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OFFICE, GENERAL
SEPT. 1943;
DEC. 1943 - MAR. 1944

65th



(1) ORCHESTRA

Piano Pte Goetz
Violin Tex
Banjo Rasmussen
Guitar Smokey
Drums Champion
Accordian Goetz

1. She'll be coming around the mountain.
2. Nobodys sweetheart now.
3. The waltz you saved for me.

COMPERE

(2) Pte Moore (Songs)

1. In the blue of the evening.
2. White Christmas.

COMPERE

(3) Pte Kellman (Monologue)

1. Wartime.
2. Trains

COMPERE

(4) Smokey & Tex (Hill Billies)

1. Precious Jewel.
2. Turkey in the Straw.

COMPERE
GUEST ARTIST

(5) Lt Col Kerr

Dangerous Dan MacGrew

COMPERE

(6) Sketch

Disorderly Room

COMPERE

(7) Lieut Hoyle (Songs)
(Acc Capt Baker)

1. When you are happy.
2. The Gay Highway.

COMPERE

(8) Black Outs

1. The Army needs you.
2. Squad Number.

(9) Orchestra

(10) Pte McNamee (Songs)

COMPERE

(11) Pte Reeve & Cass

COMPERE

(12) Pte Matthews

COMPERE

(13) Sketch

COMPERE

(14) Lieut Hoyle (Song)
(Acc Pte Goetz)

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(15) Black Outs

COMPERE

(16) Orchestra & Cast

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Entire Cast

Marseillaise
Star Spangle
God Save the

Show devised and produced
Comper Major Hayt
Cast

Sgt Brown
Gdsm Stockall
Pte Jeffs
Dvr Patty
Cpl Edmonds

Guest Artist -- Lt
Property Manager --

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1. Sweet Sue.
2. Dark Town Strutters Ball
3. Pack up your Troubles.

1. Rose of Tralee.
2. When Irish Eyes are Smiling.

impersonations.

1. Trumpeter
2. Trees

Whats Yours

1. Women Only.
2. Indian Story.
3. Maternity Hospital.
4. Inspection.
5. Dismiss.

1. Coming around the Mountain.
2. When day is done.

Marseillaise
Star Spangled Banner
God Save the King

Show devised and produced by Lieut Hoyle, E.
Compere Major Haynes, R.
Cast

Sgt Brown	Pte Cass
Gdsm Stockall	Pte Kellman
Pte Jeffs	Pte McNamee
Dvr Patty	Pte Moore
Cpl Edmonds	Pte Matthews
	Pvt Reeve

Guest Artist -- Lt Col Kerr
Property Manager -- Pte Rainbow.

H. Major Baynes
With Best Wishes
from,

C. H. L. W.

~~W. Brown~~ - Jr.

R. H. W.

M. Rainbow

Class I.

CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCE.

C.E.M.F. (RASC) MEMORANDUM NO. 40.

Subject: Vehicle Inspections and Compilation of A.D. LOG.

1. INSPECTIONS.(a) Workshop.

The importance of thorough and regular inspections cannot be too strongly stressed; they are the whole essence of keeping repairs to a minimum. The old adage "a stitch in time saves nine" is certainly a true one in the case of vehicles.

There is a tendency in some Units to consider inspections of secondary importance and to put poor artificers or those temporarily without a job on to this work. The reverse must be applied; the inspection staff should consist of the very best qualified men in the Workshops, with a senior O.R. (preferably an N.S.S.) in charge, and they should not be constantly changed. To prevent men getting stale, a roster may be instituted which permits individuals to get a variation of work but this should not be done until a relief has been properly trained in inspections.

It is naturally desirable that as many defects as possible are rectified at the time of the inspection, but this work should not be done by the specialised artificers carrying out the inspections but by other personnel allotted for this purpose. This will prevent the actual inspection setting behind hand or being rushed because of many repairs being needed.

Proper testing of vehicles both before and after inspection is of great importance and assistance in locating troubles. A standard test route should be laid down and certain N.C.O.s only permitted to carry out this task.

The N.C.O. i/c Inspection Staff must ensure that inspections are thorough and not rushed. He should personally check over all reports and investigate any doubtful points or cases of bad maintenance.

(b) Platoon.

These should follow the lines of Workshop inspections, where possible. At least 10% should be carried out by the Platoon Officer and the remainder by the most qualified person available. Action on defects must be taken immediately, either by the Platoon fitter or by rendering A.F.G. 1056A if beyond his scope.

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(c) General.

The Driver should be present with his vehicle at all inspections so that any cases of neglected maintenance or points requiring his attention can be pointed out. His presence will also prove useful in educating him in the proper maintenance of his vehicle and the use of his tools, etc.

2. INSPECTION REPORT.

(a) All items that are applicable must be completed.

(b) The following points will be inserted under the appropriate heading, in addition to any other defects noted. (Those marked with an asterisk are already included in the latest print of A.B. 406.).

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- Para. 1. "Last oil filter.....miles" +
- " 2. "Last Docoke.....miles" also "OIL miles per pint...."
- " 4. "Oil pumps last cleaned....." +
"Average M.P.G. previous month....." +
- " 5. "Intact" or "broken".
- " 6. "Injectors last cleaned.....miles" + (Applicable to
C.I. engines).
- " 7. "Hubs last packed with grease.....miles" +
- " 8. "Tee in checked".
- " 9. "Date rims last painted" + (Note:- Graphite no longer
used).
"Nuts tight" (or loose).
- " 10. "New", "25% worn", "50% worn", "75% worn", "100% worn"
(for re-treading).
- " 12. "Last drained at.....miles" +
- " 13. "Winch in order" (or otherwise).
"Workshop Generator in order" (or otherwise).
- " 14. "Effective" or "Ineffective".
"Lubrication of Servo".....(date) +
"Level of Hydraulic fluid".....correct (or not) +
- " 15. "Effective" or "Ineffective".
- " 21. U. or "U" Bolts insert "Tight" or "Loose".
- " 24. "Correct and serviceable as per A.P. 412" (or the
deficiencies and unserviceable tools shown).
"Storage - Good" (or not).
"Fire extinguisher - Full" (or otherwise).
- " 26. "S.G. of battery....."

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(c) The following paragraphs should contain information as below:-

27. If not good, the points should be indicated, e.g., U/joints and King pins neglected.

28. The standard of cleanliness should be judged on its effect on the mechanical efficiency of the vehicle.

26. This will be the report of the final test and should include the name of the N.C.O. Artificer testing the vehicle, e.g. Fit for Detail - Sgt. Walker J.C.

At the base of A.B. 406 street should be shown the date of inspection and names of Artificers that carried out the inspection, A.S. Etc. Smith S, itter: Etc. Dennis P. Electrician. Unit:--

The N.O.O. i/c Inspection Staff will personally check and countersign all Workshop Inspection Reports.

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(a) The following code will be used and inserted by the Inspection Staff against items requiring attention:-

A - To be kept under observation, e.g. cracked windscreen, etc.

B - For Platoon attention, e.g. oil changes, unserviceable tools, repairs within scope of Platoon fitter.

C - For Workshop attention.

All items will be marked whether rectified at time of inspection or not.

3. ACTION REPORT.

(a) By O i/c Workshops.

On left-hand side, O i/c Workshops will show action taken or required by him on all items marked "C". Where work cannot be completed through lack of stores, the Indent No. will be quoted.

(b) By O i/c Platoon.

On right-hand side, O i/c Platoon will show action taken by him on all "B" items and any "C" items on which the O i/c Workshops requires him to do so. He will also show action taken on any "C" items found on Platoon inspections.

(c) By Unit Commander.

O.C. Units should scrutinise a proportion (not less than 10%) of all reports and add their remarks in the space provided. The appropriate Officer will reply opposite.

4. All entries in A.B. 406 will be made in ink.

5. It is essential that some system is adopted in Units for the rapid passing of A.Bs. 406 between Workshops, Platoons and Coy. Office. The necessary action should be taken at the earliest opportunity.

14 Jan 1944.

(J.B. Sandberg).
Lt. Col. R.A.S.C.
C.I.M.T. (RASC) C.M.F.

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C.I.M.T. (RASC) Memorandum No. 41 on reverse.

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CENTRAL MEDITERRANEAN FORCE.

CLASS I.

C.I.M.T. (PASC) MEMORANDUM NO. 41.

Subject: Painting of Wheel Rims.

Grainite will no longer be used for painting wheel rims.

In lieu, Paint, preservative, for rims, Part No. 10020, Section LVC - M1 will be demanded. It is held in 1 lb. tins.

Tyres will be removed from the wheels at six-monthly intervals and rims painted, or on any other occasion when tyres have to be taken off the wheels.

The necessary entry will be made in L.B. 406, paras. 9 & 18 on each occasion.

14 Jan 1944.

(J.B. Sandberg).
Lt. Col. R.A.S.C.
C.I.M.T. (PASC) C.M.F.

C.I.M.T. (PASC) Memorandum No. 40 on reverse.

C. I. M. T. Memorandum No. 3.

Tel: District 289.

1. Reference Chief Mechanical Transport Adviser, A.P.H.Q. Memorandum No. 5, dated 8 Sept. 1943 para. 4.

"It is essential that a record of every tool kit and vehicle equipment check is entered in A.B.412. In cases where the tool check discloses no discrepancies since the last entry in the vehicle equipment list it is not necessary to make a fresh entry in A.B.412 provided some record is inserted showing the date on which every tool check is carried out together with the H.C.O.'s initials".

"The appended pro-forms should be pasted in A.S. 412".

25 Jan. 44. hrs.
TOS hrs.
TOD

Lieut Colonel,
Assistant Director of,
Supplies and Transport,
ALGIERS SUB DISTRICT.

Veh. No. Tools and equipment
checked and found to agree with last entry in
A.B.412.

date Checked.	NGO's Initials.	Date Checked	NGO's initials.

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"The appended pro-forma should be pasted in A.B.412".

25 Jan. 44.
TOS hrs.
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1184
Lieut Colonel,
Assistant Director of,
Supplies and Transport,
ALGERS SUB DISTRICT.

Veh. No. Tools and equipment
checked and found to agree with last entry in
A.B.412.

Date Checked.	NCO's Initials.	Date Checked	NCO's Initials.

Subject:- Damage Property.

Col R.H. Robertson.

During my tour of inspection this morning Monday 6 March 44, Sgt Waine drew my attention to a damaged classroom door. He stated that this damage was obviously caused by some of the evening cinema audiences.

He also states that school desks are also receiving violent mis-use, becoming therefore deeply scratched and chipped.

May I suggest that a guard or some person be made responsible to see that this unnecessary practice discontinues, also that the attention of all ranks be brought to this matter.

Field.

6th March 44.

E. HOYLE.

Camp Office.

M. G. S. & H. C.

Lieut.

Lt E

Inspector adjutant of Waters and
Forests at Tizi-Ouzou

TO : THE COMMANDANT OF ALLIED FORCES DETACHMENT

Sir :

I have ~~the honor~~ the honor to call to your attention on the following fact :

On the 20th of February last, four soldiers from your detachment went to the forest in Harouza to cut some wood ~~which~~ they have loaded on the trucks and ~~they~~ ~~have brought away~~. The forest ~~gard~~ ^{guard} could not speak English and therefore was not able to explain to them that they were doing something that was against the law. I hope that you will issue orders aimed at avoiding the repetition of similar acts. What is worse is that ^{the} said trees are marked already for future exploitation.

The quantity of wood taken is estimated at 1.5 cubic metres at 100 - 150 francs ^{per cubic metre}, and I would appreciate if you would ~~let me~~ ^{to me} remit that amount.

Greetings, thanks,

with respect ,

Adjutant Inspector

Tizi-Ouzou, Feb 23, 44

*Translated by
Pvt. Charles Campbell*

2133

NOTICE.

It is requested that all personnel in possession of KEYS for billets, offices, or any rooms in buildings under requisition for the MILITARY GOVERNMENT SCHOOL, will have these said keys LABELLED AND RECORDED according to the respective plans on view in the CAMP OFFICE, Ground Floor, LONDON.

Field.

8th March 44.

Lt. -Col.,

R. H. ROBERTSON,
Commandant,
M. G. S. & H. C.

Distribution.

LONDON NOTICE BOARD
H.Q. Coy (Br.)
H.Q. Coy (US)
Warden.
Sgt. Mess.
File.

2132

Subject:- CLAIM FOR STOLEN WOOD

BMGS/OG

To : Comdt.

Reference attached letter (translation supplied) :
exhaustive inquiries have been made and both British and American
transport records checked; and there is no evidence to show that
any vehicles were in the area mentioned in the letter, nor that
any wood was brought into the school area.

My personal opinion is that the French inspector of forests
should provide further evidence, i.e., vehicle number, markings
or some identification of the soldiers.

I attach a letter with English translation for your approval.

2131

In the Field,
29 Feb 44.

..... Lieut.
Camp Office,
Mil. Gov. School and H. C.

Subject:- BAGGAGE - OFFICERS'

To : Commandant.

BCMS/OG

Reference ASC/39/1 : On 14 Feb this office received from Capt. Bowes a change of address card. The QM, who was proceeding to Algiers that same day, took the card to the MFO (Algiers) and witnessed the addressing of the Tin Trunk which was then ready for despatch.

In the Field,
15 Feb 44.

.....Capt.
Camp Commandant,
M. G. S. & H.C.

2130

Subject :- Baggage - Officers.

file
ASC/39/1

Camp Commandant,

Information has been received to the effect that the kits belonging to Capts. Ronnie and Gamble have now been received by them, but the kit bag of Lt.V. Vella has never reached him at Education Sub-Commission H.Q., A.C.C.

Please report to this office what action has been taken in respect of the kit bag in question.

Field.

15 Feb 44.

R. H. Robertson Lt.-Col.,
R. H. ROBERTSON,
Commandant,
M. G. S. & H. C. 2129

Subject:- BAGGAGE - OFFICERS

BGM/OG

To : Commandant.

Reference ASC/39/1 : inquiries regarding the kit-bag belonging to Lieut. Vella were the same as for Capt. Ronnie and Gamble, as all these officers lost their kits on the "St. Andrews" move.

I will take steps to discover through what channels Capt. Ronnie and Gamble received their baggage and, in respect of the missing kit-bag, take further action.

In the Field,
15 Feb 44.

[Signature]
.....
Camp Commandant,
M. G. S. & H. C.

Subject:- VILLA, YAKOUREN

BMGS/OG

To : Commandant.

Appended is translation of suggested reply.

(In the field,
17 Feb 44.

.....Lieut.
Asst Camp Commandant,
M. C. S. & H. C.

Monsieur l' Administrateur :

Quant à la Lettre de M^{me} Real relativement à la propriété manquante dans la villa à Yakouren :

(1) En examinant la copie des listes de la propriété dans cette villa-là on a vérifié qu'il n'y manque pas aucun objet selon la liste donnée à nous. Conséquemment, il n'y a pas rien pour nous montrer que nous sommes responsables pour ces objets.

(11) Depuis cette villa était à la réquisition Américaine, les Déclarations et Papiers de departure et les Inventaires ont été envoyés à la Section Américaine des Logements, Command du Quartier Général (H.Q.) On peut obtenir informations additionales de ce Quartier Général.

Si nous pouvons vous assister sur ça nous serons heureux de le faire,

Mes salutations,

2127

Monsieur l'Administrateur :

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Si nous pouvons vous assister sur ça nous serons heureux de le faire

Mes Salutations 2120

Subject :- MISSING KIT

SGMS/OG

To : Lt. Vella

(Reference your missing kit-bag which, together with the kits of Captains Ronnie and Gamble, was left on board after the disembarkation of the "St. Andrew's" party : information has been received that Captains Ronnie and Gamble have now received their kits, presumably through the MFO at port of arrival of the vessel.

Since nothing further can be discovered on this side, and to save time, it is suggested that you contact either Captain Ronnie or Captain Gamble, who could probably inform you through what channels the kits were received.

Please advise this school of any progress made in tracing your missing kit.

Address of Captain Gamble : HQ, Allied Control Commission, CMF

" " Captain Ronnie : HQ, Allied Military Government,
o/o Region III, CMF.

In the Field,
19 Feb 44.

..... Capt.
Camp Commandant,
Military Government School & Holding Centre 2125

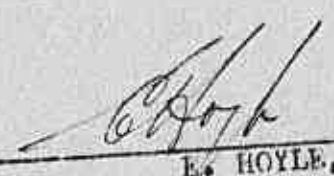
Subject. SALLE DES FETES.

Lt Col., E.H. Robertson.

Monday, Tuesday and Friday are most convenient days. The Salle Des Fetes is used by the French as a Cinema on other days.

Field.

4th Feb. '44.


Lieut
E. HOYLE,
Asst Camp Commandant,
M. G. S. & H. C.

2124

Subject. Fatigue

To. H.Q. Coy Btit.

The under mentioned fatigue parties will be required on Saturday
5th Feb. 44 at 08.45 hrs outside London.

1 N.C.O.	and 6 men.
1 "	" 10 "
1 "	" 6 "
1 "	" 10 "

For the purpose of cleaning

"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"
"	"	"	"	"

HOLLYWOOD.
LONDON.
WINDSOR.
STADIUM.

Field.

4th Feb. '44.

A. F. Searle
A. F. SEARLE,
Camp Commandant.
M. G. S. *212*

Capt.

Subject. Batmen & General Duty Personnel.

Lt Col R.H. Robertson.

Herewith nominal rolls of Batmen and General Duty Men at present employed. The numbers against the names of Batmen indicate the classification, 1 being very good, 4 poor.

Field.

31st Jan 44.


A. F. SEARLE.
Camp Commandant.
M. G. S. & H. Co.

Capt.

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NOMINAL ROLL OF LONDON FATIGUE PARTY

768669	Sgt	Waine	Wilts	Attached
4466420	Cpl	Dodds	D.L.I.	Perm Staff
6214582	Pte	Addison	Middx	Attached
2188496	Pte	Buchanan	Gordons	Perm Staff
5890010	Pte	Simpson	D.L.I.	Attached
4348054	Pte	O'Berg	E.Yorks	Perm Staff
3461103	Pte	Gregory	Lanc Fus	Attached
4123855	Pte	Holland	Cheshires	Attached
4626980	Pte	Gibson	D.W.P.	Perm Staff
554857	Pte	Clapham	S Foresters	Perm Staff
6987396	Pte	Crace	S Foresters	Perm Staff
5349279	Pte	Claridge	Leicesters	Perm Staff
1452084	Pte	Bull	Staffs	Pool

NOMINAL ROLL OF SANITARY SQUAD.

324 53	L/Cpl	Watson	Cameronians	Perm Staff
3601972	Pte	Rigg	S Forester	Attached
6297736	Pte	Carruthers	E.Surreys	Pool
14203039	Fus	Price	D.L.I.	A.A.C.
261444	Gdsm	Rance	Gren Gds	Perm Staff
5887246	Pte	Phillips	N Hants	Attached
2990989	Pte	Johnson	S Foresters	A.C.C.

NOMINAL ROLL OF FUEL PARTY

4802614	Sgt	Parker	Lincs	Perm Staff.
4197413	Pte	Roberts	R.W.F.	Attached
41822788	Pte	Evans	R.W.F.	Attached
3137522	Pte	Dunn	Gordons	Attached
4608638	Pte	Cragg	S Foresters	Attached

NOMINAL ROLL OF HOLLYWOOD FATIGUE PARTY

5882859	Cpl	Gaffney	A.C.C. Staffs	Attached
4608658	Pte	Cragg	S Foresters	Attached
1705304	Pte	Fry	S Staffs	Attached
4909718	Pte	Jackson	S Staffs	Attached
1149088	Gnr	Rylance	R.A.	Attached

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Subject. Missing Baggage.

Capt K.E.M. Goode

From Camp Commandant.
M. G. S. & H. C.

In connection with the move of "St Andrews" party on 2nd Dec 1943 certain items of kit were separated from them by reason of the fact that the officer concerned received orders not to proceed on the journey. It was impossible to recover the said baggage which sailed with you.

I have written to M.F.O. Syracuse and Algiers who have no knowledge of any kit of this description, I therefore am led to believe that it may be in your safe keeping and if so I would appreciate an early reply to this effect.

Description of kit:-

- 1 Bed Roll (Stencilled) W.H. Jamble
- 1 White Kit Bag (Marked) J.V. Vella.
- 1 Bed Roll (Stencilled) & Labeled W. Ronnie.

Field.

31st Jun 44.


Capt.
A. F. SEARLE.
Camp Commandant.
M. G. S. & H. C.

Subject :- PAYMENT FOR RATIONS BY CIVILIANS

BHGS/OG

To : HQ, Algiers Garrison.

Reference your GA/84 dated 23 Jan 44 : nothing is known
by this unit of the Mr Martin mentioned.

May further particulars please be supplied.

In the Field,
25 Jan 44.


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

2119
Lt.-Col.

SUBJECT:- Payment for Rations by Civilians.

GA/84

From:- HQ Algiers Garrison.

23 Jan 44

To:- Allied Military Government School and
Holding Centre.

In accordance with instructions received from Asst. Financial
Adviser, North Africa District.

I am to request payment of messing fees for the month of November
be made as under:-

Mr. MARTIN 23 Days at 27.50 francs

632.50

~~722.50~~ Francs.

Will you please remit the sum to this HQ for onward transmission
to No. 2 Command Paymaster.

De Alle
Captain,
Staff Captain 'Q'

NH

Copy to:- Asst. Financial Adviser North Africa District.
(your E/5005/2A dated 5 Jan 44 refers)

2118

Subject. Censorship.

BMGS/OG

Capt Gamble.

Owing to recent moves it is necessary to revise censorship duty dates.

You are hereby detailed for duty on Monday 24th Jan 44.

Field.

23rd Jan 44.


A. F. SEARLE.
for Asst Commandant.
M. G. S. & H. C.

2147

Subject :- BLANKET

BMGS/OG

To : Lt.(QM) Howlands

Reference my BMGS/OG dated 21 Jan 44, a copy of the letter
and Pte Bedford's statement have been sent to Brit. Admin HQ.

Please retain your copy for reference.

In the Field,
23 Jan 44.


.....Capt.
Camp Commandant.,
Mil.Govt.School & Holding Centre.

2116

Subject:- BLANKET

fill
RMGS/OG

To : Brit. Admin Hq, AMG AC.

The enclosed report by Pte Bedford is forwarded to you
for action.

The officer mentioned was Major C.A. Stephens, Region IX.

In the Field,
23 Jan 44.

[Signature]
.....Capt.
for Asst Commandant
Mil. Govt. School & Holding Centre 2115

(C O P Y)

file

Subject :- BLANKET.

Sir,
I lent Major Stephens one blanket when he arrived here as he was only in possession of 2. This blanket had been drawn up from the British Q.M. Stores on my signature.

Major Stephens later moved to different quarters, and I ceased to act as his batman. I explained the position to Fus. Jones and asked him to look after the blanket.

Major Stephens left the post on 19 Jan 44, taking the blanket with him.

B. Bedford.
(signed) B. Bedford, Pte.
(Batman).

2114

Subject :- BLANKET

BMGS/CG

To : Lt. (QM) Rowlands.

The enclosed report by Pte Bedford is forwarded to you for action.

The officer mentioned was Major C.A. Stephens, Region IX.

In the Field,
21 Jan 44.

Military Government School & Holding
Centre.


.....Capt.
Camp Commandant
2113

Sir,

I lent Major Stephens one blanket when he arrived here as he was only in possession of 2. This blanket had been drawn up from the British Q.M. stores on my signature.

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(signed) B. Bedford, Pte.
(Batman).

2112

Subject :- ADVANCE OF PAY BOOK

To : Major A. Nevill

RMGS/OG

file

Herewith is your Officer's Advance of Pay Book received from
Captain F. Allison this day.

The 1,500 fms was paid to the Mess Treasurer.

In the Field,
21 Jan 44.

Alison
..... Capt.
Camp Commandant
Military Government School & Holding Centre.

Cat Allison

Please pay my
1500 frs to the
Moss Treasurer

18/1/44 M. Joch mapoth
Received 1,500 frs.

G. Leishman Sgt
for Moss Treasurer
21 Jan 1944

Subject Baggage (Officers)

O.C. (Brit. Det.)
H.Q. A.M.G. C.M.F.

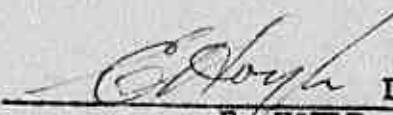
Reference your B/1/7 dated 15th Jan 44.

Items of kit, the property of Lt Col Parr T, were despatched to the M.F.O. on the 17th Jan 44.

Attached, please find copy of receipt from the M.F.O. signed on receipt of the above mentioned kit.

Field.

)
21st Jan 44.

 Lieut.
E. HOYLE.
Asst Camp Commandant.
M. G. S. & H.C.

2109

SUBJECT:- Baggage (Officers)

B/1/7

To:- Capt. H. Searle,
Camp Commandant,
Military Government School & Holding Centre,
A.F.H.Q.
B.N.A.F.

Lt. Col. Parr T. R.A.M.C.

1. Will you please arrange to despatch to this Headquarters the personal kit, consisting of 1 tin trunk, 1 hat box, 1 table, etc. (as 2 package), the property of the a/n officer, through the M.F.O., Algiers. *to MFO Naples*
2. Please advise this office the date of despatch.

In the Field,
15 Jan 44.

[Signature]
(Captain, R.A.
O.C. (Brit. Det.)
H.Q. A.M.G. C.M.F.)

Copy to:- M.F.O., Naples.
Lt. Col. T. Parr, R.A.M.C.

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

HAB/are
18 January 1944

MEMORANDUM

TO : Camp Commandant, MGS and HC (Thru: Commanding Officer, 2675th
Regiment, Allied Control Commission, Rear Echelon, APO 394.)

Sanitary inspection on 15 January 1944 revealed that the
latrine at the Motor Pool should be filled and a new one constructed.

Henry A. Belafsky
HENRY A. BELAFSKY
Captain, Medical Corps
Surgeon.

allg
2107

Subject :- Move from Archill to Judgement.

Camp Commandant, ✓
Mess Officer - Windsor,
Mess Officer - London.

A50/18/1

With further reference to the Move Order published under
even reference dated 13 Jan 44, para 4. Please delete the
names of the following three officers :-

Lt.-Col. R. Howard - Captain H.H. Stark - Captain H.H. Dowdy.
These three officers will not be arriving at Judgement.

Field.

14 Jan 44.

R. H. Robertson Lt.-Col.,
R. H. ROBERTSON,
Asst Commandant,
M. G. S. & H. O.

2106

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Subject :- BILL

BNGS/OG.

To : Capt. W.B. Johnson

The enclosed bill has just been received from M. Ousmer Mohamed.
If you are not in possession of French money, you may forward to me
the requisite amount in Lira; and I will undertake to settle the bill.

In the Field,
14 Jan 44.

.....Capt.
Camp Commandant.
Military Government School & Holding Centre.
2105

Jan 12, 1944.

Capt. Scarle: Yesterday I visited the U. S. Naval Dispensary at Algiers (Flight 436 Lt. 18) because I was not getting well fast enough after my sickness during the 1 mos holidays. Certain tests were made and samples taken. Today I called the Dispensary and was told that ^{they} had a recurrence of an old difficulty and I should come down for a stay of a few days. I talked to Col. Horrocks and he said I should go immediately as I may leave here next week. I reported to the Dispensary here and they told me to come back at one o'clock at which time they will try to have the translation.

W. G. Gellin
Lt. Comdr., U.S.N.
Room 7.

2104

Region 8.

- Transport req. in order to evacuate CHURCHILL completely
based on state on 10/1/44.

19 officers @ 20 lbs 3 ton truck

22 SM/OR @ 30 "

Baggage officers @ 20 lbs 3 ton truck

" SM/OR @ 30 "

Reserve and surplus rations

British station stores

Region 8 office equipment & stationery British America

America Coy "H" equipment & station stores

Add if 5 stores now in position are removed

Tons

3.0

2.2

3.0

2.2

2.0

5.2

2.3

4.4

.5

Total 29.8

Note The above figures include the
equipment of Advanced Party which is due
to leave CHURCHILL before the Rear Party.

- The equipment the Adv. Party proposes to take is 1.5 tons American Coy "H".
If reserve rations are taken for CHURCHILL their weight
must be deducted from the total given above, 2 days rations
would be 1.5 tons.

The amounts of equipment rations to be taken by
Advanced Party are not at present known.

10/1/44.

W. B. Thomas
Maj Gen
1944 Reg-8.

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

Subject :- TRANSPORT

BMGS/00

To : Lt. R. Dudley-Clarke

Your truck and driver are awaiting officers at
at Maison Blanche overnight. Authority Col. R.H. Robertson.

In the Field,
13 Jan 44.

[Signature] 2102
.....Lt.
for Camp Commandant.
Military Government School & Holding Centre.

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

Subject:- CENSORSHIP

To : Lt. N.M. Mackenzie

BMGS/OG

Owing to recent moves it is necessary to revise censorship duty dates.

You are hereby detailed for duty on Friday, 14 Jan 44.

In the Field,
12 Jan 44.

[Signature]
.....Lt. 2101
Assistant Camp Commandant.

Subject :- CENSORSHIP

BMGS/OG

To : Lt. Limbert

Owing to recent moves it is necessary to revise censorship duty dates.

You are hereby detailed for duty to-morrow, 13 Jan 44.

In the Field,
12 Jan 44.


.....Lt.
Assistant Camp Commandant.

Subject :- CAMP BED

BMGS/OG

To : Major R. Hamilton

A camp-bed and bag marked with your name is held in
this office.

Please advise per Airmail letter if you desire the article
to be sent on to your address via M.F.O.

In the Field,
12 Jan 44.

[Signature]
.....Lt.
(E.S.HOYLE)
for Camp Commandant,
Military Government School & Holding Centre.
c/o AFHQ, BNAF.

8/1/44. DUTY OFFICER.
 0935. Com: Signal Office, Algiers. (Despatch Unit)

Important.

From: OZÉ BNAF 8/1/44 @ 1700.

To: MG SHC. Sig. Group.
 Originators No 17 10220.

Signal by return age under medical category

of Lt. HOYLE, E. attached to gun Unit.

3rd Bn. 1 R 1 D

7/1/44 @ 1200

To: M.G.S. Sig. Group.

Originators No 3 BN/26/3/395.

44 66463 Pte HARVEY J. 16th DLI / formerly
 with AMG. Reg. V) awaiting collection this Unit.
 Ex Hospital Personnel.

From: OZÉ BNAF

7/1/44 @ 1730.

To: AMESCOM. Hastings.

Information to Reg. V. AMG.

Originators No M/17836.

Confirm date of birth 1686065 PENTON

ACTION TAKEN: 2, & 3, passed to Sig Unit, Reg. V. 0955.

1 passed to Lt. Hoyle personally as 1025.

Lt Smith. (Army Pay Corps) called personally for assistance
 Vehicle punctured at Mirabeau after leaving here for Algiers
 yesterday.

1015.

Accompanied

(K) 4466463 Pte HARK J. 16 DLI (formerly
with AMG. Reg. V) awaiting collection this Mnd.
Ex hospital personnel.

From: OZE BNAF 7/1/44 @ 1730.

To: AMescom, Hastings.

Information to Reg. V. AMG.

Originator No M/17836.

Confirm date of birth 1686065 PENTON

ACTION TAKEN: 2, & 3, passed to Shipblack, Reg. V. 0955.

10/15. - 1 passed to Lt. Hoyle personally at 1025.
to Smith. (Army Day bags) called personally for assistance
Vehicle punctured at Miralcare after leaving here for office
yesterday.

ACTION TAKEN: Spoke to Lt. McPhail (motor pool) & referred
to Smith to him. 2100

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Received from Lt. E. Hoyle (Assistant Camp Commandant)

M.G.S. & H.C., 8 (eight) camp coats, (U.S.), for use of
Region V.

7 Jan 44.

*Joseph R. ... U.S.A.
Region V Maintenance Officer.
2099*

Pour cause des grandes répa-
rations de l'usine élévatoire
l'eau de la Ville sera
coupée de 12 heures à 7 heures
et de 20 heures à 6 heures
du matin service des eaux

Jusqu'à fin
des réparations

École des filles

COMMUNE
DE
TIZ-OUZOU
SERV.
DE

TRAV. COMMUNAUX 2098
NAUX

Le 5 Janvier, 1944

A : Monsieur le Maire de Tizi-Ouzou

Monsieur.

Après notre investigation le 5 Janvier, 1944, les prix pour les repas dans les hotels a' Tizi-Ouzou sont les suivants :

	KOLLER	ORIENTAL
Repas ordinaire, avec du vin	30 fros.	35 fros.
Gnolettes aux fines herbes	10 "chaque oeuf	12 fros.
Dinner, avec le poulet	20 fros.	250 pour poulet roti
Roast grive	10 "	15 fros.
Beefsteak		20-25 fros.

Je ne peux pas comprendre pourquoi il y devrait etre de difference entre les prix dans les deux hotels et consequentement j'exigerais que vous informiez Monsieur Alimondo de faire les memes prix que ces de l'hotel Koller

En cas qu'il dut refuser alors je n'aurai pas autre alternative et je serai obligé a declarer cette place, " l'Hotel Oriental ", au dehors des limites pour les officiers et pour les soldats Anglais-Américains.

Les prix pour les repas, vin et extra, seront enforces jusqu'au temps quand les memes seront changes avec l'accord d'une commission incluant vous memes, Monsieur Le Commissioner de Police et moi-meme.

Je propose de rendre ces prix connus aux officiers et aux soldats de ce champ et je demande qu'on me rapporte tous les tentatives pour alterer les prix.

Acceptez mes tres sincere salutations, avec respect,

votre,

Le Capitaine

Commandant du Champ

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HOTEL PRICES:-

The prices of meals etc. at the hotels in Tizi-Ouzou are at present as under. The standard 'repas ordinaire' consists in each case of the following items :-

Soup or Hors d'Oeuvre
Meat (Fri., Sat. or Sundays)
 other days : Sanglier, game or liver.
Vegetables
Fruit

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Repas Ordinaire and wine 30 fcs.
Omelette aux fines herbes 10 fcs. per egg
Dinner, including chicken 120 fcs.
Roast Grive (a small bird
about the size of a sparrow) 10 fcs.

10% Service.

HOTEL ORIENTAL :

Repas Ordinaire and wine 35 fcs.
Omelette aux fines herbes 12 fcs. per egg
Roast chicken 250 fcs. ~~fix.~~
Roast grive 15 fcs.
Steak 20 - 25 fcs.

10% Service.

To : The Mayor of Tizi-Ouzou.

Sir,

Following our investigation on the morning of 5 Jan 43, the following appears to be the price of meals etc. at the hotels in Tizi-Ouzou :-

	KOLLER	ORIENTAL
Ordinary meal, including wine	30 fros.	35 fros.
Omelettes aux fines herbes	10 " per egg	12 fros.
Dinner, including chicken	120	250 per roast chicken
Roast grive	10	15 fros.
Steak		20 - 25 fros.

I am unable to understand why there should be any difference between the prices at the two hotels and, therefore, request that you instruct M. Alimondo to conform his prices to those at the Hotel Koller.

Should he fail to agree I shall have no course open but to place the Hotel Oriental out of bounds to British and American officers and men.

The prices of meals, wines and extras, will remain in force until changed by the agreement of a committee consisting of your good self, M. Le Commissioner of Police and myself.

I propose to make the above prices known to officers and men on this post, and request that they report to me any attempts at overcharging.

Alimondo

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Capt.

Camp Commandant.

Military Government School & Holding
Centre.

5 Jan 43.

To. Sgt Parker.

From. Lieut E. Hoyle.

A truck load of fuel will arrive sometime this afternoon.
Arrange fatigue party and give me your location for the
afternoon so I can inform you when it arrives.

F1 Id.
7th Jan 44.

.....Lieut.
Asst Commandant.
Military Gov. School & Holding Centre.

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SUBJECT:- LEAVE

To : Lt.Col. D.H. Robertson

From : Lt. E. Hoyle

Sir:

I would like to bring to your notice the fact that I arrived in this country with the 1st D.W.R. on 9 March 43. Up to the present date I have only been granted three days' leave, which I spent in Tunis last July.

Should the opportunity for the granting of leave occur, may I please be considered for a further few days.

I have the honour to be, sir,

Your obedient servant,

4 Jan 44.

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Subject. Transport.

M.T.O. M.G.S.
Sgt Parker.

Detail for conveyance of E.N.S.A. Party from Algiers to Tizi-Ouzou.
Transport will consist of:-

- 1) 1 3 Tonner.
- 1 15 Cwt.

To report to Sgt Parker at London building at 07.00 hrs Monday
10th Jan 44.

2) Transport will leave Mil. Gov. School at 07.15 hrs for Algiers.
On arrival will report to E.N.S.A. H.Q.

3) A Guide from E.N.S.A. H.Q. will accompany transport to
collect E.N.S.A. Party "Palace Varieties".

4) The return journey will be started as soon as possible in order
to be at the Mil. Gov. School & H.Q. for lunch at 13.00 hrs.

5) Upon arrival at Mil. Gov. School, Lieut Hoyle will be informed,
who will give further instructions.

Field.

10th Jan 44.


Lt - Col.
E. H. ROBERTSON.
Asst Commandant.
M. G. S. & H. C.

Subject. Transport.

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M.F.S. M.C.S.
Sgt Parker.

Detail for conveyance of E.H.S.A. Party from Tizi-Ouzou to Algiers.
Transport to consist of:-

1. 3 Tonner.
1. 15 Cwts.

To report to Sgt Parker at London at 09.00 hrs on Tuesday 11th Jan 44.
Transport will leave Mil. Gov. School with E.H.S.A. party at 09.50 hrs
for Algiers.

On arrival in Algiers will report to E.H.S.A. H.Q. for further
instructions.

The return to Mil. Gov. School will be made as soon as possible
after lunch.

Field.

7th Jan 44.

[Signature]
N. H. ROBERTSON.
Asst Commandant.
M. G. S. & H. C.

Lt - Col.

NOTICE.

The maximum prices in the local hotels for meals are as follows :-

Standard meal with wine	...	...	...	...	...	30 francs per person
Omelette aux fine herbes	...	...	...	...	...	10 francs per egg
Chicken dinner (1 chicken between 4 persons)	...	...	...	...	...	120 francs per person
Roast Grive	...	...	...	...	...	10 francs per bird
Beefsteak (according to quality..	...	...	...	...	...	20-25 francs per portion

These prices have been agreed between The Mayor, the Hotel Proprietors and the School authorities.

The official copy of these prices is open for inspection, by any officer, in the Camp Commandant's office.

It will be appreciated that, if any officer is overcharged, the matter be reported to me at once, producing, if possible, the bill issued by the Hotel concerned.

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

Jan 44

Copy :- Camp Commandant,
Notice Board - Windsor
Notice Board - London.

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Of belgium 0194

Keep

Madame Germain

Villa Des ~~Champs~~

Marion

Major Roques left Tent No 6 London
5/1/44, taking with him 1 American
camp cot stating he will hand
same in to American stores at
his destination. His personal cot
is in for repair left in Capt
Boyslands care.

Signed,
4862913, Pte W Lockwood,
Batman
6.1.1944

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WAR SCHOOL
HEADQUARTERS
2675TH REGIMENT
ALLIED CORREL. COMMISSION
(U.S. GOVERNMENT) (PROVISIONAL)
APO 394

9 December, 1943.

Subject: Personnel Assigned to School.

To : C.O. 2675th Regiment.

1. In accordance with my conversation of 6 December with Major Uhlen,
I am presenting a recapitulation of the personnel assigned to the School:

OFFICERS

NAME	Serial	RANK	POSITION
Taylor, John T.	0318026	Capt.	Director of Studies
Meala, Joseph A.	01582473	2nd Lt.	Instructor
Opalencia, Eliseo J.	01176438	2nd Lt.	Instructor

ENLISTED MEN

NAME	Serial	RANK	POSITION
Loiero, Francesco A.	11164577	Sgt.	Instructor
Malbandian, Sarkis A.	11092504	2/5	Clerk
Calosbini, Victor D.	11127092	Cpl.	Clerk
Conrad, John	12405003	Cpl.	Instructor
Betti, Armando	39082173	Pfc.	Instructor
De Bari, Stephen	12642610	Pfc.	Instructor
Campellone, Claudio	11192269	Pvt.	Instructor
Dalma, Noel	12504466	Pvt.	Instructor
De Lee, Harry	33398894	Pvt.	Instructor
De Ovidio, Mario H.	11096562	Pvt.	Instructor
Conrad, Elie	36570301	Pvt.	Instructor

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2. As the officer student body of the school diminishes, it is expected that the enlisted personnel will be reduced to the minimum of four: three instructors and one clerk (Sgt. Loiero, Pfc. Campellone and De Ovidio, and 2/5 Malbandian).

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OFFICERS

NAME	Serial	RANK	POSITION
Taylor, John W.	0510006	Capt.	Director of Studies
Cicale, Joseph A.	01500473	2nd Lt.	Instructor
Opilente, Martin J.	01176108	2nd Lt.	Instructor

ENLISTED MEN

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Loiero, Francesco A.	11164577	Sgt.	Instructor
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Colombini, Victor D.	11127092	Cpl.	Clerk
Garnard, Dick	12105003	Cpl.	Instructor
Botti, Arnaldo	19682173	Pfc.	Instructor
De Bari, Stephen	12642610	Pfc.	Instructor
Campellone, Claudio	11192669	Pvt.	Instructor
Palma, Paul	12564496	Pvt.	Instructor
De Leo, Harry	13598004	Pvt.	Instructor
De Orsilio, Mario E.	11096562	Pvt.	Instructor
Garnard, Eric	16570301	Pvt.	Instructor

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3. Further, it is understood that as the officer student body diminishes, enlisted personnel will be released.

4. It has recently come to my attention, although requests for assignment have been made by this office in writing, that assignment records in AFM-100, Hollywood and H. do not agree in every case. It would be appreciated (a) if these records could be checked for agreement with the above list and (b) if the assignments could be reflected in the Special Orders.

JOHN W. TAYLOR
Capt., Spec. Res.,
Director of Studies.

Subject. Fuel.

To. S.4.

From. Camp Commandant.

May we please have a truck load of wood (5 ton) to
be delivered Wednesday afternoon or Thursday at latest.

In the Field.
3rd Jan 44.

E. J. Idout.
for Camp Commandant.
Military Gov. School & Holding Centre.

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Col Horcross
Lt Col Bowman
" Rutter
Major Hamilton
" Anderson

Major Randall
" Linder
Capt Black
Lieut Lester
" Boone
" Hatt
" Goodman

Please attend a joint Inces Committee
meeting in the Card Room at Windsor
on Friday 4 Jan 44 at 1345 hrs

1300/hrs

Lt Col
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Roast chicken 250 fcs
Roast grive 15 fcs.
Steak 20 - 25 fcs.

10% Service.

Subject :- Accommodation etc.

NSC/3/1

Captain Searle,
Camp Commandant.

Keep for Reference
A.S.

The following information is forwarded :-

<u>Petrol.</u>	Beni Mancour	-	C.M.P.
	Setif	-	R.A.S.C.
	Biskra	-	R.A.S.C.
	Bougie	-	R.A.S.C.

Accommodation.

Town Major - Setif.	-	Hotel de France
Meals	-	Officers Club.
R.A.F. Biskra	-	Terminus Hotel
(H.Q. Transatlantic Hotel)	-	Cafe Glacier.
Meals	-	

<u>Milages.</u>	Tizi-Ouzou - Setif - Biskra	340
	Biskra - Setif - Bougie - Tizi-O	310
		<u>650</u>

Field.

3 Jan 44.

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

Subject:- LOSS OF MONEY

To : Base Cashier

Ref : HMGS/OG

Reference your letter BC/2/29 dated 30 Dec 43 :
Lieut. Arnold, one of the American officers concerned, now
states that the bundles of notes were hastily counted
collectively, and not by denomination.

May this office be advised as to the progress of your
inquiries.

In the Field,
4 Jan 44.

.....
Capt.
Camp Commandant,
Military Government School & Holding Centre.

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Subject: Ships Exchange - S.S. Chantilly.

No. 2 COMMAND PAY OFFICE

Ref: BC/2/29

30th December 1943.

To: Camp Commandant,
Mil. Govt School and Holding Centre.
B.N.A.F.

In reply to your BC/2 of the 24th December, addressed to Field Cashier, 27 Area.

In Rear Echelon letter LFA/Adv. dated 18th December para. 5 it is stated "the two American Officers discovered that they were short slightly over 300 2/6's. To be exact they were short 753 shillings..." In their letter LFA/he of the 23rd December 1.(b) it is stated that..."notes of same denominations, stacked in units of hundreds were counted"

If the latter statement is correct, then it is not clear how the shortage of 300 2/6's i.e. 3 bundles of 100 notes each out of a total of 500 notes (5 bundles) were not noticed at the time.

Can this point be clarified please?

In the meantime full enquiries are being made in this Office.

Lieut-Colonel,
Base Cashier.

Casino la Corniche,
Pointe Pescade,
ALGERS.

2082

Ref your letter BC/2/29 dated 30 Dec '43,
 St. Arnold me of the American office concerned no station
 that the ~~letter~~ of notes were ^{hostile} could collectively, as
 not by ~~removal~~ many this office be added or to it
 progress of your request

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Base Cashier
 No 2 Command Post Office

Subject:- COURT OF INQUIRY

Ref : BMGS/OG

To : AA & QMG, Algiers Sub District

Reference your 236949A of 24 Dec 43 : proceedings of Court of Inquiry into the circumstances of an outbreak of fire in a tent are enclosed herewith.

Also enclosed is receipt for £1 (one pound) in respect of charges imposed upon the officers concerned : Lieuts R.C. Limbert and H.M. Mackenzie. This money has been added to the school's fund. a/c

The proceedings are closed as from 31 Dec 43.

In the Field,
4 Jan 44.

.....Capt.
Camp Commandant,
Military Government School & Holding Centre.

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Subject. Fuel.To. S.4.From. Camp Commandant.

In view of the extra cold and damp weather the fuel consumption has increased. In view of this can my indent be increased. Below are the necessary figure to substantiate my request.

Present.

London 10 F P Fires	8 Baskets per day	4 cwt
2 Slow combustion Stoves	" " "	"
London Stoves 1 Boiler	1 " " "	"
Central Stoves 1 "	1 " " "	"
Miami Boyer Stove	1 " " "	"
Tented Camp 1 Water heater	1 " " "	1 "
Windsor Mess Slow Combustion Stove	2 " " "	1 "
Windsor Barr 3 Open Stoves	2 " " "	1 "
Canteen 2 Boyer Stoves	2 " " "	2 "
Hollywood 12 F P Stoves	4 " " "	

Amount per day.

22

11 cwts

In the Field.
3rd Jan 44.

.....Capt.
Camp Commandant.
Military Gov. School & Holding Centre.

Copy to H. Baker.

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Subject. FireTo. S.4.From. Camp Commandant.Required.

		12 Baskets per day	6 cwt.
London 10 F.P. Stoves.			
2 S.G.	"		1 "
London Stoves	1 Boiler	2 "	1 "
Central Stoves	1 "	2 "	1 "
Miami	1 Soyer Stove	1 "	1 "
Tented Camp	1 Water heater	1 "	1 "
Windsor Mess	Slow Combustion	32 "	1 "
Windsor Barrs	3 Open Fires	2 "	1 "
Canteen	2 Soyer Stoves	2 "	1 "
Hollywood	12 F.P. Stoves	6 "	3 "

Amount per day = 30

Amount per week = 5 ton 5 cwt

Amount per month = 21 Ton.

15 cwtIn the Field.
3rd Jan 44.

.....Capt.
Camp Commandant.
Military Gov. School & Holding Centre.

Copy to Sgt Parker.

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Subject:- Repatriation to UK - Long Service Grounds

21823A

29 Dec 43

Distribution : List 'A'

Further to this HQ letters of even number dated 18 and 22 Dec 43.

Nominal rolls will be rendered forthwith as only short period is left before embarkation and all applications MUST be checked by GHQ 2nd Echelon before authority is given.

CH.

by [signature]
Lt-Col.,
A. & M.G.,
ALGIERS SUB DISTRICT.

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

785015

Subject:- COURT OF INQUIRY

Ref : BMCS/OG

To : Capt. D.C. Moyle, R.A.

From : Camp Commandant.

Enclosed herewith two hundred francs (200 frs) in respect of Court of Inquiry charges imposed on Lieuts Limbert and Mackenzie. This money should be credited to the Imprest Account.

Will you please sign attached receipt to cover the proceedings.

In the Field,
31 Dec 43.

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.....Capt.
Camp Commandant.
Mil. Govt. School & Holding Centre.

C O P Y

Declaration :- The Court having heard the evidence is of the opinion that :-
(a) The damage to the tent was due to the negligence of Lieuts Limbert & Mackenzie.
(b) Having regard to all the circumstances Lieuts Limbert, R.C. & Mackenzie, N.M., each contribute the sum of ten shillings towards the cost of repair: the balance to be borne out of Public Funds.

Signed :- N.T. Beard, Maj. President
A. Fryer, Capt. Member
G.T. Gardham, Capt. "

COMMANDING OFFICER'S OPINION

I agree with the findings of the Court & recommend that the two officers concerned should each contribute the sum of 10/- (ten shillings) towards cost of repair & that the remainder of the cost of repair be borne by the public.

R.H. Robertson, Lt.Col.,
Asst. Commandant, M.G.S. & H.C.

Field,
7 Dec 43.

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ALLIED FORCE LOCAL
ELECTRICAL AND MECHANICAL
ENGINEERING REGULATIONS

CLASS I POWER
B 960
Based on Tech Inst
H. 46

Engines I.C. of small generating sets etc.

Detail

1. Instructions to be followed when run on high octane leaded petrol.

Information

2. It is accepted that the use of high octane leaded petrol in small engines of generating, battery charging, small pumping set, outboard engines, small propulsion units on motor boats or barges, and similar type petrol engines on other Signal and Engineer equipment, gives rise to greater maintenance difficulties than when unleaded petroleum spirit is used.
3. It is possible that, on occasions, the most suitable petroleum spirit will not be available and recourse must be had to the use of leaded petrol of the grade issued for M.F. vehicles. In such circumstances it is possible to keep the types of engine referred to above in service, provided a high standard of preventive maintenance is applied.
4. The use of high octane leaded petrol renders engines particularly susceptible to valve trouble. Damage to exhaust valves occurs when:
 - (a) Certain deposits form on the stem and the valve begins to stick.
 - (b) Hot gases leak over the valve seat causing excessive rises in temperature at the valve head.
 - (c) The valves burn at the periphery of their heads and are ruined.

Action

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Instructions

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7. A test for sticking valves will be carried out at the conclusion of each day's running by carefully checking, with the starting handle, the compression of each cylinder. This test will be made whilst the engine is thoroughly hot.

8. When faulty compression is detected, the condition will be checked by qualified technical personnel and, if found to be due to a sticking valve, the defect will be immediately remedied by dismantling as necessary, freeing and grinding in all the exhaust valves.

9. While cleaning exhaust valves particular care will be taken to remove all hard coked-on deposits from the valve heads, and gummy deposits from the valve stems.

POWER
B 960

10. If a sticking valve can be detected in the early stages of running, and then freed and lightly ground in, no damage is done, but if the valve is allowed to run for several hours in a sticking condition it will be irretrievably damaged.
11. Whenever possible, where engines are likely to be left for periods without running, the air filter should be removed about five minutes before stopping the engine, and lubricating oil injected into the carburettor air intake until blue smoke is emitted from the engine exhaust. The air cleaner should then be replaced.
12. Sparking plugs will be thoroughly cleaned and gaps adjusted if necessary once in every twenty-four hours, provided that the engine has run for any time during the period.
13. Decarbonisation will be carried out at least once in every fifty hours running.

Robert Blakemore RBL

fw Major-General,
Director of Mechanical Engineering.
A.F.H.Q.

Aug. 19, 1944, Eighth Army, C.M.F. 19.12.44.
Dear Camp Commandant: I left Iji Gou
on the 1st of Dec: where for a couple of
nights I occupied about the fourth bed
in Dormitory B^{at Iji Gou} (on the left hand side
of the dormitory as you enter). Most
unfortunately I left my Sam Browne
belt on a nail at the back of the bed
near the window - it has **POKED**
on the inside. Has the belt been
reported found please or perhaps it is
still there !!! If you could possibly
try and recover it for me and send
it on if successful I shall be most
grateful. The value of the belt does
not concern me so much as the
Sentimental value: it was my
father's. I will gladly refund any costs
at all and send a reward if you think
that necessary. I do hope you will
do something for me - in any event
I thank you in advance for any trouble
you take. Yrs Sincerely - E. J. Puller, Major.

BY AIR MAIL **AIR MAIL** **LETTER CARD**

IF ANYTHING IS ENCLOSED THIS CARD WILL BE SENT BY ORDINARY MAIL

REVENUE
POSTAGE 3⁰⁰

*The Camp
Commandant,
Military Government
School and Hotel
Cebu
Mindanao*

A. F. I. R. B. N. A. F.

WHEN FOLDED THE LETTER CARD MUST CONFORM IN SIZE AND SHAPE WITH THE BLUE BORDER WITHIN WHICH THE ADDRESS ONLY MAY BE WRITTEN

Subject :- Personnel Selection Staff.

OG/3/1

Group Commandant.

A Personnel Staff, consisting of one officer and one serjeant, will be arriving at the School at approx 1600 hours today, and will require accommodation for tonight.

You will also arrange to have two rooms at their disposal on Friday :-

- (i) A room for testing - preferably with chairs and tables for 50 O.Rs. A supply of paper should also be provided.
- (ii) A room for interviewing each O.R. individually.

Field.

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

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3p 43.

Subject. Damage Tents.

To. Lieut Q.M.

From. Lieut F. Boyle.

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Further to our telephone conversation, herewith copy of report submitted by Sgt Parker.

In the Field.
30th Dec. '43.


.....Lieut
Asst Camp Commandant.
Military Gov. School & Holding Centre

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Subject Tent's.
S.D.

On the morning 29 Dec 43
Hpt Davies, reported to me a tent
was damaged in tented camp.
I inspected this tent and found
it had been damaged by fire.
This tent was being used as
a floor sheet.
There was a fire tin on this which
is used for heating purpose.

The damage 3 large holes.

The Officers names which I obtained
from Pte Colley. (Batman)

Mr. Downey.

Mr. Shepard.

Mr. Cokson.

C. Parker Sgt.
480225

Reported to Lt Col Robertson
Instructed to report matter
to Q.M. for assessment of damage
Reported by phone to Q.M.

ALL SERVICES

List of Stores, Plant Tools, Instruments, &c.

Issued to NEW STATIONERY DEP
 Requisitioned by H.C. Date 3/12/43
 From P.C.S.

Index (or Cat.) No.	Designation	Quantity
1	GESTETNER "26" FOR GENERAL REPAIR No 25546	
	MILITARY GOV SCHOOL HOLDING CENTRE C/O A.F.H.A. R.N.A.F.	

Signature _____
 Rank _____ Date _____

ALL SERVICESList of Stores, Plant Tools, Instruments, &c.Issued to NAV. STATIONERY DEPOT
Requisitioned by H C
From NAV. STATIONERY DEPOT Date 31/12/43

Index (or Cat.) No.	Designation	Quantity
1	TYPEWRITER (ROYAL) For adjustment to ROLLER No 26000 33	
	MILITARY GOV SCHOOL & HOLDING CENTRE LA FAY 13 N 45	

Signature

Rank

Date

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ALL SERVICES
List of Stores, Plant Tools, Instruments, &c.

Issued to
Requisitioned by

From

Date

N. G. S. H. C. 31/12/43

Index (or Cat.) No.	Designation	Quantity
<u>1</u>	<u>1/1st DUPLICATOR</u> <u>FOR NEW</u> <u>GAUZE</u> <u>No 165333</u>	
	<u>MILITARY & CIV</u> <u>SCHOOL BUILDING</u> <u>CENTRE</u> <u>C/ A F H Q</u> <u>P N A F</u>	

Signature

Date

Rank

Subject. Repair

To. No 15 Stationery Depot.

From. Military Gov. School & H.C.

With reference to the under mentioned articles which we have forwarded to you for repair.

It would be greatly appreciated if collection of these machines could be made in a few days as we are at the moment pending movement from this theatre of operations.

- 1 Flat Duplicator (For new Gauze)
- 1 Typewriter "Royal" (For adjustment to roller)
- 1 Gestetner "26" (For general repair)

In the Field.
31st Dec. '43.

.....Capt.
for Asst Commandant.
Military Gov. School & Holding Centre

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