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Item number: 8/2/16

16 Infantry Brigade

May - June 1943

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WAR DIARY of INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C. 2113

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Unit HQ 16 AUST INF BDE

Date and Time.—From 1 MAY 43 To 31 MAY 43

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
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| | | | <u>SUMMARY OF POLICY AND EVENTS MAY 43</u> | |
| | | | <u>INTENTION</u> | |
| | | | 1. Individual trg of personnel within 16 Aust Inf Bde to be completed and collective trg commenced. | |
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| | | | <u>RESULT</u> | |
| | | | 1. During the first half of the month individual trg in fieldcraft, weapons and assault were completed and collective trg of sections and platoons commenced. | |
| | | | 2. During the latter portion of the month section and platoon exercises were completed and coy exercises commenced. | |
| | | | 3. However, the trg of 16 Aust Inf Bde was hampered owing to battalions being considerably understrength. Strengths of bns on 31 May 43 were as follows :- | |
| | | | 2/1 Aust Inf Bn 31 offrs 669 ORs | |
| | | | 2/2 Aust Inf Bn 35 " 690 " | |
| | | | 2/3 Aust Inf Bn 27 " 603 " | |
| | | | 4. 2/4 Aust Pnr Bn came under comd 16 Aust Inf Bde for trg on 19 May 43. | |
| | | | 5. Schools & Courses. | |
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WAR DIARY ~~OF INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~Army Form C.2118
(adapted.)

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Unit HQ 16 AUST INF BDEDate and Time.—From 1 MAY 43 To 31 MAY 43

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|----------------|----------|------|---|--|
| | 1 May 43 | | | |
| | 2 May 43 | | | |
| FLAGGY CK AREA | 3 May 43 | 1615 | 16 Aust Inf Bde compass navigation course by day and night for ORs and conducted by HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde Int Sec commenced. | |
| | | 1930 | Commander's conference held at Bde HQ to discuss future training policy of 16 Aust Inf Bde | |
| | 4 May 43 | | | |
| | 5 May | | Individual training of HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde personnel commenced. | |
| | 6 May | | Brig R. KING and all Bn Commanders conferred with Lieut-Gen Sir JOHN LAVERACK. | |
| | | | Brig R. KING took over Adm Comd 6 AUST DIV in the absence of Maj-Gen STEVENS. | |
| | | 1930 | HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde left camp site to carry out an elementary night exercise and arrived back at 0400 hrs 7 May. | |

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Unit HQ 16 AUST INF BDE

Date and Time.—From.....To.....

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|-------|--------|------|---|--|
| | 7 May | | | |
| | 8 May | | | |
| | 9 May | | A canteen was established for the use of Bde HQ personnel. | |
| | | | A grant of £25. from regimental funds was made for this purpose. | |
| | 10 May | | | |
| | 11 May | | | |
| | 12 May | | | |
| | 13 May | | Maj-Gen J.E.S. STEVENS, Comd 6 AUST DIV, inspected tactical training of 16 AUST INF BDE | |
| | | | Pers onnel of HQ 16 AUST INF BDE carried out a night exercise in fighting and reconnaissance patrols. | |
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Unit HQ 16 AUST INF BDE

Date and Time.—From.....To.....

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|-------|--------|------|--|--|
| | 14 May | | | |
| | 15 May | | | |
| | 16 May | | | |
| | 17 May | | Lie ut-Gen. Sir LESLIE MORSHEAD, Comd 2 AUST CORPS, inspected training of 16 Aust Inf Bde. | |
| | 18 May | | | |
| | 19 May | | 2/4 AUST PNR BN came under comd HQ 16 AUST INF BDE for training but are to be administered to by HQ 6 AUST DIV. | |
| | 20 May | | Gen. Sir THOMAS BLAMEY, C-in-C, and Maj-Gen STEVENS, Comd 6 AUST DIV, inspected a demonstration by 2/2 Aust Inf Bn on the "platoon in attack". | |
| | 21 May | | | |

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WAR DIARY ~~OR INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~Army Form C.2118
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Unit **HQ 16 AUST INF BDE**

Date and Time.—From.....To.....

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|-------|--------|------|--|--|
| | 23 May | | 6 AUST DIV Church Parade was held in thanksgiving for the Allied victory in TUNISIA. The salute was taken by the GOVERNOR GENERAL, LORD GOWRIE. | |
| | 24 May | | LORD GOWRIE inspected training at 16 Aust Inf Bde. | |
| | 25 May | | Bde Comd's training conference held at HQ 6 AUST DIV. | |
| | 26 May | | | |
| | 27 May | | | |
| | 28 May | | | |
| | 29 May | | | |
| | 30 May | | A demonstration of "The Section in Attack" was carried out by personnel of HQ 16 AUST INF BDE SECURITY PLATOON and repeated on 31 May | Ref Appx "B" |
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Attached:-

Appx "A" - Field Returns 16 Aust Inf Bde May 43.

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1 / 5 / 1943 14 Aust Inf Bde (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 3 / 3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|--------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|
| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | |
| Rein'fts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'fts Required. |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGHADIER * | | | | | |
| - | - | - | - | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | Majors | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | - | 1 | Captains | HA5C | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 | - | 2 | Lieutenants | HA17C | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | |
| 8 | 8 | - | 4 | | | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |

| 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. | 5 | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| 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) & E(2).

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|--------|--------------------|-------------------|--------|------------------------------------|
| NX 70714 | Lieut. | McNEILL, D.J. | 14th Aust Inf Bde | 1/5/43 | Transferred to 16th Aust Gen Hosp. |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|-------|--------------------|----------|-------|--------|
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PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. / / 194.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known). |
|----------|-------|--------------------|---|
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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 1/5/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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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. |
|--|--------------|--------------------|--------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Lieut. | NV 14199 | ARNOLD, A.E. | 4056 | 24/4/43. | O.C. J. Sec SIGS. |
| " | NV 12157 | KING, G.B.G. | 73 Bn. | | 16 Bde DEF PH COMD. |
| " | NX 36315 | DUNN, F.J. | 71 Bn | | T.O. 16 Bde. |
| Capt. | NX 1800 | BAYLISS, C.F.W. | 72 Bn. | - | B.M. (L). |
| Lieut. | NX 5740 | STRETTON, E.J. | 72 Bn | 23/4/43 | L.C. |
| | | | | | |

1 May. 43.

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

Brigadier.

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(Adapted)

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS.

HQ 16 AUST INF BDE (Unit) 1 MAY 1943 (Date)

W.E. X

Attached Allowed by W.E. X

| 1 | | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|---|------|---|---------------------------|---|
| Detail and | W.E. | Posted Strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached). | Surplus to Establishment. | Reinforcements required (i.e., deficits on establishments). |
| W.Os. Class I. | - | | | |
| W.Os. Class II. | 2 | - | - | 2 |
| Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| Staff Serjeants | 1 | - | - | 1 |
| Serjeants | 3 | 2 | - | 1 |
| Corporals | 6 | 4 | - | 2 |
| Troopers, Privates, &c. | 43 | 16 | | 27 |
| TOTALS | 56 | 23 | - | 33 |

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Other Attachments Not Allowed by W.E.

| Detail and | W.E. | Unit or Corps to which they belong. | Detail. | Unit or Corps to which they belong. |
|--|-------|-------------------------------------|----------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 4/SGT. | 1 cpl | HASC | 2 SGTs. | 1 Sec Sig. |
| 1 Pte. | 3 | HASC | 15 Ptes. | ✓ |
| 1 SGT. | 1 | HEME | | |
| 2 Ptes. | 2 | HEME | 2 cpls. | 6 Aust Div Postan |
| | | | 1 Pte. | " " " " |
| HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde Def and Emp. Platoon | | | 5 Ptes. | 4. Aust Inf Bn |
| | | | 6 Ptes. | 2/2 " " " |
| 1 SGT. | 1 | ✓ | 6 Ptes. | 2/3 " " " |
| 3 Cpls. | 5 | ✓ | 1 Pte. | x list. |
| 26. Ptes. | 31 | ✓ | | |

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HQ 16 Aust INF BDE

Unit.

Army Form W. 3009
(Adapted) (August, 41)
(page 2)

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

| Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. | W.E. | Surplus (a) | Reinfts. Required (a) | Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. | W.E. | Surplus (a) | Reinfts. Required (a) | Detail of Specialists, Tradesmen, etc. | W.E. | Surplus (a) | Reinfts. Required (a) |
|--|------|-------------|-----------------------|--|------|-------------|-----------------------|---|------|-------------|-----------------------|
| Ammunition Examiners | | | | B/F | 11 | - | 4 | B/F | 15 | - | 7 |
| Armament Artificers | | | | Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Riggers | | | |
| Armourers | | | | Fitters, Signal | | | | Riveters | | | |
| Artificers, Artillery | | | | Grinders | | | | Saddlers | | | |
| Axemen | | | | Gun Layers | | | | Saddle Tree Makers | | | |
| Bakers | | | | G.P.O. Assistants | | | | Saw Doctors | | | |
| Battery Surveyors | | | | Gun Operators | | | | Sawyers | | | |
| Battery Comdrs. Asst. | | | | Hammermen | | | | Shoemakers | | | |
| Blacksmiths | | | | Height Takers | | | | Signallers | | | |
| Boilermakers | | | | Helio Operators | | | | Signwriters | | | |
| Bricklayers | | | | Instrument Mechanics | | | | Stokers, Stationery Engine | | | |
| Butchers | | | | Instrument Mechanics, Surgical | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Camouflage Modeller | | | | Instrument Operators | | | | Surveyors | | | |
| Carpenter and Joiner | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | - | 3 | Surveyors, Engineering | | | |
| Clerks | 6 | - | 3 | Joiners | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Clerks, Engineering | | | | Leather Stitchers | | | | Telescope Identification Numbers | | | |
| Clerks, Supply | | | | Linesmen | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Clerks, Technical | | | | Linesmen, Signals | | | | Tinsmiths | | | |
| Coachmakers | | | | Lithographers | | | | Toolmakers | | | |
| Computers | | | | Machinists | | | | Turners | | | |
| Concretors | | | | Masons | | | | Vulcanizers | | | |
| Cooks | 3 | - | - | Masseurs | | | | Wagon Erectors | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | Mechanics, Dental | | | | Watchmakers | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Watermen | | | |
| Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Welders | | | |
| Despatch Riders | | | | Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Well Borers | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Millwrights | | | | Wheelers | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | - | 1 | Miners | | | | Whitesmiths | | | |
| Draughtsmen, Architectural | | | | Moulders | | | | Wiremen | | | |
| Draughtsmen, Mechanical | | | | Nursing Orderlies | | | | Woodturners | | | |
| Draughtsmen, Signal | | | | Nursing Orderlies (Mental) | | | | (b) DRIVERS MT | 16 | - | 8 |
| Draughtsmen, Topographical | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | | | | |
| Driver Mechanics | | | | Observation Post Assistants | | | | | | | |
| Driver Operators | | | | Operating Room Assistants | | | | | | | |
| Drivers, Transportation Plant | | | | Operators, Signal | | | | (c) Non-Specialists | | | |
| Electrical Fitters | | | | Opticians | | | | BATMEN | 13 | - | 9 |
| Electricians | | | | Painters | | | | ORDERLIES (Sig) | 6 | - | 4 |
| Electricians, Eng. Units | | | | Panel Beaters | | | | HYGIENE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Electricians, Signal | | | | Pattern Makers | | | | GEN DUTIES | 3 | - | 3 |
| Engine Artificers | | | | Pharmacists | | | | C.S.M. | 1 | - | 1 |
| Engine Hands I/C | | | | Photographers, dry plate | | | | | | | |
| Equipment Repairers | | | | Photographers, wet plate | | | | | | | |
| Farriers | | | | Photo-Writers | | | | | | | |
| Fire Control Operators | | | | Plate Layers | | | | Totals to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A. | 55 | - | 33 |
| Fitters | | | | Plumbers | | | | Deficiency in | | | |
| Fitters and Turners | | | | Predictor Numbers | | | | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | |
| Fitters, Cycle | | | | Printers | | | | AMMC | | | 1 |
| Fitters, Drivers | | | | Radiator Mechanics | | | | AMSC | | | 2 |
| Fitter's Mates | | | | Radiographers | | | | AMOC | | | 1 |
| Fitters, M.V. | | | | Range Takers | | | | | | | |
| C/F | 11 | - | 4 | C/F | 15 | - | 7 | TOTAL | | | 4 |

Notes-- (a) If rank other than Private is involved give details on back.
(b) Authorized Trades or Specialists not included in list above will be added as required in spaces provided.
(c) Non-Specialists required to be shown in their respective trades or duties in accordance with W.E.

HQ 16 Aust INF BDE

Unit.

Date of Despatch

1 MAY 43

Brigadier.
Signature of Commander.
6 Aust. Div.

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

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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(Revised Jan., 1943)
7 / - (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8 / 5 / 1943 HQ 16 Aust INF BDE (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 3 / 3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|--------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | |
| Rein'ts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'ts Required. |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGADIER * | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | - | 1 | Majors | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | 2 | Captains | AAFC | 1 | - | - | - |
| | | | | Lieutenants | AAFC | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | |
| 8 | 8 | - | 4 | | | 1 | - | 1 | 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) & E(2).

| DETAIL | A.I.P. | 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. | 5 | | | | | | | | | 5. |
| E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | |
| E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|-------|--------------------|---------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|
| Nx7368 | CAPT | McINTOSH. R.J.F | HQ 16 Aust INF BDE | 7/5 43 | Boarded ship from Home leave / Hosp |
| Nx4618 | CAPT | WILLIAMS. D.E | HQ 16 Aust INF BDE. | 3/5 43 | Boarded ship from Home leave / Hosp |

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|-------|--------------------|-----------------|--------|---------------------------|
| Nx7368 | CAPT | McINTOSH. R.J.F | 2/3 Aust | 4/5 43 | Rejoined Unit. Leaves |
| Nx4618 | CAPT | WILLIAMS. D.E | INF Bn | 4/5 43 | to be seconded to this HQ |
| Nx8740 | Lieut | STRETTON. E.J. | 2/2 Aust INF Bn | 2/5 43 | Rejoined Unit. |

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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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8/5/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

8 May. 43

[Signature]
Signature of Comm
S.C. 16 Aust. Inf. 6

FIELD RETURN OF OTHER RANKS

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 8/5/1943 16 AUGUST 1943 (Unit)

W.E. 11/3/3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 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. |
| - | - | - | - | W.Os. Class I. | AHOE | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | W.Os. Class II. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | - | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | 2 | Sergeants | | 1 | - | - | - |
| 2 | 2 | - | 4 | Corporals | AASC/HARC | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| 28 | 28 | - | 15 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | | 3 | - | 5 | 5 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 34 * | 34 | - | 22 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 5 * | - | 7 | 7 * |

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.

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Part B. Other Ranks Attached from Other Units.

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

| Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 20 | Ligs 6 Aust Div. | | | | | | |
| 3 | 6 Aust Div Postal. | | | | | | |
| 5 | 4/1 Aust Lf Lns | | | | | | |
| 7 | 7/2 " " " | | | | | | |
| 5 | 2/3 " " " | | | | | | |
| 32 | 16 Aust Lf Lns Def & 6 mps Phs. | | | | | | |

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

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HQ 16 HUST INF BDE Unit

Serial No.

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 8 / 5 / 1943.

| 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 | | | | Stevedores | | | |
| Computers | | | | | | | | Riggers | | | | Stokers, Staty. Engine | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | GROUP II. | | | | Sawyers | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Armourers | | | | Signallers | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Axemen | | | | Signwriters | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | BATMEN | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | ORDERLIES (Sig) | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 3 | 3 | HYGIENE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Hello Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | GEN DUTIES | 3 | - | 3 |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | C.S.M. | 1 | - | 1 |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 1 | 3 | Coach Trimmers | | | | C.Q.M.S. | 1 | 1 | - |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 3 | 3 | - | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | AHMC | 1 | - | 1 |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | AHSC | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | CLEARANCE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | REPAIR | 3 | 3 | - |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | BATMEN | 3 | - | 3 |
| Photewriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | | | | |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assts. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | | | |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 6 | 2 | 4 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 68 | 37 | 41 |
| | | | | | 6 | 2 | 4 | | 15 | 8 | 7 | | | | |

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.

8. MAY. 43.
Date of Despatch

S.C. To...
Signature of Commander.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Army Form W.3008
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(Revised Jan., 1943)

8/ (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 15/5/1943 16th REGT INF BDE (Unit)

W.E. 11/3/3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
|--------------------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|
| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | |
| Rein'fts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'fts Required. |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGADIER* | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | | | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | | 1 | Majors | | | | | |
| 3 | 2 | - | 2 | Captains | 1445C. 3 HACHD | 4 | - | - | - |
| | | | | Lieutenants | 4417C | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | |
| 8 | 8 | - | 4 | | | 4 | - | 1 | 1 |

| DETAIL | A.I.P. | 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. | 8 | | | | | | | | | 8. |
| E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | |
| E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | |

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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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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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 15/5/1945. 14 MUST INF BCO (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 33 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 72 ATT. BY W.E.

| 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. |
| - | - | - | - | W.Os. Class I. | - | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | W.Os. Class II. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | - | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | 2 | Sergeants | HEIME | 1 | - | - | - |
| 1 | 1 | - | 5 | Corporals | HHSC NAME | 4 | 1 (ANCHD) | 2 | 2 |
| 28 | 28 | - | 15 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | | 4 | | 4 | 4 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 33 * | 33 | - | 28 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 6 * | 1 | 7 | 7 * |

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| Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. |
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| 15 | Ligs 6 Aust Div. | | | | | | |
| 3 | 6 Aust Div Postal | | | | | | |
| 31 | 16 Aust Lnf Bde Defo Emph Ph | | | | | | |
| 6 | 2/1 Aust Lnf Bn | | | | | | |
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HQ 16 HUST INF BDE Unit

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(Adapted) (Page 2)
(Revised Jan., 1943)

8 / Serial No.

**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 15/ 5/ 1943.**

| 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. |
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| 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 | | | | Rangefinders | | | |
| 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 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | BATMEN | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | ORDERLIES | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 3 | 3 | HYGIENE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Helio Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | Gen Duties | 3 | - | 3 |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | C.S.M. | 1 | - | 1 |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 1 | 3 | Coach Trimmers | | | | C.Q.M.S. | 1 | 1 | - |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 3 | 4 | - | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | A.A.M.C. | 1 | - | 1 |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | A.A.S.C. | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | A.A.O.C. | 1 | - | 1 |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | A.E.M.E. | 2 | 3 | - |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | BATMEN | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Photewriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | | | | |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assts. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | | | |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 6 | 2 | 4 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 68 | 29 | 40 |
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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.

15 MAY 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander Capt.

S.C. 16 Aust. Inf. Bde.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22/5/1943 16 HAST INF BDE (Unit)

W.E. 11/3/3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | | | |
|---|----------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|------------|--------|--------|----------|----|--------|
| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rein'ts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'ts Required. | | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGHADIER * | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | - | 1 | Majors | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | 2 | Captains | 1 HASC 3 AACAD | 4 | - | - | - | | | | | | |
| | | | | Lieutenants | AAMC | - | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | | |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | 8 | - | 4 | | | 4 | - | 1 | 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) & E(2). | | | | DETAIL | | A.I.F. | C.M.F. | A.W.A.S. | A.A.N.S. | A.A.M.W.S. | CIVIL. | H.A.N. | R.A.A.F. | ** | TOTAL. |
| | | | | A. | | 8 | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | | | | E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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| NX12472 | CAPT. | McPHERSON | 2/2 (Just | 17/5 | Attached to HQ 16 Aust |
| | | W. J. | Inf Bde | 1/43 | Inf Bde as S.C. (L). |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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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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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22/5/1943 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

22 MAY 43

Signature of Commander

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 22/2/1943 16 MUST INF DOE (Unit)

W.E. 11/3/33 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
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| 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. |
| - | - | - | - | W.Os. Class I. | AAOC | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | W.Os. Class II. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | - | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | 2 | Sergeants | AEME | 1 | - | - | - |
| 1 | 1 | - | 5 | Corporals | AAOC D. AAOC | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 |
| 28 | 28 | - | 15 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | AEME AAOC | 4 | - | 1 | 4 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 33 * | 33 | - | 23 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 6 * | 1 | 7 | 87 * |

| Detail | A.I.F. | C.M.F. | | A.W.A.S. | A.A.M.W.S. | CIVIL | R.A.N. | R.A.A.F. | * * | TOTAL. |
|--------|--------|-----------------|--------------------|----------|------------|-------|--------|----------|-----|--------|
| | | Under 19 Years. | 19 Years and over. | | | | | | | |
| A | 29 | | | | | | | | | 29 |
| B(1) | | | | | | | | | | |
| B(2) | | | | | | | | | | |

| Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. |
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| 15 | Sigsbee Aust Div. | | | 1 | 7/1 Aust INF BN. | | |
| 3. | 23 F.P.O. Det. | | | | | | |
| 15 | 7/1 Aust Inf Bn | | | | | | |
| 16 | 7/2 Aust Inf Bn | | | | | | |
| 12 | 7/3 Aust Inf Bn | | | | | | |

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**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 22/5/1943.**

| 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 | | | | Rivetters | | | |
| 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 | | | |
| Computois | | | | | | | | Riggers | | | | Stokers, Staty. Engine | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | GROUP II. | | | | Sawyers | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Armourers | | | | Signallers | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Axemen | | | | Signwriters | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | DRIVERS MT | 16 | 7 | 9 |
| 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | BATMEN | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | ORDERLIES | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 3 | 3 | HYGIENE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Helio Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | GEN DUTIES | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | GSM | 1 | - | 1 |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 1 | 3 | Coach Trimmers | | | | CQMS | 1 | 1 | - |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 3 | 3 | - | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | AAME CPL | 1 | - | 1 |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | AASC | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | HAOC WOZ | 1 | - | 1 |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | HEME | 3 | 3 | - |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | BATMEN. | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Photowriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | | | | |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assts. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | | | |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 6 | 2 | 4 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 68 | 29 | 39 |
| | | | | | 6 | 2 | 4 | | 15 | 8 | 7 | | | | |

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(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.

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Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

10 / - (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 29/5/1943 HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde (Unit)

W.E. 11/3/3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | | |
|---|----------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|--------|--------|----------|----|--------|
| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | | | | | | |
| Rein'ts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'ts Required. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGADIER * | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | - | 1 | Majors | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | 3 | Captains | AACHD AASC | 3 | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | | | Lieutenants | AAME | - | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 7 | - | 5 | | | 3 | - | 2 | 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) & 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. | 8 | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | | | | E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|--------|--------------------|------------------|---------|--------------------|
| NX1405 | Lieut. | McLELLAN.HA | 2/2 Aust Inf Bde | 25/5/43 | Laken on Strength |
| | | | | | HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde |
| | | | | | A.I.O. |
| | | | | | |
| | | | | | |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|---------|-------------------|
| VX24234 | CAPT | MACARTNEY.CM | 2/2 Aust Gen Hosp | 25/5/43 | Evac to Hosp |
| | | | | | |
| NX12472 | CAPT | McPHERSON.W.J. | 2/2 Aust Gen Hosp | 27/5/43 | Evac to Hosp |
| | | | | | (Malania Relapse) |
| | | | | | |

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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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 29/5/194.³ (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. |
| BRIGADIER | VX20315 | KING | R. | BDE COMD | YES | | |
| CAPT. | NX70223 | DARCEY. | W.L. | S.C. | YES | | |
| LIEUT. | NX70746 | LONG. | M.B. | L.O. | YES | | |
| LIEUT. | NX70714 | MCKEILL. | D.F. | L.O. | YES | | |
| LIEUT. | NX1405 | McLELLAN. | H.A. | I.O. | YES | | |
| CHAP. | NGX304 | GLOVER. | S. | Chap. | No | Act to 7/1 Aust Inf Div | |
| CHAP. | SX1764 | PHILLIPS. | B.A. | " | No | " " 7/2 " " " | |
| CHAP. | NX245 | SWINDLEHURST | L.M. | " | No | " " 7/3 " " " | |

| Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held. | Army Number. | Name and Initials. | Unit. | Date of Attachment. | Nature of Attachment. |
|--|--------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Lieut. | NX14699 | HRNOLD. R.E | Sigs 6 Div | 24/4/43 | oc J. Sec Sigs. |
| " | NX12157 | KING C.B.C. | 2/3 Div | - | oc Prot. Pl. |
| " | NX36318 | DUVAL. F.J | 2/1 Div | - | to 16 Bde |
| CAPT. | NX1800 | BAYLISS. C.F.W. | 4/2 Div | - | B.M. (in) |

29 May 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
S. C. 16 Aust. Inf. Bde.

101 - (Serial No.)

W.E. 11 / 3 / 3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

| 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. |
| | | | | W.Os. Class I. | AAOC | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | W.Os. Class II. | AAOC | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | - | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| | | | 3 | Sergeants | AEME | 1 | - | - | - |
| 1 | 1 | - | 5 | Corporals | AAHC AAWD | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 20 | 20 | | 23 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | AAHC AEME | 3 | - | 5 | 5 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 24 * | 24 | - | 32 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 7 * | 2 | 7 | 7 * |

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| Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. |
|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 17 | Sigs 6 Aust Dine | | | 1 | 3/1 Aust Luf Bw | | |
| 3 | Det 23 F.P.O. | | | | | | |
| 12 | 3/1 Aust Luf Bw | | | | | | |
| 16 | 2/2 " " " | | | | | | |
| 13 | 2/3 " " " | | | | | | |
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HQ 16 Aust INF BDE Unit

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**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 29/ 5/1943.**

| 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 Assis. | | | | G.P.O. Assistants | | | |
| Armament Artificer Fitter | | | | Surveyors, E.A.A. | | | | Operator, Keyboard | | | | Hammermen | | | |
| Armament Artificer Fitter (Electrical) | | | | Surveyors, Topographical | | | | Operator, Line | | | | Leather Stitchers | | | |
| Armament Artificer Fitter (M.V.) | | | | Surveyors, Trigonometrical | | | | Operator, Signal | | | | Orderlies, Nursing | | | |
| Armament Artificer Fitter (A.F.V.) | | | | Toolmakers | | | | Operator, Switchboard | | | | Orderlies, Nursing Mental | | | |
| Armament Artificer Instrument | | | | Turners | | | | Operator, Wireless | | | | Plate Layers | | | |
| Armament Artificer Radio | | | | Watchmakers | | | | Opticians | | | | Rangetakers | | | |
| Armament Artificer Signals | | | | Welders | | | | Painters | | | | Riveters | | | |
| Armament Artificer Wireless | | | | | | | | Panel Beaters | | | | Roughriders | | | |
| Artificer, Artillery | | | | | | | | Photographer, Dry Plate | | | | Saddlers | | | |
| Artificer, Engine | | | | | | | | Predictor Numbers | | | | Saddletree makers | | | |
| Blacksmiths | | | | | | | | Printers | | | | Shoemaker and Boot Repairer | | | |
| Bricklayers | | | | | | | | Radiographers | | | | Stevedores | | | |
| Computers | | | | | | | | Riggers | | | | Stokers, Staty. Engine | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | GROUP II. | | | | Sawyers | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Armourers | | | | Signallers | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Axemen | | | | Signwriters | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | DRIVERS MT | 16 | 14 | 2 |
| 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | BATMEN | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | ORDERLIES | 6 | 2 | 4 |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 4 | 2 | HYGIENE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Helio Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | GEN DUTIES | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | C S M | 1 | - | 1 |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 2 | 2 | Coach Trimmers | | | | C R M S | 1 | 1 | - |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 3 | 3 | - | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | A A M C C D L | 1 | - | 1 |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | A A S C | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | A A O C W O E | 1 | - | 1 |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | A E M E | 3 | 3 | - |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | BATMEN | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| Photowriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | A A O C W O E | - | 1 | - |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assis. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | 15 | 10 | 5 |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 6 | 3 | 3 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 68 | 39 | 31 |
| | | | | | 6 | 3 | 3 | | 15 | 10 | 5 | | | | |

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29 May 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

SECTION FIELD FIRING EXERCISE

1. OBJECT

To practise a sec in battle drill with live amn.

2. EXERCISE STAFF

Director - Coy comd

Umpires - 2 Umpire teams of -

One pl comd to accompany sec ldr.

Three NCOs - one to accompany each gp.

3. MARKERS

1 NCO and 14 ORs.

4. INTERCOMN

By line as shown on trace.

5. SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Att as Appx "A".

OPENING SITUATION

16 Aust Inf Bde is pursuing enemy who is retiring EAST towards TEPON. Their fwd elements have crossed WILD RIVER.

Comd 16 Aust Inf Bde considers it possible that JAPS may have an observation post on MAIN FEATURE and issues orders for one pl to occupy it.

On receipt of these orders " " pl is at WADI BEND of START CK.

Pl comd issues following orders to sec ldr :-

INFORMATION

1. The enemy is retiring EAST towards TEPON and their fwd elements have crossed WILD RIVER. It is considered likely that MAIN FEATURE may be used as an observation point.

INTENTION

2. The pl will occupy MAIN FEATURE.

METHOD

3. Axis of adv. - To top of MAIN FEATURE following whitewashed trees.

4. Formation. -

Diamond.

1 sec fwd.

2 sec right rear

3 sec left rear.

200 yds between secs.

ADM

5. Amn. - 5 Rds per rifle.
2 Mags of 25 per each LMG.
2 " of 20 per each SMG.
1 Discharger cup and 2 wooden bombs.
6. Walking wounded. - Retrace route to WADI BEND.
7. Stretcher cases. - Placed under cover and posn marked with rifle stuck upside down.

INTERCOMN

8. Pl HQ with 2 sec.
9. Reports to WADI BEND.

PHASE 1

Sec adv and on fwd gp reaching slopes of PRIMUS HILL an LMG burst is heard firing from SHANKS SPUR, and single rds firing from SOUTH SPUR.

Suggested action.

- (1) Formation of sec during adv to PRIMUS HILL. -

20 to 100 yds between men in scout gp.
Between gps 50/100 yds.
Sec ldr with either of rear gps.
Distances will alter according to nature of ground and closeness of timber.

- (2) Action on being fired at :-

Fwd gp to engage enemy.
Remaining gps around right flank to deal with sniper and then with enemy LMG.

PHASE 2

As gps are dealing with enemy LMG, single rds are heard firing from a posn in SNIPER CK and later two enemy are seen retiring up creek bank.

Suggested action.

Sec reorganises after capture of enemy LMG posn, continues adv, and deals with retiring snipers when they retire.

PHASE 3

Sec continues adv along LONG RIDGE and sees enemy approaching up hill.

Suggested action.

Fwd gp takes cover and holds fire until target is close.

PHASE 4

Fwd gp is crossing open ground on slopes of LONG RIDGE when burst of fire is heard from ROCKY SPUR.

Suggested action.

Fwd gp engages enemy with fire. LMG engages from posn on OBSERVATION KNOLL while remaining gp moves around right flank.

PHASE 5

Enemy is seen withdrawing across to new posn on MORTAR HILL.

Suggested action.

Scout gp and LMG gp engage enemy from ROCKY SPUR. Gp on right continues around right flank of MORTAR HILL and then across hill and shoots enemy.

PHASE 6

Sec continues to adv and reaches TITTA SPUR. As fwd gp crosses spur bursts of fire are heard from several posns.

Suggested action.

Enemy opposition is too strong to be dealt with by this sec alone. Sec is disposed to best advantage and pl comd informed of situation.

END OF EXERCISE

Umpires and sec return to WADI BEND following route as marked by red paint on trees. On reaching check point will check in and continue route as marked out.

Note for Umpires:

Umpires and exercise staff will wear white hat bands and white armbands.

During the exercise umpires will take notes upon which criticism and discussion will be based on conclusion of exercise. When umpires and tps return to start line after completion of each sec exercise umpires will discuss main faults and the exercise generally before being taken over course by coy comd.

Note for Director:

When all secs of the coy have completed the exercise the whole coy will be taken over the ground and criticism and discussion based upon umpires' notes will be conducted by Director.

Director will ensure that onlookers do not accompany tps on exercise unless by special permission and when they do they wear white hatbands and white arm-bands.

16 AUST INF BDE FIELD FIRING RANGE SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Ref Map HERBERTON 1" to 1 Mile.

1. Firing will NOT take place until the danger flags are hoisted at the following places:-
 - (a) Where main rd crosses ry line at WONDECLA 297095
 - (b) Where track crosses ry line 500 yds NORTH of TEPON 298079.
 - (c) Where NAVIGATION COURSE rd joins FLAGGY CREEK rd 296064.
 - (d) Where track crosses ry line 100 yds SOUTH KALUNGA 290054.
 - (e) 1000 yds WEST of track junc near start point 260071.
 - (f) Where track joins main NEWELLTON-HERBERTON rd 223074.
2. The area shown on the sketch map "16 Aust Inf Bde, Field Firing Range", issued with this exercise, will be searched to ensure that no persons or livestock are in the area. Firing will not begin until the searchers have reported the area clear to the exercise director at WADI BEND. CO 2/1 Aust Inf Bn is prepared to lend horses and riders for this purpose. Sentries will be posted and flags hoisted before searchers start.
3. No one, except the firers, the instructors, umpires and the offr in charge will be allowed at firing points.
4. No weapon will be loaded without orders from the exercise director.
5. Sentries will be placed at the following places
 - (a) Where TEPON track crosses WILD RIVER.
 - (b) Where KALUNGA track crosses WILD RIVER.
 - (c) At TEPON-KALUNGA track junc 271068.
6. Before commencement of exercise, an offr will ensure that only the allotted number of rds are loaded in magazines and that safety catches are applied.
7. Targets will be yellow silhouettes and there will be no firing other than at these.
8. Umpires will ensure that fire is restricted generally to a northerly direction and against an effective stop butt.
9. Axis of adv will be marked by whitewashed trees. Axis of adv will be marked by ~~trees~~ painted red.
10. After each phase safety catches will be applied.
11. At conclusion of course, umpires will examine weapons and collect any surplus amn.

APPX "A" (Cont'd)

12. At completion of course personnel will return to start point at START CREEK by the following route which will be marked by trees painted red.
"Up dugout creek to MOUSE HILL where they report to a control post, reporting that all men are clear of course, thence follow the trees painted red to the start line which will be in a general southerly direction. " Person in control post will communicate with start line that tps are clear.
13. All ranks will be inspected for live amm before leaving field firing range for unit lines.
14. Markers will observe the following safety precautions :-
 - (a) Unless in their pits and under cover they will display a red flag.
 - (b) Firing will not commence until reports have been obtained from markers that they are safely under cover and ready for exercise.

Ref maps :-

HERBERTON 1 in to 1 mile
PALMERSTON " " "
BARTLE FRERE " " "
MT GARNET " " "

WAR DIARY ~~OR INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

Army Form C.2118
(adapted.)

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HQ 16 AUST INF BDE

Unit.....

Date and Time.—From 1 JUN 43 To 30 JUN 43.

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|-------|------------------|------|--|--|
| | | | SUMMARY OF POLICY & RESULTS FOR MONTH OF JUN 43 | |
| | INTENTION | | 1. To continue with intensive individual and collective training within the bde. | |
| | | | 2. Tactical exercises to be carried out by all bns in both jungle and open country. | |
| | RESULTS | | 1. 1-12 JUN | |
| | | | (a) During this period training was concentrated on the coy in defence in both open and jungle warfare. | |
| | | | (b) Weapon training was continued and individual instruction in anti malarial precautions was given under the supervision of the ADMS, Col FISHER. | |
| | | | 2. 14-30 JUN | |
| | | | Tactical exercises in all phases of open warfare were carried out by all bns under supervision of Bde HQ during this period; but although commenced, tactical exercises in jungle warfare were cancelled, owing to the impending amalgamation of 16 Arst Inf Bde with 30 Aust Inf Bde. | |

28 JULY 1943

W. H. L.

WAR DIARY ~~OR INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|---------------|-------|------|---|--|
| WONDECLA area | 1 Jun | | Maj-Gen J.E.S. STEVENS, GOC 6 Aust Div, inspected the anti malarial training at 2/2 Aust Inf Bn. | |
| | 2 Jun | | Lectures and demonstrations on malarial control and equipment, supervised by ADMS 6 Aust Div, Col FISHER, were given to all personnel 16 Aust Inf Bde in 2/3 Aust Inf Bn lines. | |
| | 4 Jun | | HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde marched out of camp and opened at FLAGGY CK 288038 to test and exercise personnel on the movement and the setting up of this headquarters. Bde HQ reopened again in the camp area at 0600 hrs, 5 Jun. | |
| | 7 Jun | | 16 Aust Inf Bde JUNGLE NAVIGATION COURSE, for officers and NCOs, located area 392036 and conducted by the Int Sec, commenced. | |
| | 8 Jun | | A further "Headquarters" exercise was carried out by HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde during night 8/9 Jun when this HQ was established in the jungle training area at 392038. | |
| | 9 Jun | | A lecture to officers on "SIGNALS in the PAPUAN CAMPAIGN" was given by Capt TRIBOLET of 6 Aust Div Sigs. | |

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WAR DIARY ~~OF INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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(adapted.)

Unit.....

Date and Time.—From.....To.....

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|-------------|--------|------|---|--|
| WONDECLA | 11 Jun | | Mr FORDE, MINISTER for the ARMY, visited the area and inspected the training of this bde, during the afternoon. | |
| " | 12 Jun | | A conference for all officers of 16 Aust Inf Bde on a forthcoming divisional exercise was held at HQ 6 Aust Div. | |
| MILAA MILAA | 13 Jun | | 16 Aust Inf Bde Gp incl 5 Aust Fd Bty, 2/15 Aust Fd Coy, 2/1 Aust Fd Amb and a det 6 Aust Div Pro Coy marched out to take part in a TEWT conducted by 6 Aust Div along track MINBUN - WONDECLA. All HQs down to coys took part in this exercise. | |
| WONDECLA | 15 Jun | | 6 Aust Div TEWT No 1 completed. | |
| " | 16 Jun | | 16 Aust Inf Bde Tactical Exercise No 1, Phase I, in which the 2/1 and 2/2 Aust Inf Bns took part, commenced. The object of this exercise was to train bns in both attack and defence in OPEN COUNTRY. | See Appx "A" |
| " | 19 Jun | 0930 | 16 Aust Inf Bde Tactical Exercise Phase I concluded. Notification of the promotion of Lt-col EDGAR, CO 2/2 Aust Inf Bn, to the rank of brigadier was received. | |

WAR DIARY ~~OR INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY~~

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Army Form C.2118
(adapted.)

Unit.....

Date and Time.—From.....To.....

| Place | Date | Hour | Summary of Events and Information | Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c. |
|----------|----------------------|------|--|--|
| WONDECLA | 20 Jun | | 16 Aust Inf Bde Tactical Exercise No 1, Phase II commenced. In this phase 2/1 and 2/3 Aust Inf Bns took part as the opposing forces. | Appx "A" |
| | 22 Jun | | Phase II of 16 Aust Inf Bde Tactical Exercise was concluded. | |
| | 25 Jun) 28 Jun) | | Preparations were made for the forthcoming 16 Aust Inf Bde Tactical Exercise No 2. | |
| | 29 Jun | 0600 | 2/2 and 2/3 Aust Inf Bns with this HQ as Directing Staff marched out to the jungle training area to commence 16 Aust Inf Bde Tactical Exercise No 2. | See Appx "B" |
| | 30 Jun | 1400 | Tactical Exercise No 2 concluded prematurely owing to to the forthcoming amalgamation of 16 and 30 Aust Inf Bdes. | |
| | | | <u>Attached as Appendices :-</u> | |
| | | | Appx "C" Field Returns of Offrs and ORs Jun 43 | |

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16 AUST INF BDE

BN TACTICAL EXERCISE No 1

16 - 22 Jun 43

Ref maps. - (a) HERBERTON sheet 1 in to 1 mile.
 (b) Reproduction of portion of (a) showing area SW of HERBERTON with added detail.

OBJECT

1. To practise. -
 - (a) Comds of all grades in the procedure, or battle drill, involved in the attack, defence and withdrawal.
 - (b) The intercomm system.
 - (c) Evacuation of casualties.

PLACE

2. Area west of WONDECLA 2909 and KALUNGA 2804 to incl rd HERBERTON 2812 - NEWELLTON 1602.

TPS TAKING PART

3.
 - 2/1 Aust Inf Bn, as AUST force from 16 to 19 Jun and as JAP force from 20 to 22 Jun.
 - 2/2 Aust Inf Bn, as JAP force from 17 to 19 Jun.
 - 2/3 Aust Inf Bn, as AUST force from 19 to 22 Jun.
 - Dets 2/1 Aust Fd Amb to provide an ADS to each force.

ASSEMBLY AREAS

4. Before commencement of each exercise bns will be located as follows :-

16 Jun. 2/1 Aust Inf Bn will move by march route via HERBERTON to area about rd at 240090, 1 mile NE of CASSOWARY CK, and bivouac for night.

17 Jun. 2/2 Aust Inf Bn will start from camp site.

19 Jun. 2/1 Aust Inf Bn will bivouac on WILD RIVER near KALUNGA.

19 Jun. 2/3 Aust Inf Bn, same as for 2/1 Aust Inf Bn on 16 Jun.

ADSs to report to units at these locations.

EXERCISE STAFF

5.

| | |
|-----------------|--|
| Director. - | Comd 16 Aust Inf Bde. HQ at 260070. |
| Chief Umpires - | CO and 2 i/c bn not at the time participating. |
| Umpires - | Down to pls provided by offr and NCOs of bn not at the time participating. |
| Med Umpire - | CO 2/1 Aust Fd Amb. |

Instns to umpires and detailed allocation are att as Appx "A".

DISTINGUISHING MARKS

6. Personnel. -
- Umpires - felt hats with 3 in white band, and a 3 in white band on each upper arm.
 - AUST force - from 16 to 19 Jun, felt hats, and from 19 to 22 Jun, steel helmets.
 - JAP force - from 17 to 19 Jun, steel helmets, and from 19 to 22 Jun, felt hats.
- Vehicles. -
- Flags 12 x 18 ins flown centrally 12 ins above radiators.
 - Umpires - white.
 - AUST force - from 16 to 19 Jun, red, and from 19 to 22 Jun, blue.
 - JAP force - from 17 to 19 Jun, blue, and from 19 to 22 Jun, red.

SIMULATION OF FIRE

7. (a) Rifle. - By blank as available. Umpires will also give credit when "bang" is shouted or a sharp whistle made.
- (b) SMGs, LMGs and MMGs - Gas rattle, stone in tin or flashed mirror.
- (c) 2 in and 3 in Mortars - A Quarry Monobel bomb, made up of 1/2 stick Quarry Monobel, a detonator and 4 ins time fuze. SC 16 Aust Inf Bde will supply information on making up bombs and igniting them. The bomb is exploded where the mortar bomb would land, and NOT at the mortar. These should be made available on the basis of 30 per 3 in M Pl umpire and 10 per coy umpire. Each Monobel bomb exploded to represent 10 real bombs.
- (d) Grenades - Wooden blocks taken for the purpose. NOT any piece of wood or stone collected in the locality of action.

SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

8. (a) NO LIVE AMN of any nature will be taken on the exercise.
- (b) BLANK .303 will NOT be fired at a lesser range than 20 yds.
- (c) BLANK .303 will NOT be fired, NOR bayonets fixed in the dark.
- (d) TOKEN GRENADES will NOT be thrown before shouting a warning.
- (e) QUARRY MONOBEL bombs will be ignited and thrown by offrs only. So that persons can be prevented from approaching the bomb when the fuze is burning, bombs will be thrown only into areas which have clear observation all round for 20 yds.
- (f) Personnel of opposing sides will be prevented from coming into personal contact or fraternizing. When this occurs it is a reflection on the umpire concerned.
- (g) MT moving in the dark without lights will be preceded by a man on foot.

EVACUATION OF CASUALTIES

9. It is particularly desirable that RMOs and Dets 2/1 Aust Fd Amb should be afforded an opportunity to practise personnel in collecting and evacuating casualties. It is proposed to effect this by providing Chief Umpires with casualty labels for distribution to subordinate umpires as they anticipate will be appropriate. The difficulty is to get men to co-operate in acting as casualties; they usually rejoin their sub-unit at first opportunity. To overcome this all casualties detailed will be recorded, and disciplinary action taken when they fail to act as directed.

ADM

10. Instns att as Appx "B".

INTERCOMN

11. J Sec Sigs will link HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde and Director's HQ by telephone, and provide No 11 Sets as follows :-

- 1 at Director's HQ.
- 1 mob with each Chief Umpire (2)
- 1 mob to move with Director.

12. Call signs and codenames will be used. Care will be observed by all concerned NOT to offend against W/T security.

GENERAL IDEA

1. A JAPANESE force which landed at CAIRNS has established control of the area CAIRNS - INNESFAIL - ATHERTON TABLELAND.
2. In the HERBERTON area the JAPANESE have constructed an airfield on the site of the RACE COURSE, 4 miles south of the town.
3. The AUSTRALIAN forces are reforming in the CHILLAGOE area.

SPECIAL IDEAS

Issued separately to comds of AUST and JAP forces.

L. Bayly
Capt
for Maj
BM 16 Aust Inf Bde

INSTNS TO UMPIRES

Issued as Appx "A" to 16 AUST INF BDE BN EXERCISE No 1

ALLOCATION

1. Umpires are allocated as follows :-

16 - 19 JUN 43

| UNIT OR SUB-UNIT | FOR 2/1 AUST INF BN | FOR 2/2 AUST INF BN |
|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Chief Umpire | Major McDONALD | Lt-Col HUTCHISON |
| Sig Pl | Lieut SCODFORD | Sgt JONES |
| MMG Pl | Cpl KENDALL | Sgt BUDERUS |
| Mor Pl | Sgt LAUGHLIN | Cpl MILLER |
| Tk A Pl | " BINNEY | Sgt BAXTER |
| Pnr Pl | " CARSON | Cpl STEPHENS |
| "B" Ech | Lieut HAVEN | WO II WESTWOOD |
| "A" Coy HQ | " GIBBINS | Lieut POPE |
| " 7 Pl | Sgt RUSSELL | Sgt BENSLEY |
| " 8 Pl | " MURPHY | WO II WILSON |
| " 9 Pl | Cpl SPACKMAN | Cpl JONES |
| "B" Coy HQ | Lieut HODDINOTT | Lieut GROVER |
| " 10 Pl | WO II LENEVEZ | Cpl HURST |
| " 11 Pl | Cpl MACDONALD | " RYALL |
| " 12 Pl | " BURGESS | " OBERG |
| "C" Coy HQ | Capt McINTOSH | Lieut MACDOUGAL |
| " 13 Pl | Lieut BELL | " SCALLY |
| " 14 Pl | WO II ADAM | Cpl McGREGOR |
| " 15 Pl | Sgt CRIPPS | " TUSSUP |
| "D" Coy HQ | Lieut BOYER | Lieut LANGHAM |
| " 16 Pl | WO II MORGAN | Sgt HAMMOND |
| " 17 Pl | Cpl GOOLEY | " GOLDING |
| " 18 Pl | " MATTHEWS | Cpl COOKE |

19 - 22 JUN 43

| UNIT OR SUB-UNIT | FOR 2/3 AUST INF BN | FOR 2/1 AUST INF BN |
|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Chief Umpire | Lt-Col EDGAR | Capt BAIRD |
| Sig Pl | Lieut LEY | Sgt PULLEN |
| MMG Pl | " LACEY | " BULLOCK |
| Mor Pl | " CURTIS | " PYE |
| Tk A Pl | " COYLE | " McHUGH |
| Pnr Pl | Sgt HUKINS | " SMITH |
| "B" Ech | Lieut RICHARDS | WO II HAINS |
| "A" Coy HQ | " WICKHAM | Lieut MOORE |
| " 7 Pl | Sgt WEBB | Sgt CALING |
| " 8 Pl | " BURGoyNE | " COX |
| " 9 Pl | " HOOPER | " McPHERSON |
| "B" Coy HQ | Capt FERGUSON | Capt GODFREY |
| " 10 Pl | Lieut JARVIE | " JOHNSON |
| " 11 Pl | " THOMAS | Sgt KINGSTON |
| " 12 Pl | " UMBACK | " PELOSI |
| "C" Coy HQ | Capt WATSON | Lieut SHANAHAN |
| " 13 Pl | Lieut FRANKS | Sgt STAPLETON |
| " 14 Pl | " DIAMOND | " POWELL |
| " 15 Pl | Sgt EGGINS | " FORSTER |
| "D" Coy HQ | Capt GODBOLD | Lieut ANDERSON |
| " 16 Pl | Lieut WILSON | " McCRAE |
| " 17 Pl | Sgt LONG | Sgt ALMOND |
| " 18 Pl | " MOYLAN | " MANSFIELD |

REPORTING TO UNITS

2. Umpires will report to units as follows :-

Umpires from 2/3 Aust Inf Bn to. -

2/1 Aust Inf Bn at camp site by 0830 hrs 16 Jun 43.
2/2 " " " 0700 hrs 17 Jun 43.

Umpires from 2/2 Aust Inf Bn to.-

2/1 Aust Inf Bn at KALUNGA crossing over WILD
RIVER at 1600 hrs 19 Jun 43.
2/3 Aust Inf Bn on rd at 240090, 1 mile NE
CASSOWARY CK, by 2200 hrs 19 Jun 43.

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

3. Expected sequence of events for infm of umpires is attached.

DUTIES OF UMPIRES

4. The chief duty of umpires is to represent enemy fire by description, the explosion of bombs, and the award of casualties.

5. By constantly passing on situation reports to the next senior umpire they are the means by which Chief Umpires and the Director are kept in touch and can control the exercise. Since they can confer with opposing umpires, they have more knowledge of the local situation than sub-unit comds.

6. Whilst they have complete freedom of movement, generally they should conform with the movement of the tps with whom they are working, particularly as regards concealment. They should do everything they can to create a battle atmosphere, and under any circumstances avoid appearing a critical appendage, just hanging about.

BENEFIT TO UMPIRES

7. If umpires inform themselves before hand, by reading the text books of the principles involved in the operations to be carried out, their duties place them in a position to learn more from the exercise than the Comds.

SHY VIOLETS

8. Upon occasion, as when painting the picture of intense activity, it is essential that umpires are prominent, and they should NOT hesitate about shouting.

UMPIRE LOGS

9. Each umpire will keep a log of events, taking care to be precise as to time, place, and the orders issued. Whenever written orders are used he will arrange to obtain a copy for attachment to his log.

UMPIRES REPORTS

10. At the conclusion of the exercise, each umpire will write a report, attach his log to it, and pass it to the next senior umpire. Chief Umpires, assisted by reports from subordinate umpires, will write a unit report and pass it to 16 Aust Inf Bde. The ability to write a clear report is a good general indication of the competency of an offr or NCO.

11. As a discussion on the exercise will be held as soon after it as is practicable, it is essential that umpires reports be completed and passed through to Chief Umpires as soon as possible.

DRESS AND EQUIPT

12. Same as for tps taking part.

POINTS TO WATCH

13. The points shown in "Expected Sequence of Events" are the major ones only. Umpires should be interested in all points from which lessons can be learnt.

14. Some general points on which reports are required are :-

(a) Are the men fully informed about what is taking place ? There is NOTHING about a bn operation which every man shouldn't know if there is opportunity to inform him. Only thus can real co-operation and concerted effort be ensured.

(b) Are the men interested in, and do they know their location ?

(c) Are there cases where men pretend to be more ignorant of the situation than they are ?

(d) Are there instances of committee control, rather than comd ?

(e) Are the requirements of security always observed, or does a picnic atmosphere at times disclose itself ?

(f) Is best use made of Int Secs ?

INTERCOMN

15. Umpires may use unit signal channels. All umpire traffic is to be regarded as exercise secret.

C. H. Ayling
for Capt
BM 16 Aust Inf Bde

EXPECTED SEQUENCE OF EVENTS
FOR INFORMATION OF UMPIRES ONLY

| DATE JUN | TIME HRS | ACTION AUST FORCE | ACTION JAP FORCE | MAJOR POINTS TO BE NOTED BY UMPIRES |
|-------------|----------------|--|--|--|
| 17 | First light | Proceeds to occupy def posn about CASSOWARY CK where track crosses it at 236066 | | (a) Composition and protection of recce party. (b) Protection during occupation outposts. (c) Action to obtain infm - patrols. |
| | 0600 | | Receives following W/T message from OP it had established at junc of rd and track at CASSOWARY CK 233079:- "One coy enemy approaching down rd from SW (.) Fwd scouts 500 yds away (.) This OP withdrawing to MAIN FEATURE TOR 0550 " | (a) Warning order for move (b) Any avoidable delay. (c) Order of move, particularly with regard to tpt. (d) On contact is comd kept fully informed? (e) Is there any stickyness? |
| | 0700 | | Receives following Tac R report :- " 15 MET dispersed 220074 (.) Col 40 MET empty moving SW 170034 TOR 0630 " By 0800 hrs force should move via TEPON to destroy enemy. | |
| | 1030 | Fwd patrol and outposts attacked. Casualties. - SB cases- 6 WW - 3 | Preparatory attacks and patrols to get infm. Casualties. - SB cases - 12 WW - 4 Stages bn attack | (a) Is this done quickly and with vigour? (b) Are the attacks adequately supported in view of resources available. |
| | About 1300 | Casualties. - SB cases- 33 WW - 3 | Casualties. - SB cases - 40 WW - 5 | (a) Does AUST force continue improve- ment of defences? (b) Procedure of recce and issue of orders for attack. (c) Is infm passed to rear and control maintained? |

| | | | | |
|-------|--------------------|---|---|--|
| | About 1500 | Casualties.- SB cases - 20 WW - 5 | Commits res. Casualties.- SB cases - 10 WW - 2 | (a) Any action to form new res. (b) Is res committed on a properly co-ordinated and adequately supported plan ? (c) Handling of AUST force res. |
| | 1600 | Stalemate. | Stalemate. | (a) Adjustments, if any, for night. (b) Consolidation. |
| 17/18 | Night | Patrolling. Casualties.- SB cases - 4 WW - 1 | Patrolling and plans for tomorrow. Casualties.- SB cases - 4 WW - 1 | It is NOT intended that situation will materially change this night or following day. |
| 18 | 1200 | Receives following message from 16 Aust Inf Bde:- "Meteorological conditions prevent paratps operating today and probably tomorrow (.) Reliable infm that JAP will be substantially reinforced tomorrow (.) 1 Aust Inf Bn will attack tonight NOT before 2400 hrs and destroy enemy before arrival of reinfts (.) ack TOR 1130" | Receives following message from TABLELAND HQ :- "100 Inf Bn will withdraw tonight to crossing over WILD RIVER 278050 near KALUNGA (.) disengagement to be completed by 2400 hrs (.) 101 Inf Bn will arrive TEPON by 1000 hrs tomorrow and come under comd 100 Inf Bn TOR 1115 " | AUST Force. - (a) Does recce and any readjustment of sub-units for night attack disclose intention ? (b) Are the stores required for a night attack available ? (c) Are arrangements made in all the detail that time permits ? (d) Is area of attack dominated by patrols ? (e) Action on finding enemy has withdrawn. |
| 19 | Before first light | Patrols to locate enemy | Preparing new posn | JAP Force. - (a) Recce of rear posn. (b) Composition of nucleus parties. (c) Is fact of withdrawal disclosed. (d) How is tpt handled ? (e) Do guides work satisfactorily ? (f) Is comd kept in touch with progress of withdrawal ? (g) Is there ANY chaos ? |
| | 0900 | Contacts JAP patrols and outposts. Casualties.- SB cases - 12 WW - 3 | Delays adv with patrols. Casualties.- SB cases - 10 WW - 2 | NOISE |
| | 1100 | Bn attack. | Bn def. | |
| | 1200 | Ex concludes. Bn bivouacs and prepares to take over role of JAP force. | Ex concludes. Bn marches back to camp | Same as for attack by JAP force. |

ADM INSTNS, issued as APPX "B" to
16 AUST INF BDE BN EXERCISE No 1

PERSONNEL TO REMAIN IN CAMP

1. Only those whom RMO considers NOT fit to take part in the exercise, and those needed for camp security purposes. As far as practicable the latter will be composed of the former. On first day of exercise a return will be submitted showing personnel remaining in camp, and why.

TRANSPORT

2. MT will be provided by 6 Aust Div to build up unit tpt to a restricted scale as follows :-

| Allocation | Vehs irrespective of type |
|--------------|---------------------------|
| CO | 1 |
| Each Coy | 1 |
| Bn HQ | 1 |
| Sig Pl | 1 |
| MMG Pl | 2 |
| Mor Pl | 4 |
| Tk A Pl | 4 |
| Pnr Pl | 1 |
| RAP | 1 |
| QM | 3 |
| Chief Umpire | 1 |
| TOTAL | 24 |

In addition units will take water vehs held.

RATIONS

3. For bns in the fd rations will be delivered to "B" Ech. It will be the responsibility of units to send rations to personnel remaining in camp. For purposes of the exercise such personnel will be regarded as dets.

WATER

4. Approval is being sought for units to draw water from WILD RIVER and CASSOWARY CK. Such water will be chlorinated. If approval is NOT obtained water will be obtained from camp sites.

BLANKET AND GREATCOAT

5. One of each will be carried on the man.

HYGIENE

6. Since this exercise will take place in the centre of the bde trg area, it is essential, apart from other reasons, that a high standard of fd hygiene be maintained. All tins and debris will be burnt and buried. Latrine pits will be 3 ft deep and filled in each day.

MED

7. Sick personnel are to be evacuated by 2/1 Aust Fd Amb. Exercise casualties will be evacuated to unit "B" Ech.

TREES

8. May be fallen within reason ~~when~~ necessary to clear flds of fire, but NOT otherwise.

H. J. Hancey Capt
SC 16 Aust Inf Bde

EXERCISE SECRET

16 AUST INF BDE BN EXERCISE No 1

16 - 22 JUN 43

SPECIAL IDEA

JAPANESE FORCES

1. 100 Inf Bn, which was in the vicinity of the HERBERTON airfield, had been given an O Instn to the effect that it was to destroy any enemy force which threatened the security of the airfield by approaching within one day's march of it.
2. The O Instn indicated that an enemy force sent to operate against the airfield would most likely approach from enemy RH at IRVINEBANK 0707, and move, possibly in MT, via NEWELLTON 1603.
3. If the situation required it, it would be possible to reinforce 100 Inf Bn by one inf bn within 24 hrs.
4. One ADS is att 100 Inf Bn from 100 Fd Amb. Casualties from ADS will be evacuated by 100 Fd Amb.

EXERCISE SECRET

16 AUST INF BDE BN EXERCISE No 1

16 - 22 JUN 43

SPECIAL IDEA

AUSTRALIAN FORCES

2/1 Aust Inf Bn, which has assembled at IRVINEBANK 0707, received the following O Instn :-

SECRET

Copy No 1

16 Jun 43

16 AUST INF BDE O INSTN No 9

Ref maps. - (a) HERBERTON sheet 1 in to 1 mile.

(b) Reproduction of portion of (a) showing area SW of HERBERTON with added detail.

INFM

1. From reliable reports and air recce it is deduced that HERBERTON airfield 3006 is defended by about one inf bn. This bn has NOT constructed fd wks other than AA posts about the airfield. Because of shortage in MT it is estimated that it would take 24 hrs for the enemy to put one additional bn into this area.

2. As an initial step in a general offensive, HERBERTON airfield must be secured.

3. 1 Aust Paratp Bn is to co-operate, under direction this HQ, in capturing the airfield.

4. Sufficient MT can be made available at IRVINEBANK 0707 to provide one inf bn with "restricted" scale of MT, and to move it in one lift to HERBERTON area.

APPRECIATION

5. Since the defending bn has done little to prepare the area about the airfield for defence, it seems likely that its comd intends to act offensively against any threat to it.

6. It is, therefore, probable that if we move a force within, say, a day's march of the airfield, the defending bn will attack; either to destroy it, or to delay it until a superior enemy force can be concentrated in the area.

7. If the defending force is drawn away, 1 Aust Paratp Bn can certainly capture the airfield, and within 12 hrs of daylight we can land by tp carrying planes a sufficient force to ensure its retention.

TASK

8. 2/1 Aust Inf Bn will move by MT on night 16/17 Jun 43 via NEWELLTON 1603 to area about rd at 220074, 1 mile WSW of CASSOWARY CK. (Actually for the ex, bn will move by march route on 16 Jun via HERBERTON to area about rd, 1 mile NE of CASSOWARY CK.)

9. At first light on 17 Jun 43, 2/1 Aust Inf Bn will occupy a def posn about where track crosses CASSOWARY CK at 236066.

10. The role of 2/1 Aust Inf Bn will be,
- (a) if enemy attacks, to compel him to commit the whole of his force, reporting by quickest means the progress achieved in doing this.
 - (b) If enemy does NOT attack to adv, on orders from this HQ, and establish a bridgehead across WILD RIVER at 280053, in KALUNGA area, and be prepared to co-operate with 1 Aust Paratp Bn in capturing the airfield.

ADM

11. Amn and supplies. - Maintenance will be normal (for ex, via HERBERTON) - MP will be rd 1 mile WSW CASSOWARY CK (for ex, rd 1 mile NE CASSOWARY CK).

12. Med. - 2/1 Aust Fd Amb will att one ADS to 2/1 Aust Inf Bn. Casualties will be evacuated from ADS by 2/1 Aust Fd Amb.

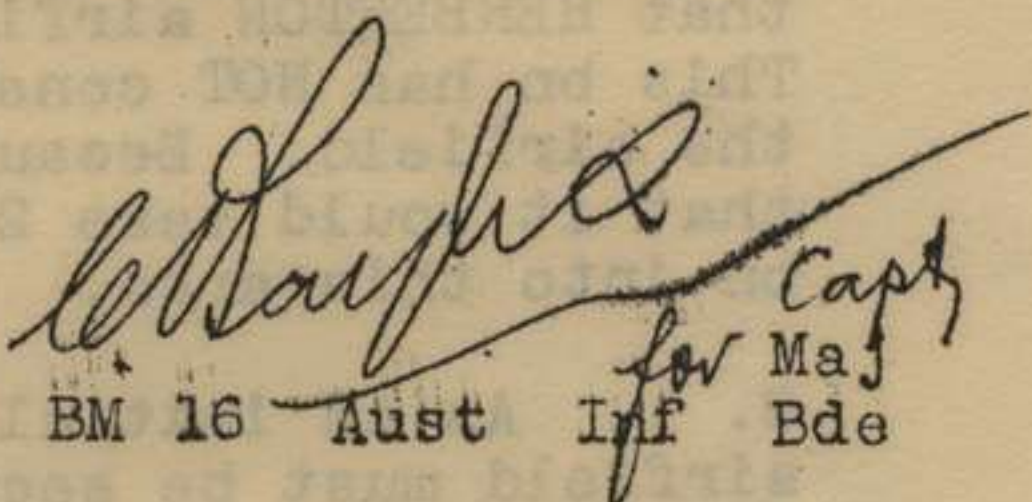
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13. Wireless silence before contact. One No 11 Set will be att 2/1 Aust Inf Bn by "J" Sec Sigs.

14. ACK.

SIGNED AT 0900 hrs

ISSUED BY SIGS


BM 16 Aust Inf Bde

DISTRIBUTION

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| 2/1 Aust Inf Bn | Copy No 1 |
| 2/1 Aust Fd Amb | 2 |
| Comd | 3 |
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| 6 Aust Div | 5 |
| File | 6-8 |
| War Diary | 9-10 |

OPEN TRAINING AREA

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Ref. Map HERBERTON 1 inch to 1 mile



Form Lines by
Estimation Only
Map Features by
Aerial Interception

| LEGEND | | | |
|----------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|
| Form Lines | | Open Trg. Area Bndy | |
| Roads (Fenced) | --- | Railways | —+— |
| (Unfenced) | - - - | Watercourses + Rivers | ~~~~~ |

Drawn by:
W.L. Schwener Plt
Inf Sec. HQ 16 Aust Inf Bde.
4 Jun 43.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

APPX 'B'
WAR DIARY

Ref File No G/194/43

Headquarters
16 Aust Inf Bde
27 Jun 43

2/1 Aust Inf Bn
2/2 Aust Inf Bn
2/3 Aust Inf Bn

BN EXERCISE NO 2

During Bn exercise 2, umpires will give special attention to NAVIGATION.

Sub-units and patrols must know at all times where they are in relation to a generally known reference point on the track.

The quarter mile markings on track will assist umpires in doing this.

W. D. Jones Capt
for Maj
B M 16 Aust Inf Bde

Confirmation insts issued at conference held in BN's office 0930 hrs 26 Jun 43.

START TIME.

2. Bde HQ will move by MT from present location 0845 hrs 28 Jun 43 to WEST MT head, thence by march route to new Bde HQ approx 4 mile peg on EORA jungle track.

3. START POINT. Tpt lines - dispersed.

4. ORDER OF MARCH to WEST MT HEAD

Bde Comd
B M (L)
I O
L O
Ord Room
Q Vehicle
Sig Vehicles

Order of march from MT head to new location

Comd Gp
I Sec
Ord Room
Q Staff
Sigs

5. ADVANCE PARTY

An advance party will depart Bde HQ 1100 hrs 27 Jun 43 by MT to recce new Bde HQ area.

Personnel

To be carried in addition to
personal equipment.

L O (1)
Sgt Gullis
Pte Foster
" McDermott
" Daley

Haversack
Shovel
Haversack
Shovel

Sig Offr
2 Signalmen

(To be arranged by Sig
(Offr.

6. MAIN BODY

The following will be the main party and will carry items as specified.

Personnel

To be carried in addition to
personal eqpt

Comd
B M (L)
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L O (II)
C S M
COMS
S/Sgt Tobin
Sgt Lofts
Cpl Dalgety
Pte Scrivener
Cpl Fitton
Pte Hocking
" Gwynne
" Marsh
" Condon
" Chevally

Owen Gun
Haversack Q
Haversack O
Shovel
Haversack I ✓
Shovel ✓
Dixie
Owen Gun
Axe
Shovel
Shovel
Dixie

Bn Tactical Exercise No 2. (Contd)

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| Pte Robertson | Tent Valise for Comd Post |
| " Denmead | Shovel |
| " McKenzie | Owen Gun |
| " Scannel | Shovel |
| " Eisenhouth | Axe ✓ |
| " Graham | Shovel |
| " Heward | Shovel |
| " Sherlock | Shovel |

7. TPT PERSONNEL AND VEHICLES

The following will proceed to WEST MT head and remain with Tpt.

Lieut Duval
All tpt personnel
Pte Joyce
" Fox
" Robertson
" Burns

8. Unit Lines Personnel

Personnel not mentioned in above paras will remain in Camp lines.

9. DRESS Jungle order plus great coat.

10. RATIONS.

Rations will be issued for 23-30 Jun by Q, before 0800 hrs 28 Jun 43.
Rations for 1-3 Jul will be brought to HQ by MT personnel.

11. WATER

All water will be chlorinated before drinking. Personnel will NOT wash in creeks.

C. R. Smith Capt
B M 16 Aust Inf Bde

Distribution :-

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FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

Army Form W.3003
(Adapted) (Page 1)
(Revised Jan., 1943)
11 / - (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 5/6/1943 HQ 16 Aust. Inf. Bde (Unit)
W.E. 11/3/3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | | |
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| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | | | | | | |
| Rein'fts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'fts Required. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGADIER* | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | | 1 | Majors | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | | 3 | Captains | AACTD. AAC 3 | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | | | Lieutenants | AA MC. | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 7 | | 5 | | | 3 | | 2 | 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) & 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. | 8 | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | | | | E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. / /194

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known). |
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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday/...../194. (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. |
| BRIGADIER | VX20315 | KING. | R. | BDE Comp | YES. | | |
| CAPT. | NX70223 | DARCEY. | W.L. | S.C. | YES. | | |
| LIEUT | NX70746 | LONG. | M.B. | L.O. | YES. | | |
| LIEUT. | NX70714 | MCNEIL | D.J. | L.O. | YES. | | |
| LIEUT. | NX1405 | McLELLAN. | A.H. | I.O. | YES. | | |
| CHAP. | NGX304 | GLOVER. | S. | CHAP | No | DET. 2/1 Aust. Inf. Bn | |
| CHAP. | SX1764 | PHILLIPS. | B.H. | CHAP | No. | " 2/2 " " " | |
| CHAP. | NX245 | SWINDLEHURST | L.M. | CHAP | No. | " 2/3 " " " | |

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. |
|---|--------------|--------------------|-------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| LIEUT. | NX14699 | ARNOLD, R.E. | SIGS 6 DIV. | 24/4/43 | O.C. 'J' SEC SIGS. |
| " | NX12159 | KING, G.B.C. | 2/3 BN. | - | O.C. PROT. PL. |
| " | NX36318 | DUVAL, F.J. | 2/1 BN. | - | T.O. 16 BDE. |
| CAPT. | NX1800 | BAYLIS C.F.W. | 2/2 BN | - | B.M. (1) |

5 JUNE 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander
SC 18 AUG 43

/ (Serial No.)

W.E. OFFRS. O.R's. + OFFRS. O.R's. ATT. BY W.E.

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| 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. |
| | | | | W.Os. Class I. | 1400 | | | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | - | 1 | W.Os. Class II. | 1400 | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 3 | Sergeants | 75 ME | 1 | - | - | - |
| 2 | 2 | - | 4 | Corporals | 1400 1400 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 19 | 19 | - | 24 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | 1400 1400 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 6 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 22 * | 22 | - | 34 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 6 * | 5 | 8 | 8 * |

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| Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. |
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| 28 | Lieut. Aust. Chin. | | | 1 | 1st Aust. Inf. Div. | | |
| 4 | Cot 33 F.P.C. | | | | | | |
| 11 | 1st Aust. Inf. Div. | | | | | | |
| 17 | 2nd Aust. Inf. Div. | | | | | | |
| 12 | 3rd Aust. Inf. Div. | | | | | | |
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**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 5/6/1943.**

| 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 | | | | Stevedores | | | |
| Computors | | | | | | | | Riggers | | | | Stokers, Staty. Engine | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | GROUP II. | | | | Sawyers | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Armourers | | | | Signallers | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Axemen | | | | Signwriters | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | | | | |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | | | | |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 4 | 2 | | | | |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Helio Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 3 | 1 | Coach Trimmers | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 3 | 3 | 2 | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | | | | |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | | | | |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | | | | |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | | | | |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | | | | |
| Photowriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | | | | |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assts. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | | | |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 4 | 3 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 15 | 4 | 2 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 68 | 40 | 30 |

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

Signature of Commander

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/6/1943 HQ 16 44 ST INF BDE (Unit)

W.E. 11/3/3 OFFRS 12 O.R's 56 + OFFRS 5 O.R's 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | | |
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| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | | | | | | |
| Rein'ts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'ts Required. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGADIER * | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | - | 1 | Majors | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | 3 | Captains | AAChD AASC | 3 | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | | | Lieutenants | AAMC | - | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 7 | | 5 | | | 3 | - | 2 | 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) & 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. | 8 | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | | | | E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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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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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 12/6/194. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

12 June 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

12/ (Serial No.)

W.E. 11/3/3. OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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| 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. |
| | | | | W.Os. Class I. | HHOC | - | - | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | - | 1 | W.Os. Class II. | HHOC | 1 | 1 | - | - |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | Sergeants | HE ME | 1 | - | - | - |
| 2 | 2 | - | 4 | Corporals | AASC/HAMK | 1 | - | 6 | 1 |
| 19 | 19 | - | 24 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | AASC/HAME | 2 | - | 6 | 6 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 23 * | 23 | 1 | 34 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 5 * | 1 | 8 | 8 * |

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HQ 16 Aust INF BDE Unit

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(Adapted) (Page 2)
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12/ Serial No.

**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 12/ 6/194 3.**

| 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. |
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| 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 | | | | Stevedores | | | |
| Computers | | | | | | | | Riggers | | | | Stokers, Staty. Engine | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | GROUP II. | | | | Sawyers | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Armourers | | | | Signallers | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Axemen | | | | Signwriters | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | BATMEN | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | ORGANISERS | 6 | 1 | 5 |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 4 | 2 | HYGIENE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Helio Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | GEN. DUTIES | 3 | - | 3 |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | C S M | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 3 | 1 | Coach Trimmers | | | | C Q M S | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 3 | 2 | 1 | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | NAME CAP | 1 | - | 1 |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | HASC | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | HACC WOI | 1 | - | 1 |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | " WOII | - | 1 | - |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | AEMIE | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Photowriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | BATMEN | 3 | - | 3 |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assts. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | | | |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 6 | 4 | 2 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 15 | 10 | 5 |
| | | | | | 6 | 4 | 2 | | 15 | 10 | 5 | | 68 | 39 | 31 |

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.

12. JUN. 43.
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday / / 194 (Unit)

W.E. / / OFFRS. O.R's. + OFFRS. O.R's. ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | |
|---|----------------|-----------------|------------------|---|--------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|--------|----------|----|--------|
| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | | | | | |
| Rein'fts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'fts Required. | | | | |
| | | | | * * Lieut.-Colonels Majors Captains Lieutenants Quarter-masters A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Analysis of Part A to be shown here by ALL units. Only units notified in para. 10 of instructions for compilation of form will complete Part E(1) & E(2). | DETAIL | | | A.I.P. | 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. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
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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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At 0600 Hrs. Saturday/...../194. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

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

Signature of Commander

Signature of Commander

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 19/6/1942 (Unit)

W.E. 11 / 3 / 3 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

| 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. |
| | | | | W.Os. Class I. | AAOC | 4 | - | 1 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | - | 1 | W.Os. Class II. | AAOC | 1 | 1 | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| | | | 1 | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | Sergeants | ARME | 1 | - | - | - |
| 2 | 2 | - | 4 | Corporals | ARSC-ARME | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| 20 | 20 | - | 23 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | ARSC-ARME | 2 | - | 6 | 6 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 24 * | 24 | 1 | 33 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 5 * | 1 | 8 | 8 * |

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| Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. |
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| 4 | Det 6 Aust. Div Postal | | | | | | |
| | Sign 6 Aust. Div. | | | | | | |
| 12 | 2/1 Aust. Inf. Bns | | | | | | |
| 16 | 2/2 Aust. Inf. Bns | | | | | | |
| 12 | 2/3 Aust. Inf. Bns | | | | | | |

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**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 19/6/1943.**

| 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 | | | | Stevedores | | | |
| Computers | | | | | | | | Riggers | | | | Stokers, Staty. Engine | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | GROUP II. | | | | Sawyers | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Armourers | | | | Signallers | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Axemen | | | | Signwriters | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | DRIVERS MT. | 16 | 16 | - |
| 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | BATMEN. | 13 | 4 | 9 |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | ORDERLIES (Sig) | 6 | 1 | 5 |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 3 | 3 | HYGIENE | 1 | - | 1 |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Helio Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | GEN DUTIES | 3 | - | 3 |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | C.S.M. | 1 | 1 | - |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 4 | 0 | Coach Trimmers | | | | CQMS. | 1 | 1 | - |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 3 | 2 | 1 | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | RANK (CPL) | 1 | - | 1 |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | RASC | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | RASC WO L | 1 | - | 1 |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | RASC WO II | 1 | 1 | - |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | REME | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Photowriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | BATMEN | 3 | - | 3 |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assts. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | | | |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 3 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 6 | 3 | 1 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 68 | 38 | 40 |

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.

19 JUNE 43
Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26/6/3. HQ Aust Inf Bde (Unit)
W.E. 11/33 OFFRS. 12 O.R's. 56 + OFFRS. 5 O.R's. 12 ATT. BY W.E.

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

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|------------|--------|--------|----------|----|--------|--|---|
| W.E. EXCLUDING ATTACHED. | | | | DETAIL. | ATTACHED ALLOWED BY W.E. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rein'fts Required. | Deficient W.E. | Surplus to W.E. | Posted Strength. | | Arm or Corps. | Posted Strength. | Surplus to W.E. | Deficient W.E. | Rein'fts Required. | | | | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | BRIGADIER | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 2 | - | - | Lieut.-Colonels | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | - | 1 | Majors | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 4 | - | 1 | Captains | ARCWD. AASC. | 3 | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1 | - | 3 | Lieutenants | AAMC. | - | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Quarter-masters | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | Civilians Counting as Offrs. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 75 | 75 | | 5 | | | 3 | | 2 | 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) & 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. | | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| | | | | E.(1) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | E.(2) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

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

OFFICERS JOINED DURING WEEK

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit From. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|-------|--------------------|-----------------|---------|---------------------|
| NX80929 | Capt | MC COOE C.P. | 3 Aust Corps. | 19/6/43 | HH as B.Legal Oppr. |
| NX | LIEUT | SEAWARD. A. | 2/3 Aust Inf Bn | 25/6/43 | CAMP. COMDT. |
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OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | Unit To. | Date. | CAUSE. |
|----------|-------|--------------------|-----------------|---------|------------------------|
| NX12157 | LIEUT | KING. G.B.G. | 2/3 Aust Inf Bn | 25/6/43 | Ceased to be attached. |
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PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO (Unit) IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED. /194.

| Army No. | Rank. | Name and Initials. | REMARKS (e.g., present whereabouts if known). |
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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 26 6 / 3 / 1943. (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. |
| BRIGADIER | VX20315 | KING | R. | BOE COMP | YES. | | |
| APT | NX70223 | DARCEY | W.L. | SC | YES. | | |
| LIEUT | NX70446 | LONG. | MB | LO | YES | | |
| LIEUT | NX70714 | MCNEILL | D.J. | L.O. | YES | | |
| LIEUT | NX36318 | DUNN | F.J. | T.O. | YES. | | |
| CHAP. | NX304. | GLOVER | S. | CHAP. | No | DET 2/1 Aust. Inf. Bn. | |
| CHAP. | SX9764 | PHILLIPS | B.H. | CHAP | No. | " 2/1 " " " | |
| CHAP. | NX245 | SWINOLEHURST | L M | CHAP. | No | " 2/3 " " " | |

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. |
|--|--------------|--------------------|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| NX1800 2ND LT. | | BAYLIS. C.F.W. | 2/2 BN | 24/4/43 | B. M (L) |
| LIEUT. | NX1405 | MCLELLAN A.A. | 2/2 BN. | 25/5/43 | I. O. (ACTING) |
| " | NX14609 | ARNOLD. R.E. | SIGS. | 24/4/43 | OC. SIGS J SEC |
| " | NX34873 | SEWARD A. | 2/2 BN | 25/6/43 | CAMP COMDT. |
| " | VX72523. | WILSON. H.R. | SIGS. | | 2 I/C J SEC SIGS |
| " | NX4073 | FLEMING. T.O. | AASC. | 12/6/43 | A/ASCO. |
| CAPT. | NX30928 | MC COOK C.P. | 2 HUST CORPS | 17/6/43 | BDE LEGAL OFFR. |

27 June 43

Date of Despatch

Signature of Commander

S. C. 16 Aust. Int. Bde.

a.w. 3m pads 2/43

PART D—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0500 Hrs. Saturday 26/12/17 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|--|----------------|------------------|-----------|------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Substantive Rank and Title, Temporary Rank if held | Service Number | Name and Surname | Unit | Attachment | Date of Attachment | Nature of Attachment | Date of Discharge |
| Lieut. | 14303 | W. J. King | R. Coy | Yes | | | |
| Lieut. | 14304 | M. B. Long | D. J. Coy | Yes | | | |
| Lieut. | 14305 | D. J. Long | F. J. Coy | Yes | | | |
| Chap. | 14306 | G. J. Grover | 2. Chap. | No | | | |
| Chap. | 14307 | B. H. Phillips | Chap. | No | | | |
| Chap. | 14308 | L. M. Chap. | Chap. | No | | | |

PART E—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER UNITS

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
|--|----------------|------------------|-----------|------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| Substantive Rank and Title, Temporary Rank if held | Service Number | Name and Surname | Unit | Attachment | Date of Attachment | Nature of Attachment | Date of Discharge |
| Lieut. | 14309 | W. J. King | R. Coy | Yes | | | |
| Lieut. | 14310 | M. B. Long | D. J. Coy | Yes | | | |
| Lieut. | 14311 | D. J. Long | F. J. Coy | Yes | | | |
| Chap. | 14312 | G. J. Grover | 2. Chap. | No | | | |
| Chap. | 14313 | B. H. Phillips | Chap. | No | | | |
| Chap. | 14314 | L. M. Chap. | Chap. | No | | | |

Signature of Commanding Officer

Date of Discharge

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday/...../194..... (Unit)

W.E. / / OFFRS. O.R's. + OFFRS. O.R's. ATT. BY W.E.

| 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. |
| | | | | W.Os. Class I. | HAOC | 1 | - | - | - |
| - | 1 | - | 1 | W.Os. Class II. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Squadron or Company Quartermaster Sgts. | | | | | |
| - | - | - | 1 | Staff Sergeants | | | | | |
| 1- | 1 | 1 | 3 | Sergeants | ALME | 1 | - | - | - |
| 1 | 1 | - | 5 | Corporals | ALME | 1 | - | 1 | 1 |
| 120 | 120 | - | 26 | Troopers, Privates, etc. | ALME | 21 | - | 6 | 6 |
| | | | | Civilians counting as O.R. | | | | | |
| 15 * | 15 | 1 | 42 * | Totals of cols. marked * should agree with details shown in Part E on Page 2. | | 5 * | - | 7 | 7 * |

* * 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.F. | * | * | TOTAL |
|--------|--------|-----------------|--------------------|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---|---|-------|
| | | Under 19 Years. | 19 Years and over. | | | | | | | | |
| A | #7 | | | | | | [REDACTED] | [REDACTED] | | | #7 |
| B(1) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| B(2) | | | | | | [REDACTED] | | | | | |

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

| Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which they belong | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. | Number of O.Rs. | Unit to which detached. |
|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| 4 | Bat 6 Unit Bat Regt | 3 | applied by B. | | | | |
| 33 | Sgt 6 Unit Bat Regt | 1 | Bat Regt | | | | |
| 4 | 2/8 Unit Bat Regt | 1 | 2/8 Unit Bat Regt | | | | |
| 9 | 2/8 Unit Bat Regt | | | | | | |
| 5 | 2/8 Unit Bat Regt | | | | | | |
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**PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 20/6/1943.**

| 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 | | | | Stevedores | | | |
| Computers | | | | | | | | Riggers | | | | Stokers, Staty. Engine | | | |
| Cooks, Hospital | | | | GROUP II. | | | | Sawyers | | | | Storemen, Technical | | | |
| Coppersmiths | | | | Armourers | | | | Signallers | | | | Tailors | | | |
| Dispensers | | | | Axemen | | | | Signwriters | | | | Textile Refitters | | | |
| Draughtsmen | 2 | 1 | 1 | 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 | | | | GROUP III. | | | | DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN. | | | |
| Fitters (M.V.) | | | | Gun Operator | | | | Battery Surveyors | | | | BATTMEN | 13 | 7 | |
| Fitters, Railway Signal | | | | Hatchman | | | | Butchers | | | | | | | |
| Fitters, Signals | | | | Height Taker | | | | Clerks | 6 | 3 | 3 | | | | |
| Grinder, Precision | | | | Helio Operator | | | | Clerks, Supply | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Instrument | | | | Instrument Operator | | | | Clerks, Technical | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Signals) | | | | Intelligence Duties | 4 | 4 | - | Coach Trimmers | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical) | | | | Joiners | | | | Concretors | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Radio | | | | Lineman | | | | Cooks | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Mechanics, Typewriter | | | | Lineman, Signals | | | | Dental Clerk Orderlies | | | | | | | |
| Mechanics, Wireless | | | | Lithographers | | | | Despatch Riders | | | | ATTACHED BY W.E. | | | |
| Millwrights | | | | Machinists, Metal | | | | Draughtsmen, Signals | | | | | | | |
| Operators, Excavator | | | | Machinists, Wood | | | | Drivers, H.T. | | | | | | | |
| Pattern Maker | | | | Masons | | | | Driver Mechanics | | | | | | | |
| Pharmacist | | | | Masseurs | | | | Driver Tptn. Plant | | | | | | | |
| Photographer, Wet Plate | | | | Mechanics, M.T. | | | | Engine Hands, I.C. | | | | | | | |
| Photewriter | | | | Miners | | | | Equipment Repairers | | | | | | | |
| Plumber | | | | Moulders | | | | Farriers | | | | | | | |
| Saw Doctors | | | | Nurses, Trained | | | | Fitters' Mates | | | | | | | |
| Surveyors | | | | Observation Post Assts. | | | | Gun Layers | | | | | | | |
| CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 2 | 1 | 1 | CARRIED FORWARD | 6 | 5 | 1 | Totals of columns marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively. | 5 | 10 | 5 |
| | | | | | 6 | 5 | 1 | | 15 | 10 | 5 | | 5 | 10 | 5 |

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

Signature of Commanding Officer

Capt.