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66 Infantry Battalion British
Commonwealth Occupational
Forces (66 Inf Bn BCOF)

September - October 1947

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form O.211b
(Adapted)

D. 4901/T. 45 - 0.6546

Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn BCOF JAPAN Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47 To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
HIRO JAPAN Ref Maps : Central HONSHU 1:50000 Series Southern Japan 1:250000 Series	1 Sep		Effective Strength 34 Officers 492 ORs Bn training continues in all coy areas. Training will continue until the end of this month.	Fine day <i>See</i>
	2 Sep		Effective Strength 35 Officers 487 ORs. RMO visited SAMBEYAMA 76313517 to carry out medical inspection of personnel marching out on draft to AUSTRALIA.	Fine day. <i>See</i>
	3 Sep		Effective Strength 31 Officers 474 ORs. Maj O'KEEFE, RC Chaplain, visited SAMBE YAMA and held mass.	Fine day. <i>See</i>
	4 Sep		Effective Strength 35 Officers 480 ORs. Miss Beverly MYLES concert party visited area and entertained personnel from BHQ, HQ Coy, A and B Coys at HARA MURA 76742639.	Fine day. <i>See</i>
	5 Sep		Effective Strength 36 Officers 472 ORs Miss Beverly MYLES concert party entertained troops at SAMBE YAMA.	Fine day

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D. 4501/7.45 - O. 6546

Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47

To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			NX207918 Lt K E SKILLICORN RTU ex BCATS MATSUYAMA.	<i>See</i>
	6 Sep		Effective Strength 35 Officers 475 ORs W3008 and W3009 issued	Wet day. See appx B.C.
	7 Sep		Effective Strength 34 Officers 474 ORs. OPD church services held at all coy areas.	<i>See</i> Fine day
	8 Sep		Effective Strength 32 Officers 476 ORs.	<i>See</i> Fine day.
	9 Sep		Effective Strength 32 Officers 476 ORs.	Heavy rain
		0900	Coy areas visited by Brig R N L HOPKINS, 34 Aust Inf Bde, and Capt BUCHANAN, Commanding H M A S AUSTRALIA. The party visited all areas inspecting lines and watching training.	<i>See</i>
	10 Sep		Effective Strength 32 Officers 479 ORs Recce party consisting of Maj G F C MCKENZIE, Capt GARLAND, Lt FOX and an officer from A Fd Bty visited SAMBE YAMA to	Scattered showers

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D.4601/7.45-C.6546

Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47

To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			inspect the proposed area for the forthcoming combined manoeuvre to take place at the end of the collective training period.	
	11 Sep		Effective Strength 32 Officers 482 ORs Draft personnel from all coy areas moved back to HIRO prior to embarkation for AUSTRALIA. d RMO Medical report issued. Medical	Overcast See appx "D"
	12 Sep		Effective Strength 31 Officers 460 ORs RMO Medical Report issued SX33571 LT R W HONE and VX146497 Lt A C GORDON rejoined unit from leave in AUSTRALIA. Lt R W HONE had been attending OCTU in AUSTRALIA and received his commission just prior to xxx arrival in JAPAN.	Fine day See appx "E"
	13 Sep		Effective Strength 33 Officers 461 ORs	Scattered showers

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D.4001/7.45-C.0546

Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47 To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	14 Sep		Effective Strength 33 Officers 460 ORs Normal stand down day observed. OPD church services held in all coy areas.	Rainy day <i>but</i>
	15 Sep		Effective Strength 33 Officers 510 ORs. Stand down day in commemoration of Battle of Britain observed. 375180 2/Lt GEELAN - CSDIC - RTU ex 130 Aust Gen Hosp.	Fine day <i>hu</i>
	16 Sep		Effective Strength 34 Officers 499 ORs Draft of 40 personnel marched out for leave and discharge in AUSTRALIA.	Cloudy <i>hu</i>
	17 Sep		Effective Strength 34 Officers 460 ORs. Commanding Officer Lt-col M H McARTHUR and 2IC Maj G F C McKENZIE visited SAMBE YAMA to make preparations for forthcoming combined exercise.	Rainy day <i>hu</i>
	18 Sep		Effective Strength 35 Officers 460 ORs	Fine day

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Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47 To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			Maj T RODRIGUEZ, BC A Fd Bty, visited SAMBE YAMA and conducted	
			recce of manoeuvre area. Area selected is shewn in trace	
			enlargement attached as Appx	
			Adv party A and B Coys moved from HARA MURA to SAMBEYAMA	
			where full bn will concentrate for manoeuvre.	<i>See</i>
	19 Sep		Effective Strength 35 Officers 462 ORs.	Fine day.
			A and B Coys moved out from HARA MURA to march to SAMBE YAMA.	
			Companies will bivouac en route for two nights.	<i>See</i>
	20 Sep		Effective strength 35 Officers 462 ORs	Fine day.
			Adv party BHQ moved by MT from HACHIHONMATSU to SAMBE YAMA.	
			WX8667 Capt A P A DENNESS RTU ex leave AUSTRALIA.	<i>See</i>
	21 Sep		Effective Strength 36 Officers 459 ORs	Fine day
		0930	BHQ closed down at HACHIHONMATSU 76682679 and re-opened at	
			SAMBE YAMA 76313517.	<i>See</i>

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D.1601/7.45-C.0548

Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47

To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			Instr for DUKE OF GLOUCESTER Cup rifle shoot issued.	See Appx "J"
			Instr for combined exercise issued. Exercise to be called EXERCISE BUNGER	See Appx "H"
	22 Sep		Effective Strength 36 Officers 461 ORs A and B coys marched in to SAMBEYAMA. HQ Coy moved by MT from YONEMITSU 77192674 to SAMBE YAMA. Troop of A Ed Bty arrived by MT at SAMBE YAMA to participate in EXERCISE BUNGER. WX16017 Lt N L DAVIES admitted to ADS SAMBE YAMA NX207198 Lt K W SKILLICORN admitted to ADS SAMBE YAMA.	Fine day
	23 Sep		Effective Strength 36 Officers 463 ORs Coys spent day settling in at bivouac areas.	Fine day
	24 Sep		Effective Strength 34 Officers 460 ORs Commanding Officer Lt-col M H McARTHUR arrived SAMBE YAMA.	Fine day

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			A Fd Bty, MG and Mortar pls conducted practice shoot for EXERCISE BUNGER.	
	25 Sep		Effective strength 34 Officers 457 ORs D Coy and rear details HQ Coy moved by MT from HIRO to SAMBE YAMA to witness EXERCISE BUNGER.	Fine day
	26 Sep		Effective strength 34 Officers 457 ORs. Combined EXERCISE BUNGER completed. Owing to breakdown of RT, rocket firing and machine gun exhibition by Mustangs of the RAAF had to be postponed till 1400 hrs. D Coy moved out by MT for HIRO.	Fine day
	27 Sep		Effective strength 34 Officers 460 ORs DUKE OF GLOUCESTER Cup elimination shoot fired. Shoot won by B Coy who will represent the bn in the final shoot. B Coy will move to HARA MURA for training during October.	Fine day

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Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn

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To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	28 Sep		Effective Strength 34 Officers 462 ORs	Rainy day
			MG and Mortar pls conducted shoot for DUKE OF GLOUCESTER Cup.	
			A and C Coys marched out from SAMBEYAMA en route for MYOSHI	
			78053 102 where bn will concentrate prior to move back to HIRO by rail.	
			B Coy moved out by MT to HIRO to commence guard duties.	
			A Coy cooks move d out by MT to MYOSHI to establish feeding point	<i>hu</i>
	29 Sep		Effective Strength 34 Officers 460 ORs	Rainy day
		0900	BHQ closed down at SAMBE YAMA and re-opened at MYOSHI.	
			BHQ and HQ Coy moved by MT to MYOSHI	
		1400	A and C Coys marched in to MYOSHI.	
			Bn will bivouac at MYOSHI overnight.	<i>hu</i>

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D. 9601/7.45 - C. 6540

Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47 To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	30 Sep		Effective Strength 36 Officers 493 ORs	Fine day
		0530	Reveille.	
		0815	Bn marched from bivouac area through main streets of MYOSHI	
			to railway stn to entrain for HIRO.	
		1400	Bn arrived at MORSHEAD BARRACKS HIRO.	<i>See</i>

M. M. Arthur
Lt-col
Commanding 66 Aust Inf Bn
BCOF JAPAN

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Date and Time.— From _____

To _____

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			<u>LIST OF APPENDICES</u> For 1 - 30 Sept	
			Appx "A" DROs serials 162-163	
			" "B" W3009	
			" "C" W3008	
			" "D" Weekly Medical report for 30 Aug	
			" "E" " " " " 5 Sep	
			" "D" BROs serials 164-167	
			" "G" Trig Instr No6	
			" "H" Outline and Instrs for EXERCISE BUNGER	
			" "J" Trig Instr No 8	

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Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn.

Date and Time.— From 1 Sep '47 To 30 Sep '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			<u>SUMMARY OF EVENTS.</u>	
			<p>Revised. 1 Sep '47 to 26 Sep '47, A. B. & C coys continued field training, culminating in a prepared exercise of a coy in attack, with MMG, mortar and arty support, known as EXERCISE BUNGER. Exercise carried out at SAMBEYAMA ON 26 Sep '47. Brig. R.N.L. HOPKINS -34 Aust Inf Bde- and Capt. BUCH ANAN Commanding H.M.A.S. AUSTRALIA, visited HARA-MURA area on 9 Sep '47, inspected barracks and inspected 3" Mortar shoot. A and B coys marched out from Hara Mura on 19 Sep arrived Sambeyama on 22 Sep. Combined exercise "BUNGER" carried out at Sambeyama witnessed by Brig RNL HOPKINS on 26 Sep Eliminations for rifle pl shoot for DUKE OF GLOUCESTER CUP carried out on 27 Sep won by "B" coy. MMG and Mortar conducted shoot for DUKE OF GLOUCESTER CUP on the 28 Sep. Bn arrived back at HIRO on 30 Sept.</p>	
			<p><i>Arthur Arthur</i> Lt-Col Comd 66 Aust Inf Bn</p>	

appx "A"
War diary

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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1

Serial 162-163

By

Lt-Col M.H. McARTHUR

COMMANDING 66 AUST INF BN

66 Aust Inf Bn
5 Sep '47

162. PERSONNEL TRAVELLING ON LEAVE TRAIN

With immediate effect, all personnel travelling on
leave train to hostels in KIOTO area (OTSOYA INN - MAIKO - and
SUMITOMO VILLA) will carry out lunches until further notice.

This results from damage by fire to restaurant car.

163. BUS SERVICE HIRO - KURE - TENNO

1. Bus Service timetable which will commence operation
as from 1 Sep '47, are as follows.

- (a) Bus Service NIJI MURA - HIRO UNITS and return
- (b) Bus Service NIJI MURA - BASE UNITS and return
- (c) Bus Service HIRO - TENNO and return

2. This service supersedes all other services in the
HIRO - KURE area.

3. Unit Transport will NOT be used where bus service
is available.

BUS SCHEDULE FOR SERVICE PERSONNEL

NIJI MURA - HIRO UNITS AND RETURN

PART I NIJI MURA TO UNITS

Depart	Trip Serial No.				
	1	2	3	4	5
NIJI MURA	0800	0815	0820	1330	1345
140 Aust Bde Wksp	-	0820	-	-	1350
34 Aust Inf Bde Pro Coy	-	0822	-	-	1352
20 Aust Fd Amb	-	0827	-	-	1355
HQ 34 Aust Inf Bde	-	0830	0830	-	1400
14 Aust Wksp & Pk Sqn	0810	-	-	1340	-
16 Aust Mob Laundry	0815	-	-	1345	-
"4" Aust Fd Bty	0818	-	-	1348	-
28 Aust Fd Sqn	0820	-	-	1350	-
66 Aust Inf Bn	0825	-	-	1355	-
252 Aust Sup Dep Pl)	-	-	-	-	-
169 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	0830	-	-	1400	-

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BUS SERVICE FOR SERVICE PERSONNEL (Cont'd)PART II UNITS TO NIJI MURA

Depart	Trip Serial No.			
	1	2	3	4
169 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	1215	-	1615	-
66 Aust Inf Bn	1220	-	1620	-
252 Aust Sup Top Pl)	1225	-	1625	-
28 Aust Fd Sqn	1227	-	1627	-
"A" Aust Fd Bty	1230	-	1630	-
16 Aust Mob Laundry	1235	-	1635	-
14 Aust Wksp & Pk Coy	-	1215	-	1635
HQ 34 Aust Inf Bdo	-	1218	-	1638
20 Aust t Pd Amb	-	1223	-	1643
34 Aust Inf Bdo Pro Coy	-	1225	-	1645
140 Aust Bdo Wksp	1245	1230	1645	1650
NIJI MURA				

Note:- (a) School bus service will operate under separate time table

(b) Picture bus will depart NORTH CAMP 1900 hrs each night except Wednesday for NIJI MURA and EMPIRE THEATRE.

NIJI MURA - BRIT COM BASE UNITS & RETURNPART I HLRO TO UNITS

DEPART	Trip Serial No.		
	1	2	3
NORTH CAMP	0750		
Fd Cash Office			
ANZAC CLUB			
NIJI MURA Fire Stn	0805	0805	0805
Dependants Shop	0808	0808	0808
ANZAC CLUB			
34 Aust Inf Bdo Pro Coy			
"J" Coy 2/1 Aust Gd Rogt		0816	
Dependants Shop KURE		0828	
KURE HOUSE	0827	0832	
C in C Residence	0828	0833	
WHITE HOUSE	0829	0834	
HQ Brit Com Base	0831	0836	
Ferry Terminal	0833	0843	
HQ Brit Com Base			
WHITE HOUSE			
C in C Residence			
KURE HOUSE	0837	0847	
AASC Entrance	0839	0849	
KURE Railway Stn	0841	0851	
Brit Com Base Wksp		0854	0836
Engineers Entrance		0857	0839
Point Camp Exit		0900	0842
A.P.D. YOSHIURA		0905	0847
34 Aust Inf Bdo Recep Camp		0908	0850
TENNO		0913	0855
KOYAURA		0919	0901

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BUS SERVICE FOR SERVICE PERSONNEL (Cont'd)

PART II UNITS TO HIRO

Depart	1	Temp Serial No. 2
KOYAURA		
TENNO		
34 Aust Inf Bde Recep Camp	1645	
A.P.D. YOSHIURA	1648	
Point Camp Entrance	1653	
Engineers Entrance	1656	
Brit Com Base Wksp	1653	
KURE Railway Stn	1703	1645
AASC Entrance	1704	1646
KURE HOUSE	1706	1647
C in C Residence	1707	
WHITE HOUSE	1708	
HQ Brit Com Base	1710	
Ferry Terminal	1715	1655
HQ Brit Com Base	1717	1657
WHITE HOUSE	1718	1658
C in C Residence	1819	1659
KURE HOUSE	1721	1701
Dependants Shop KURE	1725	1705
"J" Coy 2/1 Aust Gd Regt	1740	1720
34 Aust Inf Bde Pro Coy	1742	1722
ANZAC CLUB	1744	1729
Dependants Shop	1749	1731
NIJI MURA Fire Stn	1751	1736
ANZAC CLUB	1756	1740
Fd Cash Office	1800	1743
NORTH CAMP	1803	1744
HIRO Round About	1807	1747
"A" Fd Bty	1808	1748
28 Aust Fd Sqn	1809	1749
R.C. Chapel	1810	1750
66 Aust Inf Bn	1812	1752

Note:- Serials 1 and 2 special service for movement for Brit Com Base personnel, Reception Camp, - KURE - HIRO. In addition to normal service.

BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION FORCE
SERVICE PERSONNEL AND DEPENDANTS BUS SERVICE
HIRO - TENNO AND RETURN

TIME OF DEPARTURE

KOMURA	TENNO	1015	1115	1215	1315	1415	1515	1615	1715	1815	1915	2015			
34 Bde Recop Camp	1021	1121	1221	1321	1421	1521	1621	1721	1821	1921	2021	2121	2221	2321	
A.P.D YOSHIURA	1024	1124	1224	1324	1424	1524	1624	1724	1824	1924	2024	2124	2224	2324	
Point Camp	1029	1129	1229	1329	1429	1529	1629	1729	1829	1929	2029	2129	2229	2329	
Engineers Entrance	1032	1132	1232	1332	1432	1532	1632	1732	1832	1932	2032	2132	2232	2332	
Brit Com Base Wksp	1035	1135	1235	1335	1435	1535	1635	1735	1835	1935	2035	2135	2235	2335	
KURE Railway Stn	1039	1139	1239	1339	1439	1539	1639	1739	1839	1939	2039	2139	2239	2339	
AASC Entrance	1041	1141	1241	1341	1441	1541	1641	1741	1841	1941	2041	2141	2241	2341	
KURE HOU SE	1043	1143	1243	1343	1443	1543	1643	1743	1843	1943	2043	2143	2243	2343	
C in C Residence	1044	1144	1244	1344	1444	1544	1644	1744	1844	1944	2044	2144	2244	2344	
WHITE HOUSE	1045	1145	1245	1345	1445	1545	1645	1745	1845	1945	2045	2145	2245	2345	
Hq Brit Com Base	1046	1146	1246	1346	1446	1546	1646	1746	1846	1946	2046	2146	2246	2346	
Ferry Terminal	1053	1153	1253	1353	1453	1553	1653	1753	1853	1953	2053	2153	2253	2353	
HQ Brit Com Base	1055	1155	1255	1355	1455	1555	1655	1755	1855	1955	2055	2155	2255	2355	
WHITE HOUSE	1056	1156	1256	1356	1456	1556	1656	1756	1856	1956	2056	2156	2256	2356	
C in C Residence	1057	1157	1257	1357	1457	1557	1657	1757	1857	1957	2057	2157	2257	2357	
KURE HOUSE	1059	1159	1259	1359	1459	1559	1659	1759	1859	1959	2059	2159	2259	2359	
Dependants Shop KURE	1103	1203	1303	1403	1503	1603	1703	1803	1903	2003	2103	2203	2303	0003	
"J" Coy 2/1 Gds.	1118	1218	1318	1418	1518	1618	1718	1818	1918	2018	2118	2218	2318	0018	
34 Bde Pro Coy	1122	1222	1322	1422	1522	1622	1722	1822	1922	2022	2122	2222	2322	0022	
ANZAC CLUB	1124	1224	1324	1424	1524	1624	1724	1824	1924	2024	2124	2224	2324	0024	
Dependants Shop HIRO	1127	1227	1327	1427	1527	1627	1727	1827	1927	2027	2127	2227	2327	0027	
NIJI MURA Fire Stn	1129	1229	1329	1429	1529	1629	1729	1829	1929	2029	2129	2229	2329	0029	
ANZAC-CLUB	1134	1234	1334	1434	1534	1634	1734	1834	1934	2034	2134	2234	2334	0034	
Ed Cash Office	1138	1238	1338	1438	1538	1638	1738	1838	1938	2038	2138	2238	2338	0038	
NORTH CAMP	1143	1243	1343	1443	1543	1643	1743	1843	1943	2043	2143	2243	2343	0043	
HIRO	1147	1247	1347	1447	1547	1647	1747	1847	1947	2047	2147	2247	2347	0047	
"A" Aust Ed Bty	1148	1248	1348	1448	1548	1648	1748	1848	1948	2048	2148	2248	2348	0048	
28 Aust Ed Sqn	1149	1249	1349	1449	1549	1649	1749	1849	1949	2049	2149	2249	2349	0049	
R.C. Chapel	1153	1253	1353	1453	1553	1653	1753	1853	1953	2053	2153	2253	2353	0053	
66 Aust Inf Bn	1155	1255	1355	1455	1555	1655	1755	1855	1955	2055	2155	2255	2355	0055	

BRITISH COMMONWEALTH OCCUPATION FORCE
SERVICE PERSONNEL AND DEPENDANTS BUS SERVICE
HIRO - TENNO AND RETURN

<u>TIME OF DEPARTURE</u>														
66 Aust Inf Bn	0825	0925	1025	1125	1225	1325	1425	1525	1625	1725	1825	1925	2025	2125
F.C. Chapel	0827	0927	1027	1127	1227	1327	1427	1527	1627	1727	1827	1927	2027	2127
"A" Aust Pd Bty	0829	0929	1029	1129	1229	1329	1429	1529	1629	1729	1829	1929	2029	2129
HIRO	0830	0930	1030	1130	1230	1330	1430	1530	1630	1730	1830	1930	2030	2130
NORTH CAMP	0831	0931	1031	1131	1231	1331	1431	1531	1631	1731	1831	1931	2031	2131
Fd Cash Office	0839	0939	1039	1139	1239	1339	1439	1539	1639	1739	1839	1939	2039	2139
ANZAC CLUB	0843	0943	1043	1143	1243	1343	1443	1543	1643	1743	1843	1943	2043	2143
NIJIMURA Fire Sta	0852	0952	1052	1152	1252	1352	1452	1552	1652	1752	1852	1952	2052	2152
Dependants Shop HIRO	0855	0955	1055	1155	1255	1355	1455	1555	1655	1755	1855	1955	2055	2155
ANZAC CLUB	0900	1000	1100	1200	1300	1400	1500	1600	1700	1800	1900	2000	2100	2200
34 Bde Pro Coy	0901	1001	1101	1201	1301	1401	1501	1601	1701	1801	1901	2001	2101	2201
"J" Coy 2/1 Gd Regt	0903	1003	1103	1203	1303	1403	1503	1603	1703	1803	1903	2002	2103	2203
Dependants Shop KURE	0915	1015	1115	1215	1315	1415	1515	1615	1715	1815	1915	2015	2115	2215
WHITE HOUSE	0919	1019	1119	1219	1319	1419	1519	1619	1719	1819	1919	2019	2119	2219
C in C Residence	0920	1020	1120	1220	1320	1420	1520	1620	1720	1820	1920	2020	2120	2220
WHITE HOUSE	0921	1021	1121	1221	1321	1421	1521	1621	1721	1821	1921	2021	2121	2221
HQ Brit Com Base	0923	1023	1123	1223	1323	1423	1523	1623	1723	1823	1923	2023	2123	2223
Ferry Terminal	0930	1030	1130	1230	1330	1430	1530	1630	1730	1830	1930	2030	2130	2230
HQ Brit Com Base	0933	1033	1133	1233	1333	1433	1533	1633	1733	1833	1933	2033	2133	2233
WHITE HOUSE	0934	1034	1134	1234	1334	1434	1534	1634	1734	1834	1934	2034	2134	2234
C in C Residence	0935	1035	1135	1235	1335	1435	1535	1635	1735	1835	1935	2035	2135	2235
KURE HOUSE	0937	1037	1137	1237	1337	1437	1537	1637	1737	1837	1937	2037	2137	2237
AASC Entrance	0939	1039	1139	1239	1339	1439	1539	1639	1739	1839	1939	2039	2139	2239
KURE Railway Sta.	0941	1041	1141	1241	1341	1441	1541	1641	1741	1841	1941	2041	2141	2241
Brit Com Base Wksp	0945	1045	1145	1245	1345	1445	1545	1645	1745	1845	1945	2045	2145	2245
Engine rs Entrance	0948	1048	1148	1248	1348	1448	1548	1648	1748	1848	1948	2048	2148	2248
Point Camp Exit	0951	1051	1151	1251	1351	1451	1551	1651	1751	1851	1951	2051	2151	2251
A.P.D. YOSHIURA	0956	1056	1156	1256	1356	1456	1556	1656	1756	1856	1956	2056	2156	2256
34 Bde Recep Camp	0959	1059	1159	1259	1359	1459	1559	1659	1759	1859	1959	2059	2159	2259
TENNO	1004	1104	1204	1304	1404	1504	1604	1704	1804	1904	2004	2104	2204	2304
IOYAUURA														

Lt.
Adj. 66 Aust Inf Bn.

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NOTICES.

V.D. CONTROL

Herewith unit figures of incidence of VD within 34 Aust Inf Bde, based on the period 8-22 Aug '47.

Unit	Number of cases	Rate per 1000 per month	Group	Order of merit
40 34 Aust Inf Bde	0	0	1	1
34 Aust Inf Bde Pro Coy	0	0	1	1
140 Aust Bde Ord Fd Pk	0	0	1	1
169 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	0	0	1	1
252 Aust Sup Dep Pl	0	0	1	1
28 Aust Fd Sqn	0	0	1	1
65 Aust Inf Bn	4	11.1	2	2
1 Aust Armd Car Sqn	1	15.3	2	3
66 Aust Inf Bn	6	19.3	2	4
140 Aust Bde Wksp	1	20.0	2	5
67 Aust Inf Bn	9	25.3	3	6
1 Aust Fd Bty	3	32.2	3	7
14 Aust Wksp & Pk Sqn	6	49.5	4	8
20 Aust Fd Amb	1	52.6	4	9
BCOF Ord Veh Pk Wksp	1	60.25	4	10
76 Aust Mob Laundry	3	63.8	4	11
148 Aust L/D Att 1 Aust Armd Car Sqn	1	166.6	4	12
34 Aust Inf Bde Postal	1	333.3	4	13

Appx B

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

Army Form W.3009 (Adapted)

(Page 1)

(Revised Jan., 1943.)

36 / 47 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 6 / 9 / 1947 66 Aust Inf (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 12 + 4 OFFRS. 32 O.R's. 650 + OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 32 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			1	W.Os. Class I.					
6			6	W.Os. Class II.					
5			5	Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts.					
				Staff Sergeants					
29		1	30	Sergeants	<i>See Attached List for Details.</i>				
62	11		51	Corporals					
547	92		455	Troopers, Privates, etc.					
				Civilians counting as O.R.					
650	* 103	1	548	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.I.F.	C.M.F.		A.W.A.S.	A.A.M.W.S.	CIVIL	R.A.N.	R.A.A.P.	**	TOTAL.
		Under 19 Years.	19 Years and over.							
A										
B(1)										
B(2)										

Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which they belong
2	AAES		
1	140 Bde Wksp		
6	1 Armd Car Sqn		
3	"20 Fd Amb.		
1	54 Bde Skg Sec.		
Total	13.		

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

Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.	Number of O.Rs.	Unit to which detached.
1	6 Adv 2 Ech	3	Detention
4	BCAT D&M Sch	2	AWL.
7	Bde Athletics		
2	Bde Clerk Sch		
3	Bde S.S.O.		
9	BCAT Inf Sch		
1	169 AGT Coy		
1	20 Fd Amb.		
15	22 A.D.BKS.		
4	548 Aust LAD		
6	21 Aust A.O.D.		
1	65 Aust Inf Bn		
31	Leave Aust.		
25	Hospital.		

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).

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 6 / 9 / 1947 .

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. 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 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				Stevadores			
Computors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors			
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's 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											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators											
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				GROUP III				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Butchers							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Radio				Joiners				Concretors							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman				Cooks							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lineman, Signals				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Millwrights				Lithographers				Despatch Riders							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Metal				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Pattern Maker				Machinists, Wood				Drivers, H.T.							
Pharmacist				Masons				Driver Mechanics							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Masseurs				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photewriter				Mechanics, M.T.				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Plumber				Miners				Equipment Repairers							
Saw Doctors				Moulders				Farriers							
Surveyors				Nurses, Trained				Fitters' Mates							
				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.			

See Attached List for Details.

ATTACHED BY W.E.

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. "Reints. 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.

[Signature]
Lt-Col.
Comd 66 Aust Inf Bn.

6.9.47.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

DETAILS OF PRESENT STRENGTH & REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

POSTING	Rank	WE	PS	DEF	SUR
ASa	WO 1	1	1		
Repairs	WO 2	1	1		
CSA	WO 2	5	5		
Cpls	S/Sgt	5	5		
Ord Room Sgt	Sgt	2	3		1
Sgt Tailor	"	1	1		
Int Sgt	"	1	1		
Tech Store Sgt	"	1	1		
Transport Sgt	"	1	1		
Sgt Dvr Mech	"	1	1		
Pro Sgt	"	1	1		
Sgts Pl	"	20	20		
Int Cpls	Cpl	2	2		
Cpl Clerks	"	6	6		
Cpl Tailor	"	1	-	1	
Tpt Cpls	"	2	3		1
MMG Cpl	"	2	1	1	
Mortar Cpl	"	3	2	1	
Pioneer Cpl	"	4	4		
SB Cpl	"	2	2		
Sig Cpl	"	4	3	1	
Cpls Pl	"	36	28	8	
<u>TRADE GROUP 1</u>					
Blacksmith	Pte	1	1		
<u>TRADE GROUP 2</u>					
Carpenters	Pte	6	2	4	
Int Duties	"	7	5	2	
Sigs	"	22	16	16	
Dvr Mech	"	7		7	
<u>TRADE GROUP 3</u>					
Clerk Tpt	Pte	1		1	
Butcher	"	1		1	
Clerks	"	4	1	3	
Eqpt Repairer	"	1	1		
Range Taker	"	4		4	
Storemen Tech	"	3	3		
Storeman Tpt	"	1		1	
<u>NON-SPECIALISTS</u>					
Batmen	Pte	34	6	28	
Drivers MT	"	39	39		
Gen Duties	"	3	3		
Hyg Duties	"	4	4		
MMG Nos	"	20	18	2	
Mortar Nos	"	46	21	25	
Pioneers	"	27	14	13	
RP's	"	6	4	2	
Storemen	"	6	6		
SBs	"	18	18		
Water Duty men	"	2	2		
Orderlies	"	31	9	22	
LMG Nos & Riflemen	"	253	292		39
		550	548	145	41

66 AUST INF BN

DETAILS OF PERSONNEL ATTACHED BY ME

		RANK	WE	PS	DEF	SUR
<u>AAAC</u>	Hygiene Insp	Sgt	1	1		
	WAR Sgt	Sgt	1	1		
	Chiropodist	Cpl	1	1		
	Private	Pte	1	1	1 NR	
<u>AAOC</u>	Shoemaker	Cpl	1	1		
<u>AAOC</u>	Caterer	WOII	1	1		
	Cook	Sgt	5	4	1 NR	
	Cook	Cpl	5	3	2 NR	
	Cook	Pte	13	9	4 NR	
<u>AAOC</u>	Pay Sgt	Sgt	1	1		
	Pay	Cpl	1	1		
<u>AAFS</u>	Postal Sgt	Sgt	1	1		
TOTAL			32	24	8	

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Army Form W.3008
(Adapted) (Page 1)
(Revised Jan., 1943)
..... (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 9/1947 66 Aust Inf (Unit)

W.E. 11 OFFRS. 32 O.R.'s 650 OFFRS. 1 O.R.'s ATT. BY W.E.

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

W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED				DETAIL	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinf'ts Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength		Arm or Corps	Posted Strength	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinf'ts Required
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
3			3	Majors					
9	2NR		7	Captains	AAAC	1			
18	2NR		16	Lieutenants					
1			1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offs					
				Civilians Counting as Offs.					
32	4NR		28			1			

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) and 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.	28									28
	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 UK 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
TX16384	Lt	R.G.DEBGAN	"A" Aust Pd Bty	6.8.47	Att for duty

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	Unit To	Date	CAUSE
TX160013	Capt	D.B.DUNSTAN	RQ BCOP		Seconded
TX16384	Lt	R.G.DEBGAN	"A" Aust Pd Bty	6.8.47	Tfd out.

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).

PART D—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH.

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/9/1947 (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
Lt-Col Maj	VX93328 VX93000	MARTIN GIBLIN	ME GF	Comd CO A	Yes		
Maj T/Maj	VX3309 VX39719	MORRIS CROOK	CP RS	COY CO C	Yes		
Capt Capt	VX3007	DUNN	ADA	COY CO HQ	No	Leave Australia	21 7 47
	VX123781	CARLSON	RS	COY CO S	Yes		
Capt	VX57530	ROGAN	RU	COY CO D	Yes		
Capt Capt	VX16125 VX31543	TERRANCE DOWNS	ED CP	COY 2/L/C	Yes		
Capt T/Capt Lt	VX30092 VX34741 VX16017	BRIDGES MARRAS DAVIES	ME ME ME	COY COY A/CO	Yes		
Lt	VX16689	FOX	ME	COY 2/L/C	Yes		
Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt Lt	VX 35739 VX78555 VX14339 VX37099 VX40188 VX14391 VX14390 VX37553 VX31701 VX19019 VX300309 VX307804 VX307787 VX307959	LUCAS WILSON ANDERSON MORRIS CLARK HARRIS WILSON DOWNS BROWN WHEELER WHEELER SHAW LOAN SMITH	CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP CP	COY COY A/Adj COY COY COY COY COY COY COY COY COY COY COY	Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes Yes		

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
See Attached sheet for details.					

6 9 47

Date of Despatch

Comd 66 Aust Inf Bn

Signature of Commander

NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if held.	Army No.	Name and Initial	Unit	Date of Attachment	Nature of Attachment
Chap	VX 90116	O'KEEFE PG	34 Bde	21 1 46	Att RC Chaplain
Chap	SX500724	FARR AP	34 Bde	11 7 47	Att CofE Chaplai
Capt	NX207854	DUNLOP RJ	34 Bde	2 2 46	Att R.M.O.
Capt	RC7382	ROBB J	CSDIC	2 12 46	CSDIC Duties
Lt	VX 30773	SHELTON JJ	34 Bde	27 3 47	Att pending absorption
Lt	N X181264	ROPE AW	"	"	" "
Lt	WX 42280	ROGERS RB	"	"	" "
Lt	VX500049	CAREY VP	"	"	" "
Lt	TX 16384	DEEGAN RG	A Pk Bty	6 8 47	Att pending movement to AUSTRALIA
Mr	B3/544	FREEMAN GW	YMCA		Att as YMCA Representative

appx "R"
"D"

Subject : WEEKLY MEDICAL REPORT WEEK ENDING 30 AUG 47

66 Aust Inf Bn
10. Sep 47

CO 66 Aust Inf Bn
SMO 34 Aust Inf Bde

1. HEALTH OF TROOPS

There is nothing to report this week. Health remains excellent. Physical condition of troops is 100% better than it was 4 months ago.

2. STORES

Medical)
AASC) Satisfactory
Ordnance)

3. MALARIA CONTROL

Maintenance work continues.

4. RATIONS

Generally satisfactory.

5. TRAINING

No training carried out this week by RMO.

6. HYGIENE

Hygiene of all areas remains satisfactory. HARA MURA has experienced a shortage of water but steps are being taken to combat this. HACHIHONMATSU and YONEMITSU have suffered an influx of large nos of rats. Steps have been taken to exterminate them, and the use of MB10Y has proved very effective.

[Signature]
RMO 66 Aust Inf Bn

appx ~~A~~
E

Subject : WEEKLY MEDICAL REPORT WEEK ENDING 5 SEP 47

66 Aust Inf Bn
10 Sep 47

HEALTH OF TROOPS

Remains excellent. Incidence of haemorrhoids in the form of ext piles, swollen and redened and inflamed has increased. The practice of using newspaper in the latrines should now be discontinued.

RATIONS

Fair. Fresh fruit is exceedingly scarce at the moment.

STORES

All stores are satisfactory.

MALARIA CONTROL

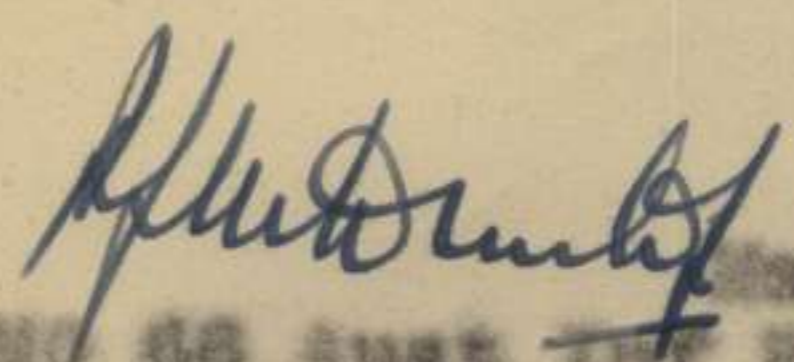
Maintenance work continues but will be discontinued shortly.

HYGIENE

Remains good in all areas.

GENERAL

As can be seen there is nothing of note to report this week. Incidence of sickness is low and standard of hygiene high.


RMO 66 AUST INF BN

APPX. "F"

War diary

RESTRICTED

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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART I

Serial 164.- 167

By

Lt-Col M.D. McARTHUR

COMMANDING 66 AUSTRALIAN INF BN

66 Aust Inf Bn
13 Sep 47

164. CONTROL OF WATER CRAFT OPERATIONS

1. It is the responsibility of Unit Commanders to ensure that all craft under their control are checked "OUT" and "IN" from operations.
2. Crews operating small craft will be classified as qualified operators by the Transportation Service this HQ, or under Formation arrangements.
3. The sub-paras of this paragraph will be entered on all worksheets and copy maintained, so that a controlled search can be carried out for overdue craft.
 - (a) Craft Number
 - (b) Name of Coxswain
 - (c) Destination
 - (d) Route and ETA
 - (e) ETA of return journey
 - (f) Authority to move
4. Craft will not operate outside the range indicated by craft Operating Licence unless by a specific order of the Unit Commander and/or Tn Directorate HQ BCOF "Pool" Craft.
5. Craft will not operate during the hours of darkness unless in an emergency. In Unit areas authority for night operations will be given by the Unit Commander and by Tn Directorate, HQ BCOF in the case of "Pool" Craft. All craft operating at night must be fitted with correct navigational lights as per Navigational Laws for ships at sea.
6. Provost have been instructed to check all craft that do not carry a registration number and report details through normal channels to Bn Directorate, HQ BCOF.
7. All craft are liable to check at any time to ensure that the conditions of the Craft Operating Licence are being complied with.

165. SCAP DIRECTIVE IN CONNECTION WITH REORIENTATION AND INFORMATION PROGRAMMES

1. Occupation personnel including dependants will avoid such practices as the following :-

- (a) The amplification and interpretation of policies of General Headquarters SCAP unless guidance for such interpretation has been received from General Headquarters SCAP.
- (b) The amplification and interpretation of Japanese Government policies and legislation unless authorization and guidance have been received from General Headquarters SCAP.
- (c) Participation in Japanese radio programmes, theatricals, motion pictures etc.
- (d) Participation in Japanese organisations as officers, official advisers or in any other official or semi official capacity.
- (e) The giving of talks when not in a position to know thoroughly the policies of General HQ SCAP on the topics concerned and without the approval of local commanders.
- (f) The presentation to editors and publishers of copyrighted material of allied origin for reproduction or translation unless permission has been obtained through General HQ SCAP from the copyright owners.
- (g) The procurement for informational media and organizations of such critical commodities as paper and gasoline outside the established rationing channels and such services as transportation in a matter contrary to regulations.

166. OUTBREAK OF MENINGITIS

1. Due to an outbreak of Meningitis in MITSUHAMMA, all personnel proceeding to BCATS and MATSUYAMA will disembark at TAKAHAMA.

167. MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL ON LEAVE TO KYOTO

1. 66 Ault Inf Bn Routine Order No 162 of 5 Sep 47 is cancelled.

DISTRIBUTION:

LIST "C"

14/11/47
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NOTICESSTATEMENT OF AFFAIRS AS AT 31 AUG 47 - 66 AUST INF BN CANTEN -
SNACK BARCANTEEN STOCK A/C

To Bal B/F	1112. 1. 1	By Sales	1902. . 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
To Purchases Gross	1521.16. 8	By Stock Loss	21. 8. 8
		By Damaged Stock	1. 3. 0
		By Bal C/F	709. 3. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$
Stg	<u>2633.17. 9</u>	Stg	<u>2633.17. 9</u>

CANTEEN CASH ACCOUNT

To Bal B/F	251. 4. 9	By Purchases Nott	1445.18. 8
To Snack Bar	50. 0. 0		
To Cash Sales	1037.19.10 $\frac{1}{2}$		
To Sundry Drs Paid	613. 7. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	By Bal O/F	506.13. 3
Stg	<u>1952.11.11</u>	Stg	<u>1952.11.11</u>

SUNDRY DEBTORS ACCOUNT

To Bal B/F	171. 2. 39	By Sundry Drs	613. 7. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$
To Cr Sales	862. 6. 3	By Bal C/F	420. 1. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$
Stg	<u>1033. 9. 0</u>	Stg	<u>1033. 9. 0</u>

SNACK BAR STOCK ACCOUNT

To Bal B/F	409.10. 9	By Sales	37.13. 5
		By YMCA	62. 2. 3
		By Stock Loss	7.17. 7
		By Bal C/F	301.17. 6
Stg	<u>409.10. 9</u>	Stg	<u>409.10. 9</u>

SNACK BAR CASH

To Bal B/F	47. 2.11	By Unit Canteen	50. 0. 0
To Cash Sales	36.18. 5	By Bal C/F	34. 1. 4
Stg	<u>84. 1. 4</u>	Stg	<u>84. 1. 4</u>

SNACK BAR SUNDRY DEBTORS ACCOUNT

To Bal B/F	5.10. 4	By Bal C/F	6. 4. 7
To Cr Sales	14. 3		
Stg	<u>6. 4. 7</u>	Stg	<u>6. 4. 7</u>

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STATEMENT OF ASSETS

Bal Brought Forward	1996.12. 7
Canteen and Snack Bar Discounts	75.18. 0

\$ 2072.10. 7

Less Offrs Sgts Mess Discounts	1.17. 1	
Stock Loss	29. 6. 3	
Snack Bar Stock to YMCA	62. 2. 3	
Damaged Stock	1. 3. 0	94. 8. 7

Stg 1978. 2. 0

BLANCE SHEET

LIABILITIES

Excess of Assets
over Libilities 1978. 2. 0

Stg 1978. 2. 0

ASSETS

Cash	540.14. 7
Stock	1011. 1. 1
Sundry Dra	426. 6. 3

Stg 1978. 2. 0

(SGD) W M BENNETT Capt

REGIMENTAL FUNDS - CASH BOOK AUGUST 1947

Aug 1	By/F Cash	1. 1. 2
	Trust Account	395. 8. 5
Aug 5	To Sport Store	
	Sales	4. 0. 0
Aug 7	" " "	116. 4. 0
Aug 9	" " "	12. 0. 0
Aug 14	" " "	69.12. 0
Aug 16	" " "	54. 0.10
Aug 17	" " "	79.10. 0
Aug 19	" " "	48. 0. 0
Aug 20	" " "	57. 0. 0
Aug 23	" " "	47. 8.10
Aug 26	" " "	13. 0. 0
Aug 28	" " "	10. 0. 0
Aug 30	" " "	25. 0. 0
Aug 31	" " "	30. 0. 0

\$ 962. 5. 3

Aug 8	By Grant	
	D Coy	5. 0. 0
Aug 16	By Bde Amenties	507.13. 0
Aug 25	By Steel Drills	
	Y313	1.11. 4
Aug 31	By Balance	
	C/F Cash	58, 9.10
Aug 31	By Blance Trust	
	A/C	389.11. 1

\$ 962. 5. 3

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SPORTS STORE ACCOUNT AS AT 31 AUGUST 1947

Bal B/F Owing to Regt Funds		259. 6. 1
Add Purchases for July		825.13. 3
		<hr/>
		£ 1084.19. 4
Deduct Amount Paid To Regt Funds	565.15. 8	
Taken Into Store	69. 8. 9	
Purchases for Bn use	159.10. 3	794.14. 8
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Balance Owing to Regt Funds	Stg	£ 290. 4. 8

SPORTS STORE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 1947

LIABILITIES

ASSETS

Owing to Regt Funds	290. 4. 8	Cash on Hand	1. 3. 0
		Unsold Stock	26.10. 9
		Owing to Sports Store	262.10.11
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Stg	£ 290. 4. 8	Stg	£ 290. 4. 8

34 BDE AMENITIES STATEMENT AS AT 31 AUGUST 1947

Balance B/F		507.13. 0
Purchases for Month		825.13. 3
		<hr/>
Cash Payment		1333. 6. 3
		507.13. 0
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Balance Owing Bde Amenities	Stg	£ 825.13. 3

REGT FUNDS BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 AUGUST 1947

LIABILITIES

ASSETS

Base Amenities	46. 9. 7	Cash on Hand	58. 9.10
Bde Amenities	825.13. 3	Cash Trust A/C	389.11. 1
Angus & Robertson	5.13. 5	Sports Store A/C	290. 4. 3
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	533.11. 4	Regt Property	693. 1. 2
		Less Deprec @ 10%	69.19. 2
		Sundry Drs	623. 2. 0
			50. 0. 0
			<hr/>
Stg	£ 1411. 7. 7	Stg	£ 1411. 7. 7

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RAIL FARES FOR NON-DUTY TRAVEL WITHIN JAPAN

1. General

With effect from 1 Sep 47 rail fares will be charged for all personnel travelling on Allied Express Trains, unless they are on duty. Charges will be made for non-duty travel on the following trains only :-

- (a) Allied Limited
- (b) Dixie Limited
- (c) Yankee Limited
- (d) Osaka Express

2. Free Leave Travel

One free leave travel per annum per person will be granted.

3. Duty Travel

Persons including families travelling on duty on official BCOF business will be permitted free travel.

4. Travel to Authorised Leave Centre

Travel on authorised leave trains is free.

5. Payment for Tickets

Rail coupons will be the only method of paying rail fares.

6. Coupon Books

Coupon books are obtainable on payment from Paymaster 34 Aust Inf Bde Fd Cash Office. Value of each coupon book 1 Sterling containing 16 coupons valued at 1/3 each.

7. Refund For Unused Coupons

Refund for the unused portion of the Coupon Book may be obtained from 34 Aust Inf Bde Fd Cash Office. Loose coupons will NOT be accepted.

8. Fares - Cost

Details of coupon cost of rail tickets for non-duty travel may be obtained this HQ.

9. Childrens Fares

- (a) Children of 5 years of age and under will be issued with a free railway ticket.
- (b) Children between the ages of 6 and 12, both ages inclusive, will be charged half rates.
- (c) Sleep^{ing}/berths reserved for children of any age will be charged at full rate.

HQ 66 Aust Inf Bn
HACHIHONMATSU
15 Sep '47

66 AUST INF BN
TRAINING INSTRUCTION No.6

(Period 20 - 30 Sep 47)

To be read in continuation of Trg Instn No. 5 dated 6 Aug '47

1. It is planned to concentrate the Bn in the SHIGAKU area for the concluding stage of the collective training period.

2. PROPOSED PROGRAMME

20 -23 Sep 47 - Bn concentrates in SHIGAKU area; movement by Coy's.

24 Sep 47 - Bn rehearses for combined set piece exercise.

25-26 Sep 47 - Gloucester Cup practices and set piece exercise (separate instructions will be issued for this exercise which will take place on 25 or 26 Sep 47 according to the wishes of the Air Force. The day not chosen will be at company disposal for Gloucester Cup practice.

27 Sep 47 - Battalion eliminations for Gloucester Cup.

28 Sep 47 - Gloucester Cup finals with brigade judges. Defeated companies begin mov to MIYOSHI.

29 Sep 47 - Move to MIYOSHI.

30 Sep 47 - Untrain MIYOSHI and return to MORSHHEAD BARRACKS collective trg ends.

1-31 Oct 47 - Battalion prepares for guard duties in TOKYO and is judged for "drill etc phase" of Gloucester Cup competition.

NOTE: (Regimental ball is scheduled for 8 Oct 47 and Regimental race meeting at SAIJO for 14/15 Oct 47).

Detailed instructions for trg in October will be issued separately

3. Officer and NCO training will continue during this period.

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66 AUST INF BN ADM INSTR NO 6

66 Aust Inf Bn
Ref : 92/47/1
16 Sep 47

Ref Map:
Enlargement SAMBEYAMA - 1/12,500

1. ADM LAYOUT

(a) The Bn, less rear HQ, D Coy and detachments will concentrate in the SHIGAKU training area by companies. Concentration will be completed by 1000 hrs 23 Sep 47.

(b) Bivouac Areas - See Sketch "A" attached.

2. MOV

(a) Bn HQ

(i) "Main" HQ - MT on 21 Sep 47

(ii) "Tac" HQ - MT on 18 Sep 47

(b) Rifle Coys

(i) Personnel - March route

(ii) Stores etc - MT on 19 Sep 47

HQ Coy

Mounted personnel - MT

Remainder - March route

3. STORES AND BAGGAGE

(a) Stores, equipment and baggage will be restricted to that which can be carried on the man or in company transport.

(b) Steel trunks, kit bags, stretchers, sheets and pillows will not be taken.

(c) Tentage is restricted to two tent flys per company.

(d) Coys will arrange with the QM for all surplus stores and baggage to be returned to MORSEHEAD BARRACKS before 19 Sep 47.

4. ROUTES

(a) Bn HQ

Road : HACHIHONMATSU - MIYOSHI - KASABUCHI - SHIGAKU

(b) Companies

As selected by companies.

5. TPT

(a) Tpt for mov as per Appx "A" of 66 Aust Inf Bn Adm Instr No 5.

(b) On arrival at SHIGAKU all 2½ ton and 3 ton vehicles will revert to control of Bn Transport Officer.

(c) Tpt Offr will allot 1x2½ ton 6x6 to Bn HQ on 18 Sep 47 for movement of HQ and establishing Tac HQ until completion of collective Trg.

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(c) 1x3 ton will be allotted to HACHIHONMATSU on 21 Sep until further notice.

6. AMN

(a) QM will dump at SHIGAKU all amn required for Gloucester Cup finals and Bn Exercises by 22 Sep 47.

(b) C Coy responsible for storage and security of this amn.

7. P.O.L.

(a) Bn PP - SHIGAKU will be open from 1400 hrs to 1600 hrs daily on and after 19 Sep 47.

(b) Bn PP - HACHIHONMATSU will be maintained for local use.

8. SUPPLIES

(a) Sup P - DID HIRO

(b) Bn DP - MIYOSHI Rly Stn as from 0900 hrs 19 Sep 47.

9. MDS

(a) MDS - 20 Aust Fd Amb - HIRO

(b) ADS and RAP - HACHIHONMATSU - until 0800 hrs 23 Sep 47 thence - in Bn HQ area SHIGAKU 7625-3495

(c) CAP - Coy Areas

(d) Evacuation - road to ADS - rail and/or road to MDS.

(e) RMO will establish RAP during march as follows :-

- (i) 19 Sep 47 - HACHIHONMATSU until 1600 hrs
- (ii) 20 Sep 47 - TAKATABARA " " "
- (iii) 21 Sep 47 - ABANA " " "
- (iv) 22 Sep 47 - SHIGAKU from 0630 hrs

10. E.M.E.

(a) LAD - HIRO

(b) 3rd line repairs - 140 Bde Wk/Sp HIRO.

(c) Evacuation - Rd and/or rail.

11. TRAFFIC

I.O. will prepare one way traffic signs with time-table for up and down traffic on road KASABUCHI - SHIGAKU.

12. WATER

(a) En route to new area - company arrangements.

(b) Allocation tpt for water :-

- 1x3 ton water - A Coy
- 1x3ton water - HQ Coy
- 1xwater truck - B Coy

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(c) Water point SHIGAKU - C Company area - 7625 3495 (QM will arrange for development of existing supply to meet battalion requirements as from 22 Sep 47).

13. LEAVE

No leave will be granted in SHIGAKU training area.

14. POSTAL

Bn Post Office - SHIGAKU (in Bn HQ area)

15. SECURITY

(a) HARA MURA and YONEMITSU camps will close down and will be handed over to area camp comdt by 0900 hrs 20 Sep 47.

(b) Lt FAIRLEY is appointed area camp commandant with HQ at HACHIONMATSU.

16. INTERCOMMUNICATION

(a) Tac HQ to Main HQ and Bde - Radio and DRLS

(b) Bn HQ to Coys - Radio - see Sigs diagram attached Appx "A".

17. LABOUR

(a) All local labour at HARA MURA and YONEMITSU will be discharged by 20 Sep 47.

(b) Permanent labour will return HIRO by the 19 Sep 47.

(c) Demands for labour in new and implemented area will be coordinated by C Coy.

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Capt
Adjt

Exercise SECRET

66 Aust Inf Bn
Ref : G98/47/1
19 Sep 47

66 AUST INF BN

GENERAL OUTLINE AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR

EXERCISE "BUNGER"

Ref Maps : SOUTH HONSHU - 1:50,000 (SAMBE-YAMA)
SAMBE-YAMA - 66 Aust Inf Bn Enlargement 1/12,500

1. The battalion will carry out an exercise as follows :-

(a) Type of Exercise

Demonstration and set piece exercise illustrating the rifle company in attack supported by air, artillery and the support weapons carried in an infantry battalion.

(b) Date

Dependent on the availability of the Air Force (weather etc) the exercise will be carried out on the 25 or 26 Sep 47.

(c) Location

The exercise will take place in the area immediately NORTH and N NE of SHIG KU. 7660 3500 - 7660 3490 - 7650 3500 - 7650 3490.

(d) Name of the Exercise

The exercise will be known as Exercise "BUNGER" and all paper in connection with it will be classified "Exercise SECRET".

(e) Troops Taking Part

- (i) One company 66 Aust Inf Bn
- (ii) MMG and Mortar Platoons 66 Aust Inf Bn
- (iii) Aircraft 81 Wing RAAF
- (iv) One tp A. Fd. Bty RAA

2. OBJECT

- (a) To demonstrate the fire power normally available to support an infantry attack in open country and
- (b) To exercise an infantry company in an attack on an enemy defended position, under cover of this fire support.

3. LESSONS

Infantry front line fighting requires a high degree of skill - higher than any other kind of combat. In battle the infantry task is to close with the enemy forces on the ground and destroy them. This task means movement. The enemy will do everything they can by fire and by the use of obstacles, natural or artificial, to prevent this movement. They will choose positions to prevent us taking advantage of the cover provided by ground. It will therefore be vital for our troops to have a superiority of fire at the right time and place in

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order to keep the enemy's heads down, and so to make movement possible. (Infantry Training 1944 Part 1 Section 1 Para 2).

4. DIRECTING STAFF

(a) Director

Lt-Col H H McARTHUR

(b) Assistant Directors

Maj C F G McNEILIE

Capt R S GARLAND

Lt R WILSON

(c) Communications

Capt R S GARLAND

(d) Safety Officer

Lt R WILSON

(e) Subordinate Staff

(See Adm Instr issued separately)

5. SUPPORTING ARMS AND WEAPONS BEING DEMONSTRATED

- (a) Air Force firing rockets and strafing
- (b) Artillery firing H.P. and Smoke (25 pr)
- (c) 3" Mortar
- (d) MMG
- (e) LMG
- (f) 2" Mortar
- (g) Infantry flame thrower
- (h) O.S.M.C.
- (i) Grenades
- (j) PIAT
- (k) Rifle

(Scout Cars will appear during the exercise to represent the employment of tanks)

6. SYNOPSIS OF EVENTS

- (a) The exercise will commence at 0930 hours approximately on 25 (or 26) Sep 47. (The date will be determined by the suitability of weather for the Air Force).
- (b) The exercise will open with Aircraft (Mustangs) of 81 Wing RAAF attacking the enemy position with Rockets and Strafing. At the conclusion of the air support programme one troop of A Field Battery RAA will commence firing a timed programme on a series of four tasks culminating in the use of smoke to cover the consolidation of the captured position.
- (c) During the first artillery task the MMG and Mortar platoons of 66 Aust Inf Bn will commence firing on a timed programme and, with a series of pre arranged lifts and switches, will continue to support the attack by the infantry until the completion of the exercise.

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- (d) At 11 hour an infantry company, acting as the right forward and directing company of a battalion attacking two up, will cross the start line and advance to capture the enemy position. The employment of individual weapons will be demonstrated in this phase.
- (e) When the enemy position is taken and during the consolidation phase of the attack three scout cars of 1 Lmd C Sqn, representing tanks will move through the infantry to cover the consolidation.
7. The exercise should end two hours after the air force demonstration begins.
8. SPECTATORS
- (a) All spectators will report to the control station at road junction 7614 3485 from where they will be guided to the spectators area.
- (b) Spectators area - Hill 540 766349.

Arthur
Lt-Col
Comd 66 Aust Inf Bn

DISTRIBUTION

List A - 66 Aust Inf Bn

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Exercise SECRET

H 66 Aust Inf Bn

Ref : G98/47/1

19 Sep 47

66 AUST INF BN

EXERCISE "BUNGER"

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS

PART I - AIR SUPPORT

CONTROL

1. Major C F G MCKENZIE is appointed officer in charge of "The Direct Air Support" phase of the demonstration and Exercise "BUNGER".
 - (a) He will be responsible that all requirements laid down in BC/IR "Requirements for Fire Power Demonstrations" 6 Dec 46 are met.
 - (b) He is empowered to deal direct with HQ 34 Aust Inf Bde, the A.L.O. and any higher authority that his above appointment might entail.
 - (c) He will be responsible for ensuring that the "Range layout", the Target area, danger area and Spectator's enclosure are correctly marked in accordance with BC/IR requirements.
 - (d) He will arrange for an air force officer to describe the air force portion of the demonstration to the Spectators.
 - (e) He will detail subordinate staff to assist him as he sees fit.
 - (f) He will ensure that the ALO and the RAAF control party incl vehicles are met at HIRU, directed to the Exercise area set up in the correct location, and accommodated with Bn Headquarters.
 - (g) He will be responsible for the 'tie' in of air force communications to the 66 Aust Inf Bn "control" and, with the RAAF controller, will ensure that safety precautions laid down in BC/IR Requirements for Fire Power Demonstrations 6 Dec 46 are implemented.

TARGET ETC MARKINGS (AIR DEMONSTRATION ONLY)

2. Details of markings of target areas etc are shown in Trace A attached. (Trace not attached to all copies of this instruction).
3. Timing (Air only)

The air support portion of the demonstration will represent the "softening up" air programme referred to in the opening narrative para 6.
4. It is timed to commence at 0930 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.
5. As H hour for the remainder of the exercise is dependent on the conclusion of the air demonstration Major MCKENZIE will notify the Director immediately the air demonstration is completed.

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PART II GROUND TROOPS

COMPOSITION OF DEMONSTRATION COMPANY

6. Comd - Capt A P A DENNESS

Second In Comd - Capt C F DOWNES

Coy HQ

C Coy HQ with sufficient men from B Coy to build it to full War Establishment less batmen plus one Sgt and with a flame thrower.

1 (Exercise) Platoon

Comd - Lt G J LUCAS

12 Pl C Coy plus personnel as required from A Coy to build the platoon to War Establishment (less batmen).

2 (Exercise) Platoon

Comd - Lt V F CAREY

13 Pl C Coy plus personnel as required from A Coy to build the platoon to War Establishment (less batman).

3 (Exercise) Platoon

Comd - Lt J J SHELTON

10 Pl B Coy at War Establishment.

NOTE: Gross postings above are temporary and for Exercise "BUNGER" only. Posting will be arranged mutually between companies and will be complete in C Coy area by 1500 hrs 24 Sep 47.

TIMINGS

7. H hr for the remaining portion of the exercise including the fire plan will be issued by the director by wireless at the conclusion of the air demonstration. There will be a minimum of half an hour between the conclusion of the air demonstration and H hr.

8. The whole exercise has been worked out on an H hr basis therefore, and all components of the force, participating, will plan similarly and will translate their time tables to clock hours on receipt of H hr from the director.

SPECTATORS

9. Command - Major C F G MCKENZIE

10. All other members of the battalion not detailed for specific duty with this exercise or duty at MORSHEAD BARRACKS will attend the exercise as spectators and will be in their allotted space by 0900 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.

11. Each company will appoint an officer in command of Spectators. These officers will report to Major C F G MCKENZIE at ridge 7662 3494 at 1500 hrs 23 Sep 47.

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12. Maj McKENZIE will issue instructions to company officers as to the allocation of areas to Spectators, details for control of spectators and check to ensure that instructions for the exercise are understood.
13. Capt HOGAN will arrange for all men who can be spared from duty at MOISHEAD BARRACKS to attend the exercise. This party will arrive at and be quartered in HQ Coy area at SHIGAKU by 1800 hrs 24 Sep 47.
14. Dress
 - (a) Troops taking part - Battle order.
 - (b) Spectators - Hat KF, Shirts, Shorts, Stockings, Boots and Gaiters (Aust).
15. Lunch will be under company arrangements.
16. Capt R S GARLAND will be responsible for the reception and conducting of all visitors from outside the battalion.
17. The Intelligence Officer will sign post the route from SHIGAKU to the GAR PARK and Spectators area and will arrange traffic control. He will ensure that no traffic proceeds beyond rd junc 765 3490.

MEDICAL

18. RMO 66 Aust Inf Bn will establish an RAP at rd junc 7650 3492 by 0800 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.

SAFETY

19. The Intelligence Officer, assisted by Capt ROBB, will ensure that a danger sign prohibiting entry is posted at each entrance to the danger area and, assisted by the local police, will ensure that all personnel (including Japanese nationals) and animals, are clear and are kept clear of the area from 0600 hrs 24 Sep 47 to 1800 hrs 28 Sep 47 both times and dates inclusive.

TRAFFIC

20. All traffic (including marching parties) except, directing Staff Vehicles, will give way to movement by any portion of the force taking part in the demonstration.

MOVEMENT

21. All movement except by C Coy and by other portions of the exercise force, into the area with the exception of D.S. vehicles will cease by 0900 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.
22. The 'Exercise' company and the MMG and Mortar platoons will bivouac not on but adjacent to their forming position or gun positions on the night D - 1.

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AMMUNITION

23. Comd Exercise C Coy, MMG and Mortar platoons will ensure that ammunition to full War Establishment scale and, in accordance with the fire plan, is carried for each weapon or is dumped for each weapon, as appropriate.
24. OM will arrange for ammunition to be issued as required.

GENERAL

25. Cpl SYLVESTER, HQ Coy, will install by 0900 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47 and maintain in operation until the end of the exercise a public address system in the Spectator's area.

R. B. [Signature] Capt
Adjt

Exercise SECRET

HQ 66 Aust Inf Bn
Ref : G98/47/1
19 Sep 47

66 AUST INF BN

EXERCISE "BUNGER"

SPECIAL IDEA

Ref Maps : SOUTHERN HONSHU (SAMBE-YAMA) 1:50,000
66 Aust Inf Bn SAMBE-YAMA - 1:12,500

1. 66 Aust Inf Bn is the vanguard battalion to a force which, for the past four days has been moving EAST along the road KAWAI 752 353 - SHIGAKU 764348 - TSUNO 767 350 and is at present halted two miles WEST of SHIGAKU.
2. Our armour, which has been very successful in its first action on the western slopes of SAMBE-YAMA has become a little over enthusiastic and, pushing on through SHIGAKU, has been held up by persistent and successful anti tank gun fire and infantry in well prepared positions in the vicinity of 7656 3507 and NORTH WEST to 7659 3512.
3. We have already lost six tanks and are unable to dislodge the guns or the infantry covering the guns.
4. Up till now we have had local air superiority.

OPENING NARRATIVE

5. At 1600 hrs 24 (25) Sep 47 the force commander called the commander 66 Aust Inf Bn forward to his O.P. at 7658 3492 and, having explained the situation to him, ordered him to attack and destroy the enemy holding up our advance.
6. He said to the battalion commander "I have called for air support but cannot have a strike before 0930 hrs tomorrow 25 (26) Sep 47 when about 12 Mustangs from 81 Wing RAAF will 'soften the position up' prior to your attack. You will need to make your H hour flexible and coordinate it with the termination of the air strike".
7. "Lastly one troop of A Fd Bty will come under your command at 1800 hrs tonight 24 (25) Sep 47".

NARRATIVE

8. Commander 66 Aust Inf Bn gave orders for his 'O' Group to meet him at hill 540 766 349 at 1800 hrs 24 (25) Sep 47.
9. Having made his reconnaissance and his plan C.O. 66 Aust Inf Bn met his O Group as arranged and issued verbal orders for the attack.

Naming of Features

- (a) Hill 614 in 765351 - HILL 614
- (b) Hill 600 astride 766 in 765350 - MAC'S KNOB
- (c) Re-entrant between these features - BLIND ALLEY
- (d) Enemy position 76583508 - 76563508 - SANGERS
- (e) Track 7662 3504 - track junction 76553511 - RIGHT ROAD
- (f) Track junction 76553511 - JUNCTION
- (g) Hill 520 - 7664 3493 - SPUR END
- (h) Hill 540 - 7663 3496 - SPECTATORS
- (i) Hill 540 - 7661 3493 - GUNNER
- (j) High ground 7659 3492 - 7655 3492 - CARPARK RIDGE
- (k) Mound 7657 3498 - PIMPLE
- (l) Pill box 7656 3506 - PILL BOX
- (m) Track rd junc 7655 3511 - Track rd junc 7654 3498
CENTRE RD
- (n) Gully 7653 3503 - GULLY
- (o) Hill 7653505 - BALD PATCH
- (p) Track 7654 3501 - 7650 3503 - LEFT ROAD
10. Extracts from his orders :-

INFORMATION

1. Enemy

- (a) Enemy are holding what appears to be fairly strong defensive position from hill 614 - BLIND ALLEY - SANGERS - PILL BOX to BALD PATCH astride CENTRE RD.
- (b) His strong points appear to be at PILL BOX where he has one or more anti tank guns which we have been unable to dislodge.

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(c) It appears to be a battalion position covering these anti tank guns.

2. Own Troops

Our armour, which had so much success this morning, has been unable to force this position, has lost six tanks and is at present hull down behind SPECTATOR - PIMPLE - CAR PARK HILLS.

3. Additional Troops

One tp A Fd Bty came under command 66 Aust Inf Bn at hrs this afternoon.

4. Air.

We continue to have air superiority.

INTENTION

5. 66 Aust Inf Bn will attack and destroy the enemy holding up the advance of our armour.

METHOD

6. Gen Outline

The attack will be carried out in two phases :-

- (a) Phase I - Attack with two coys SANGER - PILL BOX - BALD PATCH.
- (b) Phase 2 - Capture, with reserve Coy, HILL 614.

PHASE I

7. Tps

- (a) RIGHT - C Company with under comd one flame thrower.
- (b) LEFT - B Company.

8. Objectives

- (a) C Coy - First objective Position 76563506 PILL BOX - RD 76553506.
- (b) C Coy - Second objective - SANGERS
- (c) B Coy - BALD PATCH

9. Axis of Attack

39° Magnetic

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10. Inter Company Boundary (incl C Coy)

GULLY 76523502 - TRACK June 76553505 - CENTRE ROAD -
76563511.

11. Assembly and FUP

Both forward companies GULLY by 0845 hours 25 (26)
Sep 47.

12. Start Line

LEFT ROAD

13. H hr

30 minutes (approx) after the conclusion of the air
strike. (For exercise purposes H hr will be notified by
wireless by CONTROL to all sub units taking part in the
exercise. There will be no mov fwd from the FUP until H hr
is ordered).

14. Rate of Advance

Infantry - 100 yards in three minutes. (Deliberately
slow for illustration purposes and for safety).

15. Action on Capture of Objective

- (a) B Coy will consolidate and assist, by fire, the further
advance by C Coy.
- (b) C Coy on capture of first objective will push through
and capture the second objective.
- (c) C Coy on capture of second objective will consolidate
the position, exploiting to a depth of 100 yards up the
ridge to ensure a firm base for Phase 2.

16. Reserve

A Coy will remain in Reserve in area PIMPLE in preparation
for Phase 2.

17. Fire Support

- (a) Air Force - 0930 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47 approximately 12
aircraft 81 Wing RAAF will soften up PILL BOX and SANGERS
with rockets and strafing - duration of strike approxi-
mately 30 minutes.

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- (b) Arty. - Artillery will fire on a timed programme and will remain under comd Bn HQ. Task table - Appendix 'A'.
- (c) MMG - Grouped under Bn control. Task table - Appendix 'A'.
- (d) 3 inch Mortars - Grouped under Bn control. Task table - Appendix 'A'.

PHASE 2

18. Note: (Orders for this Phase would be similar to those written for Phase I but as the exercise will cease with the conclusion of Phase I they have not been included here.).

ADMINISTRATION

19. Ammunition

- (a) Attacking companies 100 rds per man.
- (b) Artillery - see Appendix 'A' Ammunition above W.E. (normal) will be dumped at gun posn by 0600 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.
- (c) MMG - See Appendix 'A' Ammunition above WE (normal) will be dumped at gun posns by 0700 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.
- (d) 3 inch MOTAR - See Appendix 'A' Ammunition above W.E. (normal) will be dumped at gun posns by 0700 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.
- (e) Bn Ammunition point - Hut 7646 3489 by 0700 hrs 25 (26) 47.

20 Medical

WWCP }
RAP } Track Junction 76553497
ADS) Present location 76363490

INTERCOMMUNICATION

- 21. Bn HQ Hill 540 76623493 from 0600 hrs 25 (26) Sep 47.
- 22. Signals - Sig diagram Appendix 'B'.

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23. Code Words

Crossed Start Line - SLAUGHTER

First Objective taken - EUREKA

Second Objective taken - FINITO

Held up at - JEKYLL

24. Note: (Normally the above extracts from the operation order would be given verbally and if necessary a confirmatory order (written) issued later on the night before the attack. With the speed of modern battle and the availability of good wireless communication it is not normal for a battalion to issue written orders. These have been written only for the purpose of providing a better background to the exercise.)

NARRATIVE 2

C (Exercise) Company 66 Aust Inf Bn acting as C Company in the above order carried out the attack which of course - as always in peace time without an enemy - is successful and the armour (represented by two scout cars of 1 Armd C Sqn) pass through.

Appendix 'A'

66 Aust Inf Bn 001
Ref G98/47/1

EXERCISE "BUNGER"

FIRE SUPPORT PLAN

Note:(The task tables set out herein are the actual programmes which will be fired in the above demonstration, Although referred to in the operation order, in the narrative, it is pointed out that the amount of ammunition being expended is probably more than that which would be actually fired in an operation of this size.)

1. ARTY TASK TABLE

SERIAL	TASK	FROM	TO	RATE	AMN	REMARKS
1	PILL BOX	H-10	H	3	HE	Tpt tgt
2	PILL BOX	H	H+7	3	HE	Cone to $\frac{1}{2}$ tp front
3	SANGERS	H+8	H+11	3	HE	
4	LONE TREES	H+12	H+17	3	HE	
5	BLIND ALLEY	H+18	H+26	3	Smoke	Cover consolidation

H+26 Cease Fire

2. MORTAR TASK TABLE

SERIAL	TASK	FROM	TO	RATE	AMN	REMARKS
1	BALD PATCH	H-8	H-4	Normal	$\frac{1}{2}$ HE	
2	PILL BOX	H-3	H	Normal	$\frac{1}{2}$ Smoke	HE
3	PILL BOX	H	H+5	Rapid	HE	
4	SANGERS	H+6	H+11	Normal	HE	
5	BLIND ALLEY	H+12	H+20	Normal	$\frac{1}{2}$ HE $\frac{1}{2}$ Smoke	Cover consolidation

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3. MMG TASK TABLE

<u>SERIAL</u>	<u>TASK</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>REMARKS</u>
1	PILL BOX posn	H-8	H-2	Normal	
2	PILL BOX posn	H-2	H+5	Rapid	Traverse 3 P&L: of Pill Box
3	SANGERS posn	H+6	H+11	Normal	Traverse 3 Left from Rt edge
4	HILL 614	H+12	H+8	Normal	Conc
5	Opportunity Tgt on call C Coy				
	H+20 Cease Fire				

Exercise SECRET

66 Aust Inf Bn
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20 Sep 47

EXERCISE "BUNGER"

NOTES FOR COMMENTATORS

1. COMMENTATORS

(a) Introduction Part 1 - Lt-Col M H McARTHUR

(b) Description of Area - Capt R S GARLAND

(c) Introduction Part 2 - Major C F G McKENZIE

(d) Air Support - Major C F G McKENZIE
RAAF Officer

(e) Fire Support Prior to Attack up to H hr -

Lt-Col M H McARTHUR

(f) Action of Attacking Company - Capt R S GARLAND

(g) Final Comment - Lt-Col M H McARTHUR

2. Basis for comments to be prepared and delivered by officers detailed in Para 1 above.

(a) Introduction Part 1

(i) Explain the exercise, the scope of the exercise, the object and the lesson to be brought out (General Instructions).

(ii) Paint the picture of the movement of the force up to the time the battalion commander is given the order of attacking the enemy Position. (Special idea and opening Narrative).

(b) Description of Area

To be based on the names given to various features in the body of the narrative. Use large scale diagram and indicate on the ground.

(c) Introduction Part II

(i) Explain the procedure by the battalion commander and the various subordinate commanders in the battalion for issue of orders and the action of various levels on receipt of and in production of operation orders. (Inf Trg Pamphlets Part 1 etc).

(ii) Indicate on ground locations of Arty, MMC, Mortars both control posts and guns.

(d) Air Support

(i) Describe what is going to happen. Indicate markings on ground to ensure accuracy and safety for air demonstration.

(ii) Describe types of craft and capabilities.

(iii) General talk on air/army cooperation.

(iv) Describe actual action by Air Force as planes run in.

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(e) Fire Support

- (i) Describe weapons being used and indicate capabilities, restrictions and normal methods of use.
- (ii) Explain respective task tables and indicate method of control, location of control and gun positions on the ground.

(f) Action by Attacking Company

- (i) Name and describe weapons being carried by personnel for use during the exercise.
- (ii) Explain action by company preparatory to crossing the Start Line.
- (iii) Indicate Start Line on the ground.
- (iv) Indicate objectives to be taken by attackers.
- (v) Stress tactical importance of Bald Patch and emphasise need for capture by left forward company.
- (vi) Stress that tactical soundness has been sacrificed in the interests of safety and for the demonstration.
- (vii) Give running commentary on the advance by the company, from the time it crosses the Start line until consolidation of final objective.
- (viii) Stress fire and movement and indicate mutual support between sections and between platoons.

(g) Final Comment

- (i) Success or otherwise of the demonstration.
- (ii) The effect of the various types of fire support - different effect by different weapons.
- (iii) How the fire is controlled stressing the use of wireless.
- (iv) The need and use for detailed timing.
- (v) Comment on mutual support and fire and movement.
- (vi) The use of smoke.
- (vii) The noise of battle.
- (viii) Repeat the need for rigid control and any comment on the object for and lessons from the exercise.
- (ix) Answer questions.

3. Commentators will submit commentaries to the director for perusal by 1500 hrs 24 Sep 47.

Arthur A. A. A.
Lt-Col
66 Aust Inf Bn - Director

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EXERCISE "BUNGER"

DISTRIBUTION LIST

	General Outline & Instructions	Adm Instr	Trace A	Special Idea Opening Narrative	Appendix 'A' to 66 Aust Inf Bn OOI	Appendix 'B' to 66 Aust Inf Bn OOI	Notes for Commentators	66 Aust Inf Bn Enlargement SAMBE- YAMA	Map .. SOUTH HONSHU 1:50 000	Distribution List
HQ Coy	4	4	-	4	4	4	1	4	1	4
A Coy	3	3	-	3	3	3	1	2	1	3
B Coy	2	2	-	2	2	2	1	1	1	2
C Coy	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
C (Exercise) Coy	5	5	1	5	5	5	1	5	1	5
D Coy	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Comd	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Second in Comd	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Adjt	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
I.O.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Q.M.	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	1
RMO	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	1
34 Aust Inf Bde	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2
RAAF incl ALO	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	3
1 Armd C Sqn	1	1	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	1
A Fd Bty RAA	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	-	2
File	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	1
War Diary	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	2
Spare	15	15	-	15	15	15	15	15	-	15
TOTAL	48	48	14	48	48	48	37	46	13	48

RF 1:12500



CONTOUR INTERVAL 20 METRES

SCALE 1:12500



LEGEND

Temple	⊕	Crumbing Bank	⤴
Shrine	⊕	Ravine	⤵
Building	■	Spot Height	△ 561
Post Office	⊕	Trig Point	△ 715
Bridge	—/—	Rd More than 3m wide	==
School	⊕	2m wide	---
Spring	⊕	Foot track	⋯
Lake	⊕	Provincial Boundary	— —

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 UNDER INSTRUCTIONS
 66 AUSTRALIAN INF BATT

HQ 66 Aust Inf Bn
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19 Sep 47

66 AUST INF BN

TRAINING INSTRUCTION NO 8

GLOUCESTER CUP COMPETITION

1. Battalion eliminations and brigade finals for the Gloucester Cup will be carried out during the period for which the battalion is concentrated in the SHIGAKU area as per training instruction No 7 dated 15 Sep 47.

- (a) Battalion eliminations - 27 Sep 47
(b) Brigade finals - 28 Sep 47

CONDITIONS

2. It has become necessary to modify the conditions laid down in HQ 54 Aust Inf Bde G1754 of 5 Dec 46. Modifications are contained in Appendix A to this instruction.

DIRECTING STAFF

3. (a) Director - Major C F G MCKENZIE
(b) Assistant Directors - Capt R S GARLAND
Lt R WILSON
(c) Judges - (i) Battalion elimination -
Lt-Col M H McARTHUR
(ii) Brigade Finals -
As appointed by HQ 34 Aust Inf Bde
(d) Starter - Major J P C CUNLEWIS
(e) Officer in Charge of Targets - Lt R WILSON
(f) Scoring and Target Officer - Capt A P A DENNESS
(g) Recorder - Sgt H J MUNROE
(h) Time Keeper - WO1 J C HOLLAND
(i) Ammunition Officer - WO1 J C HOLLAND
(j) Marshalls at Firing Mounds - Capt DOWNES
Lt FOX
WO O'GRADY
(k) Working Parties - As detailed direct to companies by
Lt R WILSON.

4. All officials detailed in para 3 above will report to the Director at Bn HQ at 1500 hrs 26 Sep 47 for a coordinating conference.

5. Time Table for Battalion Eliminations

A Coy	0830 hrs	1030 hrs	27 Sep 47
B Coy	1045 hrs	1245 hrs	27 Sep 47
C Coy	1400 hrs	1600 hrs	27 Sep 47

(NOTE: Coy representative platoons will commence movement by sections at half hourly intervals.)

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6. Start Point

Rd junc 7650 3492

7. Route to First Firing Point - By road from 7650 3492 via SHIGAKU to 76183498.

8. Targets

Targets will be erected by 0900 hrs 27 Sep 47 and will be patched out on order of Scoring and Target Officer. Target Officer will ensure that spare targets are available.

9. Ammunition

Ammunition Officer will ensure that ammunition is in possession of each firer or available at each gun or on each vehicle according to the nature of the team, before each team commences.

10. MMG and Mortar Platoons

(a) 27 Sep 47 - Recondition guns and mortars

(b) 28 Sep 47 - Gloucester Cup practice under company arrangement.

11. Brigade finals

(a) Rifle Platoon

(i) Start time 0900 hrs 28 Sep 47

(ii) Start point, route targets etc as for battalion eliminations.

(b) MMG Platoons - 0900 hrs 29 Sep 47

(c) Mortar Platoons - 1300 hrs 29 Sep 47

12. Scoring and target officer will ensure that results obtained by each team are passed to the director as soon as possible after the competitions end.

R. S. Goddard Capt
Adjt

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Appendix "A" to
66 Aust Inf Bn Trg Instr
No 8 dated 19 Sep 47

EIS ROYAL HIGHNESS

THE DUKE OF GLOUCESTER'S CUP

MODIFIED CONDITIONS

1. The modifications set out hereunder will in due course be published as official by 34 Aust Inf Bde.

Phase (a) Rifle Platoon

(i) Composition

Pl Comd
Pl Sgt
Runner
Three sections each

Section Commander - rifle
Six Riflemen - 6 rifles
LM Gunner - 1 Bren

(ii) Action

Platoon to be formed up by sections three miles from target point and without any halts move forward by sections in succession to 500 yard firing point where each section in succession deploys and fires. Practice No 7 as laid down in SAT Vol 1 Para No 14 Aug 1943 Rifle Part II - Classification.

NOTES: LMG fires at 400 and 300 yard ranges only; one magazine of 20 rounds at each range. one target per rifleman; total seven targets. LMG distributes fire evenly over seven rifleman's targets.

16 hits only to score on each target.

Scores

7 rifles each rifle	10 rds	350 possible
1 LMG 40 rds		200

Total per	
Section	550

Three Sections

Therefore total platoon $3 \times 550 = 1650$
Points allotted at judges discretion for fire control, fire discipline, fire orders etc.- 100

Grand total Rifle
Pl Competition = 1750

Phase (b) LMG Platoon (4xguns)

(i) Tactical Employment

The platoon will be mounted in vehicles ready for action.

The judge will explain the tactical situation and give a task to the platoon commander who will come in to action from his vehicles and engage the target. The number of bolts will be prescribed by the judge.

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The target will be at 1300-1400 yards entailing the carbined sights etc.
Points (150) will be allotted for drill, control and observed fire results.

(ii) Range Firing

Guns will be laid out on the ground five yards in rear of the mound.

On the command of the judge the guns will come into action on the mound and will fire practice (6) Surprise (optional) SAT Vol. 1 Pam No 14 (Aust) 19013 MMG Course Part II Classification open range.
There is no time limit.
Total scores (272) allotted for hits on the target.

Phase (c) 3 in Mortar Section (two mortars)

(i) Composition of team

Platoon HQ as desired. A section of two mortar detachments.

(ii) Detail of competition

The team will arrive at the judge who will point a tactical situation to the platoon commander. The platoon commander then makes his plan and brings the team into action from the vehicles.

A target for each mortar will be given by the judge and the platoon commander will use his own discretion for engaging the targets (that is whether to use the mortars singly or as a section).

Firing will continue until the platoon commander considers that the target is neutralised and orders cease fire or on the order of the judge according to circumstances.

Judging and allocation of points will be on drill (including reconnaissance and fire plan) control and observed fire results.

R. S. Garland
Capt
Adjt

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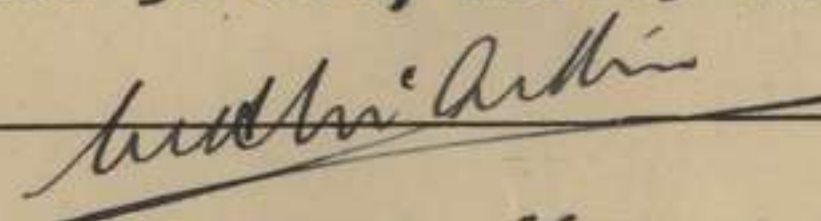
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Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn.

Date and Time.— From 1 Oct '47

To 31 Oct '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			<u>SUMMARY OF EVENTS.</u>	
			Oct '47. Bn. prepared for forthcoming tour of guard duties in TOKYO and the Bn parade for the DUKE OF GLOUCESTER CUP WHICH TOOK PLACE ON 25 Oct. Parade was inspected by Bde. commander -Brig. R.N.L. HOPKINS -	
			All coys. held a formal dinner during the month and the Bn held a regimental ball in the Bn rec. centre on 8 Oct.	
			Official guests included Brig & Mrs. R.N.L. HOPKINS -34 Aust Inf Bde-, Brig. IRVING -Brit Com Base- and Matron McMAHON	
			130 A.G.H.	
			BCOF exercise to test all units disaster plans was, carried out from 9 to 11 Oct '47. The exercise was known as EXERCISE DUCK.	
			Advance party departed HIRO for TOKYO on 27 Oct'47, No.1. guard coy & Adm coy departed 30 Oct, No.2&3 Guard coys departed 31 Oct'47.	


 Lt-col.
 Comdr 66 Aust Inf Bn.

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Date and Time.— From 1 Oct 47

To 31 Oct 47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
HIRO JAPAN	1 Oct.		Effective strength 38 Officers 493 ORs	Fine Day
Ref Maps: Central HONSHU 1:50000 Series			1030 hrs Full Bn parade held in ORs Mess at which Lt Col M.H. McARTHUR addressed the troops informing them of future training program in preparation for tour of duty in TOKYO. The C.O. also gave information regarding welfare within the Bn.	
Southern JAPAN 1: 250000 Series	2 Oct		Effective Strength 39 Officers 553 ORs	Cool with Scattered S Showers
			1000 hrs Officers conference held in C.O.'s office. C.O. brought out plans for training to be undergone by Bn for the month of October, in preparation for tour of duty in TOKYO.	
	3 Oct		Effective Strength 38 Officers 549 ORs	Cloudy Day

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Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.— From 1 Oct 47

To 31 Oct 47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	4 Oct		Effective Strength 38 Officers 544 ORs 1000 hrs Bn parade and march to 34 Bde HQ to witness VD films. Bn MO Major DUNLOP also gave lecture on the subject of VD.	Fine Day
	5 Oct		Effective Strength 38 Officer 544 ORs 0830 hrs Church Parade held in ORs Mess normal rest day for Bn.	Cloudy Day
	6 Oct		Effective Strength 38 Officers 545 ORs 1000 hrs The C.O. inspected each Coy on individual Coy parade grounds. 1300 hrs C.O. called Bn parade-in WD- to carry out an EMU BOB throughout the Bn area. 1600 hrs Officers welfare committee held meeting in reference	Fine Day

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Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.— From 1 Oct 47

To 31 Oct 47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			Bn Regimental Ball.	
			W3008 → 4/10/47 received	See Appx "A"
			W3009 - 4/10/47 received	" " "B"
			BRO Serials 168 to 169 received	" " "C"
				<i>sh</i>
	7 Oct		Effective Strength 35 Officers 540 ORs	Fine Day
			QX16629 Lt H.M. FOX and WX16017 Lt N.L. DAVIES were promoted	
			to the rank of Captains.	
			The ^{CE} GLOUSTER CUP SCORES report issued.	See Appx "D"
				<i>sh</i>
	8 Oct		Effective Strength 35 Officers 542 ORs	Fine Day
			0830 hrs 2 i/c Bn held conference with Officers concerning	
			co-ordination.	
			1930 hrs Bn birthday celebration were held in Bn Rec Hut	
			in the form of a Regimental Ball.	
			Official Guests included Brig & Mrs HOPKINS 34 Bde,	

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Date and Time.— From 1 Oct. '47 To 31 Oct '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			Brig IRVING (BRIT COM BASE), members wives, Matron McMahon & 50 AMWAS from 130 A.G.H. Eta Jima, plus Y.W.C.A. representatives from KURE & HIRO. Total number of guests was 110 approx.	<i>Sh</i>
	9 Oct		Effective strength 37 Officers 540 ORs 0700 hrs Commencement of EXERCISE DUCK 1400 hrs Adj held conference with offices concerning exercise. The object of this exercise is to prepare and test all units of BCO in actions to be taken in the event of any type of unusual happenings which may eventuate in disaster. i.e: Typhoons, earth-quakes or tremors, tidal waves ect.	Cloudy & cool day.
	10 Oct		Effective strength 36 Officers 540 ORs EXERCISE DUCK still in operation.	WET Day <i>Sh</i>

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To 31 Oct '47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	11 Oct		Effective strength 36 Officers 544 ORs	Fine day
			0900 hrs EXERCISE DUCK completed	
			1200 hrs Bn C.O. Lt.Col. M.H. McArthur, accompanied by adj	
			marched out for TOKYO to make preparations for Bn.	<i>shw</i>
	12 Oct		Effective Strength 37 Officers 602 ORs	Fine Day
			0830 hrs Church Parade held in ORs Mess.	
			Normal Rest day for all Bn	<i>shw</i>
	13 Oct		Effective Strength 35 Officers 602 ORs	Cold Day
			Instr concerning UNIT ELECTRICITY SUPPLY issued	See Appx "E" <i>shw</i>
	14 Oct		Effective Strength 39 Officers 622 ORs	Fine day
			1030 hrs Full Bn parade held and a "Pucka" inspection was	
			carried out by 2i/c Bn	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			QX35739 Lt.G.J.LUCAS was promoted to the rank of CAPTAIN.	
			"Q" inst. No.7. issued	See Appx "F".
	15 Oct.		Effective strength 39 Officers 616 O.Rs.	Fine day
			0730 hrs. Bn moved to SAIJO by M.T. to attend Bn race meeting held on SAIJO race course.	
			1400 hrs. C.O. and adj. R.T.U. from recce of TOKYO area in conjunction with Bn's movement at the end of month.	
	16 Oct.		Effective strength 42 Officers 624 O.Rs.	Wet day
			1930 hrs Officers formal mess held to celebrate Bn's birthday-16 Oct. 1945.	
			Official Guests included Brig HOPKINS 34 Aust Inf Bde and Lt-Cols MARSDEN and HARVEY- SUTTON.	
	17 Oct		Effective Strength 42 Officers 627 ORs	Cloudy and cool
			0830 hrs 1 Officer, VX30773 Lt J.J. SHELTON 2 Sgts plus 28 ORs	

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Unit 66 aust inf bn

Date and Time.— From 1 Oct 47

To 31 Oct 47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
			from "B" Coy marched out to HARA- MURA map ref 76732636 to undergo training for GLOUCESTER CUP competition .	
			1900 hrs "D" Coy held coy dinner in mess.	
			Dinner was attended by C.O. Adjt, and Padre FARR.	<i>Am.</i>
	18 Oct		Effective Strength 39 Officers 592 ORs	Fine day
			0900 hrs QX128 Capt K.C. TURBAYNE marched out HARA-MURA to join B Coy det. which is undergoing training for GLOUCESTER CUP competition .	
			1900 hrs C Coy held Coy dinner in the form of a formal mess in Coy mess room. The dinner was attended by C.O.	
			Weekly medical report issued	<i>Am</i> See Appx "G"
	19 Oct		Effective Strength 38 Officers 564 ORs	Heavy rain
			0800hrs Church service held in ORs mess. Normal rest day	

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Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.— From 1 Oct 47

To 31 Oct 47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	20 Oct 47		Effective strength 35 Officers 588 ORs Bn was divided into 1, 2, and 3 guard coys plus Admin coy in preparation for tour of duty in TOKYO. 1900 hrs A Coy held coy dinner in mess. The dinner was attended by C.O. Adjt and R.S.M. ADM INSTR No 5 concerning tour of duty in TOKYO issued Instr for STANDING ORDERS FOR DRESS issued	Cloudy with scattered showers See Appx "H" " " "J"
	21 Oct		Effective Strength 36 Officers 561 ORs 1330 hrs parade consisting of 3 guard coys held on Bn Parade gnd. for drill purposes. 1900 hrs HQ coy held coy dinner in mess. Dinner was attended by C.O. Padre Farr and R.S.M. CAMP STANDING ORDERS issued	Fine day See Appx "K"

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To 31 Oct 47

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	22 Oct		Effective Strength 37 Officers 563 ORs 1330 hrs Parade consisting of 3 gd coys held on Bn pde gnd	Fine day
	23 Oct		Effective strength 36 Officers 561 ORs 1330 hrs Full Bn parade in SD uniforms, of all troops to take part in TOKYO duties. Parade was inspected by C.O. TOKYO GUARD DUTIES Instr No 1 issued	Fine day See Appx "L"
	24 Oct		Effective Strength 37 Officers 543 ORs 1500 hrs Full Bn parade held in order to rehearse for GLOUCESTER CUP competition which is due to take place on 25 inst.	Fine day
	25 Oct		Effective Strength 35 Officers 551 ORs	Fine day

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	25 Oct.		1000 hrs GLOUCESTER CUP competition took place on bn parade ground. Troops wore S.D. uniforms and were inspected by Brig. R.N. HOPKINS 34 Aust Inf Bde.	
			Part "4" FIRE INSTR. issued.	See Appx. "M"
	26 Oct.		Effective strength 34 Officers 548 O.Rs.	Fine day.
			0830 hrs. Church service held in O.R's. mess.	
			Normal rest day of Bn.	
			C.O, with adjt, departed for OKAYAMA, from where, they will move to TOKYO on 27th inst.	
	27 Oct.		Effective strength 33 Officers 522 O.Rs.	Cloudy day.
			1315 hrs. Two officers and 18 O.Rs. departed HIRO for TOKYO as advance party for bn.	
			1930 hrs. B coy held formal dinner in mess. Only outside guest being Pdre. FARR. (O.P.D.) WEEKLY MED. REP. issued.	See Appx. "N".

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118
(Adapted)

D.4661/7.45-0.6546

Unit 66 Aust Inf Bn.

Date and Time.— From 1 Oct '47

To 31 Oct. '47.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	28 Oct.		Effective strength 33 Officers 544 O.Rs. B.R.Os. serials 170-171 issued.	Fine day See Appx "O".
	29 Oct.		Effective strength 33 Officers 546 O.Rs.	Fine day.
	30 Oct.		Effective strength 34 Officers 544 O.Rs. 0500 hrs. No. 1. guard coy plus Adm coy marched out for TOKYO, under command of Capt. TURBAYNE. 1200 hrs. Tpt. pl. departed HIRO for TOKYO. M.T. was moved to TOKYO by train.	Fine day
	31 Oct.		Effective strength 33 Officers 363 O.Rs. 0500 Hrs. No. 2 & 3 guard coys marched out for TOKYO.	Fine day.

Arthur
Lt-col
Commanding 66 Aust Inf Bn.
B.C.O.F. JAPAN.

APPR. H

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 4/10/1947 66 Aust Inf Bn (Unit)

W.E. II 12e / 4 OFFRS. 32 O.R.'s 650 OFFRS. 1 O.R.'s 32 ATT. BY W.E. W D

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

W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED				DETAIL	ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E.				
Reinf'ts Required	Deficient W.E.	Surplus to W.E.	Posted Strength		Arm or Corps	Posted Strength	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinf'ts Required
1			1	Lieut.-Colonels					
3			3	Majors					
9	3		6	Captains					
13	5		13	Lieutenants					
1			1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offs.					
32	8		24						

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.										24
E.(1)										
E.(2)										

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) and 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 UK 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
VX39717	Maj	R.G. GRONK	130 A.G.H.	26 9 47	Ex Hosp.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank	Name and Initials	Unit To	Date	CAUSE
NX16017	Lt	N.L.DAVIES	130 A.G.H.	2 10 47	To hospital.
NX137698	Lt	GARDNER	1 Armd Car Sqn	26 9 47	Ceases to be attached.
NX207854	Maj	R.N.J. DUNLOP	20 Aust Fd Amb	2 10 47	Ceases to be attached.

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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Sub rank & Higher rank if held.	Army No.	Name and Initial	Unit	Date of attachment	Nature of attachment
Chaplain	VX90116	O'KEEFE PG	34 Bde	21 1 46	Att as RC Chaplain
Chaplain	SX500724	FARR ✓ AP	34 Bde	11 7 47	Att as CofE Chaplain
Capt	EC 7392	ROBB ✓ J	CSDIC	2 12 46	CSDIC Duties
2/Lt	375180	GEELAN PJJ	CSDIC	15 9 47	Ditto
Lt	VX30773	SHELTON ✓ JJ	34 Bde	27 3 47	Att pending absorption
Lt	NX108300	POWER ✓ AW	34 Bde	15 9 47	" " "
Lt	WX48280	ROGERS ✓ RB	34 Bde	27 3 47	" " "
Lt	VX500499	CAREY WF	34 Bde	27 3 47	" " "
Lt	SX33571	HONE ✓ RW	34 Bde	15 9 47	" " "
Lt	VX146497	GORDON AC	34 Bde	15 9 47	" " "

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 4 / Oct / 1947.

Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP I. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP II. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen. GROUP III. (cont.)	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. 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 Mental			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Bangetakers			
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				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Refitters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. 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											
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers											
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians											
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)											
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators											
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				GROUP III				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Battery Surveyors							
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Butchers							
Grinder, Precision				Helio Operator				Clerks							
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Supply							
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties				Clerks, Technical							
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Coach Trimmers							
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Concretors							
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Cooks							
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Dental Clerk Orderlies							
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Despatch Riders							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Draughtsmen, Signals							
Pattern Maker				Masons				Drivers, H.T.							
Pharmacist				Masseurs				Driver Mechanics							
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Driver Tptn. Plant							
Photowriter				Miners				Engine Hands, I.C.							
Plumber				Moulders				Equipment Repairers							
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Farriers							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Fitters' Mates							
								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.			*

See attached list for details.

ATTACHED BY W.E.

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. "Reints. 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.

Date of Despatch 27

[Signature]
Signature of Commander

DETAILS OF PRESENT STRENGTH & REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED

POSTING	Rank	WE	PS	DEF	SUR
ASM	WO 1	1	1		
QMS	WO 2	1	1		
CSM	WO 2	5	5		
QMS	S/Cgt	5	5		
Ord Room Sgt	Sgt	2	2		
Sgt Tailor	"	1	1		
Int Sgt	"	1	1		
Tech Store Sgt	"	1	1		
Transport Sgt	"	1	1		
Sgt Dvr Mech	"	1	-	1	
Pro Sgt	"	1	1		
Sgts Pl	"	20	21		1
Int Cpls	Cpl	2	2		
Cpl Clerks	"	6	6		
Cpl Tailor	"	1	-	1	
Tpt Cpls	"	2	2		
MMG Cpl	"	2	-	2	
Mortar Cpl	"	3	1	2	
Pioneer Cpl	"	4	4		
SB Cpl	"	2	2		
Sig Cpl	"	4	3	1	
Cpls Pl	"	36	37		1
<u>TRADE GROUP 1</u>					
Blacksmith	Pte	1	1		
<u>TRADE GROUP 2</u>					
Carpenters	Pte	6	2	4	
Int Duties	"	7	4	3	
Sigs	"	22	7	15	
Dvr Mech	"	7	-	7	
<u>TRADE GROUP 3</u>					
Clerk Tpt	Pte	1	-	1	
Butcher	"	1	-	1	
Clerks	"	4	1	3	
Eqpt Repairer	"	1	1		
Range Taker	"	4	-	4	
Storemen Tech	"	3	2	1	
Storeman Tpt	"	1	1	1	
<u>NON-SPECIALISTS</u>					
Batmen	Pte	34	6	28	
Drivers MT	"	39	39		
Gen Duties	"	3	3		
Hyg Duties	"	4	5		1
MMG Nos	"	20	20		
Mortar Nos	"	46	16	30	
Pioneers	"	27	14	13	
RP's	"	6	5	1	
Storemen	"	6	6		
SBs	"	18	20		2
Water Dutymen	"	2	2		
Orderlies	"	31	8	23	
LMG Nos & Riflemen	"	253	308		55
		650	569	141	60

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DETAILS OF PERSONNEL ATTACHED BY ME

		RANK	WE	FS	DEF	SUR
<u>AAMG</u>	Hygiene Insp	Sgt	1	1		
	RAF Sgt	Sgt	1	1		
	Chiropodist	Cpl	1	1		
	Private	Pte	1	1		
<u>AAOC</u>	Bootmaker	Cpl	1	1		
<u>AACC</u>	Caterer	WOII	1	1		
	Cook	Sgt	5	5		
	Cook	Cpl	5	3	2	
	Cook	Pte	13	7	6	
<u>AAPC</u>	Pay Sgt	Sgt	1	1		
	Pay	Cpl	1	1		
<u>AAPS</u>	Postal Sgt	Sgt	1	1		
<u>TOTAL</u>			32	24	8	

65 AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BATTALION

MONTH OF EXPIRATION OF DUTY IN JAPAN APPX TO W.3009 Date... 4 Oct 47

ATTACHED BY W.E.

W.E.	RANK	TRADE OR DUTY	F.S.	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Later	Total
				Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	than				
1	Sgt	<u>AAMC</u> Hygiene Insp	1										1	1
1	Sgt	<u>AAMC</u> RAF Sgt	1										1	1
1	Cpl	<u>AAMC</u> Chiropodist	1										1	1
1	Pte	<u>AAMC</u> Private	1										1	1
1	Cpl	<u>AAOC</u> Bootmaker	1										1	1
1	WOII	<u>AACC</u> Caterer	1				1							1
5	Sgt	<u>AACC</u> Cook	5										5	5
5	Cpl	<u>AACC</u> Cook	5										5	5
15	Pte	<u>AACC</u> Cook	7										7	7
1	Sgt	<u>AAPC</u> Pay Sgt	1										1	1
1	Cpl	<u>AAPC</u> Pay	1								1			1
1	Sgt	<u>AAPS</u> Postal Sgt	1										1	1
			24				1				1		22	24

- A. Detached
- B. Hospital
- C. Leave in Australia
- D. Detention
- E. Military Prison

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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART I

Serial 168-169

By

Lt-Ccl M.H. McARTHUR

COMMANDING 66 AUST INF BN

66 Aust Inf Bn
6 Oct 47

168. DRESS BCOF HOLIDAY HOSTELS

- 1. The standard of dress of personnel on leave at BCOF Leave Hostels has become progressively worse.
- 2. For the guidance of all ranks the following are standards of dress to be observed whilst on leave at a Hostel:-
 - (a) Civilian dress may be worn within the hostel and its precincts.
 - (b) On all occasions when proceeding beyond the hostel limits all personnel will be correctly dressed according to Standing Orders.

169. AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Personnel entitled to wear awards and decorations will wear them at all times except on Jersey Pullover.

P. A. Gibson Capt.
Adjt 66 Aust Inf Bn.

Distribution
List "C"

NOTICES

OPERATION PMF

Numerous questions on PMF enlistment etc., have been received. It must be realised that all cannot be answered immediately but such firm information as is available will be sent out in reply. One question constantly asked is "Can I retain my rank on enlisting in the PMF?"

AH Q letter No.23964 gives this information with reference to MBI 129/47.

"The granting of substantive warrant and NCO rank will be subject to vacancies existing within Interim Army Establishments. In addition GOSC and Commanders, as the competent authorities, will satisfy themselves that personnel granted substantive rank in the PMF can be absorbed in these ranks in the post war PMF. In this regard it is realised that full details of post war PMF personnel requirements are not yet available. However it may be anticipated that no difficulty will be experienced in placing in the post war PMF, selected Warrant Officers and ICs in their substantive ranks in the arms and major services.

(2)

NOTICES (Cont'd)

OPERATION PMF (Cont'd)

Where any doubt exists regarding the absorption in the post war PMF of any Warrant Officer or NCO in his present rank, temporary rank only will be granted notwithstanding the provisions of GROS7/45 para 7. As a guide to Commands etc, it is anticipated that these conditions will obtain only with respect to personnel who are not considered suitable for their present rank, except within the smaller services which in the post war PMF will be very small or non-existent."

2. The following additional information is available:-

Non reduction allowance payable at present to a member of the AMF is not payable to a member of the AMF on joining the PMF. Incremental advances and good conduct pay become due in accordance with MB1114/47.

3. Psychology Test does not now apply to enlistees in the PMF at the time of enlistment.

GLOUCESTER CUP ELIMINATIONS

1. 66 Aust Inf Bn eliminations to select the best rifle Pl, were held at SHIGAKU on 27 Sep 47.

2. The eliminations were conducted as per appx "A" to 66 Aust Inf Bn Trg Instr No 8, dated 19 Sep 47; the modifications of which have been accepted as official by 34 Aust Inf Bde and will be used in the finals.

3. 100 points to be allotted at the judges discretion for:-

- (a) Fire control
- (b) Fire discipline
- (c) Fire Orders

these were split up as follows:-

- (a) 40 points
- (b) 40 points
- (c) 20 points

4. 9 Pl "B" Coy ran out early winners and will now undergo special trg at HARA MURA before representing the Bn in the finals.

5. See attached table for scores and averages.

VD CONTROL

1. Herewith unit figures of incidence of VD within 34 Aust Inf Bde based on period 22 Aug - 4 Sep 47, together with the new group classification in accordance with para 7 of 34 Aust Inf Bde AG1773 of 28 Jun 46.

2. The figures shown below have the reinfections added and the relapses extracted:-

Unit	No. of Cases	Rate 1000 per month	Group	Order of Merit
252 Aust Sup Dep Pl	-	-	1	1
34 Aust Inf Bde Pro Coy	-	-	1	1
16 Aust Mob Laundry	-	-	1	1
1 Aust Armd Car Sqn	-	-	1	1
140 Aust Bde Wksps	-	-	1	1
Base Veh Dep	-	-	1	1
66 Aust Inf Bn	3	10.0	1	1
28 Aust Fd Sqn	1	10.6	2	2
"A" Aust Fd Bty	1	10.8	2	3
67 Aust Inf Bn	4	11.5	2	4
140 Aust Ord Fd Pk	1	11.11	2	5

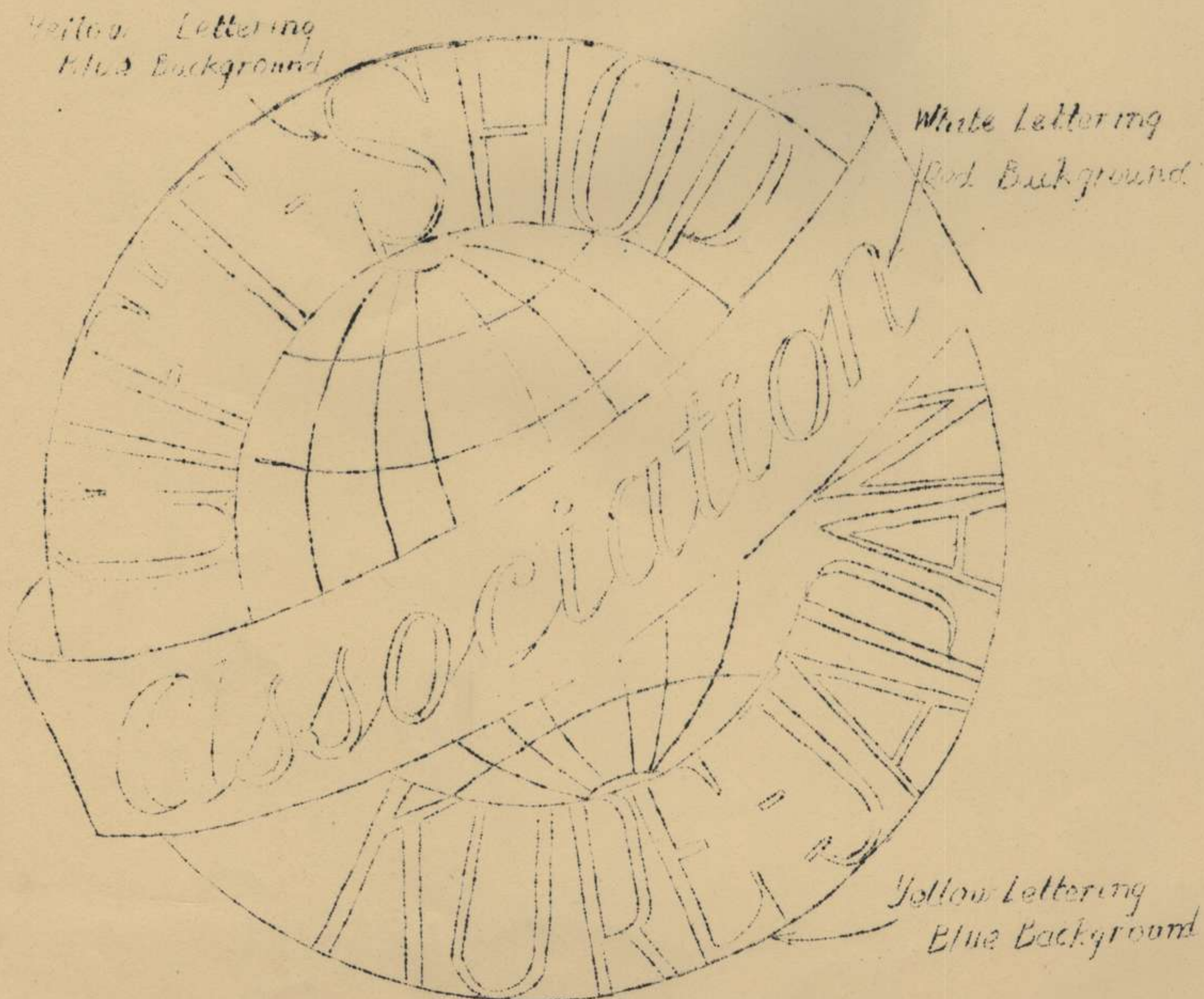
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VD CONTROL (Cont'd)

HQ 31 Aust Inf Bde	1	14.2	2	6
14 Aust t Wks & Pks Sqn	4	24.2	3	7
123 Aust Tpt Pl (att 169 AGT Coy)	1	25.0	3	8
65 Aust Inf Bn	12	34.0	3	9
20 Aust Fd Amb	3	44.1	4	10
169 Aust G.T. Coy	1	47.0	4	11
BCOF Ord Veh Pk	1	66.6	4	12

INFORMATION TO TROOPS REGARDING "PRICE CONTROL"

1. As a result of a drive on Price Control in Gift Shops throughout the KULB - HIRO area an organisation of shop owners has been formed, who pledge themselves to abide by instructions from HQ BCOR.
2. The attached sign was chosen as a marker for the assn for the guidance of occupation troops.
3. Stores displaying this sign will also display a master list of all products being sold and the listed price of each.
4. The manufacturing tax on gifts other than textiles is 30% and for textiles 15%. This tax reduction is granted when the patron presents a "Tax Exemption Certificate".



6-19-47
APPX "D"

War diary

GLOUCESTER CUP SCORES

66 Aust Inf Bn GLOUCESTER CUP ELIMINATIONS

SERIAL	SUB-UNIT	FIRE CONTROL	FIRE DISCIPLINE	FIRE ORDERS	TOTAL	TARGET SCORES	REMARKS
1	1 Sec 6 PL	30	30	15	75	211	(a) 1 Sec 9 Pl ONLY received 40 points for platoon discipline Generally individuals did not watch the target leading and advancing.
2	2 Sec 6 Pl	40	25	18	83	294	
3	3 Sec 6 Pl	30	25	12	67	248	
<u>PLATOON AVERAGE</u>						75	
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>						928	
4	1 Sec 9 Pl	40	40	20	100	250	(b) LMG fire was generally poor owing to bad maintenance of weapons.
5	2 Sec 9 Pl	35	30	18	83	251	
6	3 Sec 9 Pl	40	30	19	89	305	
<u>PLATOON AVERAGE</u>						90	
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>						906	
7	1 Sec 12 Pl	35	25	19	79	216	<u>"WATCH YOUR TARGET"</u>
8	2 Sec 12 Pl	25	25	18	68	260	
9	3 Sec 12 Pl	30	40	18	88	205	
<u>PLATOON AVERAGE</u>						78	
<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>						759	

War diary

Subject:- UNIT ELECTRICITY SUPPLY AND FIRE HAZARD66 Aust Inf Bn
Ref:-117/47/1.
13 Oct 47GENERAL

1. It is apparent from recent inspections that there is a complete lack of knowledge of electricity and electrical appliances in the unit.
2. The object of this instruction is:-
 - (a) to give a general description of the electrical system within the unit.
 - (b) to draw attention of all ranks to the dangerous practices that are taking place.

TYPES OF CURRENT

3. For the purpose of this instr electrical current will be dealt with in two kinds - Alternating Current (AC) and Direct Current (DC).
4. When a short circuit occurs DC causes immediate burning and tends to throw off rather than draw in. If in contact with a human it will act directly on the heart, often causing death. AC produces the immediate burning action, but acts differently on the heart and does not cause a human being to jerk away and is therefore often more lethal.

UNIT POWER

5. All electricity used within the Bn is AC.
6. The entire system is 110 volts with the exception of the CO's quarters and the RAP, which have 220 volts.
7. The power supply is carried on overhead wires on wooden standards. All main wires carry 3300 volts and wires and standards are highly dangerous.
8. The black metal boxes visible on many light standards are transformers which are used to ensure efficient distribution of current. All transformers are loaded to capacity with a safety margin for operation.
9. All lighting and power is installed in phases and controlled by main and sectional switches. Each phase is loaded to capacity. Fuses are used as safety devices by burning out or "Blowing" as soon as a phase becomes overloaded.

SHORT CIRCUITS AND OVERLOADING

10. The most common cause of short circuits is overloading a phase. They may also be caused by loose wires or loose joints.
11. The action of a fuse burning out breaks the contact cycle and renders the faulty area safe. The mere replacement of the fuse will not however, remedy the defect.

POWER CONSUMPTION

12. The following examples of power consumed by electrical appliances are given as a guide to enable you to prevent overloading:-

Wireless	2/3 amp
60 watt globe	2/3 amp

(2)

100 watt globe	1 amp
200 watt globe	2 amp
Iron	5 amp
Large Iron	12 amp
Jugs	16 amp

NOTE:- As most sectional switches within the unit are constructed to distribute a maximum of 25 watts it will be readily appreciated that the use of:-

- (a) Large globes
- (b) Irons
- (c) Jugo

is prohibitive on such sections.

DISCIPLINARY

13. With effect from the receipt of this instr no wireless, Reading lamp, toaster, griller, iron, jug, or other appliance will be used or installed unless the unit electrician has given permission for the appliance to be used.

14. Any member wishing to install electrical appliances will contact the unit electrician who will have the appliance installed.

15. Every effort will be made to help the comfort of the individual by the installation of such appliances to the permitted safety margin but cases of unauthorised use or installation will be dealt with severely.

16. The following will be treated as disciplinary offences:-

- (a) removal of globes from sockets
- (b) climbing light poles, throwing stones or any other interference with poles or lines.
- (c) any interference with fuses, transformers, or other electrical device.
- (d) careless handling of any device.
- (e) installing any appliance without permission.

17. Abuse of appliances by one stupid individual will result in punishment of the whole sub-unit. For instance, the whole Coy system will be cut off for periods thought adequate by the Commanding Officer and sub-units so punished, will do without light and heat during the period as a reminder to obey this instr.

18. CPL SILVESTER HQ COY is appointed unit electrician and is responsible for:-

- (a) Installation
- (b) Inspecting
- (c) Maintenance
- (d) Technical advice

of the unit electrical system.

DO'S AND DONT'S

(a) Dont purchase your own electrical appliances without ascertaining from CPL SILVESTER the type and voltage allowable.

(b) Dont install any appliance yourself, get the unit electrician to do it for you.

(c) Dont tamper, or allow anybody else to tamper with the Unit electrical system.

(d) Dont use electric irons in the barrack rooms. Billet wiring is expressly for the lighting and is not the heavy guage necessary for heating. Besides the unit laundry has an ironing room available to you after 1600 hrs daily.

(e) Dont display bravado and demonstrate to your mates how you can take electric shocks. To absorb 110 volts is not a sign of manliness - a baby could take that amount. Besides, such cheap exhibitionism is stupid.

(3)

2.

(a) Do report irregularities to your Coy Office at once. They are responsible through (Cpl SILVESTER) for replacement and repair, so tell your Coy Office immediately when you see a blown globe, a bare wire, a broken switch or socket.

(b) Do remind any person you see using or installing unauthorised appliances that you must do your duty and report same to Coy Office.

(c) Do read and digest this instr and consider it a vital part of fire precautions.

(d) Do remember that every disastrous fire in BCOF so far has been caused by faulty electrical systems in the areas concerned.

(e) Do remember that Japanese electric appliances are "shoddy" when judged on home standards and therefore need great care in handling and vigilance in reporting irregularities to prevent disasters.

A McKenzie Major

2 IC 66 Aust Inf Bn

Subject:- "Q" INSTR No 7 - ACCOUNTING OF CLOTHING TO MALE MEMBERS

AMF

66 Aust Inf Bn

14 Oct 47

1. "Q" Instr No 6 - Clothing and Necessaries is now cancelled.
2. Under MBI 114/47, a clothing allowance of one shilling per day is included in the pay emoluments credited in paybooks of all members of the AMF, irrespective of rank, for the upkeep and replacement of uniforms and clothing.
3. As from 1 Jul. 47, the value of all items, other than initial free issues made in accordance with authorised scales will be debited in the member's paybook by means of WF22 (Steppage Sheet).
4. Initial Free Issues.
 - (A) Coy Comds will ensure that all ranks under their command are in possession of a full range of serviceable items in accordance with the scales laid down in MGO Equipment Order No 220 and amendments thereto or such scales as may be authorised by the Military Board, save as provided in sub para (B) below.
 - (B) Not with standing anything in the foregoing orders, a member, may with the approval of his CO, refrain from drawing an item on the initial scale of free issues if such items would not normally be used by him and is not necessary to his Military efficiency (e.g. a safety razor where a member possesses and uses a blade razor of his own). In the event of a member receiving such approval and subsequently losing that item of his own property, he shall be entitled to draw the equivalent item on the scale of free initial issues and shall not be entitled to any monetary compensation.
 - (C) AAB83 will continue to be used to record free and maintenance issues. Immediately on receipt of this instr the last entry in the "Record Of Personal Issues" in the members AAB83 will be ruled off and the total free issues which have been made to the member will be entered in black ink immediately below this line. This entry will be endorsed "initial free issue" dated and also initialled by the member in the space provided. The AAB83 will be forwarded to the QM who will sign this entry. Unserviceable items for which no replacements are available will be withdrawn and the necessary entry made in the members AAB83, to enable a free issue to be made at a subsequent date. Initial issues made to a member who has not already had such issues recorded in his AAB83, will be entered therein and signed for on AAF F201.
 - (d) The following items, the issue of which it was not customary prior to 30 Jun 47 to enter in the members AAB83, shall be recorded where an initial free issue has been, or is in future, made in the same manner as for other free issues:-
 - Badges, armlet
 - Badges, chevron
 - Puggaree, hat, 6 fold
 - Buttons, bronzed, general officers
 - Combs, hair
 - Dressings, field
 - Holdalls
 - Patches, distinguishing colour
 - Straps, chin leather
 - (e) In the case of subsequent free issues made to a member, the member will sign for the receipt of the free issues on the AAF F 201 and initial the entry in his AAB83. The AAF F201 and the AAB 83 will be forwarded to the QM who will initial the entries on the AAF F201 and sign the AAB 83.
 - (f) Alterations will be made only by striking out the incorrect entry and inserting the correct entry, such alterations being initialled by the person who signs against the entry. Erasures are forbidden.

(g) Withdrawals of free initial issues from the member will be entered in red ink and the line in question will be endorsed with the serial number of the receipt AAF F25A (e.g. 25/726) The AAB 83 will be signed in red ink by the Coy Representative for the QM.

(h) A separate line will be used for each transaction, i.e.

Issue
Withdrawal

(i) Books of AAF F25A - Receipts will be issued by Unit Stores Account Section and will be accountable documents. When a book is completed, it will be filed by the Coy, and will be produced, when required, for examination by U.S.A.S.

5. MAINTENANCE ISSUES

(a) Issues, other than initial free issues, together with their values, in accordance with the Priced Vocabulary of Military Clothing and Necessaries, will be entered in the WF22, signed for thereon by the member, and debited in his paybook. The WF22 will be prepared under Coy arrangements and separate pages of WF22 will be prepared for each area of enlistment.

(b) As each WF22 is prepared, the Coy Comd will obtain from the member a certificate in the following form:-

"I certify that the articles listed on the WF22
No..... are for my personal use.

.....
Signature of member.

This will be attached to the Book Copy of the WF22.

(c) Maintenance issues will be entered in AAB83 as in the same previous method. The Coy Comd will quote against the entry in the AAB83 the number of the WF22. The member will initial the entry in the space provided and will then be forwarded to the QM who will sign the entry.

(d) Unserviceable articles, for which a replacement is being paid for by the member, will be retained by him.

(e) WF 22 will be endorsed with the paybook number and the line number relevant to the paybook entry.

(f) Completed sheets of WF22 will be certified by the QM to the effect that entries have been made in the respective members paybooks.

(g) At frequent intervals, (usually weekly) the original and duplicate copies of WF22 will be passed to the Pay Representative.

(h) WF22 will be listed on a schedule (Prepared in duplicate) showing the numbers of WF22 and the names of the members concerned. One copy will be signed and returned by the Cash Office and retained by the QM as a receipt.

6. REVERSING DEBITS IN PAYBOOKS

If it becomes necessary to credit a member for articles returned, and in respect to which a debit has already been made in the members paybook, WF22 will be prepared in accordance with the general instructions previously prescribed, except that the member will not sign the form. In the space provided for the members signature will be written off in block capitals the word "CREDIT" and also the number of the line in the paybook on which the debit was previously entered. The credit will be entered in the members paybook in accordance with para 191 of "Unit Accounting Procedure for Pay and Allowances".

7. REPLACEMENT ISSUES AT PUBLIC EXPENSE

Requests for free replacement issues for the losses of or damage to a members kit in the course of duty caused by other than fair wear and tear will be investigated in terms of MBI 55/47

(a) If, after investigation, it is decided that the loss or damage shall be a charge against public funds, an AAF F203 will be prepared authorising a free replacement issue to the member.

(b) AAF F203 will be serially numbered prefixed by the letter of the Coy and filed by the Coy in numerical order. The certificate will be signed by the Commanding Officer and endorsed with the unit file number of the investigation and approval supporting the issue.

(c) If the amount of the loss or damage is beyond the CO's delegation (as defined in BCOF Adm Instr 83 of 26 Aug 47) application will be submitted through normal channels to the appropriate delegate for approval to grant the free issue of the articles to be replaced.

(d) If the loss or damage to a members kit occurs and it is found, after investigation and the granting of approval for the loss or damage to be charged against public funds, that it is not necessary to issue the member with an article in replacement (e.g. a member holding items while serving with BCOF, but now serving on the mainland, or if stocks of the items to be replaced are temporary unavailable) the following action will be taken

(i) The Coy Comd will prepare a separate AAF F25A, listing thereon the articles concerned. The duplicate copy of the AAF F25A will be enaced as follows:- "AAB83 credited in accordance with File No.... Entries not to be recorded on "Withdrawal AAF F201

.....Capt.
OCCoy.

(ii) The Coy Comd will issue the original copy of the AAF F25A to the member and make the necessary red ink entry on the members AAB83, but this will be signed by the Coy for the QM.

(iii) Where the duplicate copy of the AAF F25A is enaced as prescribed by sub para 4(a) (iii) of Chapter 13, Unit Adm Stores Accounting etc, and will not, therefore, enter the articles concerned on "Withdrawal" AAF F 201.

(e) Where an authority is granted for a member to be granted an allowance for damage to an article in circumstances beyond the control of the individual in the execution of his duty, the actual amount to be paid by the member for the replacement articles (ie the price of the articles less the amount allowed) will be shown on WF22, and the amount of the compensation allowed to him by the responsible authority will be entered on the WF22 as follows:-

"Value of unexpired life of this (these) article (s) amounting to Pounds..... has been authorised to be written off at public expense

Authority.....

The CO may authorise the temporary free issue of replacement clothing to meet the soldiers requirements pending finalization of investigations.

8. RECORDING OF ISSUES

(a) Two separate AAF F201 will be maintained, one for issues and one for withdrawals, these will be numbered and will be completed monthly and filed by the Coy.

(b) Initial free issues will be entered on "ISSUE" AAF F201 in black ink as each issue is made, blank squares on appropriate line will be ruled through, and the member will sign in black ink in the column provided. These sheets will be forwarded periodically to the QM who will endorse the entry "Initial Free Issue".

(c) Issues on payment will be entered on ISSUE AAF F201 in black ink as each issue is made, and the number of the relevant WF22 entered in the column provided. These issues will not be signed for by the member.

(d) When free issues are made in accordance with para 7 the number of the AAF F203 will be entered in the column provided.

(e) Alterations will be made in accordance with para 4(f)

(f) On the first of each month, the Coys will total entries on Issue AAF F201 and forward these sheets to the QM. All Coy Sheets will be totalled and entered on an AAF F2 gross referencing the AAF F2 with the AAF F201. AAF F2 will be submitted, in duplicate, after check and stamping by USAS, to DADOS in the normal manner, and the unit master ledger will be adjusted on receipt of the approved NOI copy from DADOS. The QM will then give necessary authority to balance the Coy Sub Unit ledger.

(g) "Withdrawals" AAF F201 will be compiled by the Coys periodically (at intervals not exceeding two months) for all items shown on duplicate AAF F25A, with a reference to the serial numbers of the AAF F25A. Totals of entries on "Withdrawals AAF F201 will be entered....on

(4)

AAF F22 by the QM and will be cross referenced with the AAF F201 and submitted in duplicate, after check and stamping by Unit Stores Account Section to DADOS in the normal manner. The Unit master ledger will be adjusted upon receipt of the approved copy from DADOS. The QM will then give the necessary authority/balance the Coy Sub Unit ledger

9. REPAIRS - BOOTS AND SHOES

Footwear will still continue to be repaired by the Army and a stoppage in accordance with the following will be made

Sole and Heel (Plus minor repair necessary at
time of soling and heeling) 6/-
Heels 2/-
Minor repairs will not be undertaken separately.

10. PERSONAL EQUIPMENT

Personal equipment issued to a member will continue to be issued and recorded as prescribed by Unit Adm Stores Accounting etc., Chapter 13.

11. TROOPS HOUSING

Para 7 of "Q" Instr No 51s cancelled. This section consists of the following:-

Sheets	Pillow Slips
Pillows	Blankets
Stretchers	Razais
	Aluminium Foot Lockers

(a) Under no circumstances will these articles be marked in AAB83. Immediate steps will be taken to have this adjusted. All these issues will be made on an AAF F12.

(b) The only variation being when a member is proceeding to AUSTRALIA on discharge when blankets are entered in AAB83 and a signature obtained on Issue AAF F201.

(c) Personnel on inter unit transfer will have all the above mentioned articles withdrawn and his signature on the Coy's AAF F12 cancelled.

12. This instr will be implemented forthwith excepting paras 8(f) and 8(g). These paras will immediately come into action on the inception of ledger accounting. When this occurs the following procedure will occur

(a) AAF F201 will be checked periodically by USAS, and all entries thereon reconciled with the relevant AAB83. All WF22 by the unit will be checked against AAF F201, AAF F3 and stamped by the checking staff.

(b) Checkers will ensure that AAF F201 are complete in respect of members signatures, endorsements of WF22, AAF F25A or AAF F203 numbers and totals of summaries will be checked and stamped.

(c) Transcription of AAF F201 summary totals to AAF F2 and AAF F2 and AAF F22 will be checked and write off and certificate receipt vouchers will be stamped by the checker prior to their submission to DADOS.

(d) AAB83 will be checked to ensure that issues do not exceed the existing authorised scales.

A W Marshall
Capt.
QM 66 Aust Inf Bn.

DISTRIBUTION

HQ COY 2	A Coy 2
B COY 2	C Coy 2
D COY 2	Comd 1
2IC 1	Adjt 1
IO L	Pay Sjt 1
War Diary 1	File 1
Spares 3	

APPX "G"

Appx B to 34 Aust Inf Bde
AG4320 of 17 Oct 46

Pro Forma B

Unit..... 66 Aust Inf Bn

Week ending.... 17 Oct 1947

WEEKLY REPORT BY RMO

1. General condition of troops..... *Very good*.....
2. Most prevalent diseases..... *SKIN*.....
3. General standard of reinforcements received..... *Good*.....
4. Stores: Details of items requisitioned and NOT yet received.
 - (a) Medical Unit indented on.....
 - Expendable..... *mit*.....
 - Non expendable.....
 - (b) AASO Unit indented on.....
 - (c) Ordinance Unit indented on.....
5. Mosquito Control (when applicable)
 - (a) Measures of personal protection (Good, Fair, Bad)
Clothing..... *Good*..... Nets..... Atebrin..... Lotion.....
 - (b) Measures of larval control..... *Satis. factory*.....
 - (c) Adult destruction..... *Satisfactory*.....
 - (d) General comments..... *mit*.....
6. Transport available..... *Unit Transport*.....
7. Rations (incl condemnations)..... *Good*.....
8. Quarters..... *Good*..... + ablutions & latrines fittings giving
9. Hygiene (general)..... *some trouble - some drains blocked*.....
10. Training carried out by RMO..... *mit*.....
11. Staff efficiency (a) RAP..... *Good*.....
(b) PAC..... *Good*.....
(c) Hygiene..... *Good*.....
12. Medical inspections of troops..... *Satisfactory*.....
13. General remarks and recommendations..... *Health of troops is very good. hospitalisation are mainly for minor ailments*.....

Chadwick Capt
RMO 66 Aust Inf Bn

66 AUST INF BN ADM INSTR NO 3
FOUR OF DUTY TOKYO

War Diary
APPX 'H'

66 Aust Inf Bn
Ref:- 149/47/1
20 Oct 47

1. ADM LAYOUT

66 Aust Inf Bn will move to TOKYO for a two months tour of Guard duty commencing 1 Nov 47

2. TROOPS UNDER COMD

Detachments Brit Com Base KURE: 2 Offr 60 ORs
Detachments R.A.F. 2 Offr 50 ORs

3. ORGANISATION

(a) With effect forthwith the battalion incl troops at present under comd will be reorganised as follows

(1) TOKYO FORCE (EBISU BARRACKS)

Comd:- Lt-Col M.H. McARTHUR

Det Bn H.Q.

Admin Coy

Three Guard Coys

(ii) HIRO FORCE (MORSHED BARRACKS)

Comd:- Maj C.F.G. MCKENZIE

H.Q. Coy less Dets

A Coy less Dets

Security Dets B.C. and D Coys

Detailed composition of above forces are contained in Appx "A"

(b) Inter Coy transfers and cross postings will be completed by 0800 hrs 21 Oct 47 and will remain effective until further notice.

4. MOVEMENT

The Move to TOKYO will be carried out in four phases:-

- | | | |
|-----|----------|------------------|
| (a) | Phase 1. | Advance Party |
| (b) | Phase 2. | Bn Spt less Dets |
| (c) | Phase 3. | First Party |
| (d) | Phase 4. | Second Party |

5. All movement will be by rail.

(a) Phase 1.

(i) Timings:-

Depart HIRO (to be notified) hrs 27 Oct 47

Arrive EBISU (to be notified) hrs 28 Oct 47

(ii) Composition Advance Party:-

See Appendix B

(b) Phase 2.

Composition see Appx C

(c) Phase 3.

(i) Timings:-

Depart HIRO (to be notified) hrs 30 Oct 47

Arrive EBISU (to be notified) hrs 31 Oct 47

(ii) Composition of main body:-

See Appendix D

(d) Phase 4.

(i) Timings:-

Depart HIRO (to be notified) hrs 1 Nov 47

Arrive EBISU (to be notified) hrs 22 Nov 47

(ii) Composition see Appx E

6.6. Comds detailed for each phase will be in addition to to Comd of his detachment, OC train and will be responsible for the movement to the railhead, entraining ; -ing, discipline, feeding and accomadation en route detraining and dispersal at destination. All platoon Comds will travel with their platoons.

7. All O's G trains will submit to QM by 1600 hrs 22 Oct 47 detailed requirements for train accomadation in accordance with pro forma Appx "Y"

8. TRAINS

QM will arrange trains and train accomadation in accordance with the detailed movement plan and requirements revealed by instruction above

9. Detailed entraining instructions will be issued by the Adjt in conjunction at the final Bn co-ordinating conference date to be notified but not later than 25 Oct 47.

10. BN LIAISON OFFICER

Capt K. FOX is appointed Bn Liaison officer at EBISU BARRACKS and Bn RTO EBISU Station.

11. ACTION ARRIVAL AT EBISU STATION

On arrival at EBISU party Comds will report to Bn RTO EBISU STATION and detrain on his orders.

12. Parties will then move direct to EBISU BARRACKS by march route.

13. On arrival at EBISU BARRACKS each party will move direct to accomadation allotted by Bn Liaison Officer. When each party is bedded in, fed if necessary and complete in all respects, the party Comd will report to Bn HQ.

14. ADMINISTRATION

Personal Equipment:-

- (a) Kit bags will NOT be taken.
- (b) All ranks will take one

Aluminium foot lockers (for contents of foot lockers see Appx (F))

(c) All foot lockers will bear in 2" BLOCK letters on the top:-

Number	Rank	Name
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.....Guard Coy

65 Aust Inf Bn

War office serial Number both ends and embarkation colours top and both ends

(d) No personnel will take to TOKYO personal belongings other than in the foot-lockers. 1

(e) Radio sets etc will be taken only with the approval of the Coy Comd and Bn electrician and then parked in Coy lots to move with Coy stores.

920 Dress for move See Appx (G)

15.

15. BN AND COY STORES

As far as possible all Bn and Coy stores required in TOKYO will be packed in aluminium footlockers and labelled in similar manner to personal lockers.

16. All controlled stores including automatic weapons, ~~MMG~~, and mortars will be cleaned, oiled, and returned by coy lots to the QM, in accordance with instructions to be issued by the QM.

17. Messing on route (to be coordinated by the QM)
All messing utensils required en route will be placed the train by coys and NOT by individuals.

18. In TOKYO

Messing utensils will not be taken but companies will provide cups, and cutlery.

19. OFFICERS MESSES SGT MESSES

Separate instructions will be issued.

20. BEDDING

Coy arrangements to be discussed at co-ordinating conference.

21. Co-ordinating Conference

A co-ordinating conference will be held Bn HQ
21 Oct 47

A. J. Spalding
Capt
Adjt

ORGANISATION OF BN

(a) TOKYO FORCE

Comd:- Lt Col M.H. McARTHUR

		Offr	ORs
(i) Bn HQ	Comd	1	-
	Second in Comd	1	
	Adjt	1	
	Int Offr "@"	1	
	R.S.M.		1
	O.R.Sgt	1	1
	Clerks		2
	Int Duties ORs		3
	Comds Orderly		1
	Total	<u>7</u>	<u>8</u>

"@" Also performs duties of Asst Adjt and Band Officer.

(ii) Admin Coy

Comd:- Capt G. LUCAS

	Offr	ORs
Comd	1	7
C.S.M. HQ Coy		2
Clerks (1 DPRI)		5
Sigs		
DPRI	1	5 incl 1 Sgt
R.P.		3
Pnr		
R.M.O	1	7
R.A.P. and P.A.C. Orderlies		4
Hygiene		1
Pay Sgt		1
Postal		1
Education		1
Y.M.C.A.	1	
Padre	1	
C.S.D.I.C.	1	
Q.M.	1	
R.Q.M.S.		1
C.Q.M.S.		1
Q.Storemen		2
Cooks		9 incl Sgts
Mess Stewards		
Offrs Mess		3
Sgts Mess		2
Butcher		1
Labour Office		1
Boot Maker		1
Tailor		1
Armour		1
Tot Platoon		<u>20</u>
Total	<u>7 -</u>	<u>73</u>
Attd L.A.D.		3
Band		50
Grand Total	<u>7 -</u>	<u>126</u>

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Appt "A" 66 Aust Inf Bn
ADMN INSTR NO 8

(iii) Three Guard Coys each
6 Offrs 121 ORs

No 1	<u>Guard Company</u>		<u>Offr</u>	<u>ORs</u>
	Comd: Capt K.G. TURBAYNE		1	
Coy HQ	2i/c Capt K. FOX		1	
	C.S.M. WOII McKENZIE			1
	C.Q.M.S S/Sgt CONSTANCE			1
	OR Clerk Cpl			1
	Sub Total		2	3

<u>Pl Comds</u>	Lieut SMITH		1	
	Lieut Reed- Henkey		1	
	Lieut J SHELTON		1	
	Lieut DURBRIDGE		1	
	Sub Total		4	0

<u>GUARD PERSONNEL</u>				
	B Coy	46 ORs		46
	Base	29 "		29
	HQ Coy	43 "		43
	Sub Total		0	118

Total All Ranks 6.ks 121

No 2	<u>GUARD COMPANY</u>		<u>Offr</u>	<u>ORs</u>
	Comd: Capt A.P.A. DENNESS		1	
Coy HQ	Comd: Capt A.P.A. DENNESS		1	
	2i/c Capt C. DOWNES			
	C.S.M. WOII O'GRADY			1
	C.Q.M.S. S/Sgt WILLIAMS			1
	OR Clerk Cpl CLARKE			1
	Sub Total		2	3

<u>Pl Comds</u>	Lieut ROGERS		1	
	Lieut ROSE		1	
	Lieut SHORT		1	
	Lieut CLANCY		1	
	Sub Total		4	

<u>GUARD PERSONNEL</u>				
	C Coy			39
	Base			27
	A Coy			37
	HQ Coy			15
	Sub Total			118

Total All Ranks 6 121

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Appx "A" to 66 Aust Inf Bn
ADM INST No 8

No 3
Coy HQ

<u>GUARD COMPANY</u>		
	<u>Offr</u>	<u>OR's</u>
COMD: Capt G.C. HOGAN	1	
2i/c Capt G.C. HOGAN	1	
2i/c Capt N.L. DAVIES	1	
C.O.M.S.		1
G.S.M. WO HOCKING		1
O.R. Clerk		1
Sub Total	2	3

<u>PLATOON COMDS</u>		
Lieut WHEELER	1	
Lieut NONE	1	
Lieut POWER	1	
R.A.F.	2	
Sub Total	5	

<u>GUARD PERSONNEL</u>		
D Coy		54
HQ Coy		17
R.A.F.		50
Sub Total		121

Total all Ranks 7 124

<u>TOTAL TOKYO FORCE</u>		
	<u>Offr</u>	<u>OR's</u>
Bn HQ	4	8
A dem Coy	7	73
Band		50
Attd		3
Guard Coys	19	363
TOTAL	30	497

(b)

HIRO FORCE

COMD Major C.F.G. MCKENZIE

COMPOSITION

Det Bn H Q
HQ Coy Less Det
A Coy Less Det
Dets B, C, and D Coys (Security Etc.)

TOTAL ALL RANKS 140 Approx.

Appx B to 66 Aust Inf Bn
Adm Instr No 8 Dated
19 Oct 47.

ADVANCE PARTY

Composition

Comd : Capt W. MARSHALL

QM	1	-	0
Pls. Sgt (Lt WILSON)	1	-	0
R.S.M. (WO1 HOLLAND)	0	-	1
O.R. Sgt (Sgt SCARFEE)	0	-	1
Offrs Mess Sgt	0	-	1
Sgts Mess Chward	0	-	1
Cooks	0	-	4
R.A.P.	0	-	1
Hygiene	0	-	1
Rations Storeman	0	-	1
Offrs Quarters Manager	0	-	1
Guides (two per Gd Coy)	0	-	6

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STORES & EQUIPMENT

Kitchen equipment as arranged by Q.M.

Blankets required for issue to Coys on arrival at EBISU. (4 per man - 3 issue at reserve).

Amn - 50 rds per rifleman Gd Coys.

ACTION ON ARRIVAL AT EBISU

Report to Bn Liaison Officer and prepare accommodation to receive Gd Coys to be complete by 31 Oct 47.

After consultation with Camp Comdt, take over barracks from NO 3 N.Z. Regiment.

TRANSPORT

COMD Capt G. LUCAS

COMPOSITION

1 x Car D.S.
8 x Jeeps Trucks $\frac{1}{2}$ ton
4 x Jeep Trailers
3 x 15 Cwt 4 x 4
2 x 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ton 6 x 6
2 x 3 Ton 4 x 4

1 Offr 20 O.R's Incl Tech Personnel.

Att 3 O.R's (LAD)

TOTAL 1 Offr 23 O.R's

DRIVERS

D Drivers of each vehicle will travel in his vehicle and will be responsible for the security incl lashing etc of his vehicle prior to, on route and after detraining.

All vehicles will be loaded with full tanks and complete V.O. L.

MESSING

Comd will arrange direct with Q. M.

ARRIVAL AT EBISU

On arrival at EBISU Comd will report to Bn Liaison Offr and will complete accomodation arrangements for his Comd.

Tpt will come under Comd Advance Party Comd on arrival in EBISU.

TIMINGS

Detailed Timings will be issued later.

FIRST PARTY

Composition

Comd	Capt K TURBAYNE		
No 1 Guard Coy		6	119
Adm Coy (incl Band)		4	91
		<u>10</u>	<u>210</u>

Stores and Equipment

Personal baggage
Band instruments
Band uniforms (in footlockers)
Coy office
Kitchen equipment as ordered by QM
Officers' Mess Equipment/as ordered
Sgt's Mess Equipment and Furniture
Education Library

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Adm Instr dated 19 Oct 47

SECOND PARTY

Comd

Capt A.R.A. DENNESS

Composition

No 2 and No 3 Guard Coys less guides
13 Officers 238 OR

Stores

As for First Party plus Bn
sporting gear ordered by the
Bn Sports Officer.

Appx F to 66 Aust Inf Bn
Adm Instr No 6 dated 12 Oct 47

CONTENTS OF FOOTLOCKER

Jackets 3D
3 Trousers 3D
3 Coat hangers
1 pr boots
3 Singlets
3 drawers
4 shirts
2 prs pyjamas
2 sweaters
3 prs socks
2 sheets
1 pillow slip
1 dpa handkerchiefs
2 towels
2 ties khaki
1 pr shoes
1 pr slippers
Sporting clothing as required
Web equipment for Gd duties incl spare gaiters
Rifle sling
Bayonet, bayonet's scabbard and frog
Writing case
Cleaning gear (boots, clothes, and webbing)
Housewife
Photos
Spare toilet requisites

3 IN Haversack

Toilet gear
Cleaning gear

Appx G to 66 Aust Inf Bn
Adm Instr No 8 Dated 19 Oct 47

Shirt ED
Jersey pullover
Hat KF
Belt web
Trousers ED
Gaiters canvas
Boots AB
Socks
Drawers
Singlet
Greatcoat
Rifle
Capes w/P No 2

DRESS

Shirt ED
Jersey pullover
Hat KF
Belt web
Trousers ED
Gaiters canvas
Boots AB
Socks
Drawers
Singlet
Greatcoat
Rifle
Capes w/P No 2

DISTRIBUTION

COPY

A Coy
B Coy
C Coy
D Coy
HQ Coy
Comd
2I/c
Adjt
IO
QM
TC
Regt MO
RSM
Capt. FOX
File
War Diary

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66 AUSTRALIAN INFANTRY BATTALIONSTANDING ORDERS FOR DRESSPART I - GENERAL

1. All ranks will wear uniforms except when civilian clothes are permitted by para 7.
2. All articles of uniform on issue are made to a scaled pattern and only alterations to ensure proper fittings are allowed.
3. Coy Comds will ensure that uniforms, boots and equipment in their Coys are properly fitted to personnel, are worn in correct manner, and are kept clean and tidy.
4. After 1800 hrs daily, sleeves of Safari Jackets and shirts will be worn down, and trousers will be worn.
5. Personnel will NOT leave unit lines unless properly dressed in accordance with appropriate orders of dress as laid down in Part IV of these Standing Orders.
6. Personnel will wear their hair short. The chin and underlip will be kept shaven.
7. Personnel may be permitted to wear civilian clothes in unit lines or when otherwise ordered when taking part in recognised sport and when proceeding or returning from such sport, when the dress appropriate to such sport will be worn. Recognised sport includes all competitive team games, athletic field and track sports, swimming, fishing, yachting, rowing, cruising, golf and tennis.

PART II - CORRECT WEARING OF UNIFORM8. BERETS

- (a) Will be worn with the brow band level on the head and one inch above the eyebrows, with the crown pulled downwards and backwards over the right ear.
- (b) The adjusting tape will be fastened in a reef knot and the ends tucked out of sight into the leather cover band.

9. BOOTS AB UNIVERSAL

Will be kept polished. Lacing will be horizontal and not crossed.

10. CAPS

Officer pattern caps will be worn only by officer and WO's.

11. During winter months or for ceremonial purposes gloves may be ordered to be worn on parade. In this event all ranks will be dressed alike. Off parade on other occasions the wearing of gloves is optional.

12. HATS KHAKI FUR FELT

(a) Hat will be worn with brim turned up at left side. In summer when ordered hat will be worn with brim turned down, chin strap over rear brim of hat. Hats will be turned up when proceeding on leave.

(b) will be worn level from front to rear, one inch above the right eye, but will be canted to an angle of approx 15 degrees over the right ear (as a guide, the brim on the right should touch the top of the right ear and the brim on the left be four inches above the top of the left ear)

(c) The crown will be dented with a single dent running straight from front to rear. The dent will not be held in place by a clip or similar device.

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The dent can be easily maintained if made when the hat is wet.

(d) Chin straps will be worn on the point of the chin with the buckle in line with the mouth on the left side of the face. The buckle will be polished at all times.

13. JACKETS SD

(a) When on parade jackets will be worn with all buttons fastened.

(b) When walking out or not on duty the top button may be unfastened in which case a shirt, collar and tie will be worn.

(c) Personnel on duty in offices who are not required to parade for such duties may also wear jackets as laid down in (b) above.

14. JERSEY PULLOVER

(a) When ordered jersey pullover will be worn as an outer garment over a shirt KD with or without a tie.

(b) Shoulder straps will be fastened correctly outside the jersey pullover and badges of rank will be worn as follows:-

(i) By officers, metal on the shoulder straps.

(ii) By NCO's, in white tape sewn to the pullover.

(iii) By WO'S, in metal attached through the sleeve and backed by some firm material inside the sleeve.

(c) When jersey pullovers are worn as an outer garment officers and the RSM will wear the belts waist Sam Browne and other ranks will wear belts waist web equipment.

(d) When worn as an outer garment the jersey pullover will in no case be worn tucked into the trousers and sleeves will always be worn down, NOT rolled.

(e) Jersey pullovers may be worn as an optional garment under the shirt or jacket in which case no part of the jersey will be outwardly apparent.

15. PUGGAREES

Puggarees seven fold of issue pattern only will be worn on the hat so that the Vs of the puggaree are in the centre of the back and the front of the hat. The Bn colour patch will be worn centrally on the right side of the puggaree and $\frac{1}{2}$ inch above the brim of the hat.

16. TIES

(a) Ties will be worn by all ranks when jackets, other than Safari jackets are worn with an open neck.

(b) After 1800 hrs officers wearing shirts will wear ties.

17. WEB EQUIPMENT

Except when in "battle order" web equipment will be scrubbed bleached, and whitened. All buckles and tags will be highly polished.

18. WHISTLES AND LANYARDS

(a) Lanyards will be worn by all ranks in all orders of dress except working dress.

(b) Lanyards will be worn over the right shoulder under the shoulder strap with the whistle end passing under the right breast button and into the pocket.

Lanyards will be of the following colours:-

BHQ	Purple	B Coy	Light Blue
HQ Coy	Green	C Coy	Yellow
A Coy	Rdd	D Coy	White

PART III - BADGES COLOUR PATCHES ETC

19. BADGES HAT COMMONWEALTH CO (or unit badges when authorised)

(a) will be burnished and worn by all ranks on Hats, (khaki fur) and Berets (Cloth)

(b) When worn on the hat it will be worn on the left side so that when brim is turned up it is central and horizontal.

(c) When worn on the beret it will be worn so that the centre bottom is $\frac{1}{4}$ inch above the top of the brow band and vertically over the centre of the left eye.

20. BADGES COLLAR COMMONWEALTH (or unit badges when authorised)

(a) will be worn on Caps SD, Jackets SD and Jackets SD (Officers Pattern) and will be copper oxidised.

(b) When worn on caps they will be worn centrally on the front of the cap between the two lower welts.

(c) When worn on Jackets SD (Officers) they will be worn horizontally in the centre of the collar with the centre of the badge 2 inches above the edge of the upper lapel. With all other jackets they will be fixed horizontally midway between top and bottom of the collar and two inches from the centre of the badge to the end of the collar.

21. BADGES RANK

(a) Other ranks, will be worn only in accordance with GRO 311 of 1945.

(b) Officers, all badges of rank will be copper oxidised and will be worn on all orders of dress attached by clips to the shoulder straps of the outer garment except the jersey pullover when the badge of rank will be worn externally in the shoulder strap of the shirt.

22. BADGES TITLE AUSTRALIA COPPER OXIDISED

will be worn on shirts and Safari Jackets, when metal badges of rank are worn.

23. BADGES TITLE AUSTRALIA WOVEN

These may be worn by all personnel on shirts and Safari Jackets except as provided in Para 35, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch below head of sleeve.

24. BADGES TITLE AUSTRALIA EMBROIDERED

will be worn on Jackets SD and Greatcoats, $\frac{1}{2}$ inch below the head of the sleeve.

25. BADGES SHOULDER BRITISH COMMONWEALTH WOVEN

will be worn by all personnel on the RIGHT arm only $\frac{1}{2}$ inch below the badge, title, AUSTRALIA in all Orders of dress.

26. MINATURE COLOUR PATCHES

(a) A miniature colour patch of a members war time unit half the size of the normal colour patch will be worn on the LEFT arm of Greatcoats Jackets SD $\frac{1}{2}$ inch below the badge, title, AUSTRALIA.

27. UNIT COLOUR PATCHES

(a) will be worn on the LEFT arm of the Greatcoat, Jackets SD $\frac{1}{2}$ inch below the miniature colour patch, or if a miniature is not worn, 1 inch below badge, title, AUSTRALIA

(b) The unit colour patch will be worn always centrally on the puggaree on the right side of Hats, Khaki Fur.

(c) Unit colour patches will be worn on berets with the lower edge $\frac{1}{2}$ inch above the brow band on the left side of the beret with the rear edge of the patch vertically over the centre of the LEFT ear.

28. RIBANDS AND DECORATIONS

(a) Ribands of medals, stars, and decorations will be worn on all orders of dress by all ranks entitled to wear them, at all times except:-

(i) When wearing Jersey pullover.

(ii) When wearing fatigue dress

Where two rows are required they will be not more than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch apart, the highest row having priority and being filled first. The centre of the lowest row will be immediately above the centre of the top of the left breast pocket.

(d) Emblem for Mention in Despatches will be worn on the War Medal riband centrally and horizontally with the stalk of the oak leaf furthest from the LEFT shoulder. Only one emblem will be worn.

(e) Cellophane or similar protective materials will not be worn.

PART IV - ORDERS OF DRESS FOR OPS29. DRESS I

(a) WORN
 Hat KFF
 Shirt and trousers
 Underwear (optional)
 Web anklets or gaiters
 Boots
 Socks
 Web eqpt (incl basis pouches)
 Identity discs

(b) CARRIED ON PERSON

Knife and lanyard	Tin containing 24 tabs atabrin
Fd dressing	Wallet WF
Amn	Tobacco and matches
Mosquito repellent	Paybook and AAB 83 (AAF F204)

(c) IN HAVERSACK

Beret green drill (if on issue)
 Towel (or half towel)
 Ground sheet and/or gas cape (outside if required)
 Pullover (if not being worn)
 Socks - 2 pr
 Toilet gear in holdall or tin
 Knife, fork and spoon
 Mess tin Enamel mug
 Water sterilizing tablets
 Outfit, first aid, individual
 Length of twine
 unexpended portion of days ration
 Emergency ration A3
 Shirt and trousers, 1 set

(d) IN PACK

Helmet Steel (att outside)	Blanket (or blanket half)
Mosquito Net	Shirt and trousers
Boots	Towel
Housewife	Gas cape (if not ordered to be otherwise carried)
Cover, cam (on helmet steel)	Spare underclothing
Laces, leather - pr 2	

NOTE:- (i) Adjustments between contents of haversack and pack may be ordered.

(ii) One blanket is carried in bakk

(e) IN ROLL OR KITBAG

Extra blanket	Spare set of clothing if held
Spare set of clothing if held	
Towel if another held	Personal gear

30. DRESS 2 (BATTLE ORDER)
IS Dress 1 plus mosquito/less (d) net

31. DRESS 3 (EMBARKATION ORDER)
Is Dress 1 plus universal kitbag and/or sea kitbag

PART V - ORDERS OF DRESS FOR CEREMONIAL

32. DRESS 4

(a) ORs Jackets SD Trousers SD
Hats KFF (turned up) Boots AB
Anklets web Belts waist web
Braces right - left Attachments brace
Rifle and bayonet

(b) OFFRS SD Offrs patters
Webbing as above .38 pistols

33. DRESS 5
Shirt KD
Trousers KD
Webbing etc - see para 32

34. DRESS 6
Shirt KD Hosetops
Shorts KD Puttees
Webbing etc - see para 32

35. DRESS 7
Dress 5 including Jersey Pullover worn as an outer garment.

PART VI - ORDERS OF DRESS GENERAL

36. DRESS 8 - LEAVE DRESS - WINTER

Jacket SD	Trousers SD
Hat KFF (turned up)	Boots AB
Anklets web	Belts waist web
Collar and tie	

37. DRESS 9 - LEAVE DRESS - SUMMER

(a) Dress 5 less braces right and left and rifle and bayonet
 (b) Dress 6 less braces right and left and rifle and bayonet
 (c) Dress 7 less braces right and left and rifle and bayonet

38. DRESS 10 - WORKING DRESS

Shirt KWD	Trousers or shorts KWD
Old belts waist web	or Belts waist 1 1/2 in
Berets	Aust Pattern gaiters

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Adjt

21 Oct

APPX. "K" War diary

CAMP STANDING ORDERS

LT-COL M.H. McARTHUR

COMMANDING GARRISON BATTALION TOKYO

GENERAL

1. These orders will apply to all ranks of 66 Aust Inf Bn and to members of Brit Com Base and BCAIR, under comd of Comd 66 Aust Inf Bn.
2. These orders will be effective as from 27 Oct 47.

DAILY ROUTINE

3. The following daily routine will be observed:-

0630 hrs	Reveille
0635 hrs	Coy Adm Parade
0645 hrs	Sick Parade
0730 hrs	Bre akfast
0815 hrs	Coy Parade
0900 hrs	Guard Changing Ceremony (THE PLAZA) (on alternate days only commencing Nov 47)
1230 hrs	Midday meal
1330 hrs	Leave Parade
1700 hrs	Retreat
1730 hrs	Evening meal
2215 hrs	First Post
2215 hrs	Last Post - Tattoo Check
2230 hrs	Lights OUT

DRESS

4. See Standing Orders

NOTE BCAIR personnel will wear corresponding article of clothing or equipment.

OUT OF BOUNDS AREAS

5. With the exception of those places of recreation and entertainment set out in para (a) below, the following installations and areas are "OUT OF BOUNDS" to ALL members of Garrison Battalion:-

- (a) Japanese Banks
- (b) Japanese Theatres and Pictures
- (c) Japanese Buildings except buildings open to public
- (d) Public Bath houses
- (e) Temporary enclosures and stockades for War Criminals, enemy alien internees and areas of protective custody of persons of diplomatic status except to those having official business in such places
- (f) Dump areas containing confiscated war material and supplies except authorised personnel.
- (g) All buildings, houses etc., marked "OFF LIMITS" or "OUT OF BOUNDS"
- (h) All Japanese eating houses and drinking places, except those on the approved list.
- (i) All Japanese trams
- (j) All houses of prostitution.
- (k) YURACHO Station area is "OUT OF BOUNDS" between 1800 hrs and 0600 hrs daily.
- (l) The town of EBISU is out of bounds except road from EBISU camp to the station. Personnel traversing this road during the hours of darkness will do so at the rate of 120 paces to the minute.

6. Troops are specially warned that US "OFF LIMITS" sign will be read as for "OUT OF BOUNDS" notices. All "OUT OF BOUNDS" areas set out in para 5 above will not necessarily be marked with "OFF LIMITS" signs. It is the responsibility of all ranks to ensure that they are not trespassing in "OFF LIMITS" areas.

7. APPROVED RECREATIONAL FACILITIES

The following Japanese places are "IN BOUNDS" to other ranks only:-

(a) CLUBS ON LIMITS

Inlet Casino	1800 - 2200 hrs
Cabaret Manhattan	1800 - 2200 hrs
Paramount Cabaret	1800 - 2200 hrs
Cornucopia Club	1800 - 2200 hrs
Oasis of Ginza	1800 - 2200 hrs
Manhattan Club	1830 - 2130 hrs
Eden Club	1800 - 2230 hrs
Cabaret Mimatsu	1830 - 2200 hrs
Dance Club Hunter	1800 - 2200 hrs
Club New Yorker	1800 - 2200 hrs

(b) BEER HALLS ON LIMITS

Milwaukee Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
New TOKYO Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
Hi-way Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
Salon White Bear	1300 - 1600 hrs
Masashino Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
RAM Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
Eden Club Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
Cherry Blossom Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
Flyem Inn	1300 - 1600 hrs
Ginza Beer Hall	1300 - 1600 hrs
Koyamachi Inn	1300 - 1600 hrs
Hunter Club	1300 - 1600 hrs

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

8. (a) Traffic regulation and speed limits will be strictly observed by all drivers in the TOKYO area.
- (b) The following speed limits will be observed:-
- (i) In unposted areas within the Metropolitan TOKYO, 35 mph for Jeeps, Staff Cars, 20 miles ph for ALL other vehicles.
- (ii) In all other areas as posted.
- (iii) Drivers will pay particular attention to posted speed limits in all city streets.

TRAM LINES

9. (a) All drivers are warned of the danger of raised tram lines in the TOKYO area.
- (b) Fatal accidents have already occurred as a result of vehicles overturning.
- (c) The greatest care will be exercised when driving in the vicinity of these lines.

POWERS OF ARREST

10. US Provost personnel have authority to arrest members of BCOF if the circumstances warrant it. All ranks are therefore warned that in the event of misbehaviour they are liable to be apprehended by the US Military Police.

Set out below are circumstances under which US authorities may take action:-

- (a) When restraint is necessary to protect Allied property, or to protect any person, including the offender.
- (b) When alleged crime is of a serious nature, punishable under civil law as well as Military Law - eg Murder Rape assault or Robbery .
- (c) When restraint is necessary to prevent the commission of any such offence.
- (d) Normally in all cases of minor nature the soldier will not be arrested, but particulars, will be taken in writing and a detailed report submitted to the Commanding Officer. All ranks are warned that correct particulars will be supplied to the Provost, the submission of a false name and particulars will be treated as an offence.

IDENTIFICATION

- 11. All ranks at all times will carry Paybook, AAB83 or identity discs.

BLACK MARKET

- 12. The provisions of Bn RO's apply so far as trafficking in canteen and rationed commodities is concerned.
No liquor of any kind will be taken outside the limits of EBISU CAMP.
Bottled Japanese liquor will NOT be carried when outside the limits of EBISU CAMP.

LEAVE

- 13. (a) Leave may be granted daily by Coy Comds provided that this does NOT prejudice the performance of duties by that Coy.

- (b) Leave times are:-

DAILY

	AFTERNOON	1330 hrs ~ 1700 hrs
Leave Periods	NIGHT	1800 hrs ~ 2320 hrs
Leave Parades outside main barrack block		1310 hrs and 1740 hrs

- (c) All leave parades will assemble on the roadway opposite the Garage and be inspected by the Bn Orderly Officer prior to leaving camp.
- (d) All personnel proceeding on day leave will return to Camp by 1700 hrs and those on night leave by 2320 hrs.
- (e) Permission to remain on leave over the period 1700 hrs - 1800 hrs will be granted at Coy Comds discretion upon written application.
- (f) All personnel proceeding on leave will be in possession of leave pass, AB 88 and identity discs and will produce same on request
- (g) Personnel discharged from hospital after treatment for Venereal Disease will be subject to the following restrictions for a period of 15 days to date from the date of their discharge from hospital:-
 - (i) They will not leave the Camp
 - (ii) They will not enter the Wet Canteen
 - (iii) They will not accept, receive, consume or be in possession of beer or other intoxicating beverages.
 - (iv) They will under no circumstance proceed on or be granted leave.
 - (h) Whilst on leave personnel will be amenable to all US and British instructions and order applicable.
 - (i) Contravention of US Provost Orders will result in arrest by the US authorities.

CAMP LIMITS

14. See attached map.

SALUTING

15. (a) All ranks will at all times, on leave or duty, ^{will} be most punctilious in paying compliments to all members of Allied Forces - officers to men and men to officers

(b) Compliments will be paid to all cars bearing stars or flying pennants.

NOTE: (British Ambassador and British Members of Allied Council both fly Union Jacks)

(Star rating is as under:-

1 Star	Brigadier Gen - Brigadier
2 Star	Maj Gen
3 Star	Lt Gen
4 Star	General
5 Star	Gen of Army Douglas McARTHUR)

CONSUMPTION OF AERATED WATERS FROM JAPANESE SOURCES

16. All personnel are to avoid consumption of aerated waters unless they come from approved sources, ie, Allied Canteens. Aerated waters from other sources are known to be produced without adequate purification of water, and are therefore liable to spread disease.

CONSUMPTION OF SPIRITS FROM JAPANESE SOURCES

17. Personnel will NOT consume spirits or any alcoholic liquor obtained from Japanese sources.

CURFEW

18. A curfew is imposed in TOKYO after midnight. Any person found in TOKYO after midnight will be apprehended by Military Police.

CAMP AMENITIES

19. The following hours are laid down for all camp amenities:-

Snack Bar	1000 hrs - 1130 hrs daily
	1400 hrs - 1600 hrs "
	1900 hrs - 2100 hrs "
Dry Canteen	1000 hrs - 1200 hrs " (Mon - Friday)
	1400 hrs - 1600 hrs (Closed Sat Sun)
Wet Canteen	1630 hrs - 1700 hrs Daily
	1800 hrs - 2100 hrs "
Camp Cinema	Every Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday commencing 1900 hrs. Films are shown at the Camp Cinema prior to being screened at the Piccadilly Theatre in TOKYO.

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TOKYO GUARD DUTIES

APPX "L"

Instr No 1

66 Aust Inf Bn
 Ref : 156/47/1
 23 Oct 47

GENERAL

1. Commencing 1 Nov 47 Coys will mount Guard Duties in TOKYO in the foll wing order:-

No 1 Coy
 No 2 Coy
 No 3 Coy

2. Tour of duty will be for 24 hrs except for No 1 Coy first tour of duty which will be for 48 hrs. (For Gd Duty Roster see App "D")

GUARDS TO BE MOUNTED

3. See Appendix "A" for details and Appendix "H" for location of posts.

GUARD MOUNTING

4. A formal guard mounting will be held at 0920 hrs on Tuesdays Thursdays and Saturdays on the Imperial Plaza.

5. Guards will be informally changed on Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays and Sundays

TIMINGS

6. Formal :-
 Dep EBISU - 0845 hrs
 Arr PLAZA - 0900 hrs
 Dep PLAZA - 0910 hrs
 Arr Inspection Point - 0920 hrs
 Dep Inspection Point - 0940 hrs
 Arr Guard Change - 0942 hrs
 Guard Changed - 0955 hrs

7. Informal :-
 Dep EBISU - 0930 hrs
 Guards Changed by - 0955 hrs

DRESS

8. Dress 4 (See Standing Orders for Dress)

RATIONS

9. See Appendix "B"
 Guards fed from EBISU are fed by hot box meals.

TRANSPORT

10. Transport will be supplied by RASC as stated in Appx "C".

GUARD ORDERS

11. Guard Orders for all posts issued seperately.

TOKYO GUARD DUTIES (contd)

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FORMAL GUARD MOUNTING PROCEDURE

13. Divided into three phases see Appx "E" "F" and "G"

- (a) Phase 1 Debussing assembling and movement to Guard mounting area.
- (b) Phase 2 Guard mounting and inspection by Field Officer of the day. (Appx "F")
- (c) Phase 3 Movement to and Guard change (Appx "G")

(a) Phase 1

- (i) Guard arrives FUP in transport at 0900 hrs and debusses on order of Guard Commander.
- (ii) Band and two Guard Platoons fall in as per Appendix "E"
- (iii) Guard departs FUP with bayonets fixed (Under command Coy 21/c with Platoon Comds posted) at 0910hrs.
- (iv) Guard proceeds on route as per Appendix "E". On arrival at "TURN" the band R wheels and the two Gd Pls in succession R turn and march to the Gd Mounting Parade Ground in LINE.

(b) Phase 2

- (i) 0915 hrs RSM posts 2 Markers on Gd Mounting Parade Ground at close column distance.
- (ii) RSM reports to Adjt and takes post
- (iii) 0920 hrs Gd arrives and halts 2 paces in rear of the respective Markers.
- (iv) Adjt orders "ORDER ARMS" "OPEN ORDER MARCH" "UNFIX BAYONETS" "RIGHT DRESS"
- (v) At conclusion of dressing Adjt hands over to the Field Officer.
- (vi) The Field Officer accompanied by the Guard Commander Adjt and RSM inspect the Guard at the call of "ORDER FRONT" and EXAMINE (All movements carried out on order of the Field Officer incl EASE STRINGS)
- (vii) Field Officer orders "FIX BAYONETS" "CLOSE ORDER MARCH" "SLOPE ARMS"
- (viii) Accompanied by the Adjt and RSM the Field Officer moves to the saluting base. The band counter marches.
- (ix) Field Officer orders "Guard to your duties March off".
- (x) Gd Comd orders " Quick march" " Eyes Right" "Eyes Right"
- (xi) After "Eyes Front" The Gd Comd and the second Pl will left turn and proceed to their transport.
- (xii) The first Pl preceded by the Band continues on and marches to The Guard Changing Parade Ground.

(c) Phase 3

- (i) New Gd arrives at 0942 hrs
- (ii) New Gd advances in line on left of parade ground. Gd Comd orders " At the Halt Change Direction RIGHT Right Form " (See Appx "G").

TOKYO GUARD DUTIES

(c) Phase 3

(iii) Band moves to position indicated on Appendix "G" and plays "General SALUTE" during the initial Present Arms.

(iv) Guard Comds carry on as per "Procedure at the Guard Room" (Para 113 MTP IS)

(v) The first Relief for the Guards in immediate vicinity will be posted.

(vi) Old Guard Comd orders, "move to the right in Column of Route" "RIGHT turn" "Quick March". Band moves off on same order and proceeds as per "Appendix 'G' ". Old Guard does two left wheels and follows the Band.

(vii) New Guard - "Present Arms", old Guard - "Eyes Right".

(viii) Old Guard proceeds to FUP led by Band. New Guard proceeds via the 'PLAZA' to FUP and completes posting of first Relief by vehicle.

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DUTIES TO BE MOUNTED

Appendix "A" to
Instr No 1 TOKYO Guard Duties

SERIAL	GUARD	OFFERS	SGTS	CPLS	ORs	TOTAL	REMARKS
1	Imperial Palace	1	1	3	33	1 - 37	Ser 1 to Ser 6 Mounted on formal mounting 24 Hrs tour of Duty.
2	Empire House	1	1	1	12	1 - 14	
3	British Embassy			2	6	8	
4	Canadian Legation &			2	6	8	
5	Commonwealth House			1	3	4	
6	C in Cs Residence			1	3	4	
	Sub Totals	2	2	10	63	2 - 75	
7	Union Jack Club			1	8	9	Ser 7 8 & 9 not on formal mounting Ser 7 Mounted from 1000hrs daily Ser 8 & 9 24 Hrs tour of Duty
8	Ebisu Camp			1	6	7	
9	Bn Orderly Duties	1	1		2	1 - 3	
	Totals	3	3	12	79	3 - 94	

EMPLOYMENT & BILLING OF GUARD GUARDS

Appendix "B" to
Instr No 1 TOKYO Guard Duties.

GUARDS	TOTAL STRENGTH	EMP FROM	BILLED TO	REMARKS
1. Imperial Palace	1 & 37	Ebisu	Ebisu	
2. Empire House	1 & 14	Empire House	Empire House	
3. British Embassy	8	British Embassy	British Embassy	
4. Canadian Legation	8	Ebisu	Canadian Legation	
5. Commonwealth House	4	Ebisu	Commonwealth House	
6. Union Jack Club	9	Union Jack Club	- - - - -	Day Guard mounting from 1000 hrs to 2300 hrs.
7. C in Cs Residence	4	Ebisu	C in Cs Residence	
TOTAL	2 & 82			

TRANSPORT FOR GUARD DUTIES

--ppendix "C" to
Instr No 1 TOKYO Guard Duties

RAASC will supply the following transport :-

- (a) 0030 hrs on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday outside main barrack Block for Ceremonial changes :-
 - (i) 2 (two) troop carriers for Band.
 - (ii) 6 (six) troop carriers for guard.
- (b) 0920 hrs on Monday, Wednesday, Friday & Sunday outside main barrack Block :-
 - 3 (three) troop carriers for guard.
- (c) Daily at 1140 hrs and thereafter every two hrs.
 - 1 (one) troop carriers for changing of Palace relief.
- (d) 1 (one) X 15 cwt at Union Jack Club TOKYO for return to Camp of guard to report at :-
 - (i) 2200 hrs on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday & Sunday.
 - (ii) 2300 hrs on Tuesday and Friday.

GUARD DUTY POSTER

NOVEMBER

Appendix "D" to
Instr No 1 TOIYO Guard Duties.

COY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
1 COY	M	-	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O
2 COY	-	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M
3 COY	-	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P

DECEMBER

COY	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1 COY	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	
2 COY	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	
3 COY	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	M	O	P	

KEY : - M - Informal Mount Guard

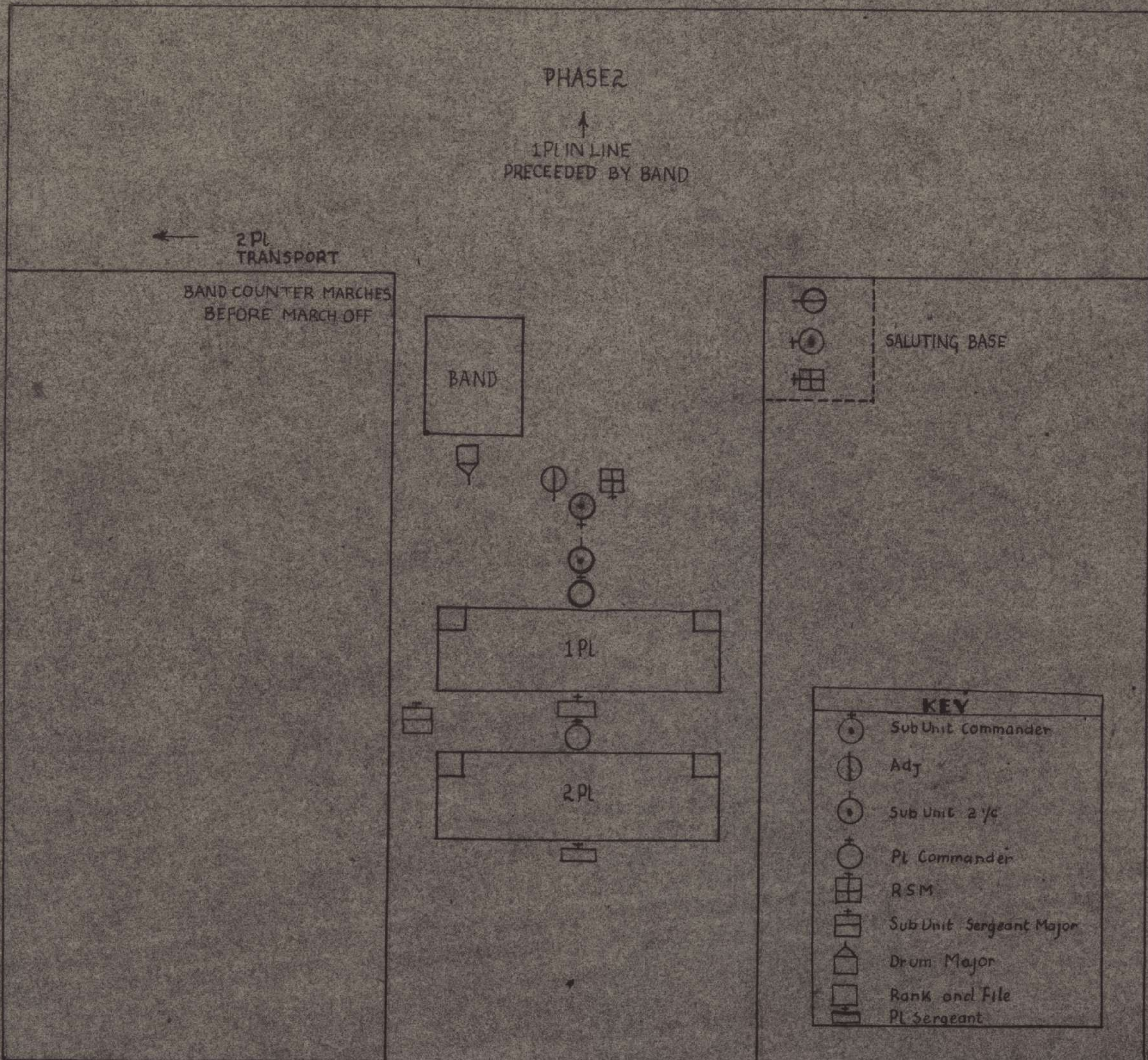
P - Preparing for Guard

M - Formal Mount Guard

O - Off duty at conclusion of guard change.

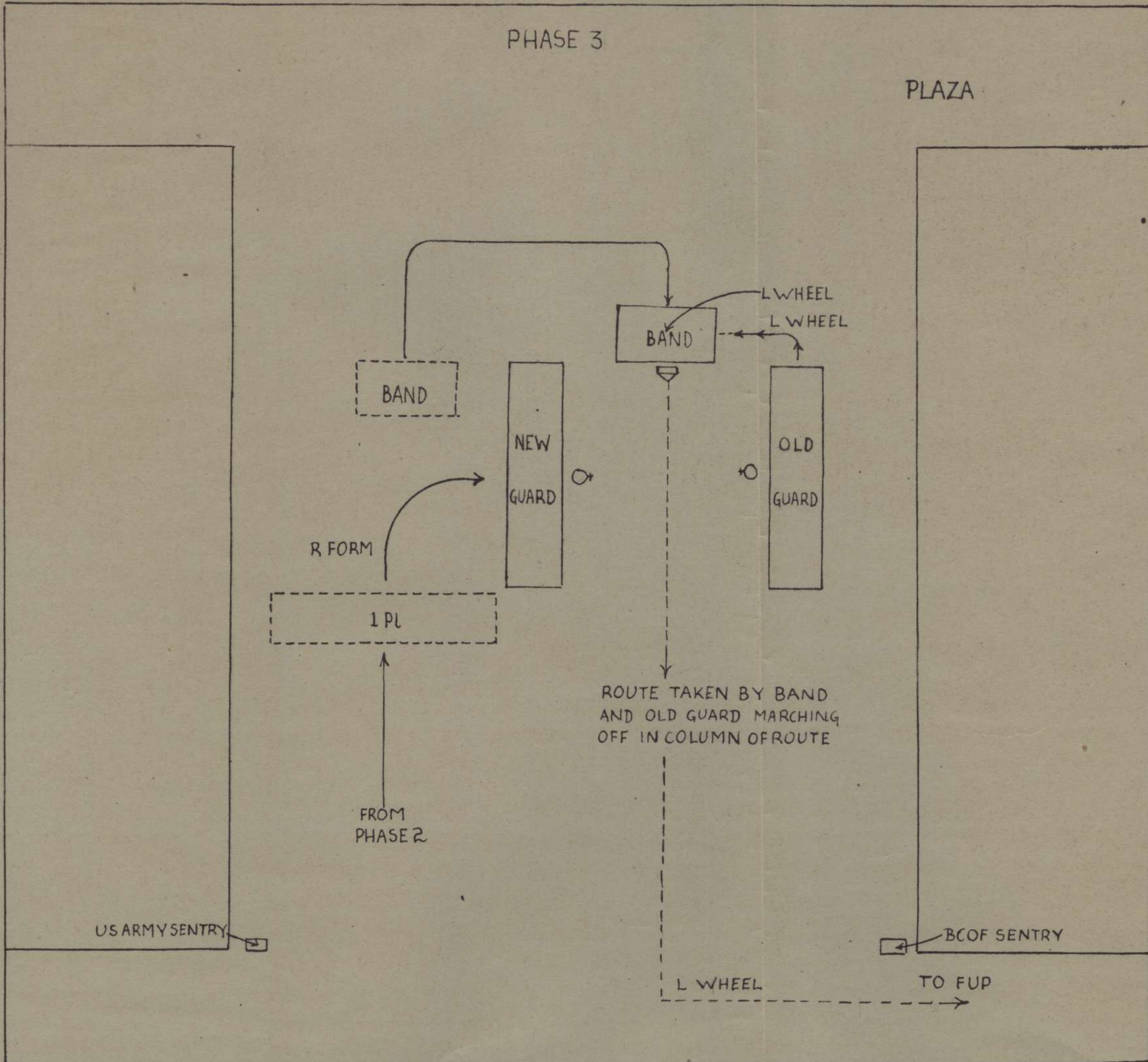
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 SHOWING
CHANGING OF THE GUARD
IMPERIAL PALACE

APPENDIX "F"



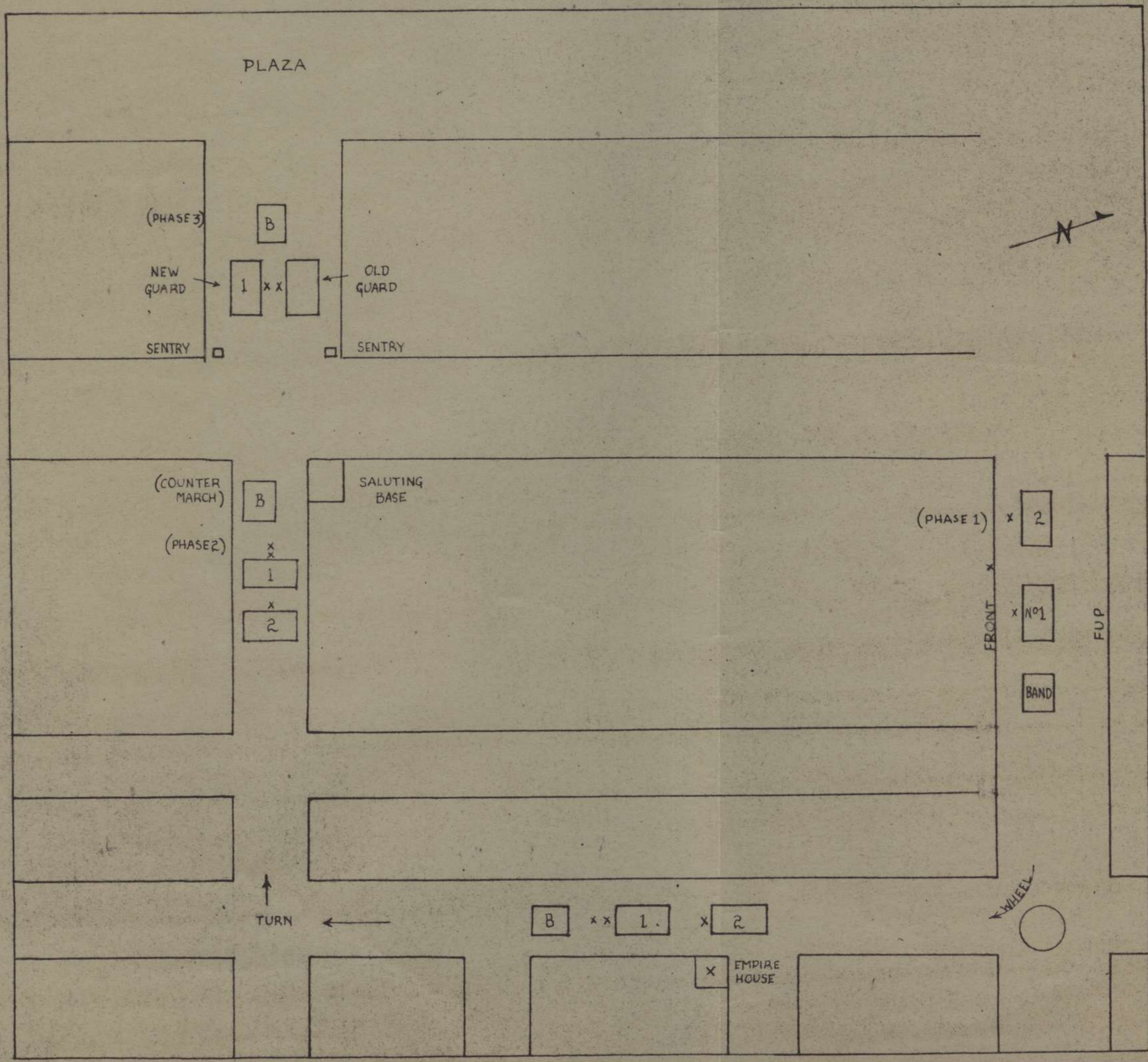
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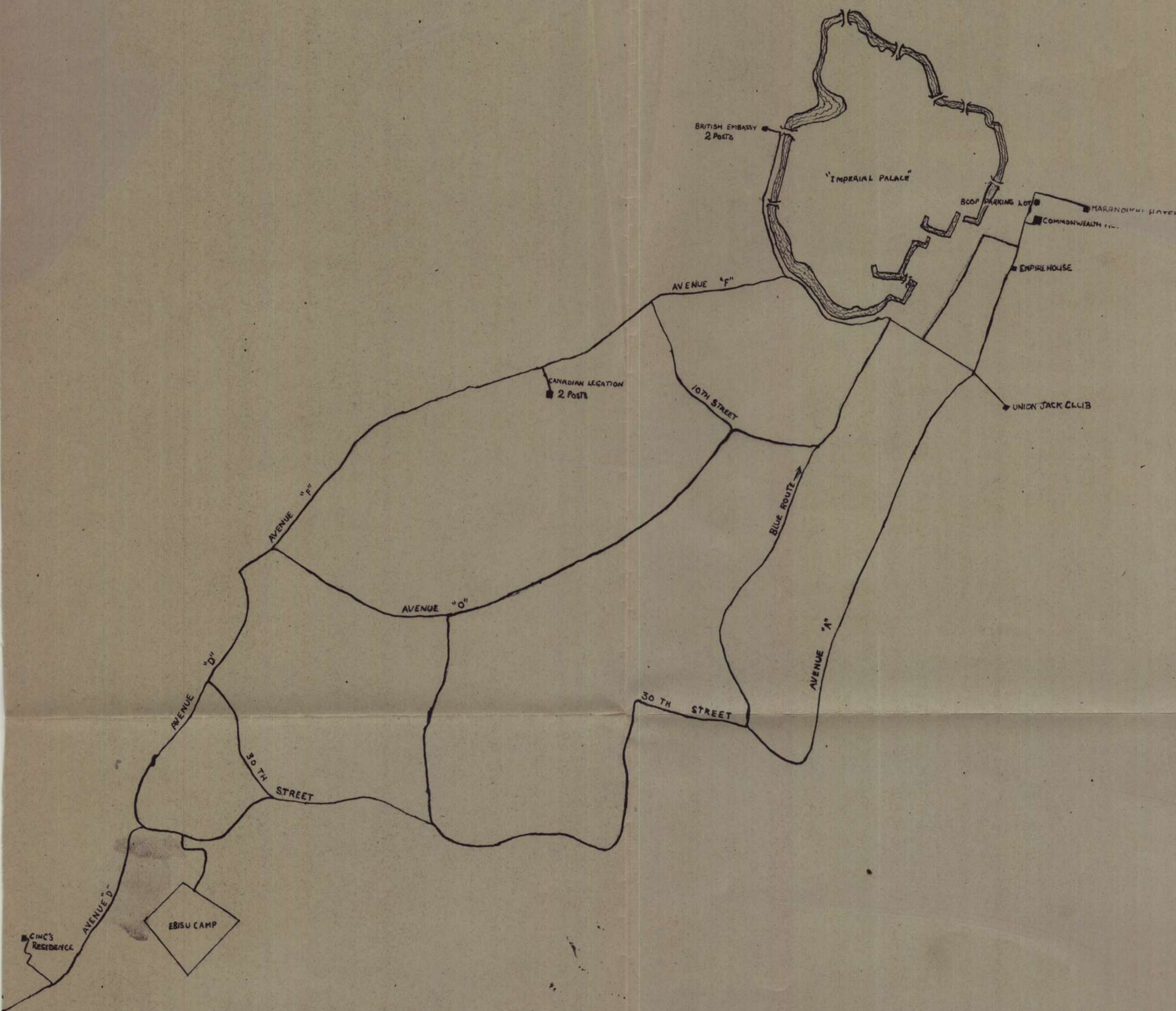
APPENDIX E



TRACE SHOWING
ROUTES FROM EBISU CAMP TO GUARD POSTS

REF MAP : TOKYO 1:20,000

Appendix H



PART IV - FIRE1. GENERAL

These orders contain:-

- (a) Precautions for the prevention of fire.
- (b) Action to be taken in the event of a fire.

2. Except where the instructions deal specifically with 66 Arst Inf Bn barracks HIRO, the orders will apply in every bivouac or camp established by this Unit.

3. All personnel will make themselves conversant with these orders. They will be read to all troops once each month and a copy will be placed on all notice boards.

4. The Bn will at all times be prepared to fight a fire in the camp area and adjacent buildings.

5. FIRE DUTIESFIRE OFFICER

The name of the Fire Officer will be notified in the Routine Orders from time to time.

6. DUTY FIRE OFFICER

The Bn Orderly Officer will be duty fire Officer

7. ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER

The Pnr Pl Sgt will be the assistant fire Officer.

8. FIRE FIGHTING PL

The company responsible for providing the fire fighting PL will be detailed in Bn Routine Orders. The tour of duty will be 24 hrs commencing at 1800 hrs daily.

9. FIRE PICQUET

Two men per company will be detailed as fire picquet, mounting at 1800 hrs and dismounting at 0630 hrs daily.

10. JAPANESE FIRE BRIGADE DETACHMENT

A Japanese fire brigade detachment is permanently stationed in the Bn area. Location adjacent to Tpt Lines.

11. FIRE HOSE INSPECTOR

(a) In accordance with PRO 51/47, inspection of electrical fuse boxes will be carried out by personnel detailed in Routine Orders.

(b) Under no circumstances will fuse boxes or any electrical fitting, including electric lights; be touched by any member of the Bn other than as detailed in para (a) above.

12. FIRE OFFICER

The fire Officer will (a) ensure that all personnel are fully trained and that fire fighting equipment is properly maintained and ready for an emergency.

(b) ensure that the Japanese Fire Brigade detachment carries out regular training and that it is supplied with the necessary stores including fuel for the fire engines.

(c) supervise fire drill practice in company with OC Japanese fire brigade detachment. He will conduct at least one fire drill each week. (Practices will be ordered without prior warning).

(d) inspect all fire extinguishers once a week. A tag as shown in Appx will be attached to indicate the serviceability of extinguishers

(e) inspect all fire fighting equipment once a month and report to Bn HQ in accordance with Appx by the 27th day of the month.

(f) deal direct with the Bde Fire Marshall on all matters relating to fire control.

(g) submit indents (Form S18) through normal channels for the replacement of fire equipment.

(h) in the event of fire move immediately to the place of the fire and assume direction of fighting from the Bn Orderly Officer or senior officer present.

(i) submit a report to Bn HQ within 4 hours of a fire - Prof. Appx/

(j) assist Coy's in fire training and firefighting drill

13. DUTY FIRE OFFICER

(a) The Bn Orderly Officer (duty fire officer) will on the outbreak of fire immediately sound the appropriate alarm (see para 21 (c)).

(b) turn out the guard and then proceed immediately to the scene of the fire and direct the fire fighting until the arrival of a senior officer or the Fire Officer. He will then assist in mustering of personnel for fire fighting as directed by the Fire Officer.

(c) telephone Duty Officer HQ 34 Aust Inf Bde as soon as possible after the outbreak of fire.

(d) notify the Adjt who will confirm the report by signal (Priority IMMEDIATE)

(e) A written report will be submitted to HQ 34 Aust Inf Bde in triplicate and will contain this information with greater details.

14. ASSISTANT FIRE OFFICER

The assistant Fire Officer will:-

(a) supervise the repair and maintenance by the pioneer platoon of all fire fighting equipment, and assist the Fire Officer, as required, in his duties.

15. FIRE FIGHTING PLATOON

The duty of the fire fighting Platoon will be nominated by the Coy detailed in Bn Routine Orders as Fire Duty Coy. Coy Comds will ensure that all personnel under his command are trained as an efficient fire fighting team.

The fire fighting Platoon is responsible for the initial fire fighting in co-operating with the Japanese fire brigade detachment.

16. PRECAUTIONS AGAINST FIRE

INFLAMMABLE LIQUIDS

(a) Inflammable liquids will be stored in a building apart from the main buildings. The store will be of brick or concrete where possible. A NO SMOKING sign will be placed on all sides of the building.

(b) Personnel will NOT smoke within ten yards of a petrol or oil store room.

(c) When the tanks of vehicles are being replenished engines will be stopped and petrol spilled will be wiped up. Naked lights or lamps will not be used when filling tanks.

(d) Caps of petrol drums and cans will be securely screwed down when drums are not in use.

(e) Hurricane lamps will be extinguished before refilling with fuel.

(f) Petrol or other highly inflammable liquids will not be used for boosting or lighting fires.

17. ELECTRICAL FITTINGS

Japanese electrical installation is of low standard workmanship and inferior material. It is the cause of most of the large fires in the BCOP area. The following rules will be observed:-

(a) Electrical system will not be overloaded. The use of adapters will be strictly controlled. Coy Comds will obtain advice of the Unit Electrician before authorising the use of an adapter.

(b) No member will touch electrical fittings except the Bn electrician.

(c) When a fault is noticed in the wiring the Bn electrician will be notified immediately. In an emergency any member may switch off the power in the building but the electrician will be notified as soon as possible.

(d) All lights, radios and radiators will be switched off when personnel are leaving the building.

18. FIRES

(a) Fires will not be light without the authority of an officer

(b) Personnel will be careful in the disposal of lighted matches and cigarette butts. All buildings will be provided with receptacles.

(c) When fires are used to destroy vegetation and undergrowth the material will be collected in heaps and removed to an allotted area and burnt under close supervision.

(d) Personnel will NOT smoke in bed.

(e) Personnel who are responsible for closing buildings which are used during the day and not at night will ensure that there is nothing left in the building that could cause a fire.

19. OIL HEATERS

Oil heaters will not be used unless otherwise ordered by Bn HQ, in which case the following precautions will apply.

(a) Heaters will be mounted on a sand or concrete stand 5 foot by 3 feet. When placed on wooden floors a metal plate will be placed under the stand.

(b) If the heater is placed near a wall a metal shield will be attached to the wall behind the heater.

(c) Fuel tanks will not be filled while the heater is burning.

(d) Two fire buckets, one filled with sand and the other with water will be placed near each heater. The sand will be used to prevent the spread of burning oil.

20. DDT SPRAYING

(a) Care will be taken when using DDT and kerosene or ADE in a sprayer. Personnel will NOT use sprays near open flames.

(b) After a building has been sprayed personnel are not permitted to smoke in the building until ventilation and drying are complete

(c) This also applies to mosquito spray consisting of pyrethrum in kerosene.

21. ACTION ON OUTBREAK OF FIRE

(a) Personnel detecting an outbreak of fire will immediately give the alarm by word of mouth and endeavour to localise the outbreak with the nearest appropriate fire fighting appliances.

(b) The Orderly Officer will be notified of the location & size of the fire.

(c) The Orderly Officer will sound the appropriate alarm on the the bell according to the location of the fire in the camp.

NORTH end - a succession of two rings
SOUTH end - a succession of three rings
EAST end - a succession of four rings
WEST END - a succession of five rings.

Contact 34 Aust Inf Ede Switch and duty officer and report area and location of fire.

(d) The bell is near the front entrance to Bn HQs. It will not be used for any other purpose except the alarm which is a succession of single rings.

(e) When the warning is sounded, fire fighting pl will double to the scene of the fire and will proceed to combat the fire under the direction of the fire officer.

(f) The Bn will drill out and fall in by Coy's on Coy parade grounds. Arms and equipment will not be carried, but troops will wear at least trousers shirt and boots. Coy's will remain in position until called forward.

(g) The Guard and RPs will turn out fully dressed and carrying arms. The Orderly Officer will post these personnel to protect property and preserve order.

(h) The RMO and RAP staff will proceed to the RAP and await arrival of any casualties.

(i) In the event of a fire breaking out in the transport park, the vehicles will be immediately dispersed.

(j) The following immediate action will be taken by personnel who first notice fire:-

(i) Apply water

(ii) Apply sand in case of an oil fire

(iii) Allow articles to burn out if they are of little value

(iv) In the event of a fire breaking out in a motor vehicle, the burning vehicle will be removed from the remaining vehicles. If this is not possible the other vehicles will be removed.

(v) If a fire breaks out in a tent the occupants will be woken, the lantern removed and the tent will be struck before water is applied.

(vi) The occurrence and action taken will be reported to Bn HQs immediately.

(vii) If fire breaks out in barracks the electric switch will be turned off. The maximum amount of gear will be removed from the building.

22. FIRE DRILL PRACTICE

Fire drill practice will be held at least once each week, under direction of the Fire Officer

23. FIRE FIGHTING APPLIANCES

(a) The following fire fighting appliances will be maintained in buildings:-

(i) In each building - 2 x 44 gal drums of water and 4 x 4 gal buckets of water at each landing.

(ii) Coy Office - 1 x 4 gal bucket water
1 x 4 gal bucket sand
Improvised fire beaters

(iii) Q Store - 4 x 44 gal drums of water
4 x 4 gal buckets of water

23. (cont'd)

- (iv) Tpt Area - 4 x 44 gal drums of water
4 x 44 gal drums of sand
8 x 4 gal drums of water
8 x 4 gal drums of sand
- (v) Am Hut - 1 x 44 gal drum of water
1 x 44 gal drum of sand
2 x 4 gal drums of water
2 x 4 gal drums of sand
- (vi) Each Office in Adm block 1 x 4 gal drum of water

(b) All buildings will be surrounded by 44 gal fire drums at intervals of not more than 30 feet. Two 4 gal drums will be placed with each 44 gal drum. Coy's are responsible for ensuring that the drums are kept full of water.

(c) Fire extinguishers will be allotted to Coy's by Fire Officer. All personnel will be warned against operating foam and carbon tetro extinguishers in closed spaces as lack of fresh air will cause asphyxiation.

(d) The maintenance of vehicle fire extinguishers is the responsibility of the Transport Officer.

R. A. Spalding
Capt.
Adjt 66 Aust Inf Bn.

APPX "N" 27-10-47

Appx B to 34 Aust Inf Bde
AG4320 of 17 Oct 46
Pro Forma B
Unit, 66 Aust Inf Bn
Week ending 25 Oct 47

WEEKLY REPORT BY RMO

1. General condition of troops **Good**
2. Most prevalent diseases **Malaria**
3. General standard of reinforcements received **Good**
4. Stores: Details of items requisitioned and NOT yet received.
 - (a) Medical Unit indented on **20 Aust Inf Bde**
 - Expendable **Nil**
 - Non expendable **Nil**
 - (b) AASC Unit indented on **20 Aust Inf Bde**
 - (c) Ordinance Unit indented on **20 Aust Inf Bde**
5. Mosquito Control (when applicable)
 - (a) Measures of personal protection (Good, Fair, Bad)
 - Clothing **n/a** Nets **n/a** Atebrin **n/a** Lotion **n/a**
 - (b) Measures of larval control **Satisfactory**
 - (c) Adult destruction **Satisfactory**
 - (d) General comments **Nil**
6. Transport available **Unit Transport**
7. Rations (incl condemnations) **Good**
8. Quarters **Good - Heating will be necessary when troops return from TOKYO**
9. Hygiene (general) **See Appendix**
10. Training carried out by RMO **Nil**
11. Staff efficiency
 - (a) RMO **Good**
 - (b) PAC **Good**
 - (c) Hygiene **Good**
12. Medical inspections of troops **Satisfactory**
13. General remarks and recommendations **See Appendix**

Chadwick Capt
RMO 66 Aust Inf Bn

APPENDIX TO RMO REPORT 24 Oct 47

66 Aust Inf Bn

R.A.F.

28 Oct '47

C.O.

66 Aust Inf Bn

HIRO

HYGIENE OF HIRO CAMP

In general the hygiene of this camp is good. A report is submitted at this time for the purpose of suggesting improvements that could be carried out while the unit is in TOKYO.

GENERAL

Waste timber and stagnant pools of water are in existence around the camp. It is appreciated however that with the static position of construction in camp at present little can be done. These sites are receiving attention from the hygiene squads.

DRAINAGE

The drains inside the camp are satisfactory but the open drain outside the main gate and into which the camp drainage runs is in a bad state. The trouble lies at the culvert under the road into the camp. This should be thoroughly cleaned out and enlarged. The drain at the back of the camp badly needs re-coursing as it is static for the most part except a narrow channel at the rear of the Pioneers shed. This does not drain the camp but drains the village and hill behind and is a source of danger.

FOOD

The food supply is good and Ration Store satisfactory. Some difficulty has been experienced of late in getting transport at the correct time which means the food arrives late and some commodities eg ice are unobtainable.

KITCHENS

These are quite good although full advantage has not been taken of fly proffing facilities in some kitchens. I would stress this as in the last few days there was a very minor diarrhoea epidemic which might ^{have} been spread in this manner. In general however the kitchens are good except that the grease traps are very hard to clean and may also be a focus of infection. The ideal type is one in which the partitions between the chambers are removable and made of metal which allows for efficient cleaning.

ABLUTIONS AND LATRINES

Fittings on showers and latrine are of a very poor quality and continually refusing to work. It is suggested that two Japanese plumbers be kept under the control of the hygiene Sgt to ensure maintenance. At present the plumbers come in one day attend to the fittings and are not seen for several weeks during which the hygiene squad has the job of temporarily fixing the defective fittings.

SUGGESTIONS FOR CAMP MAINTENANCE WHILE THE UNIT IS IN TOKYO

- (1) Steam channels to be drained and drain pipes to be repaired.
- (2) Drains around camp to be repaired.
- (3) Officers hot showers to be installed in Officers Quarters.
- (4) Concreting of area at rear of kitchen.

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.....Capt
(RMO 66 Aust Inf Bn)

APPX. "O"
War diary

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ROUTINE ORDERS - PART I

Serial 170 -171

By

LT-COL. M.H. McARTHUR

COMMANDING 66 AUST INF BN

66 Aust Inf Bn
27 Oct 47

170. ENCASHMENT OF BRITISH POSTAL ORDERS

1. The War Office has advised that the concession which permits members of the forces to receive Postal Order in overseas countries will be cancelled.
2. Announcement to this effect were to be made in the United Kingdom on 1 Oct 47, but a period of grace will be permitted to clear Postal Orders in transit.
3. Encashment of British Postal Orders in JAPAN will cease on 1 Dec 47
4. The decision also applies to the payment of Postal Orders through Unit Imprest.

171. PREVENTION OF CRIME * USE OF FORCE BY JAPANESE

1. Instances have occurred where Japanese Nationals have used force towards personnel of the Occupation Forces in order to restrain them from damaging or destroying Japanese property or from causing injury to Japanese.
2. It is the policy of the BCOF that Japanese nationals shall not use force against Occupation Force personnel nor may Japanese Officials illegally arrest them. It is however reasonable for persons, Japanese or otherwise, to employ force to prevent the destruction of their property or injuries to their persons. No prosecution will be initiated against Japanese in such cases unless enquiry shows that the force used exceeded the minimum necessary to maintain order until the arrival of Military Police or other Service Police.

DISTRIBUTION List C

Capt.
Adjnt 66 Aust Inf Bn.

NOTICES

MIYAJIMA GUCHI FERRY

1. Sunday ferry service discontinued as from 19 Oct 47.

EMPIRE THEATRE HIRO

1. As from 19 Oct 47 until further notice theatre will be closed for repairs and renovations.
2. As from 23 Oct 47 temporary theatre accomodation for 500 will be available rear of ANZAC CLUB.
3. Limited accomodation available - allocations are made :-
MONDAYS THURSDAYS & SATURDAYS for units WEST of HIRO junction
SUNDAYS THURSDAYS & FRIDAYS for units EAST of HIRO junction

NOTICES (Cont'd.)

RESULT OF JAPAN ATHLETICS

BCOF	1st	48½ points
11 AIRBORNE DIVISION	2nd	41 points
25 US DIVISION	3rd	25 points

BCOF FIRST PLACINGS were:-

HAYES	Broad jump	22 ft 7 in
MITCHELL	1500 metres	4 min 16.1 in
HAYES	100 metres	10.3 sec
WEATHERALL	5000 metres	9 min 26.9 sec

4 second placings and five third placings

TENNIS RACQUETS

Two tennis racquets have been found on the court situated at NORTH CAMP. Owners can claim racquets by identifying same from Lt GRANT of NORTH CAMP HIRO.

FILM PROJECTIONISTS COURSE NO.3

1. The following personnel attended Film Projectionists Course No 3 at HQ BCOF from 22 Sep 47 to 4 Oct 47 obtaining the following percentages:-

		Theory	Practical
NX177723	Pte KING W.J.	79%	99%
NX502727	Pte SUCKLING RM.	61%	97%

IMPORTATION OF GOODS TO AUSTRALIA BY SERVICE PERSONNEL SERVING OVERSEAS

1. The importation of goods to AUSTRALIA from JAPAN is still prohibited by the Trading with Enemy Act, except to the extent of the concession allowed to members of the Forces serving outside AUSTRALIA.

2. The concession at present allowed to service personnel is that, in the case of goods NOT intended for sale, exchange, or trade, they are permitted to send or take to AUSTRALIA, free of customs duty, such goods (with the exception of cigars, cigarettes, tobacco or spirituous Liquors) to the value of 10 Pounds Sterling in any 12 months period.

3. Under new Customs Regulations which became effective on 15 Aug 47 each and every parcel sent to AUSTRALIA by post or by other means must bear a declaration for Customs purposes as set out hereunder:-

"I, hereby declare that the contents of this parcel, namely, (state goods) are valued at (state value) and that since I originally arrived in JAPAN on (here insert date) I have exported or have taken with me to AUSTRALIA goods to the value of (here state total value of such goods) including the value of the goods in this parcel

Signature.....
 Rank

Unit and Reg No.
 Date ,,, ,

"AS YOU WERE 1947" - THE 1947 ARMY GIFT BOOK

1. Arrangements have now been completed for the printing of 1947 Army Gift Book. The first supplies will become available during Nov 47.

2. A synopsis of the book is given on the back of the order form which are available at Coy Offices', and also on the poster which includes a full size reproduction of the book.

NOTICES (Cont'd)

"AS YOU WERE 1947" (Cont'd)

3. There is no limit to the number of copies a member may order, and additional forms will be supplied.

4. Priority in delivery will be given to orders placed by serving members. Orders received by 15 Dec 47 will be posted before Xmas.

VD CONTROL

1. Herewith unit figures by incidence of VD within 34 Aust Inf Bde based on period 5th Sep 47 - 19 Sep 47.

UNIT	NUMBER OF CASES	RATE PER 100 PER MTH	GP	ORDER OF MERIT
1 Aust Armd Car Sqn	-	-	1	1
A Aust Fd Bty	-	-	1	1
252 Aust Sup Dep Pl	-	-	1	1
140 Aust Ord Fd Pk	-	-	1	1
140 Aust Bde Wksp	-	-	1	1
16 Aust Mob Laundry	-	-	1	1
BCOF Ord Veh Pk	-	-	1	1
34 Aust Inf Bde Pro Coy	-	0	1	1
14 Aust Wksp & Pk Sqn	2	17.3	2	2
20 Aust Fd Amb	1	19.2	2	3
66 Aust Inf Bn	6	20.2	2	4
124 Aust Tpt Pl	1	22.9	3	5
65 Aust Inf Bn	9	27.2	3	6
67 Aust Inf Bn	10	33.0	3	7
HQ 34 Aust Inf Bde	3	34.0	3	8
28 Aust Fd Sqn	4	44.2	4	9
169 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	2	173.11	4	10
345 Aust LAD	1	200.0	4	11

period 19 Sep 47 to 3 Oct 47

1 Aust Armd Car Sqn	-	-	1	1
252 Aust Sup Dep Pl	-	-	1	1
34 Aust Inf Bde Pro Coy	-	-	1	1
66 Aust Inf Bn	2	6.5	1	1
14 Aust Wksp & Pk Sqn	1	8.7	1	3
28 Aust Fd Sqn	1	10.8	2	4
HQ 34 Aust Inf Bde	1	11.8	2	4
A Aust Fd Bty	1	11.9	2	6
345 Aust LAD	2	15.2	2	7
140 Aust Bde Ord Fd Pk	1	15.2	2	7
140 Aust Bde Wksp	1	21.4	2	8
16 Aust Mob Laundry	1	21.5	2	9
123 Aust Tpt Pl	1	23.2	3	10
67 Aust Inf Bn	10	32.1	3	11
65 Aust Inf Bn	13	39.2	4	12
20 Aust Fd Bn	5	49.2	4	13
169 Aust Gen Tpt Coy	1	86.9	4	14
BCOF Ord Veh Pk	4	258.0	4	15

RIFLE FOUND - MATSUYAMA

Rifle number 87380 was found on wharf at MATSUYAMA on 16 Oct 47, by a member of 6 Aust Labour Gp and is now held that unit. Any claim advise this H Q.

CHRISTMAS ARRANGEMENTS - TELEGRAPH SERVICES

It is requested that all ranks be advised that EFM telegrams for delivery in United Kingdom by Xmas Day must be lodged in JAPAN NOY later than 17 Dec 47.

SPORTS STORE ACCOUNT AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1947

Balance B/F owing to Regt funds		290. 4. 8
Add purchases for July		889. 16. 3
		<u>1180. 1. 0</u>
Deduct amount paid to Regt funds	251. 13. 5	
Year taken into store	74. 1. 0	
Purchases for Bn use	<u>47. 13. 8</u>	<u>373. 8. 1</u>
Balance owing to Regt funds		Stg <u>806. 12. 11</u>

SPORTS STORE BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1947

<u>Liabilities</u>		<u>Assets</u>	
Owing to Regt funds	<u>806. 12. 11</u>	Cash on hand	17. 12. 3
		Unsold stock	524. 10. 4
		Owing to sports store	<u>167. 10. 4</u>
	£ <u>806. 12. 11</u>		
			Stg <u>806. 12. 11</u>

34 BEE AMENITIES STATEMENT AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1947

Balance B/F		825. 13. 3
Purchases for month		889. 16. 4
		<u>1715. 7. 8</u>
Cash Payment		400. 0. 0
Balance owing Bde amenities		Stg. <u>£1315. 7. 8</u>

REGT FUNDS BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1947

<u>Liabilities</u>		<u>Assets</u>	
Base Amenities	46. 9. 7	Cash on hand	15. 5. 0
Bde Amenities	1315. 7. 8	Cash trust a/c	269. 1. 3
Angus & Robertson	5. 11. 4	Sports store a/c	806. 12. 11
		Sundry dis	50. 0. 0
		Excess of Liabilities	
		over assets	<u>225. 9. 5.</u>
	£ <u>1367. 8. 7.</u>		
			£ <u>1367. 8. 7.</u>
Regimental property			623. 2. 0
Less Depreciation @ 10 %			<u>62. 2. 0</u>
			£ 561. 0. 0

STATEMENT OF ASSETS

Balance brought forward		1978. 2. 0
Canteen & Snack Bar discounts	91. 1. 10	
Less Officers & Sergeants Mess	<u>4. 4</u>	<u>90. 17. 6</u>
		2068. 19. 6
Stock profit	2. 14. 7	
Less damaged stock	<u>19. 6</u>	<u>1. 15. 1</u>
	Stg	£ <u>2070. 14. 7</u>

BALANCE SHEET

Liabilities

Excess of Assots	
<u>Over liabilities</u>	<u>2070. 14. 7</u>
Stg. £	<u>2070. 14. 7</u>

Assots

Cash	326. 18. 7
Stock	1397. 6. 2
Sundry Dis	346. 9. 10.
Stg. £	<u>2070. 14. 7.</u>

REGIMENTAL FUNDS

CASH BOOK

September 1947

<u>CASH</u>				<u>BOOK</u>			
September				1947			
Sept	1	To brought forward cash	58 . 9 . 10	Sept	5	By angus & robertson (A) £ 7.1.9	5 . 13 . 4
"	"	" " " trust a/c	389 . 11 . 1	"	6	" bolts ¥ 1200	6 . 0 . 0
"	3	" cash sports store	56 . 0 . 0	"	9	" flower seeds ¥ 93	9 . 4
"	5	" " " "	14 . 0 . 0	"	11	" Electrical equipment ¥655	3 . 5 . 6
"	10	" " " "	62 . 9 . 6	"	19	" Amenities (A) £500	400 . 0 . 0
"	11	" " " "	33 . 12 . 0	"	30	" Balance c/f cash	15 . 5 . 0
"	12	" " " "	44 . 0 . 0	"	"	" " " trust a/c (A)£ 336.6.6	269 . 1 . 3
"	15	" " " "	6 . 10 . 0				
"	20	" " " "	19 . 12 . 0				
"	22	" " " "	12 . 0 . 0				
"	28	" " " "	3 . 10 . 0				
			<u>Stg. £699 . 14 . 5</u>				<u>Stg. £ 699 . 14 . 5</u>

STATEMENT OF AFFAIRS AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 1947

66 AUST INF BN CANTEEN - SNACK BAR

CANTEEN STOCK A/C

To balance B/F	709. 3. 7½	By Sales	1412. 11. 5
" Purchases	1625. 6. 3	" Damaged stock	19. 6
" Stock profit	<u>1. 4. 7</u>	" Balance C/F	<u>922. 3. 6½</u>
£	<u>2335. 14. 5½</u>	£	<u>2335. 14. 5½</u>

CANTEEN CASH A/C

To Balance B/F	506. 13. 3	By purchases	1545. 0. 10
" Cash sales	802. 15. 11	" Snack Bar	200. 0. 0
" Sundry Dts paid	<u>689. 7. 7½</u>	" Balance C/F	<u>253. 15. 1</u>
£	<u>1998. 16. 9½</u>	£	<u>1998. 16. 9½</u>

SUNDRY DEBTORS A/C

To balance B/F	420. 1. 3½	By payments	689. 7. 7½
" Cr sale	<u>609. 11. 2</u>	" Balance C/F	<u>340. 5. 3</u>
£	<u>1029. 12. 10½</u>	£	<u>1029. 12. 10½</u>

SNACK BAR STOCK A/C

To Balance B/F	301. 17. 6	By Sales	44. 18. 10
" Purchases	216. 13. 11	" Balance C/F	475. 2. 7
" Stock profit	<u>1. 10. 0</u>		
£	<u>520. 1. 5</u>	£	<u>520. 1. 5</u>

SNACK BAR CASH A/C

To Balance B/F	34. 1. 4	By Purchases	205. 17. 6
" Sales	44. 18. 10	" Balance	73. 2. 8
" Canteen	<u>200. 0. 0</u>		
£	<u>279. 0. 2</u>	£	<u>279. 0. 2</u>

SUNDRY DEBTORS A/C

To Balance B/F	5. 10. 4	By Balance C/F	6. 4. 7
" Cr Sales	<u>14. 3</u>		
£	<u>6. 4. 7</u>	£	<u>6. 4. 7</u>