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ROUTINE ORDERS
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RESTRICTED.SERIAL No 15.ROUTINE ORDERSNos 195 - 210
14 Apr 44.
-----BYCOLONEL R. MOULD GRAHAM, M.C., T.D.COMMANDING 94 SUB AREA.
-----GENERAL STAFF(195) ONE-DAY COURSES IN EDUCATION

Three one-day courses in Education and the technique of ABCA will be held in SALERNO on 8, 9 and 10 May 44. Names of unit and detachment Education Officers will be submitted to the Education Officer this HQ by 26 Apr 44, when vacancies will be allotted. Detailed programme and instructions will be issued with allotment of places.

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G. M. Dorman
Capt G.S.
(G.M. DORMAN)

ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER GENERALS BRANCH(196) TRANSPORT

1. It is evident that the provisions of GRO 718/43, which relates to the use of WD transport for recreational purposes, are not being properly complied with.
2. Commanding Officers will take steps to enforce strict discipline in their units to prevent unauthorised use of vehicles for private purposes and will ensure that the provisions of the GRO are carried out. Details of recreational journeys will be underlined in red on the work ticket.
3. Periodical checks will be carried out by CMP and strong disciplinary action will be taken against all offenders. Checks will also be made to ensure that the provisions of DRO 59/44 is being complied with.

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(197) PURCHASE OF ICE CREAM AND SOFT DRINKS

Attention is drawn to AROs 99/43 and 189/43.

1. Allied troops will not purchase Ice-cream or bottled mineral waters from civilian sources. TYPHOID is commonly spread by these articles and troops will be warned of the danger in consuming them.
2. Ice-cream or bottled minerals sold by NAAFI or in canteens run by bodies such as the Church Army and YMCA are made under supervision of the army and may be considered safe.

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(198) LEAVE AND REST ESTABLISHMENTS

AFHQ have directed that Leave and Rest establishments will not be given names indicating that they are reserved for any particular formation.

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(199) DISCIPLINE

1. It has been reported that Allied Officers and OR accompanied by relatives of civilians imprisoned in the Civil Prison SALERNO call out such prisoners.

2. This practice is highly irregular and disciplinary action will be taken against future offenders. 516/A

(200) CONVERSION OF HEATING AND COOKING STOVES

Reference BRO 194/44.

Notes on the conversion of Heating and Cooking Stoves to oil and water burning are attached to this Serial of Routine Orders. 251/Q

(201) MODIFICATION TO WD PATTERN HEADLAMP MASKS

It is notified that EMV Vehicles General A 902, pages 1 and 2 dated 9 Mar 44 does not apply to AAI. 238/Q

(202) HOLDING OF SURPLUS STORES AND EQUIPMENT

Attention is drawn to DRO 73/44.

The return called for under para 5 of the Order will be forwarded to reach this HQ not later than 18 Apr 44. Nil returns are NOT required. 291/Q

(203) TALK ON MISUSE AND HOARDING OF ARMY EQUIPMENT

1. A talk on "Misuse and Hoarding of Army Equipment" will be given in the ENSA CINEMA, SALERNO at 1100 hrs 20 Apr 44 by the OC, Nq.5 Inspectorate of Army Equipment.

2. All OCS, Adjutants, Quartermasters and COs should attend. 291/Q

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(204) COOKS SURPLUS TO WE

1. Existing authorities to employ civilian cooks surplus to WE are cancelled except in those cases where application for a revision of WE has been made.

2. Units requiring to retain civilian cooks surplus to WE will submit applications for a new or revised WE through the usual channels.

3. This Order does not apply to civilian cooks temporarily attached to units pending posting to 3 District Leave Camp nor to those under training with a view to dilution.

292/Q

(205) COCKERS NO.1 - BURNERS SPARE

When indenting for spare burners for Cockers No.1 (Hydro) all units will ensure that the particular type of burner unit is specified, e.g. Cockers No.1 Burners TYPE 1A.

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(206) METER READINGS - ELECTRICITY AND WATER SUPPLY

ARO 64/44 is cancelled.

1. All units of all Services, will forward details of electricity and water supply meter readings to this HQ (a) on occupation of billets (b) thereafter at the end of each month.
2. Readings for the previous month will be forwarded to reach this HQ not later than the third of each month.
3. Employees of the civilian Water Company will check meters from time to time. Such authorised civilian employees, who will be in possession of a pass signed by the Town Major, will be permitted to enter billets for this purpose.
4. Units will not remove or tamper with meters in billets. 215/Q

(207) FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT

1. All demands for fire fighting equipment will be submitted to DADOS this HQ.
2. Demands for items in excess of G 1098 scale will be investigated by the local Fire Advisor and his approval received before request for release is made. 221/Q

(208) REMOVAL OF COMPONENTS FROM VEHICLES AND OTHER EQUIPMENTS

Attention is directed to GRO 283/44 which will be republished in unit Orders. 291/Q

(209) RED CROSS POSTAL MESSAGES

Attention is directed to GRO 271/44. 529/A

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1. A limited number of used POL containers is available as tin plate at 50 BSO to assist units in changing over to oil and water cooking.
2. Demands should be submitted to 'Q' Franch this HQ stating the number of containers required.

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Capt Wm Maj
DHA & QMG
(J.M. HOWE BROWNE)

NOTICES

Will the officer who requisitioned 90 glasses from MONTAGNARE ANGELO, Via LEPANTE 56, POMPEI on 16 Jan 44, please report to this HQ.

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DIVINE SERVICES - RC

SALERNO - St George's Church(between Salerno Arms and Cathedral)
Sunday Military Mass 0900 hrs
Confessions from 0830 hrs and Saturdays
1700 - 1800 hrs.

PONTECAGNANO Sacred Heart Church.

Military Mass 0930 hrs
Confessions from 0900 hrs

POMPEI Cathedral

Military Mass 1000 hrs
Confessions 0930 hrs

FOUND

AB 64 bearing name Herbert Arthur BROWN(Reg't 1 No not known)
Apply DAPM.

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HEATING AND COOKING STOVESCONVERSION TO OIL AND WATER BURNING. (ARO 7E)

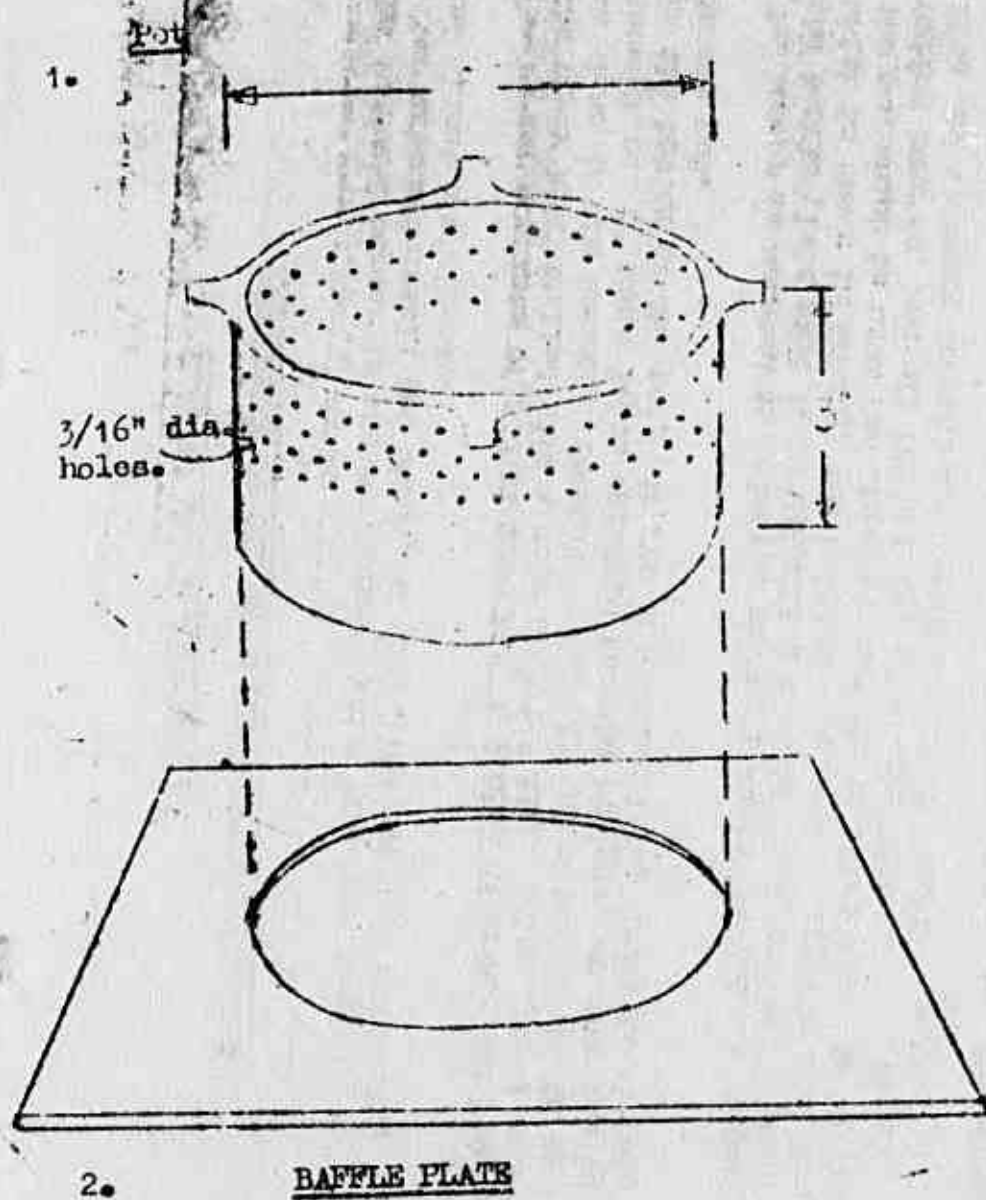
1. The approved burner is the Pot Burner, which has been found to be the best after extended trial; and which, if installed and used correctly, burns cleanly and almost smokelessly.
2. The burner consists of a cast iron Pot, 6 inches diameter and 3 inches deep; the upper half drilled with 4 rows of $3/16$ " diam. holes spaced at $3/8$ " center. The oil and water is fed in by a pipe as shown in the drawing attached. The oil and water is fed over the top, and through one of these holes enlarged for the purpose, or over the top, and in the bottom of the pot, air for combustion being drawn in through the holes in the pot.
3. The burner is mounted in a baffle plate, in which it must be a good fit; and the baffle plate must be so installed that it shuts off all draught except that which is drawn in through the holes in the pot. Any fire-door etc., above the pot which is used for lighting must close tightly or to be kept closed during burning, and all other holes or cracks must be made up. A good flue and a strong draught are required for efficient burning.
4. The manufactured burners are not yet available for use, but change over must not be delayed on that account. Good burners can be made by units out of large jam or cheese tins, etc., of approximately the correct size, with the holes punched into them, and will last for 2 or 3 months; and the baffle plates can be cut from tins or any suitable sheet metal.
5. Oil and Water drums and funnels can also be easily made up, and a simple type of oil and water regulating tap is shown on the attached drawing.
6. Units who have any difficulty in making up or installing these oil burners should apply to their Garrison Engineer for assistance or advice.
7. To Light the burner place a piece of rag soaked in oil in the pot and light it. Close the fire-door, run in a little oil, and as it burns up turn on the oil and water. Regulate the flow according to the heat required, but do not turn on so much that the pot overflows.
8. It burns best with plenty of water; use up to 2 parts of water to 1 of oil, depending on the oil used.
9. If it should go out, relight quickly while still hot.

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7. To Extinguish. Turn off the oil and water and let it burn itself out.

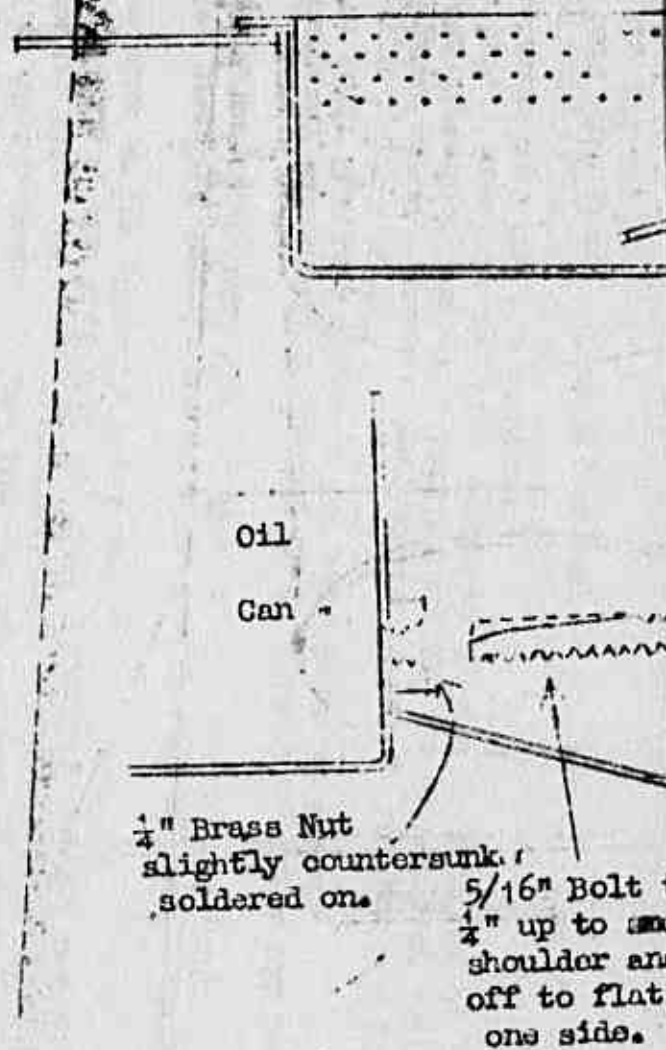
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10th April 1944

(R.A. LAUREL)
Lieut.-Col. R.E.
CRE 94 Sub Area.

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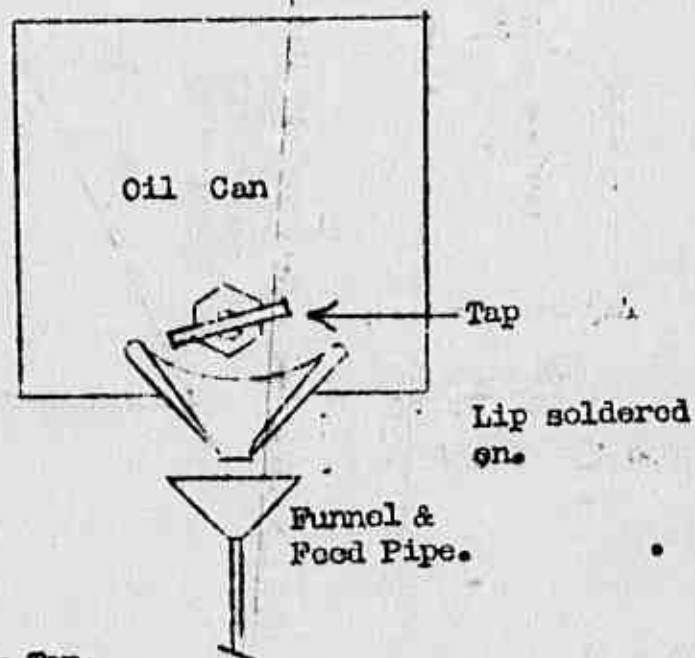
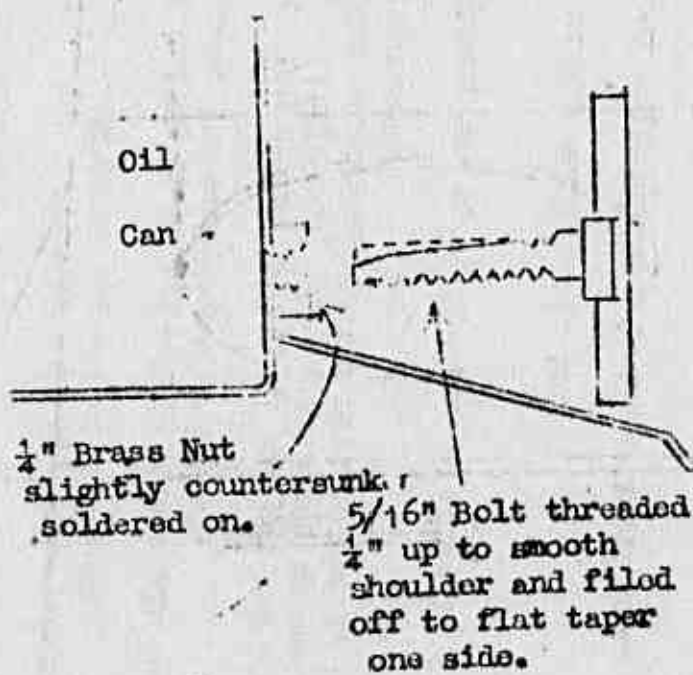
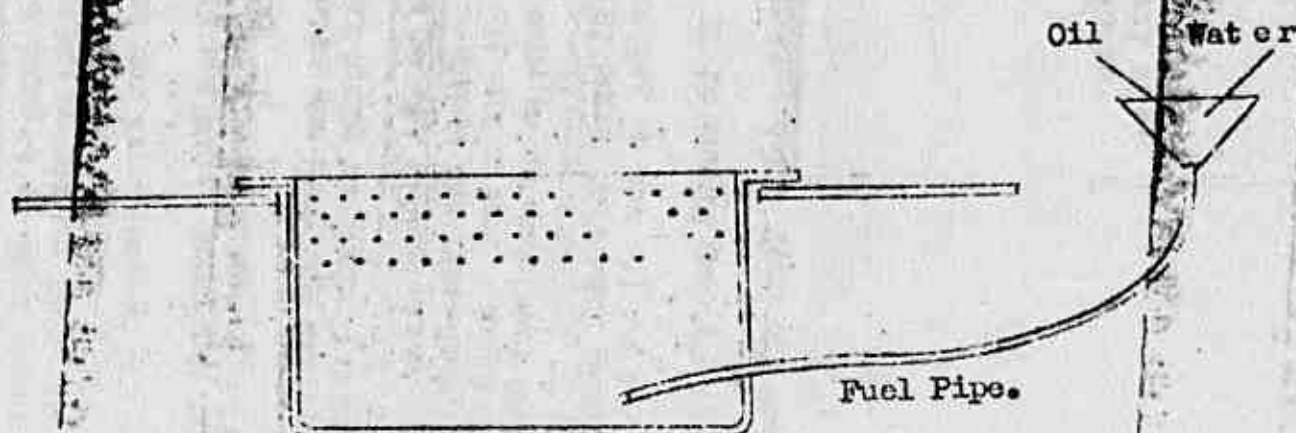


3. Pot in position in Baff



4. Oil or Water

3. Pot in position in Baffle Plate with Fuel Pipe.



4. Oil or Water Regulating Tap.

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(Please attach to Unit Notice Board)

" What's On " in SalernoOPERA HOUSE

Sun. 16th Mon. 17th Tues. 18th Wed. 19th April at 2000 hrs
Grand Performance of "THE BARBER OF SEVILLE" by the San Carlo Opera Coy.

R.A.S.C. VARIETY ORCHESTRA will perform on April 20th and 22nd at 1930 hrs
The performance on April 22nd is primarily for R.A.S.C. Units, but some
tickets will be allotted to other units for that night and for the
whole accommodation on Thurs on application to the Welfare Officer 94 S.A.
Tickets will be issued at the rate of 10 per cent of ration strength.

An ENSA Show entitled " BLACK MAGIC " will perform on 21st April 44,
at 1845 and 2100hrs. Tickets will be issued at the rate of 15 per cent
of ration strength and are obtainable from the Welfare Officer 94 S.A.

ENSA CINEMA

Sun. 16th to Wed. 19th April 44 ADMISSION FREE

Mickey Rooney Judy Garland in "GIRL CRAZY"

Thurs. 20th to Sat. 22nd. " ABOVE SUSPICION "

ODEON CINEMA

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Claudette Colbert in " REMEMBER THE DAY "

Tues. 18th and Wed. 19th April 44

Humphrey Bogart in " ACTION IN THE NORTH ATLANTIC "

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Jean Arther in " THE MORE THE MERRIER "

SPECIAL SHOW
FOR TROOPS
2000 hrs
NIGHTLY

SUPER CINEMA

Sun Thurs. 20th April for 5 days Tommy Trinder in

" THE FORGOTTEN " GOES TO FRANCE "

SPORTROWING CLUB

All those interested in rowing are invited to attend a
meeting to be held in the office of the Base Engineer Officer R.N.
CANTIERE SORRIENTE opposite IO3 Army Troops Vehicle Yard on Mon. 24th
April at 1700hrs.

UNIT CONCERT PARTIES

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with Padre Rowlands of 7 Con. Depot for further particulars.

3 A.C.G. Party the " PENGIONTERS " are prepared to entertain other
Units after their successful show at the Salerno Officers Club House. Please
contact Lt. Stephenson of 141 Pioneer Corps.

OTHER NOTICES

7 Con. Depot would like to exchange a Double Base for a Trombone.

TASSO CINEMA SORRENTO

San Carlo Opera Coy. are giving a performance of "MADAME BUTTERFLY" on
Mon. 24 April. Tickets :- Officers 120 Lire, O.R.'s 30 and 80 Lire.
Booking Office at Cinema opens from 1100 to 1200 hrs from 20th to 24th
April inclusive.

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RESTRICTEDROUTINE ORDERS

By

COLONEL R. MOULD GRAHAM, M.C., T.D.COMMANDING 84 SUB AREANos 140 - 154
24 Mar 44GENERAL STAFF(140) BLACKOUTBlackout period within this Sub Area for fortnight commencing
24 Mar 44 will be from 1830 hrs to 0600 hrs nightly.

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W. Hawke

Capt G.S.

DUJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S BRANCH(141) ROUTINE ORDERSAll formations and units leaving the Sub Area will return to this
HQ copies of 3 District and Area Routine Orders, in their possession.

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(142) CENSORSHIP

6.1 Routine Order 2/44 is repeated:-

1. Cases have been reported of green envelopes being handed to Italian photographers in order that film left for developing might be returned to the owner by post. The envelopes have been addressed to the owner of the films and the certificate stating that the contents of the envelope relate to nothing but private and family matters, signed by him and the unsent envelope handed to the photographer. This is an abuse of the green envelope and is also likely to lead to breaches of security.

2. Under the Censorship Regulations all rules are forbidden:-

(a) To hand to any civilian any envelope or other cover addressed to them and capable of being transmitted by post.

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2. Under the Censorship Regulations all ranks are forbidden:-

(a) To hand to any civilian any envelope or other cover addressed to them and a bill of lading transmitted by post.

(b) To notify their unit address to any civilian.

Disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

3. HQ Districts will notify approved photographers in their Districts that they are not permitted to accept green envelopes for transmission of films.

4. To be repeated in unit orders every three months.

(Applicable to all Troops in CEF receiving Area Envelope issue)

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(143) COURTS OF ENQUIRY

Ref. RO 122/44

Para 2 is amended to read "three typed copies" instead of "two typed copies"

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(144) COURTS OF ENQUIRY

Attention is directed to Appendix 'E' to DRO 19/44 for strict compliance.

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(145) INJURY REPORTS

The attention of Medical Officers will be directed to DRO 4C/44 para 2(c) which states that the particulars given in Part 2 of JFE 117 will be confined to the nature, site and severity of the injury. No statement will be made as to whether the injury is likely to interfere with future efficiency.

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(146) BATHING

Owing to the main swarms of 3 LERMS discharging into the sea directly below the Lungomare Trieste, bathing between the mouth of the River IRNO and S. LERMO harbour is prohibited.

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(147) VD - PERSONNEL RETURNING TO UK

The following procedure will apply in respect of the return to UK of personnel suffering from Venereal Disease:-

(a) Cases of Gonorrhoea, Urethritis, Chancroid, and Venereal sore, NVD will not return till the completion of Final tests of Cure, which will be carried out 3 months after disappearance of active signs.

(b) Cases of "Early" Syphilis, that is, infections of less than 4 years standing will complete a first course of treatment before return to UK. In these cases it is imperative that JFI 12475 be given to the patient and the JFI 1247 (Syphilis only) be forwarded through normal channels so that subsequent treatment is not delayed.

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(148) ERCS OFFICERS CONV. LESCENT HOME - SORRENTO

1.

Officers will NOT be admitted to this home unless

(a) They have been patients in a medical unit.

(b) They are recommended for transfer to the Home by the OC that medical unit.

(c) The transfer has been approved by DMS 24 Sub Area.

2. Convalescent officers who for any reason may not have been

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 - (b) They are recommended for transfer to the Home by the OC that medical unit.
 - (c) The transfer has been approved by DMS 94 Sub Area.
2. Convalescent officers who for any reason may not have been patients in a medical unit will NOT be granted admission to the Home without the permission of DMS 94 Sub Area.
3. There are no facilities for the accommodation of tankmen and drivers at the Home and no exceptions can be made in the case of individual officers.

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(149) SAID CHAINS

1. In order that provision action may be taken for next winter, a return is required as at 31 Mar 44 of said chains held by all units and sub units.
2. Returns will reach DADOS this HQ by 2 April 44 and will specify:-
 - (a) Type size.
 - (b) If single, twin or overall.
 - (c) Part No. as shown in Vehicle Kit Lists.

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(150) SAVINGS.

1. The Post Office Savings Scheme is operated by the soldier making an allotment out of his pay through Regt Paymaster.

2. Form AS 103 (obtainable at AFOS) is applicable.

3. Unit Commanders will do everything possible to encourage Savings.

4. The Welfare Officer HQ 94 Sub Area will be pleased to assist in promoting this. /550

(151) LEGAL AID WELFARE AND SS.F. - 323 VI. ROYAL ARMPLES - PHONE 16542

It has been reported by Legal Aid Welfare that there have been several cases of men arriving for interviews who are without food. Units will ensure that men proceeding for interviews take with them the unexpired portion of the day's ration. /514/1

(152) VICTORIA LA GUE VOUCHERS

It has been reported by Victoria La Gue of South Africa that instances have occurred of officers and men signing more than one parcel voucher each month. This is contrary to the instructions for the despatch of these parcels. Units will take steps to ensure that in future instructions are carefully read and carried out. /550

(153) DANGER FROM OVERHEAD CABLES

1. Overhead cables on railway line BENEVENTO - FOGGIA are now live. X

2. Drivers of vehicles will be cautioned to ensure that no part of their vehicle or load comes in contact with overhead cables at level crossings. 2M/6 X

3. GEC units travelling by rail will ensure that personnel are not permitted to travel on roofs of railway carriages or trucks.

(154) REI ISSUES

SCHEDULED. Two thirds bottle of spirits per entitled person in respect of March allocation will be issued week commencing 26 March 44. Any undrissed or March allocation will be made up in early April without prejudice to April entitlement. X 9/210

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D.A. & JMG

NOTICES

DIVINE SERVICES - RC

SALERNO - St George's Church (between Salerno Arms and Cathedral)

Sunday Military Mass	0800 hrs
Confessions from	0830 hrs and Saturdays
	1700 - 1800 hrs
Devotions and Benedictions	1830 hrs.

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DIVINE SERVICES - RC (Cont'd)

PONTIFICAL SACRED HEART CHURCH.

Military Mass 0900 hrs
Confessions from 0800hrs.

LOST

At MULLEN Leno Hotel on 1 Mar 44, in respect of 12/1/1903
DVR JACCOBOWITCH, R, R.S.C. 12 fume plus. hand in to DPM 9: Sub Area.

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In V1: N.TION, LE, VILTRAI on 18 Mar 44, .38 Enfield Pist. 1
No. c 1126. Apply D.M.F. 9: Sub Area.

Matchless SC 40 W. C 4933025. Apply D.M.F. 9: Sub Area.

In CORSE UNIFORM, SC F.M. on 18 Mar 44, 1 pair us final DR
size 8. Apply 12 F3 Butchery & CSE R.S.C.

WELFARE NOTICESPlease pin on unit
Notice BoardENTERTAINMENT"WHAT'S ON" IN SALERNOOpera House

Sun March 26 at 1800 hrs Orchestral Concert.

Mon Wed Fri 27, 29 and 31 March. The Opera "OSCA" will be performed.

Booking Office open daily at Opera House 1000 - 1300 hrs
1500 - 1800 hrs

Booking 2 days in advance for each performance

Odeon Cinema

Sun 26 and Mon 27 March. Ginger Rogers in "Tales of Manhattan"

Tues 28 and Wed 29 March. Paulette Goddard in "Hold back the Dawn"

Thurs 30 Fri 31 March and Sat 1 April. Fred Astair in "You Were Never Lovelier"

Continuous from 1400 to 1930 hrs. Troops ONLY 2000 hrs

Prices: Officers 20 lire, Sgts 10 lire, ORs 5 Lire

Super Cinema

Sun 26 and Mon 27 March. Lucille Howard in "Pimpinal Smith"

Tues 28 March to Sat 1 April. Betty Davis in "The Day will Come"

Continuous from 1500 to 2100 hrs

Victoria Cinema

Thurs 30 March ONLY Paulette Goddard in "Hold back the Dawn"

Ocean Cinema

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RESTRICTEDROUTINE ORDERS

BY

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SERIAL No. 114

GENERAL STAFF(104) EXPRESS LETTER SERVICE

1. The Express Letter Service (ELS) operated by R. Signals is becoming overloaded with packages containing pamphlets, AGIs and unimportant instructions, which do not require the Express and secure treatment given them by ELS. The carriage of this class of matter reduces the efficiency of the service and results in delay to important letters.

2. In future Signals may refuse to accept bulky packages containing only pamphlets, AGIs or other non-urgent instructions below the classification CONFIDENTIAL. Such matter will be sent by British Army Postal Service (APS).

3. The following details of Army Postal Services are published for information:-

- (a) The limit of weight for official packages is 22 lbs.
- (b) Unless enclosed in an official OMS envelope, or bearing an official OMS label, all such packages must be endorsed 'OFFICIAL' and signed by an officer.
- (c) Receipts are not given for ordinary correspondence posted at Army Post Offices.

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ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S BRANCH(105) STRANGE RETURNS

The practice of despatching AF W.3000 to P.4 No 3 District will cease. Such returns are not required.

2. In future Signals may refuse to accept bulky packages containing only pamphlets, ICIS or other non-urgent instructions below the classification CONFIDENTIAL. Such matter will be sent by British Army Postal Service (APS).

3. The following details of Army Postal Services are published for information:-

- (a) The limit of weight for official packages is 20 lbs.
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ADJUTANT AND QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S BRANCH

(106) STRANGERS RETURNS

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(106) APPOINTMENTS - OFFICERS

1. On arrival in this Sub Area all units will notify 'A' Branch this HQ the rank, initials and name of the OC.

2. Any subsequent changes in command will be similarly reported as and when they occur.

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(107) POSTINGS

Owing to smallpox, all personnel proceeding to or via GIBRALTAR will be required to produce a certificate that vaccination has been carried out within the previous 14 days.

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(108) BATMEN

1. Officers continue to arrive at General Hospitals, Convalescent Homes and Depots with their batmen.
2. Accommodation does not exist in these establishments for batmen, and provision for batmen on a limited scale already exists.
3. Officers will not be allowed to take their batmen to General Hospitals, Convalescent Depots and Homes.
4. Batmen who continue to arrive with officers at these establishments will be returned forthwith to their units and the matter reported to this HQ.

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(109) COMPASSIONATE POSTINGS TO UK

1. Applications for compassionate postings to the UK will always be accompanied by the following information:-

Ref No of Unit.....

Date.....

Full names, number and rank of the applicant

The grounds of the application.....

Any certificates, letters or extracts from letters which may corroborate the facts.

The home or other address at which enquiries can be made and the name, relationship or position of the person to be approached for investigation.

2. Failure to supply any of these particulars will result in delay.

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(110) UDF OFFICERS

1. All units having UDF officers seconded or attached will forward a nominal roll direct to GHQ CCE BNAF.
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(111) VEHICLE LIGHTING

1. The following regulations with regard to vehicle lighting will be complied with by all vehicles, including motor cycles, in the L of C Area.

2. Side lamps for vehicles so equipped will be lit, but will be masked or painted or otherwise adjusted so as to avoid all dazzle. Masked side lights will be such that they are clearly visible at 50 yards.

3. Tail lamps will be lit and will be fitted to the rear side (L.H.) of the vehicle.

4. All vehicles, including Staff cars, may have two unmasked headlights. These must be permanently adjusted so that the beam strikes the ground within 50 yards on the right hand side of the road except in the case of Staff cars and other vehicles provided with a dipping device which can be operated on the approach of oncoming traffic. In the case of vehicles carrying one headlight only, sidelights will invariably be lit.

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(111) Contingencies

5. It will be an offence to travel without lights, except during air raid alerts.
6. Masks, when removed, will be held as part of the vehicle equipment.
7. Nothing is this order affects the regulations to be observed in army areas, which are fixed by the Army Commanders concerned, nor authorises any relaxation of the existing blackout regulations for vehicles during air raids.

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(112) DEEP TRENCH LATRINES

1. Recent hygiene inspections have revealed that many deep trench latrines leave much to be desired. In view of the importance of properly constructed latrines in combatting fly-borne disease, the following directions are issued for observance by all units.
2. The trench should, where the nature of the ground permits, be at least 12 feet deep, and greater depth should be obtained if possible. A deep trench latrine is not merely a pit for the reception of faeces, but is also a pit in which, given time, faeces will automatically digest and liquify themselves and disappear by seepage. The time factor is essential and will only be obtained if the trench is deep enough.
3. The whole of the superstructure must be completely fly-proof. It must be beaded into the ground in such a way as to make a lasting fly-proof joint. There must be no knot holes or cracks in the wood and seats must be close fitting and self closing. Urine deflectors at least one foot wide must be fitted to prevent erosion and fouling of the side of the trench. There must be a clear drop from the seat to the trench and spars should be positioned where they will not be fouled.
4. The presence of Sub-Soil water is no drawback. If water is reached at a depth of 4 - 5 feet, then further excavation should take place to leave a depth of 2 feet of water in the bottom of the trench. The water will assist the process of liquifaction and will tend to remove the products of liquifaction from the latrine.
5. Urinals will always be provided, in order to prevent fouling of the seats and the surrounding ground. They can easily be led into the trench.
6. Latrines should be sited for convenience rather than on the basis of fixed distances from cookhouses and quarters. No. 1 Field Hygiene Sec should if possible be consulted when a new latrine is to be constructed and in any event a Medical Officer or Sanitary Inspector should be consulted.

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7. A latrine when constructed must be maintained in proper condition by regular daily inspections. Repairs are within the power of all units and it should never be necessary to ask for RE assistance. Cleanliness should be maintained by the daily use of water to which may be added some M.S.F. Crescol should never be used near a deep trench latrine.

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(113) SEALING OF RAILWAY WAGONS

1. The responsibility for sealing loaded railway wagons before despatch rests with the loading service except in the case of traffic originating in a Port under US control, when the Port Detachment of the Service concerned is responsible. In Ports under British control, the loading service is the Docks Service.

2. Various types of seals and wire are at present being used, the majority of which are not proof even against casual pilferage.

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3. Wire of not less than 5 mm diameter is being made available, together with tommy bars for twisting and croppers for cutting the wire. Each seal should be about 18" long. After passing the seal through the "eye" of the wagon lock, the ends are then drawn together and tightly twisted 3 or 4 times with the tommy bar. To prevent their being untwisted, the ends of the wire will then be cut short.

4. Loading services will in vent forthwith on Ordnance Services at Area and Sub Area HQ for sealing wire and tommy bars, also for wire croppers if necessary. Movements Areas and Sub Areas will ensure that RTOs hold small reserves of wire and tommy bars for use in emergency.

5. Loading services will ensure that all box wagons containing pilferable stores are sealed before despatch with 5 mm wire as soon as supplies are received.

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(114) EFI SUPPLIES

There will be no spirit issue for the week commencing 5 Mar. Half a bottle of spirits per entitled person and half a bottle of cordial will be issued week commencing 12 Mar.

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NOTICESRBC PROGRAMS

Advice has been received from Director of Welfare AFHQ that as from 2 Mar 44 a new feature is being introduced to the New General Services which replaces the existing Overseas Services. The title is "YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED". This feature will be on the air as follows :-

Thursdays	1230 hrs GMT	(1230 hrs Local Time)
Saturdays	1200 hrs GMT	(1200 hrs Local Time)

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Thursdays 1830 hrs GMT (1830 hrs Local Time)
Saturdays 1200 hrs GMT (1200 hrs Local Time)

The object is to answer for the benefit of the Forces any questions on subjects of general interest - Welfare problems are not accepted.

Questions will be submitted addressed to Chief Broadcasting Officer, CWO HQ 3 DISTRICT Welfare Services for onward transmission to AFHQ.

The person asking the question will be notified of the date on which the answer is to be given.

All questions submitted will show the Army No., Rank, Name and Unit of the writer.

HOCKEY

A complete set of hockey gear is available for use by units. It can be borrowed for matches on application to the Welfare Officer, HQ 94 Sub-Area.

SSAFA & L.A.W.

The above are now situated at 322 Via Roma NAPLES, where advice on domestic and legal problems may be obtained by units. Telephone Nos. - SSAFA - Naples 16542; L.A.W. - Naples 11711.

OFFICERS SHOP

An officers shop has been opened in NAPLES at :-
PIAZZA DANTE

Hours of opening - 0900 to 1200 hrs and 1400 to 1600 hrs. Closed on Sundays.

LOST

M/C Ariel WD No.4694664 with serial No.34517 painted thereon.

M/C Matchless WD No.4839899 with serial No.1170 painted over colours of red, brown and red.

M/C Triumph WD No.5205885.

AB 64 in respect of :- 7349216 Pte GIDDINGS, A
14252176 Pte MARRON, S.
4200922 Pte RICCI, G

FOUND

AB 64 in respect of 4986159 Pte HILMAN, H - Seaforths.
10540611 Pte SCHOLEFIELD, J.

Jeep (No. unknown) with markings of Supply Army Service Maintenance Vehicle Quartermasters Corps. Serial and Engine No.36373.

