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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS No. 200/45.

by

Captain R.V. Dudley-Clarke.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 20 July 45.

990. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Sat 21 July 45 - Sgt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hrs
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2350 hrs

991. LEAVE.

Major T.I.M. Scully has been granted leave on LIAP 14, and ceases to perform the duties of O.C. British Detachment w.e.f. Friday, 20 July 45.

COMMAND.

During the absence of Major T.I.M. Scully, Captain R.V. Dudley-Clarke (R.Ir.F.) will assume the duties of O.C. British Detachment w.e.f. 20 July 45.

992. DISCIPLINE.

(a) (i) H.Q. Commandant's Parade.

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the H.Q. Commandant's office, room 6, ground floor, HQ Bldg., at 0845 hrs Saturday, 21 July 45.

4595279 Pte Allinson J.E.

(ii) Documentation (Release).

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0830 hrs Saturday, 21 July 45.

2561919	Sgt	Cook C.H.
4597468	Sgmn	Hainsworth A.
1490317	Pte	McCrudden H.
7089747	Rfmn	Nixon T.

(b) Medical.

The u/m N.C.Os. will attend the M.I.Room at 0930 hrs Saturday, 21 July 45, for the purpose of inoculation and/or vaccination.

S/Sgt	Draycham	H.E.	Sgt	Garbett	T.
S/Sgt	Harrison	A.R.	Sgt	Siegfried	E.
C/Sgt	Thorp	E.			

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(c) The following extracts from O.R.Os. s/n 23 dated 13 July 45, are published for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

(i) Venereal Disease. (GRO 783)

The penicillin treatment of Venereal Disease produces in many cases such successful results that the impression has been created, and is now widespread, that these diseases are no longer of a serious nature. A review of the results of penicillin treatment shows that even with this drug, treatment must be undertaken at the earliest possible moment if cure is to be attained.

In particular is this true of syphilis, a disease with a high incidence and widespread among the civilian populations of Italy and Greece.

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During the absence of Major [illegible], [illegible] (R.Ir.F.) will assume the duties of O.C. British Detachment w.e.f. 20 July 45.

922. DISCIPLINE.

(a) (i) H.Q. Commandant's Parade.

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the H.Q. Commandant's office, room 6, ground floor, HQ Bldg., at 0845 hrs Saturday, 21 July 45.

4395279 Pte Allinson J.E.

(ii) Documentation (Release).

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0850 hrs Saturday, 21 July 45.

1061919	Sgt Peck	G.H.
13174[illegible]	Sgtn Hainsworth	A.
1490317	Pte McCrudden	H.
7[illegible]767	RFMn Nixon	H.

(b) Medical.

The u/m N.C.Os. will attend the M.I.Room at 0930 hrs Saturday, 21 July 45, for the purpose of inoculation and/or vaccination.

S/Sgt	Brayshaw H.E.	Sgt	Corbett T.
S/Sgt	Harrison A.R.	Sgt	Siegfried E.
S/Sgt	Sharp E.		

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(c) The following extracts from C.R.Os. s/n 28 dated 15 July 45, are published for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

(i) Venereal Disease. (CRO 735)

The penicillin treatment of Venereal Disease produces in many cases such successful results that the impression has been created, and is now widespread, that these diseases are no longer of a serious nature. A review of the results of penicillin treatment shows that even with this drug, treatment must be undertaken at the earliest possible moment if cure is to be attained.

In particular is this true of syphilis, a disease with a high incidence and widespread among the civilian populations of Italy and Greece. Unless treatment is undertaken immediately symptoms appear, relapse of the disease in an infectious form may occur within a few months. The late complications of syphilis when treatment is delayed are as serious as ever.

It is therefore strongly emphasised upon all troops that the successful treatment of Venereal Disease still depends upon early diagnosis and that they must report sick as soon as the first signs of the disease arise.

(ii) Captured Enemy Material. (CRO 739)

It is of particular importance that the provisions of CRO 731/45, as republished by CRO number 955 dated 7 July 45, is known by all ranks returning to the United Kingdom.

They are informed that searches are carried out on arrival in the United Kingdom and that severe disciplinary action will be taken against any individual found in possession of enemy material. Such disciplinary action may delay release and may result in forfeiture of leave.

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(iii) Forgery of Bank of England Notes. (GRO 790)

A number of aliens in areas bordering SWITZERLAND and AUSTRIA have recently been found to be in possession of forged Bank of England Notes.

The notes so far examined and proved to be forgeries bear the following serial numbers:-

£5	note	No A 191	61466
£5	note	No B 250	11050
£10	note	No K 179	81606
£10	note	No K 197	11333
£20	note	No 52 N	90848
£20	note	No 46 N	70205
£50	note	No 54 N	30065
£50	note	No 50 N	11805

These forgeries are very difficult to detect. All ranks are warned of the danger of accepting Bank of England notes from civilians and are instructed that if they are offered or have already accepted such notes they will report the matter immediately to the O.C. Brit. Det. who will pass the report without delay to the nearest ATS/BAFM.

995. LOCAL LEAVE.

The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det. Ord. Sgt forthwith.

From	To	
23 July 45	29 July 45	Sgt Atterby L.W. Sgt Gaffney J.
25 " "	31 " "	Pte Benbow C.R.
29 " "	4 Aug 45	L/Cpl Boardman W.
30 " "	5 " "	Dvr Cooper A.H. Dvr Green W. L/Cpl Neil D.J. L/Cpl Thornton J. L/Cpl Walton S. Sgt Davy R.A. Sgt Rhind J. Sgt Siegfried E. Pte Corps L.G. Gnr Head R.V. Dvr Spillane L. Sgt Mirrilees R.

(Sgd.) R.V. Dudley-Clarke, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T.I.M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 199/45.

In the Field. 19 July 45.

985. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Friday 20 July 45 - Sgt. Brewin, J.S.

Reveille	.....	0630 hrs.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hrs.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hrs.

Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

986. 1939/45 STAR, CAMPAIGN STARS AND DEFENCE MEDAL.

C.R.O. No. 793 dated 15 July 45, is republished for information of all concerned:-

1. A consolidated ACI dealing with the 1939/45 Star, the various campaign stars and the Defence Medal will be issued in due course.

2. Prior to the publication of this ACI, the ribbon of the 1939/45 Star, Burma Star, Italy Star or France and Germany Star may be issued when available to qualified personnel in straightforward cases. It should be made clear to all concerned that such issue is entirely provisional and its continued wearing will be subject to the verification of individual claims as laid down in the ACI.

3. To qualify for the 1939/45 Star personnel must have:-
   (a) aggregated six months' operational service (or two months' RAF air crew operational service) in any of the operational commands listed in para 4 below, OR
   (b) After entry into operational service in any one of the operational commands listed in para 4 below but before the completion of the appropriate period of qualifying service in the command as set out in sub-para (a) above:-
      (i) won an honour, decoration, mention in despatches, commendation for brave conduct, or commendation for valuable service in the air for service in such command or
      (ii) died on service, or
      (iii) been evacuated as a result of wounds or sickness arising out of service, the sickness not being due to misconduct. "Evacuation" means evacuated beyond RAP, or to hospital in the case of base troops.

4. The operational Commands referred to in para 3 are:-
   (a) The operational Commands laid down for the Africa Star in ACI 1690/43, para 6(b), amended by ACI 1163/44 and in CRO 348/45.
   (b) The operational Commands laid down for the 1939/43 Star in ACI 32/44, para 6(a) and (c), and ACI 450/44, para 3, modified as follows as far as operations in the Mediterranean and Burma are concerned:-

Operational Commands	From	To
Italy	11 June 43	8 May 45
Sicily	11 June 43	17 Aug 43
[illegible]	11 June 43	4 Oct 43

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all concerned:-

1. A consolidated ACI dealing with the 1939/45 Star, the various campaign stars and the Defence Medal will be issued in due course.

2. Prior to the publication of this ACI, the ribbon of the 1939/45 Star, Burma Star, Italy Star or France and Germany Star may be issued when available to qualified personnel in straightforward cases. It should be made clear to all concerned that such issue is entirely provisional and its continued wearing will be subject to the verification of individual claims as laid down in the ACI.

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(i) won an honour, decoration, mention in despatches, commendation for brave conduct, or commendation for valuable service in the air for service in such command or

(ii) died on service, or

(iii) been evacuated as a result of wounds or sickness arising out of service, the sickness not being due to misconduct. "Evacuation" means evacuated beyond RAP, or to hospital in the case of base troops.

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Operational Commands	From	To
Italy	11 June 43	8 May 45
Sicily	11 June 43	17 Aug 43
Corsica	11 June 43	4 Oct 43
Greece	11 June 43	8 May 45
Dodecanese	11 June 43	8 May 45
Aegean	11 June 43	8 May 45
Burma	11 Dec 41	8 May 45

These modifications will appear in the forthcoming ACI.

(c) The operational Command for the France and Germany Star which comprises:-

	From	To
France	6 June 44	8 May 45
Belgium	6 June 44	8 May 45
Holland	6 June 44	8 May 45
Germany	6 June 44	8 May 45

There are a few operational commands, mainly in the Pacific, in addition to those mentioned above, which will also be included in the ACI.

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5. (a) Eligibility for the award of the Italy Star, Burma Star or France and Germany Star recipients MUST HAVE PREVIOUSLY QUALIFIED FOR THE 1939/45 Star under either para 3 (a) or (b) above. They then qualify for the appropriate theatre Star by entry into operational service (i.e., service of one day or less in the operational command).
(b) An exception to the rule stated in (a) above is that individuals who entered into operational service for the first time during the last six months of the war in Europe will be awarded the Italy and/or France and Germany Star, the prior award of the 1939/45 Star under para 3(a) or (b) not being required. Such personnel will not be eligible for the award of the 1939/45 Star until they have fulfilled the conditions of para 3 by later service elsewhere.

6. The Campaign Stars will be worn in the following order of precedence:-

(a) 1939/45 Star
(b) Atlantic Star
(c) Air Crew Europe Star
(d) Africa Star
(e) Pacific Star
(f) Burma Star
(g) Italy Star
(h) France and Germany Star

7. The examination of doubtful cases will be deferred until after the publication of the ACI, and queries on these cases should not be raised now.

8. The full-scale of issue of ribbons for the Stars mentioned above will be 2½ ins per man, but until adequate stocks become available only 1½ ins per man will be allocated.

9. Indents for initial requirements of the ribbons at para 6 (a), (g) and (h) above will not be submitted, but as and when stocks become available within this command, automatic issues will be made to formations and Districts in accordance with priorities to be notified by AFHQ through "A" channels. When allocations for initial issues have been completed, subsequent requirements of units will be obtained by the submission of indents through normal channels. When such indents may be submitted, notification will appear in GROs.

10. Stocks of the ribbon for the Africa Star are available and indents for requirements may continue to be submitted in the normal way.
The ribbons for the Atlantic Star, Air Crew Europe Star, Pacific Star and Burma Star are in course of production and have not yet been received.

987. C.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs, Friday, 20 July 45.

4395279 Pte. Allinson J.E.
2708655 Gdsn. Hess, J.C.

988. MEDICAL.

The u/m .O. and N.C.Os. will attend the M.I.Room at 0930 hrs, Friday, 20 July 45, for the purpose of inoculation and/or vaccination.

S/108323 SSM Evans C.C.
S/4347724 S/Sgt Thompson S.
S/6205794 S/Sgt Wright P.C.
S/7671051 Sgt Davy R.A.
S/13058698 Sgt Papps E.A.

989. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES.

Supplies will be available as follows:-

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publication of the AGI, and queries on these cases should not be raised now.

8. The full-scale of issue of ribbons for the Stars mentioned above will be 2½ ins per man, but until adequate stocks become available only 1½ ins per man will be allocated.

9. Indents for initial requirements of the ribbons at para 6 (a), (g) and (h) above will not be submitted, but as and when stocks become available within this command, automatic issues will be made to formations and Districts in accordance with priorities to be notified by AFHQ through "A" channels. When allocations for initial issues have been completed, subsequent requirements of units will be obtained by the submission of indents through normal channels. When such indents may be submitted, notification will appear in GROs.

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2700655 Cdsn. Moss, J.C.

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S/106323	SSM	Evans	C.G.	S/7671051	Sgt	Davy	R.A.
S/4347724	S/Sgt	Thompson	S.	S/13058698	Sgt	Papps	E.A.
S/6205794	S/Sgt	Wright	P.G.				

989. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES.

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 21 - 23 July 45.

O.Rs. at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun. & Mon., 22 & 23 July 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tues. 24 July 45.

NOTE: For the information of all ranks of this Headquarters, w.e.f. this week, the NAAFI cigarette ration (BIS) is reduced to 65 cigarettes per head.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully. Major.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major G. I. H. Scully.
C.O. British Detachment,
M.G. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 198/45.

In the Field. 18 July 45.

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst. Adjt.
Chief Clerk

900. ROUTINE.

Duty 1800 hours 19 July 45 - Sgt Cookson J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hrs
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hrs

901. SANDFLY FEVER.

The following extracts from RAAC Routine Orders number 616 dated 11 July 45 are quoted for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

Sandfly Fever and other Fevers of short duration are becoming increasingly prevelant in the City of Rome.

These Fevers are spread by small insects, the defence against which is similar to the defence against mosquitoes.

The two most important ways of combatting these insects are by use of insect repellant and anti-mosquito spray (Flysol, Flit).

Insect repellant should be used by all personnel working or resting in places where biting insects are found. It is to be noted that most of these insects such as Sandflies, unlike mosquitoes, bite both by day and night. Insect repellant should be applied not only to exposed skin surfaces but also to socks and stockings round the ankles.

Mosquito nets give no protection against sandflies and it is not proposed at present to order the general use of sandfly nets. It may, however, be necessary to order the use of these nets in specific instances where Units are having large numbers of cases.

902. DISCIPLINE - DOCUMENTATION.

(a) The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0830 hrs, Thursday, 19 July 45.

[illegible]/3588129	L/Cpl	Jordan	R.R.
14540113	Pte	Benbow	C.R.
[illegible]/10690169	Dvr	McCarthy	F.
[illegible]37892	Pte	Jackson	G.B.
7069757	Rfn	Nixon	F.

(b) The u/m N.C.Os. will hand in their AB64, Part I to the Orderly Room (room 11) by 1000 hrs, Thursday, 19 July 45.

[illegible]770325	CQMS	Bush	E.L.	S/6211784	Cpl	Greygoose	R.E.
S/[illegible]37617	Sgt	Allen	W.	S/1153788	Cpl	Sutherland	P.R.
S/10673614	Cpl	Dastable	C.C.				

903. LIFE SAVING.

The following is published in conformity with RAAC letter ref RAAC/AG/1/G3(Dr) dated 16 July 45, for information and compliance of those concerned:-

1. By arrangement with and approval of the Royal Life Saving Society it is proposed to hold examinations for the various awards of the Society in this theatre during the coming months.

2. In order to implement this scheme the following returns are called for:-

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These fevers are spread by small insects, the defence against which is similar to the defence against mosquitoes.

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Insect repellent should be used by all personnel working or resting in places where biting insects are found. It is to be noted that most of these insects such as Sandflies, unlike mosquitoes, bite both by day and night. Insect repellant should be applied not only to exposed skin surfaces but also to socks and stockings around the ankles.

Mosquito nets give no protection against sandflies and it is not proposed at present to order the general use of sandfly nets. It may, however, be necessary to order the use of these nets in specific instances where Units are having large numbers of cases.

984. DISCIPLINE - DOCUMENTATION.

(a) The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0830 hrs, Thursday, 19 July 45.

S/[illegible]159	L/Cpl	Jordan	R.R.
14542113	Pte	Benbow	C.R.
S/10690165	Dvr	McCartan	E.
6874[illegible]	Pte	Jackson	G.B.
7069767	Rfn	Mixon	T.

(b) The u/m N.C.Os. will hand in their AB64 Part I to the Orderly Room (room 11) by 1300 hrs, Thursday, 19 July 45.

[illegible]770325	CQMS	Bush	R.L.	S/6211784	Cpl	Greygoose R.E.
S/[illegible]7517	Sgt	Allen	W.	S/1133736	Cpl	Sutherland P.R.
S/10673614	Cpl	Eastable	G.C.			

985. LIFE SAVING.

The following is published in conformity with RAAC letter ref RAAC/40/1/G3(Tr) dated 16 July 45, for information and compliance of those concerned:-

1. By arrangement with and approval of the Royal Life Saving Society it is proposed to hold examinations for the various awards of the Society in this theatre during the coming months.

2. In order to implement this scheme the following returns are called for:-

(a) Examiners. It is felt that there are in this theatre many accredited Examiners of the R.L.S.S. Full details, including Army No., Rank and Name of accredited Examiners should be submitted to the Orderly Room not later than 22 July 45, for onward transmission to RAAC. A note of awards held should also be given.

(b) Instructors. The same procedure as in sub-para (a) above should be followed. It should be noted that it is a stringent rule of the R.L.S.S. that Examiners will not examine candidates whom they have instructed.

(c) In some instances there may be suitable Society Award holders to act as Examiners. Names of such personnel should be submitted as soon as possible. They will then be submitted to the R.L.S.S. for approval.

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284. DRESS - SUMMER ORDER.

The following is republished in conformity with R.A.C Routine Order number 906 dated 17 July 45:-

1. The rate of sickness due to Malaria in this district is increasing. It is thought that this is largely due to the non-observance of the regulations regarding dress between the hours of 1930 and 0700.

2. Daily Routine Order number 561 dated 12 May 45 is repeated hereunder for strict compliance of all concerned.

Dress.

(a) K.D. will be taken into use w.e.f. reveille Sunday, 13 May 45.

(b) Shorts K.D. may be worn between reveille and 1930 hrs daily. O.Rs. on duty other than clerks will wear hosetops, boots and gaiters. All O.Rs. off duty and clerks on duty may wear shoes and stockings.

(c) Owing to the present restricted issue of shorts, slacks may be worn at any time. After 1900 hrs, however, slacks will be worn and shirt sleeves rolled down and fastened at the wrist. O.Rs. not on duty may wear ties.

(d) Bush shirts may be worn inside or outside of shorts and slacks. Belts webbing or K.D. will invariably be worn.

(e) WO Is. may wear Sam Browne belts instead of belts webbing and/or K.D.

(f) Off duty O.Rs. may wear K.D. jackets with K.D. provided a tie is also worn.

(g) Badges of rank will be worn on the right sleeve only.

(h) The wearing of medal ribbons is optional.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully. Major.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS No. 197/45.
by
Major G. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 17 July 45.

976. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Wed 18 July 45 - Sgt Gaskin, J.H.

Reveille	.....	0630 hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hrs
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hrs

977. DISCIPLINE.

1. Loitering.

O.Rs. will not utilise the chairs of the adjoining bars to the Genova Hotel during the hours 0830 - 1800.

O.Rs. will not loiter in the foyer or at the entrance to the Genova Hotel at any time, it is observed that this practice is prevalent during the evenings.

2. Documentation.

The u/m O.Rs. will report to the Orderly Room (room 9, at 0830 hrs on Wednesday, 18 July 45.

S/44767	Cpl.	Green, J.	- R.A.S.C.
3916873	Pte.	Edwards, M.	- Welch.
4916493	Pte.	Turner, E.H.	- S.Staffs.

978. MEDICAL INSPECTION.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the M.I. Room at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 18 July 45, for medical inspection.

6457697	Cpl	Clarke	H.	2770655	Gdsn	Moss	J.G.
2765823	Pte	Conner	J.	D/10704916	Dvr	McCarthy	J.
D/31701	L/Cpl	Day	T.H.	4468723	Pte	Midwood	J.
6917302	Rfmn	Evans	W.S.	6349069	Pte	Neill	J.
11430446	Gnr	Foster	D.	5260729	Pte	Parsons	A.C.
S/128243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.E.	4458937	Pte	Rogers	G.
4967869	Pte	Gardiner	H.	4965525	Pte	Rylatt	H.
329016	Cpr	Gilbert	W.I.	7912444	Pte	Sison	A.J.
D/1646287	L/Cpl	Holden	H.E.	D/56356	Cpl	Tomlin	J.A.
4926754	Pte	Harley	W.H.	6095355	Cpl	Trillo	F.
S/4039416	L/Cpl	Jeffs	H.	D/14385793	Dvr	Wainwright	A.
4858967	Pte	Kisby	L.	6467789	Bus	Williams	J.
3773636	Bus	Kehoe	E.	1135090	Gnr	Wiles	W.
2984261	L/Cpl	McPhail	D.				

979. GENERAL ELECTION - HULL CONSTITUENCY.

Information has been received that the Hull election has been postponed.

Ballot papers for service voters in this constituency will be delivered by A.F.O. during the next few days, and arrangements have been made for a further polling day.

Polling for Hull service voters will take place on Friday, 27 July 45, in Room 6, Ground floor, A.C. HQ Bldg., between

0830 - 1130 hrs.

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b. Loitering.

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c. Documentation.

The u/m C.Rs. will report to the Orderly Room (room 9), at 0830 hrs on Wednesday, 18 July 45.

3/44767	Cpl.	Green, J.	- R.A.S.C.
5926475	Pte.	Edwards, M.	- Welch.
4916488	Pte.	Turner, E.H.	- S.Staffs.

978. MEDICAL INSPECTION.

The u/m C.Rs. will parade outside the M.I. Room at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 18 July 45, for medical inspection.

6857697	Cpl	Clarke	H.	2770695	Gdsn	Moss	J.G.
2765208	Pte	Conner	J.	3/10704916	Dvr	McCarthy	J.
3/61701	L/Cpl	Day	T.H.	4468725	Pte	Midwood	J.
6917502	Rfm	Evans	W.S.	6349069	Pte	Neill	J.
11430446	Gnr	Foster	D.	5260729	Pte	Parsons	A.C.
S/1822243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.H.	4452937	Pte	Rogers	G.
4967069	Pte	Gardiner	H.	4985325	Pte	Rylatt	H.
329016	Spr	Gilbert	W.I.	7910144	Pte	Sison	A.J.
3/14246267	L/Cpl	Holden	H.L.	3/58356	Cpl	Tomlin	J.A.
4926754	Pte	Harley	W.H.	6095355	Cpl	Trillo	F.
S/4039416	L/Cpl	Jeffs	H.	3/14385795	Dvr	Wainwright	A.
4858987	Pte	Kirby	L.	6467739	Fus	Williams	J.
3773858	Fus	Kehoe	J.	1133690	Gnr	Wiles	W.
2984261	L/Cpl	McPhail	D.				

979. GENERAL ELECTION - HULL CONSTITUENCY.

Information has been received that the Hull election has been postponed.

Ballot papers for service voters in this constituency will be delivered by A.F.O. during the next few days, and arrangements have been made for a further polling day.

Polling for Hull service voters will take place on Friday, 27 July 45, in Room 6, Ground Floor, A.C. HQ Bldg., between

0830 - 1130 hrs.
1400 - 1700 hrs.

Completed ballot papers will be placed in the ballot box provided. They will not be posted in the ordinary way. The declaration of identity will be signed before coming to the Polling Room.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major E. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 196/45.

In the Field. 16 July 45.

971. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Tues 17 July 45 - Cpl Stiles, J.A.Cdn.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hrs
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2350 hrs

Asst Adm.	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	

972. "ACCIDENTAL" ILLITERATES.

The following is published in conjunction with RAAC Routine Order number 620 dated 11 July 45.

It has been recommended that a series of courses for "accidental" illiterates be organised in each area.

It is the duty of all C.Os., N.C.Os. etc. in charge of O.Rs. employed in Sub-Commissions, Branches, Sections, Messes, etc. of this Headquarters to encourage any individual whom they consider would benefit from one of these courses.

It is most essential that the proposal is put tactfully and that the soldier's feelings are not hurt in any way.

Names of applicants should be submitted to the Orderly Room under confidential cover, not later than 1000 hrs Tuesday, 17 July 45.

973. OFF LIMITS.

RAAC General Order s/n 23 dated 13 July 45 is republished for information and strict compliance of all:-

Wine Shops at the following addresses are declared "Off Limits" to all Allied Troops.

Via Appia Nuova,	No. 1203
Via Orionfale,	No. 215
Via Orionfale,	No. 263
Via Orionfale,	No. 386
Via Etruria,	No. 49
Via Cerre Spaccata,	No. 4
Via Flaminia,	No. 812
Via Tiburtina,	No. 965
Via Tuscolana,	No. 844

974. CRICKET.

Daily Routine Order number 957 dated 12 July 45 is hereby amended to read "every Monday evening", and not "daily".

975. DISCIPLINE.

The u/m O.R. will report to the Orderly Room (room 9) at 0830 hrs on Tuesday, 17 July 45.

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It has been recommended that a series of courses for "accidental" illiterates be organised in each area.

It is the duty of all W.Os., N.C.Os. etc. in charge of O.Rs. employed in Sub-Commissions, Branches, Sections, Messes, etc. of this Headquarters to encourage any individual whom they consider would benefit from one of these courses.

It is most essential that the proposal is put tactfully and that the soldier's feelings are not hurt in any way.

Names of applicants should be submitted to the Orderly Room under confidential cover, not later than 1200 hrs Tuesday, 17 July 45.

973. OFF LIMITS.

RAAC General Order s/n 83 dated 13 July 45 is republished for information and strict compliance of all:-

Wine Shops at the following addresses are declared "Off Limits" to all Allied Troops.

Via Appia Nuova,	No. 1203
Via Orionfale,	No. 215
Via Orionfale,	No. 263
Via Orionfale,	No. 336
Via Etruria,	No. 49
Via Terre Spaccata,	No. 4
Via Flaminia,	No. 812
Via Tiburtina,	No. 965
Via Tuscolana,	No. 844

974. CRICKET.

Daily Routine Order number 907 dated 12 July 45 is hereby amended to read "every Monday evening", and not "daily".

975. DISCIPLINE.

The u/m O.R. will report to the Orderly Room (room 9) at 0830 hrs on Tuesday, 17 July 45.

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ILY ROUTINE ORDERS

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Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 195/45.

In the Field. 15 Jul 45.

968. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 16 Jul 45 - Sgt. Cumberland, R.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 "
Lunch	.....	1300 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights out	.....	2330 "

Adjutant	
Asst. Adm.	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	RK

969. AF W5192 - DUTY FREE CONCESSION LABELS.
GRO No. 771 dated 5 July 45 is republished for information of all concerned :-

1. Cases have been reported where the valid value of AF W5192 (Duty Free Concession Label) has been altered by the sender to a higher value prior to despatch of a parcel to U.K. This causes delay in delivery as Customs Authorities have to check back on the authority for alteration of a label.
2. No authority exists for alteration of the value of AF W5192 which is valid only for the amount printed thereon.
3. The range of AF W5192 at present available on demand from Stationery Depots comprises:-

AF W5192	(White)	Value 2/-.
" "	(Green)	" 4/-.
" "	(Red)	" 6/-.
" "	(Yellow)	" 8/-.

4. AF W5192 (Blue) value 10/- has been proposed and will be announced later if approved by the Customs Authorities.
5. The old type AF W5192 (White) value 30/- is NOT now valid for use in CMF. Parcels bearing this label will not be accepted at Army Post Offices. Units will destroy any stocks of AF W5192 (White) value 30/- and demand an equivalent number of AF W5192 (White) value 2/- from the nearest Stationery Depot.
6. As stocks of AF W5192 are limited, units will ensure that indents cover current minimum requirements only.
7. The aggregate value of AF W5192 which may be issued to the individual during the period 1 Jul 45 to 30 Jun 46 remains unchanged at £12 as laid down in GRO 151/45.

NOTE : Reference para 3 above, the various AFs W5192 referred to have been indented for but at present only the white labels for 2/- have been obtained. Notification will be made in these orders when supplies of the remaining type of labels have been received for issue.

970. LEAVE

Sgt. Atterby, J. has been granted leave from reveille 23 Jul 45 until 2359 hrs 29 Jul 45. and will report to the Det Ord Sgt forthwith. 2601

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No. 194/45.

In the Field. 14 Jul 45.

964. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 15 Jul 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0700	hrs
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

965. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, round floor, HQ Bldg, at 0845 hrs Monday, 16 Jul 45:-

No. 4985325 Pte Rylatt H. A.C.C.

966. DISCIPLINE

Empty Beer Bottles

For too many empty beer bottles are being left to accumulate in bedrooms instead of being returned to the Unit N.A.A.F.I. immediately after use.

This will cease, and in future, action will be taken against any ORs who leave empty beer bottles about their rooms.

967. ARMY RELEASE - DOCUMENTATION

Any OR of this HQ whose Age/Service Group No. is now shown on Class "A" Release Rolls on the notice board at the Albergo Genova and who has not yet had it registered in his AB 64 Part I, will hand in his AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room (room 11) by 1400 hrs Monday, 16 Jul 45.

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No. 193/45.

In the Field. 13 Jul 45.

959. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 14 Jul 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
CMP

960. ECONOMY OF CLOTHING

The following extracts from AFHQ letter ref AFHQ/9170/2 (AE) dated 7 Jul 45 are published for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

A serious world-wide shortage of clothing has now reached such proportions that unless drastic measures are taken to reduce the quantity of clothing used by the armed forces there will be insufficient to meet normal wastage.

There is already a shortage of Battle Dress, Greatcoats and Blankets, and this is likely to extend to many other items of clothing. As there is likely to be considerable difficulty in the supply of new Battle Dress during the autumn of 1945, the majority of troops in C.M.F. will receive part worn Battle Dress.

Considerable economy can be effected by all ranks making every endeavour to have repaired small tears, holes, etc., in their clothing before it gets to the stage when it is beyond repair.

ORs of this Headquarters are in possession of winter clothing with the exception of woollen underwear, and it is their duty to periodically inspect such clothing, to brush, press, and generally maintain it in a serviceable condition.

961. DISCIPLINE

(a) Medical Inspection

All ORs who did not attend the medical inspection on Wed, 11 Jul 45, will parade outside the M.I. Room at 1400 hrs Sat, 14 Jul 45.

(b) Documentation

All NCOs above the rank of Cpl and WOs will report to the M.I. Room for documentation purposes before Wed, 18 Jul 45.

962. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.
1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sat., Sun., and Mon., 14 - 16 Jul 45.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sun & Mon 15 & 16 Jul 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs) Tue 17 Jul 45.

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963. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 14 Jul 45, from the Laundry Room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 16 Jul 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry. This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

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No. 192/45.

In the Field. 12 Jul 45.

953. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 13 Jul 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

954. MG COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the MG Commandant's Office, room 6, ground floor, HQ Bldg, at 0645 hrs Friday, 13 Jul 45:-

No. T/13809413 Dvr Muthig K. RASC.

955. GENERAL ELECTION - FINAL POSTAL POLLING DAY

Since many ballot papers arrived after 5 Jul, a second polling day has been arranged for Sat, 14 Jul 45.

Polling will take place in room 6, ground floor, AC HQ building, between
0830 - 1130 hrs and
1400 - 1700 "

Completed ballot papers will be placed in the ballot box provided. They will NOT be posted in the ordinary way. The Declaration of Identity will be completed before the voter comes to the polling room.

956. EDUCATION - SHORT HISTORICAL COURSE

A short Historical Course is held from Tuesday to Friday each week at the RAAC, British Camp HQ Rome.

The course has been planned to provide opportunities for British officers and men to hear lectures on Roman civilization, and to afford additional facilities for intelligent sight-seeing.

Students are required to report to S.O.II Education Rome, on Monday, the day before the course is opened.

Any officers or ORs of this Headquarters who are interested and whose duties would permit them to avail themselves of this opportunity, should submit their names to the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova. Application for vacancies on these courses will then be made by this office.

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957. CRICKET

Transport has been arranged to convey anyone interested in cricket to the playing field at 56 Rest Camp.

Wef Monday, 16 Jul 45, this transport will leave the HQ Bldg at 1610 hrs daily, and any ORs who wish to take advantage of this facility will hand in their names to the Det Ord Sjt who will arrange a late dinner at the Sjts' and ORs' Messes.

Any further details concerning arrangements of kit, transport, etc., can be supplied by the Orderly Room or by Sjt Brown, Chief Clerk HQ Commandant's

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The d/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, ground floor, HQ Bldg, at 0845 hrs Friday, 13 Jul 45:-

No. T/15309413 Dvr Mathig K. RASC.

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Any further details concerning arrangements of kit, transport, etc., can be supplied by the Orderly Room or by Sjt Brown, Chief Clerk HQ Commandant's Office.

The continuance of these facilities will depend largely on the support given by ORs to this game.

958. LEAVE

Dvr Peifel J. has been granted leave from reveille 23 Jul 45 until 2359 hrs 29 Jul 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

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No. 191/45.

In the Field. 11 Jul 45.

948. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 12 Jul 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst Adc	ap.
Asst Adc	
Chief Clerk	

949. DISCIPLINE

(a) O.C's Parade

All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the ORs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1330 hrs Thursday, 12 Jul 45, for a talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) and attached personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sjt by 1230 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.

The RSM and Provost Sergeant will be in attendance.

(b) Army Release

The u/m ORs will stand by, with full kit, from 0800 hrs Thursday, 12 Jul 45, at the entrance to their respective hotels, for transport to Assembly Centre for subsequent release from the Army.

Cook Sjt will arrange suitable haversack rations which ORs will collect individually from respective cookhouses at breakfast.

Dress:- Rifle and Bayonet, pouches; belt and braces to be worn; haversack, valise, kit-bag and bedroll carried. No ammunition.

No.	3257701	R/MS	Holmes	W.	Cameronians.
"	2744901	CSM	Lever	J.	R.W.
"	5998650	Sjt	Potter	H.	S.Staffs.
"	3597169	Sjt	Skelton	[illegible]	Innisks.
"	1542665	Bdr	Gamilton	E.	R.A. (HAA)
"	1065948	L/Bdr	Orr	J.M.	R.A. (Fld)
"	4541463	Bus	Larvin	P.F.E.	R.F.
"	D/26582	Pte	Barnes	A.V.	S.Staffs.
"	D/29612	Pte	O'Shea	J.	S.Staffs.

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R/MS Holmes will be i/c Party.

(c) Motor Vehicle Accidents

An analysis of accidents resulting in injuries for the month of May disclosed that motor vehicle accidents accounted for over 94% of the injuries.

A further study of the reports indicated that the underlying factor of most of the accidents was "unsafe speed".

Unsafe speed is commonly defined as failure to adjust speed to prevailing roads and traffic conditions.

Typical examples of unsafe speed which contributed to motor vehicle injuries are failure to reduce speed or ensure [illegible]

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"	1065948	L/Bdr	Orr	J.M.	R.A. (Fld)
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Unsafe speed is commonly defined as failure to adjust speed to prevailing roads and traffic conditions.

Typical examples of unsafe speed which contributed to motor vehicle injuries are failure to reduce speed on curves, failure to reduce speed on wet pavement and failure to reduce speed after dark.

Speed limit notices are plainly marked in and around Rome, and it is the duty of all drivers to become acquainted with them.

Although the number of reports from the M.P. on speeding in this HQ has definitely been reduced there are still many breaches of driving discipline. Any such cases that are brought to notice will be dealt with severely.

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950. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 13 Jul 45	0930 hrs	NC HQ Bldg, BASEMENT GARAGE	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1430 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, 1st floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Sat 14 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	- ditto -
Mon 16 " "	0900 "	- " -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

It will be noted that pay parade for personnel employed at HQ will be held in the Basement Garage and not in the Conference Room.

951. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted leave from reveille 16 Jul 45 until 2359 hrs 22 Jul 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

Gdsmn Henderson W.
Dvr Latham S.

952. LLAP - RETURNS

In accordance with Daily Bulletin No. 190, para 5, [illegible]e responsible in Sub-Commissions, Branches, Sections, Messes, etc., of this Headquarters, employing ORs in any capacity, will render a return to the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova, by 1800 hrs Friday, 13 Jul 45, of British personnel eligible for LLAP (i.e. in Age/Service Groups 22 and later) who embarked for overseas service between 1 Feb 42 and 30 Sep 42 exclusive.

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No. 190/45.

In the Field. 10 Jul 45.

944. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 11 Jul 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	Hrs
Breakfasts	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

945. DISCIPLINE

(a) Wine Bars
All ORs are reminded that they will be clear of all Wine Bars by 1900 hrs. ORs failing to comply with this order will be severely dealt with.

(b) Curfew
In accordance with RAAC General Order No. 22 dated 8 Jul 45, curfews within the Rome Area Allied Command boundaries are abolished wef 10 Jul 45.
It is pointed out, however, that all ORs of this Detachment will be in billets by 2359 hrs unless in possession of a pass authorizing them to be absent after this hour.

946. LEAVE
The u/m have been granted leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	
14 Jul 45	20 Jul 45	L/Cpl Middler R.L., L/Cpl West P.J., Pte Shaw J.
15 "	21 "	Dvr Searby V.V., Pte Burgess S., L/Cpl Connon H.T.,
16 "	22 "	Pte Twigg A., L/Cpl Feast A.V., Dvr West F.H. Cpl Broughton W.H., Cpl Grime J.R., Cpl Sutherland P.R., Sjt Barber L., Gdsmn Barnes N.W., Cpl Hills G.F.,
17 "	23 "	S/Sjt Muddyman C.K., S/Sjt Brayshaw H.E., Cpl Hislop S. Sjt Fraser T.R.
21 "	27 "	Pte Sherwin J., Dvr Allen E.S.
22 "	28 "	Sjt Sullivan P.J., L/Cpl Smith L.V., Sjt White W.C.,
23 "	29 "	Sjt Davy R.A. Dvr Muthig K., L/Cpl Scott T.G., Cpl Small G.T., Cpl Birkin R.J., Cpl Heath C., Tpr Black C.J., Bdr Currie G.R., Pte Broughton G., Cpl Freezer E.P., L/Cpl Rodham R.L., Sjt Matthews W.R., L/Cpl Bush T.S., Dvr Atkins W.A., Dvr Evans A., Dvr Gardiner W.H.

947. APPOINTMENTS
DRO No. 940 dated 9 Jul 45, third line, is amended to read "wef 23 Aug 43" instead of 23 May 43.

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All ORs are reminded that they will be clear of all Wine Bars by 1900 hrs. ORs failing to comply with this order will be severely dealt with.

(b) Curfew

In accordance with RAAC General Order No. 22 dated 8 Jul 45, curfews within the Rome Area Allied Command boundaries are abolished wef 10 Jul 45.

It is pointed out, however, that all ORs of this Detachment will be in billets by 2359 hrs unless in possession of a pass authorizing them to be absent after this hour.

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16	"	22	"	Pte Twigg A., L/Cpl Feast A.V., Dvr West F.H.
				Cpl Broughton W.H., Cpl Grime J.R., Cpl Sutherland P.R.,
				Sjt Barber L., Gdsmn Barnes N.W., Cpl Mills G.F.,
17	"	23	"	S/Sjt Muddyman C.K., S/Sjt Brayshaw H.E., Cpl Hislam S.
21	"	27	"	Sjt Fraser T.B.
22	"	28	"	Pte Sherwin J., Dvr Allen E.S.
				Sjt Sullivan P.J., L/Cpl Smith L.V., Sjt White W.C.,
23	"	29	"	Sjt Davy R.A.
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				Cpl Birkin R.J., Cpl Heath C., Tpr Black E.J.,
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939. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 10 Jul 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

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940. APPOINTMENTS

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/478/OR dated 7 Jul 45 and RA (Fld) Records Corps Promotion List (D1/Corps/Prom 7) Serial 6 dated 4 May 45, the u/m OR is appointed P/L/Bdr (FG) wef 23 May 43 (Time promotion):-

No. 1065948 Gnr (FG) Orr J. - RA (Field).

941. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, ground floor, HQ Bldg, at 0900 hrs Tuesday, 10 Jul 45:-

No. 2872924 Pte Jackson G.E. London Scottish.
" 485898 Pte Kisby L. Green Howards.

942. DISCIPLINE

DRO No. 514 dated 9 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and compliance of all concerned:-

(a) Sick Parade

Effective immediately all ORs reporting sick will do so with small kit consisting of knife, fork, spoon, razor, comb, lather brush, toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, towel, mess tins, canvas shoes, boot brush, hold-all and housewife. Identity discs will be worn.

(b) ORs Proceeding out of station

All ORs proceeding out of station on temporary duty, i.e. courier drivers, escorts, leave personnel, etc., will hand kit not required for their journey into room No. 22, first floor, Albergo Genova. Kit will be correctly labelled and packed into the kit bag and valise, and no separate articles will be accepted. On no account will kit or personal effects be left behind in the rooms.

943. MEDICAL INSPECTION

All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Corporal will parade outside the M.I. Room at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 11 Jul 45, for medical inspection.

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956. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 9 July 45 - Cpl Stiles J.T.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hrs
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hrs

957 O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE.

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs, Monday, 9 July 45.

2327924 Pte. Jackson G.D. - London Scots.

930. DISCIPLINE.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside Room 12, first floor, Albergo Genova, at 0830 hrs, Monday, 9 July 45.

2736569 Cdsn. Cooper, E. - Welsh Gds.
14298317 Pte. McCrudden H. - S.Staffs.
14315081 Tpr. Westley S.E. - Recce.

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ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE.

The Entertainments Committee will meet on Tuesday, 10 July 45, at 1345 hrs. in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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933. ROUTINE

Duty HCO Sun 8 Jul 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	.....	0700	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	

934. PAY - ORs.

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II at the Orderly Room (room 14), Albergo Genova, by 1800 hrs Monday, 9 Jul 45.

In view of the increasing number of ORs failing to comply with this order, in future ORs who hand in their books after the a/m hour (except those out of station) will NOT receive pay until the Monday Parade.

935. CAPTURED ENEMY MATERIAL.

GRO No. 731 dated 29 Jun 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

"1. In view of reports that numbers of pistols and other weapons are coming into the hands of individual Allied soldiers [illegible] being sold or bartered to civilians, attention is drawn to ACI 150[illegible]/44, which expressly states that captured and surrendered material of whatever nature is the property of HM Government.

2. The unauthorised retention or disposal of such material is an offence, and offenders will normally be tried by Court Martial."

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928. ROUTINE.

Duty RCO Sat 7 Jul 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

929. DISCIPLINE

(a) Dress

Regardless of DRO No. 922 dated 4 Jul 45 it is observed that ORs are NOT wearing head-dress when walking out, particularly to and from the HQ Bldg, and it appears that the hat is carried in the hand instead of being worn. This practice will cease forthwith.

The Provost Sjt and staff will ensure that there is no future infringement to this order.

(b) Mosquito Nets

All personnel leaving this Headquarters either on temporary duty or a permanent posting will draw a mosquito net from the QM Stores.

This is applicable to all drivers and vehicle escorts whose journeys take them beyond the city limits of Rome and necessitates their sleeping overnight away from this station.

All such personnel will also draw insect repellant.

930. MAIL DISTRIBUTION

DRO No. 743/44 is amended to read as follows and is published for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

The following system for the distribution of personal mail will come into effect forthwith:-

(a) Officers' mail will be distributed from the Mail Room, ground floor, HQ Bldg, between 1400 and 1730 hrs daily.

(b) WOs' and Sjts' mail will be distributed from the Sjts' Mess (Albergo Dell Urbe).

(c) ORs' mail will be distributed from the ORs' Dining Hall, Vaccari Restaurant, at the following times:- 1215 to 1315 hrs daily.

Ref para (c) above, the NCO i/c Postal Section will ensure that only Mail NCOs or the authorized mail orderlies will distribute the mail to the men, and that at no time is mail left in the Dining Hall unattended by one of the Postal Section.

Mail not collected during the above time may be collected from the HQ Mail Dept. between 1400 and 1730 hrs.

M.T. will continue as under present arrangements.

931. LEAVE

S/Sjt LeBlond R.G. has been granted leave from [illegible]

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M.T. will continue as under present arrangements.

931. LEAVE

S/Sjt LeBlond R.G. has been granted leave from reveille 9 Jul 45 until 2359 hrs 15 Jul 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

932. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 7 Jul 45, from the Laundry Room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 9 Jul 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry.

This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

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In the Field. 5 Jul 45.

926. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 6 Jul 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

927. DISCIPLINE

(a) O.C's PARADE

All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the ORs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1330 hrs Friday, 6 Jul 45, for a talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (EMIA) and attached personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sjt by 1230 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reason for non-compliance.

The RSM and Provost Serjeant will be in attendance.

(b) DRUNKENNESS & DANGER OF ITALIAN WINE

1. Examination of samples of bottles of Italian wine shows that their alcoholic content compared with that of other drinks is as follows:-

(i) 1 litre of red wine = ½ bottle of whisky or
⅔ bottle of gin or
1¾ bottles of CANADIAN beer or
3 pints of ENGLISH draught bitter (Wartime strength)

(ii) 1 litre of white wine = ⅖ bottle of whisky or
⅖ bottle of gin or
2½ bottles of CANADIAN beer or
2½ pints of ENGLISH draught bitter (Wartime strength)

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2. Drunkenness is the most common factor in nearly all cases of crime.

3. All ranks are again warned of the risks of drinking wine and that drunkenness cannot be accepted as an excuse for an offence.

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915. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Wed 4 July 45 - Cpl Stiles, J.T.

Reveille	.....	0630 hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hrs
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1700 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hrs

916. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE.

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office, room 6, Ground Floor, HQ Bldg, at 0845 hrs Wednesday, 4 July 45.

T/106030011 Dvr Allen, B.S. - R.A.S.C.

917. GENERAL ELECTION - POSTAL POLLING DAY.

Postal Polling Day for this Headquarters will be Thursday, 5 July 45. Polling will take place in Room 79, 1st Floor Annex, AC HQ Building, between

0930 - 1230 hrs and
1400 - 1700 hrs

Completed ballot papers will be placed in the ballot box provided. They will NOT be posted in the ordinary way. The Declaration of Identity will be completed before the voter comes to the polling room.

918. LEAVE.

The u/m have been granted leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sgt forthwith.

From	To		Name		Name
7 July 45	13 July 45	Pte	Edwards M.		
8 July 45	14 July 45	Sgt	Hill H.V.		
9 July 45	15 July 45	S/Sgt	Thorp E.	S/Sgt	Thompson H.W.
		Sgt	Gilleland J.	Sgt	Matthews W.R.
		Sgt	Shayman R.	Sgt	Whalen A.C.
		Cpl	Gibbons C.H.	Cpl	Green J.
		Cpl	Tomlin J.	L/Cpl	Bowman E.
		L/Cpl	Cordery J.S.	L/Cpl	Day W.H.
		L/Cpl	Jeffs H.	Pte	Bell T.A.
		Pte	Parsons A.C.	Dvr	Richardson G.
		Dvr	Wainwright A.		
10 July 45	16 July 45	AQMS	Bailey N.	Cpl	Robinson E.
		Dvr	McCarthy J.		
11 July 45	17 July 45	L/Cpl	McPhail D.	Pte	Gardiner H.
12 July 45	18 July 45	SQMS	Lark F.L.V.	Cpl	Dolley D. (ATS).

919. DINING HALL FORMS, O.R.

Carelessness has been shown in the handling of forms removed from the ORs' Dining Hall for use in transport, so much so that many are now unrepairable.

In future no forms will be removed from the Dining Hall without

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Polling will take place in Room 70, 1st floor Annex, AC HQ Building, between

0830 - 1230 hrs and
1400 - 1700 hrs

Completed ballot papers will be placed in the ballot box provided. They will NOT be posted in the ordinary way. The Declaration of Identity will be completed before the voter comes to the polling room.

918. LEAVE.

The u/m have been granted leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Sgt Portsmith.

From	To				
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8 July 45	14 July 45	Sgt	Hill H.V.		
9 July 45	15 July 45	S/Sgt	Sharp E.	S/Sgt	Thompson H.W.
		Sgt	Gilholand J.	Sgt	Matthews W.R.
		Sgt	Swayman R.	Sgt	Whalen A.C.
		Cpl	Gibbons C.E.	Cpl	Green J.
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FOURTH OF JULY HOLIDAY.

On the 4th of July, Independence Day, all American personnel in the Allied Commission will be excused from duty all day, with the exception of the necessary guard and fatigue details.

American personnel having to report for duty on the 4th of July, will be given another day off; such arrangements to be made by the head of the respective Sections, etc.

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909. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 3 Jul 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

910. OC's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0845 hrs Tuesday, 3 Jul 45:-

No. S/10680011 Dvr Allen E.S. RASC.

911. REST HOUSE - SWIMMING

Ref DRO 620 dated 3 May 45.

Irrespective of the a/m Order on bathing, reports are still coming in of soldiers getting into difficulties in the sea.

It is pointed out that although the space allotted for bathing at Fregene has been passed as safe, it is, however, known that under water currents do exist in the vicinity. The fact that there may be a strong swimmer detailed to act as lifeguard is no guarantee that all is well. Every soldier's safety is his own responsibility.

Wef 2 Jul 45, non-swimmers are forbidden to proceed out beyond their depth, and individuals who consider themselves as strong and experienced swimmers are forbidden to try and perform acts of bravado, such as swimming too far out, etc., etc.

912. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE

The ORs' Messing Committee, composed of the u/m, will meet on Wednesday, 4 Jul 45, at 1315 hrs in room 14, Albergo Genova:-

Cpl	Bastable	C.C.	Pte Cragg	A.
Cpl	Birkin	R.J.	Gnr Foster	D.
Cpl	Robinson	E.	Dvr Richardson	G.
L/Cpl	Brown	E.T.C.		

The RQMS, A/Sjt Gibbs (NCO i/c Cooks), A/Sjt Gaffney J., and Cpl Gaines B.C. (Ration Cpl) will attend.

913. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI

The u/m ORs of this Headquarters will assemble in the lounge of the Albergo Genova at 0915 hrs Tuesday, 3 Jul 45.

They will be in possession of 2 blankets, mosquito net, small kit and haversack rations.

S/14329151	Cpl	Middleton	T.M.	S/1149088	L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.
S/4805257	L/Cpl	Bailey	F.L.	7951206	Pte	Ince	E.
S/10677362	L/Cpl	Daniels	R.	S/14257250	Pte	Walters	H.
7886892	L/Cpl	Murdoch	A.	6467789	Fus	Williams	J.E.
S/14525649	L/Cpl	Read	E.				

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Cpl	Robinson	E.	Dvr	Richardson	G.
L/Cpl	Brown	D.T.C.			

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7886892	L/Cpl	Murdoch	A.	6467789	Fus	Williams	J.H.
S/14525649	L/Cpl	Read	E.				

914. FIRE PREVENTION

In order to prevent any danger of outbreak of fire, ORs are forbidden to bring petrol into the billets for any purpose. For information, petrol for refilling cigarette lighters is now provided in the ORs' NAAFI shop free of charge.

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O.C. British Detachment.
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N O T I C E S

ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

The Alexander Club Committee (HQ represented by Cpl Wilson J.) meets fortnightly. The next meeting will be held on Friday, 6 Jul 45.

Suggestions or criticisms which personnel of this HQ may wish brought forward should be submitted in writing and handed to British Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs Thursday.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 181/45.

In the Field. 1 Jul 45.

905. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 2 Jul 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1350	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

906. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, ground floor, HQ Bldg, at 0900 hrs Monday, 2 Jul 45:-

No. 1453584 Cfn Cormock W.G. REME (Interview)
" 7912444 Pte Sison A.J. ASC "

907. OC's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hrs Monday, 2 Jul 45:-

No. 14542113 Pte Benbow C.R. Wores. (Interview)

908. RETURN NO UK OF PERSONNEL SUFFERING FROM V.D.

RAEC Routine Order No. 593 dated 28 Jun 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

"1. Where appears to be some doubt about the position of men who are under treatment, or who have been under treatment, for Venereal Disease, and are entitled to repatriation to UK.

2. CRO 265/45 lays down that such men will not be allowed to proceed to UK unless they are in possession of a certificate of freedom from infectivity which is signed by a Medical Officer.

3. Such certificates will only be issued under the following conditions:-

(a) Gonorrhoea and Soft Sore (Chancroid).
After the Final Test of Cure, i.e. three months after treatment has been completed.

(b) Syphilis.
The length of time depends on the treatment given, but the minimum time is four and a half months after treatment has started.

4. It is pointed out that even after the lapse of the times stated above, a certificate will not be given if there is any doubt whatsoever regarding the patient's freedom from infection.

5. This ruling applies to all personnel due for repatriation except those being evacuated through Medical channels, and those being returned to UK on compassionate grounds.

6. The ruling is in no way to be regarded as a punishment but is solely intended to safeguard the health of those at home."

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907. O.C.'s ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

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No. 14542113 Pte Penbow C.R. Wores. (Interview)

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
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Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 130/45.

In the Field, 30 Jun 45.

901. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 1 Jul 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0700 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant	
Asst Adj.	
Asst Adj.	

902. PAY - DOCUMENTATION

The u/m will hand in their AB 64 Part II at room 14, Albergo Genova, for necessary adjustments:-

No. S/1133788 Cpl Sutherland F.R. RASC.
" 7/90941 Cpl Tolley D. AFS.
" S/2929909 Pte Shaw J. RASC.
" S/1430671 Pte Smith L.J. RASC.

903. BATHING BEACH - LIDO DI ROMA

RAAC Routine Order No. 578 dated 28 Jun 45 is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

"With effect from date of this Order, the Bathing Beach at LIDO DI ROMA is placed "Out of Bounds to All British Troops" between 1900 hrs in the evening and 0600 hrs the following day.

All British personnel will be clear of the beach between these times.

It is essential that this order be obeyed due to the highly malarious area concerned."

904. PETROL POINTS

RAAC Routine Order No. 589 dated 28 Jun 45 is repeated hereunder for the guidance of those concerned:-

"1. The following petrol points have been closed.
SIENA.- There are now no petrol points on Route 2 between ROME and FLORENCE.
CALVI RISORTA.- Route 6.- Emergency refuelling may be obtained at the petrol depot SPARANISE.
US operated petrol point at CASERTA and PERVILLA will refuel WD vehicles, casual and convoys.
2. The following petrol points are in operation north of Rome:-
FOLIGNO, AREZZO, FLORENCE, BOLOGNA, FALCONARA, RIMINI, FORLI, FERRARA."

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
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In Genova Hotel, 2 gold teeth.
Anyone able to supply information in regard to the above will report to the

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No.	S/11337 8	Cpl Sutherland	F.R.	RASC.
"	7/90941	Cpl Tolley	D.	ATS.
"	S/2939909	Pte Shaw	J.	RASC.
"	S/1450371	Pte Smith	L.J.	RASC.

905. BATHING BEACH - LIDO DI ROMA.

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N O T I C E S

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No. 179/45.

29 Jun 45.

In the Field.

892. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 30 Jun 45 - Cpl Stiles J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, sixth floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Sat 30 Jun 45 - L/Cpl Mason R.

893. HQ COMMANDANT's PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, HQ Bldg, at 0845 hrs Sat, 30 Jun 45:-

No.	7013414	Fus	Foy	T.B.	R.Inn. Fus.	(Interview)
"	14542113	Pte	Benbow	C.R.	Worcs.	"
"	14535884	Cfn	Cornock	W.G.	REME	

894. BLANKET SHAKING

W.e.f. Monday, 2 Jul 45, organized blanket shaking will cease.

ORs will continue to shake blankets on the roof once a week under individual arrangements.

895. DRIVING DISCIPLINE - RULE OF THE ROAD

The following is published in conjunction with GRO 705 dated 22 Jun 45:-

1. A number of serious accidents have been caused in this theatre by drivers failing to observe the rules as to priority of traffic at cross-roads and the various traffic signs at present in use.
2. Copies of a wall diagram, illustrating the most important road signs at present in use in Italy are prominently displayed in this Unit.
3. The attention of all drivers is drawn to the following priorities laid down by the Italian Traffic Code which apply both in urban and country areas:-
   (a) When crossing train or tram rails, the right of way is always given to the train or tram.
   (b) Traffic on a public road always has priority over traffic coming from a private road.
   (c) Where public roads fork or cross, drivers must give right of way to traffic coming from the right except in cases where traffic signs give priority to vehicles which are travelling on main roads. These signs are inverted yellow triangles placed on the minor road and signify "Main Road Ahead".

896. TRANSFERS - RASC

(a) In accordance with authy ref G-1B/420/OR dated 28 Jun 45 and O2E/73857/Co (T) dated 3 May 45, the u/m OR is transferred to the RASC in the rank of Pte and mustered as Clerk Gp "C" Class III within the W.E. of this Formation w.e.f. 4 Jun 45. Prefix letter "S" will be added to Regimental Number:-

No. 2929909 Pte Shaw J. Seaforths.

authy ref G-1B/420/OR dated 27 Jun 45 and O2E/44/85/

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896. TRANSFERS - RASC

(a) In accordance with authy ref G-1B/420/OR dated 28 Jun 45 and 02B/73857/Co (T) dated 5 May 45, the u/m OR is transferred to the RASC in the rank of Pte and mustered as Clerk Gp "C" Class III within the W.E. of this Formation w.e.f. 4 Jun 45. Prefix letter "S" will be added to Regimental Number:-

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No. 14560871 Gnr Smith L.G. - R.A. (Fld.)

897. REST HOME - FREGENE

Owing to transport difficulties at the present time, ORs desiring transport to go to Fregene on their day off must notify the Det Ord Sjt by 1600 hrs the day previous.

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898. PROMOTIONS

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/476/OR dated 29 Jun 45, the u/m NCOs are promoted Unpaid and Paid Corporals w.e.f. 22 May 45:-

T/90941 L/Cpl Tolley D. ATS.
S/2661977 L/Cpl Birkin R.J. RASC.
S/4809266 L/Cpl Broughton W.H. RASC.

899. DEATHS OUT OF HOSPITAL

RAAC Routine Order No. 594 dated 28 Jun 45 is republished hereunder for information:-

"1. All cases "Brought in Dead" to Hospital must be examined Post-Mortem by a Pathologist.

2. To perform the examination properly the Pathologist must have as much information as possible concerning the circumstances of death if known, or the circumstances of finding the body.

3. A report in writing will therefore be compiled by a responsible officer or NCO from careful examination and cross questioning of the individual finding the body, and submitted if possible with the body to the hospital and certainly within 12 hours thereafter."

900. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MFHA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 30 Jun 45, from the Laundry Room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 2 Jul 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry.

This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

(Sgd.) E. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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by
Major D. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 178/45.

In the Field. 28 Jun 45.

886. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 29 Jun 45 - Sjt Brenan J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1300 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, fifth floor, Genova.
0645 hrs Fri 29 Jun 45 - L/Cpl Whitehire J.H.

887. ARMY REDUCT - PHASING

The following information from an AFHQ letter concerning the above is published for all concerned:-

1. In view of recent statements that have appeared in the press, to the effect that Groups up to the 'middle twenties' were to be released by the end of the year, the War Office were asked if these statements could be clarified.
2. The original phasing given for planning purposes was on the basis that Group 26 would be released at the end of 12 months from VE Day. The War Office have confirmed this phasing, and an article has been published in the Union Jack reporting a recent announcement made in the House of Commons by the Minister of Labour, stating that the 'early twenties' may be released by the end of the year, and not the 'middle twenties' as previously forecast.
3. It is estimated that by 31 Dec 45 Groups 21 and earlier may be released.
4. The phasing as published and repeated hereunder is, of course, still subject to movement and other considerations, but it can be taken as a fair estimate:-

Group 12 between 13 Aug & 26 Aug 45.
" 13 " 27 " " 9 Sep "
" 14 " 10 Sep " 23 " "
" 15 " 24 " " 7 Oct "
" 16 " 8 Oct " 28 " "

886. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
1 Jul 45	7 Jul 45	L/Cpl Taft E.E., Pte Page A.D., Pte Spencer S.H.
2 "	8 "	L/Cpl Daniels R., L/Cpl Morton C.C., S/Sjt Wright P.C., L/Cpl Lisberg J.S., Sjt Hagen E.G., L/Cpl Murdoch A., L/Cpl Rylance J.W., Pte Walters H., Pte Davies J.R., Pte Attwood F., L/Cpl Bailey F.L., Pte Thrush N., L/Cpl McPhail D., Pte Ince E., Fus Williams J.H., Dvr Beale L.C., Dvr Hodge E.F., Dvr Pitcher R.G., Cpl Middleton T.M., S/Sjt Taffe T.L., Sjt Culloty M.
6 Jul 45	12 Jul 45	Fus Savage J.G., Cpl Watkins H.M., L/Cpl MacRae M.

889. EDUCATION - LECTURES

Ref DRO No. 884 dated 27 Jun 45.

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Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

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"	14	"	10 Sep	"	23 "	"
"	15	"	24 "	"	7 Oct	"
"	16	"	8 Oct	"	28 "	"

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6 Jul 45	12 Jul 45	Pte Savage J.G., Cpl Watkins H.H., L/Cpl MacRae D.

889. EDUCATION - LECTURES

Ref DEO No. 364 dated 27 Jun 45.

It is regretted that owing to an air accident the lectures referred to have been cancelled.

890. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 30 Jun - 2 Jul 45.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 1 & 2 Jul 45
1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 3 Jul 45.

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891. DAY LEAVE - MESSING

Notification has been received from RAAC that a number of ORs of this Headquarters on day leave in Rome have had meals from a "Rome Area Day Leave Restaurant".

As rations are drawn by this HQ, this practice will cease forthwith. Any OR unable to have the meals provided on his day off will draw a haversack ration instead.

(Sgd.) T. E. M. Scully, Major,
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.L.E.

N O T I C E S

BOOKS

There is a new selection of books by well-known authors available in the Orderly Room, and any OR may obtain one, on signature, from the Duty Clerk any evening after 1800 hrs.

ORs leaving station will, before their departure, return any books they may have drawn.

Personnel who have in their possession any books which they wish to dispose of, are welcome to add them to this collection.

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by
Major I. F. N. Scully.
O.C. Salvage Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 177/45.

In the Field, 27 Jun 45.

881. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 28 Jun 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1600 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, fourth floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Thu 28 Jun 45 - L/Cpl Avery J.

882. DISCIPLINE

Documentation

The u/s NCO will report to the Orderly Room (Room 9) by 0830 hrs Thu, 28 Jun 45:-

No. S/36094 W/Sjt Grime J. RASC.

883. PAY PARADE

Pay Parade for British CRs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	
Fri 29 Jun 45	0930 hrs	AC/S, Adm. CONFERENCE ROOM	RASC Personnel employed at HQ. Other personnel employed at HQ. Personnel not included in above.
" " " "	1400 "	- ditto -	
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, 1st floor.	
Sat 30 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	
Mon 2 Jul 45	0900 "	- " -	

- ditto -
Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

884. EDUCATION - LECTURES

The attention of all CRs of this Headquarters is drawn to the separate notice on the Unit Notice Board regarding the following lectures:-

(i) International Law & Power Politics.
(ii) Democracy To-day.

These lectures will be given by Dr. Garvin Henderson on Friday and Saturday, 29-30 Jun 45, and personnel of this Headquarters wishing to attend on either of the above dates will report to the Orderly Room before 1800 hrs Thu, 28 Jun 45.

Transport will be provided according to the number of applicants.

885. SPORT

PAAC are compiling a list of qualified referees and umpires in respect of cricket, boxing, football, swimming, etc., for games to be played in the Base Area, in the near future.

With the exception of football referees, whose names have already been submitted last season, others interested in the above will submit their names

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Documentation.

The u/m RAO will report to the Orderly Room (Room 9) by 0930 hrs Thu, 28 Jun 45:-

No. S/36094 T/Sgt. Grimo J. RASC.

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Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	
Fri 29 Jun 45	0930 hrs	At HQ, Adm. CONFERENCE ROOM	RASO Personnel employed at HQ. Other personnel employed at HQ. Personnel not included in above.
" " "	1000 "	- ditto -	
" " "	1400 "	Hotel Normandie, Room 14, 1st Floor.	
Sat 30 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	
Mon 2 Jul 45	0900 "	- " -	- ditto - Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS No. 176/45.

Major E. J. L. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 26 Jun 45.

876. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 27 Jun 45 - Sjt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, third floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Wed 27 Jun 45 - Cpl Cooper R.A.

Adjutant
Asst Adj.
Asst Adj.
Orderly Clerk

877. M.T. DISCIPLINE (DRs)

All motorcyclists using the Via Molise entrance of the Headquarters (Min. Delle Corporazioni Bldg) will "shut off" their engines before entering the vehicle park.

When leaving, engines will not be re-started until well clear of the vehicle park, and particularly the part of the HQ Bldg to the right of the exit of the vehicle park.

DRO 366 dated 14 Mar 45 is hereby cancelled.

878. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI

The next trip to the Isle of Capri will be on 4 Jul 45. Transportation will leave AD Headquarters at 1000 hrs Tuesday, 3 Jul 45. The party will proceed to Naples, spend the night there, and leave for Capri by boat Wednesday morning. The boat will leave Capri late Wednesday afternoon and the party will spend the night in Naples, returning to Rome Thursday, 5 Jul 45.

Any ORs of this Headquarters who desire to go will report to the Orderly Room, producing written permission from the officer in charge of the Section or Sub-Commission in which the OR is employed.

All requests must be made to the Orderly Room before 1600 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45.

879. WELFARE - REST CAMPS

Information has been received to the effect that the allocation of vacancies for leave at the Rest Camps in Florence and Acquila for the month of July has been completed and the request made by this Detachment for allocations cannot be accepted.

However, our request has been included in the allocation for August instead. Therefore any OR of this Headquarters who previously made application for leave at the Florence and Acquila Rest Camps, and now wishes to go in August, should report to the Orderly Room before 1600 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45, otherwise the vacancies offered for August will be cancelled.

880. DISCIPLINE

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(a) RSM's Parade

All ORs up to and including the rank of Cpl will parade in the Vaccari Restaurant at 1315 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45.

(b) Bounds (Wine Shops)

It is again repeated for the information and strict compliance of all concerned that the wine shops on either side of the ORs' billet, Albergo

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exit of the vehicle park.

DRC 366 dated 14 Mar 45 is hereby cancelled.

874. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI

The next trip to the Isle of Capri will be on 4 Jul 45. Transportation will leave AC Headquarters at 1000 hrs Tuesday, 3 Jul 45. The party will proceed to Naples, spend the night there, and leave for Capri by boat Wednesday morning. The boat will leave Capri late Wednesday afternoon and the party will spend the night in Naples, returning to Rome Thursday, 5 Jul 45.

Any ORs of this Headquarters who desire to go will report to the Orderly Room, producing written permission from the officer in charge of the Section or Sub-Commission in which the OR is employed.

All requests must be made to the Orderly Room before 1600 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45.

879. WELFARE - REST CAMPS

Information has been received to the effect that the allocation of vacancies for leave at the Rest Camps in Florence and Acquila for the month of July has been completed and the request made by this Detachment for allocations cannot be accepted.

However, our request has been included in the allocation for August instead. Therefore any OR of this Headquarters who previously made application for leave at the Florence and Acquila Rest Camps, and now wishes to go in August, should report to the Orderly Room before 1600 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45, otherwise the vacancies offered for August will be cancelled.

880. DISCIPLINE

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(a) RSM's Parade

All ORs up to and including the rank of Cpl will parade in the Vaccari Restaurant at 1315 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45.

(b) Bounds (Wine Shops)

It is again repeated for the information and strict compliance of all concerned that the wine shops on either side of the ORs' billet, Albergo Genova, are out of bounds to all ORs of Allied Commission during the parade hours, i.e. 0830 and 1600 hrs daily.

It is emphasized that this also affects ORs on day pass.

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In the Field. 25 Jun 45.

873. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 26 Jun 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, second floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Tue 26 Jun 45 - Cpl Preezer E.

Adjutant	
Asst Adj.	
Asst Adj.	
Chief Clerk	

874. HQ COMMANDANT's PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, Ground floor, HQ Bldg, at 0845 hrs Tuesday, 26 Jun 45:-

No. T/1068946 Dvr Robinson J. RASC.
" T/4856797 " Tocce L.H. "

Dress:- KD Shirt, shorts, belt and anklets web, cleane.

875. RETURNS

Those responsible are reminded that the return called for under DRO No. 861 is due by 1800 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45.

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N O T I C E S

LOST/STOLEN

A 16-jewelled chromium-plated wristlet watch has been removed from room 102, fourth floor, Genova.

Anyone able to supply information regarding the above will report to the Orderly Room.

FOUND

One cigarette case in ORs' Dining Hall.
May be claimed on application to the Orderly Room.

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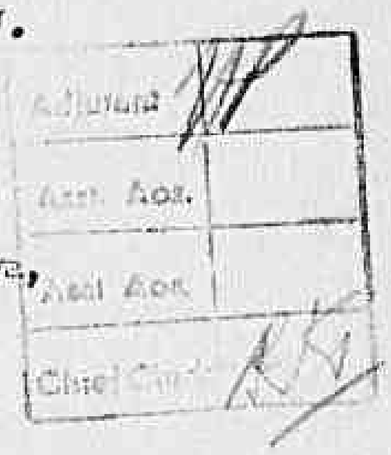
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In the Field. 24 Jun 45.

370. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 25 Jun 45 - Cpl. Stiles J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hrs.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hrs.

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, First Floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Mon 25 Jun 45 - L/Cpl. Common R.F.



371. DISCIPLINE.

(a). O.Cs. Orderly Room Parade.
The u/m C.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0345 hrs. Mon 25 Jun 45:-

S/14767	Cpl.	Green J.	R.A.S.C.
S/2616272	"	Wilson J.	"
S/1068946	Dvr.	Robinson J.	"
S/1256797	"	Tooce W.H.	"
2618191	Gdsn.	Holmes F.C.	Gren Gds. (Interior).

(b). Documentation.
The u/m O.R. will report to the Orderly Room (room 9) at 0830 hrs. Mon 25 Jun 45:-

S/5555850	Dvr.	Bass W.	R.A.S.C.

372. SECURITY (TELEPHONES).
Daily Routine Order number 279 dated 27 Feb 45 is republished hereunder for information and strict compliance of all concerned. Future infringements of this order will be severely dealt with:-

It has been reported that O.Rs. are in the habit of revealing to civilians the telephone number of the Orderly Room in order that telephone calls can be made.

It is emphasized that this practice is irregular and will cease immediately.

The Orderly Room duty clerk will refuse any O.R. the use of the telephone unless it is in the course of duty.

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NOTICES.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE.
The Entertainments Committee will meet on Monday, 25 Jun 45, at 1845 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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Major C. I. M. Scully.
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No. 173/45.

23 Jun 45.

In the Field.

867. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 24 Jun 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0700	hrs
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

868. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14.) by 1800 hrs Monday, 25 Jun 45.

869. PASSENGER DISCIPLINE IN MD VEHICLES

HQ Routine Order No. 494 dated 11 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for information and strict compliance:-

1. Passengers will not sit on the tailboard when a vehicle is in motion.
2. Passengers will not ride on vehicle canopies, wings or cab roof.
3. No more than two persons including the driver, will ride in the driver's cabin unless the vehicles are specifically designed to carry extra persons.
4. When personnel other than the driver travel on a loaded vehicle at least one passenger will travel in the back of the vehicle to prevent theft from the load.

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No. 172/45.

22 Jun 45.

In the Field.

865. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 23 Jun 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, sixth floor, Genova,
0645 hrs Sat 23 Jun 45 - Cpl Stokes H.W.

866. POSTAL VOTING

The following is extracted from Daily Bulletin No. 172 dated 21 Jun 45 for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

"Capt. A. J. Bennett has been appointed Postal Voting Officer for this Headquarters, and will be pleased to endeavour to assist any Officer or OR requiring information on this subject. Office location is Room 70, Ground Floor Annex."

(Sgd.) F. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

NOTICES

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet on Monday, 25 Jun 45, at 1345 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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No. 171/45.

In the Field. 21 Jun 45.

858. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 22 Jun 45 - Sjt Cochson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, fifth floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Fri 22 Jun 45 - Cpl Greygoose R.E.

859. GENERAL ELECTION - PERSONNEL DUE FOR RELEASE

Personnel, either military or civilian, who have applied to vote by post are not permitted to vote in person. It will be necessary, therefore, for all ranks who have applied to vote by post, and who leave their units for release before the receipt of the ballot papers, to notify their local returning officer of their home address to which the ballot papers should be forwarded.

In the case of personnel arriving in the United Kingdom from overseas for release this notification will be made as under:-

(i) Class "A" release military personnel should apply at the office of the Disembarkation Camp Unit for AF B2639 and AF B2645 on which to notify their change of address.

(ii) Class "B" release military personnel who report to a receiving unit, in accordance with ACI 74 of 1944, will apply at the office of the unit concerned for the necessary forms.

(iii) ATS personnel both class "A" and class "B" will obtain the forms from the holding unit to which they report on arrival.

The responsibility for applying for the requisite forms rests with the individual. (ACI 574 of 1945 refers).

860. RELEASE & RESETTLEMENT

A booklet entitled as above and issued by H.M. Government will be collected from the Orderly Serjeant's Office before 1800 hrs Saturday, 23 Jun 45, by all ORs of this Headquarters (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel). It is essential that every Other Rank is in possession of one of these books and that they are retained and preserved for future reference.

861. RETURNS

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Those responsible in Sub-Commissions, Branches, Sections, Messes, etc., of this Headquarters, employing ORs in any capacity, will render a return to the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova, by 1800 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45, giving the following particulars as at 1200 hrs Saturday, 23 Jun 45:-

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In the case of personnel arriving in the United Kingdom from overseas for release this notification will be made as under:-

(i) Class "A" release military personnel should apply at the office of the Disembarkation Camp Unit for AF B2639 and AF B2645 on which to notify their change of address.

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Those responsible in Sub-Commissions, Branches, Sections, Messes, etc., of this Headquarters, employing ORs in any capacity, will render a return to the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova, by 1800 hrs Wednesday, 27 Jun 45, giving the following particulars as at 1200 hrs Saturday, 23 Jun 45:-

Number, Rank (Acting & W/S rank to be stated), Name, Regt/Corps, Employment.

Only in respect of new arrivals since the return called for by DRO No. 97 dated 22 Jan 45 will the following additional particulars be quoted:-

Med. Cat., Permanent or Attached (if attached, present unit or region to be quoted); Date of Birth.

862. ARMY RELEASE - PHASING

The War Office have laid down the following dates for release in UK, subject to movement and other considerations:-

(A)	Group	12	between	13 Aug	& 26 Aug
(B)	"	13	"	27 "	& 9 Sep
(C)	"	14	"	10 Sep	& 23 "
(D)	"	15	"	24 "	& 7 Oct
(E)	"	16	"	8 Oct	& 28 "

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863. WELFARE - SWIMMING

From effect from to-day a 30-seater bus will leave the Headquarters Bldg (Mun. Delle Comunicazioni) daily at 1230 hrs for the purpose of conveying WI/ORs to the National Stadium Swimming Pool.

The bus will leave the Stadium at 1340 hrs for the return journey proceeding direct to the HQ Bldg.

Any OR of this Detachment desiring to take advantage of this facility should report to the NCO i/c Cookhouse on the previous evening for an issue of a haversack ration. This ration will be available for collection by the OR during the breakfast meal.

864. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 23-25 Jun 45.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amadeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 24 & 25 Jun 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 26 Jun 45.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major E. I. M. Scully,
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No. 170/45.

In the Field. 20 Jun 45.

854. ROUTINE

Daily NCO Thu 21 Jun 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, Fourth floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Thu 21 Jun 45 - L/Cpl Kynaston A.H.

Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt

855. PYTHON - POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS

The following is extracted from GHQ No. 690 dated 15 Jun 45 for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

1. The following procedure will be adopted for the redirection of private correspondence of personnel proceeding to UK on PYTHON.

(a) Ten days before the individual is due to leave the unit, he should despatch "Stop Writing" cards to his correspondents to ensure that they receive due notification of his impending move from his unit.

(b) Before departure from the unit, each individual will complete a postal redirection card (AF A2042C) for the retention by the unit giving one address in the UK to which all mail is to be forwarded. Mail will not be redirected to the Reception Camp and personnel will not use this address.

(c) ALL mail arriving for personnel will be redirected to the address given. Destruction of mail is a serious offence and will not be countenanced.

856. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE (Interview)

The u/m ORs will report to the Orderly Room on Thu, 21 Jun 45, at 0845 hrs:-

No. E/W0696555 Dvr Gardiner W.H. RASC.
" E/14238553 " Julien K. "

857. WELFARE - CRICKET

The u/m have put forward their names to play cricket and will assemble at 1800 hrs Fri, 22 Jun 45, in room 12, Albergo Genova, for a meeting to be presided by Sjt Brown F.W., subject composition of team.

Sjt	Barber	L.	Sjt	Mirrilees	R.
Sjt	Brown	F.W.	Sjt	Theasby	F.
Pte	Boyes	W.	L/Cpl	Wright	L.J.
RQMS	Doggett	K.T.G.	Pte	Williams	V.J.
S/Sjt	Harrison	A.R.	Sjt	Edmonds	C.C.
Sjt	Hopwood	M.E.			

Still more players are required, and those interested should attend this meeting, with previous notification to the Orderly Room.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS No. 169/45.
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
C.O. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 19 Jun 45.

846. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 20 Jun 45 - Cpl Stiles J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, third floor, Genova,
0645 hrs Wed 20 Jun 45 - L/Cpl MacRae T.

847. COURT OF INQUIRY

A Court of Inquiry as under will assemble at 1000 hrs Wed, 20 Jun 45, in room 5, fourth floor, office of G-4 (Br.) HQ AC, for the purpose of investigating the cause of the loss of TD typewriter OLIVER No. E.C. 28692.

President:- Capt R.V. Dudley-Clarke, R.Ir. F.

Member :- Capt N.R.L. MacDonald, Q.O.C.H.

The following witnesses will attend:-

Capt T. Rowlands, Gen. List.
Capt H.W. Stewart, U.D.F.
S/127211 S/Sjt Muddyman C.K. R.A.S.C.

848. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE

The ORs' Messing Committee, composed of the u/m, will meet on Thursday, 21 Jun 45 at 1315 hrs in room 14, Albergo Genova:-

Cpl Bastable C.C. Pte Cragg A.
Cpl Birkin R.J. Gnr Foster D.
Cpl Robinson E. Dvr Richardson G.
L/Cpl Brown R.E.C.

The RQMS, A/Sjt Gibbs (NCO i/c Cooks), A/Sjt Caffrey J., and Cpl Gaines B.C. (Ration Cpl) will attend.

849. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
20 Jun 45	26 Jun 45	L/Cpl Johnson T.J.
27 "	3 Jul 45	Pte Ross W.
28 "	4 "	Pte Friend F., Pte Boyes W.
29 "	5 "	L/Cpl Read E.

850. ATHLETE'S FOOT

Permanganate of Potash footbaths are provided daily on the roof of the

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room 5, fourth floor, office of G-4 (Br.) HQ AC, for the purpose of investigating the cause of the loss of WD typewriter OLIVER No. E.C. 28692.

President:- Capt R.V. Dudley-Clarke, R.Ir. R.

Member :- Capt N.R.L. MacDonald, Q.O.C.H.

The following witnesses will attend:-

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850. ATHLETE'S FOOT

Pomangarate of Potash footbaths are provided daily on the roof of the Hotel Genova.

The NCO i/c blanket shaking each day will ensure that the men on parade use these footbaths.

Athlete's foot is recognized by a whiteness of the skin and small blisters, particularly between the toes.

Any OR showing signs of this will report the fact to the NCO i/c blanket shaking parade.

851. POSTAL ORDERS

Those who have applied for Postal Orders will collect same from the Post Room in the HQ Bldg on Wed, 20 Jun 45, at the following times:- 0830-1200 and 1400-1800 hrs.

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852. DISCIPLINE

Documentation

The u/m will report to the Orderly Room at 0830 hrs on Wednesday, 20 Jun 45:-

No.	6459640	L/Cpl Wright L.J.	Recce.
"	7856892	L/Cpl Murdoch A.	RAC.

853. TRANSFERS.

1. C.M.P.

(a) Ref DRO No. 749 dated 29 May 45 calling for CMP duties. Orders covering the conditions and qualifications required for transfer have now been received, and concerns the following wings of that Corps:-

(i). Provost Wing.
(ii) Traffic Control Wing.
(iii) Vulnerable Points Wing.

(b) For information, it is stated that applicants should be in Release Group 18 or above, and subject to para 320 of Regulations for Release from the Army, 1945, which applies to all Arms of the Service, men who transfer will be entitled to be released in their normal Age and Service Groups.

(c) Transfer offers the opportunity of valuable experience to men who are considering the Civil Police or Automobile Association or similar employment as a post-war career.

2. C.M.P. (SIB)

(a) A number of other rank volunteers are required for transfer to the Special Investigation Branch of the Corps of Military Police.

(b) The same qualifications are required as for transfer to the Provost Wing, and applicants should be in Release Group 18 or above. Applicants with any form of Civil Police or legal experience will be given preference.

Note:- Any OR of this Headquarters interested in transferring to any of the above may obtain further information on application to the Orderly Room (Chief Clerk).

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by
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O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 160/45.

In the Field. 18 June 45.

841. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Tues 19 June 45 - Sgt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hrs
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hrs
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, second floor, Genova, 0845 hrs Tues 19 June 45 - Cpl Stiles J.T.

842. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0845 hrs Tuesday, 19 June 45.

S/1043663 Cpl Small, G.T. — C/20381 Dvr Cooper, A.
14542115 Pte Benbow, C.R. — D/38325 Pte Faulkner, C.

843. DISCIPLINE - CURFEW.

In spite of previous orders published, C.M.P. reports continue to be received of O.Rs. being apprehended after curfew.

It is again emphasized that curfew in the city of NAPLES for all personnel commences at 2359 hrs and ceases at 0500 hrs, during which time no troops are permitted on the streets except those on duty, who must be in possession of a R.A.A.C. 'After Curfew Pass'.

Future infringements of this order will be most severely dealt with.

844. PYTHON.

The following information received by this office is brought to the notice of all ranks:-

The qualifying period of PYTHON is now reduced to 4 years service overseas.

The minimum period in U.K. will be reduced from the present 3 months to the period of leave only, which will be a minimum of 6 weeks consisting of 4 weeks repatriation leave and 2 weeks embarkation leave. This rule will take effect for those arriving in U.K. on or after 1 Aug 45. Subsequent overseas posting remains limited to N.W. Europe only.

Implementation of the reduced qualifying period will be made as soon as possible, the present shipping position being under review by War Office.

The necessary amendments to G.R.Os will be published in due course.

845. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI.

The u/m O.Rs. of this Headquarters will assemble in the lounge of the Albergo Genova at 0915 hrs Tuesday, 19 June 45.

They will be in possession of 2 blankets, small kit and haversack rations.

S/95609 Sgt Chipperton S.F. — S/2616872 Cpl Wilson J.
S/1042111 L/Cpl Bowman B. — 5053220 Tpr Jones J.
4926824 Pte Pagliaro F.G. — 4985325 Pte Rylatt N.

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S/1014668 Cpl Small, G.H.
14362113 Pte Benbow, C.R.
S/20381 Dvr Cooper, A.
D/36325 Pte Faulkner, C.

843. DISOBEDIENCE - CURFEW.

In spite of previous orders published, C.M.P. reports continue to be received of O.Rs. being apprehended after curfew.

It is again emphasised that curfew in the city of ROME for all personnel commences at 1559 hrs and ceases at 0500 hrs, during which time no troops are permitted on the streets except those on duty, who must be in possession of a A.A.F.I. 'After Curfew Pass'.

Future infringements of this order will be most severely dealt with.

844. PYTHON.

The following information received by this office is brought to the notice of all ranks:-

The qualifying period of PYTHON is now reduced to 4 years service overseas.

The minimum period in U.K. will be reduced from the present 3 months to the period of leave only, which will be a minimum of 6 weeks consisting of 4 weeks repatriation leave and 2 weeks embarkation leave. This rule will take effect for those arriving in U.K. on or after 1 Aug 45. Subsequent overseas posting remains limited to N.W. Europe only.

Implementation of the reduced qualifying period will be made as soon as possible, the present shipping position being under review by War Office.

The necessary amendments to G.R.Os will be published in due course.

845. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI.

The u/m O.Rs. of this Headquarters will assemble in the lounge of the Albergo Genova at 0915 hrs Tuesday, 19 June 45.

They will be in possession of 2 blankets, small kit and haversack rations.

S/95609 Sgt Chipperton D.T.
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4926824 Pte Pagliaro F.G.
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No. 167/45.

17 Jun 45.

In the Field.

837. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 18 Jun 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, first floor, Geneva, 0645 hrs Mon 18 Jun 45 - L/Cpl Bowman E.

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst. Adjt.
Chief Clerk

838. DISCIPLINE

(a) HQ Commandant's Parade (Interview)
The u/m will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, ground floor, HQ Bldg, at 0845 hrs Mon, 18 Jun 45:-

No. S/127238 S/Sjt Harrison A.R. RASC.
" MEA/18010530 Dvr Merola A.F. "

(b) O.C's Orderly Room Parade
The u/m O/Rs will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hrs Mon, 18 Jun 45:-

No. 7013414 Fus Foy T.B. R. In. F.
" 5439009 Pte Allen S. Q.R.R.

(c) Documentation
The u/m O/Rs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room (Room 11) by 1800 hrs Mon, 18 Jun 45, and will collect same from the Det Ord Sjt's Office after 1400 hrs Tue, 19 Jun 45:-

S/10707393	S/Sjt	Brayshaw	H.B.
D/26582	Pte	Barnes	A.V.
1608011	Pte	Brown	J.
D/38323	Pte	Faulkner	T.
S/6211784	Cpl	Greygoose	R.E.
T/203096	Sjt	Hill	H.V.
3865757	Pte	Heywood	R.
S/10711784	L/Cpl	Jackson	H.H.
S/14334180	L/Cpl	Kiddier	R.L.
10696934	Pte	Lynch	R.
S/10667481	L/Cpl	Neil	D.T.
T/14373571	Dvr	Price	L.
S/1149088	L/Cpl	Rylance	L.W.
7018900	Rfmn	Robinson	H.
3854437	Cpl	Stiles	J.T.
1132838	Pte	Simpson	H.B.
4622230	Sjt	Theasby	F.
S/969622	Pte	Thompson	B.
T/4856797	Dvr	Teece	W.H.

839. LEAVE
The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
23 Jun 45	29 Jun 45	Dvr Julien K.
"	1 Jul 45	Gnr Kibble V.J.

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(b) O.C's Orderly Room Parade
The u/m Offs will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hrs Mon, 18 Jun 45:-

No. 7013414 Fus Foy T.B. R. In. F.
" 5439009 Pte Allen S. W.A.A.F.

(c) Documentation
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839. LEAVE
The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
23 Jun 45	29 Jun 45	Dvr Julian K.
25 "	1 Jul 45	Gnr Kibble V.J.

840. SPORTS - SWIMMING
1. The Allied Swimming Tournament sponsored by the Allied Sports Commission will be held 20-21-22 Aug 45 at a place to be announced later.
2. An Area competition will be held in the near future to select a team for the theatre finals. The team will consist of two competitors for each of the following events:-

For Men

100	Meters	Free Style	300	Meters	Individual Medley
200	"	" "	300	"	Medley Relay
400	"	" "	400	"	Relay
800	"	" "	1	"	Dive
1500	"	" "	3	"	"
100	"	Back Stroke	10	"	Platform Dive
200	"	Breast Stroke	Water Polo		

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For Women

50	Meters	Free Style	100	Meters	Breast Stroke
100	"	" "	150	"	Individual Medley
200	"	" "	150	"	Medley Relay
400	"	" "	200	"	Relay
800	"	" "	1	"	Dive
50	"	Back Stroke	3	"	"

3. British personnel of this Headquarters wishing to compete in the forthcoming Area competitions will immediately submit full particulars to the Orderly Room.

4. The Headquarters Commandant hopes that as many as possible will enter, and has promised that every facility and encouragement for training purposes will be given to competitors.

841. BOUNDS

RAMC Routine Order No. 560 dated 14 Jun 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

"With effect from 29 May 45 the premises at 21 Via Salaria, Rieti, are placed " OUT OF BOUNDS " to all British Troops."

842. SHOWER BATHS

RAMC Routine Order No. 574 dated 14 Jun 45 is republished hereunder for information:-

"In view of the reduced number of troops requiring allocation of shower baths and in order to conserve fuel, water and manpower, the shower baths at 11 Via Ferruccio, Rome, will only be available for use on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays of each week, commencing 11 Jun 45."

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Personnel wishing to take advantage of this should either write direct to their local newspaper, enclosing a subscription, or arrange with their family to place an order for them. The paper will then be posted regularly direct to their military address by the publishers.

The usual subscription rates, postage paid, per three months, are:-

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2d	"	2s 8½d
1d	dailies	9s 9d
1½d	"	13s 0d

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No. 166/45.

In the Field. 16 Jun 45.

835. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 17 Jun 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	.....	0700	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

836. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
18 Jun 45	24 Jun 45	L/Cpl Brown G.H., L/Cpl Ardern S., Pte Miller A.

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In the Field. 15 Jun 45.

830. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 16 Jun 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, sixth floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Sat 16 Jun 45 - L/Cpl Mason R.

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst. Adjt.
Chief Clerk

831. DISCIPLINE

(a) HQ Commandant's Parade
The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office, room 6, ground floor, (Min. Delle Corporazioni Bldg) on Sat, 16 Jun 45, at 0845 hrs:-

No. 7013414 Fus Foy T.B. R. In. F.
" 5784166 Pte Allen S. QRR.

(b) Documentation
The u/m OR will report to the Orderly Room on Sat, 16 Jun 45, at 0900 hrs:-

No. 2872924 Pte Jackson G. Gordons.

(c) Laundry
The shortage of soap is becoming increasingly acute, and consequently a cut must be made in extra laundry now being allowed.
Under no circumstance will sheets, etc., be handed in for laundry, neither will the number allowed for the following articles be exceeded:-

Shirts (Angola and/or K.D.)	2
Slacks (K.D.)	1
Shorts (K.D.)	1
Towels	1

Dvrs will hand in not more than one set of dirty overalls.
A total of 9 articles only is allowed, as per the laundry slip issued.

(d) Arms
(i) Temporary Duty.- All ORs who by virtue of their duty have to carry arms when out of station, will ensure that on completion of that duty the arms are immediately returned to the Rifle Stores.
(ii) Courier Escorts.- Effective immediately, courier escorts will carry a T.S.M.G. with them when on duty instead of a rifle. All courier escorts will report to Det Ord Sjt by 1800 hrs Sat, 16 Jun 45, to exchange their rifle for a T.S.M.G.

832. BATHS - HOT WATER

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832. BATHS - HOT WATER

With effect from to-day, hot water for bathing purposes will be available daily (except Thursdays) in the ORs' billet, Hotel Genova.

In view of the impending shortage of water, it is stressed that every precaution will be taken by all ORs to exercise economy in the use of water.

Taps will NOT be left running, faulty fittings or leaking taps will be reported immediately to the Det Ord Sjt.

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833. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 16 Jun 45, from the Laundry Room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 18 Jun 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry.

This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

834. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
17 Jun 45	23 Jun 45.	Pte McCrudden H., Pte Lawrence H.
18 "	24 "	S/Sjt LeBlond R.C., Pte Williams V.J., Pte O'Malley C.E.
22 "	28 "	Pte Turner E.H.
25 "	1 Jul 45	SQMS Brain A.T., Pte Durkin J., Pte Kolman L.J. Sjt Pook G.H., Dvr Godfrey J.E., Dvr Terry P.A.J., Dvr McCarten F., L/Cpl Howe N., Pte Marshall G., Pte Lynch H.J.

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In the Field. 14 Jun 45.

818. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 15 Jun 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, fifth floor, Genoa Club
0645 hrs Fri 15 Jun 45 - Cpl Irving J.

819. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE (Interview)
The u/m OR will report to the Orderly Room on Fri 15 Jun 45 at 0900 hrs:-

No. T/270069 Dvr Titterton P.T. RASC.

820. DRIVING DISCIPLINE
GRO No. 617 dated 1 Jun 45 is republished hereunder for the information and strict compliance of those concerned:-
1. Considerable damage is being caused to vehicle engines and transmission through the practice of engaging a lower gear when slowing up. This method was encouraged in the past due to the inadequacy of the brakes of early heavy vehicles, but with modern vehicles it is not only unnecessary, but has an adverse effect on the life of the vehicle.
2. Drivers will be instructed that, apart from their normal function, low gears will only be used to check vehicle speeds while descending steep hills: under these conditions the gear which would normally be used to ascend a particular hill should be engaged for the descent.
3. The practice of changing down to a lower gear at excessive road speed when approaching a gradient or obstacle should also be strongly discouraged.

821. REMITTANCES & FAMILY ALLOWANCES
The following is published in conjunction with GROs Nos. 628 and 629 dated 8 Jun 45:-
Facilities now exist whereby British Army personnel with close relatives or dependants resident in the following locations may make remittances or may qualify for family allowances:-

FRANCE
BELGIUM
LUXEMBOURG
BELGIAN CONGO
RUANDA URUNDI

Therefore ORs of this Headquarters to whom this is applicable should report to the Pay NCO of the Orderly Room (Room 14), Albergo Genova, for further particulars.

822. PURCHASE OF ICE CREAM
The following letter from HQ Rome Area MTOUSA dated 12 Jun 45 is published for information and strict compliance:-

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the D/M OR will report to the Orderly Room on Fri 15 Jun 45 at 0900 hrs:-

No. T/270069 Dvr Titterton P.T. RASC.

820. DRIVING DISCIPLINE

GRO No. 617 dated 1 Jun 45 is republished hereunder for the information and strict compliance of those concerned:-

1. Considerable damage is being caused to vehicle engines and transmission through the practice of engaging a lower gear when slowing up. This method was encouraged in the past due to the inadequacy of the brakes of early heavy vehicles, but with modern vehicles it is not only unnecessary, but has an adverse effect on the life of the vehicle.

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822. PURCHASE OF ICE CREAM

The following letter from HQ Rome Area MTOUSA dated 12 Jun 45 is published for information and strict compliance:-

"1. All organizations and individuals are forbidden to purchase ice cream at any civilian ice cream plant until such time as a list of approved plants has been published by this Headquarters.

2. At present there are no ice cream plants in operation in this area that will pass the necessary sanitary requirements."

823. RESTORATION OF POSTAL SERVICES TO CHANNEL ISLANDS

GRO No. 650 dated 8 Jun 45 is republished for the information of all concerned:-

1. Postal services to the Channel Islands have been restored and all postal facilities available to the United Kingdom from this theatre are extended forthwith to the Channel Islands at the same rates of postage.

2. Parcels will probably be subject to considerable delay and will be accepted at Army Post Offices only at "Sender's Risk".

3. A restricted postal service from the Channel Islands will be available as soon as possible.

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824. RATION SCALES - FREE ISSUE OF MATCHES

GRO 651 dated 6 Jun 45 is republished for information:-

"To enable a free issue of two boxes of matches per man per week to be maintained, EFI have transferred all their stocks and dues in of matches to ST."

In view of the above, DRO 584/45 is hereby cancelled.

825. AFRICA STAR AND SILVER ROSE EMBLEM

The following is published in conjunction with GRO 630 dated 8 Jun 45:-

1. His Majesty the King has graciously approved the wearing of a "Silver Rose Emblem" on the ribbon of the Africa Star, by personnel who were on the Headquarters Staff of Eighteenth Army Group, at any time during the period 15 Feb 43 to 12 May 45, both dates inclusive, and who are not already entitled to the Clasp '1' or Clasp '8'.

2. The Emblem will be worn in the middle of the ribbon.

3. Any OR of this Headquarters who considers that he is entitled to the "Silver Rose Emblem" should report to the Orderly Room giving full particulars.

4. It is emphasised that publication in GHQ 2nd Echelon Part II Orders is the ONLY authority for this award.

826. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI

Ref DRO 615 dated 13 Jun 45.

ORs are reminded that applications for the trip on Tue, 19 Jun 45, must be received by the Orderly Room not later than 1400 hrs Fri, 15 Jun 45.

827. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To		Name
18 Jun 45	24 Jun 45	Dvr	Williamson H.
21 Jun 45	27 Jun 45	(L/Cpl	Jordan R.R.
		(Dvr	Wright T.R.

828. MAAFI & EFFE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sat., Sun., and Mon., 16-18 Jun 45.

ORs c/o 36-38-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sun & Mon 17 & 18 Jun 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1800 - 2000 ") Tue 19 Jun 45.

829. DISCIPLINE - REVOLVERS

Forthwith DRs only, in possession of revolvers will hand them in direct to the Arms Store, room No. 25, Albergo Genova, when not in use, and likewise draw

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ONLY authority for this award.

826. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI
Ref DRO 815 dated 13 Jun 45.
ORs are reminded that applications for the trip on Tue, 19 Jun 45, must be received by the Orderly Room not later than 1400 hrs Fri, 15 Jun 45.

827. LEAVE
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From	To		Name	
18 Jun 45	24 Jun 45	Dvr	Williamson	H.
21 Jun 45	27 Jun 45	(L/Cpl	Jordan	R.R.
		(Dvr	Wright	T.R.

828. MAAFI & PX'S ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat., Sun., and Mon., 16-18 Jun 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

ORs at 36-38-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sun & Mon 17 & 18 Jun 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

1000 - 1230 hrs) Tue 19 Jun 45.
1300 - 2000 ")

829. DISCIPLINE - REVOLVERS
Forthwith ORs only, in possession of revolvers will hand them in direct to the Arms Store, room No. 25, Albergo Genova, when not in use, and likewise draw them from there when required, on signature, from the Storeman.
DRO No. 561 dated 24 Apr 45 is hereby cancelled.

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In the Field. 13 Jun 45.

811. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 14 Jun 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, fourth floor, Genova, 0645 hrs Thu 14 Jun 45 - Cpl Evernden R.

812. ARMY RELEASE - DOCUMENTATION

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room before 1800 hrs Thu 14 Jun 45:-

5439009	Pte	Allen	S.	QRR.
D/36286	"	Ball	E.W.	S.Staffs.
4031027	Fus	Buchanan	S.	R.W.F.
7014880	Rfmn	Brice	J.	L.I.R.
7009767	"	Nixon	T.	L.I.R.
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813. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
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" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, 1st floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Sat 16 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	- ditto -
Mon 18 " "	0900 "	- " -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

It will be noted that pay parade for personnel employed at HQ will be held in the Basement Garage and not in the Conference Room.

814. MEALS

It is published for information that in future the Saturday evening meal will be served at 1800 hrs instead of 1730 hrs.

815. TRIP TO ISLE OF CAPRI

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812. ARMY RELEASE - DOCUMENTATION

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room before 1800 hrs Thu 14 Jun 45:-

5439009	Pte	Allen	S.	QRR.
D/36286	"	Ball	E.W.	S.Staffs.
4031027	Pus	Buchanan	S.	R.W.F.
7014880	Rfmn	Brice	J.	L.I.R.
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2. The first trip to Capri will be 20 Jun 45. Transportation will leave AC Headquarters at 1000 hours, Tuesday, 19 June. The party will proceed to Naples, spend the night there, and leave for Capri by boat Wednesday morning. The boat will leave Capri late Wednesday afternoon and the party will spend the night in Naples, returning to Rome at 1000 hours, Thursday, 21 June.

3. EM/ORs who desire to go will turn their names in to the Company/Detachment Commanders before Saturday, 16 June 1945. Each EM/OR must have permission from the officer in charge of the section or Sub-Commission he works for and from his Company/Detachment Commander. Blankets will be carried by each EM/OR."

Ref the above.

The HQ Commandant has no objections to any OR of this Headquarters taking advantage of this trip. It is, however, essential that individuals obtain

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written permission from the head of the Branch, Sub-Commission or Section in which they are employed.

Those permitted to go must report to the Chief Clerk, British Orderly Room, before 1400 hrs Friday, 15 Jun 45.

816. SPORTS - ALLIED TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

The following is repeated for information:-

1. The Allied Track & Field Championships presented by the Allied Sports Commission and conducted under the joint sponsorship of the British and American Armed Forces will be held on 21-22 Jul 45 at a site to be designated later.

2. Area competitions to select teams for the above will be held within the next month.

3. Events for the Theatre finals will be as follows:-

100 meters	1600 meters Medley Relay (400, 200, 200, 800)
200 "	
400 "	
800 "	3000 meters Road Walk
1500 "	
5000 "	Running Broad Jump
110 meters High Hurdles	High Jump
200 " Low Hurdles	Shot Put

Note: Rubber-soled shoes only will be worn through the competition. Spiked track shoes with spikes removed will NOT be permitted.

4. Any OR of this Headquarters wishing to compete in the forthcoming Area competition will submit full particulars to the Orderly Room.

5. The Headquarters Commandant hopes that as many as possible will enter and has promised that every facility and encouragement will be given to competitors.

817. WELFARE - CRICKET

Any OR of this Headquarters interested in cricket and would like to play in any matches that may be arranged, will submit his name to the Orderly Room.

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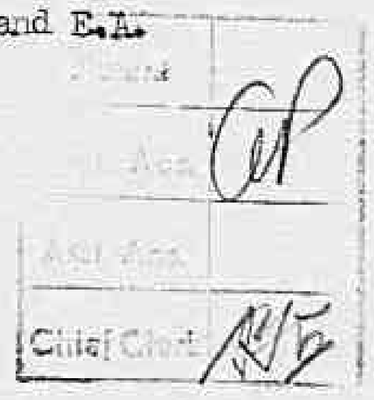
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In the Field. 12 Jun 45.

805. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 13 Jun 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, third floor, Genova 0645 hrs Wed 13 Jun 45 - Cpl Watkins H.



806. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, ground floor, (Min. Delle Corporazioni Bldg) on Wed, 13 Jun 45, at 0.45 hrs:-

No. 2763126 Pte Bridges T. Black Watch.
" 3865913 Pte Fletcher R. Loyals.

807. TRANSFERS - RASC

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/454/OR dated 9 Jun 45 and 02E/63744/Rfts/3 dated 7 Jun 45, the u/m OR is transferred to the RASC in the rank of Pte as a Clerk, Gp C, Class III w.e.f. 17 May 45 and to be absorbed within the W.E. of this formation:-

No. 969622 Gnr Thompson B. R.A. (Fld).

808. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
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17 Jun 45	23 Jun 45	Gdsmn Cooper E.
18 Jun 45	24 Jun 45	L/Cpl Reeve R., Pte Rylatt H., Pte Pagliaro F., Pte Jones R.C.

809. EFI SUPPLIES - UNAUTHORIZED DISPOSAL

GRO No. 886/44 is again repeated for information and strict compliance:-

"EFI supplies are brought into this theatre under special arrangements, for the benefit of the forces and at the cost of shipping space.

Individuals who purchase such goods will not send them out of the theatre in any manner whatsoever, nor will they sell them to, or exchange them for other goods, with any person not entitled to EFI facilities."

810. WELFARE (Sports Equipment)

Cricket gear consisting of 2 bats, 2 sets of stumps and 1 ball, may be had on loan from the Det Ord Sjt. The individual borrowing this equipment will be held responsible for its safe return to the Ord Sjt's office on the day of issue.

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No. 161/45.

In the Field. 11 Jun 45.

801. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 12 Jun 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, second floor, Genova,
0645 hrs Tue 12 Jun 45 - Cpl Cutler-Andrews

Registers
Asst Adm.
Asst Adm.
Chief Clerk

802. USE OF WD TRANSPORT - CIVILIANS

In accordance with PAAC letter ref 14A5 dated 8 Jun 45, civilian lady friends are allowed to travel in WD vehicles to organized military dances, under the following conditions:-

That the Senior WO, NCO or man travelling on the vehicle is fully responsible.

He will have in his possession a certificate signed by an officer (of the rank of Major or above) showing the type of vehicle to be used, the number of civilians to be carried and the route to be taken to and from the dance. If there is no OR on the vehicle the certificate will be in possession of the driver, and on no account will any driver carry civilians until he actually sees the above-mentioned certificate signed and completed.

Furthermore, all civilian passengers will sign an additional certificate (as shown below) to the effect that they are travelling at their own risk and that the signing of the certificate absolves the W.D. from any claim that may result if an accident does occur.

As far as the British Detachment is concerned the Provost Sjt will be responsible that

1. Civilians do actually sign a certificate.
2. That number of civilians shown is correct.
3. That the route is the shortest and best.

Certificate to be used for Civilians:-

CERTIFICATE ABSOLVING W.D.

I am travelling on this W.D. Transport at my own risk and am aware that if an accident should occur, injuring me in any way whatsoever, I have no right to claim.

(Dichiaro di viaggiare su trasporto militare ed assumo a mio carico ogni eventuale rischio e danno).

Time:
Date:
Place:

.....
(Signature of Passenger)

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Date:
Place:

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(Signature of Passenger)

803. CONSERVATION OF WATER

During the coming months, several factors point to an impending shortage of water. The main causes are as follows:-

(a) An unusually dry Spring season.
(b) There are no reservoirs in the system and therefore no reserve can be stored up.
(c) The population to be served, both military and civilian, is far in excess of the pre-war population for which the distribution system was considered barely adequate.

In view of the above, precautions will be taken by all ORs of this HQ to exercise economy in the use of water. Taps will not be left running, and the plumber will ensure that the washers on all fittings are in a serviceable condition.

As a point of interest, attention is directed to the fact that the water used in the Roman fountains, and that used for wetting down the streets of the city, is not potable, and is not connected with the drinking supply.

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804. DISCIPLINE

Blanket Shaking Parade

The following is repeated for information and strict compliance:-

"The NCO detailed each day to supervise shaking of blankets will appear in these orders.

He will submit in writing to the RSM by 0900 hrs on the day of his parade any absentees with the reasons submitted for absence, if any."

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No. 160/45.

In the Field. 10 June 45.

798. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 11 June 45 - Sgt Caskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hrs.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hrs.
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking, 1st floor, Genova,
0645 hrs Mon, 11 June 45 - L/Cpl Connon H.T.



799. SGTS' MESS MEETING.

There will be a Sgts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on MONDAY, 11 June 45, in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty including attached personnel, but less Land Forces Sub-Commission (AMLA) personnel and those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening.

800. DISCIPLINE.

Meals.- In spite of previous orders published, O.Rs. are still in the habit of carrying tea and food from the dining hall (Vaccari Restaurant) into the billets. This practice is highly irregular and unhygienic, and will cease forthwith.

The Regt Police have been instructed to take the name of any O.R. who attempts to contravene this order.

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No. 159/45.

In the Field. 9 Jun 45.

794. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 10 Jun 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	0700	hrs
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

795. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 11 Jun 45.

796. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

Name	From	To
Cpl Cranwell R.	11 Jun 45	17 Jun 45
Dvr Reynolds J.	11 Jun 45	17 Jun 45
Pte Groves	11 Jun 45	17 Jun 45

DRO No. 792 dated 8 Jun 45 is amended to read as follows:-

Name	From	To
Cpl Bastable C.C.	10 Jun 45	16 Jun 45
" Horsley T.H.	11 " "	17 " "

797 REHABILITATION SCHEME - PROFESSIONAL GOLFERS

A rehabilitation course for professional golfers is planned by AFHQ in connection with the Post Hostilities Education Scheme.

The following particulars are required of any professional golfers who may be serving with this HQ, to reach the British Orderly Room by Wed, 13 Jun 45:-

(a) Name
(b) Rank
(c) Number
(d) Age/Service Group
(e) Length of service overseas
(f) Brief details of professional golf record.

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CPL ROBINSON E.

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PTE GIBBS D.A. RFMN BRICE J.
FUS FOY T.B.
PTE BURGESS S. L/CPL ORPHAN L.J.
PTE ALLEN S. GNR WILES G. L/CPL HENDERSON W.

REFEREE:- SJT RHIND J.

The a/m will represent this HQ v. Tivoli (Italian team) tomorrow, Sunday, 10 Jun 45.
Kick-off:- 1800 hrs.
Both the team and spectators will draw haversack rations at midday meal, which Cook Sjt will arrange for 1200 hrs.
Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1300 hrs prompt.

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No. 158/45.

In the Field. 8 Jun 45.

789. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 9 Jun 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking, 6th floor, Genova,
0645 hrs Sat 9 Jun 45 - L/Cpl Roberts H.

Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

790. DISCIPLINE

(a) Dress

It is observed that ORs of this Headquarters are not wearing hose-tops correctly and in many instances they are being folded over the top of the anklets.

This practice will be discontinued, and hose-tops will be worn at the correct height, i.e. 3 inches from the knee.

(b) Haircuts

It is again stressed that a number of NCOs and men of this Headquarters are not complying with the order published concerning haircuts.

Therefore it is repeated that haircuts will be of a military style, i.e. short at back and sides, and that the Italian civilian style of haircuts will cease forthwith.

791. ARMY RELEASE - DOCUMENTATION (AB 64 Part I)

Any OR of this Headquarters whose Age/Service Group Number is quoted in the Class "A" Release Rolls displayed on the Unit Notice Boards, but is not yet entered in his AB 64 Part I, will hand his Part I in to the Orderly Room before 1800 hrs Sat, 9 Jun 45.

792. LEAVE

The u/m NCOs have been granted 7 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

Name	From	To
Cpl Bastable C.C.	10 Jun 45	17 Jun 45
" Horsley T.H.	11 " "	18 " "

793. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 9 Jun 45, from the Laundry Room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Mon, 11 Jun 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

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(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry.

This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

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No. 157/45.

In the Field. 7 Jun 45.

785. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 8 Jun 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, fifth floor, Genova,
0645 hrs Fri, 8 Jun 45 - Bdr Currie G.R.

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787. INFECTIVE HEPATITIS (JAUNDICE)

The following is published in conjunction with GRO No. 99% dated 1 Dec 44:-

1. Outbreaks of jaundice have been reported in most campaigns during the last hundred years.

Since the outbreak of the present war, the disease has become one of the major causes of loss of man-power in campaigns around the shores of the Mediterranean. An average stay of three weeks in hospital is necessary. Sharp epidemics have occurred each autumn, lasting until about mid-winter. The Germans have been similarly affected.

2. Infective Hepatitis is known to be an infectious disease, the infecting agent being a virus. At the moment, the normal method of spread of the disease is not known definitely, but it is thought to be by "droplets" from the nose and throat, conveyed by cups, glasses, etc., or by human excreta, or it may be conveyed by flies. Overcrowding, bad ventilation, chills and undue physical strain may predispose.

3.(a) Personnel employed in the handling of foodstuffs and messing utensils will keep their nails cut short and wash their hands after each visit to the latrine. The Serjeant i/c Cookhouse will ensure that the hands of all the cooks are inspected periodically.

(b) Sterilization in all messes, canteens, etc., of glasses, mugs, cups, forks and spoons and other feeding utensils both before and after use, in accordance with instructions laid down in GRO 336/44. Personnel should, where feasible, use their own feeding utensils in unit canteens, etc.

(c) Washing of hands after using the latrines.

(d) A vigorous campaign against flies.

(e) Avoidance of overcrowding in sleeping quarters.

(f) Isolation on the advice of a Medical Officer, of all cases considered to be possible jaundice cases, pending transfer to hospital when diagnosis has been established.

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in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty including attached personnel, but less Land Forces Sub Commission personnel and those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening.

787. INFECTIVE HEPATITIS (JAUNDICE)

The following is published in conjunction with GRO No. 99% dated 1 Dec 44:-

1. Outbreaks of jaundice have been reported in most campaigns during the last hundred years.

Since the outbreak of the present war, the disease has become one of the major causes of loss of man-power in campaigns around the shores of the Mediterranean. An average stay of three weeks in hospital is necessary. Sharp epidemics have occurred each autumn, lasting until about mid-winter. The Germans have been similarly affected.

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783. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

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Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 "
} Sat., Sun., and Mon., 9-11 Jun 45.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 "
} Sun & Mon 10 & 11 Jun 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 "
} Tue 12 Jun 45.

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by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 156/45.

In the Field. 6 June 45.

782. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Thurs 7 Jun 45 - Sgt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hrs.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hrs.
NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, fourth floor, Genova,
0645 hrs Thurs 7 Jun 45 - Bdr Sutherland P.R.

783. SERVICE IN THE FAR EAST.

The following extracts from a letter received by this Detachment are republished for the information of all concerned:-

"Those who wish to go to the Far East but who have more than two years qualifying PYTHON service may be sent if they are willing to defer their PYTHON rights and guarantee to serve a minimum period of one year in the Far East.

It is emphasised that there are no vested rights under these conditions and that if men within suitable categories cannot be found others will be sent."

784. MEDICAL INSPECTION.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the M.I. Room, HQ Bldg., at 1400 hrs Thurs, 7 June 45.

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T/14344572	Dvr.	Carter, H.E.
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ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE.

The Entertainments Committee will meet tomorrow, Thursday, 7 June 45, at 1845 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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by
Major D. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 155/45.

In the Field. 5 Jun 45.

Adjutant	
Asst Adjt	
Asst Adjt	
Chief Clerk	

775. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 6 Jun 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, third floor, Genova,
0645 Wed 6 Jun 45 - Cpl Gibbons C.T.

776. WELFARE - LIDO DI ROMA

Ref DRO 763/45.

Any OR of this Headquarters wishing to proceed to the Lido di Roma on his day off will inform the Det Ord Sjt when applying for a day pass, i.e. at 1300 hrs on the day prior to the day off, so that arrangements can be made for the necessary transport.

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2. Area competitions to select teams for the above will be held within the next month.
3. Events for the Theatre finals will be as follows:-

100 meters	1600 meters Medley Relay
200 "	(400, 200, 200, 800)
400 "	
800 "	3000 meters Road Walk
1500 "	
5000 "	Running Broad Jump
110 meters High Hurdles	High Jump
200 " Low Hurdles	Shot Put

Note: Rubber-soled shoes only will be worn through the competition. Spiked track shoes with spikes removed will NOT be permitted.

4. Any OR of this Headquarters wishing to compete in the forthcoming Area competition will submit full particulars to the Orderly Room.
5. The Headquarters Commandant hopes that as many as possible will enter and has promised that every facility and encouragement will be given to competitors.

778. LOCAL LEAVE

W.e.f. Thursday, 7 Jun 45, a local leave of 7 days every 6 months will be granted to ORs of this Headquarters. It is pointed out that this period of leave will include an individual's day off for that week.

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In order to ascertain the number of vacancies at these centres for July, those responsible in Sub-Commissions, Branches and Sections of this HQ will submit to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Friday, 15 Jun 45, a return giving full particulars of those wishing to spend their leave at any of the above Rest Centres.

Notification has been received that there are no vacancies at any of the above Rest Centres for the month of June.

It is requested that every opportunity be given by those responsible to enable ORs of this HQ to avail themselves of this opportunity. It is emphasized that once an allocation is made at any of these Leave Centres, only under exceptional circumstances can allotments be cancelled.

In addition to the above return, particulars will be given of those wishing to be placed on the local leave roster of this HQ and to include those wishing to spend their leave at the Leave Centres in the succeeding months.

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779. POSTAL ORDERS

Those who have applied for Postal Orders will collect same from the Post Room in the HQ Bldg between 0830 and 1730 hrs Wednesday, 6 Jun. 45.

780. MEDICAL INSPECTION

Ref DRO 767 dated 3 Jun 45.

Those ORs who did not attend the Medical Inspection parade as notified in the above order will parade outside the M.I. Room in the HQ Bldg at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 6 Jun 45.

781. SOLDIER'S SERVICE & PAY BOOK - AB 64 PARTS I & II

Hospital Admissions.

In spite of repeated publications on this subject, many instances have occurred in which ORs have failed to comply with the instructions contained in the following extract from DRO 605 dated 29 Apr 45:-

"It is again emphasized that when proceeding to hospital either for treatment or admittance, all ORs will ensure that they are in possession of their AB 64 Parts I and II."

A serious view will be taken of any further cases of non-compliance.

(Sgd.) C. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

DANCE

The next ORs' dance will be held on Friday, 8 Jun 45, at Sala Michetti, 19 Via Velletri. Tickets are now on sale from Det Ord Sjt. Price 50 Lire.

There will be a bar.

ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

The Alexander Club Committee (HQ represented by Cpl Wilson J.) meets fortnightly. The next meeting will be held on Friday, 8 Jun 45.

Suggestions or criticisms which personnel of this HQ may wish brought forward should be submitted in writing and handed to British Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs Thursday.

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No. 134/45.

In the Field. 4 Jun 45.

769. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 5 Jun 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

NCO i/c Blanket Shaking Parade, 2nd floor Genova, 0645 hrs
Tue 5 Jun 45 - Cpl Wilson J.

770. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE MEETING

The ORs' Messing Committee will meet on Wed, 6 Jun 45, at 1315 hrs in room 14, Albergo Genova.

The RQMS, NCO i/c Cooks and Ration NCO will attend.

771. CONTAMINATION OF WINES

RAAC Routine Order No. 542 dated 31 May 45 is republished for information:-

1. An instance has occurred where red wine, stored in a water trailer, was found upon analysis to contain excessive quantities of zinc, making it unfit for human consumption.
2. If wine of high acid content is stored in galvanized containers it is liable to dissolve large quantities of zinc within a short time.
3. In no circumstances will unit water vehicles be employed for the collection or storage of wine.

772. DISCIPLINE

(a) Billet Furniture & Bedding

ORs of this HQ are forbidden to borrow from the Hotel staffs any item of furniture other than that already provided, or any bed linen.

The civilian staffs have been warned to this effect and are therefore unable to comply with any requests made unless such are first authorized by an officer of the Detachment.

(b) Blanket Shaking Parade

Ref DRO No. 754.

The NCO detailed each day to supervise shaking of blankets will appear in these orders.

He will submit in writing to the RSM by 0900 hrs on the day of his parade any absentees with the reasons submitted for absence, if any.

(c) Blanket Exchanges

Any OR of this HQ whose blankets have become dirty, and shaking them is of no avail, will change them at the QM Stores before 1800 hrs Thursday, 7 Jun 45.

773. WOs' & SJTs' CLUB

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"It is notified for information that a WOs' and Sjts' Club has now been opened in Rome. The Club is located in the Via Nazionale in the building previously occupied as the Canada Club.

Facilities include Restaurant, Wine Bar, Coffee Room, Billiard Room, Games Rooms, Barber's Shop, Tailor's Shop, Library. There is also a Ladies' Lounge, and a Lounge reserved for VCO's of the Indian Army"

774. LEAVE

The u/m OR has been granted leave from reveille 6 Jun 45 until 2359 hrs 9 Jun 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

S/135983 Pte Coy A.

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No. 151/45.

In the Field. 1 Jun 45.

752. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 2 Jun 45 - Sjt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
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Chief Clerk

753. RELEASE - DESPATCH OF SURPLUS BAGGAGE OF OFFICERS AND OTHER RANKS RETURNING TO UK UNDER CLASS "A" RELEASE

GRO No. 575 dated 25 May 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

" Reference GRO 542/45.

OFFICERS

1. The scale of personal baggage to accompany an officer returning to UK for release under Class "A" will be limited to 1 cwt, and NOT 2 cwt ... stated in para 7 (b) of the above quoted GRO which will be amended accordingly

2. Surplus baggage will be disposed of through the MILITARY FORWARDING ORGANIZATION in accordance with the provisions enumerated in the paragraphs following:-

3. Officers will take ALL their baggage within a maximum entitlement of 4 cwt to the Assembly Wing.

4. Before leaving the unit, however, the baggage will be sorted into two lots, viz:-
(a) the maximum of 1 cwt to accompany the officer on the journey, and
(b) the surplus baggage to be forwarded through MFO. This baggage will be securely packed and marked in accordance with the instructions contained in para 5 of GRO 457/45.

5. On arrival at the Assembly Wing the baggage will be taken over by a representative of the MFO, a signed receipt issued to the consignee and a Customs Declaration Notice 2B completed in accordance with para 1 (d) of GRO 457/45.

6. All surplus baggage will be despatched in the same ship or convoy as the owners.

7. Presents, souvenirs, arms and ammunition, alcohol, etc., may NOT be forwarded by MFO. Articles of this nature will be included in the accompanied baggage and passed through Customs by the owner, the MFO portion being confined to personal kit, clothing and articles as defined in para 5 of GRO 457/45.

8. OTHER RANKS.

The scale of baggage to accompany an other rank is limited to the kit carried on the individual plus 56 lbs.

Any excess within a further limit of 56 lbs will be forwarded through MFO.

9. (a) Officers and other ranks shipping articles through the Military Forwarding Organization are advised that such shipments are carried out entirely at their own risk, and that in the case of loss reimbursement will NOT be made except for that caused by enemy action.

(b) Attention of personnel forwarding surplus kit through the Military Forwarding Organization to the UNITED KINGDOM is drawn to the insurance facilities available under ACI 54 of 20 Jan 45, details of which are given in GR[illegible] 297/45."

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754. DISCIPLINE

Shaking of Blankets.- The necessity of ORs shaking their blankets once a week cannot be overstressed. Therefore commencing Monday, 4 Jun 45, ORs billeted at the Albergo Genova will shake their blankets on the roof of that billet between 0645 and 0700 hrs.

For this purpose the following routine will be adopted:-

ORs accommodated on the	1st	floor	-	Monday	of	every week.
" " " "	2nd	"	-	Tuesday	"	" "
" " " "	3rd	"	-	Wednesday	"	" "
" " " "	4th	"	-	Thursday	"	" "
" " " "	5th	"	-	Friday	"	" "

The RSM will detail an NCO on each floor to ensure that ORs carry out this instruction on the day allotted.

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755. LEAVE

No. T/10696555 Dvr Gardiner W.H. has been granted leave from reveille 2 Jun 45 until 2359 hrs 5 Jun 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

756. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 2 Jun 45, from the Laundry Room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry.
This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

757. BANK OF ENGLAND NOTES

GRO No. 560 dated 25 May 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

"1. The Bank of England has been authorized to call in its notes for £5 and upwards, upon payment of their face value, on giving not less than one month's notice in the official Gazettes. On the expiration of the Notice, the notes called in cease to be legal tender. In the case of notes of £10 and over, notice has already been given that such notes ceased to be legal tender as from 30th April, 1945.

2. British Army Cashiers have accordingly been instructed not to accept or exchange Bank of England notes of £10 and upwards."

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
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N O T I C E S

ORs' DANCE

The next ORs' dance will be held on Friday, 8 Jun 45, at the Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 150/45.

In the Field.

31 May 45.

746. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 1 Jun 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Deputy Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

747. ARMY RELEASE (Voluntary Deferment of Release)

The following is published in conjunction with CRO 541/45:-

1. Applications are now acceptable from individuals in Age/Service Groups 1-26 inclusive, to volunteer to continue serving in the Army for one of the following periods:-

(a) One year
(b) Two years
(c) until general demobilization is ordered.

} Calculated from the first day of the period in which his Age/Service Group is due to be released.

2. An individual who volunteers to continue to serve for one or two years will become due for release at the earliest opportunity after the expiration of this period. He will not be liable for further retention under paragraphs 320 or 321 of the Release Regulations.

3. A volunteer may be released or discharged from the Army during his extended term of service on medical or disciplinary grounds, or on grounds of inefficiency. He may apply for release on compassionate grounds. The same terms will apply, in these respects, to volunteers as to those who are awaiting release under Class "A".

4. A volunteer will be eligible for normal release and overseas service leave at the end of his extended term of service.

5. An individual will not in any way prejudice his rights under the Reinstatement in Civil Employment Act by volunteering to continue serving for any of the periods prescribed in paragraph 1 above, but it must be clearly understood that the continuance of balance of civil salary or wages is a private matter between the individual and his employer, and that the rights of individuals under the Act do not extend to such matters.

6. Any OR wishing to apply should report to the British Orderly Room to complete necessary application form.

7. Volunteers in Age/Service Groups 1-17 should apply immediately, as these groups are considered as extremely urgent.

748. REDUCED POSTAL RATES - CANADA AND INDIA

RAAC letter ref 24A dated 28 May 45 is transcribed hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

"1. With effect from 28 May 45, the following air postal rates are introduced for personnel normally domiciled in CANADA or INDIA for letters posted at British Army Post Offices to CANADA and INDIA:-

(a)	letters not exceeding 1 oz (incl AF W3077):	Free;
(b)	over 1 oz and not exceeding 1½ ozs:	6d;
(c)	each additional ½ oz:	6d.

2. Postage will be prepaid in British

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2. Postage will be prepaid in British postage stamps. Envelopes (1 oz and over) will bear Air Mail labels or endorsement "BY AIR MAIL" in blue pencil.

3. This concession is restricted to personnel normally resident in CANADA or INDIA. Envelopes will be endorsed "Concessional Postage (Canadian) Personnel" or "Concessional Postage (Indian) Personnel." There is no change in the rates of postage payable by other personnel writing to CANADA or INDIA."

749. MILITARY CENSORSHIP REGULATIONS

The following is published in conjunction with CRO 550 dated 25 May 45:-

1. The conclusion of the war with Germany is permitting the relaxation of a number of censorship regulations. All ranks will, however, appreciate the security of military information, in so far as it affects the conduct of the war with Japan and military occupation of Germany and Austria, must be maintained on the same principles as are now in force until the defeat of Japan.

2. Revised Regulations on Military Censorship are posted on the various Unit notice boards.

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750. PAY PARADE - ORs

All future pay parades will be held in the Conference Room, HQ Bldg, ground floor.

The next pay parade will be on the dates and times given hereunder:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 1 Jun 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, CONFERENCE ROOM	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, 1st floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Sat 2 Jun 45	0900 "	- ditto -	- ditto -
Mon 4 " "	0900 "	- " -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

751. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 2-4 Jun 45.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 3 & 4 Jun 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 5 Jun 45.

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N O T I C E S

LOST

In the ORs' billet, Albergo Genova, AB 64 Part I the property of Gpl Grime J. RASC. Will the finder please hand it in to the Orderly Room.

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No. 147/45.

In the Field. 28 May 45.

734. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Tues 29 May 45 - Sgt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours



735. H.Q. COMMANDANT'S PARADE.

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the H.Q. Commandant's office, room 6, ground floor (Ministro delle Corporazioni Bldg.) at 0845 hrs Tuesday, 29 May 45.

E/14345981 Dvr Preston, C.W. - R.A.S.C.

736. DISCIPLINE (Office Hours).

D.R.O. 731 dated 27 May 45 is repeated for information.

It has become very noticeable that O.Rs. of this Headquarters are not arriving at their offices and other places of employment at the working hours laid down.

To counteract this, higher authority has suggested that O.Rs. are paraded and marched to their places of employment. The H.Q. Commandant has decided not to take such action until he has first warned O.Rs. of the above mentioned suggestion. Then, if there is no improvement, there will be no alternative but to adopt the aforesaid procedure.

For information, the office hours are as follows:-

Weekdays 0830 - 1500 hrs
Sundays 0930 - 1800 "
A daily lunch period of 1½ hrs is authorized.

It is the duty of Chief Clerks to ensure that their clerks, orderlies, etc., actually commence work at 0830 hrs and again at 1400 hrs.

As the obvious time of latecomers is at the morning period, it has been decided not to serve breakfast either in the Sgts' or ORs' messes after 0745 hrs. O.Rs. should allow a period of at least 25 minutes to walk from their billets to the H.Q. Building.

It will be the duty of the RSM and Provost Sgt to ensure that the Sgts' and ORs' billets are clear of personnel not on duty or day off by 0800 and 1530 hrs daily (except Sundays).

To ensure that a thorough check is kept on latecomers, in future all O.Rs. of this H.Q. will use the side entrance of the H.Q. Building when reporting for duty. The side entrance is situated on the right-hand side of the Despatch Office, on entering the building.

The RSM will ensure that the names of any O.Rs. who arrive late for duty are taken down.

The RSM will amend his Police Orders accordingly.

737. DISCIPLINE (Saluting).

The standard of saluting by O.Rs. of this Detachment is low.

O.Rs. will salute all Officers with the smartness that is expected of the British Army. The Provost Sgt will emphasize the importance of saluting to the Police staff.

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No excuse will be accepted for failure to salute - it is pointed out that no notices are posted in this town to the effect that saluting is unnecessary in any area.

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No. 146/45.

In the Field. 27 May 45.

730. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 28 May 45 - Sjt Cookson

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

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This order will be repeated for 3 consecutive days.

732. ARMY RELEASE

Ref DRO No. 707 dated 21 May 45.

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12-17	12 Aug	-	5 Nov 45

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733. MESSAGE FROM THE ACTING PRESIDENT, ALLIED COMMISSION

The following is a message received from the Rt. Hon. Mr. Harold MacMillan, M.P., dated 25 May 45:-

"To All Ranks of the Allied Commission:-

The Prime Minister has instructed me to return at once to England.

I cannot leave without sending a message of thanks and good wishes to all my friends in the Allied Commission and Allied Military Government.

Ever since the landings in Sicily, nearly two years ago, I have seen and admired your work. During recent months I have been more intimately associated with you. Many conflicting duties have hampered my capacity to do more than try to help my friends and your chief, Admiral Stone, to the best of my ability. But I shall always be proud of my association with your enterprise, and the high ideals which have inspired you all.

Good luck and God speed."

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No. 145/45.

26 May 45.

In the Field.

726. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Sun 27 May 45 - Sgt Caskin J.

Reveille	.....	0700 hours
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours.

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Asst Adm.	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	

727. DOCUMENTATION.

The u/m O.Rs. will hand in their AB64 Part I to the Orderly Room (Room 11) by 1600 hrs Sunday, 27 May 45, and will collect same from the office of the Det. Ord. Sgt. after 1200 hrs Monday, 28 May 45.

T/5501107	M.S/Sgt.	Smith,	F.
S/11415102	Cpl.	Hills,	G.F.
S/14353440	L/Cpl.	Ives,	A.A.
S/14526114	L/Cpl.	Walton,	S.T.
4465603	Pte.	Kisby,	R.
S/150672	Sgt.	Atterby,	L.V.J.
T/6146237	L/Cpl.	Holden,	H.T.
S/6179451	L/Cpl.	Smith,	L.V.
T/14412660	Dvr.	James,	J.A.R.

728. PAY - ORs.

All O.Rs. desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 28 May 45.

729. BEER - RETURN OF EMPTY CONTAINERS.

The following extracts from GRO No. 1059, s/n 51, dated 22 Dec 44, are published for the information and guidance of all:-

1. The issue of beer in this theatre is largely dependent on local production. The distribution of this local production is being prejudiced by the non-return of empty bottles and cases. If this state of affairs continues, the full capacity of local breweries cannot be utilized, and issues to the troops will be correspondingly reduced.
2. With effect from 1st January therefore issue of beer from EFI on a strict bottle for bottle and case for case basis will be rigidly enforced.
3. Where, owing to increases in strength, a unit's indent exceeds the number of bottles drawn at the last issue, indents will be endorsed accordingly and signed by an officer and EFI will meet the indent. In the event of a decrease in strength, units will return all bottles and cases and draw only the amount to which their strength entitles them.
4. It is recognized that there will be a wastage due to fair wear and tear. EFI will therefore make an allowance, when necessary up to 3% per issue, to cover losses due to this cause.
5. The above instruction is issued in the interests of all troops and will depend for its success on the co-operation of all concerned.

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Ord. Sgt. after 1200 hrs Monday, 28 May 45.

T/5501107	M.S/Sgt.	Smith,	F.	S/150672	Sgt.	Atterby,	L.V.J.
S/11415102	Cpl.	Hills,	G.F.	T/6146287	L/Cpl.	Holden,	H.T.
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No. 144/45.

In the Field. 25 May 45.

722. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat, 26 May 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

723. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE
The u/m NCO will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office, room 6, ground floor (Min. Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0845 hrs Saturday, 26 May 45:-

S/127238 S/Sjt Harrison A.R. R.A.S.C.

724. DISCIPLINE - PASSES
The u/m ORs will parade outside the Det Ord Sjt's Office at 1500 hrs Sat, 26 May 45:-

5439009	Pte	Allen	S.	6965754	Rus	Ball	E.
1561695	Pte	Cole	L.	3715624	Pte	Geggie	E.
T/4752564	L/Cpl	Howe	N.	T/6146287	L/Cpl	Holden	H.T.
4926754	Pte	Harley	W.A.	4042629	Pte	Newbury	F.S.
920126	Gnr	Robertson	W.M.	T/4856797	Dvr	Teece	W.H.

725. KIT LOSSES (Courier-Drivers)
The following is repeated for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-
"Owing to the increased number of cases of courier-drivers, escorts, etc., losing their kit, in future when the rear of the vehicle is unguarded, it will be carried in the cab with the driver.
Courier-drivers, escorts and others proceeding out of station on short temporary duty will only take with them small kit and 2 blankets."

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NAAFI - OFFICERS.
Officers are again reminded that in future the Officers' NAAFI shop [illegible] Ground floor (near Pr. M.L. Room), HQ Bldg.

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S/127256 S/Sjt Harrison A.R. R.A.S.C.

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N-O-T-I-C-E.

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No. 143/45.

In the Field. 24 May 45.

718. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 25 May 45 - Sjt Erewin J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjutant
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Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

719. POSTAL ORDERS (PURCHASING)

The following is published in conjunction with GMO 530 dated 18 May 45:-

W.e.f. 25 May 45 no OR of this HQ will purchase direct from the Army Post Office any Postal Orders.

The procedure in future will be as follows:-

ORs wishing to purchase Postal Orders will report at pay parade to the [illegible] with the amount of money for Postal Orders required.

He will state his No., Rank and Name, the name of the payee and the Post Office at which payment is to be made.

No OR will be allowed to purchase Postal Orders in excess of money paid on the Unit acquittance rolls, and at no time will Postal Orders be purchased to exceed £10-0-0 per month.

The Post NCO will report to the Pay Officer on the Monday morning following each pay day. If the total amount for Postal Orders does not exceed £50 he will collect cash and nominal rolls signed by Pay Officer and then proceed to the A.P.O. to purchase the Postal Orders to the required amounts.

He will retain the Postal Orders and nominal rolls until an order is published in DROs informing those concerned when to collect their Postal Orders from the Unit Post Room.

The Post NCO on no account will issue any Postal Orders until completed with the name of the payee and place of payment.

Before issuing Postal Orders the Post NCO will obtain a receipt on the nominal roll which will then be returned to the Pay Officer.

If the total amount exceeds £50 the purchase of Postal Orders will be made by an officer in accordance with the above quoted General Routine Order.

The Post NCO will report to the Pay Officer for a "Postal Order" book. This will show:-

Number: Rank: Name: Value of P.O: To whom Payable: Post Office Payment to be made: Date of Issue: Sign. of Recipient.

This book will be retained by the Post NCO until all Postal Orders have been issued and will be available for inspection at any time called for by the Pay Officer.

720. DISCIPLINE - PASSES

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The u/m NCOs and men who did not comply with DRO No. 709 dated 21 May 45 will parade outside the Det Ord Sjt's Office at 0730 hrs Friday, 25 May 45:-

T/286617	Dvr	Alberti	T.	18056882	Pte	Groves	H.A.
5439009	Pte	Allen	S.	969181	Cpl	Gaines	B.C.

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719. POSTAL ORDERS (PURCHASING)

The following is published in conjunction with GRO 530 dated 18 May 45:-

W.e.f. 25 May 45 no OR of this HQ will purchase direct from the Army Post Office any Postal Orders.

The procedure in future will be as follows:-

One wishing to purchase Postal Orders will report at pay parade to the [illegible], with the amount of money for Postal Orders required.

He will state his No., Rank and Name, the name of the payee and the Post Office at which payment is to be made.

No OR will be allowed to purchase Postal Orders in excess of money paid on the Unit acquittance rolls, and at no time will Postal Orders be purchased to exceed £10-0-0 per month.

The Post NCO will report to the Pay Officer on the Monday morning following each pay day. If the total amount for Postal Orders does not exceed £50 he will collect cash and nominal rolls signed by Pay Officer and then proceed to the A.P.O. to purchase the Postal Orders to the required amounts.

He will retain the Postal Orders and nominal rolls until an order is published in DROs informing those concerned when to collect their Postal Orders from the Unit Post Room.

The Post NCO on no account will issue any Postal Orders until completed with the name of the payee and place of payment.

Before issuing Postal Orders the Post NCO will obtain a receipt on the nominal roll which will then be returned to the Pay Officer.

If the total amount exceeds £50 the purchase of Postal Orders will be made by an officer in accordance with the above quoted General Routine Order.

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6355154	Pte	Armstrong	T.	S/11413102	Cpl	Hills	G.F.
T/221846	Pte	Brindle	T.B.	S/10691735	Cpl	Hislam	S.
D/36286	Pte	Ball	E.J.	2984242	Pte	Hughes	J.
6985754	Fus	Bell	E.	T/4752564	L/Cpl	Howe	N.
2696932	Gdsmn	Blunt	A.	T/6146287	L/Cpl	[illegible]lton	H.T.
T/14344572	Dvr	Carter	H.	4926754	Pte	[illegible]rley	W.A.
T/203681	Dvr	Cooper	A.M.	3445890	Fus	Houghton	J.
1561695	Pte	Cole	L.	S/3535016	L/Cpl	Irving	H.
E/81701	L/Cpl	Day	H.W.	T/2588159	L/Cpl	Jordan	R.R.
6956273	Pte	Edwards	K.	7045082	Fus	Knight	F.A.
RNA/13809296	Dvr	Feifal	J.	10696934	Pte	Lynch	R.
7013414	Fus	Foy	T.B.	MTA/18010530	Dvr	Marola	A.F.
S/122243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.T.	S/10667481	L/Cpl	Neil	D.T.
S/86094	Cpl	Grime	J.B.	4042629	Pte	Newbury	F.S.
3715624	Pte	Goggie	E.	S/3915991	L/Cpl	Orphan	L.J.

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T/14385353	Dvr	Pitcher	R.G.	T/14340641	L/Cpl	Taft	E.E.
T/14345981	Dvr	Preston	C.W.	T/14280397	Dvr	Terry	T.A.G.
2617978	Cdsmn	Pickett	T.	T/270069	Dvr	Titterton	P.T.
S/4351043	Cpl	Robinson	E.E.	T/4856797	Dvr	Teece	W.H.
920128	Gnr	Robertson	W.M.	4057802	Pte	Warburton	R.
T/14589114	Dvr	Spillane	L.	1133690	Gnr	Wiles	W.A.
6147221	Pte	Shuttleworth	F.E.	6030730	Pte	Webb	J.
5244173	Pte	Spencer	S.H.				

721. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 54, HQ Bldg, ground floor.

1000 - 1230 hrs } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 26-28 May 45.
1400 - 1700 " }

It will be noted that in future the Officers' NAAFI Shop will be located in room 54 (near Br. M.I. Room) HQ Bldg.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sun & Mon 27 & 28 May 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

1000 - 1230 hrs) Tue 29 May 45.
1800 - 2000 ")

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DANCE

The next ORs dance will be held on Saturday, 26 May 45, at Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri. Tickets are on sale from Det Ord Sjt' Office. Price 50 Lire each.

There will be a bar, and it is hoped that ice cream may be available.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 142/45.

In the Field. 23 May 45.

715. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 24 May 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630
Breakfast	0645 - 0745
Lunch	1200 - 1330
Dinner	1800 - 1900
Lights Out	2350

	hrs
" Asst Adc.	
" Asst Adc.	
Chief Clerk	

716. FIRE ORDERS

It is brought to the notice of all ORs that new Fire Orders have been posted in all billets, messes, etc., of this Detachment.

It is of paramount importance that every individual knows what to do to prevent any outbreak of fire and action to be taken should such occur.

717. ARMY RELEASE

DRO No. 707, para 6, is amended to read as follows:-

"Individuals in Age/Service Groups 1 to 11 volunteering for one or two years, deferment starts from the following dates:-

Age/Service groups	1 and 3	June 18
- do -	4 to 7	July 2
- do -	8 to 9	" 16
- do -	10 to 11	" 30 "

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NOTICES

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet tomorrow, Thursday, 24 May 45, at 1845 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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No. 141/45.

In the Field. 22 May 45.

710. ROUTINE

Duty RCO Wed 23 May 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	.....	0630
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900
Lights Out	.....	2330

Adjutant	
Adjt's Asst.	
"	
Asst Adjt.	
"	
Chief Clerk	

711. POSTAL VOTING

ORs of this Headquarters wishing to complete AF B2639 - "Service Postal Voters' Application" will do so before 24 May 45.

These application forms are obtainable from the Det Ord Sjt's Office, Albergo Genova.

712. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE MEETING

Ref DRO 690 dated 19 May 45.

Those detailed therein are reminded that there will be a meeting of the Messing Committee at 1315 hrs Wed, 23 May 45, in room 14, Albergo Genova.

713. BEDDING (Repeated)

All ORs will hand in their bed comforters to the QM Stores by 1600 hrs Wed, 23 May 45.

Any OR in possession of more than 2 blankets (i.e. Summer scale) will hand in the surplus, as above.

714. LEAVE

No. T/281758 Pte Spittlehouse G. has been granted leave from reveille 28 May 45 until 2359 hrs 31 May 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

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O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major C. I. H. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 140/45.

Dr the Field. 21 May 45.

705. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 22 May 45 - Sjt. Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adm.
Asst Adm.
Chief Clerk

706. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs Tuesday, 22 May 45:-

2872924 Pte Jackson G.E. London Scots.

707. ARMY RELEASE

1. Release regulations have now been amended to permit individuals to volunteer to continue serving as follows:-

(a) Until general demobilization.
(b) For one year beyond normal time of release.
(c) For two years beyond normal time of release.

2. Individuals volunteering for one or two years will not be liable for further retention on operational grounds.

3. Volunteers will be subject to normal release leave (including overseas leave) at the end of their extended term.

4. Those who have already volunteered until general demobilization will be allowed to change to the terms in para 1 (b) and 1 (c) above.

5. Applications are now acceptable from individuals in Age/Service groups 1 to 26 (men) and 1 to 43 (women).

6. Individuals in Age/Service groups 1 to 11 volunteering for one or two years, deferment starts from the following dates:-

Age/Service groups	1 and 3	June 18
- do -	5 to 7	July 2
- do -	8 to 9	" 16
- do -	10 to 11	" 30

7. Those in Age/Service groups 1 to 7 who may now wish to volunteer for one or two years should do so immediately by reporting to the Orderly Room as these groups are considered as extremely urgent.

708. TERMINATION OF COLOUR SERVICE

All ORs of this Headquarters who are serving on Regular Army Engagements will report to the British Orderly Room before 1800 hrs Friday, 25 May 45, prepared to give the following particulars:-

(a) Term of service (e.g. 7 and 5)
(b) Date on which service will be, or was completed.

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709. PASSES (ROME AREA)

All ORs of this Headquarters who have not had their Rome Area Passes checked, and ORs not in possession of such passes, will report to the Det Ord Sjt's office up Hill 61, 23 May 45, between 0730 and 1800 hrs.

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ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

The Alexander Club Committee (HQ represented by Cpl Wilson J.) now meets fortnightly instead of weekly. The next meeting will be held on Friday, 25 May 45. Suggestions or criticisms which personnel of this HQ may wish brought forward should be submitted in writing and handed to British Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs Thursday.

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In the Field.

No. 139/45.

20 May 45.

Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt
Quartermaster

700. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 21 May 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	 0630	hrs
Breakfast	..... 0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	..... 1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	..... 1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	 2330	"

701. SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER TO ALL THE ALLIED ARMED FORCES IN THE MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE:

"The territory around TRIESTE and GORIZIA and east of the ISONZO river is part of ITALY known as VENEZIA GIULIA. The territory around VILLACH and KLAGENFURT is part of AUSTRIA. The above Italian and Austrian territory is now claimed by Marshal TITO who wishes to incorporate it in YUGOSLAVIA. We have no objection to claims being put forward by Marshal TITO to this territory. His claims will be examined and finally settled with fairness and impartiality at the peace conference in exactly the same manner as other disputed areas throughout Europe. Our policy, as has been publicly proclaimed, is that the territorial changes should be made only after thorough study and after full consultation and deliberation between the various governments concerned. It is, however, Marshal TITO's apparent intention to establish his claims by force of arms and military occupation. Action of this kind would be all too reminiscent of HITLER, MUSSOLINI and JAPAN. It is to prevent such actions that we have been fighting this war. We have agreed to work together to seek an orderly and just solution of territorial problems; this is one of the cardinal principles for which the peoples of the United Nations have made their tremendous sacrifices in an endeavour to obtain a just and lasting peace. It is one of the cornerstones on which our representatives, with the approbation of world public opinion, are now at work at SAN FRANCISCO to build a system of world security. We cannot throw away the vital principles for which we have all fought. Under these principles it is our duty to hold these disputed territories as trustees until their ultimate disposal is settled at the peace conference. Within these territories our duty and responsibility is to keep law and order by our military forces and to ensure a peaceful and secure life for their peoples through our Allied Military Government. We may be relied on to act impartially as we do not cover these territories ourselves. In this situation I tried my best to come to a friendly agreement with Marshal TITO, but did not succeed. The UNITED STATES and British Governments have therefore taken the matter up directly with Marshal TITO. The Soviet Government have been kept fully informed. We are now waiting to hear whether Marshal TITO is prepared to co-operate in accepting a peaceful settlement of this territorial claim, or whether he will attempt to establish them by force. It has always been my policy to keep you all, whatever your rank, fully informed about the general situation and the objects for which you have fought. I send you this message so that you may know the issues which are now at stake".

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FORCES IN THE MEDITERRANEAN THEATRE:

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Note:- It is intended that every OR should have a copy of this message. Those not in possession of a copy will collect same from the Duty Clerk, room 9, Albergo Genova.

702. BEDDING

All ORs will hand in their bed comforters to the QM Stores by 1600 hrs Wed, 23 May 45.

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703. LEAVE

T/14589114 Dvr Spillane L. has been granted leave from reveille 23 May 45 until 2359 hrs 26 May 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

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704. DRESS (K.D.)

It is observed that ORs are not wearing K.D. in full as instructed by these orders. In future Shirts Angola will not be worn whilst shirts K.D. are on issue.

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O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 138/45.

In the Field. 19 May 45.

692. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Sun 20 May 45 - Sgt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0700 Hrs.
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 Hrs.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 Hrs.

Adjutant
Asst Adj.
Asst Adj.
Chief Clerk

693. POSTAL SERVICES TO LIBERATED AND EX-ENEMY TERRITORIES.

G.R.O. 521 dated 11 May 45, is republished for the information of all concerned:-

The range of postal services to liberated and ex-enemy territories is extended progressively as conditions permit, and there have in fact been several extensions of the services announced in G.R.O. 245/45.

It is not proposed in future to publish the details of these frequent extensions in G.R.Os.; but particulars of all postal facilities currently available to liberated and ex-enemy territories will be obtainable on request at Army Post Offices.

694. M.T. VEHICLES - CLEANING OF.

G.R.O. 522 dated 11 May 45, is republished for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

DERV, MERO or petrol will not be used for cleaning M.T. vehicles. The use of these liquids for this purpose is wasteful, detrimental to paint-work and is liable to cause skin disease.

695. SWIMMING.

Reference D.R.O. 674/45, it is emphasised that the amenities offered for bathing at the National Stadium are particularly good at a cost of only 5 Lire and O.C. British Detachment, is particularly anxious that as many O.Rs. as possible make use of this Bathing Pool.

696. LEAVE.

The u/m have been granted 4 day's leave from Reveille until 2359 hours on the dates shown, and will report to the Detachment Orderly Sgt. forthwith.

	Name	From	To
L/Cpl.	Seager, R.	20 May 45	23 May 45.
Dvr.	Atkins, W.A.	21 May 45	24 May 45.
Dvr.	Searby, V.V.	24 May 45	27 May 45.

697. AUDIENCE WITH HIS HOLINESS THE POPE.

The u/m O.Rs. of the Football Team will parade in the foyer of the Hotel Genova at 0830 hrs Sun., 20 May 45, prior to an audience with His Holiness The Pope.

4079849	Pte.	Gibbs, D.A.
7014480	Rfn.	Price, J.
5107419	Pte.	Burgess, S.
1137179	Gnr.	Leese, J.T.
6975241	Fus.	Donaghy, L.
4034504	Pte.	Attwood, E.

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Name	From	To
L/Cpl. Seager, R.	20 May 45	25 May 45.
Dvr. Adkins, W.A.	21 May 45	24 May 45.
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6075241	Fus.	Donegay, L.
4034504	Pte.	Attwood, F.

Dress:- Shirt, slacks, boots, belts, shirt-sleeves rolled down, open necks.

698. MENS' MESSING COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

1. The following O.Rs. are members of the Messing Committee of this Detachment:

O.Rs' MESS COMMITTEE MEMBERS.

Cpl.	Boatwright, C.C.	Dvr.	Cobb, W.M.
Cpl.	Birkin, R.J.	Gnr.	Foster, D.
Cpl.	Robinson, E.	Pte.	Kelman, L.G.
L/Cpl.	Brown, E.W.C.	Dvr.	Richardson, G.
Pte.	Cragg, A.		

The R.S.M., A/C.S.M. Gibbs (MCO i/c cooks) and Cpl Gaines B.C. (Ration Cpl) will [illegible] notified in these orders.

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2. The committees' terms of reference will be:-
(a) To make suggestions for alternative dishes.
(b) To indicate dishes which are definitely unpopular in the units.
(c) To offer suggestions and proposals for improvement of the cooking and the serving of meals.

3. The next meeting will be held at 1315 hrs., Wed. 23 May 45, in Room 14 Albergo Genova.

4. R.A.A.C., Routine Order No. 530 dated 16 May 45 on this subject is reported hereunder for information.

(i) Units are reminded that ACI 394/41 (as amended by ACI 1830/42)is applicable to this theatre and that the holding of Mens' Messing Committee Meetings is obligatory. Attention is also drawn to the value of these meetings as a means whereby the Mess Minutes regarding meals can be made known to Commanding Officers.

(ii) ACI 394/41 lays down the general principle upon which Mens' Messing Committees will be formed and meetings held.
In this theatre it will be interpreted in accordance with the requirements of individual units, but the following main rules will be observed:-
(a) The Unit Messing Officer will invariably attend the meetings and, when the PRI or 2 IC is not present, he will preside.
(b) Mens representation will be on the basis of one soldier per 30 men and care will be taken to ensure that the proportion of NCOs is not excessive. The Senior Cook may attend for consultation.
(c) The Committee will meet weekly in the case of units over 400 in strength and fortnightly in smaller units.
(d) Minutes will be kept. These will be submitted to the OC for his comments and instructions. They will also be available for inspection by the Catering Adviser.
(e) Names of members of the Messing Committee will be published in Unit Orders and time and date of Meetings notified in advance.

699. LAUNDRY.

Owing to the excessive amount of laundry that has had to be done this last week, ORs may find that some of the articles are not up to the usual standard. ORs who are therefore not satisfied with any of their laundry may return same with this week's bundle.

(Sgd.) S.I.M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
HQ. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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O.C. British Detachment.
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In the Field.

No. 137/45.

19 May 45.

685. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 19 May 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjt.	
Asst. Adjs.	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	

686. FIRE PREVENTION (Repeated)

It has come to notice that ORs are in the habit of using Primus stoves in billets and are burning petrol for this purpose.

This practice is highly dangerous and irregular within an enclosed area and will cease immediately, for it is stressed that not only equipment, clothing and personal property are at stake but the lives of the men in the billets.

Whilst there is no objection to drivers on long distance journeys using Primus stoves, it is essential that they are used in the open air and provided paraffin is used.

687. MAIN & DRET ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, M Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 "
} Sat., Sun., and Mond., 19-21 May 45.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 "
} Sun & Mon 20 & 21 May 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1600 - 2000 "
} Tue 22 May 45.

688. REFUSE DUMPING (Repeated)

RAAC Routine Order No. 522 dated 16 May 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

"The attention of all ranks is drawn to the fact that it is forbidden to use as a rubbish tip, the open space (Map Ref 747707), Town Plan of Rome, North Sheet) in the Piazza Delle Muse, Parioli District."

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689. DAMAGE TO ELECTRIC POWER LINES

The following is published in conjunction with RAAC Routine Order No. 525 dated 16 May 45:-

1. It has come to the attention of this Headquarters that Allied troops have caused interruptions of electric power supply to industrial installations by shooting at insulators on electrical transmission lines. Recently the salt mines at Tarquinia were without power and therefore inoperative for four days, due to this cause.

2. The soldiers who indulge in this pastime would not wish to be considered as saboteurs, but the practical effect of their act is the same as though it were committed by an enemy agent. No facility in the theatre is of more vital importance to the war effort than the supply of electric power to the various industries, the production of which is needed to sustain the armies as well as the civilian economy.

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687. NAAFI & ISSUE ISSUES

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OFFICERS in room 46, 'B' Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat., Sun., and Mond., 19-21 May 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

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3. There is no need to point out the seriousness of an offence such as quoted above and a very serious view will be taken of any similar acts committed by personnel of this Detachment.

690. HEALTH WEEK

7. Maintenance of Health in the Field (Ens Ware.

The fighting power of an Army depends not on its "paper" strength in man-power, or the number of Battalions and Divisions which compose it, but on the actual number of men fit to engage the enemy. The ranks of an Army may be decimated by disease before a shot is fired.

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Sickness, has time and again proved more devastating than enemy bullets, and, not once or twice, it has sealed the fate of Armies and Empires. The history of the world is studded with examples of this. To mention only a few:-

The Gauls were forced to retreat in disorder from the Siege of Rome owing to the depletion of their ranks by Malaria.

Some centuries later, a French force retired from an attack on Naples, heavily infected by the "new disease" - Syphilis.

It was written of Napoleon's Army that it spent twenty years teaching Europe how to fight, and that it was only the thermometer and never the bayonet which could break the Grand Army down.

In the Crimean and South African wars sickness casualties and deaths were infinitely greater than those brought about by enemy action.

In Macedonia in the last War, operations were virtually suspended because a large proportion of the force was hospitalized with Malaria.

You have been told in the past week a few of the more important facts about the preservation of your health. Many of them you are doubtless well aware of already, but perhaps repetition will stimulate you to put this knowledge to the best advantage for the benefit of yourself and your comrades in arms.

By doing this wholeheartedly, you will preserve your own health, and will prevent anxiety and misery for your family. You will be contributing to no small extent to the defeat of the enemy and laying a sure foundation for the enjoyment of life both now and on your return to the domestic sphere of the post-war world.

691. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1500 hrs Sat, 19 May 45, from the Laundry Room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry.

This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

(Sgd.) E. I. H. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

NOTICES

DANCE

The next ORs' dance will be held on Saturday, 26 May 45, at Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Valleyri. Tickets will be on sale from Det Ord Sjt from Wednesday, 23 May 45. Price 50 Lire each.

There will be a bar, and it is hoped that ice cream may be available.

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by
Major T. L. N. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 136/45.

In the Field. 17 May 45.

679. ROUTINE

Duty M30 Pri 18 May 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
[illegible]	1700 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst Adj 111
Asst Adj
Chief Cl

680. HEALTH WEEK

6.(a) V.D. (Repeated)

Since the occupation of Sicily, Italy and Greece, the venereal disease rate has increased enormously. There were 27,000 cases admitted to hospital in 1944. So far, in 1945, the rate shows a steady upward trend. In Greece, for example, at one period the annual rate worked out at the almost incredible figure of 1 person out of 4 getting the disease. Half the admissions to hospital during that period were due to this cause! This is an appalling state of affairs. It is causing a drain of man power, a filling up of hospital beds required for other purposes, and the unnecessary use of expensive drugs which are urgently required throughout the world for the treatment of the sick and wounded.

Modern treatment, especially the use of penicillin, is such an advance on former methods that the successes have completely obscured the failures. Failures are by no means as rare as is generally thought: when the treatment fails these diseases still have serious and crippling late effects, and the soldier's wife and children are not immune.

Prostitutes and "easy" women in Greece and Italy are almost 100% infected. Civilian medical examination and treatment of prostitutes, has been proved to be most unsatisfactory, and is often done so cursorily as to be farcical. Instances are recorded in which prostitutes give heavy bribes in order to obtain false certificates of freedom from infection. (A number of persons charged with issuing false certificates are at present awaiting trial at an AMG Court). The risk of association with these women is consequently enormous. Most of them are also infested with lice and scabies.

The films "Subject for Discussion" and "Sex Hygiene" deal logically and clearly with the whole problem, and are no exaggeration of the true position. They have been widely shown in this theatre and have been seen by a great number of troops, yet this and much other propaganda, and the provision of welfare facilities of an order without precedent in any army hitherto, have only resulted in a rising incidence of venereal disease. There is only one conclusion, that in spite of all that has been done, the soldier has not been convinced of the true position, the risk he runs with any woman, and the failures of even the best modern treatment. It cannot be believed that he yet realises that venereal disease can and must be prevented and avoided.

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(b) Prevention

Continence is no disgrace, nor is it harmful, and it provides an absolute guarantee against infection.

If a risk is run:- Use a condom and E.P. Packet. Go to a P.A. Centre within an hour. Report sick at once if you develop symptoms. Concealment is a crime, and the earliest possible treatment of syphilis is of

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Drunkenness plays a sinister part in the drama of V.D. Those who drink the potent (and often "doped") local "vino" to excess, lose their powers of reasoning, self control, and decency, and expose themselves to those hazards of infection, which normally, they would not dream of risking. The consequences are often calamitous; the slogan "Vino-Venus-V.D." is tragically descriptive!

681. PASSES

During the forthcoming Pay Parades all ORs will be prepared to produce their RAAC permanent passes for checking by the Det Ord Sjt.

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682. FIRE PREVENTION

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Whilst there is no objection to drivers on long distance journeys using Primus stoves, it is essential that they are used in the open air and provided paraffin is used.

683. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

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OFFICERS in room 46, B2 Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
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1400 - 1700 " }

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1400 - 1700 " }

1000 - 1230 hrs } Tue 22 May 45.
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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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No. 135/45.

In the Field. 17 May 45.

675. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tim 17 May 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst. Adt.
Asst. Adt.
Chief Clerk

676. HEALTH (SE).

5. Avoidable Complaints

(a) The common cold and sore throat and a form of pneumonia spread rapidly through a unit in which there is overcrowding and imperfect ventilation. If you get a cold try and prevent transmitting it to your comrades - cover your nose and mouth when you cough and sneeze. "Do not spit" - the penalty is not £5, but the infecting of a large number of other people is the probable sequel.

(b) Diptheria, Smallpox and skin diseases are extremely prevalent among civilians - be careful about your associations with them.

(c) Typhus is carried by lice and only by lice. If you are not infested you cannot get typhus.

(d) Rabies is becoming increasingly common in Italy and Greece and two soldiers who were bitten by dogs have died of Hydrophobia. Hundreds of troops have had to undergo long periods of preventive treatment in hospital as a result of being licked or bitten by suspected dogs. The orders against the keeping of dogs are being largely disregarded, but, make no mistake, the danger of this fatal disease is a very real one.

(e) Other dangerous diseases are carried by rats. Protect your food supplies from contamination, and organize periodic drives to exterminate them. Bathing in rivers and streams is also liable to be dangerous, unless the place has been given medical approval.

677. REST HOME

W.e.f. 17 May 45 the Rest Home vehicle will leave the Canova Hotel punctually at 0900 hrs. It will be the responsibility of the Det Ord Sjt to draw 12 rations daily from Ration Stores at 0830 hrs and place same in charge of the senior soldier or NCO.

The Cook Sjt will underdraw 12 rations daily to counteract the above issue.

The RSM will ensure that the Det Ord Sjt, the Cook Sjt and Ration Cpl are acquainted with these instructions and that same are carried out.

678. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 18 May 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, BASEMENT GARAGE	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel

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" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, 1st Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Sat 19 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	- ditto -
Mon 21 " "	0900 "	- " -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

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By
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 134/45.

In the Field. 15 May 45.

670. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 16 May 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjt
Asst Adj.
Asst Adj.
Chief Clerk

671. HEALTH HINTS

a. Dysentery & Typhoid. These are caused by food or drink contaminated by flies or dirty hands. Large numbers of Italians are carriers of both dysentery and typhoid. Untreated water and uncooked fruit and vegetables are a great source of danger. Here again, unseasoned and undisciplined troops, and reinforcements who are not camp clean, suffer most. They often learn their lesson in the bitter school of experience. The number of cases of dysentery in 1944 was relatively much less than during 1943. This was due to improved discipline and increased knowledge of the means of prevention. This figure must be reduced this year. The three maxims are:-

(a) Eliminate fly breeding-places (filth, insanitary latrines, manure, waste food dumps) and kill adult flies.
(b) Protect food from contact with flies.
(c) Do not eat or drink anything except from an authorised source. Wash your hands before eating.
(d) Keep cookhouses and food stores and their surroundings clean. Fly proof the windows and keep the doors closed. Use flit guns frequently. Messing utensils must be cleansed before and after use (GRO 63/45).

672. ARMY SERVICE RELEASE

Ref DRO No. 616 dated 2 May 45.

ORs of this Headquarters in Release Groups 4-7 inclusive desiring to apply for continued service will report to the Orderly Room before 1800 hrs 18 May 45 to complete necessary proforma.

673. LEAVE

No. T/15809296 Dvr Teifel J. has been granted leave from reveille 18 May 45 until 2359 hrs 21 May 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

674. SWIMMING

The swimming pool in the National Stadium (Via Flaminia) is now available for use by military personnel between 1100-1800 hrs daily at a cost of 5 Lire.

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674. SWIMMING

The swimming pool in the National Stadium (Via Flaminia) is now available for use by military personnel between 1100-1300 hrs daily at a cost of 5 Lire.

Showers and footbaths are provided and it is essential that these be used before entering the swimming pool.

(Sgd.) E. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
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N O T I C E S

DANCE BAND MUSICIAN

Any saxophone player, (Tenor or Alto) in the Rome Area who is willing to join a British Unit Dance Band please communicate with Entertainments Section, Army Welfare Services, Rome Area Allied Command. Instrument will be provided.

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No. 135/45.

In the Field. 14 May 45.

667. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 15 May 45 - Sgt Brewin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lt Nts Out	2330	"

Adjutant	
Asst. Aos.	
Asst Aos.	
Chief Clerk	

668. HEALTH (MED)

3. Inoculation & Vaccination. These are invaluable weapons against disease. Look at the following figures - they need no comment!

(a) Against typhoid (E.E.F.)			
In South African War	Army of 200,000	cases 58,000	deaths 8,000
First Great War	Army of 6,100,000	" 31,000	" 750
In this Theatre	Far larger than S.A. War (security)	Fr. 356	" 59
(b) Against Paratyphus			
Great War		Very numerous	many deaths
Present War		Practically none	
This Theatre		cases 10	few deaths
(c) Against Typhus			
This Theatre	U.S. Army 100 per cent inoculated	cases 15	deaths 0
	Br. Army unprotected period	" 50	" 14
	Now protected	" 15	" 4
(d) Against Smallpox			
This Theatre	Br. Army	cases +67	deaths 6

During the severe Naples Typhus epidemic only one case occurred among British Troops. He was a deserter, infested with lice and not protected by inoculation.

+ None of the cases of smallpox had been recently successfully vaccinated.

669. ARMS

All ORs are reminded that ammunition, rifles, Sten Guns & S.M. Carbines are not to be kept in bedrooms, but in the Armoury (Room No. 24, Genova Hotel). This applies equally to all ORs accommodated in the Urbe and Vaccari Hotels.

Revolvers will at all times be kept under lock and key; senior ranks will hand same into the Armoury and ORs billeted in the Genova and Vaccari Hotels will hand them over to the policeman on duty at the Genova Hotel to be locked up in the box provided.

All ORs will therefore satisfy themselves that all such accessories as ammunition, bayonets, Sten & S.M. Carbine magazines are handed in and not

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		" 50	" 14
(d) Against Smallpox	Non protected	" 15	" 4
This Theatre	Br. Army	cases +6/	deaths 6

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All ORs will therefore satisfy themselves that all such accessories as ammunition, bayonets, Sten & S.M. Carbine magazines are handed in and not kept separately from their weapons.

(Sgd.) C. I. M. Scully, Major.
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O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 132/45.

In the Field. 14 May 45.

664. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 14 May 45 - Sgt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours

Adjutant	
Asst Adjt.	
Asst Adjt.	
Chief Clerk	

665. POSTAL VOTING.

Reference D.R.O. 629 dated 5 May 45, concerning Postal Voting.

It is obvious from the response received, that O.Rs. of this Headquarters do not fully realise the importance of the facility offerred by being able to vote by Post in any forthcoming General Election, whilst being a serving member of H.M. Forces, either abroad or at home.

It is necessary that a declaration card should have been completed to enable you to make an application for Postal Voting (A.F.B2639).

The value of making your own vote cannot be over stressed, therefore those eligible are urged to FILL IN THAT A.F.B2639 NOW, obtainable from the office of the D/S. Ord. Sgt.

666. HEALTH WEEK.

2. V.D.

Since the occupation of Sicily, Italy, and Greece, the venereal disease rate has increased enormously. There were 27,000 cases admitted to hospital in 1944. So far, in 1945, the rate shows a steady upward trend. In Greece, for example, at one period the annual rate worked out at the almost incredible figure of 1 person out of 4 getting the disease. Half the admissions to hospital during that period were due to this cause! This is an appalling state of affairs. It is causing a drain of man power, a filling up of hospital beds required for other purposes, and the unnecessary use of expensive drugs which are urgently required throughout the world for the treatment of the sick and wounded.

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It is necessary that a declaration card should have been completed to enable you to make an application for Postal Voting (A.F.B2639).

The value of making your own vote cannot be over stressed, therefore those eligible are urged to [illegible] A.F.B2639 NOW, obtainable from the office of the D.A. Gen. S.C.

066. HEALTH WEEK.

V.D.

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C.O. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.I.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.C.T.

No. 131/45.

In the Field. 12 May 45.

660. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 13 May 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	.....	0700	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

661. DISCIPLINE

1. DRESS

(a) K.D. will be taken into use w.e.f. reveille Sunday, 13 May 45.

(b) Shorts K.D. may be worn between reveille and 1900 hrs daily. ORs on duty other than clerks will wear hosetops, boots and gaiters. All ORs off duty and clerks on duty may wear shoes and stockings.

(c) Owing to the present restricted issue of shorts, slacks may be worn at any time. After 1900 hrs, however, slacks will be worn and shirt sleeves rolled down and fastened at the wrist. ORs not on duty may wear ties.

(d) Bush shirts may be worn inside or outside of shorts and slacks. Belts webbing or K.D. will invariably be worn.

(e) W.C.Is. may wear Sam Browne belts instead of belts webbing and/or K.D.

(f) Off duty ORs may wear B.D. jackets with K.D. provided a tie is also worn.

(g) Badges of rank will be worn on the right sleeve only.

(h) The wearing of medal ribbons is optional.

2. REQUISITIONED VEHICLE REPORT

The Police Sjt will collect and hand in to the RSM by 0800 hrs on Monday, 14 May 45, the Requisitioned Vehicle Report form from the regimental policemen concerned.

662. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 14 May 45.

663. HEALTH WEEK

1. General Health

Look after yourself! Keep fit.

Be careful what you drink - local wines are more potent than beer.

Keep your body clean.

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27,000 " " V.D.
6,000 " " Dysentery

GUARD YOUR HEALTH!

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In the Field.

No. 130/45.

11 May 45.

655. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 12 May 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	 0630	hrs
Breakfast	..... 0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	..... 1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	..... 1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	 2330	"

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

656. DISCIPLINE - DRESS

Until further notice, shirt-sleeve order may be adopted by ORs employed in offices and buildings. When walking out, full B.D. will be worn.

All policemen on duty will wear shirt-sleeve order until 1900 hrs, and thereafter B.D.

Under no circumstances will K.D. be worn.

657. BOUNDS

RAAC General Order No. 18 dated 9 May 45 is repeated hereunder for information and guidance:-

"Until further notice, the beach of Lido di Roma south of the Canal is placed OUT OF BOUNDS to all personnel due to the danger of mines."

658. MAIL - CENSORSHIP REGULATIONS

RAAC letter ref 24A dated 8 May 45 is transcribed hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

"The following instructions will apply forthwith to all British, Dominion and Empire Forces located in ITALY, NORTH AFRICA and GREECE:-

1. Unit censorship of all non-privilege correspondence will be suspended until further notice.
2. Standing security and censorship regulations will apply with the exception that:
   (a) correspondence of all ranks will not be submitted to the unit censor;
   (b) correspondence of all ranks will not be franked nor impressed with the unit censor stamp;
   (c) correspondence of all ranks will be deposited in Army Post Office channels sealed and ready for mailing.
3. GRO 99/44, para 17(b), 19, 23, 24, 25 & 26 are accordingly suspended.
4. Issues of privilege letters which are no longer required will be suspended.
5. All private correspondence remains subject to Base Censorship.
6. Standing censorship instructions are being reviewed and revised regulations will be issued in General Routine Orders.
7. These measures are being introduced owing to the changed situation in the above-mentioned countries. They cannot yet be applied to CMF Forces located in other countries.

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659. DOCUMENTATION (CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT)
The u/m will report to the RQMS between 0830 and 1800 hrs Saturday, 12 May 45:-

4030917	Pte	Slocombe	R.	4695441	Pte	Wiss	A.
5244173	"	Spencer	S.H.	T/117587	Dvr	Thorley	A.H.
S/14534346	L/Cpl	Thornton	J.	4758432	Pte	Thrush	N.
T/58336	Cpl	Tomlin	J.A.	7402087	Fus	Truslove	G.W.
T/134319	"	Taylor	G.	S/2616872	Cpl	Wilson	J.
T/14340641	L/Cpl	Tart	E.E.	S/3972348	"	Watkins	H.H.
T/14280397	Dvr	Terry	F.A.J.	S/14526114	L/Cpl	Walton	S.T.
T/270069	"	Titterton	P.T.	S/14257250	Pte	Walters	H.
T/4856797	"	Teece	W.H.	T/140513	L/Cpl	Wiltshire	J.H.
T/1598434	"	Tomassi	J.	T/264457	"	West	P.J.
6095353	Cpl	Trillo	F.	T/14577757	Dvr	Wright	T.R.
4916488	Pte	Turner	E.H.	T/3390210	"	Webster	G.

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2/14385795	Dvr	Wainwright	A.
7605829	Cpl	Webb	J.G.
4037802	Pte	Warburton	R.
6459640	L/Cpl	Aright	L.J.
10601642	Pte	Williams	V.J.
14313081	Tpr	Westley	S.E.
5953774	Pte	Worsham	T.L.
6467769	Pte	Williams	J.H.
1133890	Gnr	Wiles	W.A.
6030730	Pte	Webb	J.
5973570	Pte	Williamson	J.

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N O T I C E S

SOCCER

Transport has been arranged and will leave the Albergo Genova at 1630 hrs Saturday, 12 May 45, for the soccer match F.A. Touring Team versus RAAC.
Kick off at 1730 hrs.

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No. 129/45.

In the Field. 10 May 45.

640. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 11 May 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

649. MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER

The following is a message received from the Chief Commissioner, Rear Admiral E.W. Stones, U.S.N.R., dated 8 May 45:-

"To all ranks in the Allied Commission:

On this memorable day let us in the Allied Commission face our task with even greater vigour and with the determination that our part in the reconstruction of Europe may be worthy of those who planned and fought and died to make Victory possible".

650. SJTS' MESS MEETING

There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on MONDAY, 14 MAY 45, in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty including attached personnel, but less Land Forces Sub Commission personnel and those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening.

651. LEAVE

No. T/5501107 S/Sjt Smith T.J. has been granted leave from reveille 14 May 45 until 2359 hrs 17 May 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

652. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 "
Sat., Sun., and Mon., 12-14 May 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
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1400 - 1700 "
Sun & Mon 13 & 14 May 45.

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1800 - 2000 "
Tue 15 May 45.

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It is repeated for the information and strict compliance of all concerned that the wine shops on either side of the ORs' Billet, Albergo Genova, are out of bounds to all ORs of Allied Commission during the parade hours, i.e. 0830 and 1800 hrs daily.

It is emphasized that this also affects ORs on day pass.

654. DOCUMENTATION (CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT)

The u/m will report to the RQMS between 0830 and 1800 hrs Friday, 11 May 45:-

S/13050775	Pte	Miller	H.A.	T/10704916	Dvr	McCarthy	J.
950460	L/Cpl	Mason	R.	4468723	Pte	Midwood	J.
T/10690165	Dvr	McCartan	F.	4690505	Pte	Morley	A.
MTA/18010530	"	Merola	A.F.	1490317	Pte	McCrudden	H.
4803891	Pte	Marshall	G.	14200559	Pte	Mansfield	R.J.
2984261	L/Cpl	McPhail	D.	S/10667481	L/Cpl	Niel	D.T.
2700655	Gdsmn	Moss	J.G.	5126459	Pte	Nash	E.
7886892	L/Cpl	Murdock	A.	4042629	Pte	Newbury	F.S.

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7009767	Rfmn	Nixon	T.
S/3915991	L/Cpl	Orphan	L.J.
1065948	Gnr	Orr	J.M.
T/14385353	Dvr	Pitcher	R.F.
T/14395344	Dvr	Peel	J.
2617978	Gdsmn	Pickett	T.
292813	Pte	Price	H.A.
T/14373571	Dvr	Price	L.
5049643	Pte	Perfitt	W.
5260729	Pte	Parsons	A.C.
D/40593	Pte	Page	A.D.
4926824	Pte	Papliaro	F.G.
4809975	Pte	Quigley	C.
S/4351043	Cpl	Robinson	E.E.
S/14270020	L/Cpl	Reeve	R.
S/1149088	L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.
S/14529597	L/Cpl	Rodham	R.L.
T/14606023	Dvr	Richardson	G.
T/14346095	Dvr	Reynolds	J.W.
1724637	Gnr	Richards	W.F.C.
4390975	Pte	Ross	W.
4965325	Pte	Rylatt	H.

962994	Gnr	Reynolds	E.
4452937	Pte	Rogers	G.
920128	Gnr	Robertson	A.M.
901659	L/Bdr	Roberts	M.P.
7018900	Rfmn	Robinson	H.
S/6479451	L/Cpl	Smith	L.V.
S/11006600	L/Cpl	Scott	W.G.
1133788	Bdr	Sutherland	P.R.
14209603	Pte	Sherwin	J.
T/281758	Pte	Spittlehouse	C.T.
T/226161	Dvr	Seager	R.L.
T/4695782	Dvr	Searby	V.V.
T/5496160	Dvr	Stephens	O.M.
T/14589114	Dvr	Spillane	L.
14514520	Bus	Savage	J.G.
7912444	Pte	Sison	A.J.
1132838	Pte	Simpson	H.E.
1840358	Pte	Saunders	H.H.
4034011	Cpl	Spear	E.
3854437	Cpl	Stiles	J.T.
6147221	Pte	Shuttleworth	F.E.
2619031	Gdsmn	Stockall	R.

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NOTICES

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet tonight, Thursday, 10 May 45, at 1845 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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No. 128/45.

In the Field. 9 May 45.

645. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 10 May 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Assistant	
Asst. Aos.	
Asst Aos.	
Chief	

646. DOCUMENTATION (CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT)

Ref DROs Nos. 641 and 644 dated 7 and 8 May 45.

All ORs who have not yet reported to the RQMS as detailed in the above orders will do so on Thursday, 10 May 45, between 0830 and 1800 hrs.

647. DISCIPLINE

I.e.f. reveille tomorrow, Thursday, 10 May 45, all ORs will return to their normal duties.

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UNDELIVERABLE LETTER

The sender of a letter addressed to Mrs. A.E. Bryant, 23 Chalthorpe Street, Banbury, Oxford, will report to the Orderly Room.

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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 127/45.

In the Field. 8 May 45.

Adjutant	
Asst Adjt.	
Asst Adjt.	
Chief Clerk	

641. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Wed 9 May 45 - Sgt Cumberland R.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours

643. RECREATION.

The "recreational trip" for Wednesday, 9 May 45, referred to by the O.C. to O.Rs. in his talk of 7 May 45, is considered cancelled as today was declared "VE" Day.

644. DOCUMENTATION (CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT).

The u/m will report to the RQMS between 0830 and 1600 hrs Wednesday, 9 May 45.

[illegible]	Pte.	Gilroy,	R.	S/5127541	Pte.	Jones,	R.C.
3592179	Pte.	Anderson,	D.H.	S/2568159	L/Cpl.	Jordan,	R.R.
4079849	Pte.	Gibbs,	D.A.	S/10674183	L/Cpl.	Jackson,	F.
4967869	Pte.	Gardiner,	H.	7942042	Dvr.	James,	R.R.
S/10603080	Cpl.	Humphreys,	P.	3053020	Gnr.	Jones,	J.
S/11413102	Cpl.	Hills,	C.F.	5971134	Rfn.	Jones,	H.J.
S/280689	Cpl.	Heath,	C.	5675957	Pte.	Jones,	G.D.
S/10591735	Cpl.	Hislam,	S.	S/14411660	Dvr.	James,	J.A.R.
S/10575543	L/Cpl.	Horton,	O.C.	2872924	Pte.	Jackson,	G.B.
2984242	Pte.	Hughes,	J.	S/14334180	L/Cpl.	Kiddier,	R.L.
S/1502504	Cpl.	Horsley,	C.H.	S/6353100	Pte.	Kolman,	L.G.
S/4759564	L/Cpl.	Howe,	H.	7045082	Pte.	Knight,	F.A.
S/6142457	L/Cpl.	Holden,	H.B.	4959987	Pte.	Kisby,	L.
S/14333560	Dvr.	Hodge,	M.F.	4955605	Pte.	Kisby,	R.
3065757	Pte.	Heywood,	R.	3773783	Pte.	Kehoe,	P.
965131	Gnr.	Head,	H.V.	S/2739534	L/Cpl.	Lackey,	W.L.
4926754	Pte.	Harley,	W.A.	S/14546024	L/Cpl.	Limber,	J.S.
4999457	Pte.	Homer,	J.	S/10696792	Dvr.	Land,	J.E.
2618191	Gdsm.	Holmes,	T.C.	S/4544272	Dvr.	Latham,	S.
4276075	Pte.	Hamilton,	H.	10696934	Pte.	Lynch,	R.
876555	Gdsm.	Hart,	J.	6459791	Pte.	Lynch,	H.J.
3145890	Pte.	Houghton,	J.	3313659	Pte.	Lowrie,	J.
3139971	Cpr.	Hume,	A.	4030450	Pte.	Lawrence,	H.
5555342	Pte.	Hathaway,	A.	1132469	Gnr.	Lomax,	A.J.
S/14334762	Cpl.	Irving,	J.	2993352	Pte.	Laird,	C.
S/14392440	L/Cpl.	Ives,	A.A.	7044779	Pte.	Lax,	H.
7951206	Pte.	Ince,	E.	11252656	Gnr.	Lally,	J.
S/4039416	L/Cpl.	Jeffs,	H.	1137179	Gnr.	Leese,	J.H.
S/6970164	L/Cpl.	Johnson,	C.J.	S/14329151	Cpl.	Middleton,	C.M.
S/10711734	L/Cpl.	Jackson,	H.W.	S/14293095	L/Cpl.	MacRae,	[illegible]

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[illegible]	Pte.	Gilroy,	R.	S/5127541	Pte.	Jones,	R.C.
3598172	Pte.	Gerlerson,	H.B.	S/2580159	L/Cpl.	Jordan,	R.R.
4070845	Pte.	Gibbs,	D.A.	S/10674183	L/Cpl.	Jackson,	F.
4967869	Pte.	Gardiner,	H.	7043942	Spr.	James,	R.R.
S/10646080	Cpl.	Humphreys,	E.	5055230	Spr.	Jones,	J.
S/11413100	Cpl.	Hills,	C.F.	6971194	Rfm.	Jones,	M.J.
S/200609	Cpl.	Heath,	C.	5675957	Pte.	Jones,	G.D.
S/10691755	Cpl.	Hislam,	S.	S/14414660	Dvr.	James,	J.A.R.
S/10673943	L/Cpl.	Horton,	C.C.	2372924	Pte.	Jackson,	G.D.
2984242	Pte.	Hughes,	J.	S/14534180	L/Cpl.	Kiddier,	R.L.
S/159534	Cpl.	Horsley,	C.H.	S/6356100	Pte.	Kelman,	L.G.
S/4758284	L/Cpl.	Howe,	N.	7045082	Fus.	Knight,	F.A.
S/6146037	L/Cpl.	Holden,	H.T.	4858987	Pte.	Kisby,	L.
S/14333560	Dvr.	Hodge,	H.F.	4855803	Pte.	Kisby,	R.
5965707	Pte.	Heywood,	R.	3773783	Fus.	Kehoe,	S.
965131	Gnr.	Heed,	H.V.	S/2739834	L/Cpl.	Lackey,	W.L.
4926754	Pte.	Harley,	W.A.	S/14526024	L/Cpl.	Lisberg,	J.S.
4999467	Pte.	Honor,	J.	S/10692792	Dvr.	Land,	J.A.
2618191	Gdsm.	Holmes,	T.C.	S/4544272	Dvr.	Latham,	S.
4276975	Fus.	Hamilton,	H.	10696934	Pte.	Lynch,	R.
878553	Gdsm.	Hart,	J.	6458791	Pte.	Lynch,	H.J.
3445890	Fus.	Houghton,	J.	3313635	Pte.	Lowrie,	J.
3189971	Spr.	Hume,	A.	4050450	Pte.	Lawrence,	H.
5538542	Pte.	Hathaway,	A.	1131469	Gnr.	Lomax,	A.J.
S/14334762	Cpl.	Irving,	J.	2893358	Pte.	Laird,	C.
S/14352440	L/Cpl.	Ives,	A.A.	7044779	Fus.	Lax,	H.
7951806	Pte.	Ince,	E.	11252536	Gnr.	Lally,	J.
S/4039416	L/Cpl.	Jeffs,	W.	1137179	Gnr.	Leese,	J.A.
S/897016	L/Cpl.	Johnson,	T.J.	S/14329151	Cpl.	Middleton,	T.W.
S/10711734	L/Cpl.	Jackson,	R.H.	S/14283045	L/Cpl.	McRae,	E.

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VE DAY THANKSGIVING SERVICE.

There will be a Thanksgiving Service in the Methodist Church at 2200 hrs this evening.

The Methodist Church is situated at the corner of Via Firenze/Via Venti Settembre.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
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No. 126/45.

In the Field. 7 May 45.

635. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 8 May 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	 0630	hrs
Breakfast	..... 0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	..... 1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	..... 1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	 2330	"

Adjutant	
Asst Ads.	
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Chief Clerk	

636. MESSAGE FROM HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE VI

1. Field Marshal the Honourable Sir HAROLD R.L.G. ALEXANDER, G.C.B., C.S.I., D.S.O., M.C., A.D.C., Supreme Allied Commander, Mediterranean Theatre, desires that the following message sent him by His Majesty the King be passed on to all officers and men serving in this theatre:-

"To you and all those under your command I send my heartfelt congratulations on the overwhelming victory by which you are bringing to so triumphant an end your long and arduous campaign in Italy".

2. Field Marshal ALEXANDER has sent the following reply to His Majesty the King:-

"With my humble duty I thank your Majesty personally and on behalf of all those sailors, soldiers and airmen who I have the honour to command for your very gracious message which is deeply appreciated".
(Copy from Rome Area Allied Command APO 794, US Army, AG 201.3, dated 1 May 45).

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"I rejoice in the magnificently planned and executed operation of 15 Group of Armies which are resulting in the complete destruction or capture of all enemy forces south of the Alps.

That you and General MARK CLARK should have been able to accomplish these tremendous and decisive results against a superior number of enemy divisions after you have made great sacrifices of whole armies for the western front, is indeed another proof of your genius for war and of intimate brotherhood-in-arms between British Commonwealth and Imperial forces and those of the United States.

Never I suppose have so many nations advanced and manoeuvred in one line victoriously. The British, Americans, New Zealanders, South Africans, British-Indians, Poles, Jews, Brazilians and strong force of liberated Italians have all marched together in that high comradeship and unity of men fighting for freedom and for the deliverance of mankind.

This great final battle in Italy will long stand out in history as one of the most famous episodes in this second World War.

Pray give my heartfelt congratulations to all your Commanders and principal officers of all services and above all to the valiant and ardent troops whom they have led with so much skill". (Extract from RAAC Memorandum, dated 3 May 45).

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638. CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT

1. The following items are available at the QM Stores and will be drawn forthwith by those responsible in all messes and billets:-

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   (a) Flit guns for anti-mosquito spray.
   (b) Muslin as flyproof covering for food.
2. Mosquito Nets.

All personnel leaving this Headquarters either on temporary duty or a permanent posting will draw a mosquito net from the QM Stores.

This is applicable to all drivers and vehicle escorts whose journeys take them beyond the city limits of Rome and necessitates their sleeping overnight away from this station.

All such personnel will also draw insect repellant.

3. Crash Helmets.

All DRs and motor-cyclists will draw the new Mk I Steel Crash Helmet from the QM Stores by 1600 hrs Wednesday, 9 May 45, and at the same time hand in the crash helmets already in their possession.

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639. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE

The ORs' Messing Committee will meet tomorrow, Tuesday, 8 May 45 at 1315 hrs in room 14, Albergo Genova.

640. REST HOME - ORs

Owing to the shortage of cutlery, all ORs proceeding to the Rest Home at Pregone are instructed to take their own.

641. DOCUMENTATION (CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT)

The u/m will report to the RQMS between 0830 and 1800 hrs Tuesday, 8 May 45:-

6981373	Fus	Butler	G.H.	4928735	Pte	Durkin	J.
2763126	Pte	Bridges	T.	T/81701	L/Cpl	Day	W.H.
4747426	Pte	Bette	H.	3954895	Pte	Davies	J.R.
T/26562	Pte	Barnes	A.V.	6975241	Fus	Donaghy	L.
1523015	Pte	Bennett	S.	3772783	Fus	Davies	J.
4979266	Pte	Broughton	G.	2696220	Gdsmn	Duncan	A.
4399486	Pte	Boyes	W.	6346861	Cpl	Evernden	R.F.
5948917	Tpr	Burnham	J.	6917802	Rfmn	Evans	W.S.
S/13034368	Cpl	Cooper	R.A.	T/4186169	Dvr	Evans	A.
S/14412346	L/Cpl	Connon	H.T.	3956273	Pte	Edwards	M.
S/14512330	L/Cpl	Cordery	J.S.	S/140929	Cpl	Freezer	E.F.
3608656	Pte	Cragg	A.	T/6344482	L/Cpl	Feast	A.V.
3768695	Pte	Chesworth	W.	BNA/13809296	Dvr	Feifal	J.
S/170604	Cpl	Cutler-Andrews	N.	1572951	Pte	Frith	F.K.
T/6852657	Cpl	Crosswell	R.	3865913	Pte	Fletcher	R.
T/235479	Dvr	Cobb	W.N.	D/38323	Pte	Faulkner	T.
T/5680947	Dvr	Clark	F.G.	11430446	Gnr	Foster	D.
T/14344572	Dvr	Carter	H.E.	6151331	Pte	Friend	F.
T/203681	Dvr	Cooper	A.N.	7013414	Fus	Foy	T.B.
5511791	Pte	Corps	L.G.	1635132	Gnr	Freeman	S.P.
1604327	Pte	Cramer	H.	S/122243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.T.
1561695	Pte	Cole	L.F.	S/86094	Cpl	Grime	J.R.
S/135983	Pte	Coy	A.	S/10686902	L/Cpl	Giles	E.D.
13081246	Pte	Coe	E.G.	S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	R.G.C.L.
7921234	Tpr	Cobb	H.	T/44767	Cpl	Green	J.
14334735	Pte	Crouch	J.	T/160379	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
7045199	Fus	Cooper	J.	T/14344626	Dvr	Green	W.
7895271	Pte	Covell	L.	T/10696555	Dvr	Gardiner	W.H.
2765828	Pte	Connor	J.	3715624	Pte	Geggie	E.
S/10677362	L/Cpl	Daniels	R.	18036882	Pte	Groves	H.A.
S/2157556	L/Cpl	Drummond	J.	969181	Cpl	Gaines	B.C.

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1523015	Pte	Bennett	S.	3772788	Fus	Davies	J.
4979266	Pte	Broughton	G.	2696220	Gdsmn	Duncan	A.
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1604327	Pte	Cromer	H.	S/122243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.T.
1561695	Pte	Cole	L.F.	S/86094	Cpl	Grisp	J.R.
S/135983	Pte	Coy	A.	S/10686902	L/Cpl	Giles	E.D.
13081246	Pte	Cox	E.C.	S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	R.G.C.L.
7921234	Tpr	Cobb	H.	T/44767	Cpl	Green	J.
14334735	Pte	Crouch	J.	T/160379	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
7045199	Fus	Cooper	J.	T/14344626	Dvr	Green	W.
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S/13034368	Cpl	Cooper	R.A.	T/4186169	Dvr	Evens	A.
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S/135983	Pte	Coy	A.	S/10686902	L/Cpl	Giles	E.D.
13081246	Pte	Coe	E.G.	S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	R.G.C.L.
7921234	Tpr	Cobb	H.	T/44767	Cpl	Green	J.
14334735	Pte	Crouch	J.	T/160379	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
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CRIBBAGE

In view of the ORs' Dance on Tuesday night, the "Cribbage Drive" will be held on Wednesday, 9 May 45, at 1945 hrs in the lounge of the Albergo Genova.

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In the Field. 6 May 45.

632. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 7 May 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
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633. DOCUMENTATION (CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT)

During the forthcoming week all ORs will be detailed by these orders to report to the RQMS for purposes of checking their AF H1157's.

ORs will report between 0630 and 1800 hrs on the day detailed.

The u/m will report on Monday, 7 May 45:-

S/14527186	L/Cpl	Ardern	S.
T/207101	Dvr	Allen	E.
T/263617	Dvr	Alberti	T.
T/14335436	Dvr	Atkins	W.A.
T/10680011	Dvr	Allen	E.S.
2664713	L/Cpl	Avery	J.G.C.
4034504	Pte	Attwood	S.
5439009	Pte	Allen	S.
6355154	Pte	Armstrong	T.
5784166	Pte	Allen	E.
5109267	L/Cpl	Ashford	T.
S/10673614	Cpl	Bastable	C.C.
S/4805297	L/Cpl	Bailey	F.L.
S/4042111	L/Cpl	Bowman	E.
S/4809266	L/Cpl	Broughton	W.H.
S/3663770	L/Cpl	Brown	G.H.
S/11427589	L/Cpl	Bourdman	W.
S/10705035	L/Cpl	Bush	T.G.
S/4987239	Pte	Bell	T.A.
S/2661977	Cpl	Birkin	R.J.
T/221846	Pte	Brindle	T.B.
T/10698470	Dvr	Beale	L.C.
2/982979	Dvr	Banks	C.E.
1608011	Pte	Brown	J.
D/36286	Pte	Ball	E.W.
6985754	Tus	Ball	E.
2698932	Gdsmn	Blant	A.
5107419	Pte	Burgess	S.
4031027	Fus	Buchanan	S.
7014480	Rfmn	Brice	J.
2618488	L/Cpl	Brown	B.T.C.
14542113	Pte	Benbow	C.R.

634. DISCIPLINE

1. The u/m ORs will report to Cpl S Bush H.L. at the Super Garage on Monday, 7 May 45, at 0900 hrs, for the purpose of undergoing a driving test:-

T/117587	Dvr	Thorley A.H.
T/7942242	"	James R.
T/14373571	"	Price L.
MTA/18016530	Dvr	Merola A.F.
T/10704916	"	Mc Carthy J.

2. The following orders are repeated for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

(a) Duty NCO.- In addition to the Night Duty Clerk on duty at the British Orderly Room, a Duty NCO is detailed daily in these orders.

He will be referred to in all matters of discipline or any unusual occurrences affecting ORs of this Headquarters, etc., after 1800 hrs on the day detailed, by telephoning the Duty Clerk on Nos. 178085 - 178086.

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T/207101	Dvr	Allen	E.	S/10705035	L/Cpl	Bush	T.G.
S/286617	Dvr	Alberti	T.	S/4987239	Pte	Bell	T.A.
T/14335438	Dvr	Atkins	W.A.	S/2661977	Cpl	Birkin	R.J.
T/10680011	Dvr	Allen	E.S.	T/221846	Pte	Brindle	T.E.
2664713	L/Cpl	Avery	J.G.C.	T/10698470	Dvr	Beale	L.C.
4034504	Pte	Attwood	S.	T/982979	Dvr	Banks	C.E.
5439009	Pte	Allen	S.	1608011	Pte	Brown	J.
6355154	Pte	Armstrong	T.	D/36286	Pte	Ball	E.W.
5784166	Pte	Allen	E.	6985754	Tus	Ball	E.
5109267	L/Cpl	Ashford	T.	2698932	Gdsmn	Blant	A.
S/10673614	Cpl	Bastable	C.C.	5107419	Pte	Burgess	S.
S/4605297	L/	Bailey	F.L.	4031027	Tus	Buchanan	S.
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(b) Meals.- All ORs requiring a meal after or before the above stated meal times will draw a chit from the Det Ord Sjt or Duty NCO, which will be submitted to the Duty Cook.

Any man on late duty requiring food after 2030 hrs will report to the Duty NCO.

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N O T I C E S.

LOST

In the Vaccari Hotel, one set of dentures belonging to Pte South J.

Will anyone able to supply information leading to the whereabouts of the above kindly report to the Orderly Room, Hotel Genova.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
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No. 124/45.

In the Field. 5 May 45.

628. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 6 May 45 - Cpl Spear E.

Reveille	.....	0700	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adj.
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629. POSTAL VOTING AT THE NEXT GENERAL ELECTION (Notice Board Information No. 127 refers)

You should have filled up and posted an AF B2626 some time prior to this date. This guaranteed your vote in the future and placed you officially on the Voting Register.

On this form you probably nominated a proxy, i.e. a person whom you authorised to vote for you in your absence overseas.

When the date of the next Election is fixed you may desire to vote on your own accord and not use the services of your proxy, consequently you may take advantage of the Postal Voting service which is now in operation. This will ensure that Ballot Papers are sent direct to you with candidates names, etc., and you can then make your vote direct from this end.

You can now obtain from the office of the Ord Sjt, Brit Det, an AF B2639 which you fill up according to instructions and post in the normal way. This form requests that Ballot Papers, etc., be sent to your present address.

It is of paramount importance that all ORs of this HQ realise that in the near future there must be a General Election and that his vote will be an important contribution to the future Democratic Governing of Great Britain.

630. DISCIPLINE

Requisitioned Veh. Report

The Police Sjt will collect and hand in to the RSM by 0800 hrs on Monday, 7 May 45, the Requisitioned Vehicle Report form from the regimental policemen concerned.

631. O.C's INTERVIEW

The u/m NCO will parade outside the Orderly Room at 1000 hrs Sunday, 6 May 45:-

S/6970164 L/Cpl Johnson T.J. RASC.

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N O T I C E S

ORs' DANCE

Tickets for ORs' Dance to be held at Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, on TUESDAY, 8 MAY 45, will be on sale at the office of the Det Ord Sjt on Sunday, 6 May 45. Price 50 Lire. There will be a bar available.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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O. C. British Detachment.
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No. 123/45.

In the Field. 4 May 45.

623. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 5 May 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Secretary	
Asst Adm.	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	

624. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Saturday, 5 May 45:-

14242948	Sjt	Blom	B.
S/14512330	L/Cpl	Cordery	J.S.
7013414	Fus	Foy	T.B.
1132469	Gnr	Lomax	A.J.
4758432	Pte	Thrush	N.

625. ANTI-MOSQUITO SPRAY

Anti-mosquito spray will be issued to those responsible for Officers' Messes, from the QM Stores every Monday when collecting soap issues, etc.

Those collecting this spray will provide the necessary receptacle or bottle.

626. LEAVE

No. 5770325 CQMS Bush E.L. has been granted 4 days' leave from reveille 8 May until 2359 hrs 11 May 45, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

627. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMLA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 5 May 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(c) Laundry List

A laundry list is issued with each bundle of clean laundry.

This list will be completed and handed in together with the dirty laundry.

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O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 122/45.

In the Field. 5 May 45.

619. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 4 May 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst. Sec.	
Asst. Sec.	
Chief Clerk	

620. REST HOME

Further to DRO 617/45, the following is published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

1. The Senior OR of the party travelling to Fregene will be responsible for the discipline of that party and is in charge of the M.T. provided for the journey.
2. He will ensure that the mined area at Fregene, i.e. the hedgerows and woods, are not trespassed and that ORs keep to the main paths.
3. That no bathing is permitted unless a strong swimmer is available to act as a lifeguard.
4. No bather will swim out of his depth.
5. The flanks of the bathing area will be defined and the lifeguard is empowered to order men back into the area if they swim or drift outside it.
6. The NCO i/c M.I. Room (L/Cpl Wright) will provide sufficient First Aid kit for use at the Rest Home.

621. HQ COMMANDANT'S INTERVIEW

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office (Min. Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0845 hrs Friday, 4 May 45:-

T/14344572 Dvr Carter H.E. RASC.

622. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 "
} Sat., Sun., and Mon., 5-7 May 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 "
} Sun & Mon 6 & 7 May 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 "
} Tue 8 May 45.

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6. The NCO i/c M.I. Room (L/Cpl Wright) will provide sufficient First Aid kit for use at the Rest Home.

621. H.Q. COMMANDANT'S INTERVIEW

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C.O. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 121/45.

In the Field. 2 May 45.

614. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 3 May 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"



615. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 4 May 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, BASEMENT GARAGE	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, 1st floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 6 May 45	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

616. ARMY SERVICE RELEASE

Para 326 of Release Regulations provides that personnel who do not wish to be released when eligible, may continue to serve provided their services can be utilized by the Army. This is applicable only to those in Release Groups 1 to 26 inclusive.

Other Ranks of this Headquarters in Release Groups 1 and 3 desiring to apply for continued service will report to the Orderly Room before 1800 hrs 12 May 45 to complete necessary proforma.

A similar notification for those in Release Groups 4-26 will be made in these orders at a later date.

617. REST HOME

W.e.f. Sunday, 6 Apr 45, transport will be provided daily to the Rest Home at Fregene. On Sundays there will be a 6 x 6 and on weekdays a 15 cwt. In the latter case the number of ORs using the vehicle daily will determine the necessity to continue the weekday service.

The senior OR travelling each day will collect from the Ration Cpl total rations in bulk and deliver to Pte Brown at Rest Home.

618. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
4 May 45	7 May 45	Cpl Green J., Dvr Wainwright A.
9 " "	12 " "	Dvr Latham S.

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" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Rank personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Geneva, Room 14,	Other personnel employed at HQ.
Mon 6 May 45	0900 "	1st floor.	Personnel not included in above.
		- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

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Para 526 of Release Regulations provides that personnel who do not wish to be released when eligible, may continue to serve provided their services can be utilized by the Army. This is applicable only to those in Release Groups 1 to 26 inclusive.

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N O T I C E S

ORs' DANCE

Tickets for ORs' Dance to be held at the Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, on TUESDAY, 8 MAY 45, will be on sale at the office of the Det Ord Sjt on Sunday, 6 May 45. Price 50 Lire. There will be a bar available.

ORs are reminded that American friends apply to their own Special Service Sjt for tickets for this dance.

Tickets are getting into the hands of ORs outside this HQ. These ORs invariably cause trouble. ORs purchasing dance tickets will purchase them for their own use only.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
M.G. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 1 May 45.

Adjutant	
Asst Adjt.	
Asst Adjt.	
Chief Clerk	

609. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Wed 2 May 45 - Sgt Gaskin, J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours.

610. APPOINTMENTS.
In accordance with authority ref G-1E/477/OR dated 30 April 45, the u/m O.R. is appointed Local Unpaid Lance Corporal w.e.f. 30 April 45. This appointment will be relinquished on ceasing to perform the duties at present carried out by this O.R.
This soldier will report to the Q.M.Stores for necessary chevrons.

T/10574183 Pte Jackson, F. - R.A.S.C.

611. O.C's PARADE.
The u/m will report to the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs Wednesday, 2 May 45.

S/14512330 L/Cpl Cordery, J.S. - R.A.S.C.

612. LEAVE.
No. 14208799 Tpr Avers, C. has been granted 4 days' leave from reveille 5 May 45 until 2359 hrs 8 May 45, and will report to the Orderly Sgt forthwith.

613. DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS.
The attention of all concerned is drawn to the following, which is published for information and strict compliance:-
(a) All requests for publication in these orders will in future be submitted in writing to the O.C. by 1200 hrs on the day which publication is required.
(b) O.Rs. will familiarise themselves with all orders published. "Ignorance" will not be accepted as an excuse for any infringement or non-compliance with instructions laid down in these orders.
(c) Any O.R. of this Headquarters, who, by virtue of his location (billet), is unable to read Daily Routine Orders on the Unit notice boards, and to whom a copy is not already despatched, will report to the Chief Clerk of the Orderly Room who will arrange a daily delivery of these orders.
(d) Other Ranks who are "absent on duty" from this Headquarters will, on their return, ensure that they are familiar with all the orders published during their absence. This to be done by reporting to the Ord Sgt who will keep a permanent file copy of all Daily Routine Orders published.
(e) DROs are posted by 1700 hrs daily on notice boards at the following locations:-

HQ Bldg (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni), Main Entrance.
ORs' Billets, Albergos Genova & Vaccari.
Sgts' Mess, Albergo Urbe.
ORs' Mess, Vaccari Restaurant.
Super Garage (Piazza Verdi), Regt Police Room.

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S/10674183 Pte Jackson, F. - R.A.S.C.

611. O.C.'s INTERVIEW.

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INTER-UNIT TABLE TENNIS.

The attention of all O.Rs. is drawn to the notice posted separately on the Notice Boards, which states that a Table Tennis Tournament will be held in the Alexander Club at 1900 hrs 14 May 45 to 21 May 45 inclusive.

Those wishing to become team members are requested to submit their names to the British Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Wednesday, 2 May 45.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE - O.Rs.

The Entertainments Committee will meet tonight, Tuesday 1 May 45, at 1845 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 119/45.

30 Apr 45.

In the Field.

606. ROUTINE

Duty RCO Tue 1 May 45 - Cpl Spear E.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

607. MEDICAL INSPECTION

All Offs of this headquarters up to and including the rank of Corporal will parade outside the M.I. Room at 1400 hrs Tue, 1 May 45, for a medical inspection.

Those who by virtue of duty are unable to attend this parade will do so at 1530 hrs as above on the same date.

608. SITS' MESS MEMBERSHIP CARDS

New Permanent & Temporary Mess Membership Cards come into force as from reveille Wed, 2 May 45.

These will be drawn from Mess Caterer and old cards handed in.

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O.C. British Detachment.
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ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

The Alexander Club Committee (HQ AC represented by Cpl Wilson J.) meets each Friday. Suggestions or criticisms which personnel of this HQ may wish brought forward should be submitted in writing and handed to British Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs Thursday.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 118/45.

In the Field. 29 Apr 45.

504. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon, 30 Apr 45 - Sgt Brewin,
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours.

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst. Adjt.

505. SOLDIER'S SERVICE & PAY BOOK - AB64 PARTS I & II.

Daily Routine Order number 397 dated 20 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information and compliance of all O.Rs.

All O.Rs. must be in possession of AB64 Parts I & II, and every care will be taken to preserve them. Any soldier not in possession of either will report to the British Orderly Room immediately.

The following orders in respect of AB64 Parts I & II are repeated for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

(a) Identification - O.Rs.

AB64 (Parts I & II) provides the soldier's only means of identification. Many troops stationed in ROME are unable to produce either of these when called upon by C.M.P. to do so.

Therefore no O.R. of this Headquarters will leave billets for any reason unless he is in possession of AB64 (Part I or II).

If for any reason it is essential for any O.R. to hand in his Pt. I & II before leaving billets, a certificate, signed by the O.C. British Detachment, stating the circumstances, will be given to him.

(b) Next of Kin - Amendments to AB64 Part I.

In conjunction with ACI 667/44, the following is laid down for all O.Rs. of this Headquarters:-

Any alteration in the particulars of the next of kin will be reported immediately to the British Orderly Room.

Such alterations will then be made by the soldier concerned in his AB64 Part I under the observation of the O.C., who will initial the new entry.

(c) Hospital Admissions.

It is again emphasized that when proceeding to hospital either for treatment or admittance, all O.Rs. will ensure that they are in possession of their AB64 Parts I & II.

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(d) Duty-Free Labels.

Other Ranks of this Headquarters are in the habit of leaving their AB64 Part I with the Orderly Room duty clerk requesting an issue of Duty-Free Labels, with a view of collecting same at a later date. This practice is most irregular and will cease forthwith.

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It is pointed out that A.Fs.W5192 are signed by an Officer and the labels must be signed for by the recipient.

The previous order on this subject is repeated hereunder for strict compliance.

" Duty-Free Labels are obtained from the Orderly Room between 0830 and 0900 hrs daily, and personnel will produce their AB64 Part I when applying for same."

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully. Major.
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O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 117/45.

In the Field. 28 Apr 45.

600. ROUTINE

Duty MCO Sun 29 Apr 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0700	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
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Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Asst Secy
Chief Clerk

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(c) Dress
It is repeated for the information of all concerned that the wearing of summer dress, i.e. K.D., will not commence until orders are published in DROs.

(d) The u/m OR will report to the Orderly Room at 0930 hrs on Sunday, 29 Apr 45:-

T/10680011 Dvr Allen E.S.

602. BOUNDS - FERENTINO
Ref Daily Routine Order No. 342/45.
District Routine Order No. 505 dated 25 Apr 45 is republished hereunder for information:-
1. Ferentino is clear of Small Pox.
2. Routine Order No. 437 is cancelled accordingly.

603. PAY - ORs
All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 30 Apr 45.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 115/45.

In the Field.

26 Apr 45.

587. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 27 Apr 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out.....	2330	"

Adjt.	
Asst Adj.	
Asst Acc.	
Chief Clerk	

586. INSTRUCTORS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE RELEASE PERIOD EDUCATION SCHEME

GRO No. 458 dated 20 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. As part of the Release Period Education Scheme, it is proposed to establish at least one Formation College in CMF the function of which will be to provide advanced tuition in a wide variety of subjects for officers and ORs of the Army and the auxiliary women's services. The courses given will be full-time and of about one month's duration.

2. This advanced work will require highly-qualified instructors. Appendix I to this GRO (which may be seen in the Orderly Room) gives details of the principal subjects which will be offered and for which full time, residential chief instructors and instructors, both officer and other ranks, will be required. An indication is also given of the qualifications instructors should possess.

3. The fact that an officer or OR is employed in duties in connection with the Army Education Scheme will in no way prejudice his eligibility for release under the normal rules laid down in Release Regulations or for repatriation under Python.

589. RATION SCALES - REDUCTION IN FREE ISSUE OF MATCHES

GRO No. 447 dated 20 Apr 45 is republished for information:-

1. With the liberation of FRANCE, BELGIUM and the NETHERLANDS, a heavy demand has been placed on the UK for the supply of matches to these countries and this will continue until the factories which exist in FRANCE and BELGIUM can resume production.

2. To meet these needs, the availability of matches in the UK has been reduced to a minimum and it has become necessary for overseas theatres to reduce their demands on the UK.

3. Accordingly, wef 1 May 45 and until further notice, where existing scale of free issue is two boxes per week, the following scale of matches will be substituted:-

Two boxes per week-

(a) All troops, including RAF, located forward of Army rear boundaries.
(b) All troops, including RAF, in ALBANIA, YUGOSLAVIA and GREECE.
(c) All RAF operational air crews located behind Army rear boundaries.

One box per week - All troops, including RAF in CMF (including NORTH AFRICA), not included in (a), (b) or (c) above.

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590. LEAVE

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Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out..... 2330 "

Chief Clerk

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590. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille 30 Apr 45 until 2359 hrs 3 May 45, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

A/RQMS Doggett K.
Sjt Barber L.

591. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 28-30 Apr 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 29 & 30 Apr 45.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 1 May 45.

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592. PUNISHMENTS

Accused	Offence	Punishment Awarded
No. D/56323 Pte Faulkner T., R. Warwicks.	WOAS. Being in Piazza dei Cinquecento at 0110 hrs, 1 hr 10 mins after Curfew (Contrary to RAAC Special Order 90/44, dated 20 Aug 44.)	Deprived of 7 Days' Pay by HQ Commandant 26 Apr 45.

593. MEDICAL (DOCUMENTATION)

All senior ORs of this Headquarters are reminded that they will report to the M.I. Room before 1 May 45 for the purpose of checking inoculations, etc.

594. PROMOTIONS

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/479/OR dated 26 Apr 45 and GHQ 2nd Ech authy 02E/26/248/97 dated 18 Apr 45, the u/m NCO, attached to this Headquarters from AFHQ (Transit Hotel Pool), is promoted Paid Acting Sjt w.e.f. 22 Apr 45 and relinquishes Local Paid appointment same date:-

No. 14242948 Local Paid Sjt Blom, B. A.C.C.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

BOOKS

There are a number of books by well-known authors available in the Orderly Room, and any OR may obtain one, on signature, from the Duty Clerk any evening after 1800 hrs.

ORs leaving station will, before their departure, return any books they may have drawn.

Personnel who have in their possession any books which they wish to dispose of, are welcome to add them to this collection.

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by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
C.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 114/45.

In the Field. 25 Apr 45.

582. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 26 Apr 45 - Cpl Spear E.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Assistant
Asst Acc. prep
Asst Acc.
Chief Clerk

583. DISCIPLINE

1. M.T. Discipline (Smoking)

The following is published in conjunction with GRO 343/45:-

(a) It has come to notice that the order laid down in para 13, sub-para 7, of "Standing Orders for Drivers of Mechanical Vehicles (wheeled) and Motor Cyclists" is not being complied with.

(b) This is repeated hereunder for strict compliance, and offenders are liable to disciplinary action being taken against them:-

"Smoking is prohibited on any vehicle which is loaded with explosive or inflammable articles, and in the vicinity of any such articles when being handled. In no case will the driver smoke while actually driving any vehicle."

2. Curfew

In spite of previous orders published, C.M.P. reports continue to be received of ORs being apprehended after curfew.

It is emphasized that curfew in the city of ROME for all personnel commences at 2400 hrs and ceases at 0500 hrs, during which time no troops are permitted on the streets except those on duty, who must be in possession of a R.A.A.C. 'After Curfew Pass'.

Future infringements of this order will be most severely dealt with.

584. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sgt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
2 May 45	5 May 45	Cpl Tomlin J.A., L/Cpl Day W.H., Dvr Richardson G.

585. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0845 hrs on Thursday, 26 Apr 45:-

No. D/38323 Pte Faulkner T. R.Warwicks.

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586. POSTAL SERVICES TO LIBERATED TERRITORIES

GRO No. 445 dated 20 Apr 45 is republished hereunder for information:-

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584. LEAVE

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GRO No. 445 dated 20 Apr 45 is republished hereunder for information:-

1. The following postal services are now available from this Command to civil addresses in BULGARIA and ROUMANIA:-

(a) Letters not exceeding 1 oz. in weight - postage 3d.
Letters over 1 oz. but not exceeding 2 ozs. in weight - postage 4½d.

(b) Non-illustrated postcards - postage 2d.
Correspondence may be registered. Registration fee, 3d.

Business and financial communications are limited to those ascertaining facts and exchanging information.

2. The special censorship regulations detailed in GRO 716/44 apply to communications addressed to civil addresses in BULGARIA and ROUMANIA.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 113/45.

In the Field. 24 Apr 45.

577. ROUTINE

Duty MCO Wed 25 Apr 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Received
Asst. Aos.
Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

578. APPOINTMENTS

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14242948 Pte (L/A/U/Sjt) Blom B. A.C.C.

579. ELECTRIFICATION OF RAILWAY LINES

GRO No. 420 dated 13 Apr 45 is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

1. The railway lines FOGGIA-BENEVENTO and NAPLES-AVERSA-CASERTA and CASERTA-CANCELLO-NAPLES are now being run by electric traction. All overhead cables should be regarded by personnel as energized.
2. Drivers of vehicles will be cautioned to ensure that no part of their vehicle or load comes into contact with the overhead cable at level crossings. A warning to this effect will be included in all road movement orders.
3. Clearance signs on either side will indicate the level crossings involved.

580. LEAVE

No. T/4856797 Dvr Tecce W.H. has been granted leave from reveille 26 Apr 45 until 2359 hrs 29 Apr 45, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith.

581. DISCIPLINE (ARMS)

The attention of all DRs is drawn to HQ AC Standing Order No. 13 which states that all DRs will hand in their revolvers to the Regimental Policeman on duty at the ORs' billets. Revolvers will be placed under lock and key in the box provided and the owner will sign "Out and In" in the policemen's book.

The RSM will ensure that this order is being complied with.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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N O T I C E S

ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

It is again brought to the notice of all ORs that a Committee has been formed with the object of introducing improvements in the running and organizing of the a/m Club.

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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.I.

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N O T I C E S

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Cpl Wilson J., who represents HQ Allied Commission on this Committee, will welcome any suggestions or criticisms which personnel may wish brought forward; these to be submitted in writing, and to reach the Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs each Thursday.

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by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 23 Apr 45.

No. 112/45.

572. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 24 Apr 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hrs
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 "
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

573. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0900 hrs on Tuesday, 24 Apr 45:-

For Interview:- No. T/14395344 Dvr Peel J. RASC.
" 5338322 Pte Hathaway A. RWK.

574. POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR MAIL TO UNITED KINGDOM AND EIRE

GRO No. 394 dated 13 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

"The following alterations in postal arrangements are announced:-

1. All letters up to one ounce in weight addressed to UNITED KINGDOM and EIRE from CMF are now conveyed by air free of charge. Letters should be endorsed "On Active Service".

2. Letters for despatch by air over one ounce but under one and a half ounces will be charged 6d. A further charge of 6d. will be made for each additional half ounce thereafter up to a maximum weight of ... lbs. Postage must be pre-paid in British postage stamps and letters must be clearly marked in blue "AIR MAIL".

3. Airgraphs continue to require a 3d. stamp to cover processing charges. Airgraph Forms may still be obtained on demand from Army Post Offices on purchase of an equivalent number of 3d. stamps.

4. Air Letters (AF W3077) will be issued free on demand from Army Post Offices. Paragraph 7 of GRO 143/45 is cancelled. AF W3077 is the most suitable stationery for Air Mail Letters and with the waiving of postal charges the consumption of these forms is likely to increase. The stocks of these forms are such that it is essential to limit their use strictly to the writing of air letters. Steps will be taken by all concerned to ensure that they are not diverted to other purposes and that demands are not made for other than immediate requirements. Postal authorities have instructions to reduce demands which they consider to be excessive. If the consumption of AF W3077 increases considerably, it will be necessary to introduce a system to conserve stocks and to ensure equitable distribution.

5. Rates of postage for letters to be conveyed by sea and to destinations other than UNITED KINGDOM and EIRE remain unchanged.

6. It is also notified that letters up to one ounce in weight may now be sent by air from UNITED KINGDOM only to CMF for 1½d. Letters of one and a half ounces are charged 6d. and a further 6d. per half ounce thereafter. A special stamped "FORCES LETTER" is on sale at Post Offices in UNITED KINGDOM only at 9d. all in charge

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Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0900 hrs on Tuesday, 24 Apr 45:-

For Interview:- No. W/14395544 Dvr Peel J. RASC.
" 5338522 Pte Hathaway A. RWK.

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575. USE OF EXPLOSIVES FOR FISHING

GRO No. 342 dated 13 Apr 45 is republished hereunder for information:-

1. It has been reported that Military personnel have been using explosives for fishing.

2. It is brought to the notice of all ranks that the use of explosives for fishing is expressly forbidden and that disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

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576. SOLDIER BOOKMAKERS

RAAO General Order No. 15, dated 20 Apr 45, is repeated hereunder for information and guidance:-

"All Allied Military personnel are prohibited from operating as bookmakers at all public race tracks and other sporting events conducted by Italian agencies."

(Sgd.) M. I. M. Scully, Major.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

ORs' DANCE

Ref Dance Notice published in DRO S/N 110, dated 21 Apr 45.

This is amended to read as follows:-

Tickets for ORs' Dance to be held at the Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, on Wednesday, 25 Apr 45, will be on sale at the office of the Det Ord Sjt on Monday, 23 Apr 45. Price 50 Lire. There will be a bar available.

ORs are reminded that American friends apply to their own Special Service Sjt for tickets for this dance.

Tickets are getting into the hands of ORs outside this Bn. These ORs invariably cause trouble. ORs purchasing dance tickets will purchase them for their own use only.

LOST

Leather wallet containing AB 64 Part II, cash, AC Pass, etc., in the vicinity of the ORs' billet, Hotel Genova, on the night of 21 Apr 45, the property of T/4544272 Dvr Latham S.

Finder please return to the Orderly Room, first floor, Hotel Genova.

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by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission. C.M.F.

No.111/45.

In the Field. 22 Apr 45.

569. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 23 Apr 45 - Sgt. Cookson, J.
Reveille .....0630 hrs.
Breakfast .....0645 - 0745 hrs.
Lunch .....1200 - 1330 "
Dinner .....1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out .....2330 hrs.

570. MEDICAL INSPECTION.

The u/m personnel will parade in the foyer of the Hotel Genova on Mon 23 Apr 45 at 1845 hrs:-

T/207101	Dvr.	Allen,	E.	5784166	Pte.	Allen,	E.
S/2661977	Cpl.	Birkin,	R.J.	T/982979	Dvr.	Banks,	C.E.
6985754	Fus.	Ball,	E.	2698932	Gdsn.	Blant,	A.
5107419	Pte.	Burgess,	S.	7014480	Rfn.	Brice,	J.
2618408	L/Cpl.	Brown,	B.	2763126	Pte.	Bridges,	T.
4399486	Pte.	Boyes,	W.	1561695	Pte.	Cole,	L.
S/14412346	L/Cpl.	Connon,	H.T.	7045199	Fus.	Cooper,	J.
2696230	Gdsn.	Duncan,	A.	6346861	Cpl.	Evernden,	R.F.
3956273	Pte.	Edwards,	M.	D/38323	Pte.	Faulkner,	T.
7013414	Fus.	Foy,	T.B.	S/4207869	L/Cpl.	Gardiner,	E.G.C.L.
T/44767	Cpl.	Green,	J.	T/14344626	Dvr.	Green,	W.
T/10696552	Dvr.	Gardiner,	W.H.	3715624	Pte.	Geggie,	E.
3598179	Pte.	Grierson,	B.H.	4079849	Pte.	Gibbs,	D.A.
4464566	Pte.	Hopper,	T.A.	2696977	L/Cpl.	Henderson,	W.
3865757	Pte.	Heywood,	R.	S/10691735	Cpl.	Hislam,	S.
2964242	Pte.	Hughes,	J.	S/10673543	L/Cpl.	Horton,	C.C.
4926754	Pte.	Horley,	W.	2618191	Gdsn.	Holmes,	F.C.
3445890	Fus.	Houghton,	J.	3169971	Tpr.	Hume,	A.
S/14334762	Cpl.	Irving,	J.	T/14528506	Dvr.	Jackson,	F.
T/4030174	Dvr.	Jones,	D.	10696934	Pte.	Lynch,	R.
1137179	Gnr.	Leese,	J.T.	1132469	Gnr.	Lomax,	A.
2993352	Pte.	Laird,	C.	S/14223025	L/Cpl.	MacRae,	T.
T/10704916	Dvr.	McCarthy,	J.	4042629	Pte.	Newbury,	F.S.
S/3915991	L/Cpl.	Orphan,	L.J.	T/14385353	Dvr.	Pitcher,	R.G.
T/14345981	Dvr.	Preston,	C.	T/14395344	Dvr.	Peel,	J.
4809973	Pte.	Quigley,	C.	S/4351043	Cpl.	Robinson,	E.
901659	L/Bdr.	Roberts,	M.D.	4390975	Pte.	Rosa,	W.
4452937	Pte.	Rogers,	G.	920128	Gnr.	Robertson,	W.M.
T/226161	Dvr.	Seager,	R.	T/269294	Dvr.	Stewart,	J.B.
T/5496160	Dvr.	Stevens,	O.N.	T/14599114	Dvr.	Spillane,	L.
14514520	Fus.	Savage,	J.	7912444	Pte.	Sison,	A.
1132838	Pte.	Simpson,	H.R.	T/270069	Dvr.	Titterton,	P.T.
14313081	Tpr.	Westley,	S.	S/3972348	Cpl.	Watkins,	H.
6030730	Pte.	Webb,	J.	6467789	Fus.	Williams,	J.
1133890	Gnr.	Wiles,	W.A.	3973570	Pte.	Williamson,	J.

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T/174894	Dvr.	Forshaw,	L.H.	T/10703259	Dvr.	Mitchell,	P.
6969425	Rfn.	Himms,	N.	T/11261104	Dvr.	Reynolds,	L.
1104919	Gnr.	Rouson,	J.	T/15496	L/Cpl.	Smith,	E.J.

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T/207101	Dvr.	Allen,	E.	5784166	Pte.	Allen,	E.
3/2661977	Cpl.	Birkin,	R.J.	T/982979	Dvr.	Banks,	C.E.
6985754	Fus.	Bull,	D.	2698952	Gdsn.	Blank,	A.
5107419	Pte.	Burgess,	S.	7014480	Rfn.	Brier,	J.
2618488	L/Cpl.	Brown,	E.	2763126	Pte.	Bri[illegible]s,	T.
4399486	Pte.	Boyes,	W.	1561695	Pte.	Cole,	L.
S/14412346	L/Cpl.	Common,	H.T.	7045199	Fus.	Cooper,	J.
2696230	Gdsn.	Duncan,	A.	6346861	Cpl.	Everndon,	R.F.
5956275	Pte.	Edwards,	M.	D/38325	Pte.	Faulkner,	T.
7013414	Fus.	Foy,	E.R.	S/4207869	L/Cpl.	Gardiner,	E.G.C.L.
D/44767	Cpl.	Green,	J.	T/14344626	Dvr.	Green,	W.
D/10696555	Dvr.	Gardiner,	T.H.	3715624	Pte.	Geggie,	E.
3598179	Pte.	Grierson,	B.H.	4079849	Pte.	Gibbs,	D.A.
4464566	Pte.	Hopper,	T.A.	2696977	L/Cpl.	Henderson,	W.
3865757	Pte.	Heywood,	R.	S/10691735	Cpl.	Hislam,	S.
2984242	Pte.	Hughes,	J.	S/10673543	L/Cpl.	Horton,	C.C.
4926754	Pte.	Hurley,	M.	2618191	Gdsn.	Holmes,	F.C.
3445830	Fus.	Houghton,	J.	3189971	Tpr.	Hume,	A.
S/14234762	Cpl.	Irving,	J.	T/14528506	Dvr.	Jackson,	F.
T/4030174	Dvr.	Jones,	D.	1069634	Pte.	Lynch,	R.
1137179	Gnr.	Leese,	J.T.	1132469	Gnr.	Lomax,	A.
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1104919	Gnr.	Ransom,	J.	T/215496	L/Cpl.	Smith,	E.J.
969622	Gnr.	Thomson,	E.				

571. MEDICAL. (DOCUMENTION.)

With effect from todays date until 30 Apr 45. , all Senior O.Rs. of this Headquarters will report to the NCO i/c M.I. Room for the purpose of checking inoculations etc.

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O.C. British Detachment.
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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Major T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 107/45.

In the Field. 18 Apr 45.

551. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thurs 19 Apr 45 - Sgt Cookson, J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours

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552. DISCIPLINE.

Extracts from G.R.O. S/N 15 dated 13 Apr 45. are republished for information and strict compliance of all concerned :-

318. TELEPHONE SECURITY.

1. The fact that all telephone conversations may be overheard should be borne in mind by subscribers.

2. The strictest security must be maintained, since many switchboards and main repeater stations, through which military telephone traffic is routed, are now manned by Italian civilians.

326. MAIL CENSORSHIP RELEASES.

1. Troops who have taken part in the following operations may mention their personal participation in their private correspondence.

(a) SALERNO landing.
(b) Crossing of VOLTURNO.
(c) Crossing of SANGRO.
(d) CASSINO battles.
(e) Crossing of GARIGLIANO.
(f) ANZIO Bridgehead and break-out there-from.
(g) Break-through of HITLER Line.
(h) Break-through of GOTHIC Line.
(i) Battle of FLORENCE.
(j) DALMATION ISLANDS.
(k) GREECE.

2. In connection with the above the following censorship rules will be strictly observed :-

(a) No military formation or unit (even the writer's own) will be identified except by correct return address.

(b) No mention of participation in the above operations is permitted:-

(i) In Green Envelope mail.
(ii) In Privilege Air Letters unless submitted for unit censorship in accordance with G.R.O. 556/44.
(iii) In correspondence addressed to countries other than the United Kingdom, British Empire or Continental United States.
(iv) In Telegrams.

3. Further releases of this nature will be issued from time to time.

339 CENSORSHIP - BREACH OF GREEN ENVELOPE PRIVILEGE.

1. Cases have been reported of green envelopes being handed to Italian photographers in order that films left for developing might be returned to the owner by post. The envelopes have been addressed to the owner of the films and the certificate, stating that the contents of the envelope

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

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

(b) To notify their unit address to any civilian. Disciplinary action will be taken against offenders.

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553. CLOTHING (K.D.)

O.Rs. are reminded that all K.D. issues will be ready for wear by 1st May 45.

Definite orders on the change into K.D. will be published at a later date.

554. PAY - O.Rs.

Pay parade for British O.Rs. at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 20 Apr 45.	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, BASEMENT GARAGE	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 hrs	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 hrs	Hotel Geneva, Room 14, 1st floor	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 23 Apr 45.	0900 hrs	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

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- NOTICE -

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE. O.Rs.

The Entertainments Committee will meet on THURSDAY 19 April 45, at 1900 hrs in room 12, Albergo Geneva.

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No. 106/45.

In the Field. 17 Apr 45.

546. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Wed 18 Apr 45 - Sgt Caskin, J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1600 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours

Asst. AOS
Asst Adc.
Chief Clerk

547. O.C's PARADE.

D.R.O. No. 544 dated 16 April 45 is republished for information.

All O.Rs. of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the O.Rs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1315 hrs Wednesday, 18 April 45, for a talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMLA) and Lombardia Region personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sgt by 1230 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.

The R.S.M. and Provost Sergeant will be in attendance.

548. LEAVE.

The u/m O.Rs. have been granted leave from reveille 19 April 45 until 2359 hrs 22 April 45, and will report to the Ord Sgt forthwith.

T/6344482 L/Cpl Feast A.
3445890 Fus. Houghton J.

549. MEDICAL INSPECTION.

All O.Rs. of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will parade in the foyer of the Hotel Genova at 1845 hrs Thursday, 19 April 45, for Medical Inspection.

550. RELEASE PRIORITY.

In accordance with A.C.I. 140/45 all men and women whose year of birth, as declared by them when first entering the Army, is 1895 will be placed in Group I in the table of Age and Service Groups for Release, irrespective of the length of their service.

Any O.R. of this Headquarters affected by this instruction will report to the Orderly Room by 1600 hrs Wednesday, 18 April 45, giving particulars.

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R.A.A.C. F.A. CUP FINAL (REPLAY).

The Cup Final replay, Chesters versus Derby County, is scheduled for Saturday 21 April 45. Kick Off 1530 hours.

Notification of team and transport arrangements will be made at a later date.

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No. 105/45.

In the Field. 16 Apr 45.

542. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 17 Apr 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

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Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

543. DISCIPLINE

In accordance with RAAC Special Order dated 15 Apr 45, DRO No. 540 dated 15 Apr 45 is amended to read as follows:-

"The Union Jack will be flown at Mast-head as from reveille 16 Apr except at Allied Headquarters, at which the British and American Flags are flown side by side, where it will be flown at Half-Mast until the American Flag is flown at Mast-head."

544. O.C's PARADE

All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the ORs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1315 hrs Wed, 18 Apr 45, for a talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) and Lombardia Region personnel will not attend this parade.

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The RSM and Provost Sjt will be in attendance.

545. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE

The ORs' Messing Committee will assemble in room 14, Albergo Genova, at 1315 hrs Tue, 17 Apr 45.

The following will also attend:-

RQMS Doggett K.
Sjt Gibbs H.
Cpl Gaines B.C.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Major.
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GAS RATTLES

All ORs who borrowed gas rattles for yesterday's football match will return same to the Det Ord Sjt forthwith.

ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

It is again brought to the notice of all ORs that a Committee has been formed with the object of introducing [illegible]

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It is again brought to the notice of all ORs that a Committee has been formed with the object of introducing improvements in the running and organizing of the a/m Club.

Cpl Wilson J., who represents HQ Allied Commission on this Committee, will welcome any suggestions or criticisms which personnel may wish brought forward; these to be submitted in writing, and to reach the Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs each Thursday.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 15 Apr 45.

539. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 16 Apr 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1300	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

540. DISCIPLINE

In accordance with RAAC General Order No. 14, dated Apr 45, National Flags displayed outdoors by all units of this command will be flown at half mast for thirty (30) days beginning at 0800 hrs, local time, 13 Apr 45.

541. MAIL - ORs

DMO No. 387 dated 17 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information and guidance:-

"The mail box erected outside the Orderly Room (Room 9) is intended exclusively for Camp Staff mail which requires censoring.

The remainder of ORs will continue to have their mail censored by an officer of the Branch or Section in which they are employed, and will NOT use this mail box."

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In the Field. 14 Apr 45.

535. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 15 Apr 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0700	hrs
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Orderly Officer
Asst. Adjt.
Asst. Adjt.
Chief Clerk

536. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0845 hrs on Monday, 16 Apr 45:-

No. 3956273 Pte Edwards M. Wlch Regt.

537. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 16 Apr 45.

538. DISCIPLINE

ORs' Lounge.- For the information of all ORs, the Lounge in the Albergo Genova will be "Out of Bounds" tomorrow, Sunday, 15 Apr 45.

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FUS FOY T.B.

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The above-mentioned have been selected to represent HQ AC (DERBY COUNTY) v. 30th Bn Cheshires (CHESTER) in the final of the RAAC League Competition. Kick-off at 1500 hrs on the National Stadium tomorrow, 15 Apr 45. Transport will leave the Hotel Genova at 1400 and 1430 hrs.

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Transport will leave the Hotel Genova at 1400 and 1430 hrs.
This is the final game, so come and support the Green and Whites in complete victory for this season. There are a certain number of rattles available, which may be obtained, on signature, from the Det Ord Sjt's Office. 100 paper rosettes (Green and White) may be drawn free of charge also from the Det Sjt's Office.
SUPPORT YOUR TEAM.

CUP FINAL DANCE

There will be a Cup Final Dance at the SALA PICHETTI, Via Velletri, on Sunday night, dancing to commence at 2030 until 2330 hrs, for AC personnel only.
Owing to the large number of invitations extended to the Cheshire Regt, 80 1918 invitations only are available to Cpls and below and 20 to Sjts' Mess of this HQ.
Admission will be by tickets only, which are free, and will be issued during Sunday.
Bar open between 2030-2130 and 2230-2330 hrs.

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13 Apr 45.

In the Field.

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Chief Clerk	

531. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 14 Apr 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	

532. PASSENGER DISCIPLINE IN MD VEHICLES

RAAC Routine Order No. 494 dated 11 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for information and strict compliance:-

1. Passengers will not sit on the tailboard when a vehicle is in motion.
2. Passengers will not ride on vehicle canopies, wings or cab roof.
3. No more than two persons including the driver, will ride in the driver's cabin unless the vehicles are specifically designed to carry extra persons.
4. When personnel other than the driver travel on a loaded vehicle at least one passenger will travel in the back of the vehicle to prevent theft from the load.

533. DOCUMENTATION

The u/m NCOs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Sat, 14 Apr 45:-

S/2157556	L/Cpl	Drummond	T.
S/6970164	"	Jeinson	T.J.
T/2588159	"	Jordan	R.R.

534. LEAVE

No. S/2616872 Cpl Wilson J. has been granted leave from reveille 14 Apr 45 until 2359 hrs 17 Apr 45, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith.

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No. 101/45.

In the Field. 12 Mar 45.

527. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 13 Apr 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

528. DRESS - BLACK BERETS

The following is extracted from GRO No. 298 dated 6 Apr 45 for information and strict compliance:-

"ACI 1408 of 1943 lays down that the only personnel who will wear Black Berets are:-

(a) personnel of the RAC (except 11th Hussars), and
(b) personnel of the Household Brigade in divisional and brigade headquarters of Guards Armoured Division and the Household Cavalry (Armoured Car) Regiment and armoured and tank battalions in the Guards Armoured Division.

The use of this form of head-dress by personnel not entitled to wear it will cease."

529. BOUNDS

General Order No. 13 dated 11 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

"The village of TRAGLIATA, map reference F5575 (sheet 171/200,000), is placed OUT OF BOUNDS to all Allied personnel after sundown. Troops will not be stationed within TWO KILOMETERS of TRAGLIATA."

530. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

It is pointed out that the NAAFI will be closed on Sunday afternoon, 15 Apr 45.

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs Sat, Sun & Mon 14-16 Apr 45.
1400 - 1700 " Sat 14 Apr 45 & Mon 16 Apr 45.

ORs at 36-38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs Sun, Mon & Tue 15-17 Apr 45.
1400 - 1700 " Mon 16 Apr 45.
1800 - 2000 " Tue 17 Apr 45.

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No. 100/45.

In the Field. 11 Apr 45.

521. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 12 Apr 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

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Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief C...

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The use of this form of head-dress by personnel not entitled to wear it will cease."

523. DAMAGE TO RAILWAY PROPERTY AND OCCUPATION OF RAILWAY PREMISES

GRO No. 315 dated 6 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

1. All railway premises, including workshops, transit sheds, sidings, station buildings, yards, equipment and stores are reserved for the use of the British or US Transportation Service (Military Railway Service). This applies not only to the Italian State Railways, but to all railways, either standard or narrow gauge, whether they are being operated or not.
2. All ranks are forbidden to remove or interfere in any way with railway property, equipment or stores, unless authorized to do so by an officer of British or US Transportation Service (Military Railway Service).
3. The removal of stores urgently required for rehabilitation of the railways may not only retard the opening of vital lines of communication, but may also mean the unnecessary importation of stores to make good the loss.
4. No railway premises may be occupied by troops until:-
   (a) A written application has been made to British Movements or US Transportation Staff Branches of the Base Section, Area or Sub Area concerned.
   (b) British Movements or US Transportation Staff Branches have obtained the consent of the British and US Transportation Service (Military Railway Service), and have notified the Base Section Area or Sub Area Headquarters accordingly.
   (c) This does not apply to special installations such as Bulk Petrol and Cold Storage Plants.
5. AAI Routine Order No. 46 of 1944 is cancelled.

524. NATIONAL SAVINGS ...

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524. NATIONAL SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

For the information of those desirous of saving, the British Detachment of this Headquarters, has become a Savings Group affiliated to No. 8 Command Pay Office.

This enables ORs to purchase National Savings Certificates for cash through the Unit. The purchasing price of these certificates is 15/- and £1 per single unit. They are also obtainable in various denominations from 1 to 100.

Purchases can be made on application to the Asst. O.C. British Detachment, Room 14, Albergo Genova, on Tuesday of each week from 1400 to 1700 hrs.

Those interested who wish for further information on this scheme, may obtain same from the Pay NCO, Room 14, Albergo Genova.

Note:- National Savings Certificates are free from income tax

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525. SPEED LIMITS

GRO No. 848/44 as republished in DRO No. 538 dated 24 Oct 44, is amended as follows:-

Delete para 3 and substitute:-

"3. The maximum speed limits in de-restricted areas are as follows:

	mph
Staff Cars	55
Ambulances 2-str (light)	45
Motor Cycles	40
Cars 2-str (utility) including cars 5 cwt (jeeps)	40
Trucks, Lorries and Vans (up to and including 1 ton)	35
Ambulances 4-str (Heavy)	30
Lorries (over 1 ton and up to and including 6 ton), including troop carriers and semi-trailers	30
Half tracked vehicles	30
Tractors (wheeled)	25
Lorries over 6 ton (including semi-trailers)	20
Lorries with trailers	20
Full tracked vehicles (except tractors)	20
Full tracked vehicles (Tractors)	15
Transporters	15 "

526. FOOTBALL KIT

Any member of the Football Team in possession of articles of football kit, i.e. boots, socks, vests andknickers, will hand them in to Rfmn Price, room 22, Hotel Genova by 1400 hrs tomorrow, Thursday, 12 Apr 45.

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In the Field. 10 Apr 45.

517. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 11 Apr 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

518. HYGIENE

The following orders are published for information and compliance:-

(a) Blankets

It is again emphasized that all ORs will shake their blankets at least once per week, and will dust them with anti-lice powder (AL-63).

Any OR who has reason to believe that his clothing, bedding, etc., are contaminated with vermin, will report the fact in person immediately either to the Orderly Sjt or the Orderly Room.

AL-63 powder may be obtained from the QM Stores at any time.

(b) Baths

(i) The highest standard of personal cleanliness must be maintained.

All ORs will have a hot shower or bath at least once a week.

Hot water baths are available in the ORs' billet, Hotel Genova, on the following days:-

Tuesdays,
Wednesdays,
Saturdays,
Sundays.

(ii) All Public Baths in Rome Area Allied Command are Out of Bounds to all ranks.

There are baths in Rome for the use of British Officers and ORs which are located at 9-11 Via Ferruccio, off Piazza Vittorio Emanuele (MR 757666).

Casual personnel may bath any time between 0800 and 1600 hrs except Wednesday from 0900 to 1200 hrs, when the baths are reserved for officers.

Towels are provided free for day leave personnel only.

Organized parties of six or more will apply to Town Major, Rome, for allocation of time for bathing.

519. SJTS' MESS MEETING

DRO No. 488 dated 5 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for the information of those concerned:-

"There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on THURSDAY, 12 APR 45 in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty including attached personnel, but less Land Forces Sub Commission personnel and those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening."

520. DOCUMENTATION

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520. DOCUMENTATION

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part II to room 14, Albergo Genova, by 1800 hrs Wednesday, 11 Apr 45:-

S/2117065	S/Sjt	Cash	A.	2618488	L/Cpl	Brown	B.T.C.
S/10707393	"	Brayshaw	H.	6453791	Pte	Lynch	H.
S/158282	"	Pollard	H.H.	6355154	"	Armstrong	T.
S/6205794	"	Wright	R.G.	S/982979	"	Banks	C.E.
S/150671	Sjt	Atterby	L.V.J.	T/5338111	Dvr	Biggs	D.E.
S/10706684	"	Hagen	E.G.	T/270069	"	Titterton	P.
S/170604	Cpl	Cutler-Andrews	N.	D/26582	Pte	Barnes	A.V.
6346861	"	Evernden	R.F.				

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No. 98/45.

In the Field. 9 Apr 45.

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Asst. Acs.	
Asst Acs.	
Chief Clerk	

513. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 10 Apr 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	 0630	hrs
Breakfast	..... 0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	..... 1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	..... 1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	 2330	"

514. DISCIPLINE

(a) Sick Parade

Effective immediately all ORs reporting sick will do so with small kit consisting of knife, fork, spoon, razor, comb, lather brush, toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, towel, mess tins, canvas shoes, boot brush, hold-all and housewife. Identity discs will be worn.

(b) ORs Proceeding out of Station

W.e.f. reveille Tuesday, 10 Apr 45, all ORs proceeding out of station on temporary duty, i.e. courier drivers, escorts, leave personnel, etc., will hand kit not required for their journey into room No. 22, first floor, Albergo Genova. Kit will be correctly labelled and packed into the kit bag and valise, and no separate articles will be accepted. On no account will kit or personal effects be left behind in the rooms.

515. CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT

(a) Leather Jerkins.- All DRs and M.T. personnel are reminded that they will hand in leather jerkins to QM Stores by 1600 hrs Tuesday, 10 Apr 45.

(b) Chevrons K.D.- Chevrons K.D. are now available at the QM Stores.

516. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 30

Handling of articles contaminated with blister gas liquid.- Contaminated articles can be handled with reasonable safety provided ointment is first rubbed into the hands (including ointment underneath the finger nails) and a visible film of it is thereafter maintained until the danger of contamination is over. After handling contaminated material in this manner the ointment should be wiped off with cotton waste and fresh ointment rubbed into the hands. (The cape or light gas suit should be worn when there is danger of contaminated articles coming into contact with clothing.)

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NOTICES

ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

It is again brought to the notice of all ORs that a Committee has been formed with the object of introducing improvements in the running and organizing of the a/m Club.

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ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

It is again brought to the notice of all ORs that a Committee has been formed with the object of introducing improvements in the running and organizing of the a/m Club.

Cpl Wilson J., who represents HQ Allied Commission on this Committee, will welcome any suggestions or criticisms which personnel may wish brought forward; these to be submitted in writing, and to reach the Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs each Thursday.

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511. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 9 Apr 45 - Sjt Erewin J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjutant	
Asst. Aos.	
Asst Aos.	
Chief Clerk	

512 DISCIPLINE (General)

D.R.O. 543 dated 25 Oct 44 is again published for information and strict compliance.

(a) Absentees.

The number of absentees picked up in Rome Area during the last few weeks has been considerable. The co-operation of all ranks is necessary to ensure that Rome shall not become such a hot-bed of desertion-crime as have other cities. Before giving lifts to service personnel, it is the duty of all ranks to satisfy themselves as to their bona-fides.

(b) Theft of Vehicles.

The loss of W.D. and requisitioned vehicles in the future will be even more severely dealt with.

(c) Unauthorized Lifts to Civilians

This has resulted in known enemy agents quite easily getting about the country, and so more easily securing valuable information. Civilians may only be transported when in possession of an authority signed by an Officer.

(d) Thefts from Vehicles.

It is emphasized that when anyone besides the Dvr is travelling in a truck, that person shall always be in the back of the vehicle to safeguard its contents.

(e) Thefts from Quarters.

ORs are reminded not to leave odd articles of clothing and personal belongings, etc., about. Prevention is better than cure.

(f) Dress, Saluting & Bearing.

It is particularly desirable that in the Capital City of Italy representatives of the British Army shall set the highest example. There are still too many lapses and the fullest co-operation of all ranks is expected to maintain the high standard of bearing on which the British Army has always prided itself.

(g) Passes

All ORs are rmainded that they must be in possession of a pass issued by their unit, authorizing their presence in Rome.

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No. 96/45.

In the Field. 7 Apr 45.

Adjutant	
Asst. Adjs.	
Asst Adjs.	
Chief Clerk	

507. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 8 Apr 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0700	hrs
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

508. DISCIPLINE

Requisition Vehicle Report

The Police Sjt will collect and hand in to the RSM by 0 hrs on Monday, 9 Apr 45, the Requisition Vehicle Report form from the Regimental Policemen concerned.

509. TAILORING OF K.D.

There will be a machinist available for the alteration of K.D. in room 1, Albergo Genova, from 0830 hrs Monday, 9 Apr 45.

All clothing will be correctly labelled with No, Rank and Name securely attached. Alterations will be carried out strictly in rotation and no precedence will be given to any NCO or man over another.

Owing to a severe shortage of cotton at the moment, all ORs are requested to supply what cotton they possibly can.

510. DOCUMENTATION

The u/s ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1600 hrs Sunday, 8 Apr 45:-

S/2661977	Cpl Birkin	R.J.
S/170604	" Cutler-Andrews	N.
S/982979	Pte Banks	C.E.
3608658	" Craggs	A.
7013414	Fus Foy	T.B.
S/14257250	Pte Walters	H.

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N O T I C E S

ORs' DANCE

Tickets for ORs' Dance to be held at the Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, on Wednesday, 11 Apr 45, will be on sale at the office of the Det Cdr Sjt on Monday, 9 Apr 45. Price 50 Lire.

ORs are reminded that American friends apply to their own Social Service Sjt for tickets for this dance.

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CPL ROBINSON E., PTE ATTWOOD F., FUS COOPER J. (CAPT), PTE GIBBS D.A., RFMN BRICE J., FUS FOY T.B., PTE BURGESS S., L/CPL HENDERSON W., GNR LEESE E.T., GNR

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9 Apr 45, the Registration Vehicle Report Form from the Regt Provost Officer concerned.

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S/982979	Pte	Banks	C.E.
3608658	"	Cragg	A.
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1st RESERVE:- PTE GRIERSON B.

The above-mentioned have been selected to represent the HQ ALLIED COMMISSION (DERBY COUNTY) in the semi-finals of R.A.A. League Competition at the NATIONAL STADIUM tomorrow, 8 Apr 45.

Semi-finals will be played as follows:-

1st Match - Kick-off at 1400 hrs.
CHESTER (OSTIA ZONE WINNERS) v. WALSALL (NOMENTANA ZONE WINNERS)

2nd Match - Kick-off at 1545 hrs.
HQ AC (DERBY COUNTY) (STADIO ZONE WINNERS) v. NEWCASTLE (APPIA ZONE WINNERS)

It is hoped that as many as possible will support the Green & White.
Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1300 hrs and 1330 hrs, 8 Apr 45.

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No. 95/45.

In the Field. 6 Apr 45.

495. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 7 Apr 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

496. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0900 hrs Saturday, 7 Apr 45:-

T/78504 Dvr McGarrigle P. RASC.
D/40593 Pte Page A.D. R.Sussex.

497. REST HOMES (FREGENE)

DRO 481 dated 4 Apr 45 is cancelled, thereby placing the Rest Homes at Fregene in bounds.

ORs visiting the Rest Home at Fregene are hereby warned that explosive mines are still lying in that vicinity among the hedges and surrounding woods. With effect from to-day ORs visiting Fregene will keep to the main roads, and on no account walk along the hedges or the woods, as such areas are OUT OF BOUNDS.

498. MEDICAL

The u/m NCO will report to the Det Ord Sjt.at 0830 hrs Saturday, 7 Apr 45, for sick parade:-

S/14512330 L/Cpl Cordery J.S. RASC.

499. TYRE CONSERVATION

District Routine Order No. 102 dated 1 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of those concerned:-

1. In order to protect spare wheel tyres from the sun during the summer months, all spare wheels carried externally on vehs will be covered not later than 15 Apr 45.
2. Special issues of material will not be made for this purpose and units will devise some form of suitable cover from their own resources.

500. CLOTHING WITHDRAWALS

(a) Leather Jerkins.- All DRs and M.T. personnel will hand in leather jerkins to QM Stores by 1600 hrs Tuesday, 10 Apr 45.
(b) Woollen Underwear.- All personnel in possession of woollen vests and drawers will hand them in to QM Stores by 1600 hrs Tuesday, 10 Apr 45.

501. PHOTOGRAPHY

RMAC General Order No. 12 dated 3 Apr 45 is repeated for information and guidance:-

"Photographs will not be taken by military personnel in churches or

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497. REST HOMES (FREGENE)

DRO 481 dated 4 Apr 45 is cancelled, thereby placing the Rest Homes at Fregene in bounds.

ORs visiting the Rest Home at Fregene are hereby warned that explosive mines are still lying in that vicinity among the hedges and surrounding woods. With effect from to-day ORs visiting Fregene will keep to the main roads, and on no account walk along the hedges or the woods, as such areas are OUT OF BOUNDS.

498. MEDICAL

The u/m NCO will report to the Det Ord Sjt.at 0830 hrs Saturday, 7 Apr 45, for sick parade:-

S/14512330 L/Cpl Cordery J.S. RASC.

499. TYRE CONSERVATION

District Routine Order No. 102 dated 1 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of those concerned:-

1. In order to protect spare wheel tyres from the sun during the summer months, all spare wheels carried externally on vehs will be covered not later than 15 Apr 45.
2. Special issues of material will not be made for this purpose and units will devise some form of suitable cover from their own resources.

500. CLOTHING WITHDRAWALS

(a) Leather Jerkins.- All ORs and M.T. personnel will hand in leather jerkins to QM Stores by 1600 hrs Tuesday, 10 Apr 45.

(b) Woollen Underwear.- All personnel in possession of woollen vests and drawers will hand them in to QM Stores by 1600 hrs Tuesday, 10 Apr 45.

501. PHOTOGRAPHY

RAAC General Order No. 12 dated 3 Apr 45 is repeated for information and guidance:-

"Photographs will not be taken by military personnel in churches or other places of public worship during services without special permit issued by this Headquarters."

502. BOOTS

All ORs who have handed boots in for repairs will withdraw same from the Cobbler's Shop by 1800 hrs Saturday, 7 Apr 45.

No boots will be handed in for repairs until Friday, 13 Apr 45.

503. LEAVE

The u/m has been granted leave from reveille 9 Apr 45 till 2359 hrs 12 Apr 45, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

Bdr Sutherland P.R.

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504. POSTAL CHARGES

The following is extract from RAAC Circular Letter ref 24A, dated 3 Apr 45:-

"Effective forthwith, all mail up to one ounce addressed to the United Kingdom will be conveyed free by air. This includes Air Letters (AF Z5077) but not airgraphs which will require a 3d stamp. Existing postal charges to destinations other than UK remain unchanged.

Letters above one ounce continue at present rates by sea, or if by air at equivalent of 6d per 1½ oz and 6d per ½ oz thereafter. Letters over one ounce for dispatch by Air Mail must be marked "AIR MAIL" in blue.

Letters up to one ounce from UK to this theatre will, in future, be forwarded by Air for 1½d. Letters above 1 oz from UK to this theatre will be at existing rates by sea or, if by air, at 6d per 1½ ozs and 6d per ½ oz thereafter."

505. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 7 Apr 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0630 hrs Mon, 9 Apr 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

506. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 29

Blister gas liquid from ground burst projectiles.- In the case of ground burst projectiles, the immediate adjustment of the facepiece is necessary to give protection to the eyes and breathing passages against the fine mist caused by the burst of the projectile. Personal decontamination should be carried out subsequently by those individuals who were near the burst and splashed with the liquid.

Blister gas liquid on the ground.- It is a desirable precaution whenever the military situation permits, to avoid liquid contamination. Blister gas liquid on the ground must not, however, be treated as an obstacle; it will frequently be necessary in the field for troops on foot to cross such ground, more especially the leading troops. Even so, little if any significant liquid contact need be made in daylight provided that care is used, long grass and bushes are avoided and troops do not lie down. When such precautions are not possible or desirable (e.g. at night or under aimed fire or when troops are forced to lie down) capes should be worn, ointment used to protect the exposed skin, obvious liquid avoided, and personal decontamination carried out at the earliest opportunity - particularly the swabbing of boots.

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by
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No. 94/45.

In the Field. 5 Apr 45.

486. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 6 Apr 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1350	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

487. LOSS OF VEHICLES

District Routine Order No. 91 dated 1 Apr 45 is republished hereunder for the information of those concerned:-

1. Drivers of vehicles are frequently forced to leave vehicles unattended when reporting for detail where the place of reporting may not be readily accessible from the place where the vehicle has to be parked.
2. In future no driver will be required to leave his vehicle unattended in a street or other place whilst reporting for detail.
3. If cars are ordered to report at a certain time and place the officer or other person requiring the use of this car must proceed to rendezvous at the stated time and thus avoid vehicles being left unattended in public places.

488. SJTS' MESS MEETING

There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on THURSDAY, 12 APR 45 in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty including attached personnel, but less Land Forces Sub Commission personnel and those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening.

489. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

A check is being made concerning dates of disembarkation overseas (present tour) of all ORs of this Headquarters.

Therefore ORs must be prepared to state this date when appearing on the forthcoming pay parades. Those not receiving pay will report or submit the information required to the Orderly Room on Saturday, 7 Apr 45, by 1800 hrs.

490. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
16 Apr 45	19 Apr 45	Pte Midwood J.
17 "	20 "	Cpl Irving J., L/Cpl Connon H.T.
24 "	27 "	L/Cpl Murdoch A.

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491. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 28

Blister gas liquid in the form of spray.- Spray from containers fixed to aircraft may be released effectively from any height. Spray from aircraft

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490. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
16 Apr 45	19 Apr 45	Pte Midwood J.
17 "	20 "	Cpl Irving J., L/Cpl Connon H.T.
24 "	27 "	L/Cpl Murdoch A.

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491. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 28

Blister gas liquid in the form of spray.- Spray from containers fixed to aircraft may be released effectively from any height. Spray from airburst bombs or shell may also be effective. A low flying spraying aircraft is very vulnerable to small arms fire, and in this case the first action should be to reply with fire. Protection against the effects of spray is given by personal decontamination. The gas cape or light gas suit plays an important part in preventing contamination of clothing by spray (the drenching effect of low spray should be noted especially). The cape should not be adjusted over contaminated clothing as this will create a dangerous vapour concentration.

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492. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, M4 Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat & Sun 7 & 8 Apr 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat & Sun 7 & 8 Apr 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

It will be particularly noted that this week the NAAFI will be open on Saturday and Sunday only, owing to Quarterly Stock-taking.

493. ACCEPTANCE OF BRIBES

GRO No. 284 dated 30 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. A number of cases have been reported in which officers and other ranks have been offered bribes by Italian civilians.

2. In such cases it is the duty of the individual to whom the bribe is offered to report the facts immediately to his commanding officer. Should he actually have accepted money he will hand it over to his commanding officer, who will pay it to the nearest Field or Area Cashier, with a full statement of the circumstances.

494. SEARCHING OF CIVILIANS AND CIVILIAN PROPERTY

District Routine Order No. 94 dated 1 Apr 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. Within that part of ITALY which is governed by the Italian Government no member of the Allied Forces has power to search a civilian, other than a civilian in military employment whilst on Allied Service premises, or a civilian found trespassing on Allied Service premises. Similarly no member of the Allied Forces has any power to search civilian premises or other property, other than a vehicle when on Allied Service premises.

2. All searches of civilians and civilian premises or property other than those effected on Allied Service premises will be carried out by the CC RR or other duly authorized civilian police officials who may be accompanied by Allied Service personnel to ensure that the search is carried out satisfactorily. Allied Service personnel will not take any active part in the actual searching.

3. Requests for any organized search which members of the Allied Forces are not empowered to carry out will normally be made to the APM/DAPM at Area/Sub Area HQ, who if he agrees will arrange for personnel of the CMP to be present if available, or alternatively he may authorize a Unit Security Officer or other Officer to supervise the search, accompanied by such troops as are necessary.

4. All WD property recovered from civilians will be recorded by the unit receiving it, who will obtain disposal instructions from ADOS/DADOS at Area/Sub Area HQ.

5. These provisions will only be departed from in exceptional circumstances and if possible only with the prior approval of Area/Sub Area HQ., who will in any event be advised immediately of the action taken.

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No. 93/45.

In the Field. 4 Apr 45.

479. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 5 Apr 45 - Cpl Stiles J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjutant	
Asst. Adc.	
Asst Acs.	
Chief Clerk	

480. ORs LEAVING & RETURNING TO STATION

In spite of previous orders published, certain ORs of this Headquarters still fail to comply with the instructions laid down.

A serious view will be taken of any future cases of non-compliance.

The following is again published for information of all concerned :-

1. Permanent Posting

Any OR on receiving posting instructions, whether to a region of this Commission or to any other unit will, before leaving this Headquarters, report to the Ord Sjt's Office (Ground Floor, Genova Hotel), and hand in all passes issued, i.e. ROME AREA and A.C. Passes, and also NAAFI ration book and meal tickets.

2. Temporary Duty

(a) On proceeding out of station on temporary duty, regardless of whether the move is published in "Special Orders" all ORs will report to the Ord Sjt stating destination and period of expected absence on duty. Copies of travel orders will be shown.

(b) Immediately on return to station ORs will report in person to the Ord Sjt or the duty clerk at the Hotel Genova, who will record their return accordingly.

(c) Non-compliance with the instruction contained in para 2 (b) will result in the soldier being treated as an absentee.

481. REST HOMES

It is published for the information of all concerned that the Rest Homes for Officers and ORs, at Fregene, will be Out of Bounds on 8 and 9 Apr 45.

482. REGISTRATION OF PERSONNEL FOR DUTY AS INTERPRETERS (RUSSIAN)

A record is being maintained at the War Office of all personnel with a knowledge of the Russian language for the purpose of registration as interpreters. It is requested, therefore, that ORs of this Headquarters so qualified report to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Friday, 6 Apr 45, to complete the necessary proforma.

483. HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS & DISCHARGES

Further to DRO No. 478 dated 3 Apr 45, the following is published for strict compliance of all ORs of this Headquarters:-

1. Any OR, on instructions from the Medical Officer to report to hospital either for treatment, specialist examination or admission will, before doing so, report to the QM Stores and hand in kit, minus kit and personal effects in accordance with DRO No. 38/45 and the lists posted separately on Unit

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2. Such personnel will then report to Det Ord Sjt who will confirm that this has been carried out and make the necessary transport arrangements to hospital in conjunction with the NCO i/c M.I. Room.

3. On leaving hospital, either after treatment or being admitted as a patient, the OR concerned will report immediately to the Det Ord Sjt who will place the soldier on the sick report for the following sick parade and the OR will parade accordingly.

4. ORs failing to comply with these instructions will be severely dealt with and non-compliance with para 3 above may render such personnel to be treated as absentees.

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Chief Clerk

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484. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 6 Apr 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, BASEMENT GARAGE	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, 1st floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 9 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

485. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 27

Mustard Gas.- This is an important example of blister gas. The characteristics of mustard gas may be summarized as follows:-

(i) Pure mustard gas is colourless. The crude substance as used in war may vary in colour from light brown to nearly black.

(ii) Both pure and crude mustard gas give off an invisible vapour which has a slight smell resembling onions, horseradish or garlic. With continued breathing of the vapour the smell becomes less noticeable and the fact that the gas cannot be smelled does not mean that it is not present.

(iii) A danger of mustard gas lies in the fact that neither the liquid nor the vapour produce any immediately painful effects, and untrained men may become unnecessary casualties through not taking the proper action when exposed to the vapour or contaminated by the liquid.

(iv) Mustard gas dissolves in spirits, petrol, oils and fats.

(v) The liquid is quickly destroyed by gas ointment, and also by bleach ("chloride of lime"). Bleach paste rubbed into the skin for one minute, and then wabbed off, is an effective substitute for gas ointment.

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No. 92/45.

In the Field. 3 Apr 45.

475. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 4 Apr 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Asst. Adjt.
Asst Adc.
Chief Clerk

476. LAUNDRY - ORs

All ORs billeted at the Genova Hotel will hand in to the laundry room by 0830 hrs on Thursday and Friday, 5 & 6 Apr 45, one set of K.D. (i.e. 1 shirt, 1 pr slacks, 1 pr shorts) for ironing.

477. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name	
4 Apr 45	7 Apr 45	L/Cpl Jackson	H.H.
11 "	14 "	Cpl Cutler-Andrews	(amended)

478. SICK PARADE

(a) Other Ranks

(i) Sick Parade for ORs is held at the M.I. Room, HQ Bldg, at 0900 hrs daily.

(ii) Other Ranks of this HQ wishing to report sick will do so to the Ord Sjt either before or by 0830 hrs on the day of parade.

(iii) Those wishing to consult the Medical Officer after the above-mentioned hour may only do so for a justifiable reason, by reporting to the Ord Sjt requesting to be placed on a "Special Sick Report". Only under exceptional circumstances will an OR report direct to the M.I. Room without first reporting to Det Ord Sjt.

(iv) Before leaving the M.I. Room ORs on sick report will ensure that they have been acquainted with the prescribed treatment, and if necessary the date on which a return visit is required.

(v) For information, it is explained that the following are the different terms used by M.Os for disposal of ORs on sick report:-

1. "M & D": Medicine & Duty, i.e. fit to resume normal duties.
2. "Att A": All duties in station (except guards).
3. "Att B": Light duties.
4. "Att C": Excused all duties.

"C, Bed Down": Excused all duties and confined to bed.

The number stated after the award denotes the number of days that must expire before the OR again reports sick, i.e. Att B3 is light duties for 3 days and report sick on the fourth day.

(vi) It is emphasized that treatment prescribed other than M & D implies that the individual concerned is confined to billets.

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476. LAUNDRY - ORs

All ORs billeted at the Geneva Hotel will hand in to the laundry room by 0830 hrs on Thursday and Friday, 5 & 6 Apr 45, one set of K.D. (i.e. 1 shirt, 1 pr slacks, 1 pr shorts) for ironing.

477. LEAVE

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(b) Officers may consult the M.O. between 1000 and 1130 hrs daily or by appointment.

DRO No. 428 dated 26 Mar 45 is Hereby cancelled. 1906

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No. 91/45.

In the Field. 2 Apr 45.

469. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 3 Apr 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Asst Adjt
Asst Qos.
Asst Qos.
Chief Clerk

470. CLOTHING ISSUES

(a) K.D.- Any OR of this Headquarters who has not yet drawn his K.D. clothing will do so from the QM Stores by 1700 hrs Wed, 4 Apr 45.

(b) Summer Underwear.- Any OR who is not in possession of Summer underwear will also draw same on the a/m date.

471. PETTY THIEVING

It is obvious from reports made that ORs still continue to leave small articles of clothing, equipment, personal belongings, chocolate, cigarettes etc., about in their bedrooms. This encourages petty thieving.

Wardrobes, cupboards and kit bags are provided to keep kit out of sight. USE THEM.

472. LEAVE

No. 5948917, Spr Burnham J., has been granted leave from reveile 4 Apr 45 until 2359 hrs 9 Apr 45, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith.

473. BOUNDS

RAAC General Order No. 11 dated 31 Mar 45 is republished for information and guidance:-

"The premises at PRATO SMERALDO near CECCHIGNOLA, MR 772.564 (Map 1/100,000 sheet 150), in use by E.I.A.R. (Radio Roma) as technical stores are OUT OF BOUNDS to all Allied personnel."

474. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 26

Two-fold danger of blister gases.- These gases can cause casualties either as a result of contamination by the liquid, or as a result of exposure to the vapour. The respirator does not supply the complete answer, for both the liquid and the vapour attack all parts of the body; and the respirator only gives protection to a part of it. The protective action taken when contamination by the liquid has occurred differs from that required as a result of exposure to the vapour. It should be borne in mind, however, that serious casualties can result from the action of blister gas vapour on the eyes and breathing passages unless prevented by the timely adjustment of the respirator.

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ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

It is again brought to the notice of all ORs that a Committee has been formed with the object of introducing improvements in the running and organising of the a/m Club.

Cpl Wilson J., who represents HQ Allied Commission on this Committee, will welcome any suggestions or criticisms which personnel may wish brought forward; these to be submitted in writing, and to reach the Orderly Room not later than 1800 hrs each Thursday.

Chief Clerk

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No. 80/45.

In the Field. 1 Apr 45.

462. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 2 Apr 45 - Sgt. Cookson, J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours.

Adjutant	
Asst. Aos.	
Asst Aos.	
Chief Clerk	

463. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE.

The u/m N.C.O. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hours on Monday, 2 April 45.

S/154319 Cpl. Taylor, G. - R.A.S.C.

464. TIME CHANGE OVER.

Effective at 0200 hours Monday, 2 April 45, Greenwich Mean Time plus TWO hours will be introduced by advancing all clocks and watches etc., ONE hour.

This will be in effect until further notice and will be known as "B" time.

465. MEDICAL INSPECTION.

All O.Rs. as detailed in D.R.O. number 458, para (a) of 30 Mar 45, are reminded that they will parade in the lounge, Hotel Genova, at 1930 hours tomorrow, Monday, 2 April 45.

466. WELFARE - REST HOMES.

It is again published for information of all concerned that the Rest Homes for Officers and O.Rs., at Frugone, will not be available for any visitors, either for duty or leave purposes, from 2 to 7 April 45 inclusive, and are considered OUT OF BOUNDS during this period.

467. LEAVE - O.Rs.

The u/m O.Rs. have been granted 4 Day's leave from reveille to 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord. Sgt. forthwith.

From	To	Name
4 Apr 45	7 Apr 45	Pte. Turner, E.H.
6 " "	9 " "	Pte. Bell, T.A.
9 " "	12 " "	S/Sgt Pollard, H.H. Sgt. Gilleland, J.
		Cpl. Outler-Andrews, N. Cpl. Procter, H.F.
		Cpl. Middleton, T.E. Pte. Page, A.D.
10 " "	13 " "	S/Sgt Kavanagh, P.

468. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 15. 19

Effects of weather on the use of persistent gases.- It must first be understood that conditions which favour great persistence do not favour a high vapour concentration; similarly, conditions which favour a high vapour concentration, do not favour great persistence. The chief weather factors which influence persistence and vapour concentration are:-

i. Wind.- A strong wind causes liquid gas to evaporate more quickly, and as

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		Cpl. Middleton, T.H. Pte. Page, R.D.
10 " "	13 " "	S/Sgt Kevanagh, P.

468. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 25. 1945

Effects of weather on the use of persistent gases.- It must first be understood that conditions which favour great persistence do not favour a high vapour concentration; similarly, conditions which favour a high vapour concentration, do not favour great persistence. The chief weather factors which influence persistence and vapour concentration are:-

i. Wind.- A strong wind causes liquid gas to evaporate more quickly, and so reduces the time of persistence. This does not mean that a strong wind increases the vapour concentration, since the vapour, though produced more quickly, is dispersed more by the wind.

ii. Temperature.- High temperature increases the rate of evaporation and reduces the persistence. The high vapour concentration which results from high temperature is offset to some extent on sunny days by the turbulence of the atmosphere.

iii. Rain.- Rain tends to slow down the rate of evaporation, and so to reduce the vapour concentration. (Heavy rain, falling on a hard surface which has been contaminated, will wash away some of the gas which may still be dangerous at the place to which it is removed.)

Effects of ground on the use of persistent gases.- On dry, porous ground the liquid tends to sink below the surface and thus persistence is increased while vapour concentration is decreased. On hard ground, liquid tends to stay on the surface and to evaporate more quickly; thus the time of persistence is shorter but the vapour concentration is greater.

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by
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No. 89/45.

In the Field. 31 Mar 45.

453. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 1 Apr 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0700	hrs
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst Adjt
Asst Adm.
Asst Adm.
Chief Clerk

456. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni Bldg) at 0900 hrs Monday, 2 Apr 45:-

T/5335850 Dvr Base C. RASC.

457. MALARIAL SQUAD

The Malarial Squad, composed of the following ORs, will assemble in the M.I. Room on Wed, 4 Apr 45, at 1930 hrs, for a course of instruction by the Medical Officer:-

L/Cpl	Wright L.J.	Pte	Ewing A.
Pte	Lynch H.J.	"	Harley W.A.
"	Attwood F.		

458. V.D. DISCIPLINE

(a) The following is published in response to RAMC letter ref 26AM dated 27 Mar 45:-

(i) In spite of previous orders published on this subject, it is evident that men who expose themselves to the risk of infection are too often neglecting to apply prophylaxis at the earliest possible time.

(ii) It is pointed out that during the period of January and February, of some hundreds of men admitted to hospital with venereal disease less than 10% had attended a P.A.C. or a Prophylactic Station. Other figures are available which show that few men who make timely use of prophylaxis do contract disease.

(iii) This indicates therefore that men fail to realize their responsibilities in the importance of prevention.

(b) The previous orders published referred to above are repeated hereunder for information and strict compliance:-

"Concealment

In accordance with King's Regulations, 1940, para 555, a soldier who is suffering from V.D. must report himself sick without delay. Concealment of the disease delays treatment and causes a loss of manpower to the Army.

Concealment is a serious crime and will henceforth be dealt with by COURT MARTIAL in all cases, charges being preferred under Section 11 of the Army Act.

Financial Penalties

Owing to the prevalence of VD in this theatre it is of the utmost importance that all ranks should be aware [illegible]

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Financial Penalties

Owing to the prevalence of VD in this theatre it is of the utmost importance that all ranks should be acquainted with the possible financial consequences of contracting the disease due to their own fault.

(i) Hospital Charges.- A soldier admitted to hospital on account of VD or its effects due to his own fault is required to pay hospital charges of 10/- a day after the first 30 days of treatment in hospital (vide ACI 1348/44.)

(ii) Loss of Pay (Non-Tradesmen).- Where a soldier is suffering from VD or its effects due to his own fault and is unable to carry out his normal duties he will be reclassified as laid down in para 16 b) Army Order 14/43. This means in effect that he loses what was formerly known as "War Time & Special Proficiency Pay". In addition he is not entitled to the initial grant of any increase of pay for length of service in accordance with para 8 of Army Order 14/43. Full particulars are given in GRO 617/43.

(iii) Loss of Paid Acting Rank.- Paid acting rank is relinquished from the date of leaving the unit on account of sickness. Soldiers who revert to private or equivalent rank suffering from VD as above are not appointed Lance-Corporal or Lance-Bombardier on such relinquishment as in other cases. GRO 707/43 refers.

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DRO No. 623 dated 7 Nov 44

(i) Preventatives

Condoms are now available at any time, free of charge, from the British M.I. Room, Headquarters Building.

(ii) Prophylactic Certificates

In accordance with RAAC letter ref 264I dated 25 Sep 44, all ranks who expose themselves to infection by VD are compelled to apply preventive measures and to obtain and retain a PROPHYLACTIC certificate to the effect that such measures have been carried out.

Any man who contracts VD and is unable to produce such a certificate will be dealt with for disobeying this order.

(iii) Bounds

In accordance with RAAC General Order No. 7 dated 22 Jun 44, all houses of prostitution with Rome Area Command are hereby placed OUT OF BOUNDS.

(iv) Procedure

Any OR who is in doubt on any point concerning this matter will report to either the M.I. Room or Orderly Room for further information."

459. P:Y - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 2 Apr 45.

460. DISCIPLINE

ORs' Restaurant.- The ORs' Restaurant is Out of Bounds to Cpls and below, unless on duty, between 2000 hrs and midnight to-day, Saturday, 31 Mar 45

461. BRITISH MILITARY CENSORSHIP REGULATIONS

Ref DRO No. 450/45.

The following is published for the information of those concerned:-

"1. In accordance with GRC 715/44 and under the following conditions correspondence is now permitted between Allied personnel and local inhabitants on the Italian mainland to whom they are married or engaged.

2. Writers coming within this category will obtain the endorsement of the O.C. Unit with name and rank only:-

"Certified official sanction obtained".

3. The writer's return address will be given as "C/o Chief Base Censor, NAPLES.

4. Such correspondence will not bear the unit censor stamp and will be sent under official cover to Chief Base Censor, C.M.F. A slip of paper giving writer's military address should be enclosed inside the envelope containing the letters."

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N O T I C E S

SOCCER

The u/m team have been selected to represent HQ ALLIED COMMISSION (DERBY COUNTY) against ACQUILLA TOWN XI (Civilian Team) tomorrow, 1 Apr 45. The team will be provided with food, but spectators will carry haversack rations. Transport to leave [illegible] Kick-off at 1500 hrs.

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LINESMAN:- Pte BELL T.A. 1st RESERVE:- Pte MORLEY A.

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448. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 31 Mar 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst. Adm.
Chief Clerk

449. CASES OF V.D. UNDER SURVEILLANCE - RETURN TO UNITED KINGDOM

GRO No. 263 dated 25 Mar 45 is republished for information:-

1. No soldier who has suffered from venereal disease will be allowed to return to the UNITED KINGDOM until certified by a medical officer as fit to proceed.
2. Instructions for the guidance of medical officers in the issue of such certificates have been issued departmentally.

450. BRITISH MILITARY CENSORSHIP REGULATIONS

1. The attention of all ORs is drawn to British Military Censorship Regulations posted separately on the Unit Notice Boards at the Albergos Genova and Urbe.
2. It is important that all ORs are conversant with the instructions contained in these regulations.
3. Para 6 prohibits the use of the civilian postal facilities and para 11 (c) 1 prohibits correspondence with civilians in Italy.

451. LOADING OF VEHICLES

RAAC Routine Order No. 469 dated 21 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidence of all concerned:-

1. A contributory cause of several recent accidents has been the dangerous manner in which loads have been allowed to protrude from the sides of vehicles.
2. Vehicles will not be loaded in such a way that the stores, etc., so carried protrude beyond the side retaining boards of the body of the vehicles.

452. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 31 Mar 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Mon, 2 Apr 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

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453. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 24

Built-up areas.

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(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

453. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 24

Effects of ground on the use of non-persistent gases.- Built-up areas, woods, valleys, hollows in the ground, and enclosed spaces generally are the best targets for non-persistent gas attack, as will be seen from the following facts:-

(i) Open country.- Not usually very good for non-persistent gases released from projectiles, as the gas will disperse comparatively quickly. (Clouds released from generators will, however, travel well over open country especially if the ground is not very broken.)

(ii) Valleys.- Gas clouds tend to follow valleys, and, in the absence of wind, may hang about for a considerable time.

(iii) Built-up areas, woods, and enclosed spaces.- These provide good targets for non-persistent gas projectiles, since the gas is released within the area and tends to hang about. (On the other hand, they are not very good targets for generator attacks, since gas clouds travelling with the wind tend to rise over obstacles, such as buildings or woods, when they meet them.)

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454. MEDICAL

(a) Inspection

The u/m Offs will parade in the lounge, Hotel Genova, at 1930 hrs on Monday, 2 Apr 45. The only absentees will be those proceeding out of station, who will render a report to that effect to the Det Offr Sjt before leaving.

Dvr	Allen	E.	101
Gdsmn	Blank	A.	932
Pte	Burgess	S.	419
Pte	Brown	J.	011
Tpr	Burnham	J.	917
Dvr	Clark	F.J.	947
Fus	Cooper	J.	199
Pte	Corps	L.J.	791
Pte	Dennis	E.	249
L/Cpl	Daniels	R.	362
Pte	Davies	J.R.	895
Pte	Daley	M.	504
Fus	Donaghy	L.	241
Rfmn	Evans	W.	802
Pte	Covell	L.	271
"	Faulkner	T.	323
"	Gardiner	H.	869
Dvr	Golfrey	J.E.	379
L/Cpl	Gardiner	E.G.	869
Dvr	Gardiner	W.H.	555
Cpl	Green	J.	769
L/Cpl	Howe	M.	564
"	Holden	H.T.	287
Cpl	Hills	G.F.	102
Dvr	Hodge	E.F.	568
Gdsmn	Hart	J.	353
Pte	Jackson	G.D.	924
L/Cpl	MacRae	D.	025
Pte	Morley	A.	305
"	Perfitt	W.	643
Fus	Kehoe	T.	783
Dvr	Land	J.T.	792
"	Price	L.	571
Pte	Quigley	C.	975
L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.	088
Pte	Ross	W.	975
"	Rogers	G.	937
Dvr	Stewart		294
Pte	Shuttleworth	F.E.	221
Fus	Savage	J.G.	520
Dvr	Stephens	O.N.	160
Pte	Sison	A.J.	444
Gdsmn	Stockall	R.	031
Dvr	Thornton	A.	058
"	Titterton	F.	089
Pte	Twigg	A.	441
Pte	Wareham	T.L.	774
Cpl	Watkins	H.H.	348
L/Cpl	Walton	S.	114
Dvr	Wainwright	A.	795

(b) Documentation

The u/m WOs and NCOs will report to the M.I. Room between 1000 and 1200 hrs on Monday and Tuesday, 2 & 3 Apr 45:-

SQMS	McNeil	I.	999
CQMS	Bush	E.L.	325
M-S/Sjt	Smith	F.J.	107
Sjt	Blom	B.	948
Sjt	Dodds	T.	420
"	Fisher	R.G.	225
"	Gilleland	J.	133
"	Pocklington	W.	256
"	White	W.	168

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441. ROUTINE

Duty RCO Fri 30 Mar 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst. Aos.
Asst Aos.

442. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office (Ministero Delle Corporazioni Pldg) at 0945 hrs on Friday, 30 Mar 45.

T/5535850 Dvr Sess C. RASC.

443. BOUNDS

RAAC Routine Order No. 476 dated 28 Mar 45 is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

"The barracks Caserma Terre Spaccata at CENTOCELLE, map ref 825637, are OUT OF BOUNDS to Allied military personnel of all ranks."

444. OFFICERS' ADVANCE BOOKS - AFs W3244

GRO No. 267, S/M 12, dated 23 Mar 45, is repeated hereunder for the information of those concerned:-

1. The attention of all officers is drawn to para 4 Section 194 of Field Service Regulations, Vol 1, 1930, which is repeated hereunder:-

"4. Officers who have exhausted their books may obtain a renewal from the field cashier of their formation on production of the counterfoils of the last book. No officer is permitted to be in possession of more than one advance book, and the counterfoils must not be removed from the book. Before issuing a new book the field cashier will indicate on the old counterfoils the date of issue of the new book."

2. Any officer who is in possession of more than one advance book (AF W3244 or W3244 (Revised)) will immediately hand in the additional book to his Commanding Officer who will forward it to the Local Command Paymaster for cancellation.

445. MT VEHICLE PARK

(a) DRO No. 333, dated 7 Mar 45, is repeated hereunder for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

"Owing to the increasing number of WD vehicles being stolen in the ROME AREA a vehicle park has now been organized for use by British drivers of this organization and is situated in the VIA ANTONIO ROSMINI, (first turning on the right past the GENOVA HOTEL, from the Central Railway Station). The park will be taken into use with effect from Tuesday, 9 Jan 45, subject to the following conditions:-

1. Only vehicles (this including motor cycles and requisitioned vehicles)

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442. HQ Commandant Orders

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office (at Delle Corporazioni Flds) at 0945 hrs on Friday, 30 Mar 45.

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1. Only vehicles (this including motor cycles and requisitioned vehicles) of this unit, or on duty with this Headquarters, are to be parked in this area.

2. Vehicles will be parked between the following times ONLY, during which a Regimental Policeman will be on duty at the entrance and it is the responsibility of the Provost Serjeant to ensure that a R.P. is on duty during these times.

1200 - 1400 hrs
1730 - 2359 "

3. Every possible precaution will be taken by drivers against theft of or from vehicles by locking vehicle doors, the chaining and padlocking of steering wheels, etc.

The practice of immobilizing vehicles is not considered as a precaution against theft and will not be adopted.

(Daily Routine Order No. 706, para 5, refers).

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4. It is pointed out that the purpose of the vehicle park being available between 1730 and 2359 hrs is so as to permit drivers on late duty calls to leave their vehicles unattended during these times only, and persons of any unit entertainment, or to remain in billets instead of going to and from the Super Garage and/or remaining with their vehicles until their officers return.
5. No vehicle will be parked or left unattended in the park after 2359 hrs.
6. No vehicles will be parked outside the Vaccari Restaurant or the Hotel Genova (ORs' billets, Mess) during the times laid down in para 2 above.
7. It is emphasized that this vehicle park has been arranged for the benefit of British drivers of this unit, or on duty with this unit, therefore on no account will drivers not on duty with vehicles use this park and the R.P. is authorized to check the work tickets of all drivers intending to use the park. A serious view will be taken of any abuse of privileges gained thereby.

(b). W.e.f. 29 Mar 45, the sentry on duty at the Genova Car Park will remain on duty till 2359 hrs. If at 2200 hrs there is no vehicle in the Park the sentry will stand down, by reporting to Duty NCO at the ORs' billet. He will not leave the billet, but will be available to return on duty if required.

The sentry's main duty is to guard all WD vehicles (requisitioned or otherwise) within the park. He will on no account question drivers as to their authority for use of vehicles or Park. He will report any doubtful users or unusual incidents to the R.S.M. as soon as possible.

The Provost Sjt will pay more attention to this particular post.

All previous orders on this subject are hereby amended.

446. DISCIPLINE

All Regimental Policemen, including those on day pass (excluding those on duty) will parade at 0900 hrs on Friday, 30 Mar 45, in the lounge of the ORs' billet, Albergo Genova.

447. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, MJ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat., Sun., and Mon., 31 Mar - 2 Apr 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs) Sun & Mon 1 & 2 Apr 45.
1400 - 1700 ")
1000 - 1230 hrs) Tue 3 Apr 45.
1800 - 2000 ")

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No. 86/45.

28 Mar 45.

In the Field.

438. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 29 Mar 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	

Asst. Adj.

Asst AGS

Chief Clerk

439. CLOTHING ISSUES - K.D.

All ORs of this Headquarters (excluding Land Forces Sub-Commission) will report to the QM Stores between 0900 and 1700 hrs for the purpose of drawing K.D. clothing on the dates stated against the initial letter of their surnames, as follows:-

Surnames commencing with	A-D	Thu, 29 Mar 45.
" " "	E-J	Fri, 30 " "
" " "	K-R	Sat, 31 " "
" " "	S-Y	Mon, 2 Apr 45.

It is emphasized that K.D. clothing will not be sent to the laundry under Unit control for washing or ironing purposes. This will be subject to further orders in the near future.

K.D. clothing will NOT be worn until notification is made in Daily Routine Orders.

440. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 23

Effects of weather on the use of non-persistent gases.-

(i) Wind direction.- Projectile weapons are not likely to be used against forward enemy troops when the wind is likely to blow the gas back, so as to be dangerous to friendly troops. (Generators can, of course, be used only when the wind is blowing from the point of release towards the target.)

(ii) Wind speed.- Strong or gusty wind causes gas to disperse; on the other hand, if there is no wind the gas will tend to stay in one place, and this is not always desirable.

(iii) Turbulence.- On hot, sunny days the hot air near the surface of the earth is constantly rising while cold air from above is falling. This effect of turbulence causes gas to disperse rapidly, and sunny days are therefore bad for the use of non-persistent gas. On cold, clear nights the cold air near the surface of the earth has no tendency to rise, and this condition is the best for the use of non-persistent gas. Intermediate conditions, such as cloudy nights, overcast days, and times round about dusk and dawn are fairly good.

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES - GOOD FRIDAY, 30 Mar 45

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ALL SAINTS CHURCH OF ENGLAND, Via Babuino, Rome.

Matins and Ante Communion	0930 hrs.
Three Hours Devotion.	
(The Rev. C.H.S. RUNGE U.D.F.)	1200-1500 hrs.
Evensong	1830 hrs.

ST PETER'S

MASS OF THE PRE-SANCTIFIED	0815 HRS.
TENEBRAE	1645 "

ST JOHN LATERAN

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SANTA CROCE		
	MASS OF THE PRE-SANCTIFIED	0900 HRS.
	TENEBRAE	1700 "
ST ANSELMO		
	MASS OF THE PRE-SANCTIFIED	0830 HRS.
	TENEBRAE	1600 "
S. SILVESTRO		
	MASS AND VENERATION OF A RELIC OF THE TRUE CROSS	1030 HRS.
S. SUSANNA		
	STATIONS, SERMON (ENGLISH) & VENERATION OF A RELIC OF THE TRUE CROSS	1400 HRS.

It is requested that every facility be given by officers responsible to enable personnel of this Headquarters to attend any of the above services.

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In the Field. 27 Mar 45.

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Asst. Acc.	
Asst Acc.	
Chief Clerk	

431. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 28 Mar 45 - Bdr Edwards T.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

432. WELFARE - REST HOMES

It is published for the information of all concerned that the Rest Homes for Officers & ORs, at Fregene, will not be available for any visitors, either for duty or leave purposes, from 2 to 7 Apr 45 inclusive.

433. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Wed 28 Mar 45:-

T/5501107	MS/Sjt	Smith F.J.	RASC.
S/14512330	L/Cpl	Cordery J.S.	"
S/4039416	"	Jeffs H.	"
S/14270020	"	Reeve R.	"

434. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE

The ORs' Messing Committee will assemble in room 14, Albergo Genova, at 1315 hrs Wed 28 Mar 45.

435. DISCIPLINE

(a) Ash Trays.- Carelessness is being shown by certain ORs throwing cigarette butts on the floors and causing damage in the bedrooms of the ORs' billets. This will cease forthwith, and every smoker will provide for himself by Sat, 31 Mar 45, a cigarette butt receptacle.

(b) Windows.- In future when bedroom windows are opened each morning they will be secured correctly by use of the chains attached to the wall. This prevents the wind blowing them to and breaking the glass.

436. FOOTBALL

Arrangements have been made for the Allied Commission Football Team (Derby County) to play the AQUILLA TOWN civilian XI on SUNDAY, 1 APR 45. Kick-off at 1500 hrs.

Transport will be provided and will leave the Albergo Genova at 0830 hrs on that day.

A hot meal will be provided for the team, but the spectators will carry haversack rations.

Those wishing to attend will submit their names to the Det Ord Sjt by 1800 hrs Wed 28 Mar 45.

It is hoped that as many as possible will attend.

The Sjt Cook will report to the O.C. regarding the provision of tea.

Civilians are not permitted to travel in the WD transport.

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437. GAS TRAINING (REFRESHER) LESSON No. 22

Test for gas tightness.-

Carry out a test for gas tightness as follows:-

(i) Squeeze the connecting tube so that no air can pass through it.

(ii) Attempt to breathe in.

(iii) If unable to breathe in and the facepiece is drawn on to the face, the fit is good.

(iv) If air gets in through the sides of the facepiece, further fitting will be necessary.

Fitting a man who wears spectacles.-

(i) Personnel who wear spectacles must obtain those with metal frames of the approved type. They are issued on payment to officers and free to other ranks. No other pattern may be worn with respirators.

(ii) Only facepieces Mark IV Special T, Mark IV Special T Mic, or Mark V may be worn with these spectacles. The facepieces have a special

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contour near the temple which presses the flattened side member of the spectacles against the face of wearer and ensures a gastight fit.

(iii) The flattened sidemembers should be just out of contact with the skin of the face, particularly near the eyes. Where necessary they should be bent or slightly twisted to ensure this.

(iv) With the Mark V facepiece, the buckle at the temple may have to be bent slightly outwards to prevent it pressing against the spectacle frame.

(v) Spectacles, when worn with respirators, should be treated with the anti-dimming compound or cloth on both sides of the glasses.

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ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet on THURSDAY, 29 MAR 45, at 1900 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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No. 84/45.

In the Field.

26 Mar 45.

427. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 27 Mar 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	

Assistant Aos.
Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

428. SICK PARADE

(a) Other Ranks.-

(i) Sick Parade for ORs is held at the M.I. Room, HQ Bldg., at 0900 hrs daily.

(ii) Other Ranks of this HQ wishing to report sick will do so to the Ord Sjt either before or by 0830 hrs on the day of parade.

(iii) Those wishing to consult the Medical Officer after the above-mentioned hour may only do so for a justifiable reason, by reporting to the Ord Sjt requesting to be placed on a "Special Sick Report".

(iv) Other Ranks are reminded that treatment prescribed by the M.O. other than "M & D" implies that the individual concerned is confined to his billet.

(b) Officers may consult the M.O. between 1000 and 1130 hrs daily or by appointment.

429. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 21

Fitting of Respirator.- Take a normal size facepiece and slacken off the elastic bands. (Majority of individuals will take a normal size.)

Tighten the elastic bands in pairs. (Do not pull them too tight as this may prevent the facepiece from taking the shape of the face and thereby cause a leak.)

See that the bands are all exerting an even pull and are just sufficiently tight to hold the facepiece stable on the face without causing discomfort.

Examine the facepiece for size. If the eyes are much above the centre of the eyepiece, the facepiece is too small; if much below the centre, it is too large; if approximately central, the size is correct.

Examine round the edges of the facepiece, particularly under the chin, to ascertain that the facepiece is firmly on the face. (The wearer's chin must fit closely into the chin of the facepiece.)

430. POSTAL (APPROVED SERVICE NEWSPAPERS)

For the information of those concerned, the following service newspapers have been approved for mailing by troops:-

UNION JACK	EIGHTH ARMY NEWS
CRUSADER	PARADE
MAPLE LEAF	NZEF TIMES
SPRING BOK	GEN
WORLD PRESS REVIEW	YANK
STARS & STRIPES (WEEKLY EDITION)	
ARK (English)	

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N O T I C E S

ALEXANDER CLUB COMMITTEE

An Alexander Club Committee has been formed from OR representatives of the various units in the Rome Area.

The object of the Committee is that those using the Club should themselves run it.

Cpl J. Wilson, who is representing HQ Allied Commission on this Committee, needs ideas, suggestions and criticisms if any, on the running and organizing of the Alexander Club.

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Anyone who would like anything brought before the Committee, i.e. suggestions, ideas, etc., should make them in writing, to reach the Orderly Room not later than 1600 hrs on Thursday, 29 Mar 45.

Replies to requests, etc., put forward, will appear on the Notice Board at the ORs' billet, Hotel Genova.

DANCE COMMITTEE

The ORs' Dance Committee will assemble at 1400 hrs on TUESDAY, 27 MAR 45, in room 12, 1st floor, Hotel Genova.

Sjts Gibbs H., and Gaffney J., are also requested to attend.

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Adjutant	
Asst. Adjs.	
Asst Adjs.	

423. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon. 26 Mar 45. Sjt. Irevin. J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1300 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out..... 2330 "

424. SAFETY PRECAUTIONS - RIDING IN TRAILERS.

GRO No.239 dated 16 Mar 45. is republished hereunder for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

1. Many serious injuries have occurred as the result of personnel travelling in trailers, and this practice will cease forthwith.
2. Officers and NCOs. in charge of convoys or individual vehicles, and drivers of vehicles, will be responsible that this order is obeyed.

425. ORs. LEAVING & RETURNING TO STATION.

The following is again published for strict compliance of all ORs. at this Headquarters:-

1. Permanent Posting.

Any OR on receiving posting instructions, whether to a section of this Combination or to any other unit will, before leaving this Headquarters, report to the Ord Sjt's Office (Ground Floor, Geneva Hotel), and hand in all passes issued, i.e. ROME AREA and A.C. Passes, and also NAAFI ration book and meal tickets.

2. Temporary Duty

(a)On proceeding out of station on temporary duty, regardless of whether the move is published in "Special Orders" all ORs will report to the Ord Sjt stating destination and period of expected absence on duty. Copies of travel orders will be shown.

(b)Immediately on return to station ORs will report in person to the Ord Sjt or the duty clerk at the Hotel Geneva, who will record their return accordingly.

(c)Non-compliance with the instruction contained in para 2(b) will result in the soldier being treated as an absentee.

426. TIME CHANGE OVER.

Effective at 0200 hrs monday 2 April 45. Greenwich Mean Time plus TWO hours will be introduced by advancing all clocks and watches etc., ONE hour.
This will be in effect until further notice and will be known as "B" time.

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NOTICE.

O.Rs' DANCE.

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Tickets for the O.Rs' Dance to be held at the Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, on Wed, 28 Mar 45, will be on sale at the office of the Det. Ord. Sjt. on Mon 26 Mar 45. Price ; 50 Lire each.

O.Rs. are reminded that American friends apply to their own Special Service Sjt. for tickets for this dance

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No. 82/45.

In the Field. 24 Mar 45.

420. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun, 25 Mar 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0700	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Asst Acc.
Asst Acc.
Chief Clerk

421. DISCIPLINE

Civilian Labour.- It is brought to the attention of all ORs of this detachment that civilians employed as carpenters, electri[illegible] under orders of L/Cpl Avery and under no circumstances will instructions be given to individuals to execute work, without first consultation with that NCO.

422. MEDICAL

The u/m WOs and NCOs will report to the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, Bn Bld, at 1200 hrs MONDAY, 26 MAR 45. AB 64 Part I will be taken.

6462727	RSM	Baker	F.	7652935	Sjt	Clogg R.
S/93072	SSM	Angibault	R.H.	S/3776260	"	Cookson J.
S/181737	SSM	Edwards	R.C.	S/95609	"	Chipperton D.F.
S/108323	SSM	Evans	C.C.	2662157	"	Cumberland E.A.
S/153698	SSM	Picken	A.R.M., M.B.E.	4466420	"	Dodds T.
5956267	RQMS	Doggett	R.T.G.	S/7671051	"	Dury [illegible]
5625735	CSM	Hill	A.W.	S/14323541	"	Fraser [illegible]
S/4920058	SQMS	Brain	A.T.	D/29225	"	Fisher R.C.
S/57905	SQMS	Caldecott	J.	S/200897	"	Green C.
S/179462	SQMS	Constable	H.G.R.	S/4979133	"	Gilleland J.
S/98281	SQMS	Lark	F.V.L.	5887515	"	Gaskin J.
S/57999	SQMS	McNeil	I.	5882859	"	Gaffney J.
S/186856	SQMS	Webb	H.	5732057	"	Gibbs H.W.
5770325	CQMS	Bush	E.L.	1639271	"	Gregory A.E.
S/74776	S/Sjt	Bell	H.C.	S/2828027	"	Hall T.J.
S/10707393	"	Brayshaw	H.E.	S/10706684	"	Hagen E.E.
S/6347696	"	Champion	J.A.	5888143	"	Hooton [illegible]
S/2117065	"	Cash	A.	T/203098	"	Hill H.V.
S/127238	"	Harrison	A.R.	2586377	"	Jellyman T.J.
S/3247879	"	Jamieson	W.	S/154853	"	Mirrilees R.
S/1468684	"	Kavanagh	P.	S/2147699	"	Matthews W.R.
S/2988591	"	Leishman	G.A.	S/6474364	"	May A.D.
S/171007	"	LeBlond	R.G.	5774858	"	Nockles E.
S/130522	"	Messer	G.T.	S/13058698	"	Pappe E.H.
S/127211	"	Muddyman	C.K.	2561919	"	Pook G.H.
S/158282	"	Pollard	H.H.	900640	"	Penn A.E.
T/5501107	"	Smith	F.J.	T/111236	"	Poolington W.
S/4195415	"	Thorpe	E.	S/189347	"	Rhind J.
S/4347724	"	Thompson	S.	S/181739	"	Siegfried E.

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Lights Out ..... 2330 "

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S/186856	SQMS	Webb	H.
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S/74776	S/Sjt	Bell	H.C.
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S/6347696	"	Champion	J.A.
S/2117065	"	Cash	A.
S/127258	"	Harrison	A.R.
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S/171007	"	LeBlond	R.G.
S/130522	"	Messer	G.T.
S/127211	"	Muddyman	C.K.
S/158282	"	Pollard	H.H.
T/5501107	"	Smith	F.J.
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S/4347724	"	Thompson	S.
S/110405	"	Thompson	H.W.
S/6205794	"	Wright	P.G.
S/150672	Sjt	Atterby	L.V.J.
4465710	"	Barber	L.
4860913	"	Brewin	J.
S/6341006	"	Brown	F.W.
14242948	"	Blom	B.
T/1545496	"	Brown	R.
S/5192927	"	Culloty	M.
7652955	Sjt	Clegg	R.
S/3776260	"	Cookson	J.
S/95609	"	Chipperton	D.F.
2662157	"	Cumberland	S.A.
4466420	"	Dodds	D.
S/7671051	"	Davy	A.A.
S/14323541	"	Frazer	A.A.
D/29295	"	Fisher	H.G.
S/200897	"	Green	C.
S/4979133	"	Gilleland	J.
5887515	"	Gaskin	J.
5882859	"	Gaffney	J.
5732057	"	Gibbs	R.A.
1639271	"	Gregory	A.E.
S/2828027	"	Hall	D.J.
S/10706684	"	Hagan	D.
5888143	"	Hooton	E.
T/203098	"	Hill	R.V.
2586377	"	Jellyman	D.J.
S/154853	"	Mirrilees	R.
S/2147699	"	Matthews	T.R.
S/6474364	"	May	A.D.
5774058	"	Nockles	E.
S/13058698	"	Pupps	G.H.
2561919	"	Pook	C.H.
900640	"	Penn	A.E.
T/111236	"	Poclington	W.
S/189347	"	Rhind	J.
S/181739	"	Siegfried	E.
S/13034706	"	Stayman	R.
T/14287342	"	Sullivan	P.J.
1464061	"	Trowbridge	C.
4622230	"	Theasby	F.
S/1696091	"	Tudor	A.C.
4694211	"	Webb	H.
S/154168	"	White	W.
1899600	"	White	T.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
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No. 81/45.

In the Field. 23 Mar 45.

411. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 24 Mar 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1600 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2300	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt Aos.
Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

412. POSTAL COMMUNICATION WITH LIBERATED COUNTRIES

GRO No. 246, dated 16 Mar 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

"GROs 971/44, 1005/44, 1092/44 and 1093/44 are cancelled.

Personnel serving in this Theatre may communicate with civilian addresses in GREECE, HOLLAND, BELGIUM and FRANCE, subject to the restrictions set out below.

1. GREECE. Only non-illustrated postcards prepaid 2d. containing messages of a purely personal or family nature are allowed. The service is available to the whole of the Greek mainland and islands.

2. HOLLAND. Only non-illustrated postcards prepaid 2d. containing messages of a purely personal or family nature and business correspondence restricted to the ascertaining of facts and exchanging information are allowed. The service is at present limited to the towns of EINDHOVEN, GELDROP, VALKENSWAARD, TILBURG, OOSTERWIJK, BOXTEL, SCHIJNDEL, the areas in the immediate vicinity of these towns and the territory south of the River SCHELDT.

3. BELGIUM. Only non-illustrated postcards prepaid 2d. and letters not exceeding 1 oz. in weight prepaid 3d. containing messages of a purely personal or family nature and business correspondence restricted to the ascertaining of facts and exchanging information are allowed. Correspondence for areas in which delivery is not at present undertaken will be held by the Belgian Post Office until delivery can be effected.

4. FRANCE. (a) The following services are available to the whole of FRANCE with the exception of the Departments of MEUSE, MEURTHE-ET-MOSELLE, VOSGES, HAUTE SAONE, DOUBS, MOSELLE, BAS-RHIN, HAUT-RHIN, Territory of BELFORT.

		Postage Rate
(i)	Non-illustrated postcards	2d.
(ii)	Letters not exceeding 1 oz.	3d.
	Each additional oz.	1½d.
	Maximum weight 4 lbs.	
(iii)	Air Letters (AF W3077)	3d.

Postcards and letters not exceeding 1 oz. in weight may be registered. Registration fee 3d. Air Letters cannot be sent by registered post.

(b) Communications of a business nature are limited to ascertaining facts and exchanging information.

5. Any language may be used in correspondence to GREECE, HOLLAND, BELGIUM and FRANCE."

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Dinner ..... 1800 - 19[illegible]
Lights Out ..... 2300 "

Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

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(b) Communications of a business nature are limited to ascertaining facts and exchanging information.

5. Any language may be used in correspondence to GREECE, HOLLAND, BELGIUM and FRANCE."

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413. APPOINTMENTS (ANNULMENT)

Daily Routine Order No. 407 dated 22 Mar 45 is amended to read as follows:-

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/539/OR dated 15 Mar 45 the u/m NCO relinquishes the appointment of Local Acting Unpaid Serjeant w.e.f. same date on change of employment, and is re-appointed Local Acting Unpaid Cpl w.e.f. 19 Mar 45 by authy ref G-1B/478/OR dated 19 Mar 45:-

3854437 F/L/Cpl Stiles J.T. Loyals.

414. PAY - ORs

It is pointed out that there will be a further pay parade on Saturday, 24 Mar 45, at 1400 hrs outside room 14, Albergo Genova.

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415. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille to 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	
26 Mar 45	29 Mar 45	L/Cpl Thornton J., S/Sjt Leishman G.A., S/Sjt Jamieson A. L/Cpl Jackson H.H.
29 "	1 Apr 45	Pte Spencer H.
30 "	2 "	Sjt Mirrilees R.
31 "	3 "	SSM Angibault R.H.
1 Apr 45	4 "	L/Cpl Walton S.T.
2 "	5 "	SQMS Lusk F.L.V., L/Cpl Ives A.A.

416. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMLA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 24 Mar 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Mon, 26 Mar 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

417. G.S TRAINING

1. Lesson No. 20 (Repeat)

Gas alarms, restricted use.- Although all ranks must immediately take the appropriate action on hearing the sound of a rattle or the verbal warning "spray", a sentry will not immediately sound his own rattle and adjust his facepiece, or repeat the verbal warning "spray". He should be at once alert for gas and will sound his rattle or give the verbal warning "spray" when he recognizes the presence of gas. Failure to observe this rule may result in the unnecessary adjustment of facepieces by troops in an area of considerable extent, even though gas may be present in only a small part of that area. Consideration of wind direction may save much unnecessary disturbance to rest.

2. Gas Training Parade

The u/m ORs and any other personnel who have not yet passed through the Gas Chamber will parade outside the Hotel Genova at 0745 hrs Sat, 24 Mar 45, with their respirators. Those who by virtue of duty are unable to parade at 0745 hrs will do so at 1300 hrs as above.

S/Sjt	Thompson	H.W.	Fus	Donaghy	L.
Sjt	Brown	F.W.	Rfmn	Evans	W.S.
Sjt	Stayman	R.	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
Cpl	Cooper	R.A.	Dvr	Green	W.
Cpl	Stiles	J.T.	Dvr	Hodge	E.F.
Cpl	Trillo	F.	Gnr	Lally	J.
Cpl	Tomlin	J.	Pte	Mason	C.
L/Cpl	Day	W.H.	Pte	Rylatt	H.
L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.	Pte	Ross	W.
L/Cpl	Taft	E.E.	Pte	Shuttleworth	F.E.
L/Cpl	West	P.J.	Dvr	Spillane	L.
Dvr	Allen	E. (101)	Fus	Savage	J.G.

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416. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Geneva & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIL) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 24 Mar 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Geneva Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0630 hrs Mon, 26 Mar 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this Hotel.

417. GAS TRAINING

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2. Gas Training Parade

The u/m ORs and any other personnel who have not yet passed through the Gas Chamber will parade outside the Hotel Geneva at 0745 hrs Sat, 24 Mar 45, with their respirators. Those who by virtue of duty are unable to parade at 0745 hrs will do so at 1300 hrs as above.

S/Sjt	Thompson	H.W.	Fus	Donaghy	L.
Sjt	Brown	F.W.	Rfmn	Evans	W.S.
Sjt	Stayman	R.	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
Cpl	Cooper	R.A.	Dvr	Green	W.
Cpl	Stiles	J.T.	Dvr	Hodge	E.F.
Cpl	Trillo	F.	Gnr	Lally	J.
Cpl	Tomlin	J.	Pte	Mason	C.
L/Cpl	Day	W.H.	Pte	Rylatt	H.
L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.	Pte	Ross	W.
L/Cpl	Taft	E.E.	Pte	Shuttleworth	F.E.
L/Cpl	West	P.J.	Dvr	Spillane	L.
Dvr	Allen	E. (101)	Fus	Savage	J.G.
Dvr	Alberti	T.	Dvr	Webster	G.
Pte	Burgess	S.	Pte	Wareham	T.
Fus	Buchanan	S.			
Pte	Bridges	T.			
Dvr	Collis	R.W.G.			

418. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Sunday, 25 Mar 45:-

S/146664	S/Sjt	Kavanagh	P.	2984242	Pte	Hughes	J.
S/1836361	L/Cpl	Hofmeyer	D.	S/14257250	Pte	Walters	H.
T/2508159	L/Cpl	Jordan	R.				
5338322	Pte	Hathaway	A.				

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419. MEDICAL

(a) The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg., with their AB 64 Part I, at 1400 hrs on Saturday, 24 Mar 45:-

3654437	Cpl	Stiles	J.T.	4758432	Pte	Thrush	N.
133788	Bdr	Sutherland	P.R.	7402087	Fus	Truslove	G.W.
S/11006800	L/Cpl	Scott	W.G.	S/2616872	Cpl	Wilson	J.
1132838	Pte	Simpson	H.B.	T/140513	L/Cpl	Wiltshire	J.H.
4030917	Pte	Slocombe	R.	T/14577757	Dvr	West	F.H.
1840358	Pte	Saunders	H.H.	T/264457	L/Cpl	West	P.J.
14209603	Pte	Sherwin	J.	T/14390365	Dvr	Wright	T.R.
4034011	Cpl	Spear	E.	5953774	Pte	Wareham	T.L.
5244173	Pte	Spencer	S.H.	7605829	Cpl	Webb	J.G.
2929909	Pte	Shaw	J.	S/3972348	Cpl	Watkins	H.H.
4916488	Pte	Turner	E.H.	1060164[illegible]	Pte	Williams	V.J.
T/143419	Cpl	Taylor	G.	6467789	Fus	Williams	J.H.
T/14340641	L/Cpl	Taft	E.E.	S/14257250	Pte	Walters	H.
T/14280397	Dvr	Terry	F.A.	T/3390210	Dvr	Webster	G.
T/4806058	Dvr	Thornton	A.J.	S/14526114	L/Cpl	Walton	S.T.
T/270069	Dvr	Titterton	P.T.	14313081	Tpr	Westley	S.E.
4695441	Pte	Twigg	A.	T/14385793	Dvr	Wainwright	A.
S/14534346	L/Cpl	Thornton	J.				
T/4856797	Dvr	Teece	W.H.				
T/117587	Dvr	Thorley	A.H.				
T/58336	Cpl	Tomlin	J.A.				
6095353	Cpl	Trillo	F.				

(b) The u/m attached personnel will parade at the same time as above:-

S/3958913	L/Cpl	Chew	D.R.	14221048	Pte	Foster	A.
S/10661675	"	Purchase	F.	2939966	Pte	Frost	W.
S/14526248	"	Clarke	A.	T/174894	Dvr	Hirshaw	E.H.
S/3535016	"	Irving	H.	2527466	Sigm.	Ainsworth	A.
13809105	Pte	Falck	J.	14208799	Tpr	Avers	C.
4469555	"	James	M.W.	S/265406	L/Cpl	Drayton	G.
S/10529190	L/Cpl	Knight	H.				

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133786	Bdr	Sutherland	P.R.
S/11006800	L/Cpl	Scott	W.G.
1132835	Pte	Simpson	H.B.
4030917	Pte	Slocombe	R.
1240358	Pte	Saunders	H.H.
14209603	Pte	Sherwin	J.
4034011	Cpl	Spear	E.
5244173	Pte	Spencer	S.H.
2929909	Pte	Shaw	J.
4916488	Pte	Turner	E.H.
T/143419	Cpl	Taylor	G.
T/14340641	L/Cpl	Taft	E.E.
T/14280397	Dvr	Terry	F.A.
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S/14534346	L/Cpl	Thornton	J.
T/4856797	Dvr	Teece	W.H.
T/117587	Dvr	Thorley	A.H.
T/58336	Cpl	Tomlin	J.A.
6095353	Cpl	Trillo	F.
4758432	Pte	Thrush	N.
7402057	Fus	Truslove	G.W.
S/2616872	Cpl	Wilson	J.
2/140513	L/Cpl	Wiltshire	J.H.
T/14577757	Dvr	West	F.R.
T/264457	L/Cpl	West	P.J.
T/14390365	Dvr	Wright	T.R.
5953774	Pte	Wareham	T.L.
7605829	Cpl	Webb	J.G.
S/3972348	Cpl	Watkins	H.H.
10601642	Pte	Williams	V.J.
6467789	Fus	Williams	J.H.
S/14257250	Pte	Walters	H.
T/3590210	Dvr	Webster	G.
S/14526114	L/Cpl	Walton	S.T.
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S/10661675	"	Purchase	F.
S/14526248	"	Clarke	A.
S/3535016	"	Irving	H.
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2939966	Pte	Frost	W.
T/174894	Dvr	Forshaw	E.H.
2327468	Sigmn.	Ainsworth	A.
14208799	Tpr	Avers	C.
S/265408	L/Cpl	Drayton	G.

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No. 80/45.

In the Field. 22 Mar 45.

406. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 23 Mar 45 - Bdr Edwards W.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

407. APPOINTMENTS

In accordance with authority ref G-1B/478/OR dated 19 Mar 45 the u/m NCO is appointed Local Unpaid Corporal w.e.f. 19 Mar 45 for the purpose of performing the duties of Provost Corporal:-

3654437 F/L/Cpl Stiles J.T. Loyals

408. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sat., Sun. and Mon., 24-26 Mar 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel)
1000 - 1230 hrs) Sun & Mon 25 and 26 Mar 45.
1400 - 1700 ")
1000 - 1230 hrs.) Tue 27 Mar 45.
1800 - 2000 ")

Return of Empty Bottles

GRO No. 247, dated 16 Mar 45, is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

1. The quantity and range of fruit squashes, brandy, liqueurs, etc., available in this theatre is limited largely by the scarcity of bottles.
2. With a view to increasing supplies, all wine and spirit bottles will be returned by units to EFI. This instruction in no way affects GRO 1059/44 which deals specifically with the return of empty beer containers and remains in force.

409. GAS TRAINING

1. Lesson No. 19 (Repeat)

(a) Gas duties of sentries, for spray.- In order to ascertain if spray has fallen and to be able to give timely warning, a sentry must visit each detector for which he is responsible at intervals of not more than 10 minutes. The following action is to be taken by a sentry on noticing that spray has fallen:-

i. Shout "spray".
ii. Carry out Part I of personal decontamination.
iii. Warn the guard commander, who will arrange for spray detectors to be swabbed or renewed.
iv. On relief (the guard commander should arrange this as soon as possible) carry out Part II of personal decontamination.

(b) Gas

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performing the duties of Provost Corporal:-

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i. Shout "spray".
ii. Carry out Part I of personal decontamination.
iii. Warn the guard commander, who will arrange for spray detectors to be swabbed or renewed.
iv. On relief (the guard commander should arrange this as soon as possible) carry out Part II of personal decontamination.

(b) Gas alarms when troops are at rest.- Troops at rest are highly vulnerable to gas attacks. It is the normal practice to post double sentries at night, and also by day when troops are sleeping. Point out that:-

i. In the case of gases other than spray.- The rattle may not wake heavily sleeping troops. One of the two sentries on each post must therefore enter billets, bivouacs or shelters and rouse troops as quickly as possible. Speed in the adjustment of respirator facepieces is essential when a choking gas has been used.
ii. In the case of spray.- When sleeping troops are under cover it will be necessary to take special steps to rouse them when spray has fallen provided the standing order that helmets, eyeshields, capes and boots are worn when leaving cover for any purpose, is enforced; the sentry will, however, give the verbal warning "spray" in order to warn any individuals who may be about in the open.

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2. GAS TRAINING PARADE

All ORs of No. 2 Coy (M.C.) are reminded that they will parade outside the Hotel Geneve at 0745 hrs on Friday, 23 Mar 45, with their respirators for the purpose of testing, and passing through the Gas Chamber.

Those who by virtue of duty are unable to parade at 0745 hrs will do so at 1300 hrs as above.

440. MEDICAL

(a) The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg, with their AB 64 Part I at 1400 hrs on Friday, 23 Mar 45:-

S/10673543	L/Cpl	Horton	C.C.
S/10636880	Cpl	Humphreys	E.
T/4752564	L/Cpl	Howe	M.
T/6146287	L/Cpl	Holden	H.P.
4699467	Pte	Homer	J.
S/11413102	Cpl	Hills	G.F.
4926754	Pte	Harley	W.A.
S/180689	Cpl	Heath	C.
T/14353568	Dvr	Hodge	E.F.
2618191	Gdsmn	Holmes	F.C.
4276075	Fus	Hamilton	H.H.
878353	Gdsmn	Hart	J.
3445890	Fus	Houghton	J.
3189971	Tpr	Hume	A.
3865757	Pte	Heywood	R.
S/10691735	Cpl	Hislam	S.C.
2984242	Pte	Hughes	J.
963131	Gnr	Hood	H.W.
S/1836361	L/Cpl	Hofmeyer	D.
T/152584	Cpl	Horsley	T.H.
5338322	Pte	Hathaway	A.
7951206	Pte	Ince	E.
S/14334762	Cpl	Irving	J.
S/14352440	L/Cpl	Ives	A.A.
T/10674183	Pte	Jackson	F.
2872924	Pte	Jackson	G.B.
S/5127541	Pte	Jones	R.C.
S/4039416	L/Cpl	Jeffs	H.
S/6970164	L/Cpl	Johnson	T.J.
S/10711784	"	Jackson	H.H.
T/14528506	Dvr	Jackson	S.
T/2588159	L/Cpl	Jordan	R.R.
5053220	Tpr	Jones	J.
6971134	Rfmn	Jones	H.J.
5673957	Pte	Jones	G.D.
14412660	Tpr	James	J.A.R.
7942242	Tpr	James	R.R.
7045082	Fus	Knight	F.A.
4858987	Pte	Kisby	L.
3773785	Fus	Kehoe	T.
S/6353100	Pte	Kelman	L.G.
S/14526024	L/Cpl	Lisberg	J.S.
S/273034	L/Cpl	Lackey	W.L.
T/10692792	Dvr	Land	J.T.
T/4544272	Dvr	Latham	S.
3313639	Pte	Lowrie	J.
T/88292	Cpl	Larque	L.D.
11252636	Gnr	Lally	J.
4030450	Pte	Lawrence	H.
10696934	Pte	Lynch	R.
1132469	Gnr	Lomax	A.J.
2993352	Pte	Laird	C.
7044779	Fus	Lax	S.

(b) The u/m will parade at 1500 hrs as above:-

S/14329151	Cpl	Middleton	T.M.
T/10690165	Dvr	McCartan	F.
1490317	Pte	McCrudden	H.
MEA/16010530	Dvr	Merola	A.F.
2984261	L/Cpl	McPhail	D.
S/14223025	"	MacRae	T.
T/10704916	Dvr	McCarthy	J.
950460	L/Cpl	Mason	R.
7396468	Pte	Mason	C.
2700655	Gdsmn	Moss	J.G.
7886892	L/Cpl	Murdoch	A.
4803891	Pte	Marshall	G.
[illegible]	"	Midwood	J.
292813	Pte	Price	H.A.
4926824	"	Pagliaro	F.G.
T/14373571	Dvr	Price	L.
4809975	Pte	Quigley	C.
S/14270020	L/Cpl	Reeve	R.
S/14525649	"	Read	E.
962994	Gnr	Reynolds	E.
T/14606023	Dvr	Richardson	G.
S/1149086	L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.
S/14529597	L/Cpl	Rodham	R.L.
4390975	Pte	Ross	W.
T/14346095	Dvr	Reynolds	J.W.
4452937	Pte	Rogers	G.

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S/11413102	Cpl	Hills	G.F.
4926754	Pte	Harley	W.A.
S/180689	Cpl	Heath	C.
T/14353568	Dvr	Hodge	E.F.
2618191	Gdsmn	Holmes	F.C.
4276075	Fus	Hamilton	H.H.
878353	Gdsmn	Hart	J.
3445890	Fus	Houghton	J.
3189971	Tpr	Hume	A.
3865757	Pte	Heywood	R.
S/10691735	Cpl	Hislam	S.C.
2984242	Pte	Hughes	J.
963131	Gnr	Head	H.V.
S/1836361	L/Cpl	Hofmeyer	D.
T/152584	Cpl	Horsley	T.H.
5338322	Pte	Hathaway	A.
7951206	Pte	Ince	E.
S/14334762	Cpl	Irving	J.
S/14352440	L/Cpl	Ives	A.A.
T/10674183	Pte	Jackson	F.
2872924	Pte	Jackson	C.B.
S/5127541	Pte	Jones	R.C.
S/4039416	L/Cpl	Jeffs	H.
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4466723	"	Midwood	J.
4690505	"	Morley	A.
5126459	"	Nash	E.
4042629	"	Newbury	F.S.
7009767	Rfmn	Nixon	W.
S/3915991	L/Cpl	Orphan	L.J.
T/14385353	Dvr	Pitcher	R.G.
T/14345981	"	Preston	C.W.
5049643	Pte	Perfitt	W.
2617978	Gdsmn	Pickett	T.
5260729	Pte	Parsons	A.C.
T/14395344	Dvr	Peel	J.
D/40593	Pte	Page	A.D.
292813	Pte	Price	H.A.
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T/226161	Dvr	Seager	R.L.
T/4695782	"	Searby	R.V.
T/281758	Pte	Spittlehouse	G.
T/269294	Dvr	Stewart	J.B.
6147221	Pte	Shuttleworth	F.
14514520	Fus	Savage	J.G.
T/5496160	Dvr	Stephens	C.N.
7912444	Pte	Sison	A.J.
S/6479451	L/Cpl	Smith	L.V.
T/14589114	Dvr	Spillane	L.
2619031	Gdsmn	Stockall	R.

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No. 79/45.

In the Field. 21 Mar 45.

400. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 22 Mar 45 - Sjt ...li...

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

401. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	
Fri 23 Mar 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, BASEMENT GARAGE	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14 First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 26 "	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

It is pointed out that all future pay parades will be held in the BASEMENT GARAGE, HQ Bldg.

402. COURIER ESCORTS - ARMS

Courier escorts, etc., handing in weapons to the Rifle Stores when not in use, will ensure that these are in a clean condition before doing so.

403. CLOTHING REPAIRS

Any OR who has handed clothing in to the tailoress for repair, will collect same to-day, 21 Mar 45, as she ceases to be employed w.e.f. Thursday 22 Mar 45.

404. GAS TRAINING PARADE

All ORs of No. 1 Coy (Clerks) are reminded that they will parade outside the Hotel Genova at 0745 hrs on Thursday, 22 Mar 45, with their respirators for the purpose of testing, and passing through the Gas Chamber.

Those who by virtue of duty are unable to parade at 07 hrs will do so at 1300 hrs as above.

405. MEDICAL

(a) The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg with their AB 64 Part I, at 1400 hrs on Thursday, 22 Mar 45:-

1724249	Gnr	Aynsley	G.		6985754	Fus	Ball	E.
2664713	L/Cpl	Avery	J.		S/4042111	L/Cpl	Bowman	E.
6355154	Pte	Armstrong	T.		S/4805297	"	Bailey	F.J.
5439009	L/Cpl	Allen	S.		D/36286	Pte	Ball	E.L.

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T/10663110	Dvr	Andrews	F.	6981373	Fus	Butler	G.
T/207101	"	Allen	E.	4979266	Pte	Broughton	G.
T/10680011	"	Allen	E.S.	S/982979	Pte	Banks	C.
S/14527186	L/Cpl	Ardern	S.	T/14345939	Dvr	Batterham	P.
5784166	Pte	Allen	E.	S/3663770	L/Cpl	Brown	G.H.
T/286617	Dvr	Alberti	T.	2763126	Pte	Bridges	T.
T/14335438	"	Atkins	W.A.	2698952	Gdsmn	Blant	A.
1523015	Pte	Bennett	S.	2618488	L/Cpl	Brown	E.
5259665	"	Barlow	H.A.	5107419	Pte	Burgess	S.
S/11427589	L/Cpl	Boardman	W.	4747026	"	Betts	H.
S/4987239	Pte	Bell	T.A.	1608011	"	Brown	J.
S/2661977	Cpl	Birkin	R.J.	4399486	"	Boyes	W.
T/10698470	Dvr	Beal	L.C.	S/10705035	L/Cpl	Bush	A.
S/4809266	L/Cpl	Broughton	W.H.	5948917	Tpr	Burrham	J.
S/10673614	Cpl	Bastable	C.C.	4031027	Fus	Buchanan	S.

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T/221846	Pte	Brindle	T.	T/235479	Dvr	Cobb	W.M.
7014480	Rfmn	Brice	J.	S/14412546	L/Cpl	Connon	H.T.
D/26582	Pte	Barnes	A.V.	S/14525965	"	Cartmell	A.
14542113	"	Benbow	C.R.	7895271	Pte	Covell	L.
T/6852657	Cpl	Crasswell	R.	792134	Tpr	Cobb	H.
S/13034368	"	Cooper	R.A.	13081246	Pte	Coo	E.G.
T/11411419	Dvr	Collis	R.W.G.	S/14512330	L/Cpl	Cordery	J.S.

(b) The u/m will parade at 1500 hrs as above:-

3698658	Pte	Craig	A.	S/140929	Cpl	Freezer	E.F.
T/5680947	Dvr	Clark	F.G.	T/634482	L/Cpl	Feast	A.V.
S/135983	Pte	Coy	A.	3865913	Pte	Fletcher	R.
7045199	Fus	Cooper	J.	1572951	Pte	Frith	F.K.
T/14344572	Dvr	Carter	H.	D/38323	"	Faulkner	T.
5511791	Pte	Corps	L.G.	11430446	Gnr	Foster	D.
14334755	Pte	Crouch	J.	6151331	Pte	Friend	F.
3768695	Pte	Chesworth	W.	BNA/13809296	Dvr	Feifel	J.
T/203681	Dvr	Cooper	A.M.	7013414	Fus	Foy	T.B.
T/170605	Cpl	Cutler-Andrews	N.	1635132	Gnr	Freeman	S.P.
1779975	Bdr	Currie	G.R.	4967869	Pte	Gardiner	H.
6348249	Pte	Dennis	E.	T/164379	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
S/10677362	L/Cpl	Daniels	R.	S/10686902	L/Cpl	Giles	E.E.
3954895	Pte	Davies	J.R.	3598179	Pte	Grierson	B.H.
4928735	"	Durkin	J.	969181	Cpl	Gaines	B.C.
T/81701	L/Cpl	Day	W.H.	S/86094	"	Grime	J.R.
2033766	Tpr	Dobey	G.F.	S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	E.G.
4456504	Pte	Daley	M.	S/122243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.T.
6975241	Fus	Donaghy	L.	3715624	Pte	Geggie	E.
3772788	Fus	Davis	J.	4468692	"	Gilroy	R.
6346861	Cpl	Evernden	R.F.	4079849	"	Gibbs	T.H.
6917802	Rfmn	Evans	A.	T/10696555	Dvr	Gardiner	W.H.
T/11050160	Dvr	Edermaniger	E.A.	T/14344626	"	Green	W.
3956273	Pte	Edwards	M.	T/44767	Cpl	Green	J.
T/4186169	Dvr	Evans	A.				
S/6299267	L/Cpl	Scott	C.				
973778	Bdr	Edwards	W.				

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No. 78/45.

In the Field. 20 Mar 45.

396. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Wed 21 Mar 45 - Sgt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours

Asst Adc.	
Chief Clerk	

397. SOLDIER'S SERVICE & PAY BOOK - AB 64 PARTS I & II.

All O.Rs. must be in possession of AB64 Parts I & II, and every care will be taken to preserve them. Any soldier not in possession of either will report to the British Orderly Room immediately.

The following orders in respect of AB64 Parts I & II are repeated for information and strict compliance of all concerned :-

(a) Identification - O.Rs.

AB64 (Parts I & II) provides the soldier's only means of identification. Many troops stationed in ROME are unable to produce either of these when called upon by C.M.P. to do so.

Therefore no O.R. of this Headquarters will leave billets for any reason unless he is in possession of AB64 (Part I or II).

If for any reason it is essential for any O.R. to hand in his AB64 before leaving billets a certificate, signed by the O.C. British Detachment, stating the circumstances, will be given to him.

(b) Next of Kin - Amendments to AB64 Part I.

In conjunction with ACI 667/44, the following is laid down for all O.Rs. of this Headquarters:-

Any alteration in the particulars of the next of kin will be reported immediately to the British Orderly Room.

Such alterations will then be made by the soldier concerned in his AB64 Part I under the observation of the O.C. who will initial the new entry.

(c) Hospital Admissions.

It is again emphasized that when proceeding to hospital either for treatment or admittance, all O.Rs. will ensure that they are in possession of their AB64 Parts I and II.

(d) Duty-Free Labels.

Other Ranks of this Headquarters are in the habit of leaving their AB64 Part I with the Orderly Room duty clerk requesting an issue of Duty-Free Labels, with a view of collecting same at a later date. This practice is most irregular and will cease forthwith.

It is pointed out that A.Fs.W5192 are signed by an Officer and the labels must be signed for by the recipient.

The previous order on this subject is repeated hereunder for strict compliance.

"Duty-Free Labels are obtained from the Orderly Room between 0830 and 0900 hrs daily, and personnel will produce their AB64 Part I when applying for same."

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398. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE.
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T/14344572 Dvr Carter H. - R.A.S.C.

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399. GAS TRAINING.

(i) Lesson No. 18 (REPEAT).

Gas duties of sentries, hostile smoke.- Gas may be used under cover of smoke; it is therefore necessary for hostile smoke to be treated as a war gas until it is proved otherwise. In the presence of hostile smoke, or when a hostile smoke cloud is about to envelope him, the sentry will act as in para headed "Gas duties of sentries, other than for spray." (When inside the cloud, the commander on the spot will give "gas clear" if he is satisfied that gas is not present, or that the smoke will not cause distress. Some screening smokes may be sufficiently irritant to make the wearing of respirators useful.)

(ii) Gas Training Parade.

All O.Rs. of No. 5 Coy (GD) are reminded that they will parade outside the Hotel Geneve at 0900 hrs Wednesday, 21 March 45, with their respirators for the purpose of testing, and passing through the Gas Chamber.

Those who by virtue of duty are unable to parade at 0900 hrs, will parade at 1300 hrs as above.

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No. 77/45.

In the Field, 19 Mar 45.

392. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 20 Mar 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

393. BOOTS

All ORs who have handed boots in for repairs will withdraw same from the Cobbler's Shop by 1800 hrs Tue 20 Mar 45.

394. BOUNDS (WINE SHOPS)

It is again repeated for the information and strict compliance of all concerned that the wine shops on either side of the ORs' billet, Albergo Genova, are out of bounds to all ORs of Allied Commission during the parade hours, i.e. 0830 and 1800 hrs daily.

It is emphasized that this also affects ORs on day pass.

395. GAS TRAINING

A PAD Officer and Gas NCO have been attached from RAAC for a period of 4 days, during which time all ORs of this Headquarters will pass through a Gas Chamber and have their respirators tested.

The programme for testing will be as follows:-

Wednesday,	21 Mar 45, at 0900 hrs	No. 3 Coy (G.D.)
"	" " " " 1300 "	- do -
Thursday,	22 Mar 45, at 0745 hrs	No. 1 Coy (Clerks)
"	" " " " 1300 "	- do -
Friday,	23 Mar 45, at 0745 hrs	No. 2 Coy (M.T.)
"	" " " " 1300 "	- do -
Saturday,	24 Mar 45, at 0745 hrs	Any other personnel.
"	" " " " 1300 "	

ORs will parade, with their respirators, at 0745 hrs outside the Hotel Genova on the days allotted to their Company. Those who by virtue of duty are unable to attend this parade will parade at 1300 hrs on the same day.

It is requested that Company Commanders ensure that all ORs of their Company attend either of the above parades and pass through the gas chamber.

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Adjutant MP
Asst. Adj.
Asst. Adj.
Quartermaster

389. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 19 Mar 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

390. REFUSE DUMPING

RAAC Routine Order No. 450 dated 14 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information and guidance:-

1. The practice of dumping refuse and other waste material at the mouth of the Castel Fusano Canal, OSTIA LIDO area, MR 589473 Italy 1/100,000 Sheet 149, or at any point in its course, is STRICTLY FORBIDDEN and WILL CEASE FORTHWITH.
2. This Canal is of great importance in that it serves to drain the land improvement project of OSTIA, and thus prevents flooding of agricultural areas and farmland.
3. Units, particularly those in OSTIA LIDO area, will ensure that all possible steps are taken to avoid further damage.

391. ROAD BLOCKS

GRO No. 219, S/N 10, dated 9 Mar 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

1. Road Blocks are being established throughout the theatre by the Allied Military Police for the purpose of checking the legality of movement of individuals, motor vehicles, supplies, etc.
2. These Road Blocks will be clearly marked both at the approaches and at the check point and all vehicles will halt until released by the Military Police manning the Road Block. Unless operationally impossible an appropriate representative of the US or other Allied Military Police will be present when the circumstances require the checking of US or other Allied personnel. When the circumstances require the checking of Italian military personnel or civilians, a member of the Italian Carabinieri will be present unless operationally impossible.

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ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet on Tuesday, 20 Mar 45, at 1900 hrs in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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RAAC Routine Order No. 450 dated 14 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information and guidance:-

1. The practice of dumping refuse and other waste material at the mouth of the Castel Fusano Canal, OSTIA LIDO area, MR 589473 Italy 1/100,000 Sheet 149, or at any point in its course, is STRICTLY FORBIDDEN and WILL CEASE FORTHWITH.

2. This Canal is of great importance in that it serves to drain the land improvement project of OSTIA, and thus prevents flooding of agricultural areas and farmland.

3. Units, particularly those in OSTIA LIDO area, will ensure that all possible steps are taken to avoid further damage.

391. ROAD BLOCKS

GRO No. 219, S/N 10, dated 9 Mar 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

1. Road Blocks are being established throughout the theatre by the Allied Military Police for the purpose of checking the legality of movement of individuals, motor vehicles, supplies, etc.

2. These Road Blocks will be clearly marked both at the approaches and at the check point and all vehicles will halt until released by the Military Police manning the Road Block. Unless operationally impossible an appropriate representative of the US or other Allied Military Police will be present when the circumstances require the checking of US or other Allied personnel. When the circumstances require the checking of Italian military personnel or civilians, a member of the Italian Carabinieri will be present unless operationally impossible.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.T.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain J. E. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 75/45.

In the Field. 17 Mar 45.

381. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 18 Mar 45 - Bdr Edwards J.

Reveille	0700	hrs
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

382. REPORTING OF UNUSUAL INCIDENTS

The following extracts from RAAC letter ref 9A dated 14 Mar 45 are published for information and strict compliance:-

1. Incidents of an unusual nature occur frequently in this Command, but many of them are not being reported as instructed in this HQ Daily Bulletin of 7 Sep 44.

2. It is a matter of the greatest importance that all incidents of an unusual nature are reported immediately to G-1 ROMB Area Allied Command, giving as much information as is available.

Reports should be made in cases of:

(a) Death by misadventure;
(b) Serious accident;
(c) Cases of shooting or assault;
(d) Incidents involving soldiers under sentence or soldiers in custody;
(e) Other incidents of an unusual nature involving Allied troops.

ORs will report any incidents which come to their attention or in which they are involved without delay to the Orderly Room or Duty NCO.

383. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 19 Mar 45.

384. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1600 hrs Sunday, 18 Mar 45:-

S/57905	SQMS	Caldecott	J.	RASC.
S/2661977	Cpl	Birkin	R.J.	"
T/6852657	Cpl	Craswell	R.	"
T/140513	L/Cpl	Wiltshire	J.	"
4031027	Fus	Buchanan	S.	RWF
6981373	Fus	Butler	G.	R.Inn F.
3772788	Fus	Davies	J.	"
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385. DISCIPLINE

Meals.- In spite of previous orders published, ORs are still in the habit of carrying tea and food from the dining hall (Vaccari Restaurant) into the billets. This practice is highly irregular and unhygienic, and will cease forthwith.

The Regt Police have been instructed to take the name of any OR who attempts to contravene this order.

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386. BOUNDS (RAILWAY STATIONS)

The following extracts from GRO 217/45 are published for information and strict compliance:-

1. The misconduct of service personnel at railway stations has in several instances led to accidents with very serious results.
2. To avoid such accidents, all railway stations are now out of bounds to all troops who are:-
   (a) Not on duty at the station or
   (b) Not in possession of a written authority to travel by train.

387. MAIL - ORs

The mail box erected outside the Orderly Room (Room 9) is intended exclusively for Camp Staff mail which requires censoring.

The remainder of ORs will continue to have their mail censored by an officer of the Branch or Section in which they are employed, and will NOT use this mail box.

388. DAMAGE TO RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK

GRO No. 231 dated 9 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. Wilful damage is being caused by troops in transit to railway wagons and to the passenger coaching stock recently put into service.
2. Railway wagons are in short supply and such damage has a serious effect on the movement of stores vital to the war effort by decreasing the number of serviceable wagons which can be used.
3. All available coaching stock is already in use. Damage to it can only result in discomfort to troops and the substitution of unheated box wagons whilst carriages are under repair.
4. Officers Commanding trains will ensure that all possible steps are taken to prevent damage and to discover offenders and will be responsible for reporting all cases of damage with a view to disciplinary action.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
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The above team will represent HQ AC against the Juventus (Civilian) tomorrow, Sunday, 18 Mar 45, at the National Stadium. Kick-off at 1500 hrs.

Transport to leave Hotel Genova at 1330 and 1400 hrs.

The Allied Commission (Derby County) Team are the Stadio Leage RAAC champions and the Juventus Team are the Civilian League Champions.

A good game is expected and it is hoped that as many as possible will support

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Referee:- Sjt Rhind J.

Linesman:- Dvr Merola A.F.

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No. 74/45.

In the Field. 16 Mar 45.

376. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 17 Mar 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

377. APPOINTMENTS

It is published for information that No. ME/14500239 Pte Morgan K.S., Pnr Corps, has been granted an emergency commission as 2/Lt., Gen. List.

378. TRANSFERS OF BAKERS TO RASC.

The following is published in conformity with GRO 213/45:-

1. Vacancies exist within the War Establishments of RASC Bakeries in CMF for personnel who have had previous bakery experience (i.e. as bakers, doughmen, oven-men, etc.) and who wish to be employed in their previous trade.
2. Personnel having experience of technical bakery employment, either as civilians or in the army, may apply for transfer.
3. Applicants who are found to possess the necessary qualifications will be transferred to the RASC and be re-mustered in their appropriate trades. They will then be eligible to receive the rates of pay appropriate to their trade and category.
4. Personnel will retain rank on transfer provided they have sufficiently high technical qualifications to merit the holding of equivalent rank in their new trade and corps.
5. Transfer to the RASC under this GRO will in no way affect an individual's right to repatriation under "Python" or any other scheme.
6. Applicants will apply to the Orderly Room.

379. LAUNDRY - Ops

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Sat, 17 Mar 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Mon, 19 Mar 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

380. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 17

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Sentries.- Special gas sentries are not provided and the duties of every sentry include the ability to recognize the presence of gas and to give the appropriate gas alarm.

Gas duties of sentries, other than for spray.- Gas other than spray may be recognized by the senses of sight or smell (i.e. any suspicious liquid or hostile smoke, or any suspicious smell), or by the initial effects on the body (i.e. any feeling of choking or irritation of the nose or eyes).

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2. Personnel having experience of technical bakery employment, either as civilians or in the army, may apply for transfer.
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The following action to be taken by a sentry on recognizing any form of gas attack other than spray:-

i. Stop breathing.
ii. Sound the rattle.
iii. Adjust facepiece.
iv. Sound the rattle again, this time for at least 30 seconds.

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by
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O.C. British Detachment.
H.q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 73/45.

In the Field. 15 Mar 45.

370. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 16 Mar 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

371. DISCIPLINE (KIT LAYOUT)

Effective immediately all ORs billeted at the Genova and Vaccari Hotels will prepare their bedding for daily inspection in the following manner:-

(a) Mattresses folded back to the head of the bed.
(b) Blankets folded as usual and placed on top and centre of the mattress.
(c) Bed comforter will be folded round the blankets as per diagram illustrated on blackboard at the entrance of the Hotel Genova.
(d) Surplus kit will be folded neatly away in cupboards provided.

Note:- Only night duty drivers and Regt Policemen relieved from duty between 0300 and 0600 hrs are excused this procedure.

Standing Order No. 5 is hereby cancelled.

372. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m OR will report to the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Friday, 16 Mar 45:-

ENA/13609105 Pte Falck J. Pnr Corps.

373. NATIONAL SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

RAAC Order No. 452, dated 14 Mar 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. NATIONAL SAVINGS CERTIFICATES (7th Issue) of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 10 unit values will be on sale to BRITISH TROOPS only at the British Army Post Office, Piazza Cinquecento, ROME, with effect from Monday, 12 Mar 45.

Unit values are as follows:-

15/- (1 unit)	£1/10/- (2 units)	£2/5/- (3 units)
£3 (4 units)	£3/15/- (5 units)	£7/10/- (10 units)

2. Certificates may be purchased by individual members of the British Forces only:-

(a) in his own name for his own benefit;
(b) on behalf of another person residing in the United Kingdom including a child under seven years of age.
(c) ON NO ACCOUNT MAY SAVINGS CERTIFICATES BE PURCHASED BY OR ON BEHALF OF ITALIANS OR CIVILIANS RESIDING OUTSIDE THE UNITED KINGDOM OR BY MILITARY PERSONNEL OTHER THAN MEMBERS OF THE BRITISH FORCES.

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3. Holder's Registered Number Card, P.647G, should be produced at the time of purchase if issued in respect of a Certificate of the current or any previous issue.

4. It is emphasised that Certificates will be sold to individual members of the British Forces only AND NOT THROUGH POST ORDERLIES.

374. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs, 1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 17-19 Mar 45.

ORs at 36 - 3d Principe Amadeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).
1000 - 1230 hrs, 1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 18 and 19 Mar 45.
1000 - 1230 hrs, 1600 - 2000 " } Tue 20 Mar 45.

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375. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 16.

(a) Removal of the Facepiece.- When the commander on the spot is satisfied that there is no longer any necessity to continue wearing the facepiece, he will cause the words "Gas clear" to be passed by word of mouth; all ranks will then test for gas and, if satisfied that gas is clear in their area, they will remove their facepieces and pass on the words "gas clear".

(b) Verbal Warning "Spray".-

(i) This warning is given when the immediate action required is Part I of personal decontamination. Therefore, the verbal warning "spray" denotes that blister gas spray has fallen.

(ii) Blister gas released from containers carried by aircraft, or by means of air burst missiles (e.g. air burst bombs and air burst shell), is classified as spray. From this form of attack there is no danger to the breathing passages and therefore the respirator plays no part in protection against it, but personal decontamination is necessary to minimize casualties among individuals contaminated by drops of this spray. The gas alarm in both these cases is, therefore, the verbal warning "spray".

(iii) Every individual in the open who hears the verbal warning "spray" will immediately carry out Part I of personal decontamination.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
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NOTICES

DARTS CHAMPIONSHIP

1. In order to pick a team of eight to represent Rome Area Allied Command in the Theatre Inter-District Championships, it is proposed to hold an Individual Darts Tournament in this Area.

2. The Tournament will be held in the Alexander Club 2-7 April, nightly from 1900-2100 hrs, and will be run on a Knock-Out basis, 301 up, start and finish on a double.

3. Entries are limited to two per unit, and personnel of this [illegible] wishing to enter should submit their names to the Orderly Room (Chief Clerk) by 1600 hrs Monday, 19 Mar 45.

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No. 72/45.

In the Field. 14 Mar 45.

362. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 15 Mar 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

363. CRASH HELMETS - MARKING OF

District Routine Order No. 72, S/N 8, dated 10 Mar 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of those concerned:-

1. Unauthorized markings on Crash Helmets are being used by Units.
2. The attention of all ranks is drawn to GRO 730/44 (Repeated hereunder) which sets out the only authorized marking permitted except that the Corps of Military Police are now authorized to have a White Ground painted on Crash Helmets.
3. No other markings will be taken into use.

GRO 730/44

Markings of crash helmets for Corps of Military Police will be as for steel helmets, as follows:-

	BAND	BADGE	LETTERS
CMP (PROVOST)	Red ¾" Wide	½" High 2" Wide Blue Ground	MP (In Red) 1" High 3/8" Thick
CMP (TRAFFIC CONTROL)	White ¾" Wide	"	"
CMP (VULNERABLE POINTS)	Blue ¾" Wide	"	"

364. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m NCO will hand in his AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Thu 15 Mar 45:-

T/170604 Cpl Cutler-Andrews N.

365. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's Office (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni) at 0900 hrs on Thursday, 15 Mar 45:-

ME/14500239 Pte Morgan W.E. Phr Corps.

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366. M.T. DISCIPLINE (DRs)

All motor-cyclists using the VIA MOLISE entrance of the Ministerio Delle Corporazioni Bldg to park their vehicles will "shut off" their engines before entering the building.

The Provost Sjt will amend the Police Standing Orders accordingly.

367. ACCOMMODATION (ORs' Billet)

The lounge of the Albergo Genova will not be used by any OR for sleeping purposes.

It is the duty of the Regt Police to ensure that this order is complied with.

368. LOSS OF BICYCLES

District Routine Order No. 71, S/M 8, dated 10 Mar 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. A large number of WD bicycles have recently been stolen in this District.
2. In many cases the loss has been directly attributable to carelessness on the part of the rider concerned.

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3. Bicycles are difficult to obtain and every possible step will be taken for their safe custody. Locks and chains ARE ONLY PARTIALLY EFFECTIVE AS A PREVENTIVE AGAINST LOSS and the only means of preventing theft is by NEVER LEAVING A BICYCLE UNATTENDED.
4. In future, disciplinary action will be taken against any officer or OR who, by his negligence, is found to be responsible for the loss of a WD bicycle.

369. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 15

Gas Rattle or shout of "gas".

(a) This warning is given when the immediate action required is the adjustment of the respirator facepiece. Therefore, the rattle or shout of "gas" denotes the presence of any gas other than blister gas spray.
(b) Every individual hearing the rattle or shout of "gas" will immediately stop breathing, adjust the facepiece and continue to work.
(c) Blister gas from ground burst missiles endangers, initially, the eyes and breathing passages. This is due to the shattering of a portion of the liquid gas into a fine mist which is dangerous. The immediate adjustment of the respirator facepiece is necessary if serious injury is to be prevented. The gas alarm in this case is, therefore, the sounding of the rattle or the shout of "gas". Subsequently, personal decontamination by those individuals contaminated by the liquid will be necessary to minimize casualties resulting from skin injury, and should be carried out with the minimum of delay.

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No. 71/45.

In the Field. 15 Mar 45.

357. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 14 Mar 45 - Bdr Edwards W.

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Asst Adj.	
Asst Adj.	
Chief Clerk	

358. POSTAL

The following orders are again published for information and strict compliance:-

(a) Registered Mail

No OR will post registered letters in the Mail Box.

Any OR of the Camp Staff requiring registered mail to be censored will apply in person to the Orderly Room.

No responsibility for registered mail will be accepted if this order is violated.

(b) Parcels - Censoring

Any OR of the Camp Staff requiring parcels to be censored by the O.C. will apply to the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs. At no other time of the day will parcels be censored by the O.C. Clerks will continue to have their parcels censored by officers of the Divisions or Sub-Commissions in which they are employed.

(c) Duty-Free Labels

Duty-Free Labels are obtained from the Orderly Room between 0830 and 0900 hrs daily and personnel will produce their AB 64 Part I when applying for same.

(d) Postal Orders

(i) Sale.- British Postal Orders sold at Army Post Offices are payable at those offices and in most countries of the British Empire, Eire and Egypt. The orders are NOT payable in Australia, certain mandated territories and small islands of the British Empire. Poundage is not charged on postal orders sold at Army Post Offices. The amount of postal orders sold to any person on any one day is limited to a maximum of £2-2-0 except to an accredited Unit Post Orderly, purchasing for personnel of his unit.

(ii) Purchases.- The NCO i/c Postal Section (Br.) will ensure that postal orders not exceeding the above amount are purchased on behalf of any individual.

(iii) Payment.- Only postal orders of usual British pattern will be cashed at Army Post Offices. Postal Orders are not negotiable and will NOT be accepted in Canteens, etc.

359. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

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359. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
16 Mar 45	19 Mar 45	L/Cpl Read E., Sjt Sullivan P.J., L/Cpl Johnson T.J.
18 "	21 "	Cpl Heath C.
19 "	22 "	Cpl Cooper R.A., L/Cpl Daniels R., Sjt Matthews W.R., L/Cpl Scott W.G., S/Sjt Thompson H., Sjt Stayman R., Cpl Trillo F.
21 "	24 "	L/Cpl Rylance J.W.
23 "	26 "	S&S Lark F.V.L., Cpl Watkins H.H., L/Cpl MacRae T., Rfn Savage J.G., Pte Davies J.R.

360. ITALIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES

In view of the poor attendance to the Italian Language Classes, which on Mon 12 Mar 45 was reduced to 2 persons, these will be discontinued forthwith.

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361. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 14

Heavy Contamination

All drivers are responsible for the decontamination of their vehicles.

(a) Deal first with the woodwork, swabbing off the free liquid using a sandbag or rag moistened with petrol. Mix on the shovel a small quantity of bleach paste to a thick creamy consistency and apply it to the affected portion by means of a sandbag or rag.

(b) Deal next with the mudguard, swabbing off the free liquid using a sandbag or rag moistened with petrol. No bleach paste on metal parts.

(c) Free liquid (if any) on the hood and tyre should be swabbed off using a sandbag or rag moistened with petrol, the remainder being left to weather.

(d) If the seats are contaminated they should be swabbed and then either turned upside down or covered with a cape.

(e) Finally, burn or bury the used swabs.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

DANCE

Tickets for the ORs' dance on Wed 14 Mar 45 at Sala Pichetti, Via Velletri, are now on sale from Det Ord Sjt. Price 50 Lire each.

Transport from Hotel Genova 1930-2030 hrs.

Breakage expenses at the last dance totalled 2000 Lire. As this exceeds all profit made, any further cases of this will necessitate cancelling future dances.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain P. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
U.K. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 70/45.

12 Mar 45.

In the Field.

352. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 13 Mar 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1600 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

353. DISCIPLINE

The following orders are republished for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

(a) Bounds

(i) The following places of business (Wine Shops) are declared OUT OF BOUNDS to all Allied Troops:-

Farmicone Giovanni	Via Vittorio Locchi No. 4
Giordani Alberto	Viale Romania No. 35

(ii) The wine shops on either side of the ORs' billet, Albergo Genova, are out of bounds to all ORs of Allied Commission during parade hours, i.e. 0830 and 1800 hrs daily.

It is emphasized that this also affects ORs on day pass.

(b) Drunkenness & Danger of Italian Wine

Examination of samples of bottles of Italian wine shows that their alcoholic content compared with that of other drinks is as follows:-

(i) 1 litre of red wine = ½ bottle of whisky or
⅔ bottle of gin or
4½ bottles of CANADIAN beer or
8 pints of ENGLISH draught bitter (Wartime strength)

(ii) 1 litre of white wine = 2/5 bottle of whisky or
2/5 bottle of gine or
3¾ bottles of CANADIAN beer or
7¼ pints of ENGLISH draught bitter (Wartime strength)

Drunkenness is the most common factor in nearly all cases of crime.

All ranks are again warned of the risks of drinking wine and that drunkenness cannot be accepted as an excuse for an offence.

354. CONGRATULATIONS

The HQ Commandant wishes to congratulate the HQ AC Football Team on their outstanding success this season in winning every match of the series, and thereby becoming champions of the "STADIO" League.

Every success is also wished them in the forthcoming Zone League Championship Competition.

Asst Adjt
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355. RAAC CROSS COUNTRY RUN

The team notified in DROs S/N 69, dated 11 Mar 45, will assemble in the Lounge, Albergo Genova, at 0640 hrs Tue, 13 Mar 45.

Transport will report to the Captain of the team, SSM Picken A.R.M., MBE, & will leave at 0645 hrs.

356. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 13

Decontamination of Vehicle

(a) All drivers are responsible for the decontamination of their vehicles.
(b) Blister gas itself will not prevent a vehicle being driven.
(c) If the driver has been contaminated, his first action will be personal decontamination.
(d) Decontamination of the vehicle should be carried out at the first opportunity. It is important to attend to those parts with which personnel or stores are likely to come in contact.

Light Contamination

(e) The swabbing of those portions of the vehicle which the driver or other

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personnel are likely to touch (e.g. steering wheel, controls, starting handle, door, handle, tailboard) will generally suffice.

(f) The patch of detector paint should be swabbed and, at the first opportunity when the engine is cool, repainted with the paint carried on the vehicle. (If a brush is not available the paint can be applied with a rag.)

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H.q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 60/45.

In the Field. 11 Mar 45.

346. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 12 Mar 45 - Sgt Caskin, J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours

349. V.D. DISCIPLINE.

The following orders are republished for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

(a) Paras 1 & 2 of GRO 1056/44.

"1. CONCEALMENT.

In accordance with King's Regulations, 1940, para 555, a soldier who is suffering from V.D. must report himself sick without delay. Concealment of the disease delays treatment and causes a loss of manpower to the Army.

Concealment is a serious crime and will henceforth be dealt with by Court Martial in all cases, charges being preferred under Section 11 of the Army Act.

2. FINANCIAL PENALTIES.

Owing to the prevalence of VD in this theatre it is of the utmost importance that all ranks should be acquainted with the possible financial consequences of contracting the disease due to their own fault.

(a) Hospital Charges.

A soldier admitted to hospital on account of VD or its effects due to his own fault is required to pay hospital charges of 10d a day after the first 30 days of treatment in hospital (vide ACI 1348/44.)

(b) Loss of Pay (Non-Tradesmen).

Where a soldier is suffering from VD or its effects due to his own fault and is unable to carry out his normal duties he will be reclassified as laid down in para 16 (h) Army Order 14/43. This means in effect that he loses what was formerly known as "War Time & Special Proficiency Pay". In addition he is not entitled to the initial grant of any increase of pay for length of service in accordance with para 8 of Army Order 14/43. Full particulars are given in GRO 617/43.

(c) Loss of Paid Acting Rank.

Paid acting rank is relinquished from the date of leaving the unit on account of sickness. Soldiers who revert to private or equivalent rank suffering from VD as above are not appointed Lance-Corporal or Lance-Bombardier on such relinquishment as in other cases. GRO 707/43 refers."

(b) A.F.C. Number 625 dated 7 Nov 44.

1. CONDOMS.

Condoms are now available at any time, free of charge, from the British N.I.Room, Headquarters Building.

2. PROPHYLATIC CERTIFICATES.

In accordance with R.A.F.C. letter ref 26AI dated 25 Sep 44, all ranks who expose themselves to infection by V.D. are compelled to apply preventive measures and to obtain and retain a PROPHYLATIC certificate to the effect that such measures have been carried out.

Any man who contracts V.D. and is unable to produce such a certificate will be dealt with for disobeying this order.

Any O.R. who fails to understand this order [illegible]

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(b) H.Q. Number 623 dated 7 Nov 44.

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ANY O.R. who fails to understand this order will report to the Orderly Room (Chief Clerk) who will explain in detail the whole procedure.

3. BOUNDS.

In accordance with R.A.A.F.C. General Order number 3 dated 22 June 44, all houses of prostitution within Rome Area Command are hereby placed "OUT OF BOUNDS".

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350. DRESS.

The attention of all O.Rs. is drawn to D.R.O. number 799 dated 21 Dec 44, repeated hereunder.

Introduction of Collar & Ties for Other Ranks.

1. The following is published in conformity with CRO 1036/44, for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

2. Until ties of the regulation pattern are issued, Other Ranks who are in possession of khaki ties of normal military pattern are hereby authorized to wear them subject to the following conditions:-

(a) Warrant Officers and clerks at all times.
(b) Remainder of Other Rank personnel, i.e. M.T. drivers, regimental police and general duty men, only when off duty or on leave.

3. It is again emphasised that when the tie is worn, only the normal military pattern will be used, and that the battledress blouse will be opened to the second button from the top. When the tie is NOT worn the blouse will be buttoned to the top.

Tie or collar pins will NOT be worn.

4. Other Ranks are reminded that this privilege has been given at the discretion of the Headquarters Commandant, and that any untidiness or abuse thereof will mean that this privilege will be withdrawn.

351. GAS TRAINING (REVISED) LESSON No. 10.

Decontamination of Weapons.

All ranks are responsible for the decontamination of weapons on their charge.

(a) Rub gas ointment into the hands, leaving a visible film on the hands to give protection when handling contaminated articles.
(b) Unless the sling is heavily contaminated it should be left on the rifle, all free liquid being removed with a swab. Rub ointment into both sides of the affected parts of the sling.

(Sgd.) E. I. M. Scully. Captain.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

M-O-T-I-C-E.

RAAC CROSS COUNTRY RUN.

The u/m O.Rs. of this Headquarters have been selected to form a representative team in the forthcoming R.A.A.C. Cross Country Run.

S.S.M. A.R.M.Picken (MBE) will captain this team, and it is hoped that every facility will be given by Officers to enable this team to train.

S.S.M. Picken, A.R.M. (MBE).
S/Sgt. Thorp, E.
Sgt. Drewin, J.
Sgt. Whalen, A.C.
Cpl. Craswell, R.

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551. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 12.

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Gnr. Lucas, J.T.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 68/45.

In the Field, 10 Mar 45.

346. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 11 Mar 45 - Sjt Brewin J.

Reveille	0700	hrs.
Breakfast	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

347. MESSING

(a) Transit Meal Tickets.- W.e.f. Mon 12 Mar 45 new meal tickets for breakfast parade will come into force for ORs in transit, dining at the Vaccari Restaurant.

Transit ORs dining on Monday will ensure that they draw a new meal ticket (colour blue) during Sunday from Det Ord Sjt.

(b) Mess Kit.- No soldier will be served with a meal in the ORs' Mess unless in possession of mess tins or plates.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
C.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 11 MAR 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino
Holy Communion :- 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:- 1030 hrs.
Evensong :- 1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)
Morning Service:- 1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :- 1045 "
Evening Service:- 1830 "

Week-day Services
Wednesday Holy Communion 0730 hrs; Friday Holy Communion 0830 hrs.

Alexander Club - Sunday Services
Holy Communion 1130 hrs Chapel on 5th floor.
Evening Service 2000 " " " " "

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre
Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:- 1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service :- 1930 "

SOCCER

It is hoped once again that as many as possible will support tomorrow's match between HQ AC (DERBY COUNTY) and 48th (Br.) Gen Hospital (ASTON VILLA). This is the final zone game prior to the RAAC League finals. Kick-off 1430 hrs at the RONDINELLA STADIUM (Dog Track). Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1330 and

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ticket (colour blue) during Sunday [illegible]

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SOCCER

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CPL ROBINSON E.
PTE ATTWOOD E. FUS COOPER J. (CAPT.)
GNR LEESE J.T. PTE GIBBS D.H. RFMN BRICE J.
PTE BURGESS S. L/CPL ORPHAN L.J.
PTE GRIERSON B. GNR WILKS G. FUS FOY T.B.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 67/45.

In the Field. 9 Mar 45.

341. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Sat 10 Mar 45 - Sgt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours

Asst Adj.
Asst Adj.
Chief Clerk

342. RAAC ROUTINE ORDERS.

The following RAAC Routine Orders dated 7 Mar 45 are republished for the information and guidance of all:-

434. UNAUTHORIZED USE OF MILITARY LONG-DISTANCE NETWORK

1. Cases have recently been observed where military personnel, having established a call through the military long-distance telephone network, permit unauthorized civilians to use the line.

2. This practice will cease.

436. BATHS

1. All Public Baths in Rome Area Allied Command are Out of Bounds to all ranks.

2. There are baths in Rome for the use of British Officers and O.Rs. which are located at

9-11 Via Perruccio,
off Piazza Vittorio Emanuele (MR 757666)

3. Casual personnel may bath any time between 0800 hours and 1900 hours except Wednesday from 0900-1200 hours, when the baths are reserved for officers.

4. Towels are provided free for day-leave personnel only.

5. Organized parties of six or more will apply to Town Major, Rome, for allocation of time for bathing.

437. BOUNDS

1. Due to the outbreak of smallpox, Ferentino (Map Reference: G 3843) is out of bounds to all troops until further notice. Through traffic is allowed provided it does not stop in the town or within two miles of the town.

343. LAUNDRY - O.Rs.

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All O.Rs. billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm(MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hours Saturday, 10 Mar 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hours Monday, 12 Mar 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All O.Rs. billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

344. DISCIPLINE.

The practice of N.C.Os. and men of the Camp Staff walking between the 3 hotels and Vaccari Restaurant without headgear will cease forthwith. The Police Sgt will instruct policemen to observe that this order is carried out.

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345. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 11.

Personal Decontamination.

Cape Worn.

(a) C for clothing and equipment. Remove cape and helmet. Swab boots. Remove anklets. Examine lower portions of the trousers, apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is detected or suspected, and apply ointment to the skin (where not covered by underclothing) underneath the contaminated parts. Examine anklets, swab off any free liquid and apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is detected or suspected. Put on anklets. Swab cape and put it on again. Remove garnish from steel helmet; swab helmet; apply ointment to both sides of chinstrap where contaminated; regarnish helmet if necessary. Put on helmet.

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(b) D for detectors and weapons.- Ensure that all drops of liquid on detector paint on caps sleeves have been swabbed dry (any later contamination will be oily and easily recognizable). Decontaminate weapons.
(c) O for ointment.- Swab the hands with clean cotton waste and rub fresh ointment vigorously into each hand for 30 seconds.

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O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N-O-T-I-C-E-S.

1. SOCCER.

The undermentioned O.Rs. will represent the H.Q. Allied Commission, (Derby County) team, against the 48th Brit. Gen. Hospital (Aston Villa) team, in the last round of the R.A.A. League Competition to take place on the RONDINELLA STADIUM on Sunday 11 March 45. Kick off 1430 hours.

Transport to leave the HOTEL GENOVA at 1330 and 1400 hours.

The opposing team have 2nd place in the league and a very good game is expected. Again it is hoped that as many as possible will support their team on the FINAL LEAGUE GAME.

Cpl. Robinson, H., Pte. Attwood, F., Fus. Cooper, J., (Capt.)
Gnr. Leese, J.T., Rfn. Brice, J., Pte. Gibbs, D.A.,
Pte. Burgess, S., L/Cpl. Orphan, L.J., Gnr. Wiles, G., Pte. Grierson, B., Fus.Foy, T.B.

Referee :- Sgt. Rhind, J.
Linesman :- Dvr. Merola, A.F.

2. O.Rs' DANCE.

Tickets for the O.Rs' Dance to be held at the Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, on Wed, 14 Mar 45, will be on sale at the office of the Det. Ord. Sgt. on Mon 12 Mar 45. Price ; 50 Lire each.

O.Rs. are reminded that American friends apply to their own Special Service Sgts. for tickets for this dance.

3. UNDELIVERABLE LETTER.

The writer of an Air Mail Letter to the undermentioned address, will report to the Orderly Room (Room 9), forthwith.

Mr. & Mrs. D. Gardiner.
43 Waterloo Terr.,
Ashton on Ribble,
Preston, Lancs.,
England.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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No. 66/45.

8 Mar 45.

In the Field.

336. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 9 Mar 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hrs
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst Adc.
Chief Clerk

337. POSTAL

(a) Air Letters.- In spite of previous orders published, ORs of this HQ are still posting Non-Privilege Air Letters with a certificate written by them on the back.

This practice not only causes delay, but is contrary to regulations, and will cease forthwith.

(b) Posting.- Personal mail will NOT be posted in Unit mail boxes until such mail has been censored.

It is emphasized that ORs' mail will be censored by officers of the branch or section in which the OR is employed.

(c) Unit Address.

(i) The following method of address only will be adopted by personnel of this HQ:-

No. Rank Name
Headquarters,
Allied Commission,
C.M.F.

(ii) The following extracts from censorship regulations on the above are repeated for information and strict compliance:-

"13. Addresses

(a) The correct postal address of his unit will be made known to every soldier. No addition to this address will be permitted. In case of doubt regarding the correct military postal address of any unit, the local army postal authorities should be consulted. A place name will not appear in a military address specifically authorized. The use of a civil address is forbidden.

(b) In no case will the writer's unit be disclosed on the outside of envelopes, wrappers or postcards. (The correct use of field service post-cards is the only exception to this rule.)

(c) The use of stationery which is headed, embossed or printed with any matter calculated to disclose the location of the writer or any of his unit is prohibited.

338. SECURITY

1. A civilian employee of the Albergo Genova has been observed reading Daily Routine Orders, and taking notes and numbers of the forged currency [illegible] dated 6 Mar 45.

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2. It is pointed out that for security reasons information published in any military orders which are displayed for information of service personnel will NOT be read by civilians.

3. It is the duty of every soldier to ensure that this is enforced and the Regt Police on duty will give this their particular attention.

339. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in room 46, Hq Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 10-12 Mar 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vacoari Hotel).
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 11 and 12 Mar 45

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 13 Mar 45.

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340. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 10

Personal Decontamination

(a) C for clothing and equipment.- Remove equipment, blouse and helmet. Swab boots. Remove anklets. Examine trousers and blouse, apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is detected or suspected, and apply ointment to the skin (where not covered by underclothing) underneath the contaminated parts. Put on blouse.
(Note.- If there is doubt as to whether any contamination on the blouse has not been detected and treated owing to extent of contamination, bad light, grease, dirt or rain, the blouse must be discarded and the jersey worn until a fresh blouse is available. On occasions, the commander on the spot may consider it advisable to order all blouses to be discarded.) Examine anklets and equipment, swab off any free liquid and apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is detected or suspected. Put on anklets and equipment. Remove garnish from steel helmet; swab helmet; apply ointment to both sides of chinstrap where contaminated; regarnish helmet if necessary. Put on helmet.
(b) D for detectors and weapons.- Swab sleeve detectors and retain them for further use, but if contaminated with a large number of drops they should be discarded and the spare pair taken into use.
(c) O for ointment.- Swab the hands with clean cotton waste and rub fresh ointment vigorously into each hand for 30 seconds.

(Sgd.) T.I.M. Scully, Captain.
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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet to-night, Thursday, 8 Mar 45, at 1900 hrs, in room 12, Albergo Genova.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain E. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 65/45.

In the Field. 7 Mar 45.

328. ROUTINE

Duty MCO Thu 8 Mar 45 - Bdr Edwards .

Reveille	.....	0630	hrs
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Asst Adm.

Chief Clerk

329. ROME BRITISH RELIEF FUND

Ref DRO No. 322 dated 6 Mar 45.

Para 4 is amended to read as follows:-

"Subscriptions will be entirely voluntary for ORs and will in no case exceed the following scale:-

WOs	2/6
S/Sjts & Sjts	2/-
Cpls	1/6
L/Cpl & Ptes	1/- "

330. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date		Place	Personnel
Fri 9 Mar 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, inside Cafeteria	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 12 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

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ORs of Headquarters parading for pay will do so inside the Cafeteria and will not loiter or lounge in the corridor.

331. HOSPITAL PATIENTS - EVACUATION UK

GRO No. 192 dated 2 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. Until shortly before the invasion of NW Europe, patients evacuated to the UK from this theatre, and other overseas theatres, were distributed on arrival to hospitals near their homes.
2. Owing to large scale movement of troops and equipment just prior to these operations, and which still continues, rail facilities have been curtailed to an extent which precludes this arrangement being continued.

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2. Owing to large scale movement of troops and equipment just prior to these operations, and which still continues, rail facilities have been curtailed to an extent which precludes this arrangement being continued.
3. All patients due for evacuation to the UK are warned prior to embarkation by the hospital authorities that this scheme is no longer in operation, but the knowledge that such a scheme has been in force is so widespread amongst troops in CMF that there is a tendency amongst some hospital patients to disregard this warning.

As a result, they suffer disappointment when on arrival in UK they are informed it will not be possible to continue their treatment in hospitals located near to their homes.

332. ABCA SONG BOOK

GRO No. 197 dated 2 Mar 45 is republished for the information of those interested:-

"Ref GRO 685 of 1943.

1. Copies of a second edition of the ABCA Song Book are now available in U.K.
2. The price of the Song Book is ONE SHILLING per copy, plus postage. Postage is 2d. on single copies, 5/- on lots of 100 copies, with a pro rata reduction on smaller quantities.

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3. Units or individuals requiring copies of the Song Book should forward their orders, accompanied by cash, to Messrs Chappell and C . Ltd., 50 New Bond Street, LONDON, W.1."

333. MT VEHICLE PARK

DRO No. 224 dated 15 Feb 45 is repeated hereunder for information:-

"In future the Police Sjt will stand down the policeman on duty at the car park at 2100 hrs daily, only if there are no vehicles in the park. This is to help alleviate the present police shortage and also because the park is seldom used after 2000 hrs.

If a driver requires to park his vehicle after 2100 hrs he will report to the police NCO at the Hotel Genova, who will arrange for the necessary guarding of the vehicle."

334. DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS

The attention of all concerned is drawn to the following, which is re-published for information and strict compliance:-

(a) All requests for publication in these orders will in future be submitted in writing to the C.C. by 1200 hrs on the day which publication is required.

(b) ORs will familiarize themselves with all orders published. "Ignorance" will not be accepted as an excuse for any infringement or non-compliance with instructions laid down in these orders.

(c) Any OR of this Headquarters, who, by virtue of his location (billet), is unable to read Daily Routine Orders on the Unit notice boards, and to whom a copy is not already despatched, will report to the Chief Clerk of the Orderly Room who will arrange a daily delivery of these orders.

(d) Other Ranks who are "absent on duty" from this Headquarters will, on their return, ensure that they are familiar with all the orders published during their absence. This to be done by reporting to the Ord Sjt who will keep a permanent file copy of all Daily Routine Orders published.

(e) DROs are posted by 1700 hrs daily on notice boards at the following locations:-

HQ Bldg (Ministerio Delle Corporazioni), Main Entrance.
ORs' Billets, Albergos Genova & Vaccari.
WOs & Sjts' Mess, Albergo Urbe.
ORs' Mess, Vaccari Restaurant.
Super Garage (Piazza Verdi), Regt Police Room.

335. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 9

Personal Decontamination.

(a) C for Cotton Waste.- By swabbing with cotton waste, remove all free liquid from the exposed skin and from the chinstrap of the steel helmet.

(b) O for Ointment.- Rub gas ointment vigorously into the exposed parts of the skin, using both hands, for not less than 30 seconds for each part, and alternating between the face, neck and each hand (and knees, if bare). This will take about two minutes. If the ointment vanishes before the rubbing is complete more ointment should be taken. Ointment must not enter the eyes. After the rubbing is complete, surplus ointment (if any) should be removed (except from the hands). Smear more ointment on the hands, leaving a visible

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534. DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS

The attention of all concerned is drawn to the following, which is re-published for information and strict compliance:-

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(b) ORs will familiarize themselves with all orders published. "Ignorance" will not be accepted as an excuse for any infringement or non-compliance with instructions laid down in these orders.

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(c) E for Eyeshield. Prepare a fresh eyeshield for use and substitute for old one. Inspect the latter and discard if contaminated.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain D. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 64/45.

In the Field. 6 Mar 45.

320. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 7 Mar 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	 0630	hours.
Breakfast	..... 0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	..... 1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	..... 1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	 2330	"

321. FORGED CURRENCY

Ref DRO 26 dated 8 Jan 45.

Delete para 4 and substitute:

"4 (a) Although 500 lire Allied Military Currency notes may be the work of amateurs who alter 50 lire notes by adding a "0", thus putting the design out of balance, it is now known that forged 500 lire notes made on similar lines to the 1,000 lire notes are in circulation.

(b) Many of these 500 lire notes have been forged by a gang recently operating in ROME. These notes are very clever forgeries and are very hard to detect; the gang has been rounded up, but many notes are probably still in circulation. The serial numbers of these notes (including 1,000 lire notes) so far discovered as having been printed by these counterfeiters are as follows:-

1,000 LIRE ALLIED MILITARY CURRENCY NOTES.

A85855380A	A16143712A	A16145772A	A16143711A
A85855083A	A85833805A	A85835803A	A85835038A
	A96745139A	A96745151A	A96745163A
	A96745140A	A96745152A	A96745164A
	A96745141A	A96745153A	A96745165A
	A96745142A	A96745155A	A96745166A
	A96745143A	A96745156A	A96745168A
	A96745144A	A96745157A	A96745169A
	A96745145A	A96745158A	A96745174A
	A96745146A	A96745159A	A96745175A
	A96745147A	A96745161A	A96745176A
	A96745149A	A96745162A	

1,000 LIRE AND 500 LIRE ALLIED MILITARY CURRENCY NOTES.

A04313012A	A15641898A	A11710880A	A06652214A
A08824889A	A13130490A	A06248894A	A04992260A
A17195951A	A14285405A	A19722120A	A17135653A
A10569787A	A19225627A		

(c) The above list is not exhaustive, and all ranks are warned that these notes may appear in any part of ITALY."

322. ROME BRITISH RELIEF FUND

1. There is in Rome a considerable number of persons of British descent but long domiciled in Italy and in some cases having Italian nationality. Many of these persons are in the present circumstances existing in great distress which must be expected in the coming months to be more acute.

2. To deal with such cases the Rome British Relief Fund exists. It is a fund of many years standing: the British Ambassador is its Patron and it is administered by a Committee under the Chairmanship of the Rev. R.T.R. Anderson

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A85835380A	A16143712A	A16143772A	A16143711A
A85835083A	A85833805A	A85835803A	A85835038A
	A96745139A	A96745151A	A96745163A
	A96745140A	A96745152A	A96745164A
	A96745141A	A96745153A	A96745165A
	A96745142A	A96745154A	A96745166A
	A96745143A	A96745155A	A96745168A
	A96745144A	A96745157A	A96745169A
	A96745145A	A96745158A	A96745171A
	A96745146A	A96745159A	A96745172A
	A96745147A	A96745161A	A96745173A
	A96745149A	A96745162A	

1,000 LIRE AND 500 LIRE ALLIED MILITARY CURRENCY NOTES.

A04313012A	A15641898A	A11710880A	A06652214A
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3. The Commander British Troops Rome sanctions the opening of subscription lists within units and wishes such a list to be opened in the HQ of Rome Area Allied Command.

4. Subscriptions will be entirely voluntary for ORs and will in no case exceed the following scale:-

WOs	2/6
S/Sjts & Sjts	2/-
Cpls	1/6
L/Cpls	1/-

5. Subscriptions to be forwarded to the PAY NCO, Sjt Cookson J., British Orderly Room (Room 14).

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323. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Orl Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
8 Mar 45	11 Mar 45	Pte Parsons A., Sjt Hill H.V.
9 "	12 "	Pte Ross W.
10 "	13 "	Pte Attwood F.
12 "	15 "	L/Cpl Bowman E., Pte Williams V.J., Pte Boyes W., L/Cpl Bush T.C., Sjt Rhind J., L/Cpl Lackey T.L., Pte Twigg A., L/Cpl Lisberg J.S., S/Sjt Cash A., Sjt Chipperton T.F.
14 "	17 "	Sjt Poppe E.A., L/Cpl West F.H., Cpl Grime J.R.
15 "	18 "	Sjt Davy R.A., Sjt Cookson J.

324. O.C's PARADE

All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the ORs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1315 hrs Wednesday, 7 Mar 45, for a talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) and Lazio Region personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Orl Sjt by 1230 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.

The RSM and Provost Sjt will be in attendance.

325. ACCOMMODATION - ORs

Owing to the present shortage of accommodation, permission cannot be granted for relatives or friends to be accommodated, until further notice.

326. BILLETS - LOCKING OF ROOMS

In view of the fact that so many keys to bedrooms in the Hotel Genova have been lost, all keys will be withdrawn forthwith and the locks rendered useless.

Previous orders on this subject are hereby cancelled.

327. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 8

Personal Decontamination

SEQUENCE:- Can be memorized by the letters C.O.E.C.D.O.

C stands for Cotton Waste.
O " " Ointment.
E " " Eyeshields.
C " " Clothing & Equipment.
D " " Detectors & Weapons.
O " " Ointment.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
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Mar 45, for a talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (AMMA) and Lazio Region personnel will not attend this parade.

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O.C. British Detachment.
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N O T I C E S

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The next meeting of the Entertainments Committee will be held on Thursday, 8 Mar 45, at 1900 hrs.

SOCCER

The u/m team will represent the H.Q. Allied Commission (DERBY COUNTY) against R.A.F. Public Relations (BURNLEY) in the 12th Round of the R.A.A. League Competition to take place at the No. 4 Stadium (FORUM MUSSOLINI) on THURSDAY, 8 MAR 45. Kick-off at 1430 hrs. Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1330 and 1400 hrs. The opposing team is amongst the three leaders of the League Zone and a very good game is expected. Once again it is hoped that as many as possible will support their team in this, a probable 12th League victory.

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ARMY ORDERS
by
Captain D.M.K. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 63/45.

In the Field. 5 Mar 45.

314. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 6 Mar 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	 0630	hours
Breakfast	..... 0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	..... 1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	..... 1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	 2330	"

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[illegible] Ass.	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	

315. AWARDS (AFRICA STAR & 1939/43 STAR)

ORs of this Headquarters who have applied for either of the above awards and have not an entry in their AB 64 Part I granting the award will submit full particulars to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Wed 7 Mar 45.

316. BOUNDS

RAAC General Order No. 7 dated 2 Mar 45 is repeated hereunder for information and compliance:-

"The following place of business (Wine Shop) is declared OUT OF BOUNDS to all Allied Troops:-

Angelo Enrichi ..... Viale Romania 27-29."

317. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE MEETING

The u/m members of the ORs' Messing Committee will assemble in Room 14, Albergo Genova, at 1315 hrs Tue 6 Mar 45:-

Cpl Bastable	C.C.		
Cpl Birkin	R.J.	Gnr Foster	D.
Pte Cragg	A.	Pte Kelman	L.G.
Dvr Cobb	W.M.	Dvr Richardson	G.

(Sjt Gibbs H., Sjt Gaffney J., and L/Cpl Brown J. will be in attendance.)

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318. DAY PASS & LOCAL LEAVE

DRO No. 282 dated 27 Feb 45 is repeated for information:-

"In accordance with GRO 85/45, AF B295 (CMF) will be taken into use immediately.

Therefore ORs of this Headquarters proceeding on day pass or local leave, will report to the Detachment Orderly Sjt by 1300 hrs on the day prior to this entitlement, to enable the pass to be completed or submitted for signature.

Failure to comply with this order may result in ORs being apprehended by the CMPs.

It is emphasized that the "Rome Area Permanent Pass" will not be used in lieu of AF B295 (CMF) if apprehended and not on duty."

It is pointed out that several ORs had their day off during the past week but failed to collect their passes, senior NCOs being the chief offenders.

All ORs will collect their "day off" pass from the office of the Det Ord Sjt, and the excuse that the man stayed in billets on his day off will not absolve him from collecting his pass.

It is emphasized that this is essential to enable a correct check being kept on ORs on day pass.

319. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 7

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319. GAS TRAINING (REPRO) LESSON No. 7

First Aid for Gases

(a) Choking Gases. The casualty is a stretcher case. Should be kept warm, given hot, sweet tea; no alcohol, no smoking. Transferred to Medical Post.

(b) Nose Gases. No first aid treatment. Should not be evacuated.

(c) Tear Gases. Wash out eyes thoroughly with water. Evacuate only in serious cases.

(d) Blister Gases. Wash out eyes if affected, evacuate immediately. Affected skin should be swabbed and gas ointment applied. If blisters form they should be pricked.

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by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 62/45.

In the Field. 4 Mar 45.

309. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 5 Mar 45 - Sjt. Brewin J.
Reveille..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out..... 2330 "



310. OFFENCES.

(a) 7942242 Tpr. James R. 27 Feb.45. W.O.A.S. Driving a W.D. M/C at a speed in excess of that laid down for the streets of ROME.(25 M.P.H.) Driving at a speed of 30 to 35 m.p.h. in Via 23 Marzo at about 1355 hrs.
Witness: L/Cpl. Buttery W. 230 Provost Coy.
Remanded for H.Q. Commandant and deprived of 10 days Pay by Col. R.H.Robertson on 3 Mar.45.
(Entered in A.B.64 Part II s/n 11)

10674183 Pte. Jackson F. 27 Feb. 45. W.O.A.S. Parking a W.D. vehicle in a prohibited place i.e. 56 Rest Camp car park at about 1345 hrs.
Witnesses: L/Cpl. F.Stephenson 230 Provost Coy.
L/Cpl. C.Panting. " " "
Remanded for H.Q. Commandant and deprived of 5 days Pay by Col. R.H.Robertson on 3 Mar.45.
(Entered in A.B.64 Part II s/n 4)

(b) Daily Routine Order Number 299 dated 2 Mar. 45. is repeated hereunder for information of all O.Rs. at this Headquarters:

" The number of CAP charges preferred against O.Rs. of this Headquarters are becoming far too numerous.

These charges are usually for such offences as

Traffic violations (Parking, speeding, etc.)
Irregular conduct (Being improperly dressed.)
Being without proper identity documents.

In future a more serious view will be taken of any further such charges and it is emphasised that in most cases ORs will be remanded for the Commanding Officer.

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311. DISCIPLINE.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room (Room 12) at 0915 hrs. Mon. 5 Mar 45.

Sjt. Barber L.
" Hall T.J.
Pte. Covell L.
" Harley J..

The s/n O.Rs. will not be absent from any training parades held prior to 0915 hrs.

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312. GAS TRAINING (INFT).

Lesson No. 6 - Types of Gases.

BLISTER GASSES.

Lewisite	Very persistent	Smell of geranium in crude state. Skin stinging. Detecters turn RED where in contact with liquid.	Liquid Eye.- Pain, redness, closed in one hour, permanent blindness. Skin.- Immediate stinging, redness in 15 minutes, blisters in an hour's time and upwards. If swallowed may cause death.
			Vapour Owing to strong smell and irritation protective measures can be taken at once and there should be no casualties. Redness of skin from half an hour upwards.

313. CROSS-COUNTRY RUN.

Notice is given that a Team Championship Run will be held at the beginning of April 1945, for British units in Rome Area Allied Command.

Teams will consist of eight runners, six to count, and the course will cover five miles in the immediate vicinity of the City of Rome.

The winning team will be awarded a trophy and the runners will receive prizes.

Those of this Headquarters wishing to form a team and partake in this run, are requested to submit their particulars to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs. Wed. 7 Mar. 45.

(Sgd.) M. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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No. 61/45.

In the Field. 3 Mar 45.

301. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 4 Mar 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0700 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
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302. M.T. DISCIPLINE (SPEED LIMIT)

For the information of all drivers it is again emphasized that the speed limit in Rome is 25 mph.

Particular attention will be given by drivers when using the Via PINCIANO (i.e. the road leading to the Super Garage, from the Park Entrance) where there is a military policeman on permanent duty, checking all drivers using this road, for exceeding the speed limit.

303. BATHS

Owing to the shortage of fuel, and in order to conserve present supplies, w.e.f. Tue 6 Mar 45 the hot water for baths in the ORs' billets will only be obtainable on the following days of each week:-

Tuesdays
Wednesdays
Saturdays
Sundays.

304. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs MONDAY, 5 MAR 45.

305. SJTS' MESS MEETING

DRO No. 280/45 is repeated hereunder for the information of those concerned:-

There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on TUESDAY, 6 MAR 45, in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty including attached personnel, but less Land Forces Sub Commission personnel and those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening.

306. BOOTS

An increasing number of boots are having to be condemned as beyond repair, owing to these being worn long after they are in need of repair through studs being out - tips and heels being off. This results in new boots having to be issued.

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No excuse can be accepted for this, as each soldier is in possession of 2 pairs of boots.

For information, the wearing of boots in excess when needing repair constitutes a military offence.

In future, all boots will be handed in to the QM Stores direct and not to the Cobbler's Shop, correctly labelled with No., Rank and Name, each day with the exception of Sundays. After repair they will be collected from the Cobbler's Shop.

307. SERVICE CHEVRONS

War Service Chevrons may be obtained from the QM Stores from 0900 hrs Monday, 5 Mar 45, to 1600 hrs Wednesday, 7 Mar 45.

Each OR will produce his AB 64 for verification of service.

It is regretted that sufficient stocks are not available for issue to officers who can obtain theirs from the Officers' Shop.

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308. FIRST & EIGHTH ARMY CLASPS - AFRICA STAR

First and Eighth Army Clasps for the Africa Star Ribbon are available at the QM Stores.

AB 64 Part I must be produced, showing authority for entitlement. This authority is additional to authority for the wearing of the Africa Star ribbon.

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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 4 MAR 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino

Holy Communion :-	0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong :-	1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

Morning Service:-	1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :-	1045 "
Evening Service:-	1830 "

Week-day Services

Wednesday Holy Communion 0730 hrs; Friday Holy Communion 0830 hrs.

Alexander Club - Sunday Services

Holy Communion 1130 hrs Chapel on 5th floor.
Evening Service 2000 " " " " "

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre

Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:-	1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service :-	1930 "

2675 REGT DANCE TONIGHT SAT 3 MAR 45

Trouble has been all too frequent at the weekly 2675 Regt EM's Dance. It is pointed out that 10 ORs only may attend, and these tickets have been issued as per separate notice.

Admission will not be gained other than by the 10 tickets issued by this Detachment.

SOCCER

The u/m will represent HQ AC (DERBY COUNTY) against SOMERSET REGT (BARNSLEY) tomorrow, SUNDAY, 4 MAR 45, at No. 4 STADIUM (FORUM MUSSOLINI). Kick-off at 1430 hrs. It is hoped that as many as possible will support their team in this, the 11th Round of the R.A.A. League Competition. Transport will leave the Hotel Genova at 1330 and 1400 hrs:-

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Holy Communion :- 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:- 1030 hrs.
Evensong :- 1830 "

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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O.C. British Detachment.
R. . Allied Commission, C.C.T.

No. 60/45.

In the Field, 2 Mar 45.

295. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 3 Mar 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	0630	hours.
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1300	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst Acs.
Asst Acs.
Chief Clerk

296. ACCIDENTS - EXPLOSIVES

The following is extracted from RAAC Daily Bulletin No. 51 dated 28 Feb 45, for information and guidance:-

"Serious accidents have occurred as a result of the setting up, without adequate precautions, of explosive charges as a deterrent to thieving.

No booby traps, alarm guns or silent sentries of a lethal or dangerous character will be set on premises occupied by Allied troops except by Engineer personnel on authority of G-3 Section, Rome Area Allied Command."

297. SERVICE CHEVRONS

When worn, service chevrons will be worn on the right forearm, appex uppermost on the outer side of the sleeve, midway between seams, the appex of the lowest chevron being 4 inches from the bottom of the sleeve.

298. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 3 Mar 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 5 Mar 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

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300. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 5

(TYPES OF GASES)

BLISTER GASES

Mustard	Very persistent. From a few hours to 1 month	Pale straw to dark brown oily liquid. Smell of onions. Detectors turn RED where in contact with liquid.	Liquid. Eyes turn red, then close, will cause permanent blindness. Skin.- No immediate effect, irritation in about 2 hours followed by blisters in 6-12 hours. If swallowed stomach pains, vomiting and probable death.

Vapour.

Eyes.- Pain and redness in 4-8 hours. Temporary blindness.
Lungs.- No immediate effect, cough 6-8 hours after. Liable to pneumonia.
Skin.- No immediate effect; irritation in about 12 hours followed by blisters.

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by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 59/45.

In the Field. 1 Mar 45.

288. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 2 Mar 45 - Bdr Edwards W.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Asst Adjt.	
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Chief Clerk	

289. DAMAGE TO UNDERGROUND CABLES & OVERHEAD WIRE & CABLE ROUTES

The following is extracted from RAAC Daily Bulletin No. 50 dated 27 Feb 45, for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

The main State Telephone Cable and the principal Open Wire Routes have been damaged frequently by units working on roads, culverts, bridges, water mains, and power lines. These damages have seriously interrupted vital Theatre Wire Communications for appreciable periods of time.

To prevent unnecessary damage to underground cables, no digging, grading, excavating or blasting will be done along the main roads until the officer in charge of the proposed construction has co-ordinated his plans with the Signal Officer, Rome Area Allied Command.

When damage or potential damage to cable or open wire is discovered by military personnel, a report will be made immediately to the Signal Officer, Rome Area Allied Command.

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290. EQUIPMENT FOR TRANSIT PERSONNEL

The following is published in conformity with GRO 176/45:-

1. Frequent instances are being reported of small parties from units travelling considerable distances without being in possession of mess tins, rations or blankets for the journey.
2. Therefore all ORs of this Headquarters on leaving station will ensure that they possess the above articles as required for the length of their journey.

291. AIR LETTERS & GREEN ENVELOPES

1. All Other Ranks are reminded that in accordance with GRO 143/45, the following arrangements in respect of Air Letters and Green Envelopes will take effect from 1 Mar 45:-
2. The scale of issue of Non-Privilege Air Letters will be unlimited.
3. The scale of issue of Privilege Letters (i.e. letters not subject to unit censorship) will be two per week per OR. A man will be free to elect to take two Privilege Air Letter Forms (AF W3077A) or two Green Envelopes, or one of each. All other letters will be unit censored.
4. Privilege Air Letters will be written only on the correct form (AF W3077A). It will NOT be permitted to convert an ordinary non-privilege Air Letter into a privilege form by writing the appropriate certificate on the back.
5. Officers will continue to frank their own correspondence as at present, and no issue of Privilege Letters will be made to them.

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6. Privilege Air Letter forms and Green Envelopes will continue to be issued through RASC channels. The complete weekly issue will be in Privilege Air Letter forms except to the extent that units indent for Green Envelopes in lieu.
7. Non-Privilege Air Letter forms will be obtainable from the Postal Section (Br.) in the HQ Bldg.

Note:- ORs' mail will be censored by officers of the Branch or Section in which the OR is employed.

292. BOOT REPAIRS

W.e.f. Thursday, 1 Mar 45, all ORs needing boots repaired will hand them in to the Cobbler's Shop at Via Principe Amedeo between 0830 and 1800 hrs daily, Sundays excepted, when the shop will be closed. Boots will be tied firmly together in pairs, and each boot labelled with No, Rank and Name of sender.

DRO No. 196 dated 11 Feb 45 is hereby cancelled.

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293. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, H. Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 3-5 Mar 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).
1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 4 and 5 Mar 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 6 Mar 45.

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

294. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 4

(TYPES OF GASES)

(a) NOSE GASES

D.M., D.A. and D.C.	Non-persistent	By its effects after 3-5 mins.	Pains in chest, throat, teeth and head in 3-5 mins. Feeling of influenza and depression. Vomiting in severe cases.

(b) TEAR GASES

C.A.P.	Non-persistent	By its effects.	Stinging of eyes, flow of tears, but no damage to eyes.
K.S.K.	Persistent about 2 hours.	Smell of pear drops and effects.	As above.
B.B.C.	Persistent 3-30 days.	Smell of sour fruit and effects.	As above but more acute.

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No. 58/45.

In the Field. 28 Feb 45.

264. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 1 Mar 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

Asst Adj.	
Asst Adj.	
Chief Clerk	

265. DAY PASSES

Ref DRO 282 dated 27 Feb 45.

ORs on reporting to Det Ord Sjt for a Day Pass will produce a written authority from the Chief Clerk or NCO i/c of the branch or section in which he is employed, authorizing the day leave of the individual.

It is emphasized that the new type of pass AF B295 (CMF) must be taken into use and that the CMPs will not accept any other type in lieu thereof.

266. SAFEGUARDING OF MD VEHICLES

GRO 169 dated 23 Feb 45 is repeated hereunder for the information, guidance and strict compliance of all concerned:-

1. The loss of vehicles owing to theft has reached such proportions as to create a serious drain on resources.
2. In many cases the vehicles had been immobilized, but this has proved a totally inadequate precaution to prevent determined thieves from stealing them. Many thefts of property from unattended vehicles have also been reported.
3. MD and requisitioned vehicles (including motor-cycles) will never be left unattended, except
   (a) when essential on operational grounds,
   (b) on account of other urgent necessity,
   (c) by holders of "user-driver" permits, in the circumstances mentioned in para 8 below.
4. All units having MT on charge will arrange for their vehicle parks to be guarded day and night.

   Small units which have difficulty in finding their own guard may arrange, if possible, to park their vehicles with those of a unit where a guard is mounted.
5. When on duty, it is the driver's responsibility to ensure that arrangements are made for his vehicle to be safeguarded at all times. He will not leave his vehicle in any car or motor cycle park unless it is clearly marked with a sign:

   "Authorized and guarded car park: British MD vehicles may be left here unattended". Such signs will be exhibited in English and Italian.

   Formation Commanders will review the arrangements in all car parks in their areas, and will ensure that such signs are exhibited only at parks in which adequate safeguards exist to prevent vehicles being removed by unauthorized persons. Such safeguards will normally include a "tally" system, [illegible] of drivers leaving the park may be checked.

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5. When on duty, it is the driver's responsibility to ensure that arrangements are made for his vehicle to be safeguarded at all times. He will not leave his vehicle in any car or motor cycle park unless it is clearly marked with a sign:

"Authorized and guarded car park: British MT vehicles may be left here unattended". Such signs will be exhibited in English and Italian.

Formation Commanders will review the arrangements in all car parks in their areas, and will ensure that such signs are exhibited only at parks in which adequate safeguards exist to prevent vehicles being removed by unauthorized persons. Such safeguards will normally include a "tally" system, by which the bona fides of drivers leaving the park may be checked.

6. Military police will not be used to guard vehicles of units other than their own. Their duty at car parks is to control traffic and the parking of vehicles, and the fact that they are present does not absolve any driver from his responsibility for safeguarding his own vehicle, unless the park is marked with a sign as in para 5 above.

7. (a) The practice of immobilizing vehicles, besides being an inadequate safeguard, often leads to mechanical inefficiency and damage. This method of safeguarding vehicles will therefore not be used, except when vehicles are left unattended in the circumstances permitted by paras 3 above and 8 below, or when ordered by Divisional or higher HQ in an operational area.

(b) When in these circumstances immobilization is permitted, it will be carried out by locking the steering wheel with a padlock and chain, if available; otherwise the rotor arm or other essential part of the engine will be removed. The vehicle will also, if possible, be locked.

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(c) Vehicles left in authorized and guarded car parks, or otherwise under guard, will NOT be immobilized.

(d) Nothing in this paragraph will be taken as authorizing vehicles to be left unattended and immobilized, except in the special circumstances prescribed in (a) above.

6. (a) Certain personnel have been allotted WD or requisitioned vehicles for which no military driver has been provided. Such personnel are required to be provided with permits as "user drivers", under GRO 160/45. Permits already issued to officers under para 8 of GRO 113/44 will lapse as from 1 month from the date of issue of this GRO, during which time the holder will apply for a permit under GRO 160/45 if he wishes to continue to avail himself of the authority granted thereby.

(b) Holders of "user driver" permits only are permitted to leave their vehicles unattended whilst carrying out military duties when no other arrangements can be made, provided that:

(i) there is no military driver or other person in whose care the vehicle could be left.

(ii) there is no military unit within reasonable distance under whose guard the vehicle could be placed, and

(iii) the vehicle is both locked (if possible) and immobilized.

(c) Possession of such a permit does not absolve the holder from making the best possible arrangements to have his car guarded at all times, nor does it affect his responsibility for the safety of any WD property or documents which may be in the car.

(d) The attention of "user-drivers" taking their vehicles on tour is directed to para 11 (b) of GRO 160/45.

(e) No permits will be issued in respect of motor cycles, which will never be left unattended except in the circumstances mentioned in para 3 (a) and (b) above.

9. (a) Particulars of WD or requisitioned vehicles lost by theft or suspected theft will be reported without delay to the APM/DAPM of the formation concerned.

(b) This report will be confirmed in writing on the pro-forma at Appendix "A" to this order, to the formation APM/DAPM (in duplicate) with a copy direct to AFHQ Q(AE). (Published below).

(c) The APM/DAPM will immediately inform all concerned of the details of the loss and take such action as may be possible to trace the vehicle, and to apprehend the thief. He will pass the duplicate copy of the pro-forma to his HQ (for A Branch).

(d) The finding or recovery of WD or requisitioned vehicles, whether by the unit which has them on charge, or any other unit (including a provost unit), will be similarly reported to the APM/DAPM concerned on the pro-forma at Appendix "A" (in duplicate) with a copy direct to AFHQ Q (AE).

(e) The APM/DAPM concerned will pass the duplicate copy of the pro-forma to his HQ (for Q Branch), which will give instructions as to its disposal. In no circumstances will any vehicle recovered be taken on charge of the finding unit or the CMP unit concerned, or used or disposed of without proper authority.

10. (a) Disciplinary action will be taken against all officers and other ranks who leave vehicles unattended or cause them to be left unattended, except when permitted to do so under para 3 (a), (b) or (c) or 8 above.

(b) Where, as a result of its being left unattended without authority, the vehicle or any WD property contained therein is lost, the offender will

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(i) there is no military driver or other person in whose care the vehicle could be left.
(ii) there is no military unit within reasonable distance under whose guard the vehicle could be placed, and
(iii) the vehicle is both locked (if possible) and immobilized.

(c) Possession of such a permit does not absolve the holder from making the best possible arrangements to have his car guarded at all times, nor does it affect his responsibility for the safety of any WD property or documents which may be in the car.

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(e) The APM/DAPM concerned will pass the duplicate copy of the pro-forma to his HQ (for Q Branch), which will give instructions as to its disposal. In no circumstances will any vehicle recovered be taken on charge of the finding unit or the CMP unit concerned, or used or disposed of without proper authority.

10. (a) Disciplinary action will be taken against all officers and other ranks who leave vehicles unattended or cause them to be left unattended, except when permitted to do so under para 3 (a), (b) or (c) or 8 above.

(b) Where, as a result of its being left unattended without authority, the vehicle or any WD property contained therein is lost, the offender will normally be tried by Court Martial.

(c) In such cases the Court Martial, or the Officer dealing summarily with the case will, in considering sentence, have regard to the fact that this offence is unusually prevalent (see King's Regulations 1940 para 681 (a)). Consideration should be given in all cases to the imposition, in addition to any other punishment, of a financial penalty.

(d) Commanders of formations will ensure, by means of the duplicate pro-forma mentioned in para 9 (c) above, that appropriate disciplinary action has been taken in all cases of loss by theft of vehicles left unattended without authority, and will call for a report of action taken in all such cases, irrespective of whether or not the vehicle has been recovered.

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(e) Disciplinary action will also be taken against those responsible for laxity or delay in reporting the finding of vehicles, or in disposing of them, particularly if the vehicle has been retained for individual or unit use without proper authority.

11. GRO 113/44 is hereby cancelled.

Appendix "A".

LOST/FOUND VEHICLE REPORT.

APM/DAPM Formation/Area/Sub-Area.

I have to report the following particulars of missing/found vehicle.

1. PARTICULARS:
   - Make Type WD No.
   - Chassis No. Engine No. Contract No.
   - Unit on charge to:
   - Location of unit: Tel No.
   - Driver's No. Rank Name
   - Date Lost/Found Time Lost/Found
   - Place last seen/found
   - VEHICLE MARKINGS:
   - Serial Number Ground colour
   - Formation sign Tactical sign
   - Any other signs
   - Any other visible distinguishing features
   - Particulars of any property in vehicle
2. Any further information available:

287. RAAC ROUTINE ORDERS

RAAC Routine Orders Nos. 423 and 424 dated 21 Feb 45 are repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

423. OUT OF BOUNDS AREAS

General Order 28 dated 25 Oct 44 and General Order 2 dated 22 Jan 45 of this Headquarters are quoted for the guidance of all concerned:-

"The Royal Estate of Castel Porziano located approximately 25 km. south of Rome, map ref F6750 Italy 1/50,000 sheet No. 149-II Ostia Lido, is Out of Bounds to Allied Troops of all ranks effective this date."

"All pump-houses and transformer-houses in the Lido di Roma area are Out of Bounds for all Allied military personnel."

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424. ELECTRIFICATION OF TROLLEY WIRE (CATENARY)

1. All personnel are warned that the trolley wire, or catenary, has been energised on the following railway lines:-
   (a) Between Rome Terminal - Tuscolana - Ostiense - Trastevere.
   (b) Between Rome Terminal - Casilina.
   (c) Between Rome Casilina - Tuscolana.
2. The clearance to the trolley wire is 15 ft. 6 ins.

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Make Type WD No.
Chassis No. Engine No. Contract No.
Unit on charge to:
Location of unit: Tel No.
Driver's No. Rank Name
Date Lost/Found Time Lost/Found
Place last seen/found
VEHICLE MARKINGS:
Serial Number Ground colour
Formation sign Tactical sign
Any other signs
Any other visible distinguishing features
Particulars of any property in vehicle

2. Any further information available:

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In the Field. 27 Feb 45.

277. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 28 Feb 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Asst. Adj.
Asst Adj.
Chief Clerk

278. BOUNDS

(a) RAAC General Order No. 6 dated 21 Feb 45 is repeated hereunder for strict compliance:-

The following places of business (Wine Shops) are declared OUT OF BOUNDS toall Allied Troops:-

Farmicone Giovanni — Via Vittorio Locchi No. 4
Giordani Alberto — Viale Romania No. 35.

(b) The following is published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

The wine shops on either side of the ORs' billet, Albergo Genova, are out of bounds to all ORs of Allied Commission during parade hours i.e. 0830 and 1800 hrs daily.

It is emphasized that this also affects ORs on day pass.

279. SECURITY (TELEPHONES)

It has been reported that ORs are in the habit of revealing to civilians the telephone number of the Orderly Room in order that telephone calls can be made.

It is emphasized that this practice is irregular and will cease immediately.

The Orderly Room duty clerk will refuse any OR the use of the telephone unless it is in the course of duty.

280. SJTS' MESS MEETING

There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on TUESDAY, 6 MAR 45 in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty including attached personnel, but less Land Forces Sub Commission personnel and those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening.

281. RAAC ROUTINE ORDERS

RAAC Routine Orders Nos. 421 and 422 dated 21 Feb 45 are repeated hereunder for information and strict compliance:-

421. SECURITY - CENSORSHIP

1. The transmission through the post of gramophone records containing personal messages is contrary to Censorship Regulations and is prohibited. All such records are stopped by the Censor.

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2. Personnel making such records with a view to sending them home are merely wasting money. It is therefore brought to the notice of all ranks that the making of such records is forbidden.

422. REMOVAL - BUILDING MATERIALS

1. The practice of removing marble, wood, glass, building materials and similar stores from the grounds of the Exhibition Buildings, off Route 8, map ref 7459, without authority, will cease forthwith.

2. In no circumstances whatsoever will these stores, which are of civil origin, be removed without written authority issued by Rome Area Allied Command.

282. DAY PASS & LOCAL LEAVE

In accordance with GRO 85/45, AF B295 (CMF) will be taken into use immediately.

Therefore ORs of this Headquarters proceeding on day pass or local leave, will report to the Detachment Orderly Sjt by 1500 hrs on the day prior to this entitlement, to enable the pass to be completed or submitted

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for signature.

Failure to comply with this order may result in ORs being apprehended by the CMPs

It is emphasized that the "Rome Area Permanent Pass" will not be used in lieu of AF B295 (CMF) if apprehended and not on duty.

282. GAS TRAINING - (REPEAT) LESSON No. 3

Type of Gas (1) Choking

(a) PHOSGENE - Lethal
Non-persistent
Invisible
Smell of musty hay.

(b) CHLORINE - Lethal
Non-persistent
Smells of bleach
Colour: greenish yellow.

(c) CHLOROPICRIN
Persistent (3 hours)
Affects eyes and lungs.

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ORs' DANCE.

ORs are reminded that tickets are available for the ORs' Dance at Sala Pichetti on Wednesday, 28 Feb 45, from the Det Qrd Sjt. Price 50 Lire each.

RIFLE SHOOT

ORs who have submitted their names for rifle shooting will parade outside Hotel Genova at 1345 hrs Wednesday, 28 Feb 45, loose dress, rifles, bagonet and cleaning material.

Officers interested are asked to telephone the RSM at 478985 for fuller information.

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In the Field. 26 Feb 45.

272. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 27 Feb 45 - Sjt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Asst Aqs.
Chief Clerk

273. TRAFFIC DISCIPLINE

The following extract from Section II, AFHQ Circular No. 3, dated 20 Feb 45, is published for the information and compliance of all concerned:-

1. Collissions have occurred between military vehicles and trains at railway level crossings.
2. In the case of railway level crossings unprotected by gates or barriers, drivers of all military vehicles will satisfy themselves that no train is approaching from either direction before crossing the railway; if necessary they will bring their vehicles to a halt, well clear of the rails, in order to do so.
3. This action will be the individual responsibility of each vehicle driver, even though the vehicle may be part of a convoy.
4. Where railway level crossings are protected by gates or barriers, drivers will stop when they observe that such barriers are about to be lowered or placed, and will not continue to cross in defiance of these obstructions.
5. The provisions of this instruction will be brought to the notice of all drivers of military vehicles.

274. TRANSFERS ORs - INTER-ARM

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By authy ref C-1B/420/OR dated 23 Feb 45, the u/m NCO is transferred from Coldstream Guards to RASC in the rank of Private as Clerk Group "C" Class III w.e.f. 1 May 44. Authority is also given for his reappointment to P/A/L/Cpl and Local Unpaid Corporal w.e.f. 1 May 44:-

2661977 P/L/Cpl Birkin R.J. Coldstream Guards.

275. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwit :-

From To Name

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Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Asst Adc.
Chief Clerk

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2661977 P/L/Cpl Birkin R.J. Coldstream Guards.

275. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from revel... until 2359 hrs on the dates shown and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwit :-

From	To	Name
1 Mar 45	4 Mar 45	L/Cpl Smith L.V.
5 "	8 "	S/Sjt Wright P.G., L/Cpl Rodham R.L., L/Cpl Jeffs H., L/Cpl Orphan L.J., Cpl Humphreys E., Sjt Brown F.M., Sjt Pook G.H., Pte Twigg A., Sjt Hagen E.G., L/Cpl Giles E.D., Sjt Culloty M.
7 "	10 "	Pte Friend F., Pte Hurley W.A.

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275. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) LESSON No. 2

Fitting & Adjustment of Respirator

(1) Test for correct size.
(2) " elastic bands.
(3) " for eyes level with eyepiece.
(4) " tightness round chin, cheeks, temples, forehead.
(5) Squeeze connecting tube and test for air when satisfied.

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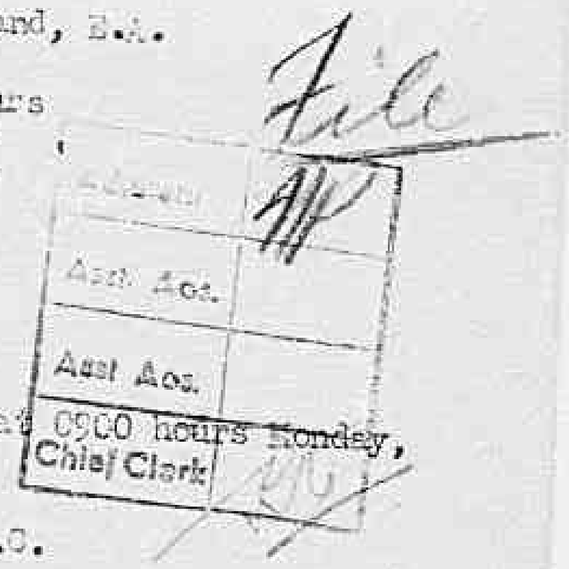
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268. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 26 Feb 45 - Sgt. Cumberland, R.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours



269. DISCIPLINE.

O.C's Orderly Room Parade.
The u/m N.C.O. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hours Monday, 26 Feb 45.

S/14525965 L/Cpl Cartmell, A. - R.A.S.C.

270. PAY PARADE.

Pay parade on Monday 26 Feb 45, will be at 0930 hours and not 0900 hours as previously stated.

271. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) - Lesson No. 1.

Care of Respirators.
All O.Rs. will clean their respirators, paying special attention to the face piece. Eye pieces will be cleaned with anti-dim. When cleaned, the face piece will be turned inside out and left hanging for at least one hour.

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RIFLE SHOOT.

Any O.R. desiring to rifle shoot on 50 yds. Open Range, next Wednesday afternoon, will hand in his name to Det. Ord. Sgt. by 1200 hours Tuesday, 27 Feb 45.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.

The Entertainment Committee will meet on Tuesday 27 Feb 45, at 1900 hours in Room 12, Alberton Convent.

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S/14525965 L/Spl Cartmell, A. - R.A.S.C.

270. PAY PARADE.

Pay parade on Monday 26 Feb 45, will be at 0930 hours and not 0900 hours as previously stated.

271. GAS TRAINING (REPEAT) - Lesson No. 1.

Care of Respirators.
All O.Rs. will clean their respirators, paying special attention to the face piece. Eye pieces will be cleaned with anti-dim. When cleaned, the face piece will be turned inside out and left hanging for at least one hour.

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ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.

The Entertainment Committee will meet on Tuesday 27 Feb 45, at 1900 hours in Room 12, Albergo Genova.

DANCE COMMITTEE.

The Dance Committee, plus the u/m personnel, will assemble outside Room 12, Albergo Genova, at 1530 hours on Tuesday, 27 Feb 45.

Tpr. Durnham, J.
Dvr. Bass, C.
Pte. Pinnington, D.
Pte. Perfitt, W.
Pte. Shaw, J.

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No. 54/45.

In the Field. 24 Feb 45.

265. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 25 Feb 45 - Sjt Cookson J.

Reveille	.....	0700	hours.
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815	"
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	.....	2330	"

Colonel
Asst Adj.
Asst Adj.
Chief Clerk

266. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs Monday, 26 Feb 45:-

T/140513	L/Cpl	Wiltshire J.H.	RASC.
4003891	Pte	Marshall G.	Lincolns.
T/10692792	Dvr	Land J.T.	RASC.

267. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room (Room 11):-

T/5335850	Dvr	Bass	C.W.
S/982979	Pte	Banks	C.E.
S/1836561	L/C	Hofmeyer	D.
S/14526114	L/C	Walton	S.
S/14257250	Pte	Walters	H.

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CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 25 FEB 45

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ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino

Holy Communion :-	0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong :-	1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

Morning Service:-	1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :-	1045 "
Evening Service:-	1830 "

Week-day Services
Wednesday Holy Communion 0730 hrs; Friday Holy Communion 0830 hrs.

Alexander Club - Sunday Services

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N O T I C E S

CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 25 FEB 45

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ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino
Holy Communion :- 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:- 1030 hrs.
Evensong :- 1830 "
METHODIST CHURCH (Corner Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)
Morning Service:- 1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :- 1045 "
Evening Service:- 1830 "
Week-day Services
Wednesday Holy Communion 0730 hrs; Friday Holy Communion 0830 hrs.

Alexander Club - Sunday Services
Holy Communion 1130 hrs Chapel on 5th floor.
Evening Service 2000 " " " " "
WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre
Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:- 1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service :- 1930 "

SCHOOL OF MOUNTAIN WARFARE
The ORs proceeding with the American party to the Mountain School will assemble outside the Hotel Nord - Nova Roma (E.M's Billet) at 0600 hrs SUNDAY, 15 FEB 45. They will report to the Det Ord Sjt for authority to collect full day's rations before 1800 hrs SATURDAY, 24 FEB 45.

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In the Field. 23 Feb 45.

260. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 24 Feb 45 - Bdr Edwards W.

Reveille	0630	hours
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Asst. Acs.
Asst Acs.
Chief Clerk

261. SPEED LIMITS

The following extract from GRO No. 848, S/N 42, dated 20 Oct 44, is repeated for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

1. The maximum speed in all towns, villages and built-up areas, will be 25 mph for 4-wheeled and half-tracked vehicles, 20 mph for vehicles over 4-wheels and full-tracked vehicles, provided that these speeds are not in excess of those laid down in para 3 below.
2. Local speed limits as laid down by Areas (Sub-Areas/Garrisons) will be observed.
3. The maximum speed limits in de-restricted areas are as follows:-

	mph
Staff cars	55
Motor Cycles	40
Cars 2-str (utility) including Cars 5 cwt (jeeps)	40
Trucks, Lorries and Vans (up to and including 1-ton)	35
Lorries (over 1-ton and up to and including 3-ton), including troop-carriers)	30
Half-tracked vehicles	30
Tractors (wheeled)	25
Lorries (over 3-ton) including semi-trailers	20
Full-tracked vehicles (except Tractors)	20
Full-tracked vehicles (Tractors)	15
Transporters	15
Lorries with trailers	20

262. DISCIPLINE

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The u/m OR will report to the Orderly Room at 0830 hrs on Saturday, 24 Feb 45:-

T/10704916 Dvr McCarthy J. RASC.

263. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 24 Feb 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 26 Feb 45.

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(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

264. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 51

Blister gas vapour.- The smell of blister gas is an unreliable guide to the degree of vapour danger present, and it is possible that blister gas having little or no smell will be used. For these reasons it is necessary that the respirator be adjusted, not only when blister gas is smelled, but also when in an area contaminated with suspicious liquid. When the tactical situation demands that troops remain in a dangerous vapour concentration, the ultimate effects may be largely reduced by adopting the following procedure:-

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i. Troops wearing A/V clothing.- Adjust respirator and rub ointment into all exposed skin. It is also an advantage to tie a handkerchief between the neck and the collar, and to tuck in the cuffs of the blouse. (The cape or light gas suit should not be worn unless there is danger of contact with the liquid.)

ii. Troops not wearing A/V clothing. As for i above, but such of these troops as remain in the dangerous vapour concentration for more than an hour or so (less on a hot day) are likely to sustain vapour burns (ultimately) underneath the clothing. On leaving the area, outer clothing should be removed and aired for as long as possible, or until the smell of the vapour has disappeared. Washing the body all over with soap and water may also be of value.

iii. Under supervision, respirators may be removed for a few minutes when it is necessary for men to eat or drink.

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No. 52/45.

In the Field. 22 Feb 45.

255. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 23 Feb 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

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Asst. Adjt.	
Asst Adjt.	
Chief Clerk	

256. AIR LETTERS & GREEN ENVELOPES

GRO No. 143, S/M 7, dated 16 Feb 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. The following arrangements in respect of Air Letters and Green Envelopes will take effect on 1 Mar 45.
2. The scale of issue of Non-Privilege Air Letters will be unlimited.
3. The scale of issue of Privilege Letters (i.e. letters not subject to unit censorship) will be two per week per OR. A man will be free to elect to take two Privilege Air Letter Forms (AF W3077A) or two Green Envelopes, or one of each. All other letters will be unit censored.
4. Privilege Air Letters will be written only on the correct form (AF W3077A). It will NOT be permitted to convert an ordinary non-privilege Air Letter into a privilege form by writing the appropriate certificate on the back.
5. Officers will continue to frank their own correspondence as at present, and no issue of Privilege Letters will be made to them.
6. Privilege Air Letter forms and Green Envelopes will continue to be issued through RASC channels. The complete weekly issue will be in Privilege Air Letter forms except to the extent that units indent for Green Envelopes in lieu.
7. Non-privilege Air Letter forms will be obtainable at Army Post Offices against the purchase of an equivalent number of 3d. stamps.

257. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 30

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Handling of articles contaminated with blister gas liquid.- Contaminated articles can be handled with reasonable safety provided ointment is first rubbed into the hands (including ointment underneath the finger nails) and a visible film of it is thereafter maintained until the danger of contamination is over. After handling contaminated material in this manner the ointment should be wiped off with cotton waste and fresh ointment rubbed into the hands. (The cape or light gas suit should be worn when there is danger of contaminated articles coming into contact with clothing.)

258. SCHOOL OF MOUNTAIN WARFARE

GRO No. 150, S/M 7, dated 16 Feb 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

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to take two Privilege Air Letter Forms (AF W3077A) or two Green Envelopes, or one of each. All other letters will be unit censored.

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258. SCHOOL OF MOUNTAIN WARFARE

GRO No. 150, S/N 7, dated 16 Feb 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. It has been noted that visits are being made without proper authority to the School of Mountain Warfare. Accommodation is limited, and this practice will therefore cease.

2. The Commandant of the School of Mountain Warfare will report to AFHQ the numbers, ranks and names of any such unauthorized visitors.

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259. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, No. Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1030 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sat., Sun., and Mon., 24-26 Feb 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sun & Mon 25 and 16 Feb 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1800 - 2000 ") Tue 27 Feb 45.

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

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NOTICES

ORs' DANCE

Tickets for the ORs' Dance to be held at Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, on Wed, 28 Feb 45, are on sale at the office of the Det Ord Sjt. Price 50 Lire each.

ORs are reminded that American friends apply to their own Special Service Sjt for tickets for this dance.

SOCCER

The u/m team will represent the HQ Allied Commission (DERBY COUNTY) against R.A.F. Public Relations (BURNLEY) in the 11th Round of the R.A.A. League Competition to take place at the No. 4 Stadium (FORUM MUSSOLINI) tomorrow, FRIDAY, 23 FEB 45. Kick-off at 1430 hrs. Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1330 and 1400 hrs.

The opposing team is amongst the three leaders of the League Zone and a very good game is expected. Once again it is hoped that as many as possible will support their team in this, a probable 11th League victory.

CPL ROBINSON E.

PTE ATTWOOD F. RUS COOPER J. (CAPT)

GNR LEESE J.T. REFN BRICE J.

PTE GIBBS D.A.

PTE BURGESS S. L/CPL OBRIAN J.J.

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GNR WILES G.

PTE GRIERSON B. FUS FOY T.B.

REFEREE:- SJT RHIND J.

LINESMAN:- DVR MEROLA A.F.

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No. 31/45.

In the Field. 21 Feb 45.

250. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 22 Feb 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.

Reveille	0630	hours
Breakfast	0645 - 0745	"
Lunch	1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	1800 - 1900	"
Lights Out	2330	"

Adjutant
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

251. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 23 Feb 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, inside Cafeteria	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 26 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

ORs of Headquarters parading for pay will do so inside the Cafeteria and will not loiter or lounge in the corridor.

252. LEAVE

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The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From	To	Name
24 Feb 45	27 Feb 45	Pte Frith F.K.
25 " "	28 " "	Pte Durkin J., L/Cpl Wright L.J.
26 " "	29 " "	S/Sjt Thompson S., Sjt Whalen A.C., S/Sjt Brayshaw H.E., L/Cpl Horton C.C., L/Cpl Ecott C., L/Cpl Birkin R.J., Cpl Bastable C.C., L/Cpl Kiddier R.L., Pte Crouch J.
26 " "	3 Mar 45	L/Cpl Josephson J., Sjt Sinclair E., Pte

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				employed at HQ.
"	"	"	1000 "	- ditto -	Other personnel employed at HQ.
"	"	"	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 26	"	"	0500 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

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252. LEAVE

The u/m ORs have been granted 4 days' leave from reveille until 2359 hrs on the dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:- 1867

From	To	Name
24 Feb 45	27 Feb 45	Pte Frith F.K.
25 " "	28 " "	Pte Durkin J., L/Cpl Wright L.J.
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28 " "	3 Mar 45	L/Cpl Boardman W., Sjt Siegfried E., Pte Broughton G.

253. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 29

Blister gas liquid from ground burst projectiles.- In the case of ground burst projectiles, the immediate adjustment of the facepiece is necessary to give protection to the eyes and breathing passages against the fine mist caused by the burst of the projectile. Personal decontamination should be carried out subsequently by those individuals who were near the burst and splashed with the liquid.

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Blister gas liquid on the ground.- It is a desirable precaution whenever the military situation permits, to avoid liquid contamination. Blister gas liquid on the ground must not, however, be treated as an obstacle; it will frequently be necessary in the field for troops on foot to cross such ground, more especially the leading troops. Even so, little if any significant liquid contact need be made in daylight provided that care is used, long grass and bushes are avoided and troops do not lie down. When such precautions are not possible or desirable (e.g. at night or under aimed fire or when troops are forced to lie down) capes should be worn, ointment used to protect the exposed skin, obvious liquid avoided, and personal decontamination carried out at the earliest opportunity - particularly the swabbing of boots.

254. MEDICAL

The u/m attached personnel will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg., with their AB 64 Part I, at 1400 hrs on Thursday, 22 Feb 45:-

S/5958913	L/Cpl	Chew	D.R.	ME/14500239	Pte	Morgan	W.E.
S/10661675	"	Purchase	F.	T/174894	Dvr	Forshaw	E.H.
S/14526248	"	Clarke	A.	2327466	Sigmn	Hainsworth	A.
S/3535016	"	Irving	H.	7942242	Cpr	James	R.R.
13809105	Pte	Falck	J.	14208799	"	Avers	O.
4469555	"	James	M.W.	T/78504	Dvr	McGarrigle	P.
5046673	"	Smith	G.	2929909	Pte	Shaw	J.
T/14166286	Dvr	Parsons	A.C.	T/5335850	Dvr	Bass	C.
S/10529190	L/Cpl	Knight	H.	11413988	Gnr	Bassett	L.J.
14221048	Pte	Foster	A.	1537160	Bdr	Rochford	T.P.
S/10636840	L/Cpl	Lewis	R.				
2939966	Pte	Frost	W.				

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H.q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 50/45.

In the Field. 20 Feb 45.

245. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 21 Feb 45 - Sjt Brewi .
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Asst Adm	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	

246. DISCIPLINE

The u/m OR will report to the Orderly Room at 0630 hrs on Wednesday, 21 Feb 45:-

EIA/13809296 Dvr Feifal J. RASC.

247. CORRESPONDENCE COURSES - RATIONING OF APPLICATIONS

The following Summary of ACI 1692 of 1944, issued 30 Dec 44, is published for information:-

1. Owing to the rapid increase in the number of applications for courses which have been received by the War Office (A.E.3) in recent months, it has been found necessary to ration applications by allotting a quota to each command in which the Scheme operates: this quota scheme will come into operation 1 Jan 45.
2. The introduction of this quota scheme involves a change in the procedure for submitting applications to the War Office (A.E.3) and in future such applications will be forwarded to the War Office (A.E.3) through district, divisional or A.A. group headquarters where they will be sifted before being put forward.
3. If the district divisional or A.A. group headquarters quota is exhausted before the end of one quota period all acceptable applications received after that date will be held over until the beginning of the next quota period.
4. These changes are notified in ACI 1692 of 1944, a copy of which may be seen on application to the Orderly Room.

248. ITALIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES

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The number of ORs attending the Italian Language Classes is far below expectations. If no improvements is noticed at the forthcoming class on Friday 23 Feb 45 the lessons will be discontinued.

249. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 28

Blister gas liquid in the form of spray.- Spray from containers fixed to aircraft may be released effectively from any height. Spray from airburst bombs or shell may also be effective. A low flying spraying aircraft is very vulnerable to small arms fire, and in this case the first action should be to reply with fire. Protection against the effects of [illegible] by personal decontamination. The gas cape or light gas

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3. If the district divisional or A.A. group headquarters quota is exhausted before the end of one quota period all acceptable applications received after that date will be held over until the beginning of the next quota period.
4. These changes are notified in ACI 1692 of 1944, a copy of which may be seen on application to the Orderly Room.

248. ITALIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES

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The number of ORs attending the Italian Language Classes is far below expectations. If no improvements is noticed at the forthcoming class on Friday 23 Feb 45 the lessons will be discontinued.

249. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 28

Blister gas liquid in the form of spray.- Spray from containers fixed to aircraft may be released effectively from any height. Spray from airburst bombs or shell may also be effective. A low flying spraying aircraft is very vulnerable to small arms fire, and in this case the first action should be to reply with fire. Protection against the effects of spray is given by personal decontamination. The gas cape or light gas suit play an important part in preventing contamination of clothing by spray (the drenching effect of low spray should be noted especially). The cape should not be adjusted over contaminated clothing as this will create a dangerous vapour concentration.

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RIFLE SHOOT

N O T I C E S

The u/m ORs will parade outside the Hotel Geneva at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 21 Feb 45 - loose dress, headgear, rifles and bayonets and cleaning material, for practice shoot at Exhibition Buildings, 50 yds open range:-

Sjt	Gaskin	J.
Cpl	Gibbons	C.T.
Pte	Lawrence	H.
Fus	Buchanan	S.
Gnr	Foster	D.
Pte	Hughes	J.

Rifles and cleaning material will be drawn from rifle store during the morning.

Any additional ORs desiring to shoot will hand their names in to the Det Ord Sjt before 0900 hrs Wed 21 Feb 45.

Fatiguemen to parade:-

Dvr	Gundelfinger	M.
Gnr	Lamond	J.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

There will be no meeting of the Entertainments Committee this week.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, 27 Feb 45, at 1900 hrs.

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No. 49/45.

In the Field. 19 Feb 45.

241. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 20 Feb 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

242. PARCEL AND LETTER POST - CUSTOMS DUTY AND PURCHASE TAX

GRO No. 151, S/N 7, dated 7 Feb 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all ranks:-

Additional privileges have been granted in connection with the despatch of dutiable goods to the UK without payment of Customs Duty or Purchase tax on delivery.

GRO 701/44 is accordingly cancelled. The following regulations will apply forthwith:-

1. (a) All ranks of the Allied Forces serving overseas may send to the UNITED KINGDOM for the year ending 30 June 45, and annually thereafter dutiable goods not exceeding £12 in value, free of Customs Duty and Purchase Tax.
(b) The concession which permits the despatch of duty free parcels in no way affects the position with regard to ordinary gift parcels which may continue to be sent subject to the conditions of GRO 682/43, para 32.
(c) The concession applies to all ranks of the Allied Forces. It does not apply to Merchant Navy and employed civilian personnel of the Red Cross and Philanthropic bodies.

2. Dutiable goods despatched under the above concession may be sent either by letter packet or parcel post, and in the case of letter packets, may be registered.

3. (a) Duty Free Packets. Duty free letter packets must not weigh more than 4 lbs., including packing.
(b) Duty Free Parcels. Duty free parcels must not weigh more than 5 lbs including packing.

4. No duty free letter packet or parcel may contain:-
(a) drinkable spirits
(b) more than ½ lb total weight of tobacco, cigars or cigarettes (200 cigarettes or 50 cigars equal ½ lb). Tobacco, cigars or cigarettes marked "HM Forces" may not be sent
(c) more than 2 lbs of any one foodstuff
(d) Any article purchased directly or indirectly from a NAAFI (EFI) or other Canteen, except articles which the sender can establish had their origin in a country other than in UK or NORTH AMERICA
(e) any foodstuffs, tobacco, cigarettes or chocolate issued as rations
(f) more than ½ pint of scent.

5. Each duty free letter packet or parcel, and in the case of letter packets whether registered or not, will bear a customs declaration label (AF W5192) obtainable by units on indent from the nearest Stationery Depot. Until special labels, covering a range of

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Until special labels, covering a range of values, are available, one or more of the existing labels will be used on the basis that each label is valued at £2. If the labels are not gummed, units will arrange to affix them to letter packets or parcels by means of adhesive paper or gum arabic, supplies of which may also be obtained from the nearest Stationery Depot.

6. (a) The labels will be held in the custody of an officer. They will be issued on demand to officers and other ranks or as laid down by the unit. Troops may be issued with labels at choice provided that no individual is issued with labels totalling more than £12 in value for the year ending 30 Jun 45 and annually thereafter.

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(b) Not more than six duty free letter packets or parcels may be sent by any individual for the year ending 30 Jun. 45 and annually thereafter.

(c) The value of the labels issued will be recorded by the issuing officer in AB 439 for officers and AB 64 Part I for other ranks, on a blank page if available, or a gummed slip inserted in the Books.

(d) The officer recording the issue will sign the Customs Label and insert the name of the individual to whom issued. The name of the unit will not be put on the letter packet or parcel either in writing or with the unit stamp. The contents and value of each article in the letter packet or parcel will be declared on the label which will be signed and dated by the sender.

(e) A simple record of receipts and issues of the Customs Labels will be maintained by each unit.

7. Normal censorship regulations will apply and the unit censor stamp impression will be made in the space indicated in the label. Units unable to obtain the use of a censor stamp will furnish a certificate to that effect when the concession letter packets or parcels are posted at an Army Post Office in the same way as for letters.

8. Though "concession" letter packets or parcels will be admitted into the UNITED KINGDOM free of duty, purchase tax and without import licence, they are subject to customs examination. Full duty will be charged on contents contravening the conditions detailed in para 4 above.

9. Concession letter packets and parcels are subject to the Parcel and Letter Post Regulations and postage rates quoted in GRO 682/43. Parcels are not accepted for Registration, Insurance, COD or Express P[illegible]. Letter packets may be registered.

10. The following irregularities and omissions which have been observed in the use of labels AF W5192 must be guarded against:-

(a) Form AF W5192 substituted by typewritten or manuscript label or by endorsemen on customs declaration "Troops Parcel - Duty Free".

(b) Omissionof issuing officer's signature and/or the name of the individual to whom issued.

(c) Omission of unit censorship stamp and/or censor's signature.

11. It is essential that only the correct form AF W5192 properly completed and signed should be used.

12. If a substitute label has to be used, it must be endorsed "No AF W5192 available", with the signature and rank of issuing officer.

13. Failure to comply with the above may disqualify the letter packet or parcel from the duty free and purchase tax concessions and involve payment of full duty.

14. It is again emphasised that letter packets or parcels bearing duty free label AF W5192 and which observe the conditions now and previously laid down, are free of customs duty and purchase tax.

243. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 27

Mustard Gas.- This is an important example of blister gas. The characteristics of mustard gas may be summarized as follows:-

i. Pure mustard gas is colourless. The crude substance as used in war may vary in colour from light brown to nearly black.

ii. Both pure and crude mustard gas give off an invisible vapour which has a slight smell resembling onions, horseradish or garlic. With continued breathing of the vapour the smell becomes less noticeable and the fact that the gas cannot be smelled does not mean that it is not present.

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244. MEDICAL

The u/m WOs and NCOs will report to the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg, between 1400 and 1530 hrs Tuesday, 20 Feb 45. AB 64 Part I will be taken.

6462727	RSM	Baker	F.
S/93072	SSM	Angibault	R.H.
S/181737	SSM	Edwards	R.C.
S/108323	SSM	Evens	C.G.
S/153698	SSM	Picken	A.R.M.
5956267	RQMS	Doggett	K.T.G.
5625735	CSM	Hill	A.W.
S/4920058	SQMS	Brain	A.T.
S/57905	SQMS	Caldecott	J.
S/179462	SQMS	Constable	H.G.R.
S/98281	SQMS	Lark	F.V.L.
S/57999	SQMS	McNeil	I.
S/186656	SQMS	Webb	H.
5770325	CQMS	Bush	E.L.
S/74776	S/Sjt	Bell	H.C.
S/10707393	"	Brayshaw	H.E.
S/6347696	"	Champion	J.A.
S/2117065	"	Cash	A.
S/127238	"	Harrison	A.R.
S/3247879	"	Jamieson	W.
S/1468684	"	Kavanagh	P.
S/2988591	"	Leishman	G.A.
S/171007	"	LeBlond	R.G.
S/130522	"	Messer	G.T.
S/127211	"	Muddyman	C.K.
S/158282	"	Pollard	H.H.
T/5501107	"	Smith	F.J.
S/4195415	"	Thorpe	E.
S/4347724	"	Thompson	S.
S/118485	"	Thompson	H.W.
S/620579	"	Wright	P.G.
S/150672	Sjt	Atterby	L.V.J.
4465710	"	Barber	L.
4660913	"	Brewin	J.
S/6341006	"	Brown	F.W.
1424294	"	Blom	E.
7652935	Sjt	Clegg	R.
S/5192927	"	Culloty	M.
S/3776260	"	Cookson	J.
S/95609	"	Chipperton	T.F.
2662157	"	Cumberland	E.A.
4466420	"	Dodds	T.
S/7671051	"	Davy	R.A.
4545071	"	Eagling	F.
S/14323541	"	Fraser	T.B.
S/200897	"	Green	C.
S/4979133	"	Gilleland	J.
5887515	"	Gaskin	J.
5882859	"	Gaffney	J.
5732057	"	Gibbs	H.H.
S/2828027	"	Hall	T.J.
S/10706684	"	Hagen	E.G.
5888143	"	Hooton	E.
T/203098	"	Hill	H.V.
2586377	"	Jel[illegible]	T.J.
T/188776	"	Lig[illegible]erness	A.
S/154853	"	Merr[illegible]ees	R.
S/2147699	"	Matthews	W.R.
S/6474364	"	May	A.T
5774858	"	Nockles	F.
S/13058698	"	Papps	E.A.
2561919	"	Pook	C.H.
900640	"	Penn	A.E.
T/111236	"	Pocklington	W.
S/189547	"	Rhind	J.
S/181739	"	Siegfried	E.
S/13034706	"	Stayman	R.
T/14287342	"	Sullivan	P.J.
1464061	"	Trowbridge	C.
4622230	"	Theasby	F.
S/1696091	"	Whalen	A.C.
4694211	"	Webb	H.
S/154168	"	White	W.
1899600	"	White	T.

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S/4926058	SQMS	Brain	A.T.	4545071	"	Bagring	F.
S/57905	SQMS	Caldecott	J.	S/14323541	"	Fraser	T.B.
S/179462	SQMS	Constable	H.G.M.	S/200897	"	Green	C.
S/98281	SQMS	Lark	F.V.L.	S/4979133	"	Gilleland	J.
S/57999	SQMS	McNeil	I.	5887515	"	Gaskin	J.
S/186856	SQMS	Webb	H.	5882859	"	Gaffney	J.
5770325	CQMS	Bush	E.L.	5732057	"	Gibbs	H.H.
S/74776	S/Sjt	Bell	H.C.	S/2828027	"	Hall	T.J.
S/10707393	"	Brayshaw	H.E.	S/10706684	"	Hugen	E.C.
S/6347696	"	Champion	J.A.	5888143	"	Hocton	E.
S/2117065	"	Cash	A.	T/203098	"	Hill	H.V.
S/127238	"	Harrison	A.R.	2586377	"	Jel[illegible]	T.J.
S/3247879	"	Jamieson	W.	T/188778	"	Lig[illegible]rness	A.
S/1466684	"	Kavanagh	P.	S/154853	"	Merri[illegible]ses	R.
S/2986591	"	Leishman	G.A.	S/2147699	"	Matthews	W.R.
S/171007	"	LeBlond	R.G.	S/6474364	"	May	A.T
S/130522	"	Messer	G.T.	5774858	"	Nockles	F.
S/127211	"	Muddyman	C.K.	S/13058698	"	Papps	E.A.
S/158282	"	Pollard	H.H.	2561919	"	Pook	G.H.
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S/150672	Sjt	Atterby	L.V.J.	T/14287542	"	Sullivan	P.J.
4465710	"	Barber	L.	1464061	"	Trowbridge	C.
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S/6341006	"	Brown	F.W.	S/1696091	"	Whalen	A.C.
14242948	"	Blom	B.	4694211	"	Webb	H.
				S/154168	"	White	W.
				1899600	"	White	T.

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REGIMENTAL POLICE PHOTOGRAPH

It is pointed out for the information of those concerned that the photograph taken recently of the Regimental Police has been print and a copy is posted on the notice board of the Albergo Genova.

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No. 48/45.

18 Feb 45.

In the Field.

237. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 19 Feb 45 - Sgt Cockson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours

Routine
Asst Adm.
Asst Adm.
Chief Clerk

238. DISCIPLINE.

The u/m O.R. will report to the Orderly Room (Room 9) at 0830 hours on Monday, 19 Feb 45.

S/286617 Dvr. Alberti, T. - R.A.S.C.

239. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 26.

Two-fold danger of blister gases.- These gases can cause casualties either as a result of contamination by the liquid, or as a result of exposure to the vapour. The respirator does not supply the complete answer, for both the liquid and the vapour attack all parts of the body; and the respirator only gives protection to a part of it. The protective action taken when contamination by the liquid has occurred differs from that required as a result of exposure to the vapour. It should be borne in mind, however, that serious casualties can result from the action of blister gas vapour on the eyes and breathing passages unless prevented by the timely adjustment of the respirator.

240. MEDICAL.

The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg., with their A.B.64 Part I, at 1400 hours on Monday, 19 Feb 45.

S/11006800	L/Cpl	Scott	W.G.	4037802	Pte	Warburton	R.
1132838	Pte	Simpson	H.D.	S/2616872	Cpl	Wilson	J.
4030917	Pte	Slocombe	R.	T/140513	L/Cpl	Wiltshire	J.H.
1840358	Pte	Saunders	H.H.	T/14577757	Dvr	West	F.H.
14209603	Pte	Sherwin	J.	T/264157	L/Cpl	West	F.J.
4034011	Cpl	Spear	E.	T/14390365	Dvr	Wright	T.R.
5244173	Pte	Spencer	S.H.	5953774	Pte	Wareham	T.L.
4916488	Pte	Turner	E.H.	7605829	Cpl	Webb	J.C.
T/143419	Cpl	Taylor	G.	S/3972348	Cpl	Watkins	H.H.
T/14340641	L/Cpl	Taft	E.B.	10601642	Pte	Williams	V.J.
T/14280397	Dvr	Terry	F.A.	6030730	Pte	Webb	J.
T/4306058	Dvr	Thornton	A.J.	6467789	Pte	Williams	J.H.
T/270069	Dvr	Titterton	P.C.	14257250	Tpr	Walters	H.
4693441	Pte	Twigg	A.	T/3390210	Dvr	Webster	G.
S/14534346	L/Cpl	Thornton	J.	S/14526114	L/Cpl	Walton	S.T.
T/4856797	Dvr	Teece	W.H.	14313081	Tpr	Westley	S.E.
T/117587	Dvr	Thorley	A.H.				
T/58336	Cpl	Tomlin	J.A.				

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14209603	Pte	Sherwin	J.	T/264457	L/Cpl	West	F.J.
4034011	Cpl	Spear	E.	T/14390365	Dvr	Wright	T.R.
5244173	Pte	Spencer	S.H.	5955774	Pte	Wareham	T.L.
4916488	Pte	Turner	E.H.	7605829	Cpl	Webb	J.G.
T/143419	Cpl	Taylor	G.	S/3972348	Cpl	Watkins	H.H.
T/14340641	L/Cpl	Taft	E.E.	10601642	Pte	Williams	V.J.
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S/14534346	L/Cpl	Thornton	J.	S/14526114	L/Cpl	Walton	S.T.
T/4856797	Dvr	Teece	W.H.	14313081	Tpr	Westley	S.E.
T/117587	Dvr	Thorley	A.H.				
T/53356	Cpl	Tomlin	J.A.				
6055353	Cpl	Trillo	F.				
4758432	Pte	Thrush	W.				
7402087	Fus	Truslove	G.W.				

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No. 47/45.

In the Field. 17 Feb 45.

233. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 18 Feb 45 - Bdr Currie G.R.
Reveille ..... 0700 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "



234. DISCIPLINE

(a) H.Q. Commandant's Parade
The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova, at 0830 hrs MONDAY, 19 FEB 45:-

T/5335850 Dvr Bass C. RASC.

(b) OC's Orderly Room Parade
The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hrs MONDAY, 19 FEB 45:-

T/5496160 Dvr Stephens C. RASC

235. LEAVE

The u/m has been granted 4 days' leave from reveille 20 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs 23 Feb 45, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

Pte Lynch R.

236. PAY - ORS

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All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs MONDAY, 19 FEB 45.

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CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 18 FEB 45.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino
Holy Communion :- 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:- 1030 hrs.
Evensong :- 1830 "

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(b) OC's Orderly Room Parade

The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hrs MONDAY, 19 FEB 45:-

T/5496160 Dvr Stephens C. RASC

235. LEAVE

The u/m has been granted 4 days' leave from reveille 20 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs 23 Feb 45, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

Pte Lynch R.

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CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 18 FEB 45.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino

Holy Communion	:-	0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service	:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong	:-	1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

Morning Service	:-	1000 hrs.
Holy Communion	:-	1045 "
Evening Service	:-	1830 "

Preacher:- The Rev. Leslie F. Church, B.A., P.H.D. (Ex President Methodist Conferenc London)

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre

Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel	:-	1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service	:-	1930 "

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RIFLE SHOOT

The ORs who have submitted their names for rifle practice will make themselves available from 1400 hrs Wednesday, 21 Feb 45, to shoot.

Further details later.

SOCCER

The 9th Round of the R.A.A. League Competition will take place tomorrow, SUNDAY, 18 FEB 45, between the Palestine Team (ARSENAL) & HQ AC (DERBY COUNTY) at the No. 2 Stadium (PARIOLI). Kick-off 1430 hrs.

Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1330 and 1400 hrs.

It is hoped that as many as possible will support this game, both teams as yet carrying an unbeaten record.

Team as follows:-

CPL ROBINSON E.

PTE ATTWOOD F. FUS COOPER J. (CAPT.)

GNR LEESE J.T. RFMN BRICE J.

PTE BURGESS S. PTE GIBBS D.A. L/CPL ORPHAN L.J.

PTE GRIERSON B. GNR WILES G. L/CPL ALLEN S.

RESERVE TO TRAVEL:- Pte Morley A.

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NO. 48/43

In the Field. 16 Feb 45.

228. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 17 Feb 45 - Bdr Edwards W.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

229. DISCIPLINE

(a) O.C's Orderly Room Parade
The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room on Saturday, 17 Feb 45, at 0900 hrs:-

T/5496160 Dvr Stephens C. RASC.

(b) Regimental Police Parade
All Regimental Police will parade in the Vaccari Restaurant at 1015 hrs Saturday, 17 Feb 45, for inspection.

Dress:- Battledress, belts, gaiters and headgear.

230. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels
All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 17 Feb 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.
All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 19 Feb 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel
All ORs billeted at the above hotel will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted there.

231. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 25

Effects of weather on the use of persistent gases.- It must first be understood that conditions which favour great persistence do not favour a high vapour concentration; similarly, conditions which favour a high vapour concentration, do not favour great persistence. The chief weather factors which influence persistence and vapour concentration are:-

i. Wind.- A strong wind causes liquid gas to evaporate more quickly, and so reduces the time of persistence. This does not mean that a strong wind increases the vapour concentration, since the vapour, though produced more quickly, is dispersed more by the wind.
ii. Temperature.- High temperature increases the rate of evaporation and reduces the persistence. The high vapour concentration which results from high temperature is offset to some extent on sunny days by the turbulence of the atmosphere.
iii. Rain.- Rain tends to slow down the rate of evaporation, and so to reduce the vapour concentration. (Heavy rain, falling on a hard surface which has been contaminated, will wash away some of the gas which may still be dangerous at the place to which it is removed.)

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Effects of ground on the use of persistent gases.- On dry, porous ground the liquid tends to sink below the surface and thus persistence is increased while vapour concentration is decreased. On hard ground, liquid tends to stay on the surface and to evaporate more quickly; thus the time of persistence is shorter but the vapour concentration is greater.

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232. MEDICAL

The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg, with their AB 64 Part I, at 1400 hrs on SATURDAY, 17 FEB 45:-

S/14329151	Cpl	Middleton	T.M.	292813	Pte	Price	H.A.
T/10690165	Dvr	McCartan	F.	4926824	"	Pagliaro	F.G.
1490317	Pte	McCrudden	H.	T/14373571	Dvr	Price	L.
MT4/18010530	Dvr	Merola	A.F.	14362503	Pte	Perrett	A.C.
2984261	L/Cpl	McPhail	D.	4809975	"	Quigley	C.
S/14223025	"	MacRae	T.	S/14270020	L/Cpl	Reeve	R.
T/10704916	Dvr	McCarthy	J.	S/14525649	"	Read	E.
950460	L/Cpl	Mason	R.	962994	Gnr	Reynolds	E.
7396468	Pte	Mason	C.	T/14606025	Dvr	Richardson	G.
2700655	Gdsmn	Moss	J.G.	S/1149088	L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.
7886892	L/Cpl	Murdock	A.	6149197	Pte	Rickner	A.
4803891	Pte	Marshall	G.	S/14529597	L/Cpl	Rodham	R.L.
4466723	"	Midwood	J.	4390975	Pte	Ross	W.
4690505	"	Morley	A.	T/14346095	Dvr	Reynolds	J.W.
5126459	"	Nash	P.	4452937	Pte	Rodgers	G.
4042629	"	Newbury	F.S.	1724637	Gnr	Richards	W.F.C.
7009767	Pfun	Nixon	W.	T/226161	Dvr.	Seager	R.L.
S/10667481	L/Cpl	Niel	D.T.	T/4695782	"	Searby	B.V.
S/3915991	"	Orphan	L.J.	T/281758	Pte	Spittlehouse	G.W.
T/14385353	Dvr	Pitcher	R.G.	T/269294	Dvr	Stewart	J.B.
T/14345981	"	Preston	C.W.	6147221	Pte	Shuttleworth	F.E.
7606138	Pte	Pinnington	D.	14514520	Fus	Savage	J.G.
5049643	"	Perfitt	W.	T/5496160	Dvr	Stevens	O.N.
2617978	Gdsmn	Pickett	T.	7912444	Pte	Sison	A.J.
5260729	Pte	Parsons	A.C.	S/6479451	L/Cpl	Smith	L.V.
T/14395344	Dvr	Peal	J.	T/14589114	Dvr	Spillane	L.
D/40593	Pte	Page	A.D.	2619031	Gdsmn	Stockall	R.

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NOTICES

ORs' LOUNGE

It is pointed out that the ORs' Lounge, Hotel Genova, is out of bounds during the evenings that organized entertainment is in progress, except to those ORs who are actually taking part.

WEEKLY DANCES

Owing to the unqualified success of Wednesday night's ORs' dance it has been decided by the Entertainment Committee to suspend the weekly dances at the Vaccari Restaurant and hold them fortnightly at the Sala Pichetti.

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7886892	L/Cpl	Murdock	A.	6149197	Pte	Rickner	R.
4803891	Pte	Marshall	G.	S/14529597	L/Cpl	Rodham	R.L.
4466725	"	Midwood	J.	4390975	Pte	Ross	W.
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S/10667481	L/Cpl	Niel	D.T.	T/4695782	"	Scarby	B.V.
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7606138	Pte	Pinnington	D.	14514520	Fus	Savage	J.G.
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The next dance will be held on Wednesday, 28 Feb 45.

BOOKS

There are a number of books by well-known authors available in the Orderly Room, and any OR may obtain one, on signature, from the Duty Clerk any evening after 1800 hrs. Books should be returned within a week.

ORs leaving station will, before their departure, return any books they may have drawn.

Personnel who have in their possession any books which they wish to dispose of, are welcome to add them to this collection.

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No. 45/45.

In the Field. 15 Feb 45.

219. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 16 Feb 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

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220. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Friday, 16 Feb 45:-

T/235479 Dvr Cobb W.M. RASC.
T/4186169 Dvr Evans A. RASC.

Asst Adm.
Asst Adm.
Chief Clerk

221. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room:-

4465710 Sjt Barber L.
4466420 Cpl Dodds T.
4452937 Pte Rogers G.
7606138 Pte Pinnington D.

222. RAAC ROUTINE ORDERS

The following extracts from RAAC Routine Orders are published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

412. Shortage of Greatcoats

1. There is a world-wide shortage of greatcoats, and although efforts will be made to call upon such stocks as are known, it is unlikely that any long term improvement will be possible.
2. It is therefore impressed upon all ORs that great care in the use of greatcoats will be exercised.

417. Reporting of Unusual Incidents

1. Incidents of an unusual nature occur frequently in this Command, but many of them are not being reported, and it is of the utmost importance that unusual incidents are reported immediately to either the Orderly Room or Duty NCO.

Reports should be made in cases of
(a) Death by misadventure;
(b) Serious accident;
(c) Cases of shooting or assault;

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(c) Cases of shooting or assault;
(d) Incidents involving soldiers under sentence or soldiers in custody;
(e) Other incidents of an unusual nature involving Allied troops.

223. HYGIENE (AL-63)

RAAC Routine Order No. 413, dated 14 Feb 45, is republished hereunder for information and compliance:-
1. AL 63 is at present in short supply. In order to conserve supplies, routine dusting of troops in this Area will be discontinued. Routine dusting of civilians may be continued, where it is considered necessary, on the advice of a Medical Officer or Hygiene NCO. Care will be taken to ensure that troops bath regularly and that a regular medical inspection is carried out.

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225. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 24

Effects of ground on the use of non-persistent gases.- Built-up areas, woods, valleys, hollows in the ground, and enclosed spaces generally are the best targets for non-persistent gas attack, as will be seen from the following facts:-

i. Open country.- Not usually very good for non-persistent gases released from projectiles, as the gas will disperse comparatively quickly. (Clouds released from generators will, however, travel well over open country especially if the ground is not very broken.)

ii. Valleys.- Gas clouds tend to follow valleys, and, in the absence of wind, may hang about for a considerable time.

iii. Built-up areas, woods, and enclosed spaces.- These provide good targets for non-persistent gas projectiles, since the gas is released within the area and tends to hang about. (On the other hand, they are not very good targets for generator attacks, since gas clouds travelling with the wind tend to rise over obstacles, such as buildings or woods, when they meet them.)

226. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 17-19 Feb 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 18 and 19 Feb 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 20 Feb 45.

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

Returned Beer Bottles

District Routine Order No. 40 dated 1 Feb 45 is republished hereunder for information and guidance:-

"1. When returning beer bottles of the hinged stopper type, units will ensure that the stoppers are left open.
2. This is necessary to preserve the life of rubber washers which are in short supply."

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227. MEDICAL

The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg, with their AB 64 Part I at 1400 hrs on FRIDAY, 16 FEB 45:-

S/10673543	L/Cpl	Horton	C.C.	S/5127541	Pte	Jones	R.C.
S/10686880	Cpl	Humphreys	E.	S/4039416	L/Cpl	Jeffs	H.
T/4752564	L/Cpl	Howe	M.	S/6970164	"	Johnson	T.J.
T/6146287	L/Cpl	Holden	H.T.	S/10711784	"	Jackson	H.H.
4699467	Pte	Homer	J.	T/14528506	Dvr	Jackson	S.
S/11413102	Cpl	Hills	G.F.	T/2588159	L/Cpl	Jordan	R.R.
4926754	Pte	Harley	W.A.	5053220	Tpr	Jones	J.
S/280689	Cpl	Heath	C.	6971134	Rfmn	Jones	H.J.
T/14353568	Dvr	Hodge	E.F.	5673957	Pte	Jones	G.D.
2618191	Gdsmn	Holmes	F.C.	14412660	Tpr	James	J.A.R.
4276075	Fus	Hamilton	H.H.	7942242	Tpr	James	R.R.
878353	Gdsmn	Hart	J.	7045082	Fus	Knight	F.A.
3445890	Fus	Houghton	J.	S/14534180	L/Cpl	Kiddier	R.L.
3189971	Tpr	Hume	A.	4858987	Pte	Kisby	L.
3865757	Pte	Heywood	R.	3773783	Fus	Kehoe	T.
S/10691735	Cpl	Hislam	S.C.	S/6353100	Pte	Kelman	L.G.
2984242	Pte	Hughes	J.	S/14526024	L/Cpl	Lisberg	J.S.
963131	Gnr	Head	H.V.	S/273034	L/Cpl	Lackey	W.L.
T/155333	Dvr	Higgins	V.	T/10692792	Dvr	Land	J.T.
S/1836361	L/Cpl	Hofmeyer	D.	T/4544272	Dvr	Latham	S.
T/152584	Cpl	Horsley	T.H.	3313639	Pte	Lowrie	J.
5338322	Pte	Hathaway	A.	T/88292	Cpl	Larque	L.D.
901706	Pte	Harrison	C.H.	11252636	Gnr	Lally	J.
7951206	Pte	Ince	E.	4030450	Pte	Lawrence	H.
S/14334762	Cpl	Irving	J.	10696934	Pte	Lynch	R.
T/10674183	Pte	Jackson	F.	1137179	Gnr	Leese	J.T.
				1132469	Gnr	Lomax	A.J.
				2993352	Pte	Laird	C.
				7044779	Fus	Lax	S.

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No. 44/45.

In the Field. 14 Feb 45.

212. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 15 Feb 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1800 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant	
Asst Adc.	
Asst Adc.	

213. MESSING - ORs

W.e.f. Thursday, 15 Feb 45, the evening meal (Dinner) at the Vaccari Restaurant will be served at the following times:-

Monday to Friday 1800 - 1900 hrs.
Saturday & Sunday 1730 - 1900 "

214. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m will hand in his AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room:-

S/146864 S/Sjt Kavanagh P. RASC.

215. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Crd Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille 17 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs 20 Feb 45
Rfmn Nixon W.

From reveille 18 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs 21 Feb 45
Pte McCrudden H.
Cpl Robinson E.

From reveille 19 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs 22 Feb 45
Dvr Thorley A.H. Pte Kelman L.B.
Cpl Hislam S. L/Cpl Ardern S.
Cpl Gibbons C.T. Pte Jones R.C.

From reveille 20 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs 23 Feb 45
L/Cpl Cartmell A.
Pte Chesworth W.
L/Cpl Mason R.

From reveille 21 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs 24 Feb 45
Sjt May A.D. L/Cpl Broughton W.H.
Dvr Allen E. Pte Cragg A.
L/Cpl Hofmeyer D.

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Restaurant will be served at the following times:-

Monday to Friday . 1800 - 1900 hrs.
Saturday & Sunday . 1730 - 1900 "

214. DOCUMENTATION - CRs

The u/m will hand in his AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room:-

S/146664 S/Sjt Kavanagh P. RASC.

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Sjt May A.D. L/Cpl Broughton W.H.
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216. DISCIPLINE

Leave. It is emphasized that all ORs, at the conclusion of their leave, must report to the Det. Crd, Sjt or Duty Clerk on return to billets and hand in their pass. If this is not done, the man concerned is automatically booked absent without leave from the time of the expiration of his pass.
Passes will not be left with the Regt. Policeman on duty at the billet.

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217. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 23

Effects of weather on the use of non-persistent gases.-

i. Wind direction.- Projectile weapons are not likely to be used against forward enemy troops when the wind is likely to blow the gas back, so as to be dangerous to friendly troops. (Generators can, of course, be used only when the wind is blowing from the point of release towards the target.)

ii. Wind speed.- Strong or gusty wind causes gas to disperse; on the other hand, if there is no wind the gas will tend to stay in one place, and this is not always desirable.

iii. Turbulence.- On hot, sunny days the hot air near the surface of the earth is constantly rising while cold air from above is falling. This effect of turbulence causes gas to disperse rapidly, and sunny days are therefore bad for the use of non-persistent gas. On cold, clear nights the cold air near the surface of the earth has no tendency to rise, and this condition is the best for the use of non-persistent gas. Intermediate conditions, such as cloudy nights, overcast days, and times round about dusk and dawn are fairly good.

218. MEDICAL

The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg, with their AB 64 Part I at 1400 hrs on THURSDAY, 15 FEB 45:-

3608658	Pte	Cragg	A.	S/6299267	L/Cpl	Eccott	C.
T/5680947	Dvr	Clark	F.G.	973778	Bdr	Edwards	W.
S/135983	Pte	Coy	A.	7403646	Pte	Evans	T.J.
7045199	Fus	Cooper	J.	S/140929	Cpl	Freezer	E.F.
T/14344572	Dvr	Carter	H.	T/634482	L/Cpl	Feast	A.V.
5511791	Pte	Corps	L.G.	3865913	Pte	Fletcher	R.
14334735	Pte	Crouch	J.	1572951	Pte	Frith	F.K.
3768695	Pte	Chesworth	W.	D/38323	"	Faulkner	T.
T/203681	Dvr	Cooper	A.M.	11430446	Gnr	Foster	D.
T/170605	Cpl	Cutler-Andrews	N.	6151331	Pte	Friend	F.
1779975	Bdr	Currie	G.R.	RNA/13809296	Dvr	Feifel	J.
1534403	Gnr	Cowling	L.	4033687	Gnr	Farrar	T.
1083858	Gnr	Conway	F.E.	4967869	Pte	Gardiner	H.
6348249	Pte	Denne	E.	T/164379	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
S/10677362	L/Cpl	Daniels	R.	S/10686902	L/Cpl	Giles	E.E.
3954895	Pte	Davies	J.R.	3598179	Pte	Grierson	B.H.
4928735	"	Durkin	J.	969181	Cpl	Gaines	B.C.
T/81701	L/Cpl	Day	W.H.	S/86094	"	Grime	J.R.
7685030	Pte	Doherty	W.	S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	E.G.C.L.
2033766	Tpr	Dobey	G.W.	S/122243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.T.
4456504	Pte	Daley	M.	3715624	Pte	Geggie	E.
6975241	Fus	Donaghy	L.	4468692	"	Gilroy	R.
6290697	Pte	Doyle	J.	4079849	"	Gibbs	D.A.
3772788	Fus	Davis	J.	T/10696555	Dvr	Gardiner	W.H.
6346861	Cpl	Evernden	R.F.	RNA/13809431	"	Gundelfinger	M.
6917802	Rfmn	Evans	A.	T/14344626	"	Green	W.
T/11050160	Dvr	Edermaniger	E.A.	2656136	Gdsmn	Gascoigne	H.
3956273	Pte	Edwards	M.				

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218. MEDICAL

The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg, with their AB 64 Part I at 1400 hrs on THURSDAY, 15 FEB 45:-

3608658	Pte	Cragg	A.
T/5680947	Dvr	Clark	F.G.
S/135983	Pte	Coy	A.
7045199	Fus	Cooper	J.
T/14344572	Dvr	Carter	H.
5511791	Pte	Corps	L.G.
14334735	Pte	Crouch	J.
3768695	Pte	Chesworth	W.
T/203681	Dvr	Cooper	A.M.
T/170605	Cpl	Cutler-Andrews	N.
1779975	Bdr	Currie	G.R.
1534403	Gnr	Cowling	L.
1083858	Gnr	Conway	F.E.
6348249	Pte	Denne	E.
S/10677362	L/Cpl	Daniels	R.
3954895	Pte	Davies	J.R.
4928735	"	Durkin	J.
T/81701	L/Cpl	Day	W.H.
7685030	Pte	Doherty	W.
2033766	Tpr	Dobey	G.W.
4456504	Pte	Daley	M.
6975241	Fus	Donaghy	L.
6290697	Pte	Doyle	J.
3772788	Fus	Davis	J.
6346861	Cpl	Evernden	R.F.
6917802	Rfmn	Evans	A.
T/11050160	Dvr	Edermaniger	E.A.
3956273	Pte	Edwards	M.
S/6299267	L/Cpl	Ecott	C.
973778	Bdr	Edwards	W.
7403646	Pte	Evans	T.J.
S/140929	Cpl	Freezer	E.F.
T/634482	L/Cpl	Feast	A.V.
3865913	Pte	Fletcher	R.
1572951	Pte	Frith	F.K.
D/38323	"	Faulkner	T.
11430446	Gnr	Foster	D.
6151331	Pte	Friend	F.
BNA/13809296	Dvr	Feifel	J.
4033687	Gnr	Farrar	T.
4967869	Pte	Gardiner	H.
T/164379	Dvr	Godfrey	J.E.
S/10686902	L/Cpl	Giles	E.E.
3598179	Pte	Grierson	B.H.
969181	Cpl	Gaines	B.C.
S/86094	"	Grime	J.R.
S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	E.G.C.L.
S/122243	Cpl	Gibbons	C.T.
3715624	Pte	Geggie	E.
4468692	"	Gilroy	R.
4079849	"	Gibbs	D.A.
T/10696555	Dvr	Gardiner	W.H.
BNA/13809431	"	Gundelfinger	M.
T/14344626	"	Green	W.
2656136	Gdsmn	Gascoigne	H.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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No. 43/45.

In the Field. 13 Feb 45.

206. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 14 Feb 45 - Sjt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Asst. Acc.	
Asst. Acc.	
Chief Clerk	

207. OFFICERS' ADVANCE BOOK - AF W3241 (Revised): ATTN ALL BRITISH OFFICERS

1. As notified in GRO 102/45, a new type of Officers' Advance Book is being substituted for the existing book.

2. (a) It is essential that officers state on each advance form the FULL POSTAL ADDRESS of their private bank to avoid delay in the charge to their accounts.
(b) If known, the National Code Number of the Bank should also be stated. (This number is printed on the top right-hand corner of each banker's cheque form.)

3. HQ Commandant's Office have arranged to draw a supply of the new books for officers of this Headquarters for which the officer's personal receipt will be required. The old books will then be taken to the Cash Office where they will be cancelled and eventually returned to the individual officer through HQ Commandant's Office.

4. Area Cash Office will not exchange these books over the counter.

208. PHYSICAL TRAINING

The u/m ORs will parade in the ORs' Lounge, Albergo Genova, at 1330 hrs WEDNESDAY, 14 FEB 45:-

Fus	Cooper	J.	Pte	Gibbs	D.A.
Pte	Grierson	B.	Gnr	Leese	J.T.
L/Cpl	Orphan	L.J.	Cpl	Robinson	E.
L/Cpl	Allen	S.	Pte	Burgess	S.
Pte	Attwood	F.	Gnr	Wiles	G.
Rfmn	Brice	J.			

Dress:- P.T. shorts and shoes. Football boots will be carried.

Transport will leave at 1400 hrs.

209. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs WEDNESDAY, 14 Feb 45.

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Pte	Grierson	B.	Gnr	Leese	J.T.
L/Cpl	Orphan	L.J.	Cpl	Robinson	E.
L/Cpl	Allen	S.	Pte	Burgess	S.
Pte	Attwood	F.	Gnr	Wiles	G.
Rfmn	Brice	J.			

Dress:- P.T. shorts and shoes. Football boots will be carried.

Transport will leave at 1400 hrs.

209. DOCUMENTATION - ORs

The u/m ORs will hand in their AB 64 Part I to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs WEDNESDAY, 14 Feb 45:-

S/10707393	S/Sjt	Brayshaw	H.E.	S/10667481	L/Cpl	Neil	D.T.
S/3247879	S/Sjt	Jamieson	W.	T/221846	Pte	Brindle	T.
S/2988591	S/Sjt	Leishman	G.	6917802	Rfmn	Evans	W.
T/81701	L/Cpl	Day	W.H.	6971134	Rfmn	Jones	H.

210. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 22

Test for gas tightness.- Carry out a test for gas tightness as follows:-
i. Squeeze the connecting tube so that no air can pass through it.
ii. Attempt to breathe in.
iii. If unable to breathe in and the face piece is drawn on to the face, the fit is good.
iv. If air gets in through the sides of the facepiece, further fitting will be necessary.

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Fitting a man who wears spectacles.-

i. Personnel who wear spectacles must obtain those with metal frames of the approved type. They are issued on payment to officers and free to other ranks. No other pattern may be worn with respirators.

ii. Only facepieces Mark IV Special T, Mark IV Special T Mic, or Mark V may be worn with these spectacles. The facepieces have a special contour near the temple which presses the flattened side member of the spectacles against the face of wearer and ensures a gastight fit.

iii. The flattened side members should be just out of contact with the skin of the face, particularly near the eyes. Where necessary they should be bent or slightly twisted to ensure this.

iv. With the Mark V facepiece, the buckle at the temple may have to be bent slightly outwards to prevent it pressing against the spectacle frame.

v. Spectacles, when worn with respirators, should be treated with the anti-dimming compound or cloth on both sides of the glasses.

211. MEDICAL

The u/m will parade outside the M.I. Room, No. 48 Basement Floor, HQ Bldg with their AB 64 Part I on WEDNESDAY, 14 FEB 45:-

6355154	Pte	Armstrong	T.
5439009	L/Cpl	Allen	S.
T/10663110	Dvr	Andrews	F.
T/207101	"	Allen	E.
T/10680011	"	Allen	E.S.
S/14527186	L/Cpl	Ardern	S.
5784166	Pte	Allen	E.
4395279	L/Cpl	Allinson	J.E.
T/286617	Dvr	Alberti	T.
T/143354.38	"	Atkins	W.A.
1523015	Pte	Bennett	S.
5259665	"	Barlow	H.A.
S/11427589	L/Cpl	Boardman	W.
S/4987239	Pte	Bell	T.A.
2661977	L/Cpl	Birkin	R.J.
T/10698470	Dvr	Beal	L.C.
S/4809266	L/Cpl	Broughton	W.H.
S/10673614	Cpl	Bastable	C.G.
6985754	Fus	Ball	E.
S/4042111	L/Cpl	Bowman	E.
S/4805297	"	Bailey	F.L.
D/36286	Pte	Ball	E.W.
6981373	Fus	Butler	G.
4979266	Pte	Broughton	G.
S/3663770	L/Cpl	Brown	G.H.
2763126	Pte	Bridges	T.
2698932	Gdsmn	Blant	A.
2618488	L/Cpl	Brown	B.
5107419	Pte	Burgess	S.
4747026	"	Betts	H.
1608011	"	Brown	J.
4399486	"	Boyes	W.
S/10705035	L/Cpl	Bush	T.G.
5948917	Tpr	Burnham	J.
4031027	Fus	Buchanan	S.
T/221846	Pte	Brindle	T.
7014480	Rfmn	Brice	J.
D/26582	Pte	Barnes	A.V.
14542113	"	Benbow	C.R.
T/6852657	Cpl	Crasswell	R.
S/13034368	"	Cooper	R.A.
T/11411419	Dvr	Collis	R.W.G.
T/235479	"	Cobb	W.M.
S/14412346	L/Cpl	Connon	H.T.
S/14525965	"	Cartmell	A.
7895271	Pte	Covell	L.
7921234	Tpr	Cobb	H.
13081246	Pte	Coo	E.G.

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5439009	L/Cpl	Allen	S.	2763126	Pte	Bridges	T.
T/10663110	Dvr	Andrews	F.	2698932	Gdsmn	Blant	A.
T/207101	"	Allen	E.	2618488	L/Cpl	Brown	B.
T/10680011	"	Allen	E.S.	5107419	Pte	Burgess	S.
S/14527186	L/Cpl	Ardern	S.	4747026	"	Betts	H.
5784166	Pte	Allen	E.	1608011	"	Brown	J.
4395279	L/Cpl	Allinson	J.E.	4399486	"	Boyes	W.
T/286617	Dvr	Alberti	T.	S/10705035	L/Cpl	Bush	T.G.
T/14335438	"	Atkins	W.A.	5948917	Tpr	Burnham	J.
1523015	Pte	Bennett	S.	4031027	Fus	Buchanan	S.
5259665	"	Barlow	H.A.	T/221846	Pte	Brindle	T.
S/11427589	L/Cpl	Boardman	W.	7014480	Rfmn	Brice	J.
S/4987239	Pte	Bell	T.A.	D/26582	Pte	Barnes	A.V.
2661977	L/Cpl	Birkin	R.J.	14542113	"	Benbow	C.R.
T/10698470	Dvr	Beal	L.C.	T/6852657	Cpl	Crasswell	R.
S/4809266	L/Cpl	Broughton	W.H.	S/13034368	"	Cooper	R.A.
S/10673614	Cpl	Bastable	C.G.	T/11411419	Dvr	Collis	R.W.G.
6985754	Fus	Ball	E.	T/235479	"	Cobb	W.M.
S/4042111	L/Cpl	Bowman	E.	S/14412346	L/Cpl	Connon	H.T.
S/4805297	"	Bailey	F.L.	S/14525965	"	Cartmell	A.
D/36286	Pte	Ball	E.W.	7895271	Pte	Covell	L.
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N O T I C E S

ORs DANCE, WEDNESDAY 14 FEB 45, AT SALA PICHETTI

1. Two new watches will be raffled during the dance: 1 valued at 3200 Lire, 17 jewelled; the other 1700 Lire, 15 jewelled; both non-magnetic, shockproof, water-proof, and luminous dial. Tickets will be 50 Lire each, sold to military personnel only, and both watches are included in the one raffle. Watches on show at the dance.
2. For the benefit of all concerned, it is pointed out that the management of the above Dance Hall have granted the use of glasses, cups, saucers, etc., at the forth-coming dance. Charges for breakages are exceedingly high, and in order to avoid having the dance at a financial loss, every effort must be made to avoid breakages.

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No. 42/45.

In the Field. 12 Feb 45.

199. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Tues 13 Feb 45 - Sgt Cumberland R.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours

File

Asst Adj.	
Asst Adj.	
Chief Clerk	

200. AIR MAIL SERVICE - AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND.

C.R.O. No. 130/45 is republished hereunder for information of all concerned.

The Air Mail Service, postage rate 10d per 10 grammes or part thereof, is now available for the conveyance of correspondence by air throughout to Australia and New Zealand.

Postage must be Pre-Paid in British or New Zealand stamps.

201. SUGGESTION BOX.

In accordance with A.C.I. 474/43, a Unit Suggestion Box has been erected on the Notice Board at the O.Rs' billet (Albergo Genova).

This to encourage all ranks to put forward ideas and suggestions which may be useful to the Army, whether they concern equipment, training or administration, and whether their effect be large or small.

All suggestions will contain No., Rank, Name, Regt. or Corps of the proposer.

Anonymous suggestions will not be entertained.

Suggestions which are frivolous or impracticable will be returned to the proposer with an explanation of the reason why they are returned.

Suggestions will be scrutinized by the C.O. only, and be dealt with accordingly.

This box will NOT be used for the reception of complaints, which must be made through the normal chanels.

202. GAS TRAINING - LESSON No. 21.

1871

Fitting of Respirator.

Take a normal size facepiece and slacken off the elastic bands. (Majority of individuals will take a normal size.)

Tighten the elastic bands in pairs. (Do not pull them too tight as this may prevent the facepiece from taking the shape of the face and thereby cause a leak.)

See that the bands are all exerting an even pull and are just sufficiently tight to hold the facepiece stable on the face without causing discomfort.

Examine the facepiece for size. If the eyes are much above the centre of the eyepieces, the facepiece is too small; if much below the centre, it is too large; if approximately central, the size is correct.

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Australia and New Zealand.

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201. SUGGESTION BOX.

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This to encourage all ranks to put forward ideas and suggestions which may be useful to the Army, whether they concern equipment, training or administration, and whether their effect be large or small.

All suggestions will contain No., Rank, Name, Regt. or Corps of the proposer.

Anonymous suggestions will not be entertained.

Suggestions which are frivolous or impracticable will be returned to the proposer with an explanation of the reason why they are returned.

Suggestions will be scrutinized by the O.C. only, and be dealt with accordingly.

This box will NOT be used for the reception of complaints, which must be made through the normal channels.

202. GAS TRAINING - LESSON No. 21.

1851

Fitting of Respirator.

Take a normal size facepiece and slacken off the elastic bands. (Majority of individuals will take a normal size.)

Tighten the elastic bands in pairs. (Do not pull them too tight as this may prevent the facepiece from taking the shape of the face and thereby cause a leak.)

See that the bands are all exerting an even pull and are just sufficiently tight to hold the facepiece stable on the face without causing discomfort.

Examine the facepiece for size. If the eyes are much above the centre of the eyepieces, the facepiece is too small; if much below the centre, it is too large; if approximately central, the size is correct.

Examine round the edges of the facepiece, particularly under the chin, to ascertain that the facepiece is firmly on the face. (The wearer's chin must fit closely into the chin of the facepiece.)

203. DISCIPLINE.

The u/m O.R. will report to the Orderly Room, Room 9, at 0830 hours on Tuesday, 13 Feb 45.

T/1068C011 Dvr. Allen L.S. - R.A.S.C.

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204. O.Rs' MESSING COMMITTEE MEETING.

The u/m members of the O.Rs' Messing Committee will assemble in Room 14, Albergo Geneva, at 1315 hours Tuesday, 13 Feb 45.
(Sgt Gibbs H., Sgt Gaffney J. and L/Cpl Brown J. will be in attendance.)

Cpl	Eastable C.C.	Gnr	Foster D.
L/Cpl	Birkin R.J.	Pte	Kelman L.G.
Pte	Cragg A.	Dvr	Richardson G.
Dvr	Cobb W.H.		

205. LEAVE - O.Rs.

The u/m O.Rs. have been granted 4 day's leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord. Sgt. forthwith.

From Reveille Tues 13 Feb 45 until 2359 hours Fri 16 Feb 45.

S/43065297	L/Cpl	Bailey F.L.	4399486	Pte	Doyes W.
4567869	Pte	Gardiner H.	4030450	Pte	Lawrence H.

From Reveille Wed 14 Feb 45 until 2359 hours Sat 17 Feb 45.

S/171007	S/Sgt	LeBlond R.G.
S/154168	Sgt	White W.C.

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ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE.

The Entertainment Committee will meet on Thursday, 15 Feb 45, at 1900 hours in Room 12, Albergo Geneva.

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No. 41/45.

In the Field. 11 Feb 45.

195. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Mon 12 Feb 45 - Sjt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2350 "

Adjutant	
Asst. Adjt.	
Asst Adjt.	
Chief Clerk.	

196. BOOT REPAIRS

W.e.f. Monday, 12 Jan 45, all ORs needing boots repaired will hand them in to the Cobbler's Shop at Via Principe Amedeo between 0830 and 1800 hrs daily, Tuesdays excepted, when the shop will be closed. Boots will be tied firmly together in pairs, and each boot labelled with No, Rank and Name of sender.

197. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 20

Gas alarms, restricted use.- Although all ranks must immediately take the appropriate action on hearing the sound of a rattle or the verbal warning "spray", a sentry will not immediately sound his own rattle and adjust his facepiece, or repeat the verbal warning "spray". He should be at once alert for gas and will sound his rattle or give the verbal warning "spray" when he recognizes the presence of gas. Failure to observe this rule may result in the unnecessary adjustment of facepieces by troops in an area of considerable extent, even though gas may be present in only a small part of that area. Consideration of wind direction may save much unnecessary disturbance to rest.

198. LEAVE

The u/m OR has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Mon 12 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs Thu 15 Feb 45
L/Cpl Brown G.H.

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198. LEAVE

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From reveille Mon 12 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs Thu 15 Feb 45
L/Cpl Brown G.H.

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RUGBY

An up-to-date list of rugby players is being compiled by R.A.A.C. Welfare Section.

Those wishing to submit their names will do so to the Orderly Room by 1800 hrs WEDNESDAY, 14 FEB 45, giving the following particulars:-

(a) Name
(b) Rank
(c) Number
(d) Age
(e) Position
(f) Clubs played for.

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No. 40/45.

In the Field. 10 Feb 45.

195. ROUTINE

Duty MCO Sun 11 Feb 45 - Bdr Currie G.R.
Reveille ..... 0700 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjt
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

194. ORs LEAVING & RETURNING TO STATION

The following is repeated for strict compliance of all ORs at this Headquarters:-

1. Permanent Posting
Any OR on receiving posting instructions, whether to a region of this Commission or to another unit will, before leaving this Headquarters, report to the Ord Sjt's Office (Ground Floor, Genova Hotel), and hand in all passes issued, i.e. ROME AREA and AC Passes, and also NAAFI ration book and meal tickets.

2. Temporary Duty
(a) On proceeding out of station on temporary duty, regardless of whether the move is published in "Special Orders" all ORs will report to the Ord Sjt stating destination and period of expected absence on duty. Copies of travel orders will be shown.
(b) Immediately on return to station ORs will report in person to the Ord Sjt or the duty clerk at the Hotel Genova, who will record their return accordingly.
(c) Non-compliance with the instruction contained in para 2 (b) will result in the soldier being treated as an absentee.

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N O T I C E S

CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 11 FEB 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino
Holy Communion :- 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:- 1030 hrs.
Evensong :- 1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)
Morning Service:- 1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :- 1045 "

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The following is repeated for strict compliance of [illegible] Headquarters:-

1. Permanent Posting
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(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
C.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

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CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 11 FEB 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino
Holy Communion :- 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:- 1030 hrs.
Evensong :- 1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)
Morning Service:- 1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :- 1045 "
Evening Service:- 1830 "

Week-day Services
Wednesday Holy Communion 0730 hrs.
Friday Holy Communion 0830 "

Alexander Club - Sunday Services
Holy Communion 1130 hrs Chapel on 5th floor.
Evening Service 2000 " " " " " "

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre
Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:- 1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service :- 1930 "

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HQ AC DANCE - OTHER RANKS

Sale of tickets for the Other Ranks' Dance at Sala Pichetti, 19 Via Velletri, will commence at 1200 hrs MONDAY, 12 FEB 45. 150 tickets only are available at 50 Lire each.

A map showing location of the Dance Hall is on the back of the tickets.

It is pointed out that this hall is NOT the one used for the CRs' Christmas Dance.

SOCCER

CPL ROBINSON E.

PTE ATTWOOD F. FUS COOPER J.

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Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1400 hrs.

It is hoped that as many as possible will support this, the 8th round of the R.A.A. League Competition.

DANCE COMMITTEE

The Dance Committee, plus the u/m personnel, will assemble outside room 12, Albergo Genova, at 1530 hrs MONDAY, 12 FEB 45:-

Sjt	Gibbs	H.H.
Fus	Donaghy	L.
L/C	Allen	S.
Gnr	Leese	J.T.
Pte	Edwards	M.
Tpr	Burnham	J.
Pte	Shaw	J.
Dvr	Bass	C.
Bdr	Currie	G.R.
Pte	Gibbs	J.
Pte	Pagliaro	F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 40/45.

In the Field. 10 Feb 45.

195. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 11 Feb 45 - Bdr Currie G.R.
Reveille ..... 0700 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjt
Asst Aos.
Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

194. ORs LEAVING & RETURNING TO STATION

The following is repeated for strict compliance of all ORs at this Headquarters:-

1. Permanent Posting
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2. Temporary Duty
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NOTICES

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CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 11 FEB 45

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O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 39/45.

In the Field. 9 Feb 45.

189. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 10 Feb 45 - Bdr Edwards W.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

Adjt
Asst. Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

190. PROTECTED CAR PARK

District Routine Order No. 34 dated 1 Feb 45 is republished hereunder for information:-

"The following Car Park is now available and classified as Protected:-

1 Area Sub-Area	2 Town	3 Location	4 Protected Hours
Rome Area Allied Command	ROME	Off Viale Tiziano near PNF Stadium (Town Map Ref 732697	24 hrs a day

191. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMLA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 10 Feb 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 12 Feb 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel. 182

192. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 19

(a) Gas duties of sentries, for spray.- In order to ascertain if spray has fallen and to be able to give timely warning, a sentry must visit each detector for which he is responsible at intervals of not more than 10 minutes. The following action is to be taken by a sentry on noticing that spray has fallen:-

i. Shout "spray".
ii. Carry out Part I of personal decontamination.

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i. Shout "spray".
ii. Carry out Part 1 of personal decontamination.
iii. Warn the guard commander, who will arrange for spray detectors to be swabbed or renewed.
iv. On relief (the guard commander should arrange this as soon as possible) carry out Part II of personal decontamination.

(b) Gas alarms when troops are at rest.- Troops at rest are highly vulnerable to gas attacks. It is the normal practice to post double sentries at night, and also by day when troops are sleeping. Point out that:-

i. In the case of gases other than spray.- The rattle may not wake heavily sleeping troops. One of the two sentries on each post must therefore enter billets, bivouacs or shelters and rouse troops as quickly as possible. Speed in the adjustment of respirator facepieces is essential when a choking gas has been used.

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ii. In the case of spray.- When sleeping troops are under cover it will be unnecessary to take special steps to rouse them when spray has fallen provided the standing order that helmets, eyeshields, capes and boots are worn when leaving cover for any purpose, is enforced; the sentry will, however, give the verbal warning "spray" in order to warn any individuals who may be about in the open.

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N O T I C E S

ORs DANCE

The attention of all ORs is drawn to the notice posted on the board at the Hotel Genova, asking for volunteers to assist in serving refreshments at the forthcoming dance. This notice has been posted for 48 hrs and so far there has been no response. If there are no volunteers within the next 24 hrs it will be necessary to cancel the dance.

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No. 38/45.

In the Field. 9 Feb 45.

185. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 9 Feb 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	..... 0630 hours.	
Breakfast	..... 0645 - 0745	hours.
Lunch	..... 1200 - 1330	"
Dinner	..... 1730 - 1900	"
Lights Out	 2330	"

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

186. DISCIPLINE

Meals

It is again brought to notice that ORs are still in the habit of taking tea and food from the dining hall (Vaccari Restaurant) into the billets. This practice is highly irregular and unhygienic, and will cease forthwith.

The Regt Police have been instructed to take the name of any OR who attempts to contravene this order.

187. NAAFI & BEER ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sat., Sun., and Mon., 10-12 Feb 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sun & Mon 11 and 12 Feb 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1800 - 2000 ") Tue 13 Feb 45.

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

Returned Beer Bottles

District Routine Order No. 40 dated 1 Feb 45 is republished hereunder for information and guidance:-

"1. When returning beer bottles of the hinged stopper type, units will ensure that the stoppers are left open.
2. This is necessary to preserve the life of rubber washers which are in short supply."

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Lights Out ..... 2350 "

Asst Adc.	
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168. GAS TRAINING - Lesson No. 18

Gas duties of sentries, hostile smoke.- Gas may be used under cover of smoke; it is therefore necessary for hostile smoke to be treated as a war gas until it is proved otherwise. In the presence of hostile smoke, or when a hostile smoke cloud is about to envelop him, the sentry will act as in para headed "Gas duties of sentries, other than for spray." (When inside the cloud, the commander on the spot will give "gas clear" if he is satisfied that gas is not present, or that the smoke will not cause distress. Some screening smokes may be sufficiently irritant to make the wearing of respirators useful.)

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O.C. British Detachment.
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No. 37/45.

In the Field. 7 Feb 45.

Adjutant
Asst. Adjs.
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

178. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 8 Feb 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2350 "

179. DISCIPLINE

(a) Desertion
The attention of all ORs of this Headquarters is drawn to the notice on DESERTION which is posted separately on the Unit notice boards for information.

(b) F.G.C.M. Proceedings
PAAC Routine Order No. 402, dated 31 Jan 45, is republished hereunder for information:-

"It is published for information of all ranks that No. S/160259 W/Cpl W.O. Davis, RASC, was tried by FGCM on the 26th day of January 1945

Charge (Section 18 (4) Army Act).- WHEN ON ACTIVE SERVICE
STEALING PROPERTY
in that he
in the field on or about 23 Dec 44, stole two one-hundred pound sacks of flour, public property.

Finding and Sentence GUILTY
To be reduced to the ranks and to undergo Imprisonment without hard labour for one year.

The Finding and Sentence of Reduction to the Ranks was duly confirmed, the sentence of imprisonment being commuted to one year's detention by the Commander British Troops, Rome, on 27 Jan 45."

180. RELINQUISHMENTS

The u/m OR relinquishes the appointment of Local Acting Unpaid Lance Corporal, at his own request, w.e.f. 7 Feb 45:-

No. 6147221 Pte Shuttleworth. E.Surreys.

181. UNLEAVENED BREAD FOR THE FESTIVAL OF THE PASSOVER

Personnel of this Headquarters who are desirous of receiving unleavened bread during the Passover in lieu of the normal bread ration will submit their names to the British Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Fri 9 Feb 45.

182. HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS & DISCHARGES

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182. HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS & DISCHARGES

1. Any Other Rank, on instructions from the Medical Officer to report to hospital either for treatment, specialist examination or admission will, before doing so, report to the QM Stores and hand in kit, minus kit and personal effects in accordance with DRO No. 38/45 and the lists posted separately on Unit notice boards.
2. Such personnel will then report to the Det Ord Sjt who will make the necessary transport arrangements to hospital in conjunction with the NCO i/c M.I. Room.
3. On leaving hospital, either after treatment or being admitted as a patient, the OR concerned will report immediately to the Det Ord Sjt who will place the soldier on the sick report for the following sick parade and the OR will parade accordingly.

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4. ORs failing to comply with these instructions will be treated severely and non-compliance with para 3 may render such personnel to be treated as absentees.

185. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 9 Feb 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, inside Cafeteria	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other Personnel employed at HQ.
" " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 12 " "	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

ORs of Headquarters parading for pay will do so inside the Cafeteria and will not loiter or lounge in the corridor.

186. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 17

Sentries.- Special gas sentries are not provided and the duties of every sentry include the ability to recognize the presence of gas and to give the appropriate gas alarm.

Gas duties of sentries, other than for spray.- Gas other than spray may be recognized by the senses of sight or smell (i.e. any suspicious liquid or hostile smoke, or any suspicious smell), or by the initial effects on the body (i.e. any feeling of choking or irritation of the nose or eyes).

The following action to be taken by a sentry on recognizing any form of gas attack other than spray:-

i. Stop breathing.
ii. Sound the rattle.
iii. Adjust facepiece.
iv. Sound the rattle again, this time for at least 30 seconds.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.

N O T I C E S

BILLIARD HALL

1. Billiard Hall - Sponsored by [illegible]

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				employed at HQ.
"	"	"	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
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N O T I C E S

BILLIARD HALL

1. Billiard Hall - Sponsored by Army Welfare Services and Special Service, RAAC.

2. Address.- Via Francesco Crispi, 12 (30 yds from cor. Via Francesco Crispi and Via Tritone, opposite tunnel). Opened MONDAY, 22 JAN 45, for use of Allied Forces only from 1000 to 2200 hrs daily. 17 Billiard Tables; Card Tables; 2 Table-tennis tables. Hourly charge:- Billiards-20 Lire; 15 Ball Pool-30 Lire.

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by
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O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 36/45.

In the Field. 6 Feb 45.

17. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 7 Feb 45 - Sjt Erewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adj.
Asst Adj. Actg
Asst Adj.
Chief Clerk

175. DISCIPLINE

ORs' Billet Furniture

Cases are still being reported of damages to the wash-hand-basins of the ORs billets. More care will be exercised by all concerned, as such damages are avoidable.

The previous order on this subject is repeated hereunder for strict compliance:-

"It is observed that excessive damage is being caused by ORs using the shelves erected over the washhand-basins, in the billets, to hold heavy and large jars, bottles, etc. These articles are usually too big for the size of shelf and are therefore falling into the porcelain basins and damaging them. This practice will cease forthwith, otherwise the shelves will be dismantled."

176. LEAVE

(a) Leave has again been granted to ORs of this Detachment for periods of 4 days.

Chief Clerks and NCOs i/c of Sub-Commissions, Departments, Sections etc., will submit to the British Orderly Room by 1800 hrs Saturday, 10 Feb 45, a roll of ORs of their department who desire to take advantage of this, with the dates required, where possible.

Where too many applicants apply for the same period, date of last leave will be the deciding factor. Where no date is submitted, names will be fitted in to fill existing vacancies.

It is pointed out that this leave will be spread over a period of 3 months and owing to the restriction that not more than 5% of the Detachment will be on leave at any one time, dates submitted are very liable to alterations.

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(b) The u/m has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Fri 9 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs Mon 12 Feb 45
S/Sjt Thorpe E.

177. GAS TRAINING

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Where too many applicants apply for the same period, date of last leave will be the deciding factor. Where no date is submitted, names will be fitted in to fill existing vacancies.

It is pointed out that this leave will be spread over a period of 3 months and owing to the restriction that not more than 5% of the Detachment will be on leave at any one time, dates submitted are very liable to alterations.

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(b) The u/m has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Fri 9 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs Mon 12 Feb 45
S/Sjt Thorpe E.

177. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 16

(a) Removal of the facepiece.- When the commander on the spot is satisfied that there is no longer any necessity to continue wearing the facepiece, he will cause the words "gas clear" to be passed by word of mouth; all ranks will then test for gas and, if satisfied that gas is clear in their area, they will remove their facepieces and pass on the words "gas clear."

(b) Verbal warning "spray".-

(i) This warning is given when the immediate action required is Part I of personal decontamination. Therefore, the verbal warning "spray" denotes that blister gas spray has fallen.

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(ii) Blister gas released from containers carried by aircraft, or by means of air burst missiles (e.g. air burst bombs and air burst shell), is classified as spray. From this form of attack there is no danger to the breathing passages and therefore the respirator plays no part in protection against it, but personal decontamination is necessary to minimize casualties among individuals contaminated by drops of this spray. The gas alarm in both these cases is, therefore, the verbal warning "spray."

(iii) Every individual in the open who hears the verbal warning "spray" will immediately carry out Part I of personal decontamination.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

DANCE COMMITTEE

The Dance Committee will meet outside room 12, Albergo Genova, at 1400 hrs Wednesday, 7 Feb 45.

SOCCER:

The u/m players will represent this HQ against the 4th Vet Hospital (Chesterfield) at Stadio No. 4 on WEDNESDAY, 7 FEB 45. Kick-off at 1430 hrs. Transport will leave from Albergo Genova at 1400 hrs. It is hoped that as many as possible will attend this, the 8th Round of the R.A.A. League Competition.

CPL ROBINSON E.

PTE ARLWOOD P. BUS COOPER J.

GNR LEESE J.T. PTE GIBBS D.A. RFMN BRICE J.

PTE BURGESS S. L/CPL ORPHAN L.J.

GNR WILES G.

PTE GRIERSON B. L/CPL ALLEN S.

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No. 35/45.

In the Field. 5 Feb 45.

167. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 6 Feb 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfasts	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

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Asst Adt.	
Asst Adt.	
Chief Clerk	

168. BOUNDS

(a) Restricted Training Area
The following extract from RAAC Operations Memorandum No. 4 dated 27 45 is published for the information and guidance of all:-
(i) A new Restricted Training Area as given in para 2 below is Out of Bounds to all military and civilian personnel w.e.f. 28 Jan 45 and until further notice.
(ii) The boundaries of the area referred to in para 1 are as follows:- SOUTH bank of Tiber from all incl 532499 - 546504 - incl rd 546503 - incl rd to Coast 533497.

(b) Unauthorized Removal of Property
General Order No. 4 dated 1 Feb 45 is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-
(i) Instances have been reported in which troops have entered unoccupied buildings in the area of Lido di Roma and have removed internal fittings, door and window frames, etc. This abuse will cease.
(ii) All buildings in this area other than those which have been regularly allotted for occupation by Allied Troops are OUT OF BOUNDS.
(iii) No property will be removed from any unoccupied buildings without written permission from the appropriate requisitioning authority at this Headquarters.

(c) "Commissariato Alloggi"
General Order No. 5 dated 2 Feb 45 is republished for the information and guidance of all:-
The "Commissariato Alloggi" located at Via del Mare 45, Rome, is declared OUT OF BOUNDS to Allied Troops of all ranks effective this date. 184

169. LEAVE

The u/m OR has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Thu 8 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs Sun 11 Feb 45
Pte Spencer H.

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(c) Restricted Training Area

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170. ABs 64 Part I

The u/m ORs will Nead in their ABs 64 Part I by 1600 hrs Tue 6 Feb 45 to the Orderly Room (Room 11):-

S/36094	Cpl	Grime	J.R.	RASC.
S/1149088	L/Cpl	Rylance	J.W.	"
T/207101	Dvr	Allen	E.	"
T/10674183	Pte	Jackson	F.	"

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171. SICK PARADE

DRO No. 151 dated 2 Feb 45 is repeated hereunder for information and strict compliance:-

Sick Parade for ORs, effective immediately, will be at 0900 hrs.

Officers can visit the M.O. between 1000 and 1130 hrs, and by appointment.

Note:-

ORs reporting sick will do so to the Ord Sjt's Office, Albergo Genova, by 0830 hrs daily.

172. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 15 - Gas Rattle or shout of "gas".
(a) This warning is given when the immediate action required is the adjustment of the respirator facepiece. Therefore, the rattle or shout of "gas" denotes the presence of any gas other than blister gas spray.
(b) Every individual hearing the rattle or shout of "gas" will immediately stop breathing, adjust the facepiece and continue to work.
(c) Blister gas from ground burst missiles endangers, initially, the eyes and breathing passages. This is due to the shattering of a portion of the liquid gas into a fine mist which is dangerous. The immediate adjustment of the respirator facepiece is necessary if serious injury is to be prevented. The gas alarm in this case is, therefore, the sounding of the rattle or the shout of "gas". Subsequently, personal decontamination by those individuals contaminated by the liquid will be necessary to minimize casualties resulting from skin injury, and should be carried out with the minimum of delay.

173. OC's PARADE

All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the ORs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1315 hrs Tuesday, 6 Feb 45, for a talk by the O.C. (Subject Training).

Land Forces Sub-Commission (SHAEF) and Lazio Region personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sjt by 1230 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.

The RSM and Provost Sjt will be in attendance.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
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O.C. British Detachment,
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No. 34/45.

In the Field. 4 Feb 45.

161. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 5 Feb 45 - Sgt. Cookson, J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours

Adjutant	
Asst. Adj.	
Asst Adj.	
Chief Clerk	

162. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE.

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0830 hours on Monday, 5 Feb 45.

T/160579 Dvr. Godfrey, J. - R.A.S.C.

163. LAUNDRY - O.Rs.

All O.Rs. billeted at the Albergo Genova are reminded that their dirty laundry will be handed in to the Laundry Room, next to Room No. 24 on the first floor of that billet, between 0700 hours and 0830 hours every Monday morning.

No laundry will be accepted after these times.

164. BOOT REPAIRS - O.Rs.

Effective immediately and until further notice, no boots will be handed in for repair to the Cobbler's shop.

Any boots already submitted for repair will be withdrawn from the Q.M. Stores by 1800 hours Monday, 5 Feb 45.

165. GAS TRAINING.

Lesson No. 14 - Heavy Contamination. 1833

All drivers are responsible for the decontamination of their vehicles.

(a) Deal first with the woodwork, swabbing off the free liquid using a sandbag or rag moistened with petrol. Mix on the shovel a small quantity of bleach paste to a thick creamy consistency and apply it to the affected portion by means of a sandbag or rag.
(b) Deal next with the mudguard, swabbing off the free liquid using a sandbag or rag moistened with petrol. No bleach paste on metal parts.
(c) Free liquid (if any) on the hood and tyre should be swabbed off using a

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Lights Out ..... 2330 hours

Asst Adt.

Chief Clerk

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T/160379 Dvr. Godfrey, J. - R.A.S.C.

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165. GAS TRAINING.

Lesson No. 14 - Heavy Contamination.

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All drivers are responsible for the decontamination of their vehicles.

(a) Deal first with the woodwork, swabbing off the free liquid using a sand-bag or rag moistened with petrol. Mix on the shovel a small quantity of bleach paste to a thick creamy consistency and apply it to the affected portion by means of a sandbag or rag.
(b) Deal next with the mudguard, swabbing off the free liquid using a sandbag or rag moistened with petrol. No bleach paste on metal parts.
(c) Free liquid (if any) on the hood and tyre should be swabbed off using a sandbag or rag moistened with petrol, the remainder being left to weather.
(d) If the seats are contaminated they should be swabbed and then either turned upside down or covered with a cape.
(e) Finally, burn or bury the used swabs.

166. DISCIPLINE - O.C's PARADE.

All W.Os. and Sgts.(Less Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) personnel and those attached for rations and accommodation only) will assemble in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe, at 1330 hours Monday, 5 Feb 45, for a talk by the O.C.
Subject: Military Training.

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DANCE.

A dance for EM/ORs of this Headquarters will be held in the Vaccari Restaurant on Wednesday, 7 Feb 45, at 1945 hours.

SPOT PRIZES. REFRESHMENTS. ADMISSION: EM/ORs 25 Lire ; LADIES FREE.

Tickets for EM/ORs may be obtained on production of AC Pass from the Brit. Det. Crd. Sgt., Albergo Genova, up till 1800 hours Wednesday.

Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Owing to shortage of cups, O.Rs. wishing to partake of refreshments will bring their own drinking vessels.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE.

The Entertainments Committee will meet on Tuesday, 6 Feb 45, at 1900 hours in the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova.

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No. 33/45.

In the Field. 3 Feb 45.

157. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Sun 4 Feb 45 - Sdr Edwards W.
Reveille ..... 0700 hrs.
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 hrs.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Commdt
Adjt Acs.
Asst Acs.
Chief Clerk

158. HQ COMMANDANT'S PARADE.

Interview
The u/m NCO will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office at 0845 hrs Monday, 5 Feb 45:-

No. T/86292 Cpl Lurque L.D. RASC

159. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II by 1800 hrs Monday, 5 Feb 45.

160. SJTS' MESS MEETING.

There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on THURSDAY, 8 FEB 45, in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty, including attached personnel, but less those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the meeting opening.

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NOTICES

CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 4 FEB 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino
Holy Communion :- 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:- 1030 hrs.
Evensong :- 1630 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

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Chief Clerk

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Holy Communion :- 1045 "
Evening Service:- 1830 "

Week-day Services
Wednesday Holy Communion 0730 hrs.
Friday Holy Communion 0830 "

Alexander Club - Sunday Services

Holy Communion 1130 hrs Chapel on 5th floor.
Evening Service 2000 " " " " " "

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre
Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:- 1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service :- 1930 "

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R.C. SERVICES

His Holiness the Pope has ordered a special Day of Prayer tomorrow, SUNDAY, 4 FEB 45. There will be a Solemn High Mass at St. Peter's, sung by the Vatican Choir, at 0945 hrs.

Transport will leave the C.W.I. Club, Via Quattro Fontane, at 0900 hrs.

OPERA TICKETS

Any ORs experiencing difficulty in obtaining tickets for the Opera House may give their names to the Det Orl Sjt, stating requirements, 3 days in advance and efforts will be made by an Italian-speaking OR to procure same.

SOCCER

A football match will be played tomorrow, SUNDAY, 4 FEB 45, between R.A. REPRESENTATION (BRITISH) and ROME ITALIAN REPRESENTATION, at the NATIONAL STADIUM.

Kick-off at 1430 hrs.

Transport will leave Hotel Geneva at 1400 hrs.

It is hoped that as many as possible will support the British Team, which includes the following players of the HQ AC team:-

L/CPL	ORPHAN	L.J.
FUS	COOPER	J.
FUS	FOY	T.B.

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In the Field.

No. 32/45.

2 Feb 45.

149. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 3 Feb 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

Adjutant
Asst Adm.
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Chief Clerk

150. MILITARY TRAINING

(a) Major A. S. Farrar, O.C. Clerical Coy, to-day held a p[illegible]e of his Coy at 0745 hrs and it has been brought to notice that there were several absentees. While no disciplinary action will be taken on this occasion, a repetition of the offence will be taken seriously.

(b) SSM Evans C.G. will report to Major A. S. Farrar, room 12, Ground floor, HQ Bldg at 0830 hrs Sat 3 Feb 45.

151. SICK PARADE

Sick parade for ORs, effective immediately, will be at 0900 hrs.

Officers can visit the M.O. between 1000 and 1130 hrs, and by appointment.

152. ARMY BROADCASTING (HQ AC QUIZZ TEAM)

The u/m officer and ORs of this Headquarters have been selected to represent an Army team to oppose a Ladies' team (English) in a Radio Quizz Contest to be relayed from the British Forces Radio Station, ROME, on Sat 3 Feb 45 at 1805 hrs.

Col. A.P. Graftey-Smith (Finance Sub-Comm) has kindly consented to captain this team.

Remainder of Team:-

SSM	Anglebault	R.H.L.
SSM	Edwards	R.C.
SQMS	Caldecott	J.
S/Sjt	Cash	A.
S/Sjt	Jamieson	W.
Cpl	Bastable	C.C.

Transport will be available at the HQ Bldg at 1700 hrs to convey the team to the Radio Station at MONTE MARIO. The team must arrive b[illegible]

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Chief Clerk

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Transport will be available at the HQ Bldg at 1700 hrs to convey the team to the Radio Station at MONTE MARIO. The team must arrive before 1730 hrs for the purpose of a rehearsal, and on arrival will be met by Lieut Newton.

A radio receiver will be installed in the ORs' lounge, Albergo Genova, for those wishing to listen in to this broadcast.

153. PROMOTIONS

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/498/GR dated 1 Feb 45, the u/m NCO is promoted Unpaid and Paid Acting Sjt w.e.f. 9 Jan 45:-

No. T/111236 Cpl Pocklington W.J.P. R.A.S.C.

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154. POSTAL & SIGNAL ADDRESSES - UNITS IN BRITISH NORTH AFRICA

GRO No. 73, S/N 4, dated 26 Jan 45, is republished hereunder for information:-

"W.e.f. 15 Jan 45:-
1. Use of the term "ENAF" will cease.
2. The postal address of all personnel whose postal address has hitherto been the name of unit followed by "ENAF" will now be the name of unit followed by "CMF".
3. All official and private correspondence and signals intended for HQ 213 (NORTH AFRICA) Sub Area will be addressed "Headquarters British Troops NORTH AFRICA, CMF," (abbreviated title "HQ, BTNA")

155. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 13 - Decontamination of Vehicle

(a) All drivers are responsible for the decontamination of their vehicles.
(b) Blister gas itself will not prevent a vehicle being driven.
(c) If the driver has been contaminated, his first action will be personal decontamination.
(d) Decontamination of the vehicle should be carried out at the first opportunity. It is important to attend to those parts with which personnel or stores are likely to come in contact.

Light Contamination

(e) The swabbing of those portions of the vehicle which the driver or other personnel are likely to touch (e.g. steering wheel, controls, starting handle, door, handle, tailboard) will generally suffice.
(f) The patch of detector paint should be swabbed and, at the first opportunity when the engine is cool, repainted with the paint carried on the vehicle. (If a brush is not available the paint can be applied with a rag.)

156. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 3 Feb 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 5 Feb 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

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No. 31/45.

In the Field. 1 Feb 45.

144. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 2 Feb 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjt'ant
Asst Adjt
Asst Adjt
Chief Clerk

145. MILITARY TRAINING

The Headquarters Commandant wishes to express his satisfaction at the way in which all ranks have given the training programme their whole-hearted support in spite of the many difficulties that existed.

146. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, H4 Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat., Sun., and Mon., 3 - 5 Feb 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

Officers will kindly produce their new cards when drawing rations, as per Daily Bulletin No. 31, dated 31 Jan 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sun & Mon 4 & 5 Feb 45.
1400 - 1700 ")
1000 - 1230 hrs) Tue 6 Feb 45.
1600 - 2000 ")

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

147. DISCIPLINE

Carrying of Arms

The following is published in conformity with RAAC General Order No. 3, dated 31 Jan 45, for strict compliance:-

"All ranks are forbidden to carry arms within the ROME city limits except when on duty. This order includes personnel here on leave or temporary duty, and despatch riders on local duties."

148. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 12 - Decontamination of Weapons . . .

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Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, Hq Bldg, 1st Floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat., Sun., and Mon., 3 - 5 Feb 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

Officers will kindly produce their new cards when drawing rations, as per Daily Bulletin No. 31, dated 31 Jan 45.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sun & Mon 4 & 5 Feb 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

1000 - 1230 hrs) Tue 6 Feb 45.
1600 - 2000 ")

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

147. DISCIPLINE

Carrying of Arms

The following is published in conformity with MAAC General Order No. 3, dated 31 Jan 45, for strict compliance:-

"All ranks are forbidden to carry arms within the NCSE city limits except when on duty. This order includes personnel here on leave or temporary duty, and despatch riders on local duties."

148. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 12 - Decontamination of Weapons

All ranks are responsible for the decontamination of weapons on their charge.

(a) Rub gas ointment into the hands, leaving a visible film on the hands to give protection when handling contaminated articles.

(b) Unless the sling is heavily contaminated it should be left on the rifle, all free liquid being removed with a swab. Rub ointment into both sides of the affected parts of the sling.

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(c) Remove, by careful swabbing, all free liquid from the rifle. Apply ointment to all contaminated parts, rubbing it well into the woodwork.
(d) Wipe off surplus ointment from the hands with cotton waste and then rub more ointment vigorously into each hand for 30 seconds.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

SOCCER

The u/m team will represent HQ ALLIED COMMISSION (DERBY COUNTY) against R.A.A.F. REPRESENTATION at the NATIONAL STADIUM on FRIDAY, 2 FEB 45. Kick-off at 1430 hrs. Transport to leave Genova Hotel at 1400 hrs. It is hoped that as many as possible will support this game.

CPL ROBINSON E.

PTE ATTWOOD F. GNR LEESE J.T.

PTE GIBBS D.A.

S/SJT POLLARD H. REGN BRICE J.

PTE GRIERSON D. PTE BURGESS S. SJT BLACKBURN F. L/CPL ALLEN S.

GNR WILES G.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. P. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 30/45.

In the Field. 31 Jan 45.

137. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 1 Feb 45 - Sjt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant
Asst. Adj.
Asst. Adj.

138. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Thursday, 1 Feb 45:-

No. 2619031 Gdsmn Stockall R. Gren Gds.

139. COMPLAINTS - ORs

DRO No. 194, dated 6 Aug 44, is repeated hereunder for information and guidance:-

"It is again brought to the notice of all ORs of this Headquarters that any ORs desirous of making a complaint, or expressing a grievance of any kind, may do so to the O.C. at any time through the R.S.M. Should the OR concerned feel unsatisfied he is at liberty to request an interview with the H.Q. Commandant."

140. PROMOTIONS

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/478/OR dated 30 Jan 45, the u/m is promoted Unpaid A/CQMS and Paid A/CQMS w.e.f. 20 Dec 44:-

No. 5770325 W/Sjt Bush E. S. Staffs.

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141. MILITARY TRAINING

The attention of all COs of this Headquarters is drawn to the nominal rolls posted separately on the Unit notice boards, showing the platoons to which they are allotted for the purpose of military training.

It is pointed out that the Headquarters is divided into the following three Companies and that each Company comprises of three platoons:-

No. 1 Coy, Clerks.
" 2 " M.T.
" 3 " G.D.

Training instructions will be issued by Platoon Commanders to individuals through the various NCOs elected in each platoon.

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Lights Out 2350

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The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Thursday, 1 Feb 45:-

No. 2619031 Gdsman Stockall R. Gren Gds.

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"It is again brought to the notice of all ORs of this Headquarters that any OR desirous of making a complaint, or expressing a grievance of any kind, may do so to the O.C. at any time through the R.S.M. Should the OR concerned feel unsatisfied he is at liberty to request an interview with the H.Q. Commandant."

140. PROMOTIONS

In accordance with authy ref G-13/478/OR dated 30 Jan 45, the u/m is promoted Unpaid A/CQMS and Paid A/CQMS w.e.f. 20 Dec 44:-

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No. 5770325 W/Sjt Bush E. S. Staffs.

141. MILITARY TRAINING

The attention of all ORs of this Headquarters is drawn to the nominal rolls posted separately on the Unit notice boards, showing the platoons to which they are allotted for the purpose of military training.

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No. 1 Coy. Clerks.
" 2 " M.T.
" 3 " G.D.

Training instructions will be issued by Platoon Commanders to individuals through the various NCOs elected in each platoon.

142. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 11 - Personal Decontamination

To be Memorized:-

Cape Worn
(a) C for clothing and equipment.- Remove cape and helmet. Swab boots. Remove anklets. Examine lower portions of the trousers, apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is detected or suspected, and apply ointment to the skin (where not covered by underclothing) underneath the contaminated parts. Examine anklets, swab off any free liquid and apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is and put it on again.

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Remove garnish from steel helmet; swab helmet; apply ointment to both sides of chinstrap where contaminated; regarnish helmet if necessary. Put on helmet.
(b) D for detectors and weapons.- Ensure that all drops of liquid on detector paint on cape sleeves have been swabbed dry (any later contamination will be oily and easily recognizable). Decontaminate weapons.
(c) O for ointment.- Swab the hands with clean cotton waste and rub fresh ointment vigorously into each hand for 30 seconds.

145. CURRENCY TRANSACTIONS

GRO No. 84/45 is republished hereunder for information:-

1. All ranks are reminded that the exchange of any currency with any other currency is permitted only through official Army channels. Any such transactions involving exchanges of currency not conducted through official Army channels are forbidden and any offenders will render themselves liable to disciplinary action.
2. With the exception of those currency exchanges which are authorised through official Army channels, members of the British, Dominion, Indian or Colonial Forces are not permitted to:-
(a) Import, hold, transfer, export or in any way deal in British, Dominion, Indian, Colonial or United States paper currency.
(b) Participate in any way in transactions involving the purchase, sale or exchange of gold coin or bullion or any currency against any other currency.
(c) Import or export any currency through letter or parcel post facilities, except currency not exceeding five shillings in value for souvenir purposes.
(d) Participate in any transaction involving gold coin and bullion.
(e) Participate in the transfer of any currency against any other currency on behalf of persons in liberated territory who are not members of the British, Dominion, Indian or Colonial Forces.
(f) Participate in the importing or exporting of funds, securities, money, or other financial assets on behalf of persons in liberated territory, who are not members of the British, Dominion, Indian or Colonial Forces.
(g) To draw or endorse any cheque, bill of exchange or promissory note for the purpose of exchanging any currency against any other currency.
3. British nationals not members of British, Dominion, Indian or Colonial Forces, but who are employed by or who accompany such forces and who are subject to military law are included in the provisions of this GRO.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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by
Captain D. I. M. Scully.
C.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 29/45.

In the Field. 30 Jan 45.

132. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 31 Jan 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

133. PROMOTIONS

In accordance with authy ref G-1B/476/OR dated 27 Jan 45, the u/m OR is promoted War Substantive Corporal w.e.f. 30 Dec 44:-

S/10673614 L/Cpl Bastable C.C. RASC.

134. PARLIAMENTARY REGISTRATION (BUSINESS PREMISES REGISTE

The following extract and Appendix to GRO 87/45 re published for the information of those concerned:-

1. Personnel who are, on 31 Jan 45, in occupation of business premises which are in a constituency OTHER than that in which they normally reside may be entitled to a second vote in respect of such premises.
2. Legislation is now before Parliament providing for the publication of a Parliamentary Register for all constituencies on 7 May 45. The qualification for inclusion in the Business Premises section of this Register is occupation of business premises on the qualifying date, which is 31 Jan 45.
3. Applications from members of the forces possessing a business premises qualification and desiring to be registered in respect of such premises should be made on Army Form B2626. For this purpose the words "Business Premises Application" should be inserted at the top of Part I of the card, and the full postal address of the business premises concerned should be inserted in the space where normally a declarant would state the address at which he would reside but for his service. All particulars required on Part I should be completed. Applications should be completed as soon as possible after 31 Jan 45 and must be received by the Electoral Registration Officer concerned on or before 28 Feb 45.
4. If a member of the forces desires to appoint a proxy who can vote for him, e.g. if he will be unable to vote in person, he should complete Part 2 of the card. A proxy is required to vote in person.
5. Part 3 of the card should be addressed to the post town and county of the business premises address set out in Part I and the card should then be transmitted through the usual postal channels.
6. As no one is permitted to exercise two votes for the same constituency a claim for inclu

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4. If a member of the forces desires to appoint a proxy who can vote for him, e.g. if he will be unable to vote in person, he should complete Part 2 of the card. A proxy is required to vote in person.
5. Part 3 of the card should be addressed to the post town and county of the business premises address set out in Part I and the card should then be transmitted through the usual postal channels.
6. As no one is permitted to exercise two votes for the same constituency a claim for inclusion in the Business Premises Register should not be submitted and will not be allowed in respect of business premises situated in the same constituency as the address to which an applicant has declared when completing an armed forces declaration card. An application should only be made in respect of one qualification. A person therefore who is in occupation of two or more business premises must select the premises in respect of which he desires to be registered.

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135. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 10 - Personal Decontamination

To be Memorised:-

(a) C for clothing and equipment.- Remove equipment, blouse and helmet. Swab boots. Remove anklets. Examine trousers and blouse, apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is detected or suspected, and apply ointment to the skin (where not covered by underclothing) underneath the contaminated parts. Put on blouse.
(Note.- If there is doubt as to whether any contamination on the blouse has not been detected and treated owing to extent of contamination, bad light, grease, dirt or rain, the blouse must be discarded and the jersey worn until a fresh blouse is available. On occasions, the commander on the spot may consider it advisable to order all blouses to be discarded.) Examine anklets and equipment, swab off any free liquid and apply ointment to both sides of the material wherever contamination is detected or suspected. Put on anklets and equipment. Remove garnish from steel helmet; swab helmet; apply ointment to both sides of chinstrap where contaminated; regarnish helmet if necessary. Put on helmet.
(b) D for detectors and weapons.- Swab sleeve dete[illegible]s and retain them for further use, but if contaminated with a large number of drops they should be discarded and the spare pair taken into use.
(c) O for ointment.- Swab the hands with clean cotton waste and rub fresh ointment vigorously into each hand for 30 seconds.

136. EIGHT HOURS WEEKLY MILITARY TRAINING

Platoon Commanders and ORs are reminded that training commences on Thursday morning, 1 Feb 45.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
C.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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by
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O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 28/45.

29 Jan 45.

In the Field.

127. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 30 Jan 45 - Sjt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1750 - 1900 "
Lights Out..... 2330 "

Adjutant	
Asst. Adm.	
Asst Adm.	
Chief Clerk	

128. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 9 - Personal Decontamination

To be Memorized:-

(a) C for Cotton Waste.- By swabbing with cotton waste, remove all free liquid from the exposed skin and from the chinstrap of the steel helmet.
(b) O for Ointment.- Rub gas ointment vigorously into the exposed parts of the skin, using both hands, for not less than 30 seconds for each part, and alternating between the face, neck and each hand (and knees, if bare). This will take about two minutes. If the ointment vanishes before the rubbing is complete more ointment should be taken. Ointment must not enter the eyes. After the rubbing is complete, surplus ointment (if any) should be removed (except from the hands). Smear more ointment on the hands, leaving a visible film.
(b) E for Eyeshield. Prepare a fresh eyeshield for use and substitute for old one. Inspect the latter and discard if contaminated.

129. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m ORs will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Tuesday, 30 Jan 45:-

No. 5338322 Pte Hathaway A. R.W.K.
" 3865757 " Heywood R. Loyals.

Witness:- No. 5887515 Sjt Gaskin J. Northants.

130. KIT LOSSES (Courier-Drivers)

Owing to the increased number of cases of courier-drivers, escorts, etc., losing their kit, in future when the rear of the vehicle is unguarded, it will be carried in the cab with the driver.

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Chief Clerk

To be Memorized:-

(a) C for Cotton Waste.- By swabbing with cotton waste, remove all free liquid from the exposed skin and from the chinstrap of the steel helmet.
(b) O for Ointment.- Rub gas ointment vigorously into the exposed parts of the skin, using both hands, for not less than 30 seconds for each part, and alternating between the face, neck and each hand (and knees, if bare). This will take about two minutes. If the ointment vanishes before the rubbing is complete more ointment should be taken. Ointment must not enter the eyes. After the rubbing is complete, surplus ointment (if any) should be removed (except from the hands). Smear more ointment on the hands, leaving a visible film.
(b) E for Eyeshield. Prepare a fresh eyeshield for use and substitute for old one. Inspect the latter and discard if contaminated.

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" 3865757 " Haywood R. Loyals.

Witness:- No. 3887515 Sjt Gaskin J. Northants.

130. KIT LOSSES (Courier-Drivers)

Owing to the increased number of cases of courier drivers, escorts, etc., losing their kit, in future when the rear of the vehicle is unguarded, it will be carried in the cab with the driver.

Courier-drivers, escorts and others proceeding out of station on short temporary duty will only take with them small kit, 2 blankets and comforter.

131. LEAVE

The u/m OR has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Mon 5 Feb 45 until 2359 hrs Thu 8 Feb 45
Dvr Bass C.W.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
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No. 27/45.

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In the Field.

122. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 29 Jan 45 - Bdr. Edwards, W.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1750 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 hours

Adjutant	
Asst Adj.	
Asst Adj.	
Chief Clerk	

123. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE.

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hours on Monday, 29 Jan 45.

T/14353563 Dvr. Hodge, E. - R.A.S.C.

124. GAS TRAINING.

Lesson No. 8 - Personal Decontamination.

To be Memorised:-

SEQUENCE :- Can be memorised by the letters C.O.E.C.D.C.

C	stands for	Cotton Waste.
O	"	" Ointment.
E	"	" Eyeshields.
C	"	" Clothing & Equipment.
D	"	" Detectors & Weapons.
C	"	" Ointment.

125. REMOVAL OF MATERIAL, SUPPLIES & STORES FROM ITALIAN MILITARY DEPOTS.

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District Routine Order number 28 s/n 3 dated 20 Jan 45 is republished hereunder for information and compliance of all concerned.

1. Repeated instances have been reported of Allied Troops removing material, supplies and stores from Italian Military Depots without proper authority.

2. No material, supplies or stores will be removed from any Italian Military depot, factory or Italian Military Organisation, by units or individuals of this Command without express written authority of one of the following Sub-Commissions of the Allied Commission at Rome:-

(a) For stocks from Italian Army Depots - Land Forces Sub-Commission (LFSA).
(b) For stocks from Italian Navy Depots - Naval Forces Sub-Commission.
(c) For stocks from Italian Air Force Depots - Air Forces Sub-Commission.

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The u/m O.R. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hours on Monday, 29 Jan 45.

T/14353563 Dvr. Hodge, E. - R.A.S.C.

124. CAS TRAINING.

Lesson No. 2 - Personal Decontamination.

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(a) For stocks from Italian Army Depots - Land Forces Sub-Commission (SMIA).
(b) For stocks from Italian Navy Depots - Naval Forces Sub-Commission.
(c) For stocks from Italian Air Depots - Air Forces Sub-Commission.

In an emergency only, authority may be granted by the appropriate Liaison Officer of one of the above Sub-Commissions of the Allied Commission, in the Area where the Depot or Organisation is located.

126. LEAVE.

The u/m O.R. has been granted 4 days leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord. Sgt. forthwith.

From Reveille Mon 29 Jan 45 until 2359 hrs Thurs 1 Feb 45.

T/14345981 Dvr. Preston, C.W.

(Sgd.) T. P. M. Scully. Captain.
O.C. British Detachment,
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Captain T. I. M. Scully.
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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 27 Jan 45.

120. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 28 Jan 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	.....	0700 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

Ad Gen	
Asst. Acs.	
Asst Acs.	
Chief Clerk	

121. DISCIPLINE

The following orders are republished for compliance:-

(a) Arms

All ORs are reminded that rifles will not be kept in bedrooms but handed in to the Armoury (room 24, Genova Hotel). This also applies to the ORs at the Urbe Hotel.

(b) Haircuts

It is stressed that a number of NCOs and men of this Headquarters have not complied with the order published concerning haircuts.

With effect from this date a more serious view will be taken against any OR of a further non-compliance of this order republished hereunder:-

"ORs are reminded that haircuts will be of a military style, i.e. short at back and sides. This is for compliance of all, and Italian civilian style haircuts will cease forthwith."

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

NOTICES

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CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 28 JAN 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino

Holy Communion :-	0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong :-	1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

Morning Service:-	1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :-	1045 "
Evening Service:-	1830 "

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre

Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:- 1530 hrs.

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122. ROUTINE.

Duty WOO Mon 29 Jan 45 - Bdr. Edwards, W.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
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Adjutant	
Asst Adj.	
Asst Adj.	
Chief Clerk	

123. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE.

The u/m C.R. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hours on Monday, 29 Jan 45.

T/14353563 Dvr. Hodge, E. - R.A.S.C.

124. GAS TRAINING.

Lesson No. 8 - Personal Decontamination.

To be Memorised:-

SEQUENCE :- Can be memorised by the letters C.C.E.C.D.C.

C stands for Cotton Waste.
C " " Ointment.
E " " Eyeshields.
C " " Clothing & Equipment.
D " " Detectors & Weapons.
C " " Ointment.

125. REMOVAL OF MATERIAL, SUPPLIES & STORES FROM ITALIAN MILITARY DEPOTS.

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1. Repeated instances have been reported of Allied Troops removing material, supplies and stores from Italian Military Depots without proper authority.

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(b) For stocks from Italian Navy Depots - Naval Forces Sub-Commission.
(c) For stocks from Italian Air Depots - Air Forces Sub-Commission.

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In an emergency only, authority may be granted by the appropriate Liaison Officer of one of the above Sub-Commissions of the Allied Commission, in the Area where the Depot or Organisation is located.

126. LEAVE.

The u/m O.R. has been granted 4 days leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord. Sgt. forthwith.

From Reveille Mon 29 Jan 45 until 2359 hrs Thurs 1 Feb 45.

T/14345981 Dvr. Preston, C.W.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully. Captain.
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HOUSEY - HOUSEY.

Housey-Housey will be held in the O.Rs' Dining Hall, Vaccari Restaurant, tomorrow, Monday 29 Jan 45, at 2000 hours.

ITALIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES.

The Italian Language Classes are held in the Lounge, Albergo Genova, every Monday and Friday from 1900 to 2000 hours.

Any Officer of this Headquarters who is particularly interested, is cordially invited to attend.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE.

The Entertainments Committee will meet on Tuesday, 30 Jan 45, at 1900 hours in the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 27 Jan 45.

120. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 28 Jan 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	.....	0700 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

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Chief Clerk	

121. DISCIPLINE

The following orders are republished for compliance:-

(a) Arms

All ORs are reminded that rifles will not be kept in bedrooms but handed in to the Armoury (room 24, Genova Hotel). This also applies to the ORs at the Urbe Hotel.

(b) Haircuts

It is stressed that a number of NCOs and men of this Headquarters have not complied with the order published concerning haircuts.

With effect from this date a more serious view will be taken against any OR of a further non-compliance of this order republished hereunder:-

"ORs are reminded that haircuts will be of a military style, i.e. short at back and sides. This is for compliance of all, and Italian civilian style haircuts will cease forthwith."

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N O T I C E S

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CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 28 JAN 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino

Holy Communion :-	0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong :-	1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

Morning Service:-	1000 hrs.
Holy Communion :-	1045 "
Evening Service:-	1830 "

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre

Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:-	1530 hrs.
Mid-Week Service	:- 1930 "

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EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST PAUL (Corner of Via Nazionale & Via Napoli)

Sunday

Holy Communion	:-	0800 hrs.
Morning Prayer & Sermon	:-	1000 "
Vesper Services	:-	1900 "

WEEKLY DANCE

A dance for EM/ORs of this Headquarters will be held in the Vaccari Restaurant on THURSDAY, 1 FEB 45, at 1945 hrs.

It is pointed out that the price of tickets for this dance will be raised to 25 Lire.

Tickets may be obtained on production of AC Pass from the Brit. Det. Ord. Sjt., Hotel Genova, up till 1800 hrs Thursday. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

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N O T I C E S

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Morning Service	:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong	:-	1630 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

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GRAND DANCE

A Grand Dance for All Ranks will be held at the Sala Pichetti, Via Velletri (Piazza Fiume) on WEDNESDAY, 14 FEB 44. Tickets at 50 Lire each will be on sale from 8 FEB 45 at the Det. Ord. Sjt's Office to AC personnel only.

SOCCER

The 7th Round of the RAAC League will be played at the No. 2 Stadium tomorrow, 28 Jan 45. Kick-off at 1430 hrs.

AC (DERBY COUNTY) v. Mountain School (Doncaster R.)

It is hoped that as many as possible will support this game.

Transport to leave Hotel Genova at 1400 hrs.

CPL ROBINSON E.

PTE ATTWOOD F. FUS COOPER J.

GNRS LEESE J. RFN BRICE J.

PTE GIBBS D.A.

PTE BURGESS S. L/CPL OMPHLN L.J.

PTE CRIERSON B. GNR WILES C. L/CPL ALLEN S.

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No. 25/45.

In the Field. 26 Jan 45.

116. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 27 Jan 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900
Lights Out 2330

Adjutant
Asst. Adjs.
Asst. Adjs.
Chief Clerk

117. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 7 - First Aid for Gases

To be Memorized:-

(a) Choking Gases
The casualty is a stretcher case. Should be kept warm, given hot, sweet tea; no alcohol, no smoking. Transferred to Medical Post.

(b) Nose Gases
No first aid treatment. Should not be evacuated.

(c) Tear Gases
Wash out eyes thoroughly with water. Evacuate only in serious cases.

(d) Blister Gases
Wash out eyes if affected, evacuate immediately.
Affected skin should be swabbed and gas ointment applied.
If blisters form they should be pricked.

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118. RETURNS

Those responsible are reminded that the returns called for in Daily Routine Order No. 97, dated 22 Jan 45, are due by 1800 hrs Saturday, 27 Jan 45.

119. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels
All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (AMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 27 Jan 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 29 Jan 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel
All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
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In the Field. 25 Jan 45.

109. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 26 Jan 45 - Sjt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900
Lights Out 2330



110. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 6 - Types of Gases

To be Memorized:-

BLISTER GASES

Levisite	Very persistent	Smell of geraniums in crude state. Skin stinging. Detectors turn RED where in contact with liquid.	Liquid Eye.- Pain, redness, closed in 1 hour, permanent blindness. Skin.- Immediate stinging, redness in 15 minutes, blisters in an hour's time and

upwards. If swallowed may cause death.

Vapour
Owing to strong smell and irritation protective measures can be taken at once and there should be no casualties. Redness of skin from half an hour upwards.

111. CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING

GRO No. 57, S/M 3, dated 19 Jan 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

1. The attention of all ranks is drawn to the dangers of Carbon Monoxide poisoning. Recently five cases occurred in a billet, four of the five being dead when discovered.
2. Carbon Monoxide is a colourless, odourless gas that gives no warning of its presence. In high concentrations, death occurs in a very few minutes. It is present in coal gas and exhaust fumes, and is produced by all slow-combustion stoves and braziers.
3. It is therefore essential, when stoves are used for the heating of quarters, that great care is taken to ensure adequate ventilation. Medical advice will be sought if any doubt exists. In no circumstances will braziers be used in any enclosed space.

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4. If a case, or suspected case, is discovered, the patient will be immediately removed from the poisonous atmosphere and artificial respiration applied without waiting for the arrival of a Medical Officer, who will be sent for without delay.

112. SOUVENIRS - ENEMY MATERIAL

The following Summary of AOI 1501 of 1944 is republished for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

1. Captured enemy equipment of whatever nature, including vehicles, weapons, ammunition and instruments taken in the field is the property of H.M. Government.
2. You may not therefore keep any such equipment you may find, nor may you bring, or send, such articles to the United Kingdom.

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3. If you are found in possession of such material it will be confiscated. The same will happen if you send it through the post.
4. Disciplinary action will be taken if you infringe the regulations.

113. O.C's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m CR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Friday, 26, Jan 45:-

No. 4452937 Pte Rogers G. D.L.I.

114. PROMOTIONS

In accordance with authy ref G-1/3/477/OR, the u/m is promoted to Unpaid and Paid Mechanist Staff Serjeant w.e.f. 1 Sep 44:-

No. T/5501107 Sjt Smith F.S. RASC.

115. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sat., Sun., and Mon., 27 - 29 Jan 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

Before NAAFI purchases are made it is in the interest of all officers that a means of identity, as of this Headquarters, be shown.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs) Sun & Mon 28 & 29 Jan 45.
1400 - 1700 ")

1000 - 1230 hrs) Tue 30 Jan 45.
1800 - 2000 ")

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
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No. 23/45.

In the Field. 24 Jan 45.

103. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 25 Jan 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

Adjutant

104. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 5 - Types of Gases

To be Memorized:-

BLISTER GASES

Mustard — Very persistent. From a few hours to 1 month. Pale straw to dark brown oily liquid. Smell of onions. Detectors turn RED where in contact with liquid.

Liquid. Eyes turn red, then close, will cause permanent blindness. Skin.- No immediate effect, irritation in about 2 hours followed by blisters in 8-12 hours. If swallowed stomach pains, vomiting and probable death.

Vapour. Eyes.- Pain and redness in 4-8 hours. Temporary blindness. Lungs.- No immediate effect, cough 6-8 hours after. Liable to pneumonia. Skin.- No immediate effect; irritation in about 12 hours followed by blisters.

105. PAY - ORs

Pay Parade for British ORs at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places:-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 26 Jan 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, inside Cafeteria	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other Personnel

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From a few hours to 1 month	dark brown oily liquid. Smell of onions. Detectors turn RED where in contact with liquid.	Eyes turn red, then close, will cause permanent blindness. Skin.- No immediate effect, irritation in about 2 hours

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" " " "	1400 "	Hotel Geneva, Room 14, First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 29 Jan 45	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

ORs of Headquarters parading for pay will do so inside the Cafeteria and will not loiter or lounge in the corridor.

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106. PASSES - DAY OFF

Several ORs of this Headquarters are under the impression that because their Branch, Section, Sub-Comdission, etc., close down on a certain day, Day-off Passes are not required.

It is pointed out that the Rome Permanent Pass will not be accepted by the C.M.P. as valid before normal after-duty hours. Consequently, ORs must be in possession of a pass entitling them to be absent from quarters up to 1800 hrs. After this time the Permanent Pass comes into effect.

Forthwith, all ORs on day off will submit a completed pass form to the Det Ord Sjt by 1400 hrs the day prior to that required.

Chief Clerks may obtain supplies of pass forms from the office of the Det Ord Sjt.

107. TAILORESS

The tailoress will be finishing her term of employment with this Detachment. All ORs with clothing in for repair will draw same by 1800 hrs THURSDAY, 25 JAN 45, irrespective of whether the alterations have been completed or not.

108. DISCIPLINE

The u/n ORs will parade outside the Ord Sjt's Office, Albergo Genova, at 1930 hrs THURSDAY, 25 JAN 45:-

5882859	Sjt	Gaffney	J.	D/40593	Pte	Page	A.D.
D/29225	Sjt	Fisher	R.G.	292813	Pte	Price	H.A.
969181	Cpl	Gaines	B.C.	7912444	Pte	Sison	A.J.
T/44767	Cpl	Green	J.	1132838	Pte	Simpson	H.E.
T/111236	Cpl	Pocklington	W.	7014480	Rfmn	Brice	J.
7605829	Cpl	Webb	J.G.	7018900	Rfmn	Robinson	H.
5439009	L/Cpl	Allen	S.	1635132	Gnr	Freeman	S.P.
S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	E.G.	11252636	Gnr	Lally	J.
T/4752564	L/Cpl	Howe	N.	T/1286617	Dvr	Alberti	T.
S/6970164	L/Cpl	Johnson	T.J.	T/14335438	Dvr	Atkins	W.A.
S/14533160	L/Cpl	Rose	N.E.	T/11411419	Dvr	Collis	R.W.G.
S/11006800	L/Cpl	Scott	W.C.	BNA/13809296	Dvr	Feifel	J.
3772788	Fus	Davis	J.	T/6146287	Dvr	Holden	H.T.
7013414	Fus	Foy	T.B.	T/4544607	Dvr	Hill	H.
7044779	Fus	Lax	S.	T/14353568	Dvr	Hodge	E.F.
323701	Tpr	Elliott	G.	T/4030174	Dvr	Jones	D.
7402087	Fus	Truslove	G.W.	T/14528506	Dvr	Jackson	S.
4747026	Pte	Betts	H.	T/10704916	Dvr	McCarthy	J.
6348249	Pte	Denne	E.	T/14345981	Dvr	Preston	C.
445604	Pte	Daley	M.	T/14395344	Dvr	Peel	J.
6290697	Pte	Doyle	J.	T/14373571	Dvr	Price	L.
3865913	Pte	Fletcher	R.	T/1914857	Dvr	Richardson	W.
D/38323	Pte	Faulkner	T.	T/4695782	Dvr	Searby	V.V.

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6290697	Pte	Doyle	J.	T/14373571	Dvr	Price	L.
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D/38323	Pte	Faulkner	T.	T/4595782	Dvr	Searby	V.V.
4468692	Pte	Gilroy	R.	T/14551183	Dvr	Teasdale	L.
7951206	Pte	Ince	E.	T/4860959	Dvr	Thornton	L.
10606934	Pte	Lynch	R.	T/3390210	Dvr	Webster	G.
4042629	Pte	Newbury	F.S.				

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NOTICES

SOCCER

A final Trial Match for the selection of the Rome Area representation will be played tomorrow, 25 Jan 45, on the NATIONAL STADIUM. Kick-off at 1430 hrs. Allied Commission players have been selected to take part in this game, namely:- L/Cpl Orphan, Fus Foy T.B., Fus Cooper J. and Pte Burgess S.

It is hoped that as many as possible will attend to support these entries. Transport will leave the Hotel Genova at 1400 hrs.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS No. 22/45.
by
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C.O. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 23 Jan 45.

99. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 24 Jan 45 - Sjt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

100. GAS TRAINING

Lesson No. 4 - Types of Gases

To be Memorized:-

(a) NOSE GASES

D.M., D.A. and D.C.	Non-persistent	By its effects after 3-5 mins.	Pains in chest, throat, teeth and head in 3-5 mins. Feeling of influenza and depression. Vomiting in severe cases.

(b) TEAR GASES

C.A.P.	Non-persistent	By its effects.	Stinging of eyes, flow of tears, but no damage to eyes.
K.S.K.	Persistent about 2 hours.	Smell of pear drops and effects.	As above.
B.B.C.	Persistent 3-30 days.	Smell of sour fruit and effects	As above but more acute.

Previous Orders on the above subject will be numbered consecutively, i.e. para (b) of DRO No. 80, Lesson No. 1; para (a) of DRO No. 85, Lesson No. 2; DRO No. 96, Lesson No. 3.

101. DISCIPLINE

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(a) Signature of Petitions and Other Collective Representations with Regard to Service Matters.

GRO 30/45 is repeated hereunder for information and compliance:-

"ACI 1527 of 1944 is repeated for information.

1. All ranks will be warned not to permit their names or their opinions on Service matters to be published for political purposes, nor add their signatures or to permit their names to be added to public petitions, circulars and appeals dealing with public matters.

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100. GAS WARFARE

Lesson No. 4 - Types of Gases

To be Memorized:-

(a) NOSE GASES D.M., D.A. and D.C.	Non-persistent	By its effects after 3-5 mins.	Pains in chest, throat, teeth and head in 3-5 mins. Feeling of influenza and depression. Vomiting in severe cases.
(b) TEAR GASES C.A.P.	Non-persistent	By its effects.	Stinging of eyes, flow of tears, but no damage to eyes.
K.S.K.	Persistent about 2 hours.	Smell of pear drops and effects.	As above.
B.B.C.	Persistent 3-30 days.	Smell of sour fruit and effects	As above but more acute.

Previous Orders on the above subject will be numbered consecutively, i.e. para (b) of DRO No. 80, Lesson No. 1; para (a) of DRO No. 85, Lesson No. 2; DRO No. 96, Lesson No. 3.

101. DISCIPLINE

(a) Signature of Petitions and Other Collective Representations with Regard to Service Matters.

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1. All ranks will be warned not to permit their names or their opinions on Service matters to be published for political purposes, nor add their signatures or to permit their names to be added to public petitions, circulars and appeals dealing with public matters.

2. An officer or soldier who permits his name so to be used may be held to have contravened one of the following regulations:- King's Regulations 1940, paras 530, 541 or 547."

(b) Bounds

RAAC General Order No. 2 dated 22 Jan 45 is republished hereunder for the information and compliance of all concerned:-

"All pump-houses and transformer-houses in the Lido di Roma area are OUT OF BOUNDS for all Allied Military personnel."

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102. LEAVE

The u/m OR has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Tue 30 Jan 45 until 2359 hrs Fri 2 Feb 45
Pte Rogers G.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
C.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

DANCE COMMITTEE

The Dance Committee will assemble in room 12, Albergo Genova, on WEDNESDAY, 24 JAN 45, at 1400 hrs.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS No. 21/45.

by

Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

In the Field. 22 Jan 45.

95. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 23 Jan 45 - Bdr Edwards W.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1300 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

96. DISCIPLINE

GAS TRG. - Type of Gas (1) Choking

To be memorized:-

(a) PHOSGENE - Lethal
Non-persistent
Invisible
Smells of musty hay.

(b) CHLORINE - Lethal
Non-persistent
Smells of bleach
Colour: greenish yellow.

(c) CHLOROPICRIN

Persistent (3 hours)
Affects eyes and lungs.

97. RETURNS

All Chief Clerks of Divisions, Sub-Commissions, Branches, Sections and Messing Officers, etc., of this Headquarters who are employing ORs in any capacity, will render a nominal roll to the Orderly Room, Genova Hotel, by 1800 hrs Saturday, 27 Jan 45, giving the following particulars as at 1200 hrs 24 Jan 45.

Number, Rank (Acting and W/S Rank to be stated), Name, Regt or Corps, Employment.

Only in the case of new arrivals since the return called for in DRO No. 532 dated 22 Oct 44, will the following additional particulars be given:-

Med. Cat., Permanent or Attached (If attached, present unit or region to be shown), date of birth.

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To be memorized:-

(a) PHOSGENE - Lethal
Non-persistent
Invisible
Smells of musty hay.

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Med. Cat., Permanent or Attached (If attached, present unit or region to be shown), date of birth.

The RSM is held responsible for return of Detachment Staff and General Duty Personnel.

98. ORs' MESSING COMMITTEE

The u/m members of the ORs' Messing Committee will assemble in Room 14, Albergo Genova, at 1315 hrs on WEDNESDAY, 24 Jan 45:-
(Sjts Gibbs H. & Gaffney J. will be in attendance)

L/Cpl	Bostable	C.C.	Pte	Cragg	A.
Dvr	Cobb	W.M.	Dvr	Richardson	G.
Pte	Kelman	L.H.	Gnr	Foster	D.
L/Cpl	Birkin	R.J.			

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 20/45.

In the Field. 21 Jan 45.

89. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 22 Jan 45 - Sgt Bullen J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours



90. DISCIPLINE.

(a) HQ Commandant's Parade (Interview).

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office at 0900 hours Monday, 22 Jan 45.

T/114111/9 Dvr. Collis R. - R.A.S.C.

(b) O.C's Orderly Room Parade.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hours on Monday, 22 Jan 45.

T/3390210 Dvr. Webster C. - R.A.S.C.
Evidence: 2662157 L/Sgt. Cumberland E.A.- Colds. Gds.

91. APPOINTMENTS.

In accordance with authy ref G-1E/477/OR dated 20 January 1945, the u/m O.R. is appointed Unpaid and Paid Lance Corporal w.e.f. 1 Dec 44.

T/6146287 Dvr. Holden H.T. - R.A.S.C.

92. BEDDING (COMFORTERS).

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All O.Rs. of this Headquarters will draw one "comforter" from the Q.M.Stores by 1800 hours Tuesday, 23 Jan 45, at the same time handing in 1 blanket.

It is pointed out that a comforter is similar to an eiderdown, and is issued in lieu of 2 blankets.

O.Rs. on posting from this Headquarters will hand in their comforter to the Q.M. Stores, prior to departure.

93. O.Rs. LEAVING AND RETURNING TO STATION.

It is observed that O.Rs. of this Headquarters are not complying with instructions laid down in Daily Routine Order number 47 dated 12 Jan 45.

No excuse will be accepted for any further infringement of this order, repeated hereunder for information of those concerned.

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Lights Out ..... 2330 hours

90. DISCIPLINE.

(a) HQ Commandant's Parade (Interview).

The u/m O.R. will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office at 0900 hours Monday, 22 Jan 45.

T/114417/9 Dvr. Collis R. - R.A.S.C.

(b) O.C's Orderly Room Parade.

The u/m O.Rs. will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0930 hours on Monday, 22 Jan 45.

T/3290210 Dvr. Webster G. - R.A.S.C.
Evidence: 2662157 L/Sgt. Cumberland E.A.- Colds. Gds.

91. APPOINTMENTS.

In accordance with authy ref G-13/477/OR dated 20 January 1945, the u/m O.R. is appointed Unpaid and Paid Lance Corporal w.e.f. 1 Dec 44.

T/6146287 Dvr. Holden H.T. - R.A.S.C.

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No excuse will be accepted for any further infringement of this order, reported hereunder for information of those concerned.

1. Permanent Posting.

Any O.R. on receiving posting instructions, whether to a region of this Commission or to another unit, will, before leaving this Headquarters, report to the Ord Sgt's Office (Ground Floor, Genova Hotel), and hand in all passes issued, i.e. ROME AREA and AC Passes, and also NAAFI ration book and meal tickets.

2. Temporary Duty.

(a) On proceeding out of station on temporary duty, regardless of whether the move is published in "Special Orders" all O.Rs. will report to the Ord Sgt stating destination and period of expected absence on duty. Copies of travel orders will be shown.

(b) Immediately on return to station O.Rs. will report in person to the Ord Sgt or the duty clerk at the Hotel Genova, who will record their return accordingly.

(c) Non-compliance with the instruction contained in para 2 (b) will result in the soldier being treated as an absentee.

NOTE : It is stressed that para 2 above, applies to all courier drivers and their escorts.

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94. HQ AC PASSES.

O.Rs. not yet in possession of HQ AC Passes will collect same from the Ord Sgt's Office, Albergo Genova, by 1800 hours Tuesday, 23 Jan 45.

(Sgd) T. I. M. Scully. Captain.
O.C. British Detachment,
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N-O-T-I-C-E-S.

HOUSEY - HOUSEY.

Housey-Housey will be held in the O.Rs' Dining Hall, Vaccari Restaurant, tomorrow, Monday 22 Jan 45, at 2000 hours.

ITALIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES.

The Italian Language Classes are held in the Lounge, Albergo Genova, every Monday and Friday from 1900 to 2000 hours.

Any Officer of this Headquarters who is particularly interested, is cordially invited to attend.

DANCE.

A dance for EM/ORs of this Headquarters will be held in the Vaccari Restaurant on Wednesday, 24 Jan 45, at 1945 hours.

SPOT PRIZES. REFRESHMENTS. ADMISSION : EM/ORs 20 Lire : LADIES FREE.

Tickets for EM/ORs may be obtained on production of AC Pass from the Brit. Det. Ord. Sgt., Hotel Genova, up till 1800 hours Wednesday. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Owing to shortage of cups, ORs wishing to partake of refreshments will bring their own mugs.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE.

The Entertainments Committee will meet on Tuesday, 23 Jan 45, at 1900 hours in the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova.

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No. 19/45.

In the Field. 20 Jan 45.

84. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 21 Jan 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.
Reveille ..... 0700 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "



85. DISCIPLINE

(a) Gas Drill - Fitting & Adjustment of Respirator

(1) Test for correct size.
(2) " elastic bands.
(3) " for eyes level with eyepiece.
(4) " tightness round chin, cheeks, temples, forehead.
(5) Squeeze connecting tube and test for air when satisfied.

(b) O.C's Parade

All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the ORs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1300 hrs Monday, 22 Jan 45, for a talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (AMMA) and Lazio Region Personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sjt by 1230 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.

The RSM and Provost Sjt will be in attendance.

86. PAY - ORs

All ORs desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade will hand in their AB 64 Part II to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs Monday, 23 Jan 45.

87. LEAVE

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The u/m OR has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille 25 Jan 45 until 2359 hrs Sun 28 Jan 45
Gnr Head H.V.

88. H.Q. PASSES

ORs who are not yet in possession of HQ AC Passes will collect same from the Ord Sjt's Office, Albergo Genova, as soon as possible.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.

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(a) Gas Drill - Fitting & Adjustment of Respirator

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Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMLA) and Lazio Region Personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sjt by 1230 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.

The RSM and Provost Sjt will be in attendance.

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From reveille 25 Jan 45 until 2359 hrs Sun 28 Jan 45
Gnr Head H.V.

88. H. Q PASSES

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N O T I C E S

CHURCH SERVICES - SUN 21 JAN 45

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino
Holy Communion 0730, 0830, 1115 hrs; Morning Service 1030 hrs; Evensong 1830 hrs.

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)
Morning Service 1000 hrs; Holy Communion 1045 hrs; Evening Service 1830 hrs.

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre
Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel 1530 hrs; Mid-week Service 1930 hrs.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. PAUL (Corner of Via Nazionale & Via Napoli)
Holy Communion 0800 hrs; Morning Prayer & Sermon 1000 hrs; Vesper Services 1900 hrs.

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No. 1845.

In the Field. 19 Jan 45.

78. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 20 Jan 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

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79. POSTAL - CENSORSHIP

The following extracts from British Military Censorship Regulations are published for the information and compliance of all concerned:-

14. Picture Postcards
(a) Picture postcards are subject to the same censorship regulations as ordinary mail. General views of Italy and North Africa are permitted provided they do not disclose the writer's present or past location, or the route by which movements of the writer's unit have taken place.
(b) Any reference in communications to picture postcards previously sent or to be sent, which when considered with the postcard or separately, violates censorship regulations, is prohibited.
(c) Sender will put his rank and name but not his address on postcards.

15. Films
(a) Photographs, films, prints and all similar photographic materials will be subject to the same censorship regulations as applicable to ordinary mail. In addition, the following classes of photographic materials will not be sent through the mail:-
(1) Pictures which reveal any kind of military information. Pictures mailed will be purely personal in nature with no identifiable backgrounds.
(2) Undeveloped exposed films.
(b) Photographs or pictorial matter of any kind, from whatever source they may have been obtained, will not be despatched to neutral or enemy countries. (See para. 13 (d).)
(c) Any reference in communications to photographs previously sent or to be sent which, when considered with the photographs or separately, violates military censorship regulations, is prohibited.
(d) All negatives and prints not passed by the censor will be disposed of as directed by the Allied C-in-C, Mediterranean Theatre of Operations.

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80. DISCIPLINE

(a) O.C's Orderly Room Parade
The u/m ORs will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Saturday, 20 Jan 45:-

m/68000 Cpl Lonque L.P. R.A.S.C.

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80. DISCIPLINE

(a) O.C's Orderly Room Parade

The u/m ORs will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs on Saturday, 20 Jan 45:-

T/88292 Cpl Larque L.D. RASC.
T/10680011 Dvr Allen E.S. RASC.

(b) Gas Training

W.e.f. ~~to-day~~, 19 Jan 45, until further notice, an item of Gas Training will appear in Daily Routine Orders, i.e. on Saturday, 20 Jan 45, all ORs will clean their respirators, paying special attention to the face piece. Eye pieces will be cleaned with anti-dim. When cleaned, the face piece will be turned inside out and left hanging for at least one hour.

81. TRANSIT FACILITIES

RAAC Routine Order No. 381, S/N 29, dated 17 Jan 45, is republished for information:-

"It is notified that NO transit facilities exist between the towns of VASTO, SAN VITO, ORTONA and PESCARA."

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82. ARMY FIRE SERVICES

RAAC Routine Order No. 380, S/N 29, dated 17 Jan 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

"The following numbers are notified for use in an emergency:-

(a) British Army Fire Brigade - 478010.
(b) PAD Control (in case of difficulty in obtaining connection with Fire Brigade) - 478384, 478385 and 478718.

83. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 20 Jan 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to Room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 22 Jan 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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by
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No. 17/45.

In the Field.

18 Jan 45.

71. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 19 Jan 45 - Sjt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjt
Asst. Aos.
Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

72. POSTAL - CENSORSHIP

The following extracts from British Military Censorship Regulations are published for the information and compliance of all concerned:-

13. Addresses

(a) The correct postal address of his unit will be made known to every soldier. No addition to this address will be permitted. In case of doubt regarding the correct military postal address of any unit, the local army postal authorities should be consulted. A place name will not appear in a military address specifically authorized. The use of a civil address is forbidden.

(b) In no case will the writer's unit be disclosed on the outside of envelopes, wrappers or postcards. (The correct use of field service postcards is the only exception to this rule.)

(c) The use of stationery which is headed, embossed or printed with any matter calculated to disclose the location of the writer or any of his unit is prohibited.

(d) Writers will not indicate their unit's address anywhere on or in communications addressed to Allied prisoners of war or countries other than Great Britain, United States, Northern Ireland, Eire, the British Empire and Allied occupied territories. Instead, writers of such letters will indicate the address of a relative or friend in Great Britain to whose care a reply can be sent for reforwarding.

In the case of troops from countries other than those named above and who are serving with the British forces in this theatre, the address of their Embassy or Legation in London will be indicated if the above plan cannot be followed. If neither plan is applicable, such writers will indicate "c/o British Chief Base Censor, Algiers" as their address. It will be the responsibility of the writer that such relative, friend, Embassy, Legation or Chief Base Censor has a record of his unit's address. Green envelopes will not be used for such mail, nor will photographs, sketches or pictorial matter of any kind, regardless of source, be enclosed.

73. RELATIONS WITH THE CIVIL POPULATION

Rome Area Allied Command Routine Order No. 379, S/N 29, dated 17 Jan 45, is repeated hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

1. Cases of action against Civilians by Allied Troops have arisen in various parts of Italy which show that all ranks are

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1. Cases of action against Civilians by Allied Troops have arisen in various parts of Italy which show that all ranks are ignorant of their reponsibilities and the procedure to be followed when dealing with Civilians, in spite of existing Orders.

2. The following procedure will be strictly adhered to when action is required against Civilians:-

(a) No raid or action will be undertaken without prior approval of the Area or Sub-Area Commander, who is responsible for the decision that Allied Troops should be used and then only when he is of the opinion that it is necessary for the protection of Allied interests.

(b) Where in the opinion of the senior officer present immediate action is necessary to protect Allied personnel or property and he is unable to communicate with higher authority in sufficient time to receive higher authority will report the action taken to the Area or Sub-Area Commander through the usual channels by the quickest possible means and will ensure that the action taken is in accordance with these instructions.

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(c) Action will be planned as a military operation and will be controlled throughout by officers. Where British troops take part in raids organized by Allied officers a British officer will always be in charge of the British element.
(d) Carabinieri will always be present when action is taken and will be used for the actual searching of houses and the apprehension of suspects.
(e) Meticulous care will be taken that the conduct of British troops taking part gives no grounds for subsequent complaints by Civilians. This can only be achieved by discipline and close supervision on the part of officers and NCOs.
(f) The minimum force will be used to obtain the object. In particular the utmost care will be taken to avoid casualties to women and children.
(g) Types of weapons to be carried and the opening and control of fire will be in accordance with Rome Area Allied Command Operations Memorandum No. 1 dated 9 Jan 45, para 47, and Appendix "M" thereto.
(h) In all cases where casualties to Civilians result, an immediate report will be made to this Headquarters and a Court of Inquiry held to investigate the circumstances.

74. ELECTRICITY

The following extracts from RAAC Routine Order No. 387 dated 17 Jan 45 are published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

"No military unit or individual is entitled to the use of permanent current without the authority of the Electricity Control Board, Rome Area Allied Command.

No electric elevators, cooking appliances, refrigerators, fans or other small electric power units will be used without special authority. All such appliances at present in use will be disconnected forthwith.

The following restrictions will apply to the actual consumption of electricity within billets and premises occupied by military personnel:-

(a) One bulb (medium power) only will be in use in each bedroom, sitting room or anteroom.
(b) 60% of all normal light bulbs will be disconnected in corridors, messes and lounges.
(c) No electric light will be used during daylight except where absolutely essential for work.

Civilian staffs employed in hotels and military units will be advised of these restrictions.

No exemption will be given to these rules except in the case of hospitals and selected places of entertainment, etc., sponsored by Welfare or Special Services. In all cases strict economy will be observed and the instructions contained in paragraph 4 (a) above will apply to all resident Welfare personnel.

All applications for exemption will be submitted to the Chairman, Electricity Control Board, Rome Area Allied Command.

Military units and personnel will allow entry to authorized agents of the Electricity Power Companies bearing a pass stamped by G-4 Section, Rome Area Allied Command, to examine meters and make necessary disconnections where ordered by the Board.

The Military Police have been instructed to enforce the observance of these orders."

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report will be made to this Headquarters and a Court of Inquiry held to investigate the circumstances.

74. ELECTRICITY

The following extracts from RAAC Routine Order No. 387 dated 17 Jan 45 are published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

"No military unit or individual is entitled to the use of permanent current without the authority of the Electricity Control Board, Rome Area Allied Command.

No electric elevators, cooking appliances, refrigerators, fans or other small electric power units will be used without special authority. All such appliances at present in use will be disconnected forthwith.

The following restrictions will apply to the actual consumption of electricity within billets and premises occupied by military personnel:-

(a) One bulb (medium power) only will be in use in each bedroom, sitting room or anteroom.

(b) 60% of all normal light bulbs will be disconnected in corridors, messes and lounges.

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75. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 20 - 22 Jan 45.

Before NAAFI purchases are made it is in the interests of all officers that a means of identity, as of this Headquarters, be shown.

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ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 21 & 22 Jan 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1800 - 2000 " } Tue 23 Jan 45.

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

76. OC's ORDERLY ROOM PARADE

The u/m OR will parade outside the Orderly Room at 0900 hrs Friday, 19 Jan 45:-

No. 14542113 Pte Benbow C.R. Worcs.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

BASKET-BALL

It is proposed to form a basket-ball team from ORs of this Headquarters and to enter the ROME AREA LEAGUE.

Those interested will submit their names to the British Orderly Room by 1300 hrs Friday, 19 Jan 45.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 16/45.

In the Field. 17 Jan 45.

64. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thur 18 Jan 45 - Sjt Cumberland E.A.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst. Adjt.
Chief Clerk

65. POSTAL - CENSORSHIP

The following extracts from British Military Censorship Regulations are published for information and compliance:-

Prohibited Correspondence

(1) Correspondence by troops on the Italian mainland with local inhabitants on the Italian mainland.
(2) Communications to the Press except as provided in paragraph 9 under Section III.
(3) Communications intended to insert items in publications inviting correspondence with strangers; communications with any strangers in response to such advertisements or invitations.

Enclosures. The following are prohibited enclosures:-
(a) Official documents, military or civil, including orders, reports, maps, etc., and enemy documents or items of any kind.
(b) Service newspapers serving Army, District or larger formations unless listed by Army, District or higher headquarters as approved for mailing.
(c) Publications or news bulletins published by or serving units or formations smaller than Army. (These are not Press censored.)
(d) Local newspapers. Clippings from local newspapers may be sent if they do not indicate the location of a unit.
(e) Postage stamps and foreign currency or coins except in small numbers and denominations.
(f) Gramophone records.
(g) Drawings, sketches, music manuscripts and paintings except when submitted directly to the Chief Base Censor for censorship. These submissions will not be accompanied by correspondence and will be wrapped ready for mailing.
(h) Private diaries and memoranda. For proper method of disposal see Field Service Pocket Book, Pamphlet No. 3, Section 26.
(i) Studio-type portraits unless studio trademark, address, designation, etc., has been excised.
(j) Letters, messages or newspapers in parcels. Parcels will not be wrapped in newspapers and will bear a list of contents on the outside. Each parcel will contain a slip showing the names and addresses of the sender and the person to whom it is being sent.
(k) Communications written by, or on behalf of, local inhabitants.
(l) Any other enclosures of a military nature.

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66. LEAVE

The u/m OR has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Thu 18 Jan 45 until 2359 hrs Sun 21 Jan 45
Pte Attwood F.

67. APPOINTMENTS

(a) In accordance with authy ref G-1B/479/CR dated 16 Jan 45 the u/m NCOs are appointed Local Unpaid Serjeant w.e.f. 15 Jan 45:-

5882859 Cpl Caffney J. ACC.
5732057 Cpl Gibbs H.H. "

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(b) In accordance with authy ref G-1B/476/OR dated 16 Jan 45, the u/m OR is appointed Unpaid and Paid Lance Corporal w.e.f. 1 Oct 44:-

S/6479451 Pte Smith L.V. RASC.

68. DAMAGE CAUSED BY CIVILIANS TO REQUISITIONED PROPERTY OR WD STORES

GRO No. 36, S/N 2, dated 12 Jan 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

1. It is emphasized that any incident which may give rise to a claim by the War Department against a civilian is to be reported direct to the Claims Officer of the formation or Area in terms of GRO 97/44.
2. Thus, all cases where damage has been occasioned by a civilian to requisitioned property or WD property and stores are to be reported within 24 hours with all relevant particulars.
3. It is pointed out that it is to the unit's advantage to report damage of the above nature, since such reports will avoid any question of the unit or individuals being held responsible.

69. REQUISITIONED PREMISES, ETC. - PROMISES GIVEN BY OFFICERS IN RESPECT OF WD UNDERTAKINGS.

GRO No. 37, S/N 2, dated 12 Jan 45, is repeated hereunder for information and guidance:-

1. Cases have occurred where promises or statements have been made by officers regarding repairs, losses, etc., in requisitioned premises which have amounted to, or have been construed by the owners as, a definite promise made on behalf of the War Department.
2. In no case will unauthorized officers make, or purport to make, any arrangement or agreement, either written or verbal, with the owner or occupier of any premises which might be construed as an undertaking, given on behalf of the War Department, to follow a certain course of action or to assume financial responsibility in connection with the premises occupied.

70. DAMAGE IN BILLETS

The following is published in conformity with GRO 38/45:-

Every possible precaution will be taken by ORs against avoidable damage in billets. Billets will be inspected periodically, and appropriate disciplinary action will be taken against any ORs guilty of causing any such damage.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 15/45.

In the Field. 16 Jan 45.

60. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 17 Jan 45 - Sjt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Asst. Aos.
Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

61. PROHIBITION ON THE TRANSMISSION OF STERLING NOTES TO AND FROM THE U.K.

No. 21 District Routine Order, S/N 2, dated 10 Jan 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

GRO 755/44 is republished hereunder:-

"1. ACI 338/42 requires all sterling bank notes in possession of officers and other ranks to be exchanged into local currency through official channels immediately on disembarkation overseas. Sterling may not in any circumstances be accepted or purchased abroad, except from official Army sources.

2. (a) No sterling may be despatched from abroad by officers or other ranks by post or other means and sterling may not be sent to them (e.g. by relatives in the United Kingdom or elsewhere) by any such means.

(b) No compensation will be paid by the Army Post Office in respect of the loss of sterling sent by post to or from the U.K. in contravention of this instruction. Money to be sent through the post should be in the form of Postal Orders.

3. Breaches of the above instruction may entail disciplinary action and offenders render themselves liable to severe penalties in Civil Courts.

4. GRO 308/44 details the procedure for the exchange of local currency into sterling, and the method of disposal of local currency held in excess of £10, in respect of personnel returning to the United Kingdom.

5. Sterling will be deemed to include:-
(a) Bank of England notes and coin.
(b) Scottish and (Northern) Irish Bank Notes.
(c) Irish Free State, Legal Tender Notes.

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62. POSTAL - CENSORSHIP

The following extracts from British Military Censorship Regulations are published for information and strict compliance:-

Prohibited Statements. Under no circumstances will reference be made to the following:-

(1) The exact geographical location of any unit. Location at which a unit or individual is stationed may be disclosed only as somewhere in North Africa, Italy, Sicily, Sardinia or Corsica as the case may be. No location whatever will be disclosed in communications intend-

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(2) The location, identity, movement or prospective movement of any Allied ship or aircraft; troop or supply movements.
(3) Distinguishing signs of formations, units, baggage, transportation, etc.
(4) Plans and forecasts, or orders for future operations, whether known or merely surmised; exercises and training programmes indicating possible future roles.
(5) The use, condition, or probable extension of utilities or transportation facilities.

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(6) The effect of any action of the enemy previous to the official publication of such information.
(7) Unit or force strength; arrival or lack of reinforcements.
(8) Reports of atrocities, unless released by appropriate authority.
(9) It is forbidden to identify any unit with any formation.

63. LEAVE

The u/m CR has been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille Thursday, 18 Jan 45, until 2359 hrs Sunday, 21 Jan 45
Dvr Stewart J. B.

(Sgd.) F. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

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Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 14/45.

In the Field. 15 Jan 45.

57. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 16 Jan 45 - Bdr Edwards W.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

A/Colonel	
Asst. Aos.	
Asst Aos.	
Chief Clerk	

58. POSTAL - CENSORSHIP

The following extracts from British Military Censorship Regulations are published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

III. Instructions to Personnel

8. With necessary exceptions, all private correspondence will be in plain English. Permission to write letters in a language other than English must be obtained from the Unit Commander. Personnel authorized to write in a language other than English will indicate in pencil the language of the communication on the face of the envelope. The use of codes, ciphers and shorthand, or any other form of secret writing is forbidden. Crosses (X's) representing kisses are permitted providing they do not appear to be used as a code, i.e. in irregular groups, etc.

9. All articles and photographs, including those of a non-service nature, which it is desired to despatch for publication in the Press will be forwarded, properly enveloped, addressed in an outer cover to Allied Force Headquarters, ILC Section, Censorship Branch, CMF. Such submissions must be forwarded in duplicate and must be accompanied by the approval of the sender's commanding officer.

10. Correspondence for Allied prisoners of war should be very brief and confined to purely personal matters. Naval and military matters should be strictly avoided and nothing should be mentioned which might result in retaliatory action being taken against the addressee.

59. VD DISCIPLINE

District Routine Order No. 20, S/N 2, dated 10 Jan 45, is republished hereunder for information and compliance:-

Paras 1 and 2 of GRO 1056/44 are republished hereunder:-

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"1. CONCEALMENT

In accordance with King's Regulations, 1940, para 555, a soldier who is suffering from VD must report himself sick without delay. Concealment of the disease delays treatment and causes a loss of manpower to the Army.

Concealment is a serious crime and will henceforth be dealt with by Court Martial in all cases, charges being preferred under Section 11 of the Army Act.

2. FINANCIAL PENALTIES

Owing to the prevalence of VD in this theatre it is of the utmost importance that all ranks should be acquainted with the possible financial consequen-

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2. FINANCIAL PENALTIES

Owing to the prevalence of VD in this theatre it is of the utmost importance that all ranks should be acquainted with the possible financial consequences of contracting the disease due to their own fault.

(a) Hospital Charges.

A soldier admitted to hospital on account of VD or its effects due to his own fault is required to pay hospital charges of 10d a day after the first 30 days of treatment in hospital (vide ACI 1348/44.

(b) Loss of Pay (Non-Tradesmen).

Where a soldier is suffering from VD or its effects due to his own fault and is unable to carry out his normal duties he will be reclassified as laid down in para 16 (h) Army Order 14/43. This means in effect that he loses what was formerly known as war time and special proficiency pay. In addition he is not entitled to the initial grant of any increase of pay for length of service in accordance with para 8 of Army Order 14/43. Full particulars are given in GRO 617/43.

(c) Loss of Paid Acting Rank.

Paid acting rank is relinquished from the date of leaving the unit on

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account of sickness. Soldiers who revert to private or equivalent rank suffering from VD as above are not appointed Lance-Corporal or Lance-Bombardier on such relinquishment as in other cases. GRO 707/43 refers."

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O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

DANCE

A dance for EM/ORs of this Headquarters will be held in the Vaccari Restaurant tomorrow, TUESDAY, 16 JAN 45, at 1945 hrs.

SPOT PRIZES. REFRESHMENTS. ADMISSION EM/ORs 20 Lire. Ladies Free.

Tickets for EM/ORs may be obtained on production of AC Pass from the Brit. Det. Ord. Sjt., Hotel Genova, up till 1800 hrs Tuesday. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Owing to shortage of cups, ORs wishing to partake of refreshments will bring their own mugs.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet on WEDNESDAY, 17 JAN 45, at 1900 hrs in the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova.

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No. 13/45.

In the Field. 14 Jan 45.

54. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO, Mon 15 Jan 45 - Sgt Bullen J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours

Asst Aos.	
Asst Aos.	
Chief Clerk	

55. DISCIPLINE.

The u/m O.R. will report to the Orderly Room, (Room 9) at 0830 hours Monday, 15 Jan 45.

D/286617 Dvr Alberti T. - R.A.S.C.

56. POSTAL - CENSORSHIP.

The following extracts from "British Military Censorship Regulations" are published for information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

Para 11. Authorised Channels for Private Communications.

4. Private communications originating in, or destined for, this theatre of operations will be transmitted only by means of authorized systems of communications, such as the Army Postal Service, approved telephone, telegraph, cable, or radio systems. They will not under any circumstances be dispatched from this theatre of operations by any means other than those authorized by the Allied C-in-C, Mediterranean Theatre of Operations.

5. It is forbidden to transmit or carry private communications for posting or delivery outside this theatre unless such communications have been examined and passed by a Base Censor. On leaving this theatre, all ranks may be required to sign a certificate in duplicate as follows:-

"I hereby certify that I am not carrying out of this theatre any personal communications or documents which have not been passed by a Base Censor. I further certify that all such matter carried bears the impression of the Official Base Censorship stamp." 1821

The original of the certificate will be retained by the signer and the duplicate will be filed with the Security Officer at the port or airport of departure.

6. It is forbidden to cause to be used or to use civilian postal facilities for private communications. Only the facilities of the British Army Post Offices will be used for postal and telegraphic transactions.

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Chief Clerk

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N-O-T-I-C-E.

HOUSEY-HOUSEY.

Housey-Housey will be held in the O.Rs' Dining Hall, Vaccari Restaurant, tomorrow Monday 15 Jan 45, at 2000 hours.

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No. 12/45.

In the Field. 13 Jan 45.

52. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 14 Jan 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.

Reveille	.....	0700 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

Adjutant	
Asst. Aos.	
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Chief Clerk	

53. DISCIPLINE

(a) H.Q. Commandant's Parade

The u/m OR will parade outside the H.Q. Commandant's office at 0850 hrs on Monday, 15 Jan 45:-

D/29225 L/U/A/Sjt Fisher R.G. R.Sussex.

(b) Saluting

The following is published in conformity with GRO 9/45:-

It is impressed upon all ranks that military cars displaying either flags or car plates of Commanders will be saluted at all times.

Rank will be denoted on car plates by white stars equally spaced on the horizontal centre line of the plate as under:-

Brigadier	.. .. 1 star.
Maj. General	.. .. 2 stars.
Lieutenant "	.. .. 3 "
General	.. .. 4 "

The car of the Supreme Allied Commander will carry the American and British National Flags.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

NOTICES

CHURCH SERVICES - SUNDAY, 14 JAN 45

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ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino

Holy Communion	:-	0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service	:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong	:-	1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

Morning Service	:-	1000 hrs.
Holy Communion	:-	1045 "
Evening Service	:-	1830 "

WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre

Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel	:-	1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service	:-	1930 "

EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. PAUL (Corner of Via Nazionale & Via

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WESLEY HOUSE - 5 Via Venti Settembre

Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:-	1530 hrs.
Mid-week Service :-	1930 "

EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST. PAUL (Corner of Via Nazionale & Via Napoli)

Sunday

Holy Communion :-	0800 hrs.
Morning Prayer & Sermon:-	1000 "
Vesper Services :-	1900 "

DANCE

A dance for EM/ORs of this Headquarters will be held in the Vaccari Restaurant on TUESDAY, 16 JAN 45, at 1945 hrs. SPOT PRIZES. REFRESHMENTS. ADMISSION:- EM/ORs 20 Lire. Ladies Free. Tickets for EM/ORs may be obtained on production of AC Pass from the Brit. Ord. Sjt., Hotel Genova, up till 1800 hrs Tuesday. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

DANCE COMMITTEE

The Dance Committee & Duty Cook NCO for Tuesday night will meet outside room 12, Albergo Genova, at 1400 hrs Monday, 15 Jan 45.

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DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS
by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
O.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 11/45.

In the Field. 12 Jan 45.

46. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sat 13 Jan 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant
Asst. Acs.
Asst Acs.
Chief Clerk

47. ORs LEAVING & RETURNING TO STATION

The following is laid down for strict compliance of all ORs at this Head-quarters:-

1. Permanent Posting
Any OR on receiving posting instructions, whether to a re ion of this Commission or to another unit will, before leaving this Headquarters, report to the Ord Sjt's Office (Ground Floor, Genova Hotel), and hand in all passes issued, i.e. ROME AREA and AC Passes, and also NAAFI ration book and meal tickets.

2. Temporary Duty
(a) On proceeding out of station on temporary duty, regardless of whether the move is published in "Special Orders" all ORs will report to the Ord Sjt stating destination and period of expected absence on duty. Copies of travel orders will be shown.
(b) Immediately on return to station ORs will report in person to the Ord Sjt or the duty clerk at the Hotel Genova, who will record their return accordingly.
(c) Non-compliance with the instruction contained in para 2 (b) will result in the soldier being treated as an absentee.

48. DAILY ROUTINE ORDERS

The attention of all concerned is drawn to the following, which is published for information and strict compliance:-

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(a) All requests for publication in these orders will in future be submitted in writing to the O.C. by 1200 hrs on the day which publication is required.
(b) ORs will familiarize themselves with all orders published. "Ignorance" will not be accepted as an excuse for any infringement or non-compliance with instructions laid down in these orders.
(c) Any OR of this Headquarters, who, by virtue of his location (billet), is unable to read Daily Routine Orders on the Unit notice boards, and to whom a copy is not already despatched, will report to the Chief Clerk of the Orderly Room who will arrange a daily delivery of these orders.
(d) Other Ranks who are "absent on duty" from this Headquarters will, on their return, ensure that they are familiar with all the orders published during their absence. This to be done by reporting to the Ord Sjt who will keep a permanent file copy of all Daily Routine Orders published.
(e) DROs are posted by 1700 hrs daily on notice boards at the following

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(e) DROs are posted by 1700 hrs daily on notice boards at the following locations:-

HQ Bldg (Ministerior Delle Corporazioni), Main Entrance.
ORs' Billets, Alberges Genova & Vaccari.
WOs & Sjts' Mess, Albergo Urbe.
ORs' Mess, Vaccari Restaurant.
Super Garage (Piazza Verdi), Regt Police Room.

49. PATROLLING BY ITALIAN POLICE

The following extract from RAAC Daily Bulletin No. 2, dated 2 Jan 45, is published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-

"(a) Special night squads of Italian police patrolling in Rome have been hindered in the performance of their duty by Allied Military drivers of civilian type cars failing to stop when challenged.

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(b) It is directed now that the Italian police in Rome be given the fullest co-operation by Allied Military personnel."

50. DISCIPLINE

ORs' Billet Furniture

It is observed that excessive damage is being caused by ORs using the shelves erected over the washhand-basins, in the billets, to hold heavy and large jars, bottles, etc. These articles are usually too big for the size of shelf and are therefore falling into the porcelain basins and damaging them. This practice will cease forthwith, otherwise the shelves will be dismantled.

51. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (AMTA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 13 Jan 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to Room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 15 Jan 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
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N O T I C E S

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

The many comments made on the omission of a dance from the weekly programme at least shows that the efforts of the Entertainment Committee are of some value. A little constructive criticism would, however, be much appreciated.

All ORs are again reminded that anyone interested is invited to attend the meetings of this Committee.

The dates and place of meeting are published regularly in DROs.

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No. 10/45.

In the Field. 11 Jan 45.

40. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 12 Jan 45 - Sjt Brewin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant	
Asst. Aos.	
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Chief Clerk	

41. DISCIPLINE

OC's Parade

Sub-para (b) of DRO No. 34 dated 9 Jan 45 is republished for the information and strict compliance of those concerned:-

"All ORs of this Headquarters up to and including the rank of Cpl will be seated in the ORs' Dining Hall (Vaccari Restaurant) by 1830 hrs Thursday, 11 Jan 45, for a half hour's talk by the O.C.

Land Forces Sub-Commission (MMIA) and Lazio Region personnel will not attend this parade.

Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sjt by 1500 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.

The RSM and Provost Sjt will be in attendance."

42. LEAD POISONING

The following is published in conjunction with extract from Circular No. 17 HQ MTOUSA:-

The attention of all ranks is drawn to the dangers connected with the handling and use of leaded petrol, especially since the concentration of tetraethyl lead in this fuel has been increased above levels formerly employed.

The deaths of two civilians from the effects of lead poisoning contracted while washing clothes in leaded petrol have been recently reported. Effective immediately, petrol will not be used for the cleaning of clothes by anyone (this includes civilian employees) of this Headquarters.

The following points will be observed where such petrol is handled or used:-

(a) Provide adequate ventilation when used indoors.
(b) Avoid excessive spillage. Where such occurs the petrol should be removed by washing away with water or covered with earth.
(c) Care should be taken to protect food as far as possible from the fumes, if used for cooking purposes. Do not toast or grill food directly over the fire.
(d) Avoid repeated contact of the petrol with the skin, and where such has occurred, the affected parts should be washed thoroughly with soap and water immediately.

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43. NEXT OF KIN

In conjunction with ACI 667/44 and GRO No. 12/45, the following is laid down for all ORs of this Headquarters:-

1. All ORs are reminded that in their own interest and that of their next-of-kin, it is their duty to report to the Orderly Room without delay any change in the name, address, or relationship of their next-of-kin. All such changes will be made in the soldier's AB 64 Part I under the observation of the O.C. who will initial the new entry.

2. When the next-of-kin of a soldier is serving with the ATS, WAAF or WRNS her number and name and one of the following addresses, whichever is applicable, will be entered in the soldier's AB 64 Part I.

(a) If serving with ATS -
c/o Record Office
Winchester.

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(b) If serving with WAAF -
c/o WAAF Record Office
Barnwood, Glos.

(c) If serving with WRNS -
WRNS Headquarters
The Admiralty, London.

3. The recording of particular individuals as next-of-kin has no legal effect whatever on the distribution of property in the event of death.
4. ORs should advise those whom they have named as their next-of-kin to report promptly any change in their name or address to the Officer i/c Home Records Office administering the soldier's regiment or corps.

44. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sat., Sun., and Mon., 13 - 15 Jan 45.

Before NAAFI purchases are made it is in the interests of all officers that a means of identity, as of this Headquarters, be shown.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1400 - 1700 ") Sun & Mon 14 & 15 Jan 45.

1000 - 1230 hrs)
1800 - 2000 ") Tue 16 Jan 45.

No NAAFI supplies will be sold to any OR unless he is in possession of a ration book.

45. BLOOD DONORS

It is again stressed that hospitals in ROME are desperately in need of blood donors. Therefore it is hoped to obtain further volunteers from personnel of this Headquarters. Such volunteers may either report direct to the NCO i/c M.I. Room in the HQ Bldg, the Orderly Room or telephone 478096.

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No. 9/45.

In the Field. 10 Jan 45.

Adjutant
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Asst. A

36. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Thurs 11 Jan 45 - Sgt Cumberland, E.A.
Reveillé ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours.

37. PAY - O.Rs.

Pay Parade for British O.Rs. at this Headquarters will be at the following times and places :-

Date	Time	Place	Personnel
Fri 12 Jan 45	0930 hrs	AC HQ Bldg, inside Cafeteria	RASC Personnel employed at HQ.
" " "	1000 "	- ditto -	Other Personnel employed at HQ.
" " "	1400 "	Hotel Genova, Room 14, First Floor.	Personnel not included in above.
Mon 15 Jan 45	0900 "	- ditto -	Personnel unable to attend any of the above parades.

O.Rs. of Headquarters parading for pay will do so inside the Cafeteria and will not loiter or lounge in the corridor.

38. EQUIPMENT & CLOTHING ON ADMISSION TO AND DISCHARGE FROM HOSPITAL.

The following extracts from CRO 19/45 are published for information and strict compliance of all O.Rs. of this Headquarters :- 1817

(a) On admission to hospital a soldier will take with him his personal clothing plus his small kit, one blanket and greatcoat. A list will be prepared in triplicate, on A.F.H1157 by his unit, showing the items in his possession. If possible the list should be signed by the man.

One copy of A.F.H1157 will be given to the man, one will be placed with his kit remaining with the unit, and the third copy will be retained by the unit.

(b) If the soldier remains in hospital more than 21 days his kit (remaining with the unit) together with the copy of Kit List will be sent to the Base Depot.

(c) Only essential issues will be made by the hospital and these will be entered on the Kit List held by the man, and the Base Depot notified of these issues.

(d) In the case of Battle Casualties, only essential items will be issued by

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(d) In the case of Battle Casualties, only essential items will be issued by the hospital concerned, information regarding any issues should be notified to the Base Depot, the man being provided with a copy.

In view of the above, therefore, all O.Rs. on instruction from the Medical Officer to report to hospital, will before doing so, report to the Q.M.Stores and hand in kit minus kit and personal effects shown on the separate lists posted on Unit notice boards.

Such personnel will then report to the Det. Ord. Sgt. who will make necessary transport arrangements to hospital in conjunction with the N.C.O. i/c M.I.Room.

It is stressed that to avoid delay, O.Rs. who know they intend to report sick will, on the night before sick parade, prepare their kit for handing in.

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Adjutant
Asst. Adjt.
Asst Adjt.

39. DISCIPLINE - LOSS OF KIT.

Owing to an increase in petty thieving, the following orders are published for compliance :-

1. It is pointed out that loss of kit of any kind is a chargeable offence.
With effect from the issue of this order any O.Rs. reporting kit deficiencies will immediately do so in writing, stating full particulars, upon receipt of which the man will automatically be placed on a charge for loss by neglect.
By Wednesday evening, 10 Jan 45, all present deficiencies will have been made up by the R.Q.M.S. and no excuse will be accepted thereafter for any deficiencies.

2. Any man who has suspicions against any doubtful character in the Detachment should report this fact personally to either the R.S.M. or the Provost Sgt. who will treat such information in strict confidence. It is essential that this be done to help prevent innocent individuals being punished and made to pay for loss of kit.

3. W.e.f. reveille Thursday, 11 Jan 45, all O.Rs. taking kit of any kind in or out of the Hotel Genova will register the article (s) with the O.R. or policeman on duty at the door. This particularly applies in the case of drivers, etc., going out on temporary duty.

4. It is emphasised that policemen of the Detachment must be more alert and suspicious-minded than at present. They have the authority to ask questions. This they must do, and then be satisfied with the answer or take the necessary action required.

5. The Provost Sgt. and L/Cpl. will see that the above orders are carried out and that every effort is put forth by Det. Police to prevent further losses.

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N-O-T-I-C-E.

FOOTBALL.

The u/m team will represent H.Q. Allied Commission (Derby County) against 19 Survey Coy. (Coventry) on No. 3 Stadium. Kick off at 1430 hrs Thursday 11 Jan 45. Transport to leave Hotel Genova at 1400 hrs.

It is hoped that as many as possible will support this, the 6th Round of the R.A.A.C.F.A. League.

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Pte. Gibbs, H. Fus. Foy, T.B. Rfn. Brice, J.
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No. 8/45.

In the Field. 9 Jan 45.

32. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Wed 10 Jan 45 - Sjt Bullen J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

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Asst. Aos. MP
Asst Aos.
Chief Clerk

33. KIT DEFICIENCIES

Any OR of this Headquarters deficient of any kit or equipment will report to the QM Stores by 1800 hrs Wed 10 Jan 45 to have such deficiencies made good.

34. DISCIPLINE

(a) Arms
Sub-para (a) of DRO 454 dated 6 Oct 44 is repeated hereunder for compliance:-

"All ORs are reminded that rifles will not be kept in bedrooms but handed in to the Armoury (Room 24, Genova Hotel). This also applies to the ORs at the Urbe Hotel."

(b) CO's Parade
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Army Sub-Commission (MMIA) and Lazio Region personnel will not attend this parade.
Those unable to attend by virtue of their duty will report to the Ord Sjt by 1800 hrs on the day of this parade, stating reasons for non-compliance.
The RSM and Provost Sjt will be in attendance.

(c) M.T. (Traffic Accidents)
The following extracts from RAAC R.O. No. 372 dated 3 Jan 45 are published for the information and strict compliance of all concerned:-
1. Cases have occurred of drivers, when driving vehicles owned by the British Forces, being unable to produce a print of the appropriate Traffic Accident Slip, namely:-
AF A3681 - in Italian or German speaking countries.
2. Paragraph 3 of GRO 96 of 1944 provides that every driver will carry on his vehicle a print of the form applicable to the country in which he is driving.

(d) Haircuts
Ref DRO 781/44 para (a).
It is stressed that a number of NCOs and men of this Headquarters have not complied with the order published concerning haircuts.
With effect from this date a more serious view will be taken against any OR of a further non-compliance of this order republished hereunder:-
"ORs are reminded that haircuts will be of a military style, i.e. short at back and sides. This is for compliance of all, and Italian civilian style haircuts will cease forthwith."

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35. MEDICAL

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S/14527186	L/Cpl	Ardern	S.
355154	Pte	Armstrong	T.
T/5509143	Dvr	Asher	H.
S/150672	Sjt	Atterby	L.V.J.
D/26582	Pte	Barnes	A.V.
4747026	Pte	Betts	H.
6189971	Sjt	Bullen	J.

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S/57905	SQMS	Caldecott	J.
S/14525965	L/Cpl	Cartmell	A.
S/14412346	L/Cpl	Connon	H.T.
S/7671051	Sjt	Davy	R.A.
S/6299267	L/Cpl	Ecott	C.
3956273	Pte	Edwards	M.
973778	Bdr	Edwards	W.
523701	Tpr	Elliott	G.W.
S/108323	SSM	Evans	C.G.
6917802	Rfmn	Evans	W.S.
13809105	Pte	Falck	J.
D/38323	Pte	Faulkner	T.
7013414	Fus	Foy	T.B.
S/4207869	L/Cpl	Gardiner	E.G.
4468692	Pte	Gilroy	R.
2618191	Gdsm	Holmes	F.C.
T/10674183	Pte	Jackson	F.
T/14528506	Dvr	Jackson	S.
2586377	Sjt	Jellyman	T.J.
S/14529190	Pte	Knight	N.
T/10692792	Dvr	Land	J.T.
S/98281	SQMS	Lark	F.V.L.
T/88292	Cpl	Larque	L.D.
S/14526024	L/Cpl	Lisberg	J.S.
3313639	Pte	Lowrie	J.
2884307	Pte	MacDonald	W.
4690505	Pte	Morley	A.
5126459	Pte	Nash	B.
2617978	Gdsm	Pickett	W.
7606138	Pte	Pinnington	D.
T/14385353	Dvr	Pitcher	R.G.
4809975	Pte	Quigley	C.
T/1914857	Dvr	Richardson	W.
7018900	Rfmn	Robinson	H.
4030917	Pte	Slocombe	R.
4034011	Cpl	Spear	E.
S/14534346	L/Cpl	Thornton	J.
14257250	Tpr	Walters	H.
5953774	Pte	Wareham	T.L.
S/186856	SQMS	Webb	H.
6030730	Pte	Webb	J.
7605829	Cpl	Webb	J.G.
T/14390365	Dvr	Wright	T.R.

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by
Captain T. I. M. Scully.
C.C. British Detachment.
H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 7/45.

In the Field. 8 Jan 45.

26. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Tue 9 Jan 45 - Sjt Cookson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1300 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out 2330

Adjutant
Asst. Adjs.
Asst Adjs.
Chief Clerk

27. PURCHASE TAX ON ARTICLES SENT TO U.K.

The following is published in conformity with GRO 1087/44 for information:-

The attention of all ORs is drawn to the list posted separately on the Unit notice boards, showing articles liable to purchase tax if such articles are sent to the U.K. (by post or other means) by members of the forces serving overseas.

It is stressed that parcels sent to the U.K. under the Duty Free Concession and which bear the special label Army Form W5192, are not subject to Purchase Tax.

28. FORGED CURRENCY

District Routine Order No. 11, S/N 1, dated 1 Jan 45, is republished hereunder for the information and guidance of all:-

1. Many arrests have been made in SOUTHERN ITALY for buying, selling and uttering forged currency notes. Several hundreds of such notes are still in circulation, the most common denomination being the 1000 lire Allied Military currency.
2. The method of circulating these notes is to sell them to agents at reduced prices or as a payment for illicit deals. Investigation into the activities of these gangs is the responsibility of the SQUADRA MOBILE, a branch of the QUESTURA.
3. The 1000 lire forged notes in existence are extremely good imitations, but may be detected by the following differences from an original:-
   (a) The paper is of poorer quality.
   (b) The printed matter on the back, i.e. "FREEDOM FROM WANT" etc., is indistinct.
   (c) The filigree work on the front, particularly in the corners, is smudged.
   (d) The words "one thousand" may be omitted from the front.
   (e) Forgeries made by a gang, recently arrested in CATANIA, have a composition of the following numbers, which appear as the first four numbers in the serial number "0415".
4. Forged 500 lire Allied Military Currency notes are invariably the work of amateurs who alter 50 lire notes by adding "0" thus putting the design out of balance.
5. Any counterfeit notes which fall into the hands of Allied Military personnel will be forwarded to the nearest DPM/APM for transmission to the SQUADRA MOBILE through SIB and Allied Commission channels for comparison and enquiry.

29. DISCIPLINE

The u/m OR will parade outside the HQ Commandant's office at 0845 hrs on Tuesday, 9 Jan 45:-

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No. 2327468 Dvr Hainsworth A. R.Sigs.

30. SJTS' MESS MEETING

DRO No. 4, dated 2 Jan 45, is repeated hereunder for information:-

"There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on Tuesday, 9 Jan 45, in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty, including attached personnel, but less those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the Meeting opening."

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31. MT VEHICLE PARK

Owing to the increasing number of MT vehicles being stolen in the ROME AREA a vehicle park has now been organized for use by British drivers of this organization and is situated in the VIA ANTONIO ROSMINI, (first turning on the right past the GENOVA HOTEL, from the Central Railway Station). The park will be taken into use with effect from Tuesday, 9 Jan 45, subject to the following conditions:-

1. Only vehicles (this including motor cycles and requisitioned vehicles) of this unit, or on duty with this Headquarters, are to be parked in this area.
2. Vehicles will be parked between the following times ONLY, during which a Regimental Policeman will be on duty at the entrance and it is the responsibility of the Provost Serjeant to ensure that a R.P. is on duty during these times.

1200 - 1400 hrs
1730 - 2359 "

3. Every possible precaution will be taken by drivers against theft of or from vehicles by locking vehicle doors, the chaining and padlocking of steering wheels, etc.

The practice of immobilizing vehicles is not considered as a precaution against theft and will not be adopted.
(Daily Routine Order No. 706, para 5, refers).

4. It is pointed out that the purpose of the vehicle park being available between 1730 and 2359 hrs is so as to permit drivers on late duty calls to leave their vehicles unattended during these times only, and partake of any unit entertainment, or to remain in billets instead of going to and from the Super Garage and/or remaining with their vehicles until their officers return.
5. No vehicle will be parked or left unattended in the park after 2359 hrs.
6. No vehicles will be parked outside the Vaccari Restaurant or the Hotel Genova (ORs' billet, Mess) during the times laid down in para 2 above.
7. It is emphasized that this vehicle park has been arranged for the benefit of British drivers of this unit, or on duty with this unit, therefore on no account will drivers not on duty with vehicles use this park and the R.P. is authorized to check the work tickets of all drivers intending to use the park. A serious view will be taken of any abuse of privileges gained thereby.

(Sgd.) T. I. M. Scully, Captain.
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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet on WEDNESDAY, 10 JAN 45, at 1900 hrs in the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova.

DANCE

It is pointed out that there will be no dance in the Vaccari Restaurant on Wednesday 10 Jan 45.

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ITALIAN LANGUAGE CLASSES

All concerned are reminded that the Italian Language classes re-open this evening at 1900 hrs.

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No. 6/45.

In the Field. 7 Jan 45.

23. ROUTINE.

Duty NCO Mon 8 Jan 45 - Sgt Stokes D.H.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours.

Asst Aos.	
Asst Aos.	
Chief Clerk	

24. APPOINTMENTS.

In accordance with authy. ref. G-1B/478/OR dated 5 Jan 45, the u/n O.R. is appointed L/A/U/Lance Corporal w.e.f. 4 Jan 45.

This appointment will be relinquished on cessation of employment in the Chief of Staff's Mess.

6147221 Pte. Shuttleworth, F. - E.Surreys.

25. TRANSPORT - W.D. & CIVILIAN, PASSENGERS IN.

G.R.O. No. 1082 dated 29 Dec 44, is republished hereunder for the information and strict compliance of all concerned.

With the exceptions provided hereunder, the number of passengers allowed in W.D. owned or hired vehicles will not exceed the following:-

Trucks	15 cwt GS	...	...	8
Lorries	30 cwt GS	...	...	15
Lorries	3 ton GS	...	...	20
Lorries	Troop carrying	...	...	30
Motor Coaches		...	...	According to seating capacity.
Lorries	6 ton GS	...	...	25
Lorries	10 ton GS	...	...	30

In the case of W.D. coaches and 3-ton troop carrying lorries a maximum of 7 persons may be allowed in excess of the seating capacity as standing passengers, on duty journeys. Such additional passengers will not, however, be permitted when the vehicles are carrying troops in marching order or personnel accompanied by baggage, or when the vehicles are on authorized recreational journeys.

Not more than two persons (including the driver) will ride in the cab of a W.D. owned or hired vehicle, other than in the case of specialist vehicles designed to carry more than two persons (including the driver) in the driver's compartment.

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No person will ride on the running-board of a W.D. or hired vehicle.

Passengers will not sit on the sides or tailboard of a W.D. or hired vehicle whether or not the vehicle has a canvas or other covering and whether or not the tailboard is in the raised or lowered position.

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Whenever authorized passengers are carried in load carrying mechanical vehicles the front end of the canvas tilt must be folded back to permit a through current of air. It is the duty of the driver to see that this has been carried out.

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N-O-T-I-C-E-S.

BOOKS.

There are a number of books by well-known authors available in the Orderly Room, and any O.R. may obtain one, on signature, from the Duty Clerk any evening after 1800 hours. Books should be returned within a week.

O.Rs. leaving station, will, before their departure, return any books they may have drawn.

Personnel who have in their possession any books which they wish to dispose of, are welcome to add them to this collection.

HOUSEY-HOUSEY.

Housey-Housey will be held in the O.Rs' Dining Hall, Vaccari Restaurant, tomorrow, Monday 8 Jan 45, at 2000 hours.

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No. 5/45.

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Adjutant	
Asst Adjs.	
Asst Adjs.	
Chief Clerk	

18. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Sun 7 Jan 45 - Sjt. Palmer H.
Reveille ..... 0700 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0715 - 0815 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 hours.
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 hours.
Lights Out ..... 2330 hours.

19. PAY - O.Rs.

All ORs. desirous of drawing pay on the forthcoming pay parade, will hand in their AB 64 Pt 2 to the Orderly Room (Room 14) by 1800 hrs. Monday 8 Jan 45.

20. DISCIPLINE.

(a) Purchase of Flowers.

GRO 1074/44 is republished hereunder for information and compliance.

1. Cases have occurred in which military personnel have placed orders with Italian florists for delivery of flowers in the UNITED KINGDOM and other parts of the world through the Florists Telegraph Delivery Association and others.

2. In many such cases personnel have been requested to leave their military addresses so that they may be notified of orders which cannot be executed and the necessary refund made.

3. The above practice, both of placing orders and of leaving military addresses, will cease. Because of Treasury Regulations the transmission of funds to the United Kingdom by Italian civilian firms is prohibited, so that none of the orders have been or can be executed. Moreover, the leaving of military addresses constitutes a danger to security.

4. Troops desirous of having flowers delivered in the United Kingdom and other parts of the world should remit funds through normal APO channels direct to a florist or make use of one of the official schemes which are sponsored by EFI or Army Welfare.

(b) Addressing of Officers.

The practise of British O.Rs. addressing officers by their ranks, i.e. answering " Yes Captain", "No Captain,Major" etc, will cease forthwith. The correct method laid down for addressing WOs and Commissioned Ranks is by using the word " Sir ".

(c) O.C's Orderly Room Parade.

The u/m OR will parade at the Orderly Room on Monday 8 Jan 45 at 0900 hours:-

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4758432 Pte. Thrush N. - Sher. Frts.

21. POSTAL - AIR LETTER SERVICE TO COUNTRIES IN THE WESTERN HEMISPHERE.

GRO 1086/44 is republished for information.

1. The postage rate payable on Air Letters addressed to the UNITED STATES has been reduced to 3d.
2. GRO 654/44 will be amended as follows :-
Delete "UNITED STATES".

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22. CHURCH SERVICES - SUNDAY 7 JAN 45.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, Via Babuino.

Holy Communion:-	0730, 0830, 1115 hrs.
Morning Service:-	1030 hrs.
Evensong:-	1830 "

METHODIST CHURCH (Corner of Via Venti Settembre and Via Firenze)

Morning Service:-	1000 hrs.
Holy Communion:-	1045 hrs.
Evening Service:-	1830 hrs.

WESLEY HOUSE - Via Venti Settembre.
Wesley Fellowship at Wesley Chapel:- 1530 hrs.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF ST.PAUL(Corner of Via Nazionale & Via Napoli)

Sunday

Holy Communion:-	0800 hrs.
Morning Prayer & Sermon	1000 hrs.
Vesper Services:-	1900 hrs.

Daily (Except Mondays)

Holy Communion:-	0900 hrs.

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N O T I C E S

FOOTBALL.

The u/n team will represent HQ. Allied Commission against Tivoli on the Tivoli ground. Kick off at 1430 hrs Sunday 7 Jan 45. Transport to leave Hotel Genova at 1315 hrs.

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Pte. Grierson E. Pte. Burgess S. Gnr. Wiles G. L/Cpl. Orphan A. L/Cpl.Allen S.

Referee:- Sjt. Rhind J.
Linesman:- Pte. Quigley C.

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Sunday

Holy Communion:- . . 0800 hrs.
Morning Prayer & Sermon 1000 hrs.
Vesper Services:- . . 1900 hrs.

Daily (Except Mondays)
Holy Communion:- 0900 hrs.

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by
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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

No. 4/45.

In the Field. 5 Jan 45.

12. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 6 Jan 45 - Bdr Edwards W.

Reveille	.....	0630 hours.
Breakfast	.....	0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch	.....	1200 - 1330 "
Dinner	.....	1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out	.....	2330 "

13. CLOTHING ECONOMY

ACI 2109/42 is repeated for information and compliance:-

1. The measures ordered in ACI 375 of 1941 have not succeeded in eliminating waste of army clothing, which - with its consequent waste of shipping, manpower and money - is still a definite and serious hindrance to the nation's war effort.
2. Unit Commanders will take fresh steps to ensure that the above-quoted ACI is made fully operative.
3. Issues to soldiers in replacement of actual or alleged deficiencies in their kit, whether made free or chargeable against the soldier, will be carefully scrutinized to ensure that such issues are not used as a means of procuring army clothing for civilians. It will be made clear that this form of "Black Market" offence may involve both the soldier and the civilian concerned in severe penalties.

Voluntary purchases which would bring the soldier's clothing and necessaries in excess of the authorized scale, are forbidden.

14. DISCIPLINE

(a) Position of Soldiers under Sentence at the Conclusion of Hostilities
The attention of all ranks is drawn to the statement in the House of Commons regarding the above subject, which is posted as a Notice Board Information, and displayed on the notice boards at the Genova, Urbe and Vaccari Hotels.

(b) Clothing & Equipment
(i) During the kit inspection held on 4 Jan 45, it was noticed that clothing and equipment were, in several cases, in a dirty condition due to their having been left in kit bags for a considerable period. Such articles of kit which are not in constant use, should periodically be aired or laundered.
(ii) Several ORs were also found to be deficient of kit. There can be no excuse for this, as the QM Stores is open for replacements and exchanges of clothing and equipment each Wednesday from 0900 to 1500 hrs.
(iii) ORs are also reminded that boots which are left in a dirty condition soon deteriorate in quality and become unserviceable. Any OR having boots in need of repair will hand same in to the Cobler's Shop at once.

15. LAUNDRY - ORs

(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels
All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMIA)

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(a) Genova & Vaccari Hotels

All ORs billeted at the above hotels (except Land Forces Sub-Comm (MMIA) personnel) will collect their laundry after 1300 hrs Saturday, 6 Jan 45, from the laundry room, 1st floor (next to Room 24), Genova Hotel.

All dirty laundry will be handed in at the same place by 0830 hrs Monday, 8 Jan 45.

(b) Urbe Hotel

All ORs billeted at the above will hand in their laundry according to separate detail posted in this hotel.

16. LOCATIONS - QM STORES

It is pointed out for the information of all concerned that the QM Stores is now situated at 21 a & b Via Principe Amedeo - Telephone No. 471398.

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17. POSTAL

The following GROs, dated 29 Dec 44, are repeated for information:-

1092. Postal Communication with Liberated GREECE

1. The non-illustrated postcard service has been extended to include MACEDONIA and THRACE.

2. GRO 971/44 will be amended as follows:-

Para 1. Delete "MACEDONIA, THRACE and".

1093. Postal Communication with Liberated BELGIUM

1. Non-illustrated postcards, containing messages of a purely personal or family nature and business correspondence restricted to the ascertaining of facts and exchange of information, may be sent by personnel serving in this Command to civilian addresses in those parts of BELGIUM where the internal postal service has been re-opened.

2. The postage rate is 2d. per card.

3. The service is strictly limited to non-illustrated postcards. Letters are not admitted.

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H.Q. Allied Commission, C.M.F.

N O T I C E S

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

S/Sjt Packham P.F. has, under pressure of work, resigned from the ORs' Entertainments Committee.

The HQ Commandant and O.C. British Detachment desire to express their appreciation and thanks on behalf of all officers and men for all the efforts put forth by this NCO during the long period of time associated with the Entertainments Committee.

FOOTBALL

Result of yesterday's match:-

HQ AC (DERBY COUNTY)	.....	10 goals.
P.W.B. (ROTHERHAM)	.....	1 goal.

Goal Scorers:-

Gnr Wiles G.	7
Pte Burgess S.	2
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2. The postage rate is 2d. per card.
3. The service is strictly limited to non-illustrated postcards. Letters are not admitted.

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ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

S/Sjt Packham P.F. has, under pressure of work, resigned from the ORs' Entertainments Committee.

The HQ Commandant and O.C. British Detachment desire to express their appreciation and thanks on behalf of all officers and men for all the efforts put forth by this NCO during the long period of time associated with the Entertainments Committee.

FOOTBALL

Result of yesterday's match:-

HQ AC (DERBY COUNTY) ..... 10 goals.
P.W.B. (ROTHERHAM) ..... 1 goal.

Goal Scorers:-

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No. 345

In the Field. 4 Jan 45.

8. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Fri 5 Jan 45 - L/Cpl Allinson J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

9. COURT OF INQUIRY - LOSS OF MOTOR CYCLE

The u/m ORs will parade outside Room 14, Albergo Genova, at 0920 hrs on Friday, 5 Jan 45:-

S/10667481 L/Cpl Niel D.T.
T/10680011 Dvr Allen E.S.
7016900 Rfmn Robinson H.

The Provost Sjt will detail one Regt Policeman for duty as Court Orderly.

10. KIT INSPECTION

ORs not sleeping at the Genova or Vaccari Hotels are reminded that they will lay out their kit in their places of employment for inspection by 1000 hrs Friday, 5 Jan 45.

11. NAAFI & FREE ISSUES

Supplies will be available as follows:-

OFFICERS in Room 46, HQ Bldg, 1st floor, right wing.

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sat., Sun., and Mon., 6 - 8 Jan 45.

Before NAAFI purchases are made it is in the interests of all officers that a means of identity, as of this Headquarters, be shown.

ORs at 36 - 38 Principe Amedeo (Next to Vaccari Hotel).

1000 - 1230 hrs
1400 - 1700 " } Sun & Mon 7 & 8 Jan 45.

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FOOTBALL

There will be a football match between Allied Commission and Tivoli on the Tivoli Ground on Sunday, 7 Jan 45. Transport will be provided and it is hoped that as many as possible will support their team.

Will those interested give their names to the Ord Sjt before 1200 hrs Sat 6 Jan 45.

WHIST DRIVE

A WHIST DRIVE will be held in the ORs' Lounge, Albergo Genova, to-night at 2000 hrs.

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In the Field. 3 Jan 45.

5. ROUTINE

Duty NCO Thu 4 Jan 45 - Sjt Gaskin J.
Reveille ..... 0630 hours.
Breakfast ..... 0645 - 0745 hours.
Lunch ..... 1200 - 1330 "
Dinner ..... 1730 - 1900 "
Lights Out ..... 2330 "

Adjutant
Asst Adjt.
Asst Adjt.
Chief Clerk

6. KIT INSPECTION

Ref DRO No. 2 dated 2 Jan 45.

The following is repeated for the information and guidance of all concerned:-

"All ORs up to and including the rank of Cpl will, before leaving billets for duty, or before 0900 hrs Thursday 4 Jan 45, lay out all clothing and equipment in their possession.

Any OR possessing surplus kit will hand in same to the QM Stores before the day of the inspection.

It is stressed that all cupboards will be left unlocked and kit bags will be emptied.

It is emphasized that a uniformity of kit layout will be made in rooms with more than one occupant."

Any ORs not sleeping at the Genova or Vaccari Hotels will lay out their kit in their places of employment for inspection by 1000 hrs Friday, 5 Jan 45.

WOs, S/Sjts & Sjts

WOs, S/Sjts and Sjts will hand in to the QM Stores all surplus kit.

The RSM will obtain a signature from all members of the Sjts' Mess to the effect that the above order has been carried out.

For the information of all other ranks, a publication of the "scale of kit" is given as an appendix to this order.

7. DISCIPLINE

(a) Use of Doors

All ORs of the Genova Hotel are reminded that only the main door will be used for entry in and out for military and civilian personnel, with the exception of the butcher, who will continue to use the back entrance for unloading meat only.

The Provost Sjt will take necessary steps to arrange for the safeguarding of the key to the back entrance.

(b) All DRs will report to the QM Stores before 1600 hrs Thursday 4 Jan 45

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N O T I C E S

FOOTBALL

The u/m team will represent HQ ALLIED COMMISSION (DERBY COUNTY) against P.W.B. (ROTHERHAM) on the National Stadium (No. 1). Kick-off at 1430 hrs Thursday, 4 Jan 45. Transport to leave the Hotel Genova at 1400 hrs. Team to assemble in ORs' Lounge at 1345 hrs:-

Cpl Robinson E., Pte Attwood F., Fus Cooper J. (Capt), Pte Gibbs H., Rfmn Brice J., Fus Foy T.B., Pte Burgess S., L/Cpl Orphan L.J., Gnr Wiles G., Pte Grierson B., L/Cpl Allen S.

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Appendix "A" to DRO No. 6/45.

SCALE OF CLOTHING AND NECESSARIES, CMF.

A. Clothing.		Winter
Anklets, web	pr	1
Blouse, battledress		1
Boots, ankle c/w laces	prs	2
Caps, FS, or other authorised headgear		1
Greatcoat		1
Overalls		1
Trousers, battledress	pr	1
Shoes, canvas	pr	1
B. Necessaries		
Badge, cap		1
Braces	pr	1
Cap, comforter		1
Discs, identity, with cord	set	1
Drawers, cellular, short, or Drawers Woollen	prs	2
Dressing, field		1
Fork		1
Gloves, knitted	pr	1
Holdall		1
Housewife		1
Jersey, pullover		1
Knife, clasp		1
Knife, table		1
Laces, leather spare	pr	1
Shirts, angola, drab		2
Socks, worsted	prs	3
Spoon		1
Towels, hand		2
Vests, woollen		2
Lanyard		1

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In the Field. 2 Jan 45.

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2. KIT INSPECTION

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Therefore, in conformity with the above order, all CR up to and including the rank of Cpl will, before leaving billets for duty, or before 0900 hrs Thursday 4 Jan 45, lay out all clothing and equipment in their possession.

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3. LEAVE

The u/m have been granted 4 days' leave as per dates shown, and will report to the Ord Sjt forthwith:-

From reveille 9 Jan until 2359 hrs 12 Jan 45
Sjt Lighterness A.

From reveille 10 Jan until 2359 hrs 13 Jan 45
L/Cpl Johnson T.J.

From reveille 4 Jan until 2359 hrs 7 Jan 45
Fus Donaghy L.

4. SJTS' MESS MEETING

There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs

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There will be a Sjts' Mess General Meeting at 1930 hrs on Tuesday, 9 Jan 45, in the Restaurant, Albergo Urbe.

All members not on duty, including attached personnel, but less those attached for rations only and/or in transit, will attend.

Senior WOs or NCOs of departments will render a roll of any members on duty, to the Secretary of the Mess prior to the Meeting opening.

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NOTICES

DANCE

A dance for EM/ORs of this Headquarters will be held in the Vaccari Restaurant on WEDNESDAY, 3 JAN 45, at 1945 hrs.

SPOT PRIZES. REFRESHMENTS. ADMISSION EM/ORs 20 LIRE. LADIES FREE.

Tickets for EM/ORs may be obtained on production of AC Pass from the Brit Det Ord Sjt, Hotel Genova, up till 1800 hrs Wed, 3 Jan 45. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

ENTERTAINMENTS COMMITTEE

The Entertainments Committee will meet to-day, Tuesday, 2 Jan 45, at 1900 hrs in the Orderly Room, Albergo Genova.

CRIBBAGE DRIVE

A Cribbage Drive will be held in the ORs' Lounge, Albergo Genova, to-day, Tuesday, 2 Jan 45, at 2000 hrs.

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Those interested, including those still attending, are asked to write their names on the notice posted on notice board, Albergo Genova.

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