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POSTINGS & APPOINTMENTS
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AGENT JAMES

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BRIDGES

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REF 0.143.

Post 87530 Major I.G. GIBSON, Rifle Brigade, under orders report
you for interview to us for appointment G.S.C. II (Administration) (.) Date
of assuming appointment to be notified later (.)

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SUBJECT: Lt.Col.D.B.Aitken, O.B.E., A.P.C.,
Seafartha.

15th/7862/GA.

30. Jul. 43.

Deputy Military Secretary,
Allied Forces H.Q.

Reference your 5606/IS of 29.Jul.43.

1. Lt.Col.D.B.Aitken was taken on the AMOT WE/TO as Officer in charge of the AMOT School of Instruction. This School has now closed as far as AMOT is concerned and is directly under the Military Government Section, A.P.H.Q. This Officer carried out his duties as Commandant of the School conscientiously and efficiently under considerable difficulties. He is not a trained Civil Administrator and it is, therefore, not possible to employ him as a Senior Civil Affairs Officer in the field under AMOT.
2. It is understood that Lt.Col.Aitken has carried out the duties of A.A. & C.M.S. to an Area, and it is recommended that he should be considered for this employment, or for military administrative work of a similar nature.

R.J.P. THORNE THORNE, Col
Colonel,
Senior Staff Officer,

AMOT H.Q.
15 Army Group,
Field.

Copy to: Military Government Section,
A.P.H.Q.

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SUBJECT:- Postings.

15AD/7855/CA.

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G. H. Q.
2nd Echelon,
B.N.A.F.

2/1st Lt K.M.R. Abbott, R.A., 104562 Sgt. J.W. EASBY, R.A.,
and 11424560 Bdr. J. SMITH, R.A., reported to this H.Q. apparently
in error.

As a result of a telephone conversation with Military
Government Section, A.F.H.Q., it is understood that they are for
the Military Government School & Holding Centre. They have
therefore been returned to Algiers today with instructions to
report to Military Government Section.

AMEOT.
15 Army Gp.
B.N.A.F.

C. Davis Capt
Major-General,
C.C.A.O.

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File 7862/CA. ✓

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SUBJECT:- Relinquishments.

15AG/862/CA.
29.Jul.43.

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A. M. S.
A. F. H. Q.

Please publish the following casualty in Security Lists.

" G.S.O.I.
Major (T/Lt-Col) D.B. AITKEN, O.B.E., D.F.C., (9382)
Seaforth, w.o.f. 28.Jul.43."

It is not known what appointment, if any, this Officer is taking up, and therefore it cannot be stated whether or not T/Rank is retained in accordance with para.2(e) of A.C.I. 2650/42.

It is possible that this information can be supplied by the Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q.

AMGOT.
15 Army Gp.
B.H.A.F.



Major-General
Major-General,
C.C.A.O.

Copy to:- Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q. ✓

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SUBJECT: - Postings & Appointments Office. - Lt-Col. D.B. Aitken, ONE. DFC.

15AG/7851/GA.

28.Jul.43.

Military Government Sect.
A. F. H. Q.

It is agreed that the above mentioned officer should be shown on the W.E. of this H.Q. until 28.Jul.43 as suggested in para.4 of your MSB54.1 dated 25.Jul.43.

The necessary casualty will be notified to H.S. for publication in Security Lists.

AMGOT.
15 Army Gp.
R.H.A.F.

Major General,
G.O.A.O.

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SUBJECT:- Appointments - Officers. 63.

15/G/7862

28.Jul.43.

G.H.Q.
2nd Echelon (Officers Records).
B. N. A. F. 48A

May the appointments set out in
the list enclosed in our 1417/7851/GA of
10.Jul.43 please be published as soon as
possible.

So far only 10246 T/Major G.H.A.
FRENCH has appeared.

RECD.
15 Army Op.
B.N.A.F.

[Signature]
Major-General,
C.C.A.O.

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SUBJECT:- Postings & Appointments - Officers.

SAC/7862/CA.

26.Jul.43.

Secretary,
War Establishments Committee,
A.F.H.Q.

It is desired to publish the following amendment in M.S. Security Lists to comply with Note 1 to Appendix "C" to Minutes of meeting No.27, W.E. Committee held on 24.Jun.43.

"COMP COMMANDANT.

Lieut. R.W.HARTBORN (187524) R.A. and is granted the Acting Unpaid Rank of Capt. 5.May.43, and Paid Acting Rank of Capt. 26.May.43 (w.o.f. 5.May.43).

Substitution for notification in List No.22/1943."

May authority for the ante-date of appointment of Camp Commandant to 5.May.43 please be granted in accordance with Serial No.271 of Minutes of Meeting No.29 held on 8.Jul.43.

If possible may such authority be notified to A.M.S., A.F.H.Q., for publication.

AMOT.
15 Army Group.
B.N.A.F.

Major-General,
C.C.A.O.

Copy to:- A.M.S. A.F.H.Q. For publication in Security Lists if and when authority is granted.

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TROOPERS.

ADV. AMGOT FORTBASE.

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For Civil Affairs (.) 40266 Capt. W.F. COOK, R.A.S.C. Banking qualifications reported (.) which appointment is he for.

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(Sgt) R.J. Thorne Thorne
Col

Rodriguez

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24 July 1943

ADMINISTRATIVE MEMORANDUM)
NUMBER 51)

26 Jul 43
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ASSIGNMENT OF CHIEF OF AMGOT - HOBGOBLIN

Announcement is made of the assignment of Lt. Colonel A.R.A. de GARSTON as S.C.A.O. of HOBGOBLIN and Chief of AMGOT-HOBGOBLIN, vice Lt. Colonel NELSON W. MONFORT, relieved.

By command of General EISENHOWER:

[Signature]

T.J. DAVIS,
Brigadier General, United States Army,
Adjutant General.

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To SER
Capt Davis
Capt McRae
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13/8/7862/11.
 25.09.42.

1. British officers who arrived by train last night, viz, prior to departure, wear badges of rank as under :-

HEADQUARTERS.

Captain	H.L.H. DeFidley.
Captain	B.B. Wood.
Captain	V.D. Moleart.
Captain	H.B. Morsley.
Captain	P.A. Meggitt.
Ident.	H.B. Marshall.

FIELD DIVISION.

Ident-Col. A.G. Robb.

FIELD SAFETY DIVISION.

Ident-Col.	G.F. Francis.
Major	G.J.A. Bartlett.
Major	R.J. Dye.
Major	J. Downer.
Major	G.H.L. Mason.
Captain	H.C. Bond.
Captain	W.A. Leacy.
Captain	G.H. Morris.
Captain	J.A. Moly.
Captain	C.M. Godbold.
Ident.	J.P. Barber.
Ident.	B.J. Roberts.
Ident.	W.E. Bullock.
Ident.	P.H. Bridgman.
Ident.	G.W.S. Cault.
Ident.	H.R. Hartley.
Ident.	P.O. Hayward.
Ident.	R.H. Hobbs.
Ident.	J. Hopkins.
Ident.	C.H. Hobbs.
Ident.	G.M. Lee.

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Captain V.D. McLean.
 Captain H.R. Kennedy.
 Captain P.A. Reynolds.
 Lieut. H.E. Marshall.

GENERAL DIVISION.

Lieut-Col. A.C. Webb.

GENERAL DIVISION.

Lieut-Col. G.F. Prandin.
 Major G.J.A. Bartlett.
 Major R.J. Ego.
 Major J. Dwyer.
 Major G.H.J. Brown.
 Captain H.C. Bond.
 Captain W.A. Leary.
 Captain G.H. Morris.
 Captain J.A. McKay.
 Captain C.H. Godbold.
 Lieut. J.P. Hunter.
 Lieut. E.J. Roberts.
 Lieut. W.B. Bullock.
 Lieut. P.H. Bridgman.
 Lieut. G.W.S. Court.
 Lieut. H.B. Huxbury.
 Lieut. P.O. Hayward.
 Lieut. R.H. Hobbs.
 Lieut. J. Hopkins.
 Lieut. G.H. Hobbs.
 Lieut. G.H. Lee.

AMEN.
 15 Army Group,
 B.H.A.F.

Distribution:-

P.M.C. Officers Mess.
 H.Q. Notice Board.
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 Colonel,
 G.S.O.

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Effective dates of Appointments of Officers of this H.Q. are as shown in list enclosed in our 141F/7851/CA of 10.Jul.43 and NOT repeat NOT as set out in A.Fs.W.5008.

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS

Military Government Section

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7851
28 JUL 43

TBJ/ejy
25 July 1943

SUBJECT: Lt. Col. D. B. Aitken, CBE A.F.C.

TO : AMST

att.

1. Reference 15 AG/7851/CA of 18 July the British establishment of the Military Government School and Training Center is subject to War Office Approval, to be effective from 15 July 1943.
2. The personal letter to Colonel Aitken enclosed with your letter has been handed to Colonel Aitken.
3. It has been decided not to employ Colonel Aitken in The School establishment and he will revert to unemployment so far as this section is concerned on Wednesday, 28 July, the day after the move of the final party from here.
4. In the circumstances it is suggested that you should show Colonel Aitken as on your establishment until the 28 July. Please state agreement in writing.

(For) J. C. HOLMES
Brigadier General, GEC, Chief

Wrote a letter to remove from U.E. list
28/7/43.

By
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Action for
CAPT DAVIS

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SUBJECT:- Postings & Appointments - Officers.

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15AG/732/CA.
24.3.43.

G.H.Q.
Mid. East.

Ref. your 50359/AG3 dated 12.Jul.43.

WS/Lieut. (T/Capt) F.S. McFADZEAN. M.C., was taken on by this H.Q. as G.S.O. 2 and granted the A/Rank of Major w.e.f. 4.May.43.

Your Posting Order is therefore returned for amendment please.

AMGOT.
15 Army Group.
B.N.A.F.

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24/7/43

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Major-General,
C.C.A.O.

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SUBJECT:- Appointments - Officers.

15/0/7052/01.

21.Jul.43.

Directorate of Civ^l Affairs,
H.M.A. Tripoli-Libya.

Ref. your HMA/T/30/A/1/18 dated 15.Jul.43.

Lieut-Col. A.R.A. BALABSTON is now occupying an appointment
of G.S.O.I at A.F.H.Q.

He assumed his present appointment on 23.May.43.

RECOT.
15 Army Gp.
B.H.A.F.

Major-General,
O.C.A.O.

Copy to:- Military Government Section, A.F.H.Q.

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SUBJECT:- Posings & Appointments - Officers.

12. 7862/CA
21. Jul. 45.

A.M.S.
15 Army Group.

Please post 136947 T/Capt. E.A.C. TALBOT, Grenadier
Gds. to this Headquarters to fill appointment of C.S.O.3 (Civil
Supply Division).

AMCOT.
15 Army Gp.
B.N.A.F.

Major-General,
C.O.A.O.

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B. R. G. M.

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SUBJECT: Appoint its - Officers.

15 G/7862/GA.

19 Jul 43.

Ident. Colonel Nicolls.

Captain FARRAR will be required to take over the duties of Staff Captain at 15 Army Group w.o.f. 20 Jul 43, and to report to HQ AGOT, Mont Fleury, before 1200 hrs 20 Jul 43 with all his kit.

If you consider that it is essential for another British Camp Commandant to be appointed please let me know as soon as possible.

BL
Colonel,
Senior Staff Officer.

AGOT HQ.,
15 Army Group,
Field.

Copy to: Captain FARRAR.

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Headquarters,
British Military Administration,
Tribunalia.

BMA/T/30/A/1/18.

15th July, 1943.

Liaison Section,
A.F.H.Q.,
141 Forco.

Subject:- Major A.R.A. De Garston.

With reference to letter No.141F/7862/CA dated
4.6.43, will you please state the effective date of
posting and present Unit of the a/n. Officer in order
that the above named Officer be S.O.S. this Administra-
tion.

RIM/MS.

Major,
f/Brigadier,
A/D.C.C.A.O.

To Sec
CAPT 5775

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Military Government Section

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HEADQUARTERS
DATE: 12 JUL 1943
NO: 7862
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frt
11 July 1943

MEMORANDUM TO: AMGOT REAR

SUBJECT : Lt. Colonel Monfort.

It is anticipated that the above named officer will shortly be available to rejoin AMGOT. As soon as he has completed his present appointment he will be instructed to proceed to your headquarters.

A. T. Maxwell

A. T. MAXWELL
Colonel
Deputy Chief, Mil. Govt. Sec.

to SEE

LT COL KIRBY - SMITH
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To Capt. [unclear] [unclear]

Out [unclear] of [unclear]

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Subject:- Casualties Officers.

Ref:- 15AG/7662/CA.

15th July, 1943.

G.H.Q.
2nd Echelon.
B.N.A.

Reference your Part II Order Serial 1011/36 dated 6th July, 1943, No. 51345 T/Major D. Morley Fletcher. Rifle Brigade is erroneously shown as P/A to School of Instruction w.e.f. 31st May, 43. This casualty should read "Posted to ARIOT as G.H.Q. w.e.f. 31st May, 43, retains Temporary Rank of Major" (see enclosure with this H.Q. memo 1418/7662/CA of 11th July, 43, refers).

The above mentioned is Captain and not W/S Captain as shown in the enclosure above referred to.

Please note that the name of this H.Q. is ARIOT and not School of Instruction as stated in your Part II Orders.

Major General.
G.C.A.O.
ARIOT.
15th Army Group.

Copy to:- Camp Commandant,
ARIOT REAR.

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[Signature]
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SUBJECT:- Appointments - Officers

10 JUL 1943

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

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G.1/B/5441/6/MS.

9 Jul 43.

C.C.A.O., AMGOT,
Commander, No. 1 (ALGIERES) Area.

Reference your AL/276 dated 25 Jun 43.

Approval is given to the following appointment.

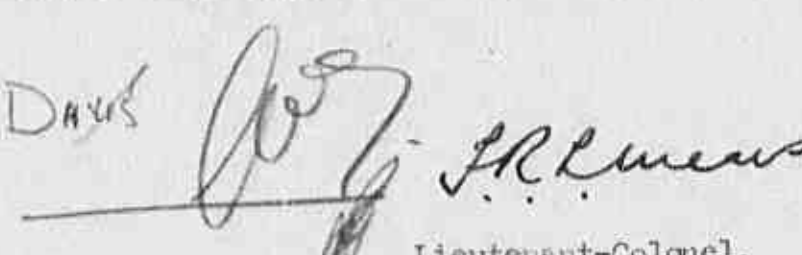
Capt. (T/Major) C.H.A. FRENCH (10246) R.A.O.C.
from No. 4 Town Major to be C.S.O.II, AMGOT
retaining temporary rank. (new appointment).

Please report date of assumption.

To SEE

CAPT

DAVIS


Lieutenant-Colonel,
Assistant Military Secretary.
G.1.(B)/M.S.

PH.

Copies to:-

G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon
G.1 (Br) 'A'1

8/8 10/6 5772

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SUBJECT: - Immediate Emergency Commission - Lt. (SM)

10-7-43. ALFRED P. J. HEADQUARTERS,
7862. G.I.(B) 1302/A.1.
9 July 43.

D.A.G.
2nd Battalion.

The Warrant Officer mentioned in the attached schedule has been granted an Immediate Emergency Commission as a Lt. (SM) by the Chief Administrative Officer, AFHQ to fill vacancy in W.S. as stated.

W.S. will make the necessary publication in their Security Lists. Will you please initiate the discharge of this Warrant Officer from his present engagement and issue the requisite posting order, reporting the date of assuming new appointment to W.S. AFHQ.

Saw to W.I. Got Sec
AFHQ

Richard H. Colwell
Brigadier,
G.I.(B).

Copies to :- ADJUT
GEN.
Camp Commandant, AFHQ.

To Sec: 5771

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CHAS. DAVIS

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Number	E C	Name	AG	Regt or Corps	Present Unit
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Name	Age	Regt or Corps	Present Unit	W.E. Vacancy to be filled.	Regt or Corps into which Commissioned.
EE Thomas	34 ¹ / ₁₂	C.M.P.	Provost Branch AFHQ.	Lt. (gk) Military Government Sec., AFHQ.	General List.

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SUBJECT: - Postings & Appointments - Officers.

A.M.S.,
A.F.H.Q.

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14/7862/CA.
8.July.43.

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(1) Reference Appendix "A" to G.R.O.276 Serial 21 dated 18.June.43, please publish the following corrections :-

- (a) Lieut. (T/Capt.) G.H.L. MASON (175361)
Delete "R.A." and insert "Pioneer Corps".
- (b) Lieut. R.W. HARRIMAN (187524) R.A.
This Officer's appointment should have been shown as Camp Commandant, and NOT as G.S.O.3.
- (c) Lieut. (T/Capt.) G.M. DAVIS (117575) 13/18 H.
This Officer's name should be spelt "DAVIS" and NOT "DAVIES".

- (2)

Brig. Lord RENNELL of RODD	}
Col. D.G. CHEYNE (late R.A.M.C.)	
Capt. A.S. FARRAR, R.A.S.C.	

The appointments of these Officers as contained in our pro-forma have NOT yet appeared in G.R.Os.

- (3) Please inform this H.Q. whether any corrections made necessary by the queries raised in this H.Q. letter of even Reference dated 26.June.43 are being published.

AMCOT,
141 Force,
Field.

PA
Major-General
C.C.A.O.

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SUBJECT: - Appointments - Officers			
A.M.G.O.T.		141F/0801/23/MS	
FORCE 141		2 July 1943	

Under Authority A.F.H.Q. letter G.1/B/2430/16/MS dated 30 June 43, the following appointment is approved.

- (1) Capt. (T/Major) (A/Col) A.T. MAXWELL (302/9) K.R.R.C., from Colonel (G.S.) AMGOT to be Colonel (G.S.), Military Government Section, Allied Force H.Q. w.e.f. 24 June 43, retaining acting rank.

Mcott
Lieutenant Colonel,
Assistant Military Secretary,
In The Field Force 141.

Copy to:- Supervising Officer

To SSG
CSO (Capt. Lane)

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AMCOT,
41 Force,
B.N.A.F.

29th June, 1943

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Dear Col. O'Rourke,

No. 56567/3 A/Captain W.A. Lacey, General List, who has just arrived in this theatre as a C.A.P.O., is desirous of becoming a police officer in Eritrea or Somaliland as he is particularly anxious to get into the Colonial Service after the war.

General Rennell has asked me to write to you to see if you can swap him for an Italian speaking officer from O.T.A.

He has been in the Metropolitan Police since January 1936, and his father is Lt. Col. W. Lacey, I.A.O.C. (Calcutta).

I understand that Captain Lacey has a very good record. I should be most grateful if you would let me know if you can do anything to assist.

I hope you are fit, and that all goes well in Middle East.

Yours sincerely,

R. J. P. THORNE THORNE, 5767
Colonel,
Chief Staff Officer.

To: Inspector General of Police,
Civil Affairs,
G.H.Q., M.E.

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141F/7862/CA
26 June 1943SUBJECT: Postings and Appointments of Officers.A. M. S., AFTER.

Reference to Appendix "A" to GHO 276 Serial 21 dated 18 June 1943, the following queries arise:-

NAME OF OFFICERQUERY

Lt.Col. Lord Wellesley

Surname is mis-spelled as "Wellesey" instead of "Wellesley." 5763

Capt. H.P.F. Parmer

It is understood this officer is a temporary "Major" and a W. S. "Captain". Word "Captain" should therefore be inserted instead of the word "Lieutenant."

Capt. Millard

His personal number has been omitted. Given in our Pro-Forma as 10144.

Lt. (QM) R.P. Simalair

The effective date of this officers appointment is shown as 2 June 43. He in fact arrived here on the 22nd of May 43. Can this please be checked.

Capt. F.H.J. Marse

This officer states that he was promoted by examination in the Territorial Army and so posted as such in the London Gazette, dated 4 March 1936. He in fact has never been a regular soldier. If, on these facts, he is, as he alleges, a Substantive Captain, can the necessary correction please be made.

Med. Gen.
C. C. A. O.

AMCOT
141 Force
In the Field

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QUERY

Lt.Col. Lord Wellesley

Capt. H.F.F. Farrer

Capt. Millard

Lt. (QM) R.P. Sinclair

Capt. P.H.J. Maxse

Surname is mis-spelled as "Wellesey" instead of "Wellesley." 5786

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ANGOT
141 Force
In the Field

MAJ. Gen.
C. G. A. O.

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141F/7862/CA

24 June 1963

SUBJECT: Appointments (Officers).

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May the following insertion be made in your D.R.O.s today:
Copies of GRO 21/276 containing 51 appointments to this Hq. are avail-
able for inspection by officers in Camp Commandant's office and "A"
Branch (Room 18, Hotel Allemand).

AMGOT
141 Force
In the Field

Captain,
S. C. A.

Lavis Capt

P/H 5765
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141F/7862/CA
17 June 43

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Subject: Appts. Officers:- Capt. A. S. O'Hara and E. W. Able

To: Under-Secretary of State
War Office (C.C.A.O.)
London, S.W.1.

Receipt is acknowledged your letter of 5 June enclosing
copy letter from Canadian Military HQ. the contents of which
have been communicated to the officers concerned.

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Major General
C.C.A.O.

AMCOT
In The Field

Copy to Canadian Military HQ. (Your letter answers
our 7862/CA 11 June.)

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1418/7862/GA
17 June 43

Subject: Appointments (Officers)

To : Capts. A.S. O'Hara and E.W. Able

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Copy letter from Canadian Military Hq. to the War Office dated 24 May is enclosed for your information.

[Signature]
Lt. Colonel
C.S.O.

AMCOT
In The Field

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Tel. No.—

Any further communication on subject should be addressed to—
The Under-Secretary of State,
The War Office
(as opposite)
and the following number quoted.



THE WAR OFFICE

Hotel Victoria,
Northumberland Ave
London W.C.2.

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5TH June, 1943

Your Reference

FORCE 141

From: M.O.11., War Office.

To : Maj.Gen.Lord Rennell of Rodd,
A.M.G.O.T.
A.F.H.Q.(British)
ALGIERS.

With reference to the attached copy of letter from the Senior Officer, Canadian Military Headquarters, dated 24th May, 1943, may the officers concerned be informed, please.

Handwritten signature

Lieut.Col. G.S.

C.S.O.

TO SEE

C.S.O.

Capt DAVIS

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CANADIAN MILITARY HEADQUARTERS,

2, Cockspur Street,

London, S.W.1.

The Under-Secretary of State,
The War Office (D.C.O.A.O.)
London, S.W.1.

24th May, 1943.

Captain A.S.O'Hara - R.C.A.M.C.
Lieut. E.W. Abel - Camerons of G.

Reference your DCCAO/HM.10/107/A.4 dated 18th May, 1943.

1. I am to inform you that approval has been granted for the appointment of the m-n officers as GSOs.III, and for the promotion of Lieut. E.W. Abel to the acting rank of Captain, all effective 10 May 43.
2. Suitable entries will be promulgated in this week's supplement to Overseas R.Os. being published on Friday 28 May 43.
3. May the officers concerned be informed please.

(Signed) H.M. Cathcart,
Lt.-Colonel,
for Senior Officer,
Canadian Military Headquarters.

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OBJECT:

Postings and Appointments (Officers)
Lt. Col. De Garston and Capt. Wornald.

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14 June 43

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G-1 (B) A.F.H.Q.

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Ref. Brig. Westropp's Memo to C.C.A.O. dated 11 June.

Lt. Col. De Garston's appointment should be ante-dated to 23 May 43
and Capt. Wornald's to 1st May 43.

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141 Force
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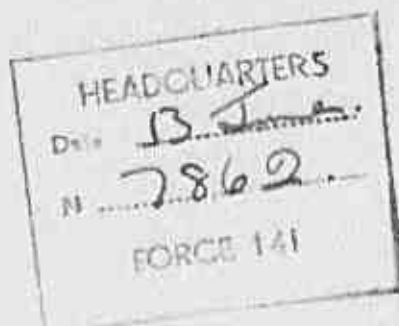
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Memo to:-
C.C.A.O., H.Q. 141 Force

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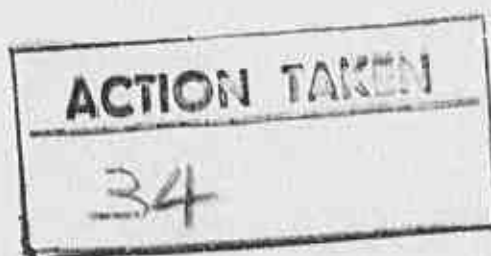
10 June 43.

Ref your 141F/7862/CA, of 6 June.

The addition to the establishment of A.F.H.Q. of a Lt-Col and a Capt (Liaison Sec) has already been submitted to the W.E. Committee to cover the appointments of Lt-Col De Garston and Capt. Wornald.

It is understood the Committee will deal with the matter shortly. As soon as the appointments are approved, posting orders will be issued for the officers concerned.

Can you please say on what date the two officers assumed duty, so that the authority of the appointments may be suitably ante-dated.



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Brigadier,
G-1 (B)

*File 2 Capt. Davis for
action.*

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Capt Davis.

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SUBJECT: POSTINGS-OFFICERS

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141F/7862/CA

6 June 43

TO: A.M.S. A.F.H.Q.

Ref. enclosure to this H.Q. 7862/CA dated 4 June.

Please delete A/Capt. S.H. Head's name.

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C.S.A.O.

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11 JUNE 43

TO: C.S.B.I.C.
A.E.C.

152595 T/Major W.R. Cusley is now working with this H.Q.

It is understood that he will continue to fill a vacancy on your W.R. and will be shown as on your strength on all AFs WJ008 rendered by you.

Comdes to: Director of Civil Affairs
War Office.

ASST Liaison H.Q. Force 141

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Force 141
In The Field

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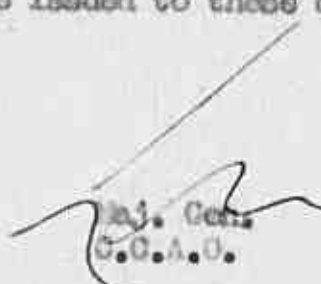
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11 June 43

Subject: Postings and Appointments (Officers)

To : H.B. Canadian Force H.Q. London S.W.I.

T/Capt. E.W. Able (Queens Own Cameron Highlanders of Canada) and Capt. A.B.O'Hara (R.C.A.M.C.) joined this H.Q. on 27 May 43, and are filling C.B.O. III (Captains) appointments.

Please give effect to these appointments so that Captains pay and staff pay may be issued to these officers.


Maj. Gen.
C.G.A.O.

Copy to Directorate of Civil Affairs (H.Q.II) War Office .
Copy to AMOT Liaison

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SUBJECT: POSTINGS - LT. COL. DECARSTON
and CAPT. WORMELD

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6 June 43

MEMORANDUM TO: G-1(R) A.F.H.Q.
Attention Brig. V.J.E. Westropp

1. Reference is made to recent conversation between Brig. V.J.E. Westropp and Lt. Col. Maxwell regarding Lt. Col. Decarston and Capt. Wormeld when it was agreed by the former that the officers in question should be posted to vacancies in the A.F.H.Q. W.E. preferably to Liaison Section as grade 1 and grade 3 staff officers respectively.
2. Col. Holmes of the Liaison Section subsequently received a request to appoint them to his establishment but he stated that he in fact had no vacancies.
3. There are no vacancies for the a/m officers here. In any event, for reasons which were explained to Brig. V.J.E. Westropp, it is most undesirable that their names should appear as having any connection with AMGOT. In these circumstances may this H.Q. please be informed to which position on your W.E. the a/m officers are being appointed.

COPY TO: Liaison Section Force 141
Col. Holmes of Liaison Sect.
Capt. A.F.H.Q.
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P/A 7 June CAPT. DAVIS

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 DATE 6 JUN 1943
 NO. 7862
 FORCE 141

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5 JUNE 43.

FROM : DST ARHQ
 TO : DST L OF C RPTD DDST 141 FORCE 0.2E
 NO : ST/342

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ORDER LIEUT R G PARKER (228704) RASC 488 GEN TPT COY TO REPORT IMMEDIATELY TO 72 GEN TPT COY AS WORKSHOP OFFER WITH ACTING RANK OF CAPT VICE CAPT J CARTER (.) ORDER LIEUT (MO) T/CAPT J CARTER (147265) RASC 72 GEN TPT COY TO REPORT ON RELIEF BY CAPT PARKER AS TRANSPORT OFFER AMGOT RETAINING TEMPORARY RANK CAPT. CARTER WILL REPORT IN FIRST INSTANCE TO DDST 141 FORCE.

S.M.C. DISTRIBUTION.

DDST 3 ACTION.

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To Sec.

CAPT. DAVIS

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DATE : 10 JUN 1943
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No. 1065 PF/254/10/CA.

CIVIL AFFAIRS BRANCH,
G.H.Q., M.E.F.

2nd June, 1943.

Civil Affairs Branch,
H.Q., 141 Force,
B.N.A.F.

Capt. E.D. Zammit-Haines, I.C.

With reference to previous correspondence regarding the above-named officer, I am instructed to inform you that A.G. Branch, G.H.Q., have notified (minute 17 of CRME file 57390) that Capt. Zammit-Haines cannot be released to O.T.A.

ASP/FB.

G. Stanley Parker.
(A.S. PARKER).
Lt. Col.
for CHIEF SECRETARY.
CIVIL AFFAIRS BRANCH.

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CAPT DAVIS

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TELEPRINTED MESSAGE
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FROM: DST AFHQ
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CANCEL ST/316 OF 28 MAY REQUESTING POSTING OF CAPT STONE AS TRANSPORT OFFICER
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SUBJECT: POSTINGS AND APPOINTMENTS (OFFICERS)

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141F/7862/CA

5 June 43

To: WAR OFFICE

M.O. 11

Copy list of appointments to this H.Q. sent to A.M.S.
A.F.H.Q. is enclosed for your information.

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G.C.A.O.

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7 June 43

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SUBJECT: POSTING APPTS (Officers)

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141F/7862/CA

4 June 43

To: A.M.S.-A.F.H.Q.

Herewith list of 56 appointments to fill vacancies in the W.E. of this HQ for inclusion in the security lists.

The following points should be noted:-

- (1) Capt. G.M. Davis
" H.F.F. Farrer
" G.H. Ryder

Effective date should be same as date of relinquishment notified to you by H.Q. 141 Force.

- (2) Col. D.G. Cheyne - Effective date should be same as date of relinquishment notified by H.Q. 78 Div.

- (3) Lt. (QM) Sinclair - Effective date should correspond with date of being struck off strength of 18 Army Group.

- (4) Officers from C.A.S.C. (Civil Affairs Staff Centre) commissioned to General List.

It appears from these Officers' AFB 199A, that on joining the C.A.S.C. on the 25 Feb. 43 they were granted the acting rank of Capt. in which rank they have been paid. As it is not clear whether or not they retained their acting rank on being struck off strength of C.A.S.C., could it be confirmed with War Office whether this rank should be shown as retained or regranted in column 9 of the att. pro-forma. If acting rank was lost as leaving a C.A.S.C., all these officers should of course be shown as 2/Lieuts. only.

- (5) In the case of officers joining this HQ from other theatres the effective date shown is that of embarkation or ex-planting.

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1 JUN 1943
SUBJECT: Appointments - Officers

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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G.1/B/5428(A)/2/MS.

3 Jun 43.

No. 1 Infantry Reinforcement Training Depot.

Lt. (Q.M.) R.F. SINCLAIR A. & S.H., at present attached AMGOT is selected for appointment as Staff Lieutenant, AMGOT to fill an existing vacancy w.e.f. 2 Jun 43.

My G.1/B/5463/MS dated 1 Jun 43 refers.

Col
J.R.L. Macdonald
Lieutenant Colonel,
Assistant Military Secretary.
G.1.(B)/M.S.

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Copies to:-

G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon
AMGOT
File No. 5441/M.S.

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Capt DAVIS

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SUBJECT: BRITISH PERSONNEL

141F/7851 CA

4 June 45

To: Civil Affairs Branch
G.H.Q. M.E.F.
FOR Chief Secretary

Receipt is ack. of your 4288/ /CA dated 29 May 45
enclosing 7 reports as therein mentioned.

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141 Force
In The Field

[Signature]
Maj. Gen.
CCAO

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To be placed on file, etc.
 Subject - Documents. *file, etc.*
 No. 4988/ CA. *fin*

HEADQUARTERS
 DATE: 2 JUN 1943
 No. 7851
 FORCE 141

Civil Affairs Branch,
 G.H.Q., M.E.F.

29th May, 1943.

H.Q.,
 141 Force,
 B.N.A.F.

Lt-Col. G. WILKES ✓
 Major R. ROLPH ✓
 Major A.W.L. FRANKLIN ✓
 Captain E. CHART ✓
 Captain H.C. THORNTON-SMITH ✓
 Captain D. CUMMINGHAM ✓
 Lieut. W.O. DEANER ✓

I am directed to forward copies of Reports on the above named Officers, who have been, or who shortly will be, posted to your command.

H. J. Devereil
 (H. J. DEVEREIL)
 Lieut.

for Chief Secretary,
 CIVIL AFFAIRS BRANCH.

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subject: British Personnel ⁷⁸⁵¹
Receipt in ack of
your 4988/1 CA dated
29 May 43 enclosing 7
reports as there are mentioned
WAT Gen CCAO

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IN THE FIELD.

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4 June 43

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Subject: Postings (Officers)

To : Liaison Sec. (Attention Col. J.C.Holmes, A.F.H.Q.)

Major A.R.A. de Garston who is ~~on~~ the strength of B.M.A. Tripolitania is posted to you for appointment as C.S.O. 1.

Please notify the appointment to the A.M.S., A.F.H.Q. for inclusion in security lists. Please also inform B.M.A. Tripolitania as to effective date of appointment, so that Major de Garston can be shown as struck off their strength w.of the same date.

Please provide accommodation for Major de Garston, w.of today 4 June.

L. J. Gen.
C.C.A.O.

Copy to B.M.A. Tripolitania.

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SUBJECT: POSTINGS - APPOINTMENTS

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I4IF/7862/CA

4 June 43

TO: Capt. Farrer,
S C AMCOT LIAISON
H.Q. I4I FORCE

Ref your memo dated 3 June 43:

Major W H Pearrey has not yet been posted: The appointment which he has been selected to fill is not included in the existing W.E. but will be added in an amendment to be published shortly. As and when it is published the appointment will be ante-dated 24 April 43:

Capt. Farrer's appointment is included in a list sent to H.S. A.F.H., today and is ante-dated to 23 April 43:

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I4I Force
in the Field
GMD/TBF

Lt: Col
C S O

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FOLIO NO. 2208
2 JUNE 43

FROM: G-1 (B) CITE PHGAB
TO: TUNISIAN DISTRICT: 1 DIVISION : 78 DIVISION SOUSSE AREA
ORIG NO: 7096

REF NO: NY 5264 OF 28 MAY REPEATED.

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FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS APPROVED WEF 27 MAY.

1. LT. COL (T/COL) D.G. CHEVRE (14491) RANG FROM ADMS 78 DIV TO BE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC HEALTH AMGOT RETAINING TEMPORARY RANK.
2. T/LT COL (A/COL) J.C. GILROY, (39087) RANG FROM ADMS 1 DIV TO BE ADMS 78 DIV RETAINING ACTING RANK VICE T/COL D.G. CHEVRE.
3. T/LT COL (A/COL) G. ANDERTON (36784) RANG FROM ADMS HEADQUARTERS SOUSSE AREA TO BE ADMS 1 DIV RETAINING ACTING RANK VICE A/COL J.C. GILROY.
4. MAJOR (T/COL) G.A. WALMSLEY (36786) RANG FROM 10 PD AMB TO BE ADMS HEADQUARTERS SOUSSE AREA RETAINING TEMPORARY RANK VICE A/COL G. ANDERTON.
5. MAJOR (A/LT COL) A.C. COX (65321) RANG FROM 12 PD AMB TO BE CO 12 PD AMB RETAINING ACTING RANK VICE T/LT COL G.A. WALMSLEY.
6. MAJOR (T/LT COL) H. MANNINGTON RANG REPATRIATED NOW TO BE CO 12 PD AMB RETAINING TEMPORARY RANK VICE A/LT COL A.C. COX.

ORDER TO JOIN FORWENT.

A.F.H.Q. DISTRIBUTION:

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CAPT. DAVIS

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SUBJECT:- Postings Staff Officers 1943
DATE: 2 JUN 43
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ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G-1/B/1354/A1.

2 June 43.

A.M.G.O.T.

Capt. A.S. FARRAR (205467) S/C AMOT

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Reference G-1/B/5441 (B)/MS dated 31 May 43., Capt. Farrar will report p.m. Thursday 3 Jun 43.

TO SEE
CAPT DAVIS.

G. F. Denton - U.S. Air
DAAG
Major-General,
Chief Administrative Officer,
Allied Force Headquarters

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SUBJECT: Appointments - Officers

HEADQUARTERS ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

1 Jun 43.

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31 May 43.

G-1 (Br),
A.F.H.Q.

Lt. (Q.M.) A.B. FARRAR (205467) R.A.S.C., from Supervising Officer, Allied Force Headquarters is selected for appointment as Staff Captain, A.M.G.O.T., and is granted the acting rank of Captain w.e.f. 31 May 43 to fill an existing vacancy.

Instruct him to join forthwith.

J.R. Means

Lieutenant Colonel,
Assistant Military Secretary.
G.1. (U)/M.S.

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Copies to:-

A.M.G.O.T.

Camp Commandant (Br), A.F.H.Q.

G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon

File No. 5430/4/M.S. CAPT DAVIS

To SEE

*To be in charge of Registry
in person*

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3 June 43.

Staff Captain. 'A'
AMGOT Chres.

Can you please let me know if the V/m officers
have been posted to AMGOT and if so from what date

34085 W/S Major W.H. Pearcey, Royal Northumberland
Fusiliers. -u
2/6503 Capt H.F.F. Farrer, R.R.S.C. - introduced

To SEE

Capt. Davis

by H. Farrer.

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HQ 141 Force,
E.H.A.F.

Captain,
Staff Captain,
AMGOT Liaison.

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Headquarters,
Mal Force, B.N.A.F.

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CHM
Major (T/Lt.Col.) D.B.ATTWELL, Seaforth.

JH:
The attached copy of letter G.1/B/5606/AS dated 14th May, 43,
received from A.F.H.Q. is forwarded for your information and action as
necessary.

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This Officer was discharged from this Hospital to your H.Q.
on 13th instant.

Field.
17th May, 1943.

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W. Bird
Colonel,
Commanding 99th General Hospital.

*copy of attached
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to 1007*

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Allied Force Headquarters.

General Hospital.

G.I./B/5606/13.

13 May, 43.

SUBJECT:- Appointments - Officers.

Major (T/Lt.Col.) D.B. AITKEN, Seaforth is selected for appointment as Commandant, School of Instruction, Chrea retaining temporary rank of Lt.Col. w.e.f. 13 May, 43.

This appointment is provisional and is subject to War Office approval.

(Signed) F.R.L. MEARS, Lieutenant-Colonel,
Assistant Military Secretary,
G.I./B/13.

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A.M.S., First Army.
G.M.O., 2nd Echelon.

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H.Q. IAI Force.
28th May 1943.

To. Group Captain Benson, D.S.O.

Memo.

I trust you will forgive me Sir, if I raise the question of my rank, and possible promotion. I might say that this is the first time I have ever given this matter any thought, as I have elected to remain on the "Specially employed" list, as this enabled me, as a Capt. to take on a number of interesting jobs with G.(R). (Now HQ), Political, S.C.E., etc. However, at this juncture I do consider that rank is of importance in view of my age, service, and the job in hand, and I would be grateful if you would consider my case. Had I remained in East Africa I think I can say that my promotion was sure, but it seemed that there was something really worth doing here and I decided to go for it. Should you require particulars as to my previous service, both Political and Military, Brigadier Lush or Col. Blackley in these parts could supply it, or my Command in East Africa, more especially General Fowkes, or General Smallwood.

I am very sorry that I did not think of mentioning all this to you yesterday, but at the time it did not occur to me.

To Chas.

For Col. Thorne Thorne

J.F. MILLARD.

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28TH MAY 43.

FROM : D.D.S.T. AMR.
TO : CDR
INFO C.1(S) MR, D.D.S.T. 141 FORCE.
(SIG. NO : 01/316.)

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THU 1300/28.
FOR HIL.

ATTN: POST CAPTAIN F.B. JAMES (110540) R.A.S.C. NOW AT 1 G.R.T.D. TO
TRANSFER OFFICER AMOT. GAT DATES SHOULD REPORT IN FIRST INSTANCE
TO D.D.S.T. 141 FORCE.

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SUBJECT:- Appointments - Officers

ALLIED FORCE HEADQUARTERS.

G.1/B/5441(B)/MS.

22 May 43.

Headquarters,
141 Force.

Approval is given to the following appointments.

- (a) Lieut. (T/Capt.) G.M. DAVIS (117575) 13/18 H. from Staff Captain 'A', 141 Force is selected for appointment as Staff Captain (Legal) Section A.M.G.O.T. retaining temporary rank to fill an existing vacancy.

Please report date of assumption.

- (b) Lieut. (T/Capt.) G.H. RYPER () Res. of Offr. from Assistant Camp Commandant, 141 Force to be Captain (Civil Police), A.M.G.O.T. w.e.f. 20 May 43 retaining temporary rank.

J.R. Chen
Lieutenant Colonel,
Assistant Military Secretary.
G.1. (B)/M.S.

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Copies to:-

A.M.G.O.T., 141 Force
G.H.Q., 2nd Echelon
File 5441/M.S.

Subject:- W.E & T.O.

Ref.No.E/4/43.

Lt-Col A.T. Maxwell.

HQ 141 Force

- (1) Herewith copies of:-
(a) Combined W.E. & T.O.
(b) British W.E.
(c) American T.O.
- (2) Reference G.1098 for (b) it is now suggested that this be made if and when we get the W.E. approved.
- (3) Regret that these copies do not reach you tonight. Lt-Col Aitken, will take them to you tomorrow morning.

In the Field.
20 May 43.

[Signature]
Captain,
Camp Commandant, School of Instruction,
H.Q.141 Force.

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PROPOSED W.E., OF BRITISH PERSONNEL FOR SCHOOL OF
IN CONNECTION WITH H.Q. 141 FORCE.

OFFICERS.

1. Lt-Col - Commandant of School.
1. Capt - Adjutant of School.
1. Capt - Camp Commandant.
1. Liout & Quartermaster.
1. Officers Mess Secretary.

OTHER RANKS.

1. Camp Sergeant Major.
1. " Quartermaster Ser
3. Sergeants.
10. Corporals.
11. Lance Corporals.
89. Privates.

TOTAL 115

CLASSIFICATION - O.Rs. ACCORDING TO RANK & DUTIES.

	B.M. (WO.2)	QMS.	Sgts.	Opls.	L/Opls.	P
Camp Sergeant-Major.....	1	-	-	-	-	
" Quartermaster Sergeant	-	1	-	-	-	
Clerks.....	-	-	1	4	-	
Rations.....	-	-	-	1	-	
Storemen.....	-	-	-	-	-	
Drivers.....	-	-	-	-	1	
D/Rs.....	-	-	-	-	1	
Provost Staff.....	-	-	1	-	-	
Postal.....	-	-	-	-	1	
Carpenters.....	-	-	-	-	-	
Electrician.....	-	-	-	-	-	
Plumber.....	-	-	-	-	-	
Medical.....	-	-	-	-	-	
General.....	-	-	1	5	8	6
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Includes - 6 Typists.

" - Batmen/Orderlies.

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POSED W.E., OF BRITISH PERSONNEL FOR SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION,
IN CONNECTION WITH H.Q. 141 FORCE.

OTHER RANKS.

1. Camp Sergeant Major.
1. " Quartermaster Sergeant.
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TOTAL 115

IFICATION - O.Rs. ACCORDING TO RANK & DUTIES.

QMS.	Sgts.	Ops.	L/Ops.	Ptes.	TOTAL	REMARKS.
-	-	-	-	-	1.	
1	-	-	-	-	1.	
-	1	4	-	8	13.	
-	-	1	-	-	1.	
-	-	-	-	2	2.	
-	-	-	1	5	6.	
-	-	-	1	5	6.	
-	1	-	-	2	3.	
-	-	-	1	-	1.	
-	-	-	-	1	1.	
-	-	-	-	1	1.	
-	-	-	-	1	1.	
-	1	5	8	63	77.	
1	3	10	11	80	115.	

To be all personnel for R6. } electrician } They should have
 Carpenter } Limit 5/100 of tools
 Plumber } and 5/100

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Urgent Memorandum

7 May 43.

Small Weekly Star, London.

SECRET.

191. Birmingham; A.D. Assembly Centre, Gt. Central Hotel, Marylebone Rd., N.W.1.
192. Mr. G. H. R. J. P. O. (Office A/c) Manchester.

1947-48 October 1/2 A.P.C. (Office A/c) Manchester.

concerned.

1967-68 (A) 10, 62, 66 (R) D.C.C.A.O.

The following named officers have been placed under orders for service in the 1st Cavalry Division and have been ordered to join L.D.A.C. by 1200 hrs on 20 May 45.

	<u>P/Number.</u>	<u>Leave Address.</u>
Mr. J. H. H. H. H. H.	RA. (19687)	Acorn House, Keswick, Cumberland.
Mr. J. H. H. H. H.	RA. (102356)	Willowden, Greatland, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816,

1. Subject: APC A.P.C. Number will NOT be communicated. 10/20/50

Attention is directed to "Standing Instructions for Drafts and Individuals
Likely Proceeding Overseas, 1942."

4. 4. 1942, A.S.I. 1820/42, Officers are advised to provide themselves with "Normal Scale" of tropical clothing. It is emphasised that Tropical Shirts must have long sleeves.

Officers are strongly advised, if they are in London prior to 10 AM, to call at L.D.A.C. in order that they may receive advice about clothing, equipment and other necessary matters; not only in their own interests, but in order to assist the Commandant, L.D.A.C. in preparing the report for publication. It may be possible for officers to purchase some of the necessary articles of clothing, etc. at L.D.A.C.

5. The attention of officers concerned is drawn to the necessity of keeping the Bureau advised of the contents of their urgent memoranda.

H B over Capt. General,
Assistant Lt. General

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LE Colonel

(T/ Brigadier ~~Local~~ Major General) Lord Rennell of Rodd. R.A. from H.Q. East Africa to be Major Affairs Officer W.E.F. April, 6 1943 in an existing vacancy.

~~W/S~~ Major (T/Lieut Colonel) 30279 A.T. Maxwell, K.R.R.C. T.A. from U.K. to be G.S.O. Grade I Civil 3rd 1943, in an existing vacancy.

~~W/S~~ Major (T/Lieut Colonel) 15980 R.J.P. Thorne Thorne, Cyprus Regt (The Buffs) from H.Q. East Africa Civil Affairs W.E.F. April 14th 1943 in an existing vacancy. Command Head

~~W/S~~ Major (T/Lieut Colonel) H. Lloyd-Carson E. Ian. Regt. (R.A.R.O). from H.Q. East Africa to be Civil Affairs W.E.F. April 19th - 1943 in an existing vacancy.

~~W/S~~ Major 34985 W.H. Pearcey Royal Northumberland Fusiliers from I.B.D. to be G.S.O. Grade II Civil April 24th 1943 in an existing vacancy.

X Captain 16503 H.P.F. Farrer K.R.R.C. from from G.S.O. Grade III 141 Force to be G.S.O. Grade W.E.F. April 23rd 1943.

lieut (1/ Captain) A. Warmald. Royal Marines from G.S.O. III B.M.A. Tripolitania Civil Affairs W.E.F. May 1st 1943. in an existing vacancy

~~W/S~~ lieut 1/ Captain P.F. Benton Jones R.A. from 84 H.A.A. Regt R.A. to be G.S.O. III Civil Affairs W.E.F. May 5th 1943 in an existing vacancy

~~W/S~~ lieut R.W. Harman. R.A. from 180/64 H.A.A. Regt R.A. to be Captain Camp Commandant Civil Affairs W.E.F. May 5th 1943 in an existing vacancy

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General) Lord Rennell of Rodd. R.A. from H.Q. East Africa to be Major General Chief Civil
 W.E.F. April, 6 1943 in an existing vacancy.

60279 A.T. Maxwell, K.R.R.O. T.A. from U.K. to be G.S.O. Grade I Civil Affairs W.E.F. April
 existing vacancy.

15980 R.J.P. Thorne Thorne, Cyprus Regt (The Buffs) from H.Q. East Africa to be G.S.O. I
 W.E.F. April 14th 1943 in an existing vacancy.

H. Lloyd-Carson E. Ian. Regt. (R.A.R.O.) from H.Q. East Africa to be G.S.O. I Grade I
 W.E.F. April 19th - 1943 in an existing vacancy.

by Royal Northumberland Fusiliers from I.B.D. to be G.S.O. Grade II Civil Affairs W.E.F.
 in an existing vacancy.

Farrer K.R.R.C. from from G.S.O. Grade III 141 Force to be G.S.O. Grade III Civil Affairs
 1943.

Royal Marines from G.S.O. III B.M.A. Tripolitania to be G.S.O. III
 May 1st 1943 in an existing vacancy. *To be taken off and put on same rate.*
 Gordon Jones R.A. from 84 H.A.A. Regt R.A. to be G.S.O.
 F. May 5th 1943 in an existing vacancy.
 R.A. from 180/64 H.A.A. Regt R.A. to be Captain ~~April 2nd 1943~~
 Civil Affairs W.E.F. May 5th 1943 in an existing vacancy.

Posting of Officers on
W.E.A.M.G.O.T. 141 Forces

3.1 Lieutenant 1/Captain P.F. Benton Jones R.A. from 84 H.A.A. Regt R.A. W.E.F. May 5th 1943 in an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant R.W. Harriman R.A. from 180/64 H.A.A. Regt R.A. to be A.M.G.O.T. W.E.F. May 5th 1943 in an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant J.M. Pearson, General List, from U.K. to be ~~an Assistant~~ a Military Administrator May 7th 1943 in an existing vacancy.

Lieutenant Colonel A.P. Graftley Smith from H.Q. East Africa Civil Affairs

Major Farley Smith, from M.E.F. Civil Affairs Branch to be

3.2 Group Captain C.E. Benson D.S.O. from

Major Rowe from Civil Affairs Branch H.Q. East Africa to be

Lt Colonel D.B. Aitken, Seafarths,

Major de Gasturi

Major Itayes.

Major Rowe.

Major Itamrock

Captain Corbin.

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Jones R.A. from 8+ H.A.A. Regt R.A. to be G.S.O. III AMGOT
 existing vacancy.

from 180/64 H.A.A. Regt R.A. to be Captain Camp Commandant
 43 in an existing vacancy.

St. from U.K. to be ~~an Assistant District Officer~~ AMGOT W.E.F.
 a military administrator

Colonel Chief Financial
 Officer W.E.F. 11.5.43

with from H.Q. East Africa Civil Affairs Branch to be
 M.E.F. Civil Affairs Branch to be ^{major} administrative officer W.E.F. 11.5.43

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 Civil Affairs Branch H.Q. East Africa to be W.E.F. 17.5.43
 W.E.F. 19.5.43
 W.E.F. 11.5.43

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Major the Hon. P. Rodd W.E.F. 26.5.43.

Captain Macfadyen.

Captain J. Millard.

Captain D. Pine

Tel. No. —

Any further communication on this subject should be addressed to —
The Under-Secretary of State,
The War Office
(as opposite),
and the following number quoted.



THE WAR OFFICE,

LONDON, S.W.1. (2A)

Reference : 112/Gen/1786/A923.

sc/105 7th May, 1943.

Your Reference —

To : Captain G.G. Harmaford,
Waldorf Hotel,
Aldwych, W.C.2.

Captain E.G. Petter,
46, Barmouth Avenue,
Greenford, Middx.

You are hereby notified that you are posted to an overseas appointment and will report at the London District Assembly Centre, Hotel Great Central, Marylebone Road, N.W.1. by 1200 hours on 10th May 1943.

It is recommended that you call at the Assembly Centre as soon as possible in order that you may be advised about clothing equipment etc. It is possible that you will be able to purchase some articles of clothing that will be needed at the Assembly Centre.

The maximum amount of baggage allowed on embarkation is 2 cwt. The Index Number of the Draft of which you will form part is RZHG.

Your attention is directed to the provisions of A.C.I. 1828/42 (as amended by A.C.Is. 2378 and 2600 of 1942).

S.H. Dent 5733

Assistant Adjutant General.

Copies to : D.C.C.A.O.
Civil Affairs Staff Course.
Commandant P/W Camp,
Donaldson's School, West Coates, Edinburgh.

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ROBERT BRUCE,
6 VINTOR PLACE,
LONDON, E.C.1.

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7 May, 1943.

Sir,

I am directed to inform you that you have been selected for service overseas in a tropical climate.

You will report to the London Assembly Centre, Hotel Great Central Marylebone Road, London, by 1200 hours on 10th May, 1943, and join draft REEG.

Your attention is directed to "Standing Orders for Drafts and individuals proceeding overseas 1943", a copy of which may be seen at the London Assembly Centre.

The following will apply in connection

A.P.O. Number c/o G.H.Q. North Africa.
Personal baggage NOT to exceed 14 cwt.
Clothing A.C.I. 1324/42 Normal Scale.

Your attention is also directed to A.C.I. 2650/42, if you hold temporary rank.

/You

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Captain F.H.J. Maxse, Travellers Club, Pall Mall, S.W.1.
T Captain B.A. Dreyfus, Springfield, Farnham Vale, Farnham, Surrey.
T Captain R. Brigg, 55 Barkers Lane, Sale, Manchester.
Lieut.Col. F.H.J. Nicolls, Georgian House, 10 Bury St, St. James, S.W.1.
T Capt G.H.P. Gilshenan, 1 Beaconsfield Road, Clifton, Bristol.
Lieut.Col. F.C. Yeo, Old Manor House, Benenden, Kent.
→ Maj A.S. Giles, 18 Walsfield Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham 15.

You are advised in your own interest to call at the London Assembly, if possible, before the 10th May, 1943, so that you may be advised about clothing equipment and other matters. It may be possible for you to purchase certain articles of clothing at the London Assembly Centre.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

J. H. H. H.
Director of Organization.

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