.	
195	6 Aust Depot Cash Office (Type B) GROVELY		GROVELY	
196	7 Aust Depot Cash Office (Type B) ASCOT		ASCOT BRISBANE.	
197				
198	1 Aust Vet Hosp	172	ENOGGERA BRISBANE	

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	<u>MISCELLANEOUS.</u>			
199	1 Aust Remt Sqn		WELLCAMP	
200	1 L of C Pro Coy(8 Secs)	195	KELVIN GROVE BRISBANE.	
201	7 L of C Pro Coy		do	
202	Qld L of C Detention Barracks, GROVELY		GROVELY BRISBANE.	
203	Qld L of C Detention Barracks, WARWICK		WARWICK	
204	Qld L of C Detention Barracks, CHARTERS TOWERS		CHARTERS TOWERS	
205	1 Aust Emp Coy		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE	LHQ Unit. Two Pls att 1 L of C Sub-Area.
206	9 Aust Emp Coy		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE	LHQ Unit.
207	14 Aust Emp Coy		CAIRNS	Det at BARONTA
208	15 Aust Emp Coy		GAYTHORNE BRISBANE	LHQ Unit.
209	16 Aust Emp Coy		TOWNSVILLE	do
210	17 Aust Emp Coy		GAYTHORNE BRISBANE	do
211	31 Aust Emp Coy		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE	do Partially raised.
212				
213	Qld L of C Area Stationary Depot (Type B)		548 Stanley St., STH BRISBANE.	
214				
215	1 Aust Graves Registration & Enquiry Unit(Lower Estab)		Victoria Bks BRISBANE.	
216	3 Aust Graves Registration & Enquiry Unit(Lower Estab)		TOWNSVILLE.	
217	9 Aust Graves Registration & Enquiry Unit(Lower Estab)			Being raised
218				
219	1 Aust Pers Staging Camp		YERONGPILLY	
220	13 Aust Pers Staging Camp		OONONBA, TOWNSVILLE	
221	Qld L of C Area Leave Transit Depot		ASCOT BRISBANE.	

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222	N.G. Force Adv Reinft Depot	175	SELLHEIM	
223	Qld L of C Area General Details Depot		EXHIBITION GNDS. BNE	
224	Qld L of C Area Recruit Reception Depot		do	
225	1 Aust Psychology Testing Sec(H.E.)		do	LHQ Unit
226				
227				
228	Qld L of C Area Records Office		WARWICK	
229	New Guinea L of C Area Records Office(less det)		do	
230				
231	Qld L of C Area Canteens		BRISBANE.	
232	A Sub-HQ Aust Kit Store		WARWICK	LHQ Unit. Controls all Secs in Q L of C Area.
233	Det A Sub-HQ Aust Kit Store		BRISBANE	Collecting and distributing centre only.
234	2/2 Aust Kit Store (less Dets)		WARWICK	Servicing 7 Aust Div.
235	No. 4 Soc Aust Kit Store		WARWICK	Servicing 1 Aust Corps Tps.
236	No.5 Soc Aust Kit Store		IPSWICH	Servicing 2 Aust Corps Tps.
237	No. 10 Soc Aust Kit Store		CHARTERS TOWERS	Servicing 5 Aust Div.
238	No.12 Soc Aust Kit Store		MARYBOROUGH	Servicing 3 Aust Div.
239	No.16 Soc Aust Kit Store		IPSWICH	
240				
241	1 Aust L of C Postal Unit		BRISBANE	At present on OOB for NSW L of C Area.
242	HQ 3 Aust Base Postal Unit (less one soc)		313 Adelaide St. BRISBANE.	
242(a)	1 Sec, 3 Aust Base Postal Unit		346 Adelaide St. BRISBANE	
243	2 Sec, 3 Aust Base Postal Unit		TOWNSVILLE	

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	<u>MISCELLANEOUS.</u>			
244				
245	Qld L of C Area Concert Party		KELVIN GROVE BRISBANE.	
246	5 Aust Mob Cinema			Not yet arrived in Area.
247	6 Aust Mob Cinema		KELVIN GROVE BRISBANE.	
248	1 Aust V.A.D. Barrack			Not yet raised.
249	3 A.W.A.S. Adm Cadre			
250	6 A.W.A.S. Barrack		Emmanuel Collogo Wickham Tee BRISBANE	
251	7 A.W.A.S. Barrack		TOOWOOMBA	
252	8 A.W.A.S. Barrack		TOWNSVILLE	
253	9 A.W.A.S. Barrack		WARWICK.	
254	10 A.W.A.S. Barrack		ENOGGERA	
255				
256				
257	H.Q. 1 Aust Salv Depot	156	do	
258	14 Aust L of C Salv Sec	127	do	
259	30 Aust L of C Salv Sec	169	TOWNSVILLE	
260	31 Aust L of C Salv Sec	142	ENOGGERA BRISBANE	
261				
262	Palloranda Quarantine Camp		PALLERENDA TOWNSVILLE	Not on 00B
263	Arcadia Rest Camp		MAGNETIC ISLAND	Not on 00B
264				
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267				

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	<u>QID L OF C AREA BDE</u> <u>& AREA STREETS.</u>			
	<u>7 BDE AREA.</u>			
268	Bde HQ		George St., BRISBANE.	
269	9A Area		Drill Hall, Water St., VALLEY. BRISBANE.	
270	9B "		Drill Hall, Prico St., NAMBOUR.	
271	9X "		Exhibition Gnds.Bne.	
272	15 "		Drill Hall. Dudley St., ANNERLEY BRISBANE.	
273	25A "		Drill Hall, Margaret St., TOOWOOMBA.	
274	25B "		Drill Hall, Charles St., ROMA	
275	25C "		GOONDIWINDI	
276	61A "		Drill Hall, KELVIN GROVE BRISBANE	
277	61B "		Drill Hall, MILFORD ST. IPSWICH	
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279				
	<u>29 Bde Area.</u>			
280	Bde H.Q.		Drill Hall, Kent St., MARYBOROUGH	
281	42A Area		Drill Hall, Archer St., ROCKHAMPTON	
282	42B "		ANAKIE ST EMERALD	
283	47A "		Drill Hall Sussex St., MARYBOROUGH	
284	47B "		MURGON	
285				
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Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>QLD L OF C AREA BDE</u> <u>& AREA STAFFS.</u>			
	<u>11 Bde Area (contd)</u>			
289	Bde HQ		DENHAM ST. TOWNSVILLE	
290	26A Area		Drill Hall Church St., CHARTERS TOWERS.	
291	26B "		HUGHENDEN	
292	26C "		LONGREACH	
293	31A "		ESCA BLDG STURT ST. TOWNSVILLE	
294	31B "		Drill Hall, Albort St., MACKAY.	
295	51A "		Drill Hall Sachs St., CAIRNS.	
296	51B "		ATHERTON	

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>QUEENSLAND FIXED DEFENCES.</u>			
298				
299	H.Q. Frt Engrs, Qld L of C. Area.			Not raised.
300	H.Q. Sigs F.D. Q'land		St. Laurence's Sch. South BRISBANE.	
301.				
	<u>BRISBANE FIXED DEFENCES.</u>			
	<u>H.Q.</u>			
302	HQ Brisbane Fixed Defences	166	do	
303				
	<u>ARTY.</u>			
304	COWAN Bty	114	COWAN, MORETON IS	
305	BRIBIE Bty	114	BRIBIE, BRIBIE IS.	
306	LYTTON Bty	114	LYTTON near BRISBANE.	
307	SKIRMISH Bty		WOORIM, BRIBIE IS.	Being raised
308	ROUS Bty			Not yet raised
309				
310				
	<u>ENGRS.</u>			
311	HQ Frt Engrs	135	St. Laurence's Sch. BRISBANE	
312	Frt Coy	135	do	Personnel at Forts
313				
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318	C.A.S.L. Soc		LYTTON	To move WOORIM
319				
320				

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>ENGRS. (contd)</u>			
321				
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329				
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
330	No. 1 Coy(BRISBANE) Sigs F.D.(Qld)	125	St.Laurence's Sch.BRISBANE	Personnel at Forts
331				
	<u>TOWNSVILLE FIXED DEFENCES.</u>			
	<u>ARTY.</u>			
332	HQ Townsville Fixed Defences	129	KISSING PT TOWNSVILLE	
333	Kissing Bty	129	do	
334	Signal Bty		SIGNAL HILL TOWNSVILLE	
335	Magnetic Bty			Being raised
336				
	<u>ENGRS.</u>			
337	Frt Engrs	116	TOWNSVILLE	
338	C.A.S.L.Sec		do	
339				
340				
341				
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344				
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
345	HQ No.2 Coy(TOWNSVILLE Sigs (F.D) Q'land	198	TOWNSVILLE	
346	Townsville Sec No.2 Coy Sigs F.D.Qld		TOWNSVILLE	

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>CAIRNS FIXED DEFENCES</u>			
	<u>ARTY.</u>			
347	False Bty			Not functioning
	<u>ENGRS.</u>			
348	HQ 2 Frt Coy (Type B)			Not raised
349	23 Aust Works Soc			do
350	72 Aust Water Tpt Soc (Type B)			do
351	105 Aust CASL Soc (2 moving lights)			do
352				
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
353	CAIRNS Sec No.2 Coy Sigs F.D.Qld			Not functioning
354				
	<u>QUEENSLAND A.A.DEFENCES.</u>			
	<u>ARTY.</u>			
355	A.A.Gp HQ (L.E) S Qld	176	BRISBANE.	
356	H.Q.113 Aust Lt AA Regt)		do	To be allotted 5 Aust Div when authorised by LHQ
	)			
356(a)	163 Aust Lt AA Bty)		do	
356(b)	164 Aust Lt AA Bty)		do	
357	HQ 114 Aust Lt AA Regt)		BRISBANE	Being raised. To be allotted 6 Aust Div when authorised by LHQ
357(a)	165 Aust Lt AA Bty)		do	
357(b)	166 Aust Lt A.A.Bty)		do	
357(c)	167 Aust Lt AA Bty)		do	
358	HQ 115 Aust Lt AA Regt)			Not raised. To be allotted N.G Force when authorised by LHQ
358(a)	168 Aust Lt AA Bty)			
358(b)	169 Aust Lt AA Bty)			
358(c)	170 Aust Lt AA Bty)			
359				
360				
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
361	113 Aust Lt AA Regt Sig Sec.		BRISBANE	
362	114 Aust Lt AA Regt Sig Sec			Being raised

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks
	<u>QUEENSLAND A.A.DEFENCES (contd)</u>			
	<u>SIGS (contd)</u>			
363	115 Aust Lt AA Regt Sig Sec <u>A.E.M.E.</u>			Not raised
364	113 Aust Lt AA Regt Wkshop Sec AEME		cnr Lilley & Nudgee Rds, ASCOT BRISBANE	
365	114 Aust Lt AA Regt Wkshop Sec AEME			Not raised
366	115 Aust Lt AA Regt Wkshop Sec AEME			Not raised
	<u>BRISBANE A.A.DEFENCES</u> <u>ARTY.</u>			
367	AA Ops Room (Type A) BRISBANE		Ann St., BRISBANE	
368	HQ 6 Aust AA Bty	183	Oxley, BRISBANE	
369	HQ 38 Aust AA Bty		Corinda BRISBANE	
370	385 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		COLMSLIE BRISBANE	
371	386 Aust HY AA Gun Sta (Class A)		Victoria Pk BRISBANE	
372	387 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		Balmoral, BRISBANE	
373	388 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		Pinkenba, BRISBANE	
374	389 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		Hendra, BRISBANE	
375	390 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)			Not functioning
376	391 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		AMBERLEY	
377	392 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class B)		ARCHERFIELD	
378	HQ 2/2 Aust Hy AA Regt)	306	BRISBANE	To be allotted to 2 Aust Corps when authorised by LHQ
378(a)	2/5 Aust AA Bty)	306	do	
379				
	<u>ENGRS.</u>			
380	HQ 3 Aust AA SL Bn	118	Donkin St., TOOMBUL, BRISBANE.	
381	HQ 56 Aust AMSL Coy) (Type A))))	118	Berwick St., VALLEY BRISBANE	
381(a)	196 Aust AMSL Sec (Type Y)			Not raised
381(b)	117 Aust AMSL Sec (Type X)		Myrtletown & Faglefarm BRISBANE.	

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks
	<u>ENGRS. (contd)</u>			
381(c)	118 Aust AASL Sec (Type X)		Windsor & Albany Ck	
381(d)	119 Aust AASL Sec (Type X)		Nudgee Beach & Boondall.	
381(e)	120 Aust AASL Sec (Type X)		Mt. Cootha & Everton Pk.	
382	HQ 68 Aust AASL Coy (Type A)	118	Dormoch Tee WEST END	
382(a)	197 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)			Not raised
382(b)	123 Aust AASL Sec (Type X)		Davies Pk, West End & COORPAROO.	
382(c)	124 do		17 Mile Rocks & Rocklea	
382(d)	125 do		LOTA & MARGARETH HOUSE	
382(e)	126 do		Belmont & MURRARIE.	
383	HQ 72 Aust AASL Coy (Type B)		LYTTON	Concentrated for recruit trg. To move Archerfield
383(a)	121 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)		do	
383(b)	122 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)		do	
384				
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
385	2/2 Aust AA Regt Sig Sec less dets		BRISBANE.	
386				
	<u>A.E.M.E.</u>			
387	HQ 2 Aust A. Wkshop Coy (L.E.)			Not raised.
388	6 Aust Hy AA Wkshop Sec A.E.M.E.	183	DUTTON PK BRISBANE.	
389	56 Aust AASL Wkshop Sec A.E.M.E.	118	Coronation Dr. BRISBANE.	
390	72 Aust AASL Wkshop Sec A.E.M.E.			Not raised
391	2/2 Aust Hy AA Regt Wkshop Sec (Mobile) A.E.M.E. (Less dets)		BRISBANE.	

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>TOWNSVILLE A.I.DEFENCES.</u>			
	<u>ARTY.</u>			
392	A.I.Gp HQ (L.E.)Nth Qld		TOWNSVILLE	
393	AA Ops Room (Type A) TOWNSVILLE		TOWNSVILLE	
394	HQ 16 Aust AA Bty	105	do	
395	393 Aust Hy A.I. Gun Sta (Class A)		Mt.St.John TOWNSVILLE	
396	394 do		Palleranda, TOWNSVILLE	
397	395 do			Being raised
398	396 do			Being raised.
399				
	<u>ENGRS.</u>			
400	HQ 4 AASL Bn)			Not raised
401	HQ 71 Aust AASL Coy (Type A))			
401(a)	187 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y))			
401(b)	127 Aust AASL Sec (Type X))			
401(c)	128 do)			
401(d)	129 do)			
401(e)	130 do)			
402				
	<u>A.E.M.E.</u>			
403	HQ 1 Aust AA Wkshop Coy (L.E.)			Not raised.
404	16 Aust Hy Wkshop Sec A.E.M.E.		TOWNSVILLE	
405	71 Aust Hy Wkshop Sec A.E.M.E.	138	do	
406				

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>			
407	40th Brigade HQ		TOWNSVILLE	
408	208 C.A.(AA) Regt SM		do	
409	1 Bn 208 C.A.(AA)Regt SM		do	
409(a)	Bty B do		do	
409(b)	Bty C do		do	
409(c)	Bty D do		do	
410	2 Bn 208 CA (AA) Regt SM		do	
410(a)	Bty E do		do	
(b)	Bty F do		do	
(c)	Bty G do		do	
(d)	Bty H do		do	
411	3 Bn 208 C.A.(AA)Regt		do	
(a)	Bty I do		do	
(b)	Bty K(loss pl) do		do	
412	<u>197 C.A. (AA)REGT.</u>			
413	1 Bn 197 CA(AA)Regt		do	
(a)	Bty C do		do	
(b)	Bty D do		do	
414	2 Bn 197 C.A.(AA)Regt			
(a)	Bty E do		do	
(b)	Bty G do		do	
(c)	Bty H do		do	
415	3 Bn 197 C.A.(AA)Regt			
(a)	Bty I(loss pl) do		do	
(b)	Bty K(loss pl) do		do	
416	707 Sep Bty		do	
417	708 Sep Bty		do	
418	102 C.A.Bn(Sep) AA			Moving to TOWNSVILLE AREA.
419	HQ Bty, Btys A & B 104 CA Bn(Sep AA)			do
420	Bty A and 1 Pl Bty "I" 94 CA Regt (AA)			do
421				
422				
423				

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
<u>A.A.DEFENCES - REID RIVER</u> <u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>				
424	HQ 2 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) US		REID RIVER.	
425				
426	One pl K Bty 208 C.A. (AA) US		do	
427	One pl, K Bty 197 C.A. (AA) US		do	
428				
429				
<u>CAIRNS A.A. DEFENCES.</u>				
<u>ARTY.</u>				
430	397 Aust Hy Gun Sta (Class A)		CAIRNS	
431	223 Aust Lt AA Bty	151	do	Formerly 32 Aust Lt AA Bty
432				
<u>ENGRS.</u>				
433	HQ 64 Aust AASL Coy (Type B)	138	do	
433(a)	188 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)	138	do	
433(b)	189 Aust AASL Sec (Type X)	138	do	
433(c)	222 Aust AASL Sec (Type X)	138	do	
<u>A.E.M.E.</u>				
434	223 Aust Lt AA Bty Sub- Soc A.E.M.E.	151	do	
435	64 AASL Wkshop Soc A.E.M.E.	138	do	
436				
<u>PORTLAND ROADS AA DEFENCES</u>				
<u>ARTY.</u>				
437	HQ 36 Aust AA Bty		PORTLAND RDS	
438	446 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		do	Being installed
439	447 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		do	do
440				

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>PORTLAND ROADS A.A.DEFENCES</u> (contd)			
	<u>ENGRS.</u>			
441	HQ 76 Aust AA SL Coy (Type B)			Not yet arrived in area.
441(a)	192 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)			do
441(b)	193 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)			do
442				
	<u>ALLIED FORCES. --</u>			
443	Btys B & F 197 C.A. Regt (AA)			
444				
	<u>MAREEBA A.A.DEFENCES.</u>			
	<u>ARTY.</u>			
445	HQ 37 Aust AA Bty		MAREEBA	
446	448 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)		do	
447	449 Aust Hy AA Gun Sta (Class A)			Not functioning
448	224 Aust Lt AA Bty		MAREEBA	Formerly 33 Aust Lt AA Bty.
449				
	<u>ENGRS. ---</u>			
450	HQ 75 Aust AASL Coy (Type B)			Not arrived in Area.
450(a)	190 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)			do
450(b)	191 Aust AASL Sec (Type Y)			do
451				
	<u>Sigs.</u>			
452	224 Aust Lt AA Bty Sig Sec.		MAREEBA	
453				
	<u>A.E.M.E.</u>			
454	224 Aust Lt AA Bty Wkshop Sub-Soc.A.E.M.E.		MAREEBA	
455				

Serial No.	Unit.	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>			
456	HQ 1 Bn 94 C.A.(AA)		MAREEBA	
457	B Bty 1 Bn 94 C.A.(AA)		do	
458	C Bty 1 Bn 94 C.A.(AA)		do	
459	E Bty 2 Bn 94 C.A.(AA)		do	
460	F Bty 2 Bn 92 C.A.(AA)		do	
461	1 Bty (less one pl) 3 Bn 94 C.A.(AA)		do	
462				
463				
	<u>AA DEFENCES - CHARTERS TOWERS.</u>			
	<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>			
464	HQ 94 C.A.(AA) Regt US		CHARTERS TOWERS.	
465	HQ 3 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt			
466	K Bty 3 Bn 94 C.A. (AA) Regt		do	
467	A Bty 1 Bn, 208 C.A. (AA) Regt		do	
468	A Bty 1 Bn, 197 C.A. (AA) Regt		do	
469				
	<u>AA DEFENCES - COOKTOWN</u>			
470	H Bty 2 Bn 94 C.A.(AA)		COOKTOWN	
471				
	<u>GARRISON ENS.</u>			
	<u>HQ.</u>			
472	1 Aust Grn Bde Adm HQ	182	Roberts Building, "F" Block ENOGGERA.	
	<u>INF.</u>			
473	1 Aust Grn Bn (Internal Security)	109	ENOGGERA BRISBANE	
474	15 Aust Grn Bn (Coast Defence)	197	COWAN MORETON IS	
475	15 Aust Grn Bn (Internal Security)	139	TOWNSVILLE {Coy at CAIRNS. Coy at CHARTERS TOWERS Coy at AYR	

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>GARRISON BNS (contd)</u>			
	<u>INF (contd)</u>			
476	32 Aust Grn Bn (Internal Security)	200	REDBANK	
477	7 Aust Grn Bn (Internal Security) less two Coys Coast Defence	155	CALOUNDRA	Two Coys BRIBIE ISLAND
478	2 Aust P.W.Gd.Coy		GAYTHORNE BRISBANE	
479				
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
480	1 Aust Grn Bdo Sig Soc		CHERMSIDE BRISBANE	
481				
	<u>TRAINING UNITS, DEPOTS, SCHOOLS.</u>			
	<u>H.Q.</u>			
482	H.Q.Qld L of C Area Trg Depots	165	WARWICK	
	<u>CAV.</u>			
483	1 Aust Div Cav Trg Sqn	123	GLEN INNES.	
	<u>ARTY.</u>			
484	1 Aust Arty Trg Regt	134	TENTERFIELD	Includes 5/11 Aust Trg Bty & 101 Aust A.Tk Trg Bty.
485	1 Aust Hy Trg Bty	134	TABRAGALBA	
486	1 Aust A.I. Trg Regt	134	TABRAGALBA	
	<u>SIGS.</u>			
487	1 Aust Regt1 Sigs Trg Depot.		WARWICK	
	<u>INF.</u>			
488	HQ 5 Aust Inf Trg Bdo	122	GOONDIWINDI	To move WARWICK
489	5 Aust Inf Spec Gp	122	do	do
490	7 Aust Inf Trg Bn	122	do	do
491	11 Aust Inf Trg Bn	122	do	do
492	20 Aust Inf Trg Bn	122	do	do

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>INF (contd)</u>			
493	<u>HQ 3 Aust Inf Trg Bde.</u>	144	GLEN INNES.	
494	3 Aust Inf Spec Gp	144	do	
495	4 Aust Inf Trg Bn	144	do	
496	15 Aust Inf Trg Bn	144	do	
497	33 Aust Inf Trg Bn	144	do	
498	<u>H.Q. 7 Aust Inf Trg Bde.</u>	173	TENTERFIELD	
499	7 Aust Inf Spec Gp	173	do	
500	18 Aust Inf Trg Bn	173	do	
501	21 Aust Inf Trg Bn	173	do	
502	25 Aust Inf Trg Bn	173	do	
503	2 Aust M.G. Trg Bn.	173	do	
504	1 Aust Trg Coy (for B Class personnel)	173	do	
505	2 Aust Trg Coy (for "B" Class personnel)			Being raised
	<u>SUP & TPT.</u>			
506	HQ 1 AASC Trg Depot	194	GLEN INNES.	
506(a)	1 AASC Trg Coy			Not yet raised
506(b)	2 AASC Trg Coy			do
	<u>MEDICAL.</u>			
507	1 AASC Trg Bn (less one Coy)	110	TENTERFIELD	
	<u>ORD.</u>			
508	Qld L of C Area Trg Depot, AAOC	132	FRASERS PADDOCK BRISBANE	
	<u>MISC.</u>			
509	Qld L of C Area MT Trg Depot	140	GROVELY BRISBANE.	
510	Qld L of C Area Army Trades Trg Depot	196	WOOLLOONGABBA BRISBANE	
511	Qld L of C Area Motor Vehicle Trade Trg Centre (All Arms)	128	CHERMSIDE (PRIMARY WING)	Secondary Wing DALBY
512	Qld L of C Area V.A.D. Trg Depot			To be raised.

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>MISC. (contd)</u>			
513	Qld L of C Area Cooking & Catering School	168	CHERMSIDE, BRISBANE.	
514	Qld L of C Area Junior Leaders School (H.E.)		ENOGGERA, BRISBANE	
515	1 V.A.D. Trg Coy		YERONGA.	
516	1 A.W.A.S. Trg Depot		YERONGA	
517				
	<u>LHQ SCHOOLS.</u>			
518	LHQ School of M.I.		REDCLIFFE.	
519	LHQ Regt Comds School		BEENLEIGH	
520	LHQ Trg Centre (Jungle Warfare)		CANUNGRA.	
521				
522				
523				
	<u>V.D.C. UNITS.</u>			
524	Corps HQ VDC		Creek St., BRISBANE	
525	A Gp HQ		BRISBANE	
526	1 Bn		do	
527	2 Bn		do	
528	3 Bn		do	
529	4 Bn		do	
530	5 Bn		SOUTHPORT	
531	6 Bn		NAMBOUR	
532				
533				
534	B Gp HQ		MARYBOROUGH	
535	10 Bn		BUNDABERG	
536	11 Bn		MARYBOROUGH	
537	12 Bn		GYMPIE	
538	20 Bn		MURGON	
539				
540				

Serial No.	Unit	Vehicle No.	Location	Remarks.
	<u>VDC UNITS (contd)</u>			
541	C Gp HQ		ROCKHAMPTON	
542	13 Bn		do	
543	14 Bn		LONGREACH	
544	15 Bn		MACKAY	
545				
546				
547	D Gp HQ		TOWNSVILLE	
548	16 Bn		do	
549	17 Bn		CAIRNS	
550	18 Bn		INNISFAIR	
551	21 Bn		CHARTERS TOWERS	
552	22 Bn		BOWEN	
553				
554				
555	E Gp HQ		TOOWOOMBA	
556	7 Bn		do	
557	8 Bn		WARWICK	
558	9 Bn		IPSWICH	
559	19 Bn		ROMA	
560				
561				
562	23 Regt		CHARTERS TOWERS	Being raised
563				
	<u>1 AUSTRALIAN CORPS Tps AASC</u>			
	<u>Temporarily Under Comd.</u>			
564	HQ Comd 1 Aust Corps Tps AASC	108	GOODNA	
565	1 Aust Corps Tps Amm Coy	136	do	Det at CHERMSIDE.
566	1 Aust Corps Tps Petrol Coy	148	do	do

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Location.	Serial No.	Units.
<u>ATHERTON.</u>	A1 A2 A3	Det 2 Aust Aux HT Coy 5 Aust Camp Hosp (210 beds)
<u>AYR.</u>	A4 A5	One Coy 15 Aust Grn Bn
<u>BOWEN.</u>	A6 A7	22 Bn V.D.C.
<u>BROOKHILL.</u>	A8 A9	Det 3 Aust Ord Amn Coy 72 Fd Amn Depot
<u>CAIRNS.</u>	A10 A11 A12 A13 A14 A15 A16 A17 A18 A19 A20 A21 A22 A23 A24 A25	False Bty 40 Aust D.C.R.E.(Works) B Gp 2/3 Aust Docks Operating Coy Det Q'land L of C Area Sigs. x Cairns Cipher Sec One Coy, 15 Aust Grn Bn 17 Bn V.D.C. Det 2 Aust Aux HT Coy E Sec Q'land L of C Area B.I.P.O.D. 14 Aust Emp Coy 25 Aust F.S.Soc. Det H.Q. 12 Aust Adv Ord Depot
		<u>N.B. - A.A. UNITS:</u> See Consolidated List in Location Statement.
<u>CHARTERS TOWERS.</u>	A26 A27 A28 A29 A30 A31 A32 A33 A34 A35 A36 A37 A38 A39 A40	One Coy 15 Aust Grn Bn. 21 Bn V.D.C. 23 Regt V.D.C. Det Q'land L of C Area Sigs. 2/1 Aust Fd Butchering Coy (less one Sec) Det HQ and one Sec 2/2 Aust Fd Bakery No.10 Sec Aust Kit Store. HQ 12 Aust Adv Ord Depot Det 2/4 Ord Store Coy 5 Aust Adv Wkshop A.E.M.E. 4 Aust Ord Depot Sec (Provision) 116 Aust Gen Hosp 103 Aust Adv Depot Medical Stores. 5 Aust Amb Train Qld L of C Area Detention Barracks - CHARTERS TOWERS.

Location.	Serial No.	Units.
<u>CHARTERS TOWERS</u> (contd)	A41 A42 A43	Sub-Depot Adv Supply Depot - (TOWNSVILLE-SELLHEIM)
		<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>
	A44 A45 A46 A47	HQ 94 C.A. Regt US HQ & K Bty 3 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt US A Bty 1 Bn, 208 C.A.(AA) Regt US A Bty 1 Bn 197 C.A.(AA) Regt US
<u>CLONCURRY.</u>	A48	Sub Depot ASD Type D (TOWNSVILLE- SELLHEIM)
<u>COOKTOWN.</u>		<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>
	A49 A50	H Bty 1 Bn, 197 C.A.(AA) Regt US
<u>HAUGHTON VALLEY.</u>	A51 A52	Det 2 Aust Aux H.T.Coy
<u>HUGHENDEN AREA.</u>	A53 A54 A55 A56 A57 A58 A59 A60 A61	Det 2 Aust Aux H.T.Coy HQ 7 Aust Adv Amn Depot Det 3 Aust Ord Amn Coy Det HQ 12 Aust Adv Ord Depot. 12 Adv Ord Depot. Det 14 Aust Emp Coy Sub-Depot, Adv Sup Depot, (TOWNSVILLE-SELLHEIM)
<u>INNISFAIL.</u>	A62 A63	18 Bn VDC
<u>MACKAY.</u>	A64 A65	15 Bn V.D.C.

Location	Serial No.	Units.
<u>MAREEBA.</u>	A66	HQ 37 Aust AA Bty
	A67	448 Aust Hy Gun Sta (Class A)
	A68	x 449 Aust Hy Gun Sta (Class A)
	A69	224 Aust Lt AA Bty
	A70	224 Aust Lt AA Bty Sig Sec
	A71	224 Aust Lt AA Ord Wkshop Sub-Soc
	A72	
	A73	
		<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>
	A74	HQ 1 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A75	B Bty 1 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A76	C Bty 1 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A77	E Bty 2 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A78	F Bty 2 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A79	One Bty (loss one pl) 3 Bn 94 C.A. (AA) Regt (US)
	A80	
	A81	
<u>PORTLAND ROADS.</u>	A82	x HQ 36 Aust AA Bty
	A83	x 446 Aust Hy Gun Sta (Class A)
	A84	x 447 Aust Hy Gun Sta (Class A)
	A85	
	A86	
		<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>
	A87	Btys 'B' & 'F' 197 C.A.Regd (AA)
	A88	
<u>REID RIVER.</u>		<u>ALLIED FORCES.</u>
	A89	D Bty, 1 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A90	HQ 2 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A91	G Bty 2 Bn 94 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A92	One Pl K Bty 3 Bn 208 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A93	One pl, K Bty 3 Bn 197 C.A.(AA) Regt (US)
	A94	
	A95	
<u>ROLLINGSTONE.</u>	A96	2 Aust Pack Tpt Coy
	A97	

Location	Serial No.	Units.
<u>SELLHEIM.</u>	A88	One Sec 12 Aust A Tps Coy
	A99	114 Aust Con Depot
	A100	Det 2 Aust H.T.Coy
	A101	New Guinea Force Adv Reinft Depot
	A102	3 Aust Ord Amn Coy
	A103	* 66 Aust Camp Hosp.
	A104	* 82 Aust Camp Hosp
	A104(a)	Sub-Depot A.S.D.Type D (TOWNSVILLE-SELLHEIM)
	A104(b)	71 Fd Amn Depot
<u>STRATFORD.</u>	A105	Det 3 Aust Ord Amn Coy
	A106	
<u>TOWNSVILLE.</u>	A107	HQ 1 (N.Qld) L of C Sub-Area.
	A108	25 Aust Fd Security Sec.
	A109	"2" Sec F.S.S.
	A110	1 Aust Docks Control Det (Type A)
	A111	1 Aust C.R.E. (Works)
	A112	41 Aust D.C.R.E.(Works)
	A113	A Gp 2/5 Aust Docks Operating Coy
	A114	Det 3 Aust Wkshop & Pks Coy
	A115	3 Sec 1 Aust B.D.Coy
	A116	1 Aust Camouflage Trg Unit.
	A117	Det Q'land L. of C. Area Sigs.
	A118	No. 1 (N.Qld) L of C Sub Area Cipher Sec.
	A119	15 Aust Grn Bn.
	A120	HQ "D" Gp V.D.C.
	A121	16 Bn V.D.C.
	A122	A.S.D. (TYPE D) TOWNSVILLE-SELLHEIM
	A123	10 Aust Supply Pers Coy
	A124	B & F Secs Qld L of C Area. B.I.P.O.D.
	A125	2/1 Aust Petrol Depot (Type A)
	A126	2 Aux H.T. Coy
	A127	127 Aust Gon Tpt Coy
	A128	11 Aust Anti-Malaria Control Unit
	A129	122 Fd Ord Depot
	A130	Det HQ 12 Aust Adv Ord Depot.
	A131	1 Sec Aust Officers' shop
	A132	Two pls 1 Aust Emp Coy
	A133	16 Aust Emp Coy
	A134	2/1 Aust Movt & Tn Gp
	A135	13 Aust Pers Staging Camp
	A136	3 Aust Graves Regn & Enquiry Unit.
	A137	4 Aust Docks Operating Coy
	A138	30 Aust L of C Salvage Sec
	A139	Palleranda Quarantine Camp
	A140	Arcadia Rest Camp
	A141	8 A.W.A.S. Barrack
	A142	No. 2 Sec 3 Aust Base Postal Unit
	A143	
	A144	
	A145	

Location	Serial No.	Units.
<u>TOWNSVILLE</u> (contd)	A146 A147 A148 A149 A150 A151 A152 A153 A154 A155 A156 A157	HQ Townsville Fixed Defences. Kissing Bty Magazine Bty Magnetic Bty Townsville Frt Engrs. C.A.S.L. Sec. No. 2 Coy (TOWNSVILLE) Sigs. (F.D.) Queensland
<u>WATTEN SIDING</u>	A158 A159 A160	2/2 Aust Gen Hosp N.B. <u>A.A. Units</u> See Consolidated List in Location Statement.

NOTES.

* - Not yet raised.

UNITS IN LOCATIONS.NO. 2 S.O.L.D. L. OF C. SUB-AREA.

LOCATION.	Serial No.	UNIT
<u>B R I S B A N E.</u> (Victoria Barracks)	B 1	HQ Qld L of C Area
	B 2	Qld L of C Area Sec Int Corps
	B 3	27 Aust Fd Security Sec
	B 4	6 Aust Fd Censorship Sec
	B 5	Qld L of C Area Public Relations Fd Unit
	B 6	3 Aust Movt Control Cp
	B 7	1 Aust Graves Registration & Enquiry Unit
	B 8	x-9 Aust Graves Registration & Enquiry Unit
	B 9	Qld L of C Area Cipher Sec
	B10	2 Aust Depot Cash Office
	B11	
	B12	
	B13	
	B14	
	B15	
(ASCOT)	B16	Qld L of C Area Leave Transit Depot
	B17	7 Aust Depot Cash Office
	B18	
(ASHGROVE)	B19	111 Aust Gen Tpt Coy
	B20	12 Aust Ord Amn Coy
	B21	12 Aust Anti-Malaria Control Unit
	B22	
	B23	
(BAYARD'S BUILDING) (STH BRISBANE)	B24	1 Aust C.E. (Works)
	B25	
(CHERMESIDE)	B26	1 Aust Bomb Disposal Coy (L.E.)
	B27	Qld L of C Area Sigs
	B28	1 H.Q. Sec (Carrier Pigeon) Aust Corps of Sigs.
	B29	HQ 5 Sec (Carrier Pigeon) Aust Corps of Sigs.
	B30	1-8 Aust Carrier Pigeon Lofts
	B31	112 Aust Gen Tpt Coy
	B32	113 Aust Gen Tpt Coy
	B33	2 Aust Camp Hosp.
	B34	HQ 53 Aust Dental Unit
	B35	"C" Sec 53 Aust Dental Unit

Location	Serial No.	Units
<u>CHEMPSIDE</u> (Contd)	B36 B37 B38 B39 B40 B41 B42 B43 B44 B45 B46 B47 B48	1 Aust Emp Coy (less two pls) 9 Aust Emp Coy 31 Aust Emp Coy 1 Aust Grn Bde Sig Sec Primary Wing - Qld L of C Area Motor Vehicles Trade Training Centre (All Arms) Qld L of C Area Cooking & Catering School 1 Aust Corps Tps Sup Coy Det 1 Aust Corps Tps Amn Coy Det 1 Aust Corps Tps Petrol Coy
COORPAROO)	B49 B50 B51 B52	101 Aust Con Depot 10 Aust Camp Hosp
(ENOGGERA)	B53 B54 B55 B56 B57 B58 B59 B60 B61 B62 B63 B64 B65 B66 B67 B68 B69 B70 B71 B72 B73 B74 B75	1 Aust H.T. Coy (less dets) 4 Aust Sup Pers Coy Adv. Supply Depot Type C (REDEBANK-ENOGGERA) 1 Aust Amb Car Coy HQ 1 Aust Salvage Depot 14 L of C Salvage Sec 31 L of C Salvage Sec One Sec 1 Aust Fd Butchering Coy 1 Aust Fd Bakery 3 Aust Camp Hosp. Qld L of C Area Veh Prep Det 1 Aust Vet Hosp. 1 Aust Grn Bde Ldm HQ 1 Aust Grn Bn Qld L of C Area Junior Leaders School. 12 Fd Amn Depot 10 A.W.S Barrack 1 Aust Depot Cash Office
(EXHIBITION)	B76 B77 B78 B79 B80 B81 B82	4 Aust Camp Hosp. HQ 52 Aust Dental Unit "C" Sec 52 Aust Dental Unit "D" Sec 52 Aust Dental Unit Qld L of C Area General Details Depot Qld L of C Area Recruits Reception Det 1 Aust Psychology Testing Sec (H.E.)

Location	Serial No	Units
<u>EXHIBITION</u> (Contd)	B83 B84 B85 B86 B87	21 Fd Ord Depot
(FRASER'S Paddock)	B88 B89 B90 B91 B92 B93 B94	3 Aust Wkshop & Pk Coy (less det) Qld L of C Area Trg Depot A.A.O.C.
(GAYTHORNE)	B95 B96 B97 B98 B99 B100 B101 B102 B103 B104	Central Ord Depot A.A.O.C. BRISBANE 15 Aust Emp Coy 17 Aust Emp Coy Returned Stores Depot 2 Aust P.W. Gd Coy
(GROVELY)	B105 B106 B107 B108 B109 B110 B111 B112 B113 B114 B115 B116	12 Aust A. Tps Coy "B" Sec 52 Aust Dental Unit. Qld L of C Area Detention Barracks Qld L of C Area M.T. Trg Depot 6 Aust Depot Cash Office HQ Comd 1 Aust Corps Tpt Col One pl, 2/103 Aust Gen Tpt Coy 2/104 Aust Gen Tpt Coy
(KELVIN GROVE)	B117 B118 B119 B120 B121 B122 B123 B124 B125	HQ 2 (S.Qld) L of C Sub-Area 1 L of C Pro Coy 7 L of C Pro Coy Qld L of C Area Concert Party * 5 Aust Mob Cinema 8 Aust Mob Cinema

Location	Serial No	Units
(ST. LAURENCE'S SCHOOL)	B126 B127 B128 B129 B130 B131 B132 B133 B134 B135	* HQ Frt Engrs, Qld L of C Area HQ Sigs Fixed Defences Qld. HQ Brisbane Fixed Defences HQ Frt Engrs. No. 1 Coy (BRISBANE) Sigs F.D. (Q'land) 5 Aust Depot Cash Office
(MISCELLANEOUS Locations in City Area)	B136 B137 B138 B139 B140 B141 B142 B143 B144 B145 B146 B147 B148 B149 B150 B151 B152 B153 B154 B155 B156 B157 B158 B159 B160 B161 B162 B163 B164 B165 B166 B167 B168 B169 B170 B171 B172 B173 B174 B175 B176 B177 B178 B179 B180 B181	Rear HQ 1 Aust Docks Control Det (Type A) Central Bureau Int Corps A.T.I.S. 2 Aust Spec Int Pers Sec 4 Aust Spec Int Pers Sec 1 L of C Sigs Base Supply Depot Type B (C.BARLAN) Qld L of C Area B.I.P.O.D. Qld L of C Area Depot Med & Vet Stores Qld L of C Area Sub Depot of Dental Stores 112 Aust Gen Hosp. 126 Aust Special Hosp Qld L of C Area Wkshop A.E.M.E. Qld L of C Area Accounts Office 1 Aust Pers Staging Camp Qld L of C Area Canteens Det A Sub H.Q. Aust Kit Store. 1 Aust L of C Postal Unit. Hq & No. 1 Sec 3 Aust Base Postal Unit. Qld L of C Area Army Trades Trg Dep Qld L of C Stationery Depot Type B * 1 Aust V.A.D. Barrack 6 A.W.A.S. Barrack 1 V.A.D. Trg Coy 1 A.W.A.S. Trg Depot 3 Aust Depot Cash Office Corps HQ V.D.C. A Group HQ VDC 1 Bn VDC 2 Bn VDC 3 Bn VDC 4 Bn VDC 27 Aust Fd Security Sec 2 Aust C.R.E. (Works) 43 Aust D.C.R.E. (Works)

Location	Serial No.	Units
		N.B. <u>A.I. UNITS</u> - Refer to Consolidated List in Location Statement <u>LHQ Sig.</u> See Serials 57 - 61 incl.
<u>BEENLEIGH</u>	B182 B183 B184	LHQ Regt Comds School
<u>BLACKBUTT</u>	B185 B186 B187 B188	Det 12 Aust Ord Amn Coy 13 Fd Amn Depot
<u>BUNDABERG</u>	B189 B190 B191	10 Bn V.D.C.
<u>BUNDAMBA</u>	B192 B193	1 Aust Amb Train
<u>CABARLAH</u>	B194	Sub-Depot Base Sup Depot (Type B) (Brisbane - Cabarlah)
<u>CALOUNDRA</u>	B195 B196 B197	7 Aust Grn Bn (less two coys)
<u>CANUNGRA</u>	B198 B199	LHQ Trg Centre (Jungle Warfare)
<u>DALBY</u>	B200 B201 B202	Secondary Wing Qld L of C Area Mot Vehs Trades Trg Centre (All Arms)

Location	Serial No.	Units
<u>EMERALD</u>	B203 B204	Sub-Depot ASD (Type D) ROCKHAMPTON - EMERALD
<u>GLEN INNES</u>	B205 B206 B207 B208 B209 B210 B211 B212 B213 B214 B215	1 Aust Div Cav Trg Sqn HQ 3 Aust Inf Trg Bde 3 Aust Inf Spec Gp 4 Aust Inf Trg Bn 15 Aust Inf Trg Bn 33 Aust Inf Trg Bn Old L of C Area Trg Depot ASC A Sec 51 Aust Dental Unit
<u>GOODNA</u>	B216 B217 B218 B219 B220	HQ Comd 1 Aust Corps Tps ASC 1 Aust Corps Tps Amn Coy (less det) 1 Aust Corps Tps Petrol Coy (less det)
<u>GOONDIWINDI</u>	B221 B222 B223 B224 B225 B226 B227 B228 B229 B230 B231 B232 B233 B234 B235 B236	HQ 5 Aust Inf Trg Bde 5 Aust Inf Spec. Gp 29 Aust Inf Trg Bn 7 Aust Inf Trg Bn 11 Aust Inf Trg Bn 47 Aust Camp Hosp. HQ 51 Aust Dental Unit C Sec 51 Aust Dental Unit D Sec 51 Aust Dental Unit E Sec 51 Aust Dental Unit
<u>GYMPIE</u>	B237 B238 B239	12 Bn VDC
<u>HEFLIDON</u>	B240 B241 B242	Det 1 Aust Ord Amn Coy 11 Fd Amn Depot

Location	Serial No	Units
<u>IPSWICH</u>	B243 B244 B245 B246	No. 5 Sec Aust Kit Store No. 16 Sec Aust Kit Store 9 Bn V.D.C.
<u>JERICO</u>	B247	Sub-Depot A.S.D. Type D (Rockhampton-Emerald)
<u>LANDSBOROUGH</u>	B248	Sub-Depot A.S.D. Type C Redbank- Enoggera)
<u>LONGREACH</u>	B249	14 Bn V.D.C.
<u>LYTTON</u>	B250 B251 B252 B253 B254 B255 B256	LYTTON BTY Det Frt Engrs. Det No 1 Coy (BRISBANE) Sigs F.D. 56 Aust Camp Hosp
<u>MARYBOROUGH</u>	B257 B258 B259 B260 B261 B262 B263	B Group HQ VDC 11 Bn VDC No 12 Sec Aust Kit Store b No 4 Sec 1 Aust B.D. Coy
<u>MORETON BAY</u> (BRISBANE ISLAND)	B264 B265 B266 B267 B268 B269 B270 B271	BRISBANE BTY. Skirmish Bty Det Frt Engrs. Det No 1 Coy (BRISBANE) Sigs F.D. Two Coys 7 Aust Grn Bn.

Location	Serial No.	Units
(MORETON ISLAND)	B272 B273 B274 B275 B276 B277 B278 B279 B280	COWAN BTY * ROUS BTY Det Frt Engrs. Det No 1 Coy (BRISBANE) Sigs F.D. 13 Aust Grn Bn "B" Sec 53 Aust Dental Unit
<u>MURGON</u>	B281 B282 B283	20 Bn VDC
<u>NALBOUR</u>	B284 B285 B286	6 Bn VDC
<u>REDBANK</u>	B287 B288 B289 B290 B291 B292 B293	Sub Depot Adv Sup Depot Type C (REDBANK ENOGGERA) 2 Aust Women's Hospital 7 Aust Camp Hosp. 2/4 Aust Gen Hosp. 1 Sec 52 Aust Dental Unit HQ 32 Aust Grn Bn
<u>REDCLIFFE</u>	B294	L.H.Q. School of M.I.
<u>ROCKHAMPTON</u>	B295 B296 B297 B298 B299 B300 B301 B302 B303	42 Aust D.C.R.E. (Works) C Group HQ VDC 13 Bn VDC Adv Supply Depot Type D (Rockhampton - Emerald) 26 Aust Fd Security Sec

Location	Serial No	Units
<u>ROMA</u>	B304 B305	19 Bn VDC
<u>SOUTHPORT</u>	B306 B307 B308	5 Bn VDC
<u>STANTHORPE</u>	B309 B310 B311	Qld L of C Area No 3 Sub Depot Met & Vet Stores
<u>TABRAGALBA</u>	B312 B313 B314 B315 B316 B317 B318	1 Aust Hy Trg Bty 1 Aust A.A. Trg Regt 'A' Sec 53 Aust Dental Unit 71 Aust Camp Hosp
<u>TENTERFIELD</u>	B319 B320 B321 B322 B323 B324 B325 B326 B327 B328 B329 B330 B331 B332 B333	1 Aust Arty Trg Regt. HQ 7 Aust Inf Trg Bde 7 Aust Inf Spec. Gp 16 Aust Inf Trg Bn. 21 Aust Inf Trg Bn. 25 Aust Inf Trg Bn. 2 Aust M.G. Trg Bn. 1 AMC Trg Bn (less one Coy) * 2 Aust Trg Coy (for B class personnel) 77 Aust Camp Hosp. B Sec 51 Aust Dental Unit 1 Aust Trg Coy (for B Class personnel)
<u>TOOWOOMBA</u>	B334 B335 B336 B337 B338 B339 B340 B341 B342	104 Aust Adv Depot Med Stores. 1 Aust Blood & Serum Prep Unit. 117 Aust Gen Hosp Sub-Depot Base Supply Depot Type 'B' (BRISBANE-C.BARLH) 6 Aust Adv Wkshop A.E.M.E. 7 Adv Wkshop A.E.M.E. 7 A.W.A.S. Barrack

Location	Serial No.	Units
<u>TCOWOOMBA</u> (Contd)	B343 B344 B345 B346 B347 B348 B349 B350 B351	E Gp HQ V.D.C. 7 Bn V.D.C.
<u>WALLANGARRA</u>	B352 B353 B354 B355 B356 B357 B358 B359 B360	HQ 3 Adv Ord Depot HQ 1 Aust Adv Ann Depot 1 Aust Ord Ann Coy Det 1 Aust Aux HT Coy 3 Aust Ord Depot Scc (Provision) Det 3 Aust Wkshop & Pk Coy 2/4 Aust Ord Store Coy 5 Aust Ord Store Coy
<u>WARWICK</u>	B361 B362 B363 B364 B365 B366 B367 B368 B369 B370 B371 B372 B373 B374 B375 B376 B377 B378 B379 B380 B381 B382	HQ Qld L of C Area Trg Depots. No. 1 Regtl Sigs Trg Unit. 44 Aust D.C.R.E. (Works) 5 Aust A Tps Coy 2/11 Aust Gen Hosp 8 Aust Camp Hosp * 67 Aust Camp Hosp 102 Aust Con Depot Qld L of C Area Records Office New Guinea L of C Area Records Office. Qld L of C Detention Barracks WARWICK 9 A.W.A.S. Barrack 'A' Sub - HQ Aust Kit Store 2/2 Aust Kit Store No. 4 Sec Aust Kit Store Qld L of C Area Band Sub-Depot, Base Supply Depot Type B (Brisbane-Cabarlah) 8 Bn V.D.C. 9 Aust Mob Laundry & Fwd Decn Unit
<u>WELICAMP</u>	B383 B384 B385 B386	1 Aust Remts Sqn. Det. 1 Aust Aux H.T. Coy.

Location	Serial No.	Unit
<u>WINTON</u>	B337	Sub Depot Adv Sup Depot Type D (ROCKHAMPTON-EMERALD)

NOTES.

- x - Not yet raised
- b - Not yet arrived in area.

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D.D.S.T.

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Q'land. L. of C. Area Records Office.

Q'land. L. of C. Area Accounts Office.

A Personnel.

2 War Diary.

D.D.O.S.

2/1 BASE SUPPLY DEPOT TYPE A - RAISING OF.

Reference L.H.Q. SM22925 of 24 Nov 42.

It is advised that an amendment to the O. of B. A.L.F. may be anticipated by which the above Unit will be raised for L.H.Q. forthwith, and D.D.S.T. will please take action accordingly.

2. W.E. IV/44A/1 20 Offrs 147 O/R Total 167.
3. A nucleus personnel for this Unit will be provided as follows -

NSW L of C Area

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|---|---|----|------|
| (a) Transfer from 5 Aust Supply Coy | O | OR | Tot. |
| As the 35 O/Rs to be transferred are surplus to the establishment of 5 Aust Supply Personnel Coy they will not be replaced, the 5 Offrs may be replaced | 5 | 35 | 40 |

The personnel to be transferred will consist of -

Captain	1
Lieutenants	4
Privates	35
	<u>40</u>

Vic L of C Area

- (b) Transfer the balance of personnel remaining at Bandianna of the disbanded 2/1 Aust Base Supply Depot - Bandianna
- | | | | |
|--|---|----|----|
| | 2 | 17 | 19 |
|--|---|----|----|
4. Separate instructions will be issued by L.H.Q. concerning the balance of the personnel required to complete the unit to A.E., as and when the personnel become available.
 5. L.H.Q. Movement Sec is issuing the necessary instructions covering the movement to Qld L of C Area of the nucleus personnel as referred to in para 2 A and B.
 6. An appropriate officer of the new unit will report to Qld L of C Area R.O. for instructions in "Unit Records" procedure.
 7. Personnel from NSW and Vic L of C will move to Q'land with personal arms and equipment only - all unit equipment will be issued by Q'land L of C Area.
 8. Acknowledge.


for A.A.G. H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area.

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Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.No.002065

3 Dec 42

CONCENTRATION OF PERSONNEL AT TOWNSVILLE
FOR EMBARKATION PER H.M.T. "TAROONA"

Reference Adv. L.H.Q. Movement Order 27 dated 1 Dec 42 and Amendment No.1 dated 2 Dec 42, the personnel enumerated hereunder will move to TOWNSVILLE in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

Serial No.	Unit	Offs.	O.Rs.	Total	Stores, Tons	
					Meas.	Weight
1	"X" List and Gen Reinfts	2	160	168	-	-
2	7 Aust Div Mob Laundry	-	22	22	-	-
3	6 Fd Censorship Sec	-	11	11	1	1
4	Details 2/102 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	1	31	32	2	1
5	A.D.C.S. Personnel	-	10	10	-	-
	Total	3	240	243	3	1 1/2

3. MOVEMENT OF SERIAL 1 TO BRISBANE:

Serial 1 will move to ASCOT in accordance with the following time table:-

111 all ranks entrain	GLEN INNES	0120 hrs	4/12
46 " " "	TENTERFIELD	0430 hrs	
Arrive	WALLANGARRA	0540 hrs	R
Depart		0755 hrs	
11 O.Rs. entrain	WARWICK	1035 hrs	R
Arrive	TADSWCOMBA	1255 hrs	
Depart	"	1355 hrs	
Arrive	ASCOT	1838 hrs.	

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4. ARRIVAL ASCOT:

O.C. Train will report to ASCOT Camp Headquarters immediately on arrival for further instructions.

5. ON MOVEMENT FROM ASCOT:

All Serials will be at ASCOT Siding at 0030 hrs 5 Dec 42, ready to entrain, and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs ASCOT at 0120 hrs Saturday, 5 Dec 42.

6. LOADING OF UNIT STORES:

Baggage van will be placed at ASCOT Siding at 0900 hrs Friday, 4 Dec 42, into which unit stores will be loaded, loading to be completed by 1500 hrs.

7. O.C. TRAIN:

The senior combatant Officer will be O.C. Train.

8. TIME TABLE:

Time table will be handed to O.C. Train prior to train's departure.

9. ARRIVAL TOWNSVILLE:

Reception and staging pending embarkation as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

10. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

O.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

11. CONDUCT OF TROOPS:

Attention of Draft Conducting Officer is drawn to N. Comd. Instruction A.303 of 4 Nov 40. Writing with chalk on Railway carriages is strictly forbidden.

The attention of O.C. Draft is also drawn to the following Military Board Instruction A.103, which must be promulgated to all ranks:-

"No member of the Military Forces, when in uniform, shall carry, or cause to be carried, on to any train on which he is about to travel, or have in his possession or control, or consume whilst travelling in any train, any intoxicating liquor, unless it be supplied to him as part of a normal service available in a dining car."

12. WATER BOTTLES:

Personnel are to arrive at Station with their water bottles filled, and will be instructed to take every opportunity to keep same filled at Railway Stations during the journey.

13. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

R.T.Os. GLEN INNES, TENTERFIELD and WARRICO will issue rail warrants for respective personnel to ASCOT. R.T.O. WALLANGARRA will issue meal requisitions WALLANGARRA and TOOWOOMBA. R.T.O. ASCOT will issue rail warrants for all Serials, ASCOT to TOWNSVILLE and meal requisitions as per time table.

14. SECURITY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Care must be taken by all concerned to preserve secrecy regarding destination, dates and times of movement. Particulars of unit and destination must not be chalked on Railway carriages.

Officers commanding troop trains or bodies of troops on ordinary passenger trains are to be instructed that the troops under their command are not to send telegrams or letters, and are not to make telephone calls whilst travelling to their destination.

Acknowledgement is requested.

A. H. Cunningham Maj
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G. (M).

DISTRIBUTION

1/4	First Aust Army	
5	L.H.Q. (Movement)	AIRMAIL
6	Adv. L.H.Q.	
7/8	Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q. (Movement)	
9/12	H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area	
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	O.C. No.1 Aust Corps Tpt Col, GROVELY	S.D.R.
21	O.C. Details 2/102 Aust Gen Tpt Coy, C/o No.1 Aust Corps	
	Tpt Col, GROVELY	S.D.R.
22	Capt. COLE, Ordnance, GAYTHORNE	"
23	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	"
24	Embarkation Issue Depot, ASCOT	"
25	1 Aust Pers Staging Camp, YERONGPILLY	"
26	O.C. "X" List and Gen Reinf'ts, C/o R.T.O. ASCOT	
27	R.T.O. ASCOT, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
28	" ROCKHAMPTON	AIRMAIL
29	" MACKAY	"
30	" TOWNSVILLE	"
31	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE	"
32	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE	"
33	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F., TOWNSVILLE	"
34	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK)	S.D.R.
35/36	War Diary	
37/38	File	

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1. 1.1.1.1. On 29 Nov. natives reports indicated that some Japanese are quartered at 12000 and also in a palm plantation two miles to the west of that village. At 13000 1 Dec. Allied A/C strafed the 12000 (12000). 15-16 medium bombers (including 5 observed burning, are considered to have been damaged and 1-2 aeroplanes were downed. Fuel dump was set on fire and a column of smoke 500' high was observed for 50 miles. An Allied warship, which was attached at 12000 (12000) was reported downed.
2. 1.1.1.2. - 1.1.1.2. At 12000 on 1 Dec. 1 enemy A/C was over 12000 in flying from east to west.

New Guinea: 1.1.1.2.1. At 12000 on 1 Dec. 10 aeroplanes were observed on the 12000. At 12000 1 enemy plane was reported downed.

Buna Area: On 1 Dec. examination of air photos. revealed that the battle area was cleared and the greatest enemy activity was observed in the narrow wooded section which joins the main runway on the north and extends around the S.E. end of the main runway between the two strips. During the late afternoon 1 Dec. Allied forces attacked north along the 12000-12000 road from a position 500 yds. south of the road junction (500 yds. west of the western end of the new strip), in conjunction with Allied forces which were attacking east along the S. end of the new strip approx. 400 yds. from the road. Other portions of our forces were advancing east along the northern end of the new strip and were held up 500 yds. east of the 12000-12000 road whilst others of our forces on the immediate right were attacking towards the north west. Some Allied forces had reached the south edge of 12000. Patrols operating across the entrance to the Creek.

Gona Area: On 1 Dec. Allied forces advancing from the south passed through 12000 and were then held up by 12000 fire from the S. and N.E. On 2 Dec. Allied patrols were active but there was only slight enemy activity. Seventy natives were captured and 50 Japanese troops buried by our forces between one and two miles east of the 12000. Enemy activity was observed on 12000 1 Dec.

Air Operations: Between 12000 and 12000 on 1 Dec. Allied A/C made four attacks on enemy installations in the Buna area. Bombs fell in the target area, fires were started and a 12000 post at 12000 was silenced. 15 enemy A/C believed to be fighters were observed airborne 10 miles S.E. of 12000 and large fires were seen burning between the north end of the strip and 12000. At 12000 Allied A/C attacked the area between 12000 and 12000. Fires were observed burning over the entire area. Between 12000 and 12000 1 Dec. Allied A/C made eight attacks on four enemy destroyers approaching 12000. A direct hit was obtained on one destroyer and near misses on others and explosions were observed. Our A/C were twice intercepted by a force of probably 20 aeroplanes. Six enemy fighters were shot down for certain and 3 others probably. The crews of some of the Allied A/C report that one of the vessels was an A/C Carrier. These vessels were last sighted heading north from 12000 but there is nothing to indicate that a landing or embarkation had taken place in the 12000 area. At 12000 1 Dec. Allied A/C attacked some small enemy boats in the 12000 area. Two empty barges were destroyed and the 12000 wreck was strafed. Two other barges each carrying 20 Japanese were sunk two or three miles S.W. of the 12000 wreck.

Solomons: On the morning of 29 Nov. 12 enemy barges arrived at TULOVILLE Is. (12000 12000 - 12000 12000) but no Japanese were observed on the island. At 12000 on 1 Dec. enemy troops were reported to be in the vicinity of 12000 (12000 12000).

3. 1.1.1.3. - 1.1.1.3. Timor: At 12000 1 Dec. 1 small merchant vessel arrived at 12000 from the west and at 12000 2 Dec. 1 cruiser arrived from the north.
- New Britain: At 12000 1 Dec. 1/1000 ton cargo vessel and 1 escort vessel were observed 70 miles N.W. of 12000 (12000 12000) on a coast.
- Solomons: At 12000 1 Dec. 9 destroyers, 1 sloop, 2 tankers & 5 cargo vessels were sighted in the 12000 12000.

H.M. 12000 L. of C. Area - 0930 hours - 12000 (12000)

DISTRICT: 1. C. 12000 2. C. 12000 3. C. 12000 4. C. 12000 5. C. 12000 6. C. 12000 7. C. 12000 8. C. 12000 9. C. 12000 10. C. 12000

APPX 12

JA/MRP (4/12) IMMEDIATE

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002071

4 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF DETAILS AUST PROVOST CORPS
TO N.G.A.R.D. SELLHEIM

Reference Landops Q.M.362 dated 1 Dec 42, personnel of the above will move to SELLHEIM on Saturday, 5 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

50 all ranks.

3. ARRIVAL SOUTH BRISBANE:

Personnel will arrive at SOUTH BRISBANE at 1617 hrs 4 Dec 42, and as arranged by H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area, will be conveyed by M.T. to ASCOT Staging Camp, when O.C. Draft will immediately report to the Adjutant, ASCOT Camp Headquarters, for further instructions.

4. ON MOVEMENT FROM ASCOT:

Personnel will be at ASCOT Siding at 0030 hrs 5 Dec 42, ready to entrain, and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs ASCOT 0130 hrs Saturday, 5 Dec 42.

5. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

Rail warrants and meal requisitions will be issued as required by R.T.O. ASCOT.

Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

6. ARRIVAL TOWNSVILLE:

On movement to SELLHEIM as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

7. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

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"No member of the Military Forces, when in uniform, shall carry, or cause to be carried, on to any train on which he is about to travel, or have in his possession or control, or consume whilst travelling in any train, any intoxicating liquor, unless it be supplied to him as part of a normal service available in a dining car."

9. WATER BOTTLES:

Personnel are to arrive at Station with their water bottles filled, and will be instructed to take every opportunity to keep same filled at Railway Stations during the journey.

10. SECRECY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

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Acknowledgement is requested.

W.H. Huntington
A.Q.M.G. (1)

DISTRIBUTION

1/4	First Aust Army	
5	L.H.Q. (Movement)	AIRMAIL
6	Adv. L.H.Q.	
7/8	Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q. (Movement)	
9/12	H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area	
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
21	Embarkation Issue Depot, ASCOT	
22	A.P.N. (for information)	
23	O.C. Details Aust Provost Corps, C/o R.T.O. SOUTH BRISBANE	
24	R.T.O. SOUTH BRISBANE	S.D.R.
25	" ASCOT, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
26	" ROCKHAMPTON	AIRMAIL
27	" MACKAY	"
28	" TOWNSVILLE	"
29	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE	"
30	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE	"
31	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp, TOWNSVILLE	"
32	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK)	S.D.R.
33/34	War Diary	
35/36	File	

at the LORNGAY AIRCRAFT which appeared to be unused. No activity was observed at GANOGA ISLAND (approx 50 miles N.W. of LORNGAY ISLAND - NEW BRITAIN)

2. SOLOMONS: At 0900Z on 2 Dec. 50 Japanese were camped at TUNINGIRU (2 miles N.E. SUIN) & natives report that the enemy intends to instal A/A guns in this area.
3. ENEMY MIGHTINGA: New Ireland: On 2 Dec 1 seaplane tender 1/3000 ton and 3/7000 ton cargo vessels were in the vicinity of N. VINEY.
- Solomons: At 0945Z 2 Dec. 1 submarine was reported 45 miles N. by U. LUNGA POINT (GANOGA ISLAND). At 0900Z 3 Dec. 3 cruisers, 7 destroyers, 1 sloop, 3 submarines, 1 gunboat 2 tankers, and five cargo vessels were in the N. of SAISI ISLAND. One submarine was 53 miles N. by N. GUNPOINT 5 N. course South and 0945Z 1 submarine 12 miles N. by N. ACIA BAY (GULF OF TONGA).

N. of Land L. of C. Area - 0930 Hours - 5 Dec. 42. (L.P.M.)

DISTRIBUTION:

1. G.S.O.1
2. G.S.O.1 #1
3. War Diary
4. do do

5. S.O. (I) Navy
6. S-2 Base Section 3 JORDON ISLAND
7. H. C. 2 Aust Ry. A/A Regt.
8. C.S.R.

JA/MR (5/12) IMMEDIATE

SECRET

M.C.G. 56/1/17
M.C.O. 530

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE

No002093

5 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF ALLIED FORCES
U.S.A.S.O.S. 387 PORT BATT (TRANS)
BRISBANE TO TOWNSVILLE

Reference Movement Order No 82 of the 26 Nov 42,
Base Section 3. The above Unit will move to TOWNSVILLE on
Sunday 6 Nov 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

Personnel	4 Officers 373 Enlisted Men
Organizational Equipment	82 Tons
Personnel Baggage	9½ Tons
Rations	11½ Tons

3. LOADING:

Loading of Organizational Equipment, Baggage and Rations.
The Baggage van will be placed at No 3 Road Roma Street 1400 hrs
Saturday 5 Dec 42, into which Equipment, Baggage etc will be loaded,
loading to be completed by 1830 hrs.

Loading to be under the direction of W.O. 11 S.E. CLEALL,
A.I.F.

4. ENTRAINMENT:

Personnel will be entrained by U.S. Officer under the
direction of the R.T.O. on two special trains as follows:-

Train No 1. Conveys 2 Officers, 273 Enlisted Men and
20 Tons approximately Stores and Equipment.

Time Table. Personnel will be at Roma Street ready to
entrain at 1250 hrs.

Train departs Roma Street at 1320 hrs Sunday, 6 Dec 42.

GRIPPE Dinner
ROCKHAMPTON Breakfast
ST LAWRENCE Lunch
MACKAY Dinner

E.T.A. TOWNSVILLE 0300 hrs. 8 Dec, 42.

Train No 2. Conveys 2 Officers, 100 Enlisted Men and
80 Tons approximately Stores and Equipment.

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Time Table. Personnel will be at Roma Street ready to entrain at 1350 hrs.

Train departs Roma Street 1430 hrs Sunday 6 Dec 42.

GYMPIE	Dinner
ROCKHAMPTON	Breakfast
ST LAWRENCE	Lunch
MACKAY	Dinner

E.T.A. TOWNSVILLE 0630 hrs. 8 Dec 42.

5. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

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Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.C. (A).

DISTRIBUTION

1/4 First Aust Army
5/8 U.S. H.Q. (Col. DIETZ) S.D.R.
9/10 L.H.Q. (Movement) AIRMAIL 1 for U.S. H.Q.
11 Adv. L.H.Q.
12/13 Lt.-Col GRANT C/- Adv. L.H.Q. (Movement)
14/17 H.Q., Q'land L. of C. Area
18/23 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
24 2 L of C Sub-Area
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26 " ROMA STREET S.D.R.
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37/38 File

BSV/MRP

M.C.G. 51/2/1

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. 3 Aust Movt Control Grp,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002104

5 Dec 42

Serial No.8
Nos. 49 to 55

ROUTINE ORDER - PART I

by

Lt.-Col. G.A. STUBBS
Comd., 3 Aust Movt Control Grp

SECURITY OF
INFORMATION
G.R.O. G.561
20/11/42.

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MECHANISED
VEHICLES.
M.B.T. NO.
Q134 15/11/40.

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54. (contd.):

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50. 3. (contd.):

or stop as the case may be he is guilty of negligence. Similar provisions apply where the driver's limit of vision is curtailed by dust, fog, rain or any other agent.

4. O.Cs. mechanised units are to bring these provisions under the notice of all drivers of Army vehicles.

HOME LEAVE
SENIOR OFFI-
CERS. LHQ/
A.64671
24/11/42.

51. 1. When it is found necessary for efficiency reasons to reduce the period of absence of Officers on leave, Senior Comds., Staff Officers and Officers of Field Rank may be permitted to travel by ordinary passenger trains.

2. Such permission may be granted by Corps Comd, and if no Corps Comd, by Div Comd.

3. Instances in which permission may be granted will be kept to the minimum consistent with efficiency.

4. Sleeping accommodation, if required, and available, will be at the personal expense of the Officer concerned.

ISSUE OF RAIL
WARRANTS ON
ACCOUNT OF
OTHER ADMIN-
ISTRATIONS.
MCG.57/2/450.

52. A complaint has been received from the District Finance Office that Railway Passenger and Freight Warrants issued on account of other Administrations are being incorrectly debited by the Railway Department, owing to insufficient or inconspicuous notation on the Warrant, relating to charging.

The attention of all Ranks is directed to the fact that Warrants issued on behalf of U.S.A.S.O.S. or R.A.A.F. are to be marked prominently, "Charge U.S.A.S.O.S." or "Charge R.A.A.F.", as the case may be.

PROVISION OF
AMBULANCE
TRAINS BY AUST.
RAILWAY SYS-
TEMS. LHQ144596
17/11/42 AND
154724 3/12/42.
MCG.57/4/49.

53. 1. In connection with the application of charges for the operation and maintenance of Ambulance Trains provided by the Queensland Railway Department, it is advised that the Minister has approved of an inclusive charge per annum applying, subject to such payment being inclusive of fares for patients and other Military personnel on the trains.

2. Your attention is directed to the fact that fares are NOT, therefore, payable by Army.

3. This direction applies, also, when single fares, forming part of the Ambulance Train, are conveyed by ordinary passenger train.

4. In all such cases, fares for Military personnel and patients travelling in the Car shall NOT be a charge against the Department of Defence.

5. This arrangement operates from 13th November, 1942.

UNUSED RAIL
TICKETS FOR
WHICH CREDIT
IS REQUIRED
FROM RAILWAY
DEPARTMENT:

54. 1. Considerable difficulty is being experienced, and loss of time entailed over correspondence with the D.F.O. and Railway Department regarding application for credit on account of unused Railway tickets.

2. This position arises through insufficient information being furnished by R.T.Os. when returning the tickets.

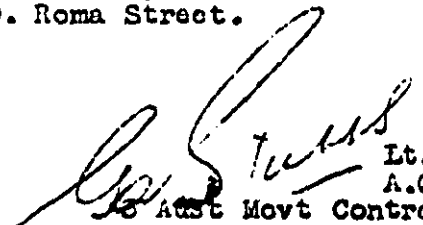
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DISPATCH 325. 123 to 3601. 6 DEC -42
(SECRET)

1. H.M.I. On 23 Nov. it was estimated that the enemy strength in Portuguese Timor totalled 7000. It was also reported that there were 2000 enemy at D. U. I., 500 enemy at . . . , 1000 enemy at . . . and 500 enemy at
A strong enemy drive is anticipated against Allied forces in the near future. On 3 Dec. 3 enemy landing craft arrived at Dili from the east, and there were 13 planes and 5 bombers on the Dili field. At 0630L on 4 Dec. 1 small enemy transport ship arrived at Dili.
2. New Guinea: New Britain: Port Moresby: At 0035L on 3 Dec. 1 enemy A/C was reported over Port Moresby.
New Guinea: New Guinea: On 3 Dec. it was reported that 14 Japanese patrols were in . . . and . . . recruiting all native available native carriers.
New Guinea: New Guinea: During the night 3/4 Dec. our army . . . and . . . along the . . . track. At 0700L Allied patrols advancing on . . . from the direction of . . . one entered enemy fire 1000 yards N. of . . . and during the afternoon Allied patrols inflicted 20 casualties on the enemy at the mouth of the . . . river.
Air Operations: At 0115L on 3 Dec. the 0401 A/C bombed and strafed enemy positions in the vicinity of Bombs fell in the target area and fires were started.
New Britain: On 4 Dec. a native report indicated that the enemy were in occupation of a plantation in the vicinity of
New Ireland: At 1751L on 3 Dec. Allied A/C attacked the Bombs fell in the target area and fires were started.
Solomons: At 1400 on 30 Nov. Allied patrols in pursuit of an enemy party On 1 Dec. 1 A/C (0401 A/C) contacted 13 Japanese at 0124G (1000 G. I.). One of the enemy were killed and one captured, the remaining three escaped. On 2 Dec. a large number of Japanese occupied all villages in the (Const New Georgia) and have constructed trenches at all bases. On 3 Dec. natives reported that the enemy is preparing to enlarge the main runway at the
3. NEW BRITAIN: New Britain: At 0200L 1 probable A/C carrier, 1 seaplane tender, 1/1000 ton transport, 2 large vessels, 2 small cargo vessels and 17/22 U/I vessels were in
Solomons: At 0100L on 4 Dec. an unspecified number of submarines with a covering of A/C were off (0300 L.S. time). At 0015L on 5 Dec. 20 vessels were in the At 0100L 2 cruisers, 2 destroyers, and 1 transport arrived off from the direction of
NEW BRITAIN: New Britain: At 0000L 1 submarine was off (10 miles east of - 0100 L.S. time).
South Pacific: At 0035L on 5 Dec. 1 submarine was reported 307 miles N.E. of (0100 L.S. time) course N. by

L. of - 1000 L.S. time - 7000 L.S. (0100L)

DISPATCH: 1. C.I.C. 1
2. G. C. 1
3. War Office
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SCALE 1511.REINFORCEMENTS FOR NEW GUINEA AND TROPICAL AREAS NORTH OF AUSTRALIA.

Clothing, Arms and Equipment, in accordance with the scale laid down herein, will be carried by reinforcements moving to New Guinea and tropical areas NORTH of Australia.

All Ordnance Stores, held on charge by such personnel, and which are in excess of this scale, e.g.:-

Greatcoats.
Service Dress.
Caps, F.S.
Jumpers & Trousers (W.D.)
Singlets, woollen.
Drawers, woollen.
Shirts, flannel.

will be returned to Ordnance immediately upon receipt of Warning or Movement Order.

Personal belongings will be placed in Kit Bags which will be made secure, labelled and sent to Kit Stores. Equipment Label attached to each Bag will state Rank, Number and Unit. (K.S. 4 will be used).

Officers and Non Commissioned Officers in charge of drafts will ensure that all troops are instructed as to the absolute necessity to conserve both Dehydrated Emergency and Bivouac ("Iron") Rations. The seal of the Dehydrated Emergency Ration Tin will NOT be broken nor will the Bivouac ("Iron") Ration be tampered with in any way.

Issued by H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area, 4 Dec 42.

A. W. Fleming
Lt.-Col.,

G.S., H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area.

Distribution:-

H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area Trg. Depots	(50)	3 Aust. Movement	
1 Aust. Hy. Trg. Bty.	(10)	Control Group	(10)
1 Aust. A.A. Trg. Regt.	(10)	2/1 Aust. Mov. &	
H.G. Force A.R.D.	(10)	Tn. Gp. (A.I.F.)	(10)
1 Aust. Pers. Staging Camp	(20)		
Ascot Staging Camp	(20)	<u>Copies for information:</u>	
Embarkation Issue Depot	(50)	First Aust. Army	(5)
No. 1 (N. Q'land.) L. of C. Sub-Area	(5)	Adv. L.H.Q.	(5)
No. 2 (S. Q'land.) L. of C. Sub-Area	(5)	H.Q., M.S.W. L. of	
Q'land. L. of C. Area Records Office	(5)	C. Area	(5)
Col. i/c Adm.	(1)	H.Q., Victoria L.	
A.Q.A.G.	(50)	of C. Area	(5)
A.A.G.	(5)		
G.S.O.	(10)		
War Diary	(2)		
File	(1)		

1. (a) On the Man.

Knife & Lanyard (1)
 Identity Discs (2)
 Pay Book (1)
 Field Dressing (hip-pocket
 of trousers) (1)

(b) Dress.

Pullover (if ordered) (1)
 Socks, Prs. (1)
 Shirt, Green Drill (1)
 Trousers, Green Drill (1)
 Boots, A.B. Universal,
 with laces, Prs. (2)
 Gaiters "American" (pre-
 embarkation issue) Prs. (1)
 or Anklets, Web, Prs. (1)
 Singlet, cotton, athletic (1)
 Drawers, cotton, short (1)
 Hat, Khaki, fur (1)
 Strap, Chin, leather, brown (1)
 Band, Hat, Khaki (1)
 Badge, Hat, C'wealth C.O. (1)

(c) Equipment.

Rifle (1)
 Pullthrough (1)
 Bottle, Oil (filled) (1)
 Flannelette 4 x 2 (two pieces) (1)
 Sling, Rifle, Web (1)
 Bayonet (1)
 Scabbard, bayonet (1)
 Frog, bayonet (1)
 Bottle, Water (1)
 Carrier, Bottle, Water (1)
 Belt, Waist, W.E. Patt. '37 (1)
 Braces, W.E. Patt. '37 Left (1)
 " " " " Right (1)
 Haversack, W.E. Patt. '37 (1)
 Pack (1)
 Pouches, Basic W.E. Patt. '37 (2)
 Straps, Web, Supporting (2)
 Strap, Shoulder Haversack
 W.E. Patt. '37 Left (1)
 Strap, Shoulder Haversack
 W.E. Patt. '37 Right (1)

(d) Amn.

S.F.A. .303 Rds. 50.

N.B. Web eqpt. shown is only a
 guide but should be carried in
 accordance with W.E.T. of Unit.

2. In Haversack.

Tin, Mess (in cover) (1)
 Knife, Fork, Spoon (1 each)
 Rations, Emerg. Dehyd. (Not to
 be eaten until authorised) (2)
 Unexpended portion of day's
 rations. (1)
 Towel (1)

2. In Haversack (Cont.)

Pullover (if not worn) (1)
 Socks, Prs. (2)
 Holdall (1)
 Shaving gear (soap, piece 1;
 razor, safety with one blade;
 brush, shaving.)
 Personal Gear (Brush, hair;
 comb; brush, tooth.)
 Sheet, Ground Mk. VIII (Put in
 last)
 Outfit Individ. Sterilizing (2) (a)
 Cooker, Crown }
 Ring } If specially
 Alcohol Solid- } authorised.
 ified, Tins 1 }
 (a)
 Anti-mosquito Cream, Tins (1) (a)

3. In Pack.

Helmet, Steel (attached) (1)
 Blanket (under flap) (1)
 Tent, Mosquito & sandfly proof
 (Wrapped in Blanket) (1)
 Shirts, Green Drill (2)
 Trousers, Green Drill, Prs. (2)
 Boots, (A.B. Universal and
 Laces), Prs. (1)
 Towel (1)
 Housewife (1)
 Rations ("Iron") Bivouac. (Not
 to be eaten until authorised)
 (a)
 Alcohol solidified, Tins (1)
 (If specially authorised) (a)
 Singlets, cotton, athletic (2)
 Drawers, cotton, short (2)
 Cape, Gas (1) (Carried on back-
 above pack, vide P am. 1.,
 Protection against Gas & Air
 Raids, Appendix "B").
 Boots, canvas, special (Inf.
 Units only), Prs. (1) (b)

4. Haversack, Respirator.

Outfit Anti-gas (1)
 Eyeshields A. Gas (6)
 Ointment, Anti-gas (1)
 Disc, Identity (1)
 Respirator (facepiece, con-
 necting tube and container).

Additionally.

1 Blanket per man, carried in
 bulk.

NOTE:

- (a) Pre-embarkation issue.
 (b) When stocks permit.

JA/MRP (7/12) IMMEDIATE

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M.C.G. 56/1/335
M.C.O. 531

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002118

7 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF VEHICLES 16, 17 & 18 SECS
AUST IND SIG GRP TO TOWNSVILLE

Reference Q.M.66819 dated 29 Nov 42, vehicles of the above will move to TOWNSVILLE on Tuesday, 8 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. VEHICLES - 13 3-tonners
8 15-cwts
1 30-cwt
6 M/Cycles

PERSONNEL - 6 O.Rs.

3. LOADING OF VEHICLES:

Loading of vehicles will commence at EXHIBITION Siding at 0830 hrs 8 Dec 42, and will be completed by 1200 hrs.

Train departs 1415 hrs Tuesday, 8 Dec 42.

Loading will be under the direction of W.O.II S.E. CLEALL.

4. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

Rail warrants and meal requisitions will be issued by R.T.O. ASCOT. Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

5. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

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Troops must not travel on tops of hoods of motor vehicles whilst in transit by rail. Water jibs, telephone wires, overhead bridges etc. are liable to cause damage to personnel so travelling.

6. SECRECY:

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Acknowledgement is requested.

P. H. Cunningham
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G.(M).

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1/4 First Aust Army
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13/18 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
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20 Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance
21 Adv. L.H.Q. Sigs S.D.R.
22 R.T.O. ASCOT, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
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24 " MACKAY
25 " TOWNSVILLE
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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
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No.002119

7 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF 2/14 A.G.H. TO TOWNSVILLE

Reference Landops A.557 dated 6 Dec 42,
the above Unit will move to TOWNSVILLE on Monday, 7 Dec 42, in
accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. Personnel - 8 Offs
111 O.Rs.

Equipment - 155 tons.

3. LOADING OF EQUIPMENT:

Trucks will be placed at CLAPHAM Junction at 1100 hrs
7 Dec 42, into which equipment will be loaded, loading to be
completed by 2130 hrs.

Loading will be under the direction of the R.T.O.

4. ENTRAINMENT:

Personnel will be at CLAPHAM Junction at 2200 hrs 7 Dec 42,
ready to entrain, and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs CLAPHAM 2230 hrs Monday, 7 Dec 42.

5. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

Rail warrants and meal requisitions will be issued by
R.T.O.

Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment
Rooms.

6. TIME TABLE:

Time table will be handed to O.C. Train, prior to
departure.

7. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

O.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no
account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude
from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

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8. CONDUCT OF TROOPS:

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The attention of O.C. Draft is also drawn to the following Military Board Instruction A.103, which must be promulgated to all ranks:-

"No member of the Military Forces, when in uniform, shall carry, or cause to be carried, on to any train on which he is about to travel, or have in his possession or control, or consume whilst travelling in any train, any intoxicating liquor, unless it be supplied to him as part of a normal service available in a dining car."

9. WATER BOTTLES:

Personnel are to arrive at Station with their water bottles filled, and will be instructed to take every opportunity to keep same filled at Railway Stations during the journey.

10. SECRECY:

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Acknowledgement is requested.

P. H. Harrington May
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G. (M).

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9/12	H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area	
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance	
21	C.O. 2/14 A.G.H., C/o 1 Aust Pers Staging Camp	S.D.P.
22	1 Aust Pers Staging Camp, YERONGPILLY	"
23	O.C. Train, C/o R.T.O. CLAPHAM	"
24	R.T.O. CLAPHAM	"
25	" ROCHAMPTON	
26	" MACKAY	AIRMAIL
27	" TOWNSVILLE	"
28	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE	"
29	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE	"
30	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp, TOWNSVILLE	"
31	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK)	S.D.R.
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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

No. 002123

7 Dec 42

Reference Landops Q.M.380 dated 7 Dec 42, the above unit will move to TOWNSVILLE on Tuesday, 8 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

- ### 3. LOADING OF STORES:

4. ENTRAINMENT :

5. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

Rooms. Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment

- Reception and staging as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt &
Tpt Grp A.I.F.

- Os.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

- Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Wilmington
for Lt.-Col.,
A.C.M.G. (M).

M.C.G. 56/1/304
M.C.O. 534

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DISTRIBUTION

1/4	First Aust Army	
5	L.H.Q. (Movement)	AIRMAIL
6	Adv. L.H.Q.	
7/8	Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q. (Movement)	
9/12	H.Q., Q'land, L. of C. Area	
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance	
21	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
22	Embarkation Issue Depot	"
23	Capt. ELSON, N.G. Records, ASCOT	"
24	R.T.O. ROMA STREET	"
25	" ROCKHAMPTON	AIRMAIL
26	" MACKAY	"
27	" TOWNSVILLE	"
28	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE	"
29	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE	"
30	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp, TOWNSVILLE	"
31	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK)	S.D.R.
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H.Q. Movement Control,
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No.002124

7 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF DETAILS 2/1 AUST SIG PARK SEC
TO DESTINATIONS

Reference A89/4/42, H.Q. 2/1 Aust Sig Park Sec, dated 5 Dec 42, the above Details will move to destinations on Tuesday, 8 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. Serial 1 - to No.3 Sub-Depot 3 A.O.D., WALLANGARRA

N. 286851	Sig. BROKENSHIRE	J.W. (In charge of Draft)
VX.110626	" MULLER	L.A.

Serial 2 - to Camp S.O. MUSWELLBROOK

V. 146445	Cpl. DIXON	L.S. (In charge of Draft)
NX. 9269	Sig. HILL	N.S.
N. 318728	" CAIN	
N. 226183	" JOHNSON	A.C.
NX.110624	" BAXTER	S.

Serial 3 - to No.3 Sub-Depot 1 B.O.D. ALBURY

N. 372520	Sig. ROBINSON	J.C. (In charge of Draft)
VX. 85623	" CAREY	R.
V. 72241	" LANG	L.G.
V. 165662	" HOBBS	C.R.
V. 143338	" MARSH	L.W.

3. SERIALS 1 AND 2:

Serials 1 and 2 will report to R.T.O. ROMA STREET at 0730 hrs 8 Dec 42.

Train departs 0805 hrs Tuesday, 8 Dec 42.

4. SERIAL 3:

Serial 3 will report to R.T.O. SOUTH BRISBANE at 1030 hrs and will depart on Second Division, SYDNEY Mail, at 1150 hrs Tuesday, 8 Dec 42.

5. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

R.T.O. ROMA STREET will issue rail warrants and meal requisitions for Serials 1 and 2, R.T.O. SOUTH BRISBANE for Serial 3.

Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

6. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

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7. SECRECY:

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Acknowledgement is requested.

P. H. Sherrington May
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19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance	
21	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
22/24	Draft Conducting N.C.Os., C/o Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
25	R.T.O. ROMA STREET	S.D.R.
26	" SOUTH BRISBANE	"
27	" SYDNEY	AIRMAIL
28	" ALBURY	"
29	1 Aust Movt Control Grp	"
30	N.S.W. L. of C. Area	"
31	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK)	S.D.R.
32/33	War Diary	
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6 SEC. H.Q. RIPOD - RAISING OF.

Under instructions L.H.Q. A70045 of 5 Dec 42, the above Unit will be raised forthwith and D.D.S.T. will please take action accordingly.

2. W.E. IV/59/2 1 offr. 28 O/Rs.

3. Personnel will be provided by withdrawal from 2/1 Aust. Petrol Depot Type 'A' and will not be replaced.

4. The personnel will be held available for early onward movement under instructions from Adv. L.H.Q.

5. The A.A.G. will be advised when the above instructions have been implemented.

6. Acknowledge.

E. J. ...

for A.A.G. H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area. Capt.

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BASE SUPPLY DEPOT TYPE C FOR E.G. FORCE -
BRISBANE OP.

Under instructions from L.H.Q. A70046 of 5 Dec 42, it is advised that the above Unit will be raised forthwith and D.D.S. & T will please take action accordingly.

2. H.L. IV/442/1 7 Offrs 5 O/R Total 53.

3. The following personnel will be provided by withdrawal from 2/1 Base Supply Depot -

Capt. 1	W.O.I 1	O/Rs	Cooks 2	Batman 1
Lieuts 2	S/sgts 5		Clerks 5	Issuers 2
				Drivers 3

4. The G'land. Quota, as above, will be concentrated in Brisbane Area for onward movement with L.A. Quota (4 Offrs 25 O/Rs) upon its arrival in that area, under instructions from Adv. L.H.Q.

5. The A.A.G. will be advised when the above instructions are implemented.

6. Acknowledge.

E. J. ...
 for A.A.G. H.L., G'land. I. of C. Area. Capt.

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DATE NO.....

TO: J. C. L. M. . . V. I. P. 129 to 00012 - 7 Dec 42

(SECRET)

1. 12 Dec 42: At 0607. 4 Dec. the first enemy air attacks were made on 000001. Nine bombs fell in the area, but there was only slight damage.
2. 12 Dec 42: At 0607. 4 Dec. 1 small enemy ship arrived at 000001. According to an unconfirmed report on 5 Dec. Japanese troops came from V1 02 02 to 02 03. At 0611 the enemy ship at 02. 1 was pulled down and 10 truck loads of Japanese left in an easterly direction. At 0607. 4 Dec. enemy A/C unsuccessfully attacked an allied vessel in the 02 02 area.

3. 12 Dec 42: - Low Britain - 12 Dec. and 13 Dec. On 1 Dec. the enemy was using the "Grecian" (1000 ft) (10 miles N. N.W.). Many A/C were seen and heard going to and from that area. Between 0600 and 0630. 4 Dec. at least 8 heavy bombers and 23 fighter A/C were in the vicinity of the 12 Dec 42.

12 Dec 42: At 0600 on 5 Dec. our attack in the vicinity of the new strip was continuing in the face of enemy A/C. and sniper fires covering, barricade defences erected in depth along the coast. Our other force attacking 02 02 Villages was partially successful. Some elements were reported to be in the village and others on the coast to the east of 000001. Allied arty. was maintaining harassing fire between 000001 and 000001. 12 Dec.

Gona (Samantha) Port: On 1 Dec. our attack on 02 02 from the south was continuing. On 5 Dec. during the morning portions of our forces attacked an enemy position. 02 02 and gained some ground. Native carriers who escaped from the area reported that enemy reinforcements have been landed by submarines.

Air Operations: At 0115 on 5 Dec. 12 enemy bombers escorted by 16 fighters bombed the 000001 area, but no damage was caused. At 0605 10 enemy bombers escorted by fighters bombed the vicinity of 02 02 and 02 03. At 0625 a enemy A/C attacked two trawlers in the vicinity of 000001 and 02 03, and at 0725 attacked 1 ship in the vicinity of the north end of 02 03. No details of these attacks are available.

Low Britain: At 1815. 5 Dec. allied A/C attacked the 12 Dec 42. Bombs fell in the target area but results were unobserved.

4. 12 Dec 42: At 0930. 5 Dec. 1 small ship two miles N.W. of 000001, course S.E.

Low Britain: Analysis of photos. taken on 5 Dec. reveals three heavy and four light cruisers, 5 destroyer, 1 mine layer, 2 patrol craft, 2 U/I vessels and 12 merchant vessels in the 02 02 area. Three to four and 49 other A/C on the 12 Dec 42, 20 serviceable and damaged bombers, and 2 fighter A/C on the 000001 at 12 Dec 42 flying boats on 000001 beach, and five floatplanes at 000001.

Solocons: At 0200 on 5 Dec. there were 17 vessels in the 02 02 area.

2. 1. 1. 1. of 02 02 area - 000001 hours - 5 Dec. 1942. (L.F. 12)

DISTRIBUTION:

1. C. I. C. 1	8. C. I. (I) Navy
2. C. I. C. 1 "I"	9. 1-8 Base Section 12 Dec 42
3. War Diary	7. A. I. 8 East By. A/C Regt.
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No. 002150

8 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF 7 AUST ARMD REGT TO GYMPIE

Reference L.M.Q. Q.M. 89760 dated 4 Dec 42 and 1 Aust Movt Control Grp M.O. 308, the above Unit will move to GYMPIE on Wednesday, 9 Dec 42 and Thursday, 10 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. Units will arrive in two special trains -

Train No. 1 - Serial 1

<u>Personnel</u>	-	180 all ranks
<u>M.T.</u>	-	2 Cars D.S. 7 3-ton lorries 2 30-cwt. vans 19 15-cwt. vans
<u>M.T. Stores</u>	-	24 tons.

Train No. 2 - Serial 2

<u>Personnel</u>	-	225 all ranks
<u>M.T.</u>	-	8 3-ton lorries 7 15-cwt vans.

3. SERIAL 1:

Serial 1 will arrive CLAPHAM at 1358 hrs Wednesday, 9 Dec 42, when M.T. and stores will be immediately off-loaded and, with the exception of 7 15-cwt vans, 1 M.C.O. and 8 Drivers, will proceed in road convey to EXHIBITION Siding.

Guides and M.T. for stores etc. as arranged by H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area.

Personnel and 7 vans mentioned above will stage at YERONGPILLY Staging Camp pending arrival of Train No. 2.

On movement from EXHIBITION - Loading of vehicles and stores will commence at EXHIBITION Siding at 1830 hrs 9 Dec 42, and will be completed by 2230 hrs.

Train departs 2359 hrs Wednesday, 9 Dec 42.

4. SERIAL 2.

Serial 2 will arrive CLAPHAM at 1245 hrs Thursday, 10 Dec 42, when vehicles will be immediately off-loaded and will be joined at CLAPHAM by personnel and 7 15-seater vans of Serial 1, and will then proceed in road convoy to EXHIBITION Siding.

M.T. for stores and surplus personnel as arranged by H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area.

On movement from EXHIBITION - Loading of vehicles will commence at EXHIBITION Siding at 1630 hrs 10 Dec 42, and will be completed by 2250 hrs.

Train departs 2359 hrs Thursday, 10 Dec 42.

5. OFF-LOADING:

Off-loading at CLAPHAM will be under the direction of the R.T.O. CLAPHAM. Loading at EXHIBITION Siding, under the direction of W.C. II S.E. Cleall, A.I.F.

6. MEALING ARRANGEMENTS:

As arranged by H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area. 1 Aust Staging Camp will supply both Serials with meals at EXHIBITION Siding at 1300 hrs each day.

7. RAIL WARRANTS AND CONSIGNMENT NOTES:

Rail warrants and consignment notes will be issued by R.T.O. EXHIBITION.

8. ARRIVAL GYMPIE:

Reception GYMPIE as arranged by 1 Aust Motor Bdo.

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P. H. Hermonington
Lt.-Col.,
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21	Lieut. TRITON, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
22	1 Aust Pers Staging Camp, YERONGPILLY S.D.R.
23	1 Aust Motor Bde, GYMPIE
24/25	Os.C. Trains, C/o R.T.O. CLAPHAM S.D.R.
26	R.T.O. CLAPHAM S.D.R.
27	" ROMA STREET (Goods), C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
28	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK) S.D.R.
29/30	War Diary
31/32	File

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L.H.Q. DEPOT OF DENTAL STORES - PERSONNEL FOR
SUB DEPOTS - RAISING OF.

Reference L.H.Q. SM18500 of 28 Sep 42.

Under instructions L.H.Q. SM23301 of 30 Nov 42,
it is advised that SM18500 will be amended as follows and
D.D.M.S. will please take action accordingly.

2. AMEND

FIRST AUSTRALIAN ARMY.

Sub-Depot 1 Offr 1 Sgt 3 Ptes - Total 5 NSW L. of C Area.

to read 1 Offr 1 Sgt 3 Ptes - Total 5 Qld L of C Area.

The personnel for the above Depot, (less the offr) will
be raised by HQ Qld L. of C Area.

AMEND

2 Aust Corps Sub-Depot 1 S/Sgt 2 Ptes-Total 3 NSW L of C Area

to read 1 S/Sgt 2 Ptes-Total 3 Qld L of C Area.

The personnel will be raised as follows:-

Qld L. of C Area. 2 Ptes.

NSW L. of C Area. 1 S/Sgt (S/Sgt H.75209 GLASS, W.L. Aust Mod Vet.
Stores NSW L of C Area.)

3. The above personnel will be concentrated at
Q'land. L. of C. Sub-Depot Dental Store pending forward move to
First Aust Army and 2 Aust. Corps.

4. The A.A.G. will be advised when the concentration
is completed.

5. Acknowledge.


Capt.
for A.A.G. H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area.

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D.A.D. Labour.

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Land. L. of C. Area Accounts Office.

Personnel.

War Diary.

Reference L.H. . 122993 of 25 Nov 42.

Following receipt of information requested in L.H. . telegram 120742 of 5 Nov 42 and contained in this H. . telegram 121793 of 7 Nov 42, it is advised that the 33 personnel mentioned will be transferred to a suitable Amp Coy located near appropriate medical facilities. D.D.N.S. will please make the required transfer in conjunction with D.A.D. Labour.

2. D.D.N.S. will ensure that full and proper arrangements are made for such special medical attention as is required.

3. In the event of any of the units, to which the personnel referred to above are transferred, being moved to another L. of C Area or location, the following instructions will apply:—

- (a) In the case of the unit being transferred to another L. of C Area, the personnel will not move but will be transferred to another suitable Amp Coy within the state in which they are then serving.
- (b) In the case of the unit being transferred to another location where facilities for the continuance of the special medical treatment are not available, the personnel will not move but will be transferred to another suitable Amp Coy where such treatment is available.

4. The . . . will be advised when the above instructions are completed.

5. Acknowledge.

Gallagher
Capt.
For A.A.G. H. . , Land. L. of C. Area.

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A Personnel.
2 War Diary.

1. JURY COY. A.A.G.C. ADDITIONAL PERSONNEL.

Reference L.H.C. M19073 of 6 Oct 42.

It is advised that 62 O/R Medical Class 3 personnel are required for posting to above unit by 31 Dec 42.

2. D.D.S.T. will please take action in conjunction with O'land. L. of C. Area Records Office to raise the following:—

Cooks	2
Privates	60
	<u>62</u>

3. A proportion of the number required will be drafted each week by O'land. L. of C. Area Records Office to H.Q. A.A.G.C. for onward movement, the proportion being subject to number of D.P.1 personnel available.

4. O'land. L. of C. Area Records Office will advise L.H.C. Records Office each week number placed under orders for movement.

5. Attention is drawn to G.S.O. M692/42.

6. Acknowledge.

E. J. [Signature]

Capt.
for A.A.G. H.Q., O'land. L. of C. Area.

DIGEST OF U.S. NAV. INFO. 134 to COMNAV 3 DEC 42
(10-11-42)

1. U.S.I. On 4 Dec. some Allied troops ambushed seven Japanese trucks between WIT and KANTO and 47-30, and inflicted casualties on the enemy. On 5 Dec. there were no Japanese trucks, and according to a Portuguese report 50 trucks filled with enemy troops left there on the night 4/5 Dec for BLAI via NADIA. Some enemy activity is reported at NADIA (not located) and NADIA (Central Minor). On 5/6 Dec. minor casualties were inflicted on the enemy. On 7 Dec. natives reported that the enemy was using the 'Arche' at NADIA.

2. U.S.I. - Darwin: At 0450 7 Dec. 1 enemy A/C was reported over the air in area.
New Guinea - New Guinea Front: At 0340 6 Dec. Allied A/C attacked the 12 'Arche' and bombs fell in the target area. At 0350 7 Dec. Allied A/C strafed enemy A/C at 12-10-42. One fighter and one bomber were definitely destroyed and enemy troops in the vicinity were strafed and casualties inflicted. The 'Arche' was littered with wreckage A/C and considerable activity was observed in the villages east of 12-10.

Java Front: At 0600 on 6 Dec. there was no change in the position in the vicinity of the 12-10. The enemy was reported to be using arms captured from a 12-10-42.
Java (Central) Front: At 0600 7 Dec. our troops attacking along the 12-10-42. In 12-10-42 some round, but enemy A.C. strong posts were still active in the rear of our forward troops. Others of our troops were attacking to clear up this position.

Air Operations: With reference to the Allied vessel attacked north of 12-10-42 (see Digest 326) it is now known that four enemy bombers attacked the vessel. No damage was inflicted and one enemy bomber was shot down. At 2350 6 Dec. Allied A/C bombed the enemy positions near the 12-10-42, but no details are available. At 0001 7 Dec. our A/C bombed and strafed enemy A/C positions at 12-10. Bombs fell in the target area fires were started and A/C guns tempo ally silenced. At 0001 7 Dec. seven enemy dive bombers escorted by 2 zeros attacked the 12-10-42, and at 0100 again attacked the same area. No damage has been reported from either of these attacks. At 0250 12 enemy bombers escorted by 12 zeros were intercepted by Allied A/C over the 12-10-42. In a 1 encounter on 7 Dec. Allied A/C shot down at least 7 zeros, 2 bombers, and 3 dive bombers. Our losses were nil. At 0130 Allied A/C dive bombed enemy ships concentrated 200 yds. south of the 12-10-42. All bombs fell in the target area, but results were unobserved.

New Britain: At 0200 7 Dec. Allied A/C attacked enemy ships at 12-10-42, but no hits were reported. Our A/C were intercepted by 2 to 10 zeros. At 1350 6 Dec. Allied A/C attacked 12-10-42. Bombs fell in the vicinity of the Government wharf and direct hits were obtained on probable dump areas, and fires started. There was considerable A/C opposition and new searchlight beams were observed.

Solomons: On 6 Dec. Allied A/C observed intense activity on two landing strips at KULAI (South Coast - New Georgia).

3. Enemy Movements: Tinor: At 1100 6 Dec. 4/7000 tons merchant vessels and 1 destroyer 1 miles west of BLAI course east.
New Britain: At 2200 6 Dec. 1 medium transport, 1 large schooner, and 3 launches were in KILIBUS (on 12-10). At 2200 30 large vessels were in KILIBUS (on 12-10).
New Ireland: At 1415 6 Dec. 2 U/I vessels were in the KILIBUS area.
Solomons: At 2300 6 Dec. 2 battleships, 5 ly. and 3 lt. cruisers, 12 destroyers and 3 transports were in the KILIBUS area. At 0740 7 Dec. 9 destroyers were 12 miles S. of KILIBUS (New Georgia) course S.W.

B. ., 'land 2. of C. area - 0200 hours - 6 Dec. 42 (L.I. .)

DISTRIBUTION:
1. G. C. 1
2. G. C. 1 "1"
3. G. C. 1 "1"
4. G. C. 1 "1"
5. G. C. (1) Navy
6. G. C. 2 Base Section 2100 12-10
7. G. C. 2 Unit 12-10 12-10
8. G. C. . . .

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M.C.O. 536

COPY NO. 23

ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002154

9 Dec 42

CONCENTRATION OF PERSONNEL AT TOWNSVILLE
FOR EMBARKATION H.M.T. "GORGON"

Reference Adv. L.H.Q. M.O. 26 dated 1 Dec 42, personnel enumerated hereunder will move to TOWNSVILLE on Thursday, 10 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. Serial 1 - Details 3 Aust Pack Tpt Coy

2 Offs
97 O.Rs.

Serial 2 - 2/106 Aust Gen Tpt Coy

23 O.Rs.

3. O.C. TRAIN:

Major MILLS, 3 Aust Pack Tpt Coy.

4. MOVEMENT TO ROMA STREET STATION:

As arranged by H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area, transport will report to the Adjutant, ASCOT Camp H.Q., entering by Nudgee Road Gate, at 2050 hrs 10 Dec 42, for the purpose of moving Serial 1 to ROMA STREET Station.

Serial 2 will move to ROMA STREET Station as arranged by Transport Column H.Q.

5. ENTRAINMENT:

Serials 1 and 2 will be at ROMA STREET Railway Station at 2130 hrs, ready to entrain, and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs 2220 hrs Thursday, 10 Dec 42.

6. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

Rail warrants and meal requisitions will be issued by R.T.O. Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

7. ARRIVAL TOWNSVILLE:

Reception and staging pending embarkation as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

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8. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

O.S.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

9. CONDUCT OF TROOPS:

Attention of Draft Conducting Officer is drawn to H. Com: Instruction A.303 of 4 Nov 40. Writing with chalk on Railway carriages is strictly forbidden.

The attention of O.C. Draft is also drawn to the following Military Board Instruction A.103, which must be promulgated to all ranks:-

"No member of the Military Forces, when in uniform, shall carry, or cause to be carried, on to any train on which he is about to travel, or have in his possession or control, or consume whilst travelling in any train, any intoxicating liquor, unless it be supplied to him as part of a normal service available in a dining car."

10. WATER BOTTLES:

Personnel are to arrive at Station with their water bottles filled, and will be instructed to take every opportunity to have the same filled at Railway Stations during the journey.

11. SECRECY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Care must be taken by all concerned to preserve secrecy regarding destination, dates and times of movement. Particulars of unit and destination must not be chalked on Railway carriages.

Officers commanding troop trains or bodies of troops on ordinary passenger trains are to be instructed that the troops under their command are not to send telegrams or letters, and are not to make telephone calls whilst travelling to their destination.

Acknowledgement is requested.

P.H. Hume, M.C.
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G. (M):

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DISTRIBUTION

1/4	First Aust Army	
5	L.H.Q. (Movement)	AIRMAIL
6	Adv. L.H.Q.	
7/8	Lt. Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q. (Movement)	
9/12	H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area	
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance	
21	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
22	Major MILLS, 3 Aust Pack Tpt Coy, C/o Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
23	H.Q. Tpt Col, GROVELY	S.D.R.
24	Embarkation Issue Depot, ASCOT	"
25	R.T.O. ROMA STREET	"
26	" ROCKHAMPTON	AIRMAIL
27	" MACKAY	"
28	" TOWNSVILLE	"
29	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE	"
30	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE	"
31	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp, TOWNSVILLE	"
32	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK)	S.D.R.
33/34	War Diary	
35/36	Pilo	

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002177

9 Dec 42

CONCENTRATION OF PERSONNEL AT TOWNSVILLE
FOR EMBARKATION PER H.M.T. "TAROONA"

Reference Landops Movement Order No.30 dated 8 Dec 42,
personnel enumerated hereunder will move to TOWNSVILLE on Thursday,
10 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

Ser- ial	Unit	Offs.	O.Rs.	Total	Stores Tons	
					Meas.	Weight
1	Details 2/2 Aust Sig Park Sec	-	6	6	1	$\frac{1}{2}$
2	Details H.Q. 10 A.O.D.	1	10	11	3	1
3	Details 18 Aust Ord Amm Coy	2	60	62	8	4
4	Details 4 Aust A.O.D. Prov Sec	2	12	14	1	$\frac{1}{2}$
5	Details A.A.O.C. Stores personnel	2	60	62	8	4
6	Details A.A.O.C. Ammn personnel	-	15	15	10	5
7	Details 2 Aust Hy AA Bty	-	3	3	-	-
8	G L personnel	-	6	6	-	-
9	73 Aust DCRE	3	13	16	-	-
			(3 15-cwt vans)			
10	G Hy Bty R.A.A.	5	95	100	10	7
11	3 Aust Carrier Pigeon Lofts (35)	-	2	2	11	2
	Totals	15	282	297	52	24

3. O.C. TRAIN:

O.C. G Hy Bty R.A.A. will be O.C. Train.

4. LOADING OF VEHICLES:

Vehicles ex Serial 9 will report to R.T.O. ROMA STREET
(Goods) at 1600 hrs Wednesday, 9 Dec 42.

Train departs 2115 hrs Wednesday, 9 Dec 42.

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4. LOADING OF VEHICLES (Contd.):

An escort of three drivers will guide company vehicles to destination.

Troops must not travel on tops of hoods of motor vehicles whilst in transit by rail. Water jibs, telephone wires, overhead bridges etc. are liable to cause damage to personnel so travelling.

5. LOADING OF UNIT STORES:

Baggage vans will be placed at ASCOT Siding at 0900 hrs Thursday, 10 Dec 42, into which stores of all Serials will be loaded, loading to be completed by 1200 hrs.

6. ENTRAINMENT:

Personnel of all Serials will be at ASCOT Siding at 1250 hrs, ready to entrain, and will entrain under the direction of the R.T.O.

Train departs 1330 hrs Thursday, 10 Dec 42.

7. TIME TABLE:

GENPIE	Dinner
ROCKHAMPTON	Breakfast
ST. LAWRENCE	Lunch
MACHAY	Dinner
TOWNSVILLE	E.T.A. 0300 hrs Saturday, 12 Dec 42.

8. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

R.T.O. ROMA STREET (Goods) will issue rail warrants and meal requisitions for escort on vehicles ex Serial 9.

R.T.O. ASCOT will issue rail warrants and meal requisitions as per time table.

Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

9. ARRIVAL TOWNSVILLE:

Staging and reception, pending embarkation, as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt. & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

10. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

O.S.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

11. CONDUCT OF TROOPS:

Attention of Draft Conducting Officer is drawn to N. Comd. Instruction A.203 of 4 Nov 40. Writing with chalk on Railway carriages is strictly forbidden.

The attention of O.C. Draft is also drawn to the following Military Board Instruction A.103, which must be promulgated to all ranks:-

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11. CONDUCT OF TROOPS (Contd.):

"No member of the Military Forces, when in uniform, shall carry, or cause to be carried, on to any train on which he is about to travel, or have in his possession or control, or consume whilst travelling in any train, any intoxicating liquor, unless it be supplied to him as part of a normal service available in a dining car."

12. WATER BOTTLES:

Personnel are to arrive at Station with their water bottles filled, and will be instructed to take every opportunity to keep same filled at Railway Stations during the journey.

13. SECRECY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Care must be taken by all concerned to preserve secrecy regarding destination, dates and times of movement. Particulars of unit and destination must not be chalked on Railway carriages.

Officers commanding troop trains or bodies of troops on ordinary passenger trains are to be instructed that the troops under their command are not to send telegrams or letters, and are not to make telephone calls whilst travelling to their destination.

Acknowledgement is requested.

F. H. Harrington
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G.(M).

DISTRIBUTION

1/4	First Aust Army	
5	L.H.Q.(Movement)	
6	Adv. L.H.Q.	
7/8	Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q. (Movement)	
9/12	H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area	
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance	
21	1 Aust Pers Staging Camp, YERONGPILLY	S.D.R.
22	O.C. G Hy Bty R.A.A., ASCOT	"
23	Embarkation Issue Depot, ASCOT	"
24	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	"
25	Capt. COLE, Ordnance, GAYTHORNE	"
26	Capt. YATES, 73 Aust DCRE, CHERMSIDE	"
27	R.T.O. ASCOT, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
28	" ROMA STREET (Goods), C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
29	" ROCKHAMPTON	AIRMAIL
30	" MACKAY	"
31	" TOWNSVILLE	"
32	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE	"
33	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE	"
34	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F., TOWNSVILLE	"
35	Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK)	S.D.R.
36/37	War Diary	
38/39	File	

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A Personnel.

1. Land. L. of C. Area Records Office.

2. Land. L. of C. Area Accounts Office.

3 War Diary.

23 ADPT. CO. AREA - DISBANDING OF.3 ADPT. IND. 931. H.A.C. - RAISING OF.

Reference this H.L. 5110539 of 24 Nov 42 and
5110725 of 27 Nov 43. It is advised that the above disbandment
and raising of units will be carried out by 2 Aust Corps.



Capt.
for A.A.G. H.Q., 1. Land. L. of C. Area.

APPX 33

JA/IRP (10/12) IMMEDIATE

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M.C.G. 56/1/268
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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002184

10 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF 10 AUST ANTI MALARIAL CONTROL UNIT
TO NORFORCE VIA MT. ISA

Reference Q.M.69786 dated 4 Dec 42 and Q.M.70244 dated 7 Dec 42, the above Unit will move to NORFORCE on Friday, 11 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. Personnel - 1 Off
7 O.Rs.
- Unit Stores and Equipment - 2 tons (loaded in vehicles)
- M.T. - 1 30-cwt
1 1-tonner
1 15-cwt.

3. LOADING OF M.T.:

M.T. will report to R.T.O. ROMA STREET (Goods) at 1400 hrs 11 Dec 42, loading to be completed by 1800 hrs.

4. ENTRAINMENT:

Personnel will report to R.T.O. ROMA STREET (Goods) at 2000 hrs, and will depart on G.999 at 2115 hrs Friday, 11 Dec 42.

Troops must not travel on tops of hoods of motor vehicle whilst in transit by rail. Water-jibs, telephone wires, overhead bridges etc. are liable to cause damage to personnel so travelling.

5. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

R.T.O. ROMA STREET (Goods) will issue rail warrants, BRISBANE to MT. ISA, and meal requisitions, BRISBANE to TOWNSVILLE.

Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

6. ARRIVAL TOWNSVILLE:

On movement from TOWNSVILLE as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

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7. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

O.S.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

8. SECURITY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Acknowledgement is requested.

Handwritten signature
Lt.-Col.
A.Q.M.G. (M)

DISTRIBUTION

1/4 First Aust Army
5 L.H.Q. (Movement) AIRMAIL
6 Adv. L.H.Q.
7/8 Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q. (Movement)
9/12 H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area
13/18 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
19 2 L. of C. Sub-Area
20 Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance
21 D.D.M.S. (for information) S.D.R.
22 Lieut. O'CONNOR, O.C. 10 Aust Anti-Malarial Control Unit.
C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp
23 R.T.O. ROMA STREET (Goods), C/o 3 Aust Movt Control
24 " ROCKHAMPTON
25 " MACLAY
26 " TOWNSVILLE
27 5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE
28 1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE
29 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F., TOWNSVILLE
30 R.T.O. MT. ISA
31 " LARRIMAH
32 Administrative H.Q., MT. ISA
33 Norforce, DARWIN
34 Chief Trains Clerk (Mr. FENWICK) S.D.R.
35/36 War Diary
37/38 File

APPX 34

WAW/MRP (10/12) IMMEDIATE

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M.C.G. 56/1/352

M.C.O. 538

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002193

10 Dec 42

FIRST FLIGHT "PYGMY" :

Reference Adv. L.H.Q. Movement Order No.29 dated 8 Dec 42, it is advised that the personnel shown on Appendix I attached will embark from BRISBANE in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. CONCENTRATION:

Australian personnel will concentrate at ASCOT Camp as follows:-

(a) 2/105 Gen Tpt Coy, with 60 vehicles, will arrive at ASCOT Camp at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 9 Dec 42, under arrangements of H.Q. 1 Aust Corps Tpt Col.

(b) Personnel of 20 Aust Emp Coy will arrive at SOUTH BRISBANE Station from New South Wales L. of C. Area at 1538 hrs Thursday, 10 Dec 42. Personnel will disembark at SOUTH BRISBANE Station under the supervision of the H.Q. for ASCOT Staging Camp.

3. DELIVERY OF RESERVE STORES:

Under arrangements of H.Q. Land. L. of C. Area, reserve stores as shown on Appendix I will be delivered to respective Wharves at 0800 hrs Wednesday, 9 Dec 42.

4. MOTOR VEHICLES:

Motor vehicles of 105 Gen Tpt Coy and 15 Aust Sup Pers Coy will be held at ASCOT Camp and called forward by 3 Aust Movt Control Grp as required for loading.

Vehicles will be F.W.D. except those vehicles for which no F.W.D. type exists. Two gallon sealed drums of petrol will be carried in each vehicle.

Units will render a vehicle strength return, A.A.F. G.32 in duplicate showing all M.T. to be shipped. This return will be submitted to D.D.O.S. Adv. L.H.Q. by quickest means.

Each vehicle will have marked on the windscreen, the following information:-

Length of vehicle
Breadth of vehicle
Height of vehicle
Tare weight of vehicle
Gross weight of vehicle.

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4. MOTOR VEHICLES (Contd.):

Where unit stores are loaded on vehicles, stores will be so packed to permit of discharge at the wharf if necessary, for the purpose of bringing vehicles down to the required weight.

5. BILLS OF LADING:

Particular attention must be paid to Adv. L.H.Q. Adm. Instruction No.2 of 23 Oct 42, regarding the making out of Bills of Lading covering stores and equipment to be shipped. These Bills of Lading must be delivered to the M.C.O. at the time of delivery.

6. COOKING EQUIPMENT:

Cooking equipment will be kept available for use during the voyage.

7. O.C. TROOPS:

Senior combatant officer on each vessel will be O.C. Troops and detail the necessary ship's staff.

O.C. Troops will arrange for his Quartermaster to contact the Supply Officer, Q'land. L. of C. Area, with regard to loading of fresh rations etc.

8. MEDICAL ARRANGEMENTS:

Under arrangements H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area, sufficient medical stores will be placed on board for the voyage, and handed over to the Medical Officer embarking.

9. ISSUE OF TROPICAL EQUIPMENT:

All personnel embarking will go through the Embarkation Issue Depot at ASCOT Camp to ensure that all issues in accordance with H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area Instruction No.93499 dated 4 Dec 42, are complete. A certificate will be obtained from the O.C. of each unit to this effect.

10. E.S.Os.:

Embarkation Officers at the respective wharves will be as follows:-

HAMILTON WHARF - Lieut. L.T. SEXTON
MERCANTILE WHARF - Lieut. HINSCH.

11. EMBARKATION KITS:

Under arrangements of Amenities Officer, Q'land. L. of C. Area, sufficient embarkation kits to cover personnel embarking will be handed to the O.C. Troops, prior to the vessel's departure.

12. EMBARKATION:

Australian personnel embarking on Vessel 265 will depart ASCOT Camp at 0700 hrs Friday, 11 Dec 42.

Embarkation will commence at 0730 hrs.

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12. EMBARKATION (Contd.):

Embarkation for Vessel X.7 will be advised at a later date.

On arrival at Wharves, personnel embarking will be fallen in in the order in which their names appear on unit nominal rolls. Embarkation will be carried out under the control of the E.S.O.

13. RECORDS PROCEDURE:

(a) Nominal rolls in sextuplicate will be prepared by Units and handed to the Embarkation Records Officer on arrival at the Wharf.

(b) Form T.51 will also be prepared in sextuplicate and handed to the E.S.O. immediately embarkation has been completed.

14. SECURITY OF WHARVES:

Under arrangements made by H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area, guards will be supplied for security of cargo and stores during loading at respective wharves.

15. SECRECY:

The necessity of maintaining the strictest secrecy in connection with this movement must be impressed upon all concerned.

E. McCannery
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G. (M)

DISTRIBUTION

1/4	First Aust Army	
5/8	Adv. L.H.Q.	
9	L.H.Q. (Movement)	AIRMAIL
10	2 Aust Corps	
11/12	Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q.	(Movement)
13/16	H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area	
17/22	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
23	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
24	Capt. HALE, Q Maintenance	
25	Lieut. HENDERSON, Records Officer	
26	E.S.O., Lieut. L.T. SEXTON, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
27	" " A.A. HINSCH,	"
28	S.T.O. Naval Office	
29	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
30	O.C. 2/105 Gen Tpt Coy, ASCOT	"
31	O.C. 9 Fd Amb, ASCOT	"
32	O.C. 14 Sec, 15 Aust Sup Pers Coy, ASCOT	"
33	O.C. 20 Aust Emp Coy, ASCOT	"
34	H.Q. 1 Aust Corps Tpt Col, GROVELY	"
35/36	War Diary	
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M.C.G. 56/1/352

MOST SECRET.APPENDIX I.ISSUED WITH 3 AUST MOVT CONTROL GROUP'S ORDER NO. 538.Vessel X7 - Mercantile Wharf.

Serial No.	UNIT	Personnel			Stores	M.T.	Concentrate
		Offrs	ORs	Total			
1	20 Aust Emp Coy A.A.M.C. (9 Fd Amb)	4	297	301	60	-	ASCOT
		1	2	3			"
		5	299	304	60		

Vessel 265 - Hamilton Wharf.

Serial No.	UNIT	Personnel			Stores	M.T.	Concentrate
		Offrs	ORs	Total			
2	2/105 Gen Tpt Coy	4	113	117	100	61	ASCOT.
3	14 Sec. 15 Aust Sup. Per Coy	1	23	24		1	"
4	U.S. Port Det.		160	160	100		
1	20 Aust Emp. Coy	3	137	140	40		ASCOT
5	A.A.M.C. (9 Fd Amb)	1	2	3			"
		9	435	444	240	62	

Allotment of Reserve Stores.

<u>Service</u>	<u>Vessel "X7".</u>	<u>Vessel "265"</u>
Ordnance		400 Tons (M)
Ammunition	400 Tons (D.W.)	
S & T Rations	750 " (M)	
S & T Exp. Stores	100 "	
S & T Hos. Stores	55 "	
P.O.L.		800 "
Eng. Stores		300 "
Med. Stores	4 "	
	400 Tons (D.W.)	
	909 " (M)	1500 Tons (M)

16 Pontoons and 4 provision Units to be divided
equally between Vessels "X7" and "265".

APPX 55

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M.C.G. 56/2/933

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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No. 002194

10 Dec 42

CONCENTRATION OF PERSONNEL AT TOWNSVILLE
FOR EMBARKATION "TAROONA" AND "DUNTROON"

Reference Adv. L.H.Q. Movement Orders Nos. 30 and 31 dated 8 Dec 42, the undermentioned personnel will move to TOWNSVILLE on Friday, 11 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

Serial	Unit	Total All ranks	Stores Tons	
			Meas.	Weight
1	"X" List and Gen Reinfts) M.O.30	376	18	10
2	1 Aust Hy AA Regt Sig Sec) refers	41		
3	"X" List and Gen Reinfts)			
	ex Vic. L. of C. Area)	566	1	1
4	"X" List and Gen Reinfts)			
	ex N.S.W. L. of C. Area)	526		
5	"X" List and Gen Reinfts) M.O.31			
	ex Q'land. L. of C. Area) refers	104		
6	No.2 Ship's Staff A.I.F.)	33		
7	Details Base Postal Unit)	16		
8	Details A.D.C.S.)	19		
TOTALS		1681	19	10½

NOTE: Serials 3, 4 and 5 - total 1196 all ranks.
Of these, 1068 all ranks are allotted to H.T.
"Duntroon" per Adv. L.H.Q. Movement Order 31.

3. CONCENTRATION BRISBANE:

Serial 1 will arrive ASCOT at 0530 hrs Friday, 11 Dec 42.
Serial 3 will arrive CLAPHAM at 0916 hrs Friday, 11 Dec 42.
Serial 4 will arrive SOUTH BRISBANE at 1840 hrs Friday,
11 Dec 42.
Serial 5 will arrive ASCOT at 1900 hrs Thursday, 10 Dec 42.

Other Serials are all located at BRISBANE.

M.C.G. 56/1/319

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4. ON MOVEMENT FROM BRISBANE:

On movement from BRISBANE will be by 5 special trains as set out in Appendix "A".

5. ENTRAINMENT:

Entrainment will be under the direction of the various R.T.Os., and troops will be at their respective entraining points, ready to entrain, 40 minutes prior to the scheduled departure time of each train.

6. Os.C. TRAINS:

The senior combatant officer on each train will be O.C. Train.

O.C. Train will ensure that an officer or N.C.O. is in charge of each Serial travelling on his train, who will be directly responsible to O.C. Train for the conduct of his draft.

7. RAIL WARRANTS AND MEAL REQUISITIONS:

R.T.O. ASCOT will issue bulk second class rail warrants, ASCOT to TOWNSVILLE, for Train No.1, and meal requisitions as per time table.

R.T.O. YERONGPILLY will issue bulk second class rail warrants, YERONGPILLY to TOWNSVILLE, for Trains 2 and 3, and meal requisitions as per time table.

R.T.O. SOUTH BRISBANE will issue bulk second class rail warrants, SOUTH BRISBANE to TOWNSVILLE, for Trains 4 and 5, and meal requisitions as per time table.

Troops will use own mess kit at all Railway Refreshment Rooms.

8. MEALING ARRANGEMENTS IN BRISBANE:

Mealing arrangements for Serials 3 and 4, as arranged by H.Q. Q'land, L. of C. Area, will be supplied by 1 Aust Pers Staging Camp.

9. ARRIVAL TOWNSVILLE:

Reception and staging pending embarkation as arranged by 2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp A.I.F.

10. INJURIES TO TROOPS TRAVELLING BY TRAINS:

Os.C. Trains or Draft will instruct personnel that on no account must they allow any portions of their bodies to protrude from carriages or vehicles in which they are riding.

11. CONDUCT OF TROOPS:

Attention of Draft Conducting Officer is drawn to N. Comd. Instruction A.303 of 4 Nov 40. Writing with chalk on Railway carriages is strictly forbidden.

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11. CONDUCT OF TROOPS (Contd.):

The attention of O.C. Draft is also drawn to the following Military Board Instruction A.103, which must be promulgated to all ranks:-

"No member of the Military Forces, when in uniform, shall carry, or cause to be carried, on to any train on which he is about to travel, or have in his possession or control, or consume whilst travelling in any train, any intoxicating liquor, unless it be supplied to him as part of a normal service available in a dining car."

12. WATER BOTTLES:

Personnel are to arrive at Station with their water bottles filled, and will be instructed to take every opportunity to keep same filled at Railway Stations during the journey.

13. SECURITY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Care must be taken by all concerned to preserve secrecy regarding destination, dates and times of movement. Particulars of unit and destination must not be chalked on Railway carriages.

Officers commanding troop trains or bodies of troops on ordinary passenger trains are to be instructed that the troops under their command are not to send telegrams or letters, and are not to make telephone calls whilst travelling to their destination.

Acknowledgement is requested.

[Signature]
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G.(M).

DISTRIBUTION

1/4	First Aust Army		
5	L.H.Q.(Movement)	AIRMAIL	
6	Adv. L.H.Q.		
7/8	Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q.		
9/12	H.Q., Q'land. L. of C.		
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp		
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area		
20	Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance		
21	Camp Commandant, ASCOT		S.D.R.
22	Embarkation Issue Depot, ASCOT		"
23	O.C. 1 Aust Hy AA Regt Sig Sec, ASCOT		"
24	O.C. No.2 Ship's Staff, ASCOT		"
25	Lieut. BEESTON, C/o Base Post Office		
26	1 Aust Para Staging Camp, YERONGPILLY		S.D.R.
27	R.T.O. ASCOT		"
28	O.C. Train, C/o R.T.O. ASCOT		"
29	R.T.O. YERONGPILLY, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp		
30/31	Os.C. Trains, C/o R.T.O. YERONGPILLY		
32	R.T.O. SOUTH BRISBANE		S.D.R.
33/34	Os.C. Trains, C/o R.T.O. SOUTH BRISBANE		S.D.R.
35	R.T.O. ROCKHAMPTON		
36	" MACKAY		AIRMAIL
37	" TOWNSVILLE		"
38	5 Aust Div, TOWNSVILLE		"
39	1 L. of C. Sub-Area, TOWNSVILLE		"
40	2/1 Aust Movt & Tpt Grp, TOWNSVILLE		"
		41	Mr.FENWICK
		42/43	War Diary
		44/45	File

APPENDIX "A"

Train		Conveys	a/r	Depart	Time	Meals	E.T.A. TOWNSVILLE
P.513	1	Ex Serial 1	336	ASCOT	0920 hrs	GYMPIE, BUNDABERG, ST. LAWRENCE, MACKAY, BOWEN	0010 hrs 13/12
P.515	2	Ex Serial 3	350	YERONGPILLY	1330 hrs	GYMPIE, ROCKHAMPTON, ST. LAWRENCE, MACKAY	0300 hrs 13/12
P.517	3	Ex Serial 3 Ex Serial 2 Ex Serial 1 Ex Serial 6	216 41 40 33 <u>330</u>	"	1405 hrs	Do.	0400 hrs 13/12
P.519	4	Ex Serial 4	335	S.BRISBANE	2045 hrs	BUNDABERG, GLADSTONE, ROCKHAMPTON, BOWEN	1000 hrs 13/12
P.511	5	Ex Serial 4 Ex Serial 5 Ex Serial 7 Ex Serial 8	191 104 16 19 <u>330</u>	"	2200 hrs	BUNDABERG, GLADSTONE, ROCKHAMPTON, BOWEN	1300 hrs 13/12

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M.C.G. 56/1/375
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H.Q. Movement Control,
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BRISBANE.

No.002205

10 Dec 42

MOVEMENT OF 7 AUST GARR BN TO SOUTH MORETON AND COWAN COWAN
AND MOVEMENT OF 13 AUST GARR BN - SOUTH MORETON AND COWAN
COWAN TO BRISBANE

Two Coys, 7 Aust Garr Bn, will move to destinations on Friday, 11 Dec 42, in accordance with the following arrangements:-

2. PERSONNEL:

<u>Serial</u>	<u>Present Location</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Destination</u>
1	CALOUNDRA	120 all ranks	COWAN COWAN
2	"	"	SOUTH MORETON.

3. SERIAL 1:

Serial 1 will move by M.T. to TOORBUL POINT, departing CALOUNDRA at 0600 hrs 11 Dec 42, arriving TOORBUL POINT at 0700 hrs.

Troops will be embarked on Steamer "Koopra" for conveyance to COWAN COWAN.

Transport - 11 3-tonners, as arranged by H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area, escorted by one D.R., will proceed to CALOUNDRA Post Office, where they will be met by a guide from 7 Aust Garr Bn. O. Convoy will report on arrival to Colonel MOYES, C.O. 7 Aust Garr Bn.

On completion of duty, M.T. will return immediately to depot.

4. SERIAL 2:

Serial 2 will move by M.T. to Custom House Wharf, departing CALOUNDRA at 0500 hrs 11 Dec 42, arriving Custom House Wharf at 0800 hrs. Troops will be embarked on M.V. "Lookout" for conveyance to SOUTH MORETON.

Transport - 12 3-tonners, as arranged by H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area, escorted by one D.R., will proceed to CALOUNDRA Post Office, where they will be met by guide from 7 Aust Garr Bn. On arrival, convoy will report to Colonel MOYES, C.O. 7 Aust Garr Bn.

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5. 440 personnel, 13 Aust Garr Bn, will embark on Steamer "Koopas" at COWAN COWAN for conveyance to HAMILTON Wharf, BRISBANE

Transport - H.Q. Q'land. L. of C. Area, will arrange to provide the necessary M.T. to convey personnel from HAMILTON Wharf to ASCOT.

C.F.D. will notify A.Q.M.G., Q'land. L. of C. Area, expected time of arrival of Vessel "Koopas", in sufficient time to allow for transport arrangements.

6. 120 personnel, 13 Aust Garr Bn, will embark on M.V. "Lookout" at COWAN COWAN for conveyance to HAMILTON Wharf, BRISBANE

Transport arrangements for conveyance of troops to ASCOT Camp will be arranged in accordance with transport arrangements for "Koopas".

7. STORES:

All stores will be assembled ready for loading on to Vessels, half an hour before scheduled departure times indicated.

C. SECRECY:

Destinations will be communicated personally and secretly only to those Officers who are directly concerned, and from whom action is required.

Acknowledgement is requested.

P. H. Cunningham
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G. (M).

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6	L.H.Q. (Movement)	AIRMAIL
7/8	Lt.-Col. GRANT, C/o Adv. L.H.Q.	(Movement)
9/12	H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area	
13/18	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
19	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
20	Lieut. SHAW, Q Maintenance	
21	D.D.S.T.	
22	C.F.D.	
23	C.O. 13 Aust Garr Bn, C/o C.F.D.	S.D.R.
24	C.O. 7 Aust Garr Bn, CALOUNDRA	"
25/26	War Diary	"
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10 Dec 42.

Q'LAND L. OF C. AREA OP INSTN NO. 20.

Reference Adv LHQ SD 1172, 1173; 1174; 1175; 1176.

2. 13 Grn Bn will move from MORETON ISLAND to CAIRNS. No Move before 11 Dec 42.

3. 13 Grn Bn will move under arrangements made by "Q" Movements.

4. 13 Grn Bn will move with complete unit equipment and accommodation stores Scale A in accordance with GRO 457. The unit will submit details in accordance with GRO G104. 18 pr guns will remain on emplaced on MORETON ISLAND.

5. 13 Grn Bn will not take unit vehicles. Those will be provided in North Queensland under arrangements made by First Aust Army.

6. LHQ has been requested to supply deficiencies of Controlled Stores.

7. On arrival at CAIRNS 13 Grn Bn comes under cmd First Aust Army.

8. DESTINATIONS.

13 Grn Bnlss two Coys - IRON RANGE
One Coy - JACKY JACKY
One Coy - COOKTOWN

Overland movement from CAIRNS onward will be under arrangements of First Aust Army.

9. Relief of MORETON GARRISON.

7 Grn Bn will provide two Coys and one pl MG Coy to relieve 13 Grn Bn on MORETON ISLAND. The move will be under arrangements made by Q(Mvts).

10. Replacement of 13 Grn Bn.

LHQ is arranging to move 2/2 Aust HQ Gd Bn from INGLEBURN to BRISBANE as soon as possible.

11. Acknowledge.

W O Fleming
Lt.-Col.
G.S. Q'land L. of C. Area.

DISTRIBUTION.

C.F.D.
1 Grn Bde
7 Grn Bn
13 Grn Bn
G.O.C.
G.S.O.
Col 1/c Adm
A.A.G.
A.Q.M.G.
D.D.S. & T.
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ALLIED LAND FORCES IN SOUTH WEST PACIFIC AREA

H.Q. Movement Control,
Victoria Barracks,
BRISBANE.

No.002206

11 Dec 42

FIRST FLIGHT "PYGMY"

With reference to Movement Control M.O. No.538 dated 10 Dec 42, it is advised that there will be no movement until further notice.

Personnel will meanwhile be held at ASCOT on six hours notice.

Acknowledgement is requested.

F. W. Manners Maj.
Lt.-Col.,
A.Q.M.G. (M).

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13/16	H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area	
17/22	3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
23	2 L. of C. Sub-Area	
24	Capt. HALE, Q Maintenance	
25	Lieut. HENDERSON, Records Officer	
26	E.S.O., Lieut. L.T. SEXTON, C/o 3 Aust Movt Control Grp	
27	" " A.A. HINSCH,	"
28	S.T.O. Naval Office	
29	Camp Commandant, ASCOT	S.D.R.
30	O.C. 2/105 Gen Tpt Coy, ASCOT	"
31	C.O. 9 Fd Amb, ASCOT	"
32	O.C. 14 Sec, 15 Aust Sup Pers Coy, ASCOT	"
33	O.C. 20 Aust Emp Coy, ASCOT	"
34	H.Q. 1 Aust Corps Tpt Col, GROVELY	"
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D.D.H.H.

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A.A.G.

Pland. L. of C. Area Records Office.

Pland. L. of C. Area Accounts Office.

1 Personnel.

2 War Diary.

PERSONNEL OF ANCHOR UNITS - H.Q. BRISBANE.

Reference L.H. ... SMD397 of 1 Dec 42.

It is advised that approval is given for the transfer of the undermentioned personnel for Pland. L. of C. Area to H.Q. Force and D.D.H.H. will please take action accordingly to withdraw the required personnel from existing Anchor Units in this L. of C. Area.

2.

From Pland. L. of
H.Q. Force.ANCHOR UNITS7. ANCHOR UNIT

1 ... Instrument	1
1 Sgt Inst Mechanic	1
1 Sgt Wireless Mechanic	1

8. ANCHOR UNIT

1 Cpl Inst Mechanic	1
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ANCHOR UNIT18 ANCHOR UNIT

1 s/sgt Armt Art Sigs	1
1 Cpl Wireless Mechanic	1
TOTAL	<u>6</u>

3. Attention is directed to H.Q. 402/1243 relative to personnel under the age of 20 years.

4. Separate instructions regarding movement are being issued by L.H. ... Hqs. Sec.

5. The A.A.G. will be advised of point of concentration and when concentration is completed.

6. Separate instructions regarding movement are being issued by L.H. ... Hqs. Sec.

7. No message.

Capt.
for A.A.G. H. ..., Pland. L. of C. Area.

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H.Q., Q'LAND. L. OF C. AREA.
Address Victoria Barracks, Brisbane.

Date

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Q'land. L. of C. Area Records Office.

H.Q., First Aust. Army.

Copies Q'land. L. of C. Area Accounts Office.

G.S.O.

A.C.M.C.

A Personnel.

2 War Diary.

336 AUST. L.A.D. (TYPE A) - RAISING CO.

Reference L.H.Q. SM23339 of 30 Nov 42.

1. With reference to SM21318 of 4 Nov 42, relative to the formation of 3 Aust Armd Div and consequent upon an amendment to the O of B, A.M.F., as advised in SM22259 of 16 Nov 42, action will be taken by H.Q. First Aust. Army to raise the undermentioned unit, as and when required for allocation to H.Q. 3 Aust Armd Div:-

0 O/Rs Total.

336 AUST L.A.D. (TYPE A) W.E. I/25A/2 1 15 16

2. The personnel required to form this Unit will be made available to First Aust Army by Qld L of C Area Records Office, as and when available.

3. Personal arms and equipment and all unit equipment in accordance with W.E.T., No.173 E. will be issued by H.Q. Qld L of C Area.

G. J. ...
Capt.
for A.A.G. H.Q., Q'land. L. of C. Area.