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MESS NOTICES
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Subject:- Windsor Mess.

1st Col R.H. Bertson.

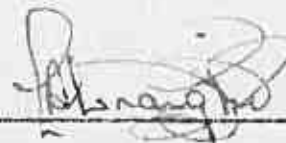
Reference the attached report.

(a) The leakage in the roof of the kitchen was reported to the R.C. Officer during his stay here. He left suddenly leaving the matter unattended, together with other matters in the kitchen.

(b) During the past 7 months, the cooks report that they have seen 1 rat, and no more than 3 mice; the rat was killed.

(c) Dish washing is done in hot soapy water, hot clean water and then towel dried. The towels at the time of inspection were clean but very wet, giving them a dirty appearance.

I would recommend that cooking be done in the covered pavillion opposite the kitchen or in one of the recently vacated mess rooms for a period of 2 days while repairs, are made to the roof of the kitchen and the inside properly cleaned.



Lieut.

Windsor Mess, Officer.

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OFFICE OF THE SURGEON
 REAR ECHELON
 2675TH REGIMENT
 ALLIED CONTROL COMMISSION
 (PROVISIONAL)
 APO 394

DAB/arc

16 February 1944

SUBJECT: Windsor Mess.

TO: Commanding Officer, Hq., 2675th Regt., A.C.C., Rear Echelon,
APO 394.

1. Inspection of Windsor Mess was carried out on 11 February 1944 and the following conditions found:
- a. The building used for the kitchen is small, inadequate and cannot be maintained in a sanitary condition.
 - b. The roof is leaking, adding further to poor sanitation.
 - c. It is infested with mice.
 - d. The walls are covered by thick layers of dust and lint upon which has been superimposed the usual amount of varnished kitchen oils.
 - e. The roof is of the rafter type of construction; the beams are covered with an accumulation of dust and cobwebs which cannot be cleaned.
 - f. Cleansing of cooking utensils is not carried out according to AR 40-295, par. 14b: Water for dish washing is heated in boilers outside the kitchen and carried approximately 150 feet to a barracks room. There the dishes are washed in a pan of warm soapy water, are not rinsed, and then towel-dried. An ample supply of clean towels is not available for this drying.

2. Conclusions:

- a. The kitchen at Windsor is inadequate and unsanitary.
- b. Windsor Mess does not meet with the requirements of the Medical Department of the U.S. Army.

3. Recommendations: Cooking can be temporarily performed in covered pavilion outside of kitchen while repairs are made to roof and inside of kitchen properly cleaned.

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Henry A. Delaney
 HENRY A. DELANEY
 Captain, Medical Corps
 Surgeon

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015NOTICE.

BAR CHITS. All unexpired bar chits may be cashed at the P Co office from 1400 hours to 1700 hours on Saturday, 5th Feb 44. Any chits not so cashed will be considered void. This is necessitated by the closure of the students mess accounts.

NEW TYPE BAR CHITS. The new type bar chits will be on sale at the Messors Mess from 1430 hours on Saturday, 5th Feb 44.

Field.

4 Feb 44.


Lt.-Col.,
P. Co.,
Messors Mess,
P. Co. B. C.

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The following spirit ration may be drawn today by the officers concerned, on payment.

Lt.-Col.	W.D. Robertson	- 1 bottle whisky			
Captain	Pearle	- 1 "		and 1 bottle gin.	
Captain	Boyle	- 1 "		"	"
Lieut	Boyle	- 1 "		"	"
Lieut	Wright	- 1 "		"	"
Lieut	Challenger	- 1 "		"	"
Lieut	Farce	- 1 "		"	"
Lieut	Wright-Anderson	- 1 "		"	"
Warrant	Wright	- 1 "		"	"
Lieut	Wright	- 1 "		"	"

field.

3 Feb 1944.

Lt.-Col.,

W. D. Robertson,
Commandant,
F. B. C. & H. C.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015BRITISH SCHOOL STAFF.

Lt.-Col.	R. H. ROBERTSON	
Captain	SEARLE	
"	MOYLE	
Lieut	MOYLE	
"	WRIGHT	
"	CHALLENGER	
"	PEARCE	
"	DUDLEY-CLARKE	
"	BLAIR	
"	ROLANDS	= 10

BR ADMIN H.Q.

Colonel	R. H. Farren	
Captain	Watkins	
"	Parry	
Lieut	Bissell	
"	Smallshaw.	= 5

STUDENTS

Major	F. Craig	
Captain	Hodgson	
Lieut	Spaul	= 3

AMERICAN STAFF.

Major	R. T. Uhler	
Captain	Reed	
"	Taylor	
Lieut	Arens	
"	Goldstein	
"	Pratt	
"	Marland	
"	McPhail	
"	Cicala	
"	Keys	
"	McLaughlin	
W.O.	Brock	
"	Ellenbast	
Capt. (MO)	Belafsky	= 14

TOTAL

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Le Lt.-Col. H. H. Robertson,
en blanc blanc, etc.

à M. le br. de la Banque d'Algérie,
101 - Oran.

3 Février 1944

Monsieur,
J'ai l'honneur de vous faire connaître que j'ai remplacé le
Lt.-colonel H. H. Robertson dans les fonctions de Directeur
Général de l'École à Tizi-Ouzou.

Je vous prie de vouloir bien agréer les assurances que j'ai
faites donner pour les intérêts de l'École et de l'État sur vos livres
au nom de l'École.

Déjà, je signais les dépenses liées à votre
établissement.

Veuillez agréer, Monsieur, mes salutations distinguées.


H. H. Robertson,
Commandant,
Military Government School
and Training Centre.

Tizi-Ouzou.

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WOL. 3.

Major H. Anderson P.T.C.

Major M.B. Fox

Capt. O.P. Gruelle

Res. Officer - Lieut J. L. Wright.

The abovementioned officers will form the
Press Committee.

Field.

19 Jan 44.

[Signature]
Lt. Col.,
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1st G. S. B. C.
1st G. S. B. C.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015NOTES.THE OPERATION OF THE BAR

The LONDON bar will be closed as from breakfast tomorrow (Tuesday 18 Jan 44). All officers will dine in the mess after this meal.

The bar at LONDON will be open till 2130 hours tonight, and then transferred to WINDSOR. All outstanding bar bills may be used at the LONDON Bar.

Field.

17 Jan 44.

W. Robertson
 W. A. Robertson, Esq.,
 1st Lieutenant,
 The Buffs, P. O. Box 100,
 London, E. C. 4.

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Subject. Mess Meeting.

Please attend a Joint Mess^{ss} C. Committee meeting in the Card Room at Windsor on Friday 7th January 1944 at 13.45 hrs,

Field.

6th Jan '44.

.....Lt-Col
D.H. ROBERTSON.
Asst Comdt.
M.G.S. & H.C.

To:- Col Norcross
Lt Col Bowman
" Butler
Major Hamilton
" Anderson

Major Randall
" Fisher
Capt Black
Lieut Lester
" Bone
" Hall
" Goodman

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Standard meal (1 2/3 bag wine)	Fr. 30
Omelette avec fines herbes	10 Fr. per egg
Chicken dinner, (1 chicken between 4)	120 Fr. each
Road house	10 Fr. each.
Refetch (according to quality)	20-25 Fr.

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Bill Roberts

Returning herewith two documents you
loaned me at the occasion of the Joint Meeting at London
and Windsor-Mississ on 7 Jan 44

Thank you

[Signature]

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject:- LOST MESSING PROPERTY

To : Lt.Col. R.H. Robertson

From : Lt. L.A. Wraight

Sir,

On Dec 29, 43, I accompanied Sgt. Webb (Windsor) and Sgt. Mullard (London) in a search for lost messing property, as directed by you. We checked the London Mess, the Windsor Mess, the Sergeants' Mess and the Men's Mess at lunch-time. Some jugs, bowls, cups etc. were found to be in the wrong messes, and these were exchanged straight away.

Sgt Mullard expressed his satisfaction that nothing further could be found, as a great amount of property had been broken.

It is the general opinion that some officers themselves may have some of these utensils.

The property lost is as follows:-

	LONDON	WINDSOR
Coffee jugs, large	6	4
" " small	12	5
Brown plates	80	48
White plates	40	-
Sugar-bowls	-	2
Salt-cellars	-	12
Cutlery (sets)	-	40
Tin plates	-	10
Baths	-	1



Lieut.

In the Field,
7 Jan 44.

Messing Officer 7/2

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2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED COMMISSION
DETACHMENTS 13 & 14
APO 512

File
Mess Funds

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In reply refer to:
123.

3 November 1943

SUBJECT: Division of Mess Funds.

TO : Brigadier-General Holmes.

1. A plan is being devised at the moment for an equitable distribution of any surplus mess funds to regions on a per capita basis.

2. Upon the suggestion of Col. Kirkwood this distribution is being postponed until after the School leaves Africa.

C. H. PARKIN
Colonel, Infantry
Commanding

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HEADQUARTERS
REGION 4, ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
c/o REGION 3, ALLIED MILITARY GOVERNMENT
APO 464, U.S. Army

22 October 1943

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To:- The Chief of Staff,
Military Government School & Holding Centre,
c/o AFHQ,
BRAP.

From:- ROAD, Region 4.

I strongly recommend that consideration should be given to the matter of a grant being made from the Officers Mess Fund at the School & Holding Centre to Regions where activated and on departure from the Centre. I presume the Officers Mess has a very considerable credit balance. To this balance all officers of Regions passing through the Centre contribute but derive from it no benefit on departure.

One of the difficulties does arise problems when a Region gets into action is the setting up of an Officers Mess. Italian staff have to be engaged and what purchases are possible have to be made.

I can see no reason why such a grant should not be made and it appears to me to be the natural and equitable way to distribute the profits of a Mess which should avoid accumulating profit over a time necessary for current purposes.

If a favourable decision is given to this proposal may a grant be made to the Mess of Region 4 for Region 4.

In the Field.

McLain

Brigadier,
P.O.A.C., Region 4.

Copy to:- Chief of Staff, ☒
Region 4,
Military Government School & Holding Centre,
c/o AFHQ,
BRAP.

Comdt. MG School & Centre

For remarks please

*Col Bng
TCJ
25 Oct.*

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject :- Off Board Movement.

Comment,
 British. 10 Jan 64.
 10 Jan 64.

Your 10/5252 (7-1) dated 10 Jan 64 is acknowledged and our
 best thanks extended for the information contained therein, but
 it is not intended to elicit a response at this stage.

File.

10 Jan 64.

[Signature]
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10 Jan 64.

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TO:- Assistant Commandant M.G.S. & H.C.
FROM:- British Admin. H.Q. AMG. A.C.
SUBJECT:- Officers Mess Grant.
REFERENCE:- MGC/5282(G-1)
DATE:- 9 January 1944.

Reference your ASC/5/1 dated 7 Jan. 44 it has been confirmed by the Command Paymaster, No. 2 Command Pay Office that Initial Mess Grant has not been issued to the Military Government School and Holding Centre.

A.F. M1470 is attached for completion and return to this H.Q.

J. P. ...
COLONEL,
COMMANDANT,
BRITISH ADMIN. H.Q. AMG. A.C.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Army Doc N 1472
(Confidential)Major General J. H. DwyerMajor General J. H. DwyerMajor General J. H. DwyerI hereby certify that the following is a true and correct copy of the original as submitted to me.Witness my hand and seal this 14th day of June 1964.Major General J. H. Dwyerat New York

(a) This copy has been made from the original as submitted to me and is a true and correct copy of the original as submitted to me.

(b) This copy has been made from the original as submitted to me and is a true and correct copy of the original as submitted to me.

(c) This copy has been made from the original as submitted to me and is a true and correct copy of the original as submitted to me.

(d) This copy has been made from the original as submitted to me and is a true and correct copy of the original as submitted to me.

Major General J. H. DwyerMajor General J. H. Dwyer

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1. Subject: [illegible]

2. Reference: [illegible]

3. Summary: [illegible]

4. Details: [illegible]

5. Conclusion: [illegible]

6. Recommendations: [illegible]

7. Comments: [illegible]

8. Signature: [illegible]

9. Date: [illegible]

10. Initials: [illegible]

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Subject :- Officers' mess Grant.

British Army H. .

With further reference to this office letter of even
reference dated 28 Dec 45, may a reply please be furnished
in respect of this matter.

Field.

7 Jan 46.


W. H. [illegible],
Asst Commandant,
H. Q. [illegible].

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Minutes of American Committee of Inquiry into the Matter of the

January 27th, 1943.

- Present :-
Colonel Macintosh
Lt.-Col. Robertson
Lt.-Col. Butler
Major Marshall
Lieut. Stone

Lt.-Col. Butler and Major Marshall were also present at the Committee's invitation to settle points arising from the last meeting.

After discussing the meeting of the 21st. notes on the accounts of the 21st. meeting, the Committee decided that as no other business was on the agenda, the only information was varied to further inform notes be taken of it.

The amount of 15,000 francs given as a salary to the "Liaison Officer" was discussed and Lt.-Col. Robertson was asked to make inquiries as to if the salary could be fulfilled and if so, when, when upon the only information was verbal and the "Liaison Officer" would be told that as nothing had been delivered the Committee considered that the same was a liability.

In discussing this, the amount of calculated this liability was explained by Lt.-Col. Vetch who stated that the amount was then covered liabilities as no allowance had been made for lost bills.

Italian Fund. The note of this fund was to be assigned to extra duty fund and balance would be paid from this account. The fund would continue to be paid out of the existing fund.

Laundry. Men working at the laundry should not receive extra duty pay but would be paid a bonus. The question of laundry charges was discussed and it was decided to recommend a reduction of 2 francs per officer per week i.e. from 30 francs to 28 francs.

Staff Christmas Bonus. 11 men staff (clerk, cook, messengers etc.) to receive a Christmas bonus of 50 francs. This to be paid out of General fund.

Distribution of surplus to regions. Lt.-Col. Robertson explained that there would probably be a school in Italy and if so it would be necessary to start a class there. The following distribution was suggested (1 - 3) 9 = 27, school and H.C. 1/2, this to make smaller proportion of capacity if possible. 68 The school was started in Italy the school's share to be, if possible, 1/2 daily between the regions.

could be fulfilled and if so when, how much, how much, the only information that could be furnished would be that as nothing had been delivered the committee considered that the same had a liability.

Unredeemed bills. The method of calculating this liability was explained by Lt. Col. Vetch who stated that the committee were then covered liabilities as no allowance had been made for lost bills.

Nation fund. The name of this fund was to be changed to Nation City fund and batmen would be paid from this account. Officers would continue to be paid out of existing fund.

Laundry. Men working at the laundry would not receive extra money but would be paid a bonus. The position of laundry charges was discussed and it was decided to increase a remuneration of 2 francs per officer per week i.e. from 30 francs to 32 francs.

Staff Christmas fund. All base staff (batmen, cooks, messengers etc.) to receive a Christmas bonus of 50 francs. This to be paid out of central fund.

Distribution of surplus to regions. Lt. Col. Robertson explained that there would probably be a school in Italy and if so it would be necessary to start a school there. The following distribution was suggested (1 - 2) 9 = 18, school and H.O. staff, this to include similar proportion of gratuity if possible. 68 was school not be started in Italy the school's share to be, if possible, 6 daily, 68 was between the regions.

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Subject :- Officers' Own Grant.

12/8/43

British Admin. B. 1.

Would you please be good enough to find out if any grant from Public Funds was made for the establishment of the Officers' Mess of the M.G.S. & H.C. as I have not been able to trace any such grant in the accounts. Possibly M.G. Sec. A. S. D. may know if they authorized such a grant or failing No. 2 Command Paymaster would know if he paid over such a grant and the amount.

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Field.

28 Dec 43.


R. H. THOMPSON,
Asst Commandant,
M. G. S. & H. C.

Lt.-Col.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

1 Subject :- Officers Mess Finance Committee.

Colonel R.T. Hargross,
Lt.-Col E.C. Tutter,
Major A.H. Randall,
Lieut. T.T. Boone.

AND/3/4

The meeting of the above committee called for Friday, 24 Dec 43,
is postponed and will be held in the Ward Room at Windsor at 1700 hours
on Monday 27 Dec 43.

Field.

22 Dec 43.

[Signature]
R. H. ROBERTSON,
Asst Commandant,
R. G. S. B. H. C.

Copies to :- Lt.-Col F.A. Vaton / would you please attend
Major J.V. Beard / the above mentioned meeting.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015MEMO.SUBJECT: ANDERSON CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Christmas dinner will be served to all officers in the Hall
and Mess on Christmas Eve 24 Dec 43.

The bar in Mess and Lounge will be closed from 1530 hours
on 24 Dec 43 for the remainder of that day.

A bar will be open in the Hall and Mess on 24 Dec 43 at
1530 hours.

Dinner will be served at 1930 hours. Men etc. will be
served at dinner without cost to officers.

The bar will be open from the conclusion of dinner until
2300 hours.

Field.

22 Dec 43.

[Signature]
Lt. Col.
Asst. Commandant,
R. C. S. M. C.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015LONDON OFFICERS LIST.

The following officers will form the Messing Committee for London :-

Major Randall	(B)	Messing Officer
Major Finer	(A)	Asst. Messing Officer.
Capt. Black	(1)	" " "
Lieut. Lester	(2)	" " "
Lieut. Boone	(A)	" " "
Lieut. Hatt	(B)	" " "
Lieut. Goodman	(A)	" " "

Captain Easton-Sayle.

The Messing Officer will detail Mess Duty Officers daily to be on duty for the duration of each meal. If officers have any complaints or suggestions to make during the course of meals these should be made to the Mess Duty Officer.

The roster of Mess Duty Officers will be compiled and posted on the Officers Mess Notice Board in London by the Messing Officer.

Field.

22 Dec 43.

[Signature] Lt.-Col.,
R. H. ROBERTSON,
Asst. Commandant,
L. C. G. & H. C.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject :- Mess Committee Meeting.

Major Randall.

ASC/52/1

Please attend a joint Mess Committee meeting at my office at 1730 hours today. Bring the other London representative with you.

Field.

20 Dec 43.

W. H. Robertson Lt.-Col.,
R. H. ROBERTSON,
Asst. Commandant,
R. G. S. & H. C.

Copies to :- Captain Doyle,
Lieut. Wright & Please attend this meeting.
Lieut. Pratt

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Major Randall,

ASC/52/1

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20 Dec 43.

W. H. Robertson Lt.-Col.,
R. H. ROBERTSON,
Asst. Commandant,
R. G. S. & H. C.

Copies to Captain Doyle,)
Lieut. Wright,) Please attend this meeting.
Lieut. Pratt.)

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Subject :- Christmas Arrangements - Messing.

Major Uhler,
Executive Officer.

ASG/8/1

Friday 21 Dec 43.
All officers dine together in the Salle des Fêtes at 1930 hours.

Bar opens in Salle des Fêtes 1830 hours.

London and Windsor Bars closed.

Saturday 25 Dec 43.

Officers' Lunch - 1200 hours.

American and British O.N.C. Christmas Dinner in Salle des Fêtes - 1900 hrs.

Field.

20 Dec 43.

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Lt.-Col.

R. H. ROBERTSON,
Asst Commandant,
R. G. I. & H. C.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015CHRISTMAS MENU

Half Grapefruit
 Tomato Soup
 Turkey and Cranberry Sauce
 Tomato Salad
 Peas, Onions
 Sweet Potatoes
 Carrots

Dress Pudding
 White Sauce
 Mince Pies
 Hardy Candy
 Fruit Cake
 Butter
 Nuts and Fruits

Beer
 Coffee

NOTES

Christmas Day, 25 Dec 43.

American III and Division C. 103. Division.

is nearly every officer at the 103d A.C. volunteered to serve at the above in the full of time at 11:00 hours, it was necessary to order from the volunteers.

The following officers will therefore please be at the full time return on 25 Dec 43 at 1315 hours:

Major Anderson	Major Jacobs	Major
Major (Lieut)	Capt. Ryan	Lieut. Smith
Capt. Murphy	1st Lt. Valle	1st Lt. Marshall
Capt. Venable		Capt. Smith
Lieut. Smith		Lieut. Jones
1st Lt. Bessley	Lieut. Kelly	1st Lt. Briggs
Major (Lieut)	Major Wynne	Major Gardner
Major Hamilton	Major Hamilton	Capt. Brown
Capt. Clark	Capt. Johnson	Capt. Williams
1st Lt. Hamilton	1st Lt. Davis	Lieut. Kelly
Major (Lieut)	1st Lt. Bessley	1st Lt. Campbell
Capt. Black	1st Lt. Varr	Major Jones
Major Baker	Major Burton	Major Tolson
Capt. Black	Major Buchanan	Lieut. Kelley
	Lieut. Ellis	1st Lt. Campbell
1st Lt. Marshall	1st Lt. Smith	1st Lt. Robinson
Major Bird	Major Smith	Capt. Brown
Major Collins	Capt. Smith	Capt. Brown
Capt. Smith	Capt. Smith	Capt. Brown
1st Lt. Johnson		Capt. Brown

NOTES

1. Captain Ryan
2. Captain Hamilton
3. Captain Baker
4. Captain Smith
5. Captain Johnson
6. Lieut. Smith
7. Capt. Brown
8. Major Marshall
9. Captain Smith
10. Major Brown
11. Capt. Jones

Notice

Christmas Day

25 Dec 43

American 8th & British APOs. Basing.

As nearly every officer at the M. G. 8th & 1400 hrs at 1400 hrs, it was necessary to draw from the volunteers.

The following officers will therefore please be at the date des Vets on 25 Dec 43 at 1315 hrs

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shall also refer at 1400 hrs. it was necessary
to draw from the volunteers.

The following officers will therefore
please be at the hall also refer on 25 Dec 43
at 1315 hrs

Should any officer be unable to take part
would be please communicate with me

Yours

20 Dec 43.

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STAFF

Lt. Col. Robertson.
 Capt. Watkins.
 Capt. Searle.
 Capt. Moyls.
 Lieut. Challenger.

BRITISH.

Capt. Reed.
 Lieut. Kearin.
 Lieut. Arnes.

AMERICAN.

RESERVES

Capt. Ryan.
 Capt. Hartman.
 Capt. Sader.
 Capt. Swid.
 Capt. Painter.
 Lieut. Limbert.
 Capt. Nuremburg.
 Major. Russell.
 Capt. Scott.
 Major. Irving.
 Capt. Loan.

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1. Major. Anderson.
 Major. Penick.
 Capt. Murphy.
 Capt. Temple.
 Lieut. Arnold.

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 (A)
 (A)
 (A)
 (A)

2. Major. Jacobs.
 Capt. Evans.
 2/Lieut. Vella.

(B)
 (B)
 (B)

3. Capt. Triggs.
 Lieut. Ratt.
 Lt. Col. Marshall.
 Col. Bowman.
 Lieut. Boone.

(A)
 (A)
 (B)
 (B)
 (A)

4. Lt. Col. Fawcett.
 Major. Matthews.
 Major. Hamilton.
 Capt. Aldis.
 2/Lieut. Houston.

(B)
 (A)
 (B)
 (B)
 (A)

5. Lt. Col. Kelly.
 Major. Haynes.
 Major. Strachan.
 Capt. Mahoney.
 2/Lieut. Davis.

(A)
 (B)
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 (A)

6. Lt. Col. Bright.
 Major. Porter.
 Capt. Rogers.
 Lieut. Althell.
 Capt. Mackenzie.

(B)
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7. Lt. Col. Smith.
 Major. McCallum.
 Capt. Black.
 Major. Lollar.
 Capt. Bever.

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 (B)

8. Lt. Col. Cooper.
 Lt. Col. Kerr.
 Major. Derran.
 Major. Kauffman.
 Lieut. Willis.

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 (B)
 (A)
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 (B)

9. Lt. Col. Orwood.
 Major. Adams.
 Major. Bell.

(B)
 (A)
 (B)

Xmas Day.

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Major. Matthews.	(A)				
Major. Hamilton.	(E)				
Capt. Aldis.	(E)				
2/Lieut. Houston.	(A)				
5. Lt. Col. Kelly.	(A)				
Major. Haynes.	(E)				
Major. Strachan.	(A)				
Capt. Mahoney.	(A)				
2/Lieut. Davis.	(A)				
6. Lt. Col. Bright.	(E)				
Major. Carter.	(A)				
Capt. Rogers.	(A)				
Lieut. Zittel.	(A)				
Capt. Mackenzie.	(E)				
7. Lt. Col. Smith.	(E)				
Major. McCallum.	(A)				
Capt. Black.	(E)				
Major. Loller.	(A)				
Capt. Baker.	(E)				
8. Lt. Col. Cooper.	(E)				
Lt. Col. Kerr.	(E)				
Major. Derham.	(A)				
Major. Kaufman.	(A)				
Lieut. Willis.	(E)				
9. Lt. Col. Greenwood.	(E)				
Major. Adams.	(A)				
Major. Dollar.	(E)				
Lieut. Riley.	(E)				
2/Lieut. Loughran.	(A)				
10. Lt. Col. Purcell.	(E)				
Major. Birt.	(A)				
Major. Collins.	(E)				
Capt. Pratt.	(A)				
2/Lieut. Lowrey.	(A)				
11. Lt. Col. Hobbs.	(A)				
Major. Mason.	(E)				
Capt. Gruelle.	(A)				
Capt. Copeland.	(E)				

1.	Capt. Ryan.	(A)
2.	Capt. Hartman.	(E)
3.	Capt. Sader.	(A)
4.	Capt. Birt.	(E)
5.	Capt. Painter.	(A)
6.	Lieut. Limbert.	(E)
7.	Capt. Nuremburg.	(A)
8.	Major. Russell.	(E)
9.	Capt. Scott.	(A)
10.	Major. Irving.	(E)
11.	Capt. Loss.	(A)

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A class meeting, for those officers who were in Windsor, will be held on Friday at 1800 hours in the Hall, Gas. Petrol.

Agenda :- The members of a Committee to receive suggestions etc.

Field.

16 Dec 43.

W. L. K. G.
 For Mr. W. L. K. G.,
 Assistant Secretary,
 C. I. & R. C.

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To :- Colonel J.F. Dunlop, D.B.E., D.S.O., T.D.,
 Colonel R.T. Horwood,
 Lt.-Col. J. Gutter,
 Lt.-Col. J. Brown,
 Lieut. J. J. Wright.

Please be good enough to post Lt.-Col. Gutter at 1000 hours
 in the main hall (indoor) today, 17 Dec 45.

Yours,
 J.F. Dunlop.

15 Dec 45.

RECEIVED 17 DEC 1945

[Signature]
 Lt.-Col. J. Gutter,
 1000 hours,
 17 Dec 45.

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TO: DAG., GHQ., 2nd Echelon.
FROM: British Admin. HQ., AMGAC.
SUBJECT: Officers' Messes - P.O.W. Cooks.
REFERENCE: MGC/5292(G-1)
DATE: 12 December 1946.

1. There are two officers' Messes at the Military Government School and Holding Centre and over 100 British and American Officers on the ration strength.
2. The rations are American and it is considered that Italian P.O.W. chefs are best qualified to handle it.
3. Could eight first class Italian P.O.W. cooks please be attached to this centre.

Wm. L. L.
Colonel,
Commandant,
British Admin. HQ., AMGAC..

Copy to:- Assistant Commandant, MGS & H.C. ✓

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject:- CANTEEN COMMITTEE MINUTES

To : Col. Parkin.

From : Chairman.

Herewith for your approval, minutes of First General Meeting held Sunday, 12 Dec 43.

In the absence of the newly-formed Entertainment Committee, we planned the opening night for Monday, 13 Dec, and it is felt that a few words from you to open the canteen at 19.30 hrs would be appreciated.

13 Dec 43.


.....Chairman
Canteen General Committee.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015*Asst Comm*MINUTESMEETING AT SALLES DES FETES, 1600 HOURS, 11 DECEMBER 1943

Colonel Kirkwood presided. He told how this meeting had been called for the purpose of hearing complaints about the mess at London, and recommendations for improvement.

Lt. Blair (B) asked what the establishment for waiters and cooks was.

The mess officer, Lt. Pratt (A), said there was a staff sergeant for mess sergeant, two first cooks, four second cooks; plus mechanics, K. P. pushers, etc.

Col. Kirkwood added that there was no authorized allowance.

Lt. Goodlow (B) asked for a statement of accounts.

Major Beard read the statement appended hereto (Appendix "A").

Capt. McNulty (B) asked whether garbage was sold or not.

Col. Kirkwood said that this would be taken up at another time.

Capt. Gardham (B) asked for a statement of assets and liabilities.

Major Beard (B) read the statement appended hereto (Appendix "B").

Col. Lynch-Blosse told how he had been sick four times and had been consistently refused food in his room.

Col. Kirkwood said this would be taken care of through Colonel Robinson.

Col. Parkin added that he had just received this report on Col. Lynch-Blosse and said that he would appoint a board of officers to investigate the matter.

Capt. Bain (B) said the food was extremely bad for the money paid. It was also very badly prepared.

Lt. Lester (B) compared this mess with others. He said that in places like Constantine there was better food for less money. He suggested a committee be appointed to investigate the situation.

Col. Kirkwood said he would do better than this and that Lt. Lester would be given the opportunity to help cure the situation.

Major Tolson (B) suggested that there should be an Army Catering Corps man in the mess, and that a member of the permanent staff should attend and mess at London mess.

Col. Kirkwood said that there was no such thing as a Catering Corps in the American Army and that if there was such a British officer present at the school, he would like to have him work on the mess.

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Major Harris (B) and 4 other British majors commented the poorly-prepared food, lack of hygiene and discipline, broken crockery, dirty and unshaven waiters, the use of filthy rags to wipe tables, etc.

A British major suggested that some furniture be purchased for the comfort of the officers.

Col. Kirkwood said something would be done about this.

Major Randall (B) said he thought waste was caused by bad cooking, dirty utensils. He offered a knife spotted with rust as evidence. He said that better supervision of cooks and more cleanliness were needed.

Col. Kirkwood agreed that the knife needed scouring.

Capt. Nagel (B) criticized the uncleanness of utensils, the cursory manner in which they were washed.

Capt. Wilson (A) suggested that perhaps some food could be saved from waste if it were placed on platters on tables so that officers could help themselves.

Capt. Hotchkiss (A) spoke on the subject of beverages. He said that the coffee here was the worse he had had in Africa and objected to the serving of cold lemonade on cold and rainy days.

Lt. Hatt (B) asked what the ration scale was.

The mess officer said the scale was broken down to food per 100 men. He said the scale could be gotten from S-4.

Lt. Hatt (B) also commented upon the poor hygienic appearance of the cooks, utensils, etc. Suggested better supervision of cooks.

Lt. Goodman (A) told how it had been impossible to get bigger portions of food. He said that some officers frequently had to go another section of the dining room for another meal because they had been refused seconds at their first.

Lt. Lester (B) asked how many waiters, dish washers, cooks, etc. ate in the mess.

The mess officer said there were 71 in all.

Col. Kirkwood added that it was customary in the American Army for kitchen help to eat the same food.

A British officer wanted to know how often the kitchen help was inspected.

The mess sergeant, S/Sgt Ryan, said the kitchen help was inspected twice a month, the waiters once a month.

A British officer added that this examination was to see if men were victims of any venereal disease or infested with vermin, and that was all.

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Major Croxton (B) said the food at London mess wasn't as good as at the Commandant's mess and that it was rumored that some London mess funds were being used at the Commandant's mess.

Col. Parkin told how the Commandant's mess is entirely separate from other messes. He said that this mess draws rations just as any other, charges its members more than the others. There is absolutely no transfer of funds between this mess and others. He said that the Commandant's mess did not enter into this discussion at all.

Capt. Drummond (B) suggested that Spam, bully beef, etc. be made available at the mess for those who didn't want the regular meals.

Capt. Havell (A) wanted to know who was responsible for the disposition of mess funds.

Col. Parkin said that a bulletin had been posted several times, showing the names of students who had been chosen as a Mess Council.

Lt. Boone (A) suggested closer liaison between those in charge of the money and those who buy the food.

An American major said he thought the enlisted men should eat at other than the time the officers were messing.

Col. Kirkwood then spoke on the subject of complaining about the mess. He said the matter had gotten into the disease stage. He said that the first step in correcting the situation was to improve the moral tone of the mess, the next step was to improve the mess itself. He suggested that future complaints be put in writing and that they contain three features: 1) moderate tone 2) constructive character 3) accuracy as to facts. He said that many complaints had been exaggerated in the past, and that exaggeration had undermined the very cause they were working for. He also asked them to remember that they were living on an Army ration and that many things they liked were not obtainable. He asked that those officers who had spoken at the meeting stay behind. From among them he would pick seven, two of whom would be present at each meal. They would receive complaints, correct them, and report them to the proper authority if outside their power.

Col. Robinson said that he had taken over only a fortnight ago, and that this was the first time he had heard about waiters being untidy and unshaven. If he had been told about that, it would have been rectified at once.

Col. Parkin spoke about how rations had to be taken as they came. Nothing could be said if the post was given "weeables" four times a week, etc. He said the rations at this post compared very favorably with the British rations in North Ireland.

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The following officers were chosen for a Mess Committee by Col. Kirkwood:

Major McReddy (B)	Lt. Hatt (B)
Major Randall (B)	Lt. Lester (B)
Capt. Eastman-Nagle (B)	2nd Lt. Goodman (A)
Capt. Black (B)	1st Lt. Boone (A)

Major McReddy was appointed Mess Officer, beginning Monday morning, 13 December 1943. Others, except Capt. Eastman-Nagle, a Medical Corps officer, are assistant mess officers, beginning Monday morning, 13 December 1943. Capt. Eastman-Nagle will advise from the medical standpoint - on hygiene, sanitation, etc. They will function under the immediate supervision of Col. Robinson. At least two officers will be present throughout each meal; will eat either before the meal or at the last serving, so that they are available at all times. Officers will be rotated. Officers serving for the day will have their names posted in all sections of the mess hall, so that diners will know who to bring complaints to. The committee was told to correct any complaints made, doing so immediately if possible. If not possible to do so right away, to report the complaint to the mess officer. If beyond the powers of the mess officer, to report it to Col. Robinson. Members were cautioned on the handling of enlisted men, and were told that the human element should be considered in handling them. They were told that Lt. Pratt would stand by and would be available to assist in any way he could and to supply necessary information.

The meeting closed at 1730 hours.

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<u>Position of Funds</u>	<u>Profit</u>	<u>Loss</u>
Wines 18,230 Francs	1289	
Messing 9,181 Francs		1891
Laundry 40,645 Francs	10484	
Batman 8,430 Francs	4375	
General <u>35,265 Francs</u>		5947
109,749 Francs		

APPENDIX B

Cash in Bank	14,000 Francs
Cash on Hand	64,384 Francs

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015LONG NOTICE.

Certain complaints were made at the London Press Meeting on 11 Dec 43 in regard to the crockery. On Tuesday 16 cups and on Wednesday 16 cups and 1 jug were missing. No doubt this was due to officers borrowing these for tea and not returning them to the Press.

No objection is taken to officers using Press crockery but it must be returned after use.

The return of the 30 mugs and the jug will be appreciated.

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6 Dec 43.

Major,
President, London Press Committee.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Orders for Waiters in London Mess.

1. SMOKING in London Mess is prohibited.
2. ALL WAITERS in the mess in large dining hall at these hours 0715, 1245 and 1845, inspected for cleanliness in general, and of the hands and nails in particular.
3. DRESS - R.P. Trousers, U.S. pattern khaki shirt, scrubbed belt (webbing), boots and scrubbed socks.
4. One waiter for each table will draw food from the cooks and pass it through the hatch to the other waiter who will carry it to his table.
5. After each meal, tables will be cleared, brushed, mopped etc., placed in the bins in the kitchen.
6. Tables, forms and chairs will be scrubbed, and wiped dry above and below after each meal.
7. Floors will be mopped and left clean after each meal.
8. Dishwashers are to ensure that all crockery and cutlery is thoroughly clean before being put away.
9. After use, all tanks and utensils will be left clean.
10. No waiter will commence his meal until all officers have left the mess.

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13-100 45.

Serving Officer.

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The attention of all officers is drawn to General Standing Orders in regard to the service of meals in quarters. The respective Mess Staffs have been instructed that no meals will be issued to Officers' battalions for consumption in quarters unless the officer concerned has been reported sick in quarters and has procured from the Medical Officer attending to him a certificate that he is sick in quarters and that meals will be supplied for the period decided on by the Medical Officer.

Field.

12 Dec 43.

[Signature] Lt.-Col.,
 G. H. DOWNEY, JR.,
 Asst. Commandant,
 M. G. S. & H. C. 48

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The following officers are detailed as the Messing Committee for London :-

Major McGrenade	Messing Officer
Major Russell	Asst Messing Officer
Capt. Black	" "
Lieut Lester	" "
Lieut Boone	" "
Lieut Hett	" "
Lieut Goodman	" "

Captain Eastman-Nagle.

The Messing Officer will detail ~~two~~ less duty officers daily to be on duty for the duration of each meal. If officers have any complaints or suggestions to make during the course of meals these should be made to ~~any~~ of the less duty officers.

The roster of Mess Duty Officers will be compiled and posted on the Officers Mess Notice Board in London by the Messing Officer.

The above committee will commence their duties at 0730 hours, January 13/43.

Field.

12 Dec 43.

M. Robertson Lt.-Col.,
 T. H. ROBERTSON,
 Asst Commandant,
 G. S. & H. C.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject :- Outstanding Pass Bill - Capt. C.V. Randall. C.A.C.A.C.,
C.F.C.,
-----ASG/3/1

In reply to your letter G1/B/3004/172/43, dated 9 Dec 43, nothing is known in regard to this matter. Captain Randall was posted away from this establishment on 6 Oct 43.

His last known address is :-

A.A.R.H. 4. - C.F.C.

Field.

11 Dec 43.

[Signature]
 Lt. H. ROBERTSON,
 Joint Command,
 C.A.C. & C.F.C.

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SUBJECT :- Outstanding Pass Bill - Capt C.F. Randall RA

ARMED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

CA/B/300/172/43.

Officer Commanding,
Military Government School & Holding Centre

9 Dec 43.

It is requested that a reply may be given as soon as possible
to this HQ letter of even number dated 18 Nov 43.

W. H. ...
Lieutenant General,
Chief Administrative Officer.

SO56
sent to ...

...

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nothing is known in regard
to this matter. Capt Randall
was posted away from this
unit on 6 Oct 43. His last
known address is -

AMG HQ
C M F

Lt Col

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URGENT NOTICE

A meeting of all officers who mess in London will be held in the Salle des Petits at 1600 hours today, Saturday 11 Dec 43.

Colonel R.G. Kirkwood will preside.

Major H.C. Ward, President of the Audit Board, will present the accounts of the mess to the meeting.

Tea will, therefore, be served from 1630 to 1700 hours today.

BY ORDER OF MR. PARKER.

11 Dec 43.

W. Robertson Lt.-Col.,
A. H. Robertson,
Asst. Commandant,
R. G. A. S. C.

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015NOTICE.INTRODUCTION.

As from today the free issue of cigarettes etc. and the purchase of ration goods may be had from the bar in London at the following times :-

Saturdays	...	...	...	...	...	1530 - 1630	44
Sundays	...	...	...	...	...	1000 - 1200	
Weekdays	...	...	...	...	...	1530 - 1630	

It may be possible for officers to draw their weekly free issue on Fridays 1530 - 1630 hours.

Field.

11 Dec 43.

W. Robertson Lt.-Col.
 W. H. ROBERTSON,
 Asst. Commandant,
 L. G. Force H. Q.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015NOTICE.

Owing to Black Market activities in the sale of Newspapers "Stars & Stripes" and "Union Jack", arrangements have been made to have these papers on sale at Windsor and London under special arrangements as from Monday, 13 Dec 43.

Field.

11 Dec 43.

Robertson
R. H. ROBERTSON,
Asst Commandant,
R. C. S. & R. C.

Lt.-Col.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015WESTERN UNION.

The meeting of representatives of all nations to discuss the leasing arrangements in London was arranged for 1750 hours today (Friday 10th Dec 45) is unavoidably postponed. The meeting will be held at a time to be announced on Saturday 11th Dec 45.

State.

10 Dec 45.

[Signature]
Lt.-Col.
R. G. W. G. G.
Asst. Commandant,
R. G. W. G. G.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject :- Departures - Officers.AC/8/PIC.Region Commanders. Regions 5 ~~8~~ and ~~7~~

Cases have occurred recently of officers who, upon leaving this post, have failed to sign out in the Central Register kept in the Executive Office (Central Building), also to pay their Mess Bill at the P.M.C. office.

Would you please draw the attention of all officers under your Command to the Information sheet, dated 29 Oct 43, issued to all officers on arrival, with particular attention being drawn to paras. A2, B7 and B8.

Your co-operation in this matter is requested.

Field.

7 Dec 43.

Copy to :- Executive Officer.

M. Robertson Lt.-Col.,
G. H. ROBERTSON
Assistant Commandant
H. G. S. & H. C. 41

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject :- Refreshment Service.100/44/1M. (British)

The service of tea and cakes will please be arranged at London on Monday 6 Dec 43, at 1615 hours for approximately 90 officers, at a cost of 2 francs per officer for 1 cup of tea and 1 cake. Payment to be made at the time.

field.

14 Dec 43.

[Signature] Lt.-Col.,
 R.A. (British)
 Assistant Quartermaster,
 M.F.S. (British)

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SUBJECT:- Permanent Staff Mess.

Lieut.-Col. D.B.Aitken,
 Asst. Comd.
 Mil. Govt. School & Hdq. Centre.

Hereunder Nominal Roll of Officers using Permanent Staff Mess:-

Col. Parkin,
 Lt.-Col. D.B.Aitken.
 Major Robinson.
 Major Siebert.
 Major Kieffer.
 Capt. Hallan.
 Capt. D.C.Moyle.
 Capt. Taylor.
 Capt. Searle.
 Lieut. McPhail.
 Lieut. Marsland.
 Capt. Morrison.

Lieut. Arens.
 Lieut. Ksarin.
 Lieut. Howlands.
 Lieut. Hoyle.
 Lieut. Challinor.
 Lieut. Wraight.
 Lieut. Svedlow.
 Lieut. Goldstein.
 Lieut. Keys.
 W.O. Ellenbast.
 W.O. Brock.



Lieut.

Field.
 30th October, 1943.

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MONDAY 1st November.

Colonel	R.H. Parren.	
"	E.J. Edwards.	
"	H.G. Willmor.	
Lt.-Col.	L.E. Vining.	
"	W. Kerr.	
"	H.J. Purcell.	
"	W.C. Smith.	
"	H. Venning.	
Captain	G.B. Gillett.	
"	F. Turner.	
Major	R.F. Bray.	
Captain	F.E. Burns.	
Major	G.S. Franklin.	
"	G. Smeville.	
"	M.S. Robinson.	
"	M.A. Dickie.	
Captain	R.M. Ponder.	
Major	C.R. Allworth.	
Captain	H.J. Birch.	
Major	J.H. Boddess.	
Captain	T.G. Evans.	
"	E.V. Falk.	
"	W.H. Gamble.	
Major	E. Gard.	
Captain	W.G.J. Hall.	
Lieut.	C.J. Macnamara.	
Major	L. Montague.	
Captain	E.C. Patrick.	
Lieut.	D.R. Roberson.	
Major	R. Reeve.	
"	F.B. Richardson.	
Lieut.	A.P. Row.	
Major	S. Sinslie.	
Captain	A.A. Vesselo.	
Lieut.	W.V. Lewis.	
Captain	J.P. Matlins.	
Captain	C. Bertelli.	
Major	G. Calrow.	
Captain	R.W. Duckley.	
"	M.E.M. Goode.	
Lieut.	R. Dudley-Clarke.	
Major	A.S. Cretton.	
"	T.O.S. White.	
"	K.P. Dummolly.	
"	A.R. Hough.	
Captain	J.E. Black.	
"	A.E.P. Secker.	
"	L.K. Pawley.	

British Officers.

0830 - 0900 hrs.0900 - 0930 hrs.0930 - 1000 hrs.1030 - 1100 hrs.1100 - 1130 hrs.1130 - 1200 hrs.

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0930 - 1000 hrs.

Captain. R.J. Birch.
 Major. J.H. Bordass.
 Captain. T.S. Evans.
 " R.V. Falk.
 " G.H. Gamble.
 Major. B. Gard.

1030 - 1100 hrs.

Captain. R.C.J. Hall.
 Lieut. C.J. Macnamara.
 Major. I. Montague.
 Captain. B.C. Patrick.
 Lieut. D.R. Robertson.
 Major. R. Roove.
 " F.B. Richardson.
 Lieut. A.F. Shaw.

1100 - 1130 hrs.

Major. G. Ainslie.
 Captain. A.A. Vesselo.
 Lieut. R.V. Lewis.
 Captain. J.P. Watkins.
 Captain. O. Bertelli.
 Major. G. Cairns.
 Captain. R.W. Buckley.
 " E.B.H. Goods.

1130 - 1200 hrs.

Lieut. R. Dunley-Clarke.
 Major. A.S. Croxton.
 " T.O.S. White.
 " K.P. Punnolly.
 " A.R. Hough.
 Captain. J.R. Black.
 " A.S.F. Becker.
 " L.X. Hawley.

1200 - 1230 hrs.

Lieut. W.A. Buchanan.
 Major. M. Holt.
 Captain. F.J. Jebens.
 Major. M.J. Geller.
 Captain. G.W.A. Kayser.
 Major. D.A. Jacobs.
 " E. Alker.
 " E.L. Siebert.

1400 - 1430 hrs.

Captain. S.G.R. Cates.
 " S.D. Twissie.
 Major. S.C. Elder.
 Lieut. P. Edwards.
 Captain. S.J. Harvey.
 Lieut. A. Riley.
 Captain. B. Vincent.
 2nd Lt. J. Cicola. (Am)

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1st Lt.	C. B'anco.	American Officer
2nd Lt.	A. De Castano.	
"	G. Gennette.	
"	J.S. Nardini.	
"	B.J. Opulente.	
"	C. Petrillo.	
"	V. Paolino.	
"	S.M. Clegg.	
2nd Lt.	M. Cornin.	
Major	G.S. Parlin.	
Major	W.C. Collins.	
Major	M. Brown.	
Major	M.S. Phillips.	
Major	J. H. Penick.	
Capt.	B.M. White.	
2nd Lt.	C.P. Jones.	
1st Lt.	W. E. Blom.	
Major	W. Walker.	
Capt.	A.J. Phillips.	
Major	J. O. Hall.	
Major	H. Anderson.	
Capt.	V.A. Catozella.	
Lt-Adm.	M.A. Luciano.	
Capt.	G.C.S. Benson.	
Major	P.H. Davis.	
1st Lt.	H.A. Grant.	
1st Lt.	A. Goodloe.	
Major	W. Harris.	
Major	E.G. King.	
Capt.	J.F. Keir.	
Capt.	A.T. Lockwood.	
Major	R. Leigh.	
1st Lt.	L.L. Miller.	
Major	C.C. Meslen.	
Major	C.E. Peday.	
Major	W.W. Saora.	
Major	W.H. Yeager.	
1st Lt.	R.M. Freeman.	
Major	R.T. Uhler.	
2nd Lt.	S.J. Barcy.	
Major	A. Clarksoles.	
Major	X.W. Fischer.	
Major	J.W. Prigmore.	
1st Lt.	R.L. Volstad.	
Capt.	T. Catonelli.	
1st Lt.	R.A. Gasiano.	
1st Lt.	C.M.V. Brown.	
Capt.	K.J. Curran.	
Capt.	C.I. Darn.	

American Officer

1430 - 1530 hrs.

1530 - 1630 hrs.

1630 - 1668 hrs.

1600 - 1630 hrs.

1630 - 1700 hrs.

1700 - 1730 hrs.

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1800 - 1830 hrs.

1830 - 1700 hrs.

1700 - 1730 hrs.

1730 - 1800 hrs.

Major	H. Anderson.
Capt.	F.A. Catozella.
Lt.-Col.	H.A. Muenanno.
Capt.	G.C. Benson.
Major	P.H. Davis.
1st Lt.	H.A. Grant.
1st Lt.	A. Cocello.
Major	M. Harris.
Major	E.C. King.
Capt.	J.F. Keim.
Capt.	A.T. Lockwood.
Major	R. Leigh.
1st Lt.	L.L. Miller.
Major	C.C. Neelen.
Major	C.E. Peddy.
Major	N.W. Sacra.
Major	W.H. Toier.
1st Lt.	R.M. Freeman.
Major	R.T. Uhler.
2nd Lt.	S.J. Barsy.
Major	A. Clinkscloes.
Major	X.W. Fischer.
Major	J.W. Prigmore.
1st Lt.	H.L. Volstad.
Capt. X.	T. Gatchell.
1st Lt.	R.A. Gasiano.
1st Lt.	B.W.V. Brown.
Capt.	K.J. Curran.
Capt.	C.I. Dunn.
1st Lt.	E.G. Cannon.
Capt.	S.R. Marsh.
Capt.	C.H. Phelps.
Capt.	H.P. Radigan.
Capt.	D.B. Roberts.
Capt.	H.W. Stone.
Capt.	J. A. Turnbull.

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HORTON SMITH HARTLEY

Lt-Col
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Colonel
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A. Wood.
C.E. Francis.
M.M. Leslie.
E.O. Howell.
C.R. Birchett.
I.V. Hiscock.
R.P. Marshall.
J.J. Albright.
T.N. Page.
I.F. Belser.
O.H. Cornwell.

0830 - 0900 hrs.

Capt.
Capt.
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Capt.
Capt.
Capt.
Capt.
Capt.

E. Thompson.
L.G. Williams.
M. K. Wilson.
T. Wilcox.
W. M. Husher.
T. V. McMary.
S. D. Elliott.
A. MacDougal.

0900 - 0930 hrs.

Capt. D. H. Gaither.
2nd Lt.
Major
2nd Lt.
1st Lt.
2nd Lt.
Capt. C.
2nd Lt.

I. Manck.
J. W. Clarke.
W.F. Goodman.
W. Shouse.
E. S. Woolley.
Painter.
E.W. Nash.

0930 - 1000 hrs.

2nd Lt.
2nd Lt.
2nd Lt.
2nd Lt.
Capt. H
2nd Lt.
Capt. P
Capt.
Capt.

E.S. Evans.
W.T. Mayo.
L.J. McLannan.
D.B. McLannan.
H.F. Keeney.
E.W. Hawkins.
F.L. Johnson.
P.L. Neilman.
C.D. Trease.

1030 - 1100 hrs.

W.O.
1st Lt.
Ensign
1st Lt.
Capt.
2nd Lt.
1st Lt.

D.G. Germano.
P.L. Harvey.
G.S. Read.
P.S. Hawkins.
W.T. Boone.
C.D. Constock.
A.H. Bosard.
A.L. Bernard.

1100 - 1130 hrs.

1st Lt.
Capt.
Capt.
Capt.
1st Lt.

E.D. Arndt.
J.A.E. Cowan.
A.B. Cavanaugh.
C. Gawnhorn.
J.O. Davenport.

1130 - 1200 hrs.

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0930 - 1000 hrs.1030 - 1100 hrs.1100 - 1130 hrs.1130 - 1200 hrs.1200 - 1230 hrs.

Capt. D. M. Gaither.

2nd Lt. I. Manck.
 Major J. W. Clarke.
 2nd Lt. W. E. Goodman.
 1st Lt. W. Shouse.
 2nd Lt. B. S. Woolley.
 Capt. C. Painter.
 2nd Lt. B. W. Nash.

2nd Lt. B. E. Newmans.
 2nd Lt. M. L. Mayo.
 2nd Lt. L. F. McManney.
 2nd Lt. D. B. McManmin.
 Capt. H. K. McManney.
 2nd Lt. D. W. Hawkins.
 Capt. P. L. Johnson.
 Capt. P. L. Neilman.
 Capt. G. D. Prease.

W.O. D. C. Germane.
 1st Lt. P. L. Harvey.
 Ensign G. S. Reed.
 1st Lt. P. S. Hawkins.
 Capt. W. T. Boone.
 2nd Lt. C. D. Constock.
 1st Lt. R. K. Bosard.
 1st Lt. A. L. Bernard.

1st Lt. E. D. Arndt.
 Capt. J. R. A. Cowan.
 Capt. A. B. Cavanaugh.
 Capt. T. Cawthorn.
 1st Lt. J. C. Davenport.
 Capt. G. H. Hayes.
 Capt. P. P. Luckman.
 1st Lt. A. E. Campbell.

Capt. L. L. Mitchell.
 1st Lt. H. E. Meyers.
 Major G. E. Riddell.
 Major L. A. Stoner.
 Capt. L. Patrick.
 Capt. S. H. Acheson.
 2nd Lt. A. F. Arnold.
 W.O. J. Bonfiglio.

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Capt.	G. Bump.	
"	H.W.A. Backman.	
Major	J.P. Blais	
"	C. Carter.	
Capt	L.L. Ciro.	
Capt.	A. Carter.	
Major	J.A. Carroll.	
Major	W.R. Cohen.	
Major	L.C. Dawing.	
Capt.	I. de Koranyi.	
Capt.	H.E. Earl.	
W.O.	J. Galluzzo	
W.O.	P.S. Garoffano	
Capt.	O.P. Gmelle.	
Capt.	P. J. Pott.	
Major H.	P. Nuceria.	
Capt.	J.M. Lammus.	
2nd Lt.	P.T. Loughran.	
Capt.	J.E. Long.	
Capt.	L. J. Monsen.	
Capt.	J.J. O'Neill.	
W.O.	A.A. Pascarella	
Capt.	J. Powhida.	
Capt.	A. Robertson.	
Capt.	J.C. Rively	
Capt.	N.P. Seagrave.	
Major	D.C. Strachan.	
W.O.	M. Siraco.	
W.O.	L. Viarengo.	
Major.	R.C. Venturi.	
Capt.	M. Williams.	
Capt.	C. Varley.	
Capt.	R. Winget.	
2nd Lt.	F. Spencer.	
Capt.	R.A. Ryan.	
"	C.J. Parker.	
2nd Lt.	T.A. Morris	
Maj.	R. Lallar.	
"	P.H. Lewis.	
1st Lt.	T.G. Holladay.	
Maj.	W.L. Henderson.	
"	F.D. Gallagher.	
"	R.M. Fisher.	
"	T.L. Frank.	
Capt.	E.L. Bennett.	
"	L.H. Bailey.	
"	J.A. Bridgman.	
Maj.	J.L. Babcock.	
Capt.	B.H. Goldsmith.	

1400 - 1430 hrs.1430 - 1500 hrs.1500 - 1530 hrs.1530 - 1600 hrs.1600 - 1630 hrs.1630 - 1700 hrs.

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1500 - 1530 hrs.

Capt. L. J. Conson.
 Capt. J. J. O'Neill.
 W.O. A. J. Pascarella.
 Capt. J. Powhida.
 Capt. A. Robertson.

1530 - 1600 hrs.

Capt. J. C. Rively.
 Capt. K. F. Seagrave.
 Major D. C. Stracian.
 W.O. N. Siraco.
 W.O. L. Viarengo.
 Major R. C. VanLirk.
 Capt. H. Williams.
 Capt. C. Varley.

1600 - 1630 hrs.

Capt. R. Winget.
 2nd Lt. F. Spencer.
 Capt. R. A. Ryan.
 " C. J. Parker,
 2nd Lt. T. A. Morris.
 Maj. R. Lallar.
 " W. H. Lewis.
 1st Lt. T. G. Holladay.

1630 - 1700 hrs.

Maj. W. L. Henderson.
 " P. D. Gallagher.
 " R. M. Fisher.
 Capt. T. L. Frank.
 " E. L. Bennett.
 " L. H. Bailey.
 Maj. J. A. Bridgeman.
 J. L. Babcock.

1700 - 1730 hrs.

Capt. B. M. Goldsmith.
 Maj. J. S. Bennett.
 2nd Lt. N. Parris.
 Capt. H. E. Hudson.
 " R. P. Weaver.
 " J. M. Merritt.
 " W. E. Pratt.
 " H. S. Potter.

1730 - 1800 hrs.

2nd Lt. A. Scariano.
 " N. P. Theodore.
 W.O. D. Pasquesi.
 Capt. T. M. Whalen.
 Maj. T. J. Burns.
 " H. T. Walker.
 Capt. C. C. DeGerstorff.
 Maj. A. W. Tolman.

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Tuesday 3rd November

Lt. Col. G. G. Barnard.
" " L. S. Zolly.
" " S. R. Lohoe.
" " J. F. Morton.
" " J. B. Morrell.
" " H. M. Baker.
" " A. C. Brown.
" " S. C. Kirkwood.
Col. H. S. Griffin.
Lt. Col. G. C. Brown.
" " J. F. Linton.
Colonel H. H. Henry.

Major J. S. Nelson.
Capt. G. H. Lohoe.
" " J. C. Andrews.
Major P. H. Lohoe.
" " P. H. Lohoe.
1st Lt. S. D. Lohoe.
2nd Lt. C. A. Lohoe.
Major L. Lohoe.

Major J. S. Nelson.
Capt. G. H. Lohoe.
" " J. C. Andrews.
Major P. H. Lohoe.
" " P. H. Lohoe.
1st Lt. S. D. Lohoe.
2nd Lt. C. A. Lohoe.
Major L. Lohoe.

0830 - 0900 hrs.

0900 hrs - 0930 hrs.

British Officers.

0930 - 1000 hrs.

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Letters (Col. Dunlop - Lt-Col Aitken)
with reference to officers non-
payment of mess bills filed on
Confidential file. As instructed
by Lt.-Col Aitken.

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N O T I C E.

All officers are requested to pay particular attention to the LHM on the Mess Notice Board regarding the times and dates of payment of their Mess Bills.

Field,
31 Oct. 43.
BT.

JBA

Lt.-Col. D.B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant.

FOR ATTENTION OF ALL OFFICERS.

The officers shown on the attached lists will pay their leave bills at the times and dates stated. It is of paramount importance that the schedule is strictly adhered to in order that leave bills may be completed by the 3rd September to enable the P.M.C. to produce a balance sheet for the month of October.

Agreement to this procedure has been sanctioned by the J.C.C.F. and the leave schedule will take precedence above all other duties.

The P.M.C.'s office (situated next to Camp Commandant's office, London) will be closed during the period 1-3 November except for the payment of leave bills, and any emergency departures that may arise.

It is requested that no officer ^{except} ~~interview~~ with this routine work except under very exceptional circumstances.

No officer is authorized to proceed to ALGERIA on the day that he is due to pay his leave bill.

In the event of a definite urgent duty having to be performed, the officer concerned, will first obtain the permission of the Assistant Commandant. This applies equally to all platoons.

Field,
30 Oct. 42.

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JDA

Lt.-Col. G.B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant
to Commandant.

Copies to : Colonel Bailor,
Director of Studies.

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Field,
30 Oct. 43.
SR.

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JDA

Lt.-Col. H. H. Allison,
Assistant Commandant
to Commandant.

Copies to : - Colonel Junior,
Director of Studies.

JDA

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To. Commandant
Military Gov. School.

The enclosed copy of the minutes of a Mess Council meeting
is forwarded for your approval.

Field.
25th Oct. '43.

[Signature]
..... Capt.
Camp Commandant.
Military Gov. School & Holding Centre.
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Minutes of a Mess Meeting held in LONDON 23.10.43.

Present.

Capt A.P. Searle
Lt L. Kearn
Lt Col D.D. Aitken.
Major J. Keiffer

President
Member

} represents
the remaining
members of the
committee.

Lt Col Aitken read a draft balance sheet of the mess accounts, showing a profit for the period 1st Aug - 20th Oct of 56,000 Francs. He then proposed that part of this surplus be disposed of as under:

15,000 Francs Purchase of crockery
4 days free messing for all members of the Mess.

Regarding the officers at CHURCHILL Lt Col Aitken proposed that a lump sum of 40 Francs per member be sent to the P.M.C. Churchill Mess.

Major Keiffer seconded this proposition which was carried.

At the end of the meeting the Students' representatives on the mess council:

Lt Cunningham
Capt Butler

U.S.N.
I. Corps

were informed of the decision of the Council.

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DDOS.

HQ

LTC.

See File No 3

Subject Officer Shop Mobile Unit

10/10/57

With reference to letter (unnumbered)
dated 11.9.43 addressed to you by
O.O. No 5 Officer Shop.

And conversation between DDOS HQ LTC
and ADOS Algiers Area it would be
very greatly appreciated if the arranged
visit of the mobile unit may be
made in the immediate future.

There are approximately 300 British
Officers at this School who are
~~not~~ have academic study and
are not able on that account and
also for lack of apt able to go to Algiers
May I please be informed.
What approx approximate date the
unit will arrive and what
accommodation for personnel will be
required

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~~Ans~~

Sleeping accommodation & messing facilities are available ~~for what~~
~~by us~~

May this question be treated as urgent. as ^{some of} the Officers in question are ~~being~~ being continually posted and are obliged to leave this station without adequate clothing. Many ^{of the} Officers have flown out and consequently have not their heavy ~~kit~~ baggage.

Copy to ADDS RD1 (Bentel) AFHQ
" ADDS Helix Area

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MEMBER OFFICE: WINE AND COUNTRY

The following on cards are numbered as indicated on the back of the cards and are the property of the Bureau of the Census.

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The members of the Executive Council are:

Captain.	Carle.	-	Don't	-	(British)
Major.	Wood.			-	(American)
	Carlin.			-	(British)
	Rowe.			-	(American)
Captain.	Boyle.			-	(British)

Field,
7 Feb. 43.

11-101, U.S. 1000,
Assistant Commissioner.

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WHISKY AND SHERRY RATION.

1. The following is the authorized scale for this month:-

WHISKY	$\frac{1}{2}$ Bottle per officer.
SHERRY	2 Bottles per 7 officers.

2. It is in the interest of all officers that those who do not drink either whisky or Sherry, or both, should leave in the Bar stock their ration rather than automatically draw and give someone a double ration.

The reason for this is that officers are often posted when their next ration is nearly due, and before it can be drawn for them, and a small reserve helps to overcome this difficulty, and to the officers concerned a good turn.

As regards the Sherry quota it should enable the distribution to be made for one bottle among three, rather than 2 among 7.

3. Will officers therefore cooperate and append their names as non-drinkers of either or both commodities.

4. Whisky will be sold on Monday, Sherry on Tuesday.

List of groups will be posted on the board.

Field,
2 Oct. 43.

JTB Aitken

Lt.-Col. D.B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant.

The following information was obtained from a review of the 'London' and 'London' are published as shown below.

1. Officers' Bar - Hours of Opening.

Daily
1430 - 1500
1630 - 2200

Officers residing at Messing are requested to confine their purchases of articles to wine and not to ask for beer as the latter is no provision put between the two officers' bars at Messing and Messing, and officers residing at Messing have not the same facilities at the Messing Bar.

2. Sale of "The Night"

Sale of British stamps for air letter cards and envelopes (14)
Sale of American 1/2 cent stamps (5 cents)
Sale of American 1/2 cent stamps with stamps on cover.

The above items will be on sale at the following times only:-

Daily
0800 - 0930
1330 - 1450 (stamps only)
1630 - 1800 (stamps only)

3. Messing Bar (for British Officers only)

The Messing Bar is open each evening from 1800 to 2200 at the following times:-

Saturday
1830 - 2200
Sunday
1830 - 2200

Only Officers who have been away from the Messing Bar for more than 14 days are eligible to use the Messing Bar at a different time.

Officers must show the five issue receipt book at the time of issue.

4. Messing Bar (for British Officers only)

The authorized ration of whiskey and cigarettes per officer is one bottle per month and 70 cigarettes per week. In addition the following is the scale of issue of other items per officer per week. This issue will be seen to be extremely limited and it is obviously unable to be divided per officer.

Tobacco	• 25 oz	Whiskey	• 25 bottles
Cheerful	• 1.10 packets	Foot powder	• 11 tins
Toilet soap	• 14 packets	Tooth paste	• 11 tubes
Shaving	• 11 sticks	Brilliantine	• 05 bottles/tins
Razor blades	• 25 blades	Chocolate or	• 1.10 bars

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The above items will be on sale at the following times:-

0800 - 0830
 1330 - 1400 (except on Sundays)
 1800 - 1830 (except on Sundays)

Daily

3. British Officers' Mess (for British Officers only)

The above items are drawn every Saturday and will be issued at the following times:-

0800 - 0830
 1330 - 1400
 1800 - 1830

Only officers who have been away from the mess for 14 days or more are eligible to draw any items at a different time.

Officers must bring the Free Issue Receipt Book at the time of issue.

4. W.I. Sales (for British Officers only)

The authorized ration of whiskey and cigarettes per officer is one bottle per month and 70 cigarettes per week. In addition the following is the scale of issue of other items per officer per week. This issue will be seen to be extremely limited and is as obviously unable to be divided per officer.

Topcoats	• 25 per	Batteries	• 25 boxes
Chewing gum	• 1.16 packets	Foot powder	• 10 tins
Toilet soap	• 45 cakes	Toothpaste	• 14 tubes
Shaving " "	• 44 cakes	Brilliance	• 05 bottles/tins
Barber blades	• 25 blades	Chocolate or sweets	• 1.00 bars
			• 2.00

The weekly fresh stock is drawn every Saturday and will be available for sale at the following times:-

0800 - 0830
 1330 - 1400 (except on Sundays)

NOTE: British Officers' Messing at Messing will be able to purchase items at the Messing but has it is not possible to call cigarettes issued as ration at London as they are virtually unavailable.

DR Curgen

1st-3rd Lt. B. Allen,
 Messing Officer.

Copy to Sgt. Keisner
" Camp Commandant

20 Sep 45.

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MAAFI

The following are the times laid down for British MAAFI for British Officers:-

Sundays - 0900 - 1200
When the new weekly stock is available.

Weekdays - 1400 - 1430

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D. B. Aitken
Lt.-Col. D. B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant
to Commandant.

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STAMPS AND BAR CHITS.

Stamps and Bar Chits can be bought at the bar at any of the following times:-

0800 - 0830 - Daily
1330 - 1400 - "
1600 - 1630 - "

On Sundays there will be no sale at 1600 - 1630.

Stamps and Bar Chits will NOT be available at any other times although the bar may be open.

6 Sep 43

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LT. COL. D. B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant to Commandant

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NOTICE

1. The P.M.Cs. office is now situated on the ground floor at the end of the passage past the Camp Commandant's Office. The latrine room on the right.
2. The Officers' Bar (London) is out of bounds to all Officers and OR/EM.
3. British MAFT supplies for British Officers will be sold at the bar at times laid down.

Field.
6 Sep 43

D. B. Aitken

Lt.-Col D. B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant
to Commandant.

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MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDEUR PAULIN

Ref. the attached letter from C.S.O. Angot II. the following abbreviations are made.

PROFITS

1. The balance sheets of the school from the commencement until the 30th of July show the following figures as income and expenditure account.

<u>1st period - 15 May to 15 June</u>	francs
Excess of income over expenditures	4304.71
<u>2nd period - 15 June to 30 June</u>	
Excess of income over expenditures	11368
<u>2nd period - 1st July to 15th July</u>	
Excess of income over expenditures	7243
<u>4th period - 15th July to 31st July</u>	
Excess of expenditures over income	2255

This shows an accumulated sum of ~~francs~~ 59403
less ~~NAAMI~~ profits written back

1203.50
58199.50

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It will be seen therefore that between May 15 and June 15, 1943 4304.7 profit was made whilst for the ~~same~~ period June 16th to July 31st - only 15152.50 was made. Moreover, the last period showed a loss of 2255 francs. The officers who actually were present at Fizi Ouzou have therefore in point of fact over the period covered by the month of July contributed only 4938 francs towards the general accumulation of profits.

GENERAL PRINCIPLE OF SCHOOL MESSSES

2. ~~It is~~ the universally accepted practice at all Military Schools, both American and British, that any profits accrued automatically remain with the school and are never distributed at the end of each course but remain

Excess of income over expenditures..... 11368

3rd period - 1st July to 15th July

Excess of income over expenditures 7243

4th period - 15th July to 31st July

Excess of expenditures over income 2255

This shows an accumulated sum of ~~francs~~ 59403
less MAFI profits written back..... 1203.50
leaving a total as on the 1st AUG..... 58199.50

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It will be seen therefore that between May 15 and June 15, 1943 45047 profit was made whilst for the ~~month~~ period June 16th to July 31st - only 15152.50 was made. Moreover, the last period showed a loss of 2255 francs. The officers who actually were present at Tizi Ouzou have therefore in point of fact over the period covered by the month of July contributed only 4988 francs towards the general accumulation of profits.

GENERAL PRINCIPLE OF SCHOOL MANAGEMENT

2. ^{It is} ~~It is~~ the universally accepted practice at all military schools, both American and British, that any profits accrued automatically remain with the school and are never distributed at the end of each course but remain as a reserve fund. In this case it would be quite impracticable to make a correct distribution as the bulk of the profit was contributed by the original quota of officers who are now distributed far and wide and have no united mess.

It would appear to be entirely unjust for Angot headquarters to absorb the profit as very few indeed would have themselves contributed to the profits and then over the latter period when the profits amounted to 4988 francs. Besides which anyone who had messes in the "Allemand" mess, most of whom comprised the Angot Hq. Staff, had in no way contributed to this profit.

RESOLUTION PASSED AT GENERAL HEAD MEETING

3. At the first general mess meeting at which the first balance sheet was discussed when the profit was shown as 45047 francs, it was unanimously passed by a vote that any eventual profits should be given to military charity. This will be done when the school finally closes down.

REPLENISHMENT OF CROCKERY

4. The profits from the wine were always envisaged as reserve fund for replenishment of crockery and cutlery. A very large amount of crockery and especially cutlery was broken and taken away by individual officers and some sent with Angot officers on departure. In order that the present course can have the same amenities as the previous ones, the profits have now been reduced by the sum of 15000 francs approximately, in order to refurnish the mess with these articles.

CONCLUSIONS

5. It is considered therefore that (a) that the most logical method is for the accumulated profits to remain as a reserve with the School for successive courses; (b) that distribution of past profits could not possibly be made on any equitable basis; (c) that Angot headquarters have no reasonable or prior claim to the school; (d) in view of the resolution passed at the General Mess Meeting the intention was that any profits should remain with the School and when it closes down should be handed over to charity; (e) that it is in the general interests and policy of the principle of Angot that all past, present and future officers of the Hill Govt. Section should mutually benefit by the Mess as a whole.

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IN THE FIELD

22 Aug 1943

Lt. Col. D. B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant
to Camp Commandant

DA

CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL PARKIN

Ref. the attached letter from C.I.O. August 11. the following abbreviations are made.

PROFITS

1. The balance sheets of the school from the commencement until the 30th of July show the following figures as income and expenditure account.

1st period - 15 May to 15 June
Excess of income over expenditures 4304.71
francs

2nd period - 15 June to 30 June
Excess of income over expenditures 11368

3rd period - 1st July to 15th July
Excess of income over expenditures 7243

4th period - 15th July to 31st July
Excess of expenditures over income 2255

This shows an accumulated sum of ~~income~~ profits of 58403 francs less 2255 francs written back leaving a total as on the 1st Aug. 58199.50

It will be seen therefore that between May 15 and June 15, 1943 4304.71 profit was made whilst for the same period June 16th to July 31st - only 15152.50 was made. Moreover, the last period showed a loss of 2255 francs. The officers who actually were present at Tini Ouwou have therefore in point of fact over the period covered by the month of July contributed only 4988 francs towards the general accumulation of profits.

GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF SCHOOL PROFITS

2. ~~It is~~ the universally accepted practice at all military schools, both American and British, that any profits accrued automatically remain with the school and are never distributed at the end of each course but remain

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Excess of income over expenditures..... 11368

3rd period - 1st July to 15th July

Excess of income over expenditures..... 7213

4th period - 15th July to 31st July

Excess of expenditures over income..... 2255

This shows an accumulated sum of ~~francs~~ 52103
less 4441 profits written back.....
leaving a total as on the 1st July..... 58499.50

It will be seen therefore that between May 15 and June 15, 1943 43047 profit was made whilst for the ~~same~~ period June 16th to July 5th - only 15152.50 was made. Moreover, the last period showed a loss of 2255 francs. The officers who actually were present at Tici (anon have therefore in point of fact over the period covered by the month of July contributed only 4298 francs towards the general accumulation of profits.

GENERAL PRINCIPLES OF OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

~~It is~~ the universally accepted practice at all military schools, both American and British, that any profits accrued automatically remain with the school and are never distributed at the end of each course but remain as a reserve fund. In this case it would be quite impracticable to make a correct distribution as the bulk of the profit was contributed by the original quota of officers who are now distributed far and wide and have no united mass.

It would appear to be entirely unjust for Angot headquarters to absorb the profit as very few indeed would have themselves contributed to the profits and then over the latter period when the profits amounted to 4298 francs. Besides which anyone who had received in the "Allotment" mass, most of whom comprised the Angot Hq. staff, had in no way contributed to this profit.

RESOLUTION PASSED AT GENERAL HEAD MEETING

At the first general head meeting at which the first balance sheet was discussed when the profit was shown as 43047 francs, it was unanimously passed by a vote that any eventual profits should be given to military charity. This will be done when the school finally closes down.

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REPLENISHMENT OF CROCKERY

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CONCLUSIONS

5. It is considered therefore that (a) that the most logical method is for the accumulated profits to remain as a reserve with the school for successive courses; (b) that distribution of past profits could not possibly be made on any equitable basis; (c) that cargo head-quarters have no reasonable or prior claim to the school; (d) in view of the resolution passed at the General Mess Meeting the intention was that any profits should remain with the school and when it closes down should be handed over to charity; (e) that it is in the general interests and policy of the principle of cargo that all past, present and future officers of the Hli Govt. Section should mutually benefit by the mess as a whole.

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Lt. Col. D. B. Alden,
Assistant Commandant
to Camp Commandant

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subject matter to be displayed on each. Also responsibility of authority for posting notices.

a. GENERAL NOTICE BOARD

This is purely for academic notices to deal with class divisions, times for lectures, classes, etc and all other information to academic staff.

The only authority for posting notices is the Director of Studies or his deputy and the Assistant Commandant for notices regarding military training.

b. DISCIPLINARY NOTICE BOARD

This is restricted to notices regarding the running of the mess. All notices concerning mess bills, meals, officer's bar, payment of mess bills, etc and which will be posted here.

Authority for posting - Mess Comm; Mess Secy; Officer i/o bar; Officer i/o mess.

c. REGIMENTAL AND GENERAL ORDER BOARD

This will only show

- (a) Daily Bulletin
- (b) General Orders
- (c) Mess Bulletin

The only authority for posting is the executive officer or adjutant.

d. PERSONNEL INFORMATION BOARD

On this board will be displayed only notices of a permanent character such as five Orders, Medical, Army Training Orders, etc.

Authority for posting - Corp Commandant and Medical Officers

e. GENERAL ORDER NOTICE BOARD

Only for notices affecting school administrative staff.

Authority for posting - Asst. Commandant and executive officer.

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f. URGENT MATTER BOARD

This board will be used exclusively for only important notices requiring immediate action within 24 hours of time of posting. As no account will be taken as to posted on this board otherwise is taken all its value.

AUTHORITY FOR POSTING - Director of Station and Camp Commandant
Any other officer desiring of using this board must go through the Camp Commandant.

g. LOSS AND FIND

Any officer, student or school staff officer may post notices.

h. ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE BOARD

For all information regarding arrival and departure of officers.

AUTHORITY FOR POSTING - Staff Capt. "A" and Camp Commandant
Personnel Office (U.S.)

i. GENERAL NOTICE BOARD

This is for all general information pertaining to any subject not applicable to aforementioned notice boards.

AUTHORITY FOR POSTING - All administrative officers and permanent school staff.

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2. The responsibility for clearing notices which are out of order will be:

For Notices Section Board - Director of Station

For All Other Boards - Camp Commandant

3. Executive officers will please arrange for removal of any notices not having an arrow to be made in daily bulletin.

4. The executive officer is requested to have make a bulletin for the school staff notice board, a "Lost and Found" notice board and "General and Posting" boards.

1. ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE BOARD

For all information regarding arrival, departure of prisoners.

AUTHORITY FOR POSTING - Staff Capt. "A" and Camp Commandant.
Personnel Office (U.S.)

2. ARRIVAL, DEPARTURE BOARD

This is for all personal information pertaining to any subject not applicable to administrative action board.

AUTHORITY FOR POSTING - All administrative officers and personnel board staff.

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3. The responsibility for clearing notices which are out of date will be:

For Release Notice Board - Director of Prison

For All Other Boards - Camp Commandant

4. Reporting officers will please arrange for review of the information in boards as above to be made in daily bulletin.

5. The reporting officers is requested to have made a bulletin board for all other boards, a "lost and found" notice board, a "personal and reading" board.

Dr. Cullen

Lt. Col. D. B. Ainsworth
Asst. Commandant for Commandant

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Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015*File in Mess for*

C-E-R-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-E

6 August 1943

I certify that I have this date turned over the Officers' Mess Fund, Military Government School, to 1st Lieutenant ROBERT W. ARENS, in the amount of ONE THOUSAND FIFTEEN DOLLARS AND NINETY EIGHT CENTS, (\$ 1,015.98), as follows:

Stamps On Hand.....	(1,248.F)....	\$ 24.96
Cash On Hand.....	(5,219.F)....	\$ 104.38
Deposited in Bank of Algeria (Tizi-Ouzou).....	(44,332.F)....	\$ 886.64
		<u>\$ 1,015.98</u>

D. B. Aitken
 D. B. AITKEN
 Lt Colonel,
 President Mess Committee
 Military Government School

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C-E-R-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-E

6 August 1943

I certify that I have this date received from D. B. AITKEN, Lieutenant Colonel, President Mess Committee, Military Government School, the Officers' Mess Fund, Military Government School, amounting to ONE THOUSAND FIFTEEN DOLLARS AND NINETY EIGHT CENTS, (\$ 1,015.98), as follows:

Stamps On Hand.....	(1,248.F)....	\$ 24.96
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		<u>\$ 1,015.98</u>

Robert W. Arens
 ROBERT W. ARENS
 1st Lieut., Inf.
 Mess Secretary

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(Confidential)

Subject :- Recess Bills.

130/3/1

Regional Commander,
Region V,
c/o R. S. Region II.

Further to this office letter of even reference dated
10 Jan 14, the outstanding Recess Bill of Major E.L. Henderson
has now been paid by Captain Savage.

Field.


R. H. GURNEY,
Asst Commandant,
R. S. B. & H. C.

Lt. Col.

13 Jan 14.

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Subject :- Case 5112. (Confidential)

Regional Commander
Region 5
c/o H.

143/5/1

I have to report that Major W.L. Henderson, an American Officer of the Region under your command, left the post today without settling his case. Of all the officers that processed temporary duty that officer was the only offender in this respect.

It would be very much appreciated if the attached bill could be settled at the very earliest moment, and any disciplinary action you may think fit taken.

Yield.

10 Jan 1944.


Lt. Col.
H. H.
East Command,
H. G.

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Subject:- Mess Bills.

Ref: ASC/8/13.

Erig. G. S. Parliason,
C/O, A.S.C. (A.S.C.),
C.S.F.

Comptroller No. G.94116 to A.S.W. 3241 (Officers' Advance of pay) in respect of one hundred and eighty francs is returned herewith as requested. Also attached is receipt for this amount in full settlement of your Mess Bill for the period 1st - 30th Oct/43.

Field.
6th Dec/43/

[Signature] Lt-Col.,
J.M. ROBINSON.
Asst Commandant.
A.S. S.C.

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MILITARY GOVERNMENT SCHOOL
APO 522
RUSSIA

5 Nov. 1943.

Name BRIG. G. S. PARKINSON.

Period of 18-30 Oct. 1943.

13 days @ 10 francs.. - 130 francs

Mass subscription..... - 50 francs

Batman..... - 20 francs

LAUNDRY 60

Total Charge - 260 francs
Reimbursement on Messing 80
TOTAL 180

W. H. H. H. H.
for P. H.
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To:- *WING C. PARKINSON.*
40 PNG ACC. CMF.

From:- British Admin H.Q. AMBAC.

Subject:- Mess Bill.

Ref:- HQC/6263(G-1)

Date:- 23 Nov 63.

The attached mess bill has been forwarded to this H.Q. as same appears to be outstanding.

It will be appreciated if you will confirm if the bill has been paid giving the date and to whom paid. If for any reason the amount stated has not been paid please remit on A.F.M. 3241 (Officers' Advance of Pay) endorsed on reverse in favour of Lt. Col D.E. Aitken.

[Signature]
Colonel,
A/Commandant,
British Admin H.Q. AMBAC.

P.T.O

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I got my clearance papers on or about Oct-18th 43 and remained indefinitely on 24 hours notice, no more bill was submitted for the period Oct-18th - 30th since the omission. Army form W 3241 for 750 frames is now enclosed. When sending receipt bill you please enclose Counterfoil

Nov 29th 43

J. F. Pashman
Brig

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Subject: - Mess Bills.Ref: ASG/S/115.Major A. J. J. Macchi,
c/o A. G. (A.C.C.),
C.M.P.

A. J. W. 3241 Officers' Advance of Pay left at this post
in respect of payment of Mess Bill, is now returned, necessary action
having been taken.

Field.
6th Dec/43/

[Signature]

Lt-Col.,
R.H. REMINGTON,
Asst Commandant.
C.M.P. U.S.

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TO : Asst Comdt., Military Government School & Holding Centre.
FROM : British Admin H.Q. AMGAC.
SUBJECT : Audit of Accounts.
REFERENCE : MGC/5324.
DATE : 19 NOV 43.

1. Please arrange for an Audit Board to be held on 22 Nov 43, or as soon thereafter as possible in the office of the H.Q. Company A.M.G.A.C. for the purpose of auditing the following accounts :-

1. N.A.A.F.I.
2. Canteen.
3. Sergeants Mess.

2. Such documents and relevant papers and all books for the purpose of assisting the Board in their audit should be produced by Officer i/c of accounts.


Colonel,
Acting Comdt.,
British Admin. H.Q., A.M.G.A.C.

/now.

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015CONFIDENTIALSubject :- Payment of Mess Bills.ABC/CON/7Col. J.R. Dunlop,
J.A.C.S. - A.C.

1. In reply to your letter dated 2 Nov 43, ~~as requested~~ I enclose for forwarding the Mess Bills of *which no trace of payment can be found*

Captain	C.C. Craig	430 francs
Lieut.	E. Colles	160 francs

2. A further list of Mess Bills for which no trace of payment can be found is as follows :-

Brigadier	Parkinson	"A.C. H."	180 francs
Colonel	Young	"	250 "
Captain	Burke	"	430 "
Lieut.	Hasse	"	160 "

~~These bills are enclosed.~~

~~If these bills have not been paid any recovery be made please.~~

~~It is, of course, possible that some error has been made and that the record of payment has been mislaid but this is thought to be unlikely.~~

It is quite likely they may have all been paid and in the change over of the P.M.C. from the Field. Record may have been mislaid.

On the other hand they may

5 Nov 43

Still be outstanding

*It-Mol. B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant.*

and it may be that the men concerned were for some reason not able pay before departure. May there be verified please

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

TO: Region IV.
FROM: AMG (P)
SUBJECT Complaints - Officer
REF: AMG (P)G-1/5263
DATE: 6 Nov 43

Reference this officer letter of even number dated 3 Nov 43.
It is regretted that the name of MAJOR W. T. BLAIS (B) of Region IV
was wrongly stated owing to a typist's error. Apologies are tendered
for the inconvenience caused.

J. P. WATKINS
Capt. RASC
G-1 AMG(P)

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Copy to:
Col. W. B. Aithers
2457 MBS - S.C. ✓

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To:- A.S.G.(P).

From:- D.G.C.A.O. Region 8.

Subject:- Complaints - Officers.

Reference:- RG/2/26 (Admin).

CONFIDENTIAL.

Date:- 9th Nov 43.

- 1/. The complaint in so far as Capt H.G. Williams (A) is concerned is unfounded.
- 2/. I have seen his clearance certificate dated 1st Nov 43, counter-signed by L.E. Kearn and in consequence no disciplinary action is necessary by me.
- 3/. I would request that in future charges affecting Officers characters be circulated under confidential cover.

A.D. Reuters
ALFRED D. REUTERSHAN, COLONEL.
D.G.C.A.O. REGION 8.

Copies to:- Colonel. J.K. Dunlop, Region IX.
Lt-Col. D.B. Aitken, Asstd Comdt, M.G.S. & H.C. ✓

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015Region IV

TO: SAC (P)
 FROM: Region IV
 SUBJECT: Complaints - Prisoners
 REF: Re/104371
 DATE: 6 Nov. 45

Ref. your memo (P) 2-1/5245 dated 3 Nov. 45.

The following information is forwarded:

NAME: J. H. H. (P)

(1) Has not left T-1000.

(2) Has not -

(a) Failed to notify the Executive Officer as there was no need to do so.

(b) Failed to pay his mess bill.

There have been two Officers of the name of H. H. at the Military Government School recently and it is understood ~~that~~ that confusion has arisen between the two.

W. B. H. H. H.
 W. B. H. H. H.
 Lt Col
 D. C. of S. Reg. IV

Copy to:

Colonel J. H. H. H.

Lt. Col. D. C. of S. Reg. IV. Copy to: SAC & UC ✓

Declassified E.O. 12356 Section 3.3/NND No. 785015

TO: RCAC - REGIONS VIII & ~~III~~ IV.
 FROM: AMG (P)
 SUBJECT: COMPLAINTS - OFFICERS
 REF: AMG (P)G-1/5263
 DATE: 3 NOV. 43

(A) It has been notified that the undermentioned officers left TIZI-OUZOU on or about 1 Nov 43.

Major W. J. BLAIS (B) REGION IV. (Amount 170 frs)
 Capt. H. G. WILLIAMS (A) REGION VIII. (Amount 150 frs)

And that on their departure they failed to, (a) Notify the Executive Officer or Camp Comdt. of their departure and, (b) Pay their mess bill and obtain a clearance certificate.

(2) Will you please, (a) Take such disciplinary action as you consider desirable and (b) Receive and forward to the ^{ASST} ~~ASST~~ Comdt., Military Govt. School & Holding Center the amount as shown as due by the officers.

(3) Will you please issue such instructions as you may consider necessary to avoid any re-occurrence of such acts of omission which as you will realize, as in the case of British Officers an infraction of Kings Regulations and cause much unnecessary trouble and correspondence.

J. P. Walker
 R. H. FARREN
 Colonel
 Asst. Chief of Staff
 AMG (P)

COPY TO:

Colonel J. K. Dunlop
 Lt. Col. D. B. Aitken, Asst. Comdt. MGS & HC.

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ARRIVED	Sept	LEFT				Maj. Wm. J. BLAIR		
			25-30 Sept	1-31 Oct				
Daily Charge			60	310				
Subscription			20	80				
Patron			10	40				
Laundry			30	120				
TOTAL			120	550				
				80				
Date Paid			105	470				
			100	470				

Deposit paid: 300 - 1 Oct.

Deposit refunded: 300⁰⁰ repaid 3/11/43 W.D.B. 7

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CONFIDENTIAL.

2 NOV 43.

Subject :- Payment of Mess Bills.

TO : Lt. Col. D. B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant.

Reference your letters ASC/CON/S, 4 and 5. May I please have the amounts due from Capt. C. C. Craig and S/Lt. E. Gellat.

I shall take action as promised in respect of the other mess bills outstanding.


Colonel.
J. N. DUNLOP.
Joint Assistant Chief
of Staff A.C.

JKD/vow.

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785015

CONFIDENTIALSubject :- Payment of Mess Bills.INFO/CON/L.Colonel J.W. Dunlop,
J.C.S.

In reply to your written request for information re Mess Bills, the following officers did not pay their Mess Bills at the times scheduled on 1st Nov 43.

Major Clinkscales	(A)
" Fischer	(A)
Lieut Grant	(A)

The following officers proceeded to Algiers and did not turn myself as ordered to do, and omitted to pay. The first named officer states he was ordered to go there by Lt.-Col Vining.

Major Worsdane	(B)
Capt. Lockwood	(A)

The undermentioned officer said he was sick, and also omitted to pay. The second Officer reports he is not confined to quarters, and there was no reason why he could not have paid.

Major Walker	(A)
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You will appreciate the extra work entailed by this lack of co-operation on the part of the officers concerned.

May any disciplinary action you consider necessary be taken please.

Field.

2 Nov 43.

YBA
Lt-Col. L. B. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant.

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CONFIDENTIAL

Subject :- Payment of Mess Bills.

12/1/53

Colonel J. E. Dunlop,
J.O.D.

In reply to your written request for information re Mess Bills.

The following officers reported to Maharaja on 1st Nov 53:-

Major A. J. Davis (3)
Capt. H. G. Millar (1)

These officers failed to notify the Executive Office of their departure neither did they obtain clearance certificates nor did they pay their Mess Bills.

May any disciplinary action you may think fit be taken and may I be informed as to the suggested method of obtaining recovery for the Mess.

Mild.

2 Nov 53.

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Lt-Col. D. B. Witham,
Assistant Commandant.

Copies to :- Colonel H. A. Warren,
Executive Officer.

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Subject :- ment of ess illn.

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Colonel J. K. Dunlap,
J. C. S.

In reply to your request for information re case bills. The following officers left with the main party of A.C. on 29 Oct 43. These officers failed to notify the Executive Office of their departure neither did they obtain clearance certificates nor pay their case bills.

May any disciplinary action you may think fit be taken and may I be informed as to the suggested method of obtaining recovery for the loss.

Captain G.C. Craig (A)
2nd Lt. E. Gelles (A)

Field.

2 Nov 195.

St-Col. D. H. Allen,
Assistant Surgeon.

Copies to :- A.G. Chief of Staff,
Executive Officer.

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TO: Asst. Adjutant:

Reference conversation Colonel DUNLOP - Lt. Col. AICRE and your instructions of the 10th October on the subject of the payment of Mess Bill. Please let me know whether the procedure outlined by you is progressing satisfactorily.

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J.K. DUNLOP
Colonel.

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FOR ATTENTION OF ALL OFFICERS.

1 The officers shown on the attached lists will pay their Mess Bills at the times and dates stated. It is of paramount importance that the time schedule is strictly adhered to in order that Mess Bills may be completed by the 31st November to enable the P.M.C. to produce a Balance Sheet for the month of October.

2 Agreement to this procedure has been sanctioned by the J.A.C.S. and the Time Schedule will take precedence above all other duties.

3 The P.M.C.'s office (situated next to Camp Commandant's office, London) will be closed during the period 1 - 5 November except for the payment of Mess Bills, and any emergency departures that may arise.

4 It is requested that no officer interfere ^{with} with this routine work except under very exceptional circumstances.

5 No officer is authorized to proceed to ALPENS on the day that he is due to pay his Mess Bill.

In the event of a definite urgent duty having to be performed, the officer concerned, will first obtain the permission of the Assistant Commandant. This applies equally to all platoons.

Filed,
30 Oct. 45.
ST.

W. Cullin

Lt.-Col. G.B. Aiken,
Assistant Commandant
to Commandant.

Copies to : - Colonel Dunlop,
Director of Studies.

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Filed,
AC Oct. 40.
ST.

St. Clair

Lt.-Col. D.S. Aitken,
Assistant Commandant
to Commandant.

Copies to : - Colonel Dunlop,
Director of Studies.

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