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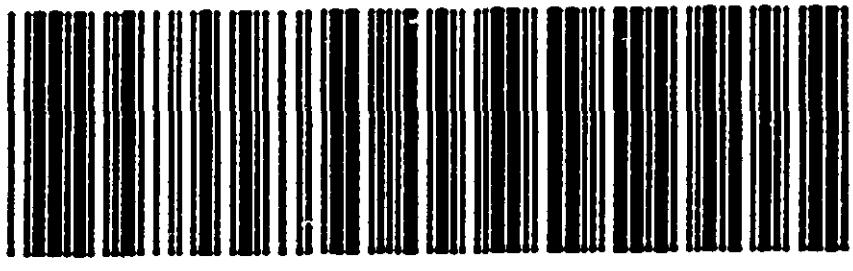
BASE AND LINE OF COMMUNICATION AREAS (SUB)

7 (Melbourne) Line of Communication Sub Area

May - December 1941



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NOTE RE DESIGANTION.

From May to November 1941 shown as No. 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area.

December 1941, shown as Headquarters Melbourne L of C Area.

From January 1942 onwards shown as Headquarters No. 7 Melbourne L of C Sub Area.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit HQ. No. 6 (MELBOURNE) SUB AREA *Date and Time.—From* 1 May 41 *To* 31 May 41

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Craigs Buildings	May 4th 41		Major Norton goes to Wooloomanata School.	
			Field Returns Offs.	Appx "A"

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H D No 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T Major	83349	Norton E E	H D No 6 (Melb) Sub Area	No.	Detached to Special to at Woolloomatta.

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

(Unit.)

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(Date of Despatch.)

H D Nicholson
(Signature of Commander)

H D No 6 (Melb) Sub Area
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

[illegible] (Unit) [illegible]

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Maj - R	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Yes	[illegible]

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H Q No 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/Major	V83349	Norton C.E.	HQ No 6 (Mel) Sub Area	No	Detached to S Cond Special Trg School Woolomanta

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

H Q No 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area
(Unit.)

17 MAY 1944
(Date of Despatch.)

[signature]
(Signature of Commander) Brigadier

H Q No 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H Q No 6 (Melb) Sub Area (Unit)
Craigs Bldgs

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
T Major	Norton C E	HQ 3 Div	23/4/41	Taken on Strength

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/ Major	V83349	Norton C E	HQ No 6 (Melb) Sub area	NO	Detached to Stand Special Trg School Woolloomanetta

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

H Q No 6 (Melb) Sub Area
(Unit.)

10 MAY 1941
(Date of Despatch.)

[signature] Brigadier
(Signature of Commander.)

H Q No 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Lt 76 (Kelt) Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Major	93349	Yorton C E	H.Q. No 6 (Kelt) Sub Area	Yes	

(II) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

H.Q. No 6 (Kelt) Sub Area (Unit.)

3 - MAY 1941

(Date of Despatch.)

(Signature of Officer Responsible)

H.Q. No 6 (Kelt) Sub Area

(Hdqrs., Dept., Area, &c., with which Unit is serving.)

3rd Division [illegible]

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit HQ. No. 6. (MELBOURNE) Sub Area *Date and Time.—From* 1 JUNE 1941 *To* 11 June 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 1 June		Major Norton returns from Wooloomanata School	
	3 June		Maj Norton visits Victoria Barracks re Training Reports	
	4 June	1500	Major Norton conference with Mr.Sutherland,City re A.R.P.	
	5 June	1130	Major Norton conference with Senior Constable Arnott re communication and blackout.	
		1530	Major Norton conference with Mr. Elkes (State Emergency Council) re A R P .	
		2000	Major Norton attended meeting of V D C at Anzac House.	
	6 June	1030	Maj Norton interviews Mr.Cochraine, State Emergency Council re evacuation of Civilians.	
		1000	Brig: Luxton to Southern Command re sub area.	
		1400	Major Norton visits Anzac House to see General Stuart re Boundaries.	
		1600	To Victoria Barracks re tabiation & quartering, also to see Major Russell at Barracks re maps for V D C.	
	7 June	1145	To Victoria Barracks to see Major Coleman & Russell re maps and tabulation.	
	7 June		Major Norton hands 800 V D C cards to M.Anderson of E.Bn	
	9 June		Major Norton visits Barracks, (C O M E, C R E & Hirings)	
	11		Col Balfe at Laverton to fly over City.	

A. E. Norton Major

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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(adapted.)

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Unit HQ. No. 6. (MELBOURNE) Sub Area *Date and Time.—From* 11 June 41 *To* 29 June 1941.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Craigs Buildings	1941 11 June	1200	Major Norton visited Major Gillespie at Barracks re Map Section Southern Command	
	12		Major Norton visited M M B W re Maps.	
		1000	Conference with Mr.Deacon 266 Queen St re Transport.	
			S.W. Bn collected 600 V D C cards.	
	29 June	0830	Major Norton goes to Foster (Gippsland)	
			Field Returns Officers	Appx "A"

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H Q 1st Battalion S.S.F. (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	41334[illegible]	Norton G.	R.A.S.C. Fullerton Sub Unit	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

H Q 1st Battalion S.S.F. (Unit.)

28 JUN 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

(Signature of Commander.)

H Q 1st Battalion S.S.F.

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q. No. 6 Melbourne Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/ Major	V33349	Norton F.E.	H.Q. No. 6 Melbourne Sub Area	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

H.Q. No. 6 Melbourne Sub Area (Unit.)

21 JUN 1941
(Date of Despatch.)

H. A. Nehoas Lt
(Signature of Commander.) Brigadier

H.Q. No. 6 Melbourne Sub Area
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ 7th Hussars) Sub Unit

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T Major	83349	Norton G G	RAC attd Cdn Sub Unit	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

HQ 7th Hussars) Sub Unit
(Unit.)

14 JUN 1941
(Date of Despatch.)

(Signature of Commander.)

HQ 7th Hussars) Sub Unit
(Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H Q No 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/Major	V83319	Norton L.E.	H.Q. No 6 (Melb) Sub Area	yes	

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HQ No. 6. (Melbourne) Sub Area.
Craigs Buildings.
MELBOURNE. C. 1.

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WAR DIARY & APPENDICES

Enclosed please find War Diary with Appendices for the months of May, June and July 1941 for No. 6. (Melbourne) Sub Area.

Major.
HQ No. 6. (Melbourne) Sub Area

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit HQ. No. 6. (MELBOURNE) SUB AREA *Date and Time.—From* 2 JULY 1941 *To* 25 JULY 41

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 JULY 4		Major Norton returned from Foster (Gippsland)	
	6	1900	Major Norton left for Seymour	
	19		Returned from Seymour	
	22		Major Norton to Victoria Barracks to see Col Pascoe re Ammunition dumps.	
	23	1100	Interviewed Mr. Kelso, MMBW.	
			Major Norton visits Garrison Bde H.Q.	
	24		To MMBW for V.P. list.	
	25		Major Norton to D F O and General Stewart.	
			Field Returns Offs.	Appx "A"

[signature]

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

1st Field Ambulance (Unit) for week

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	74337	Keown EC	RAMC	Yes	
			(Edin)		
			Sanit Secn		

(II) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	74332	Sternbach RJ	RAMC Edin	15/7/41	Attached pro Equip

1st Field Ambulance (Unit)

26 JUL 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

(Signature of Commander)

1st Field Ambulance (Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q. 7th (Melbourne) Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	VX33349	Norton C C	H.Q. 7th Cav Sub Area	Yes	V.D.C. Staff Employment

(II) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	VX332	Fearnbach R.T.	12 Fd Bty Echelon	12/1/41	Attached for Duty

H.Q. 7th (Melb) Sub Area (Unit)

9 JAN 1941

(Date of Despatch.)

C.C. Norton Major
(Signature of Commander.)

7/2 (Melb) Sub Area

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

1/6 Lt Hoffmann Platoon
(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
1 Lt	73346	Koch E C	RE Fd Coy	Yes	
			Hdqrs		
			1 Fd Coy		

(II) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

1/6 Coy (Fd) Fd Sqn
(Unit.)

12 JUL 1941
(Date of Despatch.)

E C Koch
(Signature of Commander.)

1/6 Lt Hoffmann Platoon
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

[illegible] Field Hospital Sub Area
(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

[illegible]

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut	43340	[illegible]	RAMC	Yes	
			attd Field Hosp		
			attd 22 Gen		

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.

[illegible] Field Hospital Sub Area
(Unit.)

8 - JUL 1941
(Date of Despatch.)

[illegible] Field Hospital Sub Area
(Signature of Commander.)

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

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.—SOUTHERN COMMAND

3RD DISTRICT

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HQ S Comd Tng Depots.
Craigs Buildings.
MELBOURNE. C. 1.

2 Septr 1941.

1 SEP 1941
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RECORDS

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WAR DIARY & APPENDICES

Herewith War Diary & Appendices for the month of Augt 41 for H.Q. No. 6. (MELB) Sub Area.

G.S.O. 1.
HQ. No. 6.(Melb) Sub Area.

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3RD DISTRICT
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RECORDS

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

Unit HQ. No. 6. (MELBOURNE) SUBAREA Date and Time.—From 1st AUGT 41 To 18 AUGT 41

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 1 AUGT	1000	Major Norton attended Anzac House re V D C - Meeting of Group Commanders & General Foote.	
	4 Augt		Major Norton to A.A. Williamstown, Broadmeadows, Royal Park & 3 & 4 Divn re P A D.	
	5 Augt		Major Norton to C R A, Recruit Bdes, A D M S, D F O, Camp Commandant. D A D O S, C R E & A P M re P A D.	
	6 Augt		To C R E, Air Force, H.Q., A H Q, Lt Col McArthur, C O ME and A D O S re P A D.	
	7 Augt		Major Norton contacted D A S T.	
	8 Augt		Called D V S re P A D ~~Called Stationary re P A D~~ Called Railways & M M B W re certain V P.	
	9 Augt		Contacted Gas Coy Flinders St & General Stewart	
	11		Major Norton obtained Maps from Vic Barracks.	
	~~12~~	~~1400~~	~~Major Norton to Southern Command (Major French) re P A D~~	
	14		Major Norton to Southern Command Sigs. Saw Major Russell Barracks G. Branch.	
	15.		Major Norton & Col Balfe to S C H.Q. conference with Col Pascoe, & Major Russell.	
	17.		Major Norton visited Parks Orchard Wireless Stn	
	18.	2000	At V D C Lecture	

Army Form C.2118
(adapted.)

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Unit HQ.No. 6 (MELB) Sub Area. *Date and Time.—From* 20 AUGT 41 *To* 30 Augt 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 20 AUGT	1400	Major Norton to 4 Divn re boundary	
	21 Augt		Reconnaissance Newport A & B Elec Stns, North Melb Yards and South Yarra Bridge	
	22		Rcce Bridges Flinders St - Caulfield.	
	25		Major Norton to S Comd for Maps. Major Norton to General Stewart with Maps & precis	
	26		Major Norton to Melb Sub Area S & t & Vet Sce re P A D	
	27	0930)-1300)	Major Norton to Heidleburg Hospital re P A D	
	28		Tied up Opp Plot with G S O. 1.	
			Field Returns Off.	Appx "A"

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

[illegible] (Unit) [illegible]

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

[illegible]

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
			[illegible]	[illegible]	
			[illegible]		

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
			[illegible]		

[illegible] Unit Area

2 AUG 1941 (Unit.)

(Date of Despatch.)

[illegible]
(Signature of Commander.)

[illegible] Unit Area

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H & Jo C (Mell) Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Tr Major	V933 M 9	Norton C E	H & Jo C (Mell) Sub Area	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	V6332	Lambach R J	12 Fd Hyg Section	11/7/41	Attached for Temp Duty

H & Jo C (Mell) Sub Area (Unit.)

H R Nicholls Capt (Signature of Commander.)

AUG 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

H & Jo C (Mell) (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ 3 C Hillbowrie Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	V3349	Norton CC	HQ 3 C Hillbowrie Sub Area	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt.	V6332	Farnbach RJ	12 Fd Bty	13/7/41	Attached for Temp Duty

HQ 3 C Hillbowrie Sub Area
(Unit.)

17 AUG 1941
(Date of Despatch.)

A B Nicholson Capt.
(Signature of Commander.)

HQ 3 C Hillbowrie Sub Area
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ 7th Cav Bde (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Major	73349	Norton GG	Hq 7th Cav Bde Staff Liaison	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	76332	Fairbank RJ	R Tk Bn Instructor	17/7/41	Attached for Duty

H.Q. 7th Cav Bde (Unit.)

23 AUG 1941

(Date of Despatch.)

H. D. Nicholls Capt
(Signature of Commander.)

H.Q. 7th Cav Bde
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

[illegible] (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lieut.	73340	[illegible] H. G.	R.A.S.C.	Yes	
			Supply Platoon		

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Lieut.	[illegible]	[illegible]	R.A.S.C.	[illegible]	[illegible]
			Supply Platoon		

[illegible] Lieut. R.A.S.C. (Unit.)

30 AUG 1941
(Date of Despatch.)

[illegible]
(Signature of Commander.)

[illegible] Lieut. R.A.S.C.
(Bde., Dtsn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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MELBOURNE. S.C.1

H.Q.6(Melb) Sub Area,
Craigs Buildings,
Melbourne.

3RD DISTRICT		
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RECORDS		

D.R.O.
Swanston St.
MELBOURNE.

6/10/41.

WAR DIARY & APPENDICES.

Herewith War Diary and Appendices for the month of September 41 for H.Q. No. 6 (Melb) Sub Area.

G.S.O.1.
H.Q. No 6 (Melb) Sub Area.

DISTRICT
12 10 23.

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

Unit H.Q. No.6 (MELBOURNE) SUB AREA *Date and Time.—From* 1st. Sept. 41 *To* 30 Sept. 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	1941			
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1 Sept.	1000	D.A.D.O.S. re rifles, stationery and checking V.D.C.	
			phamplets.	
	2 Sept.		as above.	
	3 Sept.		Conference Southern Command re re-organisation.	
	4 Sept.		P.A.D. Stationery	
			Southern Command re Petty Cash.	
	5 Sept.		Tng Depot City March.	
	6 Sept.		Southern Command, Mabr Saker Field.	
	8 Sept.		Office Duties.	
	9 Sept.		Office Duties.	
	10 Sept.		P.M.G. to Mr Dean re V.P's and V.D.C.	
	11 Sept.		Sq.Ldr. Green R.A.A.F. re A.C.B's.	
	13 Sept.		Re New Plan required to include A.C.B's.	
			Re No. of Rifles to be issued.	
	15 Sept.		Duty Officer.	
		2000	V.D.C. Meeting 2000 hrs.	

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

Unit H.Q. No.6 (MELBOURNE) SUB AREA *Date and Time—From* 1st Sept. 41 *To* 30 Sept. 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 16Sept.		Air Force re A.O.B's Southern Command.	
	17 Sept.		Work on Op. Orders.	
	18 Sept.		Work on Op. Orders.	
	19 Sept.		Work on Op. Orders.	
	20 Sept.		Foster Lecture. Programme lecturing 1,a,3,4,5,& 6.	
	21 Sept.		R.A.A.F. No 1 Tng Grp.	
	24 Sept.		W/Commander Waters re Aerodrome Defence. Work on Op. Orders.	
	25 Sept.		Work on Op. Plan and handing over to successor.	
	26 Sept.		Work on Op. Plan and handing over to successor.	
	27 Sept.		Work on Op. Plan and handing over to successor.	
	29 Sept.		Major Norton marching out. Capt. H. Robinson from 4 Tng Bn Darley takes over duties.	
	30 Sept.		Checking area Boundaries on maps. Fixing maps in Map Room.	
			Fld Returns	Appx "A"

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q. 76 Coast Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Major	78334	Norton C C	H.Q. 76 Coast Sub Area	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	76332	Turnbuck R.F.	12th Hy Bty Auckland	17/5/41	Attached for Duty

H.Q. 76 Coast Sub Area (Unit.)

6 - SEP 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

H. D. Nicholls Capt (Signature of Commander.)

H.Q. 76 Coast Sub Area (Base, Dtns., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

of X Fd Coy Aust Engrs (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	VX33449	Horton E C	Aust Engrs	Yes	
			Aust Staff Corps	Yes	

(II) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	VX232	Trimboli K F	2/3 Fd Coy Aust Engrs	12/5/41	Left in Unit

X Fd Coy Aust Engrs (Unit.)

13 SEP 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

Q. E. Rochester Capt (Signature of Commander.)

OC X Fd Coy Aust Engrs (Title, Dtsn, Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H & No 6 Melb Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Major	Weavers C J W	No 5 Seymour Sub Area.	21-9-41	Transferred from No 5 (Seymour) Sub Area

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	V83349	Norton C E	H & No 6 Melb Sub Area	Yes	
Major	V71693	Weavers C J W	H & No 6 Melb Sub Area	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	V6332	Farnbach R J	12 Mt Ins See Hdqs	12/7/41	Att. for Duty

H & No 6 Melb Sub Area (Unit.)

20 SEP 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

[signature] (Signature of Commander.)

H & No 6 Melb Sub Area. (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ 2 Hd Melbourne Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Robinson H	4 Fd Bn Artillery	22/9/41	Transferred from HQ 2 Cdn Div for duty as Adjt HQ 2 Melb Sub Area

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Colonel	VX33469	Norton C C	HQ 2 Cdn Div & HQ 2 Melb Sub Area	Yes	
Major	VX1193	Weavers C J H	" "	Yes	
Capt	VX30172	Robinson H	" "	Yes	

(II) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	VX6352	Murdoch R F	2/12 Bn Australian Infantry	1-7-41	Adjt 2 Melb Sub Area

HQ 2 Melb Sub Area
(Unit.)

29-9-41
(Date of Despatch.)

[signature]
(Signature of Commander.)

HQ 2 Melb Sub Area
(Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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No.6.(Melb) Sub Area.
MELBOURNE. S.C.1 Craigs.

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WAR DIARY & APPENDICES

Herewith War Diary and Appendices for the month of OCTOBER 1941 for H.Q. No. 6. (Melbourne) Sub Area.

ENCLOSURE

F.L. Oldham Capt
for G S O 1.
H.Q. No. 6. (Melb) Sub Area.

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Unit H.Q. No. 6. (MELBOURNE) SUB AREA. *Date and Time—From* 1 OCT 1941. *To* 16 Oct 41

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 1 Oct		Mapping Area Boundaries. Checking Manning Detail at Anzac House.	
	2		Making out Op Plan. Visited S Comd re Petty Cash.	
	3		Making out Plan	
	4		Making out Plan	
	6		Op. Plan completed. Handed over to Capt F.S. Oldham.	
	7.		Capt F.S. Oldham(4 Tng Bn Darley)took over duties.	
	8		Office duties.	
	9		Capt F.S. Oldham returned to Darley to hand over duties at Darley.	
	10.		Capt F.S. Oldham at Darley.	
	11		Capt F.S. Oldham at Darley.	
	13		Capt F.S. Oldham visited No. 2. O T S Bonegilla.	
	14		ditto	
	15		ditto	
	16		Office work - preparation of lectures to V D C	

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit H.Q. No.6.(Melbourne)Sub Area *Date and Time.—From* 17 Oct 41 *To* 31 Oct 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Craigs Buildings.	1941 17 Oct		Office work - preparation of lectures to V D C	
	18		Office work.	
	20		Work on Corangamite exercise.	
	2D	2000	Visited Westgarth Central School - Lectured to V D C	
	21		Corangamite Exercise.	
	22		ditto	
	23		ditto	
	23	2000	Visited Lilydale and lectured to V D C	
	24		Coorangamite exercise	
	25		ditto	
	27		Office duties	
	27	2000	Visited Moonee Ponds, Lectured to V D C.	
	28		Office duties.	
	29		Visited Anzac House re V D C Strengths	
	30		Office duties	
	30	2000	Visited Caulfield - Lectured to V D C	
	31		Office duties.	
			Field Returns	Appx "A"

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HX Job (Melb) Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Robinson H	4 Inf Bn	27/9/41	Taken on Strength from 4 Inf Bn

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Lt Major	Norton	HX Job (Melb) Sub Area	27/9/41	Transferred to 3 Dist Melbourne 37 Bn AMF

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	V71693	Weavers C J W	HX Job (Melb) Sub Area	Yes	
Capt	V50172	Robinson H	"	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	V6332	Farnbach H	12 Fd Hq Section	1/1/41	[illegible] Duty

HX Job (Melbourne) Sub Area (Unit.)

[illegible] (Signature of Commander.)

4-10-41 (Date of Despatch.)

HX S/Bond Inf Depot (Bde., Dion., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q. 76 Fd Hdqtrs Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Tibbenson H	HQ 76 Fd Hdqtrs Sub Area	7/10/41	Transferred to H.Q. by Bde Orders

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
c Major	71693	Weavers G J N.	HQ 76 Sub Area	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt.	76332	Swinback R J	12th Fld Hyg Section	15/9/41	Asst for Sanitary Duty

H.Q. 76 (Hdqtrs) Sub Area (Unit.)

1 OCT. 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

[signature] (Signature of Commander.)

H.Q. 2nd Line Base Depots (Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HK 26th (Fd) Sect Coca (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	71673	Weavers G J W.	HK No 6	Yes	
			Sect 1	Yes	
			Sect Coca		

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	16332	Jamback K J	12th Lancers Seconded	12/9/14	Ord Officer

HK 26th (Fd) Sect Coca (Unit.)

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(Signature of Commander.)

HK 2nd Div Troops

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ. 6(MELB) SUB AREA (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
T/MAJOR	V81693	WEAVERS C.J.W.	HQ 6(MELB) SUB AREA	NO	DETACHED TO S. COAD TNG SCHOOL COURSE NO. 34

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT.	V6332	FARNBACH RJ.	12 FLD HYGIENE SECTION	12.3.41	ATT. FOR DUTY.

HQ 6(MELB) SUB AREA (Unit.)

(Date of Despatch.)

[signature] BRIGADIER (Signature of Commander.)

HQ 6(MELB) SUB AREA (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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Craigs.

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WAR DIARY & APPENDICES

Herewith above for the month of NOVEMBER 41 for H.Q. No. 6. (Melb) Sub Area.

F.S. Oldham Col.
for G S O 1.
HQ No. 6. (Melb) Sub Area.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit H.Q. S (Melb) Sub Area ..... Date and Time.—From 1 Novr 41 ..... To 26 Novr 41....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 1 Novr		Office Duties	
	3		ditto	
	4		ditto	
	5		Arranging V D C Week End Camp.	
			Capt Oldham lectured to V D C at Westgarth	
	6		Capt Oldham visited S Comd re training films.	
	7		Capt Oldham attended Lecture at S Comd by Maj Gen Dawson	
			~~Capt Oldham attended & addressed V D C at C.T.A. Melbourne.~~	
	8		Capt Oldham attended V D C week-end School at Darley.	
	9		ditto	
	10		Capt Oldham to S Comd re Syllabus for V D C Schools.	
	11		Office Duties.	
	12		Capt Oldham to S Comd re op plan	
	13		Capt Oldham to S Comd re Working Dress for V D C School.	
	14		Capt Oldham to S Comd re explosives for V D C	
	15		Capt Oldham attended V D C School at Darley	
	16		ditto	
	17		Office Duties. Capt Pollett returned from Wooloomanata.	
	18		Office Duties.	
	19		Capt Oldham attended conference at S Comd on VDC tng.	
	22		Capt Pollett attended V D C School at Darley.	
	23		ditto	
	24		Capt Oldham attended S Comd School Seymour, Senior Officers Course	
	25		~~Lt. Lipman joined Area Staff for Mobile VDC School.~~	
	26		Capt Pollett & Lt. Lipman recce Essendon Aerodrome.	

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit H.Q. 6 (Melb) Sub Area *Date and Time.—From* 27 NOVR 1941 *To* 30 Novr 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941. 27 Novr		Capt Oldham returned from Seymour.	
			Capt Pollett left for Seymour. VDC Bn Conference.	
	28		Preparation of V D C Syllabus.	
	29		Capt Oldham attended V D C School Darley.	
	30		Capt Oldham attended V D C School Darley.	
			Field Returns Officers	Appendix "A"
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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q. 6 (Mob) Sub Area
(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	86293	WEAVERS. C.T.W.	HQ 6 Melb Sub Area	No	Detached to Electrl. Fitg School Course 10 Days

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	86332	FARNBACH. R.J.	12 Fld Hyg Sect	12.7.41	Attached for duty

HQ 6 Melb Sub Area
8-Nov-41 (Unit.)
(Date of Despatch.)

[signature] Brigade
(Signature of Commander.)
HQ 6 Melb Sub Area
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q.C. (Mtl.) Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
MAJOR	V 81693	WEAVERS. C.J.W.	H Q 6 FIELD SUB AREA	~~NO~~ YES	~~DETACHED TO~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
CAPT.	V. 6332	FARNBACK R.J.	13 FLD AYG SECTION	12.7.41	ATTACHED FOR DUTY

H.Q.C. Mtl Sub Area (Unit.)

[illegible] BRIGADIER (Signature of Commander.)

15. 11. 41 (Date of Despatch.)

H.Q.C. Mtl Sub Area (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

[illegible] Sub Area

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	V81693	Weavers C.J.W.	[illegible] Sub Area	Yes.	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt.	V6332	Farnback R.J.	12 Fd Fy Regt	11-7-41	A.H. for Deptg

[illegible] Sub Area
(Unit.)

[illegible] Brigadier
(Signature of Commander.)

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[illegible] Comd. Fy Depot
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

H.Q. 6 Bde Sub Area (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major.	41693	Weaver. G.H.	AOD No 6 Base Sub Area	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	16332	Lemtech R.J.	12 Fd Coy R.E.	12.7.41	Attd for Duty

H.Q. 6 Bde Sub Area (Unit.)

29 Nov 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

[illegible] (Signature of Commander.)

H.Q. 6 Bde Sub Area (Bde., Div., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. 6 Mtn Sub Area (Unit) 29 Nov 1944 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
V-Cpl 1	19 Mtn Hyg Section		

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

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

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Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanisers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
Totals (to agree with Columns 2 and 4 of Part A.)								

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

H.Q. 6 Mtn Sub Area
Unit.

[illegible] Brigadier
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 29 Nov 1944

H.Q. 6 Mtn Sub Area
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. 6 Mill Sub Area (Unit) 22-11 19 41 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
V/Cpl 1	12 Fld. Hyg. Section		

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

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

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H.Q. 6 Mill Sub Area Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concretors			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanisers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
Totals (to agree with Columns 2 and 4 of Part A.)								

Notes—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

H.Q. 6 Mill Sub Area Unit.

[illegible] Brigadier
Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 22-11-41

[illegible] Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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(Adapted)

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. 6 Bde. Sub Area. (Unit) 15th Nov. 1941 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 Cpl. 1	12 FLD. HYGIENE SECTION.		

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

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

A.F. 2m 10m 5/41

H.Q. 6 Bde. Sub Area. Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operaters			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Asmmen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predicter Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operaters			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Rivetters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operaters			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operaters			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concreters			Jointers			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
Totals (to agree with Columns 2 and 4 of Part A.)								

Remarks.—If any other than Private is involved give details on back.
Any Specialist Tradesmen Details not included in list above will be added as required on separate Form.

H.Q. 6 Bde. Sub Area. Unit.

Date of Despatch 15.11.41

Lt Col Langdon BRIGADIER. Signature of Commander.

H.Q. 6 Bde. Sub Area. Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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Army Form W.3009 (page 1) (Adapted).

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. 6 Div Sub Units. (Unit) 8 Nov. 1941 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

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

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
V.Cpl. - 1.	12 FD HYGIENE SECTION		

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

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

H.Q. 6 Div Sub Unit. Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predicter Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks			Height Takers			Riveters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Conchmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concreters			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks			Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesman			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Knitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanisers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Waterman		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Paviors					
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)								

Signature of Officer Commanding Unit.

Date of Despatch 8-Nov-41

BRIGADIER

Signature of Commander.

H.Q. 6 Div Sub Unit

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

NOTE RE DESIGNATION.

From May to November 1941 shown as No. 6 (Melbourne) Sub Area.

December 1941, shown as Headquarters Melbourne L of C Area.

From January 1942 onwards shown as Headquarters No. 7 Melbourne L of C Sub Area.

INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required).

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

Unit....H.Q. Melb. L. of C. Area. *Date and Time.—From* 13th Dec. *To* 20th Dec. 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
Craig's, Melb.	13th Dec		A message was received by this H.Q. from H.Q. S. Comd the text of which was as follows, "Reference operation instruction four Para 31. Timing D 1 is 15 Dec." A verbal check was made on this message by the G.S.O. I and it was discovered that Para 31 should have read "para 34". Col. Thomson then gave instructions that no action was to be taken on this message until advice from him. A subsequent message arrived with this correction. On 15 Dec a further message was received stating that S.Comd 015 (see above) had been addressed in error and should have been repeated only.	Log Diary Messages 12,2,4,17.
	14th Dec.		Movement of Sig Tng Depot from Bonegilla to Bendigo was completed 13/12 also A.A.S.C. Tng Depot move to Broadmeadows completed (1600 hrs 14/12). Eng Tng Depot move to Echuca completed (17/12). Information passed on from S.Comd advised that protection for aircraft on ESSENDON aerodrome will now include civil and	

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Army Form C.2118
(adapted.)

Unit ..... Date and Time.—From ..... To .....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			that all planes were to be dispersed around the aerodrome	
			especially at night, average number of civil airliners up to	
			five, 12 Grn Bn was taking the necessary action.	This was observed
			In view of wide spread JAPANESE air activity concealment	being done also at POINT COOK and at LAVERTON, at the
			and dispersion of all tps and transport on all occasions is to	latter drome air-
			be rigidly enforced, provision for slit trenches in all camps	craft were seen
			and H.Q. is to be made where practicable, also dummy and	dispersed with bomb
			alternative positions to be dug.	load (Wirraways).

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C.2113 (adapted.)

Unit H.Q. MELBOURNE L of C Area Date and Time.—From 14 DEC 41 To 20 Dec 41

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941		Copy of H.Q. S Comd 123700 (Establishment of L of C Areas 3MD)	Appx "A"
	15 Dec		Detachment A A M C personnel for tng	M/O 166 " "B"
	15		Transfer of Engr Tng Depot to Echuca	
	15		M U R Medical Wing	M/O 167 " "C"
	15		Recruit Movement. RRD to Puckapunyal, Wangaratta. Bonegilla. Darley, Bendigo, Fishermens Bend & Flemington Road	M/O 168 " "D"
	16		Secret. (File 38/3/312) AIF personnel - allotment for special duty	" "E"
	14		Transfer AASC Tng Depots from Fishermens Bend to Broadmeadows	M/O 170 " "F"
	14		S C T D R/O No. 53/41	" "G"
	17		Recruit Movement. RRD to Puckapunyal. Echuca. Bendigo. Darley & Bonegilla	M/O 171 " "H"
	19		Recruit Movement. AIF Details Depot Caulfield to Puckapunyal Echuca. Bendigo & Darley	M/O 172 " "I"
	18		S C T D R/O 54/41	" "J"
	20		S C T D R/O No. 55/41	" "K"
			Intelligence Summary	" "L"

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

Unit.....H.Q...MELBOURNE L. of C. Area *Date and Time.—From*...22 Dec 41..... *To*... 26 Dec 41.....

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	1941 Dec 22		A A O C Bendigo. 21 O/Rs to 4 Fd Sqn RAE Bonegilla.	
			2 NX and 1 QX to E & N Command ex Caulfield.	
			Eastern Command to Foster 2 Off and 66 O/Rs.	
			~~Capt Martin & Capt Longmuir (1st Mec Equip Coy RAE) to~~	
			Caulfield selection Parade	
	23		Brig Luxton & Major Hutchens to Southern Command.	
			Col. Balfe & Capt Pollit to Darley.	
			~~14 A.A. from R & R R D to 7 M.D. - 2 Off and 72 O/Rs~~	
			2/40 Bn from B/Marsh to 7 M.D. - 1 Off and 97 O/Rs	
	24		Recruit Movement. Caulfield to Puckapunyal. Echuca. Bendigo. Darley & Broadmeadows.	M/O 173 Appx "M"
			E Comd. 2 Offs & 44 O/Rs to Foster.	
			~~(16 A.A.) 200 M.T. Dvrs R & R R D to (7 M.D.) Alice Springs.~~	
			Capt Martin to Caulfield - selection parade.	
			Capt Loughrey to Southern Command.	
	25		Major Hutchens to Southern Command	
	26		Major Sexton Spencer St - 39 Bn.	
			~~Emu Force & 39 Bn ex R & R R D~~ & Darley.	
			Major Hutchens S Comd Base H.Q.	
	29		Adm Order No. 2/41 . Personnel for 7 MD (Secret)	" "N"
	~~26~~		~~Recruit Movement. Caulfield to Puckapunyal. Wangaratta. Bendigo.~~	
			Darley & Broadmeadows	M/O 174 " "O"
	26		R/O No. 56/41	" "P"

Army Form C.2118 (adapted.)

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Unit H.Q. MELBOURNE L of C Area *Date and Time.—From* 29 DEC 41 *To* 31 Dec 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	1941			
CRAIGS BUILDINGS	29 Dec		Recruit Movement. Caulfield to Puckapunyal. Wangaratta. Bendigo Darley & Echuca.	M/O 175 Appx "Q"
	30) 31)		Secret. Pers for 4 Ind Coy	M/O 176 " "R"
	29) 30)		Secret. Reinforcements Malaya - Concon at Darley	M/O 177 " "S"
	21		MLC R/O No. 57/41	" "T"
	21		" " " 58/41	" "U"
	31		Recruit Movement. Caulfield to Puckapunyal. Bendigo. Darley. & Echuca.	M/O 178 " "V"
	30		U.S. Personnel for 2 Bde & 2 Cav Div.	M/O 179 " "W"
	27		Major Sexton to R & R R D. Brig Luxton & Lt. Col. Balfe & Capt Loughrey to VDC Lilydale.	
	28		New D R L S commences 29/12/41. - Darley. Ballarat & Melbourne.	
			2/14 Fd Regt. 23 Inf Bde. 2/21 Bn, 108 L A D to 7 M.D. 4 Off 7 M.D.	
	29		Major Sexton to S Comd H.Q.	
	30		Major Sexton to Olympic Park, AASC and R & R R D. Lieut Harrold to Olympark Park.	
			Brig Luxton & Capt Loughrey to R & R R D Major Hutchens to S Comd Base. 134 P.O.W. in transit.	
			Field Returns Offrs.	" X
			" " V/O Offs	" Y
	31		Brig Luxton. Col Balfe & Capt Loughrey to VDC Lilydale. " " O/Rs	" Z

Capt Martin Caulfield selection Parade.
300 ex Royal Park to 4 Bde Gp Bonegilla. 67 O/Rs ex 1 Armd Div to Caulfield concentrate Ord Gps.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES : SOUTHERN COMMAND

"A"

339 Swanston Street
MELBOURNE C 1.

123700

20th December 1941.

COMMAND ORGANISATION ADMINISTRATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE A.M.F. WAR IN AUSTRALIA

ESTABLISHMENT OF L. OF C. AREAS
3 M.D.

1. In accordance with the authority contained in S.M.15939 of 5th December, 1941, immediate action as under will be taken in 3 M.D. to organise Melbourne and Western L. of C. Areas - Seymour and Albury L. of C. Areas being already established - The numbers now allotted to each of these areas are under revision and new numbers will be promulgated shortly.

(a) H.Q. 3 MD. Tng. Depots will cease to function as such, and will carry out the duties of H.Q. Melb. L. of C. Area from the present location at Craigs Buildings.

Brig. D.A.LUXTON at present appointed as Comdr. 3rd Dist. Tng. Depots is appointed to administer Command Melb. L. of C. Area.

(b) Lt.Col. D. KEITH at present appointed as C.O. 2nd Tng. Bn. is appointed to administer command of 3 Inf. Tng. Bde, and also a s commandant Darley Camp under H.Q. Western L. of C. Area vice Col. J.W.MITCHELL appointed to administer another Command.

(c) H.Q. 3 Grn. Bde. will move from 138 Flinders St. Melb. to Ballarat Drill Hall and will there function as H.Q.Western L. of C. Area - Col. B.O.C.DUGGAN at present appointed as Comdr. 3rd. Grn. Bde. is appointed to administer Command of Western L. of C. Area.

2. As no War Establishment for H.Q. of the L. of C. Areas authorised for 3 M.D. has yet been approved Comdrs. are authorised to utilise existing staffs at their disposal for H.Q. L. of C. Area duties. Draft W. Estabs. for each L. of C. area H.Q. will be prepared and submitted to A.H.Q. for approval.

3. The functions of each L. of C. Area Comdr. are summarised as under:

(i) He is responsible to Base H.Q. S. Comd. for the defence of his Area and relations with the civil authorities.

(ii) The V.D.C. and all units, training depots and schools (other than Army Schools) located in his Area are under his Command excepting units of the Fd. Army or <u>others specially excepted</u>.

(iii) He is responsible to Base H.Q. S. Comd. that the training policy as ordered is strictly adhered to.

(iv) In the case of P. of W. and Internee camps in his area he is responsible for the security and maintenance of the prisoners and internees, but is not [redacted] with other matters affecting them and is not empowered to move them from one compound to another.

(v) He will not interfere with the technical working of any service within his area or of the recruiting organisation which is the responsibility of the head of the particular service at Base H.Q. S . Comd.

(vi) R.T.O.s will be stationed in areas as required for the control of rail movement of troops and stores through the area. These officers will operate under instructions from the H.C.O. Rail at Base H.Q. S Comd. and will place demands on him for trains required for movement commencing within the area.

(vii) The A.I.F. and A.M.F. Depots located at Caulfield and Royal Park respectively come under command of Comdr. Malb. Area who will arrange for despatch of drafts from these Depots as directed by the A.A.G. (Organisation) Base H.Q S.Comd. He will be further responsible for the concentration of drafts for embarkation and inter command transfer and for supervising the preparation of embarkation nominal rolls and the security of the wharves and railway stations in Malb. Area during movement.

(Signed) W.M.ALGIE Lt-Col.
A.A.G., SOUTHERN COMMAND .

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H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots.
Craigs Buildings.
MELBOURNE. C. 1.
11 Dec 41.

S Comd Tng Depots
Movement Order No. 166.

DETACHMENT A A M C PERSONNEL
FOR TRAINING.

24 O/Rs at present detached to 115 A.G. Hospital Heidelberg will return to A A M C Tng Depot Wangaratta by 1840 hrs train ex Sponcer Street on Monday 15 Dec 41.

115 A G H will supply necessary bulk rail warrant, also early evening meal prior to move out.

25 O/Rs at present at A A M C Tng Depot will leave Wangaratta on 0748 hrs train on Monday 15 Dec 41 for 115 A G H Heidelberg where they will be accommodated and trained.

Draft Conducting N C O to be appointed by A A M C Tng Depot for outward journey. This N C O will return to Wangaratta with draft from 115 A G H.

A A M C Tng Depot will supply warrant for draft from Wangaratta.

Draft Conducting N C O will report to R T O Spencer St on arrival on both forward and return journey.

Major
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots.

DISTRIBUTION

A A M C Tng Depot Wangaratta
115 A G H Heidelberg.
Camp Commandant Royal Park.
R T O Spencer St.
M C O (Rail) S Comd
A D M S.
D A Q M G (for information)
A D P O
D R O (3)
3 District Accounts.
D A D (Posts) S Comd
H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots:
Brigadier.
G S O 1
A A & Q M G (2)
War Diary
Letter Book
File
Spares (6)

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - SOUTHERN COMMAND.

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H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots.
Craigs Buildings.
MELBOURNE. C. 1.
11 Dec 41.

S Comd Tng Depots
Movement Order No. 167

M U R - MEDICAL WING.

PERSONNEL — 4 Officers and 260 O/Rs of Medical Wing M U R will proceed to Bonegilla on Special train ex Spencer St 0925 hrs Monday 15 Dec 41.

Major T.E. Lowe M U R will be O/C troops.

Major J.S. Duffy 6 Tng Dn will be O/C train and will report to R T O Spencer St at 0830 hrs 15 Dec 41.

RAIL WARRANT — Rail Warrant will be issued by H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots.

Personnel will assemble in Car Park Area near R T O's Office at 0830 hrs 15 Dec 41.

Captain

Major.
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots.

DISTRIBUTION

M U R Bonegilla (3)
Camp Commandant Bonegilla.
Major T.E. Lowe.
Major J.S. Duffy.
R T O Spencer St
M C O (Rail) S Comd
HQ. No. 9 Reserve Base.
A D M S
3 District Accounts.
A D S & T
D S & T
D F O
D A D (Posts) S Comd
A D F O
D R O (3)
A & M G(Q)
HQ. S Comd Tng Depots:
Brigadier.
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DISTRIBUTION: MOVEMENT ORDER No. 168. of DEC 12. 1941.

4 Fd Sqn R A E DONEGILLA.
D A Q M G (M) S Comd
H.Q. S Comd Inf Tng Bde DARLEY (4)
H.Q. Armrd Div 441 St. Kilda Road.
H.Q. No. 5. (Seymour) Sub Area
H.Q. No. 9 (Albury) Reserve Base.
Camp Commandant ROYAL PARK (4)
Camp Commandant PUCKAPUNYAL
Camp Commandant DONEGILLA
HQ. 2 Armd Tng Regt PUCKAPUNYAL
Engr Tng Depot DONEGILLA
Cav Tng Sqn Puckapunyal
Sig Tng Depot Donogilla
Arty Tng Regt Puckapunyal (2)
A A S C Tng Depot Fishermens Bend.
A A M C Tng Depot Wangaratta
Postal Tng Depot Flemington Road.
A A O C Tng Depot Bendigo.
D C Os H.Q. S Comd Inf Tng Bde c/- R R D ROYAL PARK
Engr Tng Depot ditto
Arty Tng Regt ditto
AASC Tng Depot ditto
A A M C Tng Depot ditto
Sig Tng Depot ditto
Armd Tng Regt ditto
Cav Tng Sqn ditto
Postal Tng Depot ditto
A A O C Tng Depot ditto
D F O
D A D (Posts) S Comd
A D F O (S M D)
D R O (3)
3 District Accounts -
A D M S. S Comd
M C O (Rail) S Comd
A Q M G (Q) for information
R T O Seymour
R T O Albury
R T O Spencer St
Lt. Col. E.J. Parks. D.S.O., M.C.
H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots:

Brigadier.
G S O 1
A A & Q M G
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File
Spares (10)
Letter Book

SOUTHERN COMMAND TRAINING DEPOTS MOVEMENT ORDER No.133, DEC.12, 1941.

SERIAL No.	A R M	RECEIVING UNIT	DRAFT STRENGTH D C O 0.NCO	RECRUITS ex R R D	TOTAL 0.0.R	ENTRAIN	DETRAIN	REMARKS.
1.	Armd Div	Armd Tng Regt	1	23		ROYAL PK 0625 hrs	SEYMOUR 0905 hrs	MONDAY 15 DEC. 41. Arrive Spencer St 0635 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0700 hrs. Camp Comdt Puckapunyal will arrange M. T. to Camp.
	do	do (Sigs)		4				
	do	Armd Bde H/shops		3	31			
	Cav	Cav Tng Sqn	1	4	5			
	Arty	Arty Tng Regt	1	7				
	A.A.	ditto		6				
	Arty Dvrs	ditto		7	21			
2.	A A M C	AAMC Tng Depot	1	15	16	ROYAL PK 0715 hrs	WANGARATTA 1231 hrs	MONDAY 15 DEC. 41. Arrive Spencer St 0725 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0755 hrs.
3.	Engineers	Engr Tng Depot	1	3	4	ROYAL PK 0715 hrs	BONEGILLA 1421 hrs	MONDAY 15 DEC. 41. Arrive Spencer St 0725 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0755 hrs. Arrive Wangaratta 1231 hrs. Lunch - Depart Wangaratta 1251 hrs. Arrive Wodonga 1355 hrs - Change trains - Leave Wodonga 1405 hrs.
	Sigs	Sig Tng Depot	1	11	12			
	Armd Div	4 Fd Sqn R A E		2	2			
4.	Infantry	4 Tng Bn	1 2	35		ROYAL PK 0740 hrs	BACCHUS M 0935 hrs	MONDAY 15 DEC. 41. Arrive Spencer St 0750 hrs. Change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0825 hrs. Bde Darley to arrange M/T B/Marsh to Darley.
	do	M.T.Drivers		14				
	do	6 Tng Bn M.G.S		4				
	Pioneers	6 Tng Bn		3	1 58			
5.	Ordnance	AOC Tng Depot	1	33	34	ROYAL PK 1356 hrs	BENDIGO 1755 hrs	MONDAY 15 DEC. 41. Arrive Spencer St 1406 hrs - Change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 1435 hrs.
6.	A A S C	AASC Tng Depot	1	9		EBBUS ROYAL PARK 1500 hrs		MONDAY 15 DEC. 41. AASC to arrange transport to report to RRD Royal Pk 1500 hrs and convoy personnel to Fishermens Bend.
	Armd Div (AASC)	AASC Tng Depot		4	14			
7.	Postal	Postal Tng D.	1	1	2			MONDAY 15 DEC 41. Postal Tng D to make own arrangements.

WARRANTS for serials 1,2,3,4 & 5 (inclusive) will be provided by C/O RRD ROYAL PARK.

£ 59 for midday meal at Wangaratta for Serial No. 3. will be provided to D C O by C/O R R D ROYAL PARK.

J. Martin Capt
Major
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - SOUTHERN COMMAND

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SECRET

H.Q. S Comd Inf Trng Bde. DARLEY (12)

H.Q. S Comd Trng Depots.
Craigs Buildings.
MELBOURNE. C. 1.
12 Dec. 41.

A I F PERSONNEL - ALLOTMENT SPECIAL DUTY.

Further to this H.Q. 28040 (Secret) of 12 Dec 41, the following additional instructions are issued.

1. DETAIL ORGANIZATION The four Rifle Coys to be formed will be divided into two Groups each of two Companies. Groups will be designated No. 1 & No. 2 and allotted to Stations under directions P.P. Frt.

2. COMPOSITION GROUPS & COYS.

No. 1. Group	O/C	Major J.B.S. Matthew.
No. 1. Company	O/C	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde
	2 i/c	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde.
	4 Coy Offs	Reft Offs U.S. 14 - 2/5, 2/6 Bns
	166 O/Rs	
No. 2. Company	O/C	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde.
	2 i/c	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde.
	4 Coy Offs	Reft Offs U.S. 14 - 2/7 & 2/43 Bns
	166 O/Rs	Reft U.S. 14 2/7 and 2/43 Bns.
No. 2. Group	O/C	Major W. Morrison E.D.
No. 3. Company	O/C	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde
	2 i/c	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde.
	4 Coy Offs	Reft Offs U.S. 14 2/14 & 2/[illegible] Bns
	166 O/Rs	
No. 4. Company	O/C	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde
	2 i/c	Detailed by S Comd Inf Trng Bde.
	4 Coy Offs	Reft Offs U.S. 14 2/24 & 2/[illegible] Pioneers
	166 O/Rs	Reft U.S. 14 2/24 & 2/2 Pioneers.

3. OFFICER DETAIL Nominal Roll of Officers detailed for Postings indicated in Para 2 by S Comd Inf Trng Bde will be forwarded to this H.Q. by 1000 hrs 15 Dec 41.

4. COMMAND The Commander of each Group will be responsible under C C D. P P. FRT for the Command, administration and discipline of his group and allotment for duty as required.

5. ARMS & EQUIPMENT All personnel will move fully armed and equipped with full War Equipment. Blankets, Palliasses (packed in bundles of 20's and suitably labelled) and personal mess gear will be taken.

6. S.A.A. STORES - TOOLS. S.A.A. will be loaded on train at Bacchus Marsh. Stores & Tools will be drawn from D A D O S under arrangements by H.Q. S Comd Trng Depots and ready to load on P.S. "Woroona" Pt Melbourne by 0800 HRS on Dec 16. 1941. Under directions of Master P.S. "Woroona" S A A & Stores, Tools etc will be divided into two equal parts for use of each group.

7. MOVEMENT Personnel will move as one Unit from Darley Bacchus Marsh and travel by train.

Depart Bacchus Marsh 0750 hrs. 16 Dec 41.
Arrive Port Melbourne 0930 hrs 16 Dec 41.
Detrain and Embark P.S. "Woroona"

8. DISEMBARKATION Will be carried out under arrangements with P.P. Frt and move to allocated Stations, which will be indicated on arrival.

9. ADMINISTRATION All personnel comprising these groups will be shown on Casualty Returns as 'detached' and not transferred. Instructions regarding pay and other matters will be issued later.

Major.
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots.

Copy to:

C.C.D. P.P. Frt
M C O (Rail) S Comd
M C O (Shipping)
Master P.S. "Moroona"
R T O Spencer St.
B G S. S Comd
A A G S Comd (3)
D A Q M G (M)
A Q M G (Q)
D A D O S
A D M S.
D F O
D R O (3)
D A D (Posts) S Comd
3 Gn Bde
A A S C Tng Depot
R S O P.P. Frt
H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots:

Brigadier.
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H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots.
Craigs Buildings.
MELBOURNE. C. 1.
13 Dec 41.

S Comd Tng Depots
Movement Order No. 170.

TRANSFER A A S C TNG DEPOT FROM FISHERMENS BEND TO BROADMEADOWS.

1. A A S C TRAINING DEPOT personnel and equipment will be transferred from Fishermens Bend to Broadmeadows on 14 Dec 41

2. MOVEMENT to new location will be as follows:-

(a) Advance Party personnel will move from Fishermens Bend by M.T. (3 Vehicles) at 0200 hrs 14 Dec 41.
104 and 120

(b) Res M.T. Coys Advance Party will move from Broadmeadows to Fishermens Bend per A A S C Tng Depot M.T. Res M.T. Coys will be responsible for loading of M.T. in quickest possible time.

(c) Main Body (A A S C Tng Depot) will move by M.T. from Fishermens Bend to Broadmeadows at 1500 hrs. M.T. requirements will be met by 119 Res M.T. Coy plus 3 vehicles of A A S C Tng Depot.

3. CLEANLINESS C/O A A S C Tng Depot will obtain certificate of cleanliness for site evacuated prior to move of main body.

4. CAMP EQUIPMENT A A S C Tng Depot will take all Camp equipment, including office furniture and canteen crockery, previously used by them. Strength of Unit to be catered for - 501 All Ranks.

5. COMPLETION OF MOVE. To be reported to this H.Q. by 'phone.

Major.
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots.

DISTRIBUTION
120 Res M.T. Coy
A A S C Tng Depot.
104 Res M.T. Broadmeadows.
119 Res M.T. Fishermens Bend.
Camp Commandant Broadmeadows.
D G S. S Comd.
D A Q M G (M) S Comd
D A D (Posts) S Comd
S District Accounts.
A D M S. S Comd
A Q M G (Q) S Comd
D P O
A D P O (3)
D R O (3)
H.Q. S Comd Tng Depots:
Brigadier.
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SOUTHERN COMMAND TRAINING DEPOTS MOVEMENT ORDER No.171 DEC.15.1941.

ARM	RECEIVING UNIT	DRAFT STRENGTH D C O O.NCO	RECRUITS ex R R D	TOTAL O.O. R	ENTRAIN	DETRAIN	REMARKS.
Armd Div.	Armd Tng Regt	1	16		ROYAL PK 0625 hrs	SEYMOUR 0905 hrs	WEDNESDAY 17 Dec.41. Arrive Spencer St 0635 hrs, Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0700 hrs. Camp Comdt Puckapunyal will arrange M.T. to Camp.
do	" (AASC)		7				
do	" (Sigs)		2	26			
Arty	2 Fd Tng Regt	1	14				WEDNESDAY 17 Dec.41. Arrive Spencer St 1406 hrs-Change Platforms Leave Spencer St. 1435 hrs.
A.A.	do		4				
Arty Dvrs	do		10	29			
Engs	Eng Tng Depot	1	4	5	ROYAL PK 1356 hrs	ECHUCA 1950 hrs	WEDNESDAY 17 Dec.41. Arrive Spencer St 1406 hrs- Change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 1435 hrs.
Sigs	Signal Tng Depot	1	5	6	ROYAL PK 1356 hrs	BENDIGO 1755 hrs	WEDNESDAY 17 Dec.41. Arrive Spencer St 0750 hrs. Change Platforms. Leave Spencer St. 0825 hrs. Bde Darley to arrange M/T B/Marsh to Darley.
Inf.	4 Tng Bn.	1 2	49		ROYAL PK. 0740 hrs	BACCHUS MARSH 0935 hrs	WEDNESDAY 17 Dec. 41. Arrive Spencer St 0725 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0755 hrs. Arrive Wangaratta 1231 hrs. Lunch- Depart Wangaratta 1251 hrs. Arrive Wodonga 1355 hrs- Change trains- Leave Wodonga 1405 hrs.
do	M.T.Drivers		21				
M.M.G.	6 Tng Bn.		1				
Pioneers	do		3	77			
Armd Div.	4 Fd Sqn RAE	1	6	7	ROYAL PK 0715 hrs	BONEGILLA 1421 hrs	

ARRANTS for serials 1,2,3,4,&5 (inclusive) will be provided by C/O R & RRD ROYAL APRK.

J Martin Capt
Major
A.A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots

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4 Fd Sqn R.A.E.	BONEGILLA
D.A.Q.M.G. (M) S.Comd	
H.Q. S.Comd Inf. Tng Bde	DARLEY (4)
H.Q. Armrd Div.	441 St Kilda Rd
H.Q. No.5 (Seymour) Sub Area	
H.Q. No.9 (Albury) Reserve Base	
Camp Commandant	ROYAL PARK (4)
Camp Commandant	PUCKAPUNYAL
Camp Commandant	BONEGILLA
H.Q. 2 Armd Tng Regt	PUCKAPUNYAL
Engr Tng Depot	ECHUCA
Cav. Tng Sqn	PUCKAPUNYAL
Sig.Tng Depot	BENDIGO
Arty Tng Regt	PUCKAPUNYAL (2)
A.A.S.C. Tng Regt	BROADMEADOWS
A.A.M.C. Tng Depot	WANGARATTA
Postal Tng Depot	FLEMINGTON RD
A.A.O.C. Tng Depot	BENDIGO
D.C.Os H.Q. S.Comd Inf.Tng Bde, c/o R. & R.R.D.	ROYAL PARK
Engr Tng Depot	ditto
Arty Tng Regt.	ditto
A.A.S.C. Tng Depot	ditto
A.A.M.C. Tng Depot	ditto
Sig.Tng Depot	ditto
Armd Tng Regt	ditto
Cav. Tng Sqn	ditto
Postal Tng Depot	ditto
A.A.O.C Tng Depot	ditto
D.F.O.	
D.A.D. (Posts) S.Comd	
D.R.O. (3)	
3 District Accounts	
A D M S S.Comd	
M.C.O. (Rail) S.Comd	
A.Q.M.G. (Q) for information	
R.T.O.	SEYMOUR
R.T.O.	ALBURY
R.T.O.	SPENCER ST
Lt Col. E.J. Parks D.S.O., M.C.	
Capt E.B. Bailey "E" Block, A.H.Q.	Recruits Movement
H.Q. S.Comd Tng Depots :	
	Brigadier
	G.S.O.1
	A.A. & Q.M.G.
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	Letter Book

A.D.F.O. (3 M.D.)

SOUTHERN COMMAND TRAINING DEPOTS MOVEMENT ORDER NO. 172, DEC. 17, 1941.

SERIAL NO.	ARM	RECEIVING UNIT	DRAFT STRENGTH D.C.P. O	D.C.P. NCO	RECRUITS	TOTAL O	TOTAL NCO	ENTRAIN	DETRAIN	REMARKS
										FRIDAY, 19 DEC. 41.
1	Armd Div.	Armd. Tng.Regt.		1	10			CAULFIELD 0608 hrs 19 Dec. 41	SEYMOUR 0905 hrs.	Arrive Spencer St 0627 hrs. Report R.T.O. Leave Spencer St 0700 hrs. Camp Comdt., Puckapunyal will arrange M.T. to Camp
		" Div.Sigs.			1					
		" A.A.S.C.			1		13			
	Arty. Arty Dvrs	2 Fd. Tng.Regt. "		1	5 14		20			
2	Engrs.	Eng. Tng.Depot		1	3		4	CAULFIELD 1341 hrs. 19/12/41	ECHUCA 1950 hrs	Arrive Spencer St 1400 hrs. Report R.T.O. Leave Spencer St 1435 hrs.
3	AAOC	AAOC Tng.Depot		1	34		35	CAULFIELD 1341 hrs. 19/12/41	BENDIGO 1755 hrs.	As for Serial 2.
4	Inf. M.T.	2 Tng.Bn.		1	14			CAULFIELD 1341 hrs. 19/12/41	BACCHUS MARSH 1519 hrs.	Arrive Spencer St. 1400 hrs. Report R.T.O. Leave Spencer St. 1430 hrs.
		2 Tng.Bn.			6		21			

WARRANTS (RAIL) TO BE SUPPLIED BY C.O., A.I.F., "D" DEPOT, CAULFIELD.

J. Martin Capt
Major,
A.A. & Q.M.G.
S. Comd. Tng. Depots.

DISTRIBUTION : MOVEMENT ORDER NO. 172 of 17th DECEMBER, 1941.

D.A.Q.M.G. (M) S. Comd.
H.Q. S. Comd. Inf. Tng. Bde., DARLEY (4)
H.Q. Armrd. Div., 441 St. Kilda Road.
H.Q. No. 5 (Seymour) Sub-Area.
Camp Commandant, A.I.F. "D" Depot, CAULFIELD.
Camp Commandant, PUCKAPUNYAL.
H.Q. 2 Armd. Tng. Regt., PUCKAPUNYAL.
H.Q. Eng. Tng. Depot, ECHUCA.
H.Q. Sig. Tng. Depot, BENDIGO.
H.Q. Arty. Tng. Regt., PUCKAPUNYAL. (2)
H.Q. A.A.O.C. Tng. Depot, BENDIGO.
D.C.Os. H.Q. S. Comd. Inf. Tng. Bde., c/- AIF "D" Depot, CAULFIELD.
Eng.Tng.Depot ditto
2 Fd. Tng.Regt. ditto
Sig. Tng. Depot ditto
Armd. Tng. Regt. ditto
A.A.O.C. Tng. Depot ditto
D.F.O.
D.A.D. (Posts) S. Comd.
A.D.F.O. (3MD)
D.R.O. (3)
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A.D.M.S., S. Comd.
M.C.O. (Rail) S. Comd.
A.Q.M.G. (Q) for information
R.T.O., Seymour.
R.T.O., Spencer St.
Lt.-Col. E.J. Parks, D.S.O., M.C.
Capt. E.B. Baily, "E" Block, Victoria Barracks.
H.Q. S. Comd. Tng. Depots :

Brigadier
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Letter Book

SOUTHERN COMMAND TRAINING DEPOTS MOVEMENT ORDER No. 162. DECEMBER 1. 1941.

SERIAL No.	A R M	RECEIVING UNIT	DRAFT STRENGTH D C O	RECRUITS ex R R D	TOTAL O.R.	ENTRAIN	DETRAIN	REMARKS.
								WEDNESDAY 3 DEC 1941.
1.	Armd Div	Armd Tng Regt	2	26		ROYAL PK 0625 hrs	SEYMOUR 0905 hrs.	Arrive Spencer St 0635 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0700 hrs. Camp Commandant Puckapunyal will arrange M.T. to Camp.
	do	do (Sigs)		14				
	do	do (A A S C)		2	44			
	Cav	Cav Tng Sqn	1	6	7			
								TUESDAY 2 DEC 1941.
	Arty	Arty Tng Regt	1	11		ROYAL PK 0625 hrs	SEYMOUR 0905 hrs	As above.
	A.A.	ditto		7				
	Arty Drivers	ditto		12	31			
								WEDNESDAY 3 DEC 1941.
2.	A A M C	AAMC Tng Depot	1	14	15	ROYAL PK 0715 hrs	WANGARATTA 1231 hrs	Arrive Spencer St 0725 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer Street 0755 hrs.
								WEDNESDAY 3 DEC 1941.
3.	Engineers	Engr Tng Depot	1	13	14	ROYAL PK 0715 hrs	BONEGILLA 1421 hrs	Arrive Spencer St 0725 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0755 hrs. Arrive Wangaratta 1231 hrs - Lunch - Depart Wangaratta 1251 hrs. Arrive Wodonga 1355 hrs - Change trains Leave Wodonga 1405 hrs.
	Sigs	Sig Tng Depot	1	12	13			
								TUESDAY 2 DEC 1941.
4.	Infantry	2 Tng Bn	2	28		ROYAL PK 0740 hrs	BACCHUS MARSH 0935 hrs	Arrive Spencer St 0750 hrs. Change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0825 hrs. 3de Darley to arrange M/T B/Marsh to Darley.
	do	M.T.Drivers		11				
	do	M.Gs		2				
	Pioneers	6 Tng Bn		1	44			
								WEDNESDAY 3 DEC 1941.
5.	A A S C	AASC Tng Depot	1	14	15	BUSES ROYAL PARK 1500 hrs		AASC to arrange transport to report to RRD Royal Pk 1500 hrs and convey personnel to Fishermens Bend.
								WEDNESDAY 3 DEC 1941.
6.	Postal	Postal Tng Depot	1	2	3			Postal Tng D to make own arrangements.

WARRANTS for serials 1,2,3 & 4 (inclusive) will be provided by C/O R R D ROYAL PARK.

P. 59 for midday meal at Wangaratta for Serial No. 3. will be provided to D C O by C/O R R D ROYAL PARK.

J. Martin Capt for
Major
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots.

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DISTRIBUTION. MOVEMENT ORDER No. 132 of 1 Dec. 1941.

D A Q M G (M) S Comd
HQ S Comd Inf Tng Bde DARLEY (4)
HQ Armd Div 441 St Kilda Rd.
HQ No.5 (Seymour) Sub Area
HQ No.9 (Albury) Reserve Base
Camp Commandant ROYAL PARK (4)
Camp Commandant PUCKAPUNYAL
Camp Commandant BONEGILLA
HQ 2 Armd Tng Regt PUCKAPUNYAL
Eng Tng Depot BONEGILLA
Cav Tng Sqn PUCKAPUNYAL
Sig Tng Depot BONEGILLA
Arty Tng Regt PUCKAPUNYAL (2)
AASC Tng Depot FISHERMEN'S BEND
AAMC Tng Depot WANGARATTA
Postal Tng Depot. FLEMINGTON ROAD

D C Os HQ S Comd Inf Tng Bde R R D ROYAL PARK
Eng Tng Depot ditto
Arty Tng Regt ditto
AASC Tng Depot ditto
AAMC Tng Depot ditto
Sig Tng Depot ditto
Armd Tng Regt ditto
Cav Div Tng Sqn ditto
Postal Tng Depot ditto

D F O S Comd
D A D (Posts) S Comd
A D F O (3 MD)
D R O (3)
3 District Accounts Office
A D M S. S Comd
M C O (Rail) S Comd
A Q M G (Q) for information
R T O SEYMOUR
R T O ALBURY
R T O SPENCER STREET

Lt-Col. E.J.PARR D.S.O. M.C.
HQ S Comd Tng Depots

Brigadier
G S O 1.
A A & Q M G (2)
War Diary
File
Spares (10)
Letter Book.

SOUTHERN COMMAND TRAINING DEPOTS MOVEMENT ORDER No. 165 DEC 8. 1941.

SERIAL No.	A R M	RECEIVING UNIT	DRAFT STRENGTH D C O O.NCO	DRAFT STRENGTH RECRUITS ex R R D	DRAFT STRENGTH TOTAL O.O.R.	ENTRAIN	DETRAIN	REMARKS.
1.	Armd Div	Armd Tng Regt	2	24		ROYAL PK 0625 hrs	SEYMOUR 0905 hrs	WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 41. Arrive Spencer St 0635 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0700 hrs. Camp Commandant Puckapunyal will arrange M. T. to Camp.
	do	do (Sigs)		17				
	do	do (A A S C)		6	49			
	~~Inf~~	~~Inf Tng Regt~~		x2	x1			
	Cav	Cav Tng Sqn	1	5	6			
	Arty	Arty Tng Regt	2	18				
	A.A.	ditto		10				
	Arty Drivers	ditto		15	45			
2.	A A M C	AAMC Tng Depot	1	18	19	ROYAL PK 0715 hrs	WANGARATTA 1231 hrs	WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 41. Arrive Spencer St 0725 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer Street 0755 hrs.
3.	Engineers	Engr Tng Depot	1	8	9	ROYAL PK 0715 hrs	BONEGILLA 1421 hrs	WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 41. Arrive Spencer St 0725 hrs. Report to RTO & change Platforms. Leave Spencer St 0755 hrs. Arrive Wangaratta 1231 hrs. Lunch - Depart Wangaratta 1251 hrs. Arrive Wodonga 1355 hrs - Change trains Leave Wodonga 1405 hrs.
	Sigs	Sig Tng Depot	1	22	23			
	Armd Div.	4 Fld Sqn R.A.E.		2	2			
4.	Infantry	2 Tng Bn	2	35		ROYAL PK 1350 hrs	BACCHUS M 1519 hrs	WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 41. Arrive Spencer St 1400 hrs. Change to No. 1. Platform. Leave Spencer St 1430 hrs. Rde Darley to arrange M/T Bacchus Marsh to Darley.
	do	M.T.Drivers		7				
	do	M.Gs		6	50			
5.	Ordnance	AAOC Tng Depot	1	27	28	ROYAL PK 1356 hrs	BENDIGO 1755 hrs	WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 41. Arrive Spencer St 1406 hrs - Change Platforms.Leave Spencer St 1435 hrs.
6.	A A S C	AASC Tng Depot	1	17	18	EMBUS ROYAL PARK 1500 hrs		WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 41. AASC to arrange transport to report to RRD Royal Pk 1500 hrs and convey personnel to Fishermens Bend.
7.	Postal	Postal Tng Depot	1	1	2			WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 41. Postal Tng D to make own arrangements.

WARRANTS for serials 1,2,3,4 & 5 (inclusive) will be provided by C/O RRD ROYAL PARK.
F. 59 for midday meal at Wangaratta for Serial No. 3 will be provided to D C O by C/O R R D ROYAL PARK.

J. Martin Capt Major
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots.

DISTRIBUTION MOVEMENT ORDER No.165 of 8th Dec.1941.

D.A.A.G. (H) S.Comd
H.Q. S.Comd Inf.Trg Bde,DARLEY (4)
H.Q. Armd Div. 441 St Kilda Rd
H.Q. No.5 (Seymour) Sub Area
H.Q. No.9 (Albury) Reserve Base
Camp Commandant ROYAL PARK (4)
Camp Commandant PUCKAPUNYAL
Camp Commandant BONEGILLA
H.Q. 2 Armd Trg Regt, PUCKAPUNYAL
ENG.Trng Depot, BONEGILLA
Cav.Div.Sqn, PUCKAPUNYAL
Sig.Trng Depot, BONEGILLA
Arty Trng Regt, PUCKAPUNYAL (2)
AASC Trng Depot FISHERMENS BEND
AAMC Trng Depot, ALBERTA
Postal Trng Depot, WELLINGTON ROAD
AAOC Trng Depot BENDIGO
D J Os H.Q. S.Comd Inf Trng Bde R.R.D. ROYAL PARK
Eng Trng Depot ditto
Arty Trng Regt ditto
AASC Trng Depot ditto
AAMC Trng Depot ditto
Sig.Trng Depot ditto
Armd Trng Regt ditto
Cav.Div.Trng Sqn ditto
Postal Trng Depot ditto
AAOC Trng Depot ditto
D.P.O. S.Comd
D A D (Posts) S.Comd
A D F O (3 MD)
D R O (3)
3 District Accounts Office
A D M S S.Comd
M C C (Rail) S.Comd
A Q M G (Q) for information
R T O SEYMOUR
R T O ALBURY
R T O SPENCER STREET

Lt Col. E.J. PARKS, D.S.O. M.C.
H.Q. S.Comd Trng Depots
Brigadier
G S O 1
A A & Q M G (2)
War Diary
File
Spares (10)
Letter Book

War Diary (1)

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES - SOUTHERN COMMAND

SECRET

HQ S Comd Tng Depots
Craig's Ridge
MELBOURNE S 1

3 Dec 41

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S Comd Tng Depots
ovement Order No.164.

P. E. LEAVE: TASMANIA.

1. PERSONNEL for P.E.LEAVE to Tasmania will proceed as per Movement Table below.

ERIAL.	DEPART CAMP St.	LEAVE MELB.	RETURN FROM.	R E M A R K S.
s per ominal oll ttached.	SEYMOUR 0735 hrs ALBURY 0650 hrs B'MARSH 0920 hrs 5 Dec. 41.	1515 hrs. 5 Dec.41.	LAUNCESTON on 13 Dec. 41 Arrive MELB 14 Dec.41	All personnel will report toRTO Spencer St.,on Arrival.
	SEYMOUR 0735 hrs ALBURY 0650 hrs B'MARSH 0920 hrs 5 Dec. 41.	1345 hrs 5 Dec.41.	BURNIE on 13 Dec.41. and MELB. 14 Dec.41.	AS ABOVE.
	ALBURY 0650 hrs B'MARSH 0920 hrs FISH.BEND 1100 hrs 8 Dec. 41.	8 Dec. 41.	LAUNCESTON 16 Dec.41. and MELB. 17 Dec.41.	AS ABOVE
	SEYMOUR 0735 hrs B'MARSH 0920 hrs BENDIGO 0700 hrs FISH. BEND.1100 hrs 9 Dec.41.	9 Dec.41.	BURNIE 17 Dec.41. and MELB. 18 Dec.41.	AS ABOVE

2. It is essential that personnel as detailed on attached Nominal Rolls report as per the above instructions and under no circumstances will Units effect any changes as tickets are issued by name to the individual.

3. P.E. LEAVE PASSES will be issued as per Standing Instructions for issue of such passes to Tasmania.

4. All personnel will be instructed that they must return on date for which their passage is booked.

Major
A A & Q M G
S Comd Tng Depots

DISTRIBUTION. MOVEMENT ORDER No.164 of 3Dec. 1941.

NCO (Rail) S Comd
NCO (Shipping) S Comd
Camp Commdt PUCHAP UNYAL
Camp Commdt DONEGILLA
No5 Sub-Area
No8 (Albury) Reserve Base
HQ S Comd Inf Tng Bde DARLEY (3)
RTO Spencer St
RTO Seymour
RTO Albury
2 Cav Div Tng Sqn PUCHAPUNYAL
2 Fld Tng Regt PUCHAPUNYAL
HQ S Comd Eng Tng Depot BONEGILLA
HQ S Comd Sig Tng Depot BONEGILLA
HQ S Comd AAOC Tng Depot BENDIGO
HQ S Comd ASC Tng Depot FISHERMAN'S Bend.
HQ S Comd AAMC Tng Depot HANGARATTA

HQ S Comd Tng Depots
Brigadier
GSO 1
AA & QMG (2)
War Diary
File. Spares (6)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ. Stores Ln. Depot (Unit)

C.S.F. Details
14/12

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	75530	Bone. A.E.G	C.S.F.	No	Stores Ln Depot Base
"	55239	Edwards G.F.	"	No	2 Lieut Ln Depot Perth
"	55239	Lowry R.O.	Details	No	Stores Ln Base Details
"	21595	Duffy J.L.	"	No	" " "
"	51599	Gilbert J.L.T.	"	No	HQ Stores Q. Branch
"	21986	Mackintosh W.	"	No	Stores Ln Base Details
"	39530	Smyth T.H.	"	No	R.S.T.O. Fremantle
"	55270	Cole T.H.	"	No	OC Remounts
Capt.	W.A. 55307	Lynaar G.M.	"	No	HQ Stores Q. Branch
"	55359	Lyman E.C.	"	No	R.S.T.O. Fremantle
	55292	McCreagh F.F.	"	No	Stores Ln Base Depot
	21231	Peters C.	"	No	" " "
	55293	Seal L.S.	"	No	OC Remounts
	21902	Hammington F.	"	No	Stores Ln Base Depot
	55294	Glasson H.B.	"	No	" " "
	55360	Bowers T.J.	"	No	HQ Stores
	55411	Lovett C.J.	"	No	R.S.T. Fremantle
	21902	Hutchison E.E.	"	No	HQ Stores
	55299	Bryant E.S.	"	No	HQ Stores Q Branch
	21910	Lyall-Dyer E.C.	"	No	2 Lieut Ln Depot Perth
	21902	Bonney Lt. E.C.	"	No	HQ Stores
	21902	Wyatt J.L.	"	No	R.S.T. Fremantle
	22303	Rhodes J.L.	"	No	HQ Stores Q Branch

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Lt/Capt	W.A. 51601	Keiton J.F.	2 Lieut Ln Depot Perth	22.11	Att for temp Duty

HQ Stores Ln Depot (Unit.)

6 Dec 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

[signature] Lieut-Colonel (Signature of Commander.)

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ Stoma. Inf Depot (Unit)

a/ Lt-Col Detailed for VD

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

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

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	55305	Bone a D.G.	A.S.C.	No	Stoma Inf Base Depot
	55379	Clark G.J.	Det Supply	No	2 Stoma Inf Base Depot
	55529	Crosby R.O.	VD	No	Stoma Inf Base Depot
	51599	Duffy J.L.	Ophthal.	No	- - -
	51559	Griffiths J.L.E.	"	No	HQ Stoma & Detail.
	51906	Mc Sinclair W.	-	No	Stoma Inf Base Depot
	39320	Smith R.M.	"	No	R.T.C. Saltfleet.
	55570	Cole. S.V.	"	No	DD Recruiting
Capt	55307	Spencer G.N.	"	No	HQ Stoma & Detail.
	55355	Lumsden E.G.	-	No	Inf Inf Base Depot
	55292	O'Dwyer T.K.	-	No	- - - -
	51945	Bothwell T.F.	"	No	AA Bn Gillingham
	51931	Rivers G.	"	No	Inf Inf Base Depot
	55893	Seal L.L.	-	No	DD Recruiting
	51983	Wennington H.B.	-	No	Inf Inf Base Depot
	55294	Bennett H.B.	-	No	- - - -
	55360	Bowen E.J.	-	No	HQ Stoma
	55 mil	Lyell [illegible]	-	No	R.T.C. Saltfleet
	51905	Bradshaw F.L.	"	No	HQ Stoma Depot
	55399	Burgess [illegible]	-	No	HQ Stoma Depot
	51910	Fyffe-Drake J.	-	No	2 Inf Bde
	51902	Hamilton-Leask J.	-	No	HQ Stoma
	52002	Lingell J.L.	-	No	R.T.C. Saltfleet
	55303	Noble J.L.	-	No	HQ Stoma Depot

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
T/Capt	155006	Morton J.T.	2 Inf Bde	22.9.41	Attd for Temp Duty

HQ Stoma. Inf Depot (Unit.)

13 Dec 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

B.C. Lumsden Brigadier (Signature of Commander.)

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

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

HQ Sqmn L of C Depot (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
Brig Chief	1		
Lieut.-Colonels	1		1
Majors	2	2	
Captains	1		5
Lieutenants	1	1	
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	6	3	6

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Brig Chief	V-2366	Loxton D.W.	HQ Sqmn L of C Depot	Yes	
Lt Col	V-57000	Bayfe S.H.		Yes	
Major	V-1133	Sinclair J.McL	"	Yes	
Major	V-21239	Sexton G.F.	"	Yes	
Capt	V-19613	Loudoun S.H.	"	Yes	
Lieut	V-14362	Shand S.McC.	"	Yes	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS.

SUBSTANTIVE RANK.	PERSONAL NO.	NAME & INITIALS	CORPS	DATE OF ATTACHMENT	NATURE OF DUTY
CAPT.	V7085	POLLETT C.J.P.	4 TRG BN	6/10/41	Per Duty Temp.
CAPT.	V12371	DEVERSON E.G.	ENG.TRG.	10/10/41	"
CAPT.	V50175	GLDHAM F.N.	4 TRG BN	14/12/41	"
LIEUT.	V142854	RIGHTH L.A.	2 TRG BN	15/11/41	"
LIEUT.	V85764	DENYAR J.J.	4 TRG BN	10/11/41	"
LIEUT.	V6409	MACKINNON N.R.	SIG DEPOT	29/9/41	"
LIEUT.	V82493	McQUIR H.J.	2 TRG BN	31/10/41	"
LIEUT.	V17003	LIPMAN R.J.	2 TRG BN	10/11/41	"
LIEUT.	V4171	BALLANTYNE A.	4 TRG BN	31/10/41	"
LIEUT.	V8004	HARROLD E.C.	4 TRG BN	13/12/41	"

HQ Sqmn L of C Depot (Unit.)

20 Dec 1941 (Date of Despatch.)

Lt Col (Signature of Commander.)

HQ Sqmn L of C Depot (Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

W/O Gfrau
A J T C
Details

4 K & S/Coml Inf Depot (Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1 Ranks.	2 Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels			
Majors	8		
Captains	10		
Lieutenants			
2nd Lieutenants			
Quartermasters			
Totals	23		

*Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

Officers JOINED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Capt	Cuinn R A	W/O Gfrau	19-11-41	Commission
Capt	Foss J A G	A.T.C.	19-11-41	Appointment
Capt	Cowen C H		20/12/41	A J T C

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

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

1 Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	2 Personal Number.	3 Name and Initials.	4 Corps.	5 Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	6 If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	VX 55308	Cuinn R A	A T C	Yes	4 K & S/Coml Inf Depot
Major	VX 55279	Foss J A G		Yes	2nd Inf - Pucklechurch
Major	VX 55529	Cowen C H	Officers	Yes	2 Inf Bde Warley
Major	VX 51997	Duffy J S		Yes	
Major	VX 51899	Bottomley G E	Details	Yes	4 K & S/Coml Depot
Major	VX 51906	Coburn W		Yes	2 Inf Bde Warley
Major	VX 39520	Lynch E H		Yes	2 Inf. Caulfield
Major	VX 55570	Bell S H	W/O	Yes	A.D.C. Waverley
Capt	VX 55307	Cruickshank L C	Officers	Yes	4 K & S/Coml Depot
Capt	VX 55355	Commadeur E S		Yes	R.A.F. Caulfield
Capt	VX 55292	Capt Duncan F K		Yes	2 Seymour Sub Area
Capt	VX 51531	Capt Russell C		Yes	2 Inf Bde Warley
Capt	VX 55293	Leal L S		Yes	6th Div Sub Area
Capt	VX 51903	Warrington E		Yes	2 Inf Bde Warley
Capt	VX 55294	Cowden W B		Yes	2nd Corps Sub Area
Capt	VX 55300	Marcom S F		Yes	4 K & S/Coml
Capt	VX 55311	Lovett A		Yes	6 Div Caulfield
Capt	VX 51905	Nicholson C J		Yes	4 K & S/Coml Depot
Capt	VX 55299	Bryan J B		Yes	4 K & S/Coml Depot
Capt	VX 51910	Tyrwhitt-Drake J		Yes	2 Cav Div Penkridge
Capt	VX 52002	Allright J B		Yes	6 Div Caulfield
Capt	VX 55303	Veale C H		Yes	4 K & S/Coml Depot
Capt	VX 39304	Allen C J	R O	Yes	2 Inf Bde Warley

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive Rank and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	VX 53006	Mullen C J	2 Inf Bde	22-9-41	Adjt

4 K & S/Coml Inf Depot
(Unit.)

27 Dec 41
(Date of Despatch.)

[signature]
Brigadier
(Signature of Commander.)

4 K & S/Coml Inf Depot
(Bde., Dept., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.Q. Sqn. 1 Div. 6 Dec. 1941 (Date).
(Unit)

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			1
W.Os. Class II.			2
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants	2	1	
Serjeants 1/Sgt/c	5	3	
Corporals	6	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	11		11
TOTALS	25	5	14

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.
W.O.II	1	4 Lt Bn Derby	Vlr	1	A&C Instructional Bde
V. S/s	3	6 Lt Bn Derby	Vlr L/s	1	RASC Instructional Bde
V. L/Cpl	2	6 Lt Bn Derby	Vlr L/Cpl	1	Line Lty Depot Bourgelles
V L/Cpl	1	4 Lt Bn Derby	Vlr L/Cpl	1	2 Lty Bn Derby
V Pte	2	RR & Royce Tank	MV Dvr	1	2 Tk Sqn RAC Tweed
V Pte	2	2 Lty Bn Derby	MV Dvr	1	2 Mclaren Lty Bde Catterick
V Pte	2	4 Lt Bn Derby	MV. Pte	1	2 Mclaren Lty Bde Catterick

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

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

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1 Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Asemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predicter Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks	3		Height Takers			Riveters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concreters			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanisers		
Driver Operators			Millers			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Opticians, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
Lab Driver	1							
Room staff	1							
A COS. GOC		2						
Batman		1						
Driver MT		1						
Groom Batman		2						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 Part A.)	5	13						

(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Section or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required on separate sheet.

H.Q. 1 Armd Div
Unit

6 Dec 41
Date of Despatch

[signature]
Signature of Commander.

H.Q. 1 Armd Div
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

_____(Unit) _____19____ (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			1
W.Os. Class II.			2
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants	1		
Staff Serjeants	2	0	
Serjeants 2/Sgts	5	3	
Corporals	6	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	11		11
TOTALS	25	14	14

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.
S. WO II	1	4 Lng Bn Derby	Pte	1	Gds. Fusiliers Bn
S. Sgt.	3	6 Lng Bn Derby	Pte Sgt	1	RASC Fusiliers Bn
Sgt.	2	6 Lng Bn Derby	Pte Sgt	1	Lng Bn Capt Engrs
Sgt	1	4 Lng Bn Derby	Pte Cpl	1	5 Lng Bn Derby
Pte	2	RAMC Royal Park	WO Cpl	1	3 Lng Bn Rifle Corps
Pte	2	7 Lng Bn Derby	WO Cpl	1	3 Welsh Regt Pembroke
Pte	2	4 Lng Bn Derby	WO Pte	1	3 Welsh Regt Pembroke

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

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

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HQ Stores Lg Depots Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predictor Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operaters			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks	2		Height Takers			Riveters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concreters			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telephone Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Knitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanisers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
			Painters					
Lt Driver	1							
Driver M.T.	1							
R.A.M.C. WO2		1						
Rifleman		2						
Driver M.T.		2						
General Duties		2						
Totals (to agree with Columns 2 and 4 of Part A.)	4	14						

Notes: (a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorised Tradesmen Specialists not included in list above will be added as required by

HQ Stores Lg Depots
Unit.

Date of Despatch 13 Dec 1941

Signature of Commander.
HQ Stores Lg Depots
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

A.B. Stone Ly Depot (Unit) 20 Dec 19 41 (Date).

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	2 Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			1
W.Os. Class II.	1		1
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants			1
Staff Serjeants	1		
Serjeants + 1 Sgts	5	3	
Corporals	6	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	12		10
TOTALS	25	3	13

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.
1 S/Sgt.	3	6 Lg Bn Darley	1 Cpl.	1	2 Mobile Rep Pol Belcamb
1 Sgt.	1	4 Lg Bn "	1 Pte	1	2 Mellum Rep "
1 Sgt	2	6 Lg Bn "	1 L/Sgt	1	A.S.C. Bonnesvd.
1 Pte	2	R.R.D. Royal Park	1 L/Cpl	1	Ld Ly depot
1 Pte	2	2 Lg Bn Darley	1 L/Cpl	2	2 Lg Bn Darley
1 Pte	2	2 Lg Bn Darley	1 L/Cpl	1	A.A.O.C. Bendigo
1 Pte	2	4 Lg Bn "	1 L/Pte	8	A.A.O.C. Bendigo
1 Pte	1	R.A.S.C. Bonnesvd.	1 Pte	1	2 R.H.A. Lowd.
1 Sgt	1	2 Fd. Ly Depot Footscray.			

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

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

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A.B. Stone Ly Depot Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillary			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Axemen			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predicter Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks	2		Height Takers			Riveters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concreters			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanizers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Fitters			Painters					
L/Cpl Driver	1							
Pte Driver	1							
R.A.O.C. W.O.II		2						
Batmen		2						
Driver M.T.		2						
General Duties		2						
Totals (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Pt. C.)	4	13						

Note.—(a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Additional Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spare spaces.

A.B. Stone Ly Depot Unit.

Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 20 DEC

A.B. Stone Ly Depot
Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

H.S. Stores Coml Inf Depot (Unit) 27 Dec (Date) 19 41.

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

Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1 Detail.	2 Posted strength counting against authorised establishment (excluding attached).	3 Surplus to Establishment.	4 Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			1
W.Os. Class II.	1		1
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants			1
Staff Serjeants	1		
Serjeants 4 1 5	5	3	
Corporals	7	1	
Troopers, Privates, &c.	11		10
TOTALS	25	4*	12

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

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.		Unit and Corps to which they belong.
V S/Sgt	2	6 Inf Bde Depot Dorking	V Pte	1	10 A.S.C. Maidenhead
V S/Sgt	1	4 " " "	V Pte	1	2 A.A.F. Coy
V Sgt	2	6 " " "			
V Sgt	1	2 Hd Inf Pk Pirbright	V A Sgt	1	10 A.S.C. Maidenhead
V Cpl	1	2 Hd Inf Pk Pirbright	V A Sgt	1	Engr Inf Bde Depot Catterick
V Pte	2	R.A.S.C. Depot Farnham Park	V A Cpl	2	2 Inf Bde Depot Dorking
V Pte	2	2 Inf Bde Depot Dorking	V A Cpl	1	6 A.A.F. Coy
V Pte	2	4 " " "	V A Pte	8	10 A.S.C. Maidenhead
			V A Pte	4	6 Inf Bde Depot Dorking

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

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

A.M. 2m 1/41 S/C.

H.S. Stores Coml Inf Depot Unit.

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

Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)	Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc.	Surplus (a)	Reinfts. Required (a)
Ammunition Examiners			Fire Control Operators -			Panel Beaters		
Armament Artificers			Fitters			Pattern Makers		
Armourers			Fitters and Turners			Pharmacists		
Artificers, Artillery			Fitters, Cycle			Photographers, dry plate		
Artillery			Fitters, Drivers			Photographers, wet plate		
Bakers			Fitter's Mates			Photo-Writers		
Battery Surveyors			Fitters, M.V.			Plate Layers		
Battery Comdrs. Asst.			Fitters, Railway Signal			Plumbers		
Blacksmiths			Fitters, Signal			Predicter Numbers		
Boilermakers			Grinders			Printers		
Bricklayers			Gun Layers			Radiator Mechanics		
Butchers			G.P.O. Assistants			Radiographers		
Camouflage Modeller			Gun Operators			Range Takers		
Carpenter and Joiner			Hammermen			Riggers		
Clerks	2		Height Takers			Riveters		
Clerks, Engineering			Helio Operators			Saddlers		
Clerks, Supply			Instrument Mechanics			Saddle Tree Makers		
Clerks, Technical			Instrument Mechanics, Surgical			Saw Doctors		
Coachmakers			Instrument Operators			Sawyers		
Computers			Intelligence Duties			Shoemakers		
Concreters			Joiners			Signallers		
Cooks		2	Leather Stitchers			Signwriters		
Cooks, Hospital			Linesmen			Stokers, Stationary Engine		
Coppersmiths			Linesmen, Signals			Storemen, Technical		
Dental Clerk Orderlies			Lithographers			Surveyors		
Despatch Riders			Machinists			Surveyors, Engineering		
Dispensers			Masons			Tailors		
Draughtsmen			Masseurs			Telescope Identification Numbers		
Draughtsmen, Architectural			Mechanics, Dental			Textile Refitters		
Draughtsmen, Mechanical			Mechanics, M.T.			Tinsmiths		
Draughtsmen, Signal			Mechanics, Typewriter			Toolmakers		
Draughtsmen, Topographical			Mechanics, Wireless			Turners		
Driver Mechanics			Millwrights			Vulcanisers		
Driver Operators			Miners			Wagon Erectors		
Drivers, Transportation Plant			Moulders			Watchmakers		
Electrical Fitters			Nursing Orderlies			Watermen		
Electricians			Nursing Orderlies (Mental)			Welders		
Electricians, Eng. Units			Nurses, Trained			Well Borers		
Electricians, Signal			Observation Post Assistants			Wheelers		
Engine Artificers			Operating Room Assistants			Whitesmiths		
Engine Hands I/C			Operators, Signal			Wiremen		
Equipment Repairers			Opticians			Woodturners		
Farriers			Painters					
1 Dispr 2	1							
1 Pte	1							
1 "								
1 R.A.S.C. Wks II		2						
1 Wkr		2						
1 " M.T.		2						
1 " Engr		2						
Totals (to agree with Columns 2 and 4 of Part A.)	4	13						

Notes.—(a) If rank other than Private is involved, give details on back.
(b) Authorised Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.

H.S. Stores Coml Inf Depot Unit.

Lt Colonel Signature of Commander.

Date of Despatch 27 Dec 41

H.S. Stores Coml Inf Depot Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which unit is serving.