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Unit 110 LAA Bty RAA

Date and Time.— From 0001 1 Apr 67 To 2359 30 Apr 67

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUTTERWORTH	1 - 2 Apr		End of Easter stand down and leave period	
BUTTERWORTH	3 - 7 Apr		Section Trg	
BUTTERWORTH	4 Apr	1145	Visit by deputy commander 17 Division Col D.A. Gilchrist. Discussion with Captain Mason-Jones on availability unit for trg within the context of the 17 Div trg plan; on radio unserviceablity and need to obtain new sets; on failure of HQ 17 Div to forward unit applications for movement to Japan etc of four soldiers on HMS "Fearless;" and on unit adventure trg of the previous month.	
BUTTERWORTH	5 Apr	1030-1115	Discussions with Officer in charge, US R&R Processing Centre, Penang by Capt Mason-Jones on likely Australian participation in R&R facilities in Penang.	
BUTTERWORTH	6 Apr	0930-1000	Visit by GOC 17 Div, Major General A.G. Patterson DOS, OBE, MC. Discussion with Capt Mason-Jones on radio unserviceability and need for replacement of sets, participation as infantry in the coming ex "GEDGELY" under comd 4 RAR and explanation of the GOC's aim in "GEDGELY."	

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Date and Time.— From 0001 1 Apr 67 To 2359 30 Apr 67

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
	7 Apr	1145	4717872 Gnr P.R. Hay remanded so that summary of evidence could be taken on the five charges preferred against him; the summary to be forwarded to HQ AAF FARELF.	
BUTTERWORTH	7 Apr	PM	Visit by Maj Luckham, (HQ 17 Div). Spoke with Captain Mason-Jones and Squadron Leader Barnes on division of responsibilities between Australian Army, British Army & RAAF for security arrangements for unit.	
BUTTERWORTH	1 - 9 Apr		Absence of Battery Commander. Captain Mason-Jones Administering Command.	
BUTTERWORTH and BRINCHANG	10-18 Apr		118 members of unit at Cameron Highlands. (Brinchang Camp) Officer in charge Lt D Young.	
BUTTERWORTH	20-21 Apr		Count of stores for annual stocktake.	
BUTTERWORTH	20 Apr		Visit by Capt G. Mawer, RAAOC, Aust Ord LO at HQ FARELF and also SC "Q," HQ AAF FARELF.	
GEORGETOWN	25 Apr	0700 hrs	Joint Australian Army/New Zealand Army/RAAF Guard of Honour for Anzac Day Down Service at British War Memorial, commanded by Captain B.A.	

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			Glance. New Zealand member of guard Cpl J. Edwards, RNZASC, att to 389 Tp, 55 Sqn, 15 Air Despatch Regiment, RCT, at Butterworth.	
SINGAPORE	25-28 Apr		Liaison with HQs and units in Singapore on coming move to China Rock, Johore, for LAA firing practice, by Capt B.A. Glance.	
	27 Apr		Visit by Chaplain 2nd Class Mills of 28 Comwel Bde.	
	28 Apr	2030	Bty Basketball team won grand final of Butterworth Competition, beating No 78 Wing, RAAF, 50 - 36.	
	30 Apr	0900	142 members of unit begin road move to ASAHAN Range, Negri Sembilan, ground firing practice.	
			<i>N. Mason-Jones Capt</i> for (J.G. HUGHES) Battery Commander A.O.D.	
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