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[1-31 Oct 1955]

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UNIT HISTORY-

Month and Year... Oct 55

Commanding Officer... Maj. B.L. BOGLE

Place	Date	Summary of Events and Information	Ref to Appendices
MIDDLE HEAD	4 Oct	Guns stores and eqpt loaded by stevedores into H.T. GEORGIC	
"	5 Oct	BC and BHQ appointed Ship's Staff and embarked. Bty inspected and addsd by Brig P.N.M. MOORE, DSO, MC, Comd 28 COMWEL Indep Inf Bde Gp.	
"	6 Oct	Main body of bty and other units embarked H.T. GEORGIC	Nominal roll att as Appx A
At Sea	12 Oct	PALUDRINE treatment commenced. RMO 2 RAR inspected external genitalia of all OR in bty and reported no evidence of disease.	
"	19 Oct	H.T. GEORGIC arrived at PENANG and unloading of stores on to lighters commenced.	
"	20 Oct	Pers disembarked and proceeded to QUEBEC Lines BUTTERWORTH by unit tpt.	Orders and Trg Programmes issued aboard ship att as Appx B
BUTTERWORTH MALAYA	21 Oct	Camp inspected by BC. Camp is to be "basha" type accn for all purposes but is NOT completed. All but 60 OR are accomodated in tents.	Barracks Standing Orders att as Appx C.

UNIT HISTORY-

Month and Year.....

Commanding Officer.....

Place	Date	Summary of Events and Information	Ref to Appendices
BUTTERWORTH	21 Oct	All office and Q Stores are in tents sited away from eventual adm area. A considerable effort had been made by the Adv Party to clean the camp site which had been found in a filthy condition. The final site will be clean, comfortable and adequate, although the Bty area is small. Parking of guns and vehs will always be a difficulty. No provision had been made for the LAD.	Trg Instr 4/55 att as Appx D
MALAYA			
"	22 Oct	Bty Parade assembled for instr (incl film) on VD.	
"	24 Oct	Bde Comd's Trg Conference attended by BC at which Bde Trg Programme was issued and discussed.	
"	25 Oct	GOC 1 Fed Div Maj Gen P. St CLAIR-FORD CB, CBE, DSO inspected the camp from 1040 - 1130 hrs.	
"	26 Oct	Mr R.G. CASEY, Minister for External Affairs inspected and addsd combined parade of bty, Bde HQ, and Bde Sig Sqn.	
"	28 Oct	Lt Gen Sir Charles LOEWEN KCB, KBE, C in C FARELF inspected camp from 1025 - 1045 hrs.	

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ORDERS FOR DISEMBARKATION AT PENANG

INTRODUCTION

1. The following orders have been compiled from various sources and authorities. Certain details are liable to last-minute amendment and comds of units etc are warned to be ready for changes particularly alteration to timings.

GEN OUTLINE

2. The ship will anchor at PENANG at approx 1600 hrs 19 Oct 55. MC Staff and Paymaster are expected to board the ship on its arrival. AUST currency will be exchanged for MALAYAN dollars prior to disembarkation, therefore Comds of units etc should expect pay parades to be called at short notice any time after arrival.
3. A VIP reception party will board the ship at approx 1630 hrs 19 Oct 55. It will be met by the Staff Capt, CO 2 RAR and Ship Comd.
4. During the night 19/20 Oct MALAYAN STEVEDORES will unload all baggage and stores which cannot be carried ashore by individual offrs and men. Baggage and stores will be unloaded on lighters for ferrying to the following destinations:-
 - (a) PENANG
 - (b) BUTTERWORTH
 - (c) PRAI (for the FEDERATION)
5. The ship will berth at SWETTENHAM PIER, PENANG at 0600 hrs 20 Oct 55. Disembarkation will commence at approx 0700 hrs 20 Oct in the following order:-
 - (a) First
 - (i) 28 Comwel Inf Bde Gp OFP AUST Component - KUALA LUMPUR.
 - (ii) 4 Tp RAE 11 Indep Fd Sqn RE - SUNGAI BESI
 - (iii) 1 Sec RAAMC 16 Fd Amb RAMC - WADEBURN
 - (iv) HQ AUST Component BCFESR - SINGAPORE
 - (v) 101 Wrls Regt Det - SINGAPORE
 - (vi) Aust Army Canteens Service Det - SINGAPORE
 - (b) Second - PENANG
 - (i) 2 RAR by coys in the following order:-
 - Bn HQ (Incl accredited reps)
 - B Coy
 - C Coy
 - HQ Coy
 - Sp Coy
 - D Coy
 - A Coy
 - (ii) 103 Dental Section RAADC
 - (iii) 1 Sec (RAA Pro) 28 Comwel Inf Bde Gp Pro Unit
 - (c) Third at 1200 hrs - BUTTERWORTH
 - (i) 105 Fd Bty RAA
 - (ii) 105 Fd Bty LAD RAEME
 - (iii) 28 Comwel Inf Bde Gp Sig Sqn AUST Component

(d) Fourth at 1300 hrs

(i) 3 Coy RASC AUST Component - IPOH

(ii) 28 Comwel Inf ~~Wksp~~ AUST-Component - TAIPING

6. Pers will move from SWETTENHAM PIER as under:-

(a) To PENANG - RASC Tpt

(b) To BUTTERWORTH - Harbour ferry and RASC Tpt

(c) To FEDERATION - Harbour ferry to PRAI and trains

TIMINGS

7. The following approx timings have been notified and they are set out as applicable to disembarking gps as listed in para 5.

8. FIRST

- (a) 0545 hrs - breakfast aboard
- (b) 0700 hrs - disembark
- (c) 0800 hrs - ferry departs for PRAI
- (d) 0915 hrs - train departs PRAI for KUALA LUMPUR and beyond
- (e) 1830 hrs - arrive KUALA LUMPUR

9. SECOND

- (a) 0545/0630 hrs - breakfast aboard
- (b) 0715 hrs - disembark by coys etc
- (c) 0805 hrs - MT Tpt commences mov of coys to MINDEN BARRACKS

10. THIRD

- (a) 0545/0630 hrs - breakfast
- (b) 1100 hrs - lunch
- (c) 1200 hrs - disembark and board ferries for BUTTERWORTH

11. FOURTH

- (a) 0545/0630 hrs - breakfast
- (b) 1100 hrs - lunch
- (c) 1200 hrs - disembark and board ferries for PRAI
- (d) 1300 hrs - train departs PRAI
- (e) 1604 hrs - train arrives TAIPING
- (f) 1858 hrs - train arrives IPOH

BAGGAGE AND STORES

12. General

Baggage and stores will be unloaded during night 19/20 Oct by MALAYAN STEVEDORES. All baggage and stores except hand baggage will be unloaded.

13. Ships Baggage Offrs

The following offrs are appointed baggage offrs and will be briefed in detail:-

- (a) Ships Baggage Offr - Capt MEDCALF
- (b) Asst Baggage Offr PENANG - Lt AMSTEY
- (c) Asst Baggage Offr BUTTERWORTH - 2 Lt CUNNINGHAM
- (d) Asst Baggage Offr PRAI - Capt LOURIGAN

14. BAGGAGE

- (a) Offrs will disembark carrying hand baggage only (incl arms as applicable)
- (b) OR will disembark carrying their arms (except 2 RAR), Kit bag (and case as applicable) and haversack.
- (c) Accompanied baggage on train will be limited to 133 lbs for offrs and 80 lbs for OR (metal trunks will be authorised to accompany pers). All excess baggage will be despatched by goods train and will arrive up to 2 or 3 days later. Crated arms must travel on troop trains as it requires escort. Sorting prior to entrainment will take place at PRAI.

15. CUSTOMS

- (a) All ranks will carry two copies of metal trunk inventory.
- (b) Baggage and stores will be sorted and cleared with customs by unit baggage parties at PENANG, BUTTERWORTH and PRAI.
- (c) Personal baggage will also be cleared at the above places.

16. BAGGAGE PARTIES

- (a) Baggage parties of 1 Sgt and 10 OR will be nominated by units as under:-
 - (i) 2 RAR - for all PENANG Baggage
 - (ii) 105 Fd Bty RAA - for all BUTTERWORTH baggage
 - (iii) 3 Coy RASC - for all PRAI baggage
- (b) Units NOT rep in baggage parties will nominate one NCO rep to form part of the baggage party.
- (c) Detailed tasks of baggage parties will be notified by MC Staff on arrival.
- (d) All tpt with stores/baggage will have two OR escort. This order is NOT clear and will be checked with MC Staff on arrival. It is assumed for the time being that the order refers to stores vehicles at PENANG and BUTTERWORTH.

17. ARMS AND AMN

Arms and amn must be carried by all services pers travelling on trains .

18. Amn will be issued to units concerned at the Rly Stn at PRAI.

TRAIN ORG

19. The following offrs are apptd OC AUST Tps on trains:-

- (a) Capt NEWTON - 4 Tp RAE
- (b) Capt GOODALL - 3 Coy RASC

20. OCs Trains will be briefed by MCO PRAI.

SHIPS STAFF

21. units. Ships Staff will be ready to disembark with their
22. Ships Comd and Ships Adjnt will disembark under separate orders.

MEALS

23. Breakfast on 20 Oct 55 will be served on board as under (ref para 5):-
- (a) First Sitting
- (i) 0545 hrs
- (ii) The few pers of First Gp NOT at present on First Sitting will attend this sitting.
- (iii) Ships Staff will attend First Sitting.
- (b) Second Sitting
- 0630 hrs

24. Lunch will be served on board at 1100 hrs for 11 offrns and 284 OR of Third and Fourth Gps only (RAA, Sigs, RAASC and Wksps).
25. Later meals for personnel travelling on trains will be under separate arrangements. Refreshments can be purchased in the Buffet Cars.

TP DECKS

26. Offrs in charge Tp Decks will ensure that Tp Decks (incl Toilets) are in inspection order before the tps occupying them disembark. An inspection of tp decks will be made by Ships Comd after disembarkation.

COORD

27. OCs of units, also Chaplain HAMM, Lt PATTERSON and a Rep from Correspondents will assemble on Promenade Deck Square at 1600 hrs 19 Oct 55 ready to receive amendments to these orders and further orders.

17 Oct 55

G. L. Soale
Maj
Ships Comd

DISTR

All units
Staff Capt
Offr of the Watch
Purser
Chief Steward
Correspondents (1)
Chaplain HAMM
Unit History (2)
Ships Comd
File (2)

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SHIPS TRG PROGRAMME

Allocation of Malayan subjects and instrs for OR Trg
for the period Thu 13 Oct to Mon 17 Oct is shown on Appx A.

12 Oct 55

W. J. ...
Maj
for Ships Comd

DISTR

All units
Mr GARLING
Mr WOOD
Staff Captain
Purser
Unit Histories - 3 each
File 2 (1 for vaoyage report)

OR TRG : MALAYAN SUBJECTS

Date (a)	Serial (b)	Time (c)	Subject (d)	Instructor (e)	Coy/Bty (f)	Location (g)
Thu 13 Oct	25	0920-1000	MALAYA 4	Mr WOOD	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	26	0920-1000	"	Mr GARLING	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	27	1005-1045	"	Mr WOOD	A Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	28	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	B Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	29	1050-1130	"	Mr WOOD	C Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	30	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	D Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	31	1400-1440	"	Mr WOOD	105 Fd Bty RAA	Lounge
	32	1400-1440	"	Mr GARLING	All other units	Cinema
Fri 14 Oct	33	0920-1000	MALAYA 5	Mr WOOD	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	34	0920-1000	"	Mr GARLING	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	35	1005-1045	"	Mr WOOD	A Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	36	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	B Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	37	1050-1130	"	Mr WOOD	C Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	38	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	D Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	39	1400-1440	"	Mr WOOD	105 Fd Bty RAA	Lounge
	40	1400-1440	"	Mr GARLING	All other units	Cinema

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
Sat 15 Oct	41	0920-1000	MALAYA 6	Mr WOOD	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	42	0920-1000	"	Mr GARLING	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	43	1005-1045	"	Mr WOOD	A Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	44	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	B Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	45	1005-1045	"	Mr WOOD	C Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	46	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	D Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	47	1050-1130	"	Mr WOOD	105 Fd Bty RAA	Cinema
	48	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	All other units	Lounge
Mon 17 Oct	49	0920-1000	MALAYA 7	Mr WOOD	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	50	0920-1000	"	Mr GARLING	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	51	1005-1045	"	Mr WOOD	A Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	52	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	B Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	53	1050-1130	"	Mr WOOD	C Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	54	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	D Coy 2 RAR	Lounge
	55	1400-1440	"	Mr WOOD	105 Fd Bty RAA	Cinema
	56	1400-1440	"	Mr GARLING	All other units	Lounge

SHIPS TRG PROGRAMME

Reference Ships Trg Programme dated 9 Oct 55.

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Amended programmes are att as Appx A and B.

10 Oct 55

R. J. C. [Signature]
Maj
Ships Comd

DISTR

All units
Staff Capt
Mr GARLING
Mr WOOD
Purser
Unit Histories - 3 each
File 2 (1 for voyage report)

MALAYAN TRG SUBJECT 11 -12 OCT 55 INCL

<u>Date</u>	<u>Serial</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Lecturer</u>	<u>Coy</u>	<u>Location</u>
Tue 11 Oct	11	0920-1000	Living in MALAYA	Mr GARLING	A Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	12	0920-1000	"	Mr WOODS	B Coy 2 RAR	Main Lounge
	13	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	C Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	14	1005-1045	"	Mr WOODS	D Coy 2 RAR	Main Lounge
	15	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	105 Fd Bty RAA	Cinema
	16	1050-1130	"	Mr WOODS	All other units	Main Lounge
	17	1400-1440	The Emergency in MALAYA	Mr GARLING	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	18	1400-1440	"	Mr WOODS	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Main Lounge
Wed 12 Oct	19	0920-1000.	"	Mr GARLING	C Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	20	0920-1000	"	Mr WOODS	D Coy 2 RAR	Main Lounge
	21	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	105 Fd Bty RAA	Cinema
	22	1005-1045	"	Mr WOODS	All other units	Main Lounge
	23	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	A Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	24	1050-1130	"	Mr WOODS	B Coy 2 RAR	Main Lounge

ARMY HEALTH TRG 11 - 13 OCT 55 INCL

Date	Serial	Time	Subject	Lecturer	Coy	Location
Tue 11 Oct	6	0920-1000	Army Health 2	RMO 2 RAR	105 Fd Bty	Starboard Smokeroom
	7	1005-1045	"	"	BN HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	"
	8	1050-1130	" 1	"	B Coy 2 RAR	"
	9	1400-1440	"	"	C Coy 2 RAR	"
Wed 12 Oct	10	0920-1000	" 2	"	A Coy 2 RAR	Starboard Lounge
	11	1005-1045	"	"	B Coy 2 RAR	"
	12	1050-1130	"	"	C Coy 2 RAR	"
	13	1400-1440	"	"	D Coy 2 RAR	"
	14	1445-1530	"	"	Sp Coy 2 RAR	"
Thu 13 Oct	15	0920-1000	"	"	All other units	"
	16	1005-1045	"	"	D Coy 2 RAR	"

SHIPS TRG PROGRAMME

1. This trg programme is issued by Ships Comd in consultation with CO 2 RAR. It will apply to all units aboard ship.
2. Trg periods for units will be daily except Sun 16 Oct as under:-

(a)	Period	1	-	0920	-	1000 hrs
(b)	"	2	-	1005	-	1045 hrs
(c)	"	3	-	1050	-	1130 hrs
(d)	"	4	-	1400	-	1440 hrs
(e)	"	5	-	1445	-	1530 hrs
3. The period 0900 - 0915 hrs will be used by units for adm and roll call. All units will parade daily during this period.
4. Trg periods for offr and senior NCOs and the programmes of offr and senior NCO trg are att as Appx A and B (issued separately).
5. The master trg syllabus for units is att as Appx C. Periods set out in para 2 above which have NOT been res in Appx C are available until further notice to unit comds for trg (incl)PT as required by them. Trg (incl PT) will be conducted during the periods set out in para 2.

4 Oct 55

J. G. Eagle

Maj
Ships Comd

DISTR
All units
Staff Capt
Purser
Unit History (2)
File (2 - one for voyage report)

MALAYAN TRG SUBJECTS 10 - 12 OCT 55 INCL

Date (a)	Serial (b)	Time (c)	Subject (d)	Lecturer (e)	Coy (f)	Location (g)
Mon 10 Oct	1	0920-1000	MALAYA	Mr GARLING	RHQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	2	0920-1000	"	Mr WOOD	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck aft (open)
	3	1005-1045	"	Mr GARL G	A Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	4	1005-1045	"	Mr WOOD.	B Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck starboard side
	5	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	C Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	6	1050-1130	"	Mr WOODS	D Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft (open)
	7	1400-1440	"	Mr GARLING	105 Fd Bty RAA	Cinema
	8	1400-1440	"	Mr WOODS	All other units	Prom Dec port side aft (A Coy 2 RAR to note)
	9	1445-1530	Living in MALAYA	Mr GARLING	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	10	1445-1530	"	Mr WOODS	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Promenade Deck aft (open)
Tue 11 Oct	11	0920-1000	"	Mr GARLING	A Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	12	0920-1000	"	Mr WOODS	B Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck Starboard side
	13	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	C Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	14	1005-1045	"	Mr WOODS	D Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft (open)
	15	1050-1130	"	Mr GARLING	105 Fd Bty RAA	Cinema
	16	1050-1130	"	Mr WOODS	All other units	Prom Deck port side aft (A Coy 2 RAR to note)
	17	1400-1440	The Emergency in MALAYA	Mr GARLING	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	18	1400-1440	"	Mr WOODS	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck aft

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)
Tue 11 Oct 55	19	1445-1530	The Emergency in MALAYA	Mr GARLING	A Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	20	1445-1530	"	Mr WOODS	B Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck starboard side
Wed 12 Oct 55	21	0920-1000	"	Mr GARLING	C Coy 2 RAR	Cinema
	22	0920-1000	"	Mr WOODS	D Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft (open)
	23	1005-1045	"	Mr GARLING	105 Fd Bty RAA	Cinema
	24	1005-1045	"	Mr WOODS	All other units	Prom Deck port side aft (A Coy 2 RAR to note)

ARMY HEALTH TRG 10 - 13 OCT 55 INCL

Date (a)	Serial (b)	Time (c)	Subject (d)	Lecturer (e)	Coy (f)	Location (g)
Mon 10 Oct 55	1	0920-1000	Army Health 1	RMO 2 RAR	105 Fd Bty RAA	A Deck fwd port side
	2	1005-1045	"	"	All other units	Promenade Deck port side
	3	1050-1130	"	"	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft starboard side
	4	1400-1440	"	"	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck aft (open)
	5	1445-1530	"	"	A Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck port side
Tue 11 Oct 55	6	0920-1000	Army Health 2	"	105 Fd Bty RAA	A Deck fwd port side
	7	1005-1045	"	"	Bn HQ & HQ Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft starboard side
	8	1050-1130	Army Health 1	"	B Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck starboard side
	9	1400-1440	"	"	C Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft port side
	10	1445-1530	"	"	D Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft (open)
Wed 12 Oct 55	11	0920-1000	Army Health 2	"	A Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck port side
	12	1005-1045	"	"	B Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck starboard side
	13	1050-1130	"	"	C Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft port side
	14	1400-1440	"	"	D Coy 2 RAR	A Deck aft (open)
	15	1445-1530	"	"	Sp Coy 2 RAR	Prom Deck aft (open)
Thu 13 Oct 55	16	0920-1000	"	"	All other units	Prom Deck starboard side aft (B Coy 2 RAR to note)

Appx A to
Ships Trg Programme

Period	Date	Time	OFFR TRG SYLLABUS		Instr	Place
			2 RAR	Others		
1.	10 Oct	2000-2040	Emergency	Language		2 RAR - Main lounge (fwd)
2.		2050-2130	Language	Emergency		Others- Main lounge (aft)
3.	11 Oct	1600-1640	Emergency	Language		
4.		1650-1730	Language	Emergency		
5.	12 Oct	2000-2040	Emergency	Language		
6.		2050-2130	Language	Emergency		
7.	13 Oct	1600-1640	Emergency	Language	Mr GARLING	
8.		1650-1730	Language	Emergency	Mr WOOD	
9.	14 Oct	2000-2040	Emergency	Language		
10.		2050-2130	Language	Emergency		
11.	15 Oct	1600-1640	Emergency	Language		
12.		1650-1730	Language	Emergency		
13.	17 Oct	2000-2040	Language	Language		
14.		2050-2100	"	"		
15.	18 Oct	1600-1640	"	"		
16.		1650-1730	"	"		

SENIOR NCO TRG SYLLABUS

Appx B to
Ships Trg Programme

Period	Date	Time	Lesson	Instr	Place
			2 RAR	Others	
1.	11 Oct	2000-2040	Emergency	Language	2 RAR - Library
2.		2050-2130	Language	Emergency	Others- Port Smoke Room
3.	12 Oct	1600-1640	Emergency	Language	
4.		1650-1730	Language	Emergency	
5.	13 Oct	2000-2040	Emergency	Language	
6.		2050-2130	Language	Emergency	Mr GARLING
7.	14 Oct	1600-1640	Emergency	Language	Mr WOOD
8.		1650-1730	Language	Emergency	
9.	15 Oct	2000-2040	Emergency	Language	
10.		2050-2130	Language	Emergency	
11.	17 Oct	1600-1640	Emergency	Language	
12.		1650-1730	Language	Emergency	
13.	18 Oct	2000-2040	"	Language	
14.		2050-2130	"	"	

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NOMINAL ROLL - EMBARKATION

Unit: 105 Fa Bty RAA

SS GEORGIC

<u>Emb Ser No</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Marital State</u>	
1.	2/288	Maj	BOGLE	B.L.	M
2.	5/7027	Capt	GALOM	G.M.	S
3.	3/35052	Capt	SUNDERLAND	R.A.	S
4.	5/7036	Lt	GOWANS	P.T.F.	S
5.	2/35070	Lt	KENNEDY	R.H.	S
6.	1/2456	Lt	RICKARDS	G.F.B.	M
7.	2/5630	2 Lt	CUNNINGHAM	C.A.	M
8.	2/6346	2 Lt	MEDCALF	R.	M
9.	1/1154	Bdr	PIGGOTT	A.F.	M
10.	1/1366	Gnr	STENGORD	K.J.	M
11.	1/1528	Sgt	SOXSMITH	J.J.	M
12.	1/2352	Bdr	NEVIN	R.H.	S
13.	1/2571	WO11	PELLETT	F.	M
14.	1/2672	Gnr	THOMAS	J.	S
15.	1/2698	Gnr	THOMAS	P.	S
16.	1/2705	Gnr	ANDERSEN	I.	S
17.	1/2752	Gnr	WALKER	R.F.	S
18.	1/2759	Gnr	DAWSON	K.J.	S
19.	1/3381	Gnr	JACOBSEN	A.C.	S
20.	1/3195	Gnr	HITZMAN	J.T.	M
21.	1/3543	Gnr	BORGES	K.H.	S
22.	2/766	Bdr	THOMPSON	R.L.	S
23.	2/946	Sgt	COLE	G.A.	M
24.	2/1199	Cpl	SATCHELL	B.H.	S
25.	2/1448	Bdr	BUXTON	E.F.	S
26.	2/2208	Sgt	HOLLIES	S.J.	M
27.	2/2232	Bdr	TAYLOR	B.J.	M
28.	2/3153	Bdr	WILLS	N.E.	M
29.	2/3268	Sgt	LEONARD	D.J.	M
30.	2/3837	L Bdr	SIMMONDS	K.J.	S
31.	2/4071	Cpl	TRAVERS	K.J.	M
32.	2/4578	Pte	KNIGHT	L.B.G.	M
33.	2/4660	Sgt	JEBB	G.A.	M
34.	2/5211	Cpl	MELANDRI	B.P.	S
35.	2/5835	Bdr	BEGG	D.R.E.	S
36.	2/5888	Gnr	MOON	F.J.	M
37.	2/5916	Gnr	BERWICK	C.	S

Sub Ser No	No	Rank	Name	Marital Status
.38.	2/5998	Gnr	MYERS R.G.	S
.39.	2/6008	Gnr	BILLS F.A.	S
.40.	2/6020	Gnr	GWYNNE A.	S
.41.	2/6131	Gnr	CHRISTIE R.J.	M
.42.	2/6157	Gnr	ELSLEY K.	S
.43.	2/6158	Gnr	BURNETT H.F.	M
.44.	2/6182	Gnr	LEES R.V.	M
.45.	2/6213	Gnr	PHIPPS H.J.	M
.46.	2/6549	L Bdr	LOVEDAY J.A.	M
.47.	2/6567	Gnr	BELL F.I.H.	M
.48.	2/6581	Gnr	NELSON B.N.	M
.49.	2/6835	Gnr	WILSON J.	S
.50.	2/6947	Gnr	LANGDOWN T.B.	M
.51.	2/7486	Pte	OTTOWAY C.J.	M
.52.	2/7273	Gnr	ENRIGHT J.T.	S
.53.	2/7325	Gnr	KERR K.C.	S
.54.	2/7343	Bdr	HOAD L.	M
.55.	2/7357	Gnr	McCONNELL J.S.R.	S
.56.	2/7376	Gnr	SEABORN F.R.	M
.57.	2/7392	Gnr	AMBROSE L.	S
.58.	2/7472	Gnr	CARRINGTON E.W.	M
.59.	2/7613	Gnr	BYRNES M.J.	S
.60.	2/7618	L Bdr	McKELLAR D.C.	M
.61.	2/8034	Gnr	GRAINGER S.J.	S
.62.	2/8063	Gnr	CUNNINGHAM G.	M
.63.	2/8070	Gnr	WINTER A.G.	S
.64.	2/8202	Gnr	LEON L.E.	S
.65.	2/8257	Gnr	SUTHERS J.E.	S
.66.	2/8286	Gnr	PARR J.J.	S
.67.	2/8306	Gnr	McCULLOCH R.D.	S
.68.	2/8327	Gnr	LAWRENCE A.C.	S
.69.	2/8337	Gnr	DRAKE R.L.	S
.70.	2/8364	Gnr	ROBERTS D.J.	S
.71.	2/8397	Gnr	RODGERS R.P.	M
.72.	2/8418	Gnr	BROOKER W.	

Emb Ser No	No	Rank	Name	Initials	Marital Status
.73.	2/8444	Gnr	POLAND	J.E.	M
.74.	2/8523	Gnr	LAWLER	J.F.	S
.75.	2/8526	Gnr	CRUICKSHANKS	I.G.	S
.76.	2/8561	Gnr	SHAW	A.E.	S
.77.	2/8611	Gnr	DODSON	D.R.	S
.78.	2/8649	Gnr	SUTTON	D.K.	S
.79.	2/8679	Gnr	CHARLES	N.A.	S
.80.	2/8732	Gnr	SCUTTS	J.	S
.81.	2/8775	Gnr	SYMON	G.	S
.82.	2/8793	Gnr	COELLI	J.L.L.	S
.83.	2/8838	Gnr	VICKARY	R.G.	S
.84.	2/8991	Gnr	HOOD	H.J.	M
.85.	2/9061	Sgt	THOMPSON	R.S.	M
.86.	2/10019	Gnr	COLE	E.	M
.87.	2/10171	Gnr	MARTIN	R.	M
.88.	2/10261	Gnr	MCCARTHY	W.	M
.89.	2/10323	L Bdr	SMITH	D.S.	S
.90.	2/10338	Gnr	YOUNGER	A.H.	S
.91.	2/10423	Bdr	MEADOWS	R.J.	S
.92.	2/10754	Sgt	PARRATT	F.K.	M
.93.	2/10787	Gnr	GRIFFIN	T.J.	S
.94.	2/10832	Gnr	GULWELL	M.V.	S
.95.	2/10888	Sgt	GREENFIELD	W.S.	M
.96.	2/10941	Gnr	GILLAN	F.	S
.97.	2/10958	Gnr	FENWICK	J.W.	S
.98.	2/10968	Gnr	FRANEY	B.	S
.99.	2/10994	L Bdr	ARMSTRONG	E.J.	S
.100.	2/11039	Gnr	COLLINS	N.	S
.101.	2/40057	Gnr	KELLY	C.F.	S
.102.	2/410127	Gnr	ROBINSON	L.G.	S
.103.	2/410348	Gnr	IRWIN	V.J.	M
.104.	2/900249	Gnr	MUSGROVE	D.R.	S
.105.	2/900303	Gnr	SCHOFIELD	R.L.	M
.106.	3/891	Sgt	BANFIELD	T.P.	M
.107.	3/893	WO2	MATTHEWS	R.R.	S

Emb Ser No	No	Rank	Name	Marital State	
108.	3/2522	Gnr	McNALLY	A.F.	S
109.	3/1653	Gnr	HEVEREN	R.C.	S
110.	3/2698	Gnr	STRINGER	H.B.	M
111.	3/2549	Prte	MANTELL	E.	M
112.	3/3449	Gnr	McKENZIE	V.R.	M
113.	3/3478	Gnr	HABERFIELD	R.A.	M
114.	3/3543	Gnr	PHILLIPS	A.L.	S
115.	3/3646	Gnr	BIRNIE	S.A.	S
116.	3/4206	Sgt	HOOKE	R.G.	S
117.	3/4470	Gnr	O'DEA	J.P.	M
118.	3/4516	Gnr	FINCH	R.W.	S
119.	3/4688	Gnr	SAWYER	A.	S
120.	3/4953	Gnr	FITZPATRICK	K.W.	S
121.	3/5357	Gnr	HARDINGHAM	R.	S
122.	3/5404	Gnr	MUNCASTER	J.B.	S
123.	3/10021	Sgt	BYRNE	F.J.	S
124.	3/10154	Bdr	ETHRINGTON	C.	S
125.	3/10173	Sgt	PAICE	A.R.	S
126.	3/10188	Gnr	ALLAN	J.F.	S
127.	3/10335	Gnr	McCUE	J.	S
128.	3/10570	Gnr	WEDGE	R.C.	S
129.	3/10758	WO2	HOOK	A.T.	S
130.	3/11058	Gnr	LOWE	R.A.	S
131.	3/11092	Gnr	HAUPT	K.J.	S
132.	3/410073	L Bdr	SLATER	T.	S
133.	4/815	Gnr	HARGREAVES	H.	S
134.	4/1138	Gnr	WANZEK	E.H.	S
135.	4/1432	Gnr	KIMBER	R.T.	S
136.	4/1576	Gnr	HENDERSON	A.V.	
137.	4/1610	Gnr	PITTAWAY	M.G.	S
138.	4/1635	Gnr	EDWARDS	N.D.	M
139.	4/1656	Gnr	INWOOD	J.E.	M
140.	4/1663	Gnr	GREGOR	T.	S
141.	4/1724	Gnr	McLEOD	A.	S
142.	4/1775	Gnr	CUBILLO	N.	S
143.	4/1838	Gnr	COLDWELL	K.E.	S

Emb Ser No	No	Rank	Name	Marital Sta
.144.	5/601	Sgt	SQUIBB	A.W. S
.145.	5/1270	Bdr	ELLIS	A.C.J. S
.146.	5/1503	Gnr	RUDDICK	H.F. S
.147.	5/2251	Gnr	SHEEHAN	K. S
.148.	5/2394	Gnr	D'ARCY	T.R.G. S
.149.	5/2402	Gnr	ARNOLD	R.A. S
.150.	5/2486	Gnr	ANGUS	B. S
.151.	5/2626	Gnr	COLLINS	R.J. S
.152.	5/2635	Gnr	COSTELOW	L.W. S
.153.	5/2668	Gnr	GILLIES	N.K. S
.154.	6/367	Gnr	GLOVER	R.G. S
.155.	6/653	Gnr	BULLEN	F.C. S
.156.	6/951	Gnr	ZEUSCHNER	H.A. S
.157.	6/957	Gnr	WICKHAM	M. M
.158.	6/980	Gnr	GLOVER	E.C. S
.159.	6/1050	Gnr	GITTUS	G.J. S

NOMINAL ROLL - EMBARKATION

Unit: 105 Fd Bty LAD RAEME

SS GEORGIC

<u>Emb Ser No</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Marital State</u>
1.	2/1913	Cfn	THOMPSON G.	M
2.	2/4116	Cfn	ROWLINSON J.L.	M
3.	2/6310	Cfn	OMMUNDSON F.J.	M
4.	2/6957	L Cpl	STOKES B.M.	S
5.	2/7012	Cfn	BROWN A.G.	S
6.	2/7153	Cpl	BROWN J.L.	M
7.	3/637	WO2	HILDEBRANDT L.J.	M
8.	3/5721	Cfn	NORTIER J.H.L.H.	S
9.	5/1253	Cfn	JOHNSTON N.N.	S

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SHIPS STANDING ORDERS

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SHIPS COMD HT "GEORGIC"

GEN

1. These Standing Orders apply to all units embarked in HT "GEORGIC" for the voyage SYDNEY - BRISBANE - PENANG during the period 6 - 20 Oct 55.
2. Ships Standing Orders will be supplemented en voyage by the issue of Ships Routine Orders and additional special orders which will be required for the org of disembarkation.
3. All orders issued to units by Ships Comd are issued in conjunction with the Master of the Ship and CO 2 RAR, the senior Army Officer on board ship.
4. The Master of the Ship has authority over all pers on board ship and his orders and those of the ships offrs will be complied with instantly. Normally such orders will be issued to Army pers through the Ships Comd.
5. These orders will be promulgated to all ranks under unit arrangements.

ORG

6. For the purpose of comd and adm during the voyage all Army pers on board will be org into gps as under:-

(a) Ships Staff

Ships Comd and Staff
DAPM (Capt GORMAN)
Entertainment Offr (2 Lt MEDCALF)

Att

Mr GARLING
Mr WOOD
Mr ROSS and accredited Correspondents
Chap HAM
Lt PATTERSON

(b) 2 RAR

2 RAR
HQ 28 Comwel Inf Bde Def and Emp Pl
Pers 101 Wrls Regt

(c) 105 Fd Bty RAA

105 Fd Bty RAA
105 Fd Bty LAD RAEME

(a) RAASC Gp

3 Coy RASC Aust Component

(e) Ord etc Gp

- 28 Comwel Inf Bde Gp OFP Aust Component
- 28 Comwel Inf Bde Gp Sig Sqn Aust Component
- 28 Comwel Inf Wksp Aust Component
- 28 Comwel Bde Pro Unit (for adm)
- 103 Dental Sec

(f) Engrs/Med Gp

- 4 Tp RAE 11 Indep Fd Sqn RE
- 1 Sec RAAMC 16 Fd Amb RAMC

COMD

7. Comd will be ex by the Ships Comd through the comds of gps specified in para 6 above.
8. Comds of gps specified in para 6 above are appointed as follows:-
- (a) 2 RAR - CO 2 RAR
 - (b) 105 Fd Bty RAA - Capt G.M. SALOM
 - (c) RAASC Gp - Capt A.E. GOODALL
 - (d) Ord etc Gp - Capt R.J. LOURIGAN
 - (e) Engrs/Med Gp - Capt J. NEWTON
9. Offrs commanding units and sub-units forming gps specified in para 6 above are directly responsible for maintaining their normal function of comd within their own comds.

ORDERS CONCERNING EMERGENCIES AT SEA

10. To be issued seperately as Appx A to these orders.

FIRE ORDERS

11. To be issued seperately as Appx B to these orders.

ROUTINE

12. Daily Routine will be as under:-

Reveille	-	0645 hrs
Breakfast - Tps 1st Sitting	-	0730 hrs
- Tps 2nd Sitting	-	0830 hrs
- Sgts Mess	-	0730 hrs
- Offrs Mess	-	0830 hrs
Tp decks cleared by	-	0900 hrs
Sick parade	-	0900 hrs
Ships Inspection	-	1030 hrs
Lunch - Tps 1st Sitting	-	1200 hrs
- Tps 2nd Sitting	-	1315 hrs
- Sgts Mess	-	1200 hrs
- Offrs Mess	-	1315 hrs
Tea	-	1530 hrs
Dinner - Tps 1st Sitting	-	1800 hrs
- Tps 2nd Sitting	-	1915 hrs
- Sgts Mess	-	1800 hrs
- Offrs Mess	-	1915 hrs

Staff Cpts Rounds - 2000 hrs
Tattoo - 2230 hrs
Lights Out - 2300 hrs

DUTIES

13. The following daily duties will be provided by Gps as notified in Ships ROs:-

- (a) Orderly Offr - Duties to be issued as Appx C
- (b) Orderly Sgt - " " " Appx D
- (c) Ships Gd - " " " Appx E
- (d) Ships Police - " " " Appx F

14. Fatigues

(a) Canteen Party

105 Fd Bty RAA will provide a Canteen Party to stock canteens and bars daily. 50 men will parade on C Deck square under the Orderly Sgt daily at 0930 hrs and 1630 hrs.

(b) Deck Fatigue

28 Comwel Inf Bde Gp Sig Sqn Aust Component will provide a Deck Fatigue to sweep upper decks daily. 8 men will parade on C Deck square under the Orderly Sgt at 1130 hrs and 1645 hrs daily.

(c) Other Fatigues

Other fatigues will be provided by 2 RAR as required and as ordered periodically in ships RO's.

ACCN

15. Initial allotment of accn will NOT be varied without approval of Ship's Staff.

16. Gps are responsible entirely for maintaining all accn incl toilets allotted continuously in a clean and tidy condition. Cleaning eqpt may be obtained from Tp deck stewards in each section.*

17. Damage to ships accn will be reported in writing as soon as practicable to Ship's Staff. Reports will be followed by an Investigating Offrs Report.

18. Cabin accn will be vacated by all pers by 0900 hrs daily until completion of Ships Inspection.

SHIPS INSPECTIONS

19. The Master of the Ship inspects the ship daily accompanied by Ships Staff.

20. Offrs IC Tp decks will stand to on their respective decks with one OR at 1025 hrs daily ready for Ships Inspection. For inspection purposes the following offrs are Offrs IC Tp decks and are responsible that tps accn is in inspection order:-

- (a) B Deck - OC C Coy 2 RAR
- (b) Sec C 7 - Capt G.M. SALOM
- (c) Sec C 8 - Capt R.J. LOURIGAN
- (d) Sec C 10 - OC A Coy 2 RAR

- (e) Sec D 1 - IO 2 RAR
- (f) Sec D 2 - Capt J. NEWTON
- (g) Sec D 3 - OC Sp Coy 2 RAR
- (h) Sec D 4 - OC Sp Coy 2 RAR
- (i) Sec D 5 - OC HQ 2 RAR
- (j) Sec D 6 - OC D Coy 2 RAR
- (k) Sec D 7 - Lt P.T.F. GOWANS
- (l) Sec D 9 - OC B Coy 2 RAR
- (m) Sec D 10 - OC A Coy 2 RAR

BOUNDS

21. The following areas are out of bounds to tps:-

- (a) Ships Bridge
- (b) All areas marked CREW ONLY
- (c) Promenade Deck fwd of RED lines marked on deck
- (d) Promenade Deck square
- (e) Main Lounge and Port Smoke Rooms
- (f) Boat Deck aft
- (g) Hospital
- (h) Female Staff quarters
- (i) Crew's Bar and quarters
- (j) Dog kennels
- (k) E Deck

DECK SPACE

22. The allotment of deck space to units for trg and adm is as shown in Appx H attached.

SECURITY

23. Unit Stores and Eqpt

Comds of units and sub-units are responsible for the custody and security of unit and personal stores and eqpt. Attractive stores will be kept under lock and key when not in use.

24. Ships Stores and Fittings

No Army pers will use, remove or interfere with any Ships Stores or fittings NOT specifically authorised for their use in orders or in ships notice's. OC Gps are to interpret this order to their tps as implying that no fittings or stores will be used other than those normally available to a fare paying passenger aboard any ship.

25. Personal Valuables

Pers may deposit any articles of value with the Ships Purser. Such deposits will be coord by OC Gps.

26. Ships Security

Orders issued by the Master of the Ship for the security of the ship are paramount whether or NOT they are issued through Ship's Comd.

LOCS

27. Locs of important places in the Ship are issued seperately as Appx I.

DISCIPLINE

28. Powers

- (a) CO RAR exs powers of CO over att pers of 2 RAR Gp in addition to 2 RAR.

(b) Ships Comd will ex power of CO over all other Army pers aboard ship. Investigation of charges will be carried out in the first instance by OC Gpa as Coy etc Comds.

(c) Ships Comd, in consultation with CO 2 RAR, is empowered to convene and confirm the proceedings of a DCM.

29. Maint of disciplinary standards

No relaxation of the normal disciplinary standards of AUST units will be permitted because of changed circumstances while at sea. The unnatural confinement of a large body of tps aboard ship requires an even higher standard of discipline to ensure the safety and comfort of all ranks. Punishment for breaches of discipline, especially those which cause inconvenience or discomfort to others, will be dealt with swiftly and severely. Drunkenness will be treated as a serious offence.

30. Gambling

Gambling is forbidden. Ships Police are ordered to suppress gambling in any part of the ship. Org "HOUSIE HOUSIE", bridge and whist for small stakes are not classed as gambling.

31. Fresh Water

Fresh water must be conserved. Taps will NOT be left running. OC Gps will actively police fresh water conservation. There is NO restriction on the use of salt water showers.

32. Life Jackets

Lifejackets will not be used or removed from cabins for any purpose except authorised emergency and boat drills.

33. Ships Boats, Rigging, Portholes and Rails

Climbing on Ships rigging and boats is forbidden. Climbing or sitting on the Ships rails is forbidden. Portholes, if locked, will only be opened by members of the crew.

34. Individual Behaviour aboard

- (a) Every soldier will so conduct himself as to ensure the comfort and convenience of all aboard ship.
- (b) Boisterous demonstrations and noisy behaviour will be stopped by offrs and NCOs immediately.
- (c) Drunkenness will result in normal disciplinary action plus denial of subsequent bar service to the individuals concerned.
- (d) No noise is permitted in cabins after "lights out".

35. Liquor

Liquor will be consumed in or near the public rooms where bar service is provided. Consumption of liquor in cabins or any unauthorised place is prohibited. Offenders will be disciplined and subsequent bar service will be denied to the individuals concerned. The beer ration of 2 bottles per man per day will op on a ticket system.

OC Gps will arrange for an offr or WO to collect beer ration tickets at Ships Orderly Room daily at 1030 hrs.

36. Disembarkation

No person will disembark from the ship at any time or place until so ordered by Ships Staff through OC Gps.

CARE OF THE SHIP

37. OC Gps will actively police Gp arrangements to ensure the care of the ship, its fittings and furniture. The following pts in particular will be observed:-

- (a) Boots will NOT be worn except on embarkation and disembarkation.
- (b) Feet will NOT be placed on walls or chairs.
- (c) Care will be taken to maint the cleanliness of bedding and cabin furniture and fittings.
- (d) No pins of any type will be used on walls, doors or furniture.
- (e) Furniture will not be removed from its original public room or cabin.

ADM

38. Dry Canteen

- (a) Canteen op at the following places:-
 - (i) B Deck square fwd
 - (ii) Promenade Deck Smoke Room (Offrs only)
- (b) Hrs of opening-
 - 1100 - 1300 hrs
 - 1500 - 1800 hrs

39. Sick Parades

- (a) Pers reporting sick will report to Ships Nursing Orderly at Ships Orderly Room at 0900 hrs daily.
- (b) Emergency treatment will be obtained by reporting to Ship's Orderly Room.

40. Wet Canteen

Wet Canteen service ops at B Deck after saloon and C Deck Recreation Room at the following hrs. Beer only will be served upon production of a ticket. Two tickets will be issued daily to each man, one being redeemable at each Wet Canteen period.

1100 - 1200 hrs
2000 - 2100 hrs

41. Dress

All ranks will be dressed in uniform throughout the voyage. Boots may not be worn.

42. Messes


(a) Offrs Mess

2IC 2 RAR is appointed President of the Officers Mess.

(b) Sgts Mess

RSM 2 RAR is appointed President of the WOs and Sgts Mess.

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Ships Comd

ORDERS FOR EMERGENCY AT SEA

1. All ranks will examine the orders placed in their cabins instructing them in:-
 - (a) Use of life jackets
 - (b) Boat stations
2. The senior Army member at each boat station will org Army pers at each boat station. He will obtain a list of all Army members of his boat station at the first Boat Drill after BRISBAN and submit this list to Ships Orderly Room.
3. The senior Army member at each boat station will act upon the orders of the Ships Offr IC Boat Station.
4. Life Jackets will not be touched except when Boat Drill or an emergency is announced.

FIRE ORDERS

1. Any member discovering a fire will shout "FIRE" and try to extinguish the fire.
2. If any member is unable to extinguish the fire IMMEDIATELY he will:-
 - (a) Press the nearest ALARM bell telephone
 - (b) Telephone the Bridge on the nearest telephone
 - (c) Send a runner to the Ships Orderly Room.
3. All Army pers will stand clear to enable the Ships Crew to carry out their duties.
4. If the ship's alarm is sounded all ranks will carry out the drill prescribed for emergencies at Sea.

DUTIES OF ORDERLY OFFICER

1. Tour of duty from 0900 hrs to 0900 hrs daily.
2. He will rep the Ship's Comd during his tour of duty.
3. He will maint a continuous supervision of the routine aboard ship and will pay particular attention to the conduct of the tps and the maint of good order and discipline. The areas which warrant particular inspection are:-
 - (a) Tps lounges
 - (b) Tps messes
 - (c) Tp Decks
 - (d) Area in vicinity of Crew Bar B Deck fwd on Port side.
 - (e) Area of female staff quarters
4. He will attend ships inspection daily and will report to Ship's Comd at 1025 hrs daily on the Promenade Deck square.
5. He will attend Staff Capt's rounds daily and will report to Staff Capt at 255 hrs daily on the Promenade Deck square.
6. He will effect continuous liaison with Ships DAPM.
7. He will inspect the following frequently:-
 - (a) Ships Police patrol
 - (b) Ships Gd
 - (c) Deck Fatigue
8. He will inspect all meal parades sharing the Tps Dining Saloons with the Orderly Sgt.
9. He will mount and dismount at the Ships Orderly Room and report to Ships Adjnt.
10. He will report any unusual occurrences immediately to Ships Comd or Adjnt.

DUTIES OF ORDERLY SERGEANT

1. Tour of duty from 0900 hrs to 0900 hrs daily.
2. He will assist the Orderly Officer in the execution of his duty.
3. His particular daily duties will be:-
 - (a) Parade the Canteen Party daily at 0930 hrs and 1630 hrs on C Deck Square and org its task.
 - (b) Parade the Deck Fatigue daily at 1200 hrs and 1700 hrs on B Deck fwd and org its task.
 - (c) Parade the Ships Gd daily at 2000 hrs outside the Ships Orderly Room and instr the Gd Comd in his duties.
 - (d) Parade at Mess parades under the orders of the Orderly Officer.
 - (e) Parade at Staff Capts Rounds at 2055 hrs daily on Promenade Deck Square under the orders of the Orderly Officer.

DUTIES OF SHIPS GD

1. The Ships Gd will consist of:-
 - (a) NCO
 - (b) 9 men unarmed
2. There are three posts and the duties of sentries are as under:-
 - (a) No 1

A Deck square near Purser's Office. Prevent any Army pers entering or loitering near female quarters on the Port side.
 - (b) No 2

E Deck fwd. Prevent any Army personnel entering the Armoury.
 - (c) No 3

B Deck aft on the Port Side. Prevent any Army pers entering or loitering near Stewardesses quarters.
3. Gd will mount at 2000 hrs and dismount at 0800 hrs daily.
4. Posting of sentries will be the responsibility of the Gd Comd who will parade his Gd at the Ships Orderly Room at 2000 hrs daily under the Orderly Sgt. The gd will wear headdress.

DUTIES OF SHIP'S POLICE PATROL

1. 1 Sec (RAA PRO) 28 Commonwealth Inf Bde Gp Pro Unit will be responsible for the maintenance of good order and military discipline of all troops aboard this ship.
2. A roving patrol of two military policemen will patrol the ship daily from 0800 hrs to 2330 hrs. These members will be distinguished by wearing whitened web belts and MP armllets.
3. The patrol will be responsible for:-
 - (a) Policing the following Out of Bounds Areas:-
 - (i) Crew Quarters
 - (ii) Female Quarters - A Deck Fwd Port Side
- B Deck Aft Port Side
 - (iii) Crew Bar B Deck Fwd Port Side 1730 - 2200
 - (iv) Ship's Bridge
 - (v) Boat Deck Aft
 - (b) Ensuring that members below the rank of sergeant do not stray into those areas set aside for senior NCOs WOs and Officers. These areas have already been signed.
 - (c) Ensuring that intoxicating liquor is not taken down to cabins, washrooms or anywhere apart from within close proximity to ships deck saloons.
 - (d) Ensuring that members conduct themselves in an orderly and decent manner in and around ships deck saloons.
 - (e) That no members are on deck, in saloons etc after lights out at 2300 hrs.
 - (f) that all other ships standing orders are complied with.
4. Any members found intoxicated will be ordered to their cabins by the patrol.
5. Any members involved in an affray or disorder will be removed to the ships cells D Deck Fwd for safe custody. The Ships Master at Arms hold the keys for these cells.
6. Any serious contrevention of ships standing orders will be reported by the Military Police Patrol concerned to the ships DAPM immediately.
7. A report covering the daily patrol will be submitted by the senior military police NCO I/C each patrol to the Ships DAPM on the form provided, by 0900 hrs, each morning following his patrol.

ALLOTMENT OF DECK SPACE FOR TRG AND ADM AREAS

1. Certain trg and adm areas are allotted. These areas are res for units allotted to them between the following hrs:-

0930 - 1130 hrs
1400 - 1530 hrs

2. Areas allotted are:-

(a) 2 PAR

Bn HQ	--	A Deck Aft (covered)
HQ Coy	--	A Deck Aft starboard side
Sp Coy	--	Promenade Deck aft (open)
A Coy	--	" " port side
B Coy	--	" " starboard side
C Coy	--	A Deck aft port side
D Coy	--	A Deck aft (open)
(b) 105 Fd Bty	-	A Deck fwd both sides
(c) 4 Tp RAE	-	B Deck aft (open)
(d) Sig Sqn	-	C Deck Rec Room
(e) RAASC	-	Promenade Deck Starboard Social Room
(f) Wksps	--	B Deck aft port side (covered)
(g) Med	-	Promenade Deck Starboard Smoke Room
(h) Pro	-	Promenade Deck fwd (open)
(i) Ord	-	B Deck aft starboard side (covered)

IMPORTANT LOCS ABOARD SHIP

Ships Orderly Room	-	B Deck aft Starboard Side
Hospital	-	B Deck aft Starboard Side
Tps lounges	-	B Dec aft and C Deck square
Cinema and Tps lounge	-	Promenade Deck Aft
Pursers Office	-	A Deck Fwd
Barber	-	A Deck Aft
Tps Messes	-	B Deck Port side
	-	C Deck aft
HQ 2 RAR	-	Promenade Deck Starboard side

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105 FD BTY TRG INSTR 4/55

Ref: 28 COMWEL Indep Inf Bde Gp Instr No1
ATOM 1954 (Second Edition)
Map

AIMS

1. The aim of this instr is to set out the phases and scope of trg together with the programme of trg to complete the tasks involved during the current trg period.
2. The aim of trg during the period is to prepare the Bty to produce predicted and observed fire SP in the jungle operating as an indep bty and as indep tps.

TRG PERIOD

3. The trg period is from 31 Oct 55 - 28 Jan 56.

SCOPE OF TRG

4. The trg programme will incl the following subjects for particular instr besides the practice and study of tech drills.
 - (a) Protection (incl patrolling) and loc def when in action and when mounted both on the move and halted. Navigation in the jungle will be practised.
 - (b) Study of CT and SF.
 - (c) Rd mov incl MT ambush drills.
 - (d) Calibration of the guns.
 - (e) Zeroing of SA weapons.
 - (f) Predicted and observed practice.
 - (g) Deployment.
5. Trg will proceed concurrently with the est and improvement of the barracks and the unpacking, issue, inspection, repair, and maint of stores and eqpt.

ORG FOR TRG

6. Bty instr Gp org will now be discontinued and Tp Comds will become wholly responsible for the trg of their tps. This responsibility will however be shared with CPO in the case of TARA trg.
7. For all arms and ATOM trg, BHQ will join A Tp and IAD will join B Tp.

PHASES OF TRG

8. The phases of trg set out below coincide with the Forecast of Events attached to Bde Op Instr No 1 which will be studied in conjunction with this instr, and which supplements this instr.

9. Phase 1.

- (a) 31 Oct - 19 Nov 55
- (b) PT, individual all arms trg, trade trg and practice of collective ATOM drills.
- (c) Tech and trade trg will incl in particular:
 - (i) calibration by cross obsn of ground bursts seawards.
 - (ii) dvr trg for dvr ops.
 - (iii) veh and armament inspection by mechs and fitters.
 - (iv) new phonetic alphabet.

10. Phase 2

- (a) 20 Oct 55 - 30 Nov 55.
- (b) Trg for two parts of the Bty, the composition of which will be notified later, will be:
 - (i) Calibration)
P and RT) PORT DICKSON
D and M)
 - (ii) All arms trg)
range practice) BUTTERWORTH
D and M)
Adm and maint)
Barracks improvement)

11. Phase 3

- (a) 1 Dec 55 - 20 Dec 55
- (b) Practice Camp for Bty, less Rear Party. Collective trg will ensure practice by day and night in:
 - (i) Deployment and rd mov
 - (ii) observed shooting) possibly with some AOP obsn and in
 - (iii) predicted shooting) both registers.
 - (iv) Loc def incl protective patrolling.
 - (v) Adm in the fd.
 - (vi) Living in the jungle.

12. Phase 4

- (a) 21 Dec 55 - 28 Jan 56.
- (b) Adm, maint and Bty Stock Takes will take place during the period 21 Dec - 28 Dec 55 (incls Xmas leave days)
- (c) This phase will cover trg by gps as under:
 - (i) Offr, TARA, and Sig trg with other arms.
 - (ii) Continuation tech and trade trg and P and RT.
 - (iii) Bn Gp fd ex with tps.
- (d) Games and sports will receive increased attention during phase 4.

TRG PROGRAMME

13. The Bty Master Trg Programme upon which Tp syllabuses will be based is att as Appx A.
14. Bty programmes by periods will NO longer be issued. In principle, and except where impracticable due to ex etc requirements, tp syllabuses will incl a short dismounted drill and a full PT period daily.
15. Tp weekly syllabuses will be submitted by 0900hrs Thu each week. Variations and amendments to Bty Master Trg Programme must be expected and will be notified as early as possible.

ASSISTANCE IN INSTR

16. Instrs from 2 RAR to assist with All Arms and ATOM trg will be allotted to tps for the period 31 Oct - 12 Nov 55 on probable scale of one instr per tp.
17. Bty Sig Sgt will conduct Sig trg in HQ Tp and will be available to A and B Tp Comds to assist in the org and Supervision of Sig Trg.
18. TARA Trg will be centralised under the CPO. OC A Tp will be available to the CPO to assist him with TARA Trg. The CPO will also have call on any offr for Comd Post exs and to instr in selected Subjects.
19. The Bty Capt will be responsible for organising the Trg of immediate relief adm pers for the following appts, he may call upon TSM B Tp, BQMS and Sgt Cook as Asst instrs.
 - (a) Caterer
 - (b) Tech Storeman
 - (c) Bty Tpt NCO
 - (d) Bty Clerk
 - (e) Q Clerk

SA. RANGES

20. The following ranges will be constr during the week ending 5 Nov 55:
 - (a) MALAYAN RANGE
To be constr by A Tp at VD 146716.
 - (b) JUNGLE LANE
To be constr by B Tp at VD 147716.
21. Co-ord of loc security in the area during constr will be the responsibility of OC B Tp.
22. Zeroing at 30 yds range will be conducted at the est range in the camp area.
23. The OCs of Tps using any of the above ranges will clear the use of the range with ACPO. The ACPO will check availability and notify firing times to the following contacts at least 48 hrs before use:
 - (a) 30 yd range - GSO 3
 - (b) MALAYAN range - OCPD BT MERTA JAM
and Jungle lane.

SECURITY

- 24. Offrs IC gps and parties engaged on trg or tasks outside the barracks limits are responsible for the Security of their gps/parties against ground attack by CTs.
- 25. Trg and mov anywhere outside barracks limits, except rd mov between barracks - RAF Stn and between barracks - MITCHELL PIER, will be treated as a security risk. Vehs will carry armed escorts and trg sites will at all times be secured by posting armed sentries on selected approaches.
- 26. The ACPO will check the availability and notify details of the use of ranges and trg areas to OCPD BT MERTA JAM (Mr NADARAJAH - tele BT MERTA JAM 222) as early as practicable and at least 48 hrs prior to use. The use of any trg areas outside barracks limits must be cleared with ACPO. The ACPO will always be available to brief officers and NCOs on trg areas and restd rds and areas.

MISC

27. Dvr Trg

Tp Comds will ensure that all dvr's are carefully instr on the need for considerable care and alertness when driving vehs in MALAYA. The large amount of pedestrian and cycle traffic, combined with the narrowness of rds and the apparent recklessness of loc dvr's will result in a high accident rate unless great care is ex. The adm work involved in investigating accidents hampers trg. High accident rates with AUST vehs will quickly bring discredit to the Bty among loc inhabitants. For these reasons, accidents resulting from negligence, by dvr's will result in more severe punishment than normal.

28. MALAY Language

Arrangements are being made to continue MALAY language instr as soon as possible for all offrs and selected OR volunteers. Initially instr may have to be at the pte expense of offrs but negotiations are in progress to arrange instr through AAEC. The standard ref will be COOPE's "Guide to MALAY Conversation".

29. Bty Comd Post

HQ Tp Office will incl the Bty Comd Post which in barracks will be est as an Ops Room by the ACPO. The Ops Room will then be available to Tp Comds for briefing of tps on Emergency restrictions and the ops of SF and CT.

30. Swimming Instr

RAF BUTTERWORTH pool will be available for swimming instr and practice for gps of NOT more than 30 pers at times to be notified in ROs. Coord will be effected by ACPO

PROMULGATION

- 31. Tp Comds will ensure that the aim, scope and programme of trg for the current period are promulgated to all ranks.

28 Oct 55

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A Tp
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MASTER TRG PROGRAMM :

Date	HQ Tp	A Tp	B Tp	Remarks
Oct 31		Constr MALAYAN Range	Constr Jungle Lane	
Nov 1		Constr MALAYAN Range	Constr Jungle Lane	To continue until completion before 5 Nov '55
Nov 2	Demo - SF	Demo - SF	Demo - SF	Bty Veh Pk - 0945 hrs
Nov 3	Zeroing		MT Ambush Drills	(a) Camp area (b) HQ, A Tp Comds inspect
Nov 4		MT Drills	Zeroing	
Nov 5				"CT Org and Tac" (Offrs and Sgts)
Nov 7	MT Ambush Drills	Zeroing	MT Ambush Drills	KULIM circuit - B Tp Camp area - HQ Tp
Nov 8		MT Ambush Drills	Zeroing(complete)	KULIM circuit
Nov 9	MT Ambush Drills	Zeroing(complete)		KULIM circuit
Nov 10				Planning and Control of Ops (Offrs and Sgts)

Date	HQ Tp	A Tp	B Tp	Remarks
Nov 11	Zeroing(Complete)	MALAYAN range/jungle lane		
Nov 12				"SB activities" (offrs)
Nov 14		Patrolling(IA drills)		
Nov 15	MALAYAN range/jungle lane		Patrolling(IA drill)	
Nov 16	Patrolling(IA drills)	MALAYAN range/jungle lane		
Nov 17		Patrolling(IA drills)	MALAYAN range/jungle lane	
Nov 18	MALAYAN range/jungle lane		Patrolling (IA drills)	
Nov 19				Final preparation for calibration ex.

- Notes:
- (a) Periods NOT designated will be planned by Tp Comds to conform with requirements of Trg Instr.
 - (b) Separate programmes will be issued for Calibration ex and Practice Camp.