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BHQ Sect 21, A Sect 17, B Sect 18 and CP Sect 4

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BUTTERWORTH	10 May	1300	Birthday Barbecue for Wives and Friends	
	11 May		Party six ORs led by Sgt J. Ponting leave for attachment to 4 RAR during	
			ex "Southern Swan" period 12 - 22 May.	
	12 May	1030	First load of main party leave by RAF Argosy for RAF Changi Singapore,	Capt N.G. Mason-Jones
			en route to China Rock, Johore for LAA Practice Camp	in charge.
BINGAPORE (SELETAR)	13 May		Main Party move by LCT to China Rock	
HINA ROCK (PANTAI	15 - 19 May		LAA Practice Camp	
PUNGGAI, JOHORE)				
	20/21 May		Move by LCT to Singapore Island	
BUTTERWORTH	21 May		Party of 1 Offr, 3 Sgts and 4 Bdrs to 4 RAR on second phase ex "Southern	2Lt Francis in charge.
			Swan", KOTA TINGGI, in preparation for bty coming under comd 4 RAR	To join party from Chim
			during ex GEDGELY (17 Div) 17 - 30 Jun.	Rock.
PENANG/BUTTERWORTH	22 May		Visit by Col W.A. Bunting D Qtg.	
UTTERWORTH	22 May		Return of main party by RAF Beverley and Argosy ac.	

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Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and References to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BUTTERWORTH	26 May	0830	Departure of draft of 42 NSM, 3 ARA by train for Singapore on first	DCO ZLt G.W. Opray
			stage of RTA for reposting or discharge.	
	28 May	0800	Departure of draft consisting of first Battery Quarter Master Sergeant	DCO WO2J.T. Nicholls
			110 LAA Bty RAA, WO2 J.T. Nicholls and Gnr Hendy and dependants.	
			Major	
			(J.G. HUGHES) Battery Commander	
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