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18 Infantry Battalion
October - November 1944

WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY.

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Army Form L. 2118
(adapted.)

Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.—From 1 Oct 44 To 4 Oct 44

St 7455

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	1		<p>All denominations attended their respective church parades and later carried out a march past before Bde Comd. The remainder of the day tps were engaged in sports and general adm.</p> <p>A small number of pers attended church service in SINGLETON at 1900 hrs.</p>	
"	2		<p>COs conference at Bde HQ during the morning.</p> <p>Working parties were engaged in construction of Bde Sports ground and cricket wickets at Bde HQ.</p> <p>Education lecture was delivered to tps by the Bde EO -the subject being Post War reconstruction.</p> <p>Pers carrying out trg syllabus took part in a Three mile night compass march.</p> <p>CO attended a Bde Trg Conference at 1000 hrs.</p> <p>An instruction was issued from Bde that VS dvr pers will not drive vehs unless accompanied by Cadre dvr.</p> <p>Bde</p>	
"	3		<p>The Bde Comd was delivered a lectured to Offrs and NCOs and dvr stressing the following points: discipline, swearing, speeding and smoking on vehs.</p>	
"	4		<p>Alternative Rest Day for pers who remained in camp on Unit Rest Day.</p> <p>Work has been continuing on the road making and the construction of Sports area and cricket pitch pitches in bde area. Following offrs marched in to this unit on the 4 Oct - NX 101553 Lt. W.J.Macken. TX13603 H.L.Beams, on completion of tour of duty at 32 A.I.T.B.WX4667 Lt.A.T.Jewell ex LTD and Camp Pell a graduate of Noll course OCTU.</p> <p>An Adjts conference with Staff Capt was held at BdeHQ At 1500 to discuss co-ordination of tpt.</p>	Ref Sig A1184

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Unit I8 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.—From 5 Oct'44

To 10 Oct'44

St 7455

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	5		<p>A Bn parade in preparation for march through SINGLETON on 6 Oct was held in the morning.</p> <p>A Bn cricket team played the 4I/2 Bn at SINGLETON and won. Remaining tps were engaged in swimming and organised sport.</p>	
"	6		<p>The Bde marched into SINGLETON through the town to the Showground where the Bde Comd took the salute. All tps were given leave to 2359 hrs and they attended ring events at the Show. All meals for tps were provided by Bde WILES Cookers at the park in the town.</p>	
"	7		<p>Alternative Rest Day for nucleus pers.</p>	
"	8		<p>Church parade was held for all denominations at 0845 hrs. Washing and adm parades were held during the morning and tps took part in organised sports during the afternoon.</p>	
"	9		<p>A working party was employed at Bde HQ for road construction work.</p> <p>One ATF and 5 CMF emp pers marched out to GDD REDBANK, QLD. on draft.</p> <p>Two sessions of trg film "Prelude to War" were held at open-air theatre at 1900 and 2030 hrs.</p> <p>Instructions were received re movement of draft to Aust Training Centre, CANUNGRA. ETD 13 Oct. I8 Bn to supply DCO and 3 DCNCO's.</p>	<p>Ref Sig A II97</p> <p style="text-align: right;">" " Q IO660</p>
"	10		<p>A conference of Unit T.O. was held at Bde HQ to discuss veh repairs and maintenance.</p>	

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Unit I8 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.—From 11 Oct'44 To 17 Oct'44

St 7455

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	11		Movement instructions were received re Rft Order N 2457 for 68 pers proceeding to Aust Training Centre, CANUNGRA. Train departs 132030k from MAITLAND.	Ref Sig Q IO718
"	12		Tps engaged in cleaning of coy areas and tent lines. Bde sports afternoon, tps took part in tennis, cricket and swimming. Silent pictures were held at open-air theatre at 1930 hrs. Last minute kit and equipment inspections for draft pers were conducted by Draft Inspecting Offr.	
"	13		The draft of 68 pers for CANUNGRA moved out at 1900 hrs deficient one Mtr AIF.	" " A 1205
"	14		Alternative Rest Day for tps on nucleus party.	
"	15		The Bde Church Parade was held in I8 Bn Lecture Hut at 0845 hrs. The remainder of the morning was taken up with washing pa rades and general adm.	
"	16		A new system of veh marking was adopted throughout the Bde. I8 Bn veh number is now I8/56 instead of the 56 used previously.	
"	17		Work parties were formed to erect supports for new Beer-Garden being constructed adjacent to canteen building. Mai Elliott was appointed Inspecting Offr for all draft pers referred to in Rft Order N 2567. I8 Bn is to supply 10 riflemen AIF and 4 riflemen CMF to proceed to Aust Trg Centre, CANUNGRA.	" " A 10846

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Unit I8 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.—From 17 Oct'44 To 23 Oct'44

St 7455

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	17(contd)		<p>New leave arrangements have been issued commencing from today, Monday, Wednesday and Saturdays - Overnight leave will be granted from 1500 hrs on Tuesdays to 2359 hrs on Wednesdays.</p> <p>Owing to shortage of pers for routine duties, I8 Bn will not take part in the march of the Bde to GESSNOCK in aid of the Second Victory Loan.</p>	
"	18		The CO returned from LHQ School of MT. Seniors Offrs Course 28 at SEYMOUR, VIC.	
"	19		<p>A draft of personnel forming a comp coy from within the Unit was det to HQ I Aust Div for general duties. Tour of duty is expected to last approx 7 weeks. Tps under comd of Maj Vernon with Capt Griffin 2/c.</p> <p>Bde Sports Afternoon, swimming, tennis cricket.</p> <p>Capt Swaney Unit M O was deta to 70 Aust Camp Hosp. Greta, for one week's duration.</p>	
"	20		Routine camp duties.	
"	21		Rest Day for Nucleus Party.	
"	22		<p>Bn Church Pde was held at 0845hrs. The remainder of the morning tps were engaged on washing pdes and personal adm. In the afternoon organised sports, swimming tennis and cricket.</p> <p>9 pers moved out on draft to Aust Trg Centre. CANUNGRA</p>	Ref Sig Q10937
"	23		Bde Educ Offr conducted Discussion Group in lecture hut.	

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Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.—From 23 Oct'44 To 30 Oct'44.

St 7455

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	23(contd)		The subjects under discussion were the Australian Constitution and the PHILIPPINE Islands. The Int Sec carried out a recce of compass march checking points vic camp area.	
"	24		A working party from Sig Pl reported to Bde HQ for electrical installation job. Pers proceeding to NEWCASTLE and MAITLAND for Rest Day leave departed SINGLETON on the 1545 hrs train.	
"	25		Bn Rest Day, nucleus party remained in camp to carry out routine duties. Owing to shortage of pers activities of unit are mainly confined to general camp duties.	
"	26		General duties during th morning and pers who could be spared in the afternoon took part in Bde sports.	
"	27		General duties during the day; a training film was screened in the evening at the open-air theatre.	
"	28		Alternative Rest Day .	
"	29		Church parades in the morning were attended by all ranks In the afternoon tennis and swimming and organised sports were held.	
"	30		Pers carried out routine duties and tra. Infm was received from Second Aust Army re disbandment of unit.	See copy of order att.

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Date and Time.—From 30 Oct'44 To 31 Oct'44

St 7455

Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	31		Pers proceeded on Rest Day leave to NEWCASTLE at 1445 Hrs.	

War Diary

R E S T R I C T E D

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1.

By

Lt. Col. C.H. NEVILLE, Comd.

18 AUST INF BN

18 Aust Inf Bn
AUSTRALIA
31 Oct. '44

Serial. 51/44
Nos. 145 -

145. PERSONNEL TRAVELLING ON 2230K TRAIN EX NEWCASTLE ON SATURDAY NIGHTS:

Personnel returning ex NEWCASTLE on Saturday nights must NOT travel on train ex NEWCASTLE 2230K. Special troop train departs NEWCASTLE 2251K and ALL personnel MUST travel on this train.

Failure to comply with this instruction will result in cessation of Saturday Special, and disciplinary action will be taken against any offenders.

146. INCOME TAX - MEMBERS WITH DEPENDANTS RESIDENT OVERSEAS: (GRO F.377/44.)

1. The Income Tax Assessment Act provides for the rebate of tax to a taxpayer in respect of his wife and children resident in Australia.

2. A member of the AMF who married in a country other than Australia and whose wife or children are not resident in Australia is not entitled to such rebate. As the non-allowance might cause hardship, any member affected is requested to apply, through his pay representative for a remission of tax.

3. A member applying for such remission will furnish -

- (a) his name in full and all regimental particulars; and
- (b) the names and addresses of his dependants,

and will advise whether -

- (i) his wife and children are wholly maintained by him;
- (ii) his wife's separate income exceeds £50 per annum (Australian); and
- (iii) it is his intention, as soon as war conditions permit and transport is available, to bring his wife and children to reside in Australia.

4. The application will be forwarded by the pay representative to the Director of Finance Administration, LHQ, who will refer the case to the Taxation Department for consideration.

147. ISSUES OF CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT TO PERSONNEL - RECORDS OF: (GRO O.369/44.)

APPENDIX "B"

1. Personal equipment cards (AAFs F204) are being introduced as records of personal equipment on issue to all members of the AMF on full time duty and will be issued whether personal equipment is on issue to them or not.

2. Members will carry AAF F204 at all times, subject to the same conditions as if it were part of AAB 83. AAF F204 will be carried in the cover provided for AAB 83.

3. Members will be required to sign in the column provided on unit's "Statement of Clothing and Necessaries" or "Statement of Personal Equipment", respectively, for all issues of clothing or personal equipment made to them, except where issues are made in exchange for articles withdrawn, i.e. on a one for one basis. Before the member signs for the articles, he will ensure that the blank squares on the appropriate line of the statement are ruled through.

4. Whenever an article which has been entered in a member's AAB 83 or AAF F204 is withdrawn from him, and no article is being issued in replacement, it is the duty of the unit QM to issue and the duty of the member to obtain a receipt on AAF F25A for the article handed over. Members are required to keep these receipts and to produce them when called upon to do so.

5. Members will take reasonable care to prevent loss, destruction or undue wear of personal and unit equipment and clothing on issue to them. Failure to take such care will be regarded as an offence. Disciplinary action will be taken, in accordance with GRO A.727/1943, in all cases where loss, destruction or unfair wear of an article appears to be due to culpable neglect on the part of the member.

148. DCM: N460389 Pte. PEAK, J.W. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by Col. L.E. Vail, was held at HQ NSW L of C Area on 9/10/44, for the trial of N460389, Pte. PEAK, J.W., 18 Aust Inf Bn.

The accused was charged with Desertion (AWL from 0630hrs on 28/6/44 to 0130 hrs on 4/10/44)

The Court found the accused is not guilty of desertion but is guilty of AWL.

The Court sentenced the accused on 9/10/44, to detention for 6 mths.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 4 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 12/10/44, by Col. Vail.

The date for review of sentence was fixed for 9/1/45.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at 2 Aust Fd Camp on 12/10/44.

149. DCM: NX178495 Pte. RYAN, C.F. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by G.O.C. NSW L of C Area was held at HQ NSW L of C Area on 2 Sep '44 for the trial of NX178495, Pte. RYAN, C.F. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

The accused was charged with AWL from 0645 hrs on 20/7/44 until 1900 hrs on 29/8/44.

The Court found the accused guilty of the charge.

The Court sentenced the accused on 2/9/44 to undergo detention for 90 days.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 4 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 21/9/44 by Col. L.E. Vail, General List.

The date for review of sentence was fixed for 2/11/44.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at 14 A.D.B on 2/10/44.

150. DCM: N130647 Pte. GILES, H.A. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by Col. L.E. Vail, was held at HQ NSW L of C Area on 10/10/44, for the trial of N130647 Pte. GILES, H.A. - 18 Aust Inf Bn.

The accused was charged with Desertion (AWL from 0645 hrs on 22/6/44 to 2000 hrs on 5/10/44).

The Court found the accused is not guilty of desertion but is guilty of A.W.L.

The Court sentenced the accused on 10/10/44, to detention for 9 mths.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 4 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 13/10/44, by Col L.E. Vail.

The date for review of sentence was fixed for: Not to be reviewed. The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at 2 Aust Gd Comp on 13/10/44.

M. J. Joddard
.....Lt
A/Adjt, 18 Aust Inf Bn.

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N O T I C E S.

SHORTAGE OF DRINKING GLASSES IN CANTEEN

In view of the acute shortage of glasses and the difficulty found in replacing those lost and broken, troops are warned to be especially careful of canteen glasses, as undue losses may result in beer restrictions.

A R T I L L E R Y R A N G E.

The Artillery ranges are out of bounds unless properly engaged by units. All Officers will take the names and units of unauthorised troops found in the area and also check the passes of all civilians.

D R E S S.

Incorrect dress e.g. troops moving about in camp area without hats and without shirts is still prevalent. Dress as laid down will be strictly adhered to.

D O G S.

All dogs found in the camp area after 1 Nov '44 will be destroyed.

BOOKLET - "AN OFFICIAL GUIDE TO SYDNEY FOR MEN AND WOMEN OF THE
SERVICES"

Attention of all ranks is directed to the abovementioned booklet, which is being distributed free by the Australian Comforts Fund through Aust Army Amenities Service (NSW Area).

The purpose of the booklet is to provide men and women of the Services with handy, concise information for guidance when on leave.

TRAINING SYLLABUS.

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	R E M A R K S.	
Monday 16 Oct. 44	0830 - 0920	Educational. CAB. Discussion	CAB Vol. No. 6 No. 2 PHILLIPINES	Bde Educ. & Coy Offr.	
	0920 - 1010	"	"		
	1010 - 1020	REST - Lecture Care of feet	Ref 1940 Pam Notified Army Orders 31 Aug '40	Tps may smoke.	
	1020 - 1115	Compass - Prismatic. Night March	MMRFS Sec 64, 65, 68 Appx II para 1/5		
	1115 - 1200	Grenade, Throwing	SAT PAM 13 Page 14		
	1300 - 1420	ROUTE MARCH on Road	Route: Ref SINGLETON 1"	Strict march discipline, control by whistle - fixed bayonets.	
	1420 - 1510	"	Sheet BHQ - Whittingham Ry.		
	1510 - 1520	"	NEWINGTON LANE to 215714		
	1520 - 1610	"	and return.		
	1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & RT Chap II Table III	Tps strip to waist.	
	1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG - Compass March		See Appx "A" for Route. I Sec will supply guides to checking points.	
Tuesday 17 Oct. 44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet - on gd, hip firing controlled changes	SAT PAM 12 Less. 1.	Men wear equipment.	
	0920 - 1010	Map Reading, Protractor	ATM 13 Supp MR	Shortage of protractors may mean that periods will have to be out of the order shown on syllabus.	
	1010 - 1020	REST, Lecture "Health of Tps"	"The Offr & fighting efficiency Page 7.	Tps may smoke.	
	1020 - 1115	Grenade - No. 69 Mk. I.	SAT pam. 13 Less 5	Observe safety precautions when throwing.	
	1115 - 1200	Bayonet - Trg Stick	SAT pam. 12 less 3.	Men wear equipment.	
	1300 - 1420	Rifle - snap shooting	SAT pam. 3 less 18.		
	1420 - 1510	Field Craft - mov by day	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics Secs 3 & 11.		
	1510 - 1520	REST, Lecture ESPRI DE CORPS	ATM 31 part 1 para 2. Offr & fighting & Efficiency Chap. II	Tps may smoke.	
	1520 - 1610	Field Craft - Mov by day	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec, Pl Tactics Sec 3 and 11.		
		1610 - 1630	P.T.	P&RT Chap IV Table 3.	Tps strip to waist.
		1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG. Visual Trg Films -	C. 433 B.M.I. 1 C4716, C. 99.	

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS.
Wednesday 18 Oct	0830 - 1630	ROUTE MARCH - CROSS COUNTRY MAP READING	Route. SINGLETON MAP, BHQ - X Rds - BALDWINS HILL (ref 221591) VERE (Ref 142589) Camp. MESS, Vic Ref 161590 MMRFS Chap VIII 52/55	DRESS: Shirts, shorts, Battle Order, felt hats. Strict march & water discipline. Practical revision at suitable intervals on march.
Thursday 19 Oct.	0830 - 0920	Bayonet , Trg Sticks, Butt Stroke, emergency	SAT pam.12 Less 3	Men wear equipment.
	0920 - 1010	Grenade - Discharger	SAT pam. 13 less 3.	
	1010 - 1020	REST, Lecture, Fitting of Eqpt	"PATTERN 1937 WEB" 1941	Tps may smoke.
	1020 - 1115	Field craft, Movment by day	Inf Trg part VIII Sec & Pl tactics, Sec 3 & 11	Practice revision untill all ranks are familiar with methods laid down
	1115 - 1200	" "	" "	" "
	1300 - 1700	SPORTS: All personnel will engage in some sporting activity. arrangements with Unit Sports Offr.		Coys will make necessary
Friday 20 Oct	0830 - 0920	Bayonet. On Gd controlled charge	SAT pam. 12 less 1.	
	0920 - 1010	Map Reading - Grids	ATM 13 Supp M.R.	
	1010 - 1020	REST, Lecture, Malaria Mosquito	ATM 31 Supp, lecture No.8	Tps may smoke
	1020 - 1115	AUSTEN SMG	SAT Pam.15 Part 1 Less 1 & 2	
	1115 - 1200 1300 - 1420	Application of fire, J.D. Application of fire J.D.	SAT pam.2 Chap II Less 2. SAT pam 2 Chap II less 4	(Include JD test on all NCOs, (written report to Bn on standar (RQM for figure targets.
	1420 - 1510	Camouflage , Lecture	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics.	
	1510 - 1520	REST Lecture, Malaria Mosquito	ATM 31 Supp lect. No.8, sec 4 para 13,14,15.	Tps may smoke,
	1520 - 1610	Camouflage - practical demo.	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl tactics paras 15,16,17.	
	1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R T Chap IV Table 3.	Men strip to waist.
	1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG Vis Trg, Malaria Lecture by RMO.	Films C.209 USC 19.	

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS.
Saturday 21 Oct	0830 - 0920	Bayonet, Points, Trg Stick	SAT pam.12 less 3.	
	0920 - 1010	Map Reading - Grids	ATM 13 Supp.	
	1010 - 1020	REST, Lecture, Malaria Nets	ATM 31 supp lect No.9	Tps may smoke.
	1020 - 1115	LMG Bren, Handling	SAT pam 4 Less 13/14. Incl Lect.	
	1115 - 1200	LMG Bren, Firing from Tri.	" " "	
	1300 - 1420	Grenade - Smoke, 63 gde	SAT Pam.13 Appx 2 page 62/63	Practical demonstration.
	1420 - 1510	Rifle - Firing behind cover	SAT pam 3 pages 44/49	Tps may smoke.
	1510 - 1520	REST, Lecture Malaria Nets	ATM 31 Supp Less 9	Tps may smoke.
	1520 - 1610	Field craft - PREPARE FOR BATTLE	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec 4	Practical revision.
1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R T Chap IV Table 3.		
Sunday 22 Oct		Church Parade Coy Adm. Sport as per Unit Sports Officer's arrangements.		

.....Major
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APPENDIX "A".
NIGHT COMPASS MARCH
of approx 6 miles

Leg	Start Point	Bearing	Distance	Object	Ref os S.P.
1	WATERHOLE	MAG 168 degrees	1550 yds	HOUSE	SINGLETON 1" 173669
2.	HOUSE	" 156 "	1100 "	STUD FARM	" 174654
3.	STUD FARM	" 132 "	1050 "	SHED	" 177643
4.	SHET	" 226 "	1300 "	WATERHOLE	" 184636

TRAINING SYLLABUS

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS
Monday 23 Oct '44	0830 - 1010	Educational, CAB.Discussion	CAB Vol.No.6 No.2 PHILLIPINES	Coy Offr.
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period.		
	1020 - 1115	Instrs' Quiz	"Hints to Instrs on principles of Instn."	Coy Comd will conduct this quiz personally, all Offrs & NCOs will take part.
	1115 - 1200	M.I. Unarmed combat	P&RT '41 chap.9 paras 7/22.	
	1300 - 1420	ROUTE MARCH on Road	Route: Ref SINGETON 1"	Strict march discipline, control by whistle -- fixed bayonets.
	1420 - 1510	"	Sheet BHQ - Whittingham Ry.	
	1510 - 1520	"	NEWINGTON LANE to 215714	
1520 - 1610	"	and return.		
1610 - 1630	P & R T	P & RT '41 Table 1 Pts 1&2.	Strip to waist.	
1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG - Compass March		See Appx"A" for Route. I Sec will supply guides to checking points.	
Tuesday 24 Oct '44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet - on gd, hip firing controlled changes	SAT PAM 12 Less.1.	Equipment worn.
	0920 - 1010	Map Reading, Protractor	ATM 13 Supp MR & FS	Practical test all personnel.
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1115	Grenade - No.69 Mk.I.	SAT PAM 13 Less 5.	Observe safety precautions when throwing.
	1115 - 1200	Bayonet - Trg Stick	SAT pam.12 less 3	Equipment worn.
	1300 - 1420	Rifle - snap shooting	SAT pam 3 less 18.	
	1420 - 1510	Field Craft - mov by day	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics Secs 3 & 11.	
	1510 - 1520	Rest Period.		
	1520 - 1610	Field Craft - mov by day	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics Sec 3 and 11.	
	1610 - 1630	P & R T	P&RT Chap. Table 1. pts 1 & 2.	Strip to waist.
1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG. Visual Trg Films P.I.T.A & Sabotage	(R.11, R.12, X.2) Trg Officer - Lecturer		

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS
25 Oct '44 Wednesday	0830 - 1630	ROUTE MARCH - CROSS COUNTRY MAP READING	Route. SINGLETON MAP, BHQ - X Rds - BALDWINS HILL (ref 221591) VERE (Ref 142589) Camp. MESS, Vic Ref 161590 MMRFS Chap VIII 52/55	DRESS: Shirts, shorts, Battle Order, felt hats. Strict march & water discipline. Practical revision at suitable intervals on march.
Thursday 26 Oct '44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet, Trg Sticks, Butt Stroke, emergency	SAT pam 12. Less 3	Equipment worn.
	0920 - 1010	Visual Trg - Secret Comm.	Strip Film No.X.3	Trg Offr - Lecturer
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1200	Educational Discussion - Aust Political Scene - Convict Colony to Nation	"A.A.E.S Course No.46 Chapter 1.	To be conducted on similar lines to CAB - Summary of facts and discussion.
	1300 - 1700	SPORTS: All personnel will engage in some sporting activity. Coys will make necessary arrangements with Unit Sports Offr.		
Friday 27 Oct '44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet. On Gd controlled charge	SAT pam.12 less 1.	
	0920 - 1010	Visual Trg. Enemy Weapons "Taisho"	Strip Film Nos L.5, L.6	Trg Offr - Lecturer.
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1115	Austen SMG	SAT pam.15 Part 1 Less 1 & 2	M.I.
	1115 - 1200	Application of fire J.D.	SAT pam.2 Chap.II Less 2.	Include JD test on all NCOs, written report to Bn on standard RQM for figure targets.
	1300 - 1420	Application of fire J.D.	SAT pam 2 Chap.II Less 4.	
	1420 - 1510	Camouflage, Lecture - "Prepare for Battle"	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics Sec 4.	
	1510 - 1520	Rest Period		
	1520 - 1630	Camouflage - practical demo	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics paras 15,16,17.	
1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG, Vis Trg. Films A.F.V& L.C	Strip Film Nos T.1, T.3,N.1	To be followed by a questionnaire and discussion on recent employ- ment of types according to charac- teristics.	

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS.
Saturday 28 Oct'44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet, Points, Trg Stick	SAT pam.12 less 3.	M.I.
	0920 - 1010	Map Reading - Grids	ATM 13 Supp MR & FS	
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1200	Educational Discussion - Aust Political Scene - Federal System	A.A.E.S. Course 46. Chapter II.	To be conducted on similar lines to CAB - Summary of facts follow by discussion.
	1300 - 1420	Grenade - Smoke, 63 grenade	SAT Pam.13 Appx 2 pages 62/63	Practical demonstration.
	1420 - 1510	Field Craft - Prepare for Battle	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec.4.	All will participate.
	1510 - 1520	Rest Period		
	1520 - 1610	Field craft - PREPARE FOR BATTLE.	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec 4.	Practical revision.
	1610 - 1630	P & R T	P&RT '41. Table.II Pts 1 & 2	Strip to waist.
Sunday 29 Oct'44		Church Parade Coy Adm. Sport as per Unit Sports Officer's arrangements.		

C.H. Nevillie...Lt.Col.
(C.H. NEVILIE)
Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

APPENDIX "A"
NIGHT COMPASS MARCH - APPROX 6 MILES

Leg	Start Point	Bearing	Distance	Object	Ref of S.P.
1	WATERHOLE	MAG 168 degrees	1550 yds	HOUSE	SINGLETON 1" 173669
2	HOUSE	" 156 "	1100 "	STUD FAR	" 174654
3	STUD FARM	" 132 "	1050 "	SHED	" 177643
4	SHED	" 226 "	1300 "	WATERHOLE	" 184636
5	WATERHOLE	" 23 "	1050 "	HOUSE	" 173628
6	HOUSE	" 295 "	1150 "	X RDS	" 169643
7	X RDS	" 308 "	600 "	WATERHOLE	" 169643
8	WATERHOLE	" N $\frac{1}{2}$ "	2300 "	WATERHOLE S.P.	" 165648.

TRAINING SYLLABUS

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS
Monday 30 Oct '44	0830 - 1010	Educational. Lecture	Re conquest of S.E. ASIA	Bde Education Offr.
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1115	CAB Discussion. Shipping and the Empire	CAB Vol. No.6, No.4.	Lt. P. Jenkins.
	1115 - 1200	M.I. Unarmed combat	P & RT '41 Chap.9.paras 7/22	
	1300 - 1420	ROUTE MARCH on Road	Route: Ref SINGLETON 1 st	Strict march discipline, control by whistle - fixed bayonets.
	1420 - 1510	"	Sheet BHQ - Whittingham Ry	
	1510 - 1520	"	NEWINGTON IANE to 215714	
	1520 - 1610	"	and return.	
1610 - 1630	P & R T	P & R T '41 Table 1 Pts 1&2.	Strip to waist.	
1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG - Visual Trg. Films - "Keiki" - LMG. Offensive, CW Equipment	Strip Film Nos L.7,Q.5.	Trg Offr - Lecturer.	
Tuesday 31 Oct '44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet - Trg Stick	SAT Pam.12 Less 3.	Equipment worn.
	0920 - 1010	Map Reading, Route Selection from Relief etc.	Man. M R & F S	Practical test all personnel.
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1115	Grenade - No.69 Mk.I.	SAT PAM 13 Less 5.	Observe safety precautions when throwing.
	1115 - 1200	Physical Efficiency Tests	Man. P & R T '41.	
	1300 - 1420	Rifle-Snap shooting	SAT pam 3 less 18.	
	1420 - 1510	Field Craft - mov by day	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics Secs 3 para 11.	
	1510 - 1520	Rest Period		
	1520 - 1610	Field Craft - mov by night	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics Sec 3, para 12.	
	1610 - 1630	P & R T	P & R T Chap. Table 2, pts 1 & 2.	Strip to waist.
	1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG. Visual Trg Films P.I.T.A. & Sabotage.	(R.11, R.12, X.2.	Trg Officer - Lecturer.

Leg	Start Point	Bearing	Distance	Object	Ref of S.P.
5	WATERHOLE	Mag 23 degrees	1050 yds	HOUSE	SINGLETON 1" 173628
6	HOUSE	" 295 "	1150 "	X RDS	" 178637
7	X RDS	" 308 "	600 "	WATERHOLE	" 169643
8	WATERHOLE	" 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	2300 "	WATERHOLE S.P.	" 165648.

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War Diary

MORTAR PL

Date	Times	Subject	References	Remarks
MON 9 OCT 44	0830 - 09 ²⁰	Educational & C.A.B.	C.A.B. Vol 5 No. 1 ² "Oil & War"	Bde Education Offr & Coy Offr
	09 ²⁰ - 10 ¹⁰	do	do	Tps may smoke.
	10 ¹⁰ - 10 ²⁰	do	do	Over gd free from obstacles.
	10 ²⁰ - 11 ¹⁰	Bayonet Trg - on gd, hip firing, controlled charge	S.A.T. Pam 1 ² less 1.	Eqpt to be worn.
	11 ¹⁰ - 12 ⁰⁰	Rifle, timing instruction.	S.A.T. Pam 3 Sec 2 less 6,7,8.	Revision.
	13 ³⁰ - 14 ²⁰	Road route march		Strict march discipline, whistle control, route from O.C.Trig.
	14 ²⁰ - 15 ¹⁰	do		Tps may smoke.
	15 ¹⁰ - 15 ²⁰	Rest - lecture "Sentry Posts"	A.T.M.30 Part 1 para 1	Particular attention to compliments without hat.
	15 ²⁰ - 16 ¹⁰	Saluting	Dismounted Drill M.T.P.18 1944 Sec 33,10 ² ,10 ³ .	Tps strip to waist.
	16 ¹⁰ - 16 ³⁰	F.T.	P & R.T.Chap III Table 1 part 1,2,4.	With B Coy.
19 ¹⁵ - 2 ¹³⁰	Night Vis Trg film			
TUE 10 OCT 44	0830 - 09 ²⁰	General description	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 1	
	09 ²⁰ - 10 ¹⁰	Fall in - take post.	13	
	10 ¹⁰ - 10 ²⁰	Rest - lecture "Effect of S.A."	"A.T. . 29 part 1 para 6.	
	10 ²⁰ - 11 ¹⁰	Mount & Dismount Mortar	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 20	
		rough gd	do	
		do clear gd	do	
	11 ¹⁰ - 12 ⁰⁰	Procedure on charge ordered	do	Tps may smoke
	12 ⁰⁰ - 14 ²⁰	Rest - lecture "Esprit"	A.T.M. 31 part 1 para 2	
	14 ²⁰ - 15 ¹⁰	Ammunition	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 2.	
	15 ¹⁰ - 15 ²⁰	Maintenance	do 3	
15 ²⁰ - 16 ¹⁰	P.T.	P & R.T. Chap II part table 1,2,4.	Tps strip to waist.	
16 ¹⁰ - 16 ³⁰				

MORT R PL

Date	Times	Subject	References	Remarks
WED				
11 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Laying for direction	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 7.	
	0920 - 1010	Laying for elevation	do 8	
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecture "Jap secret pocket"	A.T.M. 3 Part II para 9	Tps may smoke.
	1020 - 1110	To lay the Mortar	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 21.	
	1110 - 1200	To lay on posts	do	
	1330 - 1420	To lay on Aux Aim Mk	do 23	
	1420 - 1510	Rest - lecture "Mk VII 30 calib"	S.A.T. Pam 3 Part I para 4	Tps may smoke.
	1510 - 1520	Rest - lecture "Mk VII 30 calib"	S.A.T. Pam 3 Part I para 4	Tps may smoke.
	1520 - 1610	Controlled corrections	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 24.	
1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R.T. Part II part table 2,3,4.	Tps strip to wrist.	
THUR				
12 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Pl Drill, quick march, Fronts and flanks, marching.	M.T.M. 18 Sec 27,38,39,40.	
	0920 - 1010	Bayonet - The point.	S.A.T. Pam 12 less 2.	
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecture - "Mortars in Mountain Terrain"	A.T.M. 34 Part II para 9.	Tps may smoke.
	1020 - 1110	Compass, Prismatic & Observing	M.M.R.F.S. Sec 64,65,68,1/5.	Particular attention to p.14.
	1110 - 1200	Compass prismatic & Night marching	do Appx II para 1/5.	
	1330 - 1630	Sports - separate instruction will be issued by unit sports offr.		Sports available incl Swimming, Tennis, Cricket, Basket Ball. ALL PERSONNEL WILL ENGAGE IN SPORT.
FRI				
13 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Rapid corrections	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 25	
	0920 - 1010	Methods of obtaining direction	do 45	
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecture "Jap H.E. Am"	A.T.M. 34 Part II para 11	Tps may smoke
	1020 - 1110	Action on Misfire	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 26.	
	1110 - 1200	Action and Cease firing	do 30,33.	
	1330 - 1420	Ranging	do 46	
	1420 - 1510	Ranging	do 46	
	1510 - 1520	Rest - Field Signals	do 46	Tps may smoke
	1520 - 1610	Field Signals	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 11	
1610 - 1630	P.T.	S.A.T. Pam 9 less 11		

M.M.G. PL

Y.S. SPECIALIST PERSONNEL SYLLABUS

Date	Times	Subject	References	Remarks
MON 9 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Educational and C.A.B.	O.A.B. Vol 5, No. 12 "Oil & War"	Bde Education Offr & Coy Offr.
	0920 - 1010	do	do	
	1010 - 1020	do	do	
	1020 - 1110	Bayonet Trg, On Gd, hip firing, controlled charge.	S.A.T. Pam 12, less 1.	Over gd free from obstacles. Egpt to be worn.
	1110 - 1200	Rifle - Aiming instruction	S.A.T. Pam 3, Sec 2, less 6,7,8,	Revision.
	1330 - 1420	Road Route march		Strict march discipline, whistle control, route from O.C.Trig.
	1420 - 1510	do		Tps may smoke.
	1510 - 1520	Rest - lecturette "Sentry Posts"	A.T.M. 30 Part 1 para 1.	Particular attention to compliments without hat.
	1520 - 1610	Saluting	Dismounted Drill M.T.P. 18,1944 Sec 33, 102, 103.	
	1610 - 1630	I.T.	P & R.T. Chap III Table 1, part 1, 2, 4,	Tps strip to waist. - with B Coy.
	1915 - 2130	Night Visual Trg Film.		
TUE 10 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	M.M.G. Stripping	S.A.T.Pam 7 less 13-14	
	0920 - 1010	M.M.G. E.G.D. Take Post Mount Gun	" " 7 " 45-46	
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period-lecture "Jap secret pocket"	A.T.M. 3 Part II, 9.	Tps may smoke
	1020 - 1110	M.M.G. E.G.D. Take Post Mount Gun	S.A.T.Pam 7 Less 45-46.	
	1110 - 1200	M.M.G. Stripping.	" " " 15-16	
	1330 - 1420	M.M.G. Aiming	" " " 29, para 1-3	
	1420 - 1510	M.M.G. Spare Parts	" " " 19-20.	
	1510 - 1520	Rest-lecture Mk VII .303 cartridge	" " 3 Part 1 para 4	
	1520 - 1610	M.M.G. Cleaning	" " 7	
	1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R.T. Part II part table 2,3,4.	Tps strip to waist.

M.M.G. PL.

Date	Times	Subject	References	Remarks
WED 11 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	M.M.G. Load & Unload action, cease firing.	S.A.T. Pam 7, less 47-48.	
	0920 - 1010	M.M.G. Stripping.	" " " 17	
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecture "Effect of SA"	A.T.M. 29 part 1 para 6.	Tps may smoke.
	1020 - 1110	M.M.G. E.G.D. clear gun, stand clear.	" " " 49	
	1110 - 1200	M.M.G. Maintenance	" " " 8	
	1330 - 1420	" " "	" " " 9	
	1420 - 1510	" " "	" " " 10	
	1510 - 1520	Rest - lecture "Esprit"	A.T.M. 31 part 1 para 2.	
1520 - 1610	M.M.G. E.G.D.	" " " 45, 46, 49.	General revision.	
1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R.T. Chap III part 1, 2, 4.	Tps strip to waist.	
THUR 12 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	P1 Drill Quick March Fronts and Flanks Marching	M.T.P. 18 Sec 27, 38, 39, 40.	
	0920 - 1010	Bayonet - The Point	S.A.T. 12 less 2.	
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecturette "Use of Carriers."	A.T.M. 29 Part 1 para 7	
	1030 - 1110	Compass Prismatic and Observing.	M.M.F.S. Sec 64, 65, 68.	Particular attention to p. 14.
	1110 - 1200	Compass Prismatic and Night marching.	M.M.R.F.S. Appx II para 1/5	
1330 - 1630	Sports - 35 P.V. instructions will be issued by Unit Sports Offr.		Sports available incl swimming, tennis, cricket, basket ball. ALL PERSONNEL WILL ENGAGE IN SPORT.	

M.M.G. PL

Date	Times	Subject	References	Remarks
FRI 13 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Carrier Maintenance, daily and before duty maintenance.	Mech Pam No. 7, 1941 sec 12.	
	0920 - 1010	Carrier Maintenance, 50 mile.	and L.H.Q. Carrier Sch notes.	
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecture "Jap H.E. Amn."	A.T.M. 34 part II para 11	Tps may smoke away from veh.
	1020 - 1110	Carrier Group System Maintenance	Mech Pam No. 7 1941 Sec 12	
	1110 - 1200	" Current Oil Changes	do	
	1230 - 1420	" Driving	do	
	1420 - 1510	Drill 4. [unclear]	do Sec 11	
	1510 - 1520	Rest	M.T.P. 39 Part 11 Appx B & Bl.	Tps may smoke away from veh.
	1520 - 1530	Carrier Drill & Map Reading		
	1930 - 2200	Night Trg, Compass March	do	Route from O.C. Trg - short march 3 miles.
N.B. Periods 1530-1530 - map reading to be practised on route.				
Route will be advised by Bn H.Q.				
SAT 14 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Bn pde		
	0920 - 1010	Bn Drill, Coln of route	Dismounted Drill (All Arms) 1944, sec 122, 123, 124.	Dress - shorts, shirts, drill order, felt hats.
		Mass		
		Regtl Coln		
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecture "Effect of S.A."	A.T.M. 29 part 1 para 6.	
	1020 - 1100	Road Route March		Strict march discipline, whistle control, fixed bayonets.
	1330 - 1420	Bayonet - The Point	S.A.T. Pam 12, less 2	Tps will wear eqpt.
	1420 - 1510	Rifle Aiming	S.A.T. Pam 3, less 8,9,10,11,12.	Revision to test standard of trg.
	1510 - 1540	Lecture - "Water"	A.T.M. Supp 33 lecture no. 3	Tps may smoke 1510 - 1520.
	1540 - 1630	P.T. & Med-Ball Games	P & R.T. Chap III part table 1, 2, 4.	
SUN 15 OCT 44	0830 -	Adm		
	- 1200	Church Parade		
	1330 - 1630	Sports - Inter Bn matches and swimming, basket ball.		Times & Dress from Bn H.Q. As arranged by unit sports offr.

TK. A. PL

Date	Times	Subject	References	Remarks
MON 9 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Educational & C.A.B.	C.A.B. Vol 5 No. 12 "Oil & War"	Wde Education Offr & Coy Offr.
	0920 - 1010	do	do	
	1010 - 1020	do	do	Tps may smoke.
	1020 - 1110	Bayonet Trg, on gd, at hip firing, controlled charge.	S.A.T. Pam 12, less 1.	Over gd from from obstacles. Egpt to be worn.
	1110 - 1200	Rifle - Aiming instruction	do 3, sec 2 less 6,7,8.	Revision.
	1330 - 1420	Road route march		Strict march discipline; whistle con rol, route from C.C.Trig.
	1420 - 1510			Tps may smoke.
	1510 - 1520	Rest - lecture "Sentry Posts"	A.T.M.30 part 1 para 1	Particular attention to
	1520 - 1610	Saluting	Dismounted Drill M.T.P.18 1944, sec 33,102,103.	compliments without hat.
	1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R.T. Chap III table 1 parts 1,2,4.	Tps strip to waist. - with B Coy.
TUE 10 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Intro to 6 pdr Gen characteristics	L.H.Q.School of Arty. - notes.	
0920 - 1010	Mechanism, R & L Trail Legs.	Handbook for 6 pdr, Chap 2.		
1010 - 1020	Rest - lecture "Effect of S.A."	A.T.M.29 part 1 para 6.	Tps may smoke.	
1020 - 1110	Standing Gun Drill	L.H.Q.School of Arty - notes		
1110 - 1200	do	do		
1330 - 1420	Lecture, Organisation of Tk. A Pl - open.	do		
1420 - 1510	Mechanism - Cradle	do		
1510 - 1520	Rest - lecture "Esprit"	A.T.M.31 part 1 para 2.	Tps may smoke.	
1520 - 1610	Mechanism - Axle Tree and Slipper	L.H.Q.School of Arty - notes.		
1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R.T. Chap II part table 1,2,4.		

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Date	Times	Subject	References	Remarks
WED				
11 OCT 44	0830 - 09 ²⁰	Standing Gun Drill	L.H.Q. Sch of Arty - notes.	
	09 ²⁰ - 1010	Gun Drill, Posps in action	do	
	1010 - 10 ²⁰	Rest - lecture "Jap secret pocket"	A.T.M.3 part II para 9	Tps may smoke.
	10 ²⁰ - 1110	Mechanism - revision.	L.H.Q. Sch of Arty - notes.	
	1110 - 12 ⁰⁰	Lecture - Tk Recognition	do	
	1330 - 14 ²⁰	Mechanism, Piece & Shields	do	
	14 ²⁰ - 1510	Gun Drill - Prep for Action	do	
	1510 - 15 ²⁰	Rest - lecture "MkVII .303"	S.A.T. Pam 3 part 1 para 4.	Tps may smoke.
	15 ²⁰ - 1610	Maintenance of Guns		
1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R.T. Part II part table 2,3,4,	Tps strip to waist.	
THUR				
12 OCT 44	0830 - 09 ²⁰	Pl Drill, quick march, Fronts & flanks, marching.	M.T.P.18 Sec 27,38,39,40.	
	09 ²⁰ - 1010	Bayonet - The Point	S.A.T. Pam 12, less 2.	
	1010 - 10 ²⁰	Rest - lecture "Jap H.E. Amn"	A.T.M. 34 Part II para 11.	Tps may smoke.
	10 ²⁰ - 1110	Compass, prismatic & observing	M.M.F.S. Sec 64,65,68.	Particular attention to p.14.
	1110 - 12 ⁰⁰	Compass, prismatic and night marching.	M.M.R.F.S. Appx II para 1/5	
1330 - 1630	Sports - Separate instructions will be issued by Unit Sports Offr.		Sports available incl Swimming, tennis, cricket, basket ball. ALL PERSONNE WILL BE GAGE IN SPORT.	
FRI				
13 OCT 44	0830 - 09 ²⁰	Breach Mechanism	L.H.Q. Sch of Arty - notes.	
	09 ²⁰ - 1010	Gun Drill, Come into action, Cease Firing, Limber up.	do	
	1010 - 10 ²⁰	Rest - lecture "Jap Amn"	A.T.M.34 Part II para 11.	Tps may smoke.
	10 ²⁰ - 1110	Gun Drill, Come-into action, Cease firing, limber up.	L.H.Q. Sch of Arty - notes	
	1110 - 12 ⁰⁰	Recap - Gun Drill and Mech	do	
	1330 - 14 ²⁰	Lecture - Obstacles	do	
	14 ²⁰ - 1510	Mechanism, Pivot Socket, Saddle Sup Bracket.	do	
	1510 - 15 ²⁰	Rest - Field Signals	do	Tps may smoke.
15 ²⁰ - 1610	Maintenance of Guns.			
1610 - 1630	P.T.	P & R.T. Chap III part table 1,2,4.	Tps strip to waist.	

SAT		Route will be by Bn H.Q.	
14 OCT 44	0830 - 0920	Bn pdc	
	0920 - 1010	Bn Drill, Coln of route Mass Regtl Coln	Dismounted Drill (All Arms) 1944, see 122, 123, 124.
	1010 - 1020	Rest - lecturette "Effect of S.A."	A.T.M. 29 part 1 para 6.
	1020 - 1100	Road Route March	
	1130 - 1420	Bayonet - The Point	S.A.T. Pam 12, less 2
	1420 - 1510	Rifle Aiming	S.A.T. Pam 3, less 8,9,10,11,12.
	1510 - 1540	Lecture - "Water"	A.T.M. Supp 33 lecture no. 3
	1540 - 1630	P.T. & Med-Ball Games	P & R.T. Chap III part table 1, 2, 4.
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SUN			
15 OCT 44	0830 -	Adm	
	- 1200	Church Parade	Times & Dress from Bn H.Q.
	1330 - 1630	Sports - Inter Bn matches and swimming, basket ball.	As arranged by unit sports offr.

Dress - shorts, shirts,
drill order, felt hats.

Strict march d scipline,
whistle control, fixed
bayonets.
Tps will wear eqpt.
Revision to test standard
of trg.
Tps may smoke 1510 - 1520.

MESSAGE FORM

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Originator

Date—Time of Origin

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Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

18 bn

(re) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions

GR

RTO, Singleton

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 10937

ref aft order N2568 ser 2 Dacca

*secured train departing SINGLETON 221746K arriving BRISBANE
231838K O report RTO on arrival BRISBANE for onward mt @
unit issue A19 F59 rail warrant @ provide DCMCO
advise completion*

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TO *13/33 bn 18 bn 4 1/2 Bn*
(re) For Information (INFO.)

For Action

ACTION

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Message Instructions

GR

AT

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RETURN THIS COPY TO I SECTION

ORIGINATOR'S No.

A 10846

*ref aft order N 25670 Maj BLWOTY
 (18 Bn) inspecting affrs for three units @ advise date
 ready to move @ move arrangements advised later @
 18 Bn supply DC officer @ 13/33 Bn and ~~18~~ 4 1/2 Bn
 each 1 DC NCO*

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[Signature]

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18 Km

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

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1 Bde

(re) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions

GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

W1205

Ref. your P 10713 and Rfc Order
of 2457 Serial B 68 personnel info. 18 Km
13 Oct 44 Draft deficient Mortar AIF
(On leave)

ACTION

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AT 0830 HRS

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TO	For Action 13/33 Bn 18 Bn 4 1/2 Bn	COMPLETED BY
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ACTION

Message Instructions

GR

AT — HRS

RETURN THIS COPY TO I SECTION

ORIGINATOR'S No. Q 10718 ref Hq order N2457 @ train departs
WEST MAITLAND 132030 K @ report RTO there 131930K @ Unit
A 19's in batches 40 rail warrants to CLAPHAM @ MT
to WEST MAITLAND 18 Bn 6 x 3 TON 13 Bn 2 x 3 ton @
18 Bn take 4 1/2 draft horse between units @ advise
completion departed

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by any means { except } Wireless

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enemy hands, this message must be
sent **IN CIPHER**

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121630K		
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MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) 1 bde *Originator* 09 1545K *Date—Time of Origin*

Office Date Stamp

TO 13/33 bn 18 bn 4 1/2 bn *For Action*
(re) *For Information (INFO.)*

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No. Q 1-066 ref aft order H2547 ser 1230 advise numbers date avail
 move @ units appoint areas inspecting affrs @ 18 bn supply name DCO and
 3 DC NCOs @ 13/33 bn supply 1 NCO @ DC pers right through @ probable
 ETD 13 sep mar instructions later

INFORMATION

ACTION

COMPLETED BY

This message may be sent **AS WRITTEN** by any means *except* **Wireless**
 Signed R. [Signature]

Action copy to
 If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent **IN CIPHER** hrs.
 Signed

Originator's Instructions
 Degree of Priority

Time	System	Op
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Time Cleared		

MESSAGE FORM

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FROM (A) 18 Rm		Originator	Date—Time of Origin 09 16 45 R.
TO 1 Rde		For Action	Office Date Stamp
		(w) For Information (INFO.)	Message Instructions GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. A1197 Ref. Reinforcement Order N/2523
 Serial 5 ① 1 AAF² Exp Coy Lab and 5 CAF
 Exp Coy Lab marched out 9 Oct 1915 ①

ACTION
 COMPLETED BY Runner
 1915

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN
 by any means except }
 } Wireless

Signed *[Signature]*

If liable to be intercepted or fall into
 enemy hands, this message must be
 sent IN CIPHER

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Originator's Instructions
 Degree of Priority

Time	System	Op
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MESSAGE FORM

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(A)	18Bw	05/015K

Office Date Stamp

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	(w) For Information (INFO.)	AT 1030 HRS
		RETURN THIS COPY TO I SECTION

Message Instructions	GR
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ORIGINATOR'S No. A1184 Following offrs marched in this unit 4 Oct 44 ©
 N* 101553 Lt D.J. MACKEN TX 13603 Lt H.L. BEARMS completion
 tour of duty 32 Aust Inf Tro Bn authority 11th Div. HQ 1784 of 12 Sep 44
 © WX 4667 Lt H.T. JEWELL ex LTD. CAMP PELL graduate
 No II Course OCTV. posting direction No 665 ©

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ATTACHED ON U.S.

ARM OR CORPS.	Posted Strength	Surplus to U.S.	Detached U.S.	Remains Reqd.
A.A.H.C. Hygiene Inspec	1	0	0	0
H.A.P. Sgt.	1	0	0	0
H.A.P. Cpl. Chiropodist	1	0	0	0
H.A.P. Orderlies	1	0	0	0
A.A.C.C. Shoemaker. Cpl.	1	0	0	0
A.H.H.H. Sgt. Armourer	1	0	0	0
A.H.H.H. Fitters IV Op.I. Cpls.	1	0	0	0
A.H.H.H. Fitters IV Op.I. Ptes	1	0	0	0
A.H.H.H. Fitter Gun Op.I.	1	0	0	0
A.H.H.H. Mech IV Op.II.	1	0	0	0
A.A.C.C. Caterer.	1	0	0	0
A.A.C.C. Sgts.	1	0	0	0
A.A.C.C. Cpls.	1	0	0	0
A.A.C.C. Ptes	1	0	0	0
A.A.P.C. Pay Sgt.	1	0	0	0
A.A.P.C. Pay Cpl.	1	0	0	0
A.A.P.S. Postal Sgt.	1	0	0	0
	50	0	4	4

War Diary

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1.

18 Aust Inf Bn.
AUSTRALIA
6 Oct. '44.

By

Lt. Col. C.H. NEVILLE, Comd
18 AUST INF BN.

Serial. 49/44
No. 139.

139. D.C.M. TX.15237 Pte. FISHER, R.B. - 18 AUST INF BN.

TX.15237 Pte. FISHER, R.B., 18 Aust Inf Bn, was tried by a District Court Martial convened by Major General H.W. Lloyd, Comd. 1 Aust Div, by order dated 1 Sep '44 and held at 18 Aust Inf Bn on 2 Sep '44.

CHARGE: WAS absenting himself without leave from his unit from 0640 hrs on 2 Jul '44 till 1115 hrs on 25 Aug '44 (A.A. 15 (1)).

PLEA: Not guilty.

FINDING: Guilty

SENTENCE: Detention for 90 days.

DATE OF SENTENCE: 2 Sep '44.

DATE OF CONFIRMATION: 5 Sep '44.

CONFIRMING AUTHORITY: Comd 1 Aust Div.

ACTION ON CONFIRMATION: Finding and sentence confirmed.

The accused was 8 days in close arrest awaiting trial and for this period suffers an automatic forfeiture of pay.

PROMULGATED TO ACCUSED ON: 29 Sep '44.

D. J. ...
.....Capt.
Adj. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

DISTRIBUTION.

<u>External</u>		<u>Internal.</u>	
1 Aust Inf Bde	1	C.O.	"A" Coy 2
1 Aust Div	1	2i/c	"B" Coy 2
		Adj. 1	"C" Coy 2
		Pay Sgt	HQ Coy 2
		R.A.P.	"I" Sec 1
		Tot	War Diary 3
		"Q" Store	FILE.

Personnel on leave ^{W/O Pay}
 Posted Strength **NIL.**
 "X" List. **NIL.**

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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

41 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 10 1944 18 Aust Inf Bn (Unit)

YS HOLDING UNIT

W.E. / / OFFRS. 3 O.R's. 198 OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 43 ATT. BY W.E. W.E.

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

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	Lieut.-Colonels					
-	-	-	3	Majors					
-	4	-	5	Captains	A.A.O.L.C.	1	-	-	-
-	4	-	16	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	1	Quarter-masters					
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.					

Detail	A.I.F.		C.M.F.		AWAS	AAMWS	CIVIL	RAN	RAAF	TOTAL.
	"A" Class	"B" Class	"A" Class	"B" Class						
A.	27									27
A. (1)	-									-
A. (2)	3		1							4

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit From.	Date.	Remarks.
NX101553	Lt	Macken, D.J	32 A I T B	5.10.44	1 Aust Div memo AQ.1784 of 12 Sept. '44.
TX.13603	Lt.	Beams, H.L.	"	"	"
WX.4667	Lt.	Jewell, A.T.	O.C.T.U.	"	Posting order No. 655.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
SX.1307	Lt.	Richens, J.L.	Admitted 103 A.G.H.	1.10.44	Tfd to "X" List.
NX104277	Capt.	McDonald, A.W.	Admitted 103AGH	29.9.44	" "
VX113661	Lt	Sanders, G.A.	Admitted to 70 Aust Cmp Hosp	28.9.44	" "

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).

Personnel on leave W/o Pay
 Posted Strength NIL.
 "X" List. NIL.

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS

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41 / 44 (Serial No.)

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 10 1944 18 Aust Inf Bn (Unit)

YS HOLDING UNIT

W.E. / / OFFRS. 34 O.R's. 198 OFFRS. 1 O.R's. 43 ATT. BY W.E. W.E.

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

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	Lieut.-Colonels										
-	-	-	3	Majors										
-	4	-	5	Captains	A.A.G.L.C.	1	-	-	-					
-	4	-	16	Lieutenants										
-	-	-	1	Quarter-masters										
				A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.										
				Civilians Counting as Offrs.										
	8	-	26			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.										
				E.(1)										
				E.(2)										

Part A to be by ALL units. notified in instructions for of form will rt 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.
NX101553	Lt	Macken, D.J	32 A I T B	5.10.44	1 Aust Div memo AQ.1784 of 12 Sept. '44.
TX.13603	Lt.	Beams, H.L.	"	"	"
WX.4667	Lt.	Jewell, A.T.	G.C.T.U.	"	Posting order No. 655.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Unit To.	Date.	CAUSE.
SX.1307	Lt.	Richens, J.L.	Admitted 103 A.G.H.	1.10.44	Tfd to "X" List.
NX104277	Capt.	McDonald, A.W.	Admitted 103AGH	29.9.44	"
VX113661	Lt	Sanders, G.A.	Admitted to 70 Aust Cmp Hosp	28.9.44	"

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).

18 Aust Inf Bn.

Unit

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 7 / 10 / 1944 (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lt.Col.	NX104270	Neville,	C.H	C.O	No.	LHQ Sch of Mech S'mour	28.9.44
Major	NX101569	Elliott,	W	21/c	Yes		
"	NX101559	Brown,	A.S	OC Coy	"		
"	NX101562	Vernon,	J	"	"		
Capt.	NX112770	Hulton,	E.H.B	"	"		
"	NX106355	Cummins,	K.W	"	No.	21 Aust Inf Trg Bn.	
"	NX101561	Griffin,	L.J	OC Coy	Yes		
"	NX183350	Walker,	D.H	Q.M	"		
"	NX101352	Lambert,	B.J	A/Adjt	"		
"	NX104273	Howell,	B.M	21/cCoy	"		
Lieut.	NX101552	Moore,	N.E	OC.Mort	"		
"	NX101553	Macken,	D.J.	Pl.Cond	"		
"	NX125457	Mussett,	E.A	Asst/Adjt	No	Det. 1 Aust Inf Bde	23.9.44
"	NX161865	Wray,	N.A	OC.Carr	Yes		
"	TX.13603	Beams,	H.L.	Pl.Cond	"		
A/Lieut.	NX22924	Harrison,	R.J	"	"		
"	VX.65303	Harbanson,	R	T.O.	"		
"	OX.49420	Rowe,	R.H	Pl.Cond	"		
"	OX.9828	McCartney,	J	"	"		
"	OX.36471	O'Rourke,	K	"	"		
"	OX.38950	Patterson-Kane	J.N	"	"		
"	NX164553	Brown,	J.B	"	"		
"	NX67941	Jenkins,	P.W	Pnr.Pl.	"		
"	VX.20952	Brack,	A.W	Pl.Cond	"		
"	OX.46940	Goddard,	W.H	"	"		
"	WX.4667	Jewell,	A.T	"	"		
<u>ATTACHED ON W.E.</u>							
Capt.	VX.94082	Swaney,	W.E	RMO	yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Capt.	NX.76551	Jessop, C.R	1 Bde	21.9.44	Padre.
"	V.503113	Newman, N	84 A DU	14.9.44	Dentist.
"	NX.77384	Booth, C.S	"	27.9.44	Dentist.
Lieut.	NX129325	Bull, R.H.W	41/2 Bn		Training.

7 Oct. 44.
Date of Despatch

W. Elliott
Signature of Commander Major.
(W. ELLIOTT)
Adm. Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 7 / 10 / 1944 .

Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.	Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reints. Required.
GROUP I.				GROUP I. (cont.)				GROUP II. (cont.)				GROUP III. (cont.)			
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assts.				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	2		2
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletreemakers			
Blacksmiths								Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevedores			
Compositors								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical	1	1	1
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers	9	5	5	Tailors	2	1	1
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters				Textile Reftters			
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Boilermakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters	1	1		Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								R.S.E.	1	1	-
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								R.S.E.S.	1	1	-
Fitters				Driver-Operator								C.S.E.S.	5	4	1
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								BATHEN	10	-	10
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								INC & REPAIRS	47	22	
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								TKA Nos	7	5	2
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators								CSIB	5	5	-
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.			
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Battery Surveyors				Porters	8	6	2
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Butchers	1	1		M.C. Ords	2	-	2
Grinder, Precision				Hello Operator				Clerks	12	12	1	Pioneers	3	3	-
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Supply				R. Police	7	1	6
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties	3	2	2	Clerks, Technical				Str Bns	23	6	21
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Coach Trimmers				Drs H.T.	13	7	9
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Concretors				Storemen	6	-	6
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Cooks				Hygiene	-	1	-
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Dental Clerk Orderlies				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Despatch Riders				A.A.M.C.	4	4	-
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Draughtsmen, Signals				A.A.O.C.	1	1	-
Pattern Maker				Masons				Drivers, H.T.				A.E.M.E.	10	10	-
Pharmacist				Masscers				Driver Mechanics	8	15	-	A.A.P.C.	2	2	-
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, H.T.				Driver Tptn. Plant				Postal	1	1	-
Photewriter				Miners				Engine Hands, L.C.				A.A.C.C.	25	21	4
Plumber				Moulders				Equipment Repairers	1	1	-				
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Farriers							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Fitters' Mates							
								Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	1	1	-	CARRIED FORWARD	5	4	2	CARRIED FORWARD	36	33	8	Totals of columns Marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7, and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	241	166	. 97

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.

7 Oct. '44.
Date of Despatch

2,000 Pads 7/43 B.P.

(W. ELLIOTT) Signature of Commander
Adm. Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

PERSONNEL POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.R.O. A.187/44

SURPLUS W AND NCOs.

Number	Rank	Name	Age D of B	Trade	Ind Class	REMARKS.
HX111721	W.O.II.	O'Donnell,	C.K. 5.8.1900	Band Master	A.1.	
H.17494	Sgt.	X Robertson,	R. 21.6.1894	Hygiene Sgt	B.2.	
HX124134	Sgt.	X Dwyer,	H.W. 9.1.15	Tpt Sgt.	A.1.	
HX.146132	Sgt.	Shelton,	L.V. 26.5.17	Rifleman	A.1.	
HX100088	Sgt.	Butler,	W.H. 16.8.14	Rifleman	B.2.	
HX111564	Sgt.	Gillespie,	R.F. 27.6.18	Rifleman	A.1.	
HX118178	Sgt.	Hunt,	A.T. 1.2.18	B.O.R.S.	A.1.	
HX138882	Cpl.	Sadler,	R.R. 24.3.15	Str Br Cpl.	A.1.	
HX173089	Cpl.	Howard,	C.A. 22.8.09	Str Br Cpl.	A.1.	
HX104683	Cpl.	Fitzgerald,	D.R. 19.12.09	Tpt Cpl.	A.1.	
HX111600	Cpl.	Bartlett,	B.R. 21.11.14	Tpt Cpl.	A.1.	
HX136280	Cpl.	Edwards,	J.F. 3.2.15	Sig Cpl.	A.1.	
HX127663	L/Sgt.	McDonald,	R.J. 15.8.15	Storeman Tech	A.1.	This man is performing the duties of Tech Store Sgt for which there is a vacancy on W.E., but, due to the unit being surplus in Sgts promotion cannot be promulgated.
H.106157	Cpl.	Stewart,	G.C. --	Str Br Cpl.	A.1.	
<p>13 Aust Inf Bn has absorbed NCOs of 6 Aust M.G. Bn and the above surplus represents 15% excess of W.E. as laid down in G.R.O. 187/44 para 4(a) (Second Aust Army A.6010 of 4 Jul '44).</p> <p>X NCOs surplus over 15%.</p>						
<u>ALTERATIONS TO LAST WEEKS RETURN.</u>						
HX.121008	Sgt.	McLaughlin,	D.G. 21.4.20	Rifleman	A.1.	Admitted 16 Aust Camp Hospital 25.9.44 and tfd to "X" list.
HX163895	Cpl.	Gall,	D.R. 25.12.16	Tka Cpl.	A.1.	Tfd 13/33 Aust Inf Bn 2.10.44.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1.

By

Lt. Col. C.H. NEVILLE, Comd.

18 AUST INF BN.

18 Aust Inf Bn.
AUSTRALIA
9 Oct. '44.

Serial. 50/44
Nos. 140 - 144

140. REGIMENTAL TRUST FUND - As at 30 Sep '44.

Funds in Hand 31 Aug '44 164 6 8

ADD

Proportion Profits 6 M.G Bn	7	16	-			
Canteen Profits, July	56	3	6			
HQ Second Aust Army Amenities	252	-	-	315	19	6
				480	6	2

DEDUCT.

Expenditure during Sep '44

Sports Equipment	3	3	7			
Hobbies	1	8	6			
Unit Library	11	16	11			
Mess Improvements		15	-			
Laundry		8	-			
Lighting Improvements		6	-			
Extra Rations	19	16	-	37	14	-

Funds in Hand at 30 Sep '44 £442 12 2

141. AUSTRALIAN ARMY PSYCHOLOGY SERVICE. (GRO A.356/44)

Vacancies for appointment as testing and interviewing sergeants:-

3.(a) Vacancies exist in the Australian Army Psychology Service for testing and interviewing sergeants, who should possess the following qualifications:-

- (i) education to leaving certificate standard or equivalent:
- (ii) good bearing and manner:
- (iii) some formal university or teaching college training in psychology - desirable but not essential.

(b) In filling these vacancies, preference will be given to personnel with operational experience in the present war, especially those who are medically class B1 or B2 or who are over 30 years of age.

(c) Any member possessing the qualifications outlined above may submit to his OC or CO an application for appointment to one of the vacancies.

(d) The application will be in writing and will include the following particulars:-

Army number, rank (substantive and acting), name in full, unit, age, medical classification, date of enlistment, service outside Australia, educational particulars, civil occupation, formal training in psychology.

142. DCM. NX.175455 Pte. COLLIER, NB. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by Col. Vail was held at HQ, NSW L of C Area on 28 Aug '44, for the trial of NX175455 PTE. COLLIER, NB., 18 AUST INF BN.

The accused was charged with A.W.L. from 0630 hrs on 27 June '44, until 1645 hrs on 22 Aug. '44.

The Court found the accused is guilty of the charge except that the absence terminated at 1200 hrs on 22 Aug. '44, when he surrendered to the Civil Police.

The Court sentenced the accused on 28 Aug. '44 to undergo detention for eighteen months and to be discharged from the Defence Force of the Commonwealth of Australia.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 6 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 13 Sept '44, by Col. Vail.

The date for review of sentence was fixed for 28 Nov '45.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at HOLSWORTHY on 21 Sep '44.

143. DCM. VX92524 PTE. REID, C.F. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by Col. Vail, was held at HQ NSW L of C Area on 5 Sep '44, for the trial of VX92524 Pte. REID, C.F., 18 AUST INF BN.

The accused was charged with A.W.L. from 1030 hrs on 19 Jul '44, until 1415 hrs on 1 Sep '44.

The Court found the accused is guilty of the charge.

The Court sentenced the accused on 5 Sep '44 to be fined the sum of £10.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 3 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 16 Sep '44, by Col. Vail.

The result of the trial was not promulgated to the accused owing to his being AWL and the Confirming Authority directed that the above particulars be published in the Routine Orders of 18 Aust Inf Bn.

144. DCM. NX.177288 Pte. NEILL, A.E. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by Col. Vail, was held at HQ, NSW L of C Area on 16 Aug '44 and 17 Aug '44 for the trial of NX177288 Pte. NEILL, A.E. - 18 AUST INF BN.

The accused was charged with: Desertion (AWL from 0630 hrs on 3 June '44 until 1400 hrs on 10 Aug. '44.).

The Court found the accused is not guilty of desertion but is guilty of A.W.L. except that the absence terminated at 1200 hrs on 2 Aug '44.

The Court sentenced the accused on 17 Aug. '44 to undergo detention for one year and to be discharged from the Defence Force of the Commonwealth of Australia.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 7 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding was confirmed by Col. Vail on 18.9.44 who varied the sentence to read "to undergo detention for one year" and confirmed the sentence as so varied.

The date for review of sentence was fixed for: not to be reviewed.

The result of the trial was not promulgated to the accused owing to his having escaped and the Confirming Authority directed that the above particulars be published in the Routine Orders of 18 Aust Inf Bn.

[Handwritten Signature]
.....Capt.
Adjt. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

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DISBANDMENT 18 AUST INF BN

HQ I AUST DIV (IO)

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1. An amendment to the OOB AMF may be anticipated to provide for the deletion of 18 Aust Inf Bn and action will be taken by HQ I AUST DIV as follows :-

DISBAND

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18 AUST INF BN

2. All young soldiers on holding strength of 18 Aust Inf Bn will be transferred to the holding strength of 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns under arrangements to be made by HQ I Aust Div.
3. Pers posted against the authorised restricted WE of this unit will be disposed of by absorption, as far as possible, within the authorised restricted WE's of 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns.
4. After implementation of para 3 above, the remaining pers will be disposed of as follows :-
 - (a) Officers - in accordance with GRO 139/44.
Pro forma submitted to HQ Second Aust Army will in all cases include particulars of civil and military qualifications of the officers concerned.
Particulars of officers transferred in accordance with para 3 will be immediately forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army.
 - (b) WOs and NCOs will be reverted to their substantive ranks and posted in accordance with GRO 187/44.
 - (c) ORs will be placed at the disposal of 2 Ech for re-allotment in accordance with existing priorities. HQ I Aust Div will arrange the early submission to HQ Second Aust Army of the pers available for disposal on Appendices "A" and "B" attached.
 - ((d) Personal arms and equipment will be retained by all ranks transferring.

5. Stores and equipment will be disposed of under the direction of HQ Second Aust Army as follows :-
- (a) Unit equipment will be returned to I Aust RSD.
 - (b) Vehicles will be returned in accordance with ARO I69/44 to 3 Aust Ord Veh Pk, RYDE, in a thoroughly clean condition complete with VOL equipment. Log Book completed and entered up to date, and will be covered by AAF G4. I8 Aust Inf Bn will ensure that MF Casualty Return (AAF G52) is submitted immediately return of these veh is effected.
6. Surplus files, DME technical instructions, equipment hand-books and spare-parts lists will be returned to DADME? HQ Second Aust Army. All other stationery, non-expendable stores and publications, including GROs, will be returned to NSW L of C Area Stationery Depot.
7. Second Aust Army Routine Orders will be returned to "A" Branch, HQ Second Aust Army.
8. AASC supplies including reserve and emergency rations will be returned to appropriate supply depot.
9. Camp stores held on AAF FI and FIA will be returned to the appropriate Camp QM or Ordnance Depot.
10. Non-expendable medical stores will be returned on AAF D56 to Depot of Med & Vet Stores NSW L of C Area. Expendable medical stores will be returned to 70 Aust Camp Hospital.
11. Sporting equipment will be disposed of in accordance with GRO 494/43.
12. Regimental Trust Funds will be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of para 29 GRO 819/43.
13. Mess accounts I8 Aust Inf Bn will be finalised to the satisfaction of Comd I Aust Inf Bde.
14. Postal records will be transferred to I3/33 and 4I/2 Aust Inf Bns as applicable.
15. **CO** I8 Aust Inf Bn will be responsible for the completion of Unit records to the satisfaction of NSW ECH & REC and District Finance Office and in this regard, particular attention will be paid to investigations in accordance with GRO 813/44 relative to members illegally absent.
16. Disbandment of this unit will be completed by 30 Nov'44 and at that date all personnel who have not been disposed of in accordance with this instruction will be transferred as under :-
- (a) Officers to the holding strength of GDD NSW L of C Area.
 - (b) ORs to the holding strength of I Aust Base Depot Pers.
17. HQ I Aust Div will submit weekly progress reports on the implementation of this instruction, the first of such reports to be submitted as at II Nov'44.

(Signed) C.E.PRIOR. Brig.
DA & QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

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Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.—From 1 Nov '44 To 6 Nov '44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	1		Bn Rest Day; tps remaining incamp carried out routine duties and camp maintenance. The Bn RMO is to relieve RMO, 41/2 Bn for a period of one week while the latter is at 70 Camp Hospital, GRETA on duty.	
"	2		Maj VERNON rejoined unit after duty at HQ 1 Aust Div, SYDNEY. 1 x 3 ton GS truck was transferred to HQ 1 Aust Div. Training and routine duties were carried out during the morning and in the afternoon tps took part in organised sports, tennis and swimming.	
"	3		Action to be taken for the transfer of stores was received by signal from Bde HQ. Training and camp duties were carried out during the day.	See Sig Q 11 ² 38
"	4		22 Cadre pers were marched out from 18 Bn and posted as supernumeraries in the following order. 18 Pers transferred to 41/2 Bn. 4 pers transferred to 13/33 Bn. Routine camp duties were carried out during the day. Signals were received from Bde re the transfer of stores.	" " Q 11 ² 63 " " Q 11 ² 65
"	5		Church parades were held for all denominations at 0845 hrs and the remainder of the morning was utilised for clothes washing parades and personal adm. In the afternoon tps took part in the following sports - tennis, swimming and cricket. Directions were received from Bde re the transfer of stores 8 Cadre pers were marched out to 13/33 Bn.	" " Q 11 ² 71
"	6		24 pers were marched out to 41/2 Bn and 1 men to 13/33 Bn. Shortage of pers has cut out trg and all pers are	

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Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.—From 6 Nov 1944 To 12 Nov 1944

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	6 (Contd)		engaged on essential camp duties. Directions for the disposal of stores were received from Bde.	See Sig Q 11 ² 89 and Q 11 ² 91
"	7		51 Cadre pers were transferred from unit to 41 ² Bn and 51 pers were transferred to 13/33 Bn Routine camp duties and veh maintenance were carried out during the day. Leave party proceeded to Newcastle and Maitland on Rest Day leave at 1445 hrs. Rifles, Austin SMG and Owen SMG were transferred to the following units today - 13/33 Bn., 41 ² ., 2 ³ AITB., 2 AIT Bde., 16 AITB and Aust Rec Trg Centre.	" " Q 241
"	8		Bn Rest Day; pers remaining in camp carried out camp duties etc.	
"	9		A conference of all unit TO's was held at 1 Bde HQ at 1100 hrs this morning. All unit postal records were handed over to Bde Field Post Office for direction of mail to pers after unit disbandment.	
"	10		Routine camp duties were carried out during the day.	
"	11		A draft of 5 CMF pers marched out to Aust Trg Centre, CANUNGRA in accordance with Rft Order N 2634.	" " Q 11 ² 54 and A 1 ² 53.
"	1 ²		Pers who had remained behind after the departure of the main bodies of tps to 13/33 Bn and 41 ² Bn., marched out to their respective units at 1110 hrs after a short address	

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Unit 48 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.—From _____ To _____

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	1 ² (contd)		<p>given by Maj BROWN on behalf of the CO who is in SYDNEY on duty preparatory to moving out of the unit on transfer to 4 Aust Inf Bn.</p> <p>Transport pers are being quartered in unit lines for the purpose of providing a picquet on the MT lines and vehs. These pers are messing at the units to which they have been allotted.</p> <p>Bn orderly room, coy orderly rooms, "Q" Stores and Int Sec are providing pers daily to complete unit records, and prepare stores for despatch by rail to 1 Aust RSD, ROSEBERRY, SYDNEY. These pers are sleeping and eating at units to which they have been allotted.</p>	
"	13		<p>Completion and finalisation of unit records and packing of stores for despatch continues.</p> <p>All maps were returned to 1 Bde HQ today.</p>	
" "	14		<p>A conference was held at 13/33 Bn to discuss postings of NCO's being transferred from 18 Bn. The CO and Bn orderly room sjt attended.</p> <p>Pers proceeded on overnight Rest Day to NEWCASTLE at 1545 hrs.</p>	
"	15		<p>Bn Rest Day. Tps remaining in camp carried out essential camp duties. The MT Sec is engaged on the preparation of unit MT for disposal, all MT is at present being G4'd.</p>	
"	16		<p>Nucleus pers of unit engaged on the completion and disposal of unit records, stores etc</p> <p>3 YS pers marched out to 41² Bn.</p> <p>29 pers marched in to 18 Bn for disposal with unit pers.</p>	

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Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.—From 16 Nov '44 To 21 Nov '44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	16 (contd)		35 Pers form 13/33 Bn marched into unit to be placed in unit pool for disposal to through 1 Aust Base Pers Depot, LIVERPOOL.	
"	17		All Sig stores have been withdrawn from Sig Pl and packed ready for return to RSD. A Court-Martial is being held in unit lines to try pers from 8 Bn and 41/2 Bn on various charges.	
"	18		Work is continuing on the completion and disposal of unit records and stores.	
"	19		During the morning pers were engaged on clothes-washing parades and personal adm and in the afternoon took part in tennis, cricket and swimming.	
"	20		Model tanks and aeroplanes on issue to unit for instructional purposes and unit signs were returned to 1 Bde Int. Sec. today.	
"			The Int Sec has been made responsible for the collection and sorting of all text books held by the unit and their despatch to NSW I of G Stationery Depot and Second Aust Army as applicable.	
"	21		Work is progressing on the crating and preparation for despatch of unit stores to 1 Aust RSD. A sig was despatched to 1 Bde requesting arrangement of 2 ply trucks to transport vehs to RYDE, (SYDNEY) Veh Park on 23 Nov and 28 Nov '44.	
"			A working party under comd Lt WRAY, which has been detached to HQ 1 Aust Div for the purpose of demolishing buildings at Killeaton Street Camp for eventual erection in SINGLETON camp adjacent to Canteen building, marched	

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Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.—From 21 Nov '44 To 24 Nov '44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	21 (contd)		back into unit at 1600 hrs. The party comprised 1 Lt and 11 NCO's; 3 of this working party have been posted to 41/2 Bn and the remainder are in the Bn pool awaiting disposal.	
"	22		A working party from 41/2 Bn was engaged in cleaning area adjacent to and under, mess-huts, orderly rooms, stores etc.	
"			Completion of unit records, mess accounts and preparation of unit stores and MT for despatch, continues.	
"			The Bde Rest Day has been postponed from Wednesday, 22 Nov '44 to Saturday 25 Nov '44 on account of the absence of tps who are engaged on a march to CESSNOCK and return.	
"	23		Maj VERNON called a muster parade of all pers at 1330 hrs to obtain working parties so that all allotted tasks will be completed by the disbandment date. Work was maintained on the cleaning of camp area and the removal of all camp stores from buildings not in use and return to Q Store for despatch.	
"			The A/Adjt and a representative from the Sjt's Mess have been carrying out an audit and reconciliation of Mess accounts and outstanding debts for the past 4 days.	
"			Five veh 3 ton were transferred to 13/33 Bn and moved out to GRETA for water carting duties for civilian population.	
"			All tents were returned to Camp Staff QM.	
"			Progress Report was submitted to HQ 1 Bde on the disbandment of the unit.	
"	24		Capt SWANEY, W.E. R.M.O. marched out to 19 Aust Field Ambulance, STRATHPINE, QLD.	
"			Work parties were engaged in the collection of camp	

23 WO 11 J. Brooker proceeded to SYDNEY with photograph album which, with Unit trophies held at KILLARA GOLF COURSE are to be deposited with Kuringai Shire Council for 18 Bn (The KURINGAI REGIMENT). (See attached list of trophies)

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Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn Date and Time.—From 24 Nov '44 To 28 Nov '44

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	24 (CONTD)		stores from buildings in the area.	
"	25		All vehicles reported ready for movement by rail to RYDE, SYDNEY Vehicle Park. Newcastle leave was granted to a small proportion of pers who left at 0700 hrs. Work parties still engaged in general clean-up of camp area, removing grass from vicinity of camp buildings.	See Sig Q 257 and amendment Q 259
"	26		Church parade was held for all denominations at 0830 hrs. The remainder of the morning was taken up with clothes washing and personal administration. In the afternoon tps took part in the following sports :- tennis, cricket and swimming.	
"	27		Maj A. S. BROWN apptd to adm comd as from 18 Nov 44. The routine muster parade was held at 0830 hrs and all pers who were not engaged on essential duties were detailed as working parties to assist the RQM's staff in the final stages of collection, cleaning and packing for despatch of stores. Remaining working parties cleaned out and washed mess-huts and raked surrounding areas. In addition one party was detailed to effect small repairs in vacated orderly rooms, mess-huts, etc. on windows and doors, which had been left in a damaged condition.	4 Aust Div memo A AQ 7654
"	28		Working parties were again selected from pers attending muster parade and they were engaged on cleaning windows and area surrounding mess-huts, and salvage dump and petrol dump and environs. Stores are in the final stages of packing.	
			Officers and Sjt's Mess accounts are in the final stages of finalisation.	

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Unit 18 Aust Inf Bn

Date and Time.—From 29 Nov '44 To 30 Nov '44

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Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
SINGLETON	29		<p>A muster parade was called at 0830 hrs and all pers in 18 Bn Pool and pers posted to either 13/33 or 41/2 Bns who are still working at 18 Bn attended. Duties were allotted and working parties moved off to their various tasks which included final cleaning and packing of "Q" stores, cleaning of area adjacent to camp buildings and general tidying of camp stores which will be left in buildings.</p> <p>The Bn Orderly Room staff are engaged in the finalisation of Unit records.</p> <p>It was announced on the muster parade by the Adjt that pers in the Bn Pool would move out to 1 Aust Base Pers Depot, LIVERPOOL, SYDNEY at 0840 hrs on the 1 Dec '44. Adm arrangements have been instituted for the above move.</p> <p>Officer's and Sjt's Mess-accounts have been finalised and ledgers etc are ready for despatch to DRO.</p> <p>Arrangements for 18 Bn Pool pers to move out to 1 Aust Base Pers Depot, LIVERPOOL have been cancelled and it is not expected that tps will move out for about 1-2 weeks.</p> <p>Maj Elliott, 2i/c and Lt Macken were instructed to report back to Bn HQ, Singleton after a tour of duty at HQ Second Aust Army, SYDNEY. Replacement Officers Maj. Vernon and Lt Flett left Singleton to take over their duties.</p>	
"	30		<p>Completion of Unit records and final stages of the preparation of stores and MT for despatch are the tasks being carried out today.</p> <p>A number of pers attended a sports carnival conducted by 13/33 Bn at the Shwground, SINGLETON.</p> <p>Most of the remaining tps were transported to the baths in SINGLETON during the afternoon.</p>	

MAJ VERNON

Australian



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All secret documents appaering in 18 Aust Inf Bn Register of such documents with the exception of the following, have this day been destroyed by fire -

Second Aust Army Weekly Intelligence Review
Numbers 122 to 132 incl.

J. Vernon
..... Maj.
(J. VERNON)
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DESTRUCTION OF CALL SIGNS AND FREQUENCY LIST.

In accordance with Bde Secret memo 1589, 5.2.44 herewith certificate of destruction of all call sign and frequency lists prior to 7 Mar. '44.

Puller
Lieut.
 Sig. Offr. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

G.H. Neville
Lt. Col
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.....Lt.Col.
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In accordance with Bde Secret memo I589, 5.2.44 herewith certificate of destruction of all call sign and frequency lists prior to 22 Feb. '44.

L.J. MILLER. Lieut.
Sig. Offr. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

C.H. NEVILLE. Lt.Col.
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Miller
Lieut.
 (L.J. MILLER)
 Sig. Offr. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

W Elliott May
Lt. Col.
 (C.H. NEVILLE) *Aon*
 Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

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Miller
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(L.J. MILLER)
Sig. Offr. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

W Elliott Major
.....Lt. Col.
(C.H. NEVILLE) AOL
Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

DESTRUCTION OF SECRET DOCUMENT.

In accordance with 1 Aust Div sig security memo 3 and 1 Aust Inf Bde SECRET MEMO 1589, 5 Feb. '44 this is to certify that the following secret document was destroyed by fire on 1 Feb. '44.

1 Aust Div Signal Security memo No.2 copy No. 16 dated 4.11.43.

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(L.J. MILLER)
Sig. Offr. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

W Elliott Major
.....Lt. Col.
(C.H. NEVILLE) AOL
Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

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Int Sec.
18 Aust Inf Bn.
AUSTRALIA.
24 Mar'44

DESTRUCTION OF OBSOLETE SECRET DOCUMENTS

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- (a) S 77 - S 112 incl.
S 144, 145, 148, 150, 154,
155, 159, - 166 incl. 172, 172.
- (b) Received from 1 Aust Div.
- (c) Daily News Bulletins.
- (d) Copy No. -
- (e) Date. From 3 Jan'44 to 29 Feb'44.

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- (a) S 183, S 184.
 - (b) Received from 1 Aust Inf Bde.
 - (c) Call Signs, Frequencies.
 - (d) Copy No. -
 - (e) Date. 8 - 14 Mar'44.

W. Elliott. Maj.
(W. Elliott)
21/c 18 Aust Inf Bn.

J. Vernon Maj.
(J. Vernon)
Unit Security Officer.

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24	14 1 2	1 DIV	---	22 Oct 43	Instns. for Use of R/T Code No 2.	INT. SEC. SIGS-5613. ✓
25	14 1 3	1 DIV	S1/1570	22 Oct 43	Signal Security Memo No 1.	INT. SEC. - SIGS. ✓
26	14 1 4	18 BN	---	25 Nov 43	Services' Phone. Nos. Newcastle	INT. SEC. ✓
27	14 1 5	18 BN	---	8 Feb 44	Destruction of Call Signs etc	1. Bde. 1. File. ✓
28	14 1 6	18 BN	---	15 Feb 44	" " " " "	1. Bde. 1. File. ✓
29	13 3 1	18 BN	---	18 Jun 42	"Citizen Soldier" Covering letter	2 Aust Corps 1 Div. 9 BDE. ✓
30	13 3 2	9 Bde.	S 535	5 Jan 42	Disposal Secret Documents.	INT. SEC. ✓
31	13 3 3	1 DIV	S 3737	8 Sep 42	Internal Security Instns.	U.S.D. INT. SEC. ✓

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32	13	3	4	9 Bde	—	7 Mar 42	Extract from L.H.Q. Int. Instr. No 31.	✓ INT. SEC.
33	13	3	5	1 DIV	G 1577	13 Oct 42	G.S. Instr. Mil. Security.	✓ " "
X 34	13	3	6	1 DIV	G 3167	13 Mar 43	Standing Orders for Security	✓ All Coys. C.O. U.S.O.
35	13	3	7	1 DIV.	G 101	9 May 42	Camera Instrs. and Registrations	✓ INT. SEC.
36	13	3	8	1 DIV.	G 4998	19 Aug 43	Functions F.S. Wing. Int Corps.	✓ C.O. 2 1/2. U.S.O. INT. SEC.
37	13	3	9	1 DIV	—	30 Jul 43	Why is Security Trg. Essential?	✓ INT. SEC. U.S.O.
38	13	3	10	1 BDE	1589	5 FEB 44	Instrs for Dest. Secret Documents.	✓ INT. SEC.
39	13	2	1	1 DIV.	G 2876	18 Feb 43	Censorship Stamps.	✓
40	13	2	2	INT. CORPS NEWCASTLE	N 6958	5 Jun. 43	Evasion of Censorship.	✓ C.O. U.S.O.
41	13	2	3	18 BN	—	4 Jul 43	" " "	✓ 1 BDE 1. FILE.
42	13	2	4	18 BN.	—	24 Dec. 43	Censorship Stamps.	✓ 1 BDE. 1. FILE.
43	17	3	1	L.H.Q.	—	6 Oct 42	WE 11/12/3. Inf. Bn.	✓
44	17	3	2	L.H.Q.	—	30 Jan 43	W.E. Inf. Bn. Tropical Scale.	✓
45	17	3	3	18 BN	—	15 Jul. 43	Strength 18 BN. at 15 Jul. 43.	✓ (A.T.C.) U.S. Army. 1. File.
46	17	3	4	18 BN	—	5 Oct 43	Total N.C.O's on str. at 5 Oct 43.	✓
47	15	1	1	18 BN.	—	—	18 Bn T.E.W.T.	✓
48	15	1	2	18 BN	—	21 Dec 42	18 Bn. Ex. Mountain Country.	✓
49	15	1	3	18 BN.	—	—	Sig. Pl. M.R. Exercise.	✓
50	15	1	4	18 BN	—	26 Jul 43	A/C. Direction Mtr. Fire	✓ A.T.C.: R.A.A.F.: FILE
51	15	1	5	18 BN	—	—	Trg. Syl. NCO's and Pot. NCO's	✓
52	15	1	6	18 BN	—	29 Jan 44	Trg syl. week ending 29 Jan 44	✓
53	13	3	1	1 DIV	G 1577	13 Oct 42	Instr on Persons suspected of subversive activities.	INT. SEC.
54	11	3	1	1 DIV	G 5665	5 OCT 43	INT SUMMARY NO 93.	✓
55	11	3	2	1 DIV	G 5756	12 94	✓
56	11	3	3	1 DIV	G 5834	19 95	✓
57	11	3	4	1 DIV	G 5927	26 96	✓
58	11	3	5	1 DIV	G 6100	2 NOV 97	✓
59	11	3	6	1 DIV	G 6100	9 98	✓
60	11	3	7	1 DIV	G 6264	16 99	✓
61	11	3	8	1 DIV	G 6249	23 100	✓
62	11	3	9	1 DIV	G 6389	30 101	✓

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63	3 10	1 DIV	G 6387	7 DEC. 43	INT SUMMARY NO 102	✓ 22 \$14
64	3 11	1 DIV	G 6457	14 " "	" " " 103	✓
65	3 12	1 DIV	G 6525	21 " "	" " " 104	✓
66	3 13	1 DIV	G 6577	28 " "	" " " 105	✓
67	3 14	1 DIV	G 6648	4 JAN 44	" " " 106	✓
68	3 15	1 DIV	G 6719	11 " "	" " " 107	✓
69	3 16	1 DIV	G 6784	18 " "	" " " 108	✓
70	3 17	1 DIV	G 6844	25 " "	" " " 109	✓
71	3 18	1 DIV		1 FEB "	" " " 110	✓
72	3 19	1 DIV	G 6964	8 " "	" " " 111	✓
73	3 20	1 DIV		15 Feb 44	" " " 112	✓
74	3 21	1 DIV		22 Feb 44	" " " 113	✓
75	# 1	1 Div.	SY 392	14 APR 42	Change of Location Branches 1 Div.	✓
76	# 2	9 BDE	7/440.	17 MAR 43	Location Statements.	✓
77	1 3	1 DIV	- NO. 119	31 Dec 43	Daily News Bulletins.	S.W.P.A. MAP
78	1 4	"	- " 122	3 Jan 44	" " "	" "
79	1 5	"	- " 124	6 Jan 44	" " "	" "
80	1 6	"	- " 126	8 Jan 44	" " "	" "
81	1 7	"	- " 127	9 Jan 44	" " "	" "
82	1 8	"	- " 128	10 Jan 44	" " "	" "
83	1 9	"	- " 129	17 Jan 44	" " "	" "
84	1 10	"	- " 130	22 Jan 44	" " "	" "
85	1 11	"	- " 131	13 Jan 44	" " "	" "
86	1 12	"	- " 132	14 Jan 44	" " "	" "
87	1 13	"	- " 135	17 Jan 44	" " "	" "
88	1 14	"	- " 136	18 Jan	" " "	" "
89	1 15	"	- " 137	19 Jan	" " "	" "
90	1 16	"	- " 138	20 Jan	" " "	" "
91	1 17	"	- " 139	21 Jan	" " "	" "
92	1 18	"	- " 140	22 Jan	" " "	" "
93	1 19	"	- " 141	23 Jan	" " "	" "

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S 94	11 1 20	1 Div.	No 142	24 Jan 44	Daily News Bulletins.	S.W.P.A. MAP.
95	11 1 21	"	" 143	25 Jan 44	" " "	" " "
96	11 1 22	"	" 144	26 Jan 44	" " "	" " "
97	11 1 23	"	" 145	27 Jan 44	" " "	" " "
98	11 1 24	"	" 146	28 Jan 44	" " "	" " "
99	11 1 25	"	" 147	29 Jan 44	" " "	" " "
100	11 1 26	"	" 148	30 Jan 44	" " "	" " "
101	11 1 27	"	" 149	31 Jan 44	" " "	" " "
102	11 1 28	"	" 153	4 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
103	11 1 29	"	" 152	3 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
104	11 1 30	"	" 154	5 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
105	11 1 31	"	" 155	6 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
106	11 1 32	"	" 156	7 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
107	11 1 33	"	" 157	8 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
108	11 1 34	"	" 158	9 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
109	11 1 35	"	" 159	10 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
110	11 1 36	"	" 160	11 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
111	11 1 37	"	" 161	12 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
112	11 1 38	"	" 162	13 Feb 44	" " "	" " "
113	17 1 1	L.H.Q.	11/11/4.	30 NOV 42	WAR ESTABLISHMENTS	✓ C.O. INT. SEC.
114	10 2 1	18 BN.	---	20 JUL 43	OPERATION ORDER NO 1.	✓ INT. SEC. A.T.C. Coy Comds. C.O.
115	9 2 1	18 BN.	---	---	18 BN. Battle Procedure.	✓
116	9 2 2	L.H.Q.	(Copy 14.) S 4371	23 MAR 43	Stand. Op. Procedure No 2. (Map Grids Combined Ops.)	✓
117	9 2 3	18 BN.	---	18 MAR 43	18 BN Embarkation Order No 1.	✓
118	9 2 4	18 BDE	1305 Copy 5.	30 May 43.	Op Instrn No. 31	✓
119	9 2 5	A.T.C.	---	23 Jan. 43	Operational Plan. General Quarters.	✓ 18 BN.
120	9 2 6	18 BN.	Copy 25	17 Aug 43.	Op. Instrn. No 1.	✓
121	9 2 7	A.T.C.	---	Aug 43.	General Quarters.	✓
122	9 2 8	2nd. Army.	QPS 800/1/5	10. Dec 43.	Time Designation.	✓
123	1 2 14	1 Div.	MI/1616	24 Nov 43.	Distrib. list. used by AA&QMG.	✓
124	1 2 20	1 Div.	Q1244	22 Jan 44.	Leave - Mort. on,	✓

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S/125	1	1	18 BN	—	—	Movement Order. (Broadmeadow - Redlynch).	✓
126	1	2	18 Bn.	—	20 Apr. 43.	Movement Order No 4.	✓
127	1	3	18 BN	—	7 Sep. 43	Movement Order. (reinf. Order N 1275) (4 Aug 43).	✓
128	1	4	2nd. Army.	12818 Copy. 13.	16 Sep 43.	Movement Order 2030	✓
129	1	5	2nd Army.	12161	30 Aug. 43.	Movement Order No 1910	✓
130	1	6	18 BN	—	16 Oct 43.	Adm. Instn No 5 Movt.	✓
131	1	7	18 BN	—	22 Oct 43.	Movement Order No 6.	✓
132	1	8	18 BN	—	5 Oct 43	Movement Order (reinf. Order N 1407, 17 Sep 43).	✓
133	1	9	18 BN	—	19 Oct 43	Movement Order (" " N 1455, 7 Oct 43).	✓
134	1	10	18 BN	—	4 Dec 43.	Movement Order	✓
135	1	11	1 BDE	2015	Dec 43.	Movt. to 1 Bde. Area.	✓
136	1	12	2nd. Army.	16114.	14 Dec 43	Movt. Order No 2592.	✓
137	1	13	18 BN	—	17 Dec 43.	Movt. Order No 7.	✓
138	1	14	18 BN.	—	31 Dec 43.	Movt. Order No. 8.	✓
139	1	15	18 BN	—	31 Dec 43.	Move to Beaches (1 JAN 43)	✓
140	1	16	18 BN	—	2 Jan 43.	Movt. Order No 9.	✓
141	1	17	18 BN	—	2 Jan 43	Movt. Order No 10.	✓
142	1	18	1 DIV.	50310 Copy 46	1 Jan 43.	Standing Orders for War.	✓ CO. INT. SEC. FILE.
143	1	19	9 BDE	50A/660 Copy 3 NO 163	3 Aug. 43.	Standing Orders for War.	✓ C.O. INT. SEC. FILE.
144	11	39	1 DIV	—	15 FEB 43	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ SW.P.A. MAP.
145	11	40	1 DIV	— 164	16 FEB 43	" " "	✓ " " "
146	15	7	1 DIV	—	19 Feb 43	TAG SYLLABUS WEEK END 19 FEB 43	✓
147	15	8	"	—	20 " "	" " " WEEK END 26 FEB 43	✓
148	11	41	"	No 165	19 " "	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ SW.P.A. MAP.
149	11	22	18 Bn	—	19 " "	WEEKLY INT. REPORT.	✓ BRIGADE.
150	11	42	1 DIV	No 166	18 " "	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ SW.P.A. MAP.
151	1	20	28 Bde.	1514	4 Oct 43.	Reinf. for NEW GUINEA	✓
152			1 Bde	—	21 Feb 44	Callsigns 22-29 Feb 44	✓ Sigs.
153			1 Bde.	—	21 Feb 44.	Frequencies. 22-29 Feb 44	✓ Sigs.
154			1 DIV	NO 167	22 FEB 44.	DAILY NEWS BULL. 19 FEB	✓ SW.P.A. MAP
155			1 DIV	" 168	" " "	" " " 20 "	✓ SW.P.A. MAP.

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S156	14 1 9	18 BN	—	23 Feb 44	Destr. Call Signs & Frequencies.	✓
S157	11 5 2	2nd ARMY	2145	15 FEB 44	Supplement to Int Review Ngs	✓ C.O. 2 1/2 - INT SEC.
S158	11 3 22	1 DIV.	G 7065	22 FEB 44	1 Aust. Div. Int. Summary	✓ No 113. C.O.
S159	11 1 45	1 DIV.	No 169	21 FEB	Daily News Bulletins	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S160	11 1 46	1 DIV	No 170	22 Feb	" " "	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S161	11 2 23	18 BN.	—	26 Feb 44	Weekly Int. Report.	✓ H. Bde. 1. File. 2. War Diary
S162	11 1 47	1 DIV	No 171	23 Feb.	Daily News Bulletin	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S163	11 1 48	1 DIV	No. 172	24 Feb.	Daily News Bulletin	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S164	11 1 49	1 DIV	No 173	25 Feb.	Daily News Bulletin	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S165	11 1 50	1 DIV.	No. 174	26 Feb.	Daily News Bulletin	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S166	11 1 51	1 DIV.	No. 175	27 Feb.	" " "	✓
S167	14 1 10	1 Bde	—	1 MAR	CALL SIGNS 1-7 MAR	✓ SIGS
S168	14 1 10	1 Bde.	—	1 MAR	FREQUENCIES 1-7 MAR	✓ SIGS
S169	14 1 12	18 Bn	—	1 FEB 44	Destr Call Signs - Frequencies	✓
S170	11 3 22	1 DIV	G 7125 No 114	2 FEB 44	1 AUST. DIV. INT. SUMMARY	✓ No 114. C.O. 2 IC. INT. SEC.
S171	11 1 50	1 DIV	No 176	2 MAR 44	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S172	11 1 51	1 DIV	No 177	3 MAR 44	" " " 29 FEB	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S173	15 1 9	18 Bn	—	27 FEB 44	TRG. SYLLABUS	✓ WEEKEND 4 MAR 44
S174	11 2 24	18 Bn 1 Bde	—	3 MAR 44	WEEKLY INT. REPORT.	✓ BDE. 1 FILE 2 WAR
S175	11 1 54	1 DIV	No 177	1 MAR 44	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S176	11 1 55	1 DIV	No 178	2 - -	- - -	✓
S177	11 1 56	- -	- 179	3 - -	- - -	✓
S178	11 1 57	- -	- 181	5 - -	- - -	✓
S179	11 1 58	- -	- 182	6 - -	- - -	✓
S180	11 3 23	- -	G 7200 115	7 - -	1 DIV. INT. SUMM.	✓ No 115. C.O. 2 IC. INT. SEC.
S181	11 1 59	- -	No 180	4 - -	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP.
S182	1 2 3	- -	2160	5 - -	DISTRIBUTION LISTS.	✓
S183	14 1 13	1 Bde.	—	8 MAR.	CALL SIGNS 8-14 MAR	✓ SIGS
S184	14 1 14	-	—	8 -	FREQUENCIES 8-14	✓ SIGS
S185	14 1 15	18 Bn.	—	9 MAR	Destr. Call Signs + Frequencies	✓ 1 Bde.
S186 (a) and (b)	14 1 16	1 DIV.	DT/3/44	9 MAR	Double Transposition Cipher.	✓ SIGS.

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S187	4 1 17	1 Div.	CY86	9 MAR 44	Indicator Arbitrary Gp. Posn.	✓ Sigs.
S188	14 1 18	1 Div.	DT/R/1 6-7	9 MAR 44	Reserve Keys (Cipher)	✓ Filed - Int. Sec.
S189	14 1 19	1 Div.	DT/R/IP 5	9 MAR 44	Emergency Keys.	✓ Filed - Int. Sec.
S190	14 1 20	1 BDE.	DT/ENG/1 6-7 DT/ENG/1/IP 5	10 MAR 44	Single Call Sign Procedure	✓ Sigs.
S191	11 2 25	18 Bn.	—	10 MAR 44	Weekly Int. Report.	✓ Bde. War Diary. File.
S192	11 1 60	1 DIV	No 183	7 MAR 44	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ S.W.P.A. MAP
S193	11 1 61	" "	" 184	8 "	" " "	✓ " "
S194	11 1 62	" "	" 185	9 "	" " "	✓ " "
S195	11 1 63	" "	" 186	10 "	" " "	✓ " "
S196	11 1 64	" "	" 187	11 "	" " "	✓ " "
S197	11 1 65	" "	" 188	12 "	" " "	✓ " "
S198	14 1 21	1 Bde	—	15 "	Call Signs + Frequencies	✓ Sigs. NOTED
S199	14 1 2	1 Div	No 190	14 Mar.	Daily News Bulletin	✓ S.W.P.A. Map
S200	14 1 2	1 Div	No 191	15 Mar	" " "	✓ S.W.P.A. Map
S201	1 2 4	2 Army	G7257 OPS. 1210/21.	13 MAR.	2 Army Chemical. War. Instrn no 9.	✓ ADST.
S202	11 2 26	18 BN	—	17 MAR 44	WEEKLY INT REPORT	✓ BDE, WAR DIARY, FILE
S203	11 1 69	1 DIV	No 189	13 MAR 44	Daily News Bulletin	✓ SWPA Map
S204	11 1 70	"	No 192	16 MAR 44	" " "	✓ " "
S205	13 1 5	1 Bde	—	15 MAR 44	Census of Censorship Stamps. Nilaj Vernon.	✓
S206	12 2 5	18 Bn.	—	21 Mar 44	Census Warlike Stores.	✓ Bde.
S207	14 1 22	1 Bde.	—	21 Mar 44	Call signs and Frequencies.	✓ Sigs. NOTED
S208	11 1 71	1 DIV	No 193.	17 Mar 44	DAILY NEWS BULLETIN	✓ SWPA MAP
S209	11 1 72	" "	" 194	18 "	" " "	✓ " "
S210	11 1 73	" "	" 195	19 "	" " "	✓ " "
S211	14 1 23	1 Bde	No 27	22 Mar 44	Cipher Doc Indication	✓ Sigs
S212	15 1 10	18 Bn	—	5 Mar	Log Syllabus for week end 12 Mar	✓
S213	15 1 11	18 Bn	—	12 "	Log Syllabus for week end 18 Mar	✓
S214	1 1 21	18 Bn	No 16	18 "	Move to Olympic Pool	✓ all Coms, War Diary, File
S215	1 1 22	18 Bn	No 17	18 "	" " "	✓ " "
S216	11 2 27	18 Bn	—	24 "	WEEKLY INT. REPORT.	✓ BDE, WAR DIARY, FILE
S217	15 1 12	18 Bn	—	19 "	Log Syllabus for week end 25 Mar.	✓ File, War Diary

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S218	14 1 24	18 Bn	44	28 Mar	Gas Return	1 Bde, Div.
S219	14 1 24	1 Div.	PT/4/44	1 Apr 44	Trans. Cipher Keys for Apr.	Sigs.
S220	1 2 5	1 DIV	G 7403 2192.	29 Mar 44	CW Instr N°10	Adj. CW off.
S221	13 2 5	18 Bn		31 Mar 44	Census of Person Stamps	Bde 2.
S222	11 2 28	18 Bn	—	2 Apr 44	Security Report.	1. Bde. 2 War Diary 1. FI
S223	14 1 25	1 Bde	—	8 Apr 44	Call signs & frequencies	Sigs (NOTED)
S224 ^(a) S224 ^(b)	1 1 23	2nd ARMY	(A 510) 1000. 295.	2 Apr 44	ADM INSTN 210	C.O.
S225	14 1 25	1 Bde.	—	1-7 APR. 44	Call Signs & frequencies.	Sigs.
S226	14 1 26	1 Bde	—	15-21 APR.	Call Signs & Frequencies	Sigs.
S227	14 1 27	1 Bde	—	22-30 Apr	" " "	"
S228	14 1 28	1 Bde	—	22-30 Apr	" " "	"
S229	1 1 24	18 BN.	—	21 APR. 44	Adm. Instr N°11 - Movement	As per Distribution list.
S230	14 1 29	1 Div	G 7680.	1 May 44	Revised Sig Plan	Sigs.
S231	15 1 13	18 Bn	—	20 MAR 44	BN TRG SYLLABUS	DIARY.
S232	15 1 14	18 BN	—	2 Apr	" " "	"
S233	15 1 15	18 BN	—	9 Apr	" " "	"
S234	15 1 16	18 BN	—	16 Apr	" " "	"
S235	11 2 28	18 Bn.	—	4 May 44	Security - Personnel.	2. Div. 1. 1 Bde. 1 file.
S236	11 2 29	18 Bn	—	7 May 44	Security Report	2. 1 Div. 1. 1 Bde. file.
S237	14 1 30	18 Bn.	—	9 May 44	Certificate of Destruction of Secret Documents	1. 1 Bde. 1 File
S238	14 1 31	2nd. Army	ops 800/3/98 " 800/3/93	1 May. 44	Signal Operation Instrs	Sigs.
S239	11 2 31	18 Bn.	—	12 May 44	Security Report.	2. 1 Bde.
S240	1 1	1 Bde.	2252.	18-23 MAY.	1 Bde. Carr. Movement.	1. H.Q. Coy. 1. File.
S241	1 1	2nd. Army	Q/213	17 MAY 44	Movement Reinforcement	ADJST.
S242	1 1 28	2nd 1 Bde.	2256	20 May 44	Units of Div. Vol. II. II	C.O.
S243	12 2 6	18 Bn		20 May 44	Census of Warlike Stores	1 BDE.
S244	10 1 1	1 Bde	001	27 May 44	Movement to Forest.	C.O.
S245	16 17	18 Bn.	—	28 May 44	Adm Instr N°12	as per list
S246	11 2 32	18 Bn	—	27 May 44	Security Report	1 Div. 1 Bn
S247	1 1	Most Control	N/774	2 Jun 44	Rifles & Bandages	as per list
S248	1 1 30	18 BN	—	30 MAY 44	Adm Instr N°13 - Movement	as per Dist List.
S249	11 2 33	18 Bn.	—	10 Jun.	Security Report	1 Div. 1 Bde. etc.

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S 250	3 11	1 Div. (S53) →	G 8016 G 6388	10 Jun 44	(Internal Security Instruction 1939 Second Edition 1942)	✓
PERSONS SUSPECTED OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES						
S 251	1 1 31	1 Div.	2290 Bde. A 9948	10 Jun 44	Distribution lists. 1 Div.	Adj. ✓
S 252	B 3 12	18 BN.	44	16 Jun 44	Loss of. Return re. Internal Security Instns. (to Bde)	1 Bde. 1 File. ✓
S 253	F	1 Div.	2297 (Bde) G 8056	17 Jun 44	1 Div. D.R.L.S. Timetable	1 File. 1. Sigs (Copy) ✓
S 254	12 2 7	18 BN		21 Jun	CENSUS of WARLIKE STORES	1 BDE ✓
S 255	12 2 8	"		"	"	L.H.Q. MELB. ✓
S 256	11 2 34	18 BN		25 Jun	SECURITY REPORT	BDE ✓
S 257	1 2 6	1 Bde	2308	30 Jun	WAR OFFICE SERIAL NO	ADJ. ✓
S 258	11 2 35	18 BN		3 Jul	Security Report	1 Div. ✓, 1 Bde ✓
S 259		1 Bde	1 Bde 2311 2 Army Ops 187/27	18 Jul	Civil Control No. 11	adj. Civ off ✓
S 260	11 2 36	18 BN		10 Jul	Security Report	Bde ✓, Div ✓
S 261	11 2 37	"		19 Jul	"	✓
S 262		18 BN	NO FILE COPY	27 "	PF Details Movt.	1 Bde ✓
S 263	11 2 38	18 BN		29 "	Security Report	1 Div ✓, 1 Bde ✓
S 264	1 1 32	1 BDE	2330/14	9 Aug.	Movement Order to show ground	ADJ.
S 264	1 1 32	18 BN	1 BDE	8 Aug.	Movement Order to show ground ^{French stores}	1 BDE ✓
S 265	11 2 39	18 BN		13 Aug.	Security Report	1 Div ✓, 1 Bde ✓
S 266		18 BN		18 Aug.	Details for Movement	4: Bde. No file copy.
S 266		18 BN		18 Aug.	Details for Movement	1: Bde. No file copy.
S 267	12 2 9	18 BN	Ref. —	20 Aug	Census of Warlike Stores	L.H.Q., F.D.V. ✓
S 268	12 2 10	"	"	"	"	1 Div. ✓
S 269	11 5 4	2 Aust Army (copy) 122	Bde 2350	27 Aug	2 Aust Army 1st Summary NO 122 Copy No 7	C.O. ✓
S 270	1 1 40	1 Bde.	2346.	26 Aug.	1 Bde Movement Order No 1.	1 File. ✓

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S 271	14 1 14	2 Austr. Army	2355	23 Aug 44	Signal Procedure	✓ Signal Adjt.
S 272	1 1 34	1 Bde	2354	31 Aug 44	War Office Serial Nos	Adjt.
S 273	11 5 3	2nd Austr. Army	123	31 Aug 44	Weekly Int. Review. 2nd Austr. Army	C.O.
S 274	11 5 5	2nd Austr. HQ	124	9 Sep 44	Weekly Int Review. 2nd Austr. Army	CO
S 275	13 3 13	1 BDE	2362	8 - -	FIELD SECURITY WING AUTHORITY AND IDENTITY PASS	C.O.
S 276	1 1 35	18 Bn.	-	12 Sep. 44	Details for Movement	To. 1 BDE
S 277	1 1 36	1 Bde	2371	ref 44	Train loading for 1 Bde	✓ Adjt.
S 278	11 5 6	2ND ARMY	2372	ref	WEEKLY INT. REVIEW 2ND ARMY	Adjt.
S 279	1 1 37	1 BDE	2373	17 SEP	EMPLOYMENT OF 1 BDE BAND	Adjt.
S 280	1 1 38	1 BDE	2336	12 Aug	1 Bde O.O. no 2. ^{move to Singleton}	Adjt.
S 281	1 1 39	1 BDE	2375	19 SEP	1 BDE O.O. No 2 ^{App 3. Katoxey} App 3. Katoxey	✓ Adjt.
S 282	12 2 9	18 BN	-	18 Sep.	Census. Daily stores 18 BN	BDE
S 282						
S 283	11 5 7	2 AUSTR. H.Q.	2382	28 Sept.	WEEKLY INT. REVIEW 2 AUSTR ARMY	C.O.
S 284	11 5 9	2 " "				
S 284	11 5 8	" "		2 Oct	" " " " " "	
S 285	11 5 9	" "	2398	7 Oct	WEEKLY INT. REV. 2 AUSTR ARMY	C.O.
S 286	1 2 7	1 Bde	2389	9 Oct.	System of Vehicle Marking ^{sent to 2nd A. Army 9/10/44}	C.O.
S 287	11 5 10	2nd A. Army	2403	16 Oct	WEEKLY INT REV.	C.O.
S 288	1 1 40	1 Bde	2407	17 Oct	Mout. Num INFM. - 16 Cessnock	✓ CO
S 289	11 5 11	2nd A. Army	2414	23 Oct	WEEKLY INT. REVIEW.	C.O.
S 290	11 5 12	2nd ARMY	2415	30 Oct.	WEEKLY INT. REVIEW.	CO
S 291	11 5 13	2nd A. ARMY	2416	2 Nov.	WEEKLY INT. REVIEW.	CO.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS - PART 1.

By

Lt. Col. C.H. NEVILLE, Comd.
18 AUST INF BN.

18 Aust Inf Bn.
AUSTRALIA.
6 Nov '44

Serial. 52/44
Nos. 151 - 154

151. REGIMENTAL TRUST FOUND - As at 31 Oct '44

Funds in hand 30 Sep '44				442	12	2
<u>ADD</u>						
Canteen Profits	52	14	8			
Refund, extra Rations	6	18	-	59	12	8
				<u>£502</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>10</u>
<u>DEDUCT</u>						
Expenditure during Oct.						
Extra Rations, Coy dinners	90	12	9			
Mess Improvements	7	4	5			
Hobbies	1	8	10			
Sports	26	15	6			
Laundry	1	7	6	127	9	-
				<u>£374</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>10</u>

152. DCM: VX.93420 Pte. SULLIVAN? D.L - 18 AUST INF BN

A D.C.M. convened by Col. L.E. Vail was held at HQ NSW L of C area on 24 Aug '44 for the trial of VX93420 Pte SULLIVAN, D.L 18 Aust Inf Bn.

The accused was charged with Desertion. (AWL from 0630 hrs on 15 Jun '44 until 1515 hrs on 18 Aug '44.

The Court found the accused not guilty of desertion, but guilty of Absence Without Leave.

The Court sentenced the accused on 24 Aug '44 to be fined the sum of Ten Pounds.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 6 days and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 29 Aug '44 by Maj-Gen E.C.P. Plant.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at Canungra on 25 Oct '44.

153. DCM: N466437 Pte. JACKSON, J.C. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by Col. Vail was held at HQ NSW L of C Area on 16 Sep '44 for the trial of N.466437 Pte JACKSON, J.C. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

The accused was charged with A.W.L. from 0630 hrs on 25 Jul '44 until 1330 hrs on 12 Sep '44.

The Court found the accused is guilty of the charge

The Court sentenced the accused on 16 Sep '44 to be fined the sum of £6.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 3 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 22 Sep'44, by Col. Vail.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at SINGLETON on 2 October, '44.

154. DCM: N.460913 Pte. HALLIDAY, W.F. - 18 AUST INF BN.

A D.C.M. convened by Major Gen E.C.P. Plant, was held at HQ NSW L of C Area on 18.10.44, for the trial of N.460913, Pte. HALLIDAY, W.F, 18 Aust Inf Bn.

The accused was charged with A.W.L from 2359 hrs on 18.8.44 to 0230 hrs on 12.10.44.

The Court found the accused is guilty of the charge.

The Court sentenced the accused on 18.10.44 to detention for 6 mths.

The accused was awaiting trial in close arrest for 5 days, and in open arrest for nil days.

The finding and sentence were duly confirmed on 24.10.44, by Major Gen E.C.P. Plant.

The date for review of sentence was fixed for 18.1.45.

The result of the trial was promulgated to the accused at 2 Aust Gd Comp. on 31.10.44.

W.F. Halliday
.....Lt.
A/Adjt. 18 Aust Inf Bn

DISTRIBUTION.

External

Internal.

1 Aust Inf Bde 1.
1 Aust Div 1.
HQ NSW L of C Area 1.

C.O.
2 i/c
Adjt
Pay Sgt
R.A.P.
Tpt
"Q" Store.

"A" Coy 2.
"B" Coy 2.
HQ Coy 2.
"I" Sec 1.
War Diary 3.
FILE

SUBJECT - PROGRESS REPORT DISBANDMENT OF 18 AUST INF BN.

1 AUST. INF BDE (AIF)

1. Ref HQ Second Aust Army 4²³/₂₅/²⁰9 dated 29 Oct '44.
2. Forwarded herewith Progress Report.
3. Para 2 All YS pers vide Casualty Return have been transferred to 41/2 Aust Inf Bn., 8 Nov '44.
4. Para 3 All personnel posted against 18 Bn WE to the 13/33 Aust Inf Bn and 41/2 Aust Inf Bn.
5. Para 4 Officers detached in accordance with 1 Bde HQ
 - A. Proforma 1. (GRO 139/44) Transfer within 1 Bde. 18 Offrs.
 - " 3. " Recommended disposal 16 Offrs.
 - " 4. " Officers seconded 20 Offrs.

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 - B. W & NCO's reposted between 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns.
 - C. OR's " " " " " " " " " " " "
 - D. Personal arms and equipment will march out with the individual members of the unit. Movement of pers to units commenced 5/11/44. All pers marched out to units 12/11/44.
6. Para 5 Stores and Equipment
 - A. Unit equipment being checked prior to return.
 - B. All MT vehicles being G 4'd. The following vehicles marched out or ready to move as ordered from HQ 1 Aust Div.

Marched out to COWRA,	1 x 15 cwt
" " " HQ, 1 Aust Div	1 x 3 ton GS
Ready to move	1 x 250 GS W/Cart.
Awaiting W/Shops G4	2 Mobile Cookers.
" " "	2 M/Cycles B.S.A.
7. Para 6. Surplus files, publications (MT) being returned to DADME, Second Aust Army.
All other stationery, non-expendable stores and publications being listed for return to NSW L of C Stationery Depot.
GRO's held for return at later date.
8. Para 7 Second Aust Army RO's being held for return at a later date to "A" Branch, HQ 2 nd Aust Army.
9. Para 8 A.A.S.C. Supplies returned.
10. Para 9 Camp Stores being checked for return AAF F1 and F1A
11. Para 10 Medical stores being checked for return.
12. Para 11 Sporting equipment returned to HQ 1 Aust Inf Bde.
Unit library returned to HQ 1 Aust Inf Bde.
13. Para 12 Regimental Trust Funds being checked for finalisation.
14. Para 13 Mess accounts being checked for finalisation
15. Para 14 Postal records being sorted for hand over.
16. Para 15 Unit records being sorted and indexed for return to NSW Echf&CRec
At present there are 3 personnel AWL Illegal Absentees - Nil to declare at the present date.

Signed C.H. NEVILLE.
Comd 18 = Aust Inf Bn

ADMINISTRATION INSTRUCTION.

18 Aust Inf. Bn.
AUSTRALIA.
9 Nov 44.

1. GENERAL: Personnel of 18 Aust Inf. Bn. who have been transferred to other units in the Bde will move to their respective units on 1st Nov 44.
P & Os will be issued with a list of personnel to report back to 18 Bn. HQ. for duty as from 130830K.
2. METHOD Personnel will move from Bn Pde Gd and march to units under control of DCO.
3. ADM

TIMINGS:

- | | |
|--|---------------------------|
| (a) Bedrolls and kitbags }
Offrs surplus gear } | Stacked by 120900K. 1030K |
| (b) Bn Pde | - 120930K 1100K |
| (c) Move Off | - 121000K 1110K |
| (d) No.1 Party arrive Bde HQ. | - 121005K 1115K |
| No.2 " " 41/2Bn | - 121040K 1120K |
| No.3 " " 13/33Bn | - 121045K 1125K |
4. DR ESS (a) Offrs. Shorts and shirts; hats khaki fur; Sam Browne and shoulder strap-boots, putties.
(b) ORS. Shorts, shirts, hats khaki fur, equipment, rifles, haversacks.
 5. BAGGAGE (a) Offrs. In 3 stacks by units, on road in rear of sleeping quarters.
(b) ORs. In 3 stacks near Bn Pde, to be indicated by pegs: Kitbags, bedrolls and packs.
Baggage will be taken into respective units by transport.
 6. DOCUMENTS
 - (a) Pay Books and AAB 83s in possession of soldiers.
 - (b) All relevant documents to be taken by respective DCOs.
 7. "Q" All CQMS will liaise with QM re transfer of equipment etc.
 8. Cooks All cooks and staff will clean up equipment for hand over to Q.M. after breakfast meal 12/11/44.

D. Pauland
..... Capt
Adj. 18 Aust Inf. Bn.

DISTRIBUTION.

External
1 Aust Inf. Bde. (AIF)
13/33 Aust Inf. Bn. (AIF)
41/2 Aust Inf. Bn. (AIF)

Internal
HQ. Coy.
S.O.
Adj. G.
Disposal Offr.
Q.M.
File
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ADMINISTRATION INSTRUCTION

18 Aust Inf Bn.
AUSTRALIA
9 Nov '44

1. GENERAL: Personnel of 18 Aust Inf Bn who have been transferred to other units in the Bde will move to their respective units on 10 Nov '44.
2. METHOD: Personnel will move from Bn Pde Gd and march to units under control of DCO.
3. ADM.
TIMINGS:
 - (a) Bedrolls and kitbags.) Stacked by 100900K
Offrs surplus gear)
 - (b) Bn Pde - 100930K
 - (c) Move Off - 101000K
 - (d) No.1 Party arrive Bde HQ - 101005K
No.2 " " 41/2Bn - 101010K
No.3 " " 13/33Bn - 101015K.
4. DRESS: (a) Offrs. Shorts and shirts; hats khaki fur; Sam Browne and shoulder strap - boots, putties.
(b) ORs. Shorts, shirts, hats khaki fur, equipment, rifles, haversacks.
5. BAGGAGE. (a) Offrs. In 3 stacks by units, on road in rear of sleeping quarters.
(b) ORs. In 3 stacks near Bn Pde, to be indicated by pegs:- Kitbags, bedrolls and packs.
Baggage will be taken into respective units by transport.
6. DOCUMENTS: (a) Pay Books and AAB 83s in possession of soldiers.
(b) All relevant documents to be taken by respective DCOs.
7. "Q" All CQMS will liase with QM re transfer of equipment etc.

B.J. Lambert
.....Capt.
(B.J. LAMBERT)
Adj. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

DISTRIBUTION.

<u>External</u>	<u>Internal</u>
1 Aust Inf Bde (AIF)	HQ Coy
13/33 Aust Inf Bn (AIF)	"B" Coy
41/2 Aust Inf Bn (AIF)	C.O.
	Adj. 18 Aust Inf Bn
	Disposal Offr
	Q.M.
	File
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Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS
Wednesday 1 Nov '44	0830 - 1630	ROUTE MARCH - CROSS COUNTRY MAP READING	Route. SINGLETON MAP, BHQ - X Rds - BALDWINS HILL (ref 221591) VERE (Ref 142589) Camp. MESS, Vic Ref 161590 MMRFS Chap VIII 52/55	DRESS: Shirts shorts, Battle Order, felt hats. Strict march & water discipline. Practical revision at suitable intervals on march.
Thursday 2 Nov '44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet, Trg Sticks, Butt Stroke, emergency	SAT pam 12. Less 3	Equipment worn.
	0920 - 1010	Visual Trg-Secret Comm.	Strip Film No.X.3	Trg Offr - Lecturer
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1200	Educational Discussion - Aust Political Scene - Convict Colony to Nation	"A.A.E.S Course No.46 Chapter 1.	To be conducted on similar lines to CAB - Summary of facts and discussion.
	1300 - 1700	SPORTS: All personnel will engage in some sporting activity. Coys will make necessary arrangements with Unit Sports Offr.		
Friday 3 Nov '44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet. On Gd controlled charge	SAT pam.12 less 1.	
	0920 - 1010	Visual Trg. Enemy Weapons "Taisho"	Strip Film Nos L.5, L.6	Trg Offr - Lecturer.
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1115	Austen SMG	SAT pam.15 Part 1 Less 1 & 2	M.I.
	1115 - 1200	Application of fire J.D.	SAT pam.2 Chap.II Less 2.	Include JD test on all NCOs, written report to Bn on standard RQM for figure targets.
	1300 - 1420	Application of fire J.D.	SAT pam 2 Chap.II Less 4.	
	1420 - 1510	Camouflage, Lecture - "Prepare for Battle"	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics Sec 4.	
	1510 - 1520	Rest Period		
	1520 - 1630	Camouflage - practical demo	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec & Pl Tactics paras 15,16,17.	
	1915 - 2130	NIGHT TRG, Vis Trg. Films A.F.V& L.C	Strip Film Nos T.1, T.3,N.1	To be followed by a questionnaire and discussion on recent employ- ment of types according to charac- teristics.

Date	Times	Subject	Reference	REMARKS.
Saturday 4 Nov '44	0830 - 0920	Bayonet, Points, Trg Stick	SAT pam.12 less 3.	M.I.
	0920 - 1010	Map Reading - Grids	ATM 13 Supp MR & FS	
	1010 - 1020	Rest Period		
	1020 - 1200	Educational Discussion - Aust Political Scene - Federal System	A.A.E.S. Course 46. Chapter II.	To be conducted on similar lines to CAB - Summary of facts followed by discussion.
	1300 - 1420	Grenade - Smoke, 63 grenade	SAT Pam.13 Appx 2 pages 62/63	Practical demonstration.
	1420 - 1510	Field Craft - Prepare for Battle	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec.4.	All will participate.
	1510 - 1520	Rest Period		
	1520 - 1610	Field craft - PREPARE FOR BATTLE.	Inf Trg Part VIII Sec 4.	Practical revision.
	1610 - 1630	P & R T	P&RT '41. Table.II Pts 1 & 2	Strip to waist.
Sunday 5 Nov '44		Church Parade Coy Adm. Sport as per Unit Sports Officer's arrangements.		

C.H. Neville.....Lt.Col.
(C.H. NEVILLE)
Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

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INVENTORY OF 18 AUS INF BN. TROPHIES

Held in Trust by the Muringai Shire Council.

TROPHY	DESCRIPTION
1. The Sunday Sun Trophy	Iron Statuette of 1914 - 1918 Digger in full battle order
2. N.M.S. Trophy	Silver Miniature. V.N.M.S. on ebony base.
3. Challenge Shield (Drill Teams)	Silver shield on purple velvet background. In oak frame.
4. Sunday Times Cup (N.S.W. Senior Cadets)	Very large silver cup. Embossed on ebony stand.
5. 8 Aust Inf Bde Sports. Lewis Gun Cup	Medium silver cup. Engraved - Won by 18 Bn, GSEEA 1940.
6. Cup (Uninscribed)	Medium silver cup without any inscription.
7. J.W. Thompson, N.L.A. shield (Tug of War)	Large silver shield heavily scrolled and embossed. In Mission Oak frame.
8. Walker and Hall. Senior Cadet Trophy.	Large embossed silver cup on wooden stand.
9. Martyn Cup for Rifle Competition	Large embossed silver cup with lid and miniature status. On ebony base with silver plaque.
10. The Muringai Regt. Coy Efficiency Cup	Plain medium silver cup.
11. The R.S.A I.L. Cup For Champ. Athletics	Medium silver cup.
12. The Eric Stewart Cup. (For guard mounting)	Medium silver cup.
13. 8 Aust Inf Bde. Light Tug of War Cup	Small silver Cup inscribed - Won by 18 Bn GSEEA, 1940.
14. Cup, no inscription	Plain small silver cup on bakelite stand.
15. Book of Activities. 18 Aust Inf Bn between May - Oct '43.	Large bound Photograph Album in polished wooden case with glass lid.

These articles were cleaned and repaired by me and handed to the Town Clerk, MURINGAI SHIRE COUNCIL., 27 Nov '44.

(signed) J. Brooker. W.O.11

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

18 Aust Inf Bn
AUSTRALIA
17 Nov '44

SUBJECT: PROGRESS REPORT DISBANDMENT OF
18 AUST INF BN

1 AUST INF BDE (AIF)

1. Ref Second Aust Army 423/25/209 dated 29 Oct '44.
2. Forwarded herewith 2nd Progress Report.
3. Para 2. All YS personnel transferred and marched out to 41/2 Aust Inf Bn on 8/11/44.
4. Para 3. W.E of 13/33 and 41/2 AustvInf Bns has been filled.
5. Para 4 (A) Officers detached to 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns in accordance with 1 Bde HQ instructions and remainder awaiting disposal.
(B) W & NCO's reverted to substantive rank.
(C) OR's for disposal. Appendices "A" & "B" completed.
(D) Personal arms and equipment are being retained by ranks transferred.
6. Para 5. (A) Unit Equipment being sorted in categories prior to return.
(B) All Mt vehicles being G 4'd and repaired.

No of vehicles G 4'd and completed	-	23
" " " " " not completed	-	6
" " " to be G 4'd, carr, portees & MG		10
" " " G 4'd and awaiting movement		232
7. Para 6 Surplus files, publications (MT) returned to DADME, Second Aust Army. Balance of other stationery etc being packed for onward movement to NSW L of C Stationery Depot.
8. Para 7 Second Aust Army RO's forwarded to HQ 1 Aust Inf Bde.
9. Para 8 A.A.S.C. supplies returned.
10. Para 9 Most of Camp Stores returned.
11. Para 10 Expendable medical stores returned to 70 Camp Hospital. Non expendable awaiting movement to Med & Vet Store.
12. Para 11 Sporting equipment returned to HQ 1 Aust Inf Bde.
13. Para 12 Regimental Trust Fund finalised in accordance with GRO, F.819, Para 29.
14. Para 13 Mess accounts. All outstanding liabilities and accounts have been settled. Asssts in final stage of realisation.
15. Para 14 Postal records handed over.
16. Para 15 Unit records being despatched as applicable to units. Remainder being indexed for return to NSW Ech & Rec Office. AWL - Nil. Illegal Absentees - Nil at present date.

Signed C.H.NEVILLE
Comd 18 Aust Inf Bn.

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

18 Aust Inf Bn
AUSTRALIA.
23 Nov '44

SUBJECT: PROGRESS REPORT DISBANDMENT OF 18 AUST INF BN.

HQ 1 AUST INF BDE (AIF)

1. Ref Second Aust Army 423/25/209 dated 29 Oct '44.
2. Forwarded herewith third Progress Report.
3. Para 2 : Completed.
4. Para 3 : Completed.
5. Para 4 "A": Awaiting postings.
"B": Completed.
"C": Awaiting movement orders.
"D": Personal arms and equipment retained by ranks transferred.
6. Para 5 A Unit Equipment and Stores: 8½ tons despatched by rail to RSD 22 Nov '44.
3 tons awaiting despatchment by rail to RSD 24 Nov '44.
Mixed Stores to Camp HQ, 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns.

B. All MT vehicles have been G 4'd.
Veh marched out: 2 cookers, 6 x 3 tons.
4 x 15 cwt., 2 MC's.
Veh awaiting movement: 2 x 3 ton portee. 7 x 3 ton.,
1 x 30 cwt., 10 x 1 ton., 1 Recce car.,
2 x 15 cwt., 7 MC's., 1 MC combination.,
2 carriers., 2 x 3 ton WD.
Veh G 4'd and not completed. 1 Recce car.
7. Para 6 : Stationery, publications and GRO's forwarded through 1 Bde. Non-expendable stationery etc being held for use.
8. Para 7 : Returned to 1 Bde.
9. Para 8 : Returned.
10. Para 9 : Essential items held.
11. Para 10 : Expendable stores returned.
Non-expendable awaiting return.
12. Para 11 : Returned to 1 Bde.
13. Para 12 : Finalised and completed.
14. Para 13 : Assets in final stage of realisation.
15. Para 14 : Completed.
16. Para 15 : Being sorted and indexed for return. A.W.L. - Nil.
Illegal Absentees. Nil at present date.

Signed A.S. BROWN Maj for
(C.H. NEVILLE)
Comd 18 Aust Inf Bn.

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HQ Second Aust Army
423/25/209
29 Oct '44

DISBANDMENT OF 18 AUST INF BN.

HQ 1 AUST DIV. (10)

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	GO ADM COMD	DMS
	GS (CPS)	DADOS
	GS (SD)	DADME
	GS (TRG)	CLO
	BRA	AMENITIES
	DA & QMG	EDUCATION
	AMS	POSTAL
	Q	PAYMASTER
	AACHD	CATERING

1. An amendment to the OOB AMF may be anticipated to provide for the deletion of 18 Aust Inf Bn and action will be taken by HQ 1 Aust Div as follows :-

DISBAND

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18 AUST INF BN.

2. All young soldiers on the holding strength of 18 Aust Inf Bn will be transferred to the holding strength of 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns under arrangements to be made by HQ 1 Aust Div.
3. Personnel posted against the authorised restricted WE of the unit will be disposed of by absorption, as far as possible, within the authorised restricted WE's of 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns
4. After implementation of Para 3 above, the remaining personnel will be disposed of as follows :-
 - (a) Officers - in accordance with GRO 139/44. Proforma submitted to HQ Second Aust Army will ~~be~~ in all cases include particulars of civil and military qualifications of the officers concerned. Particulars of officers transferred in accordance with Para 3 will be immediately forwarded to HQ Second Aust Army.
 - (b) WOs and NCOs will be reverted to their substantive ranks and posted in accordance with GRO 187/44.
 - (c) ORs will be placed at the disposal of 2 Ech for re-allotment in accordance with existing priorities. HQ 1 Aust Div will arrange the early submission to HQ Second Aust Army of the personnel available for disposal on Appendices "A" and "B" attached.
 - (d) Personal arms and equipment will be retained by all ranks transferring.

5. Stores and equipment will be disposed of under the direction of HQ Second Aust Army as follows :-
 - (a) Unit equipment will be returned to 1 Aust RSD.
 - (b) Vehicles will be returned in accordance with ARO 169/44 to 3 Aust Ord Veh Pk, Ryde, in a thoroughly clean condition complete with VOL equipment, log book completed and entered up to date, and will be covered by AAF G4. 18 Aust Inf Bn will ensure that MT casualty return (AAF G52) is submitted immediately return of the vehicles is effected.
6. Surplus files, DME Technical Instructions, Equipment Handbooks and Spare Parts Lists will be returned to DADME HQ Second Aust Army. All other Stationery, non-expendable stores and publications, including GRO8s, will be returned to NSW L of C Area Stationery Dept.
7. Second Aust Army Routine Orders will be returned to "A" Branch HQ Second Aust Army.
8. AASC supplies including reserve and Emergency rations, will be returned to appropriate supply depot.
9. Camp Stores held on AAF F1 and F1A will be returned to the appropriate Camp QM or Ordnance Depot.
10. Non-expendable medical stores will be returned on AAF D56 to Depot of Med and Vet Stores NSW L of C Area. Expendable medical stores will be returned to 70 Aust Camp Hospital.
11. Sporting equipment will be disposed of in accordance with GRO 494/43.
12. Regimental Trust Funds will be dealt with in accordance with the provisions of para 29 of GRO 819/43.
13. Mess Accounts 18 Aust Inf Bn will be finalised to the satisfaction of Comd 1 Aust Inf Bde.
14. Postal records will be transferred to 13/33 and 41/2 Aust Inf Bns as applicable.
15. CO 18 Aust Inf Bn will be responsible for the completion of unit records to the satisfaction of NSW Ech & Rec and District Finance Office and in this regard particular attention will be paid to investigations in accordance with GRO 813/44 relative to members illegally absent.
16. Disbandment of this unit will be completed by 30 Nov 44 and at that date all personal who have not been disposed of in accordance with this instruction will be transferred as under:-
 - (a) Officers to the holding strength of GDD NSW L of C Area.
 - (b) ORs to the holding strength of 1 Aust Base Depot Pers.
17. HQ 1 Aust Div will submit weekly progress reports on the implementation of this instruction, the first of such reports to be submitted as at 11 Nov 44.

Signed for
(C.E.PRIOR)
DA & QMG SECOND AUST ARMY

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

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18 Aust Inf Bn.
SINGLETON
30 Nov '44

SUBJECT: PROGRESS REPORT DISBANDMENT OF 18 AUST. INF BN

HQ. 1 AUST INF BDE (AIF)

1. Ref Second Aust Army 423/25/209 dated 29 Oct '44.
2. Forwarded herewith fourth **Progress Report**.
3. Para 2 : Completed.
4. Para 3 : Completed.
5. Para 4 :
 - (a) Awaiting postings.
 - (b) Completed. (Awaiting movement)
 - (c) Awaiting movement.
 - (d) Personal arms and equipment retained by all ranks transferred.
6. Para 5.
 - (a) Unit Equipment and Stores: Approx 20 tons of stores awaiting movement to RSD.
 - (b) All MT Vehicles have been G'd. Vehs awaiting movement
 - 5 x 3 ton; 2 x 3 ton FWD;
 - 1 x 30mcwt; 2 x 3 ton Portee;
 - 10 x 1 ton; 2 x 15 cwt; 1
 - Recce Car; 2 Carriers MG; 7
 - M/C's and 1 M/C Combination.
7. Para 6. Typewriters etc being held for use, remainder returned.
8. Para 7. Returned to 1 Aust Inf Bde.
9. Para 8. Returned.
10. Para 9. Electric light globes only be held.
11. Para 10. Non expendable stores awaiting return.
12. Para 11. Returned to 1 Aust Inf Bde.
13. Para 12. Finalised and completed.
14. Para 13. Finalised and completed.
15. Para 14. Completed.
16. Para 15. Being sorted and indexed for return. AWL - NIL. Illegal absentees - Nil at present date.
17. Para 16. Disbandment being delayed owing to shortage of accommodation at 1 Aust Base Depot.
 - (a) Officers ready for movement, anticipated date of completion 1 Dec '44.
 - (b) OR's ready for movement, pending accommodation being available at 1 Aust Base Depot.

A.S. Brown
..... Maj.
(A.S. Brown)
Adm Comd 18 Aust Inf Bn.

ATTACHED ON W.E.

ARM OR CORPS	Posted Strength	Surplus to W.E.	Deficient W.E.	Reinst Reqd.
A.A.M.C. Hygiene Inspec	1	-	-	-
R.A.P. Sgt.	1	-	-	-
R.A.P. Cpl. Chiropodist	1	-	-	-
R.A.P. Orderlies	1	-	-	-
A.A.O.C. Shoemaker. Cpl.	1	-	-	-
A.E.M.E. Sgt. Armourer	1	-	-	-
A.E.M.E. Fitter MV Gp. I. Cpls	2	-	-	-
A.E.M.E. Fitters MV Gp. I. Ptes	2	-	1	1
A.E.M.E. Fitter Gun Gp. I.	1	-	-	-
A.E.M.E. Mech MV Gp. II.	3	-	-	-
A.A.C.C. Caterer	1	-	-	-
A.A.C.C. Sgts	5	-	-	-
A.A.C.C. Cpls	5	-	-	-
A.A.C.C. Ptes	10	-	4	4
A.A.P.C. Pay Sgt	1	-	-	-
A.A.P.C. Pay Cpl.	1	-	-	-
A.A.P.S. Postal Sgt.	1	-	-	-
	<hr/>			
	38	-	5	5

PART E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 4 / 11 / 1944

Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.	Details of Tradesmen.	W.E.	Posted Strength.	Reinfs. Required.
GROUP I.				GROUP I. (cont.)				GROUP II. (cont.)				GROUP III. (cont.)			
Ammunition Examiners				Surveyors, Engineering				Operating Room Assta.				G.P.O. Assistants			
Armament Artificer Fitter				Surveyors, P.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 Menta			
Armament Artificer Instrument				Turners				Operator, Wireless				Plate Layers			
Armament Artificer Radio				Watchmakers				Opticians				Rangetakers	2		2
Armament Artificer Signals				Welders				Painters				Rivetters			
Armament Artificer Wireless								Panel Beaters				Roughriders			
Artificer, Artillery								Photographer, Dry Plate				Saddlers			
Artificer, Engine								Predictor Numbers				Saddletreemakers			
Blacksmiths	1	1						Printers				Shoemaker and Boot Repairer			
Bricklayers								Radiographers				Stevadores			
Computers								Riggers				Stokers, Staty. Engine			
Cooks, Hospital				GROUP II.				Sawyers				Storemen, Technical			
Coppersmiths				Armourers				Signallers				Tailors	1	1	1
Dispensers				Axemen				Signwriters	9	5	5	Textile Refitters	2	1	1
Draughtsmen				Bakers				Telescope Identfn. Numbers				Tinsmiths			
Draughtsmen (Architectural)				Bty. Comd's. Asst.				Well Borers				Vulcanizers			
Draughtsmen (Engineering)				Bollemakers				Wheelers				Wagon Erectors			
Draughtsmen (Mechanical)				Carpenters		1	1	Winchman				Whitesmiths			
Draughtsmen (Topographical)				Carpenters and Joiners				Wireman							
Electricians				Cooks				Woodturners							
Electricians (M.V.)				Dental Mechanics								NON TRADESMEN			
Electricians (Signals)				Driver-Mech. (Eng. and Med.)								R.S.M.	1	1	
Fitters				Driver-Operator								R.Q.N.S.	1	1	
Fitters (Cycle)				Drainers								S.S.M.S.	5	5	
Fitters (Electrical)				Electricians								C.Q.M.S.	5	4	1
Fitters (Gun)				Electricians (Engineers)								BATHEN	10		10
Fitters (Instrument)				Fire Control Operators								ENG & RIFLES	19	21	
Fitters (M.V.)				Gun Operator				GROUP III.				DETAILS OF NON-TRADESMEN.	7	4	3
Fitters, Railway Signal				Hatchman				Battery Surveyors				MORTARS	3	6	2
Fitters, Signals				Height Taker				Butchers				M.C. Ords	2		2
Grinder, Precision				Helic Operator				Clerks	1		1	Pioneers	3	3	
Mechanics, Instrument				Instrument Operator				Clerks, Supply	12	11	2	R. Police	7	1	6
Mechanics, Instrument (Signals)				Intelligence Duties	3	2	2	Clerks, Technical				Str Bns	23	6	21
Mechanics, Instrument (Surgical)				Joiners				Coach Trimmers				Bns M.T.	13	5	10
Mechanics, Radio				Lineman				Concretors				Storemen	6		6
Mechanics, Typewriter				Lineman, Signals				Cooks				Hygiene		1	
Mechanics, Wireless				Lithographers				Dental Clerk Orderlies				ATTACHED BY W.E.			
Millwrights				Machinists, Metal				Despatch Riders							
Operators, Excavator				Machinists, Wood				Draughtsmen, Signals				A.A.M.C.	4	4	
Pattern Maker				Masons				Drivers, H.T.				A.A.O.C.	1	1	
Pharmacist				Massours				Driver Mechanics	8	12		A.E.M.E.	10	9	1
Photographer, Wet Plate				Mechanics, M.T.				Driver Tptn. Plant				A.A.P.C.	2	2	
Photewriter				Miners				Engine Hands, I.C.				Postal	1	1	
Plumber				Moulders				Equipment Repairers	1	1		A.A.C.C.	25	21	4
Saw Doctors				Nurses, Trained				Farriers							
Surveyors				Observation Post Assts.				Fitters' Mates							
Surveyors								Gun Layers							
CARRIED FORWARD	1	1		CARRIED FORWARD	5	4	2	CARRIED FORWARD	36	33	10	Totals of columns Marked * to agree with columns 4 and 7 and 1 and 10 of Part A. respectively.	24	159	101

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

4 Nov. '44.
Date of Despatch

2,000 Pads 7/43 B.P.

(G.H. NEVILLE)
Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

Signature of Commander

Lt. Col.

Part A of Army Form W.3009 at 0600 Hours Saturday 11 / 11 / 194
Part E. Detail of Present Strength and Reinforcements required as shown in

GROUP III (cont.)	Details of Treatment	W.E.	SURPLUS	DEFICIENT	REMARKS.
<u>INTELLIGENCE</u>	Sgts.	1	-	1	1 Sgt on "X" List
	Cpls	2	-	1	
	Ptes	-	1	-	
<u>SIGNALLERS.</u>	Sgts	1	-	-	-
	Cpls	2	1	-	
	Ptes	6	-	5	
<u>CLERKS.</u>	Sgts	2	1	-	1 Cpl on "X" List.
	Cpls	5	-	1	
	Ptes	5	-	1	
<u>STOREMAN</u>	Sgts	1	-	1	1 Cpl performing duty of Tech Store.
	Cpls	-	1	-	
<u>LMG & RIFLE</u>	Sgts	18	4	-	2 Sgts on "X" List 1 Cpl on "X" List
	Cpls.	48	-	21	
<u>TkA Nos</u>	Sgts	3	-	1	-
	Cpls	4	-	2	
<u>MORTARS.</u>	Sgts	4	-	-	-
	Cpls	4	-	2	
<u>REGTL POLICE.</u>	Sgt.	1	-	-	-
	Ptes	6	-	6	
<u>STR BRS.</u>	W.O.II.	-	1	-	-
	Sgts	1	-	1	
	Cpls	2	3	-	
	Ptes	20	-	20	
<u>DRS M.T.</u>	Sgts	1	-	1	2 Sgts on "X" List
	Cpls	2	2	-	
	Ptes	10	-	9	
<u>TAILORS.</u>	Sgt.	1	-	-	-
	Cpl	-	-	1	

ATTACHED BY W.E.

TOTAL OF COLUMN 1 TO 5
CARRIED FORWARD TO COLUMN 6
CARRIED FORWARD TO COLUMN 7
CARRIED FORWARD TO COLUMN 8

NOTES: (a) If rank other than private is involved the details on back of this form should be included in the details on back of this form. (b) Anticipated losses or replacements not included in the details on back of this form. (c) Where A.W.A.S. and/or A.A.M.W.E. personnel are detailed their details on back of this form should be included in the details on back of this form. (d) Where replacement not detailed note accordingly on return by inclusion of R.R. in column 1. (e) Where any request or action is made on back of form, the words "See Back" should be included in the details on back of this form.

Signature of Commander: *[Signature]*
Date of Report: _____
Group: _____

PERSONNEL POSTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH G.O.C. A.187/44

SURFING AND HODS.

Number	Rank	Name	D of B	Trade	Med Class	REMARKS
NX111721	W.C.II	O'Donnell,	C.K.	5.8.1900	Band Master	A.1.
N.17484	Sgt.	Robertson,	B	21.6.1894	Hygiene Sgt.	B.2.
NX100888	Sgt.	Rutler,	W.H	16.8.14	Riflemen	B.2
NX121908	Sgt.	McLaughlin,	D.C.	21.4.20	Riflemen	A.1
NX111664	Sgt.	Gillespie,	R. F.	27.6.18	Riflemen	A.1
NX118178	Sgt.	Hunt,	A.F.	1.2.18	R.O.R.S.	A.1
NX138882	Cpl.	Sadler,	F.R.	24.3.18	Str W Cpl.	A.1
NX173688	Cpl.	Howard,	C.A.	22.8.19	Str W Cpl.	A.1
NX104883	Cpl.	Fitzgerald,	D.H.	12.12.08	Tpt Cpl.	A.1
NX111600	Cpl.	Hartlett,	B.H.	21.11.14	Tpt Cpl.	A.1
NX138886	Cpl.	Edwards,	J.F.	3.2.18	Sig Cpl.	A.1
NX127663	L/Sgt.	McDonald,	R.J.	18.8.15	Storeman Tech	A.1. This man is performing the duties of Tech Store Sgt for which there is a vacancy on W.S but, due to the unit being surplus in Sgts promotion cannot be promulgated.
NX106157	Cpl.	Stewart,	C.C.	--	Str W Cpl.	A.1
ALTERATIONS TO LAST WEEKS RETURN.						
N.17484	Sgt.	Robertson,	B	21.6.1894	Hygiene Sgt.	B.2 . W/I from Hospital and struck off "X" List.

Detail	A.I.F.		C.M.F.		AWAS	AAMWS	CIVIL	RAN	RAAF	TOTAL.
	"A" Class	"B" Class	"A" Class	"B" Class						

A.	27									27
A. (1)	-									-
A. (2)	3		1							4

Personnel on Leave W/O Pay

Posted Strength **NIL**

"X" List

NIL

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday **4 / 11 / 1944** **18 Aust Inf (Unit)**

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YS HOLDING UNIT

W.E. / / OFFRS. **31** O.R's. **198** + OFFRS. **1** O.R's. **43** ATT. BY W.E. **W.E.**

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

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	Lieut.-Colonels	A.A.M.C.	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	3	Majors					
-	4	-	5	Captains					
-	4	-	16	Lieutenants					
-	-	-	1	Quarter-masters					
-	-	-	-	A.A.N.S. and A.A.M.W.S. Offrs.					
-	-	-	-	Civilians Counting as Offrs.					
-	8	-	26			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.	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.
VX20952	Lt	BRACK, A.W.	70 A.C.H.	31.10.44	Struck off "X" List.
WX.4667	Lt	JEWELL, A.T.	"	29.10.44	Struck off "X" List.
X101571	Lt	McMILLAN, A.H.	G.D.D.	28.10.44	Struck off "X" List.

OFFICERS QUITTED DURING WEEK.

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

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

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

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON POSTED STRENGTH

At 0600 Hrs. Saturday 4/11/44. (Total to agree with Columns 4 and 7 of Part A.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank if Held.	Army Number.	Surname.	Initials.	Posting.	Whether present with Unit (insert Yes or No)	If not present with Unit, state how employed.	Date of Detachment.
Lt. Col.	NX104270	NEVILLE,	C.H.	C.O.	Yes		
Major	NX101569	ELLIOTT,		2 1/c	"		
"	NX101559	BROWN,	A.S.	OC. Coy	"		
"	NX101562	VERNON,	J	"	"		
Capt.	NX112770	HULTON,	E.H.	B	"		
"	NX106355	CUMMINS,	K.W.	"	No	Det 21 Aust Inf Trg Bn	
"	NX101561	GRIFFIN,	L.J.	OC. Coy	"	Det 2 Aust Army	19/10/44
"	NX133350	WALKER,	D.H.	C.M.	Yes		
"	NX101552	LAMBERT,	B.J.	A/Adjt	"		
"	NX104273	HOWELL,	B.M.	21/c Coy	"		
Lieut	NX101552	MOORE,	H.	EOC. Mort	"		
"	NX101553	MACKEN,	D.J.	Pl. Comd	No	Det 2 Aust Army	19.10.44
"	NX125457	MUSSETT,	E.A.	Asst/Adjt	"	Det 1 Aust Inf Bde	23.9.44
"	NX101571	McMILLAN,	A.H.	Pl. Comd	Yes		
"	NX161865	WRAY,	H.A.	OC. Carr	No	Det 1 Aust Div	20.10.44
"	TX13603	BEANS,	H.L.	Pl. Comd	"	Det 1 Aust Inf Bde	11.10.44
A/Lieut	NX22924	HARRISON,	R.J.	"	Yes		
"	VX65303	HARBINSON,	R	T.O.	"		
"	QX49420	ROWE,	R.H.	Pl. Comd	"		
"	QX. 9828	McCARTNEY,	J	"	"		
"	QX36471	O'ROURKE,	K	"	No	Det 2 Aust Army	19.10.44
"	NX164553	BROWN,	J.B.	"	"	"	19.10.44
"	NX67941	JENKINS,	P.W.	Pnr Pl	Yes		
"	WX. 4667	JEWELL,	A.T.	Pl. Comd	"		
"	QX46940	GODDARD,	W.H.	"	"		
"	VX20952	BRACK,	A.W.	"	"		
<u>ATTACHED ON W.E.</u>							
Capt	VX94082	SWANEY,	W.E.	RMO	Yes		

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

Substantive Rank and Higher Temporary Rank, if Held.	Army Number.	Name and Initials.	Unit.	Date of Attachment.	Nature of Attachment.
Capt	NX76551	JESSOP, C.H.	1 Bde	21.9.44	Padre
Capt	V503113	NEWMAN, N	84 ADU	14.9.44	Dentist
"	NX77285	PALMER, J.H.	"	2.11.44	Dentist
Lieut	NX129325	BULL, R.H.W.	41/2Bn		Training.

4 Nov '44
Date of Despatch

C.H. Neville
(C.H. NEVILLE) Signature of Commander Lt. Col.
Comd. 18 Aust Inf Bn.

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FOR MONTH ENDING 30 NOV' 44.

18 AUST. INF. BN.

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A)	Originator	Date—Time of Origin	Office Date Stamp
	1 Ade	04 1220K	
TO	For Action	Message Instructions	GR
	18/33 Am 18 Am 41/2 Am Ade CQMS. (re) For Information (INFO.)		

ORIGINATOR'S No. 11257 accounting for Ordnance stores - regtl stockholding @ HQ 1st Div Am Co 1st Div @ addresses will advise completion NOT later than 1 Dec 44

ACTION

COMPLETED BY *Br Walsh Capt*

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { <i>AS WRITTEN</i> } except { } Wireless Signed <i>[Signature]</i>	If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER Signed <i>[Signature]</i>	Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority ACTION	Time	System	Op
			THI or TOR		
Time Cleared					

MESSAGE FORM

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Transmission Instructions

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM

(A)

1 bele

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

14 14 00K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

18 bn

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions

GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

⓪

11466

18 bn will transp 6030E

quantity 3 to cust rec trg centre ⓪ advise bele when vehs
ready to move by rail

ACTION

COMPL

⓪ 1600-17/11 May Day

This message may be sent **AS WRITTEN**
by any means { except

[Signature] } Wireless

Signed

If liable to be intercepted or fall into
enemy hands, this message must be
sent **IN CIPHER**

Signed

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

Time	System	Op
THI or TOR		
Time Cleared		

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM	Originator	Date—Time of Origin
(A)	1 lbf	150900Z

Office Date Stamp

TO	For Action	Date—Time of Origin
18 lbf		
(w) For Information (INFO.)		

Message Instructions **GR**

BATTLE BOARD
ACTION COPY TO: RQ
AT 1100 HRS

ORIGINATOR'S No. Q 11476 RESTRICTED Q Ref on Q 11238
of 031556Z first 1 miles contact on 18 lbf
to Aust Rec Trg Centre COMRA Second a 1 mile
contact on 18 lbf to 2 Aust Trg Bde BATHURST
with signals load SINGLETON with 15 nos. 2 KF
wagon available on 18 lbf supply contact to each

This message may be sent **AS WRITTEN**
by any means { except } Wireless

If liable to be intercepted or fall into
enemy hands, this message must be
sent **IN CIPHER**

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

Signed

Signed

Time	System	Op
THU or TOR		
Time Cleared		

MESSAGE FORM

Register No. 312

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY			
FROM (A) 1 lode		Originator	Date—Time of Origin 15 14 40K
TO 18 bn			Office Date Stamp
(w) For Information (INFO.)			Message Instructions GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. Q 11511

ref your Q246 of 111200K
transfer of 6000 quantity 2 @ bottles existing rail accn
for 609B quantity, to 2 Aust Inf Log Bde as advised
by our Q 11476 of 150800K @ advise completion

ACTION

COPY [unclear] [unclear]

<p>This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except } Wireless</p> <p>Signed <i>[Signature]</i></p>	<p>If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER</p> <p>Signed</p>	<p>Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority</p>	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="text-align:center;">Time</td> <td style="text-align:center;">System</td> <td style="text-align:center;">Op</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align:center;">THI or TOR</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align:center;">Time Cleared</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Time	System	Op	THI or TOR			Time Cleared		
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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) <i>1 bele</i>	Originator	Date—Time of Origin <i>15 0800K</i>	Office Date Stamp
For Action			
TO <i>18 bn</i>	(w) For Information (INFO.)	Message Instructions	GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. *Q 11476*

RESTRICTED *Q* *ref our*
811238 of *05 1556K* *Q* first *1* miles cooker
 in *18 bn* to *Quart Rec Ldg Centre Cowra*
 Second *Q* *1* miles cooker in *18 bn* to
2 *Quart Inf Ldg Bde* *BATHURST* *Q* both
 serials load *SINGERTON* used *15 nov* *Q*
2 *KF* wagons available *Q* *18 bn* supply escort
 to each destination also consignment
 notes and warrants *Q* both serials
 dep *SINGERTON* *15 16 15K* serial one *COWRA*
 arrives *17 17 00 K* serial two *BATHURST*
 arrives *16 20 50 K* *Q* advise completion

ACTION

Sn walk Opt

RETURN THIS COPY TO SECTION

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means { except } { } Wireless Signed <i>[Signature]</i>	If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER Signed	Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority	Time	System	Op
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MESSAGE FORM

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ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM (A) 1 Bde	Originator	Date—Time of Origin 16/12/30	Office Date Stamp
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For Action

TO 18 Bn

(w) For Information (INFO.)

1 Bde COMS

Message Instructions GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 11544 Restricted @ Ref you
 Q 83/44 of 31 Oct 44 @ 18 Bn will
 transfer the following attractive
 stores @ watches to S quantity
 13 to HQ Aust Recount Log Centre
 Pistols 38 quantity 21 to HQ 1
 Aust Inf Bde @ Authority
 1 Div HQ 6705 @ advise complete

ACTION
 COMPT
 RETURN THIS COPY TO SECTION

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN by any means except } Wireless	If liable to be intercepted or fall into enemy hands, this message must be sent IN CIPHER	Originator's Instructions Degree of Priority	Time	System	Op
			THI or TOR		
Signed			Time Cleared		

MESSAGE FORM

Register No. *f15*

Call

Ser. No.

Priority

Transmission Instructions

18 bn

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY

FROM

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

Office Date Stamp

(A)

1 bcd

22 1200K

For Action

TO

18 bn

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions

GR

13/33 bn

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 11654

RESTRICTED Q 1 Div Q 14394 of

*21 mbo states 18 bn transfer to 13/33 bn 0065 VE
quantity 5 Q vehs will be detached to CAMP QM
G RETA under instrs to be issued later Q 18 bn
a deuce transfer completion*

ACTION
for walk 23/11

This message may be sent AS WRITTEN
by any means { except

Wireless

Signed

[Signature]

If liable to be intercepted or fall into
enemy hands, this message must be
sent IN CIPHER

Signed

RETURN THIS COPY

Originator's Instructions
Degree of Priority

Time	System	Op
THI or TOR		
Time Cleared		

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

Call	Ser. No.	Priority	Transmission Instructions
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FROM (A)	Originator	Date—Time of Origin	Office Date Stamp
	1 Aust. Inf. Bde	24/1405K	
TO	For Action	Message Instructions	GR
	18 Rm, 13/33 Rm, H/2 Rm (w) For Information (INFO.)		

ORIGINATOR'S No. Q11694 Restricted @ Transfer from 18 Rm to 13/33 Rm

1061 Dty 16	1067 Dty 14	1070 Dty 9	2341 Dty 5
2948 Dty 1 @ To H/2 Rm	1061 Dty 7	1070 Dty 10	
2163 Dty 1	2341 Dty 5	2936 Dty 2	2937 Dty 2
2948 Dty 1			

ACTION

COMPLETED BY

1500 Miles

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FROM (A) 18 Bn | *Originator* | *Date—Time of Origin*
250915K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO 1 Bde | *(w) For Information (INFO.)*

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

H1261. Ref your Q11701 of 24 Nov 44 @
Capt W SWANEY marched out 250400K to new
unit @

ACTION

2nd Sec

1000

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FROM

(A)

1 bde

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

24 1430 K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

~~41/2 Bn~~ 18 Bn

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 11701

Ref mov. Capt SWANEE W.E

RMO 18 Bn @ accom. secured train departing

Central 261940K @ Report RTO Central 261900K @

Unit issue rail warrant @ Warrant to reach RTO

Central not later than 251700K @ Location STRATHPINE

Qld @ Advise departure

ACTION

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FROM

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(A)

1 am 7 Bde

250845

For Action

TO

4 1/2 Inf Bn
18 Inf Bn

ACTION

(or) For Information (INFO.)

COMPLETED BY

Message Instructions

GR

AT HRS

RETURN THIS COPY TO THE ORIGINATOR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

G11710 Ref Course for Unit OC and

adj Course No 4 29 - 30 Nov 0 It is

advised that Lt Col Bellars has been

nominated to attend above course. Student

will report to HQ L TD SYDNEY by

290845 KO Movement arranged by unit

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FROM (A) <i>1 lode</i>	Originator	Date—Time of Origin <i>27 1450K</i>
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Office Date Stamp

TO	For Action	<i>18 lcn</i>
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(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No. *Q 11743* RESTRICTED *self transfer HYGIENE*
SJTS - SGT BRISBANE hold pending further advice

~~ACTION COMPLETED~~

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 Signed *[Signature]*

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FROM

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

Office Date Stamp

(A)

1 bed

28 14 10 V

For Action

TO

18 for

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions

GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

CG 11769 ref you CG 260 of 27 Nov
have advice from div that they will
check wials 2936 and 2937 and advise
father

BATTLE BOARD

ACTION COPY TO CG

AT 1430 HRS

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FROM
(A) *1 lude*

Originator

Date—Time of Origin
28 0930K

Office Date Stamp

TO *18 lude*

For Action

(re) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No. *QM 11759*

ref HYGIENE Sgt BRISBANK

mov by train ex SINGAPORE 221746K advise departure

our Q 11719 of 25 nov and our Q 11743 of 27 nov refers

ACTION

COMPLETED BY _____
AT _____ HRS

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FROM (A) <i>1-bde</i>	Originator	Date—Time of Origin <i>28 09 32K</i>
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TO <i>18-br</i>	For Action
	(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No. *AG 11756* ref 1 div HQ 7571 of 23 nov Despatch
 reply re appointment to District Services *NX131948 Sj+*
SMITH H. CL

ACTION

COMPLETED BY
AT

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Signed *[Signature]*

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ORIGINATOR'S No. HQ

TO

18-62

(A)

FROM

Indo

Originator

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(a) For Information

For Action

4 HQ SA
Course No 9 (a)
Weapon to 1st Course
Bongilla

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Message Instructions

GR

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Sec. No.

Priority

Transmission Instructions

Form 03130 (Small)

MESSAGE FORM

Register No.

OUT

FOR MONTH ENDING 30 NOV. '44.

18 AUST. INF. BN

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Register No.

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FROM
(A)

1 tdc

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

031556K

Office Date Stamp

NOV 3 1944

For Action

TO

11 bn

(*re*) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 11238 18 bn transfer 6093 Quantity 1 to each Aust. Recruit Sq. Centre and 2 Aust Inf Sq tdc @ advise base ready to move by rail.

BATTLE BOARD

ACTION COPY TO *Adj. QM.*

AT *1705* **HRS**

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FROM
(A)

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

Office Date Stamp

1 Bde

041430K

For Action

TO

18 Bn

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 11263

Transfer veh and stores @ Transfer to
 dust Rec Coy centre 6030/1 1002/6 1026/10 1106/10
 2441/3 @ Veh to move by rd and report HQ 1 dust Div
 collect tray amm then proceed COWRA @ Unit issue A19 and F59

BATTLE BOARD

ACTION COPY TO **QM**

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FROM (A) *1 bcd* **Originator** **Date—Time of Origin** *04 1430K*

Office Date Stamp

TO *18 Bn* **For Action**

Message Instructions **GR**

(w) For Information (INFO.)

ORIGINATOR'S No. *11263*

*Transfer Veh and stores to Aust reg centre 6030E/1 1002/6
1026/10 1104/10 2441/3 Veh to move by rd and report HQ 1 Aust div collect trg amb then proceed COWRA unit issue H19 and F59*

ACTION
Hodley No

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Staff Capt. 1 Aust Infantry Bn

COMPLETED BY *[Signature]*
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FROM (A)	Originator <u>1 Bde</u>	Date—Time of Origin <u>04 1515</u>
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Office Date Stamp

TO	For Action <u>18 bn</u>
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Message Instructions **GR**

	(70) For Information (INFO.) 18 bn
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ORIGINATOR'S No. 1

restricted 18 Aust Inf Bn transfer stores as follows

① 23 AITB 1002/6 1107/5 1104/3 ② 16 AITB 1101/5 1104/3

③ 21 AITB 1104/3 ④ 28 AITB 1104/3 ⑤ 32 AITB 1104/1

⑥ 2 Aust Inf Bn Cpl 1804/1 ⑦ require stores RSD except 1802/13 where disposal advised later

⑧ move by rail and advise 2 Aust Inf Bn Bde ETH

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TO	For Action <i>41/2 Bn 18 Bn 13/33 Bn</i>	BATTLE BOARD	Office Date Stamp
	(iv) For Information (INFO.)	ACTION COPY TO	Message Instructions
		AT 1215 HRS	GR

ORIGINATOR'S No. *Q 11254* ref *jt order N2634* to *att CANUNGRA 13 NOV*
 © *Ser 5 18 Bn 5 riflemen CMF* © *Ser 3 13/33 Bn 21 riflemen*
AIF 2 pioneers AIF 2 riflemen CMF 1 TKA NO CMF © *Ser 4*
41/2 Bn 12 rifle AIF 1 TKA NO AIF 1 mortar NO AIF 1 Dwr MT AIF
1 stretcher bearer AIF 1 rifle - carrier AIF © *Advise numbers and*
date available by 051000K © *Dwr inspecting offrs*

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(A)	1 Bde	051015K

Office Date Stamp

TO	For Action	
18 km	(ie) For Information (INFO.)	GR

Message Instructions

ORIGINATOR'S No.

*Q11271 transfer to 1st div 6116 quantity only
 Authority idw Q142370 advise date ready adv by
 mail*

BATTLE BOARD

ACTION COPY TO *RO*

AT 1515 HRS

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FROM (A)	Originator <i>1 hel</i>	Date Time of Origin 11/4 <i>1430K</i>
TO	For Action <i>18 hr</i>	COMPLETED BY <i>Albay 200</i>
	(w) For Information (INFO)	AT <i>1200</i> HRS <i>7/11</i>
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Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 11289

*Our Q 11265 delete
ref tech stores 1104 @ all stores to be transferred vide
Q 11265 will move on ref to our Q 11263
which will now move RQ 1 Aust Div - BATHURST -
COWRA @ tech stores w/d our Q 11263 and Q 11265 (1104
only) now ~~are~~ transferred as follows, Aust see trg centre
1104/4 2 Aust in trg hole 1104/4*

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FROM
(A)

1 belu

Originator

Date—Time of Origin
05 1500K

Office Date Stamp

NOV 6 1944

TO

18 bn

For Action

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q11291

one to 23 aust inf trg bn @ authority
1 div Q14262

ACTION

COMPLETED BY

Jay Hon

AT *200* HRS *7/11*

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FROM (A) 18 BN	Originator	Date—Time of Origin 07/200 K
TO	1 Bde	For Action INFORMATION COMPLETED BY AD Rde
	(w) For Information (INFO) copy to A Rde	Message Instructions
	RETURN THIS COPY TO RETURN THIS	GR
	At _____ hrs.	1340

Office Date Stamp

ACTION

Message Instructions

GR

1340

ORIGINATOR'S No. Q241

7
 1st rifles 101 to 13/33 POW 4 rifles
 1st to 11/2 BNO • Fine SMG Austens to 23 AITB • 2nd SMG Owen
 to 2 H.I.T. Bde • Fine SMG Austens to 16 AITB • 1st rifles 22 to
 Aust Rec Sq Centre • 2nd SMG Owen to Aust Rec Sq Centre • One
 Lt Mgt Bde to 23 AITB •

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FROM
(A)

18 Bm

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

10/1600M

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

(re) For Information (INFO.)

1 Bae.

Message Instructions

GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 2159 38 Replied to 41/21 Bm 2 Replied to
HQ 1 Bae 5 Replied to 13/33 Bm 1 Replied from 2
Must Rec Inq Bm

ACTION

COMPLETED BY *Int Bae*

AT 0830 HRS

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FROM
(A)

18 km

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

12/1600

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

1 Bae

(re) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

*From 18 km to 1 Bae & Refl to
1/2 Bae " Refl - 101 to 13/33 Bae*

ACTION

COMPLETED BY *Inf Sec*

AT *1900* HRS

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FROM

(A)

182

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

120815K

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

(re) For Information (INFO.)

1 base

Message Instructions

GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 2470 Line up for Nos to bust Jug base

ACTION

COMPLETED BY *Butler*

AT *0930* HRS

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Sn. wall. Cpt
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FROM

(A)

18 Bn

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

13 15 30 A

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

1 Bde

(re) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions

GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 249 your Q 11442 of 121100K and your
Q 11442 of 131300K O Action completed

ACTION

COMPLETED BY [Signature]
15 30

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[Signature] } Wireless

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FROM (A)	Originator 18 Bm	Date—Time of Origin 151700K
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TO	For Action 1 Bde
	(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 252 your Q 11476 of 150300K and Q 11571
of 151440K @ action completed

BATTLE BOARD
ACTION COPY TO... Bde
AT ... HRS

Received by
[Signature]
221530K

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FROM
(A)

18 *[Signature]*
Originator

Date—Time of Origin
17/000 H

Office Date Stamp

For Action

TO

[Signature]
(re) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions GR

ORIGINATOR'S No.

[Handwritten notes]
Action completed

ACTION

COMPLETED BY *[Signature]*

AT 2010 HRS

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Transmission Instructions

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FROM
(A)

Originator

Date—Time of Origin

Office Date Stamp

19 5m

171608K

For Action

TO

(w) For Information (INFO.)

Message Instructions **GR**

1 Bre

ORIGINATOR'S No.

*A 254 of 1154 of 16/2301
Leto, complete*

ACTION

COMPLETED BY *MB*

AT *2010* HRS

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by any means { *except* }

W. J. Jodda
Signed

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FROM (A)	Originator 18 Bn	Date—Time of Origin 250900 K	Office Date Stamp
TO	For Action 1 Bde	Message Instructions	GR
	(ie) For Information (INFO.)		

ORIGINATOR'S No. Q 257

ALL vehicles ready for movement
 please arrange rail trucks 0 Details M/C Solo 7
 M/C combi team 1 Vans 15 cut 2 vans 1 ton 10
 Lorry 30 cut 1 Lorries 3 ton 10 Truck 3 ton 2
 Porters TKA 2 Carriers 2

ACTION

COMPLETED BY *Qu J*

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by any means ~~except~~

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Office Date Stamp

TO	For Action 1 Bde (w) For Information (INFO.)
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Message Instructions **GR**

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Q 259 our Q 257 of 250905K
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ACTION

COMPLETED BY *gvt hce*

AT 1450 HRS

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18 Bn

27 1630 K

For Action

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1 Bde

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Message Instructions **GR**

ORIGINATOR'S No.

Q 260 your Q 11694 of 24 1405 K ()

Action completed except serials 2936 and 2937

BATTLE BOARD

ACTION COPY TO... Int Sec.

AT 0801 HRS

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