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Acting as composite Workshops for
1st and 14th Sds Troops

- MOINDAR, NEGAL
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- HOUERA, NEGAL
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- MOINDAR, NEGAL
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 SOME (DIV)

- BOURAIL & MOINDAH, NECAL
- GUADALCANAL & MOINDAH, NECAL

DIV ORDNANCE WORKSHOPS:

Main Det, DOW
 Base Det, DOW
 NZOW Det, DOW (With 37 LAD)

- MOINDAH, NECAL
- BOURAIL (Racecourse area) NECAL
- NOUMEA, NECAL

SQUAREPEG WORKSHOPS:
 which includes

(Pt No 2 Rec Sec)
 (Det 29 Lt AA WShops)
 (Det Tank WShops)
 (20 LAD)
 (65 LAD)

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29 Lt AA Workshops

- MOINDAH, NECAL

Tank Workshops & Fd Park Det.

- m MOINDAH, NECAL

20 LAD
 37 LAD
 65 LAD
 67 LAD

- MOINDAH & NEMEARA, NECAL
- NOUMEA, NECAL
- NISSAN and LE CLERE'S FARM, NECAL
- MOINDAH, NECAL

BASE ORDNANCE DEPOT

- BOURAIL, NECAL

(b) APPENDICES:

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Place.	Date.	Hour.	Summary of Events and Information.	Remarks and References to Appendices.
Bourail	1	June	DADOS Office - routine duties	
Guadalcanal			SOME (Div) - Commencing packing for move to New Caledonia.	
Moindah			DOW: General Workshops routine. Recovery Section settling in. Prefabricated huts secured for camp buildings.	
Noumea			NZOW DET. & 37 LAD: Routine repairs, Ford Quads held up owing lack of bearings for generators. All sections busy.	
NISSAN			SQUAREPEG WSHOPS: Cleaning up area. M.T. repairs	
Moindah			29 Lt AA WSHOPS: Normal duties	
Moindah			Tank WSHOPS: Recovered last tank from Nepoui. Repairs to transporter completed. General routine.	
Bourail			20 LAD: At sea proceeding from Nissan to New Caledonia.	
Nemeara			BASE DET NZOW: Normal duties	
Tene Valley			42 LAD: Maintenance on Vehicles. Vehicles being cleaned and painted.	
Nissan			64 LAD: Camp Construction and Routine duties. Weather fine	
Moindah			65 LAD: Embarked S.S. Mintaka for New Caledonia.	
Bourail			67 LAD: Maintenance work at Vehicle Reception Depot.	
Moindah			BOD: Routine Duties. Working party from B.F.D. assisting in sorting of stores arrived from dump at Nepoui. Weather overcast and windy.	
Bourail			DOW: Supplies of parts coming to hand fairly regularly for stock lines, but difficulty experienced securing parts for some pumps, lighting plants and their power units.	
Moindah	2	June	NZOW DET AND 37 LAD: Routine repairs	
Noumea			SQUAREPEG WORKSHOPS: Cleaning up camp area, M.T. Repairs. weather showery with strong wind.	
Nissan			TANK WSHOPS: General W/shops routine. 3 O.Rs on 4 days leave.	
Moindah			BASE DET NZOW: 91 vehicles repaired during week out of total of 117 on hand. All sections busy.	
Bourail			42 LAD Maintenance on vehicles. All sections fully employed.	
Nemeara			64 LAD: Camp construction, vehicle maintenance. Weather fine	
Tene Valley			65 LAD: At sea	
Bourail			BOD: Routine duties. Truck to Noumea with laundry. Working party used in Return and general stores. Trucks with stores arrive from Noumea. Weather fine.	
Bourail	3	June	DADOS OFFICE: Report received from HQ NZEFIP that termites have been found in large numbers in several amm boxes received from Treasury. All amm boxes from Forward Area to be inspected and any found infested with termites to be destroyed by fire.	

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Moindah Noumea Nissan Moindah Bourail Nemeara Tene Valley Bourail	3	June	<u>DOW:</u> Parade and inspection of small arms. Normal routine <u>NZOW DET & 37 LAD:</u> M.T. Repairs <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> Cleaning up camp. Showery camp. <u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> I.E. w.shops and camp area. Afternoon free. <u>NZOW DET:</u> Camp inspection; maintenance and tool check. Free afternoon <u>42 LAD:</u> Tool check, work and maintenance carried out on Unit vehicles and equipment <u>64 LAD:</u> Rifle inspection; vehicle maintenance and repairs. Free afternoon <u>BOD:</u> Routine duties till 1200 hrs. Twenty four trucks from Noumea unloaded during the afternoon. Weather fine.	
Moindah Noumea Nissan Moindah Bourail Nemeara Tene Valley Bourail Bourail	4		<u>DOW:</u> I.E. and leave <u>NZOW DET & 37 LAD:</u> Free day <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> Heavy rain - No work <u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> Free day <u>NZOW DET:</u> Free day <u>42 LAD:</u> Church parade, free day <u>64 LAD:</u> Salvage work carried out, otherwise free day <u>BOD:</u> Four trucks of stores from Noumea unloaded, otherwise free day	
Bourail Guadalcanal	5		<u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> Capt Romain, Army HQ, MT Branch, arrives from NZ reference to MT requirements. <u>SOME (Div):</u> Office tent pulled down. Office equipment loaded on M.T. for transport to beach	
Moindah Noumea Nissan Moindah Bourail Nemeara Tene Valley Bourail Bourail	6		<u>DOW:</u> General Routine <u>NZOW DET. & 37 LAD:</u> M.T. Repairs; visit from Capt Romain Army HQ MT Branch, and SOME (Base) <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> Minor MT repairs. Start made packing equipment. <u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> General workshops routine <u>NZOW DET:</u> Routine repairs <u>42 LAD:</u> Maintenance on Vehicles. <u>64 LAD:</u> Routine repairs; Camp construction. <u>BOD:</u> Routine duties. 2 O.Rs marched out to Hospital. Weather fine	
Guadalcanal Moindah			<u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> DADOS; COO, BOD; and Capt Romain(Army HQ) to HQ 3 NZ DIV - conference re M.T. requirements. <u>SOME (Div):</u> Embarked on S.S. Pinkney for NEW CALEDONIA.	
Noumea Nissan Moindah			<u>DOW:</u> General routine; personnel from Forward Area being sent to Kiwi Club in batches of four for four days leave. <u>NZOW DET & 37 LAD:</u> M.T. repairs <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> M.T. Repairs; cleaning up camp <u>29 LtAA WShops:</u> preparations made for personnel returning from Nissan. Tents erected etc.	

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Moindah Bourail Nambara Moindah Bourail	6	June	<u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> Normal routine <u>NZOW DET:</u> Paintshop and greasing plant busy <u>42 LAD:</u> Normal routine; Wrecker recovered two trucks <u>67 LAD:</u> Recovery Unit 16 miles north to bring in W.T. Van <u>BOD:</u> Two loads of stores arrived from Noumea. 1 OR marched out to Hospital. 1 OR marched out to NZEFSOPAC and SOSNZEFIP.	
Moindah Nissan Bourail	7		<u>DOW:</u> O.C. attends conference with DADOS and SOMT (Equipment) at Base Headquarters. <u>SQUAREPEG WORKSHOPS:</u> MT parts handed over to Service Command <u>NZOW DET:</u> Panel Beaters Section working at full pressure, tinsmith busy on radiator repairs. Organised sports from 1430 hrs. <u>67 LAD:</u> Recovery Unit 14 miles South to repair damaged front axle. <u>BOD:</u> COO; DADOS; MT., A.E.&S sec officers attend conference at DOW with Capt Romaine.	
Moindah Bourail Moindah Nissan Moindah Moindah Le Clere's Bourail Moindah	8		<u>DOW:</u> 29 Lt AA Wshops personnel being employed in DOW shop wherever possible. <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> Camp Inspection by O.C. <u>29 Lt AA WShops:</u> 11 O.Rs return to unit from Squarepeg Wshops at Nissan <u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> 9 O.Rs. rejoin unit from Squarepeg Wshops at Nissan <u>20 LAD:</u> Disembarked at Nepoui at 1100 hrs and personnel proceeded to DOW area at Moindah <u>65 LAD:</u> Disembarked at Nepoui Wharf and move to camp at 37 Fd Park. <u>BOD:</u> Routine duties; 1 O.R. marched in from Hospital.	
Bourail	9		<u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> General Wshops routine; 1 O.R. marched out to Hospital <u>20 LAD:</u> Collecting personal and unit equipment from Nepoui Wharf. Equipment showed signs of rough handling and some boxes badly broken <u>NZOW DET:</u> Routine repairs; 58 vehicles repaired during week out of a total of 92. All sections busy. <u>65 LAD:</u> Erecting tents at new camp site. <u>BOD:</u> Routine Duties. Weather fine.	
Le.Clerc's Farm Bourail Moindah Moindah Bourail NEMeara Tene Valley Le Clercs Farm Bourail	10		<u>DOW:</u> Advice received that AOW will be returning from Guadalcanal at an early date. <u>TANK WORKSHOPS:</u> I.E. Workshops and Camp Area. 3 O.Rs to Kiwi Club for four days leave <u>NZOW DET:</u> Maintenance work on Machine trucks and check of equipment.. Afternoon free <u>42 LAD:</u> Tool Check; Maintenance on tools and camp equipment. <u>64 LAD:</u> Camp Maintenance; Reorganising tent lines and Orderly Room <u>65 LAD:</u> Personnel working on Tent Sites <u>BOD:</u> Routine duties till 1200 hrs; 1 O.R. marched out to hospital	

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Moindah Moindah Noumea	11	June	<p><u>SOME (Div):</u> Berthed at Noumea, New Caledonia</p> <p><u>DOW: I.E. and leave</u></p> <p><u>NZOW DET & 37 LAD:</u></p> <p>29 Lt AA WSHOPS</p> <p>TANK WSHOPS</p> <p>20 LAD</p> <p>NZOW DET</p> <p>42 LAD</p> <p>64 LAD</p> <p>67 LAD</p> <p>BOD</p> <p>Free day</p>	
Nissan Le Clere's Farm Bourail	12		<p><u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> M.T. Repairs</p> <p><u>65 LAD:</u> Erecting Orderly Room and Store</p> <p><u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> 2 O.Rs and office equipment arrive from Guadalcanal. Setting up office</p> <p><u>SOME (Div):</u> Disembarked at Noumea and; M.T. Transport to DOW area.</p> <p><u>DOW:</u> Personnel from AOW, Guadalcanal marched in from disembarkation.</p> <p><u>NZOW DET and 37 LAD:</u> M.T. Repairs. Working party to Noumea wharf starting vehicles ex</p> <p>S.S. Pinkney</p> <p><u>29 LT AA WSHOPS:</u> M.T. Repairs 1 O.R. marched in from Hospital</p> <p><u>20 LAD:</u> Transported unit equipment from Nepoui Wharf. Checking and sorting equipment</p> <p><u>NZOW DET:</u> Routine repairs; additions to recreation hut</p> <p><u>64 LAD:</u> Vehicle maintenance and repair. Work hampered owing to balance of unit ^{Equipment} not yet having arrived from Treasury.</p> <p><u>65 LAD:</u> Working on Workshop area.</p> <p><u>BOD:</u> Routine duties. 1 O.R. marched out to Hospital. 3 O.Rs marched in from Hospital</p> <p><u>2 officers and 50 O.Rs of A.O.D. marched in from Guadalcanal. Weather fine</u></p>	
Moindah Moindah Bourail Tene Valley	13		<p><u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> Setting up office.</p> <p><u>SOME (Div):</u> Set up office with SOME (Base)</p> <p><u>20 LAD:</u> Collecting M.T. parts from Nepoui Wharf</p> <p><u>NZOW DET:</u> Paintshop, M/C shop and Workshop exceptionally busy.</p> <p><u>65 LAD:</u> Working on Workshop area.</p> <p><u>BOD:</u> Routine duties in all sections. 2 O.Rs marched in from BCRH. Weather fine</p>	
Le Clere's Farm Bourail			<p><u>Other Units:</u> Routine Duties.</p>	
Bourail Moindah Moindah Bourail LE Clere's Farm Bourail	14		<p><u>DOW:</u> Work on Base Lighting Plants held up for parts for power units. Most power units are for this reason being changed to Peep motors. Sports from 1430 hrs in line with instructions.</p>	

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Nissan Moindah	14	June	<p><u>SQUARPEG WSHOPS:</u> 4 Trucks shut out from 1st draft loaded at Halis Beach.</p> <p><u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> General workshops routine. Recovered Tank Squad For 4 x 4. Sports in afternoon.</p> <p><u>NZOW DET:</u> Extra work from BNS keeping all sections busy. Organised sports from 1430 hrs.</p> <p><u>65 LAD:</u> Working on Workshop area. 1 O.R. marched out to Hospital.</p> <p><u>BOD:</u> Routine duties. 2 O.Rs marched out on 4 days leave. weather fine.</p> <p><u>Other units:</u> Routine duties</p>	
Bourail Le Clere's Farm Bourail	15		<p><u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> DADOS and SOME attend conference with GOC re the siting of LADs in NEW CALEDONIA.</p> <p><u>DOW:</u> Workshops fully occupied with vehicles returning from Fwd Areas. Some trouble experienced with rust due to exposure to salt water.</p> <p><u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> M.T. Repairs. 4 O.Rs embark for New Caledonia.</p> <p><u>NZOW DET:</u> Electricians busy testing BN vehicles. Many vehicles checked during week for brake relining, and checking fuel and electrical systems.</p> <p><u>BOD:</u> Routine duties in all sections. 1 O.R. marched out to Con. Depot. Weather fine.</p> <p><u>Other Units:</u> Routine duties</p>	
Bourail Moindah	16		<p><u>SOME (DIV):</u> Ordnance repair units requested to forward nominal robls.</p> <p><u>DOW:</u> General routine. Armament sec setting up Gun Repair Shop</p> <p><u>TANK WSHOPS:</u> General routine. Tank Transporter to Noumea for Engineer's Equipment.</p> <p><u>NZOW DET:</u> Routine repairs. 68 vehicles repaired out of total of 92 received.</p> <p><u>BOD:</u> Routine duties. 1 O.R. marched in from Con Depot. Weather fine.</p> <p><u>Other Units:</u> Routine duties.</p>	
Nissan Bourail	17		<p><u>ALL UNITS:</u> Routine duties till 1200 hrs. Afternoon free.</p>	
Bourail	18		<p><u>ALL UNITS:</u> Sunday routine.</p>	
Moindah Bourail	19		<p><u>DOW:</u> Four 25 pr guns received from 38th Fd Regt for overhaul.</p> <p><u>NZOW DET:</u> Trimming machine received from DOW</p> <p><u>65 LAD:</u> Workshop construction.</p> <p><u>BOD:</u> Routine duties in all sections. 23 O.Rs marched in as reinforcements from B.R.D.</p>	
Le Clere's Farm Bourail	20		<p><u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> Authority received from HQ 3 NZ DIV to forward to Fiji Military Forces at Guadalcanal 3 in Mortar and .38 pistol ammunition.</p> <p><u>SOME (DIV):</u> Received from Trentham supply of E.M.E. Regulations covering modifications to Artillery, Telecommunications, Instruments and Searchlights and also publications covering Small Arms.</p>	
Bourail				
Moindah				

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Moindah Nissan	20	June	<u>DOW:</u> Advice received of early departure of another draft of personnel for essential industry <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> US. units moving into Workshops area. Recovered Jeep No. 19388 from Acorn 25. Previously reported stolen. <u>20 LAD:</u> Took delivery of stores truck from DOW. Camp fatigues. <u>65 LAD:</u> Construction of Workshop and benches. <u>Other Units:</u> Routine duties.	
Moindah LE Clere's Farm	21		<u>DOW:</u> 1 officer and 29 O.Rs marched out on transfer to Essential Industry <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> Diamond T Wrecker loaded on USS John Hope for shipment to New Caledonia. <u>1 O.R.</u> embarked for New Caledonia. <u>29 Lt AA WSHOPS:</u> 6 O.Rs marched out to Essential Industry. <u>TANK WORKSHOPS:</u> General workshops routine. commenced complete overhaul of unit Jahn Trailer. <u>20 LAD:</u> 3 O.Rs marched out to Essential Industry. <u>NZOW DET:</u> Routine repairs; recreational period from 1430 hrs. <u>42 LAD:</u> Maintenance on vehicles. <u>64 LAD:</u> 2 O.Rs marched out to essential industry. Vehicle maintenance and repairs. <u>65 LAD:</u> 3 O.Rs marched out to essential industry. Workshop construction. <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> Routine duties	
Moindah Nissan	22		<u>DOW:</u> 3 O.Rs marched in from Forward Area. Workshops busy overhauling peeps to meet demand for this type of vehicle. <u>TANK WORKSHOPS:</u> 1 O.R. marched out to Essential Industry.. General Workshops routine <u>20 LAD:</u> 4 O.Rs marched out on 4 days leave to Kiwi Club. 2 unit vehicles and equipment arrived from Green Island <u>42 LAD:</u> Maintenance on vehicles, painting and greasing of vehicles and Arty equipment carried out. <u>65 LAD:</u> Workshop construction. Took delivery of truck with unit equipment from DOW - some pillaging of tool boxes. <u>BOD:</u> 47 O.Rs marched out to B.R.D. for return to New Zealand for employment in essential industry. Routine duties in all sections. <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> Routine Duties.	
Moindah Nissan Moindah Bourail Nemeara Tene Valley LeClere's Farm	23		<u>DOW:</u> General routine. Armament section proceeding with repairs to guns <u>SQUAREPEG WORKSHOPS:</u> Fatigue party cleaning up camp <u>TANK WORKSHOPS:</u> Tank Transporter loaded bulldozer at Div HQ area and transported to Nemeara then proceeded to Moumea and loaded new D 8 for delivery to Div Engineers. <u>65 LAD:</u> Workshop Construction - unpacking of equipment <u>BOD:</u> 17 O.Rs transferred from B.R.D. in replacement of personnel marched out. <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> Normal routine.	

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Moindah Noumea Bourail Bourail	24	June	<u>DOW:</u> Inspection of small arms. Recreational training. <u>NZOW DET & 37 LAD:</u> I.E. & General maintenance; 2 O.Rs marched out to essential industry <u>NZOW DET:</u> 58 vehicles repaired out of 92 received during week. Several major overhauls in hand. Free day from 1100 hrs. <u>BOD:</u> 2 O.R. reinforcements marched in from B.R.D. in replacement of personnel marched out. <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> Routine duties.	
BOURAIL Moindah Noumea Nissan Bourail	25 26		<u>ALL UNITS:</u> Sunday Routine <u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> DADOS & Staff transfer to HQ 3 NZ DIV. <u>DOW:</u> Capt Sandelin marched out to BRD for duties as Draft-conducting Officer to NZ. <u>INSPECTION OF ARTILLERY INSTRUMENTS</u> commenced by Lieut Danby. <u>NZOW DET & 37 LAD:</u> M.T. Maintenance; 1 O.R. marched in from Con Depot <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> Balance of equipment packed. Vacant tents taken down and packed. <u>NZOW DET:</u> Workshop officer reviews all vehicles on "Dead Line". Every effort being made to make vehicles mobile as soon as possible <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> Normal routine	
MOINDAH Nissan Bourail	27		<u>DADOS OFFICE:</u> Setting up office at Div HQ. DADOS, SOME (Div) and SOME (Base) in conference with AA & QMG re distribution of and accounting for vehicles <u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS:</u> Fatigue parties cleaning up camp area. <u>NZOW DET:</u> All sections fully occupied. Shortage of panel beaters retards repairs to damaged vehicles. <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> Normal routine	
MOindah Bourail Moindah Moindah Nemeara	28		<u>DOW:</u> 17 O.Rs marched out to BRD on transfer to Essential Industry. <u>NZOW DET:</u> 3 O.Rs marched out to essential industry. Pressure of work necessitates the cancelling of recreational period. <u>TANK WORKSHOPS:</u> General workshops routine. Advice received that unit will service all Field Ambulance vehicles. <u>20 LAD:</u> Instructed by SOME to move unit to Nemeara. <u>42 LAD:</u> Maintenance on Vehicles. Painting 25 pdr and 6 pdr with power spray gun. <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> Routine duties.	
Moindah Nemeara	29		<u>DOW:</u> Internal reorganisation to compensate for loss of tradesmen to manpower. Instructions received re furlough <u>20 LAD:</u> Unit moves to new camp site at A.T.D. Nemeara. <u>OTHER UNITS:</u> NORMAL ROUTINE	

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Moindah NOUMEA Nissan Moindah Bourail Moindah Nemeara Nemeara Tene Valley Le Clere's Farm Moindah Bourail	30	June	<p><u>DOW</u>: Troops advised of position re manpower and furlough. Continuation of work on peeps; inspection of instruments etc.</p> <p><u>NZOW DET & 37 LAD</u>: M.T. Maintenance</p> <p><u>SQUAREPEG WSHOPS</u>: Fatigue parties on camp duties.</p> <p><u>29 Lt AA WSHOPS</u>: 4 O.Rs selected for first furlough draft.</p> <p><u>NZOW DET</u>: 55 vehicles repaired out of a total of 90 received during the week. Repair and maintenance work continues at a high level</p> <p><u>TANK WSHOPS</u> General workshops routine</p> <p><u>20 LAD</u>: Setting out camp at new area.</p> <p><u>42 LAD</u>: Maintenance on vehicles. Painting 25 pdr and 6 pdr guns with power spray gun.</p> <p><u>64 LAD</u>: Vehicle maintenance and repair.</p> <p><u>65 LAD</u>: M.T. and Tractor maintenance.</p> <p><u>67 LAD</u>: During the month the unit was fully employed in the V.R.D. 12 jobs were completed in the Workshops and 98 vehicles were painted.</p> <p><u>BOD</u>: Announcement re leave to New Zealand for non category personnel made by ORDERLY Officer to all ranks. Routine duties in all sections. Weather fine.</p>	

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