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- Information has been received from the War Office that the Germans are using a tyre burster sabotage device, camouflaged as a piece of stone, rock, mud or horse dung. The device explodes on pressure and will blow a hole about three inches in diameter in a tyre.
- The device is stated to be unstable and great care should be exercised in dealing with it. The method of disposal is by detonation and this should be carried out only by engineers or bomb disposal personnel.
- It is thought that this type of device is more likely to be encountered in newly occupied areas, but the above is forwarded for your information.
- Armies have been informed by signal.

/s/ E. RUSCOE, Maj,
for Lieut. General,
Chief of General Staff.

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