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Unit 13 Bn A.M.F. Date and Time from 1 APRIL to 30 APRIL 1942.

Loco.	D-to.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks, & references to Appendices, Diaries etc.
GRETA	1		Unit situation GRETA military Camp.	
	1		Meteorological Report (see appendix for individual days.)	APPENDIX NO. 1 C
	1		13 Bn Australian Military Forces Routine Orders (dated 31.3.42.)	APPENDIX NO. 2 C
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	
	2/7		Unit situation as for 1 Apr.,	
	7		Unit Casualty Return.	APPENDIX NO. 3 C
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	
	8	1630	Unit situation as for 7 Apr.,	
			Weekly Intelligence Report for W.E. 8/4/42	APPENDIX NO. 4 C
			Unit Casualty Return.	APPENDIX NO. 5 C
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	
	9		Unit situation as for 8 Apr.,	
			13 Bn Australian Military Forces Routine Orders.	APPENDIX NO. 6 C
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	
	10/13		Unit situation as for 9 Apr.,	
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	
	14		Unit situation A-B-C-D-H.Q. Coys as for 13 Apr.,	
			" " E(MG) Coy Vicinity Tocal Ref. Paterson 606668	
			Unit Casualty Return.	APPENDIX NO. 7 C
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	
	15	1630	Unit Situation as for 14 Apr.,	
			13 Bn Australian Military Forces Routine Orders.	APPENDIX NO. 8 C
			Weekly Intelligence Report for W.E. 15/4/42	APPENDIX NO. 9 C
			Unit Casualty Return.	APPENDIX NO. 10 C
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	

Unit 13 Bn Date and Time from 1 April to 30 April 42.

Loco.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks, & references to Appendices, Diaries etc.
GRETA	16		Unit Situation as for 15 Apr., Unit Casualty Return. <i>G.E. Stevenson</i>	APPENDIX NO. 11 C Lieut.
	17/19 19		Unit Situation as for 16 Apr., Unit Casualty Return. <i>G.E. Stevenson</i>	APPENDIX NO. 12 C Lieut.
	20	1900	Unit Situation as for 19 Apr., Instructions for Movement and Comms. Exercise. <i>G.E. Stevenson</i>	APPENDIX NO. 13 C Lieut.
	21		Unit Situation as for 20 Apr., Unit Casualty Return. <i>G.E. Stevenson</i>	APPENDIX NO. 14 C Lieut.
	22	1630	Unit Situation as for 21 Apr., Weekly Intelligence Report for W.E. 22/4/42. <i>G.E. Stevenson</i>	APPENDIX NO. 15 C Lieut.
	23/4 25	1700	Unit Situation as for 22 Apr., " " A-B-C-D & H.Q. Coys Greta. " " E (MG) Coy Returned from "Tocal" <i>G.E. Stevenson</i>	Lieut.
	26	0900	Unit Situation, Greta. Unit Casualty Return. 13 Bn Operational Order for Exercise 27/29 Apr., <i>G.E. Stevenson</i>	APPENDIX NO. 16 C APPENDIX NO. 17 C Lieut.

Unit 13 Bn Date and Time from 1 April to 30 April 42.

Inco.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks, & references to Appendices, Diaries etc.
GRETA	27	2100	Unit Situation, C.-D-H.Q.-Coys- E(MG) Coy Greta. " " A Coy with Attach. Tps, from Camp to 410728 " " B Coy with Attach. Tps, from Camp to 319777 Instructions from 1 Bde Gp for Exercise No 2 . 13 Bn Australian Military Forces Routine Orders.	APPENDIX NO. 18 C APPENDIX NO. 19 C
	28		Unit Situation, C-D-H.Q - E(MG) Coys Greta. " " A. Coy with Att. Tps 410728 to 339721 B. Coy with Att. Tps 319777 to 399708 Unit Casualty Return.	
	29	1630	Unit Situation, C-D-HQ-E(MG) Coys , Greta. " " A.Coy 339721 to Greta " " B1Coy 399708 to Greta Weekly Intelligence Report W.E. 29/4/42.	APPENDIX NO. 21 C
	30		Unit Situation, Greta. Message from Bde to prepare to occupy former posns, 6 May.	APPENDIX NO. 22 C
		 <i>G.E. Stevenson</i> Lieut.	
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METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

April 1 Fine, clear sky, visibility good.
2)
3)
4) as above
5)
6)
7 Steady rain during morning, sky very overcast, visibility poor
8 Fine, clear sky, visibility good.
9)
10)
11)
12) as above
13)
14)
15)
16 Tendency to shower slightly, sky overcast, visibility fair.
17 Fine day, fog early morning, visibility good.
18)
19)
20)
21) as above
22)
23)
24 Slight showers early morning, visibility good, sky overcast
25 Fog early morning - fine day - visibility good.
26)
27) as above
28)
29)
30 Fine day - no clouds - visibility good.

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS

Part 1

by
Lt. Col. G.A. Patterson
13 Bn.



14/42

31 Mar. 42

1. BN. DUTIES :

Date.	Orderly Officers	Orderly Sits.	Orderly Cpl.	Duty Coy.
4/5 April.42	Lieut. McPhillips.	Sjt. A. Robertson.	Cpl. Galloway	A. Coy
5/6 Apr.42	WO11. Rankin.	Sjt. W. Walmsley.	Cpl. Partington	B.
6/7 Apr.42	Lieut. Diplock.	Sjt. T. Nolan.	Cpl. Cox.	C.
7/8 Apr.42	Lieut. Stevenson.	Sjt. S. Rowsell.	Cpl. Aldridge	D.
8/9 Apr.42	WO11. Saywell.	Sjt. J. Waterman.	Cpl. Metcalf.	E. (MG)
9/10 Apr.42	Lieut. Turnbull.	Sjt. H. King.	Cpl. Berriman	H.Q.

2. BDE. DUTIES.

Field Officer. 5/6 April Capt. J.W. Tinkler.
Field Officer. 9/10 April. Capt. G.V. Johnson.

Duty Unit. 6/7 April 42. 13 Bn.

MAIN GUARD 6/7 April 42. D. Coy.
CESSNOCK Picquet. 6/7 April 42 D. Coy.
GRETA Picquet. 6/7 April 42 E. (MG) Coy.
INLYING Picquet. 6/7 April 42 E. (MG) Coy.
D. Coy. will supply 1 Runner, with bicycle,
one telegram orderly, with bicycle, and all Bde. working
parties.

3. CHURCH PARADES.

The following are details of Church Parades.
Unless otherwise advised, these instructions will be permanent.

UNIT.	LOCATION	TIME	CHAPLAIN
13 Bn.	Hill Q Block.	0830hrs.	E. Burkett.
(If wet Y.M.C.A. Hut.)			

4. CHURCH PARADES HOLY WEEK.

Church of England.

Good Friday 3 April 42. Lantern Lecture, Story of the passion,
will be told by C. of E. Chaplain at 1930hrs
in Y.M.C.A. Hut, all troops welcome.

Easter Saturday 4 April 42. "P" Block. 0830hrs
(If wet Y.M.C.A. Hut) Chaplain Burkett

Easter Communion 5 April 42. 0645hrs. Presbyterian Hut "O" Block.
0930hrs. Church Army Hut-
Western boundary road.

Notice of Easter Communion to be promulgated in all Coys.
and personnel desiring to attend given the opportunity.

Roman Catholic. Good Friday 3 April 42 Devotions 0700hrs CUSA.
Easter Sunday. 5 April 42. Mass 0700hrs. CUSA.
Hut, 0900hrs. CUSA Hut, & 0630hrs. 13 Bn.
Recreation Hut.

5. SCHOOLS & COURSES.

The following personnel qualified at the undermentioned school.

E.C.T.S. Trade Training Centre (All Arms) Moorebank
N16384 Pte. L. Judd.

6. SALE OF LIQUOR IN HOTELS. 1 Inf. Regt. 14/42 Para. 7.

In order to conform with the State Authority's intention to prevent the sale of liquor in Hotels after certain hours, COs of all Units of the Newcastle Covering Forces are to bring to the notice of all troops the fact that licensed premises in the N.C.F. Administrative Area are out of bounds to members of the Military Forces from 2130hrs to 0600hrs on week days and all day Sundays.

The N.C.F. Provost Coy. have been instructed to see that this order is strictly obeyed.

Placing of Hotels out of bounds is restricted to drinking only and not in regard to any member desiring board and residence.

7. PHYSICAL FITNESS A.F. (E3244)

It has come to the notice of the GOC in Cond. Force Forces, that field formations, which may be called upon for action against the enemy at any time, still include a proportion of personnel of all ranks who are not classed medically as Fit, Class 1.

This position is to be rectified forthwith, except where War Establishments lay down that certain appointments may be filled by personnel unfit for field formations, and all such personnel are to be transferred from units of field formations, and replaced immediately.

It is the responsibility of every C.O. to ensure that every member of his unit is fit and where a C.O. has doubt about the fitness of any individual he is to arrange for an early medical board on such individual.

Attention is drawn, also, to the need for checking the ages of any personnel serving who enlisted under the voluntary Militia System. Where it is found that such personnel are beyond the age at which it is considered they are capable of efficient service in the field they are to be transferred to Maintenance units etc., and replaced by younger men. In this connection attention is drawn to G.O. 285 and 286.

8. PUNISHMENTS.

N153043. Pte. Kennedy, A.B. Charged. Being A.W.L. from 2230 hrs. 27 Mar. 42 till 2200hrs.

29 Mar. 42.

Award.

Fined \$1-0-0 and forfeit 2 days pay.

8.

PUNISHMENTS .

N19500 Pte. Edrick G.M. Charged. Being A.W.L. from 0600hrs. on the 30 Mar. 42. till 0600hrs 31 Mar. 42
Award. Admonished and forfeit 1 days pay.

N90359 Pte. Rossell T.E. Charged. Being A.W.L. from 0600hrs. 28 Mar. 42. till 1930hrs. 1 April 42.
Award. 28 days detention and forfeit 5 days pay.

N160573 Pte. Tisdell W. Charged. Failing to appear at the place of parade appointed by his Commanding Officer.
Award. Extra duties.

N151995 Pte. Churchill J.T. Charged. Failing to appear at the place of parade appointed by his Commanding Officer.
Award. Extra duties.

Distribution

1 Inf, Bde.	1/2	A. Coy	13/15
C.O.	3	B. Coy.	16/18
2 I/C.	4	C. Coy.	19/21
Adjut.	5	D. Coy.	22/24
Q.M.	6	E. (MG).	25/27
M.T.O.	7	Offrs. Mess	28
Pay Sjt.	8	Sjts Mess	29
Personnel	9	War Diary	30/33
H.Q.Coy.	10/12	File	34

W.M. Brunsdon Capt
(W.M. Brunsdon) 13 Bn.

NOTICE

It is advised that the following concert party has been arranged on date and location indicated.

<u>DATE</u>	<u>PARTY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
Monday 13 April.	Hal. Gillan.	Greta.

13 Bn.

(Unit.)

CASUALTY RETURN—OTHER RANKS.

Date of last A.F. W.8011 rendered
30 Mar. 42 19 Number of sheets
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Detail of casualties to other ranks which have occurred since last return. The detail should include all battle casualties, accidents, admission to and discharge from hospital, casualty clearing station, etc. Promotion (acting, temporary, local or substantive). Transfers, postings, attachments, etc., courts-martial, field punishment, forfeiture of pay, etc. Leave of absence, particulars of marriage and birth or death of children, alteration in next of kin with postal address, transfers to "X" List and any other items affecting a soldier's service.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Nature and Date of Casualty.		Remarks. (In the case of casualties from wounds or disease, any available information for communication to relatives should be stated.)
					Date.	
N160472	Pte.	Casey G.	13 Bn	Rejoined Unit ex L.W.O.P.	27 Mar. 42.	
N160477	Pte.	Clinch B.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	15 Jan. 42.	
N160482	Pte.	Cook O.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	2 Jan. 42.	
N160490	Pte.	Evans D.M.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	28 Nov. 41.	
N160494	Pte.	Ford H.P.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	6 Jan. 42	
N160496	Pte.	Garstang A.R.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	24 Nov. 41.	
N160496	Pte.	Garstang A.R.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	27 Dec. 41	
N160497	Pte.	Giblin H.W.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	28 Nov. 41	
N160504	Pte.	Houlahan K.H.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	7 Dec. 41	
N160506	Pte.	Jay W.E.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	23 Feb. 42	
N160507	Pte.	Joseph P.J.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	30 Nov. 41	
N160507	Pte.	Joseph P.J.A		" " ex L.W.O.P.	31 Dec. 41	
N160519	Pte.	Lambert G.E.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	9 Feb. 42	
N160531	Pte.	Metcalf H.L.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	2 Jan. 42	
N160568	Pte.	Shoosmith R.R.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	18 Jan. 42	
N160591	Pte.	Heston J.R.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	21 Jan. 42	
N155902	Pte.	Willoughby D.E.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	12 Mar. 42	



(Date) 7 April 42 19

(Signature of Commander.)
(G.A. PATTERSON) - Comd 13 Bn.

Lt. Col.

13 Bn.

(Unit.)

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

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N160534	Pte.	Mulvihill J.	13 Bn.	Granted 12 days L.W.O.P.	3-14 April 42.	
N16211	W.O.11	McDonald K.		"	2 days L.W.O.P.	3-4 April 42.
N16920	Pte	McEwan M.J.		"	4 days L.W.O.P.	28-31 Mar. 42
N160595	Pte.	Wynter E.		"	2 days L.W.O.P.	5-6 April 42.
N155900	Pte.	Heslop A.J.		"	28 days L.W.O.P.	5 Mar. 1 April 42
N160469	L/Cpl.	Brown A		"	10 days L.W.O.P.	2-11 April 42.
N160591	Pte	Weston J.R.		"	28 days L.W.O.P.	4-30 April 42
N296763	Pte.	Ferris F		Rejoined Unit ex L.W.O.P.	8 Mar. 42.	
N296171	Pte.	Crampton H.F.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	16 XXXXXX 5 April 42
N160148	Cpl.	Ezzy B.C.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	16 Mar. 42
N296788	Pte	Blake F.G.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	30 Mar. 42
N155945	Pte.	Carey H.T.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	13 Mar. 42
N160002	Pte.	Borger C.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	6 Feb. 42
N160065	Pte.	James R.A.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	5 Feb. 42
N160304	Pte.	McIlwain W.D.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	27 Feb. 42
N161488	Pte.	Hannington R.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	4 Mar. 42
N160472	Pte.	Casey G.		"	" ex L.W.O.P.	18 Jan. 42

(Date 7 April 42. 19

Lt. Col.
(G.A. PATTERSON)

(Signature of Commander.)

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N160002	Pte.	Bannon C.A.	13 Bn	Rejoined Unit ex L.W.O.P.	11 Feb. 42	
N161488	Pte	Hannington R.		" " ex L.W.O.P.	4 Mar. 42	
N160470	Pte.	Buckland G.S.		" " ex emergency leave	31 Mar. 42	
N160469	L/Cpl.	Brown A.		" " " "	2 April 42	
N79822	W.O.11	Small O		" " " "	23 Mar. 42	
N160595	Pte.	Wynter E.		" " " "	22 Nov. 42	
N156301	Pte.	Boyle E.		Reported sick at home	28 Mar. 42	
N156301	Pte.	Boyle E.		Rejoined Unit ex sick leave	1 April 42	
N16826	Pte.	Blain W.C.		Reported sick at home	2 April 42	
N16826	Pte.	Blain W.C.		Rejoined Unit previously reported sick at home	4 April 42	
N160044	Pte.	Farrer R.A.		Reported sick at home	4 April 42	
N161145	Pte.	Hardie R.A.		" " " "	4 April 42	
N161145	Pte	Hardie R.A.		Rejoined unit previously reported sick at home	6 April 42	
N16757	Pte.	Phillips J		" " " "	28 Feb. 42	
N16758	Pte.	Payne J.R.		" " " "	22 Feb. 42	
N16918	Pte.	Mooney R.J.		" " " "	21 Feb. 42	
N16976	Cpl.	Gibson T.R.		" " " "	2 Nov. 41	

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(G.A.PATTERSON) Lt. Col.
(Signature of Commander.)

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N17048	Pte.	Betts W.H.	13 Bn	Rejoined unit	12 Feb. 42.	previously reported sick at home.
N155409	Pte.	Tuckey R.H.		"	15 Jan. 42.	"
N155902	Pte.	Judge T.		"	4 Dec. 41.	"
N155958	Pte.	Shelly H.S.		"	24 Feb. 42.	"
N155977	Pte.	Hill J.F.C.		"	17 Feb. 42.	"
N156020	L/Cpl.	Gakley R.		"	17 Mar. 42.	"
N160051	Pte.	Graham G.		"	20 Jan. 42.	"
N160113	Pte.	Myth F.K.		"	14 Feb. 42.	"
N160463	Pte.	Braham E.R.		"	1 Nov. 41.	"
N160476	Pte.	Cleaver G.O.		"	7 Mar. 42.	"
N160157	Pte.	Diamond H.J.		"	26 Dec. 41.	ex sick leave.
N160146	Pte.	Everingham M.H.		"	10 Jan. 42.	ex sick leave.
N160524	Pte.	Lindsay R.J.		"	25 Nov. 41.	ex sick leave.
N160533	Pte.	Mirns L.J.		"	7 Dec. 41.	ex sick leave.
N160577	Pte.	Thurling O.E.		"	5 Dec. 41.	ex sick leave.
N155886	Pte.	Collins W.H.		Evacuated to Hospital	5 Feb. 42.	
N155909	Pte.	Marr J.		"	26 Dec. 42.	



(Date)

7 April 42

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(G.A. PATTERSON) Commanding Officer

Lt. Col.

1 Inf. Bde.

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H155948	Pte.	Morris G.W.	13 Bn.	Evacuated to Hospital	14 Dec. 41	
H155961	Pte.	Hall B.		"	3 Dec. 41	
H155961	Pte.	Hall B.		Rejoined Unit ex sick leave	21 Dec. 41	
H155964	Pte.	Durke P.		Evacuated to Hospital	14 Dec. 41	
H155994	Pte.	Hill S.		"	12 Mar. 42	
H156548	Pte.	Day A.		"	3 Feb. 42	
H160021	Pte.	Burton V.R.		"	16 Jan. 42	
H160142	Pte.	Duncan A.P.		"	25 Dec. 41	
H160159	Pte.	Greenway R.		"	22 Dec. 41	
H160262	Pte.	Sheridan		"	7 Nov. 41	
H160262	Pte.	Sheridan		Rejoined unit	17 Nov. ex A&H Hospital	
				"	25 Nov. ex sick leave.	
H160467	Pte.	Brooker H.R.		Evacuated to Hospital	2 Nov. 41	
				Rejoined unit	9 Nov. 41 ex sick leave.	
H160482	Pte.	Cook C.		Evacuated to Hospital	29 Nov. 41	
H160487	Pte.	Dones A.E.		"	5 Oct. 41	
H160544	Pte.	Nichols A.		"	31 Dec. 41.	

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(G.A. PATTERSON)

(Signature of Commander.)

Lt. Col.

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					Date.	
M16158	Sgt.	Mayers B.	13 Bn	Evacuated to 112 Gen. Depot	Singleton 2 April 42	placed on "X" list.
M155952	Pte.	Tweedie R.M.		Rejoined unit	15 Dec. 41	ex hospital.
M155910	Pte.	Mohan K.		" "	7 Jan. 42.	ex hospital.
				" "	25 Jan. 42.	ex hospital.
M155929	Pte.	Ballerj R.T.		" "	2 Jan. 42	ex hospital.
M160476	Pte.	Cleaver G.O.		" "	20 Jan. 42	ex hospital.
M160491	Pte.	Freeman T.R.		" "	13 Nov. 41	ex hospital.
M160491	Pte.	Freeman T.R.		" "	5 Dec. 41	ex sick leave.
M155894	Pte.	Fuge B.		" "	29 Dec. 41	ex hospital.
M155906	Pte.	Moore L.R.		" "	7 Dec. 41	ex hospital.
M155985	Pte.	Morris G.		" "	14 Dec. 41	ex hospital.
M160159	Pte.	Greenaway R.		" "	26 Dec. 41	ex hospital.
M160576	Pte.	Trotter V.K.		" "	9 Dec. 41	ex hospital.
M160468	Pte.	Brown C.M.		Reported sick at home	21 Feb 42.	
M160516	Cpl.	Lainey C.S.		" " " "	27 Jan. 42	
M16786	Pte.	Bedlock L.		" " " "	4 April 42.	

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W160358	Pte.	Folley H.W.	13 Bn	Evacuated to Hospital	6 Jan. 42	
W160362	Pte.	Hills U.D.		" " "	15 Oct. 41	
W160450	Pte.	Harris C.F.J.		" " "	11 Mar. 42	
W160451	L/Cpl.	Feilding C.L.		" " "	2 April 42	
W160457	Pte.	Hatchelor G.W.B.		Admitted to Hastings District Hospital	30 Mar. 42	
				While on leave accidentally injured foot which had to be amputated behind toes.		
W160451	Pte.	Crood D.H.		Evacuated to Hospital	2 April 42	3 C.C.S. Greta
W160414	Pte.	Evans F.H.		" " "	6 April 42	3 C.C.S. Greta
W160454	Pte.	Lyons D.J.J.		" " "	17 Dec. 41.	
W160424	Pte.	Carrol H.H.		" " "	18 Jan. 42.	
"	"	"		Rejoined unit	25 Jan 42 ex hospital.	
W160454	Pte.	Ivery E.W.		Evacuated to hospital	22 Dec. 41	
W160476	Pte.	Trotter F.K.		" " "	26 Nov. 41	
W160483	Cpl.	O'Donnell C.F.		Rejoined unit ex 112 Con. Depot Singleton	1 April 42	taken off "X" list.
W160322	Pte.	Harris C.F.		Rejoined unit ex 3 C.C.S. Greta	30 Mar. 42.	

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O.P.Q. Blocks,
GRETA CAMP.
8 Apr., 42.

WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE REPORT.

C.O. Lt col. G.A.Patterson,
Adj. Capt. W.M.Brunsdon.
I.O. G.E.Stevenson Lieut.

1 GENERAL MOVEMENTS OF OWN TROOPS. For the past week training entailed rifle and bayonet, grenades, anti gas, L.M.G. Bren, Thompson Sub Machine Gun, Semaphore, map reading, and general squad and Pl Drill.
Special Training carried out :-

- (a) 30 Mar - Rifle coys had miniature range practice shoot and rifles were zeroed by armourer individually to suit owners requirements.
"I" Section with M.T. had practical Map reading with road recces.
- (b) 31 Mar., Classification range practice by rifle coys.
- (c) 2 Apr., Classification range practice by H.Q.Coy.
- (d) 4 Apr., "I" Sec with M.T. commenced 3 Days training in Map reading detailed road recces and field sketches and panoramas.
- (e) 5 Apr., General alarm was sounded and all troops were timed in the actual operation until they were about a mile away from camp area.
Time Taken 40 Minutes.

Officers and N.C.O's

- (a) 29 Mar., & 5 Apr., Bn Offrs and N.C.O's joint conference Lectures by Specialist N.C.O's.
- (b) 31 Mar., & 7 Apr., Separate coy's conference.
- (c) 4 April, R.S.M's conference with Bn N.C.O's Lecturettes by N.C.O's.
- (d) 4 Apr., & 5 Apr., Lieut Carey and 5 N.C.O's gave their services as instructors for V.D.C. at Branxton.

2a UNIT STRENGTH.

Unit	Active		A.Class Res.		Re-inforcements.	
	Offrs	O.R's	Offrs.	OR's	Offrs	O.R's.
13 Bn	35	913	-	-	-	-

3. CHANGES IN ADEQUACY OF AIR COVER.

Slit trenches have been dug between hutments for the purposes of providing adequate air cover for the troops. As the Greta Camp is lacking somewhat in natural vegetation for air cover this was a long felt and an essential necessity. Recent rains, however, have shown that the trenches fill quickly with water and some new system will have to be evolved to overcome the drainage problem.

2. TOPOGRAPHICAL.

Recent heavy rains have widened Hunter River and there is considerable water in re-entrants and creeks also water-holes previously dried up are now filled.

4. ROADS - New and Improvements. (See also Recce Report.)

Road Improvements.

At Map reference 805573 bridge under construction.

At Map reference 790578 " " "

At Map reference 787578 Rd alteration with culvert under construction.
(Above Map Ref. Paterson M.S. 1/63,360)

5. CHANGES IN WATER SUPPLY.

Nil.



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6. RECONNAISSANCES. (Report)

Road recce was carried out by "I" Sec., in conjunction with M.T. Exercise 4/6 Apr., 42.

Greta to 485571	A.1	551607 to 605640	C.1
443540 to Minimbah Stn	C.2	605640 to vicinity of Wir	
163608 to 179659	A.1	agulla, Via Paterson-Martins	
Minimbah Stn to 163608	C.3	Creek. (From 653'84 to	A.1
Old Line Road	B.1	670788 B 1)	
128668 to Broke	A.1	Wiragulla to 723768	B.1
Broke to Warkwerth	B.1	Via Welshman's Creek	
Warkworth to 150699	B.1	723768 to Woerden	C.2
150699 to Singleton	A.1	Woerden to 787723	B.1
Singleton to Sedgefield		787723 to 803715 Via	A.1
Via 187798	C.1	Warracooten.	
Sedgefield to 551607 Via		803715 to Junc Pacific	
Glendon Brook Elderslie		Highway.	B.1
-Stanhope-Jacob's Hills		Pacific Highway to 823570	A.1
-Rosebrook	B.1	823570 to Seaham	B.1
		Seaham to Greta Via Woodville	
		Bolwarra Lorn W. Maitland	
		Lochinvar.	A.1

Above Map ref., Singleton M.S.
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7. MORALE.

The general attitude and behavior of troops on duty and off duty both in the camp and in town on rest days or leave have been on the whole, very good. Morale is of a high standard and lecture by Capt. Johnson on "Crete and Common Sense" to the Bn N.C.O's was well received. (Ref. Lecture A.T.M. No. 6)
The spirit of the A.T.M. was well caught and it should help to destroy much destructive criticism, especially of England's War Effort.

8. SPECIAL CONDITIONS EFFECTING HEALTH FIGHTING CAPACITY OF OWN TROOPS.

No increase of infectious diseases were effected this week and treating generally nothing had retarded the effectiveness of either the health or fighting capacity of the men.
Inoculations were carried out, Injections covering the second T.A.B. and first T.A.T. of the new personnel.
It is noted in regards to vaccinations and inoculations the resistance of the troops have been high and only slight cases have been recorded as suffering from the above affects.



G.E. Stevenson for Lt col.
G.A. Patterson, C.O. 13 Bn.

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Rank	Personal Number	Name and Initials	Corps	Nature and date of casualty	Date	Remarks. (In the case of casualties from wounds or disease, any available information for communication to relatives should be stated)
Lt. Col.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.	13th.	Rejoined Unit	10 Feb. 42	Ex Senior Officers Course.
Lt. Col.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.			6 Apr. 42	Ex Army Anti Tank Battle Course.
Lieut.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.			9 Dec. 41	Ex 1 Inf. Bde. C & S.S.
Lieut.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.			9 Dec. 41	Ex 1 Inf. Bde. C & S.S.
Lieut.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.			4 Apr. 42	Ex 20 Camouflage Course.
Lieut.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.	Ref. 2/0	17/4/41 sub para 20/2 delete complete entry		
Lieut.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.		Rejoined Unit	1 Apr. 42	Ex 103 A/T. Regt.
Capt.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.		Detached to D.R.O.	29 Mar. 42	
Lieut.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.		Rejoined unit on D.R.O.	1 Apr. 42	
Lieut.	ATTWOOD,	C.L.		Rejoined Unit	22 Dec. 41	Ex L.D.O.P.



W. Patterson Lt. Col.
(Signature of Commanding Officer.)

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N90344	A/Sjt.	JONES, F.R.	13 Bn.	TRANSFERRED	2 Apr. 42	To 2 H.D. A/Cs Office.
N156537	Pte..	HOSCHKE, G.E.		Marched into camp and taken on strength from		
				16 Motor Regt.	4 Apr. 42	
N160494	Pte.	FORD, H.P.		Appointed L/Cpl.	5 Apr. 42	To complete W.R.
N19501	Pte.	GARLAND, C.R.		Appointed L/Cpl.	9 Apr. 42	To Complete W.R.
		CORRIGENDA.		Ref. R/O 11/42 sub para 544 delete complete entry.		
N16415	Pte.	McNABE W.		STRENGTH DECREASE	19 Dec. 41	To Area 13A (H.F.O.)
		CORRIGENDA.		Ref. R/O 11/42 sub para 545 delete complete entry & insert in lieu:		
N16431	Pte.	PRESOTT, J.W.		Taken on strength ex 53 Bn. & out of camp pending Exp.	19 Dec. 41	
		CORRIGENDA.		Ref. R/O 8 of 15 Jan. 42 sub para 469 delete complete entry & insert in lieu:		
N16304	Sjt.	HALL, R.H.		Granted 19 days L.W.O.P. from 3 Jan. 42		
				Rejoined unit ex L.W.O.P. 22 Jan. 42		
N160271	Sjt.	ANDERTON, R.W.		Detached to D.R.O.	29 Mar. 42	
				Rejd Unit ex D.R.O.	2 Apr. 42	
N16228	Sjt.	HOLAN, T.		Rejd. Unit	1 Nov. 41	Ex H.O. Carrier Course Ruth'd.
N155910	Pte.	BEHAN, E.		"	25 Jan. 42	Ex Hospital
N160043	Pte.	EVERINGHAM, L.		"	11 Feb. 42	Ex Emergency Leave.



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N160341	Cpl.	RABGOOD, G.J.	13 Bn.	Detached 31 Mar. 42	To EC for Harbour Defence Duties.
N160521	Pte.	LAVERY, L.J.		Detached 15 Oct. 41	To Area 13A.
N155907	Pte.	KORNOX, R.		Detached 3 Apr. 42	Under arrest by Civil police
				Rejd. Unit 6 Apr. 42	(On Bail)
N16237	WO11	RANKIE, F.W.		Detached 5 Apr. 42	To WOs Course Bonegilla.
N90349	WO11	NOLAN, E.R.		"	" " "
N16977	Pte.	GILL, H.R.		"	7 Jan. 42 To E.C.P.F.C.
N17031	Cpl.	PARTINGTON, O.		"	11 Oct. 41 To M.G. Carrier Course Bath'd
N90312	Cpl.	GEE, E.R.		"	6 Jan. 42 To Armourers Course.
N155962	Pte.	WILLUGHBY, D.E.		"	27 Nov. 41 To MG Carrier Course.
N160285	Pte.	COSGROVE, P.J.		"	12 Jan. 42 To MCF Cooking School
N16562	Sjt.	FROST, W.		"	6 Apr. 42 To ECTS (Signal Wing)
N16977	Cpl.	GILL, H.R.		"	6 Apr. 42 To Carrier School, Glenfield.
N155779	Pte.	NEWMAN, P.		"	6 Apr. 42 To 1 Inf. Bde.
N155972	Pte.	FRANK, A.V.		"	" " "
N155251	Pte.	FORT, G.		"	" " " To 1 Pd. Coy.

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N22475	Pte.	WEILLY, G.O.	13 Bn.	Rejoined Unit	Ex H & S School Clevelly.
N16342	Pte.	CRAIG, G.S.		" "	" " " "
N16693	Pte.	RICHARDS, R.		" "	" " " "
N156550	Sjt.	WEBB, D.W.		" "	Ex O.F.S. Bonegilla.
N160270	Sjt.	DAVIS, G.S.		" "	Ex EC Cooking School
N16148	Cpl.	JOHNSON, A.		7 Feb. 42	Ex H & S School
N16248	Cpl.	PUCKRIDGE, A.J.		18 Dec. 41	Ex HCF Cooking School
N16256	WO11	McDONNELL, F.B.		21 Dec. 41	Ex ECTS - Inf. Wing.
N16270	Cpl.	HOFFMAN, F.J.		1 Feb. 42	Ex HAI EC Cooking School.
N16974	Cpl.	FREDERICKS, L.I.		18 Dec. 41	Ex HCF Cooking School
N15990	Pte.	MAYTON, E.		16 Mar. 42	Ex 1 Fd. Coy.
N38576	Cpl.	JAMES, J.W.		16 Mar. 42	Ex ECTS Signal Wing.
N90349	WO11	NOLAN, E.R.		19 Mar. 42	Ex Carriers School.
N155430	Sjt.	WALSLEY, W.B.		22 Dec. 41	Ex ECTS Junior Leaders Course.
N155936	Pte.	FISHER, E.		2 Dec. 41	Ex MG Carrier Course Ruth's.
N150091	Pte.	PARKER, J.M.		8 Mar. 42	Ex ECTS "I" Wing.
N160191	Pte.	PEEL, C.J.		8 Mar. 42	Ex ECTS "I" Wing.
N160462	Pte.	BLOOMFIELD, E.T.		12 Dec. 41	Ex 1 Fd. Coy
N160576	Pte.	TROTTER, V.K.		" "	" "
N160514	Pte.	KIDD, T.M.		28 Nov. 41	Ex Sick at home.
N160514	Pte.	KIDD, T.M.		17 Jan. 42	" "
N160591	Pte.	WESTON, J.R.		8 Dec. 41	Ex Cooking School.

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Part 1

by

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13 Br.

9 April 42

15/42



1. BDE. DUTIES.

Field Officer. 12/15 April. Capt. J. Tillbrook.

Duty Unit. 11/12 April 42. 13 Bn.
Duty Unit. 16/17 April 42. 13 Bn.

MAIN GUARD 11/12 April 42 A. Coy. 13 Bn.
CESSNOCK Picquet 11/12 April 42 A. Coy. 13 Bn.
GRETA Picquet 11/12 April 42 A. Coy. 13 Bn.
Inlying Picquet 11/12 April 42 A. Coy. 13 Bn.

A. Coy. will supply 1 Runner, with bicycle,
one telegram orderly, with bicycle, and all Bde. working
parties. SEE ALSO Para 14.

MAIN GUARD 16/17 April 42 B. Coy.
CESSNOCK Picquet. 16/17 April 42 B. Coy.
GRETA Picquet. 16/17 April 42 B. Coy.
Inlying Picquet. 16/17 April 42 B. Coy.

B. Coy. will supply one Runner, with bicycle,
one telegram orderly, with bicycle, and all Bde. working
parties. SEE ALSO Para 14.

2. BN. DUTIES.

<u>Date.</u>	<u>Orderly Officers</u>	<u>Orderly Sjts.</u>	<u>Orderly Cpls.</u>	<u>Duty Coy.</u>
10/11 Apr. 42.	W.O. 44. D. Watt.	Sjt. Martin	Cpl. Wheeler	A. Coy.
11/12 Apr. 42.	Lieut. MacDonald.	Sjt. Worthing.	" Gould	B. Coy.
12/13 Apr. 42.	Lieut. Gosson	Sjt. Cross	" Cox	C. Coy.
13/14 Apr. 42.	Lieut. Plummer	Sjt. Stubbings	" Allardice.	D. Coy.
14/15 Apr. 42.	Lieut. Champion	Sjt. Robertson	" Pearce	E. (MG)
15/16 Apr. 42.	Lieut. Nolan	Sjt. Parmenter	" Trigg	H.Q.
16/17 Apr. 42.	Lieut. Danchwardt	Sjt. Walsley	" (S) Partridge	A. Coy.

3. FIRST YEAR UNIVERSITY STUDENTS @ ECRO. 13/42. Para. 4.

First year students who are accepted by universities for enrolment in any of the reserved faculties, viz., Medicine, Science, Engineering, Dentistry, Agriculture, Veterinary Science, and who produce evidence from the Registrar of the University to this effect, will be released from units and transferred to Sydney University Area.

4. KIT BAGS = MARKING OF. ECRO 13/42 Para. 15.

All personnel of the AMF in Eastern Command will have painted on the bottom of the universal kit bag their number and name so that kits may be stored in kit stores, lying down, and these numbers will serve for ready reference.

5. DRESS- WALKING OUT. ECRO 13/42 Para. 5.

(1) All personnel, including officers, when on leave, must be properly dressed. If wearing shorts and shirts, long socks or hose tops and half puttees must be worn by other ranks. Officers may wear stockings and shoes.

(2) Comd. will ensure that all troops are properly dressed on departure from camp on leave, and that they are informed of the necessity of maintaining tidiness and care in their dress at all times.

6. REGIMENTAL AND CORPS BADGES AND TITLES. ECRO. 13/42 Para. 20.

(1) The wearing of Regimental and Corps Badges, buttons and titles (including A.I.C. scarlet stripes or shoulder straps) shall cease to be worn and badges Commonwealth, and buttons, copper oxidised, will be issued in lieu thereof to all units of the Australian Military Forces.

(2) The wearing of shoulder titles as specified in Standing Orders for dress 1935, Para. 79, will also be discontinued. Titles "Australia" "VAD" and "AWAS" and black stripes on chaplains' shoulder straps will continue to be worn where authorised.

(3) The foregoing provisions do not apply to Corps or Staff Cadets.

7. DRESS- WEARING OF DECORATIONS AND MEDALS OF ENEMY COUNTRIES. ECRO. 13/42 Para. 10.

(1) It is notified that His Majesty the King has been pleased to approve of the withdrawal of all permissions to persons of Australian origin for the wearing of decorations and medals of enemy countries.

(2) The countries with which Australia is at present at war are Germany, Japan, Hungary, Roumania, Finland, Thailand, Bulgaria, and Italy.

8. SCHOOLS AND COURSES. ECRO 13/42. Para 23.

(a) The undermentioned personnel qualified at EC MT School (Carrier Wing) Serial 11, held at Glenfield from 6-31 Jan. 42.

N16288 Lieut. R.T.V. Plummer.

9. DUTIES. (1)

Officers and N.C.O.'s detailed for Bn. or Bde. duties will, if such duties conflict with their leave period, either

- (a) arrange replacement and inform Bn. H.Q. thereof, or
- (b) postpone leave to a more suitable date.

(2) Duty Coy. will supply one N.C.O. to report to M.T. Orderly Room at Retreat. DUTIES: N.C.O. in charge of M.T. picquet.

10. ORDERLY OFFICER- REPORTING " LIGHTS OUT".

The Orderly Officer of the day, after ensuring that unauthorised lights are extinguished at the proper time, will report the fact to F.O. at Bde. H.Q.

11. RAZOR BLADES. 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 15/42. Para. 7.

Troops are again to be warned against leaving razor blades on floors of shower rooms and that receptacles provided are for razor blades only.

12. GUARD HOUSE. 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 15/42 Para 6.

Cleanliness of the Guard House and Detention Barracks is the responsibility of the Unit mounting Guard.

13. SEWERAGE SYSTEM 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 15/42 Para. 10.

Pedestals will be cleaned daily with the special brush provided to remove stains and the seats scrubbed with soap and water.

The flushing cistern will be kept in good order and water seal maintained in trap of the pedestal pan and floor drainage fittings.

Toilet paper only must be used.

Surface drainage must be prevented from gaining access to latrines by the constructing of a suitably placed catchment channel.

14. ADDITIONAL RUNNER : 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 15/42 Para. 11.

Duty Coy. will supply one runner to report to Sig. Office "L" Block, at 0900hrs. daily, as from 10 April 42.

15. PUNISHMENTS:

N160588	Pte. WILLIAMS, C.R.	: Charge: Disobeying a lawful command given by a superior officer
		Award: 3 days C.B.
N155251	Pte. FORT, G.	: Charge: A.W.L. from 1000 hrs. 7 Apr. 42 till 0600hrs. 6 Apr. 42.
		Award: Fined £5 and forfeit five days pay.
N160199	Pte. GROVES, W.	: Charge: A.W.L. from 2230 hrs. 7 Apr. 42 till 0800 hrs. 2 Apr. 42
		Award: Fined 10/- and forfeit one day's pay.
N296824	Pte. BOYD, W.G.	: Charge: Failing to appear at a place of parade ordered by his C.O.
		Award: 3 days C.B.



R/O 15/42 Part 1 Cont.15 PUNISHMENTS: Cont.

N155964 Pte. Burke, P. : Charge: A.W.L. from 2359 hrs till
3 Apr. 42 till 0600 hrs. 5 Apr. 42
Award: Fined 10/- and forfeit
two days pay.

N15706 Pte. Laycock, L.T. : Charge: A.W.L. from 2030 hrs.
4 Apr. 42 till 0600 hrs. 6 Apr. 42
Award: Admonition and forfeit
two days pay.

N90381 Pte. Stewart, C. : Charge: A.W.L. from 0600hrs.
4 Apr. 42 till 0600hrs. 6 Apr. 42
Award: Fined £1 and forfeit two
days pay.

N160682 Pte. Tagg, L.G. : Charge: A.W.L. from 0600hrs.
22 Mar. 42 till 2200hrs. 24 Mar. 42
Award: Admonished and forfeit
three days pay.

N90359 Pte. Rowsell, T.E. : Charge: A.W.L. from 0600 hrs.
15 Feb. 42 till 0600hrs. 24 Feb. 42
Award: Fined £3 and forfeit nine
days pay.

16: CHURCH PARADES: Sunday 12 Apr. 42

13 Bn. parade 0830 hrs. "Q" Block
If wet - Y.M.C.A. Hut.

Roman Catholic:

Mass. 0700 and 0900 hrs. - C.U.S.A. Hut.
Mass 0630 hrs. 13 Bn. Recreation Hut.

Church of England:

Holy Communion - Presbyterian Hut 0630 hrs.

DISTRIBUTION:

1 Inf. Bde.	1/2	D Coy	22/24
C.O.	3	E (MG)	25/27
2 I/C	4	Offrs. Mess	28
Adjts.	5	Sjts. Mess	29
Q.M.	6	War Diary	29/32
M.T.O.	7	File	33
Pay Sjt.	8		
Personnel	9		
HQ Coy	10/12		
A Coy	13/15		
B Coy	16/18		
C Coy	19/21		

W. M. Brunsdon Capt.
(W.M. BRUNSDON) Adjts. 13 Bn.

NOTICE:

One Sjt's. Greatcoat found at GRETA Railway station.
Owner may have same by applying to Bde. HQ "K" Block.

Appendix 7c
(Margin for Filing Purposes)

8 April 42 Date of last A.F. W.3010 rendered
..... 19..... Number of sheets
attached to this return.....

CASUALTY RETURN—OFFICERS

Detail of casualties to officers which have occurred since last return. The detail should include all battle casualties, accidents, admission to and discharge from hospital, casualty clearing station, &c. Promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), transfers, postings, attachments, &c., courts-martial, leave of absence, particulars of marriage and birth or death of children, alteration in next-of-kin with postal address, transfers to "X" List and any other items connected with an officer's service.

Wm Brunsdon Capt
for Lt. Col.
(G.A.) Signature of Commanding Officer. Bn.

13EN. (Unit).

1 Inf. Bde.

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

7 April 42 Date of last A.F. W.3011 rendered
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13 Bn. (Unit.) CASUALTY RETURN-OTHER RANKS.

Detail of casualties to other ranks which have occurred since last return. The detail should include all battle casualties, accidents, admission to and discharge from hospital, casualty clearing station, etc. Promotion (acting, temporary, local or substantive). Transfers, postings, attachments, etc., courts-martial, field punishment, forfeiture of pay, etc. Leave of absence, particulars of marriage and birth or death of children, alteration in next of kin with postal address, transfers to "X" List and any other items affecting a soldier's service.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Nature and Date of Casualty.		Remarks. (In the case of casualties from wounds or disease, any available information for communication to relatives should be stated.)
					Date.	
N19442	Pte.	Beggs A.J.	13 Bn.	Granted 2 days L.W.O.P.	14-15 April 42.	
N160483	Pte	Cowan L.M.		" 21 days L.W.O.P.	8-29 April 42.	
N160682	Pte.	Tagg L.G.		" 12 days L.W.O.P.	11-22 April 42.	
N160507	Pte	Joseph P.J.		" 3 days L.W.O.P.	12-14 April 42.	
N16174	C/Sjt	Smith B.		" 1 day L.W.O.P.	14 April 42.	
N160562	Pte.	Roods C.H.		" 5 days L.W.O.P.	15-17 April 42.	
N160533	Pte.	Minns L.J.		" 4 days L.W.O.P.	20-23 April 42.	
N160296	Pte	Hope B.T.		" 3 days L.W.O.P.	16-18 April 42.	
N160295	Pte.	Hickson C.		" 1 day L.W.O.P.	15 April 42.	
N161426	Pte.	Sands G.A.		Rejoined Unit ex L.W.O.P.	14 April 42.	
N155252	Pte.	Russell O.R.		" " " L.W.O.P.	12 April 42.	
N155994	Pte.	Hill S.		" " " sick leave	9 April 42.	
N160044	Pte.	Farrer R.A.		" " " " "	9 April 42.	
N16587	Pte.	Rafferty P.F.		" " " " "	10 April 42.	
N90307	Pte.	Flarrety E.J.		Reported sick at home	8 April 42.	
N90307	Pte	Flarrety E.J.		Rejoined Unit ex sick at home	12 April 42.	
N156634	Pte.	Graham R.G.		" " " " "	14 April 42.	



(Date) 10 April 42 19.....
W.H. Brunsdon Capt
Lt. Col.
(G.A.PATTERSON, (Signature of Commander.)
13 Bn.
1 Inf. Bde. (Unit.)
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

13 Bn.

(Unit.)

CASUALTY RETURN—OTHER RANKS.

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Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Nature and Date of Casualty.	Date.	Remarks. (In the case of casualties from wounds or disease, any available information for communication to relatives should be stated.)
N17031	Cpl.	Partington O.	13 Bn.	Reported sick	8 April 42.	in 207 A.G.H. Posted to "X" list.
N160371	Pte.	Rosenboun V.		Reported sick at home	3 April 42	
N161492	Pte.	Bain D.W.		" " " "	8 April 42.	
N160200	Pte.	Shelton E.S.		" " " "	8 April 42	
N156634	Pte.	Graham R.O.		" " " "	8 April 42	
N160450	Pte.	Ainsworth W.R.		" " " "	10 April 42	
N160390	Pte.	Pead R.W.		" " " "	10 April 42	
N160414	Pte.	Eanes P.W.		Rejoined Unit ex 3 C.O.S.	9 April 42	
N126639	Pte.	Roy H.		Evacuated to 3 C.O.S.	9 April 42	
N126639	Pte.	Roy H.		Rejoined Unit ex 3 C.O.S.	11 April 42.	
N160031	Pte.	Croad D.Y.H.		" " " " 3 C.O.S.	12 April 42	
N160012	Pte.	Borger C.		" " " " 112 Con Depot Singleton	13 April 42	taken off "X" list.
N126607	Pte.	Everson H.F.		Rejoined Unit ex 112 Con Depot Singleton	13 April 42	taken off "X" list.
N155251	Pte.	Port G.		Rejoined Unit ex Raymond Terrace	8 April 42.	



(Date) 14 April 42 19.....

(G.A. PATTERSON) (Signature of Commander.)

Lt. Col.

13 Bn.

1 Inf. Bde.

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Appendix 8 C

AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS

PART 1

by
Lt.Col. G.A.Patterson
Comd. 13 Bn.

15 Apr. 42

16/42

1. BN. DUTIES:

Date	Orderly Officer	Orderly Sgt.	Orderly Cpl.	Duty Coy
16/17 Apr. 42	O11 McDonell	Sjt. R. Post	Cpl. A. Mainey	A
17/18 Apr. 42	Lieut. McGillivray	Sjt. W. Martin	Cpl. F. Thornton	B
18/19 Apr. 42	Lieut. S. Saul	Sjt. D. Webb	Cpl. L. North	C
19/20 Apr. 42	Lieut. A. Hughes	Sjt. P. Monck	Cpl. W. Flemming	D
20/21 Apr. 42	O11 W. Buttenshaw	Sjt. H. King	Cpl. B. C. Ezzy	HQ
21/22 Apr. 42	Lieut. H. Diplock	Sjt. C. Saville	Cpl. Alldridge	A
22/23 Apr. 42	Lieut. K. Macdonald	Sjt. N. A. Irvine	Cpl. Payne	B

2. MOVEMENT THROUGH LINES:

Personnel moving from O P & Q blocks to Canteen in S Block, or to other portions of GRETA CAMP will use the made roads and footpaths, and will not move through blocks occupied by other units. This instruction will be read to all tps. immediately.

3. EMERGENCY WATER SUPPLIES: ECRO 14/42 para 7.

1. All drinking waters other than piped town supplies are to be regarded as polluted and are not to be consumed without previous chlorination.
2. When spear points, wells, etc., are used as sources of supply for drinking water it is important that the sites of latrines and showers should be carefully selected in relation to the flow of underground water. Before siting such structures the Divisional Hygiene Officer should be consulted, or failing this officer the Medical of the Unit.

4. PUNISHMENTS:

N155908 Pte. MOORE, M. :- Charge: Failing to appear at a place of parade appointed by his Commanding Officer.
Award: 3 days C.B.

N15690 Pte. CAMPBELL D.H.G. :- Charge: A.M.L. from 0645 hrs 12 Apr. 42 till 1900 hrs. 12 Apr. 42
Award: Admonished and forfeit one day's pay.

N16801 Pte. BISHOP, W. G. :- Charge: Using insubordinate language to his superior officer.
Award: Fined £1

N155396 Pte. SIMMONDS, E.L. :- Charge: A.M.L. from 0600hrs. 11 Apr till 0600 hrs. 12 Apr. 42
Award: Fined £1 and forfeit one day's pay.



R/O 16/42 Part 1 Cont.

PUNISHMENTS: Cont.

N155994 Pte. HIL, S. :- Charge: Failing to appear at a place of parade appointed by his Commanding Officer.
Award: 4 days C.B.

N160196 Pte. CONNOR, I.A. :- Charge: Failing to appear at a place of parade appointed by his Commanding Officer.
Award: 2 days C.B.

N156470 Pte. PAYNE, R.T. :- Charge: Failing to appear at a place of parade appointed by his Commanding Officer.
Award: 3 days C.B.

N16742 Pte. GORDON, A.C. :- Charge: Failing to appear at a place of parade appointed by his commanding officer.
Award: 2 days C.B.

DISTRIBUTION:

1 Inf. Bde.	1/2
C.O.	3
2 I/C.	4
Adj't.	5
Q.M.	6
M.T.O.	7
Pay Sjt.	9
Personnel	10
HQ Coy	11/13
A Coy	14/16
B Coy	17/19
C Coy	20/22
D Coy	23/25
E (MG) Coy	26/28
Offrs. Mess	29
Sjts. Mess.	30
War Diary	31/34
File	35

W. T. Brunston Capt.
(W. T. BRUNSTON) Adj't. 13 Bn.

Appendix 9 C

WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE REPORT

C.O. Lt.-Col. G. A. PATTERSON
Adj. Capt. W. H. BRUNSON

Unit 13 Bn.
Location. HOME FORCES
Ending 15 APR. 42.

1. GENERAL MOVEMENT OF ONE TROOP.

During past week, troops carried out training in Rifle, Bayonet, L.M.G. Bren, Thompson sub-machine gun, and general squad & pl. drill. Night exercises consisted of patrols, reconnaissance & fighting. H.Q. Coy. Specialists had technical training in their own particular branch of work. "1" Sec. carried out advanced training in Field Sketching. Base Line intersection, traverse, filling in detail from ground on to enlargement - Message & Message writing, and compass marches by day & night.

Special training during week -

- (a) 11 April - Route march, each Coy. having a different route.
- (b) - Lieut Carey & 6 H.Q.C.'s gave instruction to V.P.C. personnel at BRANTON.
- (b) 12 April & Offrs. & H.Q.C.'s conference - Lieut McDonnell gave lecture on camouflage & concealment.
- (c) 14 April - H.(H.Q.) Coy. moved out by H.T. from camp site to TOTAL HOUSE (PATTERSON 646688) where they will carry out extensive training in H.M.G. work for 2 weeks.

1a. UNIT STRENGTH.

ACTIVE		A. CLASS NOS.		RE-INFORCEMENTS.	
Offrs.	O.N's	Offrs.	O.N's	Offrs.	O.N's
37	923	-	-	-	-

- 2. TOPOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION. NIL.
- 3. CHANGES IN ADEQUATE AIR COVER. NIL.
- 4. ROADS - NEW & IMPROVEMENTS. NIL.
- 5. WATER SUPPLY. NIL.
- 6. RECONNAISSANCE REPORTS. NIL.
- 7. MORALE.

The morale of the troops remains at a high standard both on and off duty - there has been no untoward incidents, or oral incitement to disaffect or prejudice discipline & morale.

8. SPECIAL CONDITIONS AFFECTING HEALTH OR FIGHTING CAPACITY OF ONE TROOP

The general health of the troops is again sustained as previous week & records show decided low percentage of Respiratory tract infections & diarrhoea cases. It seems that the troops have become "tooth wired" and constant daily groups have been receiving treatment at C.C.S., which is proving most beneficial to the personnel. "Foot" cases are received at the R.I.P. in groups for particular attention to corns, toenails, etc. and coupled with normal forms of treatment it appears that the fighting capacity of the troops remains unchanged.



G.A. Patterson
.....Lt.-Col.
(G.A. PATTERSON) Comd. 13 Bn.

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					Date.	
N15690	Pte.	CAMPBELL, D.H.G.	13Bn.	Marched into camp	30 Mar. 42	
N296760	Pte.	DUFFY, L.J.		Marched out and		
				STRENGTH DECREASE	12 Apr. 42	To Area 33C - Med. Unfit.
N90348	Pte.	McDONALD, J.D.		Marched out and		
				STRENGTH DECREASE	14 Apr. 42	To Area 13A - M.P.O.-
N163012	Pte.	BORGER, C.		Marched out and		
				STRENGTH DECREASE	14 Apr. 42	To Area 13B - Med. Unfit.-
N246743	Pte.	PEARY, J.		Marched in and		
				TAKEN ON STRENGTH	9 Apr. 42	From S.C.A.T.F.D.
NX92490	Pte.	SHIPLE, E.R.		" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
NX91478	Pte.	FERWICK, J.W.		" " " "	" " " "	" " " "
NAG9914	Pte.	CLIFTON, A.L.		Marched in and taken		
				on strength	9 Apr. 42	From A.A.O.C. Training Depot.
N155932	Pte.	TWEEDIE, R.M.		14 days Leave W.O.P.	from 14 Apr. 42	
N19589	Pte.	RANSOME, J.		Marched in and		
				TAKEN ON STRENGTH	10 Apr. 42	From Area 13A.
N16132	A/Sjt.	ROBERTSON, A.R.		Reverted to L/Sjt.	from 9 Apr. 42	
N155986	L/Cpl.	MURNAME, A.		Appointment as L/Cpl.	terminated 9 Apr. 42	

(Date)

15 Apr. 1942

(G.A. PATTERSON)

(Signature of Commander.)

13Bn.

(Unit.)

1 Inf. Bde.

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N156016	Pte.	HANCOCK, V.H.	13Bn.	Marched in under close arrest	28 Feb. 42	
				Released from close arrest	7 Apr. 42	
				Marched out	8 Apr. 42	Pending Confirmation of Medical Board - Med. Unfit.
N126601	Pte.	BRENTON, D.		Birth of son	1 Apr. 42	
N160146	Pte.	EVERINGHAM, M.H.		" " "	" " "	
N15630	Pte.	HUDSON, E.A.		" " "	7 Apr. 42	
N16736	A/Cpl.	PARKINS, K.W.		Married	23 Feb. 42	
				Next of kin now:-		Doris Wadge Parkins, Grafton St., Coff's Harbour.
N17048	Pte.	BRETS, W.H.		Qualified at ECTS - E.C.T.T.C., Moorebank		
N160562	Pte.	ROADS, C.H.		Rejoined Unit	12 Dec. 41	From 1 Fd. Coy.
N156552	Pte.	WILLIS, J.E.		Detached	23 Mar. 42	To 20 Fd. Regt.
N16149	Cpl.	JOHNSON, A.H.		Rejoined Unit	10 Apr. 42	Ex 1 Fd. Coy.
N15960	Pte.	BROWN, A.G.		" " "	" " "	" " "

(Date) 15 Apr. 1942

(G.A. PATTERSON)

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A circular purple ink stamp. The outer ring contains the text "13th BATTALION" at the top and "HEADQUARTERS WEST MAIL" at the bottom, separated by two small stars. In the center of the stamp, the date "30 APR 1942" is stamped.

(Date).

15 Apr. 19 42

(G. A. PATTERSON)

(Signature of Commander.)

Lt. Col.

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					Date.	
N160468	Pte.	BROWN C.M.	13 Bn.	Granted 7 days L.W.O.P.	16-22 April 42.	
N16738	Pte.	FOWLER H.R.		Evacuated to 3 C.C.S.	16 April 42.	
N19490	L/Cpl.	FIELDING C.L.		Rejoined Unit ex 3 C.C.S.	15 April 42.	
N16427	A/Cpl.	PHOENIX R.		Promoted to A/Sjt as from 15 April 42.	complete W.E.	
N16203	A/Cpl.	HILES A.		" " " "	15 April 42.	complete W.E.
N16262	A/Sjt	CORELY J.K.		STRENGTH DECREASE	15 April 42.	transferred to
						Guerilla Warfare School
						Southern Comd.
N286873	Pte.	ROSS R.C.		STRENGTH INCREASE	16 April 42.	from E.C.A.T.T.D.
N286880	Pte.	CAMPBELL C.B.		STRENGTH INCREASE	16 April 42	Marched in from E.C.A.T.T.D.
N16936	Pte.	SECKOLD A.M.		Reported sick at home	16 April 42.	Operation in Manning
						River District Hospital for
						Tonsils.



(Date) **16 April 42** 19.....

G.A. Patterson **Lt. Col.**
(Signature of Commander.)
(G.A.PATTERSON) Comd. 13 Bn.

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Appendix 12C

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES ROUTINE ORDERS



PART 1

by

Lt. Col. G.A. Patterson
Comd. 13 Bn.

19 April 42

17/42

1. BDE. DUTIES.

Field Officer. 22/23 April 42 Capt. G.V. Johnson.

Duty Unit. 20/21 April 42 13 Bn.
Duty Unit. 24/25 April 42 13 Bn.

MAIN GUARD 20/21 April 42. C. Coy.
CESSNOCK Picquet. 20/21 April 42. C. Coy.
GRETA Picquet. 20/21 April 42. C. Coy.
INLYING Picquet. 20/21 April 42. C. Coy.

C. Coy will supply one Runner, with bicycle, one telegram orderly, with bicycle, one Runner to report to Sig. Office "L" Block, at 0900hrs. and all Bde. working parties.

MAIN GUARD 24/25 April 42 D. Coy.
CESSNOCK Picquet. 24/25 April 42 D. Coy.
GRETA Picquet. 24/25 April 42. D. Coy.
INLYING Picquet. 24/25 April 42 D. Coy.

D. Coy. will supply one Runner, with bicycle, one telegram orderly, with bicycle, one Runner to report to Sig. Office "L" Block at 0900hrs. and all Bde working parties.

2. BN. DUTIES.

Date.	Orderly Officers	Orderly Sjts.	Orderly Cpls.	Duty Coy.
20/21 Apr. 42.	WO11. W. Buttenshaw.	Sjt. H. King.	Cpl. Ezzy.	A. Coy.
21/22 Apr. 42.	Lieut. H. Diplock.	Sjt. C. Saville.	Cpl. Aldridge.	B. Coy.
22/23 Apr. 42.	Lieut. K. MacDonald.	Sjt. N. Irvine.	Cpl. Payne.	C. Coy.
23/24 Apr. 42.	Lieut. N. Gosson.	Sjt. B. Burling.	Cpl. Phillips.	D. Coy.
24/25 Apr. 42.	Lieut. C. Champion.	Sjt. Parmenter.	Cpl. Gould.	H.Q. Coy.
25/26 Apr. 42.	Lieut. T. Nolan.	Sjt. Hiles.	Cpl. Pearce.	A. Coy.
26/27 Apr. 42.	Lieut. McPhillips.	Sjt. Cross.	Cpl. Partridge.	B. Coy.

3. RESPIRATORS AND STEEL HELMETS:

Bn. R/O. No. 13/42, para. 19 is cancelled.

4. SENTRIES- AMMUNITION AND PETROL DUMPS, M.T. VEHICLE PARKS, GUARD HOUSE. & Inf. Bde. R/O 16/42 para. 5.

In many instances sentries mount with insufficient knowledge of duties. Sentries are to be fully acquainted of these before mounting.

5. MEDICAL ASSISTANCE TO CIVIL COMMUNITY BY MEDICAL OFFICERS OF THE A.A.M.C. M.B.I. of 15 Mar. para. A38. & 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 16/42 para. 25.

Approval has been given for Medical Officers of the A.A.M.C. who are called up for full time duty, to render assistance in any emergency to the civil community, provided it does not interfere with the performance of their military duties.

It is to be understood by all concerned that such assistance will be rendered in an honorary capacity.

6. MAILS. 1 Inf. Bde R/O 16/42 para. 6.

The Sjt in charge and staff of F.P.O. 078 have full authority to collect all mail for Inward and Outward despatch

7. UNIT ORDERLY OFFICERS, 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 16/42 para. 7.

The attention of all officers must be drawn to the above. The necessity for Bde. H.Q. to ring for Orderly Officers' Reports should not arise and units must ensure that these are phoned through at the time laid down - 2100hrs.

8. CHURCH PARADES. 1 Inf. Bde R/O 16/42 Para. 3.

Church of England: Location, Hill "P" Block at 0830hrs.
Holy Communion "Church Army Hut"
0930hrs.

Roman Catholic: Mass 0700hrs and 0900hrs CUSA HUT.
Mass 0630hrs. 13 Bn. Recreation Hut.

9. SURRENDER OF IDENTITY CARDS: ECRO. 15/42 para. 3.

(1) Personnel who were members of the forces prior to 25 Mar. 42 were not required to complete CR 1 (Application for Identity Cards) in the recent registration under the National Security (Manpower) Regulations, and are therefore not required to be in possession of a Civilian Identity Card.

(2) Instructions have been received that Identity Cards of men who have been allotted to units must be surrendered to Area Officers on allotment, and Area Officers will cancel the cards and forward them to the Commonwealth Electoral Officer, Sydney.

(3) All cases where personnel allotted subsequent to 25 Mar. 42, did not surrender Identity Cards will be reported to the Commonwealth Electoral Officer, Sydney.

(4) Serving personnel transferred or discharged from units to area strengths subsequent to 25 Mar. 42, will be informed of their obligation to register and obtain an Identity Card.

10. RECRUITING - ARMY, AIR FORCE & RAAF RESERVE. ECRO 15/42 para. 4.

(1) Further to ECRO 9/42, para 3 (5) RAAF selection officers will shortly visit unit camps for the purpose of interviewing applicants for enlistment in RAAF (vide para 3(3) of above-mentioned ECRO).

(2) The RAAF are more immediately concerned with the selection of personnel for ground staff.

11. SCHOOLS AND COURSES.

The following personnel qualified at Serial No. 13,
Carrier Wing Course, ECTS M.T. Wing held at Glenfield 3-28 Mar. 42.

N16113 Lieut. J. McPhillips.

12. PUNISHMENTS.

N155976 Pte Holmes V.R. Charged. Neglecting to obey
Camp Standing Orders.
Award. One day C.B.

N296784 Pte. Heafy M.B. Charged. Neglecting to obey
Camp Standing Orders.
Award. One day C.B.

DISTRIBUTION

1 Inf. Bde.	1/2
C.O.	3
2 I/C	4
Adjt.	5
Q.M.	6
M.T.O.	7
Pay Sjt.	8
Personnel	9
H.Q. Coy.	11/13
A. Coy.	14/16
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W.M. Brunsdon Capt.
(W.M. Brunsdon) Adj. 13 Bn.

NOTICE

The Nursing Staff of Maitland District Hospital are holding a "Dirndl Dance" in the Maitland Town Hall on Tuesday April 21, at 8pm. The proceeds are towards raising funds for the Ex-Army, Trained Nurses' and Masseuses' Auxiliary.

13. ADDENDUM. To simplify procedure and ensure early payments of allotments and allowances, all soldiers, immediately after marriage, will inform their Coy. H.Q. and be paraded to Pay Sjt. by Coy. P & O Cpl.

Appendix 13C
 MOVEMENT AND COMMUNICATION EXERCISE FOR
BDE.GP. H.Q., H.Q. BNS., & H.Q. COYS.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXERCISE.

REF. MAP SINGLETON SHEET. 1 inch.

1. 1 Inf. Bde Exercise No 1 in movement and communications will take place on 21 Apr., 42.
2. OBJECT OF EXERCISE.
 - (a) To practise movement of the Bde in Mobile Warfare from Bde Gp H.Q. down to Coy H.Q. of the Bns and Bty H.Q. of Arty in Support.
 - (b) To test the communications of the Bde Gp. from H.Q. or Coys and Btys to Bde Gp. H.Q.
 - (c) To test the following lessons.
 - Message writing
 - Bde and Bn Sig. Personnel duties and procedure.
 - Sending and receiving of messages.
 - Logging and recording and passing on of information
3. Tps. Taking Part.
 - (a) Bde Gp. H.Q.
 - (b) Bn & Coy H.Q.
 - (c) Arty & Bty H.Q.
 - (d) Sig. Personnel from (a)(b) & (c)

Only a mininum number from above, sufficient to man H.Q. and carry on the day's work will remain in camp.
 It is to be borne in mind that the exercise is NOT of a tactical nature and weapons others than those carried by personnel will NOT be taken into the field.
4. ENEMY.
 Token enemy.
5. MOVE FROM PRESENT LOCATION.
 Units will move in accordance with table set out below and establish correct layout of H.Q. down to Coys and Btys in the vicinity of given Map Refeerences Vehicles will move at 10 V.T.m and 20 m.i.h.

Ser. No. (a)	Date	Unit (b)	Place From (c)	to. (d)	S.P. (e)	Time Past S.P. (f)	Route (g)	Remarks (H)
1	21.4.42	2Bn	Present Location	Vicinity 345582	Rd June ILLA-LONG Class-ification Range.	0900	ILLALONG-then West along rd leading past Classification Range.	
2	"	13 Bn	"	Vicinity 354572	"	0910	"	
3	"	Bde H. Q. Gp.	"	Vicinity 363576	"	0920	"	
4	"	1 FdRegt	"	Selected Posns.	"	0930	"	Posns to Selected by Arty Comd.
5.	"	41 Bn	"	Vicintiy House area 371579	"	0940	"	

6. COMMENCEMENT OF EXERCISE.

The Exercise will commence on receipt of Warning Order.

7. CLOSING OF BDE. GP. H.Q.

Bde Gp. H.Q. will closed at present location at 0915 hrs and reopen at the same time at 363576

8. OPERATIONAL AREA.

SINGLETON SHEET.

From ILLALONG 3958 West to THISTLE HILL area 2857



9. OPERATIONS.

C.Os of Units will ensure that objects of the exercise are brought about.

Messages will be originated by C.Os. and sent back from Coys through normal channels to Bde., using all means available.

Communications.

Upon instructions from Comds. Bde Gp. messages may be given to forward coys by members of Bde Staff.

It is necessary that traffic should be as heavy as would normally be anticipated and all messages should follow some reasonable tactical sequence.

All messages are to be sent through respective Sig. Offices.

Code names as allotted at present will be used with Coys and Btys., being indicated by A,B,C,D, etc., following Code name.

10. TRANSPORT.

Transport as laid down in W.E. will be used.

11. MEDICAL.

Units will make arrangement to take necessary Medical Orderlies and Kit.

Water. No water except that which is known to be fit for drinking will be used, doubtful water must be boiled.

Latrines, will be dug in area occupied and filled in on leaving.

12. CONFERENCES.

All C.Os. and subordinate Comds. will attend a conference to Bde H.Q. at 0830 hrs 23 Apr., 42. for purpose of discussing the exercise.

13. ADMINISTRATIVE.

(a) Equipment and Dress. Shirts, shorts, steel helmets, with normal equipment and arms.

(b) Rations. Midday meal in the field under normal service conditions.

(c) Injured. Will be returned to Camp.

(d) All messages sent by W/T or R/T will be prefixed by the words "For Exercise".

14. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS.

(a) All cultivation orchards, vineyards, etc., and house property are out of bounds.

(b) All fences broken are to be repaired immediately.

15. EXERCISE ENDS.

The Exercise will end at approx. 1600 hrs. Units will be notified by Bde H.Q. gp. of Order of March and route back to Camp.

16. OPENING NARRATIVE.

At 1700 hrs on 20 Apr., 42 Air Sortie reports that enemy were advancing in an Easterly direction for HOWES VALLEY.

2 Div.Comd. ordered 1 Inf. Bde Gp. to move from present location and occupy a defensive position astride ROAD BRANXTON + ESSNOCK, the position to be occupied by 1000 hrs. on 21 Apr., 42.

At a conference at Bde H.Q. at 2100 hrs the Bde Comd. issued his Orders for the occupation of the position.

Enemy is known to be operating with A.F.V's

(E.R.Cox) B.M. 1 Inf.Bde Major.

Appendix 14C.

(Margin for Filing Purposes.)

ARMY FORM W.3011 (BOOKS OF 100).

13 Bn.

(Unit.)

CASUALTY RETURN-OTHER RANKS.

16 Date of last A.F. W.3011 rendered
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Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Nature and Date of Casualty.	Date.	Remarks. (In the case of casualties from wounds or disease, any available information for communication to relatives should be stated.)
H17003	L/Sjt.	SAVILLE C.P.	13 Bn.	Married Next of kin now:-	11 April 42.	Vida Christina Saville, 45A Platt Street Waratah.
H296105	Pte.	MCWLEY A.K.		STRENGTH DECREASE	Marched out 7 M.B. 17 April 42	
H19441	Pte.	BROCK R.		" "	Marched out 7 M.B. 17 April 42	
H160929	Pte.	KATO A.C.		" "	1 April 42 to Area 158 Medically Unfit.	
H155251	Pte.	FORT C.		Apptg as Group 11 Cook terminated	9 April 42.	
H16479	L/Cpl.	BOYER R.		Apptg as L/Cpl. Terminated	19 April 42. At own request.	
H156000	L/Cpl.	STOKES D.W.		" " " " " "	19 April 42. At own request.	
H155914	Pte.	RAY A.J.		Qualified at BCPS (All Arms Moorebank)	Serial 15. 2 April 42	
H17774	L/Sjt.	QUAYLE W.J.		Detached to MCF.	18 April 42 Field Security duties.	
H90349	W.O.11	NOLAN E.R.		Rejoined Unit	11 April 42 ex W.O.'s Course, Benegilla.	
H17003	L/Sjt.	SAVILLE C.P.		Promoted to A/Sjt.	19 April 42 to Complete W.B.	
H17063	L/Cpl.	MCNAM J.L.		" " A/Cpl.	19 April 42 to complete W.B.	
H19501	L/Cpl.	CARLAND C.R.		" " A/Cpl.	19 April 42 to complete W.B.	
H16293	Cpl.	JAMISON R.J.		" " A/Sjt	19 April 42 to complete W.B.	
H160987	Cpl.	WHEATER C.R.		" " L/Sjt	19 April 42 to complete W.B.	

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21 April 42
 (Date).....19.....

R. L. Barney, Lt. Col.
 (G.A. PATTERSON) Lt. Col.
 B.D.
 (Signature of Commander.)

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					Date.	
N160497	Pte.	GIBLIN H.W.	13 Bn.	Granted 8 days L.W.O.P.	22-29 April 42.	
N160296	Pte	HOPE E.T.		2 2 days L.W.O.P.	19-20 April 42	
N16990	Pte	MAYTON E.		" 14 days L.W.O.P.	23 Mar. 5 April 42	
N160562	Pte	ROODS C.H.		Rejoined ex L.W.O.P.	18 April 42	
N160286	Cpl.	COX R.R.		Reported sick at home	15 April 42 (Extensive Protrusion)	
N160532	Cpl.	MILLS M.M.		" " "	17 April 42.	
N160133	Pte.	CLANCY C.R.		" " "	18 April 42.	
N160499	Pte.	GROVES W.		" " "	18 April 42.	
N160371	Pte.	ROSENBAUM V.		Rejoined Unit ex sick at home	13 April 42.	
N296801	Pte.	WALL R.D.		Rejoined Unit ex 112 Con Depot Singleton.	19 April 42.	taken off "X" list.
N16580	Pte.	McPHILLIPS B.		Rejoined Unit ex	19 April 42 ex Area 15B.	
N160566	Pte.	STENNER V.N.		" "	19 April 42 ex M.T. School Moorebank.	
N160493	Pte	FRENCH J.A.		" "	19 April 42 ex P.M.T. School	
						Frankston, Victoria.
N160498	Pte.	GIBLIN E.		Evacuated to Hospital	20 April 42.	
N160206	Cpl.	COX R.R.		" to Coffs Harbour	A.D.S. 19 April 42 (ex home)	

(Date) 21 April 42 19

R.L. Barney Lieut
Lt. Col.
(G.A. PATTERSON) Comm. 13 Bn.
3D

(Signature of Commander.)

13 Bn.

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over Lt. Col.

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13th BATTALION
30 APR 1942
HEADQUARTERS WEST MAITLAND

R. L. Bayley Lieut Lt. Col.

Signature of Commanding Officer.

Signature of Commanding Officer.

BD - Date 21 Apr 12

15 Dec

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13 Bn. H.Q.,
HOME FORCES.
22 Apr. 42.

Date

WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING 22/4/42

C.O. Lt. Col. G.A. Petterson,

Adjt. Capt. W.M. Brunsdon,

I.O. Lieut. G.E. Stevenson.

1.) GENERAL MOVEMENTS OF OWN TROOPS.

In addition to rifle, grenade and weapon trg., map reading, anti gas and message writing, tps. carried out the following:-

(a) 16 Apr. - Pl. withdrawal and counter attack (day & night exercise).

(b) 17 Apr. - "A" Coy. acting as Inf. support, exercise carried out in vicinity TOCAL (Peterson M.S. 1" to 1 ml.) Exercise entailed 103 A/Tk. in conjunc. with E (H.G.) Coy. field firing & Inf. taking up posns. for an attack with overhead fire.

(c) 18 Apr. - All Bn. exercise (Singleton M.S. 1" to 1 ml.) vic. BRANXTON - ELDERSLIE - STANHOPE - JOHN'S HILL - MARYVALE - DALWOOD. Specialists exercise (movement by M.T. - Sig. Comm. (M.T. 108) - A/A Picqueting route - ford crossings for vehicles (DALWOOD).

(d) 19 Apr. - Pls. in day attack - River crossing.

(e) 21 Apr. - Bn. & Coy. H.Q. in Bde. Comm. exercise carried out in vicinity DOMINICK'S GULLY and ROTHBURY (SINGLETON M.S.)
SPECIAL TRAINING FEATURES.

(f) H.C.O. night parades, 19-21 Apr. Special lectures to further knowledge of H.C.O.'s in training and general administration.

(g) Instruction given to V.D.C. at BRANXTON. 18 Apr.

2.) TOPOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION.

After a week free from rain, Hunter river has subsided to such an extent that crossings can be made practically anywhere by tps. in vicinity GOSFORTH - GRETA - DALWOOD - ELDERSLIE also by M.T. at DALWOOD (sgn.4364) width 20 yds. - depth 18".

3.) CHANGES IN ADEQUACY OF AIR COVER.

N11.

(2)

4.) ROADS - NEW & IMPROVEMENTS.

Nil.

5.) WATER SUPPLY.

Nil.

6.) RECCE. REPORTS.

Nil.

7.) MORALE.

Behaviour of tps. on and off duty has been of a high standard and there has been no unfavourable or untoward incidents to influence the tps. contrary to discipline or morale.

8.) SPECIAL CONDITIONS AFFECTING HEALTH, MORALE & FIGHTING CAPACITY OF OWN TPS.

Supplies of essential hygiene materials are still difficult and in some cases impossible to obtain.

P. J. Fraser Maj. for Lt. Col.
(O. A. PATTERSON) Comm. 13 Br.



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(Date) 26 April 42 1942

R. L. Gamney Lieut Lt. Col.
(G.A. PATTERSON) Co. 57. 13 Bn. (Signature of Commander.)

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N160296	Pte.	HOPE E.T.	13 Bn.	Rejoined Unit ex L.W.O.P.	21 April 42.	
N16167	C/Sjt.	PAFF F.A.		Granted 2 days L.W.O.P.	23-24 April 42.	
N16576	Pte.	GRIFFITHS N.R.		" 1 " L.W.O.P.	23 April 42.	
N160480	Pte.	CROSS J.B.		" 14 days L.W.O.P.	22 April 5 May. 42	
N296824	Pte.	BOYD W.G.		" 2 days L.W.O.P.	23-24 April 42.	
N196738	Pte.	BRADSHAW H.E.		" 1 day L.W.O.P.	23 April 42.	
N161411	Pte.	BROWN A.W.		" 7 days L.W.O.P.	23-29 April 42	
N161435	Pte.	TYSON M.R.		" 7 days L.W.O.P.	23-29 April 42.	
N16739	Pte.	ROBERTSON N.J.		" 18 days L.W.O.P.	23-April 13 May. 42	
N160521	Pte.	Laverty L.J.		" 14 days L.W.O.P.	24 April 7 May 42	
N155926	Pte.	ANDERSON W.R.		" 1 day L.W.O.P.	25 April 42	
N296829	Pte.	DODDS H.T.		" 7 days L.W.O.P.	30 April 6 May 42.	
N160286	Cpl	COX R.R.		Rejoined Unit ex sick leave	& A.D.S Coffs Harbour, 23/4/42	
N19466	Pte.	CALLAGHAN L.F.		Rejoined Unit ex 113 A.G.H.	Concord 24 April 42.	
N161498	Pte.	MARSHALL E.W.		Reported sick at home	16 April 42.	
N161498	Pte.	MARSHALL E.W.		Rejoined Unit ex sick at home	20 April 42.	
N160021	Pte.	BURTON V.G.		Rejoined Unit ex sick at home	24 April 42.	

(Date) 26 April 42 19.....

R.L. Bayley Lt. Col.
(G.A. PATTERSON) (Signature of Commander.)

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13 En. (Unit.)

1 Inf. Bde.

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

Appendix 17C

13 BN OPERATION ORDER NO. 1

SECRET.

Copy No.

Date 26 Apr., 42.

Ref. Maps.

M.S. Singleton 1" To 1 Mile

INFORMATION.

Enemy Commande has been reported in vicinity of GLENDON BROOK. Large Enemy force has been reported North of DUNGOG. Enemy aircraft have been active. Our forces are concentrating in the GRETA-SINGLETON area. We have no forces north of HUNTER RIVER.

INTENTION.

A or B Coy and attached tps will destroy this Commande.

METHOD.

Under Comd. A.Coy from 0600 hrs 27 Apr., 1 Sec M.M.G; 1 Det Mortars; 1 Det A.A; 1 Det. Pioneers (4 Men); 1 Det "I" (2 men).

Under Comd. B.Coy. As for A.Coy.

Route. DALWOOD FORD, - Ed June Square 4468 - CRANKY CORNER 4074 - Rd June. 385804 - GLENDON BROOK - Ford 3175 - ELDERSLIE - BRANXTON - GRETA.

In view of possible movements force must be back in camp by 1800 hrs 29 Apr., 42.

ADMINISTRATION.

Transport requirement will be notified to T.O. who will supply within limits of resources available.

Rations. S.P's will be notified to Q.M. by 1800 hrs daily. One medical Aid truck will accompany your force. Each Sec. to be supplied with Snake-bite Outfit.

Water Discipline must be enforced. All water to be tested before using.

INTERCOMMUNICATION.

Reports by D.R. twice daily.

Issued verbally.

(by R.L.Carney Lieut)

P/ Adj. 13 Bn.

R.L. Carney, Lieut
.....Lt Col.

G.A.PATTERSON. C.O. 13 Bn.

DISTRIBUTION.

A. Coy.

B. Coy.

War Diary (4)

Appendix 18C

1 INF. BDE. GP. EXERCISE. NO 2. Instructions for Exercise.

H.Q. 1 Inf. Bde.
27 Apr. 42.



Ref. Map. SINGLETON, 1 Inch.

111 Inf. Bde Gp. Exercise No. 2 will take place on Tue. 28 Apr., 42.

2. Object of Exercise.

- To practice movement of the Bde. Gp. in Mobile Warfare.
- To test communications of the Bde Gp. from H.Q. of Coys and Btys., Bn. and Regt. H.Q. to Bde. Gp. H.Q.
- To practice Battle Procedure, particularly with reference to R.O. & P Gps., (minimum tpt, will be used for R & O Gps, so that as many vehicles as possible will be left with P Gp.)
- Other lessons to be taught-
Message Writing.
Bde and Bn Sig. personnel duties and procedure.
Sending and receiving of messages.
Logging and recording and passing on of information.

3. Tps. taking Part.

- Bde Gp. H.Q.
- Bn. and Coy. H.Q.
- Arty and Bty H.Q.
- Bty and Troop H.Q. 103 A.Tk Regt.
- H.Q. 1 Fd. Amb. and Coy H.Q.
- Sig. personnel of all units.

Only a minimum number from above, sufficient to man H.Q. and carry on the day's duties will remain in camp.

All positions will be selected tactically but only weapons carried by personnel will be taken into the field.

4. Enemy.

Token enemy.

5. Move from present Location.

Units will move in accordance with Table set out below and establish correct layout of all H.Q. down to Coys and Btys. in an area which will be given later by Comd. Bde Gp. in his Outline Plan.

Speed and Density.

17 v.t.m.

15 m.in. h.

200 yards interval between Units

Ser. No. (a)	Date. (b)	Unit (c)	Place From (d)	To (e)	S.P. (f)	Time Past (g)	S.P. (h)	Route (i)	Remarks (j)
1	28.4.42	41 Bn	Present Location	Assembly Area east and in vicinity bend in road 332738	Tattersals Hotel Greta	0845		Illalong Greta Branxton 366627 Elderslie 347694	
2.	do.	2 Bn	do.	Assembly Area west and in vicinity bend in Road 332738	do.	0848		do.	
3.	do.	H.Q. Bde Gp.	do.	Assembly area 100 yards Sth Rd June 325748	do.	0850		do.	

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)
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4.	28.4.42	H.Q.9 Bty Prest 103 A.Tk Regt.	Location	Assembly Area in timber West of Rd June 325748 & vicinity Bde H.Q.	Tatter- sals Hotel Greta	0857	Illalong Greta Branxton 366627 Elderslie 347694	
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5.	do.	13 Bn	do.	Assembly area vic- inity & west of Rd & Track June 326724	do.	0859	do.	
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6.	do.	1 Fd Regt	do.	Assembly Area vic- inity short Rd 339712 & vineyard 3470	do.	0902	do.	
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7.	do.	1 Fd.Amb.	do.	Assembly area at or near Elder- slie.	do.	0905	do.	
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6. Commencement of Exercise.

The exercise will commence on receipt of Warning Order.

7. Closing of Bde Gp. H.Q.

Bde Gp. H.Q. will close at present location at 0845 hrs. and re-opens same time at vicinity bend in Rd. 325748

8. Operational Area.

Ref. Map. SINGLETON 1 inch.

TULKY HILL 3275 - GAMBLERS CREEK 3575 - ELDERSLIE.

9. Operations.

- C.Os of Units will ensure that the objects of the exercise are brought out.
- Messages will be originated by Coys. Btys. and unit H.Q. and sent back through normal channels to Bde. using all means available.
- It is necessary that traffic should be as heavy as would normally be anticipated and all messages should follow some reasonable tactical sequence.
- All messages, where possible, are to be sent through respective Sig. Offices.
- Code names as allotted at present will be used with Coys and Btys being indicated by A,B,C, etc., following code name.
- For the purpose of the exercise it will be assumed that A.A. Pls or part thereof have been posted under Bde. instructions for A.A. protection at the following points.
GRETA - BRANXTON - ELDERSLIE BRIDGE

10. Transport.

Transport as laid down in W.E. for Bn and Regt. H.Q. together with H.Q. of Coys and Btys will be used if available.



11. Medical.

Units will make arrangements to take necessary Medical Orderlies and Kit.

Water.

No water except that which is known to be fit for drinking will be used and doubtful water must be boiled.

Latrines.

Will be dug in area occupied and filled in on leaving.

12. Conferences.

Any conferences required by Bde Comd. will be promulgated later.

13. Administrative.

(a) Equipment and Dress. Shirts, shorts, steel helmets, with normal equipment and arms.

(b) Rations. Midday meal in the field under normal service conditions.

(c) Injured. Will be returned to Camp.

(d) All messages sent by W/T or R/T will be prefixed by the words, "For Exercise".

14. Special Instructions.

(a) All cultivation orchards, vineyards, etc., and house property are out of bounds.

(b) All fences broken are to be repaired immediately.

(c) 1 Fd Amb. will detail 1 Amb. car to proceed with 41 Bn and 2 Bn respectively.

15. Exercise Ends.

The exercise will end at approximately 1800 hrs. when Units reach Dispersal Point, in the vicinity of the Camp area.

16. Opening Narrative.

Air reports received at 1600 hrs on 27 Apr., 42 indicate enemy concentrations in Port Macquarie area and forward elements had penetrated South in the direction of GLOUCESTER.

Extract from orders issued by 2 Div. Comd. were that 1 Inf. Bde Gp would move by M.T. and occupy a defensive position in the area TULKY HILL 3275 - GAMBLERS CREEK 355760 to prevent further penetration in the direction of BRANXTON and WEST MAITLAND.

The position to be occupied by 1100 hrs 28 Apr.,

Bde Comd. issued a warning order at 2100 hrs. 27 Apr., 42.

Enemy is known to be operating in A.F.V's.

Requirement 1

Bde Gp. will move in accordance with Instruction No. 2 herewith.

(Signed) E.R.Cox B.M. (Maj)



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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES
ROUTINE ORDERS

PART 1

by
Lt. Col G.A. Patterson
Comd. 13 Bn.

27 April 42

18/42

1. BDE. DUTIES.

Field Officer. 1/2 May 42 Lieut. F.W. Wynter.

Duty Unit. 30 April 1 May 42 13 Bn.

MAIN GUARD	30 April 1 May 42.	A. Coy.
Cessnock Picquet	30 April 1 May 42.	A. Coy.
Greta Picquet	30 April 1 May 42.	A. Coy.
Inlying Picquet	30 April 1 May 42.	A. Coy.

A. Coy will supply one runner, with bicycle, one telegram orderly, with bicycle, one runner to report to Sig. Office "L" Block, at 0900hrs. and all Bde. working parties.

2. BN. DUTIES.

Date.	Orderly Officers.	Orderly Sjts.	Orderly Cpls.	Duty Coy.
27/28 Apr.	W.O.11 Watt.	L/Sjt. Wheeler	Cpl. Aldridge	D. Coy.
28/29 Apr.	Lieut. Irvine.	Sjt. Biles.	Cpl. Nelson	E.(MG) Coy.
29/30 Apr.	Lieut. Saul.	Sjt Simmons.	Cpl. Ezzy	HQ. Coy.
30/1 May.	W.O.11 Nolan.	L/Sjt. Brown.	Cpl. Parkins	B. Coy.
1/2 May.	Lieut. Hellmrich.	Sjt. Martin.	Cpl. Bayliss.	E.(MG) Coy.
2/3 May.	Lieut. MacDonald.	Sjt. Dalton-Webb.	Cpl. Corrigan.	A. Coy.
3/4 May.	Lieut. McPhillips.	Sjt Monk.	Cpl. Partridge.	B. Coy.

3. CHEMICAL WARFARE- RESPIRATORS.

Attention of all Comds. is directed to A.T.M. No 7, paras 4 & 5. The instructions contained therein will be carried out without delay.

4. KITCHEN GARDENS. 1 Inf. Bde R/O 17/42 para, 5.

Small kitchen gardens should be established near all kitchens to provide herbs for cooks.

5. POSTAL SERVICE. (2 Div. R/O 24/42 para.1. 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 17/42 para. 7)

(1) Recent press notices regarding the introduction of free postage for Defence Forces are to be disregarded, and all ranks advised that unprepaid letters or articles are liable to taxation by the Post Office on delivery to the addressee.

(11) A suitable notice should be exhibited at Field Post Offices.

6. SCHOOLS AND COURSES

The following personnel qualified at E.C.T.S. M.V. Trade Training Centre (All Arms) Moorebank Serial 15.

N155914 Pte. Kay. A.J.

The following personnel qualified at R.O. 17/42

(2)
R/O 18/42 Cont.

7. UN SOUND SALMON & BULLY BEEF. 1 Inf. Bde R/O 17 /42 para. 6.

Unsound can foods should not be eaten. As these are becoming more common lately, the following defects should be looked for and the cans condemned by a unit ration board so that replacement may be effected.

(1) "Blown" - Ends convex.

If can wedge-shaped it commences to blow at the sides.

(11) "Springors" - Slight bulging. On pressure becomes concave and springs back when pressure released.

(111) Other defects- Leaks, rusty seams, double solder holes, defective tin plate, metallic contamination, deteriorated contents etc.

8. M.T. MARKING OF STEERING WHEELS OF VEHICLES AS AN AID TO DRIVING.
(2 Div. R/O 24/42. para. 14. 1 Inf. Bde. R/O 17/42 para. 12.

(a) Attention is drawn to Mech. Circular 306 regarding above.

(b) All units will ^{see} that steering wheels of vehicles on their strength have a white band half an inch wide painted on STEERING WHEELS so that the band is at the top centre of wheel when the front wheels of the vehicle are lined straight ahead.

9. CENSORSHIP.

All ranks are warned that a complete address (including number and name) must appear at the head of all out going letters. The absence of such address is a breach of Postal and Censorship Instructions.

10. PUNISHMENTS.

N16254	Pte. SIMCOE, R.	<u>Charged.</u>	Neglecting to obey Camp Orders.
		<u>Award.</u>	5 days C.B.
N16945	Pte. WELSH, A.H.	<u>Charged.</u>	Neglecting to obey Camp Orders.
		<u>Award.</u>	5 days C.B.
N16978	Pte. HICKSON, R.W.	<u>Charged.</u>	A.W.L. from 0600hrs. 17 April Till 0600hrs 20 April 42.
		<u>Award.</u>	Fined £1-10-0 and warned of forfeiture of 3 days pay.
N160531	Pte. METCALF, H.L.	<u>Charged.</u>	A.W.L. from 0645hrs 24 April till 1800hrs. 25 April 42.
		<u>Award.</u>	Fined £1-0-0 and warned of forfeiture of 2 days pay.
N16084	Pte. CROKER, L.W.	<u>Charged.</u>	A.W.L. from 0600hrs. 18 April till 0600hrs 21 April 42.
		<u>Award.</u>	Fined £1-0-0 and warned of forfeiture of 3 days pay.
N155977	Pte. HILL, J.F.C.	<u>Charged.</u>	Failing to appear at a parade ordered by his Commanding Officer.
		<u>Award</u>	4 days C.B.

PUNISHMENTS.

N19532	Pte. LEACY, F.W.	<u>Charged.</u>	Found beyond the limits of Camp without written authority from his Commanding Officer.
		<u>Award.</u>	2 days C.B.
N156479	Pte. Payne R.T.	<u>Charged.</u>	Failing to appear at a place of parade ordered by his Commanding Officer.
		<u>Award.</u>	3 days C.B.
N160398	Pte. CLIFTON, O.E.	<u>Charged.</u>	Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in that he was in possession of a leave pass, knowing same not to be genuine.
		<u>Award.</u>	Fined £4-0-0.
N160223	Pte. BALLARD, O.E.	<u>Charged.</u>	Conduct to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, in that he was in possession of a leave pass knowing same not to be genuine.
		<u>Award.</u>	Fined £3-0-0
N160398	Pte. CLIFTON O.E.	<u>Charged.</u>	Absenting himself without leave.
		<u>Award.</u>	Fined £1-0-0.

DISTRIBUTION.

1 Inf. Bde.	1/2
C.O.	3
2 I/C	4
Adjt.	5
Q.M.	6
M.T.O.	7
Pay Sjt.	8
Personnel	9
H.Q. Coy.	10/12
A. Coy.	13/15
B. Coy.	16/18
C. Coy.	19/21
D. Coy.	22/24
E(MG)	25/27
Officers Mess	28
Sjts Mess	29
War Diary	30/33
File	34.

R.L. Carney
.....Lieut.
R.L. Carney. A/Adjt. 13 Bn.

Appendix 20C

(Margin for Filing Purposes.)

ARMY FORM W.3011 (Books of 100).

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26 April 42 19..... Number of sheets
 attached to this return.....

13 Bn.

(Unit.)

CASUALTY RETURN—OTHER RANKS.

Detail of casualties to other ranks which have occurred since last return. The detail should include all battle casualties, accidents, admission to and discharge from hospital, casualty clearing station, etc. Promotion (acting, temporary, local or substantive). Transfers, postings, attachments, etc., courts-martial, field punishment, forfeiture of pay, etc. Leave of absence, particulars of marriage and birth or death of children, alteration in next of kin with postal address, transfers to "X" List and any other items affecting a soldier's service.

Army No.	Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Nature and Date of Casualty.		Remarks. (In the case of casualties from wounds or disease, any available information for communication to relatives should be stated.)
					Date.	
N160080	Pte.	MILLIGAN L.T.	13 Bn.	Rejoined Unit ex Area 13B	26 April 42.	
N160787	Pte.	BROWN F.A.		STRENGTH INCREASE	26 April 42	Marched in from 2 Bn.
N16873	Pte.	WALLBRIDGE H.J.		Marched in under arrest	25 April 42	(Missing trainee.)
N16748	Pte.	JOHNSON H.		STRENGTH INCREASE	18 April 42.	From 19Bn. 7 M.D.
N155982	Pte.	KNEE R.S.		" "	18 April 42.	From 19Bn. 7 M.D.
N160532	Cpl.	MILLS M.M.		Rejoined Unit	24 April 42	ex sick at home.
N16396	Pte.	SECHOLD A.M.		" "	27 April 42	ex sick at home.
N161495	Pte.	STYLES G.C.		Reported sick at home	24 April 42.	
N155988	Pte.	SHAPE K.A.		" " " "	15 April 42.	
N155988	Pte.	SHAPE K.A.		Rejoined Unit	21 April 42	ex sick at home.
N296736	Pte.	SPINKS V.G.		Granted 2 days L.W.O.P.	27-28 April 42.	
N296739	Pte.	NEWBY C.E.		" 2 days L.W.O.P.	30 April 1 May 42.	
N296134	Pte.	HEFFERMAN J.		" 2 days L.W.O.P.	30 April 1 May 42.	
N296853	Pte.	DONNELLY F.R.		" 2 days L.W.O.P.	30 April 1 May 42.	
N160280	Pte.	TULL A.S.		" 2 days L.W.O.P.	28-29 April 42.	
N155961	Pte.	WALL B.		Evacuated to 3 C.C.S. Greta	28 April 42.	
N160506	Pte.	JAY W.E.		Birth of ANNE Daughter	12 April 42.	

(Date) **28 April 42** 19.....*Gen. No. 1*

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 (G.A. PATTERSON) Comd. 13 Bn.
 (Signature of Commander.)

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13 Bn. H.Q.,
HOME FORCES.
29 Apr. 42.

WEEKLY INTELLIGENCE REPORT.

C.O. - G.A. Patterson - Lt. Col.
Adj. - W.M. Brunsdon - Capt.
I.O. - G.E. Stevenson - Lieut.

Unit. 13 Bn.
Location. Home Forces.
W/Ending. 29 Apr. 42.

1. General Movement of Own Tps.

During past week, troops have been engaged in the following,

- (a) 23-24 Apr. - Route March - approx. 20 miles - via BRANXTON - S.P. sq. 3162 - LOWER BELFORD - thence along HUNTER RIVER to ELDERSLIE BR. - making river crossing en route.
Coy. night attack, vicinity sq. 3665.
Tactical move with protective patrols back to camp
- (b) 25 Apr. - Taking up and occupation of defensive posns. - Routine in defensive posns. - Coy. withdrawal. Exercise in vicinity of TRIG. 352' (sq. 4062)
- (c) 26 Apr. - Bde. sports with all tps.
- (d) 27-29 Apr. - A. & B. Coys. with all tps. - "Free for All" Exercise. - A. Coy's route - Camp - DALWOOD FORD - S.P. 4468. - CRANKY CORNER 385804 - GLENDON BROOK - JUNC. 3274 - ELDERSLIE - BRANXTON - GRETA - B. Coy. took opposite route to CRANKY CORNER. - Purpose of exercise - To destroy enemy commando forces - D. Coy. and 2 Sacs. - Carrier Pl. acting as enemy to both coys.
- (e) 28 Apr. - Bde. Comm. exercise.
- (f) 29 Apr. - Completion of E.M.G. training at TOCAL.

NOTE - All map references in this report are taken from SINGLETON MILITARY SHEET 1 inch to 1 mile.

2. Topographical Information.

Fords at 276706, 304725, and 310723 are now very difficult to cross owing to the recent rains widening and deepening the river, and in the latter two, the grave possibility of vehicles bogging exists owing to the approaches being very muddy and like a quagmire.

3. Changes in Adequate Air Cover.

Nil.

4. Roads - New and Improvements.

Nil.

5. Water Supply - Changes in.

Nil.

6. Reconnaissance Reports.

Nil.

7. Morale.

Both on and off duty, the general attitude and behaviour of our troops has been of a high standard. There was great jubilation within the unit at our winning of the Bde. Sports, and the tactical exercises carried out during the week, tended to create more interest in their training.

8. Special Conditions Affecting Health & Fighting Capacity of own Tps.
The health of troops generally is good.

Wm Brunson Capt

.....Lt. Col.
(G.A. PATTERSON) Comd. 13 Bn.

MESSAGE FORM

CALL
AND
INSTRUC-
TIONS.

IN

OUT

Appendix 22C

No. of Groups

GR.

Serial No.

OFFICE DATE STAMP

(ABOVE THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

TO ALL UNITS

FROM

1 INF BDE

Originator's Number

0 307

Date

30

In Reply to Number

Prepare

to

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May

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Details

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THIS MESSAGE MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN
BY ANY MEANS:

IF TO BE INTERCEPTED OR FALL
INTO ENEMY HANDS, THIS MESSAGE MUST
BE SENT IN CYPHER.

ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS
DEGREE OF PRIORITY

TIME OF ORIGIN

0700

SIGNED

Mag Cox

SIGNED

(BELOW THIS LINE IS FOR SIGNALS USE ONLY.)

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