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2/20 Infantry Battalion

January 1941



WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

(Erase heading not required)

Army Form C.2118
(adapted)Unit 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.Date and Time.—From 1 Jan 41To 15 Jan 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATHURST CAMP N.S.W.	1 Jan 41.	0800	Last night the camp was open to tps. so they could fittingly celebrate the New Year. Officers of the Bde. held a most successful dance in Camp. <i>J.L.</i>	
	2 Jan 41.	1900	Training going on without delay. Preparing trench System. (Bde in defence) <i>J.L.</i>	
	3 Jan 41	1800	C.O. and Adj. marched out to a Div. exercise extending until next monday. <i>J.L.</i>	
	6 Jan 41.	1900	The following marched out to Junior Leaders Course NO 5. :: NX30660 L/Sjt. French J.B.R. NX32263 L/Cpl Sherrif D.R. NX46353 Cpl. Williams F.D. NX51514 Pte. Rutherford J.A. The following marched out to No. 4 Course E.C. Sigs:- NX46362 Cpl. Trotter. Marched out to Q Course:- NX34155 L/Cpl Cates W.F.J. <i>J.L.</i>	
			C.O. and Adj. returned from 8 Div. exercise. This exercise proved most valuable and instructive, the Adj. in particular obtaining much very valuable experience. <i>J.L.</i>	C.O. and movement tables attached. <i>J.L.</i>
	8 Jan 41.	1500	Nx 35012 Capt R.J.D. Richardson marched out to Coy. Comd. Course DUNTROON. <i>J.L.</i>	
	9 Jan 41	1800	Advance party moved out on Active Service Leave. <i>J.L.</i>	
	10 Jan 41	2100	NX34155 L/Cpl Cates W.F.J. marched in from Q Course. <i>J.L.</i>	
	13 Jan 41	1000	NX31082 Sjt. Charlton A.L. and NX52556 S/Sjt. Lamb H.B. marched out to Q Course. Main body commenced marching out on Active service Leave. <i>J.L.</i>	
	15 Jan 41	0900	Advance Party returned from Active Service Leave. <i>J.L.</i>	

J.L. Capt
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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WAR DIARY or INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY

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Army Form C.2118
(adapted)

Unit 2/20 Bn A.I.F.

Date and Time.—From 16 Jan 41

To 31 Jan 41.

Place	Date	Hour	Summary of Events and Information	Remarks and references to Appendices, Diaries, &c.
BATHURST CAMP N.S.W.	17 Jan 41	2200	NX31082 Sjt. Charlton A.L. returned from Q Course. NX52556 S/Sjt Lamb H.B. returned from Q Course.	
	21 Jan 41	2330	Unit main body returned from Active Service Leave. Two witness Officers, Lieuts. Owens and Lyons from 8 I.T.B. marched in.	
	26 Jan 41	2109	The following ship's advance party marched out of camp:- NX70193 Capt. J.R. Linscott NX65224 W.O. Blackie J.W., NX50224 Sjt. D. Galton, these were detached for Embarkation Duty.	
	27 Jan 41	0900	Unit's first embarkation warning parade held. NX46362 Cpl. Trotter returned from E.C. Sigs School.	
	29 Jan 41	2000	NX35012 Capt. R.J.D. Richardson returned from Coy. Comd. Course. The following were detached for Embarkation Duties:- NX26449 Sjt. Smith, NX51413 Cpl. Thompson D.F., NX 34245 Cpl. Murray D.C., NX59506 Pte. Smith E.I.W., NX33607 Hurley J., NX45677 Pte Barber J.L., NX45897 Pte. Tracey C.H., NX45386 Pte Webber M.F., NX26582 Pte. Beasley R.L., NX20486 Pte Nash W.J.R., NX26087 Pte Parker W.G. NX32675 Pte. Boon J.R. NX45567 Harrison J.D. The following returned from Junior Leaders Course:- NX30060 L/Sjt French J.B.R., NX32263 L/Cpl. Sherriff, NX46353 Sjt. Williams F.D. NX51514 Sjt. Rutherford J.A.	
	30 Jan 41	0900	Lieut. Booth of 2/30 Bn marched in for experience in pre-embarkation preparations. Training is still being carried on, but is now giving place to administration. Preparation of Embarkation Rolls, completion of medical history, and return of training stores and packing of War stores are the most pressing matters. Everything is moving most smoothly and the lack of excitement and tension generally expected is very noticeable in all ranks.	
	31 Jan 41	2100	Packing up of war stores & baggage completed & last load sent to ship.	

J. Lowe
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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AUSTRALIAN IMPERIAL FORCES.

ROUTINE ORDERS

by

Lt.-Col. W.D. Jeater,
Comd. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST.
1 Jan. '41.

PART 1

NO.1

1. DUTIES:

Duty Bn. 2 Jan. '41..... 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field Officer..... Capt. R.D.J. Richardson.

Duty Coy..... "A" Coy.
Next for duty..... "B" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer..... Lieut. H.W. Porter.
Next for duty..... Lieut. J.S. Brooks.
Bn. Orderly Sjt..... Sjt. Smith. S.
Next for duty..... Sjt. Rowe. J.C.
Bn. Orderly Cpl..... L/Cpl. Barker. R.W.
Next for duty..... L/Cpl. Webster. H.B.

(Sgd.) J.M. Lowe, Capt.,
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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ROUTINE ORDERS

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BATHURST
2 Jan. '41

PART 1. NO. 2.

1. DUTIES

Duty Coy.	"B" Coy.
Next for Duty	"C" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer	Lieut. J.S. Brooks
Next for Duty	Lieut. A.J. Betteridge
Bn. Orderly Serjeant	Sjt. Rowe, J.C.
Next for Duty	Sjt. Woods, H.A.
Bn. Orderly Corporal	L/Cpl. Webster, H.B.
Next for Duty	L/Cpl. Berthold, H.C.M.

2. MEAT HOUSE REFRIGERATORS.

It has been reported that refrigeration machinery room of meat houses have been forcibly entered and plant interfered with. Any person (except technical personnel who will have authority to enter the machine rooms) making an authorised entry or interfering in any way with the apparatus will be liable to severe penalty. It will be the duty of the Bn. Orderly Officer to inspect the meat houses nightly.

3. TATTOO ROLL CALL.

Tattoo Roll Calls will be 'phoned to Field Officer at Bde. H.Q. telephone extension 1, only.

Sgd. J.M. LOWE, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICE

CRICKET MATCH -- BATHURST CAMP V. BATHURST LOCAL TEAM.

An All day cricket match has been arranged for Sunday next 5 Jan. '41 between teams representing the 22 Inf. Bde. and a team of Bathurst cricketers. The match will be played on Bathurst Sports Ground and will commence at 1030 hrs. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F. representatives are Sjts. Cornforth, R.G.W. and Martin, R.A. General leave will be granted immediately after Church Parade and it is anticipated that a large number of members of the Bn. will witness the match.

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Comd. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST
3 Jan. '41

PART 1. NO. 5

1. DUTIES

Duty Bn. 5 Jan. '41	2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field Officer "	Capt. J.R. Linscott
	"C" Coy.
Next for Duty 4 Jan. '41	"D" Coy.
" 5 Jan. '41	"A" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer	Lieut. A.J. Betteridge
Next for Duty 4 Jan. '41	Lieut. A.H. White
" 5 Jan. '41	Lieut. A.I. Yates
Bn. Orderly Sgt.	Sgt. Woods, H.A.
Next for Duty 4 Jan. '41	Sgt. Chapman, M.B.
" 5 Jan. '41	Sgt. Tipping, B.G.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.	L/Cpl. Joseph, L.
Next for Duty 4 Jan. '41	Cpl. Meagher, B.C.
" 5 Jan. '41	L/Cpl. Jarrett, G.H.

Sgd. E.M. LOWE, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICE

MISSING RIFLES.

Coys, are instructed to furnish a report by 1000 hrs. 4 Jan. '41 as to whether or not the following rifles are in the possession of the Coy.

Rifle No. 130466	Bolt No. 27429
" 130417	" 25755

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BATHURST
4 Jan. 41

PART I

NO. 4

1. DUTIES.

Duty Bn. 5 Jan. '41 2/20 Bn. AIF
Field Officer Capt. J.R. Linscott

Duty Coy.	"D" Coy.
Next for Duty	"A" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer	Lieut. A.H. White
Next for Duty	Lieut. A.I. Yates
Bn. Orderly Sgt.	Sgt. Chapman, M.B.
Next for Duty	Sgt. Tibbing
Bn. Orderly Cpl.	Cpl. Meagher, B.C.
Next for Duty	L/Cpl. Jarrott, G.H.

2. CHURCH PARADE.

C. of E. and other Protestant denominations 0930 hrs, at
2/19 Bn. Parade Ground
2/20 Bn. Pde. at 0850 hrs.
R.C. Church Parade C.U.S.A. Hut 0930 hrs.

Sgd. J.M. LOWE, Capt.
Adjut. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICE

CHURCH PARADES.

R.C. Mass 0700 hrs. Under trees, 2/19 Bn. Parade Ground.

(C O P Y)

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Comd 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST
5 Jan. '41

PART 1. NO. 5.

1. DUTIES

Duty Coy.
Next for Duty
Bn. Orderly Officer
Next for Duty
Bn. Orderly Sgt.
Next for Duty
Bn. Orderly Cpl.
Next for Duty

"A" Coy.
"B" Coy.
Lieut. A.I. Yates
Lieut. R.V. Pockley
Sgt. ~~zRoxzxxzxx~~ Tipping, B.G.
Sgt. Rowe, J.C.
L/ Cpl. Jarrett, G.H.
L/ Cpl. McNeil, A.

2 BN. ORDERLY ROOM.

Attention of all personnel is again drawn to the fact that admission to Bn. Orderly Room is granted for transaction of official business ONLY.

3. ARMY MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Personnel are again advised that a list of ~~Army~~ Area Medical Officers is posted in Coy. Orderly Rooms, and troops should at once acquaint themselves with the name of the medical Officer of their home town. Troops are to be advised that if taken ill on leave, only the certificates of the Area Medical Officer will be accepted by the Unit.

SGD. J.M. LOWE, Capt.
Adjt, 2/20 Bn. AIF

N O T I C E

FOUND. Gents Signet Ring. Owner may have on describing at Bn. H.Q.

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PART 1.

NO. 6.

BATHURST,
6 Jan. '41.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Coy.....	"B" Coy.
Next for duty.....	"C" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer.....	Lieut. R.V. Pockley.
Next for duty.....	Lieut. C.C. Gibbings.
Bn. Orderly Sjt.....	Sjt. Rowe. J.C.
Next for duty.....	Sjt. Mudie. J.V.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.....	L/Cpl. McNeill. A.
Next for duty.....	Cpl. Puddephat. J.J.

2. PERSONNEL FROM HOSPITAL, C.D.S. ETC.

All personnel are reminded that on being discharged from C.D.S. or Hospital and on their return to their Unit, they will at first report to Bn. HQ and then to R.M.O. at the next Sick Parade. Also personnel returning from being sick at home.

(Sgd.)

(J.M. Lowe), Capt.,
Adjt. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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Commanding 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST.
7 Jan., '41.

1. DUTIES:-

PART 1.

No. 7.

Duty Bn., 8 Jan., '41
Field Officer

2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Capt. W. A. Carter

Duty Coy.
Next for Duty

"C" Coy.
"D" Coy.

Bn. Orderly Officer
Next for Duty
Bn. Orderly Sjt.
Next for Duty
Bn. Orderly Cpl.
Next for Duty

Lieut. C. C. Gibbings.
Lieut. B. D. Richardson.
Sjt. Speers, D.
Sjt. Gray, G.
Cpl. Puddephat, J. J.
Cpl. Stewart, H. T.

(Sgd.) J. M. LOWE, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

INTER-COY. TRANSFERS.

NX 46215 A/Sjt. Rowe, J. C., from "B" Coy. to "A" Coy.
26769 A/Sjt. Armour, R. A., from "A" Coy. to "B" Coy.
25563 A/Sjt. Lothian, W. A., from "B" Coy. to "C" Coy.
33557 A/Sjt. Frazer, J. R., from "A" Coy. to "C" Coy.
59135 A/Sjt. Stanistreet, R. W., from "A" Coy. to "C" Coy.
56116 A/Sjt. Woods, H. A., from "C" Coy. to "D" Coy.
45443 A/Sjt. Steinbeck, W. J., from "D" Coy. to "HQ" Coy.
57289 Pte. Kelly, R. J., from "A" Coy. to "HQ" Coy. (Tech. S.)
55165 Pte. Steele, J. A., from "A" Coy. to "HQ" Coy. (M.)
55082 Pte. Cleary, J. E., from "A" Coy. to "HQ" Coy. (M.)
55117 Pte. Price, C. T., from "A" Coy. to "HQ" Coy. (M.)
19802 Pte. Measom, C. F., from "A" Coy. to "B" Coy.
33402 Pte. Rodgers, C., from "C" Coy. to Bn. H. Q. (P.)

REVERSIONS.

NX 46354 A/S/Sjt. Vincent, C. D., reverts to A/Sjt. at own request
from 3 Jan., '41.
45443 A/S/Sjt. Steinbeck, W. J., reverts to A/Sjt. at own
request from 3 Jan., '41.

(SEE OVER)

EXTRACTS FROM CASUALTY RETURNS.

PROMOTIONS AND APPOINTMENTS.

NX 60320	Pte.	Eddison, J.O.	to A/L/Cpl.	from 3 Jan., '41.	
31253	"	Gilmore, S.L.	to A/L/Cpl.	"	"
45391	"	Yeatman, E.A.	to A/L/Cpl.	"	"
34269	"	Miller, R.R.	to A/L/Cpl.	"	"
27779	"	Chapman, A.W.	to A/L/Cpl.	"	"
45376	"	Ballantyne, A.	to A/L/Cpl.	"	"
51514	"	Rutherford, J.A.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
20081	"	Moore, J.W.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
31312	"	McCoy, J.B.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
51413	"	Thompson, D.S.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
45796	"	Stuart-Smith, B.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
45749	"	Asher, K.C.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
27620	"	Wardrope, G.A.C.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
50528	"	Gurton, C.W.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
52556	"	Lamb, H.B.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
56091	"	Rodgers, J.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
19774	"	Judd, G.L.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
56777	"	Ellery, F.J.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
34155	A/L/Cpl.	Cates, W.F.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
45369	"	Abbott, L.D.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
28343	"	Madden, T.W.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
28141	"	Barker, R.W.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
57412	"	Lee, T.W.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
31615	"	Wood, W.W.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
45814	"	Salter, J.D.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
51307	"	Carter, A.W.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
32263	"	Sherriff, D.R.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
50774	"	Stuart, J.L.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
54838	"	Jarrett, G.H.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
35505	"	Webster, H.B.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
46361	Pte.	Innes, J.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
52105	"	Roberts, B.J.P.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
19884	"	Stewart, A.	to A/Cpl.	"	"
46353	A/Cpl.	Williams, F.D.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
50756	A/Cpl.	Farmer, H.R.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
20593	"	Smith, J.B.I.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
59143	"	Ewing, C.G.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
46238	"	Windeyer, E.W.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
51514	"	Rutherford, J.A.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
52556	"	Lamb, H.B.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
33557	A/L/Sjt.	Frazer, J.R.	to A/Sjt.	"	(A/C.Q.M.S.)
25241	"	Speers, D.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
26120	"	Marshall, W.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
30660	"	French, J.B.R.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
35563	"	Lothian, W.A.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
35503	A/Cpl.	Webster, H.B.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
34155	"	Cates, W.F.	to A/Sjt.	"	"
52556	A/Sjt.	Lamb, H.B.	to A/S/Sjt.	C.Q.M.S. from 3 Jan., '41.	
34155	"	Cates, W.F.	to A/S/Sjt.	C.Q.M.S. from 3 Jan., '41.	

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by

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PART 1.

NO. 8.

BATHURST.
8 Jan. '41.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Coy.....	"D" Coy.
Next for duty.....	"A" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer.....	Lieut. B.D. Richardson.
Next for duty.....	Lieut. W.J. Richardson.
Bn. Orderly Sgt.....	Sgt. Gray. G.
Next for duty.....	Sgt. Armour. R.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.....	Cpl. Stewart. H.T.
Next for duty.....	Cpl. Abbott. L.D.

2. PERSONNEL PROCEEDING TO DENTAL CLINIC:

Personnel proceeding to Dental Parades etc. will not cross through the vehicle park of the 2/10 Fd. Amb., but will use the main road.

3. SECURITY OF INFORMATION:

The following extract from Military Security Regulations will be read immediately to all ranks:

"Every member of the A.I.F. is forbidden to communicate with any person otherwise than in the course of his official duty any information under the following headings:

- (a) Location, movement or projected movement of any naval, military or air force unit or detachment, including the movement of reinforcements.
- (b) Distinguishing signs used for the identification of units, their transport or baggage.
- (c) To communicate with the press or broadcasting stations except through unit H.Q.
- (d) To answer advertisements or letters or letters in any publication inviting correspondence with strangers, or to enter into correspondence with any stranger in response to such advertisement or invitation.

All ranks will be warned not to allow themselves to be drawn out by such remarks as:

"But everybody is talking about it."

"There is a rumour going around that....."

and other similar expressions tending to break down the soldier's reticence.

(Sgd.) E.M. Lowe, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

N O T I C E S.

Salvation Army Hut:

Wednesday, 8 Jan. '41. "Thoroughbreds Don't Cry" and Shorts.

Thursday, 9 Jan. '41. "The last Gangster" and Shorts.

Friday, 10 Jan. '41. Ping Pong. Bn. Competition.

Saturday, 11 Jan. '41. 2GZ (Orange) Broadcast.

On New Year's Eve at the Salvation Army Hut, Capt. C. Pickford of Bde. HQ collected and Officer's cap belonging to some other Officer and lost his own cap. Obviously the caps have been inadvertently exchanged and it is requested that the other Officers concerned contact Capt. Pickford.

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PART 1.

NO. 9.

BATHURST.
9 Jan. 41.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Coy..... "A" Coy.
Next for duty..... "B" Coy.

Bn. Orderly Officer..... Lieut. W.J. Richardson.
Next for duty..... Lieut. A.G. Davies.
Bn. Orderly Sjt..... Sjt. Armour. R.A.
Next for duty..... Sjt. McClure-Brown. S.
Bn. Orderly Cpl..... Cpl. Abbott. L.D.
Next for duty..... Cpl. Love. A.I.

2. COURT OF INQUIRY INTO DISCREPANCIES IN WAR EQUIPMENT
AND TRAINING EQUIPMENT.

A Court to **inquire into discrepancies** in W/E and T/E
will assemble at a time and place to be appointed by
the President, and will be constituted as follows:

Major A.E. Robertson.	President.
Capt. R.H. Cohen.	Member.
Capt. W.A. Carter.	Member.

(Sgd.) J.M. Lowe, Capt.,
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES.

LOST: Roll of notes between Pay Sjts. office and Bn. HQ approx.
2000 hrs. to-day. Soldiers Pay (including subsistence for
leave) Reward.

FOUND: Handed in at Bn. HQ a leather money belt containing money.
Owner may have by describing belt and declaring amount in
belt.

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PART 1.

NO. 10.

BATHURST.
10 Jan. '41.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Bn. as from Retreat 11 Jan. '41..... 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field Officer..... Capt. C.J.A. Moses.

Duty Coy..... "B" Coy.
Next for duty..... "C" Coy.

Bn. Orderly Officer..... Lieut. A.G. Davies.
Next for duty Lieut. D.C. MacDougall.
Bn. Orderly Sjt..... Sjt. McClure-Brown. S.
Next for duty..... Sjt. Ramsbotham. F.
Bn. Orderly Cpl..... Cpl. Love. A.I.
Next for duty..... Cpl. Lewis. C.

(Sgd.) J.M. Lowe, Capt.,
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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BATHURST.
11 Jan. '41.

PART I.

NO. II.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Coy.....	"C" Coy.
Next for duty.....	"D" Coy.
Next for duty.....	"A" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer.....	Lieut. D.C. MacDougall.
Next for duty, 12 Jan. '41.	Lieut. F. Gaven.
Next for duty, 13 Jan. '41.	Lieut. A.H. White.
Bn. Orderly Sjt.....	Sjt. Ramsbotham. F.
Next for duty, 12 Jan. '41.	Sjt. Farmer. H.R.
Next for duty, 13 Jan. '41.	Sjt. Smith. S.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.....	Cpl. Lewis. C.
Next for duty, 12 Jan. '41.	Cpl. Rodgers. J.
Next for duty, 13 Jan. '41.	Cpl. Quirk. W.A.

2. CHURCH PARADES:

C of E. and other Denominations- 0945 hrs. Bn. Pde. Ground.
Markers report 0930 hrs.

R.C. H.C. C.U.S.A. Hut 0700 hrs. and 0930 hrs.

(Sgd.) J.M. Lowe, Capt.,
Adjt. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

N O T I C E S.

C. of E. Communion Service at Camp Post Office at 0700 hrs.

Masses will be celebrated to-morrow, Sunday, 12 Jan. '41 in
C.U.S.A. Hut at 0700 hrs. and 0930 hrs.

The Bathurst Branch of the Buffalo Lodge will meet at
2.30 p.m. on Sunday, 12 Jan. '41, at the Bathurst Hall, Keppel
Street, Bathurst, and all members on leave from the camp are
invited to be present.

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ROUTINE ORDERS
by

Lt. Col. W.D. Jeater
Commanding 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST
12 Jan. '41

PART 1.

NO. 12.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Coy..... "D" Coy.
Next for Duty..... "A" Coy.

Next for Duty
STT SMITHS.
Bn. Orderly Officer..... Lieut. F. Gaven
Next for Duty..... Lieut. B.D. Richardson
Bn. Orderly Sjt..... Sjt. Farmer H.R.
Bn. Orderly Cpl..... Cpl. Rodgers J.
Next for duty..... Cpl. Quirk W.A.

2. LEAVE TRAINS.

The undermentioned will perform duties as O/C Trains and Troops on the serials shown:-

No. 4 Serial Train	O/C Train Major R.O. Merrett
	O/C Troops Capt. C.J.A. Moses
No. 8 Serial Train	O/C Troops Capt. J.S. Fairley

J.M. Lowe Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

INTER-COY TRANSFERS.

30091	Pte. Ryan C.	"D" Coy.	to H.Q. Coy.	"Carriers"
52496	" Ferris J.D.	"	"	"
50408	" Hyde A.H.	"	"	"Signal"
55145	" Hensby H.	H.Q. Coy.	to "D" Coy.	
45738	" Grundie A.J.	H.Q. Coy.	to "A" Coy.	
45447	" Stuart J.R.	"C" Coy.	to "Bn. H.Q."	
45885	" Thoroughgood H.J.	"Bn. H.Q."	to "A" Coy.	Reinforcements
55017	" Mansfield F.A.	"Bn. H.Q."	to "D" Coy.	Reinforcements
50673	" Craven E.	"B" Coy.	to "H.Q." Coy.	Transport
45628	" Schubert C.A.	"B" Coy.	to "H.Q." Coy.	Pioneers
45248	" Schubert A.G.	"B" Coy.	to "H.Q." Coy.	Pioneers
30123	" Buckley L.F.	"B" Coy.	to "C" Coy.	
53383	" Marsh J.C.	"Bn. H.Q."	to "D" Coy.	
55430	" Harding G.N.	"Bn. H.Q."	to "C" Coy.	
51744	" Christian J.	"H.Q." Coy.	to "D" Coy.	Reinforcements
33599	L/Cpl. Josephs L.	"C" Coy.	reverted at own request	to Ranks
55137	Pte. Hearle K.G.	"C" Coy.	to "H.Q." Coy.	"Motors"
27331	" MacDonald R.C.	"C" Coy.	(Reinf.) to "A" Coy.	Reinforcements

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PART 1.

NO.13.

1. DUTIES.

- (a) Duty.Bn.as from Retreat 14th.Jan.41,2/20 Bn.A.I.F.
Field Officer Capt.J.R.Linstock
Duty Company "A" Coy.
Next for Duty "B" Coy.
Bn.Orderly Officer Lieut.E.D.Richardson
Next for Duty Lieut.J.Hepburn
Bn.Orderly Sjt. Sjt.Smith S.
Next for Duty Sjt.Windeyer E.W.
Bn.Orderly Corporal Cpl.Quirk W.A.
Next for Duty Cpl.Love A.I.
- (b) Camp Workshops Picquet- From 23.00 hrs.on 14 Jan.1941
2/20 Bn.will be responsible for the picqueting of the
Camp Workshops until 23.00 hrs.on 21 Jan.1941

2. MEDICAL.

While personnel are on leave,the R.A.P. for the 22 Inf.
Bde.will be at 2/10 Fd.Ambulance.Parade times,07.00 hrs.
and 16.30 hrs.daily,

J.R.Lowe Capt.
Adjt.2/20 Bn.A.I.F.

EXTRACTS FROM CASUALTY RETURN.

Inter-Coy.Transfer- NX 46079 Pte.Klaus J. from "D" Coy.to Bn.H.Q.

REVERSION. NX 45419 L/Cpl.Williams T.M."C" Coy.Reverted to Pte.at
own request,

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BATHURST.
14 Jan., '41.

1. DUTIES :

PART 1. No. 14.

Duty Coy.	"B" Coy.
Next for Duty	"C" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer	Lieut. J. Hepburn.
Next for Duty	Lieut. J.S. Brooks.
Bn. Orderly Sgt.	Sgt. Windoyer, E.W.
Next for Duty	Sgt. Spoers, D.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.	Cpl. Love, A.I.
Next for Duty	Cpl. Ashor, K.C.

(SGD.) J.M. LOWE, Capt.
Adjut. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

INTER-COY. TRANSFERS.

NX 57011 Pte. Kelly, L.J., transferred from "HQ" (T) to "A" Coy. (Reinf.)

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BATHURST.
22 Jan. '41

PART.1.

No.15.

1.DUTIES:-

Duty Bn.....23 Jan. '41.....2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field Officer Capt. W.A. Carter.

Duty Coy "D" Coy.
Next for Duty "A" Coy.

Bn. Orderly Officer Lieut. A.J. Betteridge.
Next for Duty Lieut. B.D. Richardson.

Bn. Orderly Sjt. Sjt. Farmer. H.R.
Next for Duty Sjt. Rutherford. J.A.

Bn. Orderly Cpl. Cpl. Rodgers. J.
Next for Duty Cpl. Moore. J.M.

2.SPEED of VEHICLES - LIME KILN ROAD.

All M.T. Drivers are warned that while travelling the
Lime Kiln Road, the speed limits will not be exceeded.

(Sgd.) J.M. LOWE, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES.

LOST.

- 1 Eversharp Pencil, engraved H.J. Daley. Lost or Taken from Bn. Orderly Room.
- A Pack and Greatcoat belonging to NX32742 Pte TOOME. M.J. 2/19 Bn. A.I.F. Was left in Train on Tuesday night.
- 1 Onoto Fountain Pen. Lost between "A" Coy lines and Bn. H.Q.
- One Chrome Watch and Strap on Troop Train ex Central 1925 hrs 21 Jan. 41. Marked on back with the following particulars "NX29347. H.V.T."

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BATHURST.
22 Jan. '41

PART.1.

No. 16.

1. DUTIES:-

Duty Bn.....23 Jan. '41.....2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field Officer Capt. W.A. Carter.

Duty Coy "D" Coy.
Next for Duty "A" Coy.

Bn. Orderly Officer Lieut. A.J. Betteridge.
Next for Duty Lieut. D.D. Richardson.

Bn. Orderly Sjt. Sjt. Farmer. H.R.
Next for Duty Sjt. Rutherford. J..

Bn. Orderly Cpl. Cpl. Rodgers. J.
Next for Duty Cpl. Moore. J..

2. SPEED of VEHICLES - LINE KILN ROAD.

All M.T. Drivers are warned that while travelling the
Line Kiln Road, the speed limits will not be exceeded.

(Sgd.) J.L. LOWE, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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ROUTINE ORDERS.

by

Lt.-Col. D. J. J. J. J.
Commanding 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST.
23 Jan. '41.

PART 1.

No. 17.

1. DUTIES:-

Duty Coy
Next for Duty

"A" Coy.
"B" Coy.

En Orderly Officer
Next for Duty

Lieut B.D. Richardson.
Lieut. J.V. Mudie.

En Orderly Sgt.
Next for Duty

Sgt Rowe. J.C.
Sgt Homer. R.

En Orderly Cpl.
Next for Duty

Cpl Moore. J.
Cpl Thompson. D.S.

2. APPROACH to HOSPITAL AREA:-

Troops are not to enter the area occupied
by 2/10 Fd Amb. except by the main road entrance, unless they
are moving as a formed body in charge of an Officer.

3. CHURCH PARADES:-

United Church Service will be held -
Unit Lines at 0900 hrs Sunday 23 Jan. '41.

(Sgd) J.A. LOWE, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES

The Australian National Services League, Dalton House, 115 Pitt Street, Sydney, has offered to make available the services of well-known professional and business-men, to assist soldiers of all ranks - the A.I.F. Camps in their business affairs (Members consisting of Solicitors, Accountants, Estate Agents, Engineers and other Commercial men)

Application for any assistance should be made - Writing, setting out briefly the nature of the matter upon which help is desired and should be lodged with the Adj..

The services rendered by the League are free of charge.

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Commanding 2/20 Battalion A.I.F.

BATHURST
24 Jan. '41

1. DUTIES:-

PART.1.

NO.12.

Duty Coy.
Next for Duty 25 Jan.
Next for Duty 26 Jan.

"B" Coy.
"C" Coy.
"D" Coy.

Bn. Orderly Officer
Next for Duty 25 Jan.
Next for Duty 26 Jan.

Lieut.J.V.Mudie.
Lieut.W.J.Richardson.
Lieut.G.M.Maxwell.

Bn Orderly Sjt.
Next for Duty 25 Jan.
Next for Duty 26 Jan.

Sjt.Homer.R.
Sjt.Stanistreet.R.W.
Sjt.Gray.G.

Bn Orderly Cpl.
Next for Duty 25 Jan.
Next for Duty 26 Jan.

Cpl.Thompson.D.S.
Cpl.Spurway.S.
Cpl.Lee.T.M.

2. ALLOTMENTS:-

Under no circumstances can new allotments be made, or
can allotments be altered, after Sunday next 26 Jan. '41.

3. USE OF OFFICIAL TELEPHONES:-

Any Official Calls put through, to or
from Bn O/R phone must be done so quickly, and conversat-
-sations reduced to the absolute minimum period necessary.

Where practicable runners MUST be used to reduce
use of phone.

Personnel using phone must not leave receiver off
whilst retaining information, but ring back later.

4. COMFORTS:-

Receipt of the undermentioned goods from the Lord Mayor's
Patriotic & War Fund is to-day advised and acknowledged:-

237 prs Socks.
278 prs Underpants.
254 pkts Razor Blades.

5. LOSSES:-

NX20022 Pte Flanagan.B.J.P. reports the loss of Pack
containing blanket, greatcoat and towel. Companies will
check for these articles on kit inspection.

(Sgd.) J.M.LOWE. Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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Commanding 2/20 Battalion A.I.F.

BATHURST
25 Jan. '41

PART.1.

NO.19.

1. DUTIES:-

Duty Battalion 26 Jan. '41	2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field Officer	Capt. W. A. Carter
Duty Company	"C" Company
Next for duty	"D" Company
Bn. Orderly Officer	Lt. W. J. Richardson
Next for duty	Lt. G. M. Maxwell
Bn. Orderly Sjt.	Sgt. Stanistreet R.W.
Next for duty	Sgt. Gray G.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.	Cpl. Spurway R.
Next for duty	Cpl. Lee T.M.

2 LATRINES:-

Attention is drawn to the necessity of thorough use of saw dust in latrines.

Companies must ensure that latrines in thier areas are inspected periodically during the day to see they are in order.

Troops must be instructed in the urgency of this matter.

3
SALUTING:-

E.C.R.O. Pt.1 No.3 draws attention to all ranks to A.M.R.&O. 1164 and 1165.

All ranks are instructed to observe the regulations and procedure regarding saluting, with the utmost care.

CHURCH NOTICES.

United Church Service Protestant Denominations-
Unit Lines 0900 hrs. Sunday 26 Jan. '41.

R.C. Masses will be celebrated in C.U.S.A. Hut on
Sunday 26 Jan. 41 at 0700 hrs. and at 0930 hrs.

J.M. Lowe Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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BATHURST
26 Jan. '41

PART.1.

No.20.

1 DUTIES:

Duty Company
Next for duty
Bn. Orderly Officer
Next for duty
Bn. Orderly Sgt.
Next for duty
Bn. Orderly Corporal
Next for duty

"D" Coy.
"A" Coy.
Lieut. G. L. Maxwell
Lieut. B. G. Tipping
Sjt. Gray G.
Sjt. Vincent E.D.
Cpl. Lee T.
Cpl. Jarrett G.H.

J. L. Lowe Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn.A.I.F.

NOTICE.

Lost.

NX 55194 Pte. Forbes F. reports the loss of a camera, Vollaenda 620, and case F45.
The camera was left in train from Sydney arriving at Bathurst at 0300 hrs. on Wednesday, 22 Jan. '41.
The carriage in which it was left contained troops for Bathurst camp. Finder will report to Bn.H.Q.

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Part 1. No. 21.

Bathurst.
27 Jan. '41.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Coy.....	"A" Coy.
Next for duty.....	"B" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer.....	Lieut. B.G. Tipping.
Next for duty.....	Lieut. J.S. Brooks.
Bn. Orderly Sjt.....	Sjt. Vincent. E.D.
Next for duty.....	Sjt. Robinson. W.G.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.....	Cpl. Jarrett. G.H.
Next for duty.....	Cpl. McCauley L.

2. OFFICIAL TELEPHONE:

ON NO ACCOUNT WILL ANY PRIVATE PHONE CALLS WHATSOEVER
BE MADE ON EITHER OF BN. OFFICIAL PHONES. DISCIPLINARY
ACTION WILL BE IMMEDIATELY TAKEN AGAINST ANYONE
DISOBEYING THIS INSTRUCTION.

Sgd. J.M. Lowe, Capt.,
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICES.

LOST: Double breasted Officers greatcoat, 8 Div.
Sigs. colour patches, Cpts. Rank, Leather
gloves in pocket.
If found please return at once to Bn. HQ.

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Comd. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST
28 Jan. '41.

PART 1. NO. 22.

1. DUTIES

Duty Bn. 29 Jan '41 --- 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field Officer Capt. C.J.A. Moses

Duty Coy.	"B" Coy.
Next for Duty	"C" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer	Lieut. J.S. Brooks
Next for Duty	Lieut. C.C. Gibbings
Bn. Orderly Sgt.	Sgt. Robinson, W.G.
Next for Duty	Sgt. Marshall, W.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.	Cpl. McCauley, L.
Next for Duty	Cpl. Wardrope, G.A.C.

Sgd. J.M. LOWE, Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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Routine orders

by

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Comd. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

BATHURST
29 Jan. '41

PART 1. NO. 23

I DUTIES.

Duty Coy.	"C" Coy.
Next for Duty	"D" Coy.
Bn. Orderly Officer	Lieut. C.C. Gibbings
Next for Duty	Lieut. F. Gaven
Bn. Orderly Sgt.	Sgt. Marshall, W.
Next for Duty	Sgt. Woods, H.A.
Bn. Orderly Cpl.	Cpl. Wardrop, S.A.
Next for Duty	Cpl. Meagher, B.J.

2 PAY BOOKS.

No cheques will on any account be accepted for Credit in pay books of members of this unit.

Sgd. J.M. LOWE Capt.
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

NOTICE

FOUND.

Kit bag containing overcoat. Overcoat branded
NX 21490 Dr. J.L. Newlands. Owner or anyone knowing
owner report to Bn. H.Q.

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Bathurst.
30 Jan. '41.

Part 1.

No. 24.

1. DUTIES:

Duty Coy..... 'D' Coy.
Next for duty..... 'A' Coy.

Bn. Orderly Officer..... Lieut. F. Gaven.
Next for duty..... Lieut. A.H. MacLean.
Bn. Orderly Sjt..... Sjt. Woods. H.A.
Next for duty..... Sjt. Rowe. J.C.
Bn. Orderly Cpl..... Cpl. Neagher. B.C.
Next for Duty..... Cpl. Barker. R.W.

2. LEAVE:

Leave will only be granted to personnel from 1630 hrs.
to 2215 hrs. daily and then only to personnel not
required for medical or dental treatment or other duties.
All personnel must be in Camp by 2215 hrs. daily.

(Sgd.) J.M. Lowe, Capt.,
Adj. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.

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.....*J. M. L. Blair*.....
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Bathurst.

Part. 1. No. 25

31. 1. 41

1. Duties:

Duty Bn	1 Feb '41 - 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.
Field officer	Capt. R. J. D. Richardson.
Duty Coy	"A" Coy.
Work for duty	"B" Coy.
Bn. O/officer	Lieut. R. H. McLean
Work for duty	Lieut. R. V. Pockley.
Bn. O/cpt.	Lt. Rowe. J. C.
Work for duty	Sgt. McClure Brown. S.
Bn. O/cpl.	Cpl. Abbott R.
Work for duty	Cpl. Lewis. H.

J. M. L. Blair Capt.

Regt. 2/20 Bn. A.I.F.



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"PRO-FORMA" - A mendment to A.F. W.3009.

27 Jan 41

Part A.

1	2	3	4	5	6
Detail	War Estab- lishment	Posted Strength Ex- cluding Attached	Surplus	Deficiency	Remarks
W.O. Class 1.	1	1			
W.O. Class 11.	6	6			
S. or C.Q.M.S.	7	6		1	
S/Sjts.	-	.			
Sjts.	32	28		4	
Cpls.	61	55		6	
Group 1 Spec- ialists	2	2			
" 2 "	48	15		33	
" 3 "	29	5		24	
Tprs.Ptes.Etc	741	826	85		
TOTALS	927	944	X 85	X 68	

X To agree with Part D on page 2.

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Rt Col	NY	W D Foster	2/20 Bn	yes	
Major	34992	AS Robertson	"	"	
"	34912	RO Merritt	"	"	
Capt.	35002	J M Rowe	"	"	
"	35117	F A Manning	"	"	
"	35020	J K Linscott	"	"	
"	70193	J E Gurney	"	"	
"	34719	ALM Ewart	"	"	
"	498	R H Cohen	"	no	AS Leave
"	499	W A Carter	"	yes	
"	34852	B J D Richardson	"	"	
"	35012	C J A Moses	"	"	
Lieut.	12404	E W Gaden	"	"	
"	12143	J Hephurn	"	"	
"	35007	A J Bellbridge	"	"	
"	70256	K V Rockley	"	"	
"	70275	K W Hulton	"	"	
"	35003	ALY Davies	"	"	
"	12571	F I G Rusk	"	"	
"	70260	N W Porter	"	"	
"	12556	B D Richardson	"	"	
"	35013	A I Yates	"	"	
"	35004	DC Mac Dougal	"	"	
"	12587	G R Maxwell	"	"	
"	35016	D F Thompson	"	no	AS Leave
"	34958	A H W Pite	"	yes	
"	35100	J B Brooks	"	"	
"	34659	J T Read	"	"	
"	34867	CO G Gibbons	"	"	
"	34860	F Gaven	"	"	
"	34885	W J Richardson	"	"	
"	35011				

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt.	34701	R R Jeffery	47 MC	6.8.40	R.M.O.
Police	35108	C G Robertson	22 Inf Bde.	16.9.40	chaplain
			192 Cl. 1		

2/20 Bn 17.1.41

(Unit.)

6 Jan 41

(Date of Despatch.)

W D Foster for Rt Col

(Signature of Commander.)

22 Inf Bde. Bakers.

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

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS*2/20 Bn A.I.F* (Unit)**PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.**

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels ...	1		
Majors ...	2		
Captains ...	9		
Lieutenants ...	19		
2nd Lieutenants ...			
Quartermasters ...			
TOTALS ...	31		

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.**Officers JOINED during week.**

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known)

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Unit.

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(page 2)**Part D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009.**

DETAIL OF SPECIALISTS, TRADESMEN, ETC.	SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT.								REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.						REMARKS.	
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.	TOTAL.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		TOTAL.
Bricklayers																
Butchers																
Carpenters and Joiners																
Clerks																
Despatch Riders																
Draughtsmen (topo)																
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																
Electricians																
Farriers																
Fitters																
Masons																
Painters and Decorators																
Plumbers and Gasfitters																
Saddlers and Harness Makers																
Signallers																
Storemen technical																
Vickers Machine Gunners																
Cooks																
General duty personnel														95	95	
TOTALS (to agree with Columns 3 and 4 of Part A.)														95	95	

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Unit.

Date of Despatch

6 Jan. '41

J. Lowe Major R.A.C.

Signature of Commander.

22 Coy Bde Balkrish

Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving

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Part A.

1	2	3	4	5	6
Detail	War Estab- lishment	Posted Strength Ex- cluding Attached	Surplus	Deficiency	Remarks
W.O. Class 1.	/	/			
W.O. Class 11.	6	/		5	
S. or C.Q.M.S.	5	5			
S/Sjts.					
Sjts.	34	25		9	
Cpls.	61	47		14	
Group 1 Spec- ialists	2	2			
" 2 "	49	16		33	
" 3 "	29	5		24	
Tprs.Ptes.Etc	710	730		10	
TOTALS	927	832	X	X 95	

X To agree with Part D on page 2.



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(To be furnished by all units and all Headquarter units.)

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			
W.Os. Class II.			
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants			
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants			
Corporals			
Troopers, Privates, &c.			
TOTALS			

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
Ray Sgt.	AA PC		
Armstrong Cpl.	2/2 H.F. Workshops		
Patten M.V.	2/3 P.d. Regt.		
Balman Driver	22 Inf Bde.		

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2/20 Bn H.I.F

Unit.

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Part A of Army Form W.3009.**

DETAIL OF SPECIALISTS, TRADESMEN, ETC.	SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT.							REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.							REMARKS.	
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.	TOTAL.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.		TOTAL.
Bricklayers																
Butchers																
Carpenters and Joiners																
Clerks																
Despatch Riders																
Draughtsmen (topo)																
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																
Electricians																
Farriers																
Fitters																
Masons																
Painters and Decorators																
Plumbers and Gasfitters																
Saddlers and Harness Makers																
Signallers																
Storemen technical																
Vickers Machine Gunners																
Cooks																

2/20 Bn

Unit.

Date of Despatch 13 Jan. '41

J. Lowe Capt. & Col.

Signature of Commander.

22/1/41 Bn

Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is servi

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Part A.

1	2	3	4	5	6
Detail	War Estab- lishment	Posted Strength Ex- cluding Attached	Surplus	Deficiency	Remarks
W.O. Class 1.	1	1			
W.O. Class 11.	6	1		5	
S. or C.Q.M.S.	5	5			
S/Sjts.					
Sjts.	32	39	7		
Cpls.	61	60		1	
Group 1 Spec- ialists	2	2			
" 2 "	49	16		33	
" 3 "	29	5		24	
Tprs. Ptes. Etc.	742	810	68		
TOTALS	927	939	X 75 X	63	

X To agree with Part D on page 2.

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Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
Ray Sgt.	177 PC		
Common Cpl.	2/2 H.F. Workshops		
P. W. 170.	2/3rd Regt.		
do.	do.		
Batman Sawyer	22 Coy Bde.		

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PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Col	34992	W D Jacobs	2/20 Bn	yes	
Major	34912	AS Robertson	"	"	
"	35002	RO Smith	"	"	
Capt	35117	W R Lane	"	"	
"	35020	FD Manning	"	"	
"	70193	J R Russell	"	yes	AS Lane
"	34719	W R Lane	"	yes	
"	498	W R Lane	"	"	
"	499	R H Cohen	"	"	
"	34852	W R Lane	"	"	
"	35012	R D Richardson	"	no	Coy Comdant Dunbar
"	12404	W R Lane	"	yes	
Lieut	12443	G W Garden	"	"	
"	35007	J H Phelan	"	"	
"	70256	A W Hendergo	"	"	
"	70275	K V Lockley	"	"	
"	35003	K W Hutton	"	"	
"	12571	W R Lane	"	"	
"	70260	F G Bush	"	"	
"	12556	H W Porter	"	"	
"	35013	B D Richardson	"	"	
"	35004	A I Yates	"	"	
"	12557	D C McConnel	"	"	
"	35016	G K McConnel	"	yes	AS Lane
"	34958	D F Thompson	"	yes	
"	35100	A H W R	"	"	
"	34659	J B Smith	"	"	
"	34867	J B Smith	"	"	
"	34840	C W Smith	"	"	
"	34885	F W Smith	"	"	
"	35011	W R Lane	"	"	

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	34761	R L Jeffery	7th ME	1/1/40	R.M.D.
Poste	35108	G R Smith	22nd Bn	1/9/40	chaplain

2/20 Bn 11.1.41

(Unit.)

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(Date of Despatch.)

W R Lane

(Signature of Commander.)

22 Bn 11.1.41

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

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS*2/20 Br 171 F* (Unit)**PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.**

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels ...	1		
Majors ...	2		
Captains ...	9		
Lieutenants ...	19		
2nd Lieutenants ...			
Quartermasters ...			
TOTALS ...	31		

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.**Officers JOINED during week.**

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Lt Col	34992	W J. Heaton	2/20th	no	AS leave
Major	34912	A. J. Johnston	.	.	.
Major	35002	R. D. Bennett	.	.	.
Major	35117	G. H. Lane	.	.	.
.	35020	J. A. Haining	.	.	.
.	70193	G. H. Bennett	.	yes	.
.	34719	G. H. Bennett	.	no	AS leave
.	498	R. C. Smith	.	.	.
.	499	G. B. Cohen	.	.	.
.	34852	W. A. Carter	.	.	.
.	35012	G. H. Richardson	.	.	.
.	12404	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
Lieut	12543	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	35007	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	70256	A. J. Haining	.	.	.
.	70275	R. D. Bennett	.	.	.
.	35003	R. D. Bennett	.	.	.
.	12571	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	70260	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	12556	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	35013	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	35004	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	12539	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	35016	G. H. Jones	.	yes	.
.	34958	G. H. Jones	.	no	AS leave
.	35100	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	34659	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	34867	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	34840	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	34885	G. H. Jones	.	.	.
.	35011	G. H. Jones	.	.	.

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Major	34761	G. H. Jones	ASAC	4/5/40	RMO.
Major	35108	G. H. Jones	22nd Inf	11/4/40	Chaplain

2/20th ASAC
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(Date of Despatch.)

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(Signature of Commander.)
22nd Inf Bde
(Bde., Divn., Area, etc., with which Unit is serving.)

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS*2/20 RN*

(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
*			
*			
Lieut.-Colonels ...	1		
Majors ...	2		
Captains ...	9		
Lieutenants ...	19		
2nd Lieutenants ...			
Quartermasters ...			
TOTALS ...	31		

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.**Officers JOINED during week.**

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known)

PART D.—NOMINAL ROLL OF OFFICERS ON STRENGTH.

(i) Officers posted to Unit (Total to agree with column 2 of Part A).

1	2	3	4	5	6
Substantive Rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Whether present with Unit (Insert Yes or No).	If not present with Unit, state how employed.
Major	34992	W. O. Feater	2/20th	Yes	Base Duty
	34912	W. O. Robertson		Yes	
	35002	W. O. Bennett			
Capt	35117	W. O. Lamb			
	35020	W. O. Ashman			
	70193	W. O. Lincoln			
	34719	W. O. Stanley			
	498	W. O. Lambert			
	499	W. O. Cohen			
	34852	W. O. Carter			
	35012	W. O. Richardson		no	A.S. Lane
	12404	W. O. Jones		yes	
Lieut	12543	W. O. Adams			
	35007	W. O. Bennett			
	70256	W. O. Bennett			
	70273	W. O. Bennett			
	35003	W. O. Bennett			
	12571	W. O. Jones			
	70260	W. O. Jones			
	12556	W. O. Jones			
	35013	W. O. Richardson			
	35004	W. O. Jones			
	12539	W. O. Jones			
	35016	W. O. Jones			
	34958	W. O. Jones			
	35000	W. O. Jones			
	34659	W. O. Jones			
	34867	W. O. Jones			
	34840	W. O. Jones			
	34885	W. O. Jones			
	35011	W. O. Jones			
	50465	W. O. Jones			
	56164	W. O. Jones			
	52502	W. O. Jones			

(ii) OFFICERS ATTACHED FROM OTHER CORPS.

Substantive rank, and higher temporary rank, if held.	Personal Number.	Name and Initials.	Corps	Date of attachment.	Nature of attachment.
Capt	34761	W. O. Jones	AA MC	6-8-40	AMO
Para	35108	W. O. Jones	AA CD	8-9-40	Chaplain

2/20th A 93.

(Unit.)

27 Jan 41.

(Date of Despatch.)

W. O. Jones

(Signature of Commander.)

22nd Div. Bathurst

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

FIELD RETURN OF OFFICERS*2/20 Bnd*

(Unit)

PART A.—STRENGTH, SURPLUS OR REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.

1	2	3	4
Ranks.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishment).
	*		
	*		
Lieut.-Colonels ...	1		
Majors ...	2		
Captains ...	9		
Lieutenants ...	22		
2nd Lieutenants ...			
Quartermasters ...			
TOTALS ...	34		

* Insert detail of higher ranks as necessary.

PART B.—PARTICULARS OF OFFICERS JOINED OR QUITTED DURING WEEK.**Officers JOINED during week.**

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.
Lieut	A B Barchenow	2/20 Bnd	23-1-40	Officer's Lieut 19/12/40 (A.B. 3538)
	9th Bnd			do
	13 B Biffing			do

Officers QUITTED during week.

Rank.	Name.	Corps.	Date.	Cause.

PART C.—DESCRIPTION OF OFFICERS WHOSE RETURN TO THE UNIT IS PARTICULARLY REQUESTED.

Rank.	Name and Initials.	Corps.	Remarks (e.g., present whereabouts, if known)

Unit.

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Date of Despatch

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Signature of Commander.

22 Inf Bde Rathurst

Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is serving.

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Part A.

1	2	3	4	5	6
Detail	War Estab- lishment	Posted Strength Ex- cluding Attached	Surplus	Deficiency	Remarks
W.O. Class 1.	1	1			
W.O. Class 11.	6	1		5	
S. or C.Q.M.S.	7	6		1	
S/Sjts.					
Sjts.	32	38	6		
Cpls.	61	60		1	
Group 1 Spec- ialists	2	2			
" 2 "	49	16		33	
" 3 "	29	4		25	
Tprs.Ptes.Etc	740	852	112		
TOTALS	927	980	X 118	X 65	

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Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
Pay Sgt	A.A.P.C.		
Armorer Cpl	A.A.O.C.		
Fitter M.V.	"		
Fitter M.V.	"		
Automotive Driver	22nd Inf. H.Q.		

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Part D. Detail of Surplus or Reinforcements required as shown in
Part A of Army Form W.3009.

DETAIL OF SPECIALISTS, TRADESMEN, ETC.	SURPLUS TO ESTABLISHMENT.								REINFORCEMENTS REQUIRED.								REMARKS.
	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Staff-Serjeants.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.	TOTAL.	W.Os. Class I.	W.Os. Class II.	S.Q.M.S.; C.Q.M.S.	Serjeants.	Corporals.	Troopers, Privates, &c.	TOTAL.		
Bricklayers																	
Butchers																	
Carpenters and Joiners																	
Clerks																	
Despatch Riders																	
Draughtsmen (topo)																	
Drivers H.T. and/or I.C.																	
Electricians																	
Farriers																	
Fitters																	
Masons																	
Painters and Decorators																	
Plumbers and Gasfitters																	
Saddlers and Harness Makers																	
Signallers																	
Storemen technical																	
Vickers Machine Gunners																	
Cooks																	
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Unit.

Date of Despatch

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W. K. Kerbons Maj for Lt Col

Signature of Commander.

22 Inf Bde Bathurst

Bde., Divn., Area, &c., with which unit is servin



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Part A. Strength, Surplus or Reinforcements required.

1	2	3	4
Detail.	Posted strength counting against authorized establishment (excluding attached).	Surplus to Establishment.	Reinforcements required (i.e. deficits on establishments).
W.Os. Class I.			
W.Os. Class II.			
Squadron or Company Quartermaster-Serjeants			
Staff Serjeants			
Serjeants			
Corporals			
Troopers, Privates, &c.			
TOTALS			

* These totals should agree with the details shown in Part D on page 2 of Army Form W.3009.

Part B. Other Ranks attached from other Corps.

Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.	Detail.	Unit and Corps to which they belong.
Pay Sgt	A A P C.		
Armorer Cpl.	A A O C.		
Cpl Dittus M. V.	do		
Dittus M. V.	do		
Katman Driver	do		

Part C. Description of other ranks whose return to the unit is particularly requested.

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