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3 Australian Base Sub Area New Guinea

June 1945, appendices

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

(Erase heading not required.)

Army Form C.2118.
(Adapted.)

Unit HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area *Date and Time.—From* 1 Jun 45 *To* 30 Jun 45

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
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Serial No 22.
Nos 106-113

3 AUST BASE SUB AREA ROUTINE ORDERS

PART 1

by

COL H T ALLAN

COMD 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

HEADQUARTERS 3 AUST BASE SUBAREA.

2 JUN 45

GENERAL STAFF.

GZ06. SIGNALS DESPATCH SERVICE.

1. Terminology.

(a) With effect from 1st June 1945, the term "Signals Despatch Service" (abbreviation SDS) will be adopted to cover all forms of despatch carrying services operated by the Australian Corps of Signals.

(b) All offices handling SDS traffic will be designated "Signals Despatch Offices" (abbreviation SDO)

(c) The use of the term "Despatch Rider Letter Service" (DRLS) will be discontinued.

2. Attention is drawn to the provisions of GRO 136/45.

[signature] Capt
General Staff.

A107. DISCIPLINE - PERSONNEL IN MT.

1. Attention is directed to 3 Aust Base Sub Area Routine Order A16/45. This Order will be republished in Unit Orders.

2. The necessity for strict compliance with the contents of the abovementioned Order is to be impressed on all ranks and particular attention will be paid to vehicles carrying personnel to picture shows.

A108. THEATRE AREA - 2/11 AGH.

1. The theatre area at 2/11 Aust Gen Hosp is out of bounds to all personnel other than staff and patients of the Hosp.

2. Personnel of other units will cease immediately to attend concerts and pictures at this location.
(To be republished in Unit Orders except in WEWAK area)

Q 109. CLOSING TIMES FOR OUTWARD MAIL DESPATCHES.

1. Aust Army Post Office WEWAK has now opened for business and consequently the following closing times for outward despatches become operative

POSTINGS TO MAINLAND	2000 hrs daily
POSTINGS TO MADANG, LAE AND BRISBANE (DIRECT BAG)	0800 hrs daily
WEWAK	1000 hrs daily.

Q110. WASHING OF VEHICLES IN STREAMS.

1. Vehicles will NOT be driven into RAIHU river or any other stream having a soft bed.

2. When vehicles are driven into water for washing, in order to avoid the possibility of water entering the breather hole in the differential, the hub caps will NOT be submerged.

3. If by accident the transmission is submerged the lubricant will be drained and replaced immediately.

Q111. FOOD CONSERVATION - POTATOES.

1. Attention is drawn to GRO 467/44. It is desired that the reasons for this order be made clear to the troops.

2. The balanced ration that is issued is the result of scientific study of the food required to maintain health and resist disease under active service conditions. Unless the essential food factors of this ration are consumed by individuals it will be found unsatisfactory.

3. When peeled potatoes are boiled and soaked more than fifty percent of their food value is destroyed. When properly cleaned and baked or boiled in their jackets they retain all the essential constituents without having their flavour impaired.

4. Potatoes need not necessarily be served in their skins. It is recommended that variations in the menu such as mashed potatoes be served.

5. The substance of this order will be republished in Unit Orders.

Q112. SMALL ARMS BARRELS - WASPS NESTS.

1. Recent inspections of small arms weapons have disclosed that barrels are being corroded by wasps nests being built inside the muzzles.

2. It has also been ascertained that in some instances the nests have been built while the weapons were held in unit QM store, in transit to RSD or held in RSD awaiting repair.

3. Pending further instruction from LHQ action will be taken to prevent unnecessary workshop attention by plugging all barrels with grease when the weapons are not stored in chests or signed out to a soldier.

4. Attention is drawn to MGO Eqpt Orders B1/3, C1/4 & M1/5.

Q113. GUNS MACHINE BREN .303 IN MK2.

1. A quantity of Mk 2 Bren LMGs have been received from the United Kingdom, and these have been widely dispersed throughout the AMF.

2. It has been decided that Mk 1 Bren LMGs will be used solely throughout the AMF (excepting units of the VDC), therefore, all units with Mk 2 Brens will return them to RSDs immediately, and take the necessary action to indent for Mk 1 guns to replace those returned.

[signature]
Lt Col
AA & QMG.

NOTICES.

LOST.

Army Pack belonging to VX101544 Sigmn BARNES L C. Lost during disembarkation 27 May 45. Finder return to HQ 3 Coy 19 Aust L of C Sigs.

AAES NOTICES.

Additional Correspondence Courses.

The following additional correspondence courses have been made available and the information is to be promulgated to all troops.

NSW. Post-Graduate Courses in Medicine available through the Post-Graduate Committee in Medicine.

QUEENSLAND. Through the Brisbane Technical Correspondence School. Book-Keeping (Final); Auditing (Final); Commercial Art (Elementary).

TASMANIA. Through the CRE's Technical Correspondence School. Poultry Farming.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA. Through the CRTS Technical Correspondence School. Shorthand Theory (Pitman's), Auditing (Final)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA. Through Perth Technical College. Builders Quantities (Brick Buildings); Refrigeration (Domestic); Refrigeration (Commercial); Junior Certificate Subjects as follows - English, History, Geography, Drawing A(art), French, Maths A, (Arith and Alg), Maths B (Geom and Trig), General Science, Physiology and Hygiene.

Mailing of Lessons for Correction.

Service students are advised to use First Class Mail i.e. letter post, when sending lessons for correction, in order to ensure prompt delivery to the teaching institution. When envelopes are supplied marked "Commercial Papers Only", these words should be struck out and "Letter Post" written instead. The envelope may then be sealed.

Postage at Concession rates is:

First Class (Letter Rate) 1d. per oz
Second Class (Commercial Rate) 4d. per oz.
Letters posted outside Aust are carried free up to 4oz
All material sent from the teaching institutions to students is despatched as first class mail.

Re-Enrolment Procedure.

It is necessary for all students who have completed a stage of a course to make renewed application for enrolment in the next stage of their course if they wish to proceed with it.

AMENITIES ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAMME.

LOCATION	DATE	PICTURE	Duty Officers.
REX	Mon 4 Jun	"KEYS OF THE KINGDOM" OVERSEAS NEWS NEWS FROM HOME	22 Sup Dep Coy (1) 6 Tps Coy (2)
ASTAR	Mon 4 Jun	"BEDTIME STORY" SCREEN SNAPSHOTS ATHLETIC YOUTH	
TIVOLI	Tue 5 Jun	"KEYS OF THE KINGDOM" OVERSEAS NEWS NEWS FROM HOME	16 AAD (3)
TUMLEO	Tue 5 Jun	"BEDTIME STORY" SCREEN SNAPSHOTS ATHLETIC YOUTH	
ROXY	Wed 6 Jun	"	
REX	Thu 7 Jun	"THE GREAT WALTZ" HOME MOVIES MIRACLES AT LOURDES	1 Fd Sqn (2) 7 Docks Op Coy(1)
ASTAR	Thu 7 Jun	"GASLIGHT"	
VICTORY	Fri 8 Jun	"THE GREAT WALTZ" HOME MOVIES MIRACLES AT LOURDES	4 Inf Tps Wksp(3)
ROXY	Fri 8 Jun	GAS LIGHT	

All shows commence 1900 hrs.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

SX 12 45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 2/6/1945 HQ 5 Aust Base (Sub) Area (AIF)

W.E. IV 30/8 OFFRS 61 O.R's 477 + OFFRS. ..... O.R's ..... ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. W.R. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
				*					
1			1	T/Col *					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
11	5		6	Majors					
25	8	1	16	Captains					
5	1	9	13	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
42	14	10	37						

Analysis of Part A is to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part B(1) & B(2).	DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A.		37									37
	B.(1)											
	B.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
SX19661	Lt	MARSDEN G G	HQ 5 Aust Base Sub Area	30/5/45	Appointment AAEC Capt (POI.) Authy- First Aust Army AB34880 of 15 May 45

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 /6 /1945 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
T/Col	NX12883	ALLAN	H T	Comd	No	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
Lt-Col	NX209	FARDIE	J C	AA&QMG	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
Major	NX100045	HURAN	J H	DAAG	"	2/11 Aust Gen Hosp	29/5/45
"	TX6132	GOLIAN	R H	DADRS	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
"	VX109080	DAVE	T	DADOS	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
T/Maj	NX196	DAY	W L	DADST	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
"	NX41508	COOPER	O C	DAQMG	"	Adv HQ Wewak	29/5/45
Major	NX122499	GARDNER	W K	DADMS	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
Capt	NX60503	WOOD	A C	SC°A°	Yes		
"	TX6403	CHARNERS	T I	SC°A°	"		
"	SX2946	DAGOT	J F	Legal	"		
"	NX103382	BRAY	C R	AASC	"		
"	NX163721	FALCONER	D H	SO Lab	"		
"	VX77330	GILCHRIST	A	DAPM	"		
"	WX36387	JACKSON	J A	AASC	No	Recreational Leave	11/5/45
"	NX118609	BUTLER	J F	SC°A°	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
"	SX10750	BROCKMAN	A	SL°A°	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
"	NX71688	DOLAN	C P	Camp	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
"	NX108466	BOWDEN	J W	AASC	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
"	TX15383	PIRTON	H C	HSD	"	Adv HQ Wewak	1/6/45
T/Capt	VX16107	ALLAN	K N	GSO 3	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
Chaplain	NX139864	HEGARTY	W T	Chap	Yes		
"	VX90363	HUSSEY	T P	Chap	"		
"	NX166960	STARR	P H	Chap	"		
Lt	VX130738	ANDREWS	P	RAE	"		
"	QX5867	BLANCH	H C	AASC	"		
"	NX11019	CASPER	A L	Asst/Comp	"		
"	NX124697	DUNN	H J	Caterer	"		
"	VX77868	LINDELL	W J	SL°A°	"		
"	NX118661	MARSDEN	O G	AASC	"		
"	NX166970	McFARLAND	A O	AAES	"		
"	QX8204	STALEY	F	QO	"		
"	QX57992	THOMPSON	H S	AASC	"		
"	NX101350	THOMSON	C J	AASC	"		
"	NX9490	BOYD	J F	IO	No	Recreational Leave	24/5/45
"	NX147862	BRODIE	K S	IO(AC)	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45
"	NX100490	CLARKE	E A	Engineer	"	Adv HQ Wewak	25/5/45

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	QX1941	C J COLLINS	AASC 1st Pool Det HAA	14 Apr 45	
Capt		P S BOSSE	AGS	9 May 45	
Sen Rep	QX110	A G BLAIR	AGS	10 Dec 44	
Rep	NX478	R HALLOR	DCA	6 Apr 45	
Capt	NX306	L BROOKS	Salvation Army	6 Jun 45	
Rep	QX13	V AUSTIN	AASC	2 May 45	

2 Jun 45
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
for Col Comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

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At 0000 Hrs. Saturday 1/6/1945 HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. IV/SD/3 OFFRS. 41 O.R's 177 + OFFRS. ____ O.R's. ____ ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1		2	3	W.Os. Class I.					
6 1	3	1	4	W.Os. Class II.					
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
4 1	3	-/- 2	3	Staff Sergeants					
16 1	3	2	15	Sergeants					
29 2	9	7	27	Corporals					
120 34	44	-	76	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
177 39 *	61	14	129 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		*			*

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

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

Detail	A	B L.F.	A C.M.P. B Unattached Offrs.	Other Ranks	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL
A	81	17	15	16				[redacted]	[redacted]		129
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	LHQ Pool AAES		
	det 3 ABSA		
7	LHQ Pool AAAS		
	det First Aust Army		
3	35 Mobile Cinema		
3	42 Mobile Cinema		
1	AHCS		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 1 / 6 /1945 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Asstn.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographic, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computers								Riggers				Stokers, Stat. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Anchors				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identin. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Cmd'rs. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Mot.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator				SEE APPENDIX "A"							
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Conductors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Enameller				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, M.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Asstn.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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

2 Jun 45
Date of Despatch

Lt.
Signature of Commander
for Col Cmd 3 Anat Base Sub Area

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PERSONNEL POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GRO 187/44

Army No	Rank	Name		Trade	Spec Qual	Med Class
QP9409	WO 1	BATSON	D G	RSM		A1
WX110687	WO 1	SPILSTED	E H	RQMS		A1
WX147919	S/Sgt	GIBSON	F J	Clerk		A1
WX5487	Sgt	RICE	U E	Med Ord		B2
VX77108	"	DONALDSON	A K	C3K		B2
WX21389	Cpl	COLLINS	G W	DR MT		A1
WX21127	"	D'ARCY-EVANS	E C	Dr MT		A1
TX15773	"	BEATES	L W	Carpenter		A2
WX133963	"	COLEBEAK	D A	Clerk(DADOS)		A1
WX83677	"	TAYLOR	C J	Clerk(DADOS)		A1
VX7220	"	LUCAS	C R	Clerk		A2

HQ 3 Asst Base Sub Area (AIF)
UK [illegible]

Appendix 'A'
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Trade	Rank	WE	Posted Strength	Sur	Def	Reinft Required
Trade Group 1						
Typewriter Mechanic	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	7	4	-	3	3
"	WO II	1	1			
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	
"	Cpl	3	3			
Mr Mech	Pte	3	3			
Non Specialists						
Batman	Pte	21	13	8	8	8
Dr MT	Pte	28	18	-	14	14
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	2	1	-	1	
Hygiene Dutyman	Pte	2	2			
Water Dutyman	Pte	2	2			
Orderlies	Pte	13	13			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			
General Duties	Pte	5	5			
"	Cpl	6	6			
CSM	WO II	1	2	1		
CQMS	S/Sgt	1	1			
G Branch						
Trade Group 1						
Draughtsman	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	3	1	-	2	1
"	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Attached to the General Staff						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk (AFHQ)	Pte	1	-	-	1	
Supply & Tpt						
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	4	3	-	1	1
"	WO II	1	-	-	1	1
"	S/Sgt	2	1	-	1	1
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	1
	Cpl	3	2	-	1	1
Non Specialists						
Orderlies	Pte	2	1	-	1	1
Medical						
Trade Group 2						
Barrackman	Pte	2	-	-	2	
Trade Group 3						
Clerks	Pte	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
	Sgt	1	1			
Non Specialists						
Hygiene Inspectors -/-	WO II	2	1	-	1	
	Sgt	2	2			
Medical Orderlies	Cpl	3	1	-	2	1
"	Pte	3	-	-	3	2
Ordnance						
Trade Group 1						
Asst Armourer	WO II	1	1			
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	3	1	-	2	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
DCRO	WO 2	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			

-/- [illegible] S/Sgt SMITH J, filling WO II Hyg Inspector vacancy

Trade	Rank	WE	Posted Strength	Sup	Ref	Reinft Recruited
RAAF						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	1	1			
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Postal						
Postal Orderly	Cpl	1	1			
AAFC						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	-	1	1		
Legal						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	2	1	-	1	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
AACC						
Trade Group 2						
Cook	Pte	6	3	-	3	2
"	Cpl	1	1			
"	Sgt	1	1			
Provost						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Cpl	1	1			
Education						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
"	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
Dental						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Supernumerary						
Auth: [illegible] A7735 (10 Mar 44)						
Batman-Dr	Pte	3	2	-	1	
Auth: GRO 167/44						
DAA	WO 1	-	1	1		
SOMS	WO 1	-	1	1		
Clerk	S/Sgt	-	1	1		
RAMEC CSM	Sgt	-	1	1		
Medical Orderly	Sgt	-	1	1		
Clerks	Cpl	-	3	3		
Carpenter	Cpl	-	1	1		
Dr RT	Cpl	-	2	2		
Total		177	139	12	61	32

APPX C

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Serial No 23.
Nos 114-118

3 AUST BASE SUB AREA ROUTINE ORDERS

PART 1

by

COL H T ALLAN

COMD 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

HEADQUARTERS 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

9 JUN 45.

GENERAL STAFF.

G114. SDS TRAFFIC

1. Only those packages bearing the marking "Registered SDS" followed by an identification will be registered.

2. Packages marked "SDS" will be considered unregistered despatches and will be treated as such by the signal office. The fact that the packages may be marked "SDS" and followed by an identification will NOT cause it to be registered by the signal office.

3. This procedure is effective as from 5 Jun.

for Capt
General Staff

ADJUTANT & QUARTERMASTER GENERALS BRANCH.

A115. ROAD DISCIPLINE - SPEEDING.

1. The speed limit in the WEWAK area for all types of vehicles is 20 mph.

2. Units will ensure that all drivers MT are aware of this instruction and notified that disciplinary action will be taken against all offenders.

Q116. UNIT TYRE MAINTENANCE.

1. During the recent inspection of tyres in this Base Sub Area numerous defects in unit tyre maintenance were revealed. These are set out below with their respective remedies:

Q116 (cont'd)

	Defect	Remedy.
i.	Under inflation of tyres on vehs and trls	Ref MGO eqpt Order LV6/ Tyres/2.
ii.	Under inflation of spare tyre, or spare not carried on veh	Inflate to pressure of rear tyres.
iii.	Tyre pressure gauge reading incorrectly or missing	Unit Ref First Aust Army/Maint Circular of 30 Apr45. Submit indents for replacements
iv.	Fitting of incorrect tyres and tubes to rims and incorrect wheel and tyre assys to vehs, particularly jeeps and trucks tipping	Ref GRO 174/45 and MGO Eqpt Order LVG/Fd/1
v.	Bar tread and conventional tread tyres being paired on dual wheels	Replace either tyre.
vi.	Rims dented or distorted	To be repaired in wksp
vii.	Valve caps missing	Submit indents for replacements
viii.	Load continuously on trls and vehs stationary for long periods	Ref GRO 10/43.
ix.	Incorrect storage of tyres removed from vehs.	Store off ground away from light & moisture
x.	Rotation of tyres not carried out at specified mileages	See Veh Log Book.
xi.	Tyre record in log book incomplete	
xii	Tyres of sizes not fitted to vehs on strength or surplus to requirements being held by unit.	Return to RSD

2. Owing to world rubber situation which will not improve for some time yet, constant vigilance over tyres is essential and the above will assist unit commanders.

3. Units will receive copies of tyre inspection reports with comments on back, for corrective action necessary. Indents (G997) and transfer vouchers (G1033) will be submitted to Ordnance immedately for all tyres sentenced "B" or "U". On indents for ALL tyres will be noted the rim size as indicated in Eqpt Order LV6/Tyre/2 or, if NOT available the type of vehicle.

Q117. MONTHLY CENSUS RETURNS.

1. Unit attention is directed to 3 Aust Base Sub Area Adm Instr No 10 of 4 May 45. Instructions contained therein are NOT being complied with by all units.

2. Following irregularities have been noted in May Census Returns:

(i) MT Census.

Late receipt at DADOS office; vehicle classification not shown (this should be shown against army No. of each veh listed on Part "E" of E59(a); vehicles not shown in numerical order against serial number.

(ii) Warlike Stores.

In most cases E5-1 (a) does NOT show correct amendment of E5-1; G.O. amendments since No 102/44 are 9/45 21/45, 28/45, 38/45 and it is apparent unit copies E5-1 have not been amended accordingly.

3. It is the responsibility of unit COs to see that Adm Inst No 10 is complied with and Census Returns as at 20 Jun 45 will be accompanied by a certificate signed by CO/OC Unit/Det etc that

(a) WE Entitlements have been personally checked
(b) that vehicles have been properly classified.
(c) that entitlements as shown are correct and amended up to date.

Q118. IMPROVISED DRUM OVENS.

1. Improvised drum ovens have been found to have the following advantages over Fowler stoves:

(a) They have greater cooking efficiency.
(b) Hot water system is provided.
(c) Fuel consumption is reduced and therefore manpower is conserved.

2. Plans and advice are available from Supervisor of Army Catering at this HQ.

3. Units will construct improvised drum ovens for use as advised by Supervisor of Army Catering.

[signature]
Lt Col
AA & QMG

NOTICES.

STORES LOST EX SS HELGA MOLLER.

A case marked RAE - S2/01887 containing tools for CATERPILLAR AUTOPATROL discharged from SS HELGA MOLLER is missing. Units and depots will check and if the case is located return it to 54 Aust DCRE (Works) advising this HQ.

AAES NOTICES.

The availability of Additional Correspondence Courses.

The following correspondence courses are now available through Aust Army Educ Service.

Federal Income Tax Law - at BRISBANE Technical Correspondence School.
Mercantile Law (Final); Bankruptcy Law, Income Tax Law; Licensed Land Brokers' Course; - All available from the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme's Correspondence School at ADELAIDE.

Programme of Activities at AAES Centre No 1.

Tue	12 Jun.	Play Reading - 1930 hrs.
Wed	13 Jun.	Classical Music with commentary - 1915 hrs.
Sun	17 Jun	Light Classical Music - 1915 hrs.

AA AMENITIES SERVICE.

ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAMME.

Date	Place	Programme	Duty Offrs.
Mon 11 Jun	REX	"TOGETHER AGAIN" MINSTREL DAYS NEWS FROM HOME OVERSEAS NEWS	17 Wks Coy (2) 126 AGT Coy (1)
Tue 12 Jun	ASTAR	"MOONTIDE" MAGIC SHEEL EVERGREEN PLAYGROUND WINTER IN ESKIMO LAND	
Thu 14 Jun	REX	"CHRISTMAS IN JULY" LETS CELEBRATE RACING PIGEONS	6 A Tps Coy (1) 7 Docks Op Coy (2)
Fri 15 Jun	ASTAR	"KEYS OF THE KINGDOM" OVERSEAS NEWS NEWS FROM HOME.	

Programmes commence 1900 hrs.

APPX 'D'

Subject: CANTEEN SUPPLIES

Adv HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area
Q 12/54
12 Jun 45

A Canteen Issuing Point to service units under comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area is now situated at Base HQ.

2. As from 12 Jun 45 all base units located between WEWAK POINT incl and CAPE MOEM incl, will draw canteen supplies from this point on days set out in Appendix "A".

3. Units located west of WEWAK POINT will continue to draw supplies from Canteen Issuing Point CAPE WOM until further notice.

4. As far as possible minimum transport will be used for the purpose. Units grouped in brackets in Appendix "A" will co-ordinate their requirements and the unit marked * will be responsible for providing the necessary transport.

5. Certificate of unit ration strength will be rendered to the Canteen Issuing Point at the time supplies are purchased.

[signature]
Capt
AA & QMG 3 Aust Base Sub Area

Distribution

List "B" Serials 66,67,70
--AQ 6 Aust Div

Less Serials 73,74,77-89,91,92

Appendix "A" to
Adv HQ 6 Aust Base Sub Area
Circular 912/54 Canteen Issue

Jun 45

DRAWING TIMES FOR CANTEEN SUPPLIES

MONDAY

BEER ONLY

MORNING	AFTERNOON
Adv. HQ 6 Aust Base Sub Area	16 CRE Wks
Det 8 Aust Movt Cont Gp	Det 6 Aust Topo Sy Coy
9 Pl 1 Aust Port Maint Coy	Det 2/1 Aust Forestry Coy
2/31 Aust Docks Operating Coy	
det 8 Aust Docks Operating Coy	7 Aust Mech Repr Coy
41 Aust Landing Craft Coy	7 Aust Mech Repr Wksp
det 19 Aust L of C Sigs	24 Aust Mech Repr Pk Coy
& attached troops	
HQ 22 Aust Sup Dep Coy	17 Aust Fd Coy
64 Aust Tpt Pl	17 Aust Wks Coy
92 Aust Sup Dep Coy	
65 BIPOD Pl	Det 6 Aust Corps Sal Unit
99 Aust Sup Dep Pl	8 Aust Material Cont Unit
13 Aust Ind Pro-Pl	
127 Aust Bde Wksps	
127 Aust Ord Fd Pk	
106 Aust Ord Veh Pk Sec	
6 Aust Army Tps Coy	

TUESDAY
DRY GOODS

MORNING	AFTERNOON
Adv HQ 6 Aust Base Sub Area	41 Aust Landing Craft Coy
Det 8 Aust Movt Cont Gp	
9 Pl 1 Aust Port Maint Coy	
2/31 Aust Docks Operating Coy	
8 Aust Docks Operating Coy	

WEDNESDAY
DRY GOODS

MORNING	AFTERNOON
Det 19 L of C Sigs plus att tps	127 Aust Bde Ord Fd Pk
HQ 22 Aust Sup Dep Coy	127 Aust Bde Wksps
92 Aust Sup Dep Pl	106 Aust Ord Veh Pk Sec
99 Aust Sup Dep Pl	
65 Aust BIPOD Pl	
64 Aust Tpt Pl	
13 Aust Ind Pro Pl	
6 Aust Army Tps Coy	

THURSDAY
DRY GOODS

MORNING	AFTERNOON
16 CRE Wks	
Det 6 Aust Topo Sy Coy	
Det 2/1 Aust Forestry Coy	

THURSDAY (cont)

MORNING	DRY GOODS	AFTERNOON
@ 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Coy 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Wksp 24 Aust Mech Eqpt Pk Coy		
@ Det 3 Aust Corps Sal Unit 8 Aust Malarial Cont Unit		
@ 17 Aust Fd Coy 17 Aust Wks Coy		

FRIDAY

MORNING	DRY GOODS	AFTERNOON
Act HQ 5 Aust Base Sub Area Det 5 Aust Movt Cont Gp 9 Pl 1 Aust Post Maint Coy 2/5 Aust Docks Operating Coy 8 Aust Docks Operating Coy		41 Aust Landing Craft Coy

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SATURDAY

MORNING	DRY GOODS	AFTERNOON
Det 19 L of C Sigs plus att tps		@ 127 Aust Bde Ord Fd Pk 127 Aust Bde Wksps 106 Aust Ord Veh Pk Sec
HQ 22 Aust Sup Dep Coy 92 Aust Sup Dep Pl 99 Aust Sup Dep Pl 63 Aust BIPOD Pl @ 64 Aust Tpt Pl		
13 Aust Ind Prc Pl		
6 Aust Army Tps Coy		

APPX E

MESSAGE FORM

FROM HQ 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA TOO 131500K

TO LIST "B" LESS SERIALS 73 - 92

Info 6 AUST DIV : REAR HQ 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

Q54 restricted (.) det 5 aust 1 of e postal unit will establish the base post office on DORAM BEACH 400 yards EAST of MISSION POINT (.) as from 15 jun 45 all base units situated WEST of WEAK POINT and EAST therefrom will use this office (.) units situated WEST of WEAK POINT will continue to use 6 aust div postal facil...

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APPX "F"

Subject: STRENGTH STATES AND FIELD RETURNS

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area
3 Jun 45

A 68/42

Distribution List "B"
vv Less 73 - 79
81 - 84
86 - 89
91 - 92

Copy:- Rear 3 Aust Base Sub Area

1. Ref HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area A122/73 of 3 Jun 45, and A31/2116 of 7 Jun 45.

2. It is requested that all units in WEWAK area pay particular attention to the forwarding of the copy for 3 Aust Base Sub Area of AFW 3006, AFW3008, AFW3009 to this HQ by 1500 hrs each Saturday. It is essential that these returns reach this HQ NOT later than the above time as these returns have to be consolidated at WEWAK and reach Rear 3 Aust Base Sub Area at AITAPE on Sunday.

3. Special strength return WEWAK area

In addition to the return required by our A122/73 a strength return will be rendered weekly to this HQ by all units AND DETS of personnel actually in WEWAK area. The return will be in the following form:-

UNIT OR DETACHMENT .....

The strength of personnel in WEWAK AREA of this unit detachment as at 0600 hrs Sat 45 is :-

Offrs .....

OR's .....

Total _____

_____

This return will reach this HQ by 1500 hrs each Saturday.

[illegible] Capt
for Lt Col
AA & QMG 3 Aust Base Sub Area

APPX G

Subject: WATER SUPPLY TO UNITS

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area
Q 80/99
14 Jun 45

1. Owing to the limited number of water carrying vehicles in the area, as from 16 Jun 45 supply of water for drinking and cooking purposes will be made in accordance with Appendix "A".

2. Units will sink wells to provide water for ablution and laundry purposes.

3. Units will submit returns to this HQ by 201400K showing the number of Water Trucks and/or Trailers by types held on strength and present location thereof.

4. As further vehicles arrive in the area amended schedules will be issued.

[illegible]
for Lt Col
AA & QMG 3 Aust Base Sub Area

Distribution:
List B less serials 79-89,91 & 92
List C serials 7.66.70

Subject: WATER SUPPLY

Appendix "A"
to HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area
Circular Q 60/99

	Location	
Supplied by 64 Aust Tpt Pl		
Det 8 Aust Movt Control Gp	BORAM	BEACH
8 Aust Docks Op Coy	"	"
2/31 Aust Docks Op Coy	"	"
41 Aust Landing Craft Pt Coy	"	"
3 Aust Landing Craft Wksps	"	"
13 Aust Ind Pro Pl	"	"
99 Aust Sup Dep Pl	"	"
14 Aust Fd Bakhg Pl	"	"
64 Aust Tpt Pl	WEWAK	POINT
Det 126 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	"	"
Det 127 Aust Bde Wksps	"	"
Det 127 Aust Ord Fd Pk	"	"
Det 6 Aust Army Tps Coy	"	"
Det 106 Aust Ord Veh Pk Sec	"	"
Supplied by Det 8 Aust Movt Cont Gp		
65 Aust BLRD Pl	KILEN	ROAD
A.C.F. Store	"	"
Supplied by HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area		
HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area	CAPE	BORAM
HQ 22 Aust Sup Dep Coy	"	"
92 Aust Sup Dep Pl	"	"
119 Aust Sup Dep Pl	"	"
Det 19 Aust L of C sigs & attached Tps	BORAM	BAY
Supplied by 7 Aust Mech Eqpt Coy		
16 CRE Wks	CAPE	MOEM
7 Aust Mech Eqpt Coy	"	"
7 Aust Mech Eqpt Coy Wksp	"	"
329 Aust LAD	"	"
Det 6 Aust Topo Survey Coy	"	"
Det 24 Aust Mech Eqpt Pk Coy	"	"
3 Aust Corps Salvage Unit	"	"
Det 127 Aust Bde Wksps	"	"
Det ANGAU	"	"
Supplied by 17 Aust Fd Coy		
17 Aust Fd Coy	CAPE	MOEM
17 Aust Wks Coy	"	"
8 Aust Malarial Control Unit	"	"
Own supply		
2/1 Aust Forestry Coy less 1 Pl		

APPX H

WD 10

52 Hqrs

CONFIDENTIAL

Subject POSTING AND APPOINTMENTS OF OFFICERS - 2 AUST BASE SUB AREA

HQ 2 Aust Base Sub Area,
15 Jun '45

55/195

A statement of officers, will be forwarded to this HQ by 1800 hrs 1 Jul 45.

(i) number
(ii) name
(iii) rank
(iv) present appointment or posting
(v) date of first appointment
(vi) present location i.e. WEWAK, AITAPE, etc.
(vii) remarks ; include in remarks
(a) experience in court martials e.g. prosecuting offr, defending offr, member, president, and also whether legally qualified.
(b) detachments, attachments, leave etc.

Lt Col
AA & QMG 2 Aust Base Sub Area

Distribution List B and C
less serials 18,68,75-79,82,84,86,87,91,92
plus - 2/15 Aust Fd Amb

APPX I

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Nos 119 to 122

3 AUST BASE SUB AREA ROUTINE ORDERS

PART 1

by

COL H T ALLAN

COMD 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

HEADQUARTERS 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

16 JUN 45

GENERAL STAFF.

NIL

ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER GENERALS BRANCH.

Q119. KITS.

1. In the case of personnel who are moved by air to the mainland, units will advise the appropriate Kit Store by signal direct giving nominal roll, time, date and place at which kits are required.

2. The above procedure is necessary to give Kit Store sufficient time to make kits and clothing available immediately on disembarkation.

3. Action to be taken in the case of personnel moving by sea will be the subject of separate instructions to be issued at a later date.

4. An amendment to First Aust Army ASO30 may be anticipated.

Q120. LOSS OF WEAPONS AND AMMUNITION.

1. Attention is directed to First Aust Army Routine Order Q95 of 2 Jun 45.

2. Sec NGDD will where practicable inspect all troops departing forthe mainland to ensure that this order is being observed.

Q121. DELETIONS OF RATIONS.

1. Difficulty in accounting for supplies is being experienced by DID AITAPE on account of the action of units in

(a) refusing to accept certain ration commodities such as tinned meats prepared for issue in accordance with submitted AB55s.

(b) deliberately leaving such unwanted rations in the DID issuing bays.

2. Attention is drawn to GRO Q36/45 paras 70, 71 and 72 and responsibilities of units thereunder.

3. Para 72 states that delivery of unwanted rations may not be taken IF circumstances are beyond the unit's control; but very seldom are the circumstances beyond unit control.

4. In future, unless units can show that the circumstances are beyond their control, the supply officer will insist that all rations prepared against AB55 will be taken over by indenting units.

Q122. TUBE REPAIRS.

1. Tube repair facilities have been set up at 6 Aust RSD where units will be given, as far as possible, "While you Wait" service.

2. Repair requisition (F3A) in duplicate will be submitted with tubes which must be removed from tyres.

3. Other AEME Wksps in AITAPE area will NOT accept tubes for repair.

4. Units having on charge tube-repair materials that cannot be used for such reasons as lack of Vulcanizer, etc, will return them to 6 Aust RSD for use.

[signature]
Lt Col
A A & QMG

NOTICES

ACF DISTRIBUTION.

1. An ACF distribution will be made to all units in AITAPE - WEWAK area on 18 Jun 45 or as soon as practicable thereafter.

2. The following arrangements for collection of the issue will be observed.

AITAPE AREA: AMF units to draw between 0830 hrs and 1600 hrs 18 Jun 45. RAAF units to draw between 0830 hrs and 1600 hrs 19 Jun 45. Plead: ACF Bulk Store.

WEWAK AREA.: Units will draw from appropriate Salvation Army or YMCA Representative at a time and place to be mutually arranged. Stores will not be available for collection in WEWAK area until after 21 Jun 45.

3. When drawing issue, units will present certified ration strength state and will provide their own containers.

4. Distribution will be acknowledged in Unit orders in the normal manner.

COURTS MARTIAL.

The following results of [illegible] Court Martial are promulgated:

(1) Accused: QX55606 Spr DTDOLE A.E. 6 Aust A Tpt Coy RAE

Offences:

(a) Without lawful authority deleted in his Record Of Service Book (AAD63) certain entries in the insert slip of record of personal issues (AA40)

(b) Using threatening language to his Superior Officer (AA3(2).)

Finding: Not Guilty of the 1st charge, but guilty of the 2nd charge.

Sentence. To be fined the sum of £10.

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(2) Accused: SX[illegible]263 Spr MAY D G 1 Aust Fd Sqn RAE

Offences: (a) Stealing property belonging to a person subject to Military Law; viz: a gold wristlet watch the property of WX25315 Pte COOLEY D, 6 Aust RSD (AA18(4))

(b) Did receive the said Gold wristlet watch (alternative to 1st and 3rd charges) (AA18(4))

(c) Improperly in possession of the said Gold wristlet Watch (alternative to 1st and 2nd charges (AA40)

Finding: Guilty of the first but not guilty of the 2nd and 3rd charges.

Sentence: To undergo detention for 90 days.

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FOUND. Discs, Identity belonging to QX39286 L W MULQUEENY. Available on application to "A" Branch Rear HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area.

AA AMENITIES SERVICE. Entertainment Programme.

Date	Place	Items	Duty Offrs
Mon 18 Jun	REX	D.O'Connor & P Ryan in "PAPER TOO THICK" SHORTS, OVERSEAS NEWS NEWS FROM HOME	2/8 Sup Dep Coy(2) 4 Inf Bns Wksp(1)
Tue 19 Jun	ASTAR	"THE GREAT WALTZ" SHORTS	
Thu 21 Jun	REX	G.Rogers, D Kevin in "MACHELOR MOTHER"	1 Fd Sqn (2) 15 AAD (1)
Fri 22 Jun	ASTAR	G.Boyer & L Dunne in "MOTHER AGAIN" SHORTS, OVERSEAS NEWS NEWS FROM HOME.	

All programmes commence 1900 hrs.

FPPAX "J"

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

24 / 45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 16 / 6 /1945 HQ 3 Aust Base Sub (Unit) Area (AIF)

W.E. IV/8D / 2. OFFRS. 41 O.R's. 177 + OFFRS. ____ O.R's. ____ ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6.	7	8	9	10
W.E. W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
1			1	T/Col *					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
11	5		6	Majors					
25	7		16	Captains					
5	2	8	11	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
41	14	8	35						

	DETAIL.		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part B(1) & B(2).	A.		35									35
	B.(1)											
	B.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
MX100480	Lt	E A CLARKE	Relinquishes appnt Hyg Offr to be placed on Rofo(Retirement) dated 30 May 45	12/6/45	Authy- First Aust Army M35066 of 30 May 45

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

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

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 16 / 6 /1945 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether Present with Unit (Insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
T/Col	NX12229	ALLAN	H T	Comd	Yes		
Lt-Col	NX209	HARDIE	J C	A/QMG	"		
Major	NX106045	HEENAN	J N	DAAG	No	2/11 Aust Gen Hosp	29/5/45
"	TX6132	GOLLAN	R N	DADMS	Yes		
"	VX108080	DAWE	T	DADOS	"		
"	NX122499	GARDNER	W E	DADME	"		
T/Maj	NX196	DAY	W L	DADST	"		
"	NX41508	COOPER	C C	DACMS	"		
Capt	NX60605	WOOD	A C	SC "C"	"		
"	TX6403	CHAMBERS	T I	SC "A"	"		
"	SX2846	BAGOT	J P	Legal	"		
"	NX103322	BRAY	C R	AASC	"		
"	VX163791	FALCONER	D M	SC Lab	"		
"	VX77350	GILCHRIST	A	DADH	"		
"	VX36327	JACKSON	J A	AAES	No	Recreational Leave	11/5/45
"	NX112699	BUTLER	J F	SL "C"	Yes		
"	SX10750	BROCKMAN	A	SL "A"	"		
"	NX71023	DOLAN	C P	Camp	"		
"	VX17105	ALLAN	K M	GSO 3	"		
"	NX109466	BOYDEN	J W	AASC	"		
"	SX15365	PURTON	H C	DADO	"		
Chaplain	VX138064	REGNIER	W T	Chap	"		
"	VX90885	HUSSEY	T P	"	"		
"	NX166960	STARR	F H	"	"		
Lt	VX150738	ANDREWS	F	HQ	"		
"	VX5267	BLANCH	H C	AASC	"		
"	VX11019	CASPER	A L	Ass/Comp	"		
"	VX124697	DUNN	H J	Caterer	"		
"	VX7282	LIDDELL	W J	SL "C"	"		
"	NX118861	MARSDEN	G O	AASC	"		
"	NX168070	McFARLAND	A O	AAES	"		
"	QX8304	STATE	P	QC	"		
"	NX101980	THOMSON	C J	AASC	"		
"	NX147862	BRODIE	K S	LC(AQ)	"		
"	VX9420	BOYD	J W	IO	No	Recreational Leave	24/5/45

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	QX63984	T J COLLINS	LHC Pool AAAS	14 Apr 45	
Capt		f a mobbs	ACF	8 May 45	
Sen Rep	QX110	A G BLAIN	ARGS	19 Nov 44	
Rep	NX/47C	T HALLOR	YMCA	6 Apr 45	
Comm	NX/304	R BROOKS	Salvation Army	6 Jan 45	
Rep	B413	V AUSTIN	ARCS	8 May 45	

16 Jun 45
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander Lt.
for Col Comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area

S.W. 1m 2/44 12/44

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

24 /45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 16 /8 /1945 HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)

W.E.IV /8D/2 OFFRS 41 O.R's 478 + OFFRS O.R's ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1		2	3	W.Os. Class I.					
7 1	4	1	4	W.Os. Class II.					
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
4 1	3 2	2 2	3	Staff Sergeants					
16 1	3	2	15	Sergeants					
29 2	6	7	30	Corporals					
120 35	46		74	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
178 40 *	68	14	130 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		*			*

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

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

Detail	A	A.I.P. B	C.M.P. A (Other than Officers and Nurses)	C.M.P. B (Officers and Nurses)	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	91	17	16	16				[redacted]	[redacted]		130
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
4	LHQ Pool AAES det 3 ABSA		
7	LHQ Pool AAAS det First Aust Army		
3	86 Mobile Cinema		
3	12 Mobile Cinema		
1	ARCS		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

Part D. Description of Other Ranks Whose Return To (Unit) is Particularly Requested. /1945

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

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) .....Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 16 / 6 /1945 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Menial			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computers								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Anemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identin. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanisers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wiremen							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers				SEE APPENDIX 'A'							
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Comds Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concreters							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, M.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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

26 June 45
Date of Despatch

[signature]
Signature of Commander
Lt
for Comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area

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PERSONNEL POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GRO 187/44

Army No	Rank	Name		Grade	Mod Class
QP 2409	WO 1	BATSON	D G	RSM	A1
NX110697	"	SPILSTED	E H	RQMS	A1
NX 147919	S/Sgt	GLEESON	F J	Clerk	A1
WX 5497	Sgt	RICE	W M	Med Ord	B2
[redacted]					
VX 77102	"	DONALDSON	A K	CSM	B2
WX 21389	Cpl	COLLINS	G W	Dr MT	A1
WX 21127	"	D'ARCY-EVANS	E C	Dr MT	A1
VX 15773	"	DEATES	L W	Carpenter	A2
VX 133263	"	COMABERT	D A	Clerk	A1
VX 82677	"	TAYLOR	C J	"	A1
V 37220	"	LUCAS	C R	"	A2

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF)
WE/TW/SD/2

Appendix 'A'
Date 16 Jun 45
Serial No 24/45

	Rank	WE	Posted Strength	Sur	Def	Reinft Required
Trade						
Trade Group 1						
Typewriter Mechanic	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	7	4	-	3	3
"	WO II	1	1			
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	
"	Cpl	3	3			
Dr Mechs	Pte	3	2	-	1	
Non Specialists						
Batmen	Pte	21	14	-	7	7
Dr MT	Pte	28	14	-	14	14
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	2	2			
Hygiene Dutymen	Pte	2	2			
Water Dutymen	Pte	2	2			
General Dutymen	Pte	6	6			
"	Cpl	6	6			
Cyclerlics	Pte	13	13			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			
CSM	WO II	1	2	1		
CQMS	S/Sgt	1	1			
G Branch						
Trade Group 1						
Draughtsman	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	3	1	-	2	1
"	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Attached to the General Staff						
Clerk (Arty)	Pte	1	-	-	1	
Supply & Tpt						
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	4	3	-	1	1
"	WO II	1	-	-	1	1
"	S/Sgt	2	1	-	1	1
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	1
"	Cpl	3	2	-	1	1
Non Specialists						
Cyclerlics	Pte	2	1	-	1	1
Medical						
Trade Group 2						
Carpenter/Jnr	Pte	2	-	-	2	
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	1	1			
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
Hygiene Inspectors	WO II	2	-	-	2	
" -/-	S/Sgt	-	1	1		
"	Sgt	2	2			
Medical orderlies	Pte	3	-	-	3	2
"	Cpl	3	1	-	2	1
Ordnance						
Trade Group 1						
Arm Armorer	WO II	1	1			
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	3	1	-	2	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
BOMC	WO 1	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			

-/- [illegible] S/Sgt [illegible] J, posted and filling WO II Hyg Inspect vacancy.

Trade	Rank	WE	Posted Strength	Sur	Def	Reinft Required
RAMC						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
Assist Inspector of Rubber	WO II	1	-	-	1	
Postal						
Postal Orderly	Cpl	1	1			
AAPC						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	-	1	1		
Legal						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	2	-	-	2	2
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
AACC						
Trade Group 2						
Cooks	Pte	6	3	-	3	2
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Provost						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Cpl	1	1			
Education						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
"	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
Dental						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Supernumerary						
Authy- Londonderry A17/33 of 10 Mar 45						
Batman	Pte	3	2	-	1	
Authy- GHQ 197/44						
RAMC	WO 1	-	1	1		
RCMS	WO 1	-	1	1		
Clerk	S/Sgt	-	1	1		
CMH	Sgt	-	1	1		
Medical Orderly	Sgt	-	1	1		
Clerks	Cpl	-	3	3		
Carpenter	Cpl	-	1	1		
Dvr MT	Cpl	-	2	2		
		178	130	14	28	40

APPX "K"

CONFIDENTIAL

Subject: 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION NO 12

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area
22 June 45

Ref Map : WEWAK 1" to 1 mile

1. GENERAL.

(a) This instruction will apply to all units at present under comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area and will be read in conjunction with relevant GRO's and First Aust Army Administrative Orders.

(b) Units not under comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area, staging in the area for any period will observe the contents of the instruction so far as local administration of the area is affected.

2. ENGINEERS STORES

(a) Demand for Engineers Stores

(i) All demands will be made on the AAF S18 which will be submitted in triplicate to 16 CRE Works not less than 24 hrs prior to the required time of collection.

(ii) S18's must be signed by OC/OC or adjt and the remarks column will show the purpose for which the stores are required.

(b) Scale "A" Stores

S18's will show a statement of unit WE strength for these stores. CRE will advise units date and time stores will be ready for collection. Transport and loading party will be provided by unit

(c) Engineers Tools

Shovels, axes, picks, machettes etc., drawn from R.A.E. dump, must be returned on completion of the task for which they were drawn.

3. SUPPLIES

The following procedure will apply until further notice :-

(a) Rations (i) Drawings will be made daily from 2/35 Aust Sup Dep Pl located at WEWAK POINT ref map 315078

(ii) Two days rations will be drawn on Saturday of each week for consumption Sunday and Monday. No issues will be made from the D.I.D. on Sundays

(iii) Indents must be lodged at the D.I.D. three days prior to the date of consumption.

(b) Expense Stores.

A fortnightly supply of expense stores will be drawn every second Wednesday, indents to be submitted to D.I.D. on the Saturday preceding the date of supply

(c) R.O.L.

(i) Until further notice stocks will be drawn in bulk weekly from F.S.D. 6 Aust Div by each unit.

(c) P.O.L (contd)

(ii) Units may draw between 0900 hrs and 1000 hrs on any day, other than Sunday.

(iii) No issues will be made to individual vehicles.

(iv) Expense P.O.L. - Kerosene - Distillate - Creosote - Range fuel etc, will be drawn on Monday of each week from P.S.D. 6 Aust Div.

(d) Returns

AA F W3809 and W3810 returns will be submitted by Adv Parties and/or complete units showing stations. AAF W3810 covering Advance Parties will be endorsed "Advance Party only", until the arrival of the unit main body.

4. TRANSPORT

Units requiring additional vehicles for completion of tasks will make application to Q branch S Aust Base Sub Area by 1600 hrs on the day prior it being required, giving the following particulars :-

(i) Type and number of vehicles required
(ii) Nature of duty
(iii) Place and time for vehicles to report
(iv) Period for which vehicles are required.

5. LABOUR (a) All applications for working parties will be forwarded to Q branch S Aust Base Sub Area by 1500 hrs on the day prior to requirement, giving the following particulars :-

(i) Number of personnel
(ii) Nature of task
(iii) Period required for duty
(iv) Place of reporting

(b) It is the responsibility of the unit to make transport arrangements for working parties required.

6. ORDNANCE (a) For the present, Base units will restrict demands for ordnance stores, to items which are absolutely essential. Indents will be submitted in triplicate on AAF G997 to DADOS HQ S Aust Base Sub Area for approval

(b) As stores against unit indents become available DADOS HQ S Aust Base will advise units when they can be collected

(c) MT spare parts will normally be drawn through LADs who are replenished on demand as required on 127 Aust Bde Ord Fd Park. Units not serviced by an LAD will indent as laid down in sub para (a) and after approval is given will collect parts from 127 Aust Bde Ord Fd Pk.

7. MEDICAL

(a) Treatment (i) Base troops in the WEWAK POINT area will be attended by OC Lt Sec S/14 Fld Amb, WEWAK Strip.

(ii) Base troops in Docks area and Boram Pt will be attended by RMO HQ S Aust Base Sub Area

(iii) All base troops located in CAPE MOEM area will be attended by R.M.O. attached to 16 CRE Works.

(iv) Times of sick parades will be mutually arranged with RMO's

(b) Evacuation of Casualties

(i) Personnel in WEWAK POINT & CAPE BORAM area will be evacuated to ADS 2/7 Aust Fd Amb. If unit transport is not suitable for stretcher cases RMO HQ 5 Aust Base Sub-Area will be contacted.

(ii) Personnel in CAPE MOEM area will be evacuated to MDS 2/1 Aust Fd Amb by jeep ambulance at 16 CRE Works.

3. HYGIENE

(a) Water : All water for drinking and ablution purposes must be chlorinated before use. Units are responsible to see that the following method of chlorination is observed.

(i) Units holding Horrocks boxes will use them to ascertain the amount of W.S.P. required for chlorination of 100 gals of water.

(ii) Where a Horrocks box is not available, 4 Horrocks scoops of W.S.P. will be added to every 100 gals of water.

(iii) All chlorinated water must stand for a minimum period of 30 mins before use. Under no circumstances will detasting tablets be added to the water until advised by this HQ.

(b) Latrines : The only type of latrine to be used in the WEWAK area is the approved Down Draught Incinerating type. Deep or shallow trench latrines will NOT be used under any circumstances.

(c) Garbage : All kitchen refuse, garbage, etc., will be incinerated daily. All empty tins will be burned, flattened, and buried, in unit areas till this HQ advises location of base can and brush dump.

(d) Fly Control :

(i) Owing to the recent enemy occupation of this area, dysentery and diarrhoea is a very real danger to the health of troops. Therefore fly control will be rigid in so far that no breeding areas are created and any areas in which flies are already breeding action will be taken to eradicate the focus.

(ii) DDT is available for general hygiene purposes and may be obtained on expense indent approved by DADMS or Hygiene Officer HQ 5 Aust Base Sub Area

(e) Malaria Control

(i) Attention is directed to GRO 321/44 and HQ 5 Aust Base Sub Area A95/44 quoted hereunder :-

Areas (a) All ranks may sunbake ½-1hr daily (stripped)
(b) Other than (a) above shirts will be worn at all times. Members of authorized working parties while actually engaged in strenuous work may remove shirts with direct permission of an officer, during daylight hours when not in an enclosed or sheltered area.
(c) All sunbaking including ½-1hr daily referred to in para (a) above will be carried out on the beach only

These orders will be carried out in their entirety.

8. (e) Malarial Control (cont)

(ii) Between the hours of sunset and sunrise correct dress discipline will be maintained. Disciplinary action will be taken by units against personnel disobeying the instructions set out in the above orders.

(iii) The times of sunset and sunrise in this area will be :-

Sunset - 1800 hrs
Sunrise - 0615 hrs

(iv) Units will supply nominal rolls of personnel detailed for Anti Mosquito Squads to DADMS HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area not later than 27 June 43.

(f) Scrub Typhus

The incidence of Scrub Typhus in this area is high and has resulted in a heavy mortality rate to troops affected. Anti Mite fluid will be applied to all clothing every 14 days and to blankets every 3 months, under officers supervision.

(g) Hookworm

This disease is prevelant in the [illegible] area, and strict precautions must be taken to avoid infection. These are as follows :-

(i) Footwear must be worn at all times except when on the beach.

(ii) Bathing is prohibited in all streams or bomb craters filled with water.

(h) Burial of Enemy Dead.

Enemy dead found in or adjacent to unit areas will be buried immediately, and the spot clearly marked.

(i) General : Any circumstances which require elaboration will be referred to DADMS HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area

9. SALVAGE

(a) Attention is drawn to First Aust Army Administrative Standing Orders Chapter 23, which defines the procedure regarding all matters connected with the Salvage service.

(b) In order that the best use may be made of captured enemy equipment all units are requested to advise 3 Aust Corps Salvage Unit, location Cape MORM of the known details and location of such equipment.

Lt Col
A A & QMG 3 Aust Base Sub Area

Distribution

List B
List C Serials 8,10,19,22,24,27,29,30,
51,53,54,56,59,41,44,46
47,52,55,58,62,64,65,67,
71,72,76

APPX L

The information given in this document is not to be communica' 1 either directly or indirectly to the press or to any person not author ised to receive it.

Ser ial No 25.
Nos 123-124

3 AUST BASE SUB AREA ROUTINE ORDERS

PART 1

by

COL H T ATLEN

COMD 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

HEADQUARTERS 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

23 JUN 45

GENERAL STAFF.

NIL

ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER GENERALS BRANCH.

23. AMF CENSUS.

1. Reference First Aust Army A 19517 of 23 May 45 and 3 Aust Base Sub Area 2136 of 9 Jun 45.

2. In order to assist units in the correct compilation of AMF Census Form and to explain to all ranks the purpose and significance of the Census, all units and dets will make arrangements with the nearest AAES r epresentative to deliver a short talk to all personnel.

3. In order that talks may be given to all units and dets in the limited time available, AAES r epresentatives will be contacted as soon as possible.

4. It is particularly desir ed that all offfoers attand these talks.

24. UNLAWFUL DISPOSAL OF EQUIPMENT.

1. Attention is directed to GRO A716/43.

2. The GRO referred to will be r epublished again in Unit Orders.

Lt Col.
AA & QMG 3 Aust Base Sub Area

NOTICES.

Lost. Imperial Typewriter 18" number ZB385 (Space bar held together with insulating tape) from office of Det 8 Aust MC Gp on 7 Jun [illegible]. Units check all typewriter s and should the abovementioned machine be [illegible] will advise Rear HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area.

FOUND. Owen SMG, Body No L15974-
Barrel No A37199
In canvas case on 16 Jun 45. Any unit having this weapon on charge will communicate with Rear HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area.

AAES NOTICES.

Programme for No 1 Education Centre.

Tues	26 Jun	1930 hrs -	Play Reading.
Wed	27 Jun	1915 hr s-	Classical music with commentary. Symphony No 2 D Major (BRAHMS) and other works.
Sat	30 Jun	1930 hrs -	Writers Club.
Sun	1 Jul	1915 hrs-	Popular music.

Additional Correspondence Courses available.

Facilities have been made available to all British Services personnel to enable them to take advantage of all courses available through AAES Service.

Through Brisbane Tech College : Station Book Keeping.
Through British Institute of Engrg Technology Sydney : Ground Engineers Licences

"A" (Inspection of Aircraft undergoing overhaul)
"B" (Inspection of Aero Engines undergoing overhaul)
"C" (Inspection of Aircraft before flight)
"D" (Inspection of Aero Engines before flight)

All courses above may be applied for in usual way, viz. completion of AAFs A354, A356 (Duplicate) A357 and forwarding through Unit Education Officer to nearest AAES Centre.

Payment of University Degree, Diploma and Matriculation Fees.
Under certain circumstances these fees will be paid by the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Committee on behalf of students studying through the AAES. See the Army Educ Offr for details.

Attendance of Service Personnel at part time classes at approved institutions.

The Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Committee has asked that the attention of all Service personnel undertaking part time attendance at classes under the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme be drawn to the following condition :

It does not necessarily follow that a member who has undertaken part-time attendance at a class at an approved institution under the Service Education Scheme will be permitted to complete that course by part-time or full-time attendance under the Commonwealth Reconstruction Training Scheme after discharge.

On discharge the member must establish his eligibility and enrol afresh in the normal way if he is to receive training benefits under the Scheme.

ARMY AMENITIES SERVICE - PICTURE PROGRAMME.

Mon 25 Jun "THE WAY AHEAD" at REC
Tues 26 Jun " " " " ASTAR
Thurs & Fri 28 and 29 Jun, nights programmes will be announced over local radio station.

APPX "M"

Army Form W.3008
(Adapted) (Page 1)
(Revised Jan., 1943)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

(Serial No.)

At 0800 Hrs. Saturday ___/___/19__ H.Q. 3 Amph Tank Unit) Tobruk (AIF)

W.E. ~~Cdr 1~~ /2 OFFRS 42 O.R's ~~270~~ + OFFRS. ____ O.R's. ____ ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
1			1	T/Col					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
11	5		6	Majors					
~~24~~ 24	~~9~~ 8	1	16	Captains					
~~2~~ 4	1	8	11	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
41	15	9	~~35~~						

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	A.		~~35~~ 38									~~35~~ 38
	B.(1)											
	B.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.

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

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

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 25 / 5 / 45. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1 Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	2 Army Number.	3 Surname.	4 Initials.	5 Posting.	6 Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	7 If not present with Unit, state how employed.	8 Date of Detachment.
T/Col	[illegible]	ALLAN	H T	Comd	Yes		
Lt-Col	[illegible]	[illegible]	J C	[illegible]	"		
Maj	[illegible]	BURAN	J H	[illegible]	No	2/11 Aust Gen Hosp	
"	[illegible]	[illegible]	R E	[illegible]	Yes		
"	[illegible]	DAVE	[illegible]	[illegible]	"		
"	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	"		
T/Maj	[illegible]	DAY	[illegible]	[illegible]	"		
"	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	"		
Capt	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	"		
"

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

25/45 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 23/6/195 HQ 5 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. IV/6D/2 OFFRS. 41 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. ____ O.R's. ____ ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1		2	3	W.Os. Class I.					
7 1	4	1	4	W.Os. Class II.					
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
4 1	3	2	5	Staff Sergeants					
16 1	3	2	16	Sergeants					
29 2	7	8	30	Corporals					
120 36	48		72	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
178 41 *	65	15	128 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part R on Page 2.		*			*

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

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

Detail	A	A.I.P. B	C.M.P. A Under 10 Years' Service	C.M.P. B 10 Years' Service & Over	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.M.	R.A.A.F.	**	TOTAL.
A	79	17	16	16				[redacted]	[redacted]		128
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
5	LHQ Pool AASC		
7	LHQ Pool AAAS		
3	35 Mobile Cinema		
3	12 Mobile Cinema		
1	3/14 Aust Fd Amb		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

H.Q. 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) ..... Unit

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

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Asstn.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Menial			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computers								Riggers				Stokers, Stat. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Asemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd'rs. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator				SEE APPENDIX "A"							
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, M.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Asstn.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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

25 Jan 45
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander Lt

for Col Comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area

L.R.Q. Press—1765—11/44—104m.

PERSONNEL POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GRO 187/44

Army No	Rank	Name		Trade	Med Class
QF22409	WO 1	BATSON	D G	RSM	A 2
NX110657	"	SPILSTED	E H	RQMS	A1
NX147919	S/Sgt	GLEESON	F J	Clerk	A1
VX28627	Sgt	RICE	W M	Med Orderly	B2
VX77102	"	DONALDSON	A K	CSM	B2
VX21529	Cpl	COLLINS	G W	Dr MT	A1
VX21157	"	D'ARCY EVANS	E C	"	A1
VX15773	"	DEATES	L W	Carpenter	A2
VX123853	"	CONABERE	D A	Clerk(Ordnance)	A1
VX30677	"	TAYLOR	C J	"	A1
VX77210	"	LUCAS	C R	"	A2
445258	"	BODINAR	G R C	"	A1

HQ 3 Amph Base Sub Area (AIF)
HS 37/BM/2

Appendix 'A'
Date 23 Jun 45
Serial No 23/45

Trade	Rank	HS	Posted Strength	Sup	Def	Reinft Required
Trade Group 1						
Typewriter Mechanic	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Trade Group 3						
Clerks	Pte	7	4	-	3	3
"	WO 11	1	1			
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	
"	Cpl	3	3			
Dr Meeba	Pte	3	2	-	1	
Non Specialists						
Batmen	Pte	21	12	-	9	9
Dr MT	Pte	28	15	-	14	14
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	2	2			
Hygiene Dutyman	Pte	2	2			
Water Dutymen	Pte	2	2			
General Dutymen	Pte	5	5			
"	Cpl	6	6			
Orderlies	Pte	15	15			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			
CSM	WO 11	1	2	1		
CQMS	S/Sgt	1	1			
RE Branch						
Trade Group 1						
Draughtsman	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Trade Group 3						
Clerks	Pte	3	1	-	2	
"	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Attached to the General Staff						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk (Arty)	Pte	1	-	-	1	
Supply & Tpt						
Trade Group 3						
Clerks	Pte	4	3	-	1	1
"	WO 11	1	-	-	1	1
"	S/Sgt	2	1	-	1	1
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	1
"	Cpl	3	2	-	1	1
Non Specialists						
Orderlies	Pte	2	1	-	1	1
Medical						
Trade Group 2						
Carpenters	Pte	2	-	-	1	
Trade Group 3						
Clerks	Pte	1	1			
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Non Specialists						
Hygiene Inspectors	WO 11	2	-	-	2	
" —/—	S/Sgt	-	1	1		
"	Sgt	2	2			
Medical Orderlies	Pte	3	-	-	3	2
"	Cpl	3	1	-	2	1
Ordnance						
Trade Group 1						
Asst Armourer	WO 11	1	1			
Trade Group 3						
Clerks	pte	3	1	-	2	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
ROMC	WO 1	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			

~~Authority~~ WO11 SMITH J, posted and filling WO 11 Hyg Inspet ~~vice~~ Vacancy

Trade	Rank	WE	Posted Strength	Sur	Def	Reinft Required
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
Assist Inspector of Rubber	WO II	1	-	-	1	
Postal						
Postal Orderly	Cpl	1	1			
AACC Trade Group 2						
Cshkr	Pte	6	3	-	3	3
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
AAFC Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	-	1	1		
Legal Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	2	-	-	2	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Provost Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Cpl	1	1			
Education Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
"	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
Dental Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Attached Supernumerary (RAAF) (RAAF) Landforces A1/IRS)						
Batman-Dvr	Pte	3	2	-	1	
Supernumerary MCos						
Posted in accordance with GRO 127/44						
[illegible]	WO 1	-	1	1		
[illegible]	WO II	-	1	1		
Clerk	S/Sgt	-	1	1		
[illegible]	Sgt	-	1	1		
Medical Orderly	Sgt	-	1	1		
Carpenter	Cpl	-	1	1		
Dr [illegible]	Cpl	-	2	2		
Clerk (Ordnance)	Cpl	-	2	2		
Clerk	Cpl	-	2	2		
		178	128	15	68	41

APPX "N"

WD

Subject: AUSTRALIAN COMFORTS FUND

HQ 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

25 Jun 45

A 6/128

Distribution: List "F"

1. As it appears that many of our troops are not aware of how the ACF works and what are its relations with YMCA and Salvation Army, the following information is to be brought to the notice of all troops under comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area.

2. The Australian Comforts Fund is the sole channel in Australia for the collection and distribution of monies and items of comforts to cover war time activities of the three bodies.

3. Comforts for this area are received in bulk by the ACF which then distributes them on an equal basis to YMCA and Salvation Army. Salvation Army and YMCA are the main channels for actual distribution to troops.

4. The ACF furnishes and equips Recreation Huts in unit lines and the YMCA and Salvation Army are then responsible for servicing these huts.

5. It has been found difficult lately to collect funds in Australia for ACF. Some cases have been brought to notice of this HQ where soldiers writing home have been loud in praise of Salvation Army and YMCA efforts and have been critical of ACF efforts. It is clear that, in these cases, the writers have not been aware that all comforts come through ACF and it is considered that these letters would have a detrimental effect upon ACF appeals for contributions.

6. Coe and Cmd Units and Det will ensure that the provisions of ASO's Chap 12, para 18, are implemented.

[signature]
Lt Col
AA & QMG 3 Aust Base Sub Area

APPX "O"

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

Serial No. 26.
Nos 125-135

3 AUST BASE SUB AREA ROUTINE ORDERS

PART 1

by

COL H T ALLAN

COMD 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

HEADQUARTERS 3 AUST BASE SUB AREA

30 JUN 45.

GENERAL STAFF

G125. TELEPHONES - MANNING OF/

1. All units and dets will ensure that at least one telephone is manned at ALL times.

Capt
General Staff

ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER GENERALS BRANCH

A126. REQUEST HOUR REPORTS

1. Attention is directed to GRO A492/43 and in particular to para 9 thereof.

2. Units will ensure that, in future, reports reach HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area on the first day of the months specified in 3 Aust Base Sub Area 2068 of 3 Jun 45. Reports in respect of the quarterly period ending 30 Jun 45 will be submitted forthwith.

A127. ROAD DISCIPLINE

1. Attention is directed to 3 Aust Base Sub Area Order A115/45 which provides for a maximum speed limit in WEWAK Area of 20 mph. This limit also applies to beaches.

2. Considerable damage is being caused to roads by vehicles "tracking" through soft patches. Unit and det comds will impress on all drivers MT the necessity of levelling the road surface by avoiding the tracks of preceeding vehicles.

3. Severe disciplinary action is to be taken against offenders.

(To be republished in Unit Orders.)

A128. ACTING NCOs - "X" LIST/

1. Cases in which hardship has resulted to acting NCOs who have been hospitalised for seven days or less, but who because of admission to an AGH or CCS direct have been X listed immediately, and so lost their acting rank, have come to notice.

2. It is understood that an amendment to GRO 87/45 para 11 (a) 111 is in course of preparation. Pending issue units will ensure that when an acting NCO is evacuated from his unit the RMO will evacuate him to the nearest field ambulance, provided the RMO considers:

(a) that the acting NCO is likely to be fit to rejoin his unit within seven days, and

(b) that admission to a field ambulance instead of direct admission to an AGH or CCS is unlikely to prejudice his recovery.

3. Field Ambulances will be prepared to provide medical treatment for cases in this category.

A129. MALARIA PRECAUTIONS

1. As from date of issue of this order patients who have had malaria are to receive 2 tabs of atebrin per day for six weeks after their discharge from hospital. This is a continuation of treatment called a "chaser" or "maintenance" course of atebrin and is NOT to be confused with the normal suppressive atebrin administration which is one tablet of atebrin for ALL 3 Aust Base Sub Area troops.

2. To simplify the administration of this "chaser" atebrin course, MOs will record on page 19 of AAB 83 the following details -

2 tabs of Atebrin per day until .....(date)

3. Every man who is discharged from a medical unit will have his AAB 83 inspected and if the above entry is recorded it is the responsibility of his CO or OC to see that the soldier is given 2 tablets of atebrin per day until the date specified. When the "chaser" course has been completed it will be signed off by an MO and the soldier will revert to the NORMAL suppressive atebrin administration, i.e. one tablet of atebrin per day.

(To be republished in Unit Orders).

A130. SALE OF WRISTLET WATCHES BY AUST ARMY CANTEENS SERVICE

1. A quantity of wristlet watches has been procured by NG Sec Aust Army Canteens Service.

2. Owing to limited stocks available, watches will at this stage be allocated for sale to troops in field formations only.

Q131. BLANKETS GS

1. A review of blankets GS is to be made as at 15 Jul 45.

2. Returns will be submitted by 16 Jul 45 showing the following information

(a) Blankets on issue as at 15 Jul 45 (including all reserve stocks and detailed issues to personnel).

(b) Blankets held in laundries as at 15 Jul 45 (including any reserve holdings and all working stocks).

Stock held in Ordnance Depots will not be included.

3. Units in the WEWAK area will forward returns to HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area. Units in the AITAPE area will forward returns to Rear HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area.

Q132. CLOTHING - SCALE OF ISSUES

1. Approval has been given by First Aust Army for the scale of issue of trousers, drill green to be increased to 3 pairs per man.

2. Units will place demands accordingly.

3. Smaller sizes are still in short supply and will not be available for some time.

Q133. WATER TANKS. Units will submit returns showing the number and capacity of all water tanks held as at 4 jul45. Returns to be forwarded to HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area by 6 Jul 45.

Lt Col
AA & QMG

NOTICES

LOST From NGDD AITAPE on or about 13 Jun 45 one metal box approx 36" x 12" x 10" with the following painted in white:

TECHNICAL EQUIPMENT
Sig BAILEY A/J/

This equipment is on charge to 3 Aust Water Tpt Gp and any information as to its whereabouts is to be advised immediately to DAPM 3 Aust Base Sub Area.

FOUND Implements butchers, bases, wood, complete in green box bearing War Office Serial No 46204 and unit marking (brown, green, brown).

Box may be claimed from 13 Aust Indep Pro Pl.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

28 /15 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 30 /6 /43 HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. IV 30/6 OFFRS 41 O.R's 178 + OFFRS. O.R's. ATT. BY W.E.

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

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Rein'fts Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Rein'fts Required.
1			1	T/Col *					
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
11	5		6	Majors					
24	9	1	16	Captains					
4	1	8	11	Lieutenants					
				Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
41	15	9	35						

Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2).	DETAIL		A.I.F.	C.M.F.	A.W.A.S.	A.A.N.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
	A.		35									35
	E.(1)											
	E.(2)											

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	CAUSE.
WX33100	Capt	R B DUNCAN	HQ Vic L of C Area	24/6/43	Appointed Education Offr Authy First Aust Army AMS 4861 of 19 May 43

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
WX36887	Capt	J A JACKSON	LHQ Melbourne	19/6/43	To Directorate of Education ("A" Branch)

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

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

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 30 /6 /1945 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
W/Col	[illegible]	ALLAN	H T	Comd	Yes		
Lt-Col	[illegible]	HARDIE	J G	AAMPC	"		
Maj	[illegible]	DUNCAN	J H	DADO	No	2/11 Aust Gen Hosp	
"	[illegible]	COLLAN	P K	DADOS	Yes		
"	[illegible]	DANE	T	DADOS	"		
"	[illegible]	GARDNER	W E	DADOS	"		
W/Maj	[illegible]	DAY	W L	DADOS	"		
"	[illegible]	COOPER	C C	DADOS	"		
Capt	[illegible]	BLOD	A C	ACEO	"		
"	[illegible]	CHAMBERS	T I	ACEA	"		
"	[illegible]	BUTLER	J P	ALO	"		
"	[illegible]	BROCKMAN	A	ALA	"		
"	[illegible]	BAGOT	J F	Legal	"		
"	[illegible]	DOLAN	C P	Camp	"		
"	[illegible]	GILCHRIST	A	DADH	"		
"	[illegible]	BRAY	C R	AASC	"		
"	[illegible]	BOTTEN	J W	AASC	"		
"	[illegible]	FAIRCLOUGH	D E	ASC Lab	"		
"	[illegible]	PURTON	M C	EME	"		
"	[illegible]	DUNCAN	R B	AAES	"		
W/Capt	[illegible]	ALLAN	K E	GSC 3	"		
Chaplain	[illegible]	REGNIER	E T	Chap	"		
"	[illegible]	HISSEY	P P	Chap	No	Recreational Leave	26/6/45
"	[illegible]	STARR	F H	Chap	Yes		
Lt	[illegible]	ANDREWS	F	Pay	"		
"	[illegible]	BLANCH	H C	AASC	"		
"	[illegible]	CASPER	A L	A/Camp	"		
"	[illegible]	DUNN	H J	Caterer	"		
"	[illegible]	LIDDELL	W J	ALO	"		
"	[illegible]	MARDEN	G G	AASC	"		
"	[illegible]	MORTIMER	L O	AAPC	"		
"	[illegible]	STAIN	F	CC	"		
"	[illegible]	THOMSON	C J	AAPC	"		
"	[illegible]	[illegible]	K J	AC(AC)	"		
"	[illegible]	DUNN	J W	[illegible]	No	Recreational Leave	24/5/45

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Lt	[illegible]	T J COLLINS	LHC Pool AAPC	14 Apr 45	
Capt		P S [illegible]	ACF	8 May 45	
Rep	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	6 Jun 45	
Comm	[illegible]	[illegible]	Salvation Army	8 Jun 45	(Leave)
Rep	[illegible]	[illegible]	ABCS	22 Jun 45	

30 Jun 45
Date of Despatch

Lt
Signature of Commander
for Col Comd 3 Aust Base Sub-Area

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FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

28745 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 30/6/45 HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) (Unit)

W.E. IV/SD/2. OFFRS. 41 O.R's. 178 + OFFRS. ..... O.R's. ..... ATT. BY W.E.

Part A. Posted Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements Required.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED.				DETAIL.	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinfts. Required.	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength.		Arm or Corps.	Posted Strength.	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinfts. Required.
1		2	3	W.Os. Class I.					
7 1	4	1	4	W.Os. Class II.					
1			1	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
4 1	3	2	3	Staff Sergeants					
15 1	3	2	15	Sergeants					
29 2	7	6	30	Corporals					
120 35	48		72	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
178 41	65	15	128 *	Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2.		*			*

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

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

Detail	A	B	A C.M.P.	B [illegible]	A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL.	R.A.N.	R.A.A.F.	* *	TOTAL.
A	80	17	15	16				[redacted]	[redacted]		128
B(1)											
B(2)							[redacted]				

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
5	LHQ Pool AAEC		
7	LHQ Pool AAAS		
3	85 Mobile Cinema		
3	12 Mobile Cinema		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.

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

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

HQ 3 Aust Base Sub Area (AIF) ..... Unit

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PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 30 /6 /1945.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Asst.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, R.A.A.				Operator, Keyboard				Hammermen			
Armament Artificer Fitter, (Electrical)				Surveyors, Topographical				Operator, Line				Leather Stitchers			
Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.)				Surveyors, Trigonometrical				Operator, Signal				Orderlies, Nursing			
Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.)				Toolmakers				Operator, Switchboard				Orderlies, Nursing Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers			
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Riveters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletree makers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Computers								Riggers				Stokers, Stnty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Knitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd'rs. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanisers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters				Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics											
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)											
Fitters				Driver-Operator											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers				SEE APPENDIX				N.A.F.			
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchmen				Butchers							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Clerks							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Concreters							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Despatch Riders				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Operators, Examator				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Photowriter				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Plumber				Moulders				Farriers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors				Observation Post Asstn.				Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				CARRIED FORWARD				Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.		*	*

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

30 Jun 45 ..... Date of Despatch

..... Signature of Commander

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For Col Comd 3 Aust Base Sub Area

NCOs POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GRO 1677/44

ARMY No	Rank	Name		Trade	Med Class
QF2409	WO 1	BATSON	D G	RSM	A1
WX10687	WO 1	SPILSTED	E H	RQMS	A1
WX47919	S/Sgt	GLEESON	F J	Clerk	A1
WX5457	Sgt	RICE	W K	Med Ord	B2
WX77102	Sgt	DONALDSON	A K	CSM	B2
WX21269	Sgt	COLLINS	G W	Dr MT	A1
WX21187	Cpl	D'ARCY-EVANS	E C	Dr MT	A1
2125775	Cpl	DEATEN	L W	Carpenter	A2
WX102663	Cpl	GOMARSH	D A	Clerk (Ord)	A1
WX25677	Cpl	TAYLOR	C J	Clerk (Ord)	A1
WX7220	Cpl	LUCAS	C R	Clerk	A2
545266	Cpl	BODIMAR	G R C	Clerk	A1

W/E/TV/ED/h

Date 30 Jun 45
Serial No 96/45

Trade	Rank	WE	Posted Strength	Sur	Def	Reinft Required
Trade Group 1						
Typewriter Mechanic	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	7	4	-	3	3
"	WO II	1	1			
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	
"	Cpl	3	3			
Dp Hosp	Pte	3	2	-	1	
Non Specialists						
Batmen	Pte	21	11	-	10	10
Dp MT	Pte	32	19	-	13	13
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	2	2			
Hygiene Dutymen	Pte	2	2			
Motor Dutymen	Pte	2	2			
General Dutymen	Pte	5	5			
"	Cpl	6	6			
Orderlies	Pte	13	13			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			
CSM	WO II	1	2	1		
CQMS	S/Sgt	1	1			
C Branch						
Trade Group 2						
Clerks	Pte	3	1	-	2	
"	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Trade Group 1						
Dyeingkeeper	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Attached to the General Staff						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
Supply & Tpt						
Trade Group 2						
Clerk	Pte	4	3	-	1	1
"	WO II	1	-	-	1	1
"	S/Sgt	2	1	-	1	1
"	Sgt	3	2	-	1	1
"	Cpl	3	2	-	1	1
Non Specialists						
Orderlies	Pte	2	1	-	1	1
Medical						
Trade Group 2						
Carpenters	Pte	2	-	-	2	
Trade Group 3						
Clerks	Pte	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
"	Sgt	1	1			
Non Specialists						
Hygiene Inspectors	WO II	2	-	-	2	
" -/-	S/Sgt	-	1	1		
"	Sgt	2	2			
Medical Orderlies	Pte	3	-	-	3	2
"	Cpl	3	1	-	2	1
Ordnance						
Trade Group 1						
Arm Mechanic	WO II	1	1			
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	3	1	-	2	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
Bond	WO 1	1	1			
Storeman	Pte	1	1			

-/- [illegible] S/Sgt [illegible], J. posted and filling WO II Hyg Inspector vacancy

Trade	Rank	WE	Posted Strength	Sur	Def	Reinf Required
RAAF						
AMES Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Non Specialists						
Assist Inspector of Rubber	WO II	1	-	-	1	
Postal						
Postal Orderly	Cpl	1	1			
AACC						
Trade Group 2						
Cooks	Pte	6	3	-	3	3
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
AAFC						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	-	1	1		
Legal						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	2	-	-	2	1
"	Sgt	1	1			
"	Cpl	1	1			
Provost						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Cpl	1	1			
Education						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	S/Sgt	1	-	-	1	
"	Pte	1	-	-	1	
Dental						
Trade Group 3						
Clerk	Pte	1	-	-	1	
"	Cpl	1	-	-	1	
Attached Supernumerary						
Trade - Landrover Attdt						
Batman-Dvr	Pte	3	2	-	1	
Attached Supernumerary						
Posted in accordance with GRO 187/44						
RMK	WO 1	-	1	1		
RQMS	WO 1	-	1	1		
Clerk	S/Sgt	-	1	1		
CSM	Sgt	-	1	1		
Medical Orderly	Sgt	-	1	1		
Carpenter	Cpl	-	1	1		
Dr RT	Cpl	8	2	2		
Clerk (Ordnance)	Cpl	-	2	2		
Clerk	Cpl	-	2	2		
		178	128	15	65	41