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COMMANDERS DIARY  
OF

...103 Field Battery Royal Australian Artillery.....  
(Unit or Formation)

Name of Commanding Officer..... Maj W J SLOCOMBE RAA

From...1 Aug 63..... to...31 Aug 63.....

Signature of OC unit or Senior staff officer

*[Handwritten Signature]*

BTY COMB 103 FD BTY RAA

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Commanding Officer

Month and Year.....

Place and Grid Reference	Day of month	Hour	Event or information	Annex letter and enclosure number
TERENDAK	1		Battery Routine Orders Part 1 No 231	H - 4
		1400	Group 6 Voice Procedure Tests	H - 6
TERENDAK	2-5		Stand Down	
TERENDAK	6		Air Photo Reading Course 6 - 9 Aug	
TAMPIN	7	1400	Cricket 45 Regt v 26 Regt 45 Regt defeated by one run	
TERENDAK	8		Battery Routine Orders Part 1 Nos 232-239	H - 2
		0800	The following courses for 45 Regt commenced	
			a. Detachment Comds	H - 7
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TERENDAK	9	0800	28 Bde Athletics - 103 Bty competed in both finals of the minor units Tug-of-War Results: <u>Heavyweight</u> : 28 OPF defeated 103 Bty <u>Lightweight</u> : 3 Coy RASC defeated 103 Bty	
TERENDAK	12		The following courses concluded: a. GP Course b. OP Course  Brig J D KING-MARTIN DSO, MC visited 45 Regt RA and saw various facets of Regt Training. He later lunched in the Officers Mess.	
TERENDAK	13		Regimental Signals Exercise  Group 6 Corps Tests held in 103 Bty RAA - Fire Discipline and Ballistics	H - 11
TERENDAK	15		Group 6 Corps Tests held - Computations and director	



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TERENDAK	15		Bty Routine Orders Part 1 Nos 239-250	H - 3
		1100	Commander 28 COMWEL Bde Gp Brig R B DAWSON DSO visited the Bty area	
KONKOI	19	0800	Bty departed for Ex "Big Bunion" at KONKOI	
TERENDAK	20		Regimental Signals Exercise	
TERENDAK	21		Bty Routine Orders Part 1 Nos 251-259	H - 4
TERENDAK	22	1100	Regimental CP Exercise run by IG Trg Team FARELF	
TERENDAK	23		Regimental CP Exercise continued	
TERENDAK	26-27	0815	Gnr RA Tests conducted by 103 Fd Bty RAA	H - 13
		0900	Det Comds Tests conducted by IG Trg Team FARELF	



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TERENDAK	26-27	0900	Subject 'C' for Bdr commenced	H - 15
TERENDAK	28	0815	Gnrs RA Laying Tests	H - 14
		1040	Visit to 103 Fd Bty by Mr HICKS, Civilian Head of Dept of Defence	
		1500	Hockey v 70 Bty RA won 5 - 1	
TERENDAK	29		Bty Routine Orders Part 1 Nos 260-267	H - 5
		1400	Marriage of Gnr GOODWIN and Miss DIANE BUZZA	
		1645	Afternoon tea at 28 Bde Officers Mess for all AUSTRALIAN Officers to meet the CGS AUST, Lt Gen J G N WILTON CB, CBE, DSO	
TERENDAK	30	0830	The CGS AUST visited 103 Fd Bty RAA	







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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1

by

Maj W J SLOCOMBE RAA

Officer Commanding 103 Fd Bty RAA

Camp TERENCE

1 Aug 63

Numbers : 231 .

231. DUTIES

1. Battery Orderly Officer

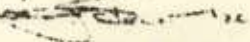
Thu 1 Aug 63	Capt CRAWFORD	Sat 17 Aug 63	Lt WALKER
Fri 2 Aug 63	Lt CAMPTON	Sun 18 Aug 63	Sgt WILTSHIRE
Sat 3 Aug 63	Sgt TILBROOK	Mon 19 Aug 63	Lt BERTRAM
Sun 4 Aug 63	Sgt GALLAGHER	Tue 20 Aug 63	WO2 DEWHURST
Mon 5 Aug 63	Lt BERTRAM	Wed 21 Aug 63	Lt TOWNLEY
Tue 6 Aug 63	Lt CAMPTON	Thu 22 Aug 63	Capt MARSHALL
Wed 7 Aug 63	Lt WALKER	Fri 23 Aug 63	Lt WALKER
Thu 8 Aug 63	Lt TOWNLEY	Sat 24 Aug 63	Sgt CAMPBELL
Fri 9 Aug 63	Capt MARSHALL	Sun 25 Aug 63	Lt TOWNLEY
Sat 10 Aug 63	Lt BERTRAM	Mon 26 Aug 63	Lt CAMPTON
Sun 11 Aug 63	Sgt STEELE	Tue 27 Aug 63	Lt BERTRAM
Mon 12 Aug 63	Lt TOWNLEY	Wed 28 Aug 63	WO2 RICKERBY
Tue 13 Aug 63	Sgt	Thu 29 Aug 63	Lt WALKER
Wed 14 Aug 63	Capt CRAWFORD	Sat 30 Aug 63	WO2 O'BRIEN
Thu 15 Aug 63	Lt CAMPTON	Sun 31 Aug 63	Sgt SHIELDS
Fri 16 Aug 63	WO2 YENCH	Mon 1 Sep 63	Sgt WILLS

2. Battery Duty NCO

Thu 1 Aug 63	Bdr JONES	Sat 17 Aug 63	Bdr STEEL
Fri 2 Aug 63	Bdr MATHESON	Sun 18 Aug 63	Lbdr STARKIE
Sat 3 Aug 63	Bdr PEARSON	Mon 19 Aug 63	Bdr MATHESON
Sun 4 Aug 63	Bdr VANDYKE	Tue 20 Aug 63	Bdr PEARSON
Mon 5 Aug 63	Lbdr ROBINSON M	Wed 21 Aug 63	Bdr RUSSELL
Tue 6 Aug 63	Bdr SPARK	Thu 22 Aug 63	Lbdr ROBINSON M
Wed 7 Aug 63	Bdr RUSSELL	Fri 23 Aug 63	Lbdr LAWSON
Thu 8 Aug 63	Bdr DUNN	Sat 24 Aug 63	Lbdr ROTHERO
Fri 9 Aug 63	Bdr CLENDINEN	Sun 25 Aug 63	Bdr DUNN
Sat 10 Aug 63	Lbdr LAWSON	Mon 26 Aug 63	Bdr CLENDINEN
Sun 11 Aug 63	Bdr STOCKWELL	Tue 27 Aug 63	Bdr HALL
Mon 12 Aug 63	Bdr HALL	Wed 28 Aug 63	Bdr STOCKWELL
Tue 13 Aug 63	Bdr PARKER	Thu 29 Aug 63	Bdr PARKER
Wed 14 Aug 63	Lbdr ROTHERO	Fri 30 Aug 63	Lbdr COLE
Thu 15 Aug 63	Lbdr ROBERTSON	Sat 31 Aug 63	Bdr WHALLEY
Fri 16 Aug 63	Lbdr COLE		

3. NCO i/c Matching Relief

Fri 9 Aug 63	Bdr DRUMMOND	Wed 21 Aug 63	Bdr VANDYKE
Mon 12 Aug 63	Lbdr DIBLEY	Sat 24 Aug 63	Lbdr MCCARTHY
Thu 15 Aug 63	Lbdr MUSGROVE	Tue 27 Aug 63	Bdr SPARK
Sun 18 Aug 63	Lbdr GLOVER	Fri 30 Aug 63	Bdr PTOLOMEY

  
Maj  
BC 103 Fd Bty RAA



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ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1

by

MAJ W J SLOCOMBE RAA

Officer Commanding 103 Fd Bty RAA

Camp TERENDAK

8 Aug 63

Numbers 232-236

232. DUTIES

1. NCO I/C Mess Duties

9 Aug 63	Lbdr	ROBERTSON P K
12 Aug 63	Lbdr	GLOVER
15 Aug 63	Lbdr	LAWSON
18 Aug 63	Lbdr	McCARTHY
21 Aug 63	Bdr	SIMMONS K
24 Aug 63	Bdr	PTOLOMEY
27 Aug 63	Lbdr	DIBLEY
30 Aug 63	Bdr	DRUMMOND I E

233. CARRYING OF INTERNATIONAL HEALTH CERTIFICATES

1. With effect from date of this order International Health Certificates do NOT have to be carried by the soldier at all times.

234. MEAL TIMINGS

1. The practice of queueing for meals before times stated on Regimental Orders will cease forthwith. Early meals will be served only to those in possession of chits supplied by Troop Commanders.

235. RATIONS

All personnel of 103 Fd Bty RAA are warned in for rations on Thu 15 Aug 63.



336 DISCIPLINE - BOUNDS

1. There is too much movement of personnel in and around the Battery Orderly Room *during working hours*
2. *With immediate effect* ~~Wef the date of this Order~~ the Orderly Room will be OUT OF BOUNDS to all ranks ~~who are~~ not on duty in there and those who are required to call there on duty *during working hours*

237 POSTAL INFORMATION

1. For the convenience of all personnel in Terendak Camp the following arrangements have been made with the General Post Office Malacca.

a. A Mobile Post Office van will be opened for business in the Community Centre adjacent to the Loewen Cinema each day Monday to Saturday between the hours of 1215 and 1245.

b. Services are as listed hereunder:-

Sale of:-Postage Stamps  
 Postal Orders - Malayan  
 Postal Orders - British  
 Money Orders  
 Registered Envelopes  
 Radio Licences.

c. Additional Postal Information can be obtained from the Garrison Post Office Terendak Camp.

Telephone No (Within camp) Ext 339  
 (Outside Camp) Malacca 3131 Ext 339.

238 DISCIPLINE - DRESS

1. Plain Clothes Within Terendak Camp and Malacca Town

The following orders include attendance at the AKC 'loewen' Cinema or anywhere outside unit lines.

a. During daylight hours

Shirt  
 Shorts with stockings or long trousers with socks  
 Shoes or leather sandals

b. During the hours of darkness

Jacket (optional)  
 Shirt - tucked in all round - sleeves may be worn rolled up or down, if they are down they will be fastened at the wrist. This option applies in the above area only.  
 Ties optional in the above area  
 Long trousers with socks  
 Shoes

c. The following will not be worn with plain clothes

Socks with shorts  
 Articles of uniform  
 "T" Shirts  
 Dress for sports is at the discretion of Commanding Officers

d. All ranks using the Beach Club will comply with orders for that establishment.



239. TPT DETAILS - MARRIED PERS FROM QTRS

ROUTE 1 - Pick up at 0710 hrs junc of CORNWALL Rd/TEMPLAR Ave - OR's Beach Club - Solma-Ri Lines. 1 x 3 ton from 70 Bty daily.

ROUTE 2 - Pick up at 0715 hrs Phone Box PERTH Ave - BOYD Ave - GARRETT Ave - Soma-Ri Lines. 1 x 3 ton from 176 Bty daily.

Both vehs will depart at 1610 hrs from Gd Room for return journey.

For pers living in the Hirings tpt timings will be as follows:-

Depart	- BUKIT BAHRU	0645 hrs
	MALACCA BUS STATION	0650 hrs
	HAPPY LAND HOTEL	0700 hrs
	EDEN PARK	0705 hrs
	SUFFOLK GARDENS	0708 hrs
	GAFFER AVE	0710 hrs
	OXFORD LANE	0712 hrs
	SOMERSET GREEN	0715 hrs
	BUKIT RAMBAI	0716 hrs
	PALM BEACH	0718 hrs
	Arr Gd Room	0735 hrs

Return journey from the Gd Room at 1610 hrs - 1230 hrs Weds and Sats.

*W. K. S. Maj*  
EC 103 Fd Bty RAA



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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

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Officer Commanding 103 Fd Bty RAA

Camp TERENDAK

16 Aug 63

Numbers :239 - 250

239. SEA BATHING

Subject to normal Standing Orders regarding the dangers of sea bathing due to Jelly Fish, all restrictions imposed owing to CHOLERA are now lifted.

240. DRIVERS

All drivers are warned that they are forbidden to smoke whilst driving WD vehs and that a serious view will be taken of men contravening this order.

241. REGIMENTAL IMPROVEMENTS

Any Junior Rank having a sensible suggestion as to how to improve the outside of the NAAFI, should submit his ideas in writing to the RSM as soon as possible.

242. TPT TO CHURCH

Wef Sun 11 Aug 63, 1 x 3 ton veh will be detailed to conveyers to church. This veh will stand outside 176 Bty Office from 0940 - 0950 hrs each Sunday. The Regt Ord Sgt will be in attendance and if no one is desirous of using the tpt by 1000 hrs - he will instruct the driver to stand down.

243. DUTY DRIVER - MEDICAL CENTRE

The Duty Driver (Medical Centre) will report to the MI Room NO later than 0730 hrs daily. Any personnel who have to report to BMH KINRARA will be at the MI Room ready to leave at 0730 hrs daily. The Duty Medical Driver will NOT leave the MI Room without authorisation from the staff during working hours.

244. DRESS - OR BEACH CLUB

All ranks using the Beach Club after 1900 hrs daily will wear ties, sleeves rolled down and closed shoes (i.e. no sandals). Failure to comply with this dress will result in the entrance to the club being denied and the offender having to leave.

245. TRANSPORT - WORKTICKETS

On a check of vehs driving in the camp area on the 9 Aug a total of 17 drivers were driving vehs without a correctly completed work ticket. This practice will cease forthwith. NO WD veh will be moved without a correctly completed work ticket.

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246. TRAFFIC DISCIPLINE - SPEED LIMITS

The following speed limits are repeated for the attention of all concerned:-

- a. Maximum speed for Landrovers without trailer is 40 MPH.
- b. Maximum speed for all veh on the Terendak - Malacca and Terendak - Tampin roads is 30 MPH, unless the authorised speed for the veh is less than 30 MPH in which case the lower speed limit will be adhered to.
- c. All speed limit signs both within and outside Terendak Camp will be observed by all drivers.

247. GROUPING

/. The following personnel have qualified in the following subjects for Group 6 Military Skill.

- a. qualified Air Photo/Map reading 9 Aug 63.

Sgt BEGG D R E  
Bdr PARKER B A  
Gnr GAFFNEY L  
" RANSON B  
" DICKSON D W  
" MEAD F O

- b. Qualified Corps Tests 15 Aug 63.

Sgt BEGG D R E  
Bdr PARKER BA  
Bdr STEPHENS J K  
Gnr GAFFNEY L  
" RANSON B  
" MEAD F O

- c. Qualified Voice Procedure 3 Aug 63.

Sgt BEGG D R E  
Bdr PARKER B A  
Bdr STEPHENS J K  
Gnr GAFFNEY L  
" RANSON B  
" MEAD F O  
" DICKSON D W

248. OFFENSIVE WEAPONS

The carrying of Offensive Weapons such as knives, bicycle chains, knuckle dusters etc, is strictly forbidden. This regulation should now read to include Kukris. Any rank who purchases souvenir kukris or the like, and who does not intend to post the home immediately should hand them into the BC for safe custody or run the risk of confiscation.

249. DISCIPLINE - BOUNDS

1. MALACCA. All troops will be clear of Malacca Town by 0100 hrs, (Malacca Town limits in so far as curfew restrictions are concerned, extends along the main rd Malacca - Terendak and all dwelling places hostels or hotels between the road and the sea shore and one mile North of the road). The only exception being Saturdays to enable r - pers to see the midnight cinema show, when troops will be clear of Malacca Town by 0200 hrs.



2. Curfew also applies to Masjid Tanah and Alor Gajah in that troops will be clear of these two towns by 0100 hrs including Saturday.

3. All unlit streets and areas are OUT OF BOUNDS after dark.

4. The EASTERN Hotel, Wolverstan Rd Malacca is OUT OF BOUNDS.

5. The SANG SANG Hotel, Lorong Bukit China is OUT OF BOUNDS.

6. The LONG BEACH Hotel, off the 9½ milestone on the Terendak - Malacca Rd is OUT OF BOUNDS.

7. ORs BEACH CLUB

a. The last drink will be sold at 2230 hrs.

b. All pers will be clear of the Beach Club by 2300 hrs.

c. All pers found in the vicinity of the Club area after 2300 hrs will have any liquor confiscated.

d. The beach outside the Beach Club is OUT OF BOUNDS to everyone between 2300 hrs and 0630 hrs.

e. The practice of organising private parties on the beach supplied from the club will cease, and it will be an offence to secrete drinks on the beach for consumption after hours. The beach in this respect means the beach for its entire length along the boundary of Terendak Camp.

250. COMMAND

Major W J SLOCOMBE RAA assumes command of 45 Regt RA for the period Mon 19 Aug to Fri 23 Aug 63 incl, during the absence of Lt. Col RNW LYDEKKER RA on duty.

Maj  
BC 103 Fd Bty RAA

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1

by

Maj W J SLOCOMBE RAA

Officer Commanding 103 Fd Bty RAA

Camp TERENDAK

21 Aug 63

Numbers: 251 - 259

251. DISCIPLINE - WO's/SGTS AND JUNIOR RANKS BEACH CLUBS

1. Entry and exit to the WO's Sgts and Junior Ranks Clubs may only be made by the roads BOYD Ave and BEACH Ave.
2. No drink will be hidden on any part of the beach along the boundary of TERENDAK Camp for consumption after hours.

252. TRAFFIC DISCIPLINE WITHIN TERENDAK CAMP

1. Traffic Signs and Notices. All such signs will be observed by all drivers and cyclists.
2. Double White Lines.
  - a. No vehicle will park or stop within the area of roadway on which a double white line has been painted in the centre.
  - b. No driver will allow his vehicle in whole or part to cross a double white line.
  - c. No vehicle will overtake another vehicle where a double white line has been painted in the centre of the road.
3. Pedestrian Crossings. All vehicles (including bicycles) will give way to pedestrians either crossing or indicating that they are about to cross on the pedestrian crossing itself.

253. BOUNDS - REFUSE TIP

1. The Brigade Refuse Tip situated below the 600 yd Rifle Range is OUT OF BOUNDS to all units. Units will not use the area for driving training or individual training.
2. Units delivering refuse for disposal will use the IN and OUT entrances/exits to the tip face.

254. BOUNDS - TERENDAK CAMP

1. The following out of bounds restrictions apply within TERENDAK Camp at the times shown:-
  - a. Brigade Headquarters. To all ranks without authority at all times.
  - b. Civilian Staff Canteens. To all soldiers at all times. Except MORs who may use the canteen near the CRE.



- c. Asian Community Centre - Festing Rd. To all ranks at all times.
- d. Beach. The beach outside the WO's and Sgts and Junior Ranks clubs is out of bounds to everyone from 2300 hrs to 0600 hrs daily.
- e. Married Quarters. To all single and married unaccompanied soldiers at all times, with the following exceptions:-
  - (1) When on authorised duty.
  - (2) When having been invited by a resident, he has in his possession an authority signed by his Unit Adjt.

All visitors within the married quarters area, will keep to the roadways during the hours of darkness,
- f. Sisters Quarters and Mess - BMH TERENDAK. To all ranks at all times unless on authorised duty or by invitation.
- g. Civilian Staff Quarters - BMH TERENDAK. To all ranks at all times unless on duty.
- h. Organised Marches. Will not be routed through qtrs, grounds or any roads other than the recognised main rds. i.e. MALL BOYD Ave, BEACH Ave and GARRATT Ave.

255. DISCIPLINE - TIMINGS

1. The following timings will be brought into immediate effect:-

	<u>Weekdays</u>	<u>Sat</u>	<u>Sun</u>
Reveille	0615	0615	0700
Breakfast	0645 - 0715	0645 - 0715	0715 - 0745
Regt Sick Parade	0730	0730	-
First Parade	0745	0745	-
Lunch	1230 - 1300	1230 - 1300	1230 - 1300
Second Parade	1355	1355	-
Early Meals (Gds)	1630	1630	1630
Regt Gd Mounting	1730	1730	1730
Fire Picquet Mts	1830	1830	1830
Dinner	1800 - 1845	1800 - 1845	1800 - 1845
Lights Out	2330	2330	2330

256. PRIVATE LEAVE ARRANGEMENTS OVERSEAS MEDICAL COVER

1. Cases occur from time to time where individuals who have made leave arrangements to travel abroad at private expense outside local leave travel limits have through sickness or injury incurred heavy medical expenses.
2. Personnel travelling abroad at private expense and personnel on leave abroad outside the local leave travel limits are expected to arrange insurance cover to meet their out of pocket expenses for sickness or injury.
3. This insurance should not only include cover for medical expenses but also the cost of evacuation or onward travel.



3. It is not generally realised that in many countries in SOUTH EAST ASIA, medical evacuation to a place of treatment can be extremely expensive. The normal insurance policy does not usually cover medical evacuation although this cover can be obtained from most firms in addition to premium.

4. The care, provision of medical attention, and onward move of those who are disembarked at foreign ports whilst moving by sea is the responsibility of the shipping agents and Her Britannic Majesty's Representative. Those costs are recoverable as follows:-

- a. Those on WD sponsored passages-from the WD.
- b. Those travelling at private expense - from the individual.

257. DRESS - DRIVERS

1. All drivers of WD Transport will be properly dressed as ordered in Unit Standing Orders and will not wear PT shorts.

258. OWNERS OF CIVILIAN VEHICLES

1. A driver of a civilian vehicle who is found guilty of a traffic offence in a civilian court will in future be forbidden to keep or drive a vehicle in TERENDAK Camp.

259. MT REQUISITION

1. All bids for vehicles to take pers to quarters outside duty hours will be made to the MTO 24 hrs before required. Vehicles may NOT be detailed by Btys to convey men to quarters after late/early duty without the auth of the MTO.

*[Handwritten Signature]* Maj  
BC 103 Fd Bty RAA



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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES

ROUTINE ORDERS PART 1

by

Maj W J SLOCOMBE RAA

Officer Commanding 103 Fd Bty RAA

Camp TERENDAK

29. Aug 63

Numbers 260 - 267

260. DUTIES

Canteen NCO

26 Aug - 1 Sep 63      Bdr STEEL

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261. SPECIAL SICK - TREATMENT

1. The attention of all concerned is directed to Regt Standing Orders No 15 para 6.
2. In future when a man requires medical treatment other than emergency first aid, he will report direct to the Guard Room where he will be conveyed to the MRS by the Duty Vehicle.

262. VISITS TO MARRIED QUARTERS BY LIVING IN PERS

1. Pers living in bks are only allowed in the married quarters area on invitation and provided they are in possession of a written auth signed by the Adjt. Copies of the necessary certificate which are held in the Bty Office will be completed as appropriate, prior to being submitted to the Adjt for signature.

263. DISCIPLINE - DRESS

1. Regt Standing Orders for dress are still NOT being complied with. All pers will take immediate action to ensure that these orders are strictly observed. When OG Shirts are being worn with fatigue dress for meals and NAAFI break, the shirts will be tucked INSIDE the shorts PT.

264. DISCIPLINE - DISMISSAL PARADE

1. All drivers will attend the 1600 hrs Dismissal Parade in front of the Tpt Office.

265. DISCIPLINE

1. Capt P J BADCOE is appointed OC Rear Details for the period 1 - 8 Sep 63 and is granted the powers of Detachment Commander for this period.

266. DISCIPLINE - NAAFI CLOSING TIMES

1. The following are the closing times for the NAAFI in SOLMA-RI Lines:-

a. Mens Tavern & Dry Goods	Close 2200 hrs Cleared by 2230 hrs
b. JNCO's Club	Close 2230 hrs Cleared by 2300 hrs

267. DUTIES

Battery Orderly Officer

Mon	1	Sep	63	Capt	DARLINGTON	} BRINCHANG	Sgt	WILTSHIRE	} Camp
Mon	2	Sep	63	WO2	RICKERBY		Lt	CAMPTON	
Tue	3	Sep	63	WO2	YENCH		Lt	TOWNLEY	
Wed	4	Sep	63	Sgt	ARNOLD		WO2	O'BRIEN	
Thu	5	Sep	63	Lt	BERTRAM		Bdr	HALL	
Fri	6	Sep	63	Sgt	SHIELDS		Bdr	VANDYKE	
Sat	7	Sep	63	Sgt	JAMES		Sgt	ANNETTE	
Sun	8	Sep	63	Lt	WALKER		Sgt	JOHNSON	
Mon	9	Sep	63	Lt	TOWNLEY				
Tue	10	Sep	63	Lt	WALKER				
Wed	11	Sep	63	Lt	CAMPTON				
Thu	12	Sep	63	Lt	BERTRAM				
Fri	13	Sep	63	Capt	MARSHALL				
Sat	14	Sep	63	Sgt	WILLS				
Sun	15	Sep	63	)					
Mon	16	Sep	63	)					
Tue	17	Sep	63	)					
Wed	18	Sep	63	)	To be detailed by				
Thu	19	Sep	63	)	OC Rear Detail				
Fri	20	Sep	63	)					
Sat	21	Sep	63	Sgt	BEGG				
Sun	22	Sep	63	Sgt	CAMPBELL				
Mon	23	Sep	63	Lt	WALKER				
Tue	24	Sep	63	WO2	O'BRIEN				
Wed	25	Sep	63	Lt	CAMPTON				
Thu	26	Sep	63	Lt	BERTRAM				
Fri	27	Sep	63	Capt	CRAWFORD				
Sat	28	Sep	63	Lt	TOWNLEY				
Sun	29	Sep	63	Sgt	TILBROOK				
Mon	30	Sep	63	Lt	WALKER				

BC 103 Fd Bty RAA Maj



GROUP 6 VOICE PROCEDURE

Number ..... Rank..... Name

1. Fill in opposite the arms mentioned below, their arm indicator

- a. RAAC
- b. RA
- c. RAMO
- d. PAASC
- e. RAA Pro
- f. R Aust Sigs
- g. R Aust Inf

2. Give wireless appointment titles for the following officers:-

- a. BC
- b. BK
- c. Adjt
- d. 2IC
- e. Sig Offr
- f. RAAOC Rep
- g. RMO

3. Explain the difference between a code-word and a nick-name?

4. Produce a diagram of a Fd Regt Net, complete with call signs. Stations on the net are the following.

- a. CO
- b. Sig Offr
- c. Sig Offr
- d. Svy Offr
- e. QM
- f. Both CPs of P & R Bty
- g. Rks of P & Q Bty
- h. BC of H Bty
- i. Ser OP of P & Q Bty
- k. Ser OP of R Bty
- l. Control

You have been provide with Slidex Card 4 plus cursors.  
The following is the setting to be used:-

53421 HORIZONTAL W L O P A K U T E J C S W L O P  
V R D G B H M L I Q N P V R D G

32415 VERTICAL W X D G C V B Y K O H E T S M P W X D G  
R L I A U Z J F C E

- a. Encode the following message, and write it down as you would send it.

Three howitzer batteries now in action. Arcs of  
fire 6400 miles.  
Comd posts and FOO parties are deployed.

6. Name (4) devices of Security?

7. Explain briefly LONG TERM & SHORT TERM

a. Security

b. Indirect and direct Security is valuable to the enemy  
give the reason "Why"

8. What type of radio sets would be found in 103 Fd Bty.



Aug 63

45 REGT RA DET COMDS COURSE TESTS

General

1. The tests for this course will be held on Mon 26 Aug and Tue 27 Aug commencing each day at 0900 hrs.
2. The tests will be conducted by the IG Trg Team, FARELF.
3. The tests will be carried out at three (3) stands.
4. The ni laying tests will be conducted from 1900 hrs 26 Aug at STAND 1.

Tests

5. Tests will be done as follows:-
  - a. Stand 1
    - (1) Gun Drill.
    - (2) Laying.
    - (3) Sec Comds Duties.
  - b. Stand 2
    - (1) Anti-Tank gun drill.
    - (2) Sight Testing.
  - c. Stand 3
    - (1) Fire Discipline.
    - (2) Miscellaneous Subjects.

Locations

6. The following are the stand locs:-
  - a. Stand 1. Regimental Square
  - b. Stand 2. Basketball Court Area.
  - c. Stand 3. Basketball Court Area.

Provision of Guns

7. Btys are requested to provide as follows:-
  - a. Stand 1.
    - 6 x 105 mm - 103 Fd Bty RAA.
  - b. Stand 2.
    - 3 x 105 mm - 176 Bty RA.

8. Would btys concerned ensure that guns and stores are in position at their respective stands by 0830 hrs on each morning.

Dress

9. As for the course.

Maj  
BC 103 Fd Bty RAA

Distr

45. Regt RA	(2)
70 Bty RA	(6)
76 Bty RA	(6)
103 Fd Bty RAA	(12)
Spare	(3)



103 Fd Bty RAA  
5 Regt RA  
Camp TERENDAK  
MALACCA

6 Aug 63

45 Regt RA  
Gunners RA Course  
8 - 27 Aug 1963

1. This course will be conducted by 103 Fd Bty RAA between 8 and 27 Aug 63.
2. Examinations Examinations will be held on 26 to 29 Aug 63, by 103 Fd Bty RAA. The standard will be that of Gnr RA Grade III shown in Appx VI page 115 of the Provisional Gun Drill.

3. Instructors

Chief Instr Capt M C CRAWFORD RAA

Asst Instr Lt J F BERTRAM RAA

Group A Sgt R M STEELE (IC)

Sgt R J JOHNSON

Sgt K R TILBROOK

Bdr R MATHESON

Bdr F N DUNN

Group B Sgt C J CAMPBELL (IC)

Sgt N E WILTSHIRE

Sgt N E WILLS

Bdr M VANDYKE

Bdr D E SPARK

Storeman Bdr A W CLENDINEN

Demo Squad Gnr SMAILES

" GODFREY

" HAACK

" RANSON

" ROTHERO

4. Timings

Period 1 0815 - 0855 hrs

Period 2 0900 - 0940 hrs

Period 3 0945 - 1025 hrs

Morning Tea 1025 - 1055 hrs

Period 4 1055 - 1140 hrs

Period 5 1145 - 1230 hrs

5. Provision of Guns

For the entire period of the course the fol guns will be required:-

176 Bty 6 Guns (4 to Group A 2 to Group B)

70 Bty 4 Guns (2 to Group B)

6. Locations

- a. Gun Park 176 Bty Gun Park
- b. Oval
- c. Regt Area.

7. Dress

- a. Trousers OG
- b. Shirts OG
- c. Boots AB
- d. Tuttees
- e. Hats jungle
- f. Belts 44 patt

8. TARA Stores

To be provided by CP 103 Fd Bty when required.

9. Syllabi

- a. Annex 'A' Block Syllabus
- b. Annex 'B' Detailed Syllabus

10. Lesson Plans

These will be handed to Capt CRAWFORD 24 hrs in advance.

*[Signature]*  
 Capt RAA  
 Gun Tp Comd

Distr

- RHQ (2)
- 176 Bty (3)
- 70 Bty (3)
- 103 Bty (22)
- Students (48)
- Spare (5)

Period	Time
Period 1	0815 - 0855 hrs
Period 2	0900 - 0940 hrs
Period 3	0945 - 1025 hrs
Period 4	1030 - 1110 hrs
Period 5	1115 - 1200 hrs

For the entire period of the course the following will be required:-

176 Bty  
 70 Bty



BLOCK SYLLABUS

Gun Drill and duties in action	-	39	Periods
Servicing	-	4	"
Misfires	-	2	"
Ammunition	-	5	"
Apparatus load speaking	-	1	"
Spare incl tests and quizzes	-	19	"
		<hr/>	
Total		70 periods	

Period	Description	Reference	Instructor	Location	Remarks
1-4	Gun Drill	Sec 1-4	1. Sgt AVARDRE 2. Sgt CARPHELL 3. Sgt DUNN 4. Sgt JOHNSON	Gun Park	
5-10	Gun Drill	Sec 1-10	1. Sgt AVARDRE 2. Sgt CARPHELL 3. Sgt DUNN 4. Sgt JOHNSON	Gun Park	
11-12	Gun Drill	Sec 11-12	1. Sgt AVARDRE 2. Sgt CARPHELL 3. Sgt DUNN 4. Sgt JOHNSON	Gun Park	
13-15	Gun Drill	Sec 13-15	1. Sgt AVARDRE 2. Sgt CARPHELL 3. Sgt DUNN 4. Sgt JOHNSON	Gun Park	
16-18	Gun Drill	Sec 16-18	1. Sgt AVARDRE 2. Sgt CARPHELL 3. Sgt DUNN 4. Sgt JOHNSON	Gun Park	
19-21	Gun Drill	Sec 19-21	1. Sgt AVARDRE 2. Sgt CARPHELL 3. Sgt DUNN 4. Sgt JOHNSON	Gun Park	

42 Ghrs RA - Ghrs RA Course  
2 - 51 Nov 63

42 Ghrs RA Course  
Index 'B'

## 45 Regt RA - Gnr RA Course

8 - 27 Aug 63

Annex 'B'  
to Gnr RA Course

Date	Period	Subject	Reference	Instructor	Location	Remarks
Thurs 8 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> Introduction, to form detachment rear(or front), to tell off, to change round, to mount and dismount, to move the gun.	Provisional Gun Drill Sec 1-6	A Sgt JOHNSON Bdr DUNN B Sgt CAMPBELL Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
	2	<u>Gun Drill</u> To remove the towing attachment and towing eye, to fit or remove the intermediate trail section, to adjust the wheel track, to adjust the wheel height.	Sec 7-10	A Sgt JOHNSON Bdr DUNN B Sgt CAMPBELL Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
	3	<u>Gun Drill</u> To adjust spades and boxes, to crank and straighten the trail legs, to clamp and unclamp the gun, to open and close the breach.	Sec 11-15	A Bdr MATHESON Gnr SMAILES B Bdr SPARK Gnr RANSON	Gun Park	
	4	<u>Gun Drill</u> Revision	Sec 1-15	Instructors for periods 1 - 3 less Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
	5	<u>Servicing</u> To examine equipment, to test the quantity of liquid in the recoil system.	Sec 87-88	A Sgt STEELE Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILLS Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
Fri 9 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> Revision of work to date		A Bdr MATHESON Sgt TILBROOK B Bdr SPARK Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
	2-4	<u>Gun Drill</u> To prepare for action, to come into action in the high position to prepare to advance(or withdraw) to empty guns, to cease firing and hook in	Sec 16, 17 45 to 47	A Sgt JOHNSON Bdr DUNN B Sgt CAMPBELL Bdr SPARK	Gun Park	



Date	Period	Subject	Reference	Instructor	Location	Remarks
Fri 9 Aug	5	<u>Servicing</u> - servicing of the recoil system, to test the protrusion of the striker	Sec 89,90	A Sgt STEELE Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILLS Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
Mon 12 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 16,17, 45,47	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt STEELE B Sgt CAMPBELL Sgt WILLS	Gun Park	
	2	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Positions in action, to move the trails, to stand easy, to take post	Sec 18,19 42, 43	A Bdr MATHESON Bdr DUNN B Bdr SPARK Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
	3	<u>Gun Drill</u> - The dial sight, sight testing choice of GAP, point of aim.	Sec 51,54	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt CAMPBELL Sgt WILLS	Gun Park	
	4-5	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Sequence of laying	Sec 55	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt STEELE B Sgt CAMPBELL Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
Tue 13 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 55	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt STEELE B Sgt CAMPBELL Bdr VANDYKE	Oval	
	2-3	<u>Gun Drill</u> - To lay the gun in centre of arc, to record centre of arc.	Sec 20,21	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt STEELE B Sgt CAMPBELL Bdr VANDYKE	Oval	
	4-5	<u>Gun Drill</u> - To plant aiming posts, to set up the paralleloscope.	Sec 25,26	A Bdr MATHESON Bdr DUNN B Bdr SPARK Sgt WILLS		



Date	Period	Subject	Reference	Instructor	Location	Remarks
Wed 14 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 20,21	A Bdr MATHESON Bdr DUNN B Sgt WILLS Bdr SPARK	Oval	
	2-3	<u>Gun Drill</u> - To lay using aiming posts and paralleloscopes	Sec 57	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt STEELE B Sgt CAMPBELL Sgt WILTSHIRE	Oval	
	4	<u>Gun Drill</u> - To change from one GAP to another,	Sec 56	A Sgt STEELE Sgt JOHNSON B Sgt WILTSHIRE Sgt CAMPBELL	Oval	
	5	SPARE				
Thu 15 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 56,57	A Bdr MATHESON Bdr DUNN B Bdr SPARK Bdr VANDYKE	Oval	
	2-3	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Clinometer laying	Sec 31	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt STEELE B Sgt WILTSHIRE Sgt CAMPBELL	Oval	
	4-5	<u>Ammunition</u> - care of ammunition, recognition and sorting of ammunition	Sec 68,69	A Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILLS	Gun Park	
Fri 16 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> Revision	Sec 31	A Sgt JOHNSON Sgt STEELE B Sgt CAMPBELL Sgt WILTSHIRE	Gun Park	



Date	Period	Subject	Reference	Instructor	Location	Remarks
Fri 16 Aug	2-3	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Passage of orders to fire, to stop firing, to stand fast, to stop loading, to make safe, to rest, to stand easy, to take post, to record a target,	Sec 32,33 37,44	A Bdr MATHESON Bdr DUNN B Bdr VANDYKE Bdr SPARK	Gun Park	
	4-5	Quiz or work to date	Sec covered to date	Sgt TILBROOK Sgt WILLS	Gun Park set up as Lecture Room	Written quiz. Soldiers to mark each others papers. Marks to be checked and recorded
Mon 19 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 32,33 37-44	A Sgt STEELE Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILTSHIRE Sgt WILLS	Gun Park	
	2	<u>Gun Drill</u> - To load and unload	Sec 29,30	A Sgt STEELE Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILTSHIRE Sgt WILLS	Gun Park	
	3-4	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Misfires	Sec 34	A Bdr MATHESON Bdr DUNN B Bdr SPARK Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
	5	SPARE				
Tue 20 Aug	1	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 29,30 34	A Sgt STEELE Bdr MATHESON B Bdr SPARK Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
	2	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Demo stripping and assembling.	Sec 98,99	Sgt WILTSHIRE Demo Squad	Gun Park	



Date	Period	Subject	Reference	Instructor	Location	Remarks
Tue 20 Aug	3-4	<u>Ammunition</u> - To prepare:- a. Fuzes for firing o. Cartridges for firing c. Ammunition in advance	Sec 70,71 72	A Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILLS	Gun Park	
	5	Apparatus load speaking		A Sgt STEELE B Bdr VANDYKE		
Wed 21 Aug	1	<u>Ammunition</u> - Revision	Chap 4	A Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILLS	Gun Park	
	2-3	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 31	A Bdr MATHESON Bdr DUNN B Sgt WILTSHIRE Bdr SPARK	Oval	Move guns to gun park at end of period 3
	4-5	<u>Servicing</u> - servicing during firing, servicing when the gun is rested in action	Sec 91,92	A Sgt STEELE Sgt TILBROOK B Sgt WILLS Bdr VANDYKE	Gun Park	
Thu 22 Aug	1-5	<u>Gun Drill</u> - Revision	Sec 20-26 17,33,47	All	Gun Park	Students to ask for revision on anything in doubt.
Fri 23 Aug	1-5	Trial Test - Guns RA	GDB 105mm	All	Regt Area	Run on "Country Fair System"
Sat 26 Aug	1-5	Gnrs RA Tests	GDB 105mm	All	Regt Area	Instrs later
Sun 27 Aug	1-5	Gnrs RA Tests	GDB 105mm	All	Regt Area	Instrs later
Mon 28 Aug	1-5 night	Gnrs Laying Tests	GDB 105mm	All	Oval	Qual Nos 1 from 70,176 Btys to be used Instrs later,
Tue 29 Aug	1-5 night	Gnrs Laying Tests	GDB 105mm	All	Oval	Qual Nos 1 from 70, 176 Btys to be used Instrs later



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31 Jul 63

RHQ (3)  
70 Bty RA (8)  
176 Bty RA (8)  
103 Fd Bty RAA (6)

45 Regt RA COMMAND POST COURSE

General

1. The course will be held on the mornings of 8, 9 and 12 Aug 63.

Aim

2. The course is designed to provide the following:-
  - a. Refresher training in the use of the Plotter.
  - b. Familiarisation with QE Tgt Records.
  - c. Demo of lt scale CP and eqpt incl man-pack.
  - d. Training in construction of CP.
  - e. Jungle living.

Dress

3. Dress of the day will be worn except for Mon 12 Aug, when jungle dress less webbing will be worn.

Timings

4. Instruction will start each morning at 0800 hrs and conclude at 1240 hrs.

Locations

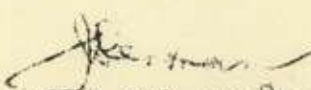
5. Instruction on 8 and 9 Aug will be held in Regt Lecture Room.
6. The demo on Mon 12 Aug will be held in the Trg Area.

Programme of Work

7. The programme is attached as Annex 'A'.

Stores

8. 70 and 176 Btys are to make available their airborne plotters for the course. These will be collected by Sgt ARNOLD on the afternoon of Tue 6 Aug 63.
9. All students are to bring appropriate pencils, rubbers, notebooks and chinagraphs to the course.

 Lt  
GPO 103 Fd Bty RAA

Annex 'A' to 45 Regt RA  
Command Post Course  
Dated 31 Jul 63

PROGRAMME OF WORK

Date	Timings	Subject	Instr	Location
Thu 8 Aug	0300 - 1240	Plotter - refresher training	Lt BERTRAM	Regt Lecture Room
Fri 9 Aug	0800 - 1240	QE Tgt Records	Sgt STEELE	Regt Lecture Room
Mon 12 Aug	0300 - 1240	Light Scale Demo Living in the Fd	All	Training Area



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45 Regt RA  
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45 Regt RA  
70 Bty RA (3)  
176 Bty RA (3)  
Copy to : BC 103 Fd Bty RAA

OP PARTY COURSE 8 - 10 Aug 63

Reference: 45 Regt RA Trg Instr 45/14 dated 20 Jul 63.

General

1. In accordance with 45 Regt RA Trg Instr 45/14 an OP Party Course will be run from 8 - 10 Aug 63 from 0800 to 1230 hrs each day.

Aim

2. The aim of the course is to teach:-
- lt scale loading both veh and man-pack.
  - Jungle living.
  - Jungle navigation.

Syllabus

3. Syllabus is attached as Annex 'A'.

Dress

4. All ranks are to wear battle order, OG shirt and trousers, jungle boots and bush hats.
5. Battle order must include all jungle kit on issue to individuals.
6. Further instr on dress will be issued during the course.
7. Attached as Annex 'B' is light scale load list for OP Parties.

Co-ord

8. OP Parties are to report to Capt MARSHALL at 103 Fd Bty RAA at 0800 hrs on Thu 8 Aug 63.

*Lt Col Marshall*  
Capt  
OIC Course

OP PARTY COURSE

8 - 10 Aug 63

Date	Time	Place	Subject	Instr	Dress	Remarks
Thu 8 Aug	0800 - 0930	103 Fd Bty RAA Lecture Room	Light Scale OP Party Demo	Capt MARSHALL	Battle Order, OGs Jungle boots, bush hats, w/wpns	Both veh and man-pack
	0930 - 1030	"	Living in the jungle Demo	" "	" " "	
	1100 - 1230	Jungle EAST	Living in the jungle Practice	" "	" " "	Tpt 1 x 3 ton at 1045 hrs to jungle EAST
Fri 9 Aug	0800 - 0900	Jungle EAST	Jungle navigation Loc/Demo	" "	" " "	
	0905 - 1100	" "	Navigation exercise	" "	" " "	
	1115 - 1230	" "	Establishment of jungle OP (incl tree top)	" "	" " "	
Sat 10 Aug	0800 - 0900	103 Fd Bty RAA Lec Area	Loading for Light Scale	" "	" " "	With vehs for all parties
	0930 - 1230	Jungle EAST	Demo and Practice of Jungle Fringe OP	" "	" " "	





MAN PACK LOAD LIST

OPO

Map Case and Map  
Sig Instruction  
Protractors (mils)  
Compass (mils)  
Binoculars  
Torch Hand Electric  
Spare Bty  
Rations  
Hammock  
Poncho  
44 patt pack  
Personal Gear  
A42 Bty  
Range Table Part 1  
OMC  
Shovels Lt wt

OPA

Torch Hand Electric  
Torch Spare Bty  
A510 Btys Set  
OP Log  
Paludrine Roll Book  
Paludrine  
Maps Sets  
Berger Pack  
Bedroll and Mosq Net  
Compass  
Binoculars  
Protractor  
Entrenching tool  
Pencils Lead/Omnichrome  
Rubber  
Boots AB or Jungle boots as ordered

Sig 1

A510 complete with carriers manpack  
HF Aerials cut to size  
Griddle  
Slidex  
Small sig log book with W/proof cover  
Crystals plus spare  
Pers gear (44 patt pack)  
Bedroll and Mosq net  
Pencils  
Rubbers  
Shovel Lt wt  
Sig Instruction

Sig 2

A42 with spare bty on frame  
Sig Log book with W/proof cover  
Pers Gear (44 patt pack)  
Bedroll and Mosq net  
Pencils  
rubber  
Boots AB or Jungle as ordered

Sig 3

Bty A42 or A510  
Sig log book spare  
Picks Lt wt  
MORTREP Board  
Safety Belt  
Climbing Irons  
Berger Pack  
Bedroll and Mosq net  
Pencils, Rubber  
Boots AB or Jungle as ordered

LIGHT SCALE LOAD LIST

YTO

YTO

YTO

Case Water 4 1/2 gal  
Tool Chain  
Extra Gas  
Range Cam 24 x 24  
Signal Mt  
Map Pack  
Range Table Electric  
OP Log Book  
OP Log Radio Sta  
Range Power  
Detector Unit  
Mk 12V 67 AH  
Add with spare bty on frame  
Range Map  
Slidex  
Griddle Board  
OP Log Book  
Sig Log Book  
Compass Map Small  
Range Water  
Pliers 8 1/2  
Picks  
Shovel  
Rope and Cable (1/2 mile)  
Climbing Irons Set  
Safety Belt

YTO

Case Water 4 1/2 gal  
Case Petrol 1/2 gal  
Add  
Pick Lt wt  
Shovel Lt wt  
Tools Entrenching  
Range Cam 14 x 14  
Carriers Manpack 23 (MILIT)  
Carriers Manpack 23 (MUST)  
Band pack  
Berger Pack  
Jackets Canvas Shower  
Sole Size 11"  
Box Spare Batteries and Wipes  
Mortrep Cable 1/2 mile  
Insulation Tape  
Shower Self Solvating tin  
Bedroll Box  
Range 37 patt  
Range Cam  
Mortrep  
Range 12V Cell  
V42 CTS  
Safety Light Lead  
Poles Cam (OP)  
Case OMD 110  
Case OMD 500  
A510 Complete (ready for manpack)  
Add with battery  
Entrenching 14 wt  
Batteries 12V 67 AH



CORPS TESTS EXAMINATIONS

13 Aug 63

Duration of exam; 80 minutes.

Text Books allowed; NIL

Question 1 BALLISTICS

Jump	=	2.1
TE	=	336.1
A/s	=	10.4E

What is the AP.

10marks.

Question 2 BALLISTICS

Briefly explain:-

- |                         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|
| a. Internal Ballistics. | 4 marks |
| b. External Ballistics. | 4 marks |
| c. High Angle.          | 4 marks |

Question 3

Draw a diagram of the outline organisation of a Fd Regt (TE - P)

Question 4

What written instructions does the GPO send back to the dispersal point with the TSM.

20 marks

8 marks

Question 5

Who in the Bty is responsible for co-ordinating local defence.

5 marks

Question 6

Who is responsible for the reconnaissance and organising the Bty waggon lines.

5 marks

Question 7

a. Who is the senior member in the following vehicles:-

Example	K	Bty Capt
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X

3

RB

H1

TA

Q1

J

M4

GA

C

18 marks

b. Which vehicle tows the water trailer.

2 marks

Question 8

Define the following:-

STOP FIRING

5 marks

STAND FAST

5 marks

STOP LOADING

5 marks

REST

5 marks



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103 Fd Bty RAA EX "BIG BUNION"

19 - 24 Aug 63

Map:- MALAYA 1 inch to 1 mile Sheet 3C/13 DURIAN TIPOS.

General

1. Ex "BIG BUNION" will be held in the KONKOI trg area on lt scales, excl guns, from 19 - 24 Aug 63. All pers in the Bty will take part, less those engaged in 45 Regt trg and a rear party. The bty will be org as inf pl.

Aim

- 2. The ex is designed to practice the bty in the fol:-
  - a. Junior NCOs leadership.
  - b. Prep and occupation of def posns.
  - c. Patrolling by day and ni.
  - d. Ambush drills.

Outline

- 3. The following timetable is a planning guide:-
  - a. Mon 19 Aug 63. Move by road to area KG. CHENAH 0398. Occupy def posn incl digging in.
  - b. Tue 20 Aug 63. Ptl in str to area KG. PELONG against live en. Estb base camp.
  - c. Wed 21 Aug 63. Ptl to area KG. PURUN 0982 against live en estb base camp.
  - d. Thu 22 Aug 63. Occupy def posn. Counter infiltration.
  - e. Fri 23 Aug 63. Clearing ptls. Ambush.
  - f. Sat 24 Aug 63. Return to TERENDAK. Svc.

Tac Sit

4. An en guerilla band of approx coy str has estb a base camp somewhere in the area of Pt 1674 0886. From this camp small raiding parties have been terrorising kampongs along the S KENABOI. The main rd TITI (0978) - KONKOI (0590) has been cut in several places. The en comd is a veteran of many campaigns, YENCH DUG LAS.

5. 1 KOYLI has been ordered to find the base camp and destroy the en. Whilst awaiting the arrival of their guns a party from 103 Fd Bty RAA of approx pl str has been placed under comd of 1 KOYLI.

Administration

1. Timings. Mon 19 Aug 63.

- a. Parade veh park - 0725 hrs
- b. BK inspection - 0730 "
- c. Move - 0800 "

2. Rations. Pers will be issued with 5 days rats on Sat 17 Aug 63. These are for consumption from lunch 19 Aug to breakfast Sat 24 Aug inclusive. A late lunch will be provided on return to camp Sat.

3. Pay. There will be a pay parade for exercise pers immediately on return to camp Sat.

4. Tpt. Will be 2 x 1/4 ton FFR, 4 x 3/4 ton (includes 1 x 1/4 ton enemy veh). All veh will take tlr. All veh will have full petrol tanks and 2 x 4 gals jerricans on departure.

5. Wpns. Each section will carry 1 LMG Sec 2IC will command LMG gp. All other pers will carry SLR.

6. Ammo. Blank ammo will be issued at 0725 hrs Mon. Capt RADCOE and WO2 YENCH will each carry 1 x 20 rd magazine of 7.62mm ball for use in emergencies. The top of the magazine will be covered with tape.

7. Water. All water will be sterilized. 1 x 3/4 ton veh will tow 100 gal water trailer.

8. Eqpt. Pers will wear full battle order. Stretchers may be taken for use in base camp.

9. Med. Cpl DOWNEY will move with the battery. Medevac will be to 45 Regt RA.

10. LAD. A veh mech will be accompanying the battery. A programme of veh repairs will be carried out in base camp while the bty is patrolling.

BC 103 Fd Bty Maj RAA

- Distr
- Comd Tp (2)
- Gun Tp (2)
- 45 Regt RA (2)
- BC
- BK
- Trg Report (5)
- File
- Comds Diary (2)
- Spare (2)



Pl Comd Capt P J BADCOE  
Pl Sgt Sgt W GALLAGHER  
Wls op Lbdr P K ROBERTSON  
Orderly Gnr G ROBSON  
Dvr Gnr R SMALLWOOS

1 Rifle Sec

Bdr PEARSON  
Lbdr GLOVER  
Gnr ELLIS  
" GOODWIN  
" GREGORY  
" HEWETT  
" DAVY  
" SALVADOR  
Dvr Lbdr COLE  
LAD Mech

2 Rifle Sec

Bdr STOCKWELL  
Lbdr McCARTHY  
Gnr LUNNEY  
" MACLEOD  
" CAMPBELL  
" WILLIAMS  
" CRANE  
" SKINNER  
" TORY  
Dvr Gnr EDWARDS  
Cpl DOWNEY

3 Rifle Sec

Bdr PTOLOMEY  
Lbdr STARKIE  
Gnr COVILL  
" COWARD  
" DICKSON DW  
" GLIDDEN  
" JOHNSTON VJ  
" LINDROOS  
Dvr Gnr HICKS

4 Rifle Sec

Bdr STEEL  
Gnr GAFFNEY  
" MATTHEWS  
" MOSSMAN  
" RANSON  
" SMAILES  
" SMITH  
" ROSE  
XUEREB C  
Dvr Gnr KENDALL

ENEMY

WO2 YENCH  
Sgt ANNETTE  
Bdr BLANCHONETTE  
Gnr BOSTOCK N L  
Gnr SUMMERSFORD (Dvr)  
Gnr PEEL

GROUP 'B' NUMBERS IN ACTIONTest 1 - Loading Drill

1. The candidate will be tested in the duties of the numbers concerned in the drill, "to load".

2. Examiner's Notes

- a. Candidate will be examined on "drill with percussion fuze".
- b. Answer - See 29 para 91.
- c. Marking. Two marks will be deducted for each mistake in drill.
- d. Aids and Stores. NIL

Maximum marks 10

Test 2 and 3

3. These have been omitted because fuze indicators and gun rules are NOT held by 45 Regt.

Test 4 - Planting Aiming Posts

4. The candidate will be ordered "Aiming Posts.....mils". He will run out and plant Aiming Posts and adjust align them as directed by No 3.

5. Examiner's Notes

- a. (1) Candidates will be fully briefed and clear on the test. Stress that there is NO time limit.
- (2) Drill - See 25 para 70.

b. Marking. Deduct two marks for each mistake in drill.

Maximum marks 10

c. Aids and Stores.

- (1) 105mm pack how with sights and Aiming Posts.
- (2) Gun No to act as No 3.

Test 5 - Setting up the Paralleloscope

6. The candidate will be ordered to set up the paralleloscope. He will set up the paralleloscope where ordered by No 1 and orient it under the direction of No 3. He will be permitted assistance to drive the pickets.

7. Examiner's Notes

- a. Candidates will be fully briefed and clear on the test. Stress that there is NO time limit.
- b. Drill - Section 26 para 75.
- c. Candidates will be permitted assistance to drive the pickets
- d. Marking. Deduct three marks for each mistake in drill.

Maximum marks 10.



e. Aids and Stores.

(1) 105mm pack how incl sights paralleloscope.

(2) 2 gun nos to act as No2 and No3.

The candidate will be required to give the numbers of the aids and stores.

Examiner's Notes

- a. Candidates will be examined on their knowledge of the aids and stores.
- b. Answer - See page 81.
- c. Marking. Deduct two marks for each mistake in the list.
- d. Maximum marks 10.

Test 2

The candidate will be required to give the numbers of the aids and stores. He will be given 10 minutes to complete the test. The test is directed by the examiner.

Examiner's Notes

- a. (1) Candidates will be required to give the numbers of the aids and stores. (2) Candidates will be required to give the numbers of the aids and stores.
- b. Marking. Deduct two marks for each mistake in the list.
- c. Aids and Stores.
- d. Maximum marks 10.

Test 3 - Setting up the Paralleloscope

- a. The candidate will be required to set up the paralleloscope. He will be given 10 minutes to complete the test. The test is directed by the examiner.
- b. Answer - See page 81.
- c. Marking. Deduct three marks for each mistake in the list.
- d. Maximum marks 10.

GROUP 'C' - SERVICING OF EQUIPMENT

Test 1 - Examine Equipment

1. The candidate will be tested practically in all duties less those of No1 as laid down in Sec 87.
2. Examiner's Notes
  - a. The examiner will ask the duties of each number, starting with 2 and working through to 6. The candidate will NOT be required to detail their duties as laid down in preparation for action.
  - b. Marking. Deduct two marks for each mistake in drill.  
Maximum 10 marks.
  - c. Aids and Stores.  
(1) One 105 mm with all stores incl stores for servicing.

Test 2

3. The candidate will answer four questions on faults, causes and remedies as laid down in Sec 89.
4. Examiner's Notes
  - a. The examiner will describe the fault to the candidate. The candidate will then give the cause and remedy. Four faults will be selected by the examiner from Table 1 Sect: 89 page 88.
  - b. Marking. A deduction of 3 marks will be made for each question incorrectly answered. The cause and remedy for a fault constitutes one answer.  
Maximum marks 10.
  - c. Aids and Stores. NIL

Test 3

5. The candidate will answer five questions on lubrication and general servicing of equipment as laid down in Sec 92.
6. Examiner's Notes.
  - a. The candidate will answer questions from Table II Sec 92 page 90 as follows:-

Tasks 1 - 5	-	1 question
" 6 - 12	-	1 question
" 13 - 18	-	1 question
" 19 - 21	-	1 question
" 22 - 24	-	1 question
  - b. Marking. Deduct two marks for each incorrect answer.  
Maximum marks 10.
  - c. Aids and Stores. NIL



GROUP 'D' MISFIRE DRILL

The candidate will answer three questions on the misfire drill. Questions to be in accordance with the drills and procedures laid down under Sec 34.

2. Examiner's Notes

a. The candidate will be asked the three following questions:

(1) Q1 Give two of the probable causes of failure to fire.

Answer: See Sec 34 para 118.

(2) Q2 Detail the misfire drill carried out in the following circumstances:-

(a) If the gun is not sufficiently run out.

(b) If after two attempts to fire the gun during the emergency firing drill, the gun again fails to fire.

Answer Q2 (a) - Sec 34 para 122 (a)

Q2 (b) - " " " 122 (a)

(3) Q3 If the primer has been struck after carrying out the misfire drills, what are the drills carried out if the primer:-

(a) Has fired,

(b) Has NOT fired.

Answer See 34 para 122 (h) (i) & (ii)

b. Marking

Q1 - Deduct  $2\frac{1}{2}$  marks for each incorrect drill.  
Maximum marks 5

Q2 - Deduct  $2\frac{1}{2}$  marks for each incorrect drill.  
Maximum marks 5

Q3 - Deduct  $2\frac{1}{2}$  marks for each incorrect drill.  
Maximum marks 5

Maximum marks for Group 'D' 15.

c. Arms and Stores, NIL

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GROUP 'E' - AMMUNITION AND FUZES

Test 1

1. The candidate will identify three types of shell.

2. Examiner's Notes

a. It will NOT be possible to provide the actual shells. Examiners will therefore ask the candidate how he would identify three of the following:-

(1) HE M1

(2) SMOKE BE M84.

(3) SMOKE WP M60

(4) HEAT.

b. In answering the question the candidate must give the following:-

(1) Body colour

(2) Stencil colour

(3) Markings.

c. Marking. 3 marks will be deducted for each wrong identification e.g. if on one shell he identifies the body colour only, he gains 1 out of 3 marks.

Maximum marks 10

d. Aids and Stores. NIL

Test 2

3. The candidate will set three settings on a TIME FUZE with the fuze setter hand. Each setting will be different. The candidate will then set the fuze to "safe". Time allowed will be 10 secs for each fuze setting.

4. Examiner's Notes

a. The examiner will select the settings.

b. Setting the fuze to "safe" is also part of the test.

c. Marking. 5 marks for each fuze setting. Deduct 1 mark for each 2 seconds beyond the time limit. NO marks for incorrect fuze setting.

Maximum marks 20.

d. Aids and Stores.

(1) Drill ammunition.

(2) Fuze setters hand.

Test 3

5. The candidate will answer three questions on the preparation of fuzes and cartridges for firing.



6. Examiner's Notes

a. The following are the questions to be asked:-

(1) Q1 - Detail the drill carried out in preparing charges, when a charge eg. charge 4, has been ordered.

Answer Sec 29 para 91 and Sec 71.

(2) Q2 - Detail the drill for setting fuze M51 when the "Delay" has been given.

Answer Sec 70 para 231.

(3) Q3 - Describe how ammunition is stacked when preparing for fire plans or programme shoots.

Answer Sec 72.

b. Marking. Deduct three marks for each incorrect answer.

Maximum marks 10.

c. Aids and Stores. NIL

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GROUP 'F' - APPARATUS LOUD SPEAKING

1. The candidate will connect up the A.L.S. supplied for 105mm Pack How.
2. Examiner's Notes
  - a. Marking. All marks will be forfeited if it is incorrectly connected.
  - b. Aids and Stores. A.L.S and cable.



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3 Aug 63

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REGIMENTAL LAYING TESTS

28/29 AUG 63

General

1. Regimental laying tests for the Gnrs RA Course on the 105mm how will take place on 28/29 Aug 63, on 45 Regt RA sports field commencing at 0815 hrs. Night laying will commence at 1845 hrs.

Tests

2. All tests will be carried out and marked as detailed in the Prov Gun Drill book for How Pack 105mm.

Candidates

3. Candidates and staff will report to the control centre on the sports field at 0800 hrs. The senior member from each battery is to have a nominal roll of all Bty Candidates. 12 pers per bty are required each day.

Stores

4. 70 Bty RA and 176 Bty RA are requested to make available 3 guns each with stores and sights required for tests, these stores must be serviceable. Guns are to be in action by 0800 hrs on each day of the tests pointing in a NW direction at the N end of the sports field. 103 Fd Bty RAA are asked to provide:-

- a. TARA NCO with director, stand and skirt.
- b. 6 Anti-tank tgts (both sizes)
- c. Tannoy system for 6 guns.
- d. Table, 4 chairs and CP shelter.

a, c, d are to be in action by 0800 hrs each day of the tests.

Staff

5. Each gun is to be accompanied by :-

- a. 1 Snr NCO - Examiner provided by 103 Fd Bty RAA.
- b. 1 Snr NCO - No1 to be provided by qualified pers from Det Comd course.
- c. 1 qualified layer to act as No2.
- d. 1 Gnr to carry out duties of No4.
- e. 1 Time keeper with stop watch.

The senior NCO is responsible to have :-

- a. 1 Stop watch
- b. 1 Pencil or pen.
- c. 1 Clue board.

103 Fd Bty RAA are asked to provide 2 Jnr NCOs or 2 Snr Gnrs to act as recorders.

6. 70 Bty RA and 176 Bty RA are asked to provide the staff as laid down in sub para 5 b,c, d and e. If possible names to Lt CAMPTON 103 Fd Bty by 27 Aug 63.

Dress

7. Dress for all pers will be trousers, jackets OG, boots puttees/gaiter Aust pattern and bush hats.

Co-ordination

8. There is to be a short conference of ALL nominated pers on 27 Aug 63 at 1400 hrs in the 103 Fd Bty RAA Comd Post.

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BC 103 Fd Bty RAA

70 Bty RA	(3)
176 Bty RA	(3)
103 Fd Bty RAA	(12)
RHQ	(2)



COACHING COURSESUBJECT "C" FOR BDR

Reference: ARO 6/62 Section 7.

Aim

1. To coach candidates to the required standard for the examination in Subject 'C' for Bdr to be held on 31 Aug 63.
2. The course will be continuous and will culminate in the examination at 0800 hrs on 31 Aug 63. The syllabus is attached as Annex A.

Students

3. The following will attend:-

29089	Bdr	F R	PEARSON
1410946	Gnr	V J	JOHNSTON
14976	Gnr	B	RANSON
3410921	Gnr	D 7	DICKSON
53853	Gnr	K E	GARBELLINI
5410978	Gnr	A	BONAVITA
3411065	Gnr	L J	HEWITT
213234	Gnr	F O	MEAD
64336	Cfn	D E	TUCKER

Administration

4.
  - a. The above students will parade at the lecture room at 0755 hrs daily. They will provide themselves with notebooks, pens, pencils etc., examination books and reference publication will be provided by 103 Fd Bty RAA.
  - b. The Duty Student (to be nominated daily) will ensure that all students are in attendance at least 5 minutes before the period is due to commence.

Examination

5. This will be conducted in accordance with the reference pamphlet.

Conclusion

6. Students are reminded that this will be a coaching course only and they will be required to study at night to keep up with the instruction given during the day.

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BC 103 Fd Bty RAA

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DETAILED SYLLABUS - SUBJECT "C" FOR BDR

Date	Time	Subject	Reference	Location	Instr	Remarks
26 Aug 63	0800-0840	Introduction - Adm		Lecture Room	BC BSM	
	0845-0920	Preface to AMR & O	AMR & O	" "	BSM	
	0925-1005	Leave	MBI 201/61 part 1 - 2	" "	BSM	
	1050-1110	Free Travel	MBI 201/61 part 3	" "	BSM	
	1115-1155	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 1 No 1	" "	102 YF'NCH	
	1200-1240	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 1 No 2	" "	102 YF'NCH	
	1400-1440	Revision		" "	BSM	On mornings work
	1445-1525	Discipline	AMR & O 289-293	" "	BSM	
	1530-1555	Discipline	" "	" "	BSM	
27 Aug 63	0800-0840	Quiz/Discussion		" "	BSM	
	0845-0920	Emergency Leave	MBI 201/61 part 4	" "	BSM	
	0925-1005	Offences	AMR & O 324 - 344	" "	BSM	
	1030-1110	Offences	" "	" "	BSM	
	1115-1155	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 1 No 3	" "	W02 YF'NCH	



Date	Time	Subject	Reference	Location	Instr	Remarks
27 Aug 63	1200-1240	Special & War Service Leave	MBI 201/61 part 5 - 6	Lecture Room	BSM	On mornings work
	1400-1440	Revision		" "	BSM	
	1445-1525	Arrest & Suspension	AMR & O 350-383	" "	BSM	
	1530-1610	Arrest & Suspension	" "	" "	BSM	
28 Aug 63	0800-0840	Quiz/Discussion		" "	BSM	
	0845-0920	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 1 No 4	" "	WO2 YENCH	
	0925-1005	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 1 No 5 - 7	" "	WO2 YENCH	
	1030-1110	Leave	MBI 201/61 part 7 - 8	" "	BSM	
	1115-1240	Quiz		" "	BSM	
	1400-1440	Quiz/Discussion		" "	BSM	
	1445-1525	Leave	MBI 201/61 part 9 - 10	" "	BSM	
	1530-1610	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 2 No 12-14	" "	WO2 YENCH	
29 Aug 63	0800-0840	Leave	MBI 201/61 part 11	" "	BSM	
	0845-0920	Man management and Morale	Trg Vol IV Pt 1 Chap 3	" "	BSM	
	0925-1005	" " " "	" " "	" "	BSM	
	1030-1110	Offences	AMR & O 324-344	" "	BSM	Incl preparation of AAF A4



Date	Time	Subject	Reference	Location	Instr	Remarks
29 Aug 63	1115-1240	SPARE				
	1400-1610	Private Study				
30 Aug 63	0800-0840	Quiz/Discussion		Lecture Room	BSM	
	0845-0920	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 2 No 15-16	" "	WO2 YENCH	
	0925-1005	Leave	MBI 201/61 part 12	" "	BSM	
	1030-1110	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 2 No 31-32	" "	WO2 YENCH	
	1115-1155	Regt Standing Orders	SO's Part 2 No 38 Annex 'A' to No 17 30 <sup>x</sup> Range	" "	WO2 YENCH	
	1200-1240	Health & hygiene	Inf Trg Vol IV Part 1 Chap IV	" "	WO2 YENCH	
	1400-1440	" "	" "	" "	" "	
	1445-1610	SPARE				
31 Aug 63	0800-1000	Examination		" "	BSM	
	1030-1100	Adm		" "	BSM	



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16 Aug 63

ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTION 'BRINCHANG'

30 Aug - 7 Sep 63

Map:- GSGS 4690 Sheet 2 N/10.

General

1. 103 Fd Bty RAA will move to BRINCHANG Training Camp in the CAMERON Highlands for training in the period 30 Aug - 7 Sep 63.
2. The Camp is situated at GSGS 4690 Sheet 2 N/10 GR 261598.

Movement

3. The broad outline of movement is:-
  - a. Adv Party move 0530 hrs 30 Aug.
  - b. Adv Party arrives 1700 hrs 30 Aug.
  - c. Main Body moves 0530 hrs 1 Sep.
  - d. Main Body arrives 1700 hrs 1 Sep.
  - e. Main Body leaves 0600 hrs 8 Sep.
  - f. Main Body arrives TERENDAK 1700 hrs 8 Sep.
  - g. Rear Party leaves 0900 hrs 8 Sep.
  - h. Rear Party arrives 1700 hrs 8 Sep.
4. The movement table which will apply on 30 Aug and 1 Sep is attached as Annex 'B'.

Trg.

5. Outline programme Annex 'A'.

Maps

6. Capt DARLINGTON will ensure that sufficient maps of the area are taken.

Rations

7. The Bty will be on fresh rations except for the Adv Party.
8. BQMS will draw dry rations for complete period from QM2. Remainder of rations will be delivered by local contractors at BRINCHANG. The BK will notify Garrison Adjut of exact str before 29 Aug.
9. There will be an early breakfast at 0430 hrs on 30 Aug and 1 Sep and a haversack ration for consumption enroute.

Daily Timings

10. Timings will be same as for TERENDAK.

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Accommodation

11. a. Accn is in Nissen Huts.  
b. The following accn stores are aval in situ and will be issued and controlled by Garrison Adjutant, CAMERON HIGHLANDS.

(1)	Bedsteads Folding	150
(2)	Mattresses	150
(3)	Blankets	450
(4)	Pillows	150
(5)	Wardrobes OR Single Unit	70
(6)	Chairs Flat Folding	150
(7)	Tables GS	50
(8)	Forms GS	50
(9)	Chairs Rattan	6
(10)	Wash Hand Stands	5
(11)	Glass Looking	5
(12)	Matting Coir 6' x 3'	5

12. BQMS will take sheets and pillow slips plus misc and disc for the Bty. BK will notify accurate figures on 27 Aug 63.

13. Cookhouse contains:-

- a. 1 x 72" Cooking Range.  
b. 3 x 36" Quallie complete with covers  
c. 3 x Fridges (Kero Burners)

Messes

14. Officers and Sgts Messes will be run by their selected committees as for Practice Camp. Basic accommodation at BRINCHANG is provided but NO cutlery, crockery etc.

Med

15. Cpl DOWNEY will accompany the Bty. Medivac will be to the Garrison Med Centre BMH CAMERON HIGHLANDS.

16. Sick Parades will be held daily at BMH at 0830 hrs.

17. All personnel will continue to take Paludrine whilst in the Highlands.

REME

18. Two LAD reps will accompany the Bty. Recovery to Station Lines CAMERON HIGHLANDS.

NAAFI

19. There is a NAAFI shop in the BMH area. NAAFI will supply Offrs and Sgts Messes.



Recreational

20 The Bty has been offered the use of the Padang TANAH RATA  
the following:-

- a. Football, Cricket, Hockey and Basketball. Bookings will be made through the Secretary, Town Board, CAMERON HIGHLANDS (Tele CH 299).
- b. There is a Garrison Junior Ranks Club (NAAFI) situated in Station Lines. All Junior Ranks have been invited to avail themselves of this.
- c. The Garrison Sergeants Mess have invited Senior Ranks to avail themselves of the amenities afforded.
- d. AKC Globe Cinema is situated in BMH area. Change of Programme every night. No show on Mondays.
- e. Nine Hole municipal Golf Course. Open to all offrs and senior ranks on payment of set 'Green Fees'. Junior ranks and below may use this course free of charge, week days only, when possessing a certificate which will be obtained for them.
- f. Swimming is NOT allowed in the CAMERON HIGHLANDS. ALL Stream and River WATER IS CONTAMINATED.

Postal Arrangements

21. a. The postal address for Official and Private mail is No. Rank. Name. Unit BRINCHANG Camp, C/- Garrison Commander Post Office TANAH RATA, CAMERON HIGHLANDS.
- b. All Outgoing/Incoming mail (Official and Private) will be handed into the Battery Office and collected from Garrison Commander by Bty Post Orderly at times laid down by Garrison Commander.

POL

22. The MT NCO will draw fuel from the ESSO Filling Station. TANAH RATA.
23. The MT NCO will draw AF G827 from QM1 prior to
24. MT NCO will take adequate stock of lubs and grease.
25. Kero for refrigeration will be provided by Garrison Adjnt, CAMERON HIGHLANDS.

Ammo

26. Ammo and training stores will be drawn by the BSM and carried by the adv party.
27. Pers will carry normal light scale weapons.

Transport

28. a. Advance Party
  - 1 x  $\frac{3}{4}$  ton
  - 1 x 3 ton
- b. Main Body
  - 1 x  $\frac{1}{4}$  ton (X)
  - 2 x  $\frac{3}{4}$  ton
  - 5 x 3 ton

Dress

29. Leave Dress (Military and Civilian) and working dress (Bush Type) will be required.

30. Troops may take Trunks Cabin Metal on a scale of 1 per two soldiers.

31. Light scale webbing will be taken.

Civil Staff

32. The following civil staff will be available.

- 1 x Kitchen Hand
- 2 x Boot Boys

Linen

33. All pers will take sheets and pillow cases from TERENDAK, there will not be any supply at BRINCHANG.

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4 *[Signature]* Maj  
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BC	1
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45 Regt RA	1
QM1	1
QM2	1
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Messing Offr	1
WO Caterer	1
AUST Army Force	1
Trg Report	5
Comds Diary	2
File	1
Spare	5



Annex 'A' to 103 Fd Bty RAA  
Adm Instr BRINCHANG

BRINCHANG 30 AUG - 7 SEP 63

DAY/DATE	AM	PM	REMARKS
Fri 30 Aug	Adv Party moves	a. Preps for move b. Loading	
Sat 31 Aug	STAND DOWN		
Sun 1 Sep	Main Body moves to BRINCHANG		
Mon 2 Sep	a. Settle in b. Recce c. Camp Duties	SPORT	
Tue 3 Sep	Fd Craft	SPORT	
Wed 4 Sep	STAND DOWN	SPORT	
Thu 5 Sep	Weapon Trg	SPORT	a. Pay BRINCHANG b. All ranks barbecue
Fri 6 Sep	Fd Craft	SPORT	
Sat 7 Sep	STAND DOWN		
Sun 8 Sep	Return to TERENDAK		

MOVEMENT ORDER

General

1. This order will apply to the Adv Party Move on 30 Aug and the Main Body move on 1 Sep 63.

Route

2. TERENDAK - MASJID TANAH - ALOR GAJAH - SEREMBAN - MANTIN - KAJANG - KUALA LUMPUR - RAWANG - SLIM - TROLAK - BIKAM - BIDOK TAPAH - RINGLET - TANAH RATA - CAMERON HIGHLANDS - BRINCHANG

Speeds

3. Speed will be a max of 30 mph. Drivers will reduce speeds to a safe limit on all occasions and will exercise particular care in the mountains.

Halts

4. Halts will be 10 mins every 2 hours on the even hour and a one hour halt at lunch.

Interval

5. Interval will be 100 yards on the open road and 150 yards on the mountain roads.

Timings

6. The following scale gives a planning figure. for the various stages of the move:-

Reveille	0400 hrs
Breakfast	0430 hrs
Parade	0510 hrs
Move	0530 hrs

TIME		50 M I 2H		
FROM	TO	MILEAGE	ACTION	REMARKS
0530	0600	12		
0600	0750	62	Halt 10 mins	1 mile outside SEREMBAN (approx)
0800	0950	112	Halt 10 mins	9 mile peg outside KL (approx)
1000	1150	162	Halt 1 hour LUNCH	7 mile peg outside TG MALIN (approx)
1150	1250	LUNCH		
1250	1440	212	Halt 1 hour	3 to 5 miles past TAPAH turn off
1440	1540		1 hour Maint halt	Before commencing mountain roads
1540	ETA	238	BRINCHANG 2 miles past CAMERON HIGHLANDS Township.	





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ADDRESS 103 Pd Bty RAA  
45 Regt RA  
Camp TERENDAK  
MALACCA  
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2 Sep 63

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TRAINING REPORT - AUG 63

General

1. The information in this report covers the training and administrative events in which 103 Pd Bty RAA participated during the month of August.
2. The months activities are dealt with under three headings:-
  - a. Training General
  - b. Administration
  - c. Sport and Social Events.

Training General

3. 45 Regt Training. Throughout August the following courses were run for 45 Regt RA by 103 Pd Bty:-
  - a. A 3 day OP living in the jungle course from 8 to 10 Aug for the two British Bty OP parties. The syllabus for this course is shown at Annex "A".
  - b. A 3 day OP course from 8 to 10 Aug to introduce Bty OP staffs to the light weight plotter and other facets of OP work in the tropics. The course syllabus is shown at Annex "B".
  - c. A 12 day Detachment Commanders course from 8 to 27 Aug to train the students to a standard to pass the Grade 1 Gunners' Tests. The tests were conducted on 26 and 27 Aug by the IG Trg Team PARELF. Annex "C" shows the syllabus and Annex "D" the instruction for the tests.

- d. A 14 day Gunners RA course from 8 to 29 Aug to train the British gunners to a Gunner Grade III standard. The tests were conducted from 26 to 29 Aug. Annex "E" shows the course syllabus, Annex "F" the instruction for the tests and Annex "G" the tests including the Group A (Laying) Tests.
4. Courses The following courses were conducted for 103 Fd Bty personnel:-
- a. Group 6 tests as follows:
- (i) 1 Aug - Voice Procedure
  - (ii) 6-9 Aug - Air Photo Reading
  - (iii) 13 Aug - Fire Discipline and Ballistics.
  - (iv) 15 Aug - Computations and Director Annexes "H" and "J" show the unit procedure and Corps Tests.
- b. Subject "C" for promotion to Bdr. The syllabus for this course is shown in Annex "K".
5. Exercise "BIG BUNION" Exercise "BIG BUNION" was held in the KONKOI area from 19 to 24 Aug. The exercise aims were to improve training in local defence and practice junior leaders. The instruction for the exercise is shown at Annex "L".
6. Command Post Exercise A Regt CP exercise was conducted in 45 Regt RA by the IG Trg Team FARELF. The exercise was held on 22 and 23 Aug and designed to test Btys on prediction and reduction, target records and change of grid.
7. Signals Exercise Regt Signals exercises were held on 13 and 20 Aug.
8. BRINCHANG The Battery advance party for BRINCHANG departed on 30 Aug. The battery is to train at BRINCHANG from 1 to 7 Sep. Annex "M" shows the instruction for BRINCHANG.
9. Visits SOUTH VIETNAM Lt G H BINGLEY RAA departed for SOUTH VIETNAM on 22 Aug equipped with saffron robe and jerrican of petrol.

Administration

10. Vehicles The Battery Vehicle State is attached as Annex "N".
11. Equipment. The Deficient Equipment State is attached as Annex "O".

Sport and Social Events

12. Visits
- a. The Chief of the General Staff, AUSTRALIA, Lt Gen J G N WILTON CB, CBE, DSO, visited 103 Fd Bty on 30 Aug. He met Officers, warrant officers and sergeants and inspected the guns.
- b. Mr HICKS, Civil Head of the Dept of Defence visited the Battery on 28 Aug.



- c. On 12 Aug, the Commander 17 Gurkha Division, Brig J B KING-MARTIN DSO, MC visited 45 Regt RA to meet the new unit. He toured the various trg activities and then lunched in the Officers Mess.
- d. Brig R B DAWSON, DSO, Commander 28 COMWEL Bde Gp met 45 Regt RA on 15 Aug and afterwards lunched in the Officers Mess.

13. Marriages. On 29 Aug Cnr GOODWIN married Miss BLANE BUZZA. The marriage took place at the Terendak Garrison Church.

14. Sport.

- a. Athletics. 103 Bty competed in the minor units Tug of War at the 28 Bde Athletics Championships and managed to reach the finals in both the heavyweight and lightweight. However they were beaten by 3 Coy RASC in the heavyweight and 28 OPF in the lightweight.
- b. Hockey. In a friendly match 103 Bty defeated 70 Bty, five goals to one.

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ANNEXES

- Annex A - OP Course for 45 Regt RA
- Annex B - CP " " " " "
- Annex C - Syllabus for Detachment Comds Course
- Annex D - Instructions for Detachment Comds' Course Tests
- Annex E - Syllabus for Gunners RA Course
- Annex F - Instructions for Gunners RA Tests
- Annex G - Gunners RA Tests Groups B to F.
- Annex H - Group 6 Voice Procedure Test
- Annex J - Group 6 Corps Tests
- Annex K - Syllabus Subject "C" for Bdr
- Annex L - Instruction for Ex 'BIG BUNION'
- Annex M - Instruction for BRINCHANG
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