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Reference	IOR/L/MIL/5/795
Title	'Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force 1- 3-20 with correction slips'
Date(s)	7 Jan 1919-29 Nov 1921 (CE, Gregorian)
Written in	English in Latin
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About this record

Memoranda issued by General Officer Commanding/General Headquarters, Mesopotamia (all duplicated to Commander-in-Chief, India), to the War Office, listing the detailed corrections to be inserted into the Order of Battle of the Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, covering the period 9 October 1920-29 November 1921.

Note: there is one memorandum from General Headquarters, Baghdad, to the War Office, dated 10 August 1920. From 17 October 1921 onwards memoranda are from General Headquarters, Iraq, to the War Office.

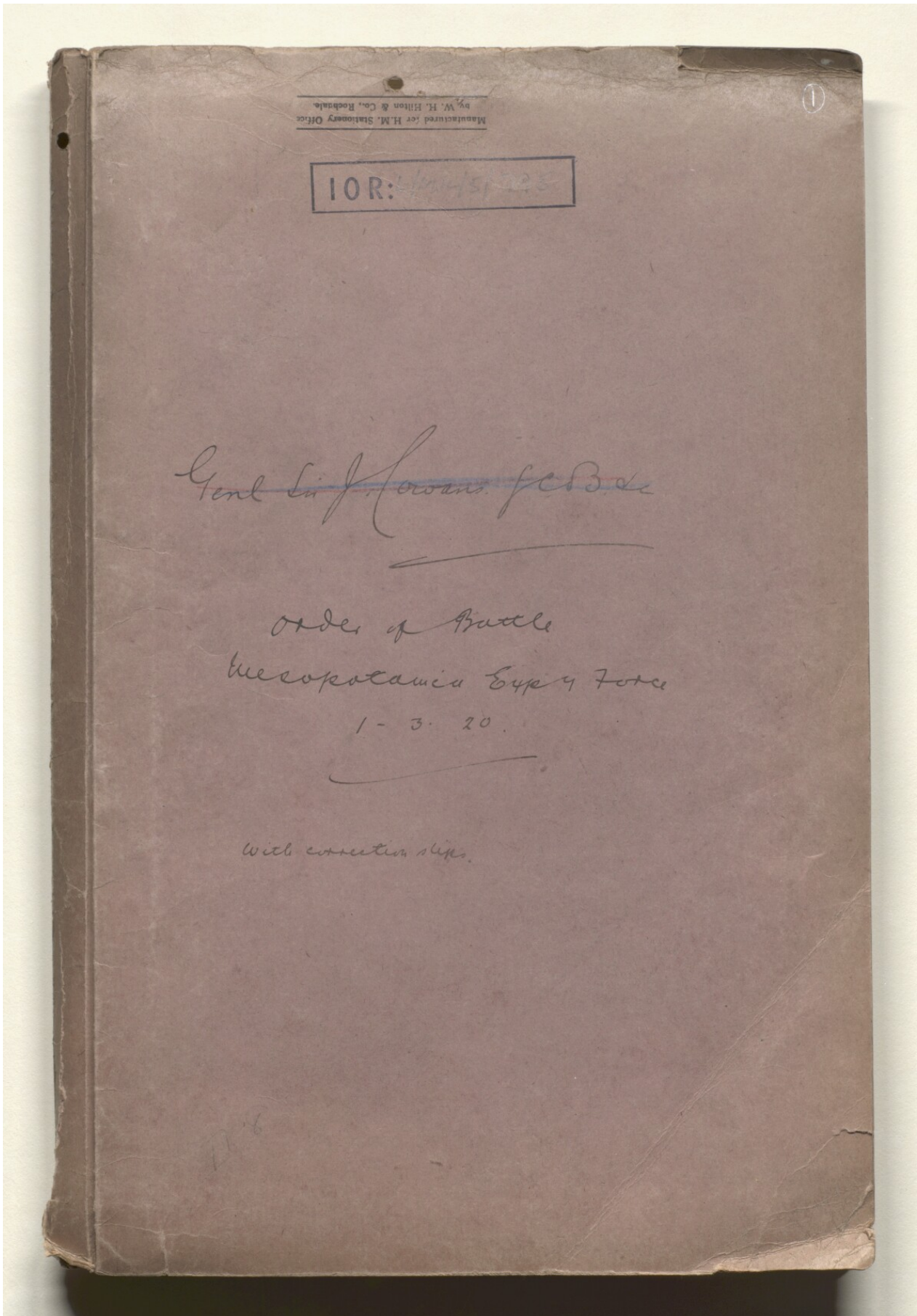
File also contains, three printed official Order of Battle booklets:

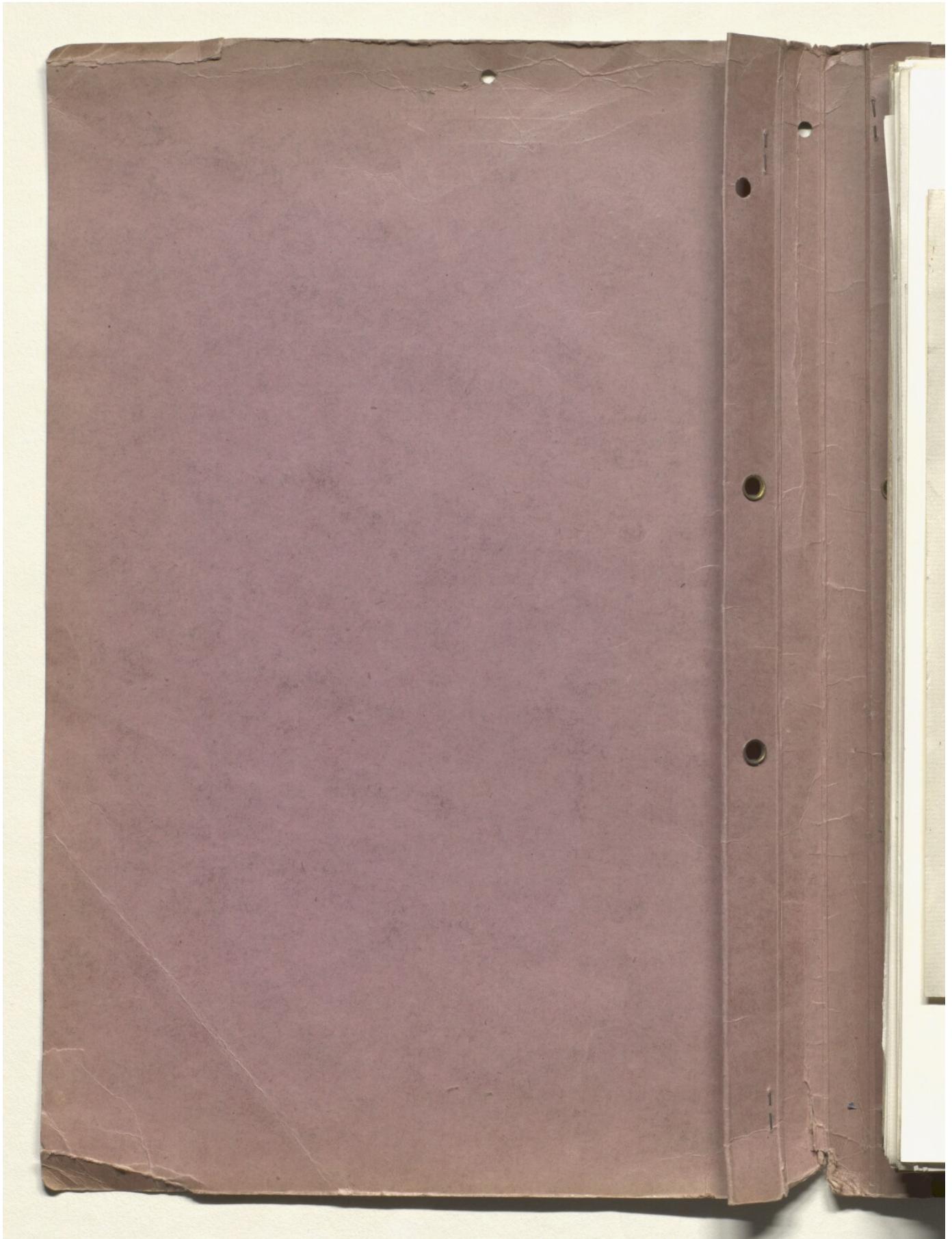
- 'Order of Battle of the Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force. Corrected to 7th January, 1919', dated 7 January 1919
- 'Order of Battle of the Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force. 1st October 1919', dated 1 October 1919. Heavily annotated with manuscript corrections and updates in black ink
- 'Order of Battle of the Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force. 1st March 1920' (in manuscript) 'Corrected up to 11th June 1920', dated 29 February 1920. Heavily annotated with manuscript corrections and updates in black and red ink and pencil and one typescript page inserted at the front listing British and Indian troops with the Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force on 1 March 1920.

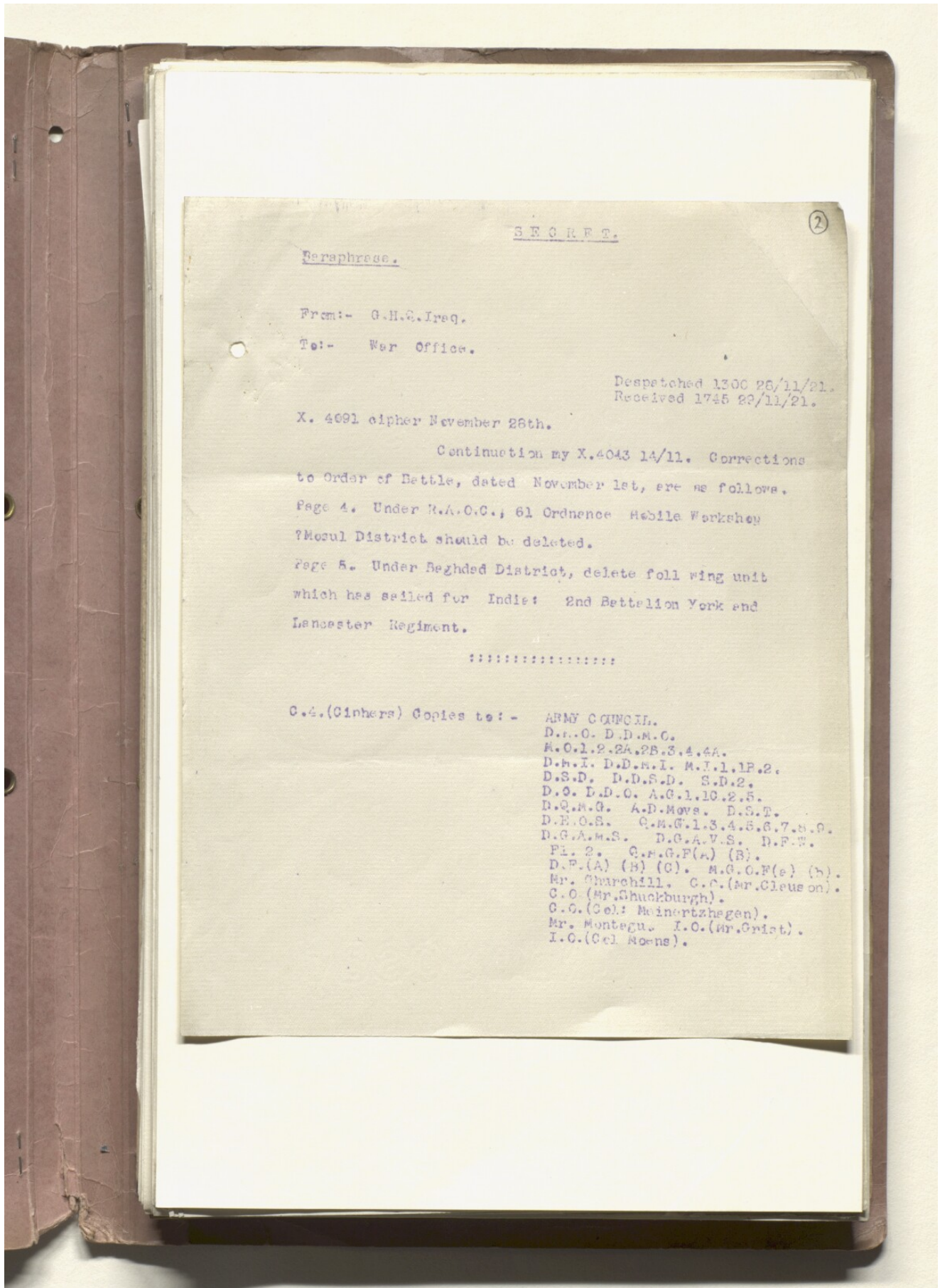
Order of Battle booklets cover, with some variations, General Headquarters and troop organisation; organisation in detail (Army troops, Cavalry, Indian Army Corps); Divisions and Brigades; Lines of Communication – defences and administrative units (including river areas); distribution of artillery; index to Army Corps, divisions and brigades; and index to units (including medical units, ordnance, veterinary

services, supply and transport, engineers, signal service, air service, artillery, machine gun corps, infantry).

The file documents detail the complete military establishment, movements and organization in Mesopotamia and developments over the period January 1919-November 1921.







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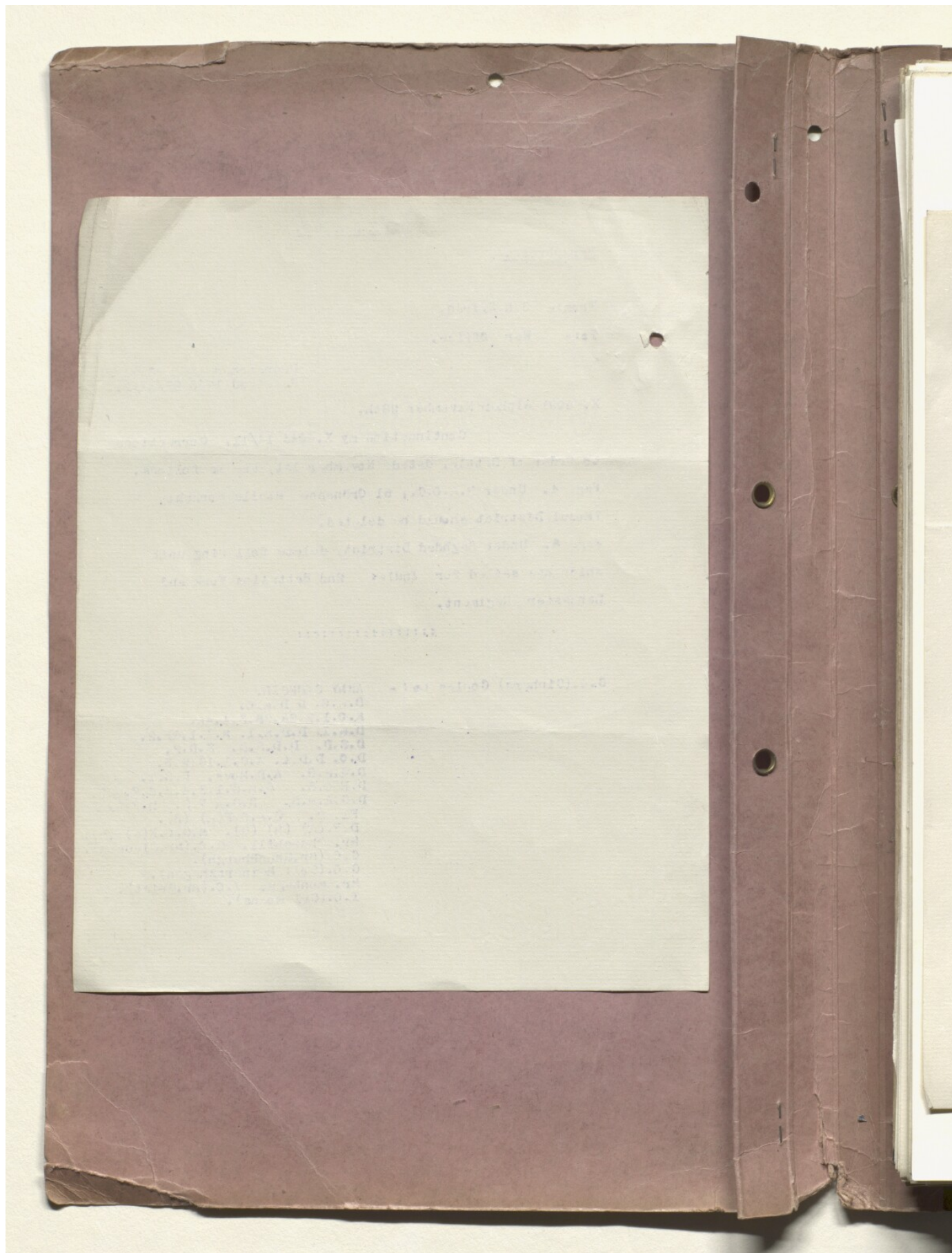
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To:- War Office.

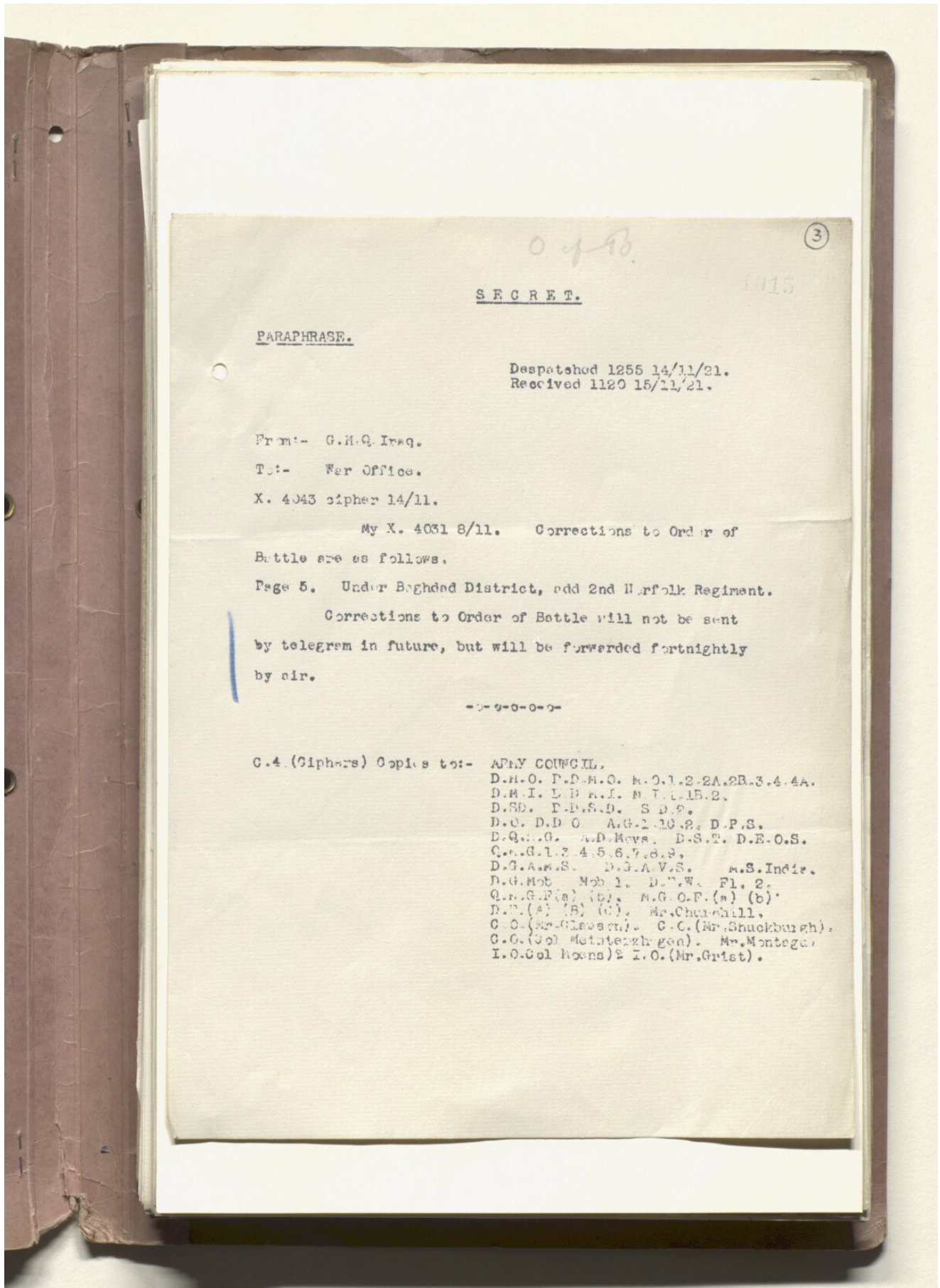
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Received 1745 29/11/21.

X. 4091 cipher November 26th.

Continuation my X.4043 14/11. Corrections
to Order of Battle, dated November 1st, are as follows.
Page 4. Under R.A.O.C., 61 Ordnance Mobile Workshop
Mosul District should be deleted.
Page 5. Under Baghdad District, delete following unit
which has sailed for India: 2nd Battalion York and
Lancaster Regiment.

C.4. (Ciphers) Copies to:-
ARMY COUNCIL.
D.S.O. D.D.M.C.
A.O.1.2.2A.2B.3.4.4A.
D.M.I. D.D.M.I. M.7.1.1P.2.
D.S.D. D.D.S.D. S.D.2.
D.O. D.D.O. A.G.1.1C.2.5.
D.Q.M.G. A.D.Movs. D.S.T.
D.E.O.S. C.M.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
D.G.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S. D.P.W.
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Received 1120 15/11/21.

From:- G.H.Q. Iraq.

To:- War Office.

X. 4043 cipher 14/11.

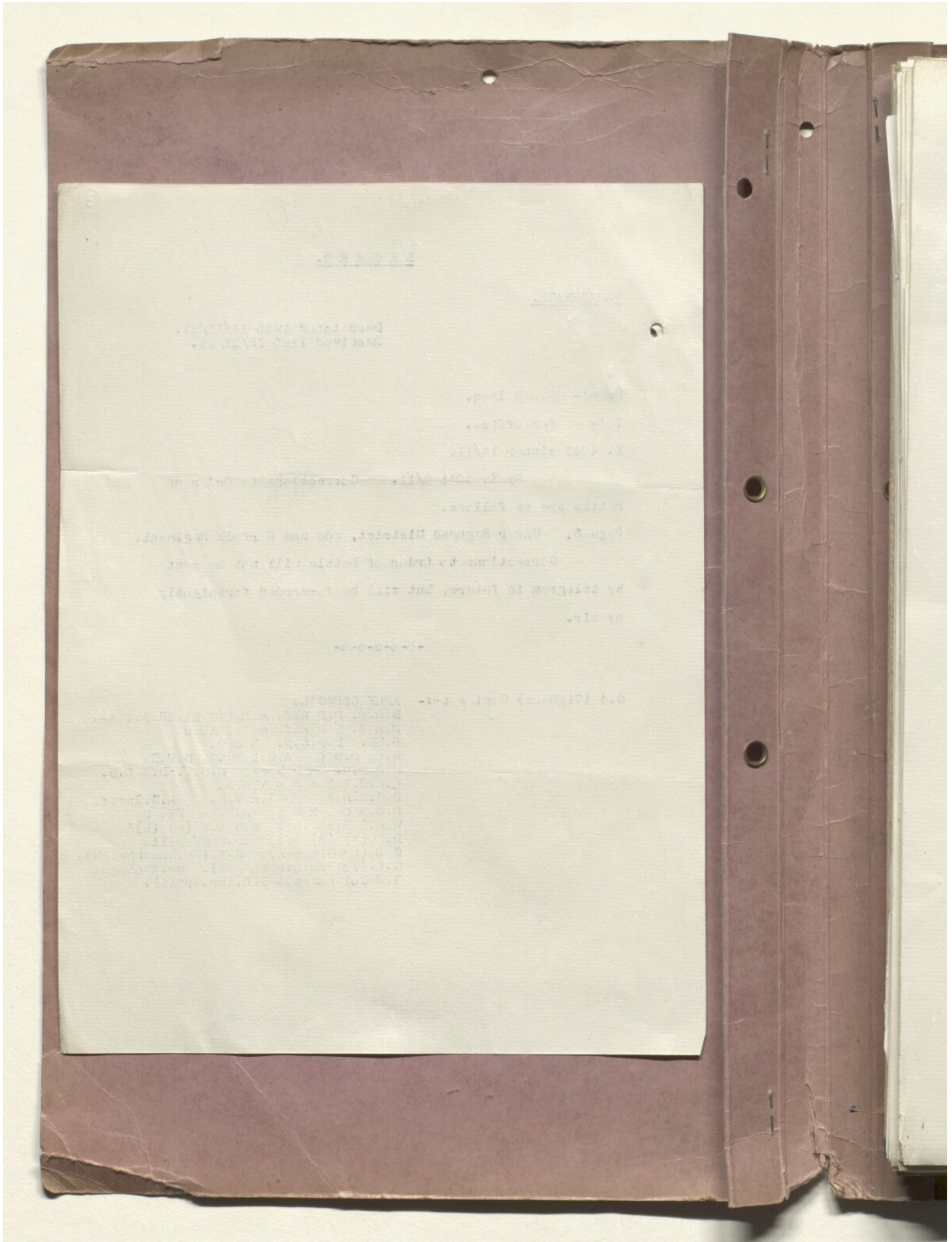
My X. 4031 8/11. Corrections to Order of
Battle are as follows.

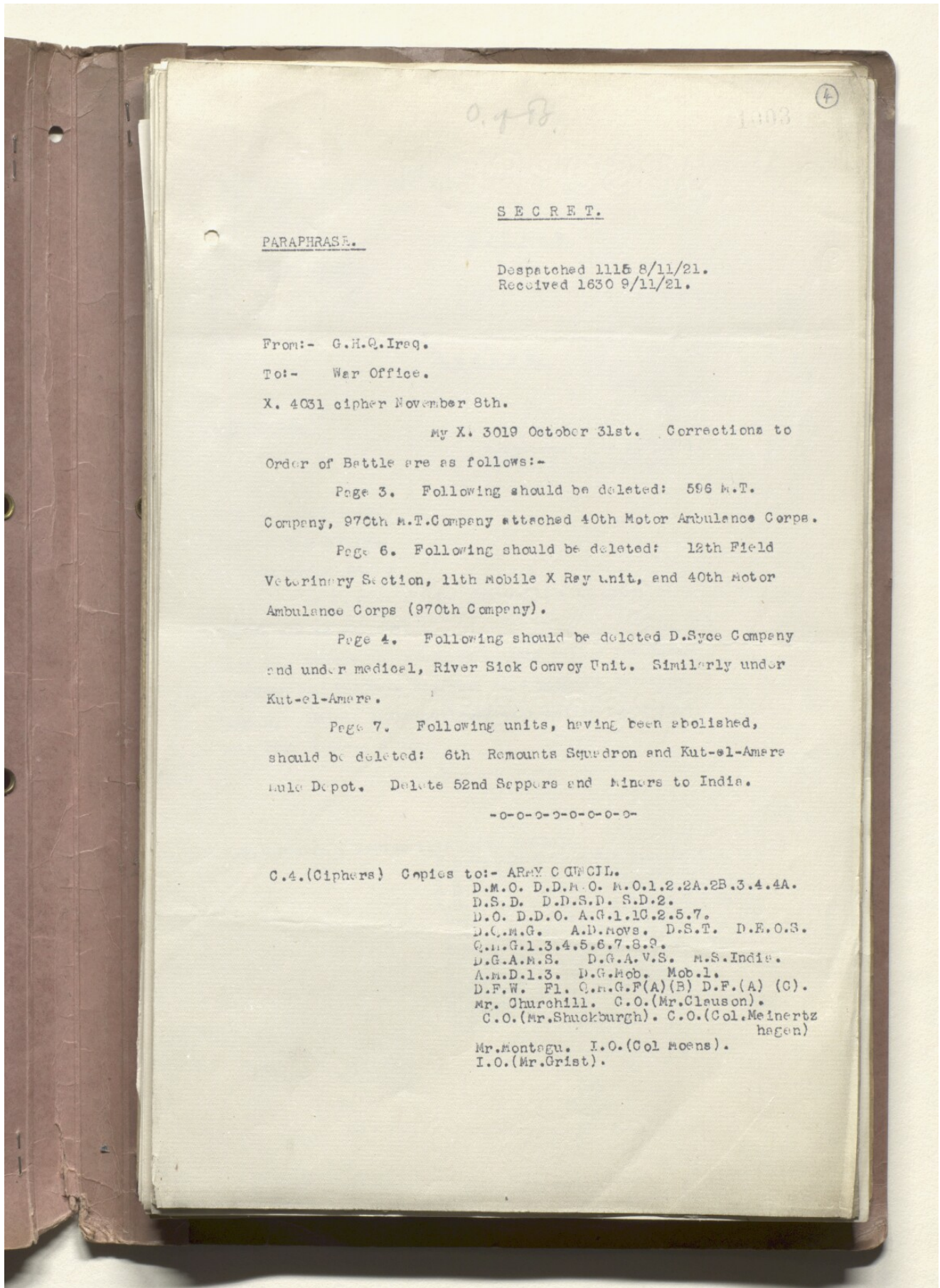
Page 5. Under Baghdad District, add 2nd Norfolk Regiment.

Corrections to Order of Battle will not be sent
by telegram in future, but will be forwarded fortnightly
by air.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL,
D.H.O. P.D.H.O. M.O. 1. 2. 2A. 2B. 3. 4. 4A.
D.M.I. L.P.H.F. M.T. 1. 1B. 2.
D.S.D. P.D.S.D. S.D. 2.
D.O. D.D.O. A.G. 2. 10. 2. D.P.S.
D.Q.M.G. M.D. Mvs. D.S.T. D.E.O.S.
C.C.G. 1. 2. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9.
D.G.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S. M.S. India.
D.G. Mob. Mob. 1. D.T.W. Fl. 2.
Q.M.G. (a) (b). M.G.O.P. (a) (b).
D.P. (A) (B) (C). Mr. Churchill.
C.O. (Mr. Glascock). C.C. (Mr. Shackburgh).
C.O. (Col. Meintzerhagen). Mr. Montagu.
I.O. Col. Hoens) & I.O. (Mr. Grist).





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PARAPHRASE.

Despatched 1115 8/11/21.
Received 1630 9/11/21.

From:- G.H.Q.Iraq.

To:- War Office.

X. 4031 cipher November 8th.

My X. 3019 October 31st. Corrections to
Order of Battle are as follows:-

Page 3. Following should be deleted: 596 M.T.
Company, 970th M.T. Company attached 40th Motor Ambulance Corps.

Page 6. Following should be deleted: 12th Field
Veterinary Section, 11th Mobile X Ray unit, and 40th Motor
Ambulance Corps (970th Company).

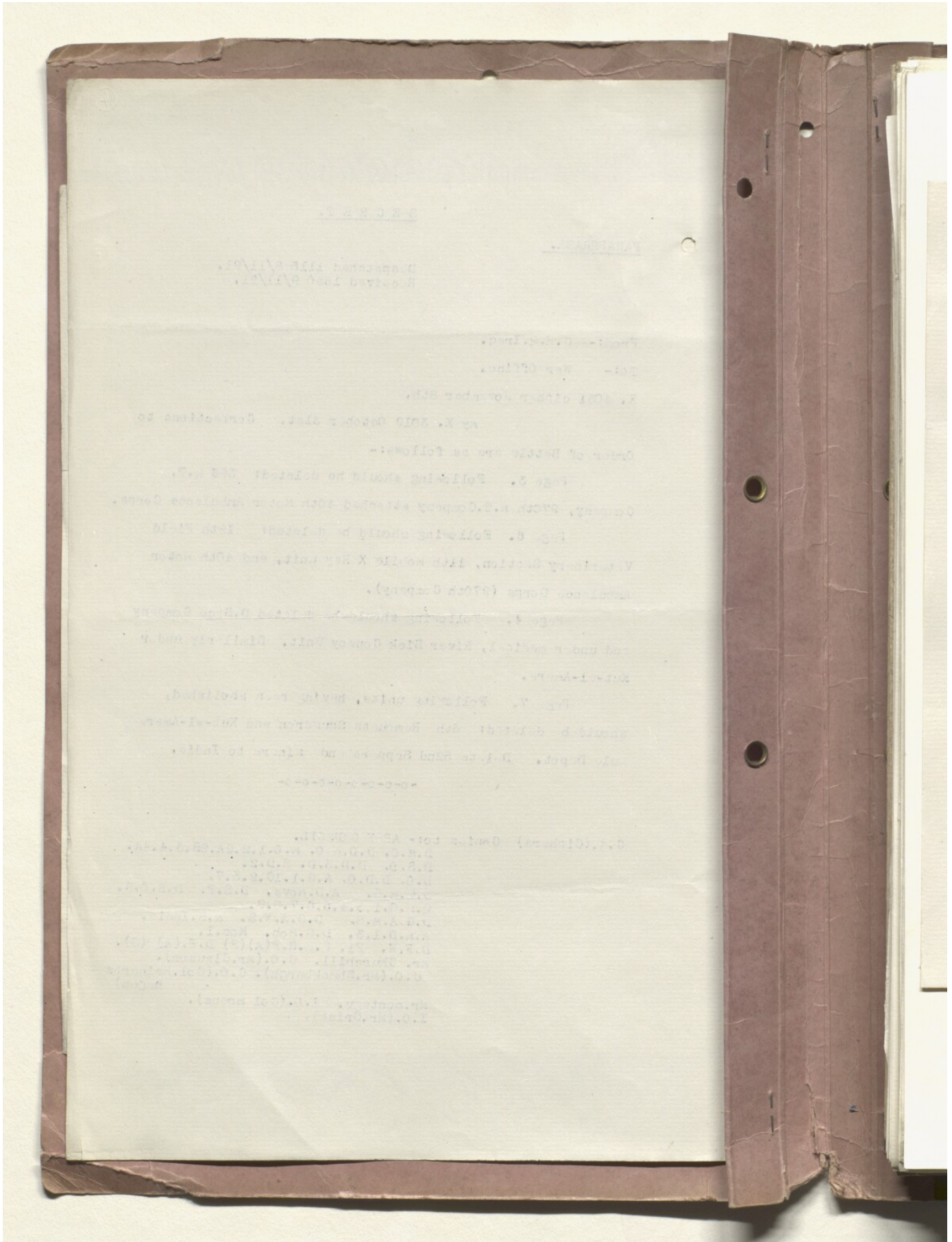
Page 4. Following should be deleted D.Syce Company
and under medical, River Sick Convoy Unit. Similarly under
Kut-el-Amara.

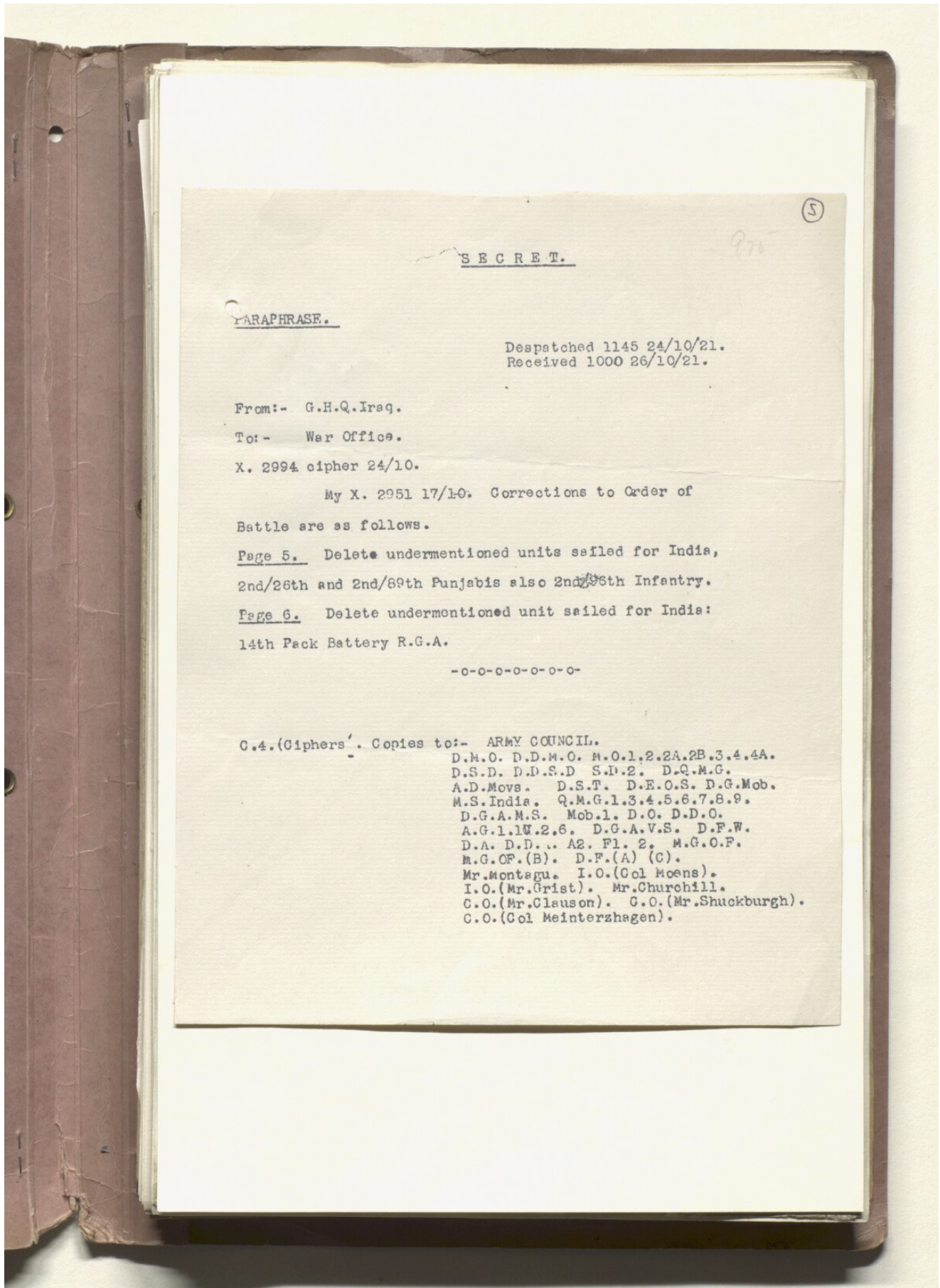
Page 7. Following units, having been abolished,
should be deleted: 6th Remounts Squadron and Kut-el-Amara
Aule Depot. Delete 52nd Sappers and Miners to India.

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C.4.(Ciphers) Copies to:- ARMY COUNCIL.
D.M.O. D.D.A.O. M.O.1.2.2A.2B.3.4.4A.
D.S.D. D.D.S.D. S.D.2.
D.O. D.D.O. A.G.1.1C.2.5.7.
D.C.M.G. A.D.Movs. D.S.T. D.E.O.S.
Q.M.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
D.G.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S. M.S.India.
A.M.D.1.3. D.G.Mob. Mob.1.
D.F.W. Fl. Q.M.G.F(A)(B) D.F.(A) (C).
Mr. Churchill. C.O.(Mr.Clauson).
C.O.(Mr.Shuckburgh). C.O.(Col.Meinertz
hagen)
Mr.Montagu. I.O.(Col Moens).
I.O.(Mr.Grist).

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PARAPHRASE.

Despatched 1145 24/10/21.
Received 1000 26/10/21.

From:- G.H.Q.Iraq.

To:- War Office.

X. 2994 cipher 24/10.

My X. 2951 17/10. Corrections to Order of
Battle are as follows.

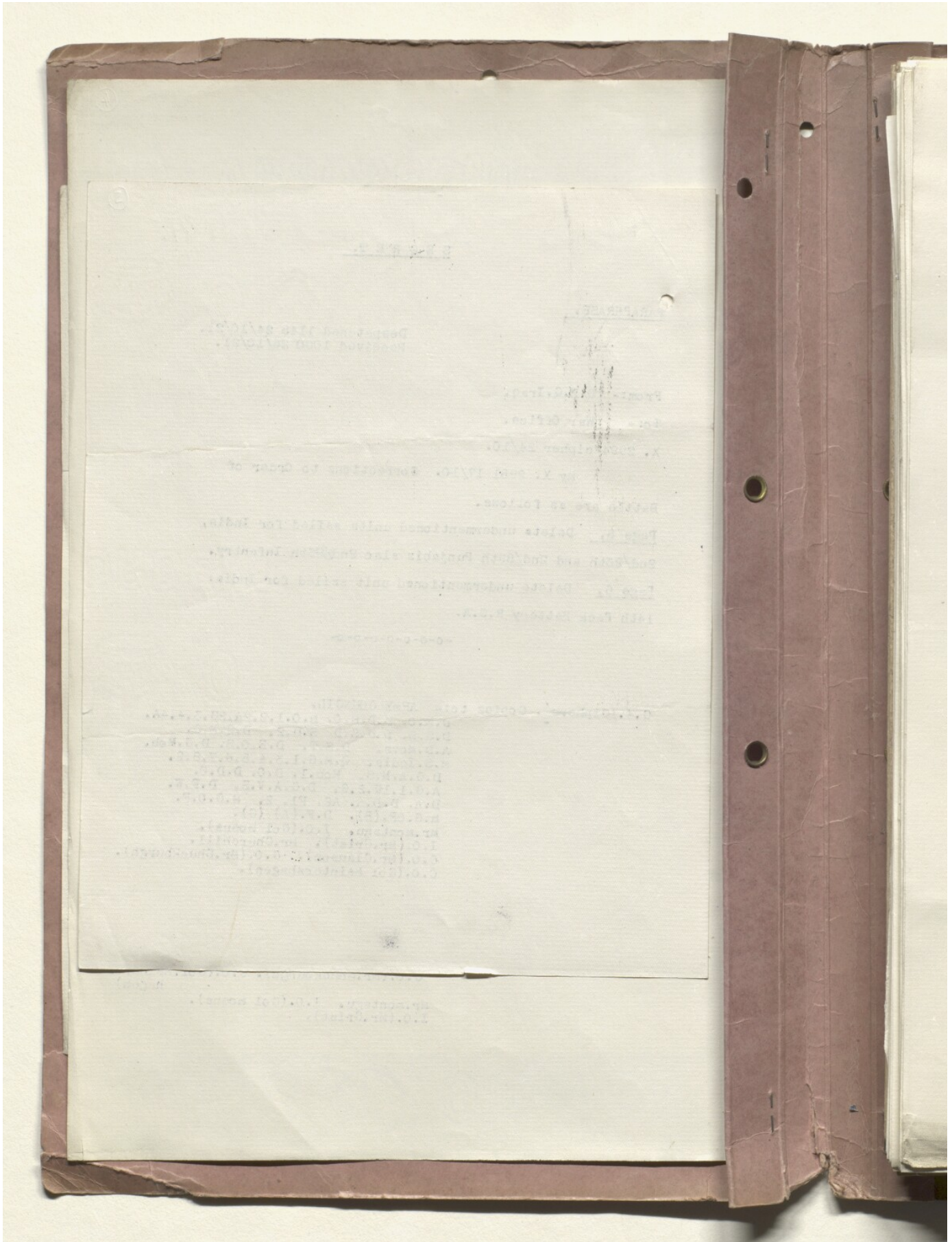
Page 5. Delete undermentioned units sailed for India,
2nd/26th and 2nd/69th Punjabis also 2nd/85th Infantry.

Page 6. Delete undermentioned unit sailed for India:
14th Pack Battery R.G.A.

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C.4.(Ciphers). Copies to:- ARMY COUNCIL.

D.M.O. D.D.M.O. H.O.1.2.2A.2B.3.4.4A.
D.S.D. D.D.S.D S.D.2. D.Q.M.C.
A.D.Movs. D.S.T. D.E.O.S. D.G.Mob.
M.S.India. Q.M.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
D.G.A.M.S. Mob.1. D.O. D.D.O.
A.G.1.1E.2.6. D.G.A.V.S. D.F.W.
D.A. D.D. A2. Fl. 2. M.G.O.F.
M.G.OF.(B). D.F.(A) (C).
Mr.Montagu. I.O.(Col Moens).
I.O.(Mr.Grist). Mr.Churchill.
C.O.(Mr.Clauson). C.O.(Mr.Shuckburgh).
C.O.(Col Meinterzhagen).





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Despatched 1050 17/10/21.
Received 1020 18/10/21.

From:- G.H.Q. Iraq.

To:- War Office.

X. 2951 cipher 17/10.

My X.2922 10/10/21. Corrections to Order
of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows:-
Pages 1,2,3,4,76 and 77. Substitute Mosul District for
18th Division and delete latter where occurring.

Page 5. "A" Battery R.H.A. should be deleted, unit having
sailed for United Kingdom.

Page 6. Delete 13th Battery R.F.A. awaiting shipment,
and 54th Infantry Brigade.

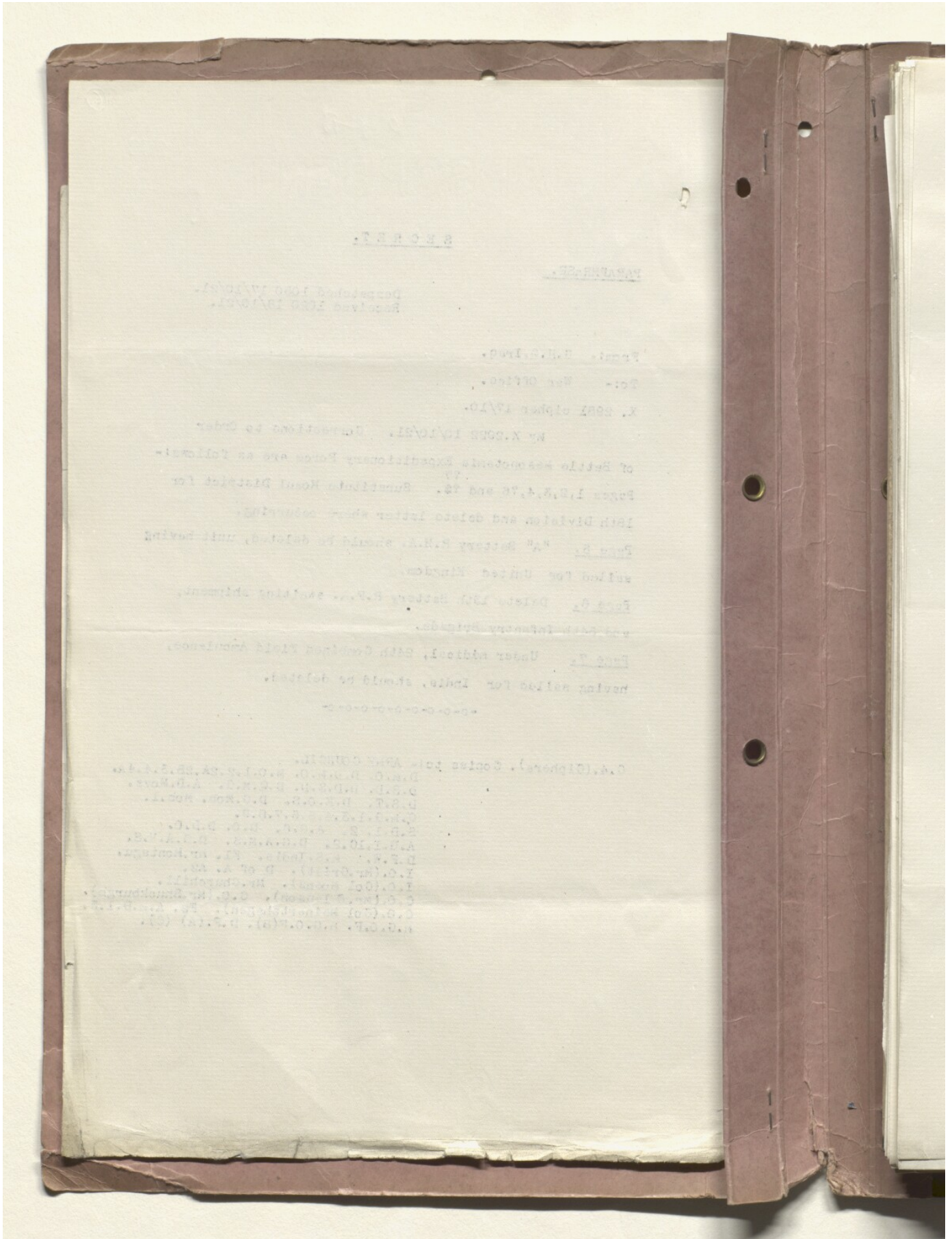
Page 7. Under Medical, 24th Combined Field Ambulance,
having sailed for India, should be deleted.

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D.S.T. D.F.O.S. D.G.Mob. Mob.1.
Q.M.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
S.D.1.2. A.G.6. D.O. D.D.O.
A.G.1.1C.2. D.G.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S.
D.F.W. M.S.India. Fl. Mr.Montagu.
I.O.(Mr.Grist). D of A. A2.
I.O.(Col Moens). Mr.Churchill.
C.O.(Mr. C leuson). C.O.(Mr.Shuckburgh).
C.O.(Col Meinertzhagen). F2. A.M.D.1.3.
M.G.O.F. M.G.O.F(B). D.F.(A) (C).

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Received 1130 11/10/21.

From:- G.H.Q.Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

X. 2922 cipher 10/10.

My X. 2852 of 26/9. Corrections to Order of
Battle are as follows.

Page 3. Under R.A.S.C. delete undermentioned unit which
has been abolished: 1114 Lorry Company.

Page 4. Under S & T Corps, delete undermentioned unit
which has been abolished: 129 Transport Company (A.T.
Company T.).

Under Kut el Amara, delete Advanced Transport Depot
detachment.

Page 5. Under attached, insert 2nd Battalion Buffs.

Page 6. 52nd Infantry Brigade and its troops should be
deleted.

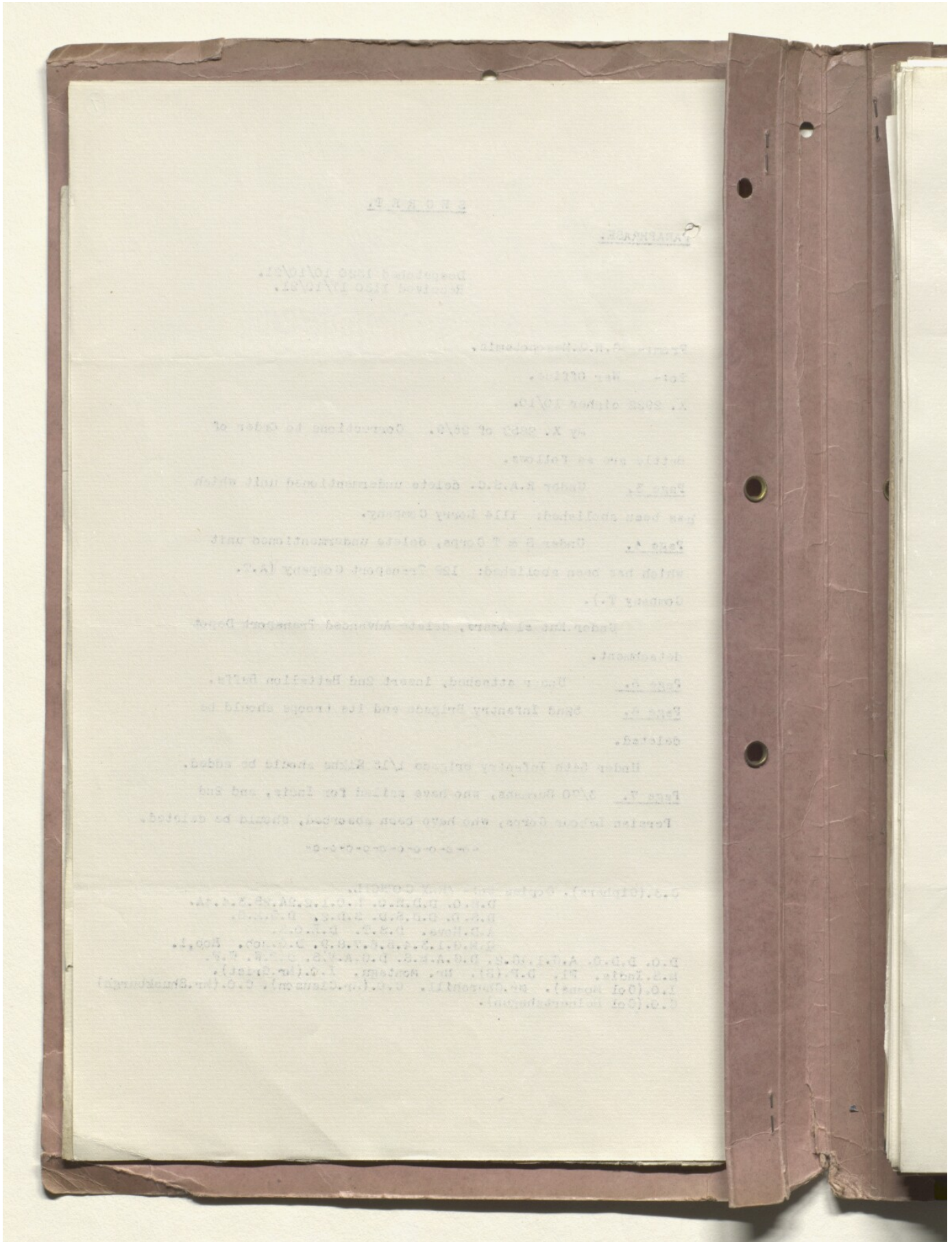
Under 54th Infantry Brigade: 1/15 Sikhs should be added.

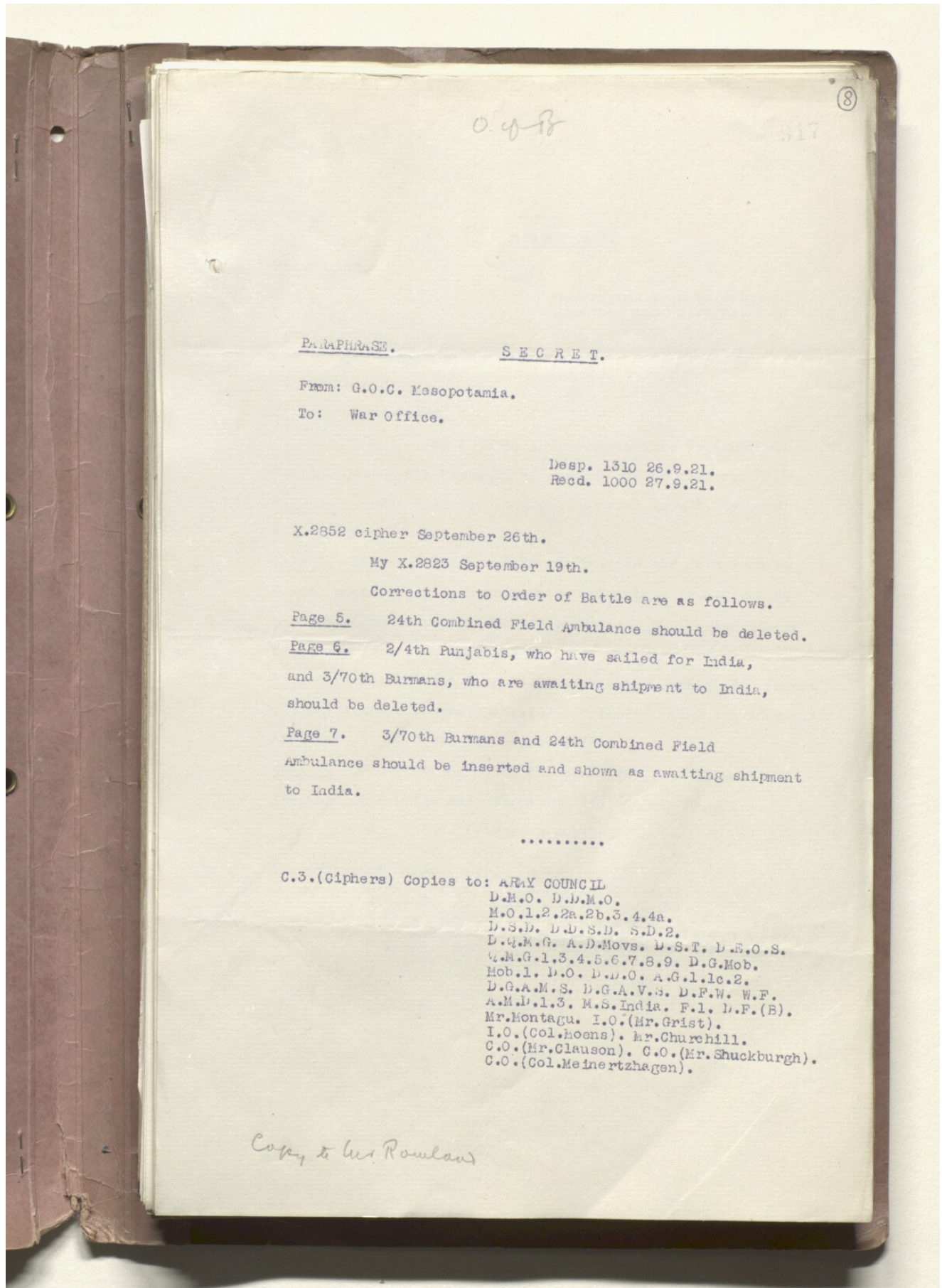
Page 7. 3/70 Burmans, who have sailed for India, and 2nd
Persian Labour Corps, who have been absorbed, should be deleted.

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D.M.O. D.D.M.O. H.O.1.2.2A.2B.3.4.4A.
D.S.D. D.D.S.D. S.D.2. D.Q.M.G.
A.D.Movs. D.S.T. D.F.O.S.
Q.M.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9. D.G.Mob. Mob.1.
D.O. D.D.O. A.G.1.1C.2. D.G.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S. D.F.W. W.F.
M.S.India. Fl. D.F.(B). Mr. Montagu. I.O.(Mr.Grist).
I.O.(Col Moens). Mr.Churchill. C.O.(Mr.Clauson). C.O.(Mr.Shuckburgh)
C.O.(Col Meinertzhagen).

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From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.
To: War Office.

Desp. 1310 26.9.21.
Recd. 1000 27.9.21.

X.2852 cipher September 26th.

My X.2823 September 19th.

Corrections to Order of Battle are as follows.

Page 5. 24th Combined Field Ambulance should be deleted.

Page 6. 2/4th Punjabis, who have sailed for India,
and 3/70th Burmans, who are awaiting shipment to India,
should be deleted.

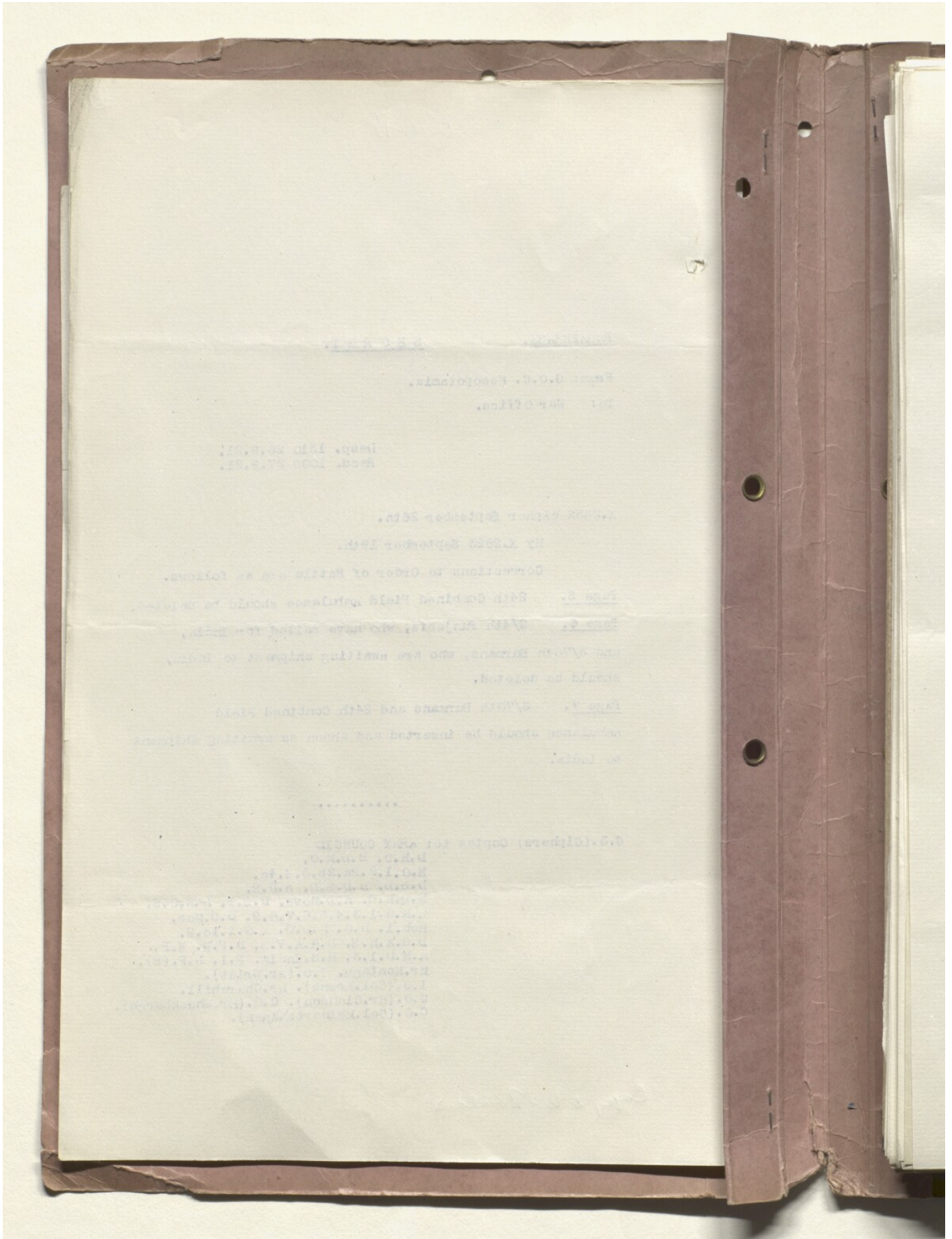
Page 7. 3/70th Burmans and 24th Combined Field
Ambulance should be inserted and shown as awaiting shipment
to India.

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M.O.1.2.2a.2b.3.4.4a.
D.S.D. D.D.S.D. S.D.2.
D.Q.M.G. A.D.Movs. D.S.T. D.E.O.S.
Q.M.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9. D.G.Mob.
Mob.1. D.O. D.D.O. A.G.1.1c.2.
D.G.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S. D.F.W. W.F.
A.M.D.1.3. M.S.India. F.I. D.F.(B).
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C.O.(Mr.Clauson). C.O.(Mr.Shuckburgh).
C.O.(Col.Meinertzhagen).

Copy to Mr. Rowland





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PARAPHRASE.

Despatched 1215 19/9/21.
Received 1130 21/9/21.

From:- G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

X. 2823 cipher 19/9.

My X. 2738 1/9. Corrections to Order of
Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 3. Under Signals amend 4th ?General WOG, RE, to read
4th Wireless section.

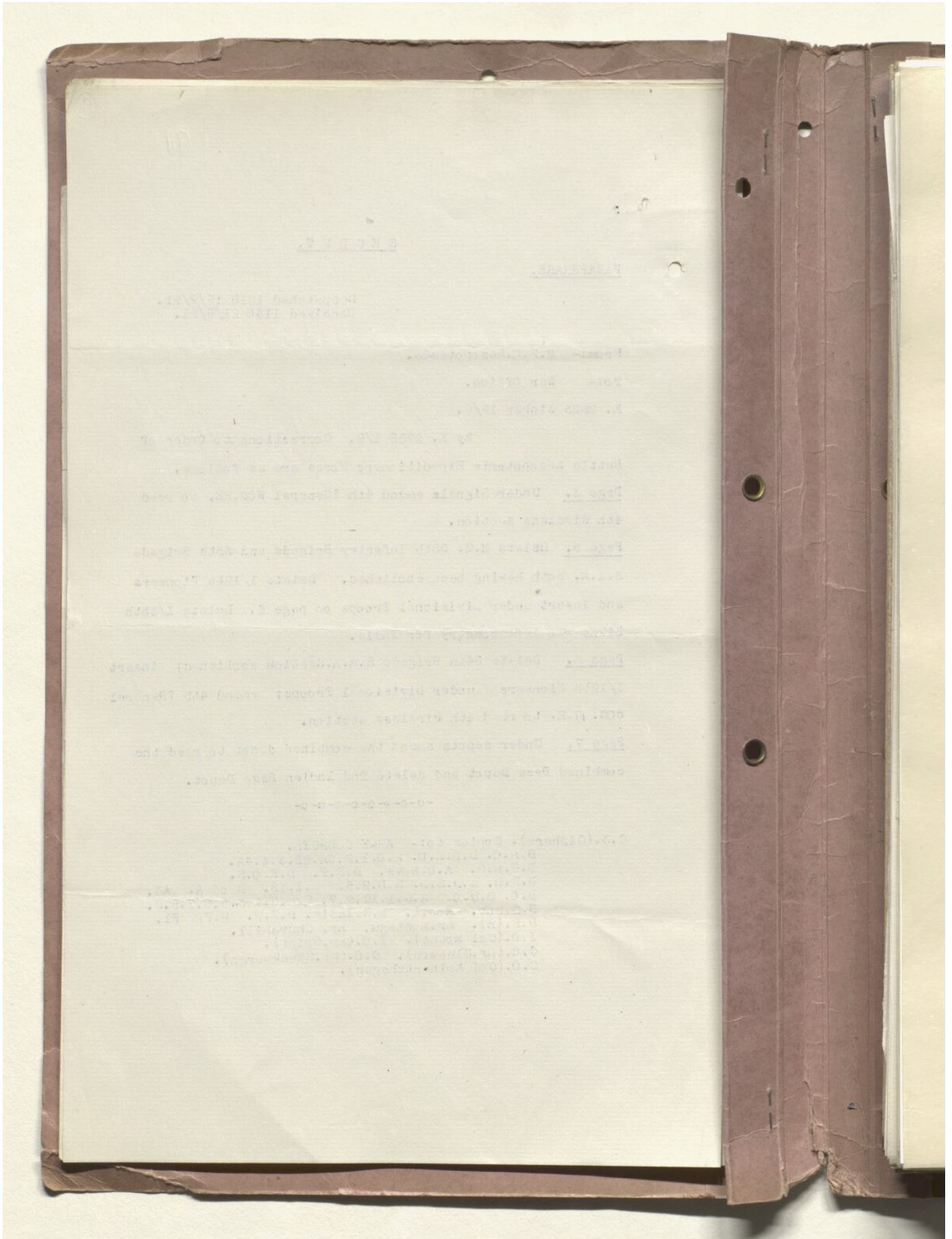
Page 5. Delete H.Q. 55th Infantry Brigade and 55th Brigade
S.A.A. both having been abolished. Delete 1/12th Pioneers
and insert under Divisional Troops on page 6. Delete 1/35th
Sikhs who left country for India.

Page 6. Delete 54th Brigade S.A.A. Section abolished; insert
1/12th Pioneers under Divisional Troops; amend 4th ?General
WOG. R.E. to read 4th Wireless section.

Page 7. Under depots amend the combined depot to read the
combined Base Depot and delete 2nd Indian Base Depot.

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D.M.O. D.D.A.O. A.O. 1.2.2A.2B.3.4.4A.
D.C.M.G. A.D. Movs. D.S.T. D.E.O.S.
D.S.D. D.D.S.D. S.D.2.6. A.I.1B. D of A. A3.
D.O. D.D.C. A.G.1.1C.2.7. Q.A.G.1.3.5.6.7.8.9.
B.G. Mob. Mob.1. A.S. India. D.F.W. W.F. Fl.
D.F.(B). Mr. Montagu. Mr. Churchill.
I.O.(Col Moens). I.O.(Mr. Grist).
C.O.(Mr. Clueson). C.O.(Mr. Shackburgh).
C.O.(Col Meinertzhagen).





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Paraphrase
From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.
To War Office.

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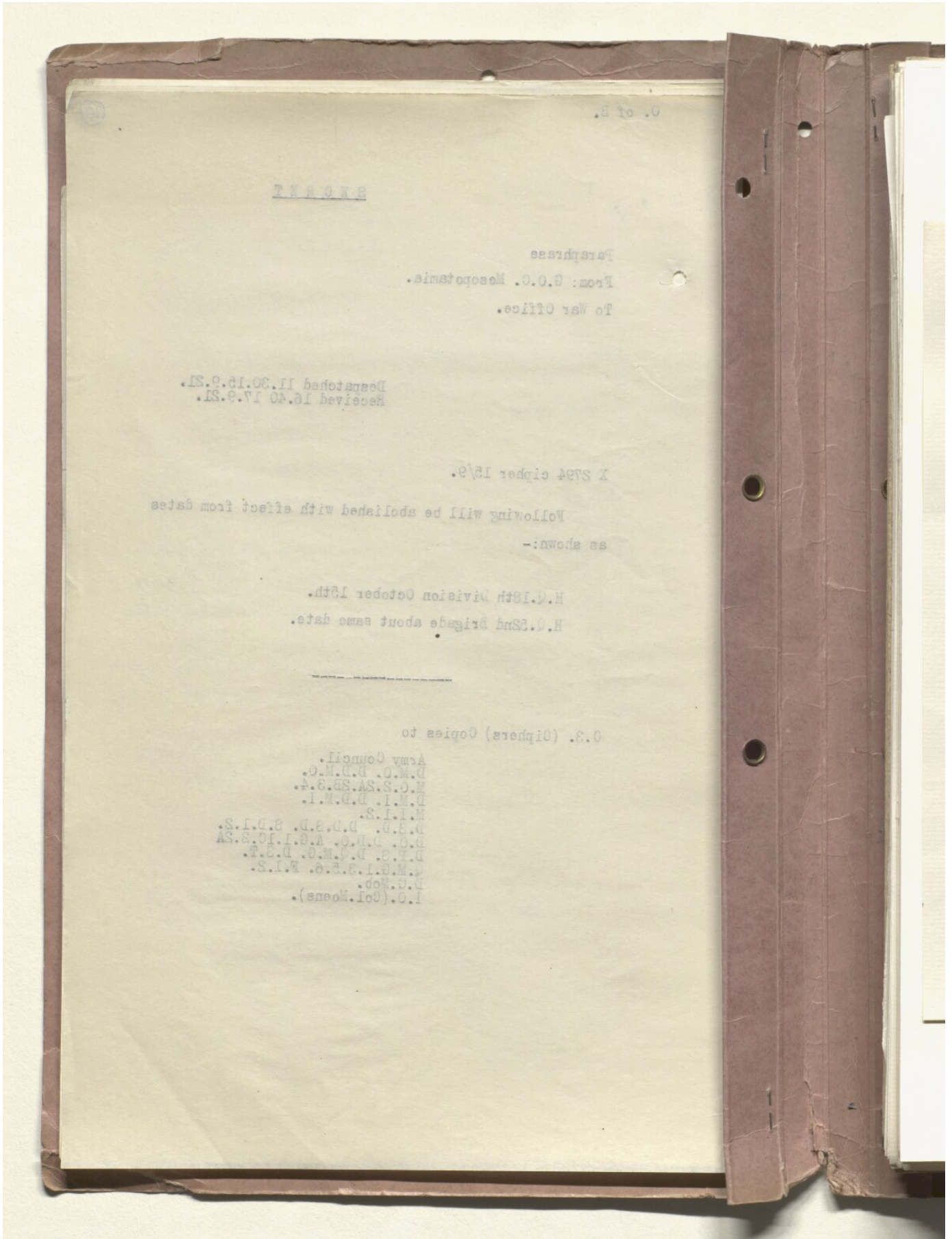
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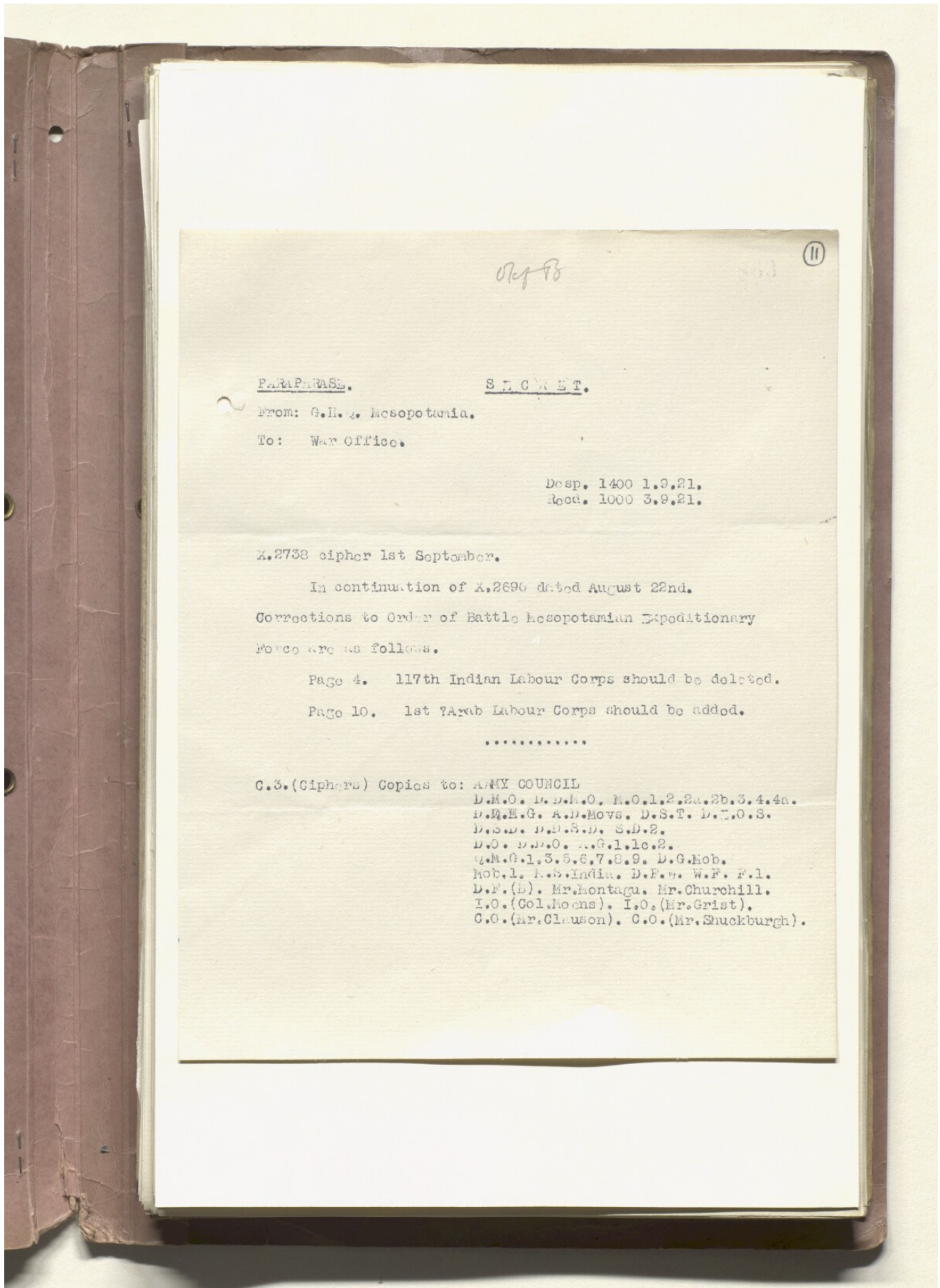
Following will be abolished with effect from dates
as shown:-

H.Q.18th Division October 15th.
H.Q.52nd Brigade about same date.

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Army Council.
D.M.O. D.D.M.O.
M.O.2.2A.2B.3.4.
D.M.I. D.D.M.I.
M.I.1.2.
D.S.D. D.D.S.D. S.D.1.2.
D.O. D.D.O. A.G.1.1C.2.2A
D.P.S. D.Q.M.G. D.S.T.
Q.M.G.1.3.5.6. F.1.2.
D.G.Mob.
I.O.(Col.Moens).





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PARAPHRASE.

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From: G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office.

Desp. 1400 1.9.21.
Recd. 1000 3.9.21.

X.2738 cipher 1st September.

In continuation of X.2696 dated August 22nd.
Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamian Expeditionary
Force are as follows.

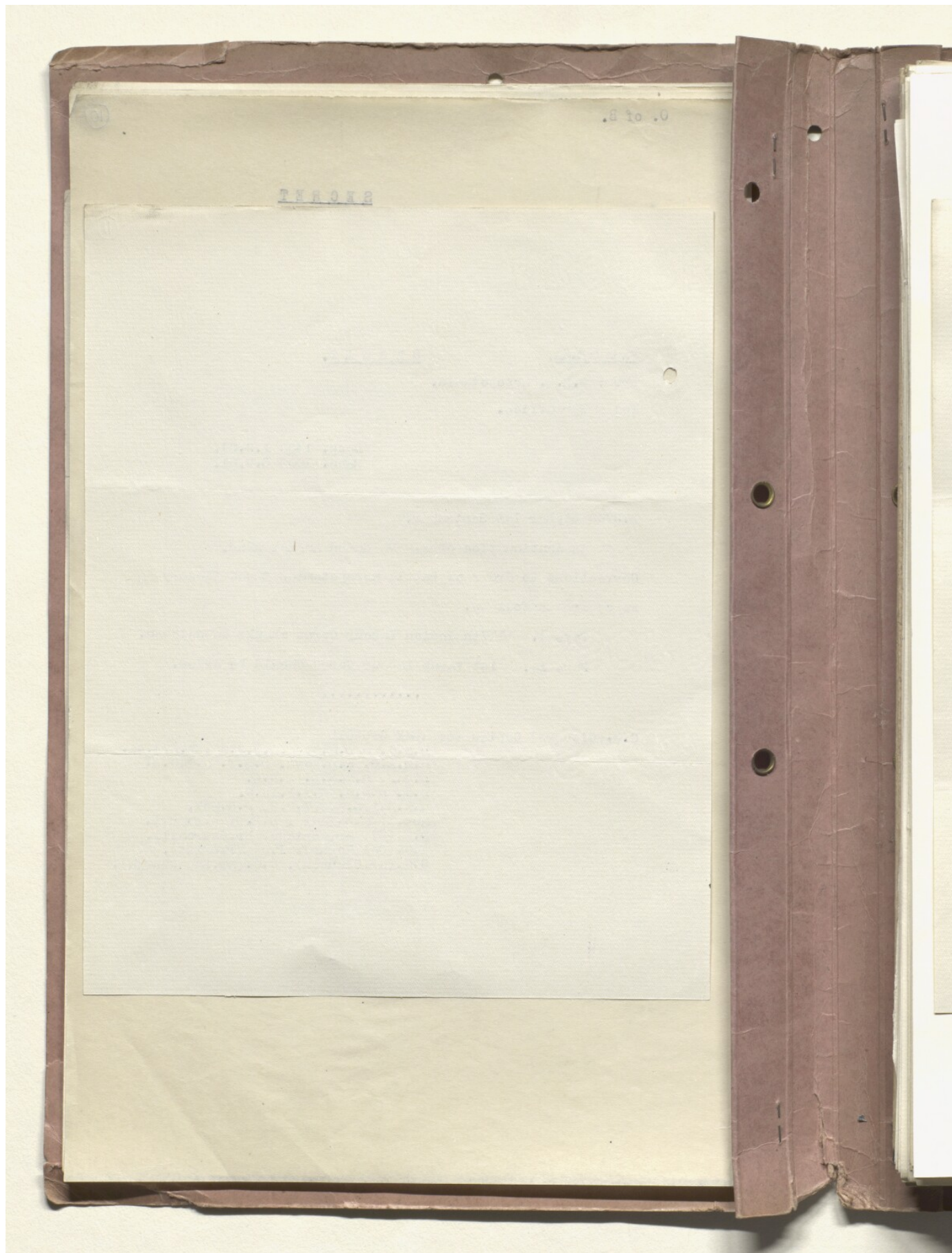
Page 4. 117th Indian Labour Corps should be deleted.

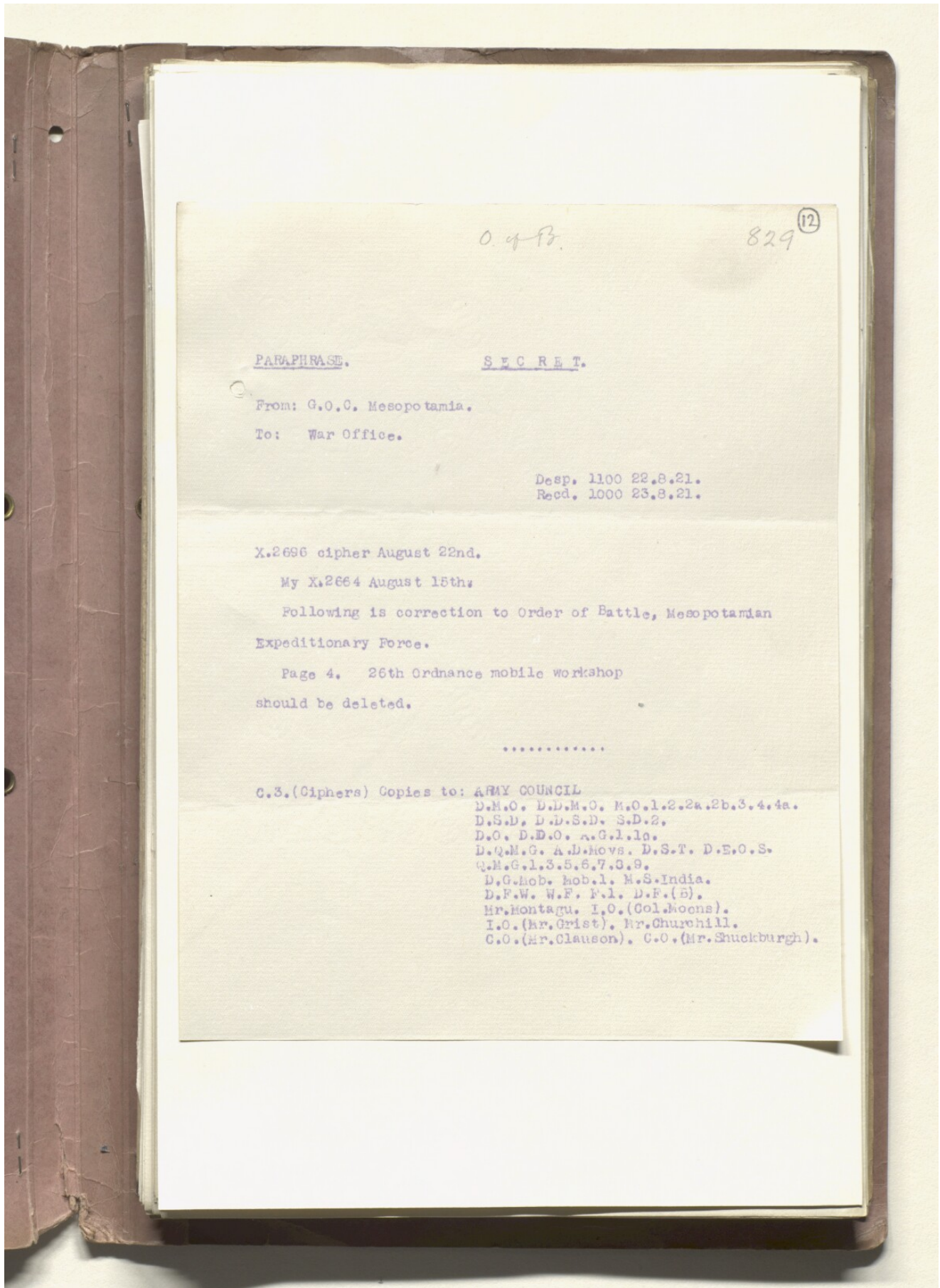
Page 10. 1st Arab Labour Corps should be added.

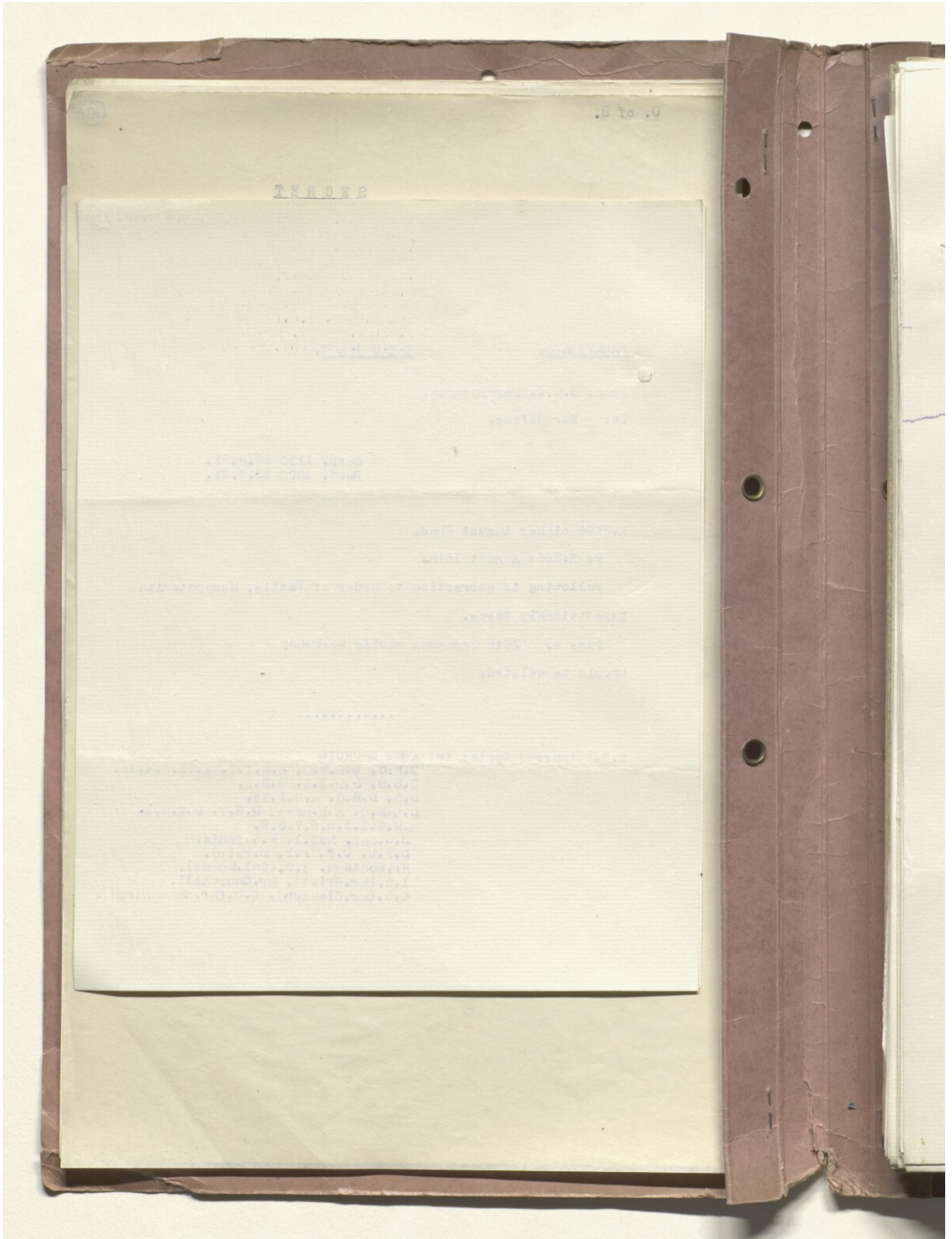
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D.S.D. D.D.S.D. S.D.2.
D.O. D.D.O. A.G. 1.1c.2.
G.M.G. 1.3.5.6.7.8.9. D.G.Mob.
Mob. 1. R.S. India. D.F.W. W.F. P.1.
D.F. (B). Mr. Montagu. Mr. Churchill.
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C.O. (Mr. Clauson). C.O. (Mr. Shuckburgh).









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PARAPHRASE.

S E C R E T.

From: G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office.

Desp. 0905 16.8.21.
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X.2664 cipher 15th August.

Ky X.2641 8th August.

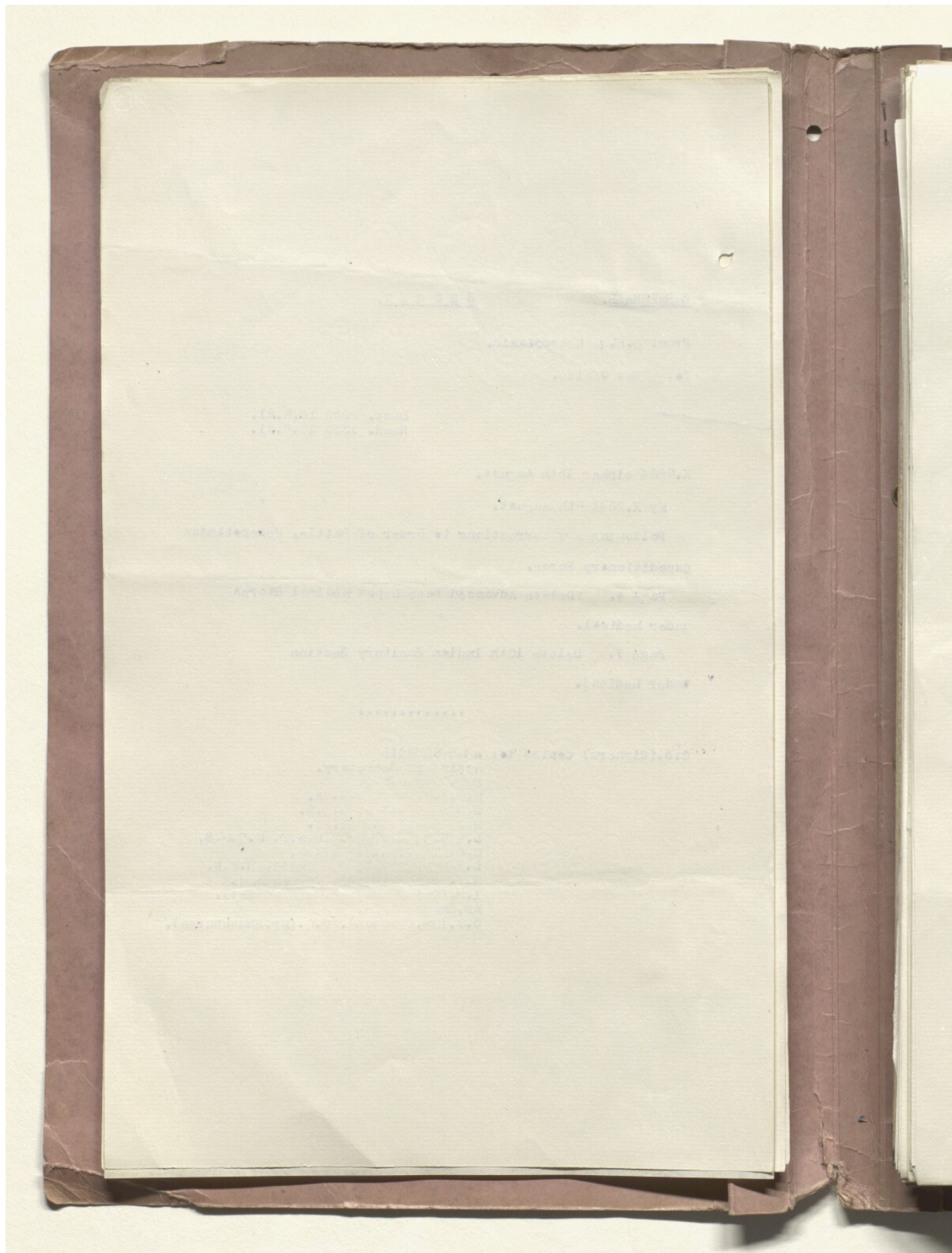
Following are corrections to Order of Battle, Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force.

Page 4. Delete Advanced Base Depot Medical Stores under Medical.

Page 7. Delete 10th Indian Sanitary Section under Medical.

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C.3.(Ciphers) Copies to: ARMY COUNCIL
Assistant Secretary.
D.S.O. D.S.M.O.
M.O.I. 2.3.4. 2b. 3. 4. 4a.
D.S.O. D.S.D. S.D.2.
D.O. D.S.O. A.G.I.1c.
D.Q.M.G. A.D.H.Q.S. D.S.T. D.I.C.S.
D.C.A.D.S. A.M. 2.1.2.3.
D.C. Pop. India. U.S. India. D.F.W.
W.F. I.C. D.T. (B). Mr. Pentago.
I.C. (Col. Popsy). I.C. (Mr. Grist).
Mr. Chamberlain.
C.J. (Mr. Clabson). C.O. (Mr. Shuckburgh).



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S E C R E T.

Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

Despatched:- 16.30 8.8.21.
Received:- 10.00 12.8.21.

X.2641 cipher 8/8.

My X.2605 1/8.

Following are corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia.

Expeditionary Force.

Page 3 delete following units which have been abolished:- 1160
Base Motor Transport Company and Auxiliary Mechanical Transport
Pool Car Company.

Page 4. Under Supply & Transport, delete following unit which has
been abolished: Advanced Supply Depot.

Page 5. Under attached, delete following unit which has sailed
for India: 106 Pioneers.

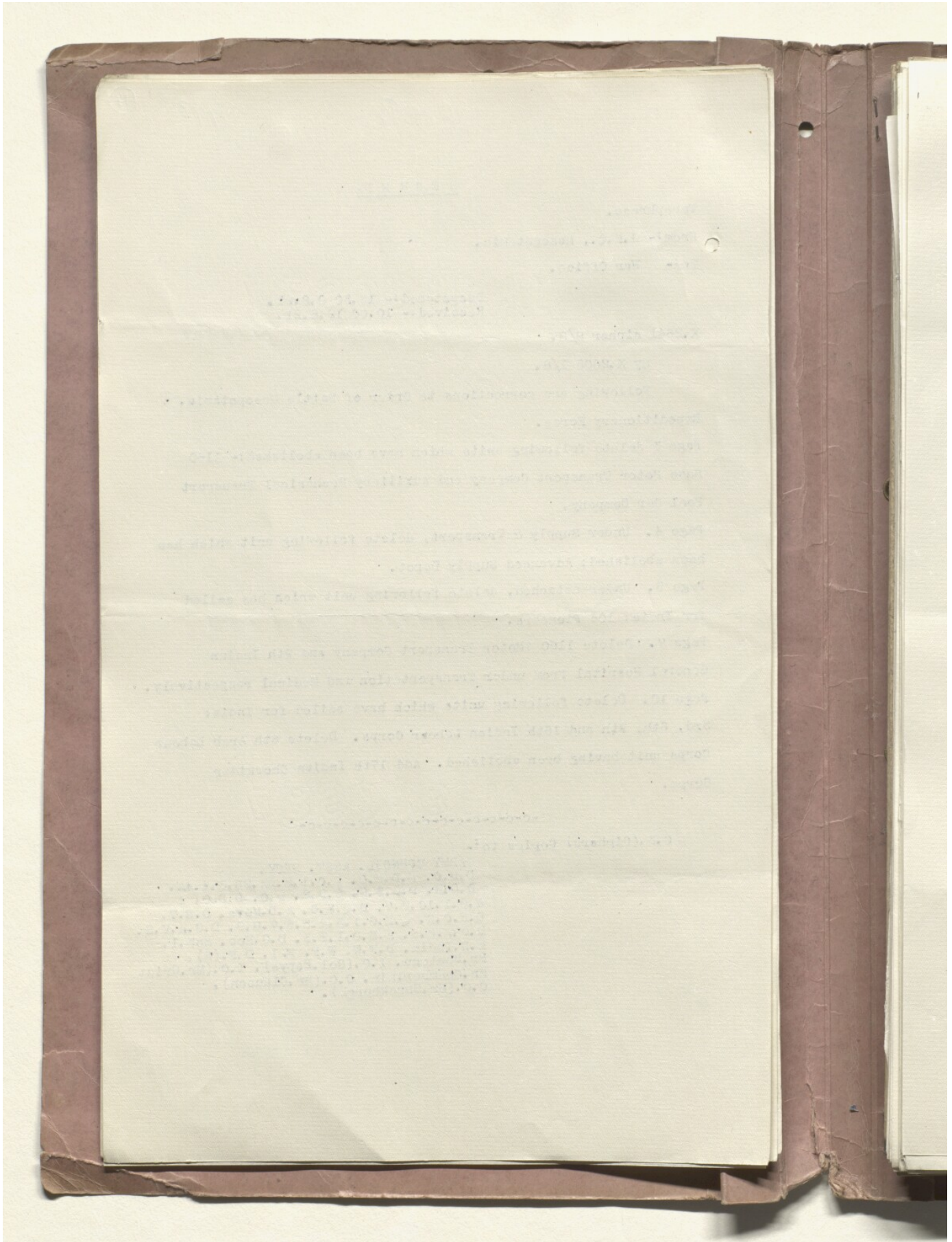
Page 7. Delete 1160 Motor Transport Company and 9th Indian
General Hospital from under Transportation and Medical respectively.

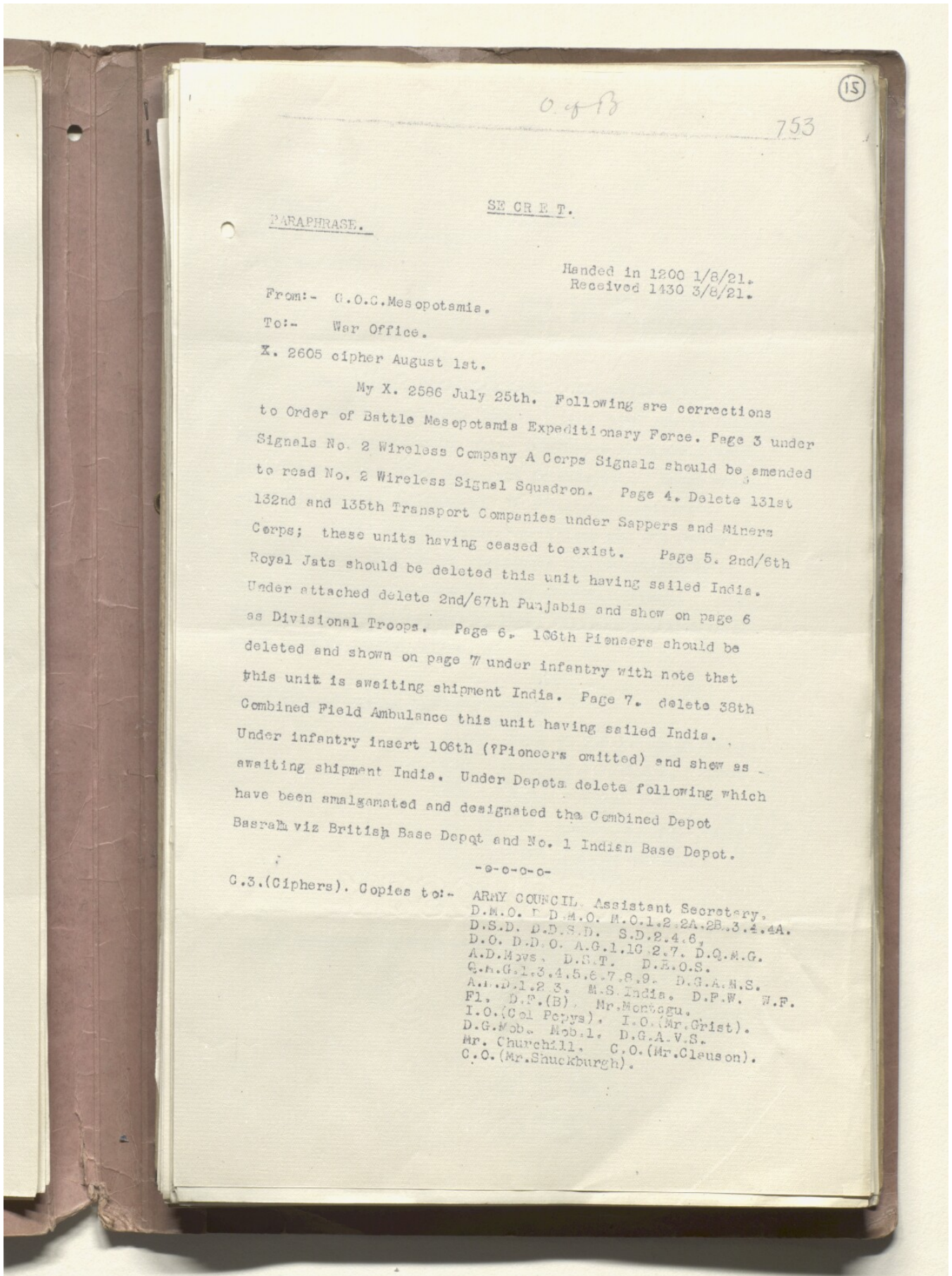
Page 10. Delete following units which have sailed for India:
3rd, 6th, 9th and 16th Indian Labour Corps. Delete 6th Arab Labour
Corps unit having been abolished. Add 17th Indian Chowkidar
Corps.

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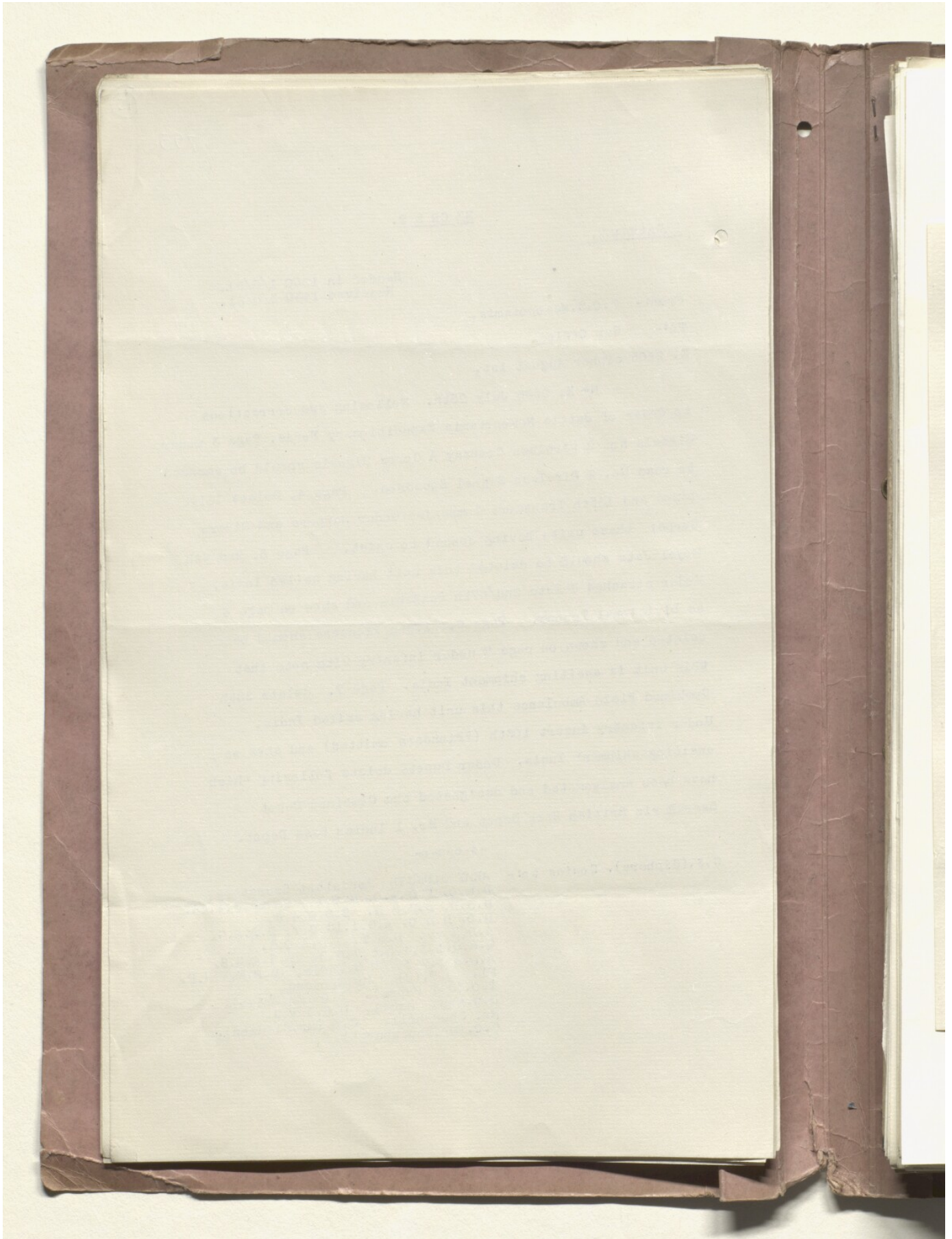
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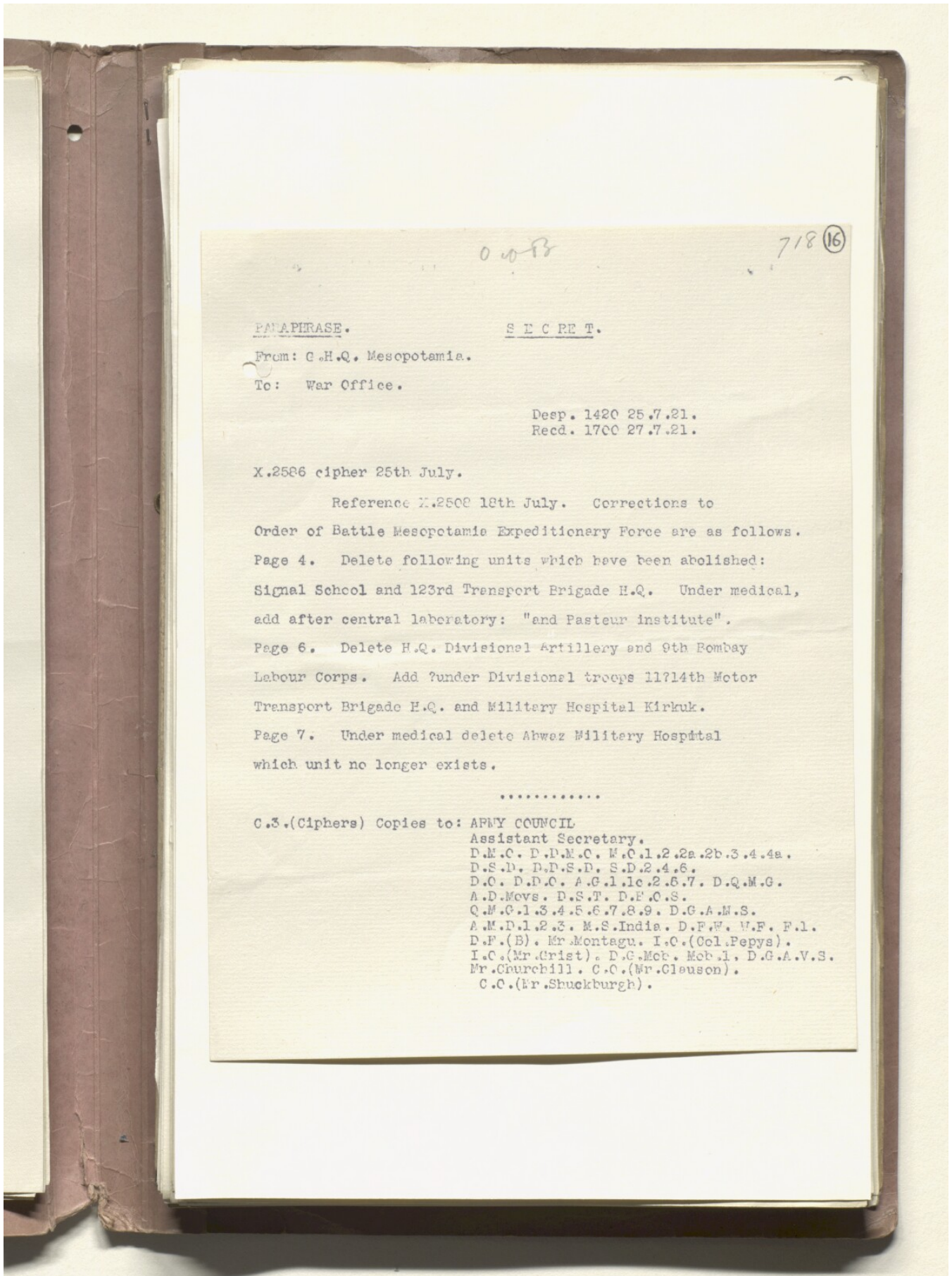
X. 2605 cipher August 1st.

My X. 2586 July 25th. Following are corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force. Page 3 under Signals No. 2 Wireless Company A Corps Signals should be amended to read No. 2 Wireless Signal Squadron. Page 4. Delete 131st 132nd and 135th Transport Companies under Sappers and Miners Corps; these units having ceased to exist. Page 5. 2nd/8th Royal Jats should be deleted this unit having sailed India. Under attached delete 2nd/67th Punjabis and show on page 6 as Divisional Troops. Page 6. 106th Pioneers should be deleted and shown on page 7 under infantry with note that this unit is awaiting shipment India. Page 7. delete 38th Combined Field Ambulance this unit having sailed India. Under infantry insert 106th (?Pioneers omitted) and show as awaiting shipment India. Under Depots delete following which have been amalgamated and designated the Combined Depot Basrah viz British Base Depot and No. 1 Indian Base Depot.

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To: War Office.

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X.2586 cipher 25th July.

Reference X.2500 18th July. Corrections to
Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 4. Delete following units which have been abolished:
Signal School and 123rd Transport Brigade H.Q. Under medical,
add after central laboratory: "and Pasteur institute".

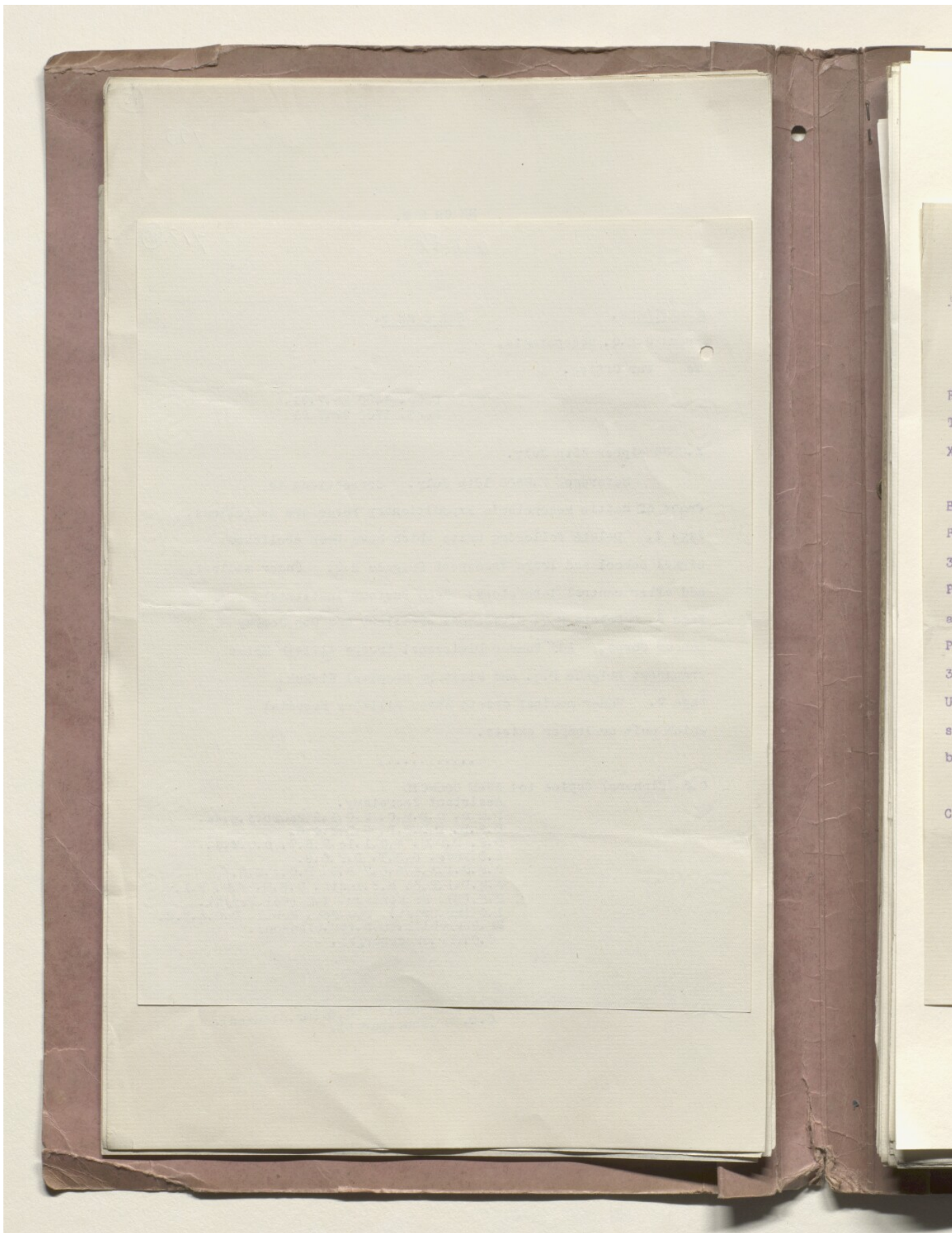
Page 6. Delete H.Q. Divisional Artillery and 9th Bombay
Labour Corps. Add under Divisional troops 11?14th Motor
Transport Brigade H.Q. and Military Hospital Kirkuk.

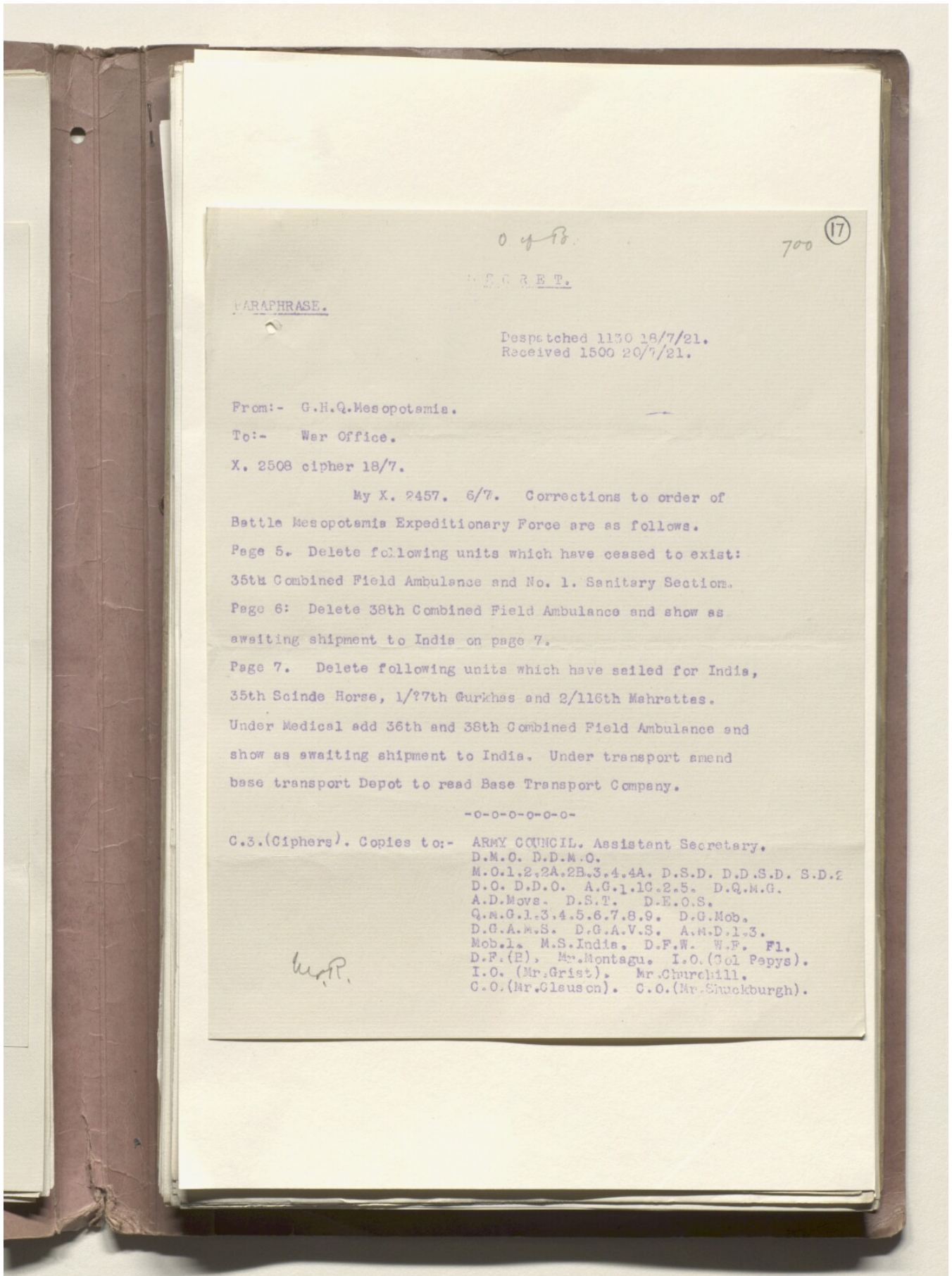
Page 7. Under medical delete Ahwez Military Hospital
which unit no longer exists.

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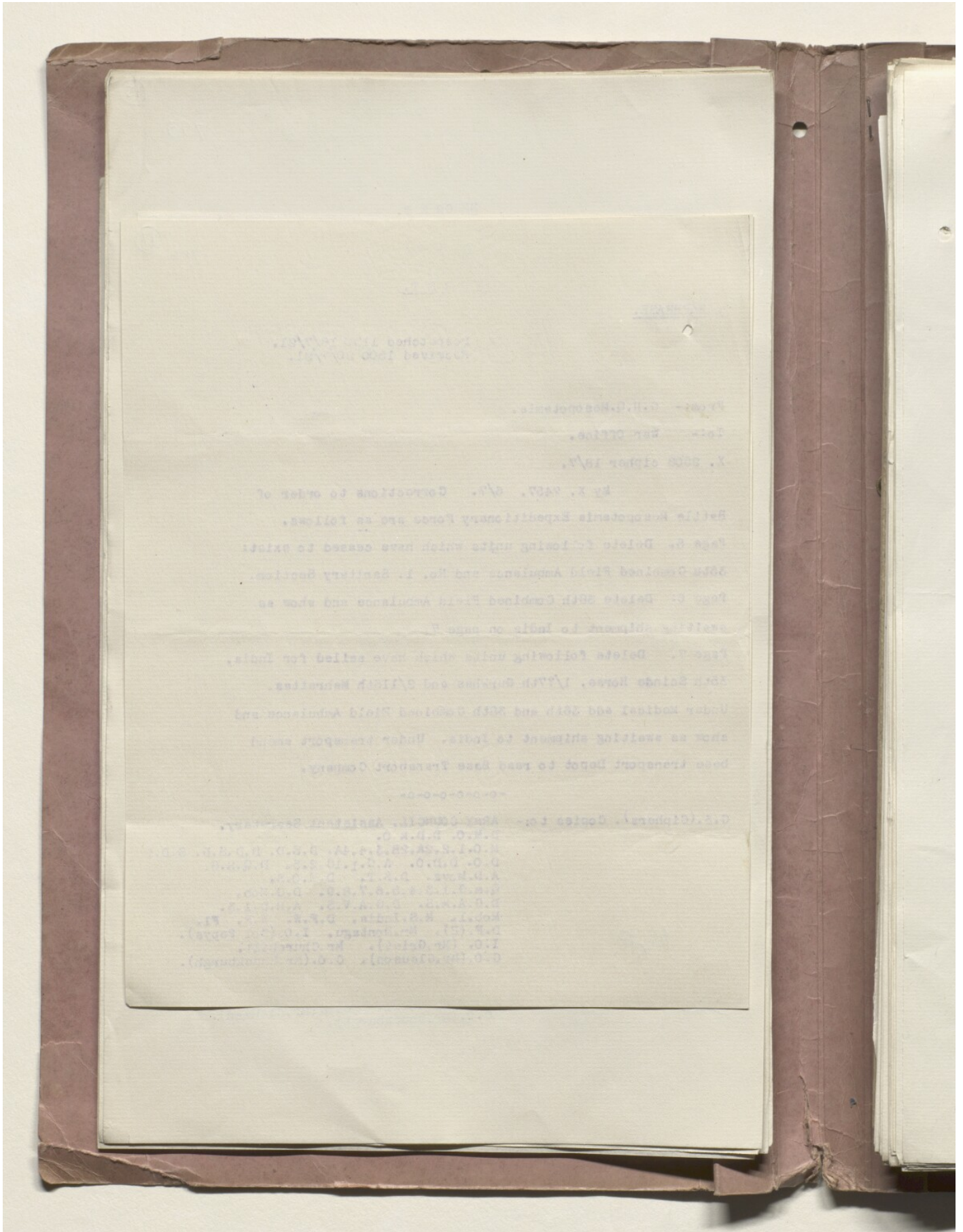
My X. 2457. 6/7. Corrections to order of
Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.
Page 5. Delete following units which have ceased to exist:
35th Combined Field Ambulance and No. 1. Sanitary Section.
Page 6: Delete 38th Combined Field Ambulance and show as
awaiting shipment to India on page 7.
Page 7. Delete following units which have sailed for India,
35th Scinde Horse, 1/27th Gurkhas and 2/116th Mahrattas.
Under Medical add 36th and 38th Combined Field Ambulance and
show as awaiting shipment to India. Under transport amend
base transport Depot to read Base Transport Company.

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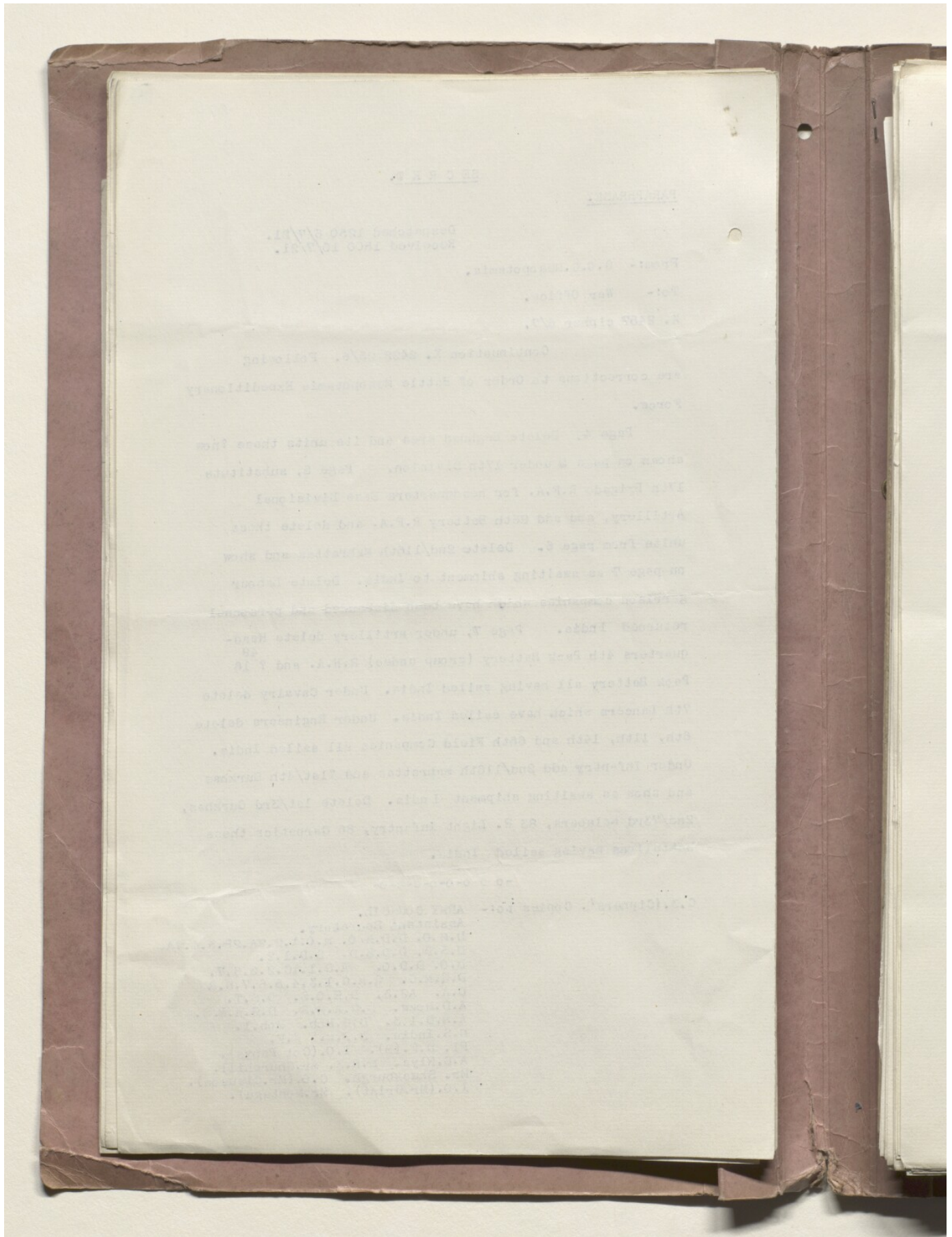
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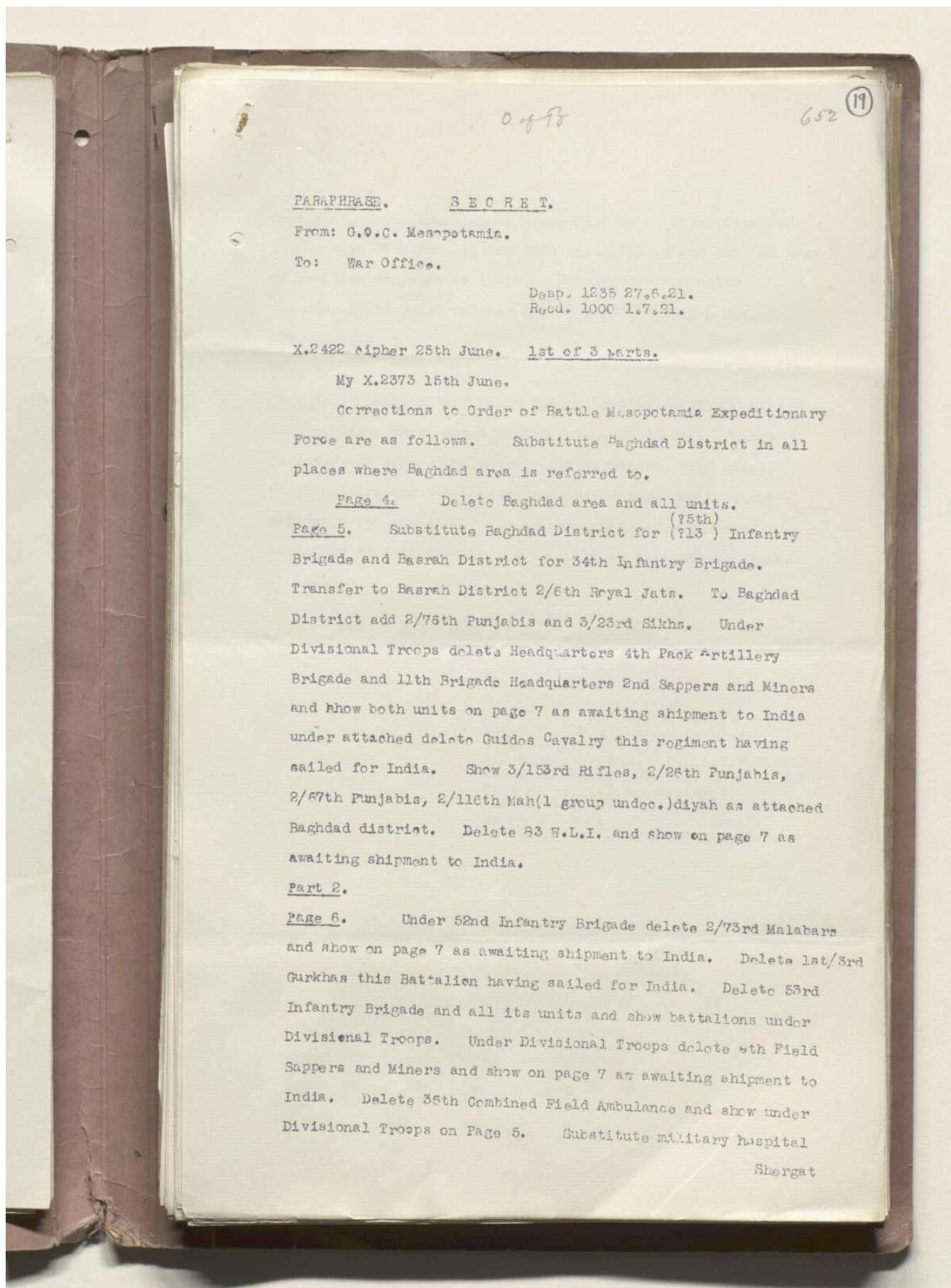
Page 4. Delete Baghdad area and its units these ? now shown on page 5 under 17th Division. Page 5, substitute 17th Brigade R.F.A. for headquarters Base Divisional Artillery, and add 26th Battery R.F.A. and delete these units from page 6. Delete 2nd/116th Mahrattas and show on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India. Delete Labour garrison companies which have been disbanded and personnel returned India. Page 7, under artillery delete Head-quarters 4th Pack Battery (group undec) R.H.A. and ? 16 Peck Battery all having sailed India. Under Cavalry delete 7th Lancers which have sailed India. Under Engineers delete 6th, 11th, 14th and 65th Field Companies all sailed India. Under Infantry add 2nd/116th Mahrattas and ? 1st/4th Gurkhas and show as awaiting shipment India. Delete 1st/3rd Gurkhas, 2nd/73rd Malabars, 83 W. Light Infantry, 86 Carnatics these battalions having sailed India.

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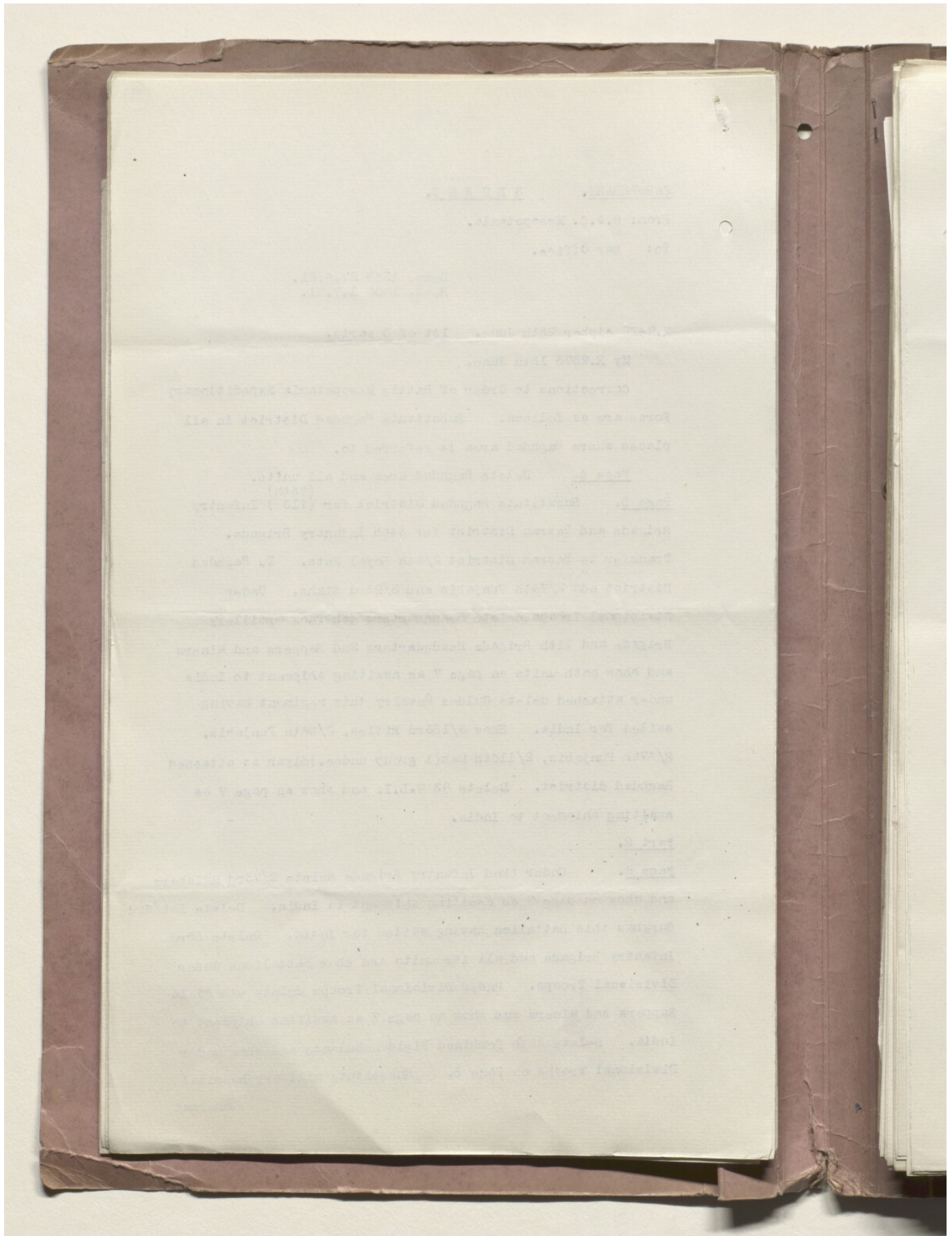
Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows. Substitute Baghdad District in all places where Baghdad area is referred to.

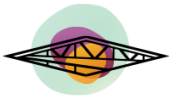
Page 4. Delete Baghdad area and all units.

Page 5. Substitute Baghdad District for ^(?5th) (?13) Infantry Brigade and Basrah District for 34th Infantry Brigade. Transfer to Basrah District 2/6th Royal Jats. To Baghdad District add 2/76th Punjabis and 3/23rd Sikhs. Under Divisional Troops delete Headquarters 4th Pack Artillery Brigade and 11th Brigade Headquarters 2nd Sappers and Miners and show both units on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India under attached delete Guides Cavalry this regiment having sailed for India. Show 3/153rd Rifles, 2/26th Punjabis, 2/67th Punjabis, 2/116th Mah(1 group undec.) diyah as attached Baghdad district. Delete 83 W.L.I. and show on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India.

Part 2.

Page 5. Under 52nd Infantry Brigade delete 2/73rd Malabars and show on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India. Delete 1st/3rd Gurkhas this Battalion having sailed for India. Delete 53rd Infantry Brigade and all its units and show battalions under Divisional Troops. Under Divisional Troops delete 5th Field Sappers and Miners and show on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India. Delete 36th Combined Field Ambulance and show under Divisional Troops on Page 5. Substitute military hospital
Shergat





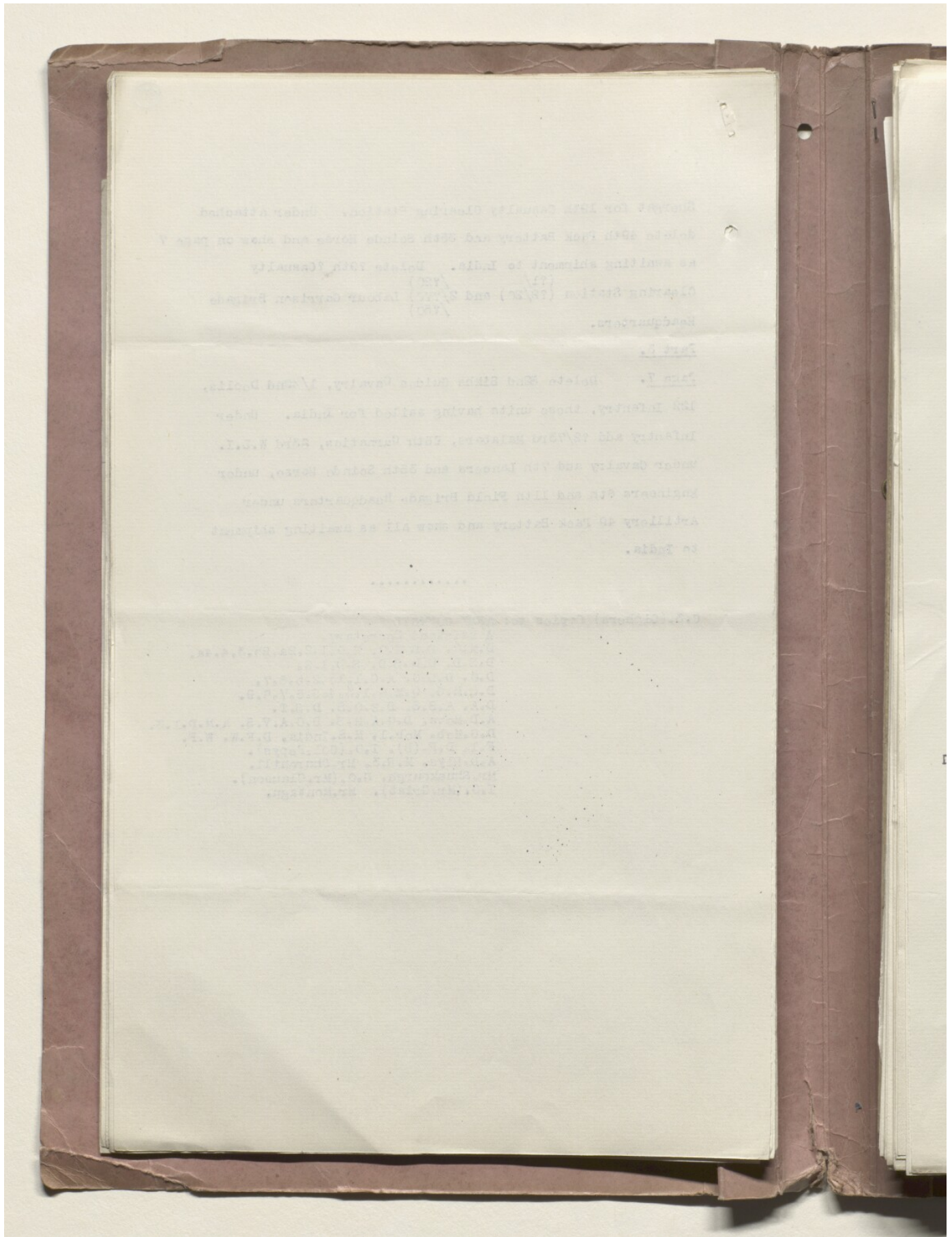
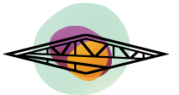
Shergat for 19th Casualty Clearing Station. Under attached
delete 49th Pack Battery and 35th Scinde Horse and show on page 7
as awaiting shipment to India. Delete 19th Casualty
Clearing Station (11/20) and 2/150 Labour Garrison Brigade
Headquarters.

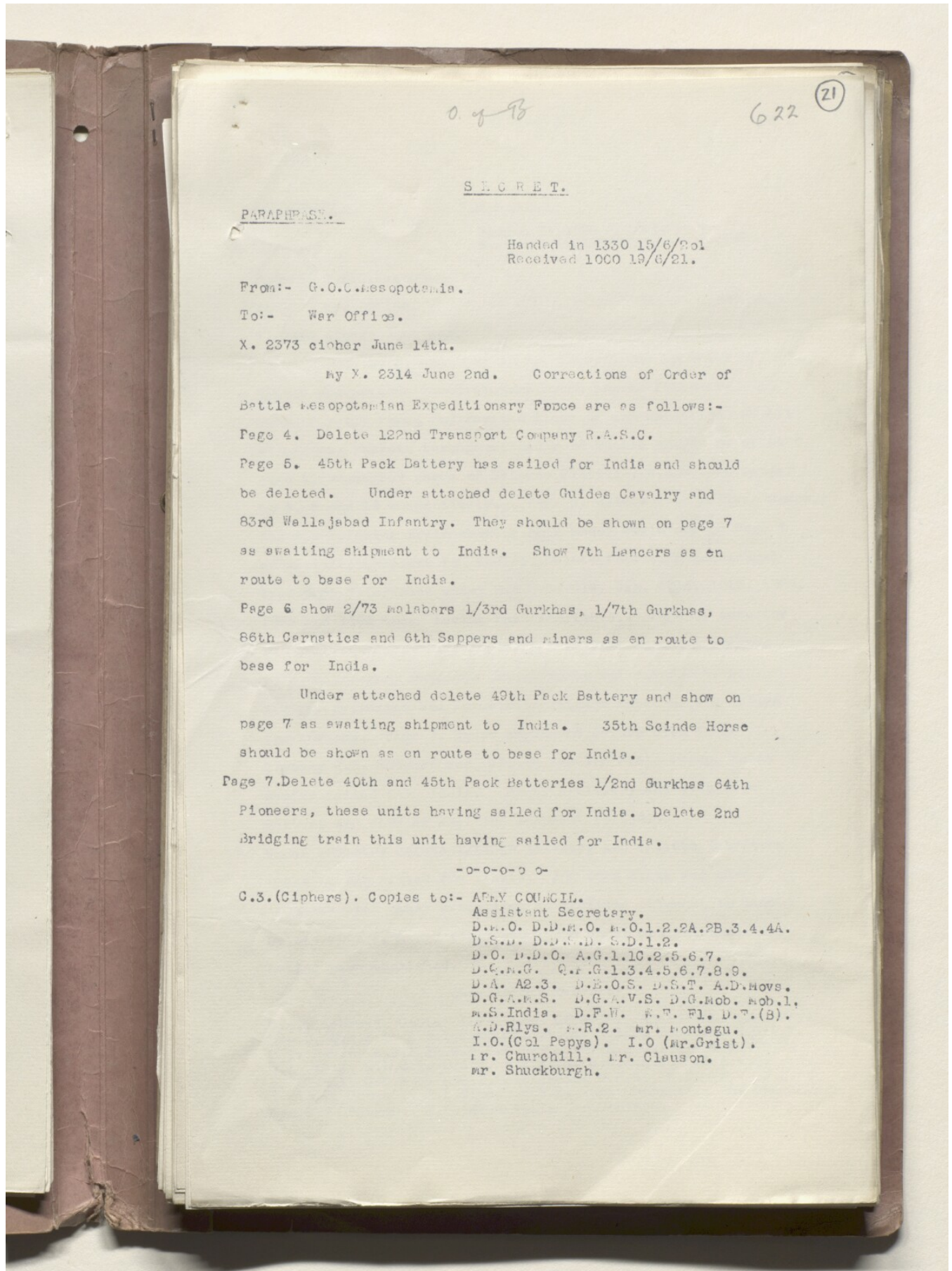
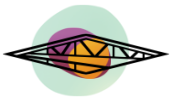
Part 3.

Page 7. Delete 52nd Sikhs Guides Cavalry, 1/42nd Deolis,
122 Infantry, these units having sailed for India. Under
Infantry add 12/73rd Malabars, 36th Carnatics, 33rd W.L.I.
under Cavalry add 7th Lancers and 35th Scinde Horse, under
Engineers 6th and 11th Field Brigade Headquarters under
Artillery 49 Pack Battery and show all as awaiting shipment
to India.

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X. 2373 cipher June 14th.

By X. 2314 June 2nd. Corrections of Order of Battle Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Page 4. Delete 122nd Transport Company R.A.S.C.

Page 5. 45th Pack Battery has sailed for India and should be deleted. Under attached delete Guides Cavalry and 83rd Wallajahad Infantry. They should be shown on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India. Show 7th Lancers as en route to base for India.

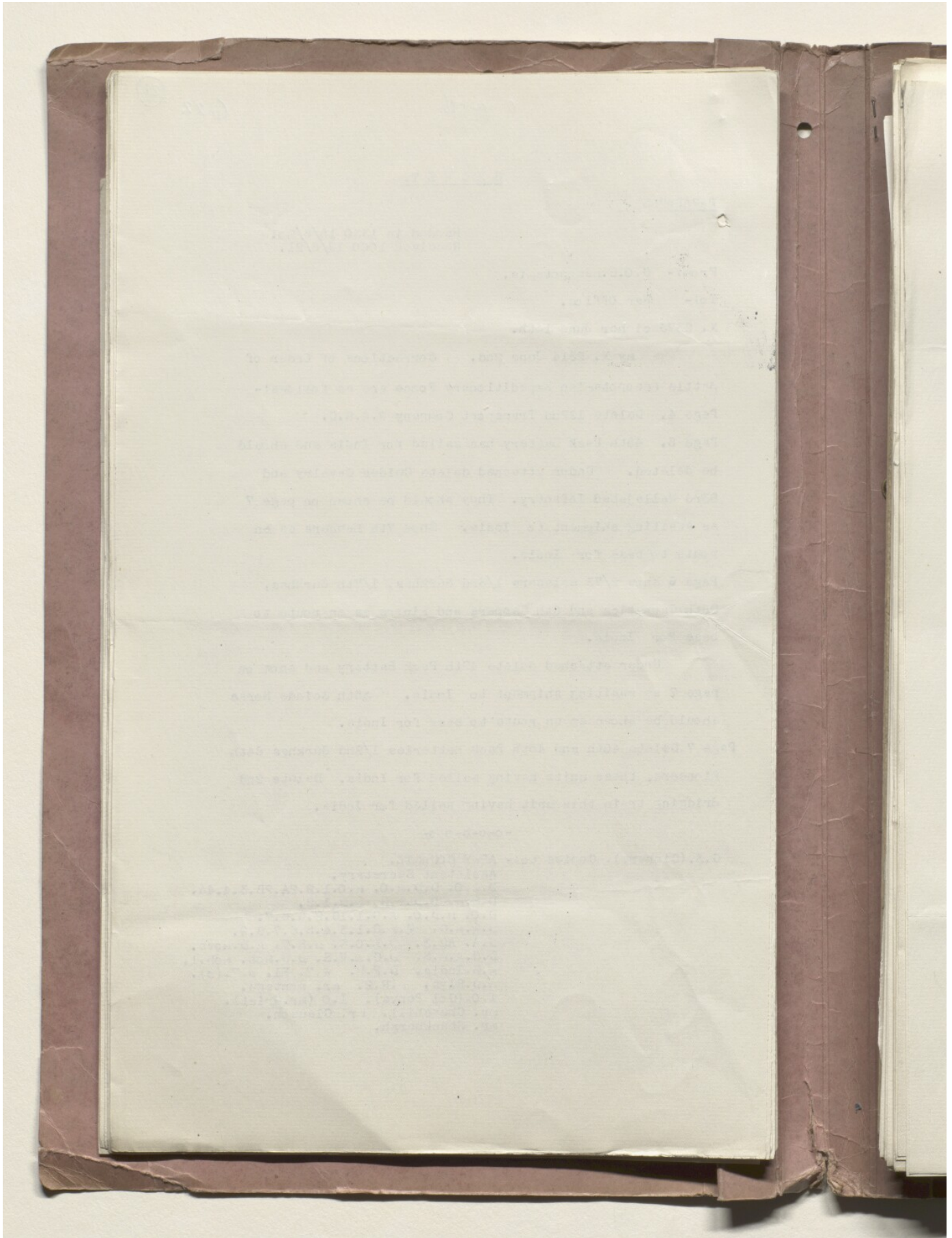
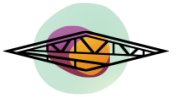
Page 6 show 2/73 Malabars 1/3rd Gurkhas, 1/7th Gurkhas, 86th Carnatics and 6th Sappers and Miners as en route to base for India.

Under attached delete 49th Pack Battery and show on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India. 35th Scinde Horse should be shown as en route to base for India.

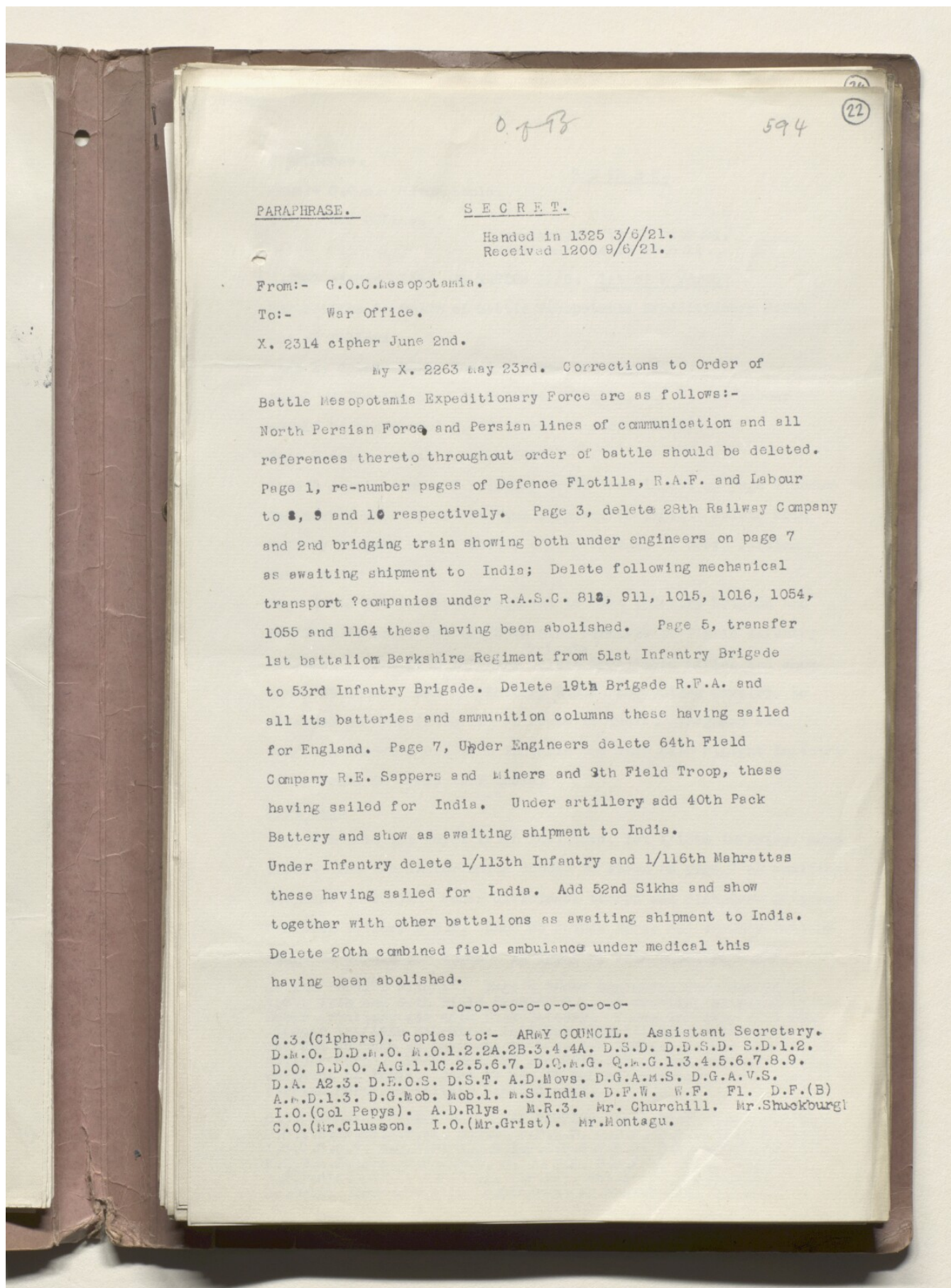
Page 7. Delete 40th and 45th Pack Batteries 1/2nd Gurkhas 64th Pioneers, these units having sailed for India. Delete 2nd Bridging train this unit having sailed for India.

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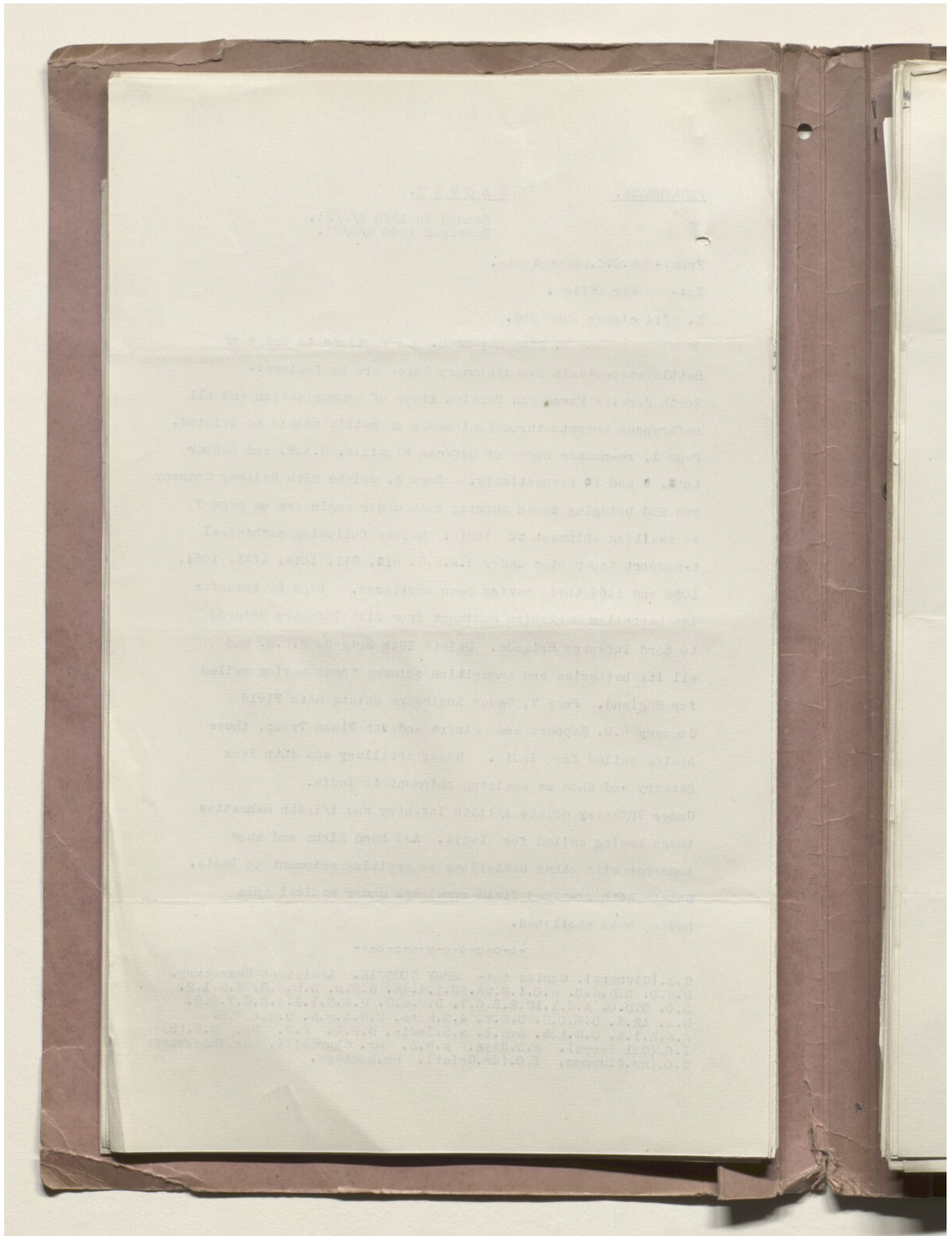
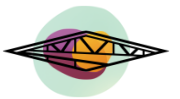
X. 2314 cipher June 2nd.

By X. 2263 May 23rd. Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows:-
North Persian Force, and Persian lines of communication and all references thereto throughout order of battle should be deleted.
Page 1, re-number pages of Defence Flotilla, R.A.F. and Labour to 8, 9 and 10 respectively. Page 3, delete 28th Railway Company and 2nd bridging train showing both under engineers on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India; Delete following mechanical transport companies under R.A.S.C. 818, 911, 1015, 1016, 1054, 1055 and 1164 these having been abolished. Page 5, transfer 1st battalion Berkshire Regiment from 51st Infantry Brigade to 53rd Infantry Brigade. Delete 19th Brigade R.F.A. and all its batteries and ammunition columns these having sailed for England. Page 7, Under Engineers delete 64th Field Company R.E. Sappers and Miners and 3th Field Troop, these having sailed for India. Under artillery add 40th Pack Battery and show as awaiting shipment to India.
Under Infantry delete 1/113th Infantry and 1/116th Mahattas these having sailed for India. Add 52nd Sikhs and show together with other battalions as awaiting shipment to India. Delete 20th combined field ambulance under medical this having been abolished.

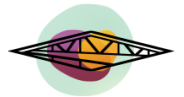
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To:- War Office.

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Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 1, delete North Persian Force and page 8.

Pages of Persian L.of C. Defence flotilla, R.A.F. and labour should be renumbered 8, 9, 10 and 11 respectively.

Page 2 delete North Persian Force.

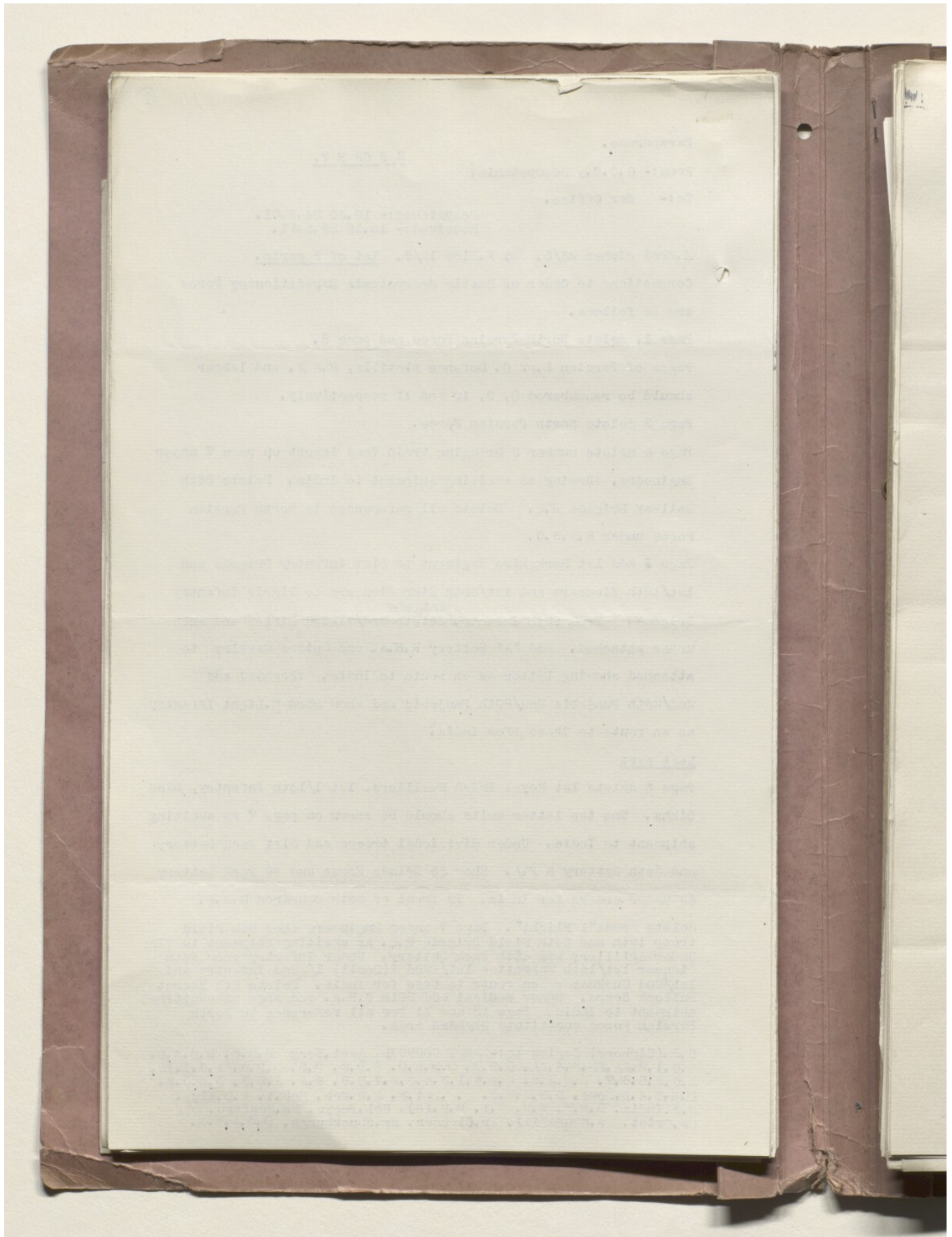
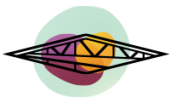
Page 3 delete number 2 bridging train and insert on page 7 under Engineers, showing as awaiting shipment to India. Delete 26th Railway Brigade H.Q. Delete all references to North Persian Force under R.A.S.G.

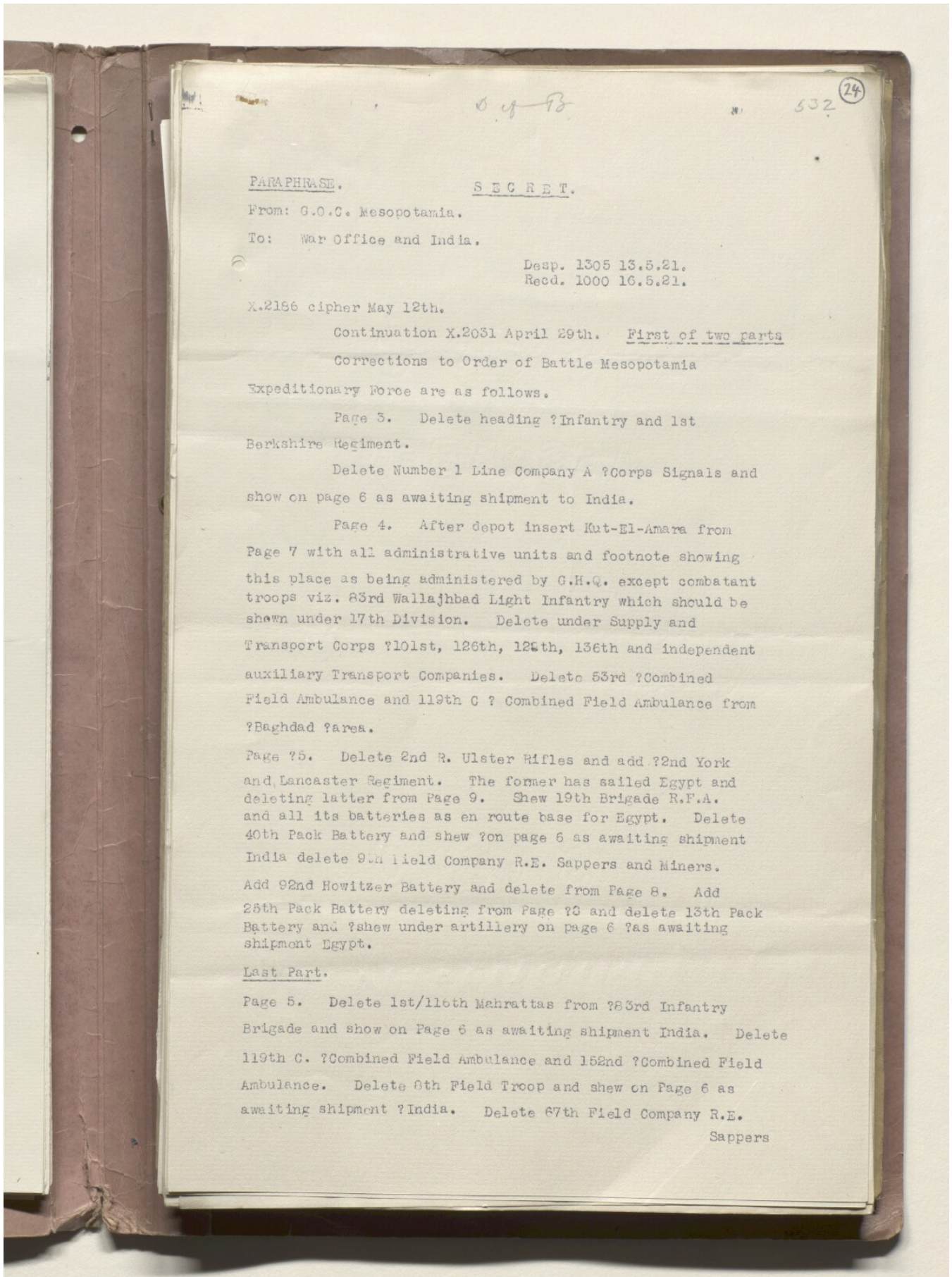
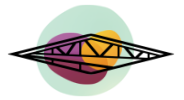
Page 4 add 1st Berkshire Regiment to 51st Infantry Brigade and 1st/12th Pioneers and 1st/35th Sikh Pioneers to Tigris Infantry Brigade. From 55th Infantry ^{Brigade} delete 3rd/153rd Rifles and show under attached. Add "A" Battery R.H.A. and Guides Cavalry to attached showing latter as en route to India. Baghdad add 2nd/26th Punjabis 2nd/89th Punjabis and show 83rd W.Light Infantry as en route to base for India.

Last part

Page 6 delete 1st Royal Irish Fusiliers, 1st 1/13th Infantry, 52nd Sikhs. The two latter units should be shown on page 7 as awaiting shipment to India. Under divisional troops add 31st Pack Battery and 26th Battery R.F.A. Show 35 Scinde Horse and 49 Pack Battery as under orders for India. In front of 55th Squadron R.A.F. delete words "1 Flight". Page 7 under Engineers show 8th Field troop 19th and 64th Field Brigade H.Q. as awaiting shipment to India. Under Artillery add 45th Pack Battery. Under Infantry show 64th Pioneer 1st/16th Mahrattas 1st/42nd (Deoli) 1/22nd Infantry and 1st/2nd Gurkhas as en route to base for India. Delete 5th Meerut Bullock Corps. Under Medical add 20th C.F.A. and show as awaiting shipment to India. Page 12 new 11 for all reference to North Persian Force substitute Baghdad area.

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To: War Office and India.

Desp. 1305 13.5.21.
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X.2186 cipher May 12th.

Continuation X.2031 April 29th. First of two parts

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia

Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 3. Delete heading ?Infantry and 1st
Berkshire Regiment.

Delete Number 1 Line Company A ?Corps Signals and
show on page 6 as awaiting shipment to India.

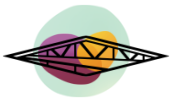
Page 4. After depot insert Kut-El-Amara from
Page 7 with all administrative units and footnote showing
this place as being administered by G.H.Q. except combatant
troops viz. 83rd Wallajhbad Light Infantry which should be
shown under 17th Division. Delete under Supply and
Transport Corps ?101st, 126th, 127th, 136th and independent
auxiliary Transport Companies. Delete 53rd ?Combined
Field Ambulance and 119th C ? Combined Field Ambulance from
?Baghdad ?area.

Page ?5. Delete 2nd R. Ulster Rifles and add ?2nd York
and Lancaster Regiment. The former has sailed Egypt and
deleting latter from Page 9. Shew 19th Brigade R.F.A.
and all its batteries as en route base for Egypt. Delete
40th Pack Battery and shew ?on page 6 as awaiting shipment
India delete 9th Field Company R.E. Sappers and Miners.

Add 92nd Howitzer Battery and delete from Page 8. Add
25th Pack Battery deleting from Page ?3 and delete 13th Pack
Battery and ?shew under artillery on page 6 ?as awaiting
shipment Egypt.

Last Part.

Page 5. Delete 1st/116th Mahrattas from ?83rd Infantry
Brigade and show on Page 6 as awaiting shipment India. Delete
119th C. ?Combined Field Ambulance and 152nd ?Combined Field
Ambulance. Delete 8th Field Troop and shew on Page 6 as
awaiting shipment ?India. Delete 67th Field Company R.E.
Sappers





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Sappers and Miners which has sailed India. Under attached add Number 1 Motor Airline Section.

Page 6. Shew all combatant units ?under attached 17th Division. Delete 26th Railway Company, 2nd/117th Mahrattas, 2nd/7th Rajputs, 1st/99th Infantry these units having sailed India Page 7 ?shew all combatant units under 17th Division.

Page 8. Insert 2nd/73 ?Malabars under 52 Infantry Brigade.

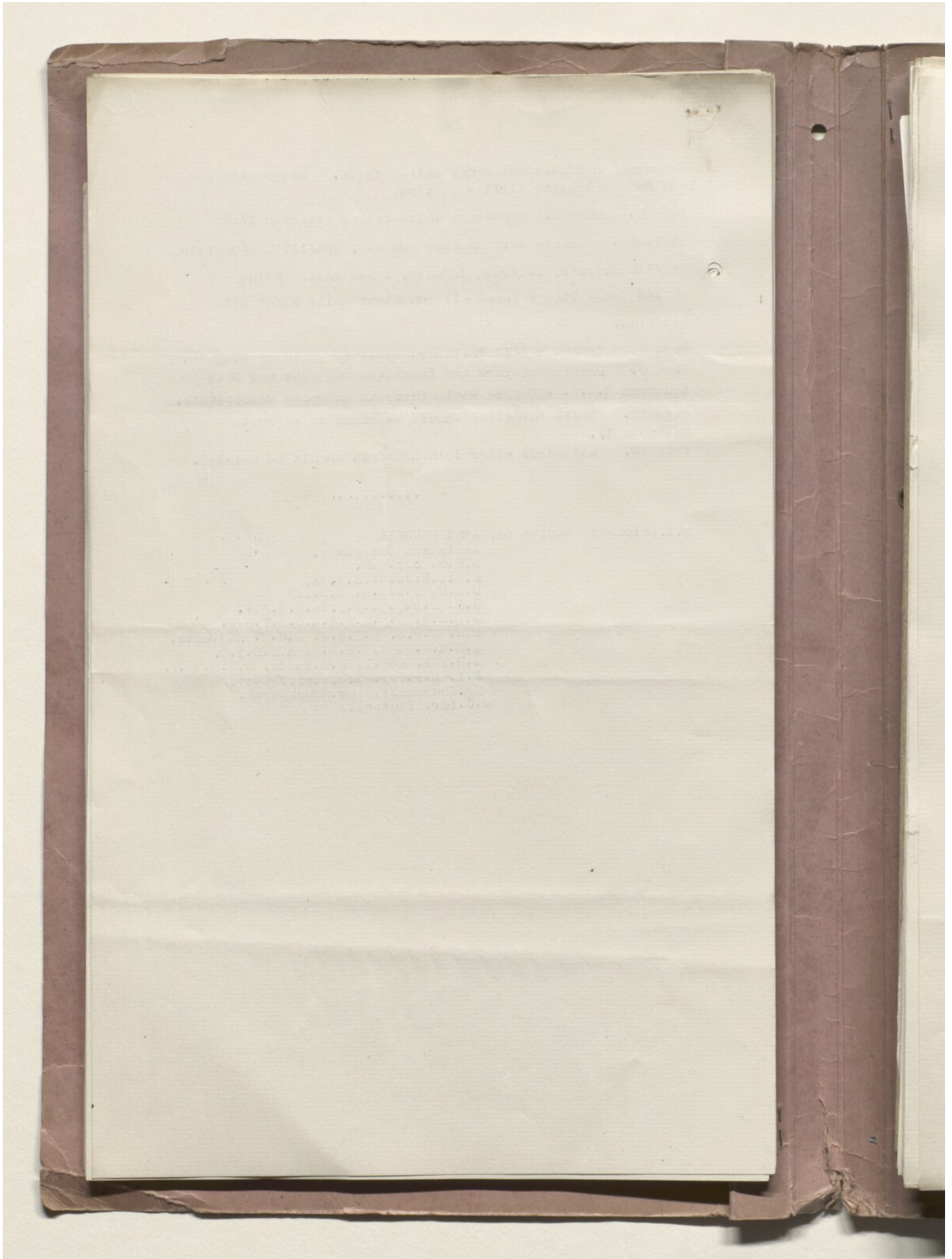
Page 9. Delete 2nd York and Lancaster Regiment and 30th Squadron R.A.F. and shew whole force as en route Mesopotamia.

Page 10. Whole formation should be shown as en route Mesopotamia.

Page 12. All words after 30th Squadron should be deleted.

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[26r] (51/234)



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PARAPHRASE.

SECRET.

From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.
To: War Office and India.
X.2031 cipher 22nd April.

Desp. 1840 22.4.21.
Recd. 0915 25.4.21.

Continuation my X.1866 4th April. 1st of 2 parts.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 3. Delete heading Artillery and all units, these having been abolished.

Page 4. Under Baghdad Area 2/67th Punjabis and 2/77th Rajputs should be deleted and former shown on Page 5 under Attached and attached 55th Infantry Brigade and latter on Page 6 as awaiting shipment to India (1 group undec.) add ¹ 2/76th Punjabis.

Page 5. Show 2/116th Mahrattas as attached 51st Infantry Brigade. Delete 9th (1 group undec.) Sappers and Miners, and 38th C.F.A. Show 49th Pack Battery as attached 18th Division. Delete 2/11th Gurkhas 42nd, 43rd and 754th C.F.A. 2/117th Mahrattas and 1/47th Infantry, last 2 units being shown, as awaiting shipment to India, on Page 6.

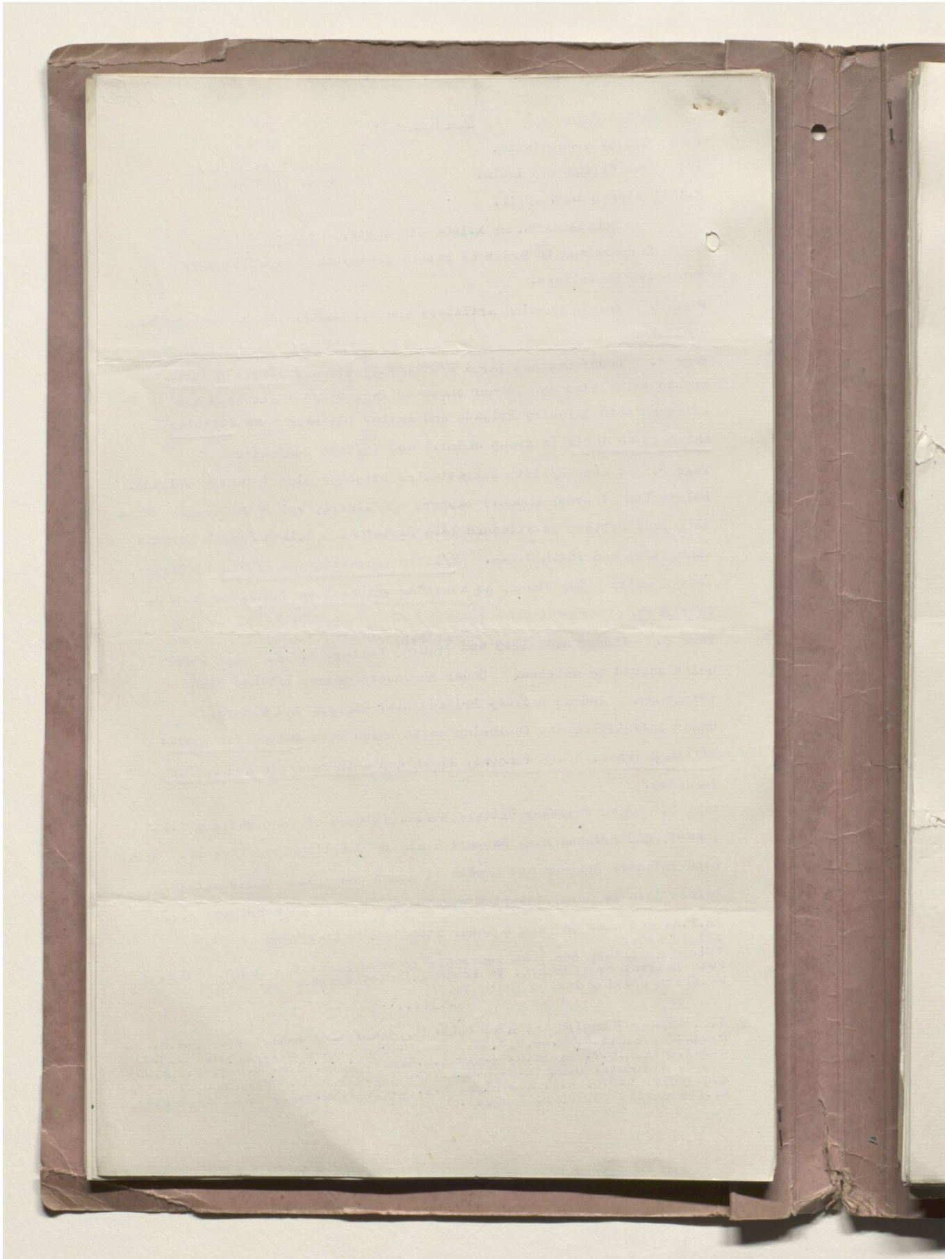
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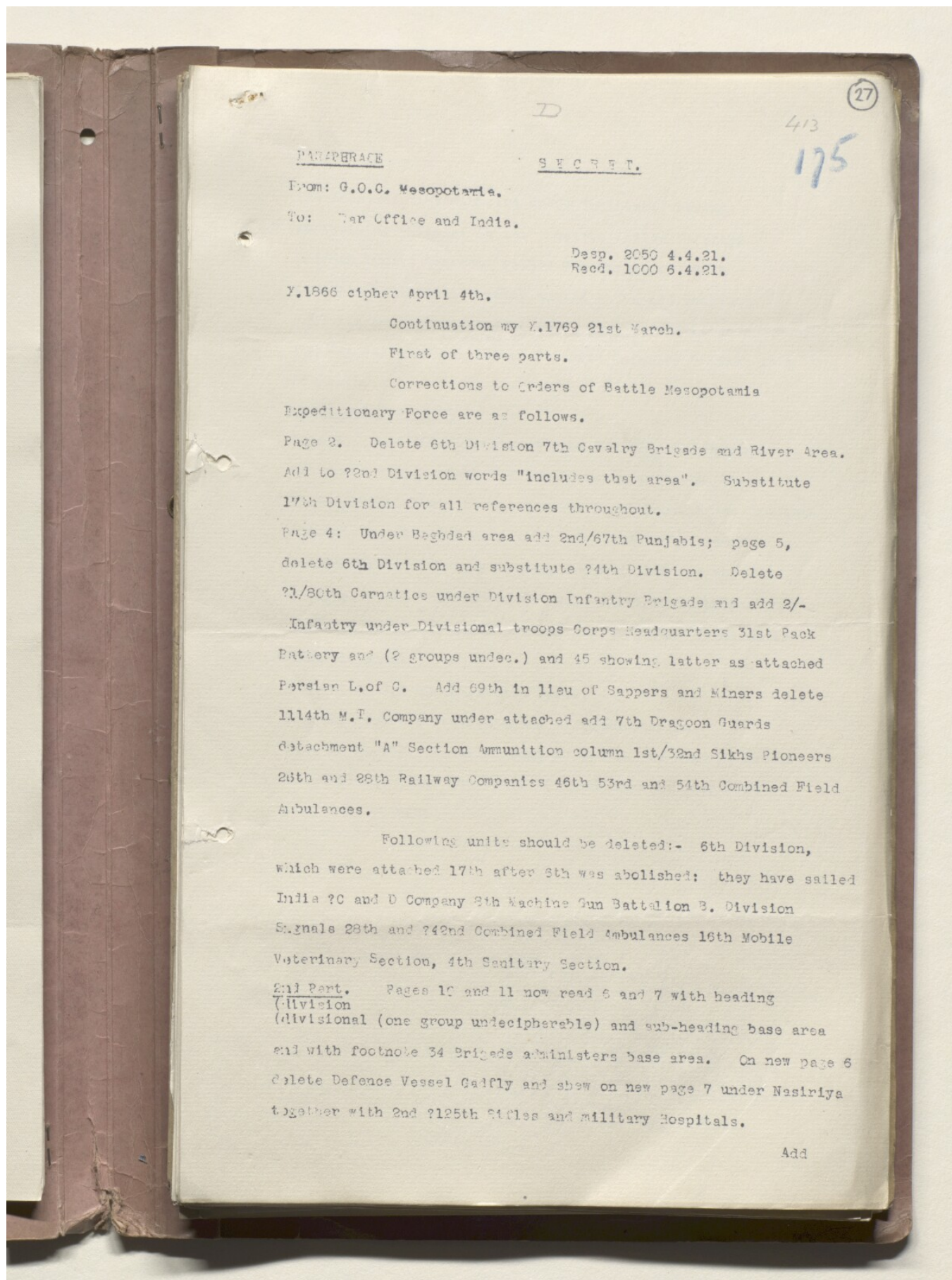
Page 6. Under Artillery add (718th 739th) Battery R.F.A. All other units should be deleted. Under Engineers delete 1/732nd Sikh Pioneers. Add 23 Railway Brigade H.Q. Sappers and Miners. Under Infantry delete following units which have sailed for India: 2/11th Gurkhas, 3/3th Bhopal, 479th and 50th Carnatic and 2/19th Infantry.

Page 3. Read Howitzer Battery R.F.A. instead of 92nd Battery R.F.A. Insert 52nd Brigade H.Q. Sappers & Miners deleting from Page 10. Under 54th Infantry Brigade add 2/66th (1 group undec.). Under attached, before 30th Lancers, insert 2 squadrons. Delete 64th Brigade H.Q. R.F.A. and show on page 5 under attached. Show 8th Field troop Field Artillery Bde. as en route to Base Depot for India. Delete 23th Railway Brigade H.Q. to 52nd Infantry Brigade add 2/73rd Malabars showing as en route to.

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To: War Office and India.

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Y.1866 cipher April 4th.

Continuation of Y.1769 21st March.

First of three parts.

Corrections to Orders of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

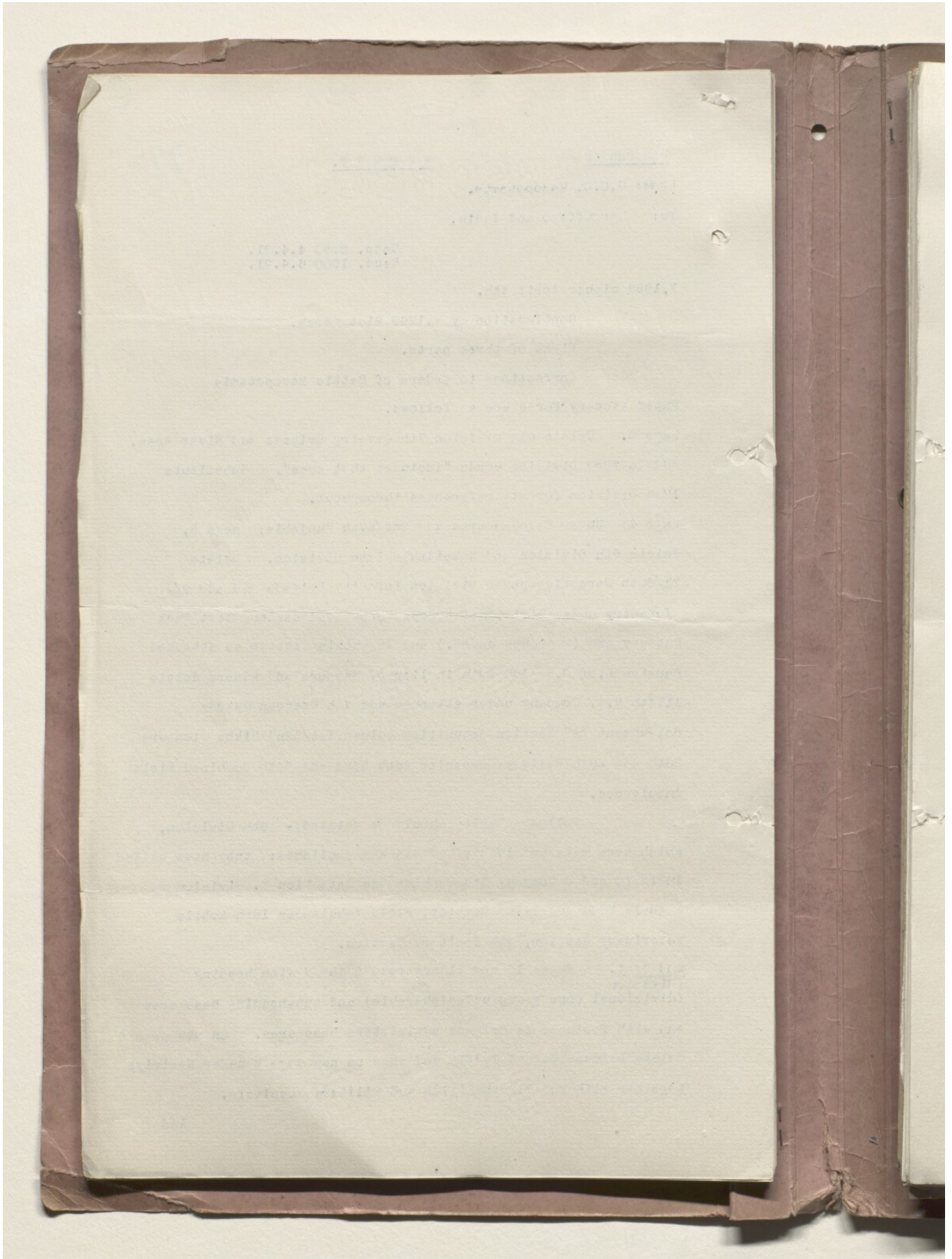
Page 2. Delete 6th Division 7th Cavalry Brigade and River Area. Add to 22nd Division words "includes that area". Substitute 17th Division for all references throughout.

Page 4: Under Baghdad area add 2nd/67th Punjabis; page 5, delete 6th Division and substitute 24th Division. Delete 21/30th Carnatics under Division Infantry Brigade and add 2/- Infantry under Divisional troops-Corps Headquarters 31st Pack Battery and (2 groups undec.) and 45 showing latter as attached Persian L.of C. Add 69th in lieu of Sappers and Miners delete 1114th M.T. Company under attached add 7th Dragoon Guards Detachment "A" Section Ammunition column 1st/32nd Sikhs Pioneers 28th and 28th Railway Companies 46th 53rd and 54th Combined Field Ambulances.

Following units should be deleted:- 6th Division, which were attached 17th after 6th was abolished: they have sailed India 70 and D Company 8th Machine Gun Battalion B. Division Signals 28th and 242nd Combined Field Ambulances 16th Mobile Veterinary Section, 4th Sanitary Section.

End Part. Pages 10 and 11 now read 6 and 7 with heading (Division (divisional (one group undecipherable) and sub-heading base area and with footnote 34 Brigade administers base area. On new page 6 delete Defence Vessel Gadfly and shew on new page 7 under Nasiriya together with 2nd 2125th Rifles and military Hospitals.

Add





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Add 1st/32nd Sikh Pioneers under Engineers showing
as awaiting shipment India. Delete Indian Infantry
2nd/9th ?Delhi Regiment (?)3rd 9th Bhopal and 80th
Caucasic these units having sailed India add 2nd/76th
Punjabis and (?)2nd/73rd Malabas, show former as under orders
for Baghdad area and latter for 52nd Infantry Brigade 18th
Division.

Third and last part.

Page 8: read 18th Division delete 7th ?Cavalry Brigade
all units being attached ?17th Division excepting where
stated these should be shown under formations. Add 2nd/66th
Punjabis to 53rd Infantry Brigade. Under Divisional
Troops delete 40th Pack Battery and add 31st and show as
attached North Persian Force: delete 1st/32nd Sikhs Pioneers
and 39th Combined Field Ambulance latter being shown under
17th Division.

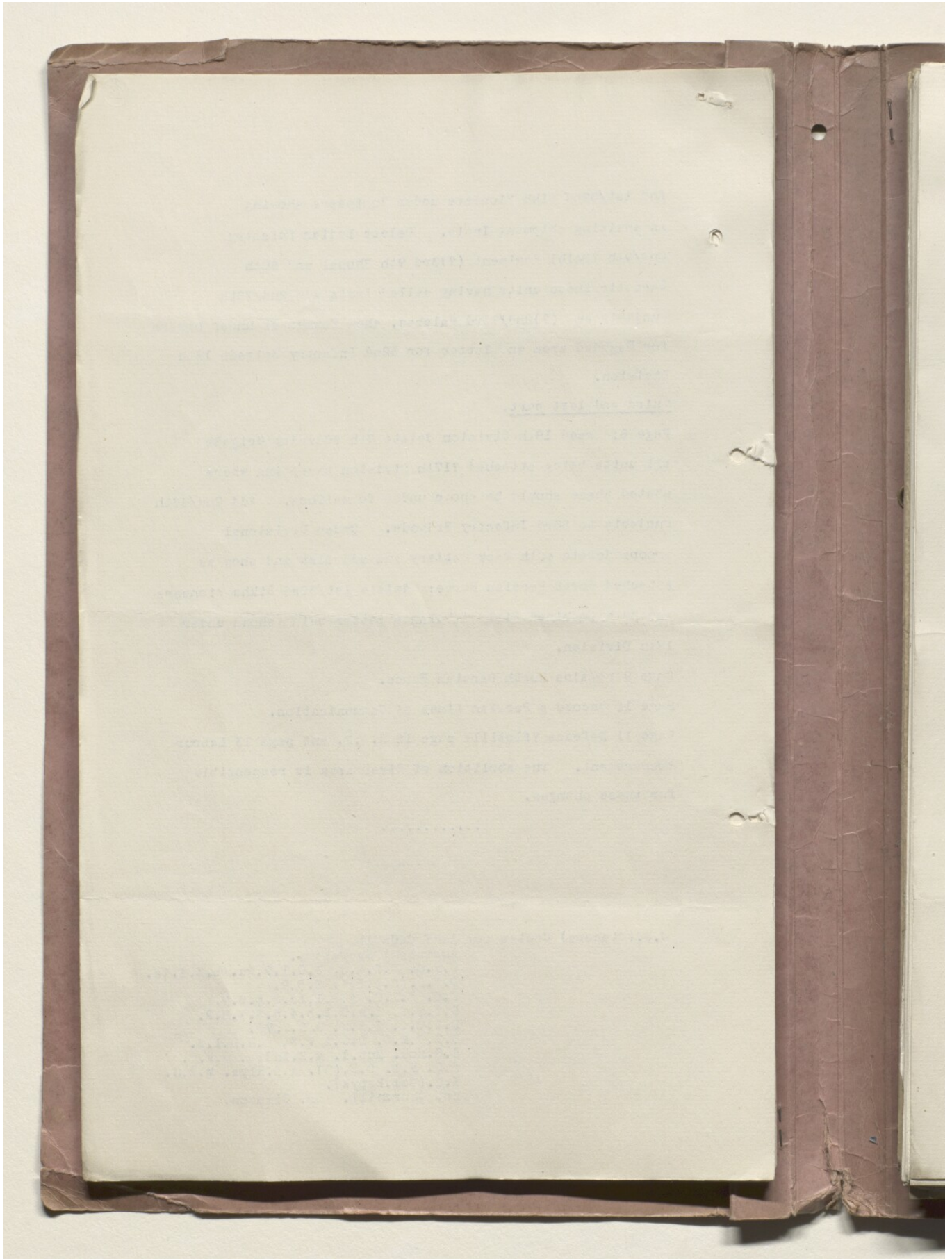
Page 9 remains North Persian Force.

Page 10 become s Persian Lines of Communication.

Page 11 Defence ?flotilla page 12 R.A.F. and page 13 Labour
?Department. The abolition of River area is responsible
for these changes.

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Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.
C. in C., India.

Despatched:- 13.30 21.3.21.
Received:- 09.40 24.3.21.

X.1760 cipher 21/3. My X.1732.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Page 4 add 119th C C F A under Baghdad area. Delete page 5 and show all remaining units, except 69th Field Coy.R.E.S Sappers and Miners and detachment number 6 armoured car company under "River Area" as awaiting shipment to India. 6th Division ceased to exist midnight 6th/7th March.

Page 6 Under "attached" delete 2nd/119th Infantry and show on page 10 as awaiting shipment to (? India, omitted).

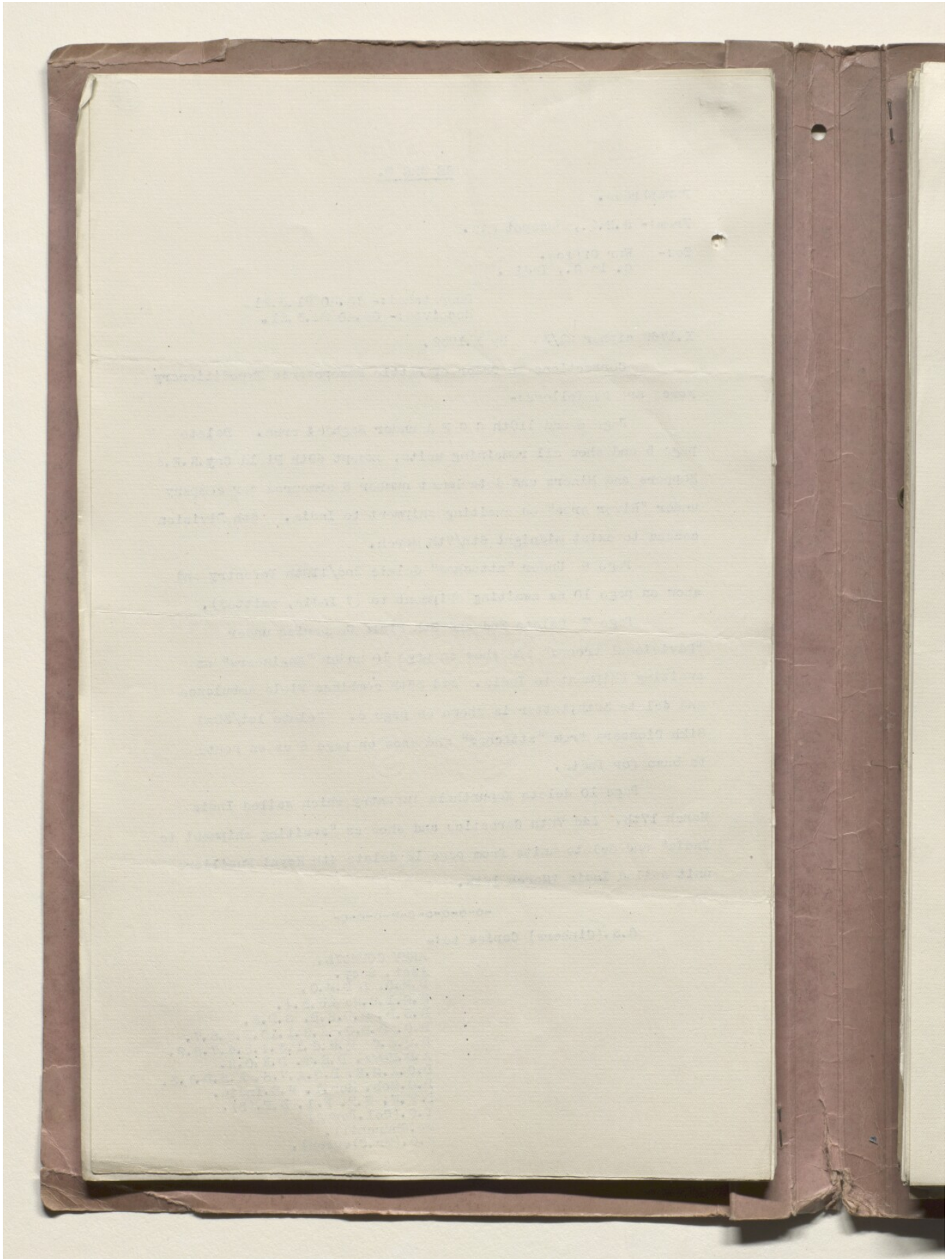
Page 7 Delete 2nd and 8th Field Companies under "Divisional troops" and show on page 10 under "Engineers" as awaiting shipment to India. Add 36th combined Field Ambulance and delete 39th, latter is shown on page 6. Delete 1st/32nd Sikh Pioneers from "attached" and show on page 6 as en route to base for India.

Page 10 delete Kapurthala infantry which sailed India March 17th. Add 70th Carnatics and show as "awaiting shipment to India" and delete units from page 12 delete 4th Royal Fusiliers unit sailed India ?March 18th.

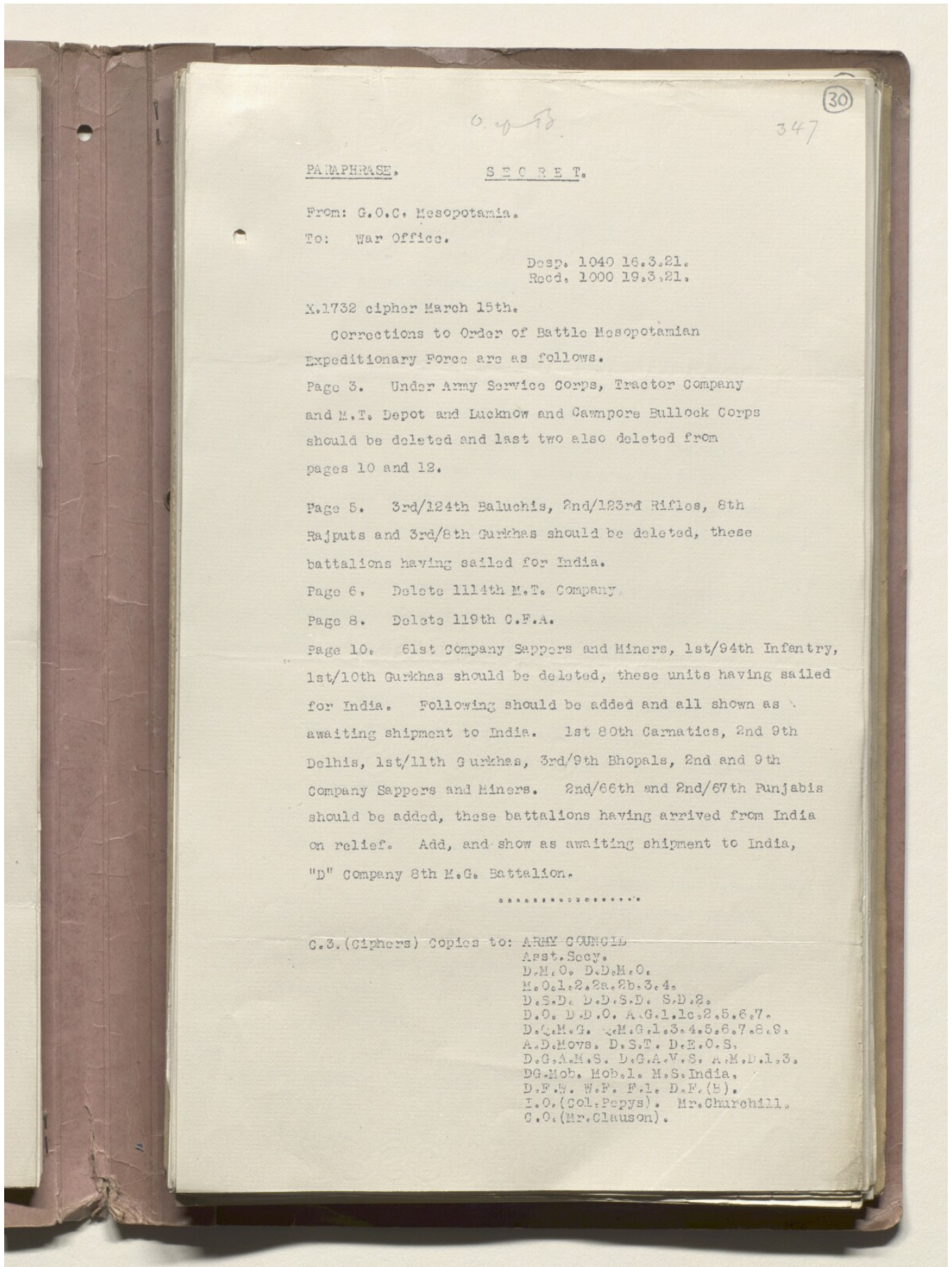
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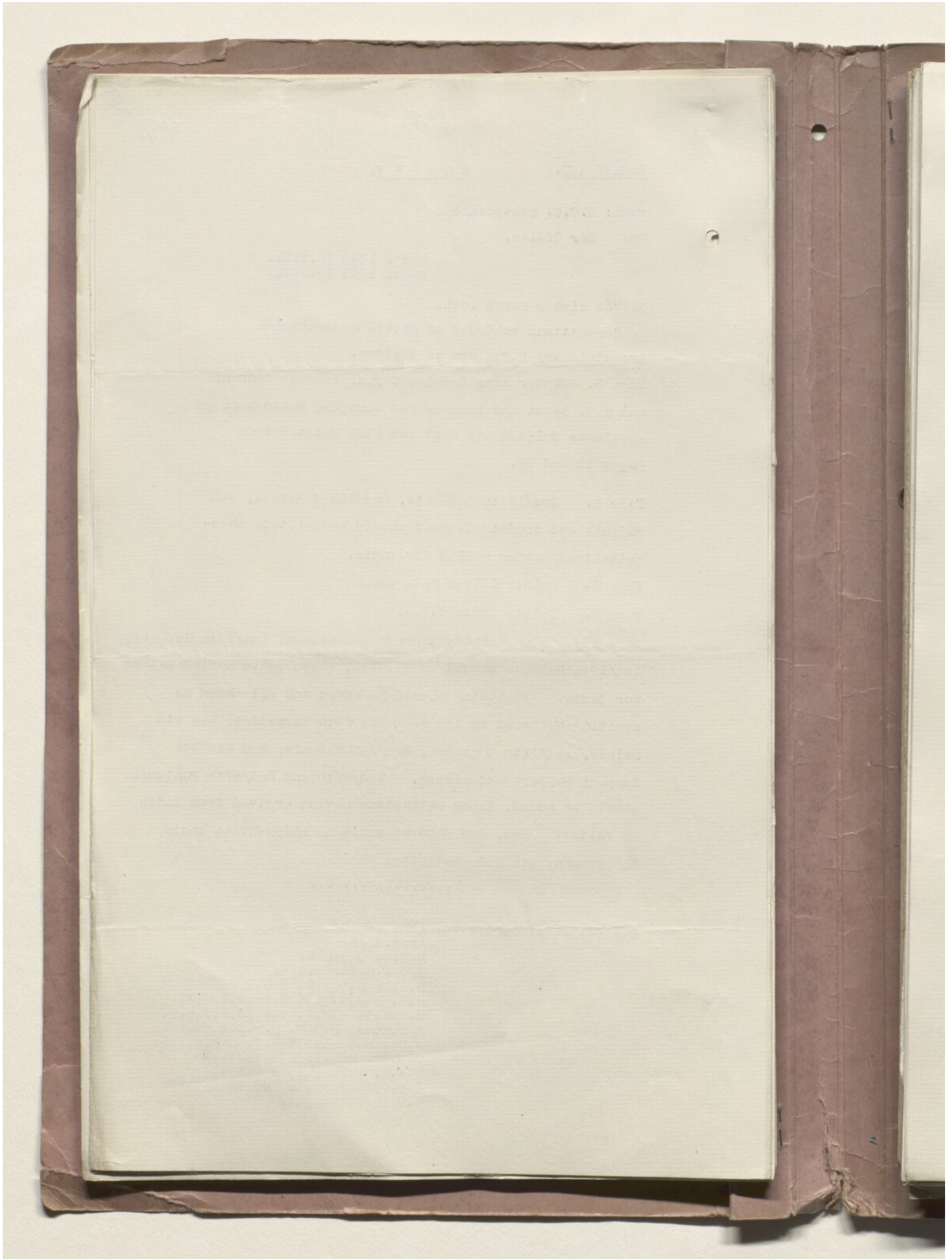
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S E C R E T.

Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

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Received:- 19.45 16.3.21.

X.1699 cipher March 11th. 2nd and last part.

1st Battalion R.I.F., 86th Carnatics, 1st/3rd Gurkhas.
75th Infantry Brigade should be deleted and its units shown
under attached, and as being under orders for India.

To attached, following should be added and shown as
en route to base for India: 3rd/9th Bhopals, 2nd/11th Gurkhas,
2nd/117th Mahrattas.

Under Divisional troops, add 63rd Field Coy. R.E.
deleting (1 group omitted) from page 5; 9th and 67th Field
Coy. R.E. should be shown as being en route to base for India.

Page 7, 13th ?Brigade and its batteries should be deleted.

Under Divisional troops, 7th Coy. Sappers and Miners
should be added, and deleted from page 12;

2nd and 8th Companies Sappers & Miners should be shown
as under orders for India.

Under attached 8th Field Troops and 1st/?32nd Sikh
?Pioneers should be added.

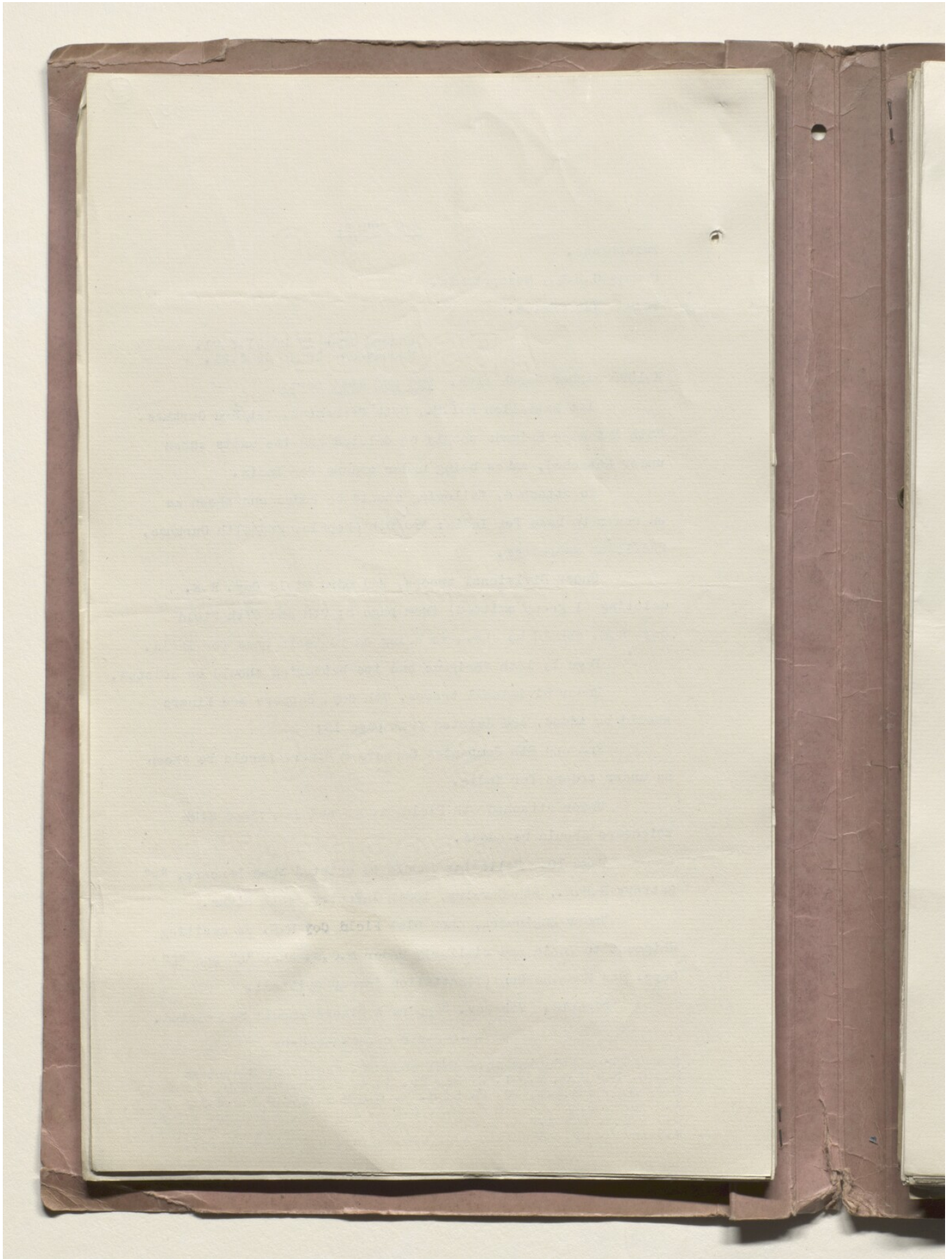
Page 10. Following should be deleted 32nd Lancers, "F"
Battery R.H.A., 5th Cavalry, 108th Infantry, 45th Sikhs.

Under Engineers, show 61st Field Coy R.E. as awaiting
shipment to India and similarly under M.G.C. show "C" and "D"
Coys. 8th Machine Gun (?) Battalion (group omitted).

Page 12. 7th Coy. Sappers & Miners should be deleted.

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PARAPHRASE.

SECRET.

From: G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office.

Desp. 1720 11.3.21.
Recd. 1430 13.3.21.

X.1699 cipher 11th March. First of 2 parts.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows. Page 3. Delete 5th Medium Battery.

Page 4 under Baghdad area delete 2nd/9th Delhi Regiment and add 3rd/23rd Sikhs. For Defence Vessel "Sedgefly" substitute "Blackfly" and show former on page 10.

Page 5. Show 34th Infantry Brigade as having following units, 63rd Palamotta Light Infantry, 2nd/129th Baluchis, 2nd/125th Rifles and 34th Brigade S.A.A. Section. Delete 74th Infantry Brigade and show following units under attached and as awaiting shipment to India 2nd/123rd Rifles, 3rd/3th and 1st/11th Gurkhas and 3rd/124th Baluchis. Delete

3rd/5th Gurkhas. Under Divisional Troops and attached Director General of Transportation 17th Artillery Brigade R.F.A. 63rd and 69th Field Companies R.E. and detachment No. 6 Armoured Car Company, show all units as awaiting shipment to India.

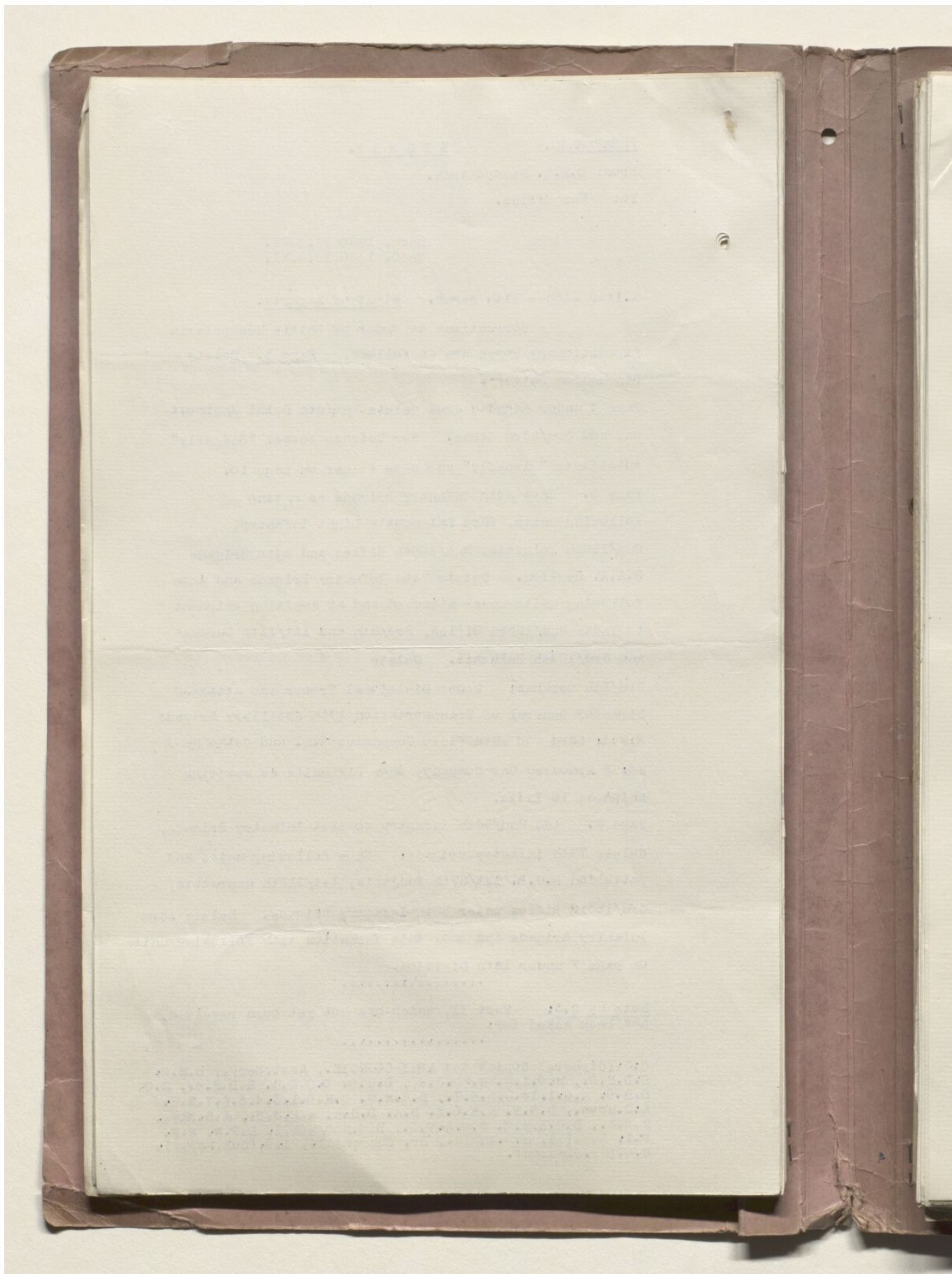
Page 6. Add 2nd/96th Infantry to 51st Infantry Brigade, delete 77th Infantry Brigade. Show following units 2nd Battalion R.U.R. 1st/87th Punjabis, 1st/116th Mahrattas, 3rd/153rd Rifles under 56th Infantry Brigade. Delete 53rd Infantry Brigade and show this formation with following units on page 7 under 18th Division.

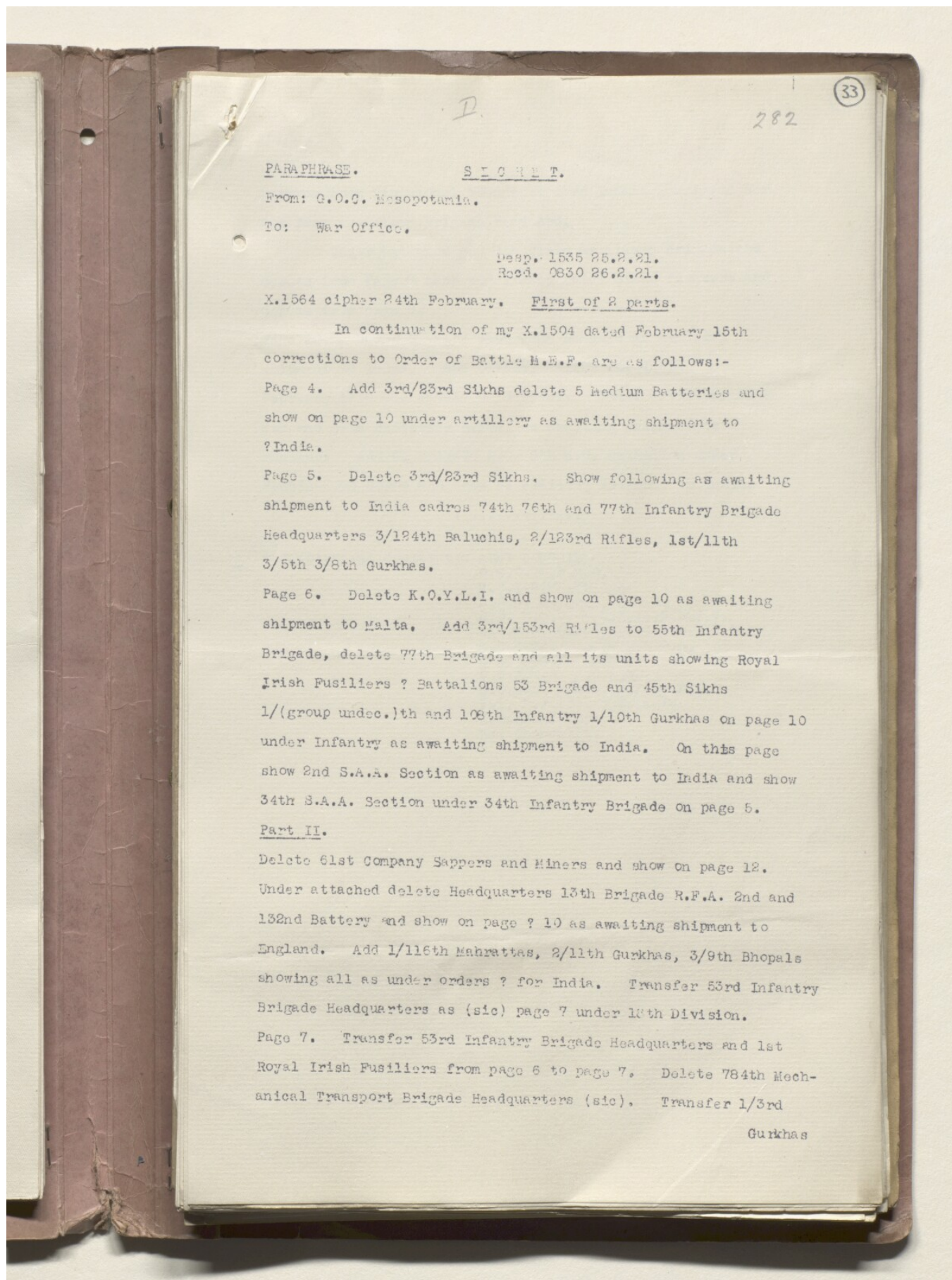
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From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office.

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Recd. 0830 26.2.21.

X.1564 cipher 24th February. First of 2 parts.

In continuation of my X.1504 dated February 15th
corrections to Order of Battle M.E.F. are as follows:-

Page 4. Add 3rd/23rd Sikhs delete 5 medium Batteries and
show on page 10 under artillery as awaiting shipment to
? India.

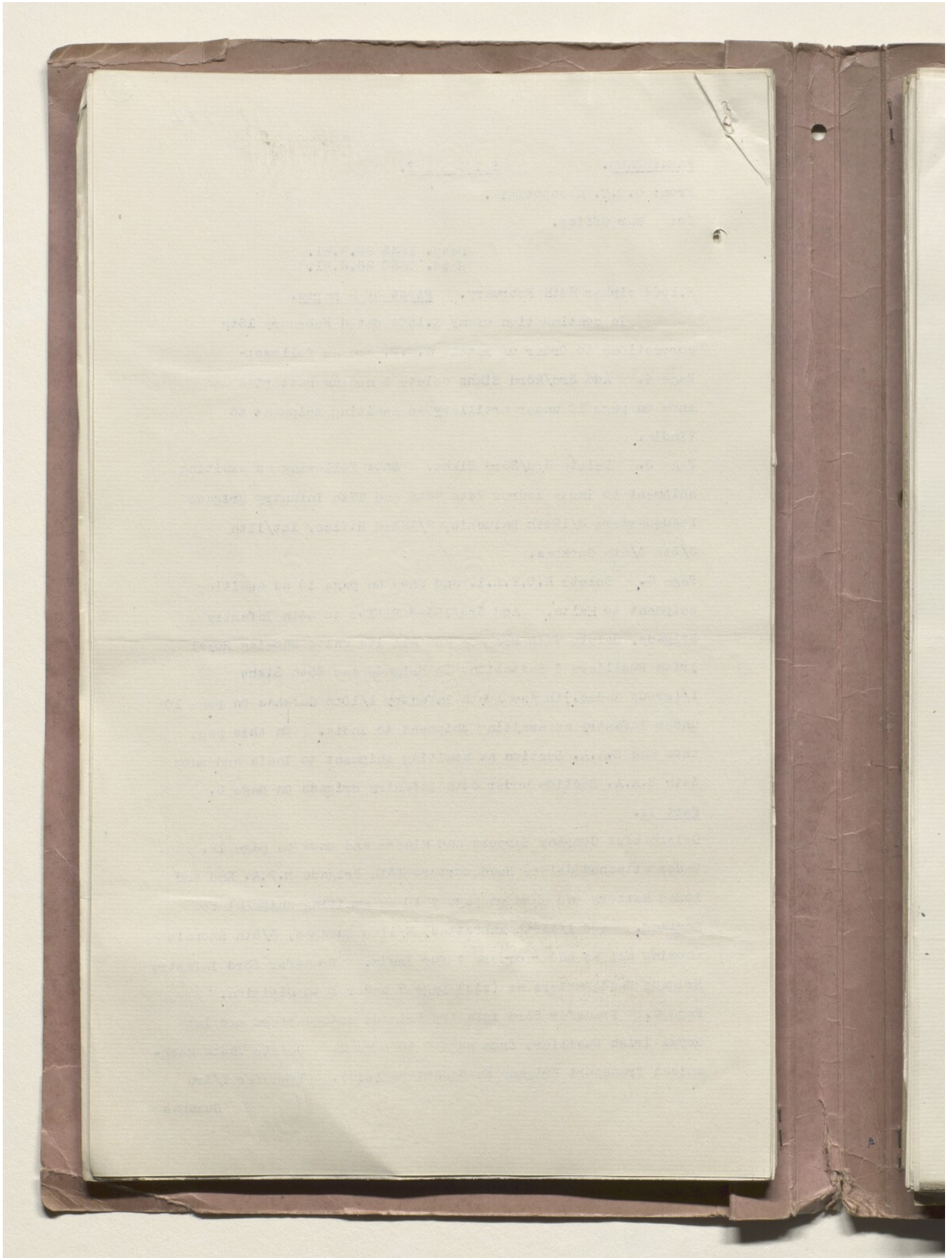
Page 5. Delete 3rd/23rd Sikhs. Show following as awaiting
shipment to India cadres 74th 76th and 77th Infantry Brigade
Headquarters 3/124th Baluchis, 2/123rd Rifles, 1st/11th
3/5th 3/8th Gurkhas.

Page 6. Delete K.O.Y.L.I. and show on page 10 as awaiting
shipment to Malta. Add 3rd/153rd Rifles to 55th Infantry
Brigade, delete 77th Brigade and all its units showing Royal
Irish Fusiliers ? Battalions 53 Brigade and 45th Sikhs
1/(group undec.)th and 108th Infantry 1/10th Gurkhas on page 10
under Infantry as awaiting shipment to India. On this page
show 2nd S.A.A. Section as awaiting shipment to India and show
34th S.A.A. Section under 34th Infantry Brigade on page 5.

Part II.

Delete 61st Company Sappers and Miners and show on page 12.
Under attached delete Headquarters 13th Brigade R.F.A. 2nd and
132nd Battery and show on page ? 10 as awaiting shipment to
England. Add 1/116th Mahrattas, 2/11th Gurkhas, 3/9th Bhopals
showing all as under orders ? for India. Transfer 53rd Infantry
Brigade Headquarters as (sic) page 7 under 18th Division.

Page 7. Transfer 53rd Infantry Brigade Headquarters and 1st
Royal Irish Fusiliers from page 6 to page 7. Delete 784th Mech-
anical Transport Brigade Headquarters (sic). Transfer 1/3rd
Gurkhas





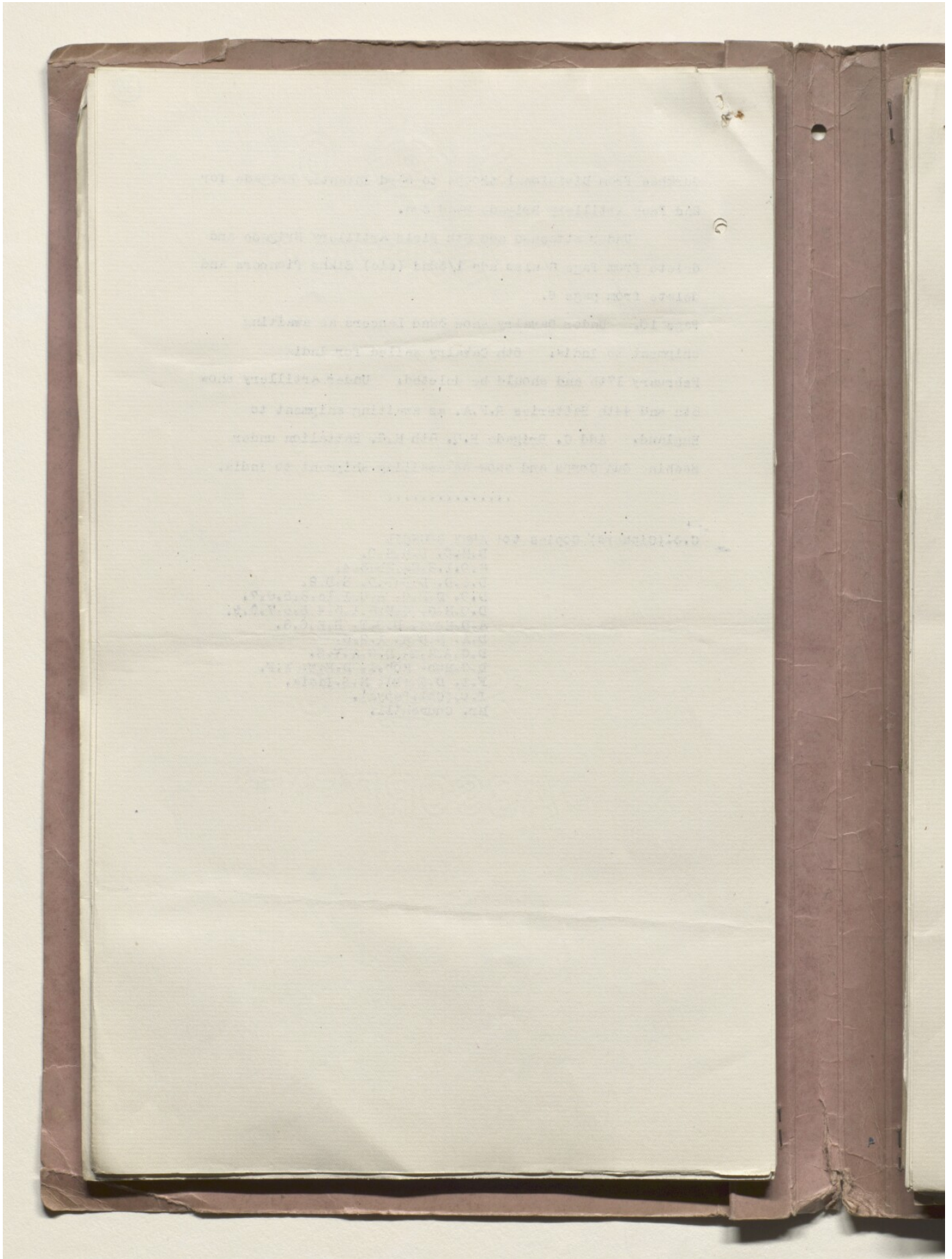
Gurkhas from Divisional troops to 53rd Infantry Brigade for
2nd Pack Artillery Brigade read 3rd.

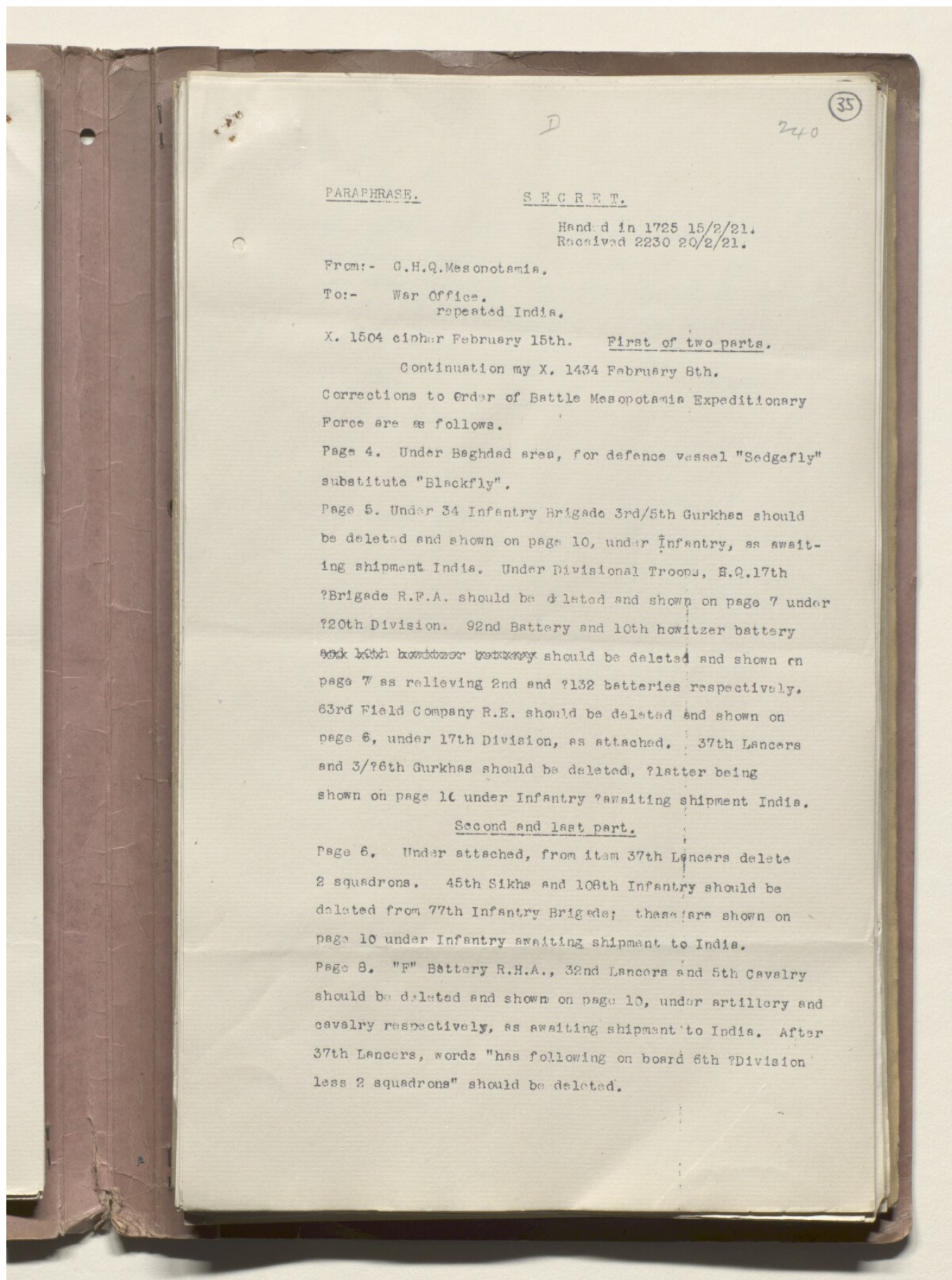
Under attached add 8th Field Artillery Brigade and
delete from Page 8 also add 1/32nd (sic) Sikhs Pioneers and
delete from page 6.

Page 10. Under Cavalry show 32nd Lancers as awaiting
shipment to India. 5th Cavalry sailed for India
February 17th and should be deleted. Under Artillery show
8th and 44th Batteries R.F.A. as awaiting shipment to
England. Add C. Brigade H.Q. 8th M.G. Battalion under
Machine Gun Corps and show as awaiting shipment to India.

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S E C R E T.

Handed in 1725 15/2/21.
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From:- G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.
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Continuation my X. 1434 February 8th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

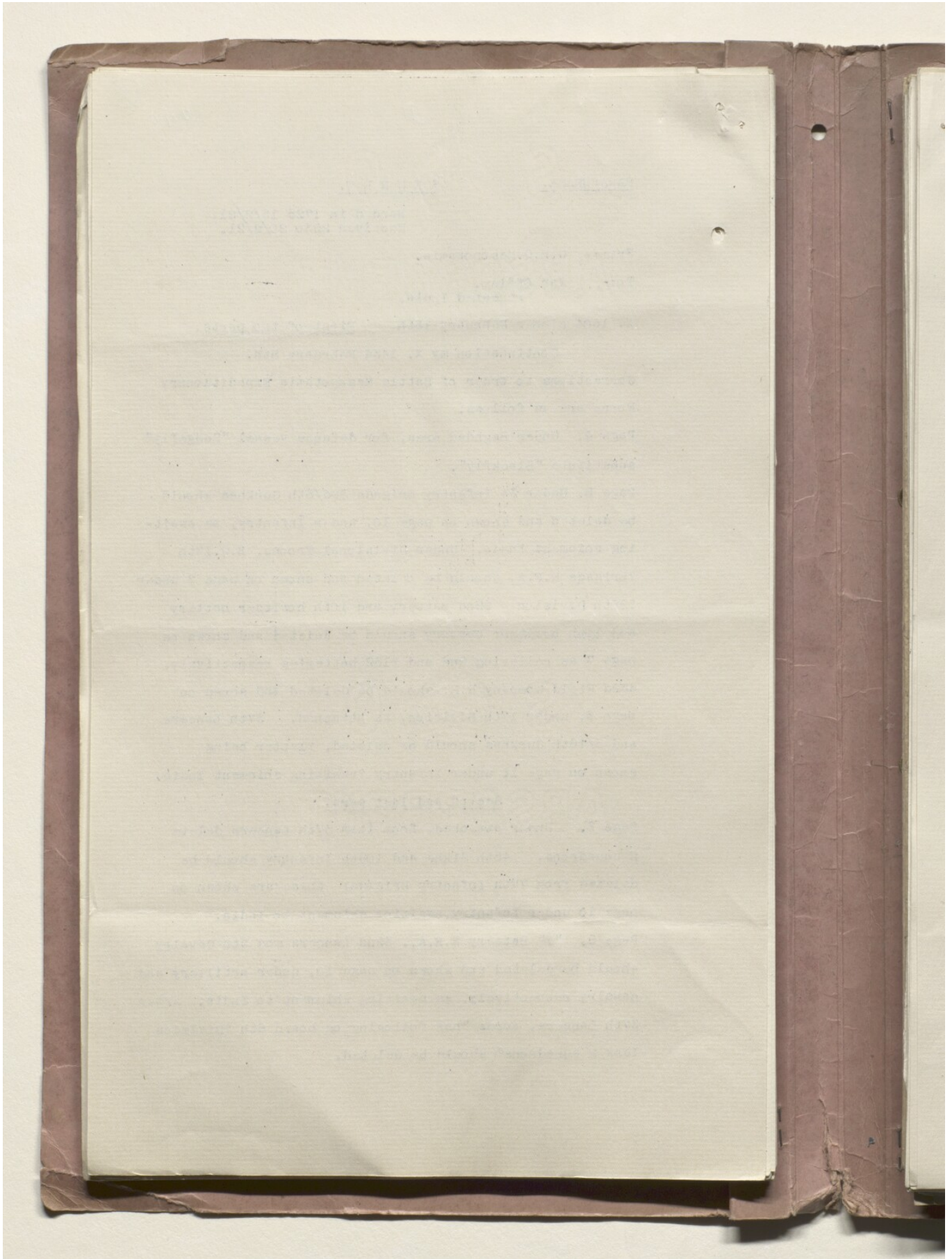
Page 4. Under Baghdad area, for defence vessel "Sedgefly" substitute "Blackfly".

Page 5. Under 34 Infantry Brigade 3rd/5th Gurkhas should be deleted and shown on page 10, under Infantry, as awaiting shipment India. Under Divisional Troops, B.Q. 17th Brigade R.F.A. should be deleted and shown on page 7 under 20th Division. 92nd Battery and 10th howitzer battery and 10th howitzer battery should be deleted and shown on page 7 as relieving 2nd and 132 batteries respectively. 63rd Field Company R.E. should be deleted and shown on page 6, under 17th Division, as attached. 37th Lancers and 3/6th Gurkhas should be deleted, latter being shown on page 10 under Infantry awaiting shipment India.

Second and last part.

Page 6. Under attached, from item 37th Lancers delete 2 squadrons. 45th Sikhs and 108th Infantry should be deleted from 77th Infantry Brigade; these are shown on page 10 under Infantry awaiting shipment to India.

Page 8. "F" Battery R.H.A., 32nd Lancers and 5th Cavalry should be deleted and shown on page 10, under artillery and cavalry respectively, as awaiting shipment to India. After 37th Lancers, words "has following on board 6th Division less 2 squadrons" should be deleted.





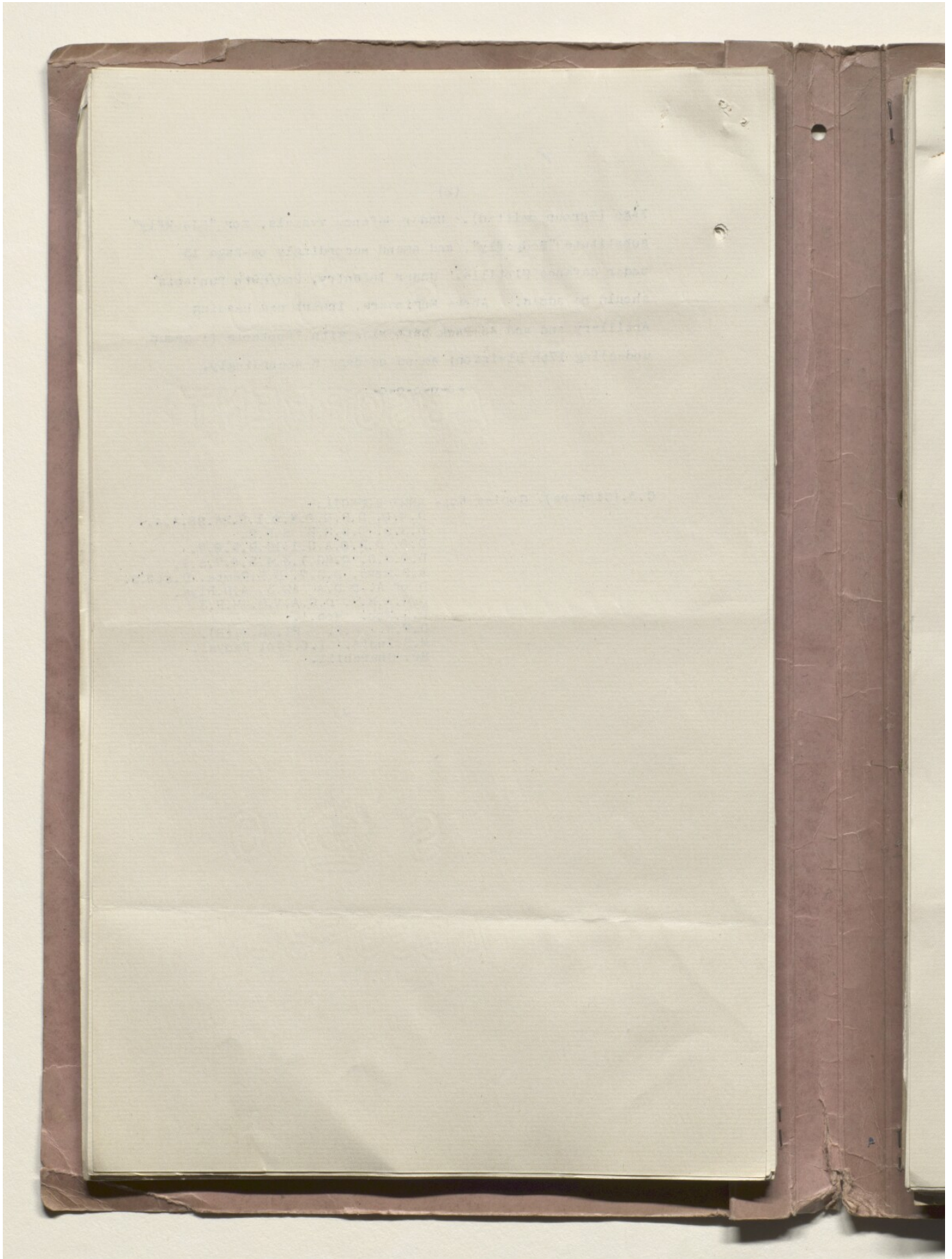
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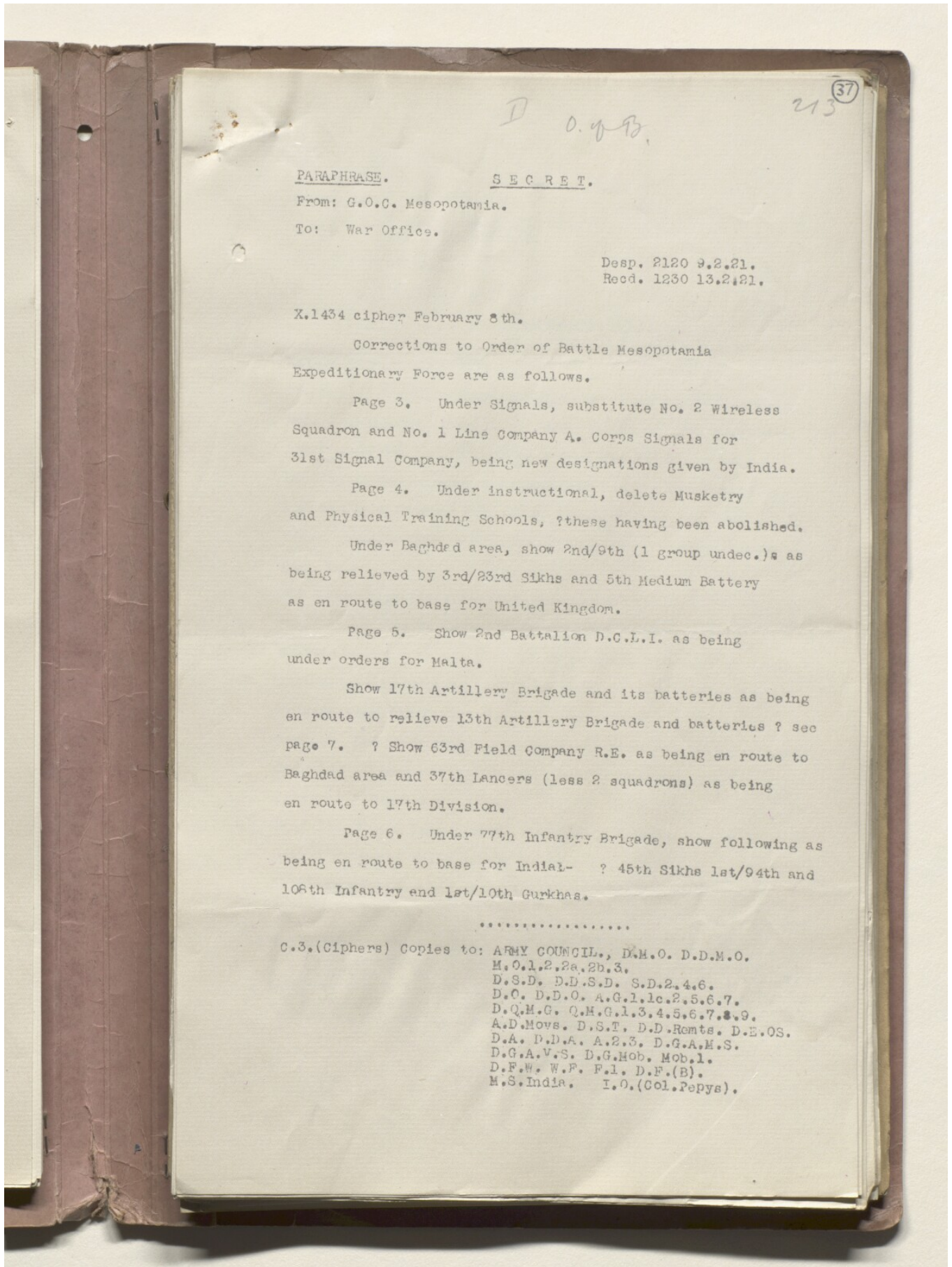
Page (?group omitted). - Under defence vessels, for "Blackfly"
substitute "Sedgefly", and amend accordingly on Page 13
under defence Flotilla. Under Infantry, 2nd/89th Punjabis
should be added. Above Engineers, insert new heading
Artillery and add 45 Pack batteries with footnote (1 group
under)ing 17th Division; amend on page 6 accordingly.

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Mr. Churchill.



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[37r] (73/234)



PARAPHRASE.

SECRET.

From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office.

Desp. 2120 9.2.21.
Recd. 1230 13.2.21.

X.1434 cipher February 8th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia
Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 3. Under Signals, substitute No. 2 Wireless
Squadron and No. 1 Line Company A. Corps Signals for
31st Signal Company, being new designations given by India.

Page 4. Under instructional, delete Musketry
and Physical Training Schools, these having been abolished.

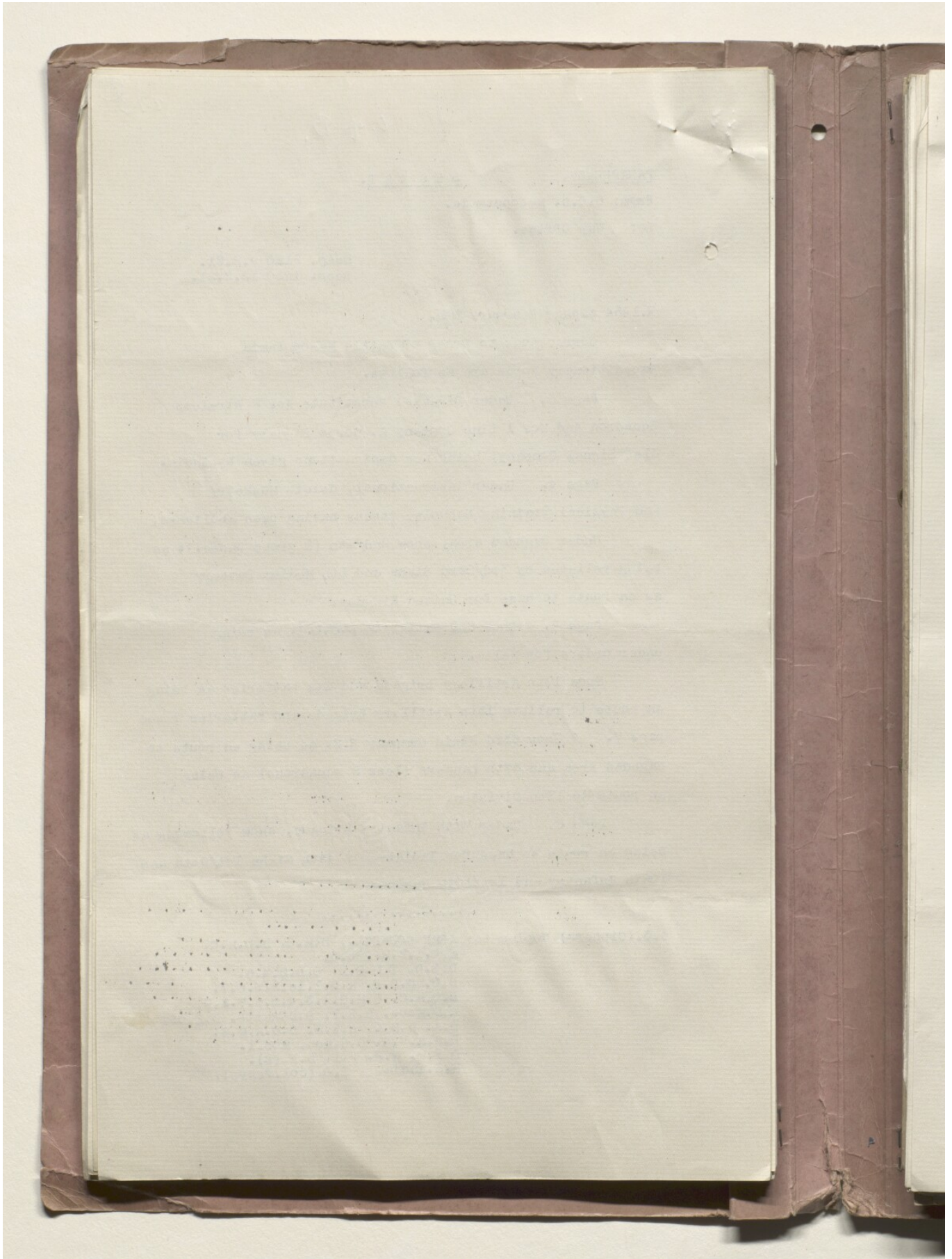
Under Baghdad area, show 2nd/9th (1 group undec.) as
being relieved by 3rd/23rd Sikhs and 5th Medium Battery
as en route to base for United Kingdom.

Page 5. Show 2nd Battalion D.C.L.I. as being
under orders for Malta.

Show 17th Artillery Brigade and its batteries as being
en route to relieve 13th Artillery Brigade and batteries ? see
page 7. ? Show 63rd Field Company R.E. as being en route to
Baghdad area and 37th Lancers (less 2 squadrons) as being
en route to 17th Division.

Page 6. Under 77th Infantry Brigade, show following as
being en route to base for India- ? 45th Sikhs 1st/94th and
106th Infantry and 1st/10th Gurkhas.

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D.O. D.D.O. A.G.1,1c,2,5,6,7.
D.Q.M.G. Q.M.G.1,3,4,5,6,7,8,9.
A.D.Movs. D.S.T. D.D.Remts. D.E.OS.
D.A. D.D.A. A.2,3. D.G.A.M.S.
D.G.A.V.S. D.G.Mob. Mob.1.
D.F.W. W.F. F.1. D.F.(B).
M.S.India. I.O.(Col.Pepys).





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SECRET.

Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Constantinople. *Mesopotamia*

To:- War Office.

Repeated:- India.

Despatched:- 19.25 9.2.21.
Received:- 21.30 13.2.21.

X.1434 cipher 8/2. Part 2.

Under 53rd Infantry Brigade delete 2nd 89th Punjabis showing this battalion on page 12 and show 1st King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry as being under orders for Malta. ?Under Divisional troops show C Company 8th Machine Gun Battalion and 61 Field Company R.E. as en route to base for India. Under attached delete 32nd and 30th Lancers showing latter on page 7.

For D.V.Caddis Fly substitute consort F 12.

Page 7. Under 54th Infantry Brigade delete 1st 39th Gharwalis and show on page 10 as awaiting shipment to India 13th Artillery Brigade should be shown as relieved by 17th Brigade from 6th Division.

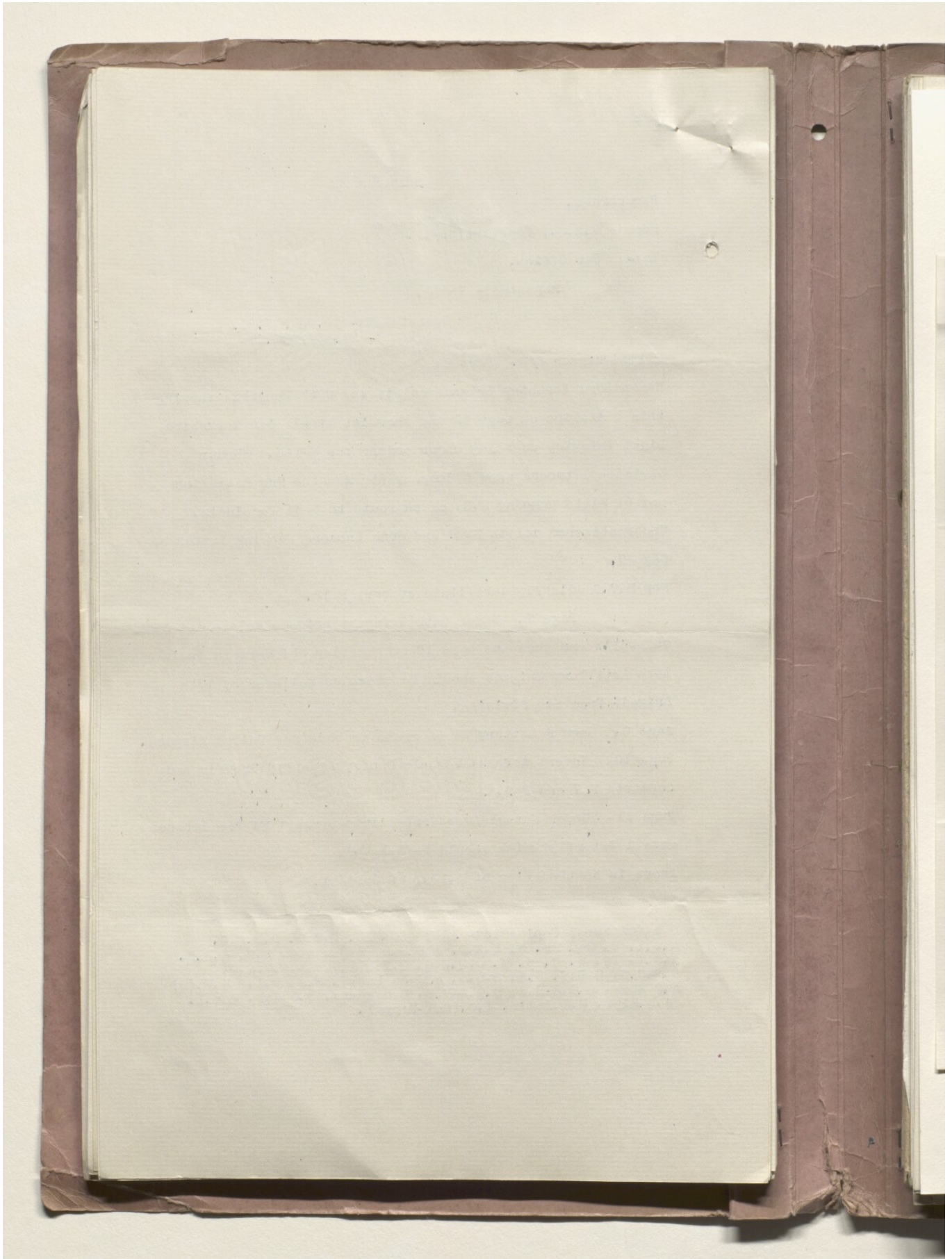
Page 8. Show F Battery as en route to base for United Kingdom.

Page 10. Insert defence vessels Gadfly Blackfly Greyfly and Consorts F 7 and F 9.

Page 11. ?Under Kut-el-Amara substitute Consort F4 for defence vessel Waterfly which should be deleted.

Above is continuation of X.1291 of 25/1/21.

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A.G.1. 10. 2. 5. 6. 7. D.Q.M.C. Q.M.C.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
D.E.O.S. D.S.F. D.A. D.D.A. A.2.3. D.F.W. W.F. F.1. D.F.(B)
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CORRECTION

Cipher telegram No. X.1434 8/2 Part 2 should
read:-

From:- G.H.Q. Mesopotamia

To:- War Office.

Repeated:- India.

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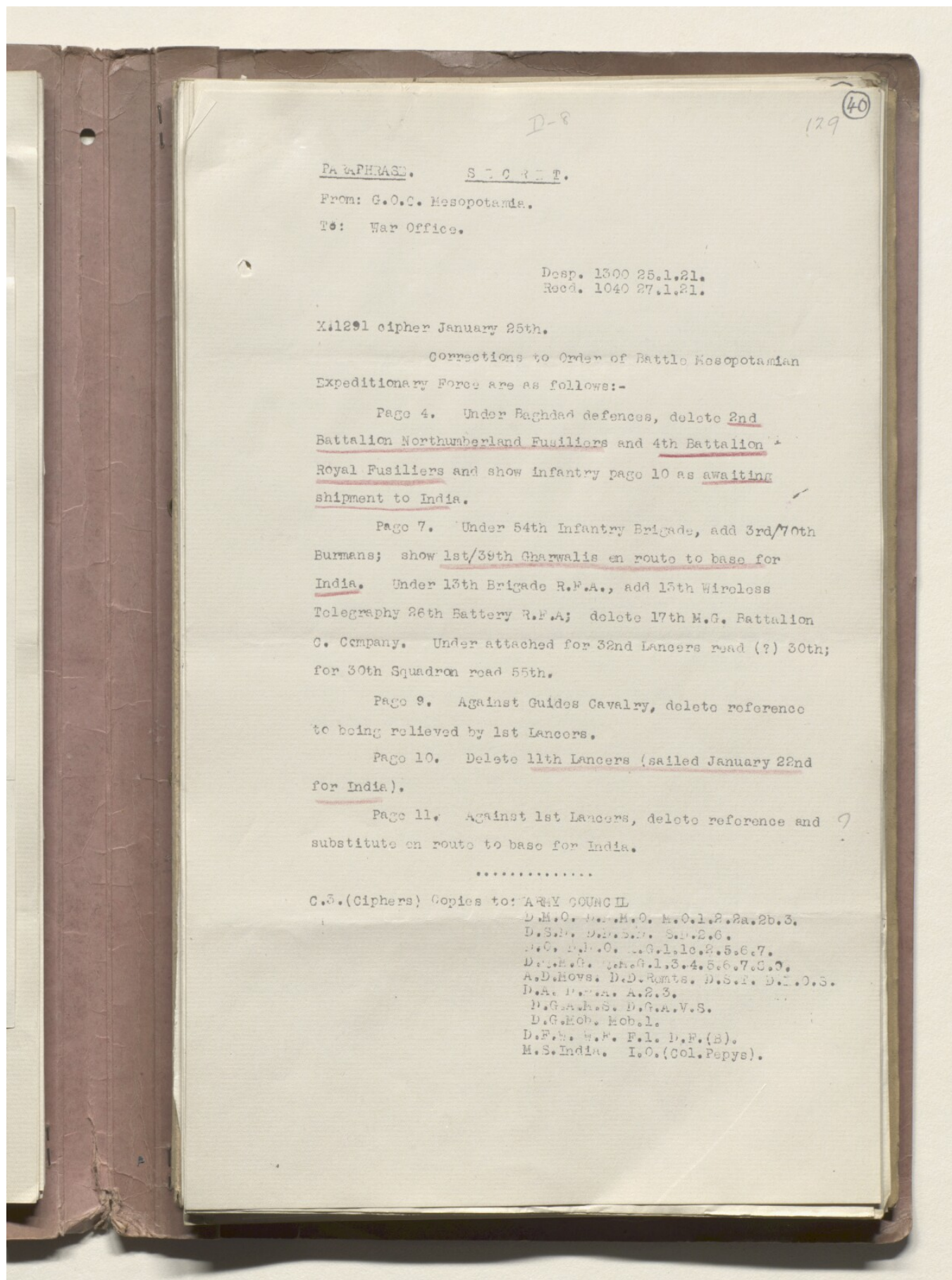
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D.E.O.S. D.S.T. D.A. D.D.A.A.2.3.
D.F.W. W.F. F.1. D.F.(B).
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D.D.Remts. D.G.Mob. Mob.1.
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PARAPHRASE. S E C R E T.

From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office.

Desp. 1300 25.1.21.
Recd. 1040 27.1.21.

X1291 cipher January 25th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Page 4. Under Baghdad defences, delete 2nd Battalion Northumberland Fusiliers and 4th Battalion Royal Fusiliers and show infantry page 10 as awaiting shipment to India.

Page 7. Under 54th Infantry Brigade, add 3rd/70th Burmans; show 1st/39th Gharwalis en route to base for India. Under 13th Brigade R.F.A., add 15th Wireless Telegraphy 26th Battery R.F.A.; delete 17th M.G. Battalion C. Company. Under attached for 32nd Lancers read (?) 30th; for 30th Squadron read 55th.

Page 9. Against Guides Cavalry, delete reference to being relieved by 1st Lancers.

Page 10. Delete 11th Lancers (sailed January 22nd for India).

Page 11. Against 1st Lancers, delete reference and substitute en route to base for India.

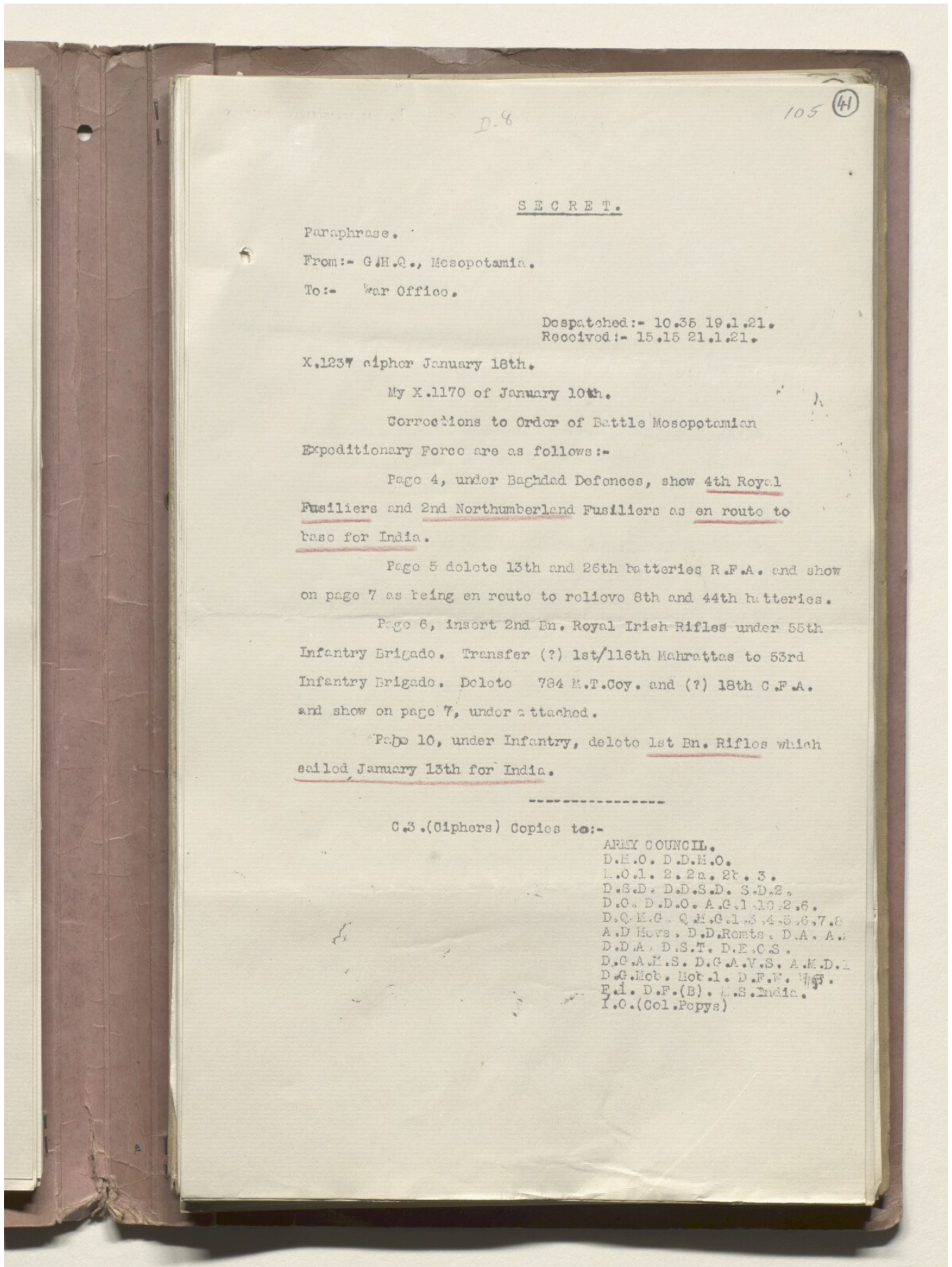
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D.S.O. G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
A.D.Hqs. D.D.Hqs. D.S.F. D.S.O.S.
D.A. D.S.A. A.2.3.
D.G.A.H.S. D.G.A.V.S.
D.G.Hob. Hob.1.
D.F.M. W.F. F.1. D.F.(B).
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S E C R E T .

Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

Despatched:- 10.35 19.1.21.

Received:- 15.15 21.1.21.

X.1237 cipher January 18th.

My X.1170 of January 10th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamian
Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Page 4, under Baghdad Defences, show 4th Royal
Fusiliers and 2nd Northumberland Fusiliers as en route to
base for India.

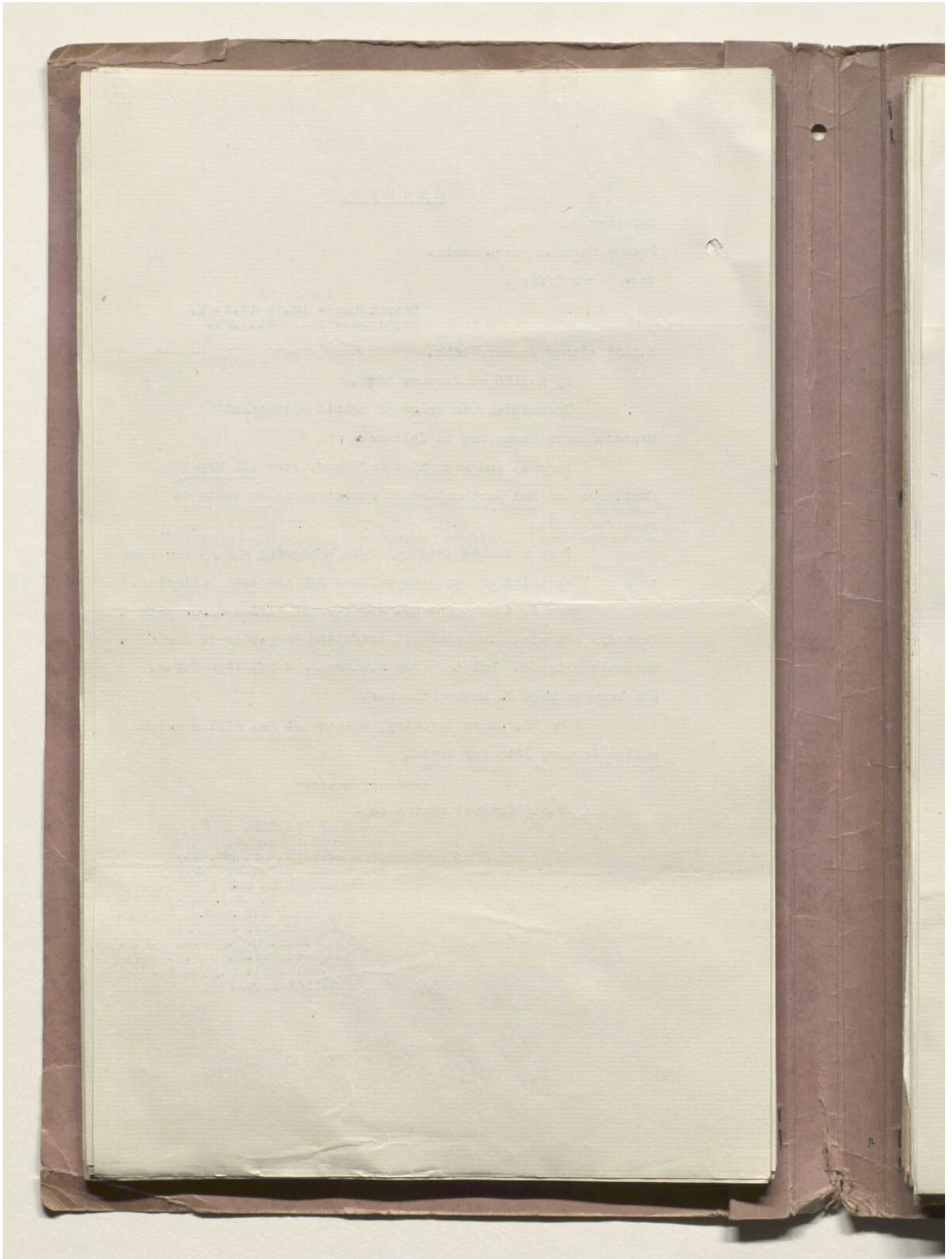
Page 5 delete 13th and 26th batteries R.F.A. and show
on page 7 as being en route to relieve 8th and 44th batteries.

Page 6, insert 2nd En. Royal Irish Rifles under 55th
Infantry Brigade. Transfer (?) 1st/116th Mahrattas to 53rd
Infantry Brigade. Delete 784 M.T.Coy. and (?) 18th C.F.A.
and show on page 7, under attached.

Page 10, under Infantry, delete 1st En. Rifles which
sailed January 13th for India.

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D.Q.E.G. Q.H.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.
A.D Hqs. D.D.Romts. D.A. A.
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D.C.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S. A.K.D.1.
D.G.Hob. Mob.1. D.F.W. 4/8.
F.I. D.F.(B). E.S.India.
I.O.(Col.Popys).





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S E C R E T.

PARAPHRASE.

Despatched 2220 10/1/21.
Received 1030 14/1/21.

From:- G.H.O. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.
repeated India.

X. 1170 cipher 10/1/21.

Continuation X. 1126 4/1/21. Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows:- Page 5. defence vessel Hover Fly should be deleted and shown under river area. ^{add} Page 6/detachment No. 4, armoured Csr Company under attached. Page 7 under 77th Brigade add 1st Irish Fusiliers and show 4th Royal Fusiliers as en route for base for India. Page 8 show 1st/39th Gherwals as being relieved by 3rd/70th Burmans now en route from 17th division. Under attached show 1 flight 30th squadron R.A.F. as being relieved by 1 from 55th squadron. Page 11. under cavalry insert 11th Beners and show en route for India. Page 12. Insert new headings cavalry under Amarah and Kut-al-Amarah and add 1st Lancers and 1 squadron 7th Lancers respectively.

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D.O. D.B.O. A.G. 1.10.2.5.
D.O.M.G. C.S.G. 1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
A.D.Moss. D.D.Repts. D.S.T. D.E.C
D.G./M.S. D.G.A. T.S. D.G.Mob. Mob.1.
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H.S.India.
D.A. D.D.A. A2.3.5.
I.O.(Col Penns).





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X.1126 cipher January 4th from G.H.Q.Mesopotamia.
In sixth line, No "5" armoured Car Company should read
No."2".

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D.Q.M.G. Q.M.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
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D.D.Rents. D.S.T. D.E.O.S.
D.G.A.M.S. D.G.A.V.S. D.G.Mob.
Mob.1. D.F.W. W.F. Fl.D.F.(B).
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PARAPHRASE. SECRET.

From: G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office repeated India.

Desp. 1030 5.1.21.
Recd. 0630 10.1.21.

X.1126 cipher January 4th.

In continuation of my X.965, 1st of 2 parts.

Corrections to Order of Battle, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force, are as follows.

Page 4. Read, for H.Q. L.A.M. Brigade, H.Q. Number 1 Group Tank Corps, and for L.A.M.Bi, Read Nos. 1, 6, and 5 Armoured Car Companies, respectively.

Page 5. Amend H.Q. L.A.M. Brigade and 7th L.A.M.B. accordingly.

Page 6. Delete 1st K.O.Y.L.I. and ^{12/}13/70th Burmans and shew on page 7, under attached.

Page 7. Delete 35th Scinde Horse and shew under 18th Division on page 8. Amend 6th and 7th L.A.M. Batteries; show 32nd Lancers and 5th Cavalry as under orders for India.

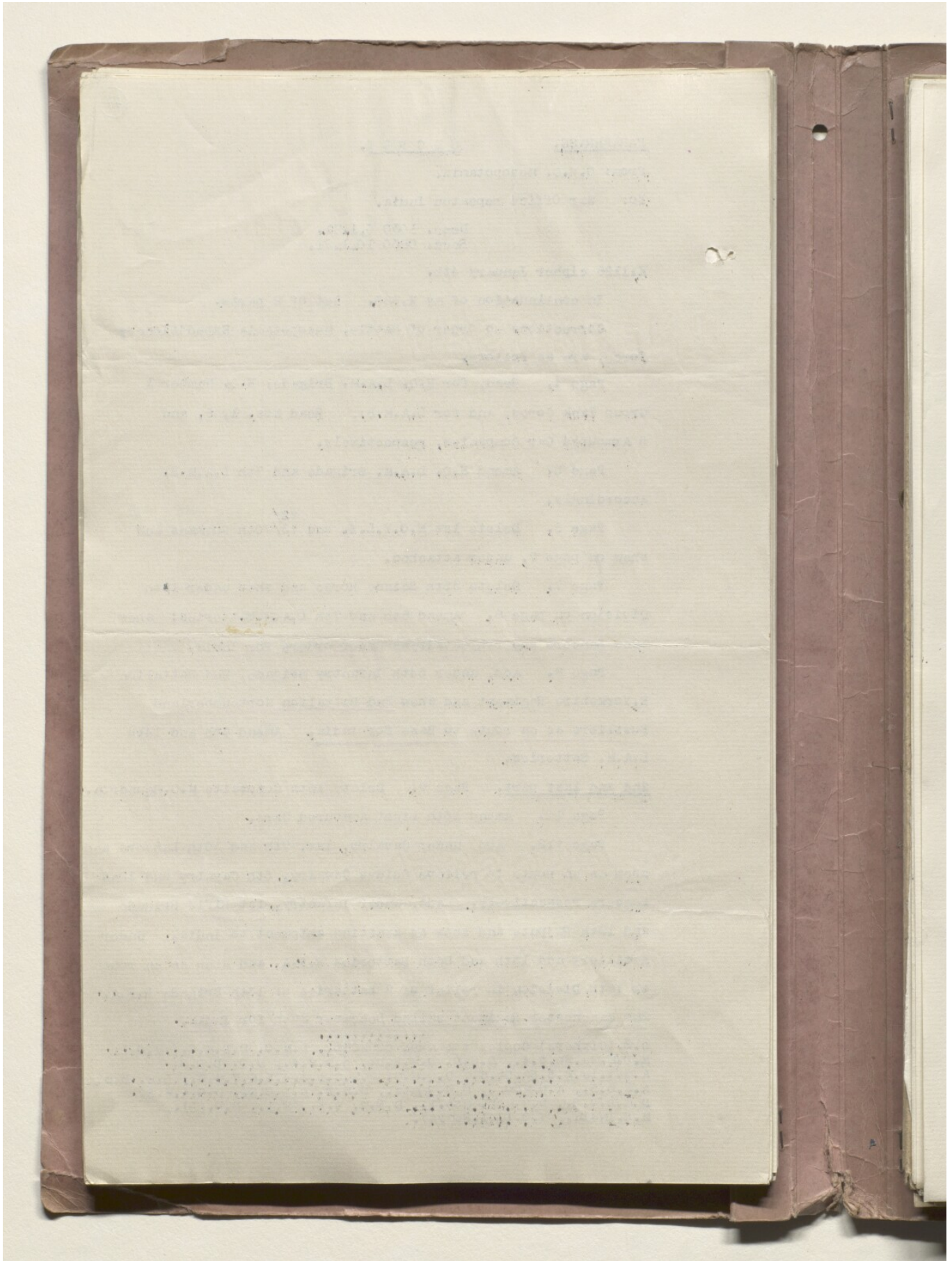
Page 8. Add, under 54th Infantry Brigade, 2nd Battalion E. Yorkshire Regiment and shew 2nd Battalion Northumberland Fusiliers as on route to Base for India. Amend 8th and 14th L.A.M. Batteries.

2nd and last part. Page 9. Delete 16th Composite M.G. Squadron.

Page 10. Amend 15th Light Armoured Cars.

Page 11. Add, under Cavalry, 1st, 7th and 30th Lancers and show as on route to relieve Guides Cavalry, 5th Cavalry and 32nd Lancers respectively. Add, under Infantry, 1st Rifle Brigade and 13th Rajputs and shew as awaiting shipment to India. Under Artillery add 13th and 26th Batteries R.F.A. and shew as en route to 18th Division in relief of 2 batteries of 13th Brigade R.F.A. 2nd Manchester Regiment sailed December 27th for India.

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A.G.1.1c, 2, 5, 5a, 5b, 6., D.Q.M.G. A.G.1.3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9., D.A. D.D.A.
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[45r] (89/234)



SECRET.

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Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

Repeated:- India.

Despatched:- 15.15 20.12.20.
Received:- 13.00 1.1.21.

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X.985 cipher 27th December. Continuation X.900 December 15th.
Corrections to Order of Battle, Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force
are as follows.

Page 5, under Artillery delete less 1 section attached
17th Division. Under Infantry delete: 2/116 Mahrattas, and
show as attached 17th Division on page 7.

17/15th Page 6 delete: 1/215th Sikhs, and substitute for 1/94th
Infantry on page 7, under 52nd Infantry Bdgade.

Page 7, delete: 1/94th Infantry, and show on page 5, with
footnote - Under orders for 77th Infantry Brigade.

Page 8, under attached, after 35th Scinde Horse, delete:
2 squadrons, and on page 9 show regiment as attached 18th Division.

Page 11 under Infantry add: 2nd Battalion East Kent Regt., and show
as en route for Baghdad.

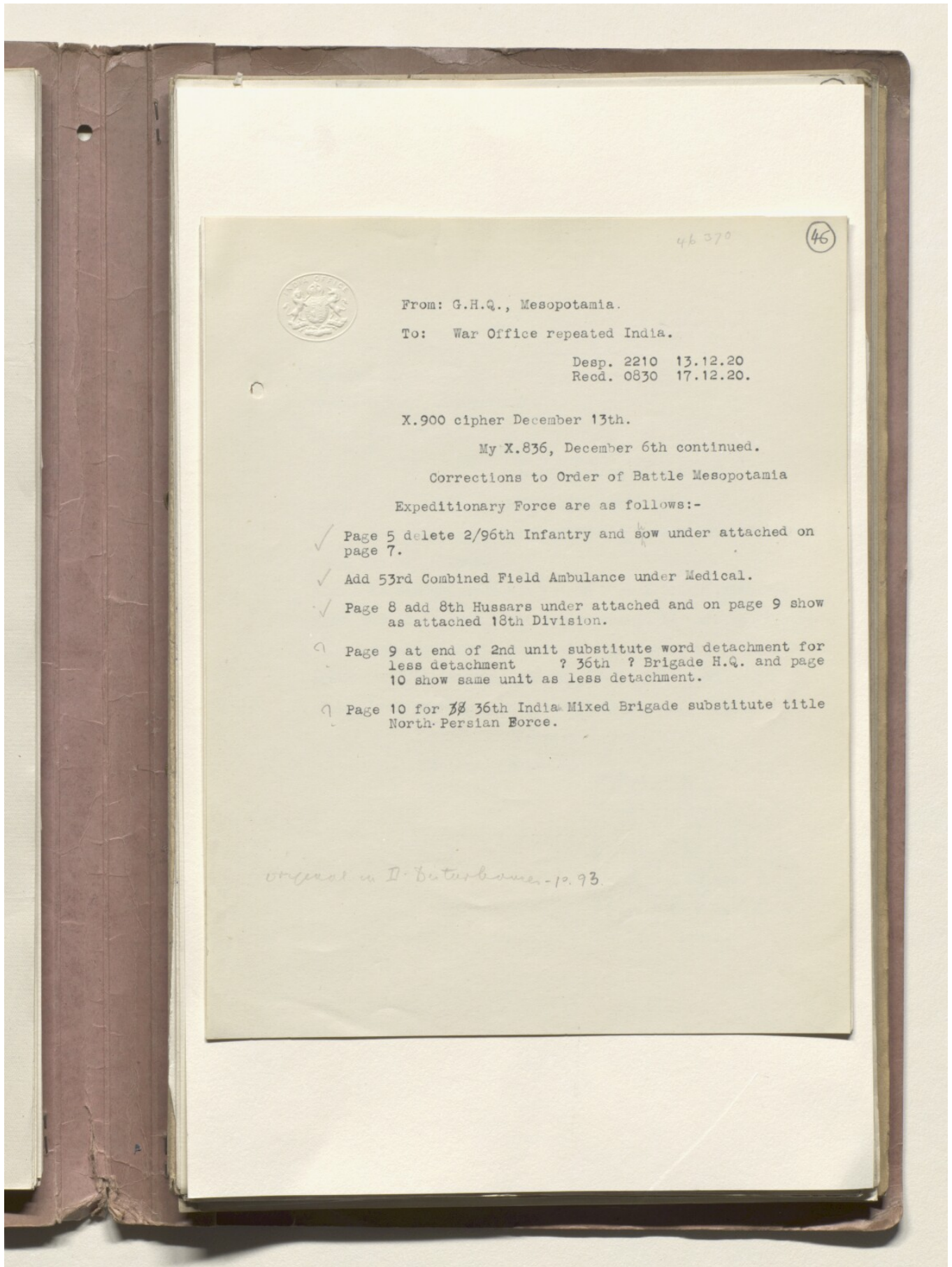
Corrections shown above are made on Order of Battle dated
November 1st. Now edition was published December 1st.

On, and after, January 10th correction wires will be based on
this edition.

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D.C.C. L.C.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
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D.G.A.L.S. D.C. V.S. D.C. (Hq. Hq.1.
D.F.V. F. F.1. D.F.(B). E.S. India.
I.C.(Col. Pops).





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From: G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To: War Office repeated India.

Desp. 2210 13.12.20
Recd. 0830 17.12.20.

X.900 cipher December 13th.

My X.836, December 6th continued.

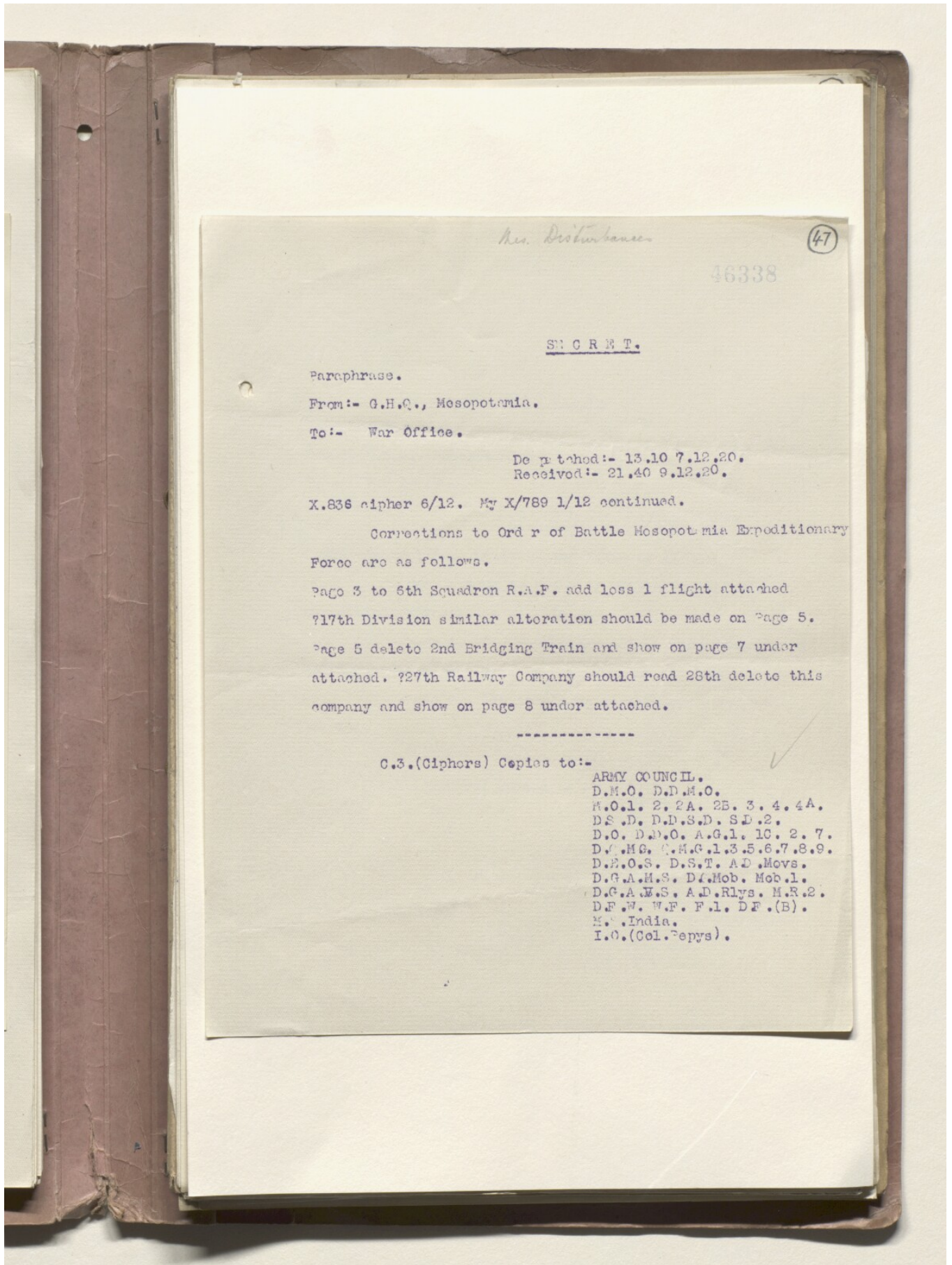
Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia

Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

- ✓ Page 5 delete 2/96th Infantry and sow under attached on page 7.
- ✓ Add 53rd Combined Field Ambulance under Medical.
- ✓ Page 8 add 8th Hussars under attached and on page 9 show as attached 18th Division.
- Page 9 at end of 2nd unit substitute word detachment for less detachment ? 36th ? Brigade H.Q. and page 10 show same unit as less detachment.
- Page 10 for 38 36th India Mixed Brigade substitute title North Persian Force.

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SECRET.

Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

Despatched:- 13.10 7.12.20.
Received:- 21.40 9.12.20.

X.836 cipher 6/12. My X/789 1/12 continued.

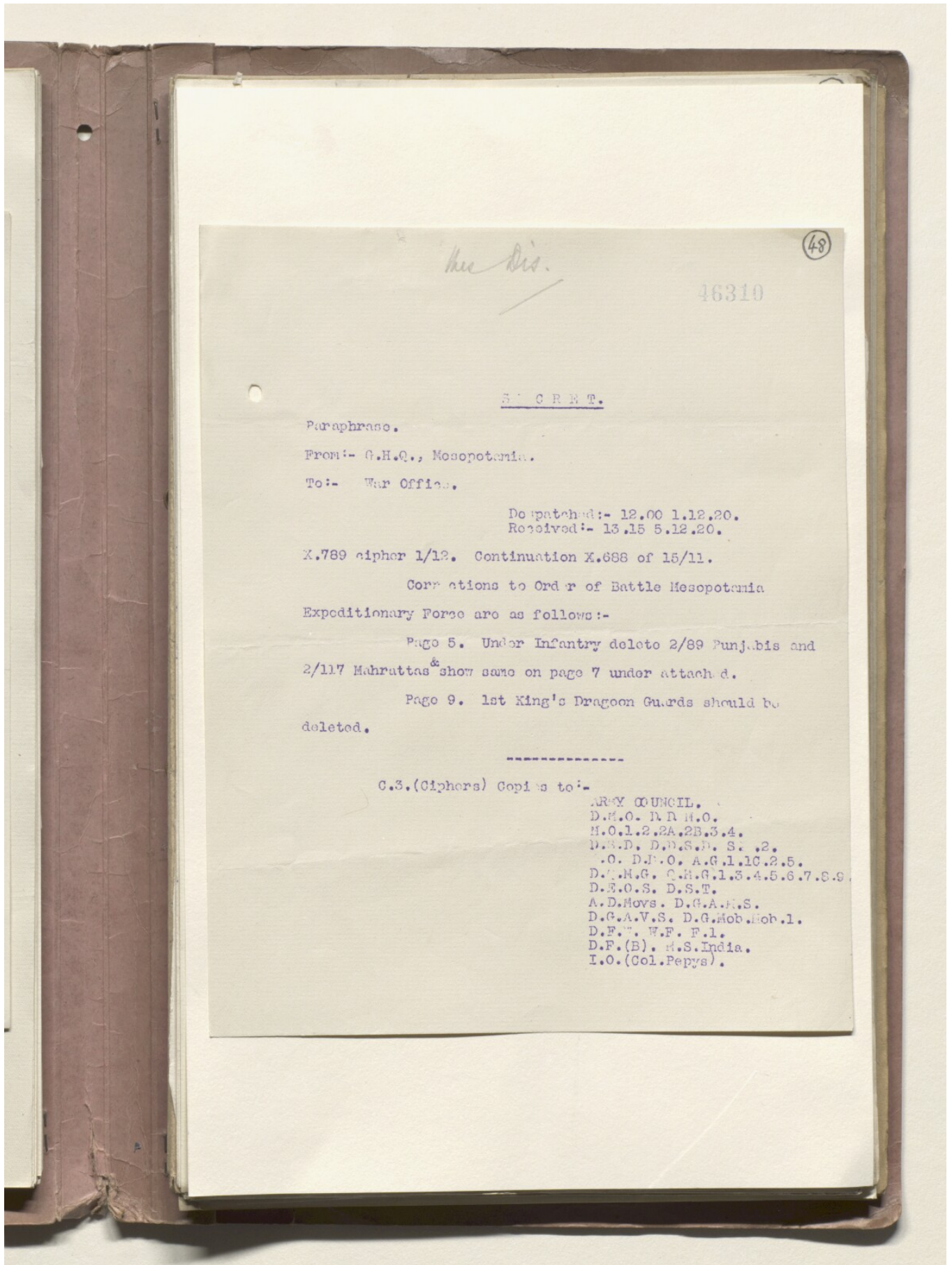
Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 3 to 6th Squadron R.A.F. add loss 1 flight attached
117th Division similar alteration should be made on Page 5.
Page 5 delete 2nd Bridging Train and show on page 7 under
attached. 27th Railway Company should read 28th delete this
company and show on page 8 under attached.

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D.E.O.S. D.S.T. AD.Movs.
D.G.A.M.S. D.Mob. Mob.1.
D.G.A.M.S. A.D.Rlys. M.R.2.
D.F.W. W.F. F.1. D.F.(B).
M. India.
I.O.(Col. Pepsy).





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Paraphrase.

From:- G.H.Q., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

Despatched:- 12.00 1.12.20.
Received:- 13.15 5.12.20.

X.789 cipher 1/12. Continuation X.688 of 15/11.

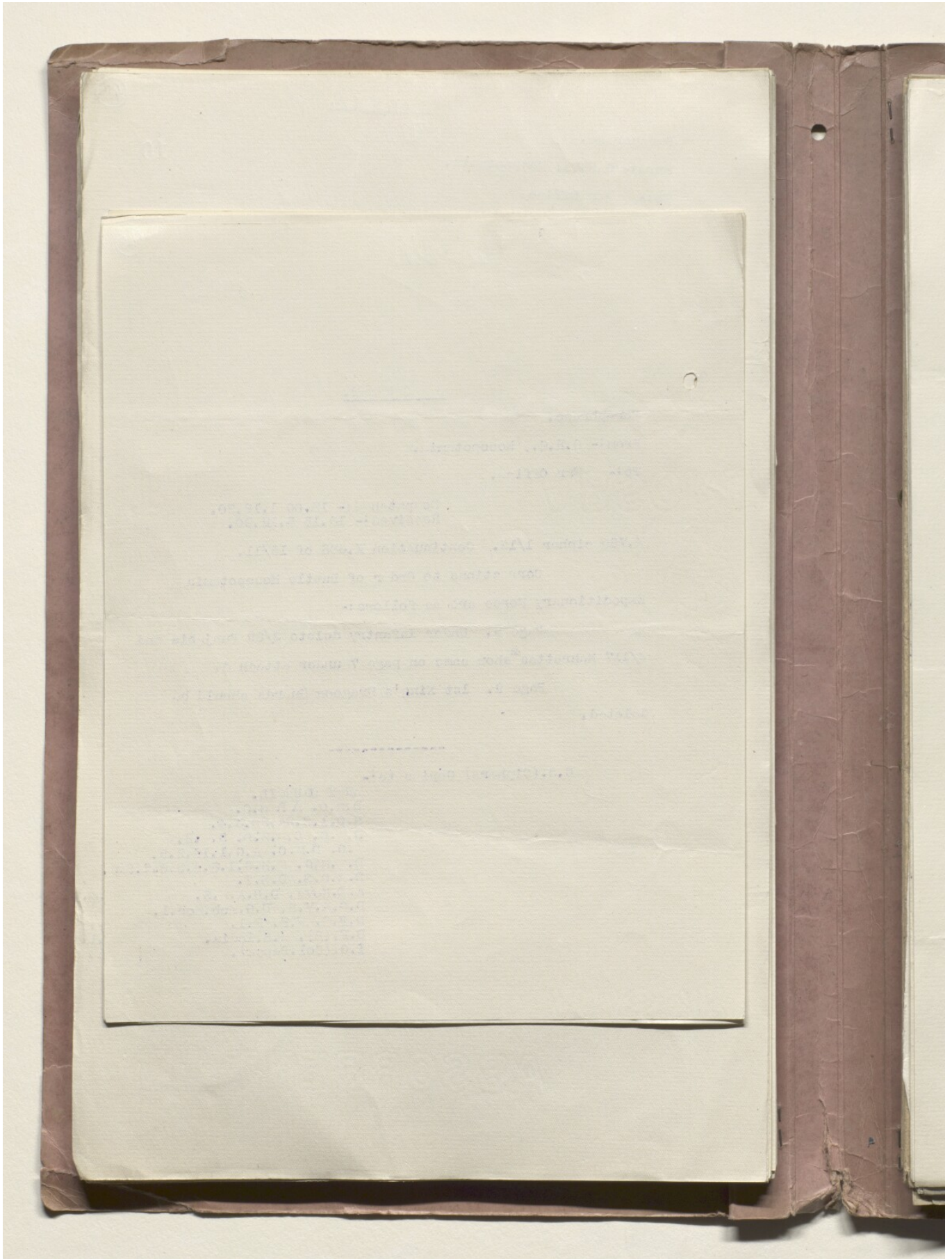
Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia
Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Page 5. Under Infantry delete 2/89 Punjabis and
2/117 Mahrattas & show same on page 7 under attached.

Page 9. 1st King's Dragoon Guards should be
deleted.

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O. D.F.O. A.G.1.10.2.5.
D.C.H.G. C.H.G.1.3.4.5.6.7.8.9.
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PARAPHRASE.

SECRET.

Despatched 1645 15/11/20.
Received 0900 18/11/20.

From:- G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.
repeated India.

X. 688 cipher Nova bar 15th.

Continuation X.634 Nova bar 8th. Corrections to
Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as
follows:-

Page 3. For allotment of defence vessel Caddis Fly
substitute 17th Division for Fallujah.

Page 6. Shown as attached 17th Division following
75th Brigade 2nd/119th Infantry 2nd/11th Gurkhas. Under
attached add 37th Lancers (less 2 squadrons) 34th Brigade
H.C. and Signal Section and number 2 S.A.A. Section.

Page 7. Under Divisional Troops shown 1st Company Sappers
and Miners and Military Hospital Kirkuk as attached 18th Di-
vision. Delete defence vessel Fire Fly add 34 Casualty
Clearing Station 1st/15th Sikhs 75th Brigade H.C. 2nd/119th
Infantry 2nd/11th Gurkhas and 152nd combined Field Ambulance.

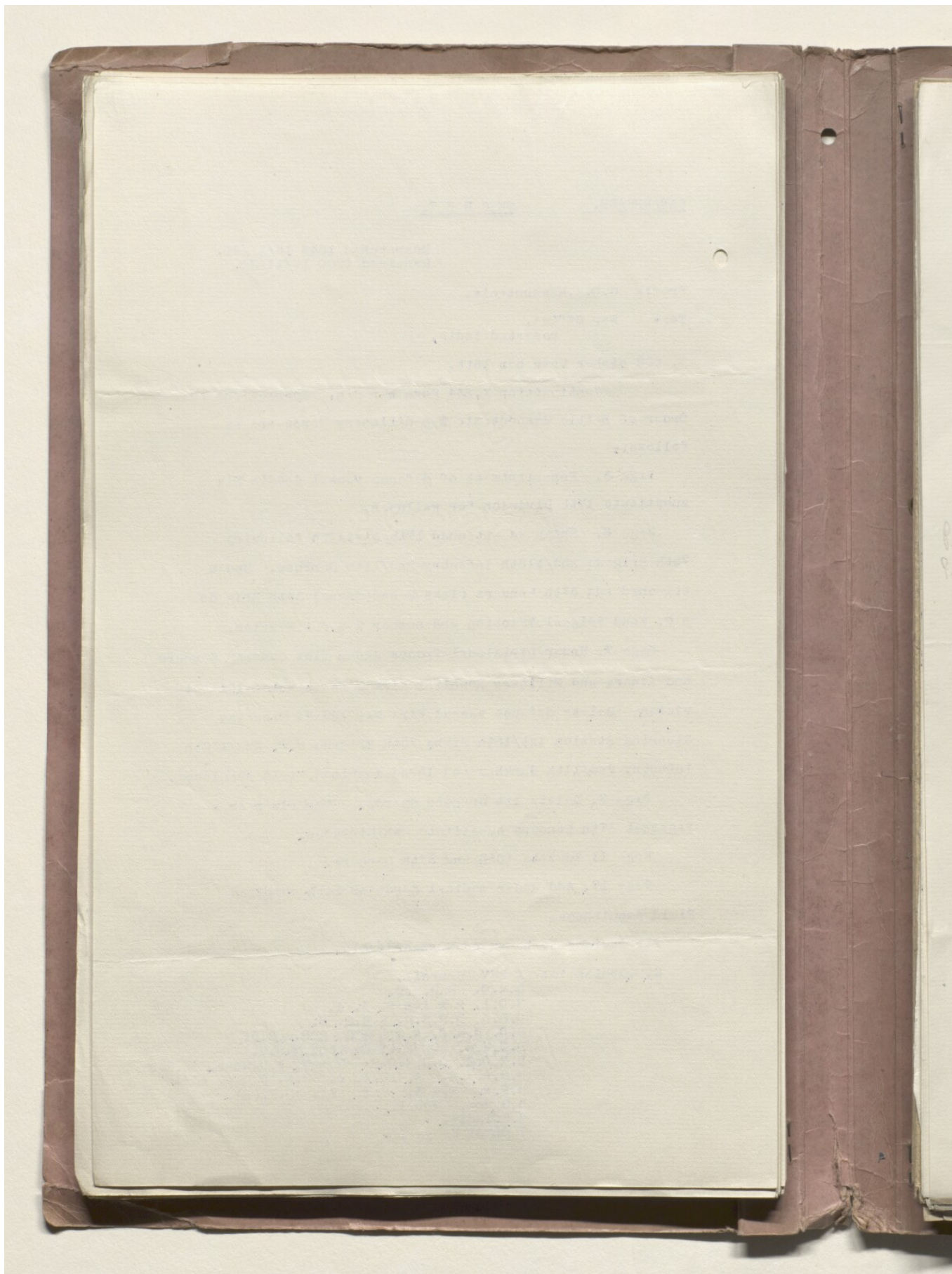
Page 9. Delete 1st Dragoon Guards. For river area
against 37th Lancers substitute 6th Division.

Page 11 delete 10th and 37th Lancers.

Page 17. Add under medical 53rd and 54th combined
Field Ambulances.

All indices to be amended accordingly.

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From:- G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office,
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X. 634 November 8th.

My X. 582 November 2nd continued.

Following corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia.

Expeditionary Force. Page 3 delete defence vessel Firefly.

Under RAF add against 6th squadron (less flight attached 17th Division). For "Q" force read composite aircraft ?Park. *Pu?*

P.3? Page 4 under signals for 2nd wireless squadron read 41st.

P.3? Page 5 under RAF to 30th squadron add less 1 flight each 18th division and 36th brigade and to 6th squadron add less flight 17th Division. Under Engineers for 2nd wireless squadron read 41st

Page 6 to attached add 2/?125th Rifles with foot note temporarily attached from river area. Page 9 show 1st Brigade Guards as

en route base for United Kingdom, delete 10th Lancers (group omitted) for India November 5th. Page 10 add 4th G.H.C.

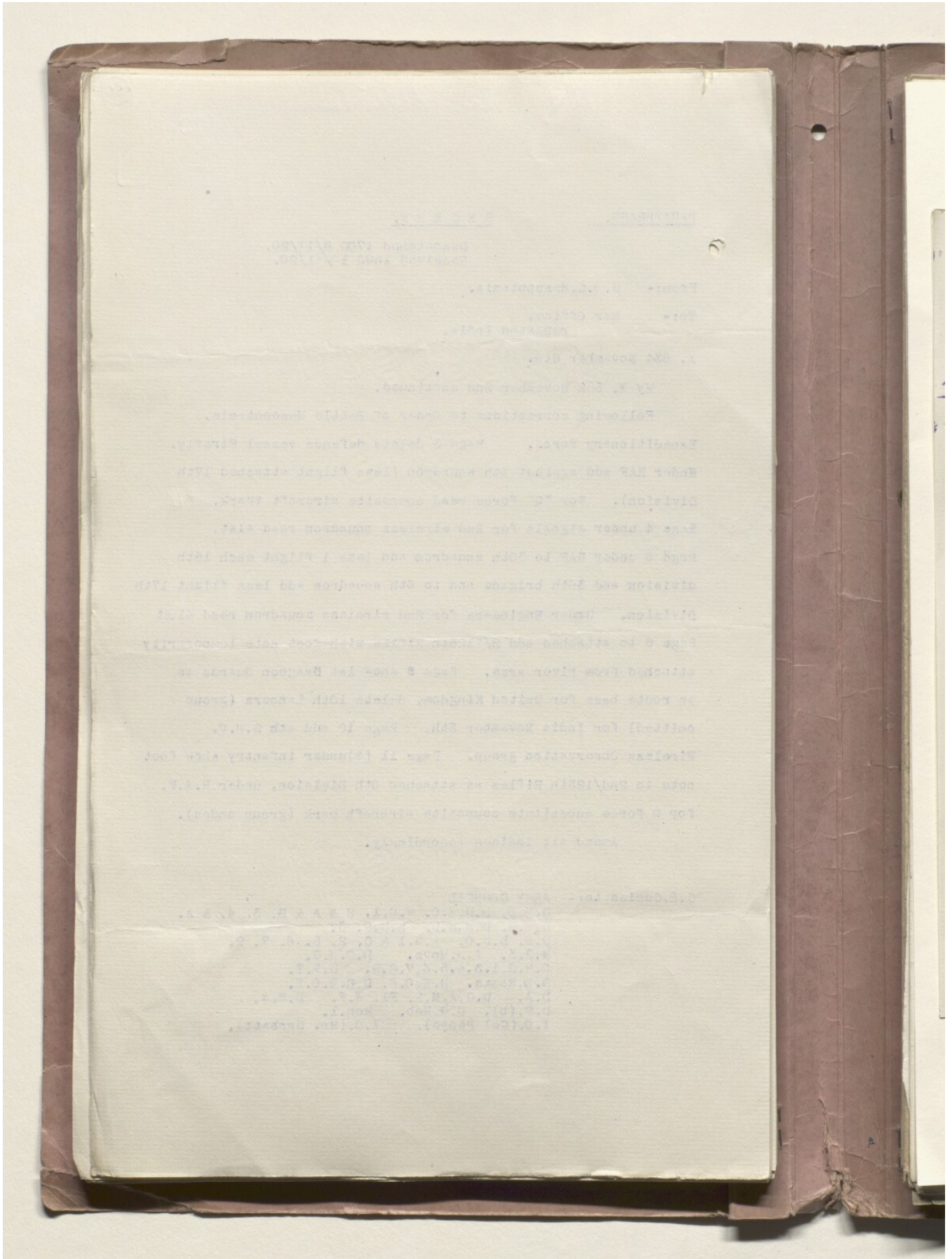
Wireless Observation group. Page 11 (?) under infantry show foot note to 2nd/125th Rifles as attached 6th Division, under R.A.F.

for Q force substitute composite aircraft park (group undec).

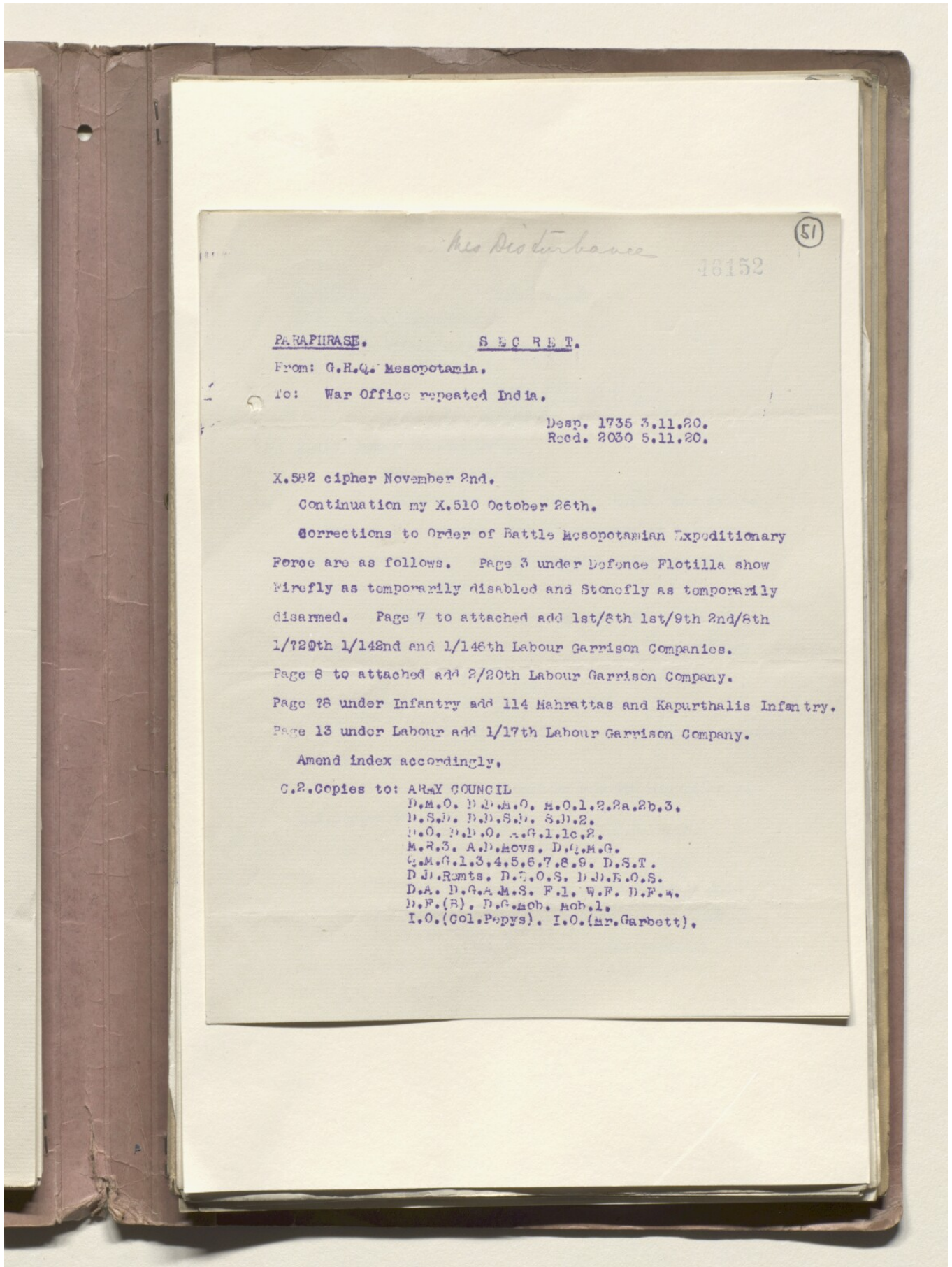
Amend all indices accordingly.

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PARAPHRASE.

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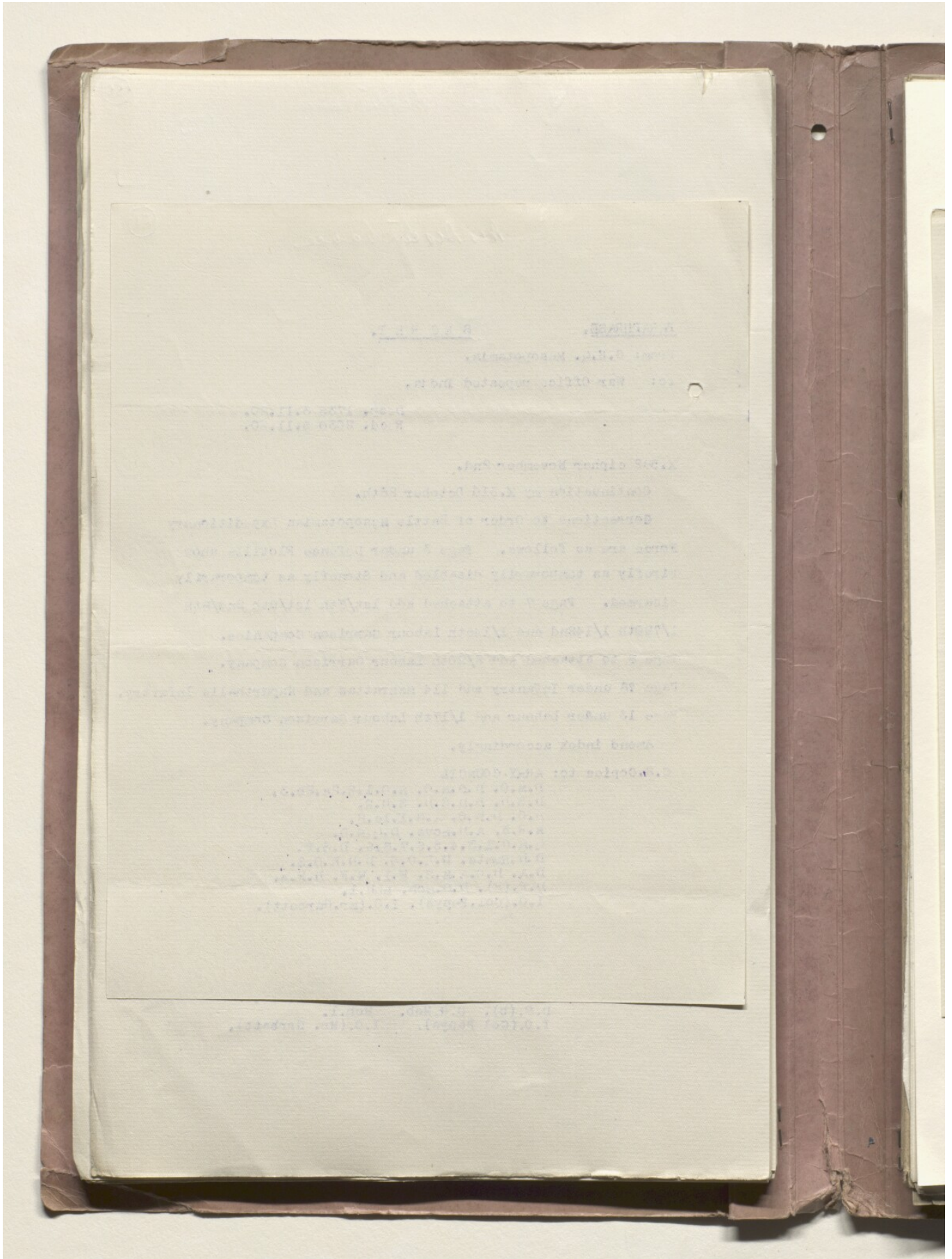
Continuation my X.510 October 26th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force are as follows. Page 3 under Defence Flotilla show Firefly as temporarily disabled and Stonefly as temporarily disarmed. Page 7 to attached add 1st/8th 1st/9th 2nd/6th 1/729th 1/142nd and 1/146th Labour Garrison Companies. Page 8 to attached add 2/20th Labour Garrison Company. Page 28 under Infantry add 114 Mahrattas and Kapurthalis Infantry. Page 13 under Labour add 1/17th Labour Garrison Company.

Amend index accordingly.

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PARAPHRASE.

S E C R E T.

From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

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X.510 cipher October 25th.

2nd and last part.

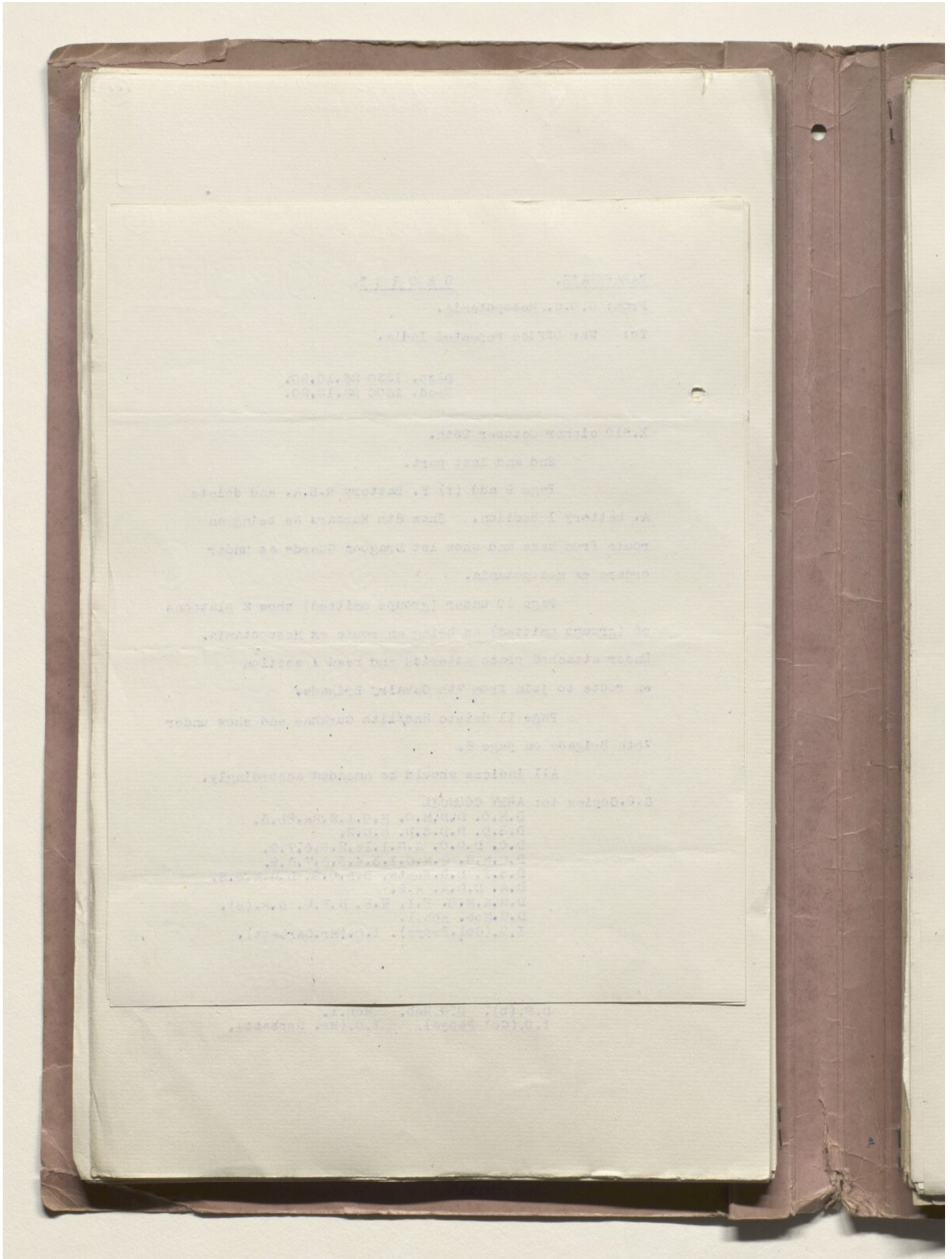
Page 9 add (?) F. Battery R.H.A. and delete
A. battery 1 Section. Show 8th Hussars as being en
route from base and show 1st Dragoon Guards as under
orders ex Mesopotamia.

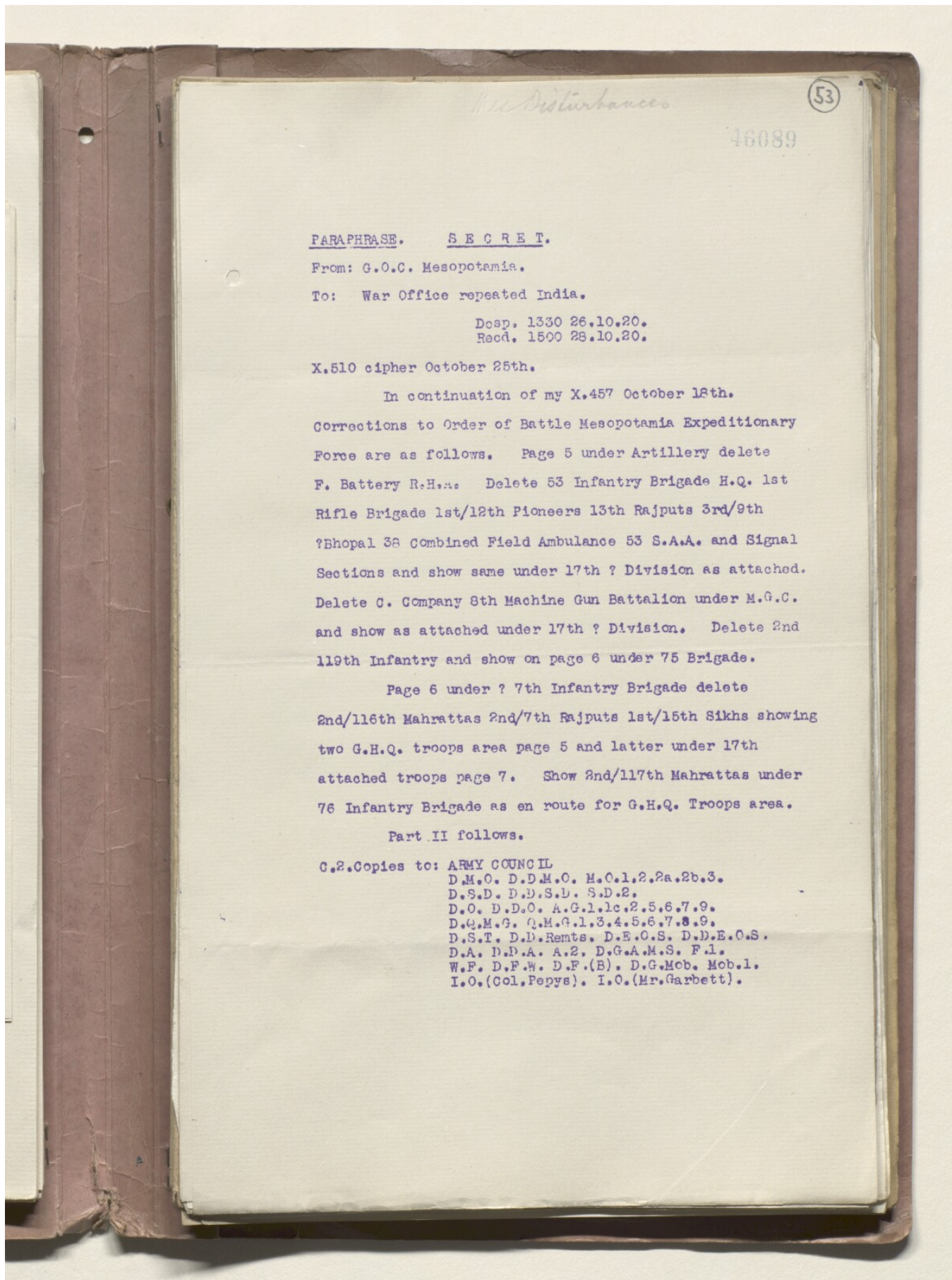
Page 10 under (groups omitted) show 2 platoons
of (groups omitted) as being en route ex Mesopotamia.
Under attached place asterisk and read 1 section
en route to join from 7th Cavalry Brigade.

Page 11 delete 2nd/11th Gurkhas and show under
75th Brigade on page 6.

All indices should be amended accordingly.

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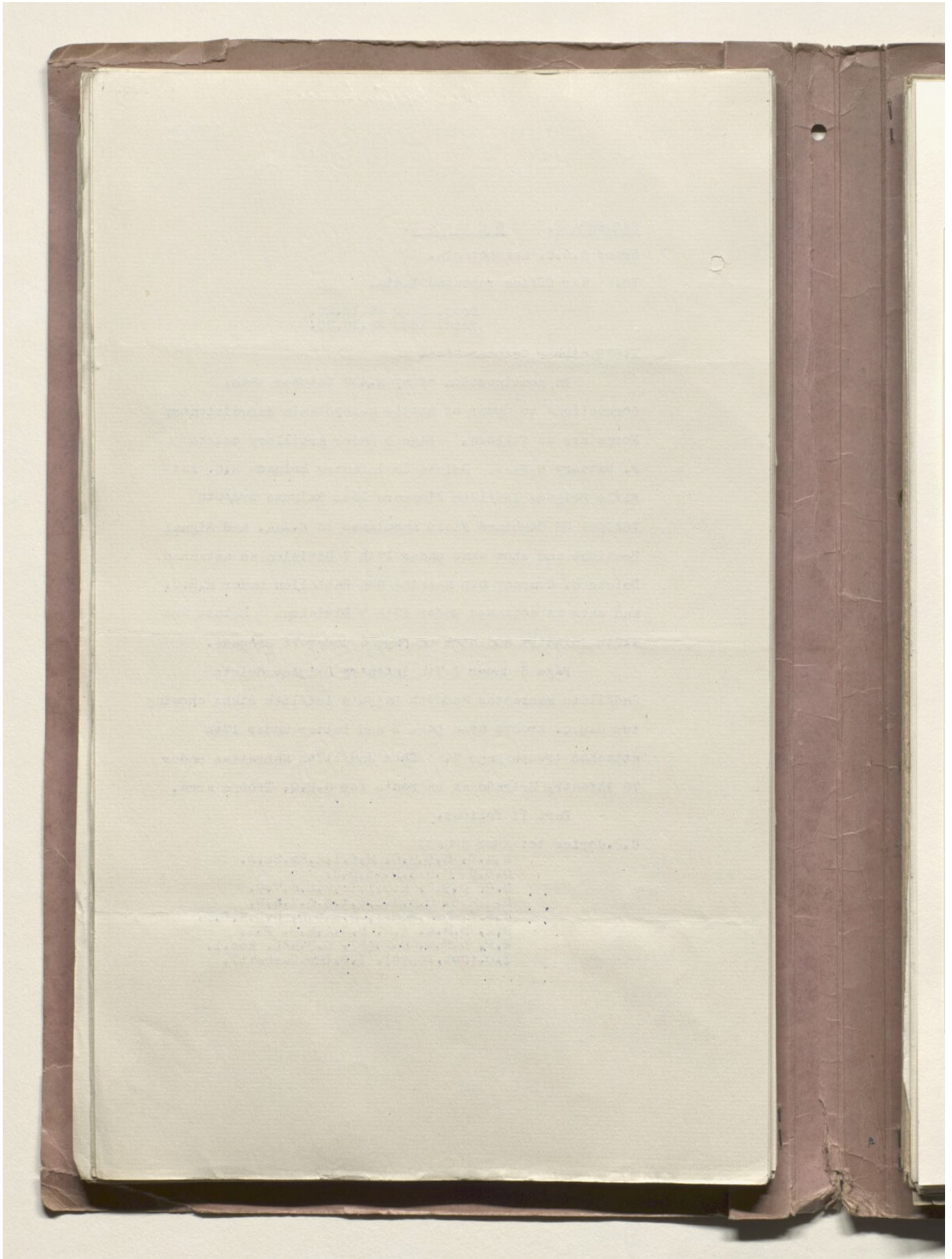
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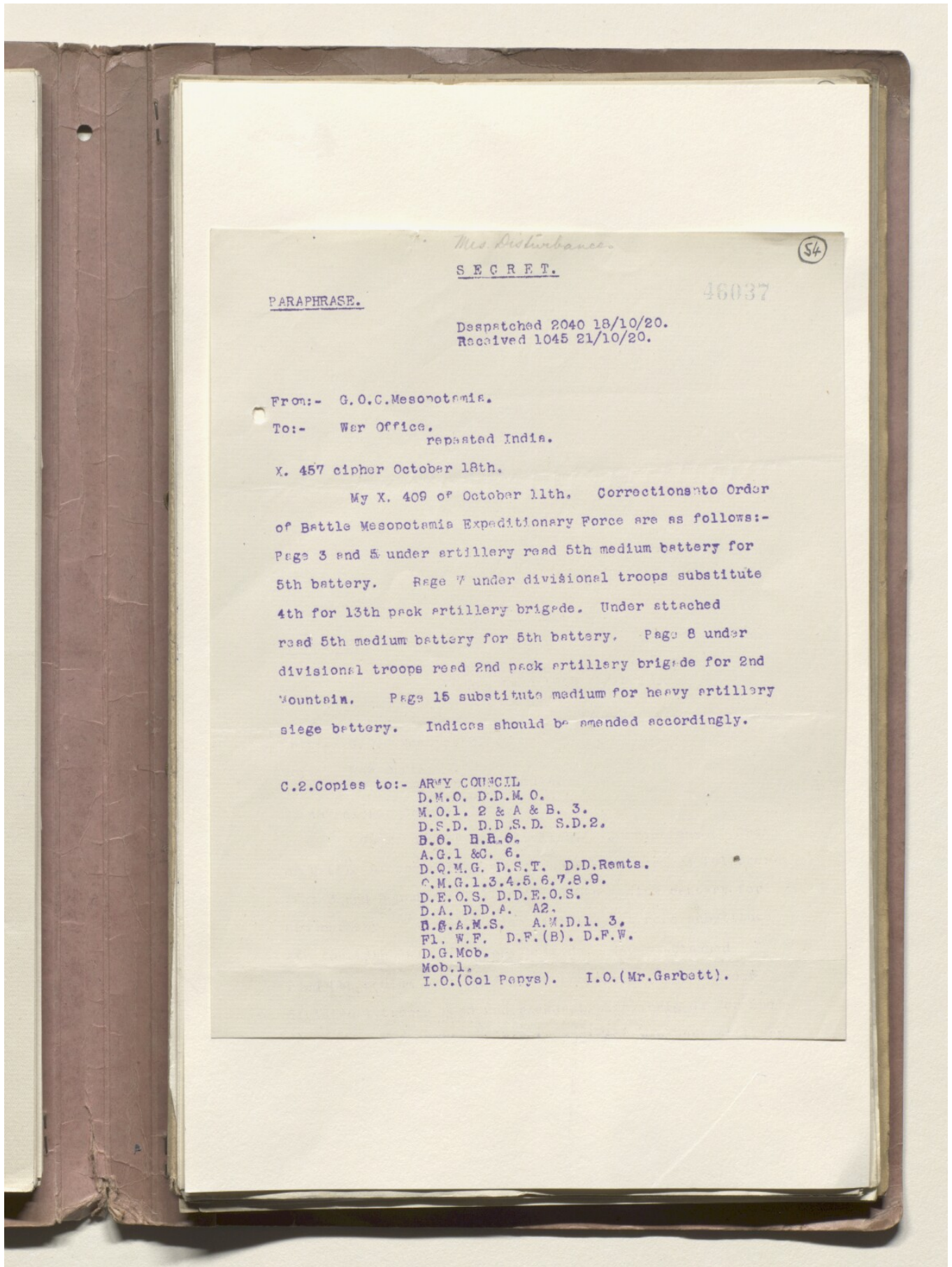
In continuation of my X.457 October 18th.
Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary
Force are as follows. Page 5 under Artillery delete
F. Battery R.H.A. Delete 53 Infantry Brigade H.Q. 1st
Rifle Brigade 1st/12th Pioneers 13th Rajputs 3rd/9th
Bhopal 38 Combined Field Ambulance 53 S.A.A. and Signal
Sections and show same under 17th Division as attached.
Delete C. Company 8th Machine Gun Battalion under M.G.C.
and show as attached under 17th Division. Delete 2nd
119th Infantry and show on page 6 under 75 Brigade.

Page 6 under 7th Infantry Brigade delete
2nd/116th Mahrattas 2nd/7th Rajputs 1st/15th Sikhs showing
two G.H.Q. troops area page 5 and latter under 17th
attached troops page 7. Show 2nd/117th Mahrattas under
76 Infantry Brigade as en route for G.H.Q. Troops area.

Part II follows.

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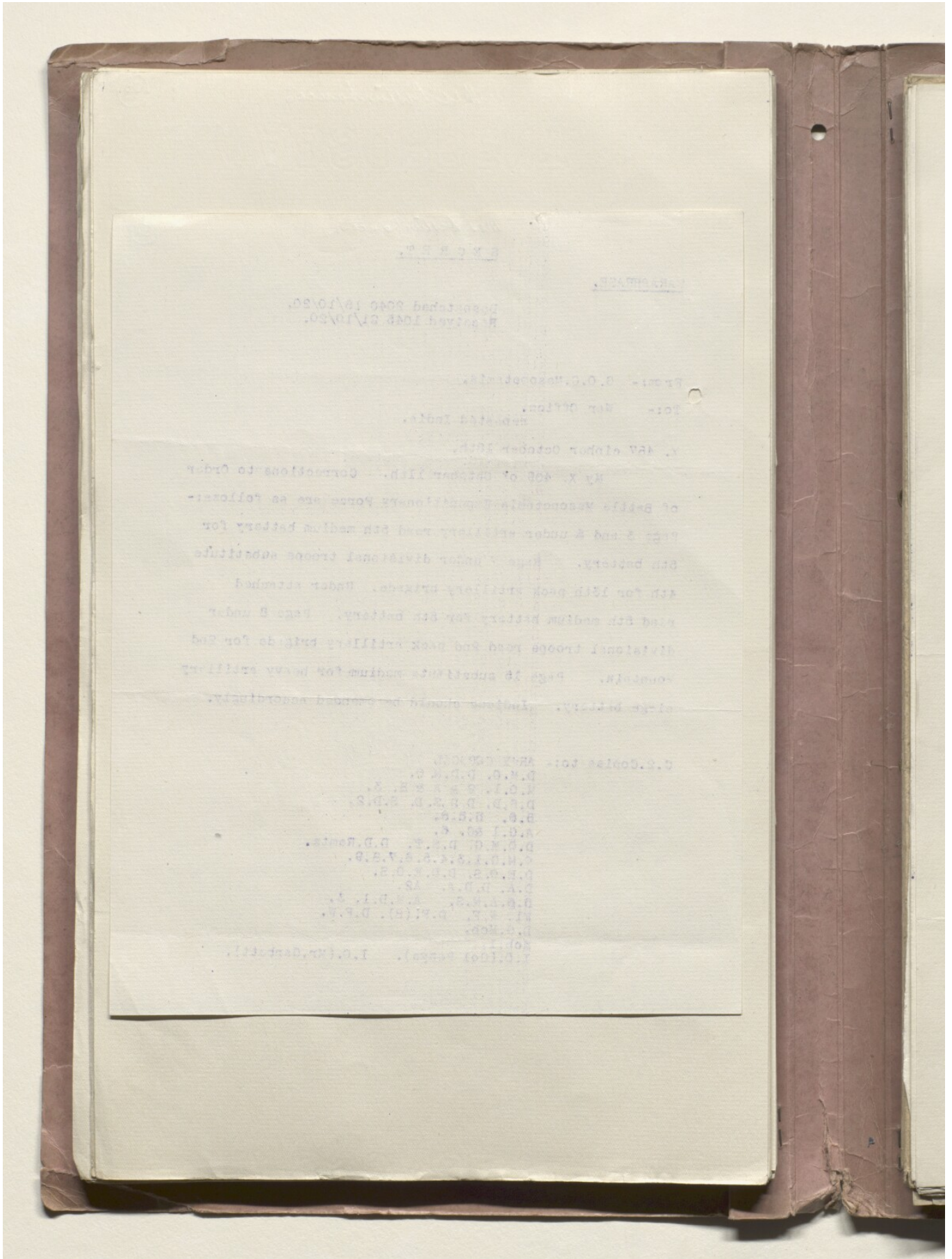
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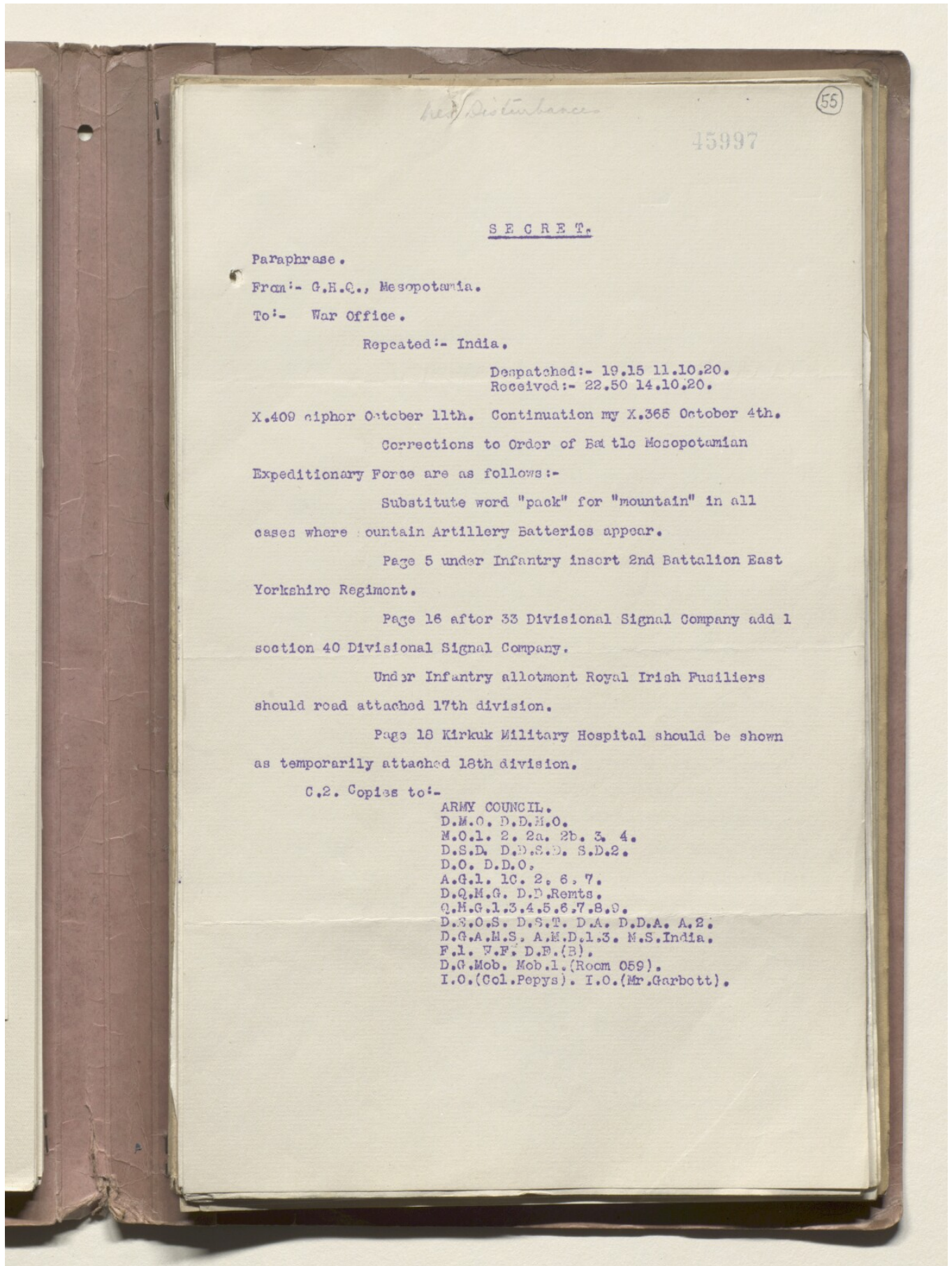
X. 457 cipher October 18th.

My X. 409 of October 11th. Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows:-
Page 3 and 5 under artillery read 5th medium battery for 5th battery. Page 7 under divisional troops substitute 4th for 13th pack artillery brigade. Under attached read 5th medium battery for 5th battery. Page 8 under divisional troops read 2nd pack artillery brigade for 2nd Mountain. Page 15 substitute medium for heavy artillery siege battery. Indices should be amended accordingly.

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S E C R E T.

Paraphrase.

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To:- War Office.

Repeated:- India.

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X.409 cipher October 11th. Continuation my X.365 October 4th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Substitute word "pack" for "mountain" in all cases where Mountain Artillery Batteries appear.

Page 5 under Infantry insert 2nd Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment.

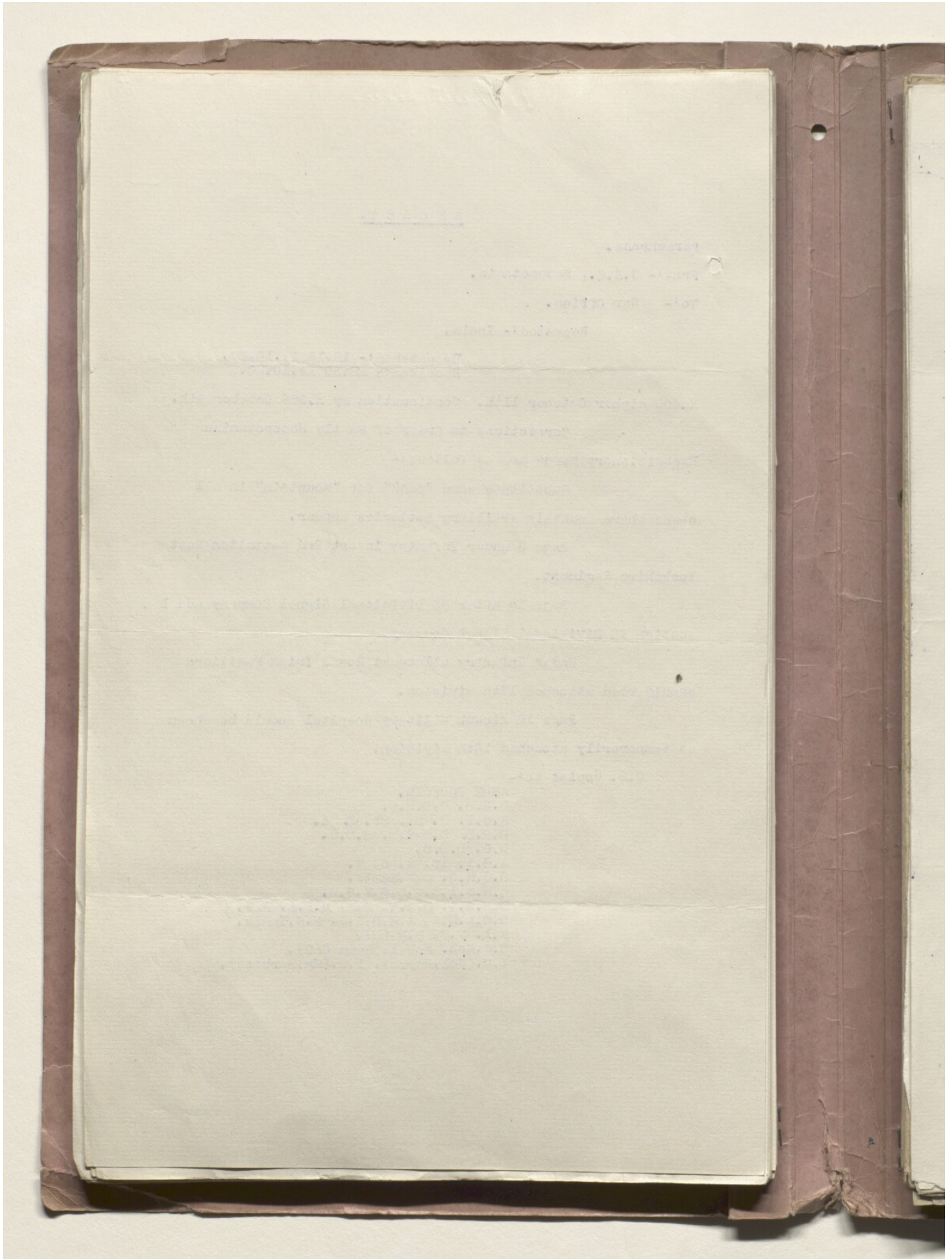
Page 16 after 33 Divisional Signal Company add 1 section 40 Divisional Signal Company.

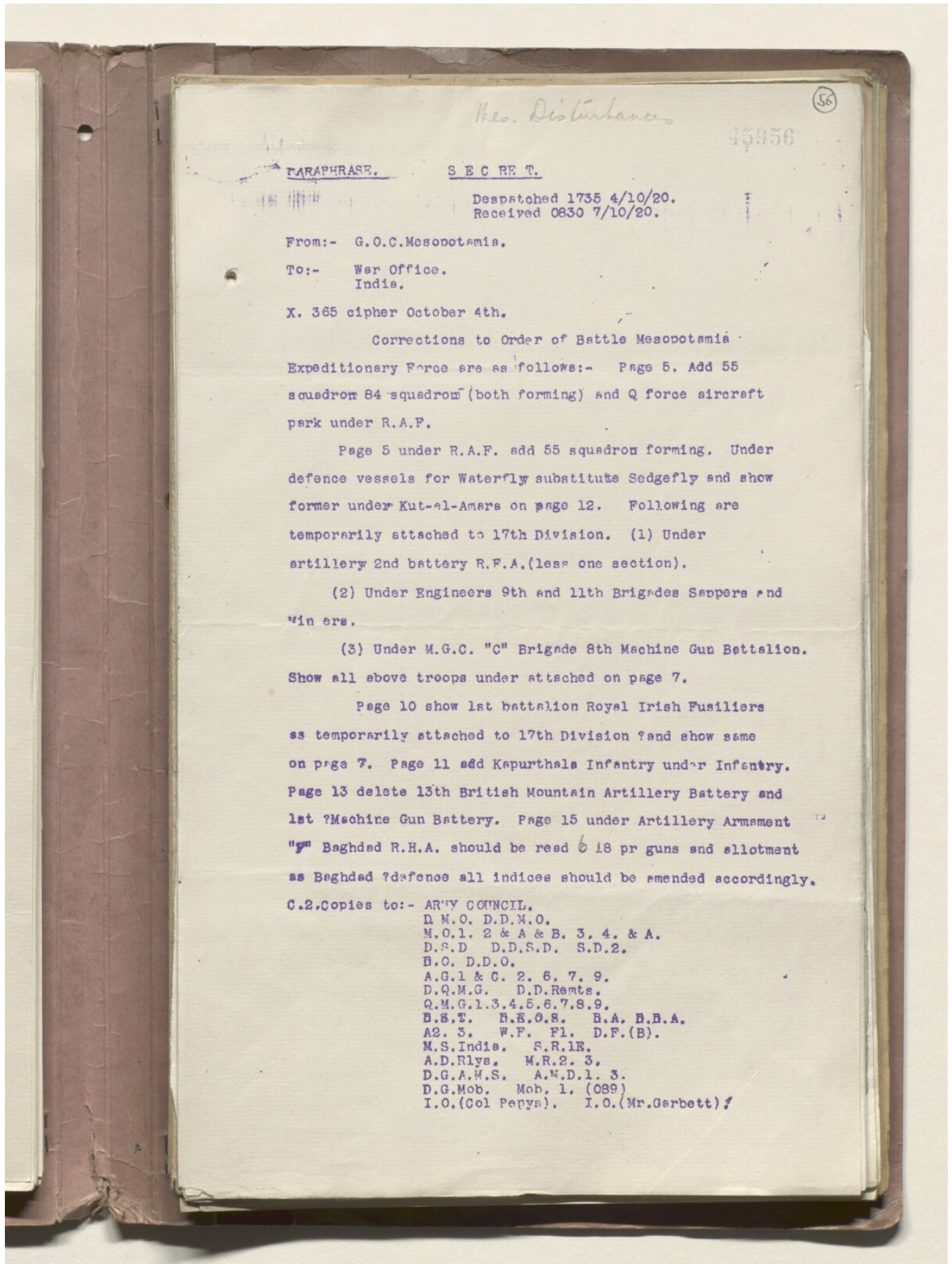
Under Infantry allotment Royal Irish Fusiliers should read attached 17th division.

Page 18 Kirkuk Military Hospital should be shown as temporarily attached 18th division.

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PARAPHRASE.

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From:- G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.
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X. 365 cipher October 4th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows:- Page 5. Add 55 Squadron 84 Squadron (both forming) and Q force aircraft park under R.A.F.

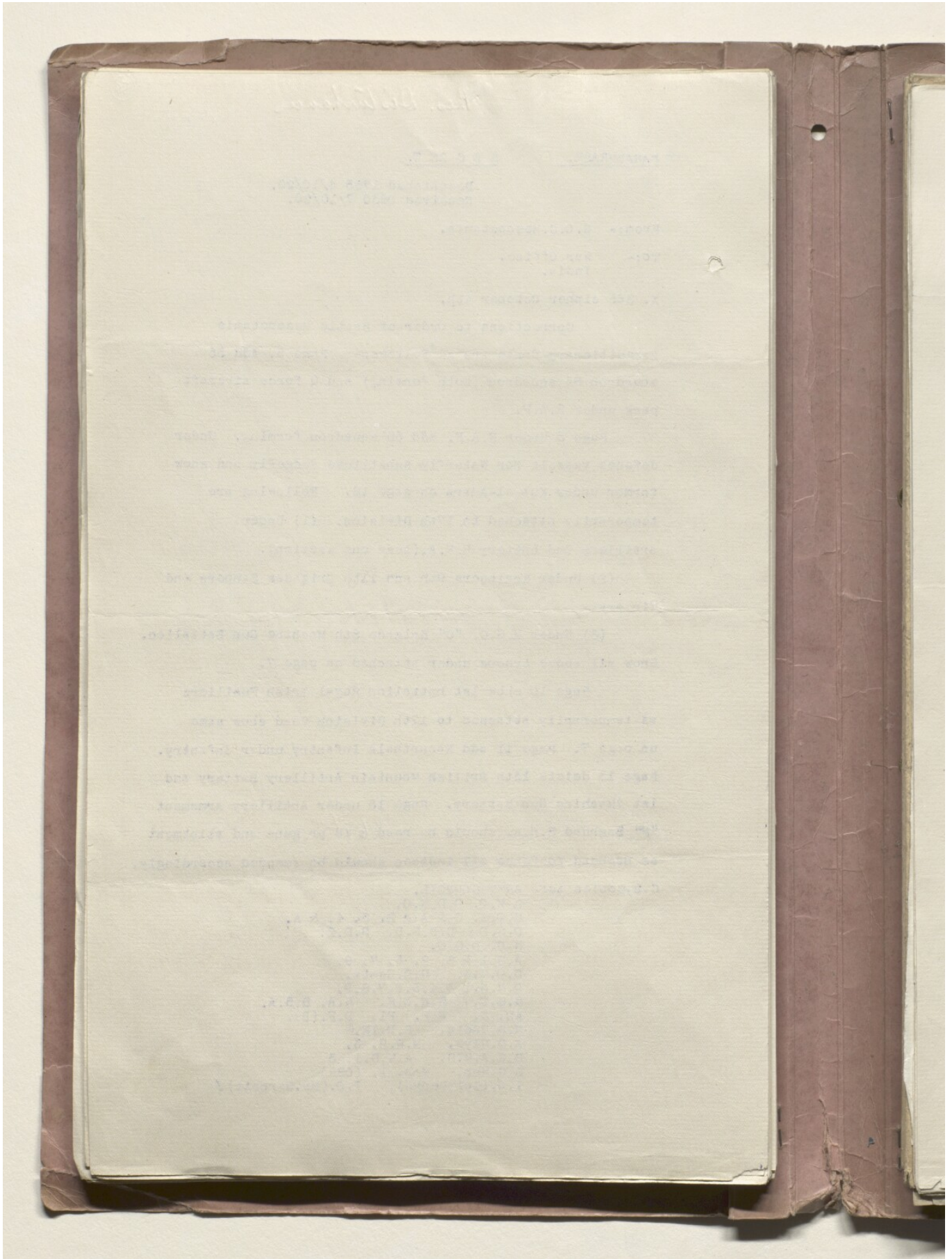
Page 5 under R.A.F. add 55 Squadron forming. Under defence vessels for Waterfly substitute Sedgefly and show former under Kut-el-Amara on page 12. Following are temporarily attached to 17th Division. (1) Under artillery 2nd battery R.F.A. (less one section).

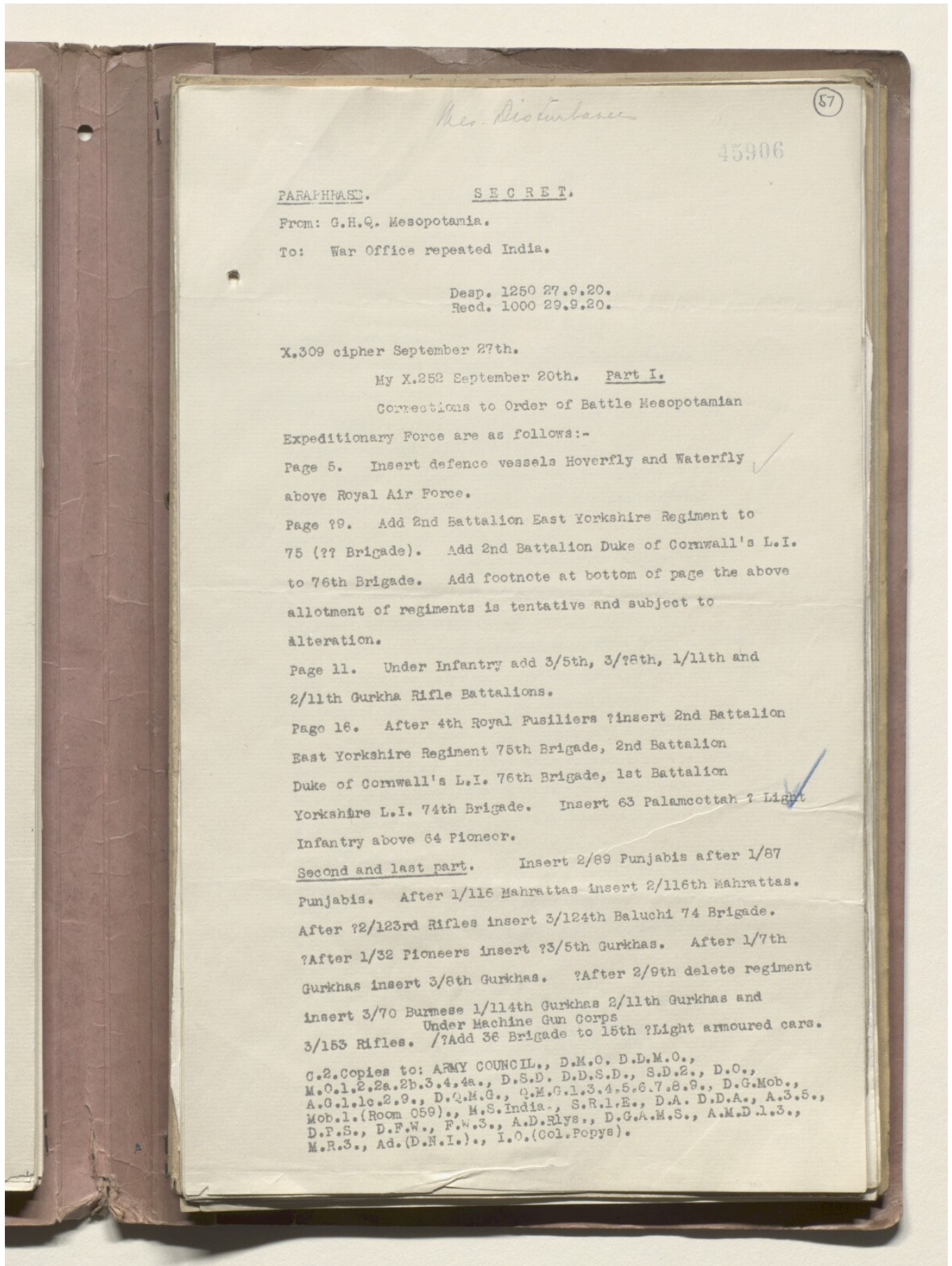
(2) Under Engineers 9th and 11th Brigades Sappers and Miners.

(3) Under M.G.C. "C" Brigade 8th Machine Gun Battalion. Show all above troops under attached on page 7.

Page 10 show 1st Battalion Royal Irish Fusiliers as temporarily attached to 17th Division and show same on page 7. Page 11 add Kapurthala Infantry under Infantry. Page 13 delete 13th British Mountain Artillery Battery and 1st Machine Gun Battery. Page 15 under Artillery Armament "at" Baghdad R.H.A. should be read 6 18 pr guns and allotment as Baghdad defence all indices should be amended accordingly.

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X.309 cipher September 27th.

My X.252 September 20th. Part I.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Page 5. Insert defence vessels Hoverfly and Waterfly above Royal Air Force. ✓

Page 9. Add 2nd Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment to 75 (?? Brigade). Add 2nd Battalion Duke of Cornwall's L.I. to 76th Brigade. Add footnote at bottom of page the above allotment of regiments is tentative and subject to alteration.

Page 11. Under Infantry add 3/5th, 3/16th, 1/11th and 2/11th Gurkha Rifle Battalions.

Page 16. After 4th Royal Fusiliers insert 2nd Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment 75th Brigade, 2nd Battalion Duke of Cornwall's L.I. 76th Brigade, 1st Battalion Yorkshire L.I. 74th Brigade. Insert 63 Palamcottah Light Infantry above 64 Pioneer. ✓

Second and last part. Insert 2/89 Punjabis after 1/87

Punjabis. After 1/116 Mahrattas insert 2/116th Mahrattas.

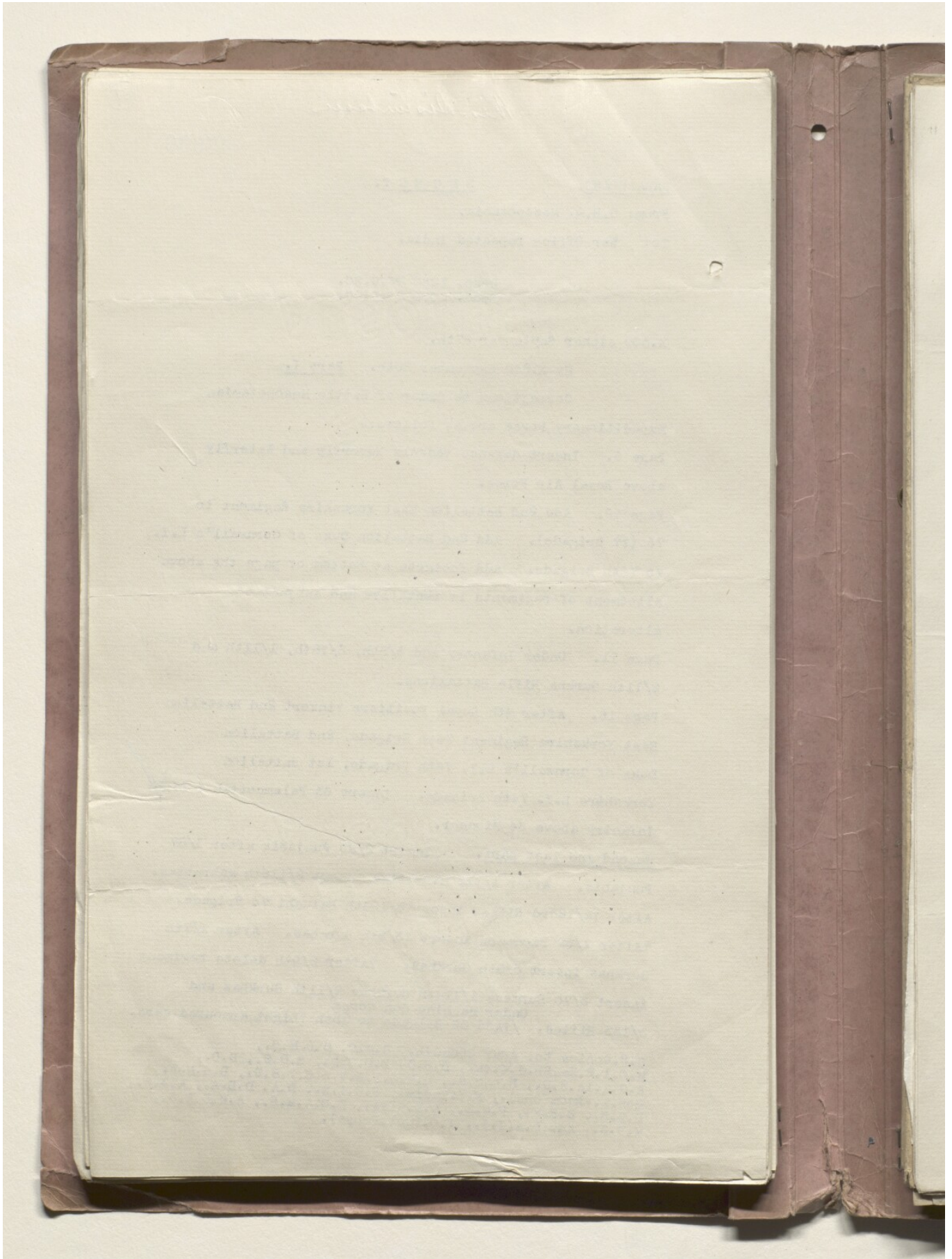
After 2/123rd Rifles insert 3/124th Baluchi 74 Brigade.

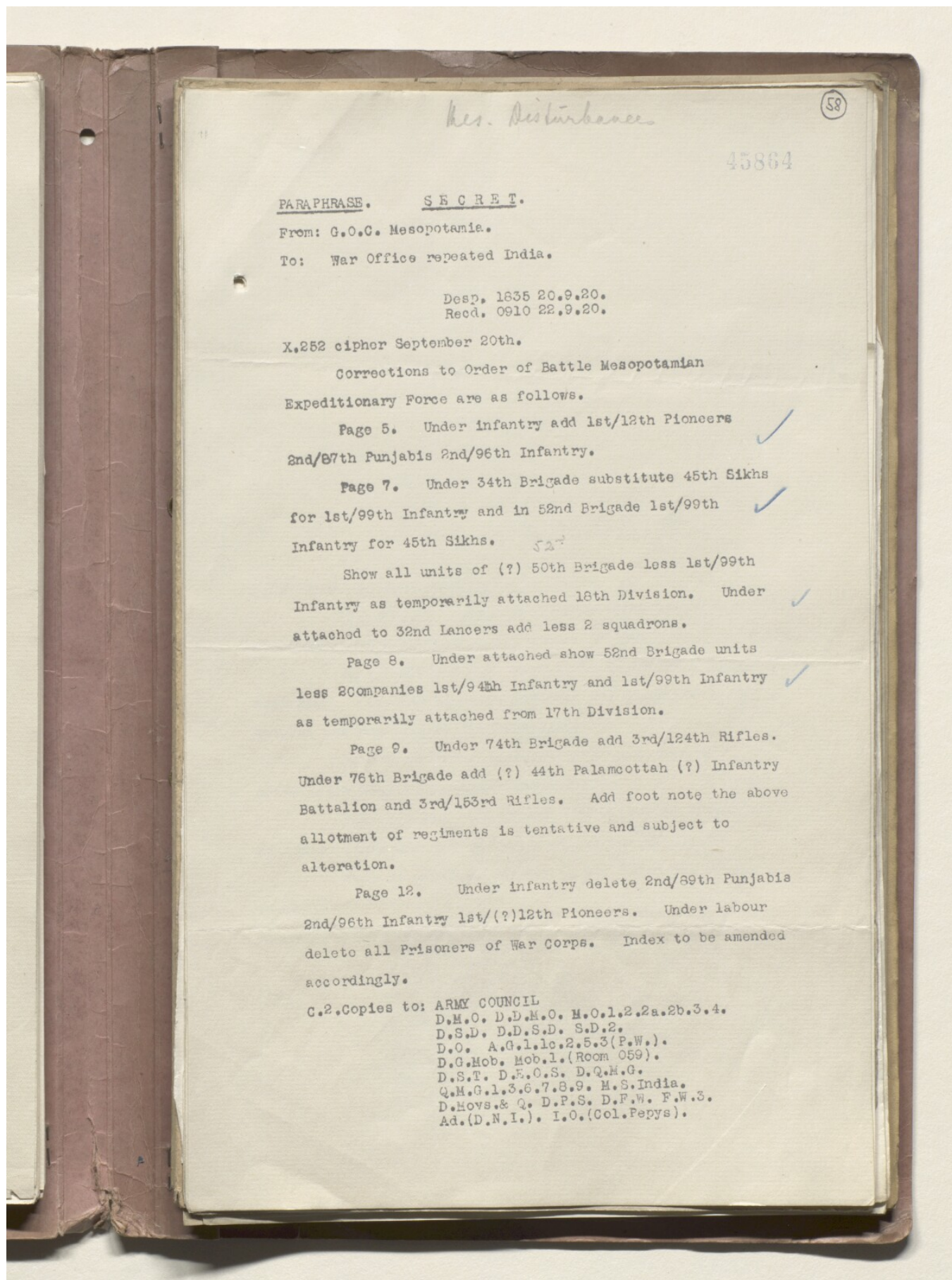
After 1/32 Pioneers insert 3/5th Gurkhas. After 1/7th

Gurkhas insert 3/8th Gurkhas. After 2/9th delete regiment

insert 3/70 Burmese 1/114th Gurkhas 2/11th Gurkhas and Under Machine Gun Corps 3/153 Rifles. Add 36 Brigade to 15th Light armoured cars.

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PARAPHRASE. S E C R E T.

From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office repeated India.

Desp. 1635 20.9.20.
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X.252 cipher September 20th.

Corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 5. Under infantry add 1st/12th Pioneers
2nd/97th Punjabis 2nd/96th Infantry. ✓

Page 7. Under 34th Brigade substitute 45th Sikhs
for 1st/99th Infantry and in 52nd Brigade 1st/99th
Infantry for 45th Sikhs. ✓

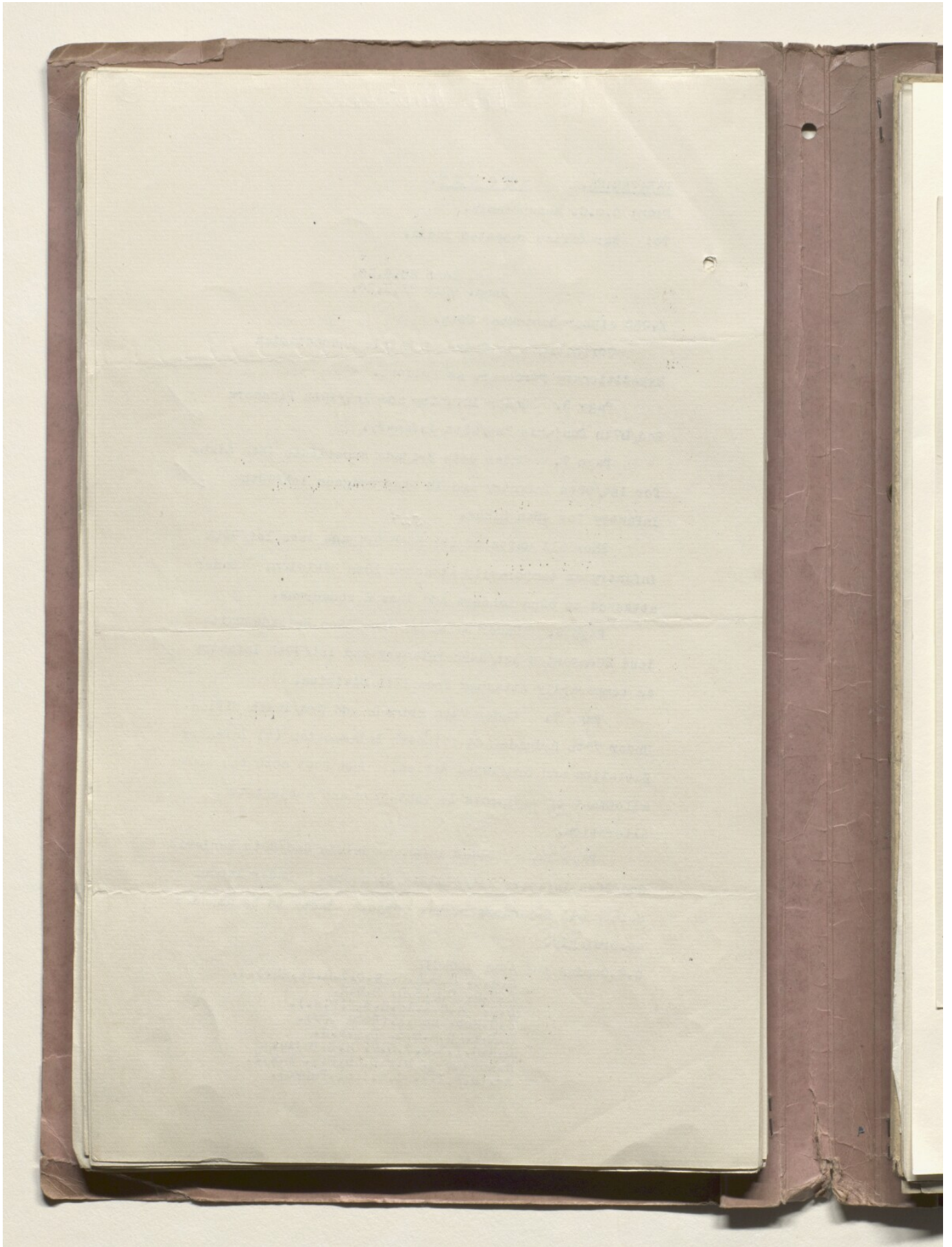
Show all units of (?) 50th Brigade less 1st/99th
Infantry as temporarily attached 16th Division. Under
attached to 32nd Lancers add less 2 squadrons. ✓

Page 8. Under attached show 52nd Brigade units
less 2 Companies 1st/94th Infantry and 1st/99th Infantry ✓
as temporarily attached from 17th Division.

Page 9. Under 74th Brigade add 3rd/124th Rifles.
Under 76th Brigade add (?) 44th Palamcottah (?) Infantry
Battalion and 3rd/153rd Rifles. Add foot note the above
allotment of regiments is tentative and subject to
alteration.

Page 12. Under infantry delete 2nd/99th Punjabis
2nd/96th Infantry 1st/(?)12th Pioneers. Under labour
delete all Prisoners of War Corps. Index to be amended
accordingly.

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P A R A P H R A S E . S E C R E T .

From: G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.
To: War Office repeated India.

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X.172 cipher 13th September.

My X.66 6th September. Corrections to the
Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows:-

Page 3 under R.A.F. substitute Mesopotamia Wing for
31st Wing. To 30th Squadron add less one flight 36th
Brigade and one ?flight 18th Division. ?

Page 5 under R.A.F. substitute headquarters
Mesopotamia Wing for Headquarters R.A.F.

Page 9 under 74th Brigade 2nd Battalion King's Own
Yorkshire Light Infantry should read 1st Battalion.

Page 11 under Labour delete all Prisoners of War
Corps.

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PARAPHRASE.

From - G.O.C. Mesopotamia.
To - War Office and Simla.

Desp. 15.18 31/8/20.
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X.10039 Cipher. Third and last part.

Page 11. Add 3/70th Burma Rifles under Infantry
and delete 5th, 6th, 13th, 15th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 10th
and 12th prisoners of War Corps.

Page 12. Add 2/89th Punjabis under Infantry
and to 1/12th Pioneers add 2 Companies. Add 63rd Company
2nd Sappers and Miners under Engineers.

Page 13. Show 13th British Mountain Artillery
Battery under Artillery. Under Infantry add 1st Battalion
Irish Fusiliers. 1st Unit attached temporarily from
17th Division 3rd unit from 36th Brigade. Show
L. of C. units similar correction.

Page 10. Indices should be amended
accordingly.

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PARAPHRASE.

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Received 2000 24/8/20.

From:- G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office,
repeated India.

X. 9936 cipher August 23rd. PRIORITY "A".

My X. 9814 continued. Corrections to Order of Battle M.E.F.'s as follows. Page 5. Add Welsh Railway Company Sappers and Miners under Engineers. Under Infantry add 2/7th Rajputs delete 1/15th Sikhs. Under Labour delete all prisoners of War Corps and add 20th? Punjab's Labour Corps. Page 6. Add attached 1/15th Sikhs. Page 8. Delete 20th Indian Labour Corps. Page 10. Under Artillery add 10th Howitzer Battery R.F.A. Under Infantry add H.Q. 74th Infantry Brigade 2/123rd Rifles 3/23rd Infantry 2/117th Mahattas. Under Engineers add (28th?) Brigade Signal Section and 26th Railway Company Sappers and Miners. Under Labour add 1st, 3rd, 4th, 7th, 9th, 11th, 16th and 18th prisoners of War Corps. Page 11 under Infantry add 2/96 Infantry and 1/12th Pioneers. Index should be amended accordingly.

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Mob. 1. (Room 059).
D.S.T. D.E.O.S. D.Q.M.G.
Q.M.G. 1.3.5.6.7.9.
M.S. India.
D of F. D.D. of A. A2. 3.
D.G.A.M.S.
D.P.S. D.F.W.
F.W. 3. 4.
Q.M.G.F.
Fl. DF/B).
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PARAPHRASE.

SECRET.

Despatched 1700 16/8/20.
Received 1900 18/8/20.

Com:- G.H.C. Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.
revised India.

X. 9814 cipher August 16th.

In continuation of my X. 9742. Corrections to
Order of Battle M.E.F. are as follows:- Page 5. Add 1/15th
Sikhs under Infantry.

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A.G.1 & C. 2.
D.G. Mob.
Mob. 1. (Room 059)
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D.G.A.M.S.
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S E C R E T

PARAPHRASE.

From - G.H.Q. Baghdad.
To - War Office.

Desd. 10/8/20.
Recd. 08.30 12/8/20.

A. 9742 Cipher August 10th.

Continuation my X. 9671. Following are
corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force.

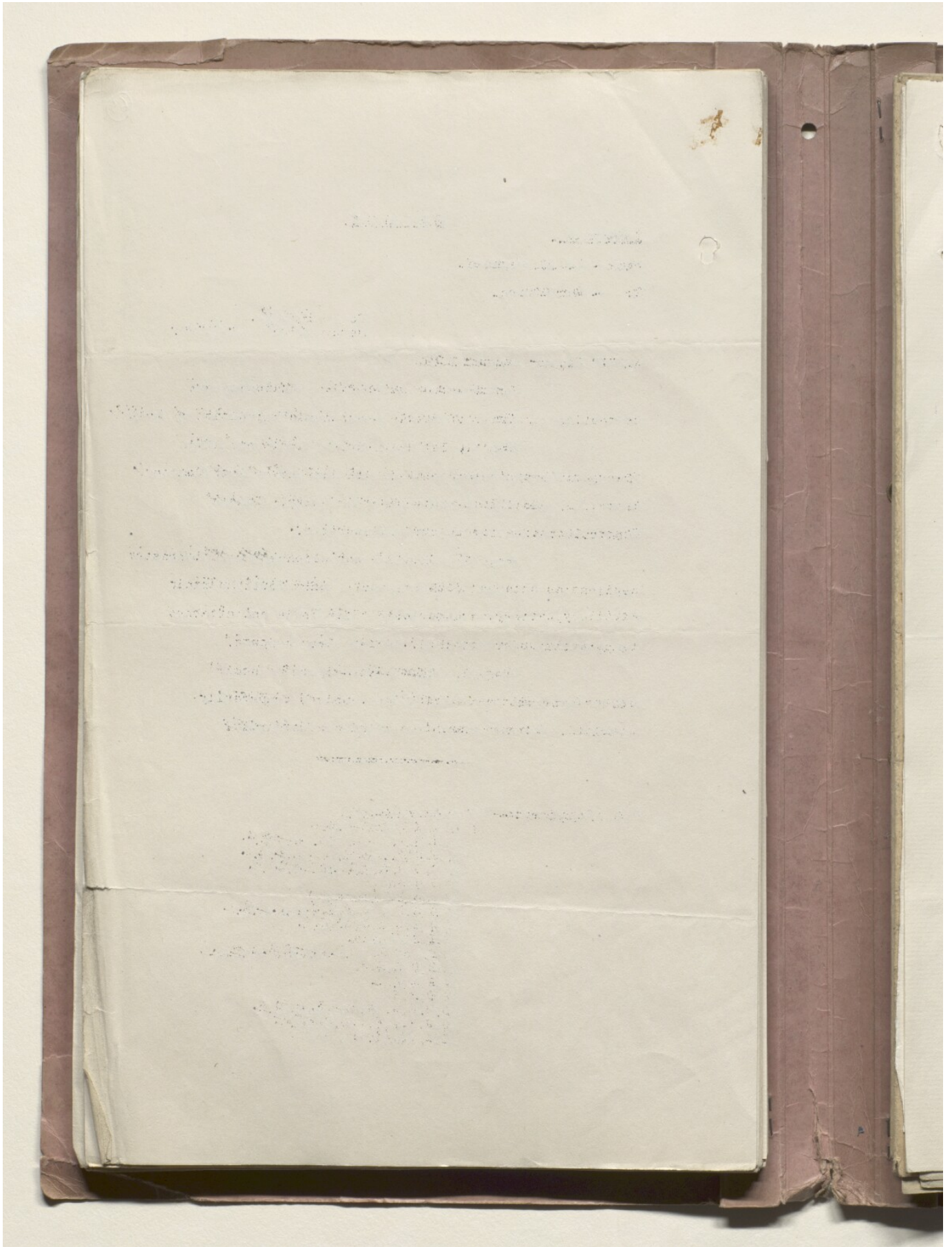
Page 4, 1st line, delete 126th and 127th
Transport Companies and show in 4th line after 12th Company.
Para. 5. Add 13th Rajputs under infantry. Delete
Controller of Native Labour Headquarters.

Page 7. Show 2nd battalion York and Lancaster
regiment as attached 36th brigade. Show 750th Mountain
Artillery battery as under orders for India and attached
temporarily under attached. Del to 13th Rajputs.

Page 8. Show 13th Rajputs as under
orders for India and 36th (2 grs. undec) temporarily
Baghdad. Indexes should be amended accordingly.

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D.S.D., D.D.S.D. S.D. 2.
D.O. A.G. 1. 1C. 2. 6.
D.G. Mob.
M.O. 1. (Room 039)
D.S.T., D.E.O.S., D.Q.M.G.
Q.M.G. 1. 3. 5. 6. 7. 9.
M.S. India.
D. of A. D.D. of A. A. 2. 3.
D.G.A.M.S.
A.M.D. 1.
D.P.S.
D.F.W. F.W. 3. and 4.
Q.F., F. 1. D.F. (b)
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S E C R E T.

From: G.H.Q. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office repeated Simla.

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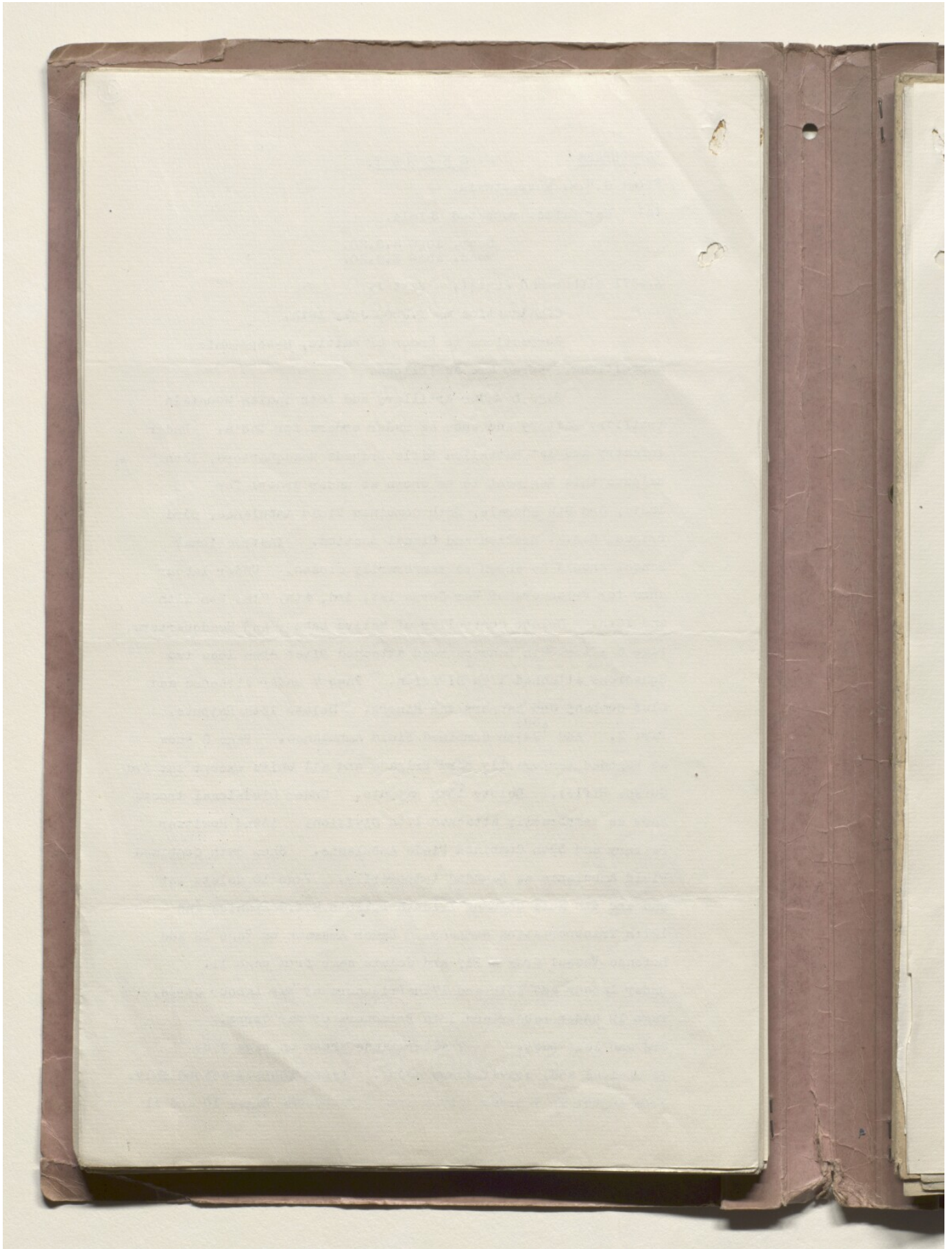
Recd. 1530 5.8.20.

X.9671 cipher 2nd August. Part 1.

Continuation my X.9500 July 19th.

Corrections to Order of Battle, Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 5 under Artillery add 50th Indian Mountain Artillery Battery and show as under orders for India. Under Infantry add 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade Headquarters, 13th Rajputs this Regiment to be shown as under orders for India, 3rd 9th Bhopals, 38th Combined Field Ambulance, 53rd Brigade S.A.A. Section and Signal Section. Instructional School should be shown as temporarily closed. Under labour show for Prisoners of War Corps 1st, 3rd, 4th, 7th, 9th 11th and 16th. Delete Controller of Native Labour and Headquarters. Page 6 after 37th Lancers read attached River Area less two Squadrons attached 17th Division. Page 7 under attached add 61st Company 2nd Sappers and Miners. Delete 13th-Rajputs. Part 2. Add ³⁹⁾94)th Combined Field Ambulance. Page 8 show as Baghdad temporarily 53rd Brigade and all units except 1st 3rd Gurkha Rifles. Delete 13th Rajputs. Under Divisional troops show as temporarily attached 17th Division. 132nd Howitzer Battery and 39th Combined Field Ambulance. Show 38th Combined Field Ambulance as Baghdad temporarily. Page 10 delete 1st 2nd and 4th Mule Columns 1, 164th 1, 115th M.F. Companies and 127th Transportation Company. Under Amarah on Page 12 add Defence Vessel Gray & Fly and delete same from page 11. Under Labour add 13th and 17th Prisoners of War Labour Corps. Page 12 under Labour add 18th Prisoners of War Corps. 3rd and last part. } Alterations shown on page ? 5. To medical add, convalescent depot. Amend indices accordingly. From August in ? Order River Area will become Pages 10 and 11





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D.C. A.G. 1.1c.2.5.6.7.
D.G. Mob. Mob. 1. (Room 059).
D.S.T. D.E.O.S. D.Q.M.G.
Q.M.G. 1.4.6.7.3.5.9.
M.S. India.
D.A. D.D.A. A.2.3.
D.G.A.M.S.
A.M.D. 1.
D.P.S. A.G. 3. (P.W.).
D.F.W.
F.W. 3.4.
D.G.A.M.S.
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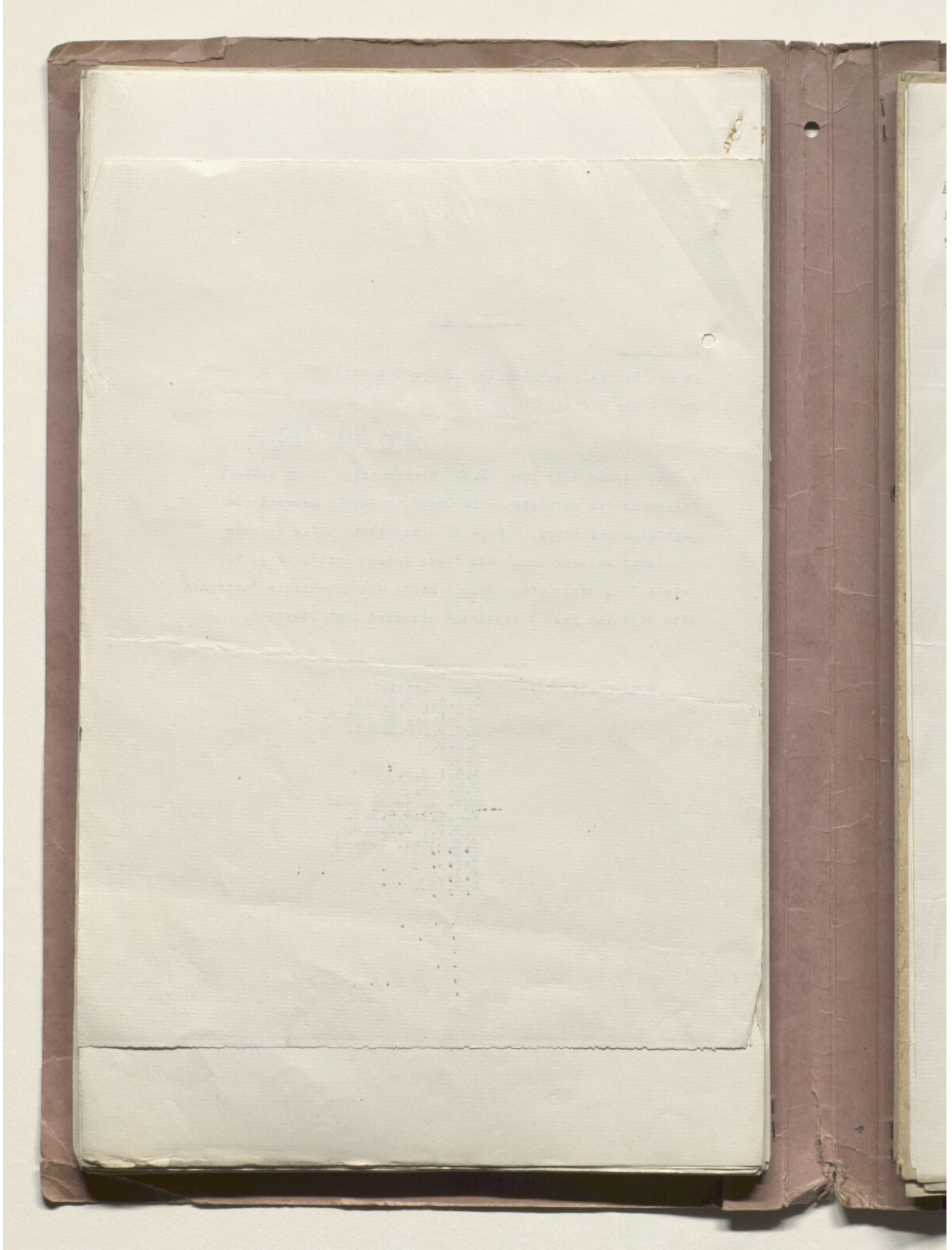
From - General, Baghdad. (G.O.C. Mesopotamia)
To - War Office.

Desp. 20.10 19/7/20.
Recd. 19.00 21/7/20.

X. 9500 Cipher July 19th I.D. Continuation of my X. 9400.
Following are corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia
Expeditionary Force. Page 11 after 125th Rifle Brigade
and 129th Baluchistans' add "less detachments". Page 96,
delete "all words after Scinde horse and substitute "attached
17th Division less 2 squadrons attached 18th Division. ✓

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- Army Council.
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- D.O.
- A.G. 1.2.5.
- D.D. Mob.
- Rob. 1. (Room 039)
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- D.F. (B).



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PARAPHRASE.

From - G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To - War Office.

Desp. 1215 13/7/20.
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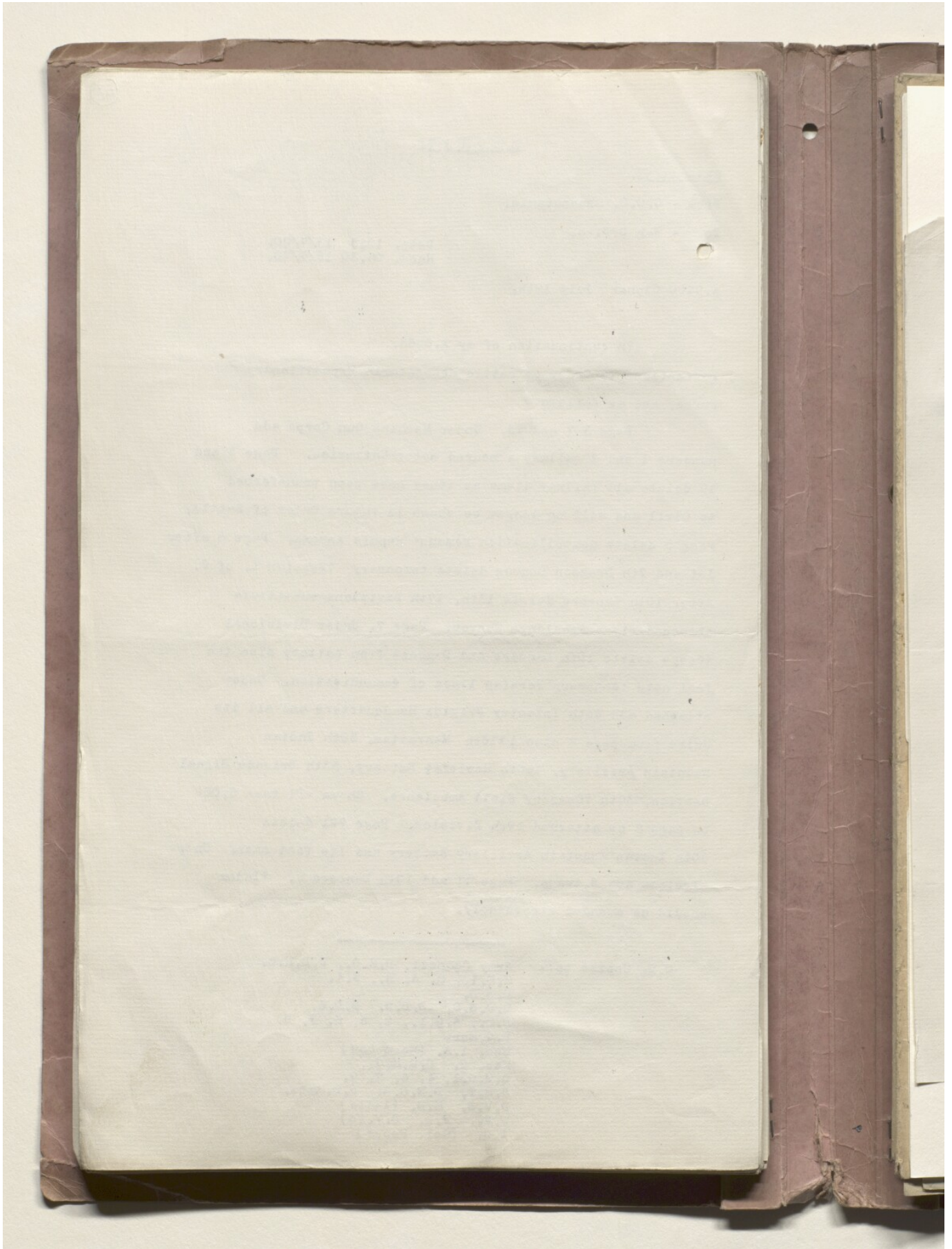
X.9400 Cipher July 12th.

In continuation of my X.9263.
corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary
Force, are as follows -

Page 3 7 and 95. Under Machine Gun Corps add
numbers 1 and 2 railway armoured motor batteries. Page 5 and
19 delete all railway items as they have been transferred
to Civil and will no longer be shown in future Order of Battle.
Page 5 delete demobilization remount depots annexe. Page 6 after
1st and 7th Dragoon Guards delete temporary Persian L. of C.
After 10th Lancers delete 13th, 17th Divisions substitute
attached river Ambulance Convoy. Page 7. Under Divisional
troops delete 10th Lancers and Daggers from battery also the
foot note temporary Persian lines of communication. Under
attached add 55th Infantry Brigade Headquarters and all its
Units from page 8 also 1716th Mahrattas, 50th Indian
Mountain Artillery, 160th Howitzer Battery, 53th Brigade Signal
Section, 39th Company Field Ambulance. Shown all these 5,000
on page 8 as attached 17th Division. Page 91 delete
50th Indian Mountain Artillery Battery and its foot note. Under
wireless add B.troop. Page 11 add 10th Lancers. Index
should be amended accordingly.

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M.O.L., 2. A. B., 3.4.
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D.D.S.D. S.D.2. S.D.6.
D.C., A.G.L., 2, 5, 6, 7, 9.
D.G.Mob.
Mob. 1.A. (Room 059)
Mob. 2. D.Q.M.G.,
Q.M.G.L. 4, 6, 7, 9.
D.S.T., D.E.O.S. D.D.Rmts.
D.V.S. K.S. (India)
W.F., P.L. D.F. (3)
I.O. (Col. Pepys)





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SECRET.

Paraphrase.

From:- G.O.C., Mesopotamia.

To:- War Office.

Repeated:- Simla.

Despatched:- 12.00 6.7.20.

Received:- 09.45 8.7.20.

X.9339 cipher 28th June (sic).

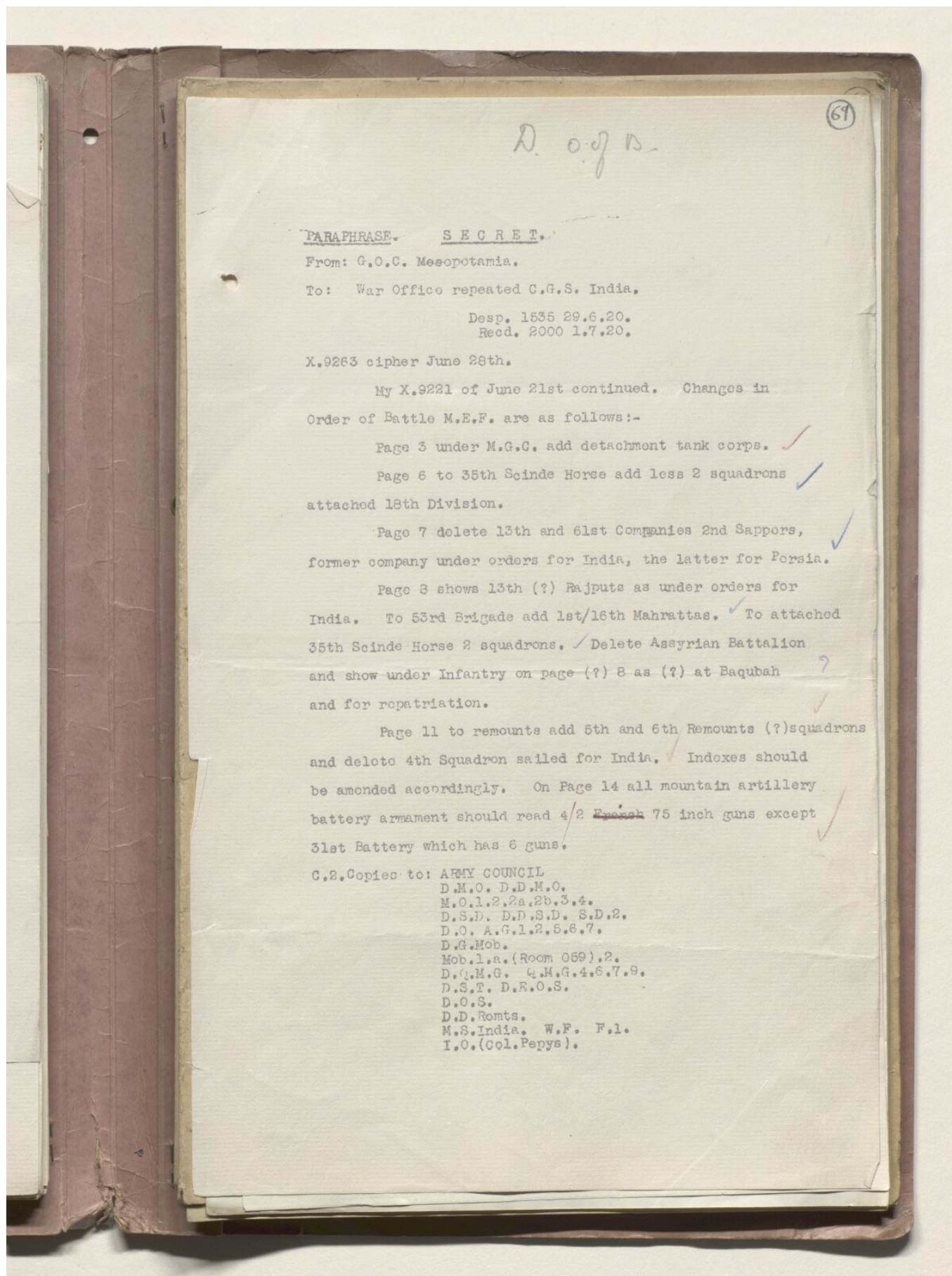
In continuation of my X.9263 June 28th, corrections to Order of Battle Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force are as follows.

Page 3 and 5 under Rustchuk add 84th Squadron R.A.F. (to be formed). Indicos should be amended accordingly.

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D.O. A.G.1.
D.G.Mob. Mob 1a. (059) Mob.2.
D. M.G. G.M.G.1.7.9.
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W.F. F.1.
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From: G.O.C. Mesopotamia.

To: War Office repeated C.G.S. India.

Desp. 1535 29.6.20.
Recd. 2000 1.7.20.

X.9263 cipher June 28th.

My X.9221 of June 21st continued. Changes in
Order of Battle M.E.F. are as follows:-

Page 3 under M.G.C. add detachment tank corps. ✓

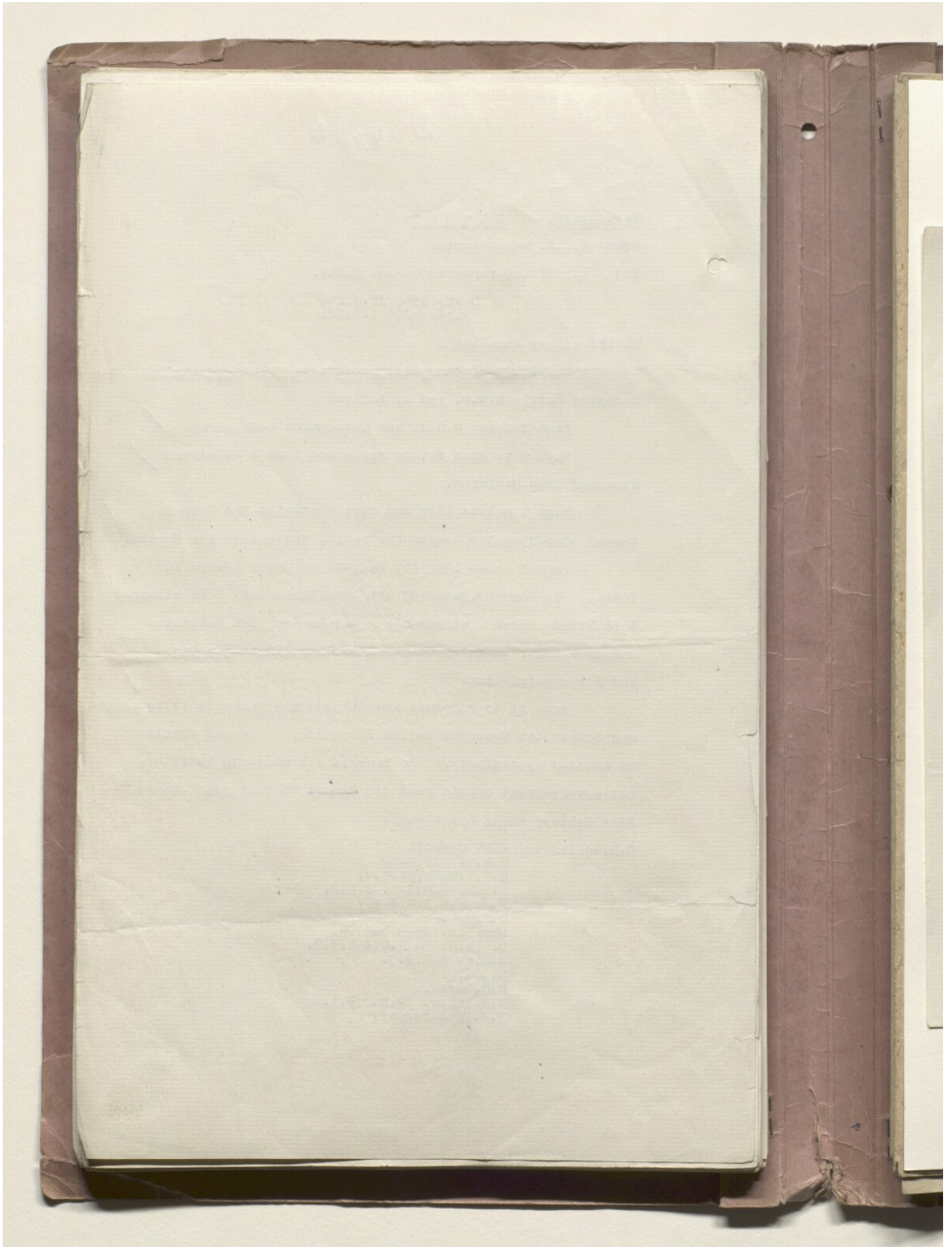
Page 6 to 35th Scinde Horse add less 2 squadrons
attached 18th Division. ✓

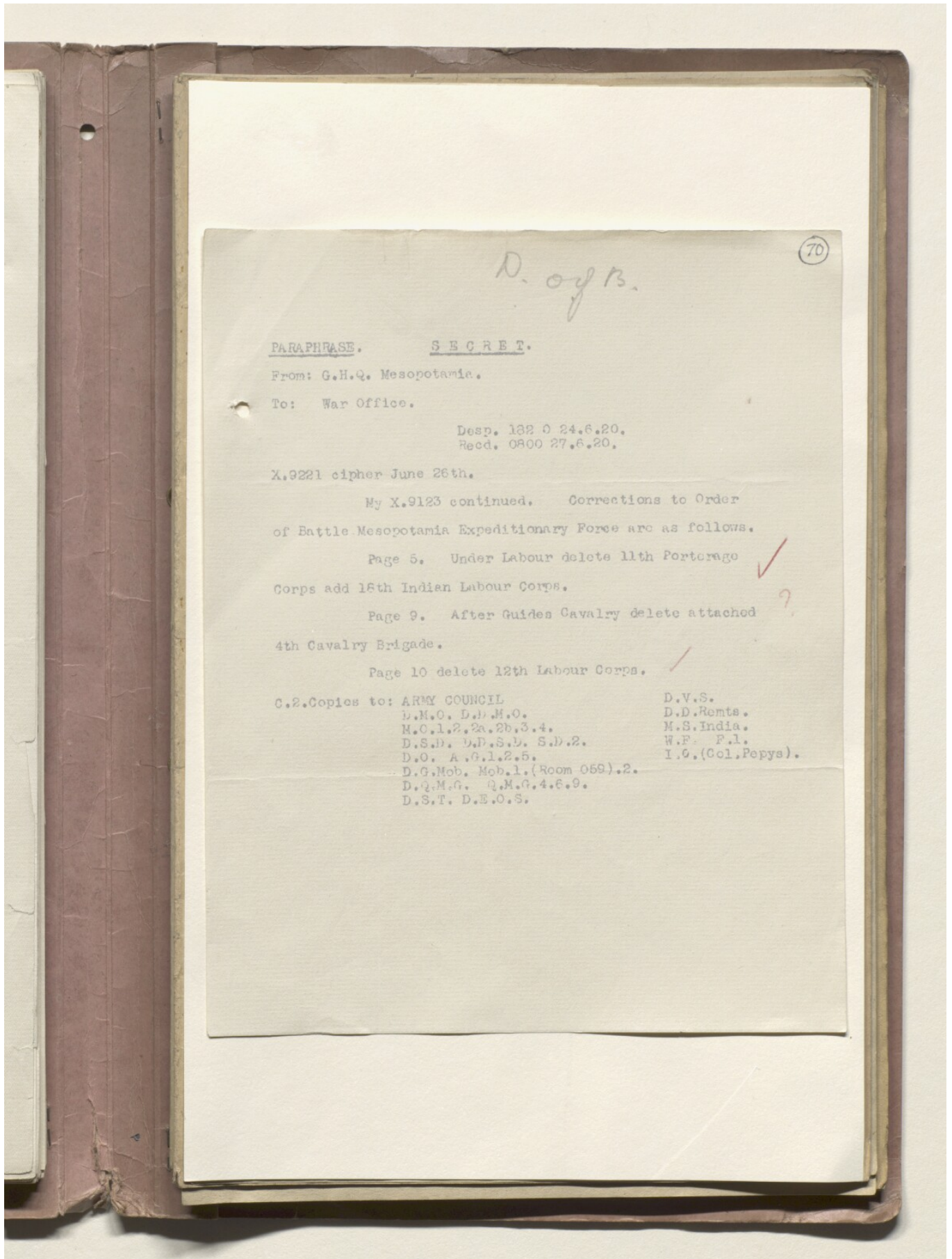
Page 7 delete 13th and 61st Companies 2nd Sappers,
former company under orders for India, the latter for Persia. ✓

Page 8 shows 13th (?) Rajputs as under orders for
India. To 53rd Brigade add 1st/16th Mahrattas. ✓ To attached
35th Scinde Horse 2 squadrons. ✓ Delete Assyrian Battalion
and show under Infantry on page (?) 8 as (?) at Baqubah
and for repatriation. ? ✓

Page 11 to remounts add 5th and 6th Remounts (?) squadrons
and delete 4th Squadron sailed for India. ✓ Indexes should
be amended accordingly. On Page 14 all mountain artillery
battery armament should read 4/2 ~~English~~ 75 inch guns except
31st Battery which has 6 guns. ✓

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M.O. 1.2.2a, 2b, 3, 4.
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D.O. A.G. 1.2.5.6.7.
D.G. Mob.
Mob. 1.a. (Room 059). 2.
D.O. M.G. 4. M.G. 4.6.7.9.
D.S.T. D.E.O.S.
D.O.S.
D.D. Remts.
M.S. India. W.F. F. 1.
I.O. (Col. Pepys).









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To:- War Office. Repeated:- India.

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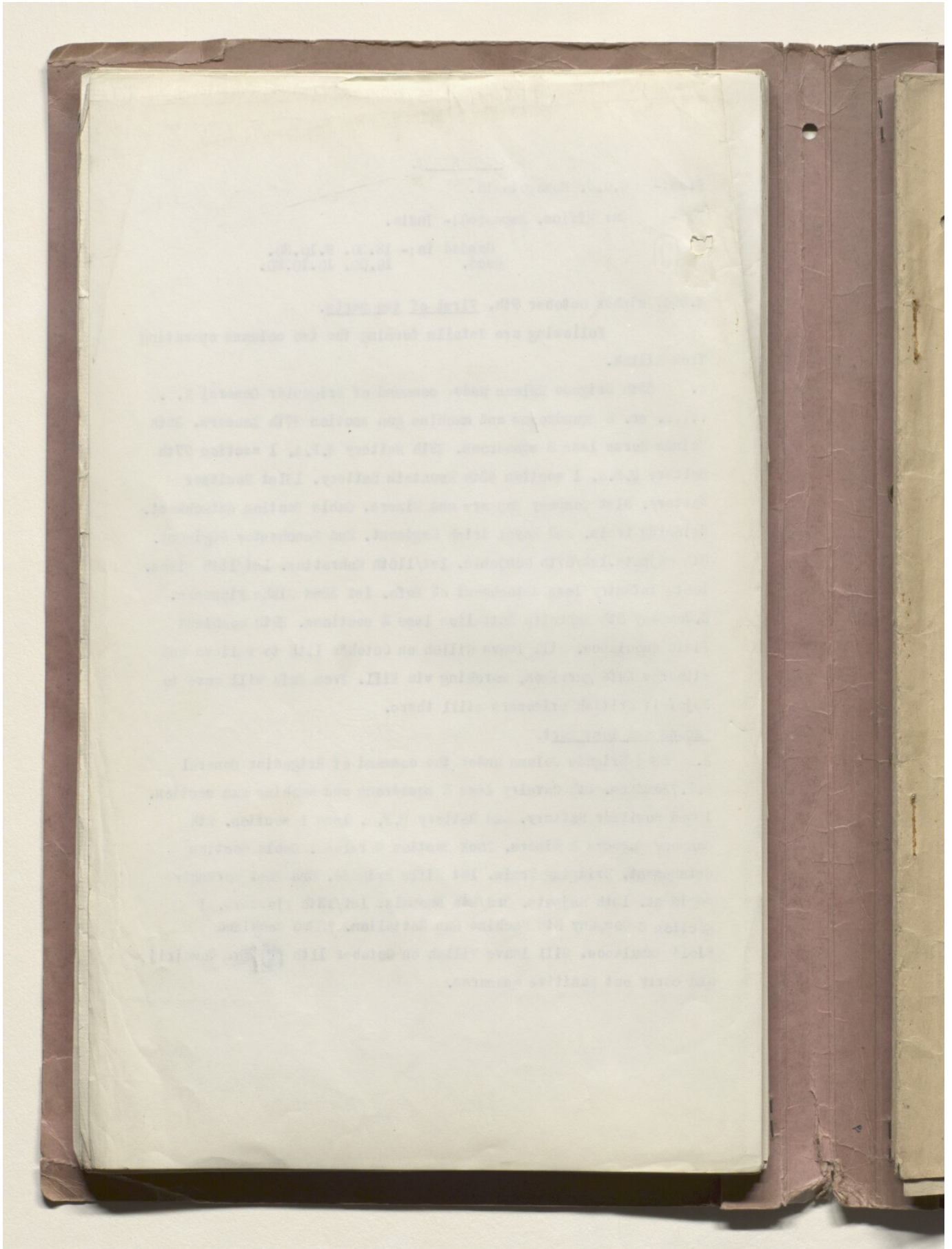
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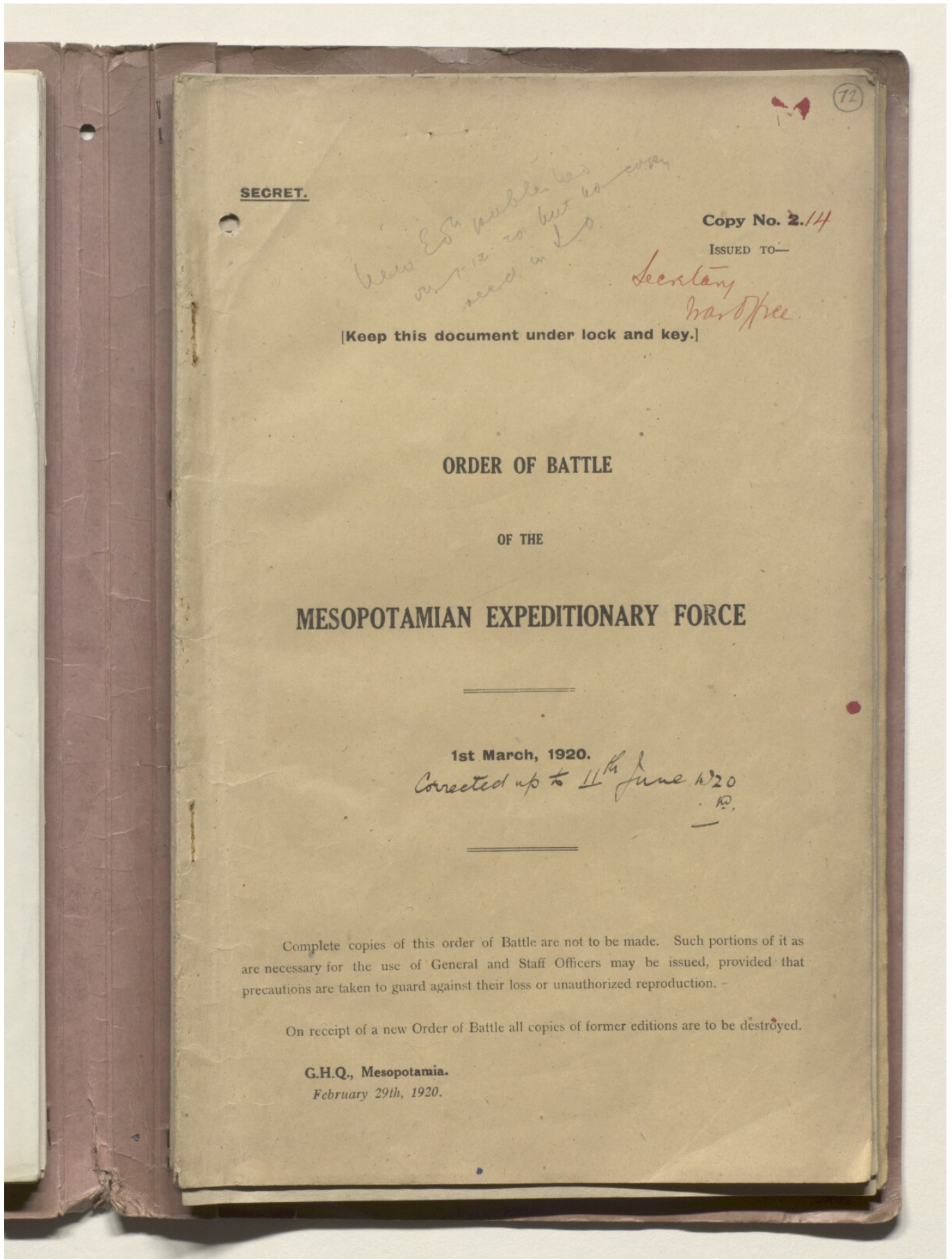
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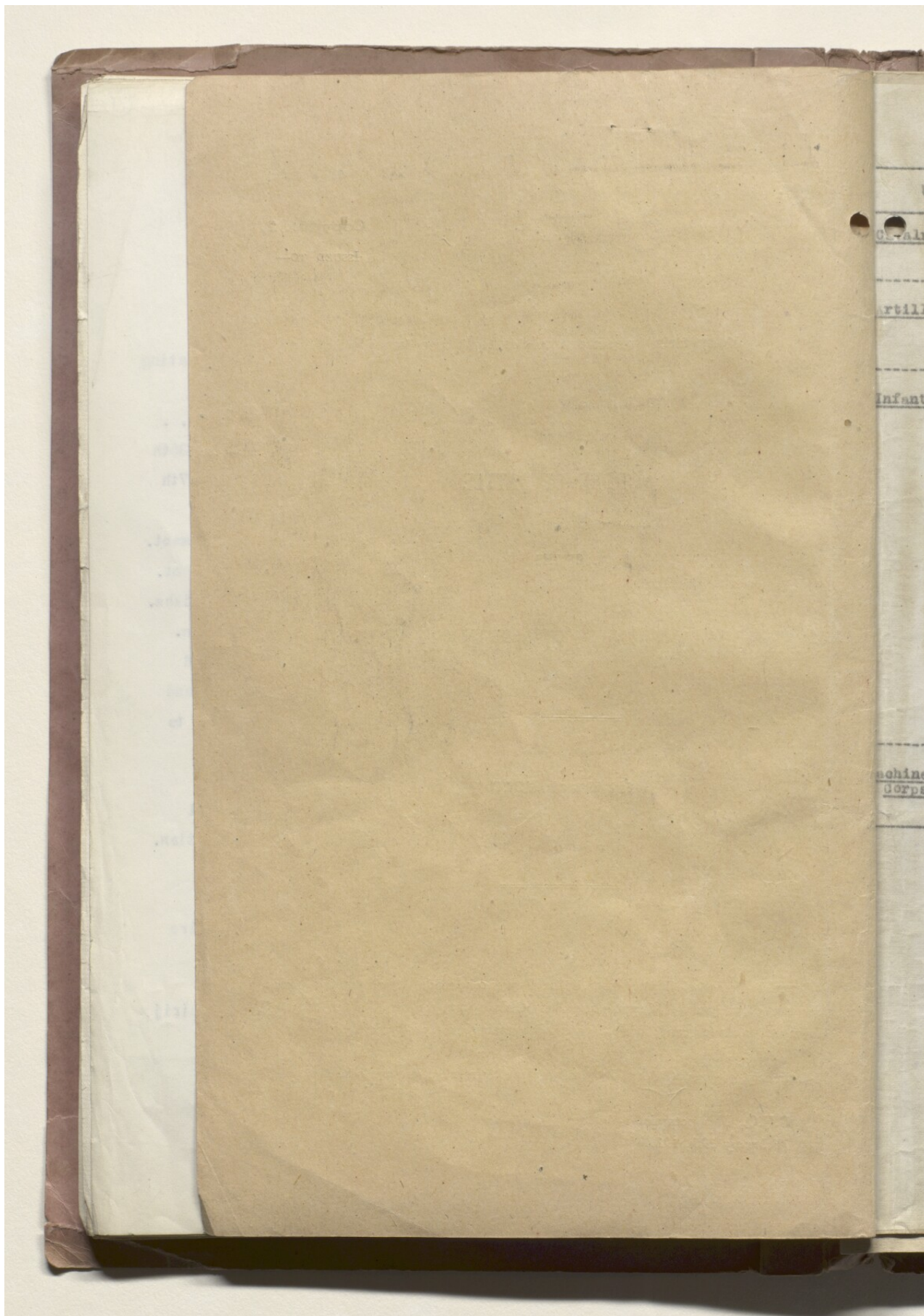
A. 55th Brigade Column under command of Brigadier General H.A. er. 2 Squadrons and machine gun section 37th Lancers. 35th Scinde Horse less 2 squadrons. 39th Battery R.F.A. 1 section 97th Battery R.F.A. 1 section 45th Mountain Battery. 131st Howitzer Battery. 61st Company Sappers and Miners. Cable Section detachment. Bridging train. 2nd Royal Irish Regiment. 2nd Manchester Regiment. 8th Rajputs. 1st/87th Goujabis. 1st/116th Mahrattas. 1st/15th Sikhs. 108th Infantry less detachment at Kufa. 1st 32nd Sikhs Pioneers. C. Company 8th Mahratta Battalion less 2 sections. 39th combined Field Ambulance. Will leave Hillah on October 11th to relieve and withdraw Kufa garrison, marching via Kifl. From Kufa will move to Najaf if British prisoners still there.

Second and last part.

B. 53rd Brigade Column under the command of Brigadier General A.F. Sanders. 5th Cavalry less 2 squadrons and machine gun section. 132nd Howitzer Battery. 2nd Battery R.F.A. less 1 section. 9th Company Sappers & Miners. Pack Section Wireless. Cable Section detachment. Bridging Train. 1st Rifle Brigade. 2nd East Yorkshire Regiment. 13th Rajputs. 3rd/9th Bhopals. 1st/12th Pioneers. I Section C Company 8th Machine Gun Battalion. 23rd Combined Field Ambulance. Will leave Hillah on October 11th (?) for Tawairij and carry out punitive measures.







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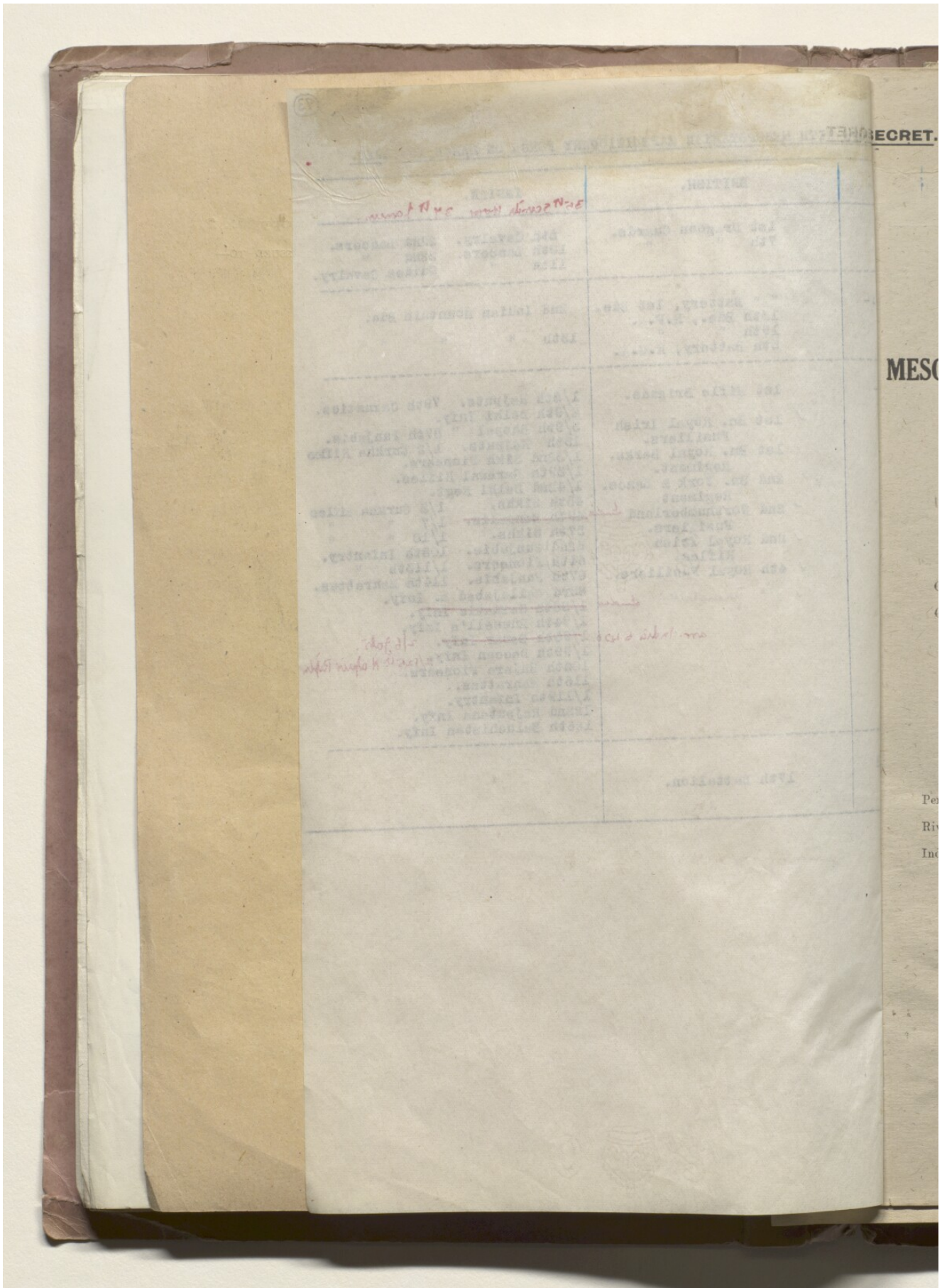


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TROOPS WITH MESOPOTAMIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE ON MARCH 1st, 1920.

UNIT.	BRITISH.	INDIAN.
<u>Cavalry:-</u>	1st Dragoon Guards. 7th " "	<i>35th Scindia Horse 34th Lancers.</i> 5th Cavalry. 22nd Lancers. 10th Lancers. 32nd " " 11th " Guides Cavalry.
<u>Artillery:-</u>	"A" Battery, 1st Bde. 13th Bde., R.F.A. 19th " " 5th Battery, R.G.A.	2nd Indian Mountain Bde. 18th " " "
<u>Infantry:-</u>	✓ 1st Rifle Brigade. ✓ 1st Bn. Royal Irish Fusiliers. ✓ 1st Bn. Royal Berks. Regiment. ✓ 2nd Bn. York & Lancs. Regiment. ✓ 2nd Northumberland <i>Inds</i> Fusiliers. ✓ 2nd Royal Irish Rifles. ✓ 4th Royal Fusiliers. ✓ 2 nd <i>unidentified Inds</i>	1/8th Rajputs. 79th Carnatics. 2/9th Delhi Infy. 3/9th Bhopal " 87th Punjabis. 13th Rajputs. 1/2 Gurkha Rifles 1/32nd Sikh Pioneers. 1/39th Garhwal Rifles. 1/42nd Delhi Regt. 45th Sikhs. 1/3 Gurkha Rifles 48th Bengalies 1/7 " " 57th Sikhs. 1/10 " " 62nd Punjabis. 108th Infantry. 64th Pioneers. 1/113th " " 67th Punjabis. 114th Mahrattas. 83rd Wallajahabad L. Infy. 1/88th Carnatic Infy. 1/94th Russell's Infy. 1/96th Deccan Infy. <i>2/16 Gals.</i> 1/99th Deccan Infy. <i>2/125th Mahratta Rifles</i> 106th Mahrattas. 116th Mahrattas. 1/119th Infantry. 122nd Rajputana Infy. 126th Baluchistan Infy.
<u>Machine Gun Corps:-</u>	17th Battalion.	

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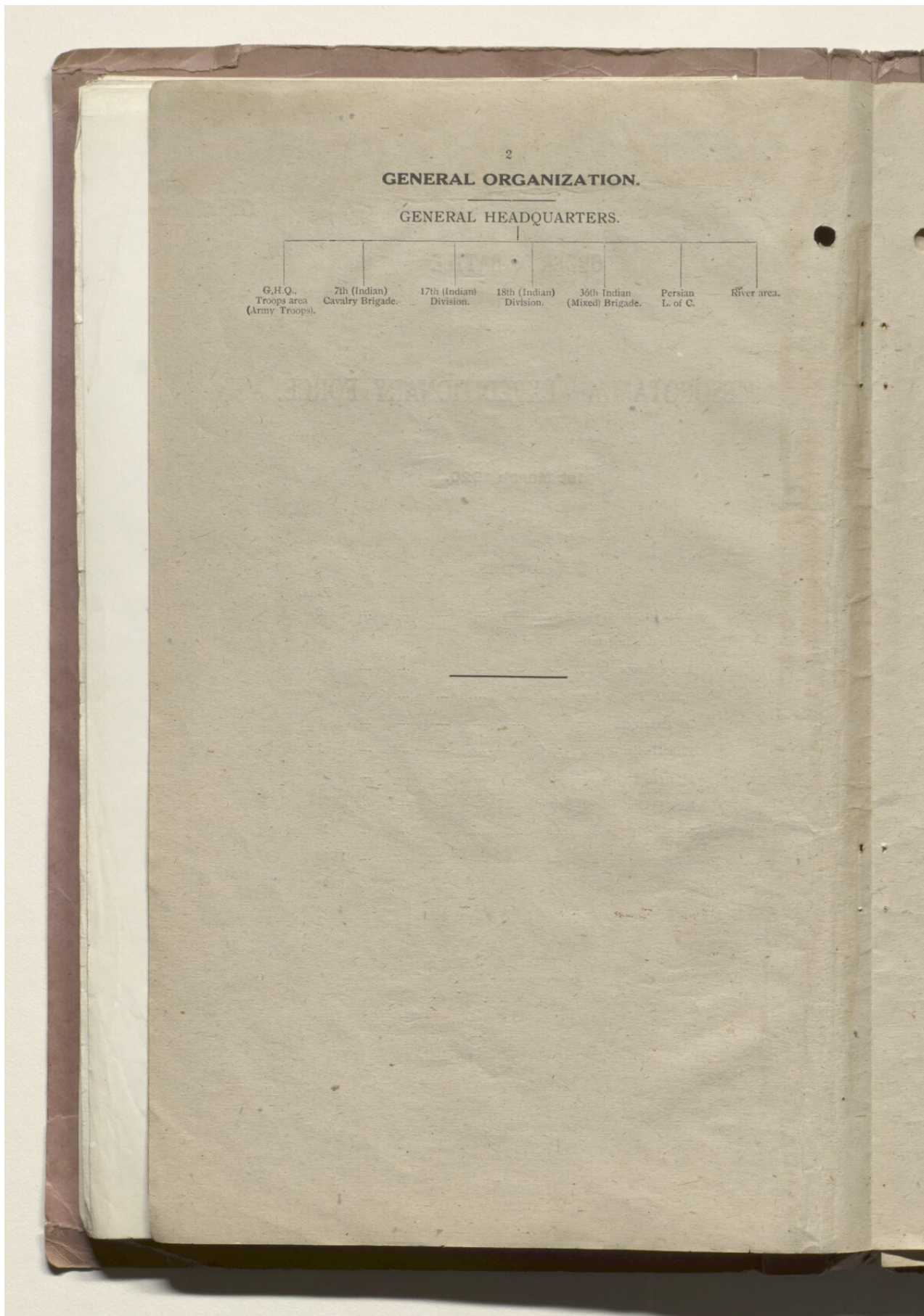
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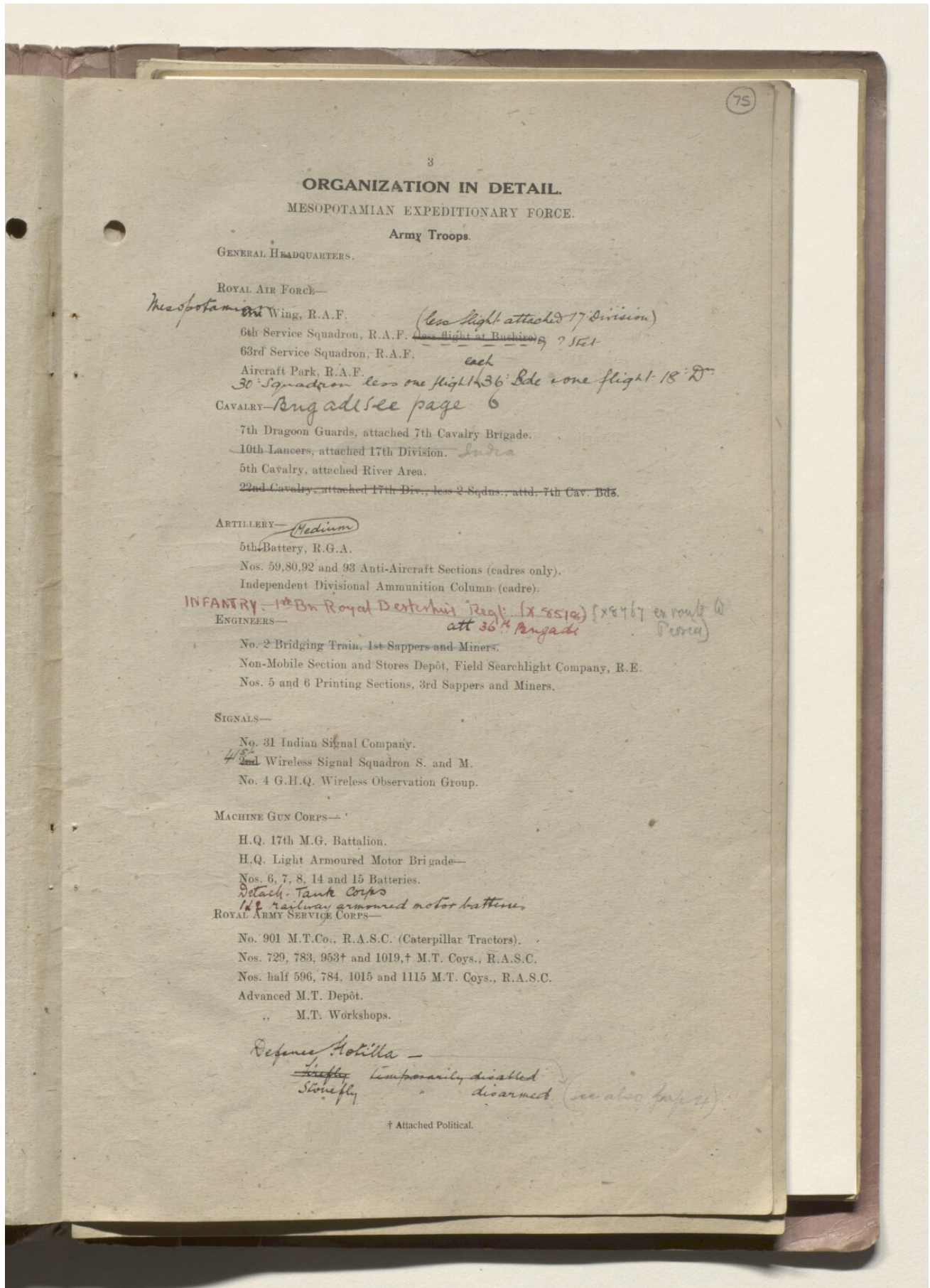
ORDER OF BATTLE
OF THE
MESOPOTAMIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

1st March 1920.

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3
ORGANIZATION IN DETAIL.
MESOPOTAMIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Army Troops.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS.

ROYAL AIR FORCE—

Mesopotamian Wing, R.A.F. (*less flight attached 17 Division*)
6th Service Squadron, R.A.F. (*less flight at Bushira 7 Sect*)
63rd Service Squadron, R.A.F. *each*
Aircraft Park, R.A.F.
30th Squadron *less one flight 136 Bde none flight 18 D*

CAVALRY—*Brig ad see page 6*

7th Dragoon Guards, attached 7th Cavalry Brigade.
10th Lancers, attached 17th Division. *India*
5th Cavalry, attached River Area.
22nd Cavalry, attached 17th Div., less 2 Sqdns., attd. 7th Cav. Bde.

ARTILLERY—*(Medium)*

5th Battery, R.G.A.
Nos. 59, 80, 92 and 93 Anti-Aircraft Sections (cadres only).
Independent Divisional Ammunition Column (cadre).

INFANTRY—*1st Bn Royal Dufferin Regt. (X 5512) (X 5767 en route @ Persia)*
ENGINEERS—*att 36th Brigade*

No. 2 Bridging Train, 1st Sappers and Miners.
Non-Mobile Section and Stores Depôt, Field Searchlight Company, R.E.
Nos. 5 and 6 Printing Sections, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

SIGNALS—

No. 31 Indian Signal Company.
4th Wireless Signal Squadron S. and M.
No. 4 G.H.Q. Wireless Observation Group.

MACHINE GUN CORPS—

H.Q. 17th M.G. Battalion.
H.Q. Light Armoured Motor Brigade—
Nos. 6, 7, 8, 14 and 15 Batteries.

Detach. Tank Corps
1st railway armoured motor battery.

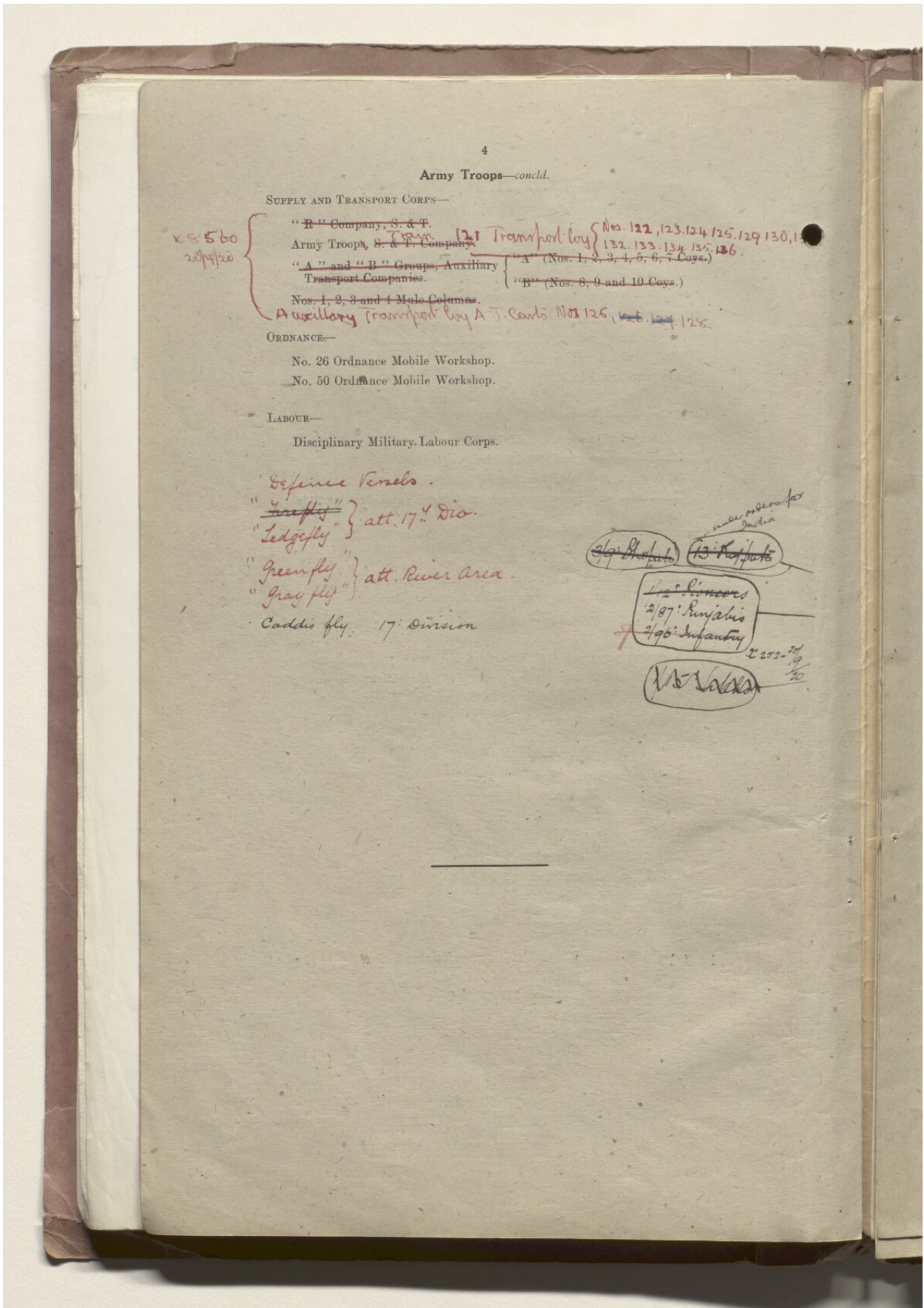
ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS—

No. 901 M.T.Co., R.A.S.C. (Caterpillar Tractors).
Nos. 729, 783, 953† and 1019,† M.T. Coys., R.A.S.C.
Nos. half 596, 784, 1015 and 1115 M.T. Coys., R.A.S.C.
Advanced M.T. Depôt.
.. M.T. Workshops.

Defence Artilla —

temporarily disabled
disarmed (see also page 2)

† Attached Political.



Army Troops—concl.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS—

x 5560
20/4/20 {
 "B" Company, S. & T.
 Army Troop, S. & T. Company } *121 Transport Coy* { Nos. 122, 123, 124, 125, 129, 130, 131,
 "A" and "B" Groups, Auxiliary } "A" (Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 Coys.)
 Transport Companies. } "B" (Nos. 8, 9 and 10 Coys.)
 Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Mule Columns.
Auxiliary Transport Coy A. T. Coys. Nos. 126, 127, 128.

ORDNANCE—

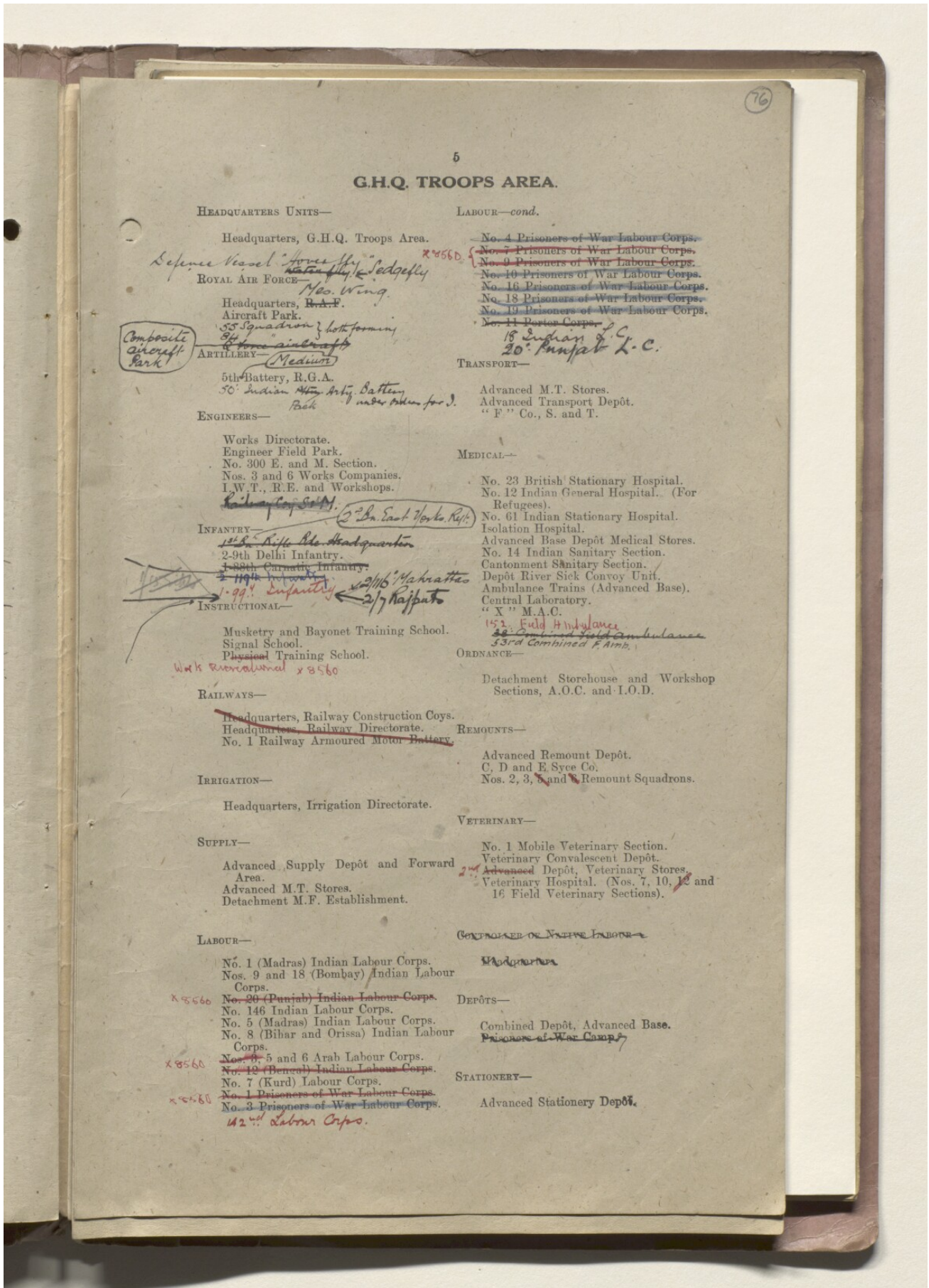
No. 26 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.
 No. 50 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.

LABOUR—

Disciplinary Military Labour Corps.

Defence Vessels.
 "~~Grey fly~~" } att. 17th Div.
 "Ledge fly" }
 "Green fly" } att. River Area.
 "Gray fly" }
 Caddis fly. 17th Division

use orders for India
 (13) *13 Puffets*
 1/2 Pioneer
 2/87 Punjabis
 2/96 Infantry
 232. 2/19
 20
 (15) *15 Vodka*



5
G.H.Q. TROOPS AREA.

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

Headquarters, G.H.Q. Troops Area.

Defence Vessel "Horsefly" x 8560
waterfly & edgefly
Neo. Wing.

ROYAL AIR FORCE—

Headquarters, R.A.F.
Aircraft Park.
55 Squadron *both forming*

Composite aircraft park

ARTILLERY—

5th Battery, R.G.A.
50 Indian *Arty. Battery*
Bak under order for J.

ENGINEERS—

Works Directorate.
Engineer Field Park.
No. 300 E. and M. Section.
Nos. 3 and 6 Works Companies.
I.W.T., R.E. and Workshops.

Railway Coy. S.M.
3rd Bn. East Works Coy.

INFANTRY—

14th Bn. Rifle Bde. Headquarters
2-9th Delhi Infantry.
1-82nd Carnatic Infantry.

1-99th Infantry
2/116 Mahrattas
2/7 Rajputs

INSTRUCTIONAL—

Musketry and Bayonet Training School.
Signal School.
Physical Training School.

Work Revivalment x 8560

RAILWAYS—

Headquarters, Railway Construction Coys.
Headquarters, Railway Directorate.
No. 1 Railway Armoured Motor Battery.

IRRIGATION—

Headquarters, Irrigation Directorate.

SUPPLY—

Advanced Supply Depôt and Forward Area.
Advanced M.T. Stores.
Detachment M.F. Establishment.

LABOUR—

No. 1 (Madras) Indian Labour Corps.
Nos. 9 and 18 (Bombay) Indian Labour Corps.

x 8560

No. 20 (Punjab) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 146 Indian Labour Corps.
No. 5 (Madras) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 8 (Bihar and Orissa) Indian Labour Corps.

x 8560

No. 6, 5 and 6 Arab Labour Corps.
No. 12 (Bengal) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 7 (Kurd) Labour Corps.
No. 1 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 3 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.

x 8560
12th Labour Corps.

LABOUR—cond.

~~No. 4 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~
~~No. 7 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~
~~No. 9 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~
~~No. 10 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~
~~No. 16 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~
~~No. 18 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~
~~No. 19 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~
~~No. 11 Porter Corps.~~

18 Sudan L.C.
20 Punjab L.C.

TRANSPORT—

Advanced M.T. Stores.
Advanced Transport Depôt.
"P" Co., S. and T.

MEDICAL—

No. 23 British Stationary Hospital.
No. 12 Indian General Hospital. (For Refugees).

No. 61 Indian Stationary Hospital.
Isolation Hospital.

Advanced Base Depôt Medical Stores.
No. 14 Indian Sanitary Section.

Cantonment Sanitary Section.
Depôt River Sick Convoy Unit.

Ambulance Trains (Advanced Base).
Central Laboratory.

"X" M.A.C.
152 Field Ambulance
33rd Combined Field Ambulance
53rd Combined F. Amb.

ORDNANCE—

Detachment Storehouse and Workshop Sections, A.O.C. and I.O.D.

REMOUNTS—

Advanced Remount Depôt.
C. D and E. Syce Co.
Nos. 2, 3, 5 and 6 Remount Squadrons.

VETERINARY—

No. 1 Mobile Veterinary Section.
Veterinary Convalescent Depôt.
Advanced Depôt, Veterinary Stores.
Veterinary Hospital. (Nos. 7, 10, 12 and 16 Field Veterinary Sections).

CONTRACTED OR NATIVE LABOUR—

Headquarters

DEPÔTS—

Combined Depôt, Advanced Base.
Prisoners of War Camp

STATIONERY—

Advanced Stationery Depôt.



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CAVALRY BRIGADES.

7th (Indian) Cavalry Brigade.

Headquarters.

"A" Battery, The Chestnut Troop, R.H.A. (less one Section attached 36th Brigade).

A. Section, Ammunition Column, R.H.A.

~~1st King's Dragoon Guards~~ *(See note to Baniyas 11.11.18)*

1 Sqdm

Guides Cavalry ~~(less 2 Squadrons, Kasvin)~~ *12th Regt & 1 Sqd currently to join*

11th Lancers (Mosul, attached 18th Division).

No. 16 (Composite) Machine Gun Squadron.

No. 2 Field Troop, 2nd S. and M.

7th Cavalry Brigade, Signal Troop.

No. 119 C.C.F. Ambulance.

Detachment No. 30 Sanitary Section.

No. 4 Mobile Veterinary Section.

X 118th Transport Co., S. and T. Corps. *X 5228 (Nos 115, 116, 117 Team Coy)*

temporarily attached

Attached.

7th Princess Royals Dragoon Guards.

~~22nd Cavalry F.T. 2 Squadrons.~~

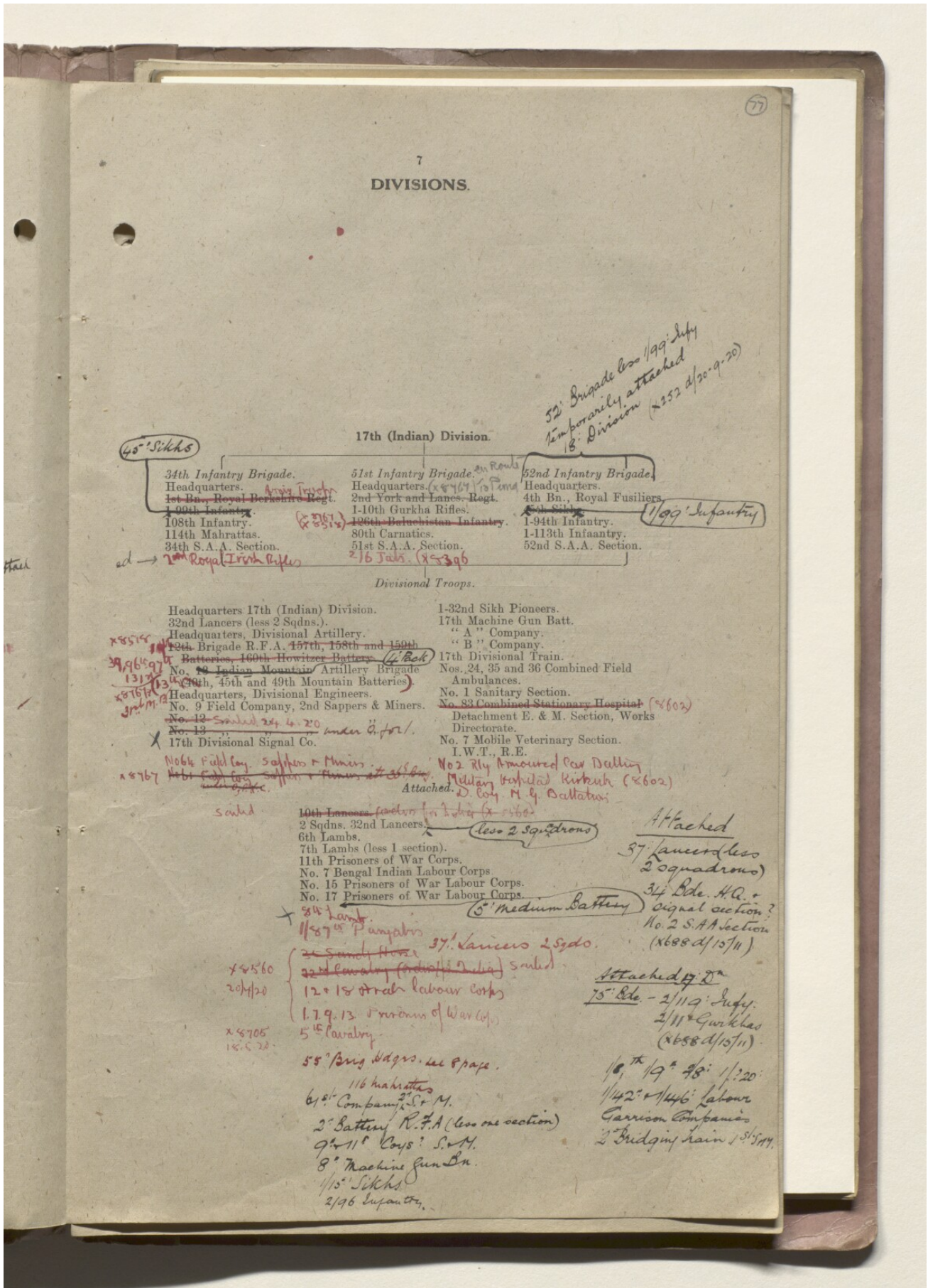
X No 5 Field Troop *(1 & 2 Sqds)*

X 25th Sqd Gun Horse *(25 Sqdm (1 & 2 Sqds) less 2 sqds att. 18th Div)*

X 3rd Lancers *(less 2 Sqds) att 17th Div attached 6th Div*

1/5 Sikhs

2/20th Rifles (temporarily attached from river area) (attached River Area) (2688)



7
DIVISIONS.

17th (Indian) Division.

34th Infantry Brigade. Headquarters. *Archie Lytch*
1st Bn., Royal Berkshire Regt.
1-90th Infantry. *(x 5512)*
108th Infantry. *(x 5512)*
114th Mahrattas.
34th S.A.A. Section.
ad → 2nd Royal Irish Rifles

51st Infantry Brigade. *en Route*
Headquarters. *(x 5512)*
2nd York and Lanes. Regt.
1-10th Gurkha Rifles.
126th Baluchistan Infantry.
80th Carnatics.
51st S.A.A. Section.
2/16 Jabs. (x 5306)

52nd Infantry Brigade.
Headquarters.
4th Bn., Royal Fusiliers.
1/99th Infantry
1-94th Infantry.
1-113th Infantry.
52nd S.A.A. Section.

Divisional Troops.

Headquarters 17th (Indian) Division.
32nd Lancers (less 2 Sqdns.).
Headquarters, Divisional Artillery.
32nd Brigade R.F.A. 157th, 158th and 159th Batteries, 160th Howitzer Battery *(L. Beck)*
No. 18 Indian Mountain Artillery Brigade (10th, 45th and 49th Mountain Batteries)
Headquarters, Divisional Engineers.
No. 9 Field Company, 2nd Sappers & Miners.
x 5514
39/9/15
13/1/13
x 5515
3rd M. 12
x 5767
under 2. 10/1.
No. 12 Sappers & Miners.
No. 13 Sappers & Miners.
17th Divisional Signal Co.

1-32nd Sikh Pioneers.
17th Machine Gun Batt.
"A" Company.
"B" Company.
17th Divisional Train.
Nos. 24, 35 and 36 Combined Field Ambulances.
No. 1 Sanitary Section.
No. 83 Combined Stationary Hospital *(x 602)*
Detachment E. & M. Section, Works Directorate.
No. 7 Mobile Veterinary Section.
I. W. T., R. E.

1066 Field Coy Sappers & Miners.
1061 Field Coy Sappers & Miners attached.
Attached.
102 Rly Amoured Cox Ballying Military (Kirkuk) (x 602)
D. Coy. M. G. Battalion

squad
10th Lancers *factor for 2nd* *(x 5562)*
2 Sqdns. 32nd Lancers.
6th Lambs.
7th Lambs (less 1 section).
11th Prisoners of War Corps.
No. 7 Bengal Indian Labour Corps.
No. 15 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 17 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.

x 5560
20/4/20
x 5705
18.5.20
37. Lancers 2 sqds.
22nd Cavalry (British India) squad
12. 15 Arab labour corps
1. 7. 13 Prisoners of War Corp.
5. 15 Cavalry
55th Brig Wagns. see page.
116 mahrattas
6. 1st Company S. & M.
2nd Battery R.F.A. (less one section)
9. 11th Coy S. & M.
8th Machine Gun Bn.
115th Sikhs
2/16 Infantry

Attached
37. Lancers (less 2 squadrons)
34 Bde. H.Q. + signal section?
No. 2 S.A.A. section (x 688 d/15/11)
Attached 17. 2nd
75th Bde - 2/11/20 July.
2/11th Gurkhas (x 688 d/15/11)
16th 19th 28th 1/20
1/42nd 1/46th Labour Garrison Companies
2 Bridging train 1. 5. 11/11



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DIVISIONS—concl'd.

Bahdad temporarily except 4th Gurkha

18th (Indian) Divisions.

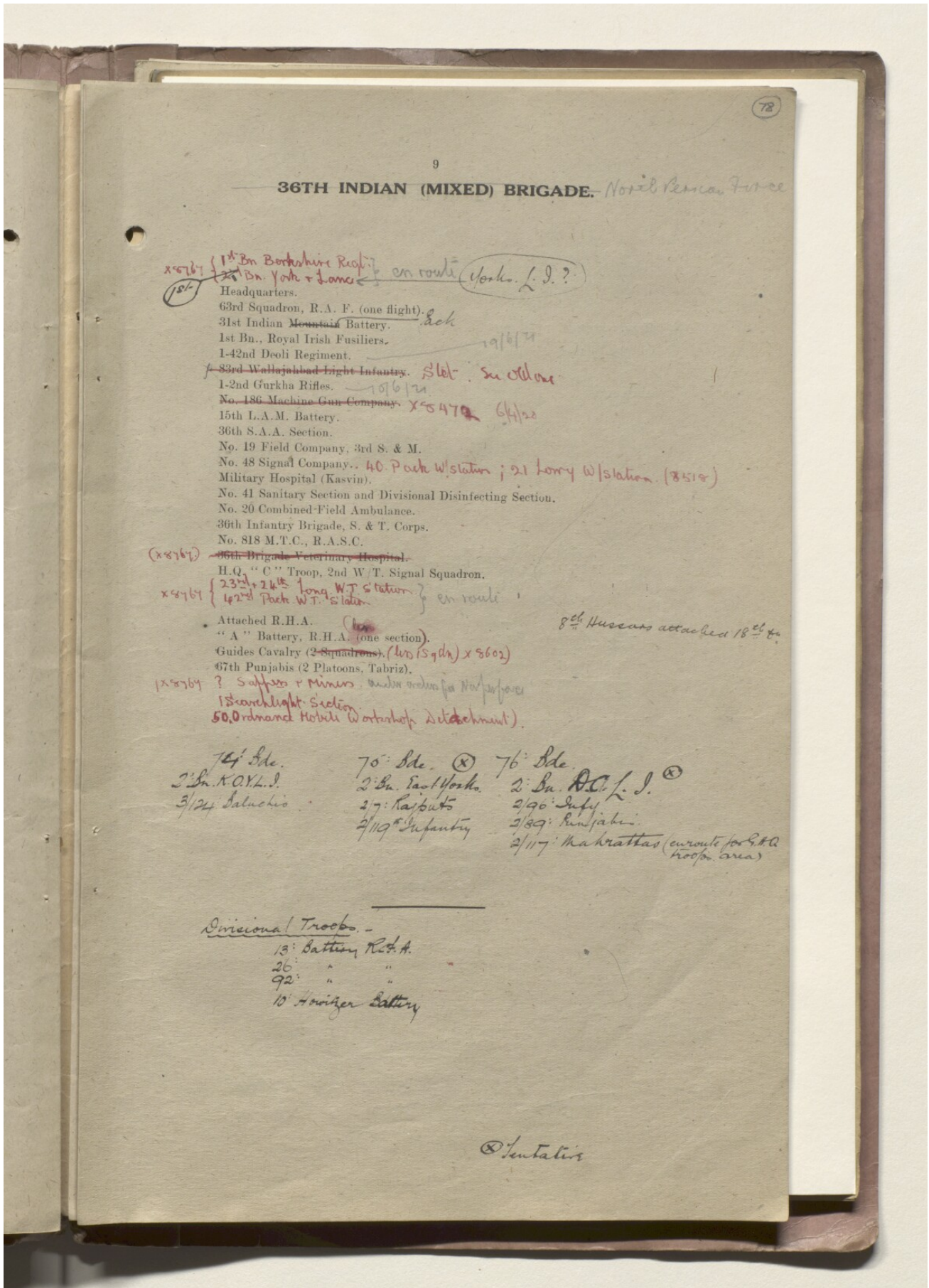
53rd Infantry Brigade. Headquarters. 1st Bn., Rifle Brigade. ✓ 3-9th Bhopal Infantry. 1-3rd Gurkha Rifles. 10th Rajputs <i>under 4th Bn.</i> 59rd S.A.A. Section. <i>1/116th Mahrattas</i>	54th Infantry Brigade. Headquarters. 2nd Bn., Northumberland Fusiliers. 1-39th Garhwal Rifles. 52nd Sikhs (F.F.). 1-7th Gurkha Rifles. 54th S.A.A. Section.	55th Infantry Brigade. Headquarters. 4th Bn., Royal Fusiliers. 1-8th Rajputs. 87th Punjabis. 116th Mahrattas. 55th S.A.A. Section. <i>2nd Bn Manchester Regt</i>
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Divisional Troops.

Headquarters 18th (Indian) Division. 32nd Lancers (2 Sqdns.) (att'd. 17th Div.) (x5602) Headquarters, Divisional Artillery. 13th Brigade (2nd, 8th and 44th Batteries R.F.A. 162nd Howitzer Battery) (Back) No. 2 Indian Mountain Artillery Brigade (A.O. 40th Mtn. Batts.) Headquarters, Divisional Engineers. No. 2 Field Company, 1st Sappers & Miners. No. 6 " " " " No. 8 " " " " 18th Divisional Signal Co. 106th Hazara Pioneers. 18th Division, L.T.M. Battery. <i>(x5767) 12th Fld Vlk. Sec.</i> <i>* under O. Co. "D"</i>	"C" Company } "D" Company } 17th Machine Gun Batta. 18th Divisional Train 1, 2, 3 and 4 Coys. 3-15th Supply Company. 4-15th Supply Company. 56-14th Supply Company. Nos. 114, 115, 116 and 117 Transport Coys. (P. & D.). No. 11 Mobile X-Ray Unit (attached). Nos. 38, 39 and 40 Combined Field Ambulances. Military Hospital, Mosul. No. 22 Sanitary Section. No. 40 M.A.C. No. 12 Mobile Veterinary Section. No. 61 Ordnance Mobile Workshop. <i>(x5860) 19th Casualty Clearing Station</i>
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Attached.

- 35th Squadron Base 2 Sqds.
- 63rd Squadron, R.A.F. (one flight).
- X 11th Lancers. 32nd Lancers (1st 2 sqdns) (x5159) See Old cu
- 8th Lamb.
- 14th Lamb.
- (x5767) 61st Field Coy., 2nd Sappers & Miners. To 17th Div.
- No. 4 Bihar and Orissa Indian Labour Corps.
- No. 2 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
- x5860 No. 11 Casual Labour Corps.
- x5860 No. 9 Casual Labour Corps.
- x5767 No. 8 Arab Labour Corps.
- 1 AC Bn 15th each 7th & 8th (x5159) See Old cu
- 28th Railway Coy. S.M.
- 52nd Brigade units less. } temporarily attached from 17th Div. (x202 d/ 20-9-20.)
- 2 Coys. 19th Infantry.
- 1/99th Infantry.
- 2/20th Lahore Garrison Company.
- 8th Hussars.
- ? 1st Coy. S.M. r
- Mily Hospital
- Kerkuki, attached 18th Div. (x688 d/10/11)



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36TH INDIAN (MIXED) BRIGADE. *Novel Persian Force*

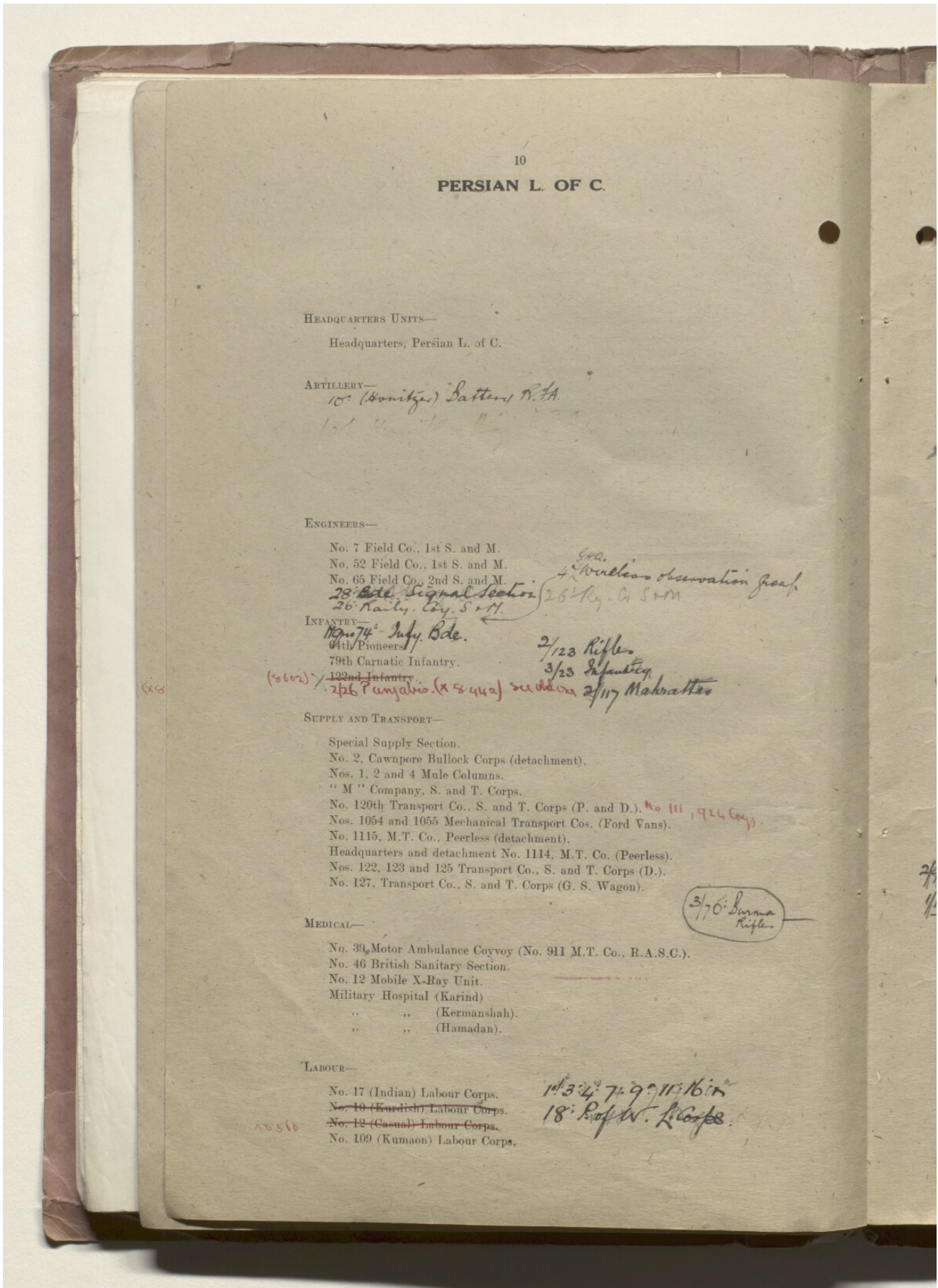
- x 5767* { 1st Bn Berkshire Regt. } *en route* (York. L. I.?)
- (51)* { 2nd Bn York + Lancs } *en route*
- Headquarters.
- 63rd Squadron, R.A.F. (one flight).
- 31st Indian Mountain Battery. *ack*
- 1st Bn., Royal Irish Fusiliers. *19/6/21*
- 1-42nd Deoli Regiment.
- x 5767* { 83rd Wallejabad Light Infantry. } *Slot. Su. Oldone*
- 1-2nd Gurkha Rifles. *10/6/21*
- No. 186 Machine Gun Company. *x 5472 6/1/22*
- 15th L.A.M. Battery.
- 36th S.A.A. Section.
- No. 19 Field Company, 3rd S. & M.
- No. 48 Signal Company. *40 Pack w/station; 21 Lorry w/station. (8510)*
- Military Hospital (Kasvin).
- No. 41 Sanitary Section and Divisional Disinfecting Section.
- No. 20 Combined Field Ambulance.
- 36th Infantry Brigade, S. & T. Corps.
- No. 818 M.T.C., R.A.S.C.
- (x 5767)* 36th Brigade Veterinary Hospital.
- H.Q. "C" Troop, 2nd W/T. Signal Squadron.
- x 5767* { 23rd + 24th long W.T. Section } *en route*
- (x 5767)* { 42nd Pack W.T. Section }
- Attached R.H.A.
- "A" Battery, R.H.A. (one section).
- Guides Cavalry (2 Squadrons). *(1st Sqdn) x 8602*
- 67th Punjabis (2 Platoons, Tabriz).
- (x 5767)* ? Sappers + Miners. *under orders for No. 100 Coy*
- 1 Searchlight Section.
- 50 Ordnance Mobile Workshop Detachment.

8th Hussars attached 18th Dec

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| <i>74th Sde.</i> | <i>75th Sde. (X)</i> | <i>76th Sde.</i> |
| <i>2nd Bn. K.O.Y.L.I.</i> | <i>2nd Bn. East Yorks.</i> | <i>2nd Bn. R.C. L. I. (X)</i> |
| <i>3/24 Baluchis</i> | <i>2/7: Rajpoots</i> | <i>2/96: Infy</i> |
| | <i>2/119th Infantry</i> | <i>2/89: Punjabis</i> |
| | | <i>2/117: Maharashtra (en route for G.H.Q. troops area)</i> |

- Divisional Troops.
- 13th Battery R.C.A.*
 - 26th " "*
 - 92nd " "*
 - 10th Howitzer Battery*

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PERSIAN L. OF C.

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

Headquarters, Persian L. of C.

ARTILLERY—

10th (Honourable) Batteries R.F.A.

ENGINEERS—

No. 7 Field Co., 1st S. and M.

No. 52 Field Co., 1st S. and M.

No. 65 Field Co., 2nd S. and M.

28th Bde. Signal Section

26th Railw. Coy. S. & M.

4th Wireless Observation Group

INFANTRY—

10th & 74th Infy. Bde.

4th Pioneers

79th Carnatic Infantry.

122nd Infantry

726 Punjab (8 & 442)

2/123 Rifles

3/23 Infantry

2/117 Mahrattas

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT—

Special Supply Section.

No. 2, Cawnpore Bullock Corps (detachment).

Nos. 1, 2 and 4 Mule Columns.

" M " Company, S. and T. Corps.

No. 120th Transport Co., S. and T. Corps (P. and D.).

No. 1054 and 1055 Mechanical Transport Cos. (Ford Vans).

No. 1115, M.T. Co., Peerless (detachment).

Headquarters and detachment No. 1114, M.T. Co. (Peerless).

Nos. 122, 123 and 125 Transport Co., S. and T. Corps (D.).

No. 127, Transport Co., S. and T. Corps (G. S. Wagon).

3/70 Burma Rifles

MEDICAL—

No. 39, Motor Ambulance Coy (No. 911 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C.).

No. 46 British Sanitary Section.

No. 12 Mobile X-Ray Unit.

Military Hospital (Karind)

" " (Kermanshah).

" " (Hamadan).

LABOUR—

No. 17 (Indian) Labour Corps.

No. 10 (Kurdish) Labour Corps.

No. 12 (Casual) Labour Corps.

No. 109 (Kumaon) Labour Corps.

1st 3rd 7th 9th 11th 16th

18th Regt W. Corps

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RIVER AREA.

Base.

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

Headquarters River Area.
Headquarters of Makina Area.
Headquarters of River Front Area.

ROYAL AIR FORCE—

Detachment, Aircraft Park.
Composite Aircraft Park

CAVALRY—

x688 ~~5th Cavalry~~ *x8705*
~~2nd Cavalry~~ *x8705*

ARTILLERY—

Nos. 50, 80, 92, and 93 Anti-Aircraft Sections (cadres only).

ENGINEERS—

Headquarters Works Directorate and Base, Radio Section, 2nd W.S. Squadron, S. and M.
Nos. 8 (1st S. and M.) and 10 (3rd S. and M.) Printing Sections.
No. 1 Works Companies.
Headquarter Engineer Field Park and No. 47 Base Park Co.
Detachment E. and M. Section.
(x8396) ~~Non-Mobile Section and Stores Depot~~
Field Searchlight Co., R.E. *see old one*

INLAND WATER TRANSPORT—

Headquarters.
Headquarters Port Traffic.
Headquarters, Controller, Native Craft.

PORT DIRECTORATE—

Headquarters.

INFANTRY—

2/96 Infy. ~~2/129th Baluchis~~ *(x8705)*
~~4th Bengali Infantry~~
~~1/96th Infantry~~ *Sailed 29.3.20 (196)*
~~1/12th Infantry~~ *(see 2 Coy)* *x8705*
~~2/125th~~ *Wakien* *see old one*

DEPOTS—

British Base Depot.
x8190 No. 1 Indian Base Depot. *see old one*
No. 2 Indian Base Depot (Followers).
Supply Personnel Reinforcement Depot.
Prisoners of War Camp.

SUPPLY—

Base Supply Depot.
Headquarters, Military Forwarding Establishment.
(Karputhala Infy.)

3/5 3/8 1/11
2/11 Gurkha Rifles

* *Under orders ex-Mesopotamia.

⊗ attached 6th Division

TRANSPORT—

Base Transport Depot.
~~No. 962 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. (Base M.T. Workshop) x8705~~
No. 1056 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C.
No. 1 (Lucknow) Bullock Corps.
No. 5 (Meerut) Bullock Corps.
No. 12 Auxiliary Transport Co.

LABOUR—

Nos. 1, 2, and 4 Persian Labour Corps.
No. 3 (U.P.) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 6 (U.P.) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 16 Indian Labour Corps.
No. 117 Indian Labour Corps.
~~Nos. 5 and 6 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.~~

MEDICAL—

Medical Reinforcement Camp.
No. 3 British General Hospital.
Nos. 8 and 9 Indian General Hospitals.
Nos. 10 and 19 Indian Sanitary Sections.
Base Depot Medical Stores.
Officers' Hospital—"Beit Naama".
Isolation Hospital.
Military Hospital, Ahwaz.
Headquarters, River Sick Convoy Unit.
Ambulance Train (Base).
Hospital Ships.

REMOUNTS—

Headquarters, Remount Depot, Tanooma.
Nos. 1 and 4 Remount Squadrons *(see old one)*
Demobilization Remount Depot.
No. 1 Indian Syce Co.
A. B. and F. Remount Syce Cos.
Headquarters, Remount, Makina.
5267 Remount Squad

VETERINARY—

Nos. 2 and 18 Field Veterinary Sections.
No. 6 Mobile Veterinary Section.
No. 2 Base Depot, Veterinary Stores.
Veterinary Convalescent Depot.

ORDNANCE—

No. 35 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.
Storehouse and Workshop Sections,
A.O.C. and I.O.D.

MISCELLANEOUS—

Military Accounts Depot.
Military Governor's Establishment.
Base Stationery Depot.
Military Forwarding Officer. *(5000)*

DIZFUL 2 Fighting Force



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RIVER AREA.—contd.	
<p>Amarah.</p> <p>HEADQUARTERS UNITS—</p> <p>Headquarters.</p> <p>ENGINEERS—</p> <p>Detachment No. 1 Works Company.</p> <p>Detachment Works Directorate.</p> <p>Detachment E. and M. Section.</p> <p>Detachment Engineer Field Park.</p> <p>River Irrigation.</p> <p><i>63: Coy. 2 S.H.</i></p> <p>INFANTRY—</p> <p>2 Cos., 62nd Punjabis.</p> <p><i>2 Coy. 3rd Wallajahabad L. Inf. x 8705</i></p> <p>SUPPLY—</p> <p>"O" Co., S. and T.</p> <p>Intermediate Supply Depôt.</p> <p>LABOUR—</p> <p>No. 36 Local Arab Labour Corps.</p> <p><i>2/17 Labour Garrison Company</i></p> <p>TRANSPORT—</p> <p>Det. Base Transport Depôt.</p> <p>MEDICAL—</p> <p>Military Hospital.</p> <p>Combined Convalescent Depôt.</p> <p>Depôt River Sick Convoy Unit.</p>	<p>REMOUNTS—</p> <p>2 Remount Squadrons.</p> <p>ORDNANCE—</p> <p>Detachment Storehouse and Workshp Sections, A.O.C. and I.O.D.</p> <p>FARMS—</p> <p>Grass and Dairy Farm.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Kut-el-Amarah.</p> <p><i>Waterbury</i> <i>Sedgely</i></p> <p>HEADQUARTERS UNITS—</p> <p>Headquarters.</p> <p>INFANTRY—</p> <p>62nd Punjabis (less 2 Cos.).</p> <p><i>3rd Wallajahabad Light Infantry (less 2 Coy)</i></p> <p>ENGINEERS—</p> <p>Detachment E. and M. Section.</p> <p>Detachment E. F. Park.</p> <p>SUPPLY—</p> <p>Intermediate Supply Depôt.</p> <p>Detachment Military Forwarding Estab- lishment.</p> <p>TRANSPORT—</p> <p>Detachment Advanced Transport Depôt.</p> <p>LABOUR—</p> <p>No. 12 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.</p> <p>MEDICAL—</p> <p>Detachment River Sick Convoy Unit.</p> <p>Military Hospital, Kut-el-Amara.</p> <p>ORDNANCE—</p> <p>Detachment Storehouse and Workshop</p>



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		53rd	18th.
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ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Unit.	Division.	Allotment.
31st Wing—	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 60 Squadron, R. A. F.	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area (one flight Bushire).
No. 63 Squadron, R. A. F. (Cadre).	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area (one flight Kasvin one flight Mosul).
Aircraft Park.	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area and River Area.



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ENGINEERS.

Unit.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Division.	Allotment.
FIELD TROOPS.		BRIDGING TRAINS.		
No. 2 Field Troop, 2nd S. & M.	7th Cav. Bde.	No. 2, 1st S. & M. ...	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
FIELD COMPANIES.		PRINTING SECTION.		
No. 2 Co., 1st S. & M.	18th (Indian).	No. 8 (1st S. and M.) ...	Army Troops	R. A.
No. 6 Co., 1st S. & M.	18th (Indian).	No. 5 (3rd S. and M.) ...	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 8 Co., 1st S. & M.	18th (Indian).	No. 6 (3rd S. and M.) ...	Army Troops	
No. 52 Co., 1st S. & M.	Persian L. of C.	No. 10 (3rd S. and M.)	Army Troops	R. A.
No. 9 Co., 2nd S. & M.	17th (Indian).	Radio Section, 2nd W. S. Squadron S. & M.	Army Troops	R. A.
No. 12 Co., 2nd S. & M.	17th (Indian).	WORKS COMPANIES.		
No. 13 Co., 2nd S. & M.	17th (Indian).	No. 1 Co. ...	Army Troops	R. A.
No. 61 Co., 2nd S. & M.	18th (Indian) attd.	No. 3 Co. ...	Army Troops	R. A.
No. 65 Co., 2nd S. & M.	Persian L. of C.	No. 6 Co. ...	Army Troops	R. A.
No. 19 Co., 3rd S. & M.	36th Indian Mixed (Brigade).	MISCELLANEOUS.		
		Engineer Field Park and No. 47 Base Park Co.	...	G.H.Q. Troops area.
		No. 300 Electrical and Mechanical Section.	R. A.	R. A.
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SIGNAL SERVICE.

Unit.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Division.	Allotment.
SIGNAL TROOPS.		WIRELESS.		
7th Cav. Bde. Signal Troop	7th Cav. Bde.	2nd Wireless Signal Sqdn. S. & M.	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
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17th Divl. Signal Co. ...	17th (Indian).	No. 40 Panch W/Sec	36 th Bde	(X 8518)
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No. 31 Indian Signal Co.	G.H.Q. Troops Area.			
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1 Sec. 40 Divl. Signal Coy.				

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2nd Northumberland Fusiliers.	54th ...	18th (Indian).	62nd Punjabis	R. A.
			63rd Calcutta L.I.	...	Persian L. of C.
			64th Pioneers	Persian L. of C.
			67th Punjabis (2 platoons) (Tabriz)	...	Att. 36th Brigade.
2nd Royal Irish Rifles.	52nd ...	17th (Indian).	79th Carnatic Infy.	...	Persian L. of C.
<i>3rd Bn. East York. Regt. 2 - B. of C. L. I. 1st. Yorkshire L. I. 4th Royal Fusiliers</i>	<i>75th Bde. 76th " 74th " 52nd ...</i>	<i>18th (Indian).</i>	180th Carnatic Infy.	<i>52nd</i>	<i>17th Div</i>
<i>2nd Bn. Manchester 55th</i>	<i>15th (Indian)</i>	<i>(x 51515)</i>	83rd Wallajahbad Light Infy.	36th Indian (Mixed).	<i>(x 51515)</i>
<i>att. 13. 3. 20. R. A.</i>			87th Punjabis ...	55th ...	18th (Indian).
INDIAN INFANTRY.			INDIAN INFANTRY.		
<i>2/55</i>	<i>51st</i>	<i>17th Div.</i>	<i>2/89 Punjabis</i>		
1-8th Rajputs ...	55th ...	18th (Indian).	1-88th Carnatic Infy.	...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
2-9th Delhi Infy.	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	1-94th Russell's Infy.	52nd ...	17th (Indian).
3-9th Bhopal Infy.	53rd ...	18th (Indian).	1-96th Berar Infy.	...	<i>Schedule 29.3.20 R. A. (1961)</i>
(13th Rajputs) ...	53rd ...	18th (Indian).	1-99th Deccan Infy.	34th ...	17th (Indian) L. of C.

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Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.
INDIAN INFANTRY—concl'd.					
106th Hazara Pioneers.	D.T.	18th (Indian).	122nd Rajputana Infantry.	...	Persian L. of C.
108th Infantry	34th	17th (Indian).	126th Baluchistan Infantry.	51st	17th (Indian) (23/4/20)
1-113th Infantry	52nd	17th (Indian).	1-2nd Gurkha Rifles.	36th Indian (Mixed).	...
114th Mahrattas	34th	17th (Indian).	1-3rd Gurkha Rifles	53rd	18th (Indian).
116th Mahrattas	55th	18th (Indian).	1-7th Gurkha Rifles.	54th	18th (Indian).
1-119th Infantry	5. salid 11/5/20	17th (Indian).	1-10th Gurkha Rifles.	51st	17th (Indian) Division.

MACHINE GUN CORPS. 3/155 Rifles ?

Unit.	Brigade or M. G. Batt.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade or M. G. Batt.	Division or Allotment.
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MACHINE GUN COMPANIES.

No. 186 Co.	36th Indian (Mixed) Brigade	X 8472	A and B Coys.	17th Batt.	17th (Indian).
15 th Light Armoured Cars	36 th Bde.		C. and D Coys.	17th Batt.	18th (Indian).
			17th Battalion (H. Q.).	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area.



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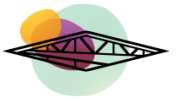
Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.
MACHINE GUN SQUADRONS.			MISCELLANEOUS.		
No. 16 (Composite)	7th Cav.	...	No. 1 Railway Armoured Motor Battery.	...	R. A.
LIGHT ARMoured CAR BATTERIES.					
No. 6	...	L. A. M. B.	17th Division.		
No. 7	...	L. A. M. B.	17th Division.		
No. 8	...	L. A. M. B.	18th Division.		
No. 14	...	L. A. M. B.	18th Division.		
No. 15	...	L. A. M. B.	36th (Indian) Mixed Bde.		

MEDICAL.

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
FIELD AMBULANCES.		SANITARY SECTIONS.	
No. 119 (Combined Cav.)	...	7th Cav. Bde.	No. 1 Sanitary Section ... 17th (Indian D. T.)
No. 20 (Combined)	...	36th Indian Mixed Brigade.	No. 10 (Indian) ... R. A.
No. 24 (Combined)	...	17th Divn.	No. 14 (Indian) ... G. H. Q. Troops Area.
No. 35 (Combined)	...	17th (Indian).	No. 19 (Indian) ... R. A.
No. 36 (Combined)	...	17th (Indian).	No. 22 (Indian) ... 18th (Indian).
No. 38 (Combined)	...	18th (Indian).	No. 30 (Indian) Detachment... 7th Cav. Bde.
No. 39 (Combined)	...	18th (Indian).	No. 41 (Indian) ... 36th Indian Mixed Brigade.
No. 40 (Combined)	...	18th (Indian).	No. 46 (British) ... Persian L. of C.
No. 152 (Combined)	...	G. H. Q. Troops Area.	Cantonment Sanitary ... G. H. Q. Troops Area.

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MEDICAL—concl'd.

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
<i>"X"-Ray Units.</i>		<i>Casualty Clearing Stations.</i>	
No. 11 Mobile	18th (Indian) Div.	No. 19 (Combined) ...	18th Division.
No. 12 Mobile	Persian L. of C.		
<i>Military Hospitals.</i>		<i>Motor Ambulance Convoys.</i>	
Mosul	18th Div.	No. 39 (911 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C.)	Persian L. of C.
Kasvin	36th (Indian) Mixed.	No. 40 (970 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C.)	18th Division.
Hamadan	Persian L. of C.	"X" M.A.C. (1071 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C.)	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
Karind	Persian L. of C.		
Kermanshah	Persian L. of C.	<i>Medical Store Depots.</i>	
Kut-el-Amara	Persian L. of C.	Adv. Base Depot Med. Stores	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
Ahwaz	R.A.	Base Depot Med. Stores	R.A.
Amara	R.A.		
<i>Kirkuk</i>	<i>Amby attached 18th Div.</i>		
<i>General Hospitals.</i>		<i>Depots.</i>	
No. 3 (British)	R.A.	Combined Convalescent Depot (Amara).	R.A.
No. 8 (Indian)	R.A.		
No. 9 (Indian)	R.A.	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>	
No. 12 (Indian) for Refugees...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	River Sick Convoy Units ...	R.A.
No. 20 (Indian)	R.A.	Divisional Disinfecting Section	36th Indian Mixed Brigade.
No. 21 (Indian)	R.A.	Ambulance Trains ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 23 (Indian)	R.A.	Hospital Ships ...	R.A.
<i>Stationary Hospitals.</i>		Central Laboratory ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 23 (British)	G.H.Q. Troops Area.		
No. 61 (Indian)	G.H.Q. Troops Area.		
No. 83 (Combined)	17th Division.		
<i>Miscellaneous Hospitals.</i>			
Isolation Hospital (Basrah) ...	R.A.		
Isolation Hospital (Baghdad) ...	R.A.		
Officers' Hospital (Beit Naama)	R.A.		
Medical Reinforcement Camp	R.A.		



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VETERINARY.

Unit.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Division or Allotment.
<i>Mobile Veterinary Sections.</i>		<i>Field Veterinary Sections.</i>	
No. 1	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	No. 2	R.A.
No. 4	7th Cav. Bde.	No. 18	R.A.
No. 6	R.A. <i>STX</i>		
No. 7	17th (Indian).	<i>Miscellaneous.</i>	
No. 12	18th (Indian).	Veterinary Convalescent Depot	R.A.
		No. 2 Base Depot. Veterinary Stores.	R.A.
		Advanced Depot Veterinary Stores.	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
		Veterinary Hospital (Nos. 7, 10, 12 and 16 Veterinary Sections).	G.H.Q. Troops Area.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT.

(a) *Mechanical Transport Units.*

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
Half 596 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C.	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	1015 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
729 M.T., Co., R.A.S.C. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	1019 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. (Civil).	G.H.Q. Troops Area attached Political.
783 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	1054 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ...	Persian L. of C.
784 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	1055 M.T. Co. ...	Persian L. of C.
818 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ...	36th Indian Mixed Brigade.	1056 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ...	R.A.
901 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	1071 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. ("X" Motor Ambulance Convoy).	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
911 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. (No. 39 M.A.C.).	Persian L. of C.	Headquarters and detachment 1114 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C.	Persian L. of C.
953 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. (Civil).	G.H.Q. Troops Area attached Political.	1115 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. (Peerless).	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
962 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. (Base M.T. Workshop) x 6 706	R.A.	Advanced M.T. Depot ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
970 M.T. Co., R.A.S.C. (No. 40 M.A.C.).	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	Advanced M.T. Workshop ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
		Advanced M.T. Stores ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.

(b) *Supply Units.*

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
56-14th Supply Co. ...	18th (Indian).	Base Supply Depot ...	R.A.
3-15th Supply Co. ...	"	Intermediate Supply Depots ...	R.A.
4-15th Supply Co. ...	"	Advanced Supply Depot and Forward Area.	R.A.
Special Supply Section	Persian L. of C.		



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SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT—*concl'd.*

(c) *Transport Units.*

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
Army Troops, Tpt. Co. ...	...	No. 1 (Lucknow) Bullock Corps	R.A.
Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 Auxiliary Transport Cos. (draught).	"A" Group. A T.	No. 2 ^o (Cawnpore) Bullock Corps (detachment).	Persian L. of C.
Nos. 6 and 7 (Auxiliary) Transport Cos. (pack).		No. 5 (Meerut) Bullock Corps.	R.A.
Nos. 9 and 10 Auxiliary Transport Cos. (G. S. Wagons).	"B" Group. G.H.Q. Troops Area.	Advanced Transport Depot ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 8 Auxiliary Transport Co (pack).		"F" Co., S. and T. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 12 Auxiliary Transport Co. (G. Wagons).	R.A.	"M" Co., S. and T. ...	Persian L. of C.
Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Mule Columns.	Persian L. of C.	"C" Co., S. and T. ...	R.A.
		Base Transport Depot ...	R.A.

No. 11 924 from 1st Coy.

(d) *Miscellaneous.*

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
118th Transport Co. S. and T. Corps.	7th Cav. Bde. ...	18th Divisional Train ...	18th (Indian) ...
17th Divisional Train ...	17th (Indian) ...	36th Inf. Bde., S. and T. Co.	36th Indian Mixed Brigade.

ORDNANCE.

Unit.	Division.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
No. 26 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	No. 61 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.	18th (Indian).
No. 35 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.	...	R.A.	Storehouse and Workshop Sections, A.O.C. and I.O.D.	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 50 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.	Army Troops	G.H.Q. Troops Area.		

REMOUNTS.

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
Headquarters Remount Depots.	R.A.	No. 1 Indian Syce Co. ...	R.A.
No. 2 Remount Squadron ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	"A" Remount Syce Co. ...	R.A.
No. 3 " " " ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	"B" Syce Co. ...	R.A.
No. 5 " " " ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	"C" Syce Co. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 6 " " " ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	"D" Syce Co. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
Demobilization Remount Depot.	R.A.	"E" Syce Co. ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
Advance Remount Depot ...	G.H.Q. Troops Area.	"F" Syce Co. ...	R.A.



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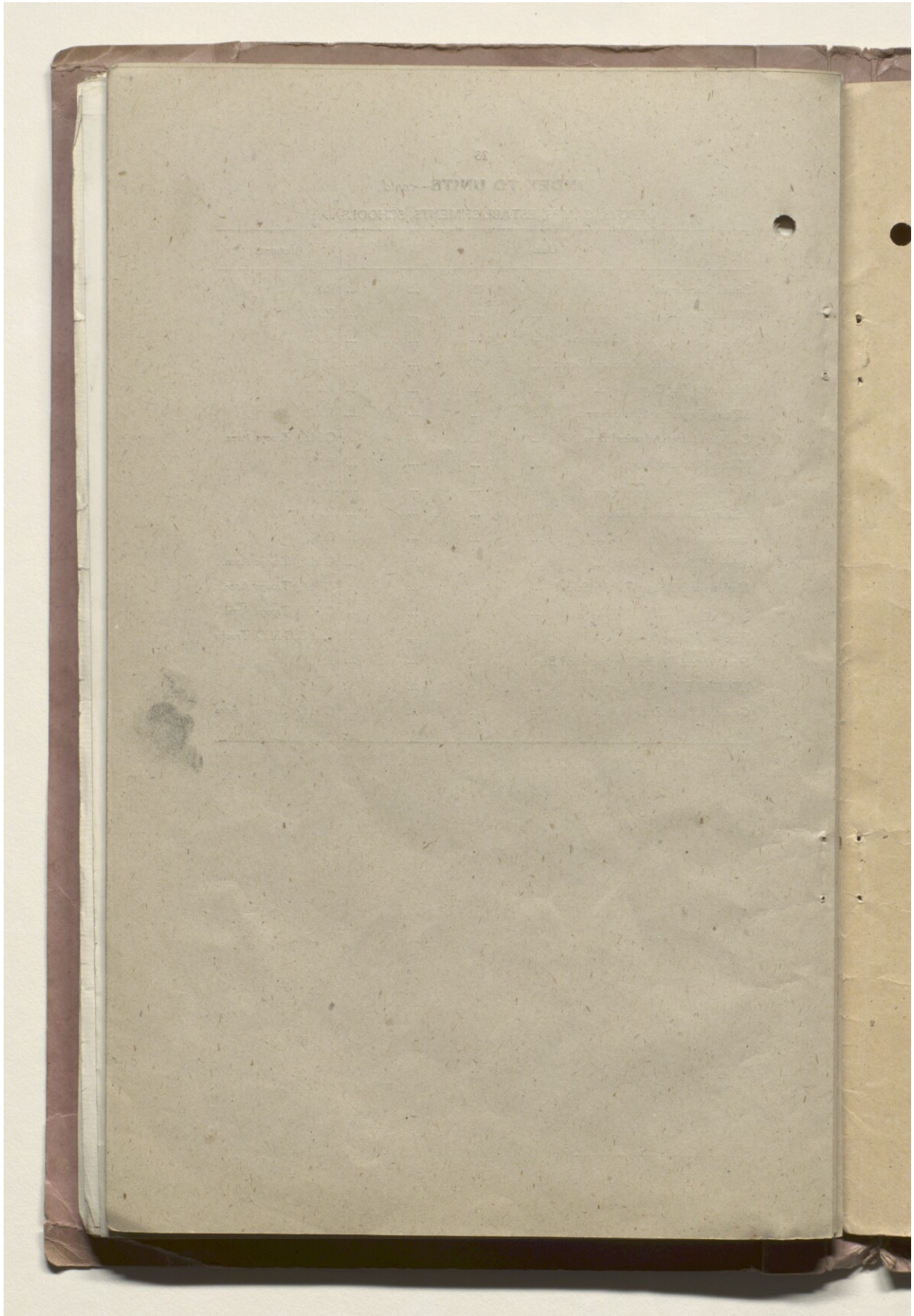
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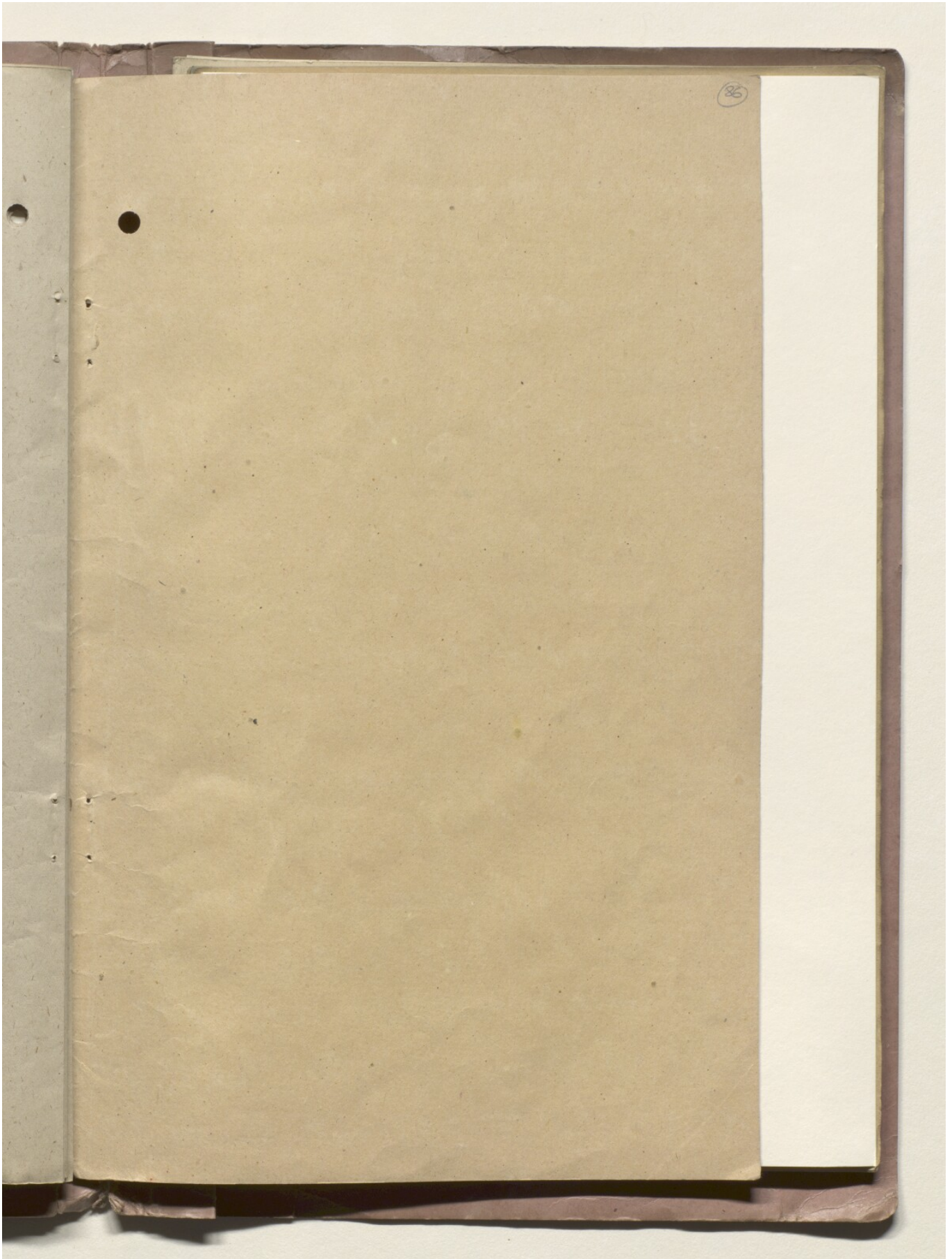
Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
Headquarters, Railway Construction Coys.	No. 1 Railway Armoured Motor Bty.
Headquarters, Railway Directorate.	No. 86 Rly. Construction Coy.

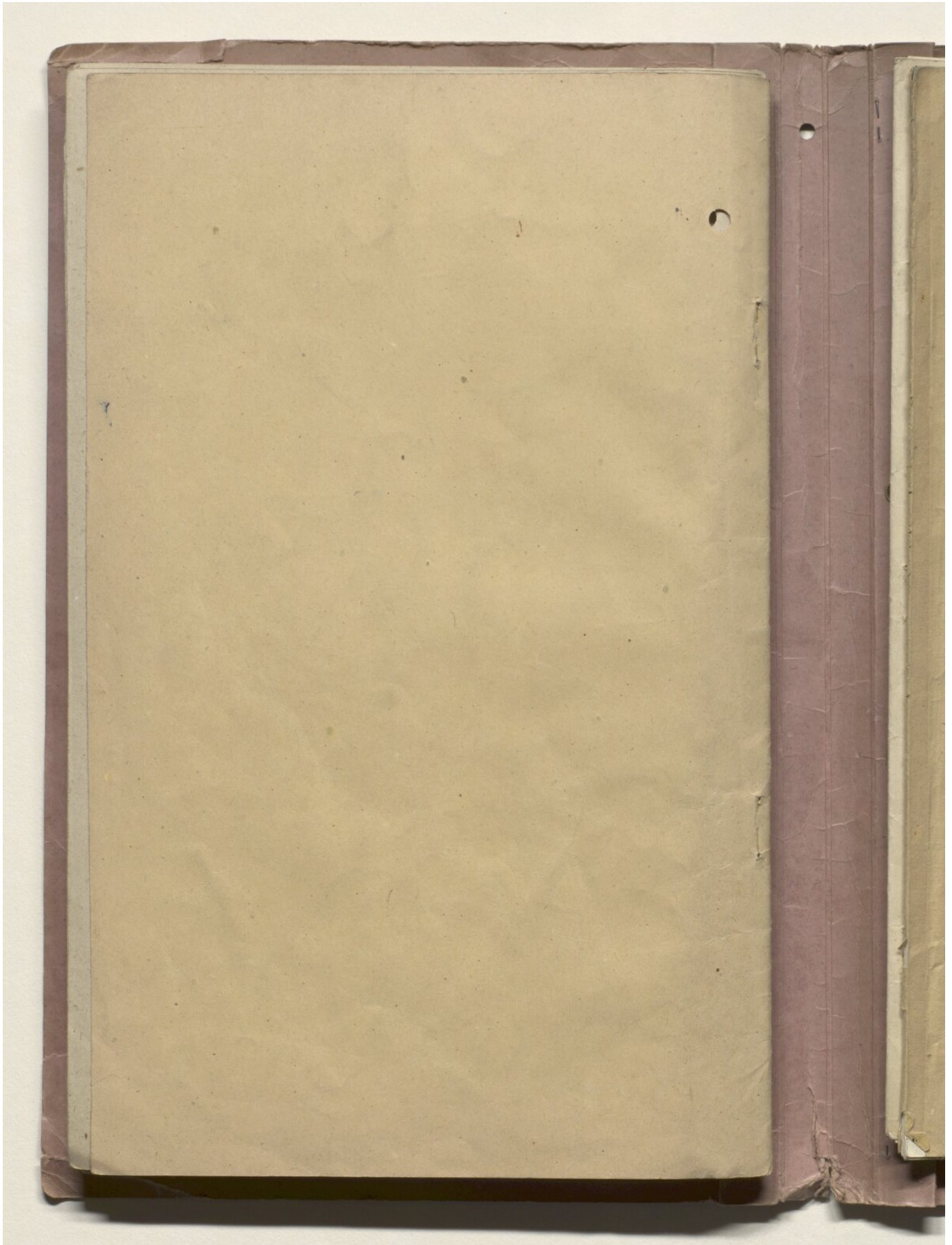
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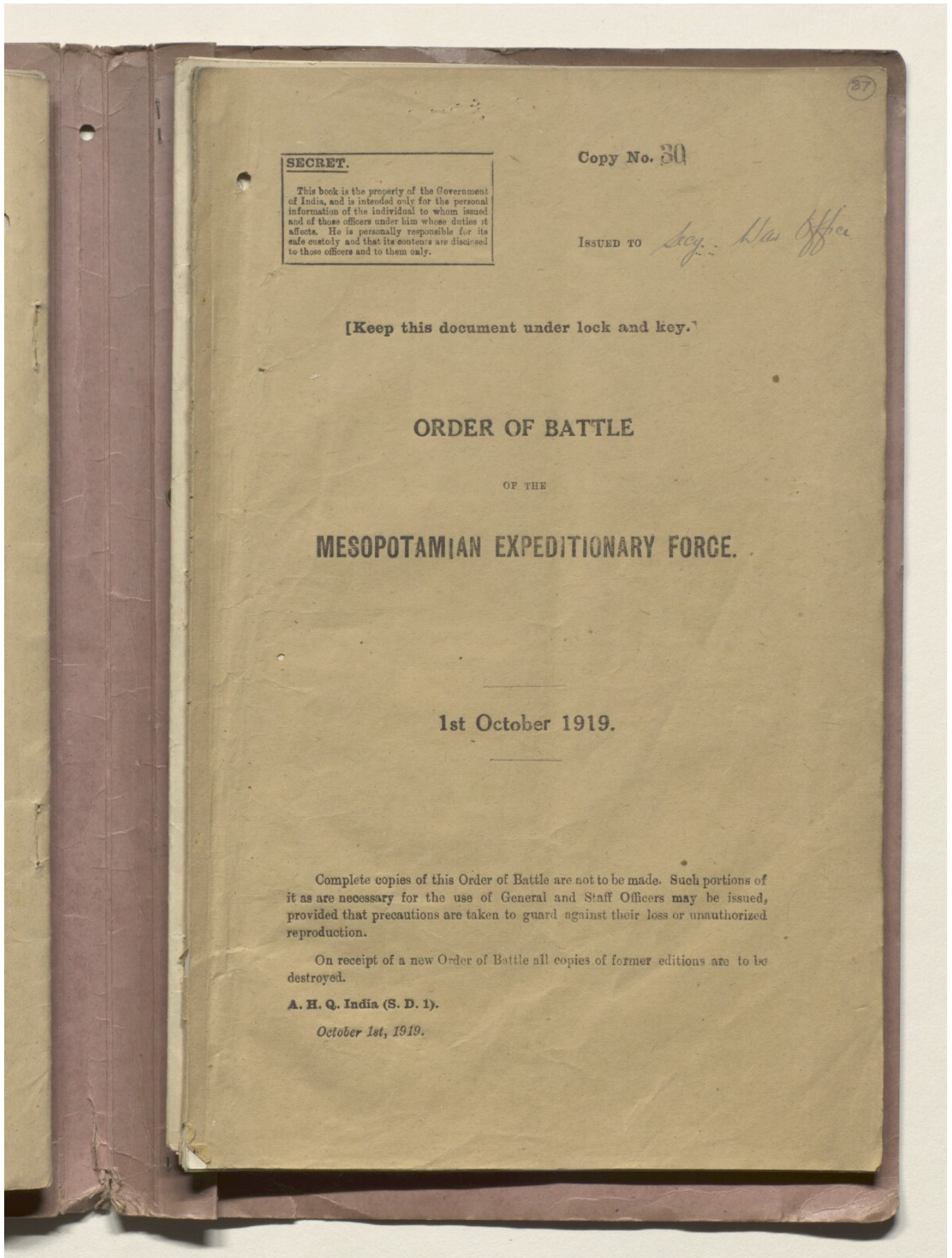
LABOUR.

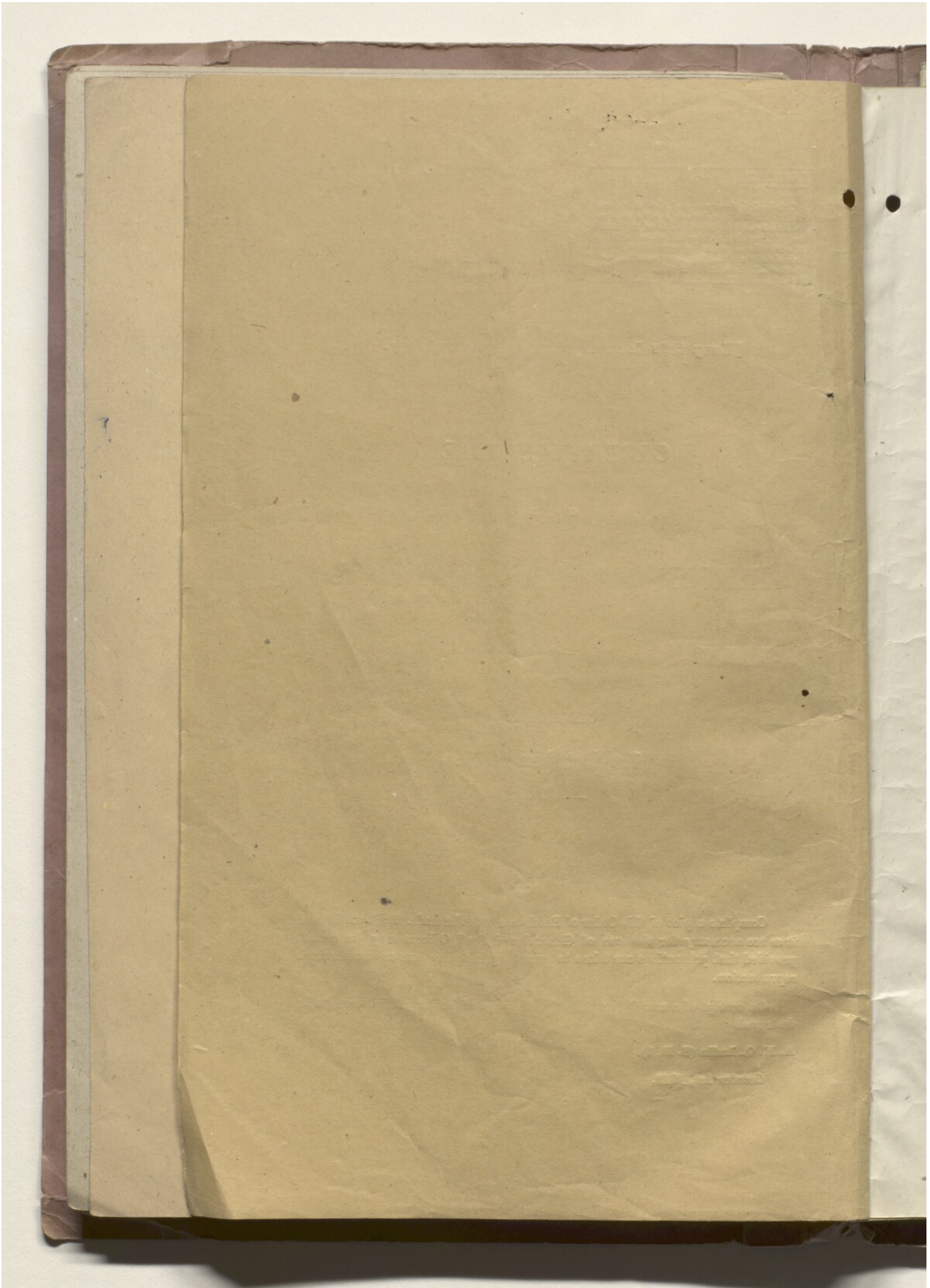
Unit.	Allotment.
LABOUR CORPS.	
No. 1 (Madras) Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 3 (U. P.) Indian	River Area.
No. 4 (Bihar and Orissa) Indian	18th Division.
No. 5 (Madras) Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 6 (U. P.) Indian	River Area.
No. 7 (Bengal) Indian	17th Division.
No. 8 (Bihar and Orissa) Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 9 (Bombay) Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 12 (Bengal) Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 17 Indian	Persian L. of C.
No. 16 Indian	River Area.
No. 18 (Bombay) Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 20 (Punjab) Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 109 (Kumson) Indian <i>arrived in India 5.4.20</i>	Persian L. of C.
No. 146 Indian	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 117 Indian	River Area.
No. 1 Persian	River Area.
No. 2 Persian	River Area.
No. 3 Arab	G.H.Q. Troops Area
No. 4 Persian	River Area.
No. 5 Arab	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 6 Arab	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 7 Kurdish	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 8 Arab	18th Division.
No. 9 Casual	18th Division.
No. 10 Kurdish	Persian L. of C.
No. 11 Casual	18th Division.
No. 12 Casual	Persian L. of C.
No. 1 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 2 Prisoners of War	18th Division.
No. 3 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 4 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 5 Prisoners of War	River Area.
No. 6 Prisoners of War	River Area.
No. 7 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 9 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 10 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 11 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 12 Prisoners of War	17th Division.
No. 15 Prisoners of War	River Area.
No. 16 Prisoners of War	17th Division. <i>see (C.O.)</i>
No. 17 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 18 Prisoners of War	17th Division.
No. 19 Prisoners of War	G.H.Q. Troops Area.
No. 11 Porter Corps	G.H.Q. Troops Area.













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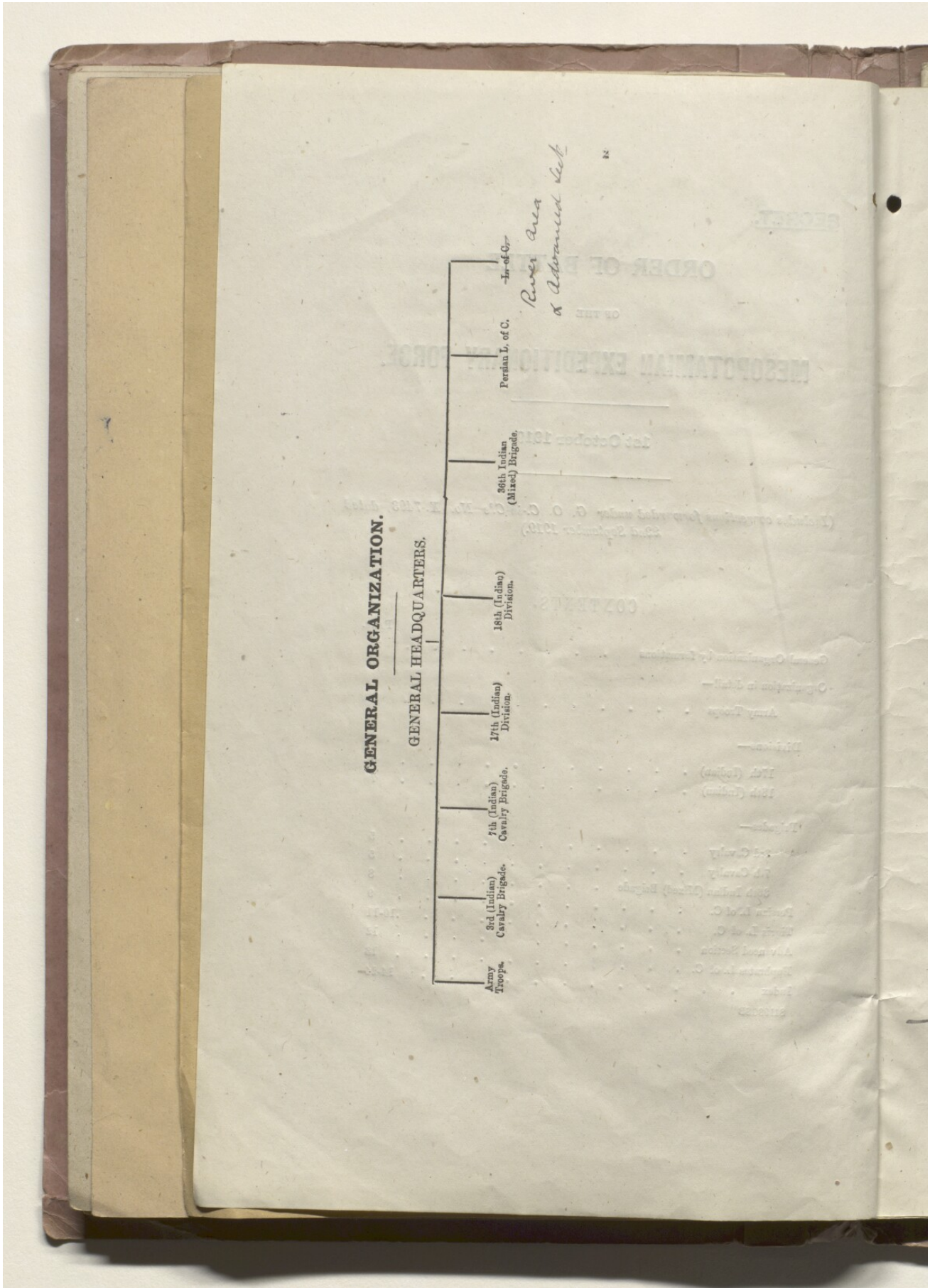
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ORGANIZATION IN DETAIL.
MESOPOTAMIAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Army Troops.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS.

ROYAL AIR FORCE—

6th Service Squadron, R. A. F. *less flight Bushire less flights Mosul & Kossin*
31st Wing, R. A. F. [Nos. 30,* (less Bushire detachment), 33† and 72*† Squadrons].
*Aircraft Park, R. A. F.

*60 bn. with 60 bn. in amount
Heavy, this Battery R.A.A. (157th) 2 60 bn. guns
4 60 bn. guns*

ARTILLERY—

101st Brigade, R. G. A. (167th Heavy Battery, R. G. A.; 159th and 248th Siege Batteries, R. G. A.).

Nos. 59, 80, 92 and 93 Anti-Aircraft Sections (cadres only). *in 159th Battery R.A.A.*

Independent Divisional Ammunition Column. (Cadre)

Chestnut Troop R.A.A. "A" Bth Chestnut Troop.

ENGINEERS—

No. 85 Field Company, 1st Sappers and Miners. *on route to hospital.*

No. 22 Field Company, 3rd Sappers and Miners. *do*

No. 2 Mobile Bridging Train, 1st Sappers and Miners.

Non-Mobile Section and Stores Depot, Field Searchlight Company, R. E.

Nos. 5 and 6 Printing Sections, 3rd Sappers and Miners.

2 Field Survey Companies.

Infantry
1 Bⁿ. Berkshire Regt. (under orders)

Railway.
No. 1. Arm. Car Bat. *around*
No. 2. " " *bridge*
" " *bridge*

SIGNALS—

No. 31 Indian Signal Company.

1st (Australian) Wireless Signal Squadron (D. Troop).

2nd Wireless Signal Squadron, S. and M.

No. 4 G. H. Q. Wireless Observation Group.

Signal Service Park

* On reduced establishment.
† Cadres only.

Cavalry Brigade
7th Dragon *at 4th Cav. Bde.*
5th Cavalry *at River area*
~~22nd Cav. (22nd) at 17th Div. (less 2 sqds)~~
10 Lancers *at 17th Div.*



Army Troops—concl'd.

MACHINE GUN CORPS—

H. P. M. G. Bat.
Light Armoured Motor Brigade—

Nos. 6, 7, 8, 14 and 15* Light Armoured Motor Batteries.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS—

~~No. 788 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (Caterpillar Tractors) (attached 150th Battery, R. G. A.).~~

No. 901 " " " " " " 240th " "

~~No. 902 " " " " " " " " " "~~

No. 1 M. T. Column (Nos. 729, 783, 953 and 1019 M. T. Coys., R. A. S. C.)

No. 2 " " (Nos. 1054, 1055 and 1114 M. T. Coys., R. A. S. C.)

No. 5 " " (Nos. 596, 784, ~~1014~~, 1015, ~~1016~~, 1018, ~~1022~~, ~~1024~~ and 1115 M. T. Coys., R. A. S. C.)

** now att'd to
(this) District Commr.*

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS—

"R" Company, S. & T.

Army Troops, S. & T. Company.

"A" and "B" Groups, Auxiliary Transport Companies.

Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 Mule Columns.

5th Camel Corps.

MEDICAL—

~~No. 40 Motor Ambulance Convoy (No. 970 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C.).~~

~~2x Motor Ambulance Convoy (No. 1017 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C.).~~

Water Examination Unit.

ORDNANCE—

No. 26 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.

No. 50 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.

LABOUR—

Disciplinary Military Labour Corps.

Infantry

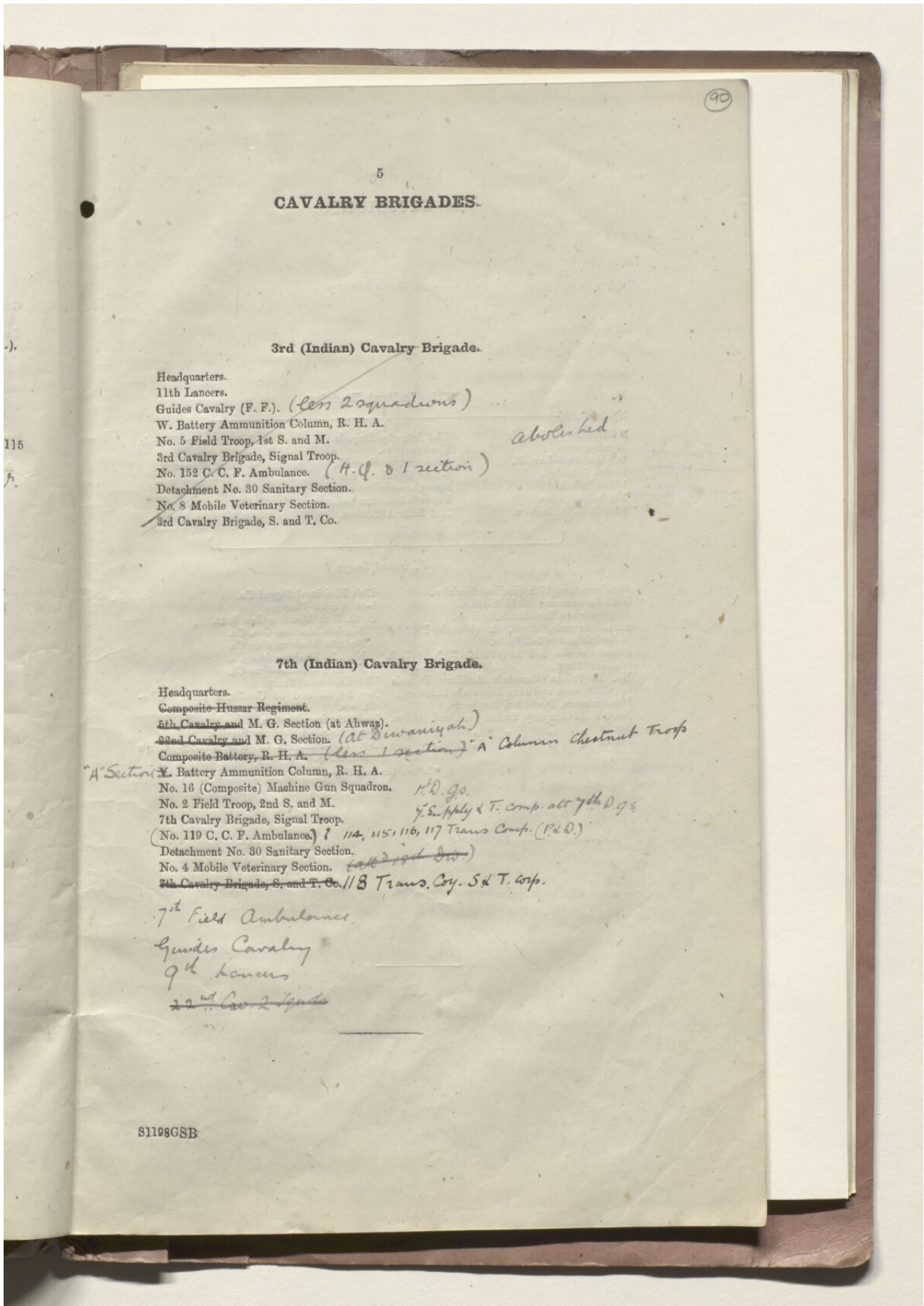
48th Pioneer (Tahiti)

12th Pioneer

Rev. to India

*Attached 38th Indian (Mixed) Brigade.

*A.M.S. "Firefly" } 17. Div.
" " " " }
" " " " }
" " " " } River*



CAVALRY BRIGADES.

3rd (Indian) Cavalry Brigade.

Headquarters.
11th Lancers.
Guides Cavalry (F. F.). (*less 2 squadrons*)
W. Battery Ammunition Column, R. H. A.
No. 5 Field Troop, 1st S. and M. *abolished*
3rd Cavalry Brigade, Signal Troop.
No. 152 C. C. F. Ambulance. (*H. Q. & 1 section*)
Detachment No. 30 Sanitary Section.
No. 8 Mobile Veterinary Section.
~~3rd Cavalry Brigade, S. and T. Co.~~

7th (Indian) Cavalry Brigade.

Headquarters.
Composite Hussar Regiment.
~~5th Cavalry and M. G. Section (at Ahwaz).~~
~~32nd Cavalry and M. G. Section (at Duwaniyah).~~
Composite Battery, R. H. A. (*less 1 section*) "A" Column Chestnut Troop
"A" Section Y. Battery Ammunition Column, R. H. A.
No. 16 (Composite) Machine Gun Squadron. *M. D. Co.*
No. 2 Field Troop, 2nd S. and M. *Supply & T. Comp. at 7th D. G. S.*
7th Cavalry Brigade, Signal Troop.
(No. 119 C. C. F. Ambulance.) *114, 115, 116, 117 Trans. Comp. (P. & D.)*
Detachment No. 30 Sanitary Section.
No. 4 Mobile Veterinary Section. *at 2nd Div.*
~~7th Cavalry Brigade, S. and T. Co.~~ *118 Trans. Coy. S & T. Coy.*

7th Field Ambulance
Guides Cavalry
9th Lancers
22nd Cav. 2 Sqns

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DIVISIONS.

Boyle

17th (Indian) Division

<p><i>Daurah</i></p> <p><i>34th Infantry Brigade.</i> Headquarters 6th Bn. East Lancs R. 1-99th Infantry. 108th Infantry. 114th Mahrattas. 34th S. A. A. Section.</p>	<p><i>Daurah</i></p> <p><i>51st Infantry Brigade.</i> Headquarters. <i>21st. 4th. R.</i> 1-10th Gurkha Rifles. 1-10th Gurkha Rifles. 4th Carnatic Infantry. 108th Beluchistan Infantry. 51st S. A. A. Section.</p>	<p><i>52nd Infantry Brigade.</i> Headquarters <i>2 R. I. Rifles</i> 1-4th Bn. Dorset R. 45th Sikhs. 1-94th Infantry. 1-113th Infantry 52nd S. A. A. Section.</p>
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2nd R. I. Rifles

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Divisional Troops.

<p>Headquarters, 17th (Indian) Division. 10th Lancers and M. G. Section. Headquarters, Divisional Artillery. 22nd Brigade, R. F. A. (1064th, 1006th, 1007th and 408rd Batts.) 22nd Brigade, R. F. A. (875th, 429th, 1010th and 107th Batts.) No. 18 Indian Mountain Artillery Brigade (12th, 30th and 49th Mountain Batteries). Headquarters, Divisional Engineers. No. 9 Field Company, 2nd Sappers and Miners. No. 12 " " " " " " No. 13 " " " " " "</p>	<p>17th Divisional Signal Co. 1-32nd Sikh Pioneers. <i>Daurah</i> H. Q. 17th Machine Gun Batt. No. 130 Machine Gun Co. <i>A & B Co.</i> No. 278 Machine Gun Co. No. 274 Machine Gun Co. No. 276 Machine Gun Co. 17th Divisional Train. Nos. 24, 35 and 36 Combined Field Ambulances. <i>No 25 set. No 26 set.</i> No. 21 Sanitary Section. No. 7 Mobile Veterinary Section. No. 11 Prisoners of War Labour Corps (attached). <i>15 & 8</i></p>
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45th Mn. Bty.
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40-445th (12th, 30th and 49th Mountain Batteries).

No. 2 Field Co. R. F. A. (attached from 1st Div.)

19th Bde R.F.A.
39.90.97. 157.158.159 Batteries
131 Ho How Battery

3rd Lancers (2 squadrons)
6th Div. 3 Sappers at 23rd Brigade

No. 1. Veterinary Det. 10 Lancers
6. 7. 8. Lt. A. Co.
12 Prisoners of War Corps
2 Spts. 35 Sappers



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DIVISIONS—conold.

Mosul

18th (Indian) Division.

<i>Brigade</i>	<i>Mosul</i>	<i>Tehran</i>
53rd Infantry Brigade.	54th Infantry Brigade.	55th Infantry Brigade.
Headquarters <i>16th Coy. Bde</i>	Headquarters <i>2 North Coy</i>	Headquarters <i>2nd Manchester</i>
4th Bn., N. Lan.-B.	15th Bn., R. W. Kent R.	15th Bn., F. Surr. R.
3-4th Bhopal Infantry.	1-39th Garhwal Rifles.	85th Burma Rifles. <i>1/8 Rajputs</i>
1-3rd Gurkha Rifles.	52nd Sikhs (F. F.).	87th Punjabis.
13th Rajputs.	1-7th Gurkha Rifles.	116th Mahrattas.
53rd S. A. A. Section.	54th S. A. A. Section.	55th S. A. A. Section.

Divisional Troops.

Headquarters 18th (Indian) Division.	H. Q. 18th Machine Gun Batt.
32nd Lancers and M. G. Section.	No. 207 Machine Gun Co. <i>C. & D. Cos.</i>
Headquarters Divisional Artillery.	No. 238 Machine Gun Co.
336th Brigade, R. F. A. (A, B, C and D Batts.)	No. 239 Machine Gun Co.
337th Brigade, R. F. A. (A, B, C and D Batts.)	No. 240 Machine Gun Co.
No. 2 Indian Mountain Artillery Brigade (25th, 34th and 50th Mtn. Batts.) <i>12th M.B.</i>	18th Divisional Train. <i>134 & 135 Coy.</i>
18th Division Light Trench Mortar Battery.	3-15th Supply Company.
Headquarters Divisional Engineers <i>6th Coy. S. & M.</i>	4-15th " "
No. 2 Field Company, 1st Sappers and Miners.	56-14th " "
No. 6 " " " " " "	No. 11 Mobile X-Ray Unit (attached).
No. 8 " " " " " "	No. 31 (modified) Combined Field Ambulance—attached 18th Division
No. 61 " " " " " "	L. T. M. Battery.
18th Divisional Signal Co.	Nos. 32 (modified), 38, 39 and 40 Combined Field Ambulances. <i>40 motor amb. Convoy</i>
18th Rajputs (attached from I. of C.).	No. 30 Combined Casualty Clearing Station.
48th Pioneers (attached).	No. 22 Sanitary Section.
1-88th Casualty Infantry (I. of C. attached).	No. 12 Mobile Veterinary Section.
106th Hazara Pioneers	No. 61 Ordnance Mobile Workshop. <i>att. 32nd Lancers</i>
128th Pioneers (attached).	<i>19th Cas. clearing station</i> <i>att. 32nd Lancers</i>
<i>anyman B?</i>	<i>milit. trop. Mosul</i>
40 Gunners	<i>att. 617. C. 2. 52 m. a</i>
45th Sikhs	<i>2 Sgts. 35th Souda Horse.</i>
11th Lancers <i>788 H. arm car</i>	
Guides Cav. (less 2 squadrons)	
13th Brigade R.F.A.	
2, 8, 844 Batteries	
152 How Battery	
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D Coy. M. G. Bn.	



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36TH INDIAN (MIXED) BRIGADE.

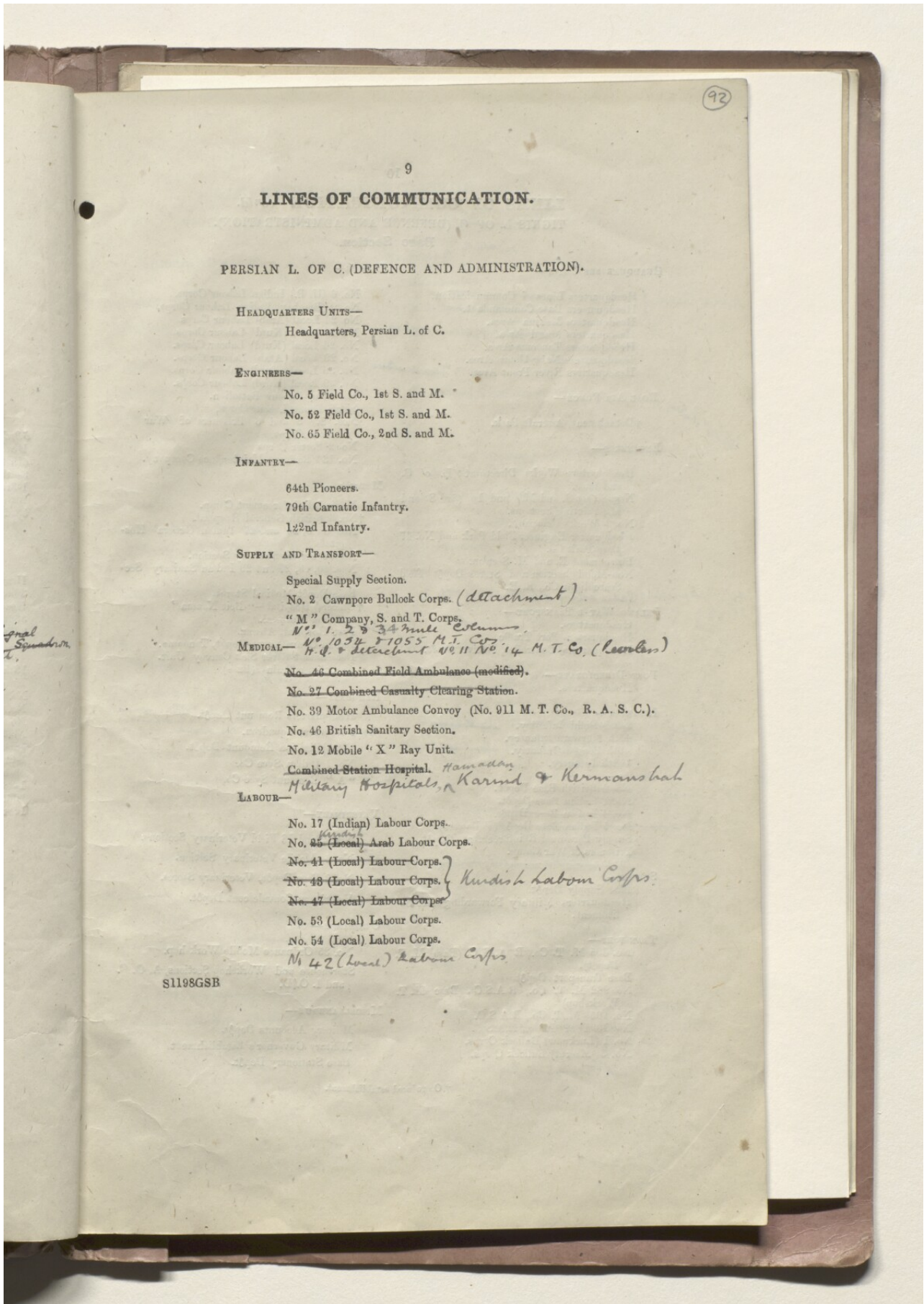
Karwin
Headquarters.
31st Indian Mountain Battery.
No. 19 Field Company, 3rd S. and M.
No. 48 Signal Company.

36th Infantry Brigade—

Headquarters.
1st 4th Bn. Hamps. R. *1st R. Linc. Fus.*
1-42nd Deoli Regt. *1st Berks*
33rd Wallejabad Light Infantry. *2nd York*
1-2nd Gurkha Rifles.
No. 186 Machine Gun Co.
36th S. A. A. Section.
36th Inf. Bde. S. & T. Co.

No. 41 Sanitary Section and Divisional Disinfecting Section.
No. 20 Combined Field Ambulance.
No. 16 British Casualty Clearing Station.
No. 818 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C.
E. Co., S. and T. Corps.
36th Brigade Mobile Veterinary Section.
~~36th Bn. V.C. Coy.~~

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Guides Cavalry (2 squadrons) *H. Q. 2 Wireless Signal Squadron*
Composite Battery R.H.A. (1 section) *all*
Military Hospitals ~~Hammam~~ *Karwin*
~~67 Punjabis (2 platoons)~~ *Tahing*
R.A.F. 200th Flight 63rd Squad.
15th L.A.M. Battery
H. Q. 2nd Wireless Sqd.
4th S. G. & 11th Lab. Corps
2nd P. G. W. Corps





LINES OF COMMUNICATION—contd.

TIGRIS L. OF C. (DEFENCE AND ADMINISTRATION).

River Area Base Section

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

LABOUR—

River Area { Headquarters Lines of Communication.
 Headquarters Base Commandant—
 Headquarters ~~Makina~~ Area.
 Headquarters ~~Mazra~~ Area. *Makina Area*
 Headquarters Tanooma Area.
 Headquarters Nahr Umar Area.
 Headquarters River Front Area. *Tanooma*

No. 6 (U. P.) Indian Labour Corps.
 No. 9 (Bombay) Indian Labour Corps.
 No. 21 Local (Arab) Labour Corps.
 No. 23 Local (Kurd) Labour Corps.
 No. 24 Local (Kurd) Labour Corps.
 No. 29 Local (Arab) Labour Corps.
 No. 30 Local (Kurd) Labour Corps.
 No. 39 Local (Kurd) Labour Corps.
 Mauritius Labour Battalion.
 Sierra Leone Labour Corps.
 Nos. 5 and 6 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
 No. 2 Porter Corps.
 No. 134 Railway Maintenance Company.

ROYAL AIR FORCE—

† Detachment, Aircraft Park.

ENGINEERS—

Headquarters Works Directorate L. of C. and Base.
 Nos. 8 (1st S. and M.) and 10 (3rd S. and M.) Printing Sections.
 No. 1 Works Company.
 Headquarter Engineer Field Park and No. 47 Base Park Co.
 Detachment E. and M. Section.
 Non-Mobile Section and Stores Depôt Field Searchlight Co., R. E.

M.F.O.

MEDICAL—

Medical Reinforcement Camp.
 † No. 3 British General Hospital.
 Nos. 8, 9, 20 and 27 Indian General Hospitals.
 No. 20 British Sanitary Section.
 Nos. 10, 18, 20 and 29 Indian Sanitary Sections.

40" Back Wireless Radio Section W.S. Squads 20 M. 20

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INLAND WATER TRANSPORT—

Headquarters.
 Headquarters Port Traffic.
 Headquarters, Controller, Native Craft.

Military

Base Depôt Medical Stores.
 † Officers' Hospital—"Beit Naama"
 Isolation Hospital.
 Post Hospital, Ahwaz.
 Indian Convalescent Depôt, Tanooma.
 H.Q. Detachment River Sick Convoy Unit.
 Ambulance Trains (Base).
military ser. hospital

PORT DIRECTORATE—

Headquarters.

REMOUNTS—

Headquarters Remount Depôt. *Tanooma*
 441 Remount Squadron. *Tanooma*
 Demobilization Remount Depôt.
 No. 1 Indian Syce Co.
 B & F. "A" Remount Syce Co.

INFANTRY—

44th 20th Delhi Infantry. *44th*
 44th Merwara Infantry. *44th*
 49th Bengali Infantry. *44th*
 143rd Infantry.

DEPOTS—

No. 2 British Base Depôt.
 No. 1 Indian Base Depôt.
 No. 4 Indian Base Depôt.
 No. 5 Indian Base Depôt (Followers).
 Supply Personnel Reinforcement Depôt.
 Prisoners of War Camp.

SUPPLY—

Base Supply Depôt.
 Headquarters Military Forwarding Establishment.

VETERINARY—

Nos. 2 and 18 Field Veterinary Sections.
 No. 6 Mobile Veterinary Section.
 No. 2 Base Depôt, Veterinary Stores.
 Veterinary Convalescent Depôt.

TRANSPORT—

No. 695 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (Base M. T. Depôt).
 Base Transport Depôt.
 No. 962 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C., (Base M. T. Workshop).
 No. 1056 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C.
 No. 1091 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C.
 No. 1 (Lucknow) Bullock Corps.
 No. 5 (Meerut) Bullock Corps.
 Aux. Transport Coy.

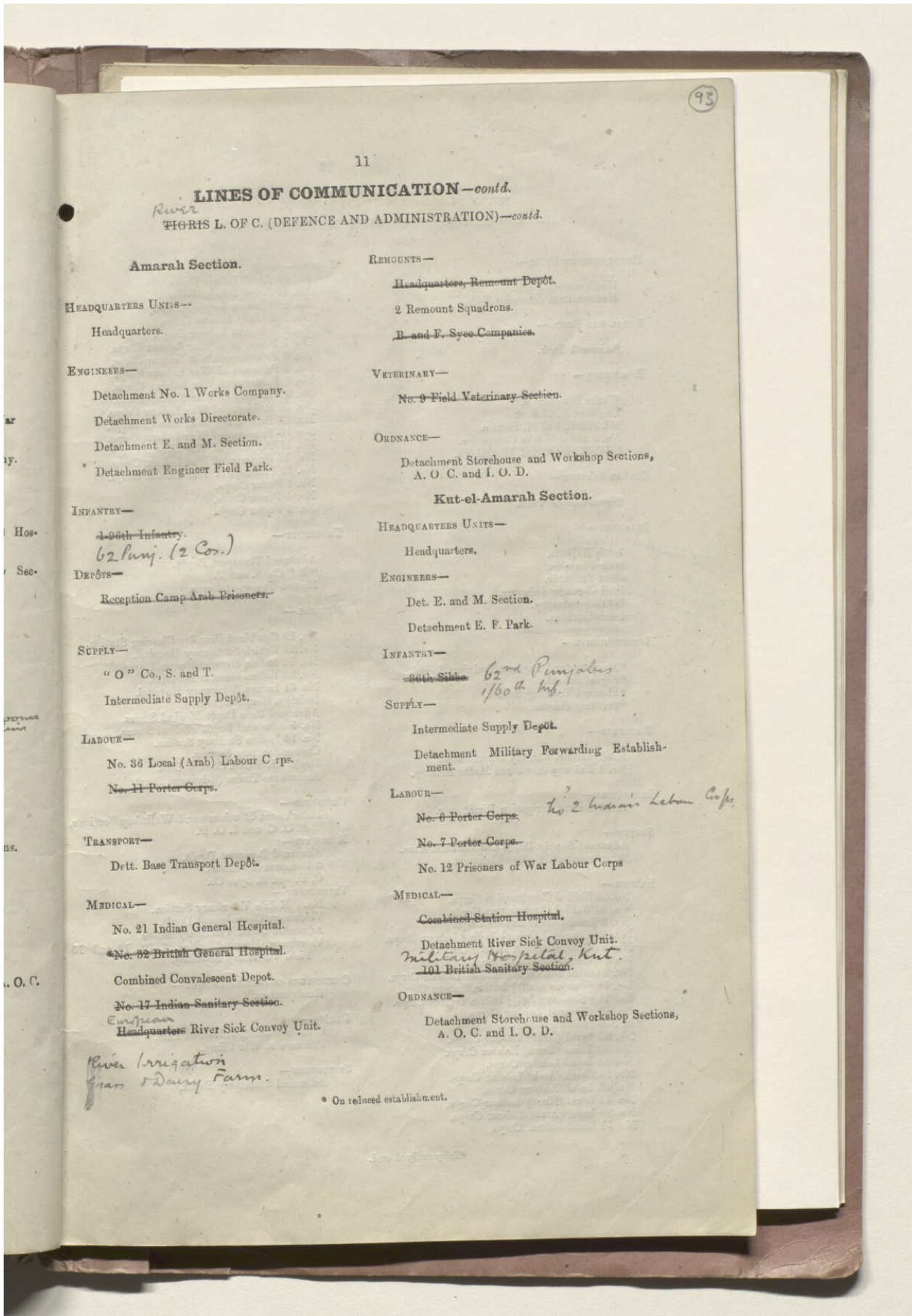
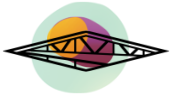
ORDNANCE—

No. 35 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.
 Storehouse and Workshop Sections, A. O. C. and I. O. J.

MISCELLANEOUS—

Military Accounts Depôt.
 Military Governor's Establishment.
 Base Stationery Depôt.

† On reduced establishment.



LINES OF COMMUNICATION—*contd.*

River
FIGURE L. OF C. (DEFENCE AND ADMINISTRATION)—*contd.*

Amarah Section.

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

Headquarters.

ENGINEERS—

- Detachment No. 1 Works Company.
- Detachment Works Directorate.
- Detachment E. and M. Section.
- Detachment Engineer Field Park.

INFANTRY—

Hos. ~~1-06th Infantry.~~
62nd Punj. (2 Cos.)

Sec. **DEPOTS—**
Reception Camp Arab Prisoners.

SUPPLY—

- "O" Co., S. and T.
- Intermediate Supply Depot.

LABOUR—

- No. 36 Local (Arab) Labour Corps.
- No. 11 Porter Corps.

TRANSPORT—

Det. Base Transport Depot.

MEDICAL—

- No. 21 Indian General Hospital.
- ~~No. 32 British General Hospital.~~
- Combined Convalescent Depot.
- No. 17 Indian Sanitary Section.

European
Headquarters River Sick Convoy Unit.

River Irrigation
from Dairy Farm.

REMOUNTS—

- Headquarters Remount Depot.
- 2 Remount Squadrons.
- B. and F. Syce Companies.

VETERINARY—

No. 9 Field Veterinary Section.

ORDNANCE—

Detachment Storehouse and Workshop Sections,
A. O. C. and I. O. D.

Kut-el-Amarah Section.

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

Headquarters.

ENGINEERS—

- Det. E. and M. Section.
- Detachment E. F. Park.

INFANTRY—

~~1-06th Sibbs.~~ 62nd Punjales
1/60th Inf.

SUPPLY—

- Intermediate Supply Depot.
- Detachment Military Forwarding Establishment.

LABOUR—

- No. 6 Porter Corps. *his 2 Indian Labour Corps.*
- No. 7 Porter Corps.
- No. 12 Prisoners of War Labour Corps

MEDICAL—

- Combined Station Hospital.
- Detachment River Sick Convoy Unit.
- Military Hospital, Kut.*
- 101 British Sanitary Section.

ORDNANCE—

Detachment Storehouse and Workshop Sections,
A. O. C. and I. O. D.

* On reduced establishment.



LINES OF COMMUNICATION—contd.

ADVANCED SECTION (ADMINISTRATION).

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

Headquarters Advanced Section.
Headquarters Advanced Base.

ROYAL AIR FORCE—

*Aircraft Park.

ENGINEERS—

Works Directorate.
Engineer Field Park.
No. 300 E. and M. Section.
No. 3 and 6 Works Companies.
I. W. T., R. E. and Workshops.

SIGNAL SERVICE—

Signal Service Park.

INFANTRY—

1-4th Rajputs.
26th Punjabis.
62nd Punjabis.
Ford Carnatic Infantry. (en route to Mesopot.)
1-110th Infantry.
1-6th Gurkhas.

*1/88 Cavalry
2/19th Inf.
Sailed Burma
for Mesopot.
2-2-10*

INSTRUCTIONAL—

*Musketry and Bayonet Training School.
*Signal School.
*Physical Training School.
*Infantry School.

*Indian Gen
Hqrs.*

RAILWAYS—

Headquarters, Railway Directorate.
No. 1 Railway Armoured Motor Battery.

IRRIGATION—

Headquarters, Irrigation Directorate.

SUPPLY—

Advanced Supply Depot and Forward Area.
Detachment M. F. Establishment.

LABOUR—

No. 35 Skilled Construction Corps.
No. 40 Skilled Construction Corps.
No. 3 Local (Arab) Labour Corps.
No. 4 (Bihar and Orissa) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 5 (Madras) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 7 (Bengal) Labour Corps.
No. 8 (Bihar and Orissa) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 10 (Punjab (Jail)) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 11 (Bombay (Jail)) Indian Labour Corps.
No. 12 (Bengal) Labour Corps.
No. 13 Indian Labour Corps.
No. 26 Local (Arab) Labour Corps.
No. 32 Local (Kurd) Labour Corps.
No. 33 Local Labour Corps.
No. 34 Local (Arab) Labour Corps.
No. 42 Local Labour Corps.
No. 44 Local (Kurd) Labour Corps.
No. 50 Local (Arab) Labour Corps.
No. 51 Local Labour Corps.

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India.*

LABOUR—contd.

No. 56 Local Labour Corps.
No. 59 Local Labour Corps.
No. 109 Indian Labour Corps.
No. 145 (Jail) Labour Corps.
No. 146 Indian Labour Corps.
No. 1 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 3 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 4 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 7 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 9 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 10 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 13 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 16 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 17 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 18 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 19 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 1 Porter Corps.
No. 4 Porter Corps.
No. 8 Porter Corps.

*No. 20 Local Labour Corps
25 - do -
20 Indian
S.C.*

TRANSPORT—

M. T. Stores
Advanced Transport Depot.
"F" Co. S. and T.
Mysore Transport Corps.
Advanced Base M. T. Stores
Depot.

MEDICAL—

No. 19 Combined Casualty Clearing Station.
No. 23 British Stationary Hospital.
No. 12 Indian General Hospital. (for ?)
No. 23 Indian General Hospital.
No. 61 Indian Stationary Hospital.
Isolation Hospital.
Advanced Base Depot Medical Stores.
No. 6 Advanced Depot Medical Stores.
No. 14 Indian Sanitary Section.
Ceylon Sanitary Section.
Depot River Sialk Convoy Unit.
Ambulance Trains (Advanced Base).
Australians Sanitary Section.

ORDNANCE—

Detachment Storehouse and Workshop Section.
A. O. C. and I. O. D.

REMOUNTS—

Advanced Remount Depot.
3 Remount Squadrons.
C, D. and E. Syce Co.

VETERINARY—

No. 1 Mobile Veterinary Section.
Veterinary Convalescent Depot.
Advanced Depot Veterinary Stores.
Veterinary Hospital (Nos. 7, 10, 12 and 16
Field Veterinary Sections).

CONTROLLER OF NATIVE LABOUR—

Headquarters.

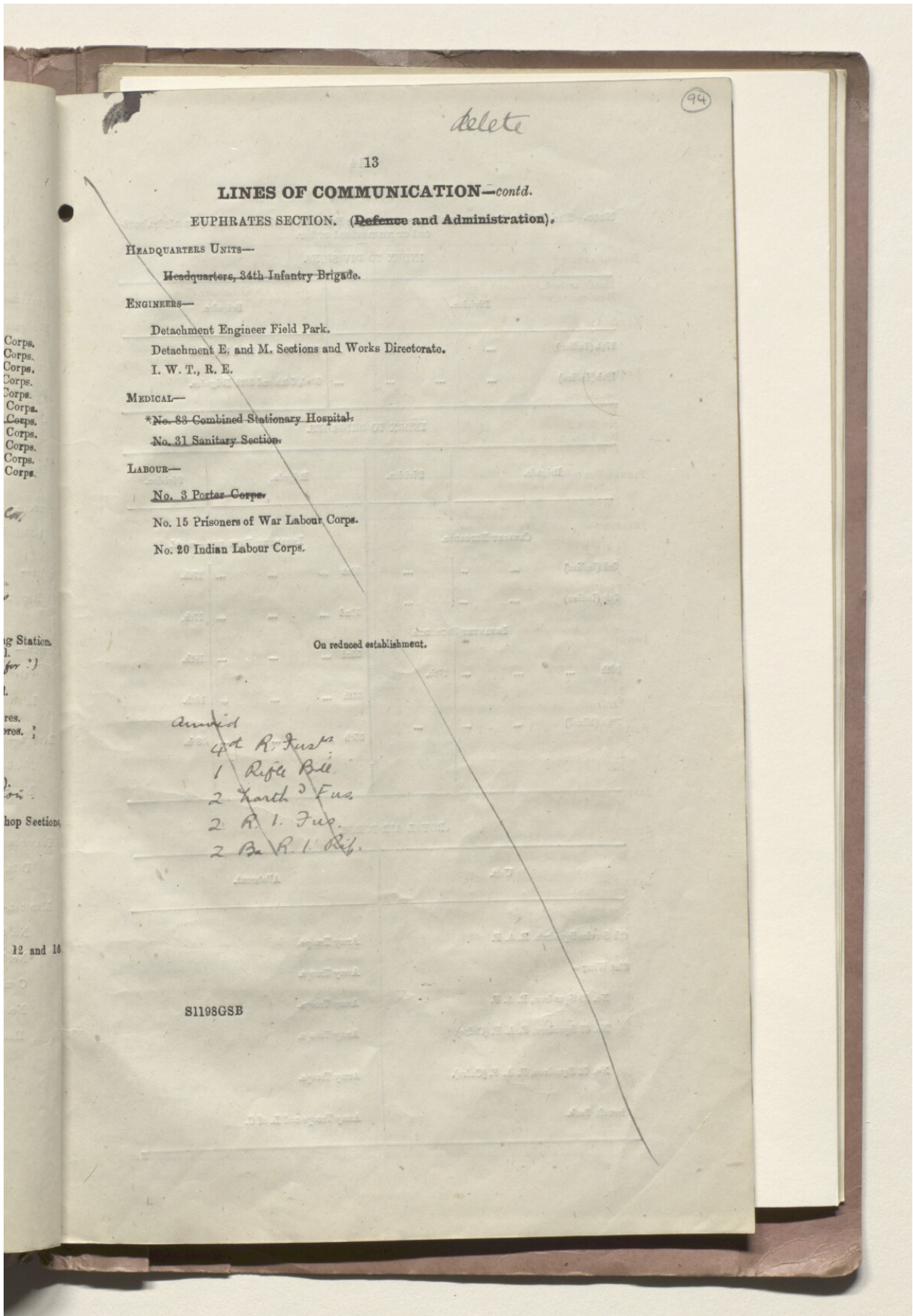
DEPOTS—

Combined Depot Advanced Base.
Prisoners of War Camp.

STATIONERY—

Advanced Stationery Depot.

*Temporarily of used.



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LINES OF COMMUNICATION—contd.

EUPHRATES SECTION. (Defence and Administration).

HEADQUARTERS UNITS—

Headquarters, 34th Infantry Brigade.

ENGINEERS—

Detachment Engineer Field Park.

Detachment E. and M. Sections and Works Directorate.

L. W. T., R. E.

MEDICAL—

*No. 88 Combined Stationary Hospital.

No. 31 Sanitary Section.

LABOUR—

No. 3 Porter Corps.

No. 15 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.

No. 20 Indian Labour Corps.

On reduced establishment.

Amended

- 4 Lt R. Fus*
- 1 Rifle Bde*
- 2 Light Fus*
- 2 R. I. Fus*
- 2 Bn R. I. Fus*

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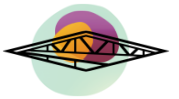
Division.	Brigades.
17th (Indian)	34th, 51st and 52nd Brigades.
18th (Indian)	53rd, 54th and 55th Brigades.

INDEX TO BRIGADES.

Brigade.	Division.	Brigade.	Division.
CAVALRY BRIGADES.		INFANTRY BRIGADES—contd.	
3rd (Indian) ... ..	...	51st	17th.
7th (Indian) ... ..	...	52nd	17th.
INFANTRY BRIGADES.		53rd	18th.
34th	17th.	54th	18th.
55th (Mixed) ... ..	...	55th	18th.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

Unit.	Allotment.
6th Service Squadron, R. A. F.	Army Troops.
31st Wing—	Army Troops.
No. 30 Squadron, R. A. F.	Army Troops.
No. 63 Squadron, R. A. F. (Cadre).	Army Troops.
No. 72 Squadron, R. A. F. (Cadre).	Army Troops.
Aircraft Park.	Army Troops and L. of C.



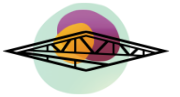
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MOUNTED TROOPS.

Unit.	Brigade.	Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade.	Allotment.
BRITISH CAVALRY.			INDIAN CAVALRY.		
Composite Hussar Regiment.	7th	.....	5th Cavalry	7th	.....
			10th Lancers	D. T.	17th (Indian).
			11th Lancers	3rd	.....
			22nd Cavalry (F. F.)	7th	.....
			32nd Lancers	D. T.	18th (Indian).
			Guides Cavalry (F.F.)	3rd	.....
ARTILLERY.					
Unit.	Armament.	Allotment.	Unit.	Armament.	Allotment.
R. H. A.			HEAVY BATTERIES.		
Composite Battery	4 12-prs.	7th Cavalry Brigade.	157th	4 60-prs.	101st Brigade, R.G.A., A.T.
				<i>60 prs. with alternatives of howitzer equipment.</i>	
			SIBOB BATTERIES.		
<i>12d</i> 22nd Brigade	3 18-prs. & 4 5 in. howrs.	17th (Indian).	160th	4 6 in. howrs.	101st Brigade, R.G.A., A.T.
<i>13d</i> 23rd Brigade	2 18-prs. & 4 5 in. howrs.	17th (Indian).	246th	2 6 in. howrs.	101st Brigade, R.G.A., A.T.
MOUNTAIN BATTERIES.			TRENCH MORTAR BATTERIES.		
21st Kohat Mountain Battery (F. F.)	6 2 75 in. guns	17th (Indian).	18th Division Light Trench Mortar Battery.	.....	18th Indian.
25th Mountain Battery.	6 2 75 in. guns	18th (Indian).	ANTI-AIRCRAFT SECTIONS.		
26th Jacob's Mountain Battery.	6 2 75 in. guns	17th (Indian).	No. 59 (Cadre)...	2 12-prs. 3 cwt.	A. T.
			No. 80 (")...	2 12-prs. 3 cwt.	A. T.
			No. 92 (")...	2 12-prs. 3 cwt.	A. T.
			No. 93 (")...	2 12-prs. 3 cwt.	A. T.
S. A. A. SECTIONS.			AMMUNITION COLUMNS.		
31st Mountain Battery.	6 2 75 in. guns	36th Brigade.	Independent Div. Ammun. Column	.....	A. T.
34th Mountain Battery.	6 2 75 in. guns	18th (Indian).	" W " Battery, Ammun. Column.	.....	3rd (Indian) Cav. Bde.
49th (Reserve) Mountain Battery.	6 2 75 in. guns	17th (Indian).	" V " Battery, Ammun. Column.	.....	7th (Indian) Cav. Bde.
50th (Reserve) Mountain Battery.	6 2 75 in. guns	18th (Indian).	34th S.A.A. Sect.	34th	17th (Indian).
			36th " "	36th	36th (")
			51st " "	51st	17th (")
			52nd " "	52nd	17th (")
			53rd " "	53rd	18th (")
			54th " "	54th	18th (")
			55th " "	55th	18th (")



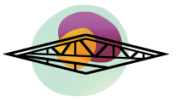
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ENGINEERS.

Unit.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Division or Allotment.
FIELD TROOPS.		BRIDGING TRAINS.	
<i>India</i> No. 5 Field Troop, 1st S. and M.	3rd Cav. Bde.	No. 2 (Mobile), 1st S. and M.	A. T.
No. 2 Field Troop, 2nd S. and M.	7th Cav. Bde.	PAINTING SECTIONS.	
FIELD COMPANIES.		No. 8 (1st S. and M.)	L. of C.
No. 2 Co., 1st S. and M.	18th (Indian).	No. 5 (3rd S. and M.)	A. T.
<i>India</i> No. 5 Co., 1st S. and M.	Persian L. of C.	No. 6 (3rd S. and M.)	A. T.
No. 6 Co., 1st S. and M.	18th (Indian).	No. 10 (3rd S. and M.)	L. of C.
No. 8 Co., 1st S. and M.	18th (Indian).	WORKS COMPANIES.	
No. 62 Co., 1st S. and M.	Persian L. of C.	No. 1 Co.	L. of C.
No. 85 Co., 1st S. and M.	A. T.	No. 3 Co.	L. of C.
No. 9 Co., 2nd S. and M.	17th (Indian).	No. 6 Co.	L. of C.
No. 12 Co., 2nd S. and M.	17th (Indian).	MISCELLANEOUS.	
No. 13 Co., 2nd S. and M.	17th (Indian).	Engineer Field Park and No. 47 Base Park Co.	L. of C.
No. 61 Co., 2nd S. and M.	18th (Indian).	Two Field Survey Companies	A. T.
No. 65 Co., 2nd S. and M.	Persian L. of C.	No. 300 Electrical and Mechanical Section.	L. of C.
No. 19 Co., 3rd S. and M.	36th Brigade.	Non-Mobile Section and Stores Depots	A. T. and L. of C.
No. 22 Co., 3rd S. and M.	A. T.	Field Searchlight Co., P.E.	

SIGNAL SERVICE.

Unit.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Division or Allotment.
SIGNAL TROOPS.		WIRELESS.	
3rd Cav. Bde. Signal Troop	3rd Cav. Bde.	1st (Australian) Wireless Signal Sqdn. ("D" Troop)	A. T.
7th Cav. Bde. Signal Troop	7th Cav. Bde.	2nd Wireless Signal Sqdn. S. & M.	A. T.
SIGNAL COMPANIES.		No. 4 G. H. Q. Wireless Observation group.	A. T.
17th Divl. Signal Co.	17th (Indian).	MISCELLANEOUS.	
18th Divl. Signal Co.	18th (Indian).	Signal Service Park	L. of C.
No. 31 Indian Signal Co.	A. T.		
No. 49 Signal Co.	36th Brigade.		



INDEX TO UNITS—contd.

INFANTRY.

Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.
BRITISH INFANTRY.			INDIAN INFANTRY—contd.		
1-4th Dorset R.	52nd	17th (Indian).	1-26th Punjabis	...	L. of C.
1-5th E. Kent R.	51st	17th (Indian).	1-32nd Sikh Pio- neers.	D. T.	17th (Indian).
6th E. Lan. R. ...	34th	17th (Indian).	36th Sikhs ...	...	L. of C. <i>to India</i>
1-5th E. Surr. R.	55th	18th (Indian).	1-39th Garhwal Rifles.	54th	18th (Indian).
1-4th Hamps. R.	36th (Mixed)	...	42nd Deoli Regt.	36th (Mixed)	...
<i>Royal Inv.</i> 52			44th Merwara Infy.	...	L. of C.
6th N. Lan. R. ...	53rd	18th (Indian).	45th Sikhs ...	52nd	17th (Indian).
<i>Roy. I. Rifles</i> 3A			1-48th Pioneers	D. T.	18th (Indian).
1-5th R. W. Kent R. <i>2nd Manchester, 55th</i>	54th	18th (Indian). <i>18th do.</i>	49th Bengalis ...	...	L. of C.
INDIAN INFANTRY.					
1-4th Rajputs ...	...	L. of C.	52nd Sikhs (F.F.)	54th	18th (Indian).
1-8th Rajputs ...	D. T.	L. of C. attached 18th (Indian).	62nd Punjabis ...	...	L. of C.
2-9th Delhi Infy.	...	L. of C.	64th Pioneers ...	...	Persian L. of C.
3-9th Bhopal In- fantry.	53rd	18th (Indian).	73rd Carnatic Infy.	...	L. of C.
18th Rajputs ...	53rd	18th (Indian).	79th Carnatic Infy.	...	Persian L. of C.
			80th Carnatic Infy.	51st	17th (Indian).
			83rd Wallajabhad Light Infy.	36th (Mixed)	...

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INFANTRY—*concl'd.*

Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.
INDIAN INFANTRY— <i>concl'd.</i>					
85th Burma Infantry	55th ...	18th (Indian)	122nd Rajputana Infantry.	...	Persian L. of C.
87th Punjabis ...	55th ...	18th (Indian).	126th Baluchistan Infantry.	51st ...	17th (Indian).
1-88th Carnatic Infantry.	D. T. ...	L. of C. attached 18th (Indian).	128th Pioneers...	D. T. ...	18th (Indian).
1-94th Russell's Infantry.	52nd ...	17th (Indian).	1-2nd Gurkha Rifles.	30th (Mixed)	...
1-96th Berar Infantry.	...	L. of C.	1-3rd Gurkha Rifles.	53rd ...	18th (Indian).
1-99th Deccan Infantry.	34th ...	17th (Indian) and L. of C.	1-6th Gurkha Rifles.	...	L. of C.
100th Hazara Pioneers.	D. T. ...	18th (Indian).	1-7th Gurkha Rifles.	54th ...	18th (Indian).
108th Infantry ...	34th ...	17th (Indian)	1-10th Gurkha Rifles.	51st ...	17th (Indian).
1-112th Infantry ...	...	L. of C.			
1-113th Infantry ...	52nd ...	17th (Indian).			
114th Mahrattas ...	34th ...	17th (Indian).			
116th Mahrattas ...	55th ...	18th (Indian).			
1-119th Infantry...	...	L. of C.			

MACHINE GUN CORPS.

Unit.	Brigade or M. G. Batt.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade or M. G. Batt.	Division or Allotment.
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MACHINE GUN COMPANIES.

No. 129 Co. ...	17th Battalion	17th (Indian).	No. 249 Co. ...	18th Battalion	18th (Indian).
No. 186 Co. ...	30th (Mixed)	...	No. 273 Co. ...	17th Battalion	17th (Indian).
No. 207 Co. ...	18th Battalion	18th (Indian).	No. 274 Co. ...	17th Battalion	17th (Indian).
No. 238 Co. ...	18th Battalion	18th (Indian).	No. 276 Co. ...	17th Battalion	17th (Indian).
No. 239 Co. ...	18th Battalion	18th (Indian).	17th Battalion (H. Q.)	D. T. ...	17th (Indian).
			18th Battalion (H. Q.)	D. T. ...	18th (Indian).



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MACHINE GUN CORPS—*concl'd.*

Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.	Unit.	Brigade.	Division or Allotment.
MACHINE GUN SQUADRONS.			MISCELLANEOUS.		
No. 16 (Composite)	7th Cavalry ...	...	No. 1 Railway Armoured Motor Battery.	...	L. of C.
LIGHT ARMOURD CAR BATTERIES.					
No. 6	... L. A. M. Bde.	A. T.			
No. 7	... L. A. M. Bde.	A. T.			
No. 8	... L. A. M. Bde.	A. T.			
No. 14	... L. A. M. Bde.	A. T.			
No. 15	... L. A. M. Bde.	A. T.			

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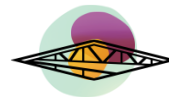
Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
FIELD AMBULANCES.		SANITARY SECTIONS.	
No. 119 (Combined Cav.)	... 7th Cav. Bde.	No. 1 (Indian)	... 17th (Indian).
No. 152 (Combined Cav.)	... 3rd Cav. Bde.	No. 10 (Indian)	... L. of C.
No. 20 (Combined)	... 36th Brigade.	No. 14 (Indian)	... L. of C.
No. 24 (Combined)	... 17th (Indian).	No. 17 (Indian)	... L. of C.
No. 31 (Combined)	... 18th (Indian).	No. 19 (Indian)	... L. of C.
No. 32 (Combined)	... 18th (Indian).	No. 22 (Indian)	... 18th (Indian).
No. 35 (Combined)	... 17th (Indian).	No. 27 (Indian)	... L. of C.
No. 36 (Combined)	... 17th (Indian).	No. 29 (Indian)	... L. of C.
No. 38 (Combined)	... 18th (Indian).	No. 30 (Indian)	... 3rd and 7th Cav. Bdes.
No. 39 (Combined)	... 18th (Indian).	No. 31 (Indian)	... L. of C.
No. 40 (Combined)	... 18th (Indian).	No. 41 (Indian)	... 36th Brigade.
No. 46 (Combined)	... Persian L. of C.	No. 46 (Byzian)	... Persian L. of C.
		No. 99 (British)	... L. of C.
		No. 101 (British)	... L. of C.
		Ceylon	... L. of C.



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Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
" X " RAY UNITS.			
No. 11 Mobile ...	Attached 18th (Ind-an)	No. 16 (British) ...	36th Bde.
No. 12 Mobile ...	Persian L. of C.	No. 19 (Combined) ...	L. of C.
		No. 27 (Combined) ...	Persian L. of C.
		No. 30 (Combined) ...	18th (Indian).
GENERAL HOSPITALS.			
No. 3 (British) ...	L. of C.	CASUALTY CLEARING STATIONS.	
No. 8 (Indian) ...	L. of C.	No. 39 (911 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C.)	Persian L. of C.
No. 9 (Indian) ...	L. of C.	No. 40 (970 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C.)	A. T.
No. 12 (Ind-an) ...	L. of C.	M. A. C. (1017 M. T. C., R. A. S. C.)	A. T.
No. 20 (Indian) ...	L. of C.	MOTOR AMBULANCE CONVOYS.	
No. 21 (Indian) ...	L. of C.	MEDICAL STORE DEPÔTS.	
No. 23 (Indian) ...	L. of C.	No. 5 Adv. Depôt Med. Stores ...	L. of C.
No. 27 (Indian) ...	L. of C.	Adv. Base Depôt Med. Stores ...	L. of C.
No. 32 (British) ...	L. of C.	Base Depôt Med. Stores ...	L. of C.
STATIONARY HOSPITALS.			
No. 23 (British) ...	L. of C.	DEPÔTS.	
No. 61 (Indian) ..	L. of C.	Combined Convalescent Depôt (Amara).	L. of C.
No. 83 (Combined) ...	L. of C.	Indian Convalescent Depôt (Fanoona).	L. of C.
MISCELLANEOUS HOSPITALS.			
Combined Station Hospital ...	Persian L. of C.	MISCELLANEOUS.	
Combined Station Hospital, Kut	L. of C.	River Sick Convoy Units ...	L. of C.
Post Hospital, Ahwaz ...	L. of C.	Water Examination Unit ...	A. T.
Isolation Hospital (Basrah) ...	L. of C.	Divisional Disinfecting Station ...	36th Brigade.
Isolation Hospital (Baghdad) ...	L. of C.	Ambulance Trains ...	L. of C.
Officers' Hospital (Beit Naama)	L. of C.		
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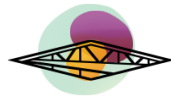
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VETERINARY.

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MOBILE VETERINARY SECTIONS.		FIELD VETERINARY SECTIONS.	
No. 1	L. of C.	No. 2	L. of C.
No. 4	7th Cav. Bde.	No. 9	L. of C.
No. 6	L. of C.	No. 13	L. of C.
No. 7	17th (Indian).		
No. 8	3rd Cav. Bde.		
No. 12	18th (Indian).		
36th Brigade	36th Brigade.		
		MISCELLANEOUS.	
		Veterinary Convalescent Depôts ..	L. of C.
		No. 2 Base Depot Veterinary Stores.	L. of C.
		Advanced Depot Veterinary Stores	L. of C.
		Veterinary Hospital (Nos. 7, 10, 12 and 16 Veterinary Sections).	L. of C.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT.

(a) Mechanical Transport Units.

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
596 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.	1015 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.
695 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. ...	L. of C.	1016 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.
729 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 1 M. T. Column).	A. T.	1017 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (Motor Ambulance Convoy).	A. T.
783 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 1 M. T. Column).	A. T.	1018 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.
784 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.	1019 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 1 M. T. Column).	A. T.
788 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (Caterpillar Tractors).	A. T.	1023 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.
818 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. ...	36th Brigade.	1024 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.
901 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (Caterpillar Tractors).	A. T.	1054 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 2 M. T. Column).	A. T.
902 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (Caterpillar Tractors).	A. T.	1055 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 2 M. T. Column).	A. T.
911 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 39 M. A. C.).	Persian L. of C.	1056 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. ...	L. of C.
953 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 1 M. T. Column).	A. T.	1091 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. ...	L. of C.
962 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (Base M. T. Workshop).	L. of C.	1114 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 2 M. T. Column).	A. T.
970 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 40 M. A. C.).	A. T.	1115 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.
1014 M. T. Co., R. A. S. C. (No. 5 M. T. Column).	A. T.		



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(b) *Supply Units.*

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
" F " Co., S. and T. ...	L. of C.	" R " Co., S. and T. ...	A. T.
" L " Co., S. and T. ...	36th Brigade.	56-14th Supply Co. ...	18th (Indian).
" M " Co., S. and T. ...	Persian L. of C.	3-15th Supply Co. ...	"
" O " Co., S. and T. ...	L. of C.	4-15th Supply Co. ...	"

(c) *Miscellaneous.*

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
Army Troops S. and T. Co. ...	A. T.	Mysore Transport Corps ...	L. of C. <i>India</i>
3rd Cav. Bde. S. and T. Co. ...	3rd Cav. Bde.	No. 5 Camel Corps ...	A. T.
7th Cav. Bde. S. and T. Co. ...	7th Cav. Bde.	No. 1 (Lucknow) Bullock Corps ...	L. of C.
" A " and " B " Groups, Auxiliary Transport Companies.	A. T.	No. 2 (Cawnpore) Bullock Corps ...	Persian L. of C.
17th Divisional Train ...	17th (Indian).	No. 5 (Meerut) Bullock Corps ...	L. of C.
18th Divisional Train ...	18th (Indian).	Special Supply Section ...	Persian L. of C.
36th Inf. Bde. S. and T. Co. ...	36th Brigade.	Base Supply Depôts ...	L. of C.
No. 1 Mule Column ...	A. T.	Base Transport Depôt ...	L. of C.
No. 2 Mule Column ...	A. T.	Intermediate Supply Depôts ...	L. of C.
No. 3 Mule Column ...	A. T.	Advanced Supply Depôt and Forward Area.	L. of C.
No. 4 Mule Column ...	A. T.	Advanced Transport Depôt ...	L. of C.

ORDNANCE.

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
No. 26 Ordnance Mobile Workshop	A. T.	No. 61 Ordnance Mobile Workshop	18th (Indian).
No. 35 Ordnance Mobile Workshop	L. of C.	Storehouse and Workshop Sections, A. O. C. and I. O. D.	L. of C.
No. 50 Ordnance Mobile Workshop	A. T.		

REMOUNTS.

Unit.	Allotment.	Unit.	Allotment.
Headquarters Remount Depôts ...	L. of C.	No. 1 Indian Syce Co. ...	L. of C.
6 Remount Squadrons ...	L. of C.	" A " Remount Syce Co. ...	L. of C.
Demobilization Remount Depôt	L. of C.	" B " Syce Co. ...	L. of C.
Advanced Remount Depôt ...	L. of C.	" C " Syce Co. ...	L. of C.
		" D " Syce Co. ...	L. of C.
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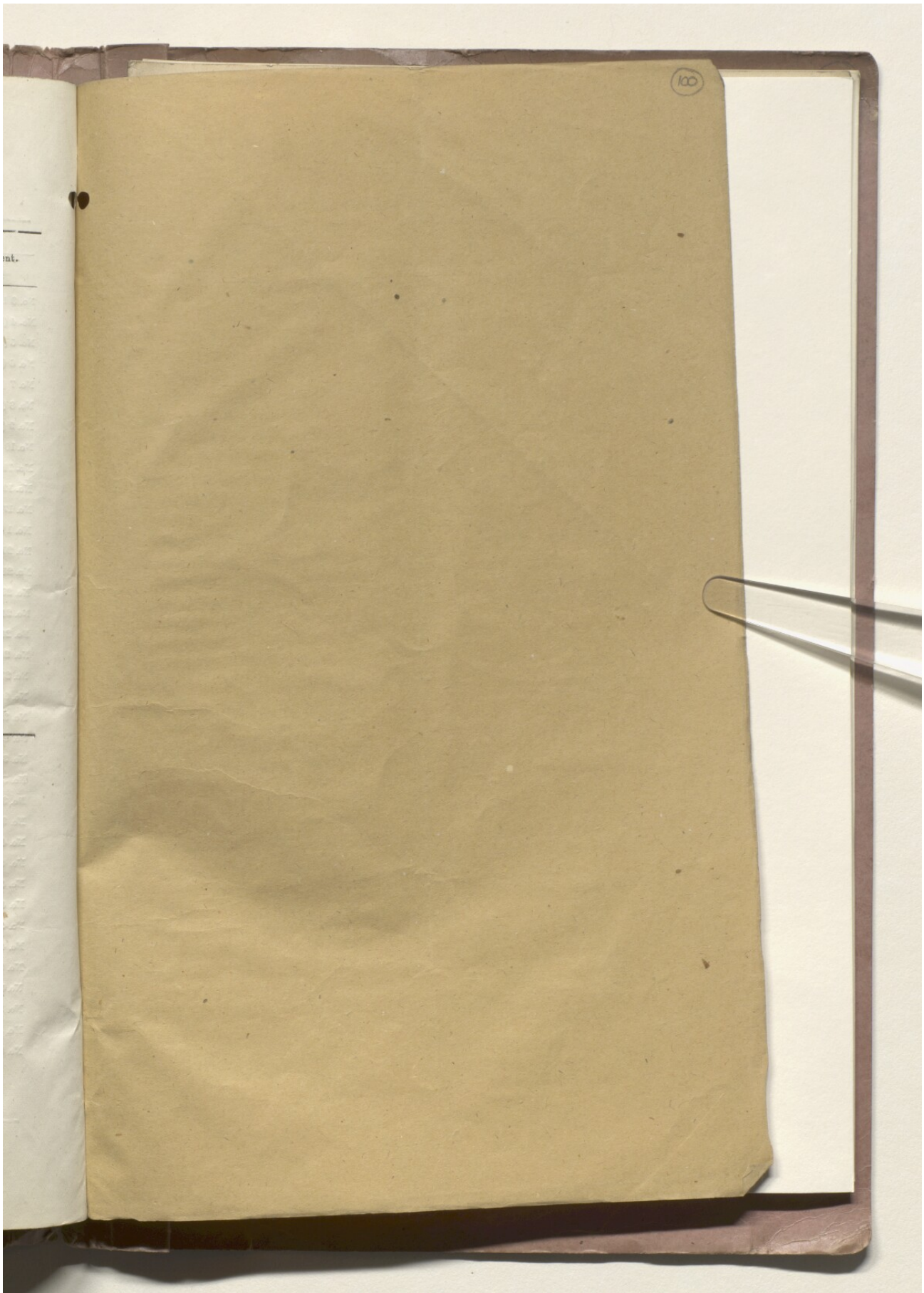
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No. 3 Local (Arab) ...	L. of C.	No. 59 Local ...	L. of C.
No. 4 (Bihar and Orissa) Indian...	L. of C.	No. 109 Indian ...	L. of C.
No. 5 (Madras) Indian ...	L. of C.	No. 134 Railway Maintenance Coy.	L. of C.
No. 6 (U. P.) Indian ...	L. of C.	No. 145 Jail ...	L. of C.
No. 7 (Bengal) Indian ...	L. of C.	No. 146 Indian ...	L. of C.
No. 8 (Bihar and Orissa) Indian	L. of C.	Sierra Leone Labour Corps ...	L. of C.
No. 9 (Bombay) Indian ...	L. of C.	Disciplinary Military...	A. T.
No. 10 [Panjab (Jail)] Indian ...	L. of C.	Mauritius Labour Battalion ...	L. of C.
No. 11 [Bombay (Jail)] Indian...	L. of C.	No. 1 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 12 (Bengal) Labour Corps ...	L. of C.	No. 2 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 17 Indian ...	L. of C.	No. 3 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 13 Indian ...	Persian L. of C.	No. 4 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 20 Indian ...	L. of C.	No. 5 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 21 Local (Arab)...	L. of C.	No. 6 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 23 Local (Kurd) ...	L. of C.	No. 7 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 24 Local (Kurd) ...	L. of C.	No. 9 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 25 Local (Arab) ...	Persian L. of C.	No. 10 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 26 Local (Arab) ...	L. of C.	No. 11 Prisoners of War ...	17th (Indian).
No. 29 Local (Arab) ...	L. of C.	No. 12 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 30 Local (Kurd) ...	L. of C.	No. 13 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 32 Local (Kurd) ...	L. of C.	No. 15 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 33 Local (Arab) ...	L. of C.	No. 16 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 34 Local (Arab) ...	L. of C.	No. 17 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 35 Skilled Construction ...	L. of C.	No. 18 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 36 Local (Arab) ...	L. of C.	No. 19 Prisoners of War ...	L. of C.
No. 39 Local (Kurd) ...	L. of C.	PORTER CORPS.	
No. 40 Skilled Construction ...	L. of C.	No. 1 ...	L. of C.
No. 41 Local (Kurd) ...	Persian L. of C.	No. 2 ...	L. of C.
No. 42 Local (Arab) ..	L. of C.	No. 3 ...	L. of C.
No. 43 Local (Kurd) ...	Persian L. of C.	No. 4 ...	L. of C.
No. 44 Local (Kurd) ...	L. of C.	No. 6 ...	L. of C.
No. 47 Local (Kurd) ...	Persian L. of C.	No. 7 ...	L. of C.
No. 50 Local (Arab) ...	L. of C.	No. 8 (Jail) ...	L. of C.
No. 51 Local ...	L. of C.	No. 11 ...	L. of C.
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No. 2 British Base Depot	L. of C.
No. 1 Indian " "	L. of C.
No. 4 " " "	L. of C.
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Supply Personnel Reinforcement Depot	L. of C.
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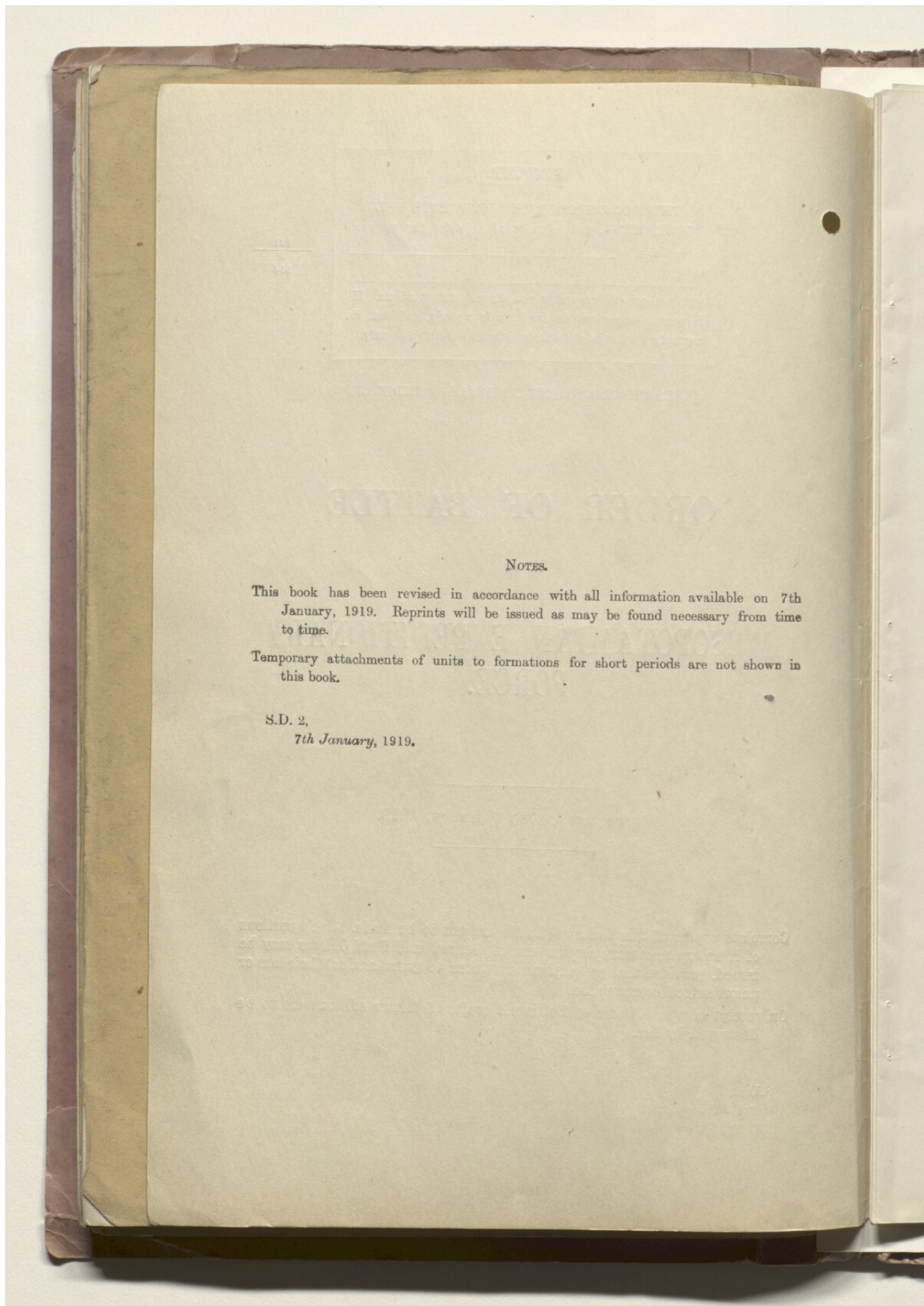
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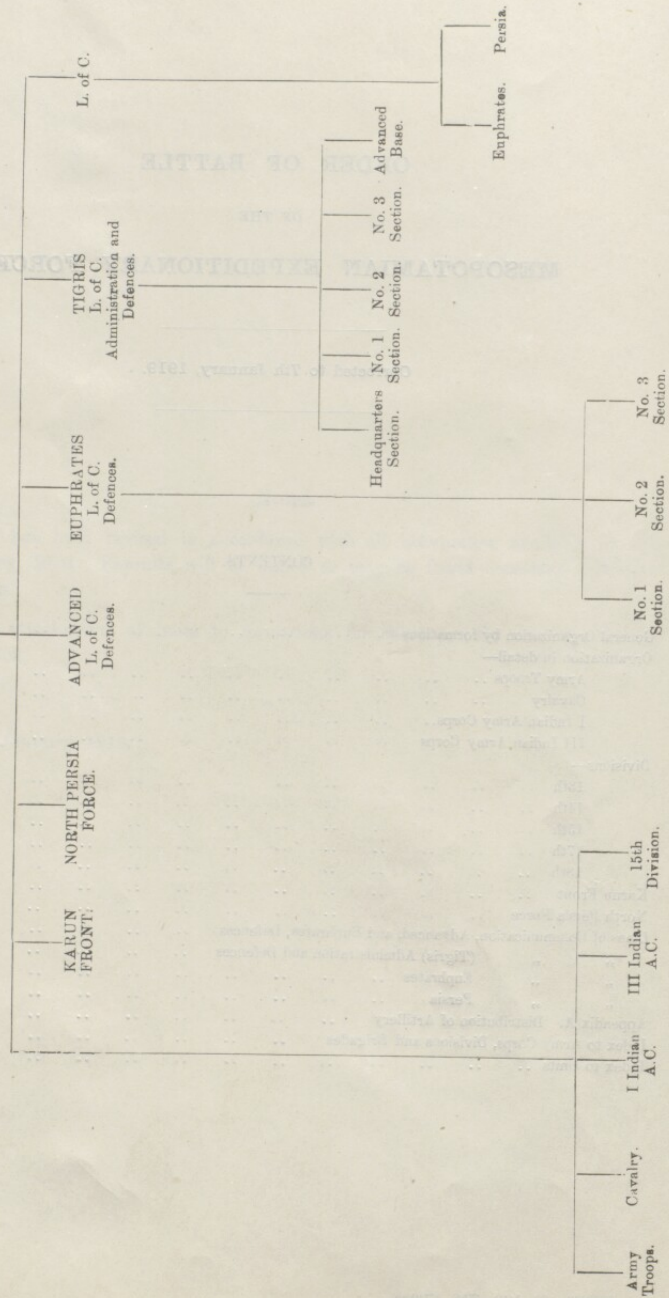
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ARMY TROOPS.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.	CAVALRY.	ARTILLERY.	ENGINEERS.	SIGNAL SERVICE.	INFANTRY.	MACHINE GUN CORPS.	SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT.	MEDICAL.
31st Wing, R.A.F. No. 8 Squadron, No. 69 Squadron, *No. 72 Squadron. Aircraft Park.	14th Hussars. 10th Lancers. 22nd Cavalry.	38th Brigade, R.G.A. 269th Siege Battery, R.G.A. 382nd Siege Battery, R.G.A. 74th Brigade, R.G.A. 257th Siege Battery, R.G.A. 265th Siege Battery, R.G.A. 101st Brigade, R.G.A. 2/88th Heavy Battery, R.G.A. 157th Heavy Battery, R.G.A. 160th Siege Battery, R.G.A. 246th Siege Battery, R.G.A. Nos. 69, 90, 92, 93 and 118 A.A. Sections. Euphrates 18-pr. Q.F. Gun Section. Independent Divl. Amm. Column. No. 14 Mountain Battery. †No. 21 (Kohat) Moun- tain Battery. No. 20 Mountain Battery. No. 2 Indian Mountain Artillery Brigade. 26th Battery. 34th Battery.	No. 19 Field Coy., 3rd S. and M. No. 85 Field Coy., 1st S. and M. (forming). No. 96 Field Coy., 2nd S. and M. (forming). No. 104 Field Coy., 3rd S. and M. (forming). Nos. 1 and 2 Mobile Bridging Trains, 1st S. and M. No. 3 Bridging Train, 3rd S. and M. No. 7 Bridging Train, 2nd S. and M. Disciplinary Military Labour Corps. Euphrates 18-pr. Q.F. Gun Section. Independent Divl. Amm. Column. No. 14 Mountain Battery. †No. 21 (Kohat) Moun- tain Battery. No. 20 Mountain Battery. No. 2 Indian Mountain Artillery Brigade. 26th Battery. 34th Battery.	Army Signal Company. Attached— No. 63 Air Line Section, Moor Air Line, Sec. Section. B.X. Cable Section. †1st (Australian) Wireless Signal Squadron. No. 4 G.H.Q. Wireless Observation Group. No. 5 Wireless Station, R.E. D.A. Cable Section and H.Q. 2nd Wireless Sig. Sq.	L.A.M. Brigade. No. 6 L.A.M. Batt. (less 2 cars). No. 7 L.A.M. Batt. No. 8 L.A.M. Batt. No. 13 L.A.M. Batt. No. 14 L.A.M. Batt. No. 16 L.A.M. Batt. Dunsterville A.C. Bde. "A," "B," "D," "E" Sqns. No. 1019 M.T. Coy., A.S.C. Nos. 788, 782, 901, 902, 903, 908, 909 and 1028 M.T. Coy. (A.S.C.) (Caterpillar Tractors, attached 169th, 157th, 246th, 257th, 259th, 384th, 177th and 396th Batteries, R.G.A. respectively).	64th Pioneers. 1/4th Devon- shire Regt. No. 67 Motor Air Line Section. B.X. Cable Section. †1st (Australian) Wireless Signal Squadron. No. 4 G.H.Q. Wireless Observation Group. No. 5 Wireless Station, R.E. D.A. Cable Section and H.Q. 2nd Wireless Sig. Sq.	L.A.M. Brigade. No. 6 L.A.M. Batt. (less 2 cars). No. 7 L.A.M. Batt. No. 8 L.A.M. Batt. No. 13 L.A.M. Batt. No. 14 L.A.M. Batt. No. 16 L.A.M. Batt. Dunsterville A.C. Bde. "A," "B," "D," "E" Sqns. No. 1019 M.T. Coy., A.S.C. Nos. 788, 782, 901, 902, 903, 908, 909 and 1028 M.T. Coy. (A.S.C.) (Caterpillar Tractors, attached 169th, 157th, 246th, 257th, 259th, 384th, 177th and 396th Batteries, R.G.A. respectively).	No. 1 C.F.A. Nos. 33, 39, 40 and 46 M.A.C. No. 42 I.G.H. Water Examination Unit.

* 1 flight attached N. Persia Force, † Attached N. Persia Force, ‡ No. 9 Wagon Station "C," troop attached N. Persia Force.

ORDNANCE.
No. 26 Mobile Ordnance
Workshop.

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CAVALRY.

3RD INDIAN CAVALRY BRIGADE.

Headquarters.
7th Hussars.
Guides Cavalry (Frontier Force).
11th Lancers.
"W" Battery, R.H.A. (6-18-prs.).
"W" Battery Ammunition Column, R.H.A.
25th Machine Gun Squadron.
No 5 Field Troop, 1st Sappers and Miners.
3rd Cavalry Brigade, Signal Troop.
3rd Cavalry Brigade, S. and T. Coy.
152nd Cavalry Combined Field Ambulance.
No. 8 Mobile Veterinary Section.
Detachment No. 30 Sanitary Section.

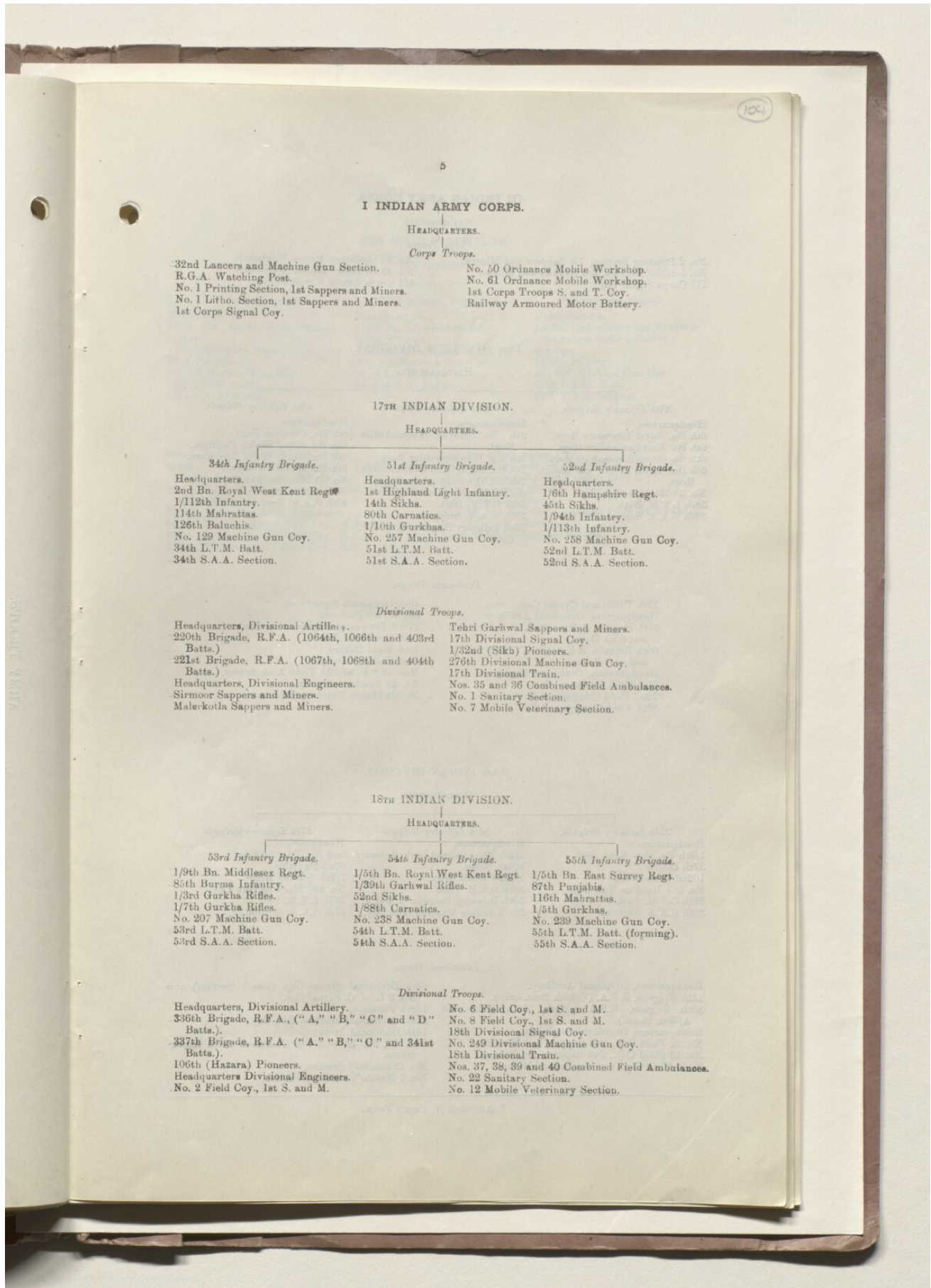
6TH INDIAN CAVALRY BRIGADE.

Headquarters.
"S" Battery, R.H.A. (6-18-prs.).
"S" Battery Ammunition Column, R.H.A.
6th Cavalry Brigade Signal Troop.
No. 2 Field Troop, 2nd Sappers and Miners.
6th Cavalry Brigade, S. and T. Coy.
No. 131 Cavalry Combined Field Ambulance.
Detachment No. 30 Sanitary Section.
No. 5 Mobile Veterinary Section.

7TH INDIAN CAVALRY BRIGADE.

Headquarters.
13th Hussars.
13th Lancers.
14th Lancers.
"V" Battery, R.H.A. (6-18-prs.).
"V" Battery Ammunition Column, R.H.A.
7th Cavalry Brigade Signal Troop.
16th Machine-Gun Squadron.
7th Cavalry Brigade Field Troop, R.E.
7th Cavalry Brigade, S. and T. Coy.
No. 119 Cavalry Combined Field Ambulance.
Detachment No. 30 Sanitary Section.
No. 4 Mobile Veterinary Section.

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I INDIAN ARMY CORPS.

HEADQUARTERS.

Corps Troops.

32nd Lancers and Machine Gun Section.	No. 50 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.
R.G.A. Watching Post.	No. 61 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.
No. 1 Printing Section, 1st Sappers and Miners.	1st Corps Troops S. and T. Coy.
No. 1 Litho. Section, 1st Sappers and Miners.	Railway Armoured Motor Battery.
1st Corps Signal Coy.	

17TH INDIAN DIVISION.

HEADQUARTERS.

<i>34th Infantry Brigade.</i>	<i>51st Infantry Brigade.</i>	<i>52nd Infantry Brigade.</i>
Headquarters.	Headquarters.	Headquarters.
2nd Bn. Royal West Kent Regt [†]	1st Highland Light Infantry.	1/6th Hampshire Regt.
1/11th Infantry.	14th Sikhs.	45th Sikhs.
1/4th Mahrattas.	80th Carnatics.	1/94th Infantry.
126th Baluchis.	1/10th Gurkhas.	1/113th Infantry.
No. 129 Machine Gun Coy.	No. 257 Machine Gun Coy.	No. 258 Machine Gun Coy.
34th L.T.M. Batt.	51st L.T.M. Batt.	52nd L.T.M. Batt.
34th S.A.A. Section.	51st S.A.A. Section.	52nd S.A.A. Section.

Divisional Troops.

Headquarters, Divisional Artillery.	Tehri Garhwal Sappers and Miners.
220th Brigade, R.F.A. (1064th, 1066th and 403rd Batts.)	17th Divisional Signal Coy.
221st Brigade, R.F.A. (1067th, 1068th and 404th Batts.)	1/32nd (Sikh) Pioneers.
Headquarters, Divisional Engineers.	276th Divisional Machine Gun Coy.
Sirmoor Sappers and Miners.	17th Divisional Train.
Malerkotla Sappers and Miners.	Nos. 35 and 36 Combined Field Ambulances.
	No. 1 Sanitary Section.
	No. 7 Mobile Veterinary Section.

18TH INDIAN DIVISION.

HEADQUARTERS.

<i>53rd Infantry Brigade.</i>	<i>54th Infantry Brigade.</i>	<i>55th Infantry Brigade.</i>
1/9th Bn. Middlesex Regt.	1/5th Bn. Royal West Kent Regt.	1/5th Bn. East Surrey Regt.
85th Burma Infantry.	1/39th Garhwal Rifles.	87th Punjabis.
1/3rd Gurkha Rifles.	52nd Sikhs.	116th Mahrattas.
1/7th Gurkha Rifles.	1/88th Carnatics.	1/5th Gurkhas.
No. 207 Machine Gun Coy.	No. 238 Machine Gun Coy.	No. 239 Machine Gun Coy.
53rd L.T.M. Batt.	54th L.T.M. Batt.	55th L.T.M. Batt. (forming).
53rd S.A.A. Section.	54th S.A.A. Section.	55th S.A.A. Section.

Divisional Troops.

Headquarters, Divisional Artillery.	No. 6 Field Coy., 1st S. and M.
336th Brigade, R.F.A. ("A," "B," "C" and "D" Batts.)	No. 8 Field Coy., 1st S. and M.
337th Brigade, R.F.A. ("A," "B," "C" and 341st Batts.)	18th Divisional Signal Coy.
106th (Hazara) Pioneers.	No. 249 Divisional Machine Gun Coy.
Headquarters Divisional Engineers.	18th Divisional Train.
No. 2 Field Coy., 1st S. and M.	Nos. 37, 38, 39 and 40 Combined Field Ambulances.
	No. 22 Sanitary Section.
	No. 12 Mobile Veterinary Section.



III INDIAN ARMY CORPS.

HEADQUARTERS.

Corps Troops.

No. 2 Printing Section, 1st Sappers and Miners. No. 35 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.
No. 5 Litho. Section, 3rd Sappers and Miners. No. 49 Ordnance Mobile Workshop.
III Corps Signal Coy. III Corps Troops S. and T. Coy.

13TH (WESTERN DIVISION).

HEADQUARTERS.

<p>38th Infantry Brigade.</p> <p>Headquarters. 6th Bn. Royal Lancaster Regt. 6th Bn. East Lancashire Regt. 6th Bn. South Lancashire Regt. 6th Bn. Loyal North Lancashire Regt. No. 38 Machine Gun Coy. 38th L.T.M. Batt. 38th S.A.A. Section.</p>	<p>*39th Infantry Brigade.</p> <p>Headquarters. 9th Bn. Royal Warwickshire Regt. 9th Bn. Worcestershire Regt. 7th Bn. North Staffordshire Regt. 7th Bn. Gloucestershire Regt. No. 39 Machine Gun Coy. 39th L.T.M. Batt. 39th S.A.A. Section. 39th Infantry Brigade, S. and T. Coy.</p>	<p>40th Infantry Brigade.</p> <p>Headquarters. 8th Bn. Cheshire Regt. 8th Bn. Royal Welsh Fusiliers. 4th Bn. South Wales Borderers. 5th Bn. Wiltshire Regt. No. 40 Machine Gun Coy. 40th L.T.M. Batt. 40th S.A.A. Section.</p>
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Divisional Troops.

<p>13th Divisional Cyclist Coy. Headquarters, Divisional Artillery. 55th Brigade R.F.A. ("A," "B," "C," and 60th Batts.) 66th Brigade, R.F.A. ("A," "B," "C," and 61st Batts.) Headquarters, Divisional Engineers. 71st Field Company, R.E. *72nd Field Company, R.E. 88th Field Company, R.E.</p>	<p>13th Divisional Signal Coy. 8th Welsh Pioneers. 273rd Divisional Machine Gun Coy. 13th Divisional Train. 10th Field Bakery. 31st Field Butchery. Nos. 39,* 40 and 41 Field Ambulances. No. 28 Sanitary Section. No. 24 Mobile Veterinary Section.</p>
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14TH INDIAN DIVISION.

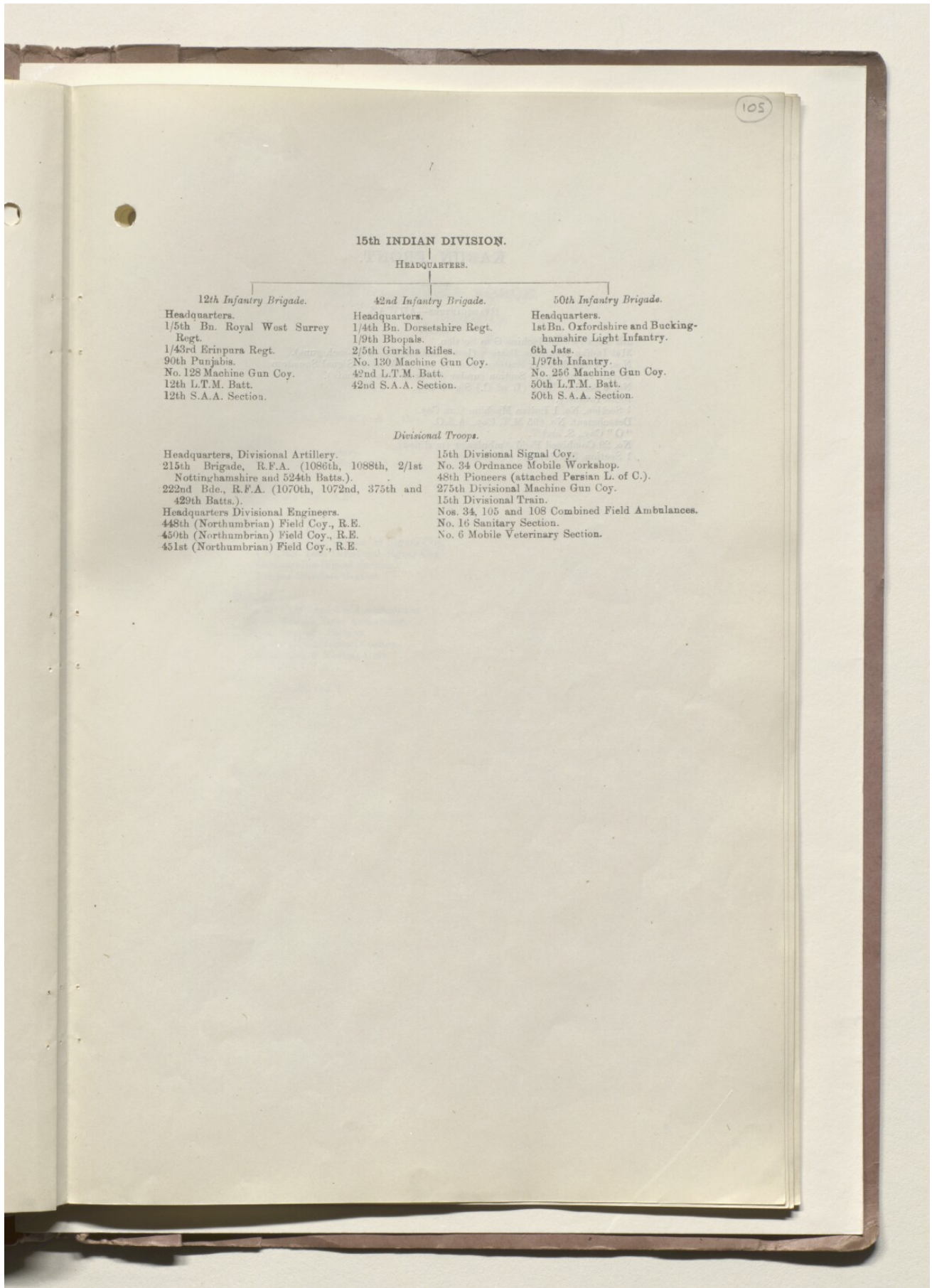
HEADQUARTERS.

<p>35th Infantry Brigade.</p> <p>Headquarters. 1/5th Bn. East Kent Regt. 37th Dogras. 102nd Grenadiers. No. 185 Machine Gun Coy. 35th L.T.M. Batt. 35th S.A.A. Section.</p>	<p>56th Infantry Brigade</p> <p>Headquarters. 1/4th Bn. Somerset Light Infantry. 104th Rifles. 1/42nd Deoli Regt. 56th L.T.M. Batt. 56th Infantry Brigade, S. and T. No. 2 Indian Machine Gun Coy.</p>	<p>37th Infantry Brigade.</p> <p>Headquarters. 2nd Bn. Norfolk Regt. 82nd Punjabis. 2/9th Gurkha Rifles. No. 187 Machine Gun Coy. 37th L.T.M. Batt. 37th S.A.A. Section.</p>
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Divisional Troops.

<p>Headquarters, Divisional Artillery. 13th Brigade, R.F.A. (C/69th Batt. only). 30th Brigade, R.F.A. (384th, 385th, 386th and A/69th Batts.). Headquarters, Divisional Engineers. No. 12 Field Coy., 2nd Sappers and Miners. No. 13 Field Coy., 2nd Sappers and Miners. No. 9 Field Coy., 2nd Sappers and Miners.</p>	<p>14th Divisional Signal Coy. (less 1 Section) and No. 2 L. of C. Signal Coy. 128th Pioneers. 274th Divisional Machine Gun Coy. 14th Divisional Train. Nos. 21, 22, 23 and 135 Combined Field Ambulances. No. 13 Sanitary Section. No. 1 Mobile Veterinary Section.</p>
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* Attached N. Persia Force.



15th INDIAN DIVISION.

HEADQUARTERS.

<p><i>12th Infantry Brigade.</i> Headquarters. 1/5th Bn. Royal West Surrey Regt. 1/43rd Erinpara Regt. 90th Punjab. No. 128 Machine Gun Coy. 12th L.T.M. Batt. 12th S.A.A. Section.</p>	<p><i>42nd Infantry Brigade.</i> Headquarters. 1/4th Bn. Dorsetshire Regt. 1/9th Bhopals. 2/5th Gurkha Rifles. No. 130 Machine Gun Coy. 42nd L.T.M. Batt. 42nd S.A.A. Section.</p>	<p><i>50th Infantry Brigade.</i> Headquarters. 1st Bn. Oxfordshire and Bucking- hamshire Light Infantry. 6th Jats. 1/97th Infantry. No. 256 Machine Gun Coy. 50th L.T.M. Batt. 50th S.A.A. Section.</p>
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Divisional Troops.

<p>Headquarters, Divisional Artillery. 215th Brigade, R.F.A. (1086th, 1088th, 2/1st Nottinghamshire and 524th Batts.). 222nd Bde., R.F.A. (1070th, 1072nd, 375th and 429th Batts.). Headquarters Divisional Engineers. 448th (Northumbrian) Field Coy., R.E. 459th (Northumbrian) Field Coy., R.E. 451st (Northumbrian) Field Coy., R.E.</p>	<p>15th Divisional Signal Coy. No. 34 Ordnance Mobile Workshop. 48th Pioneers (attached Persian L. of C.). 275th Divisional Machine Gun Coy. 15th Divisional Train. Nos. 34, 105 and 108 Combined Field Ambulances. No. 16 Sanitary Section. No. 6 Mobile Veterinary Section.</p>
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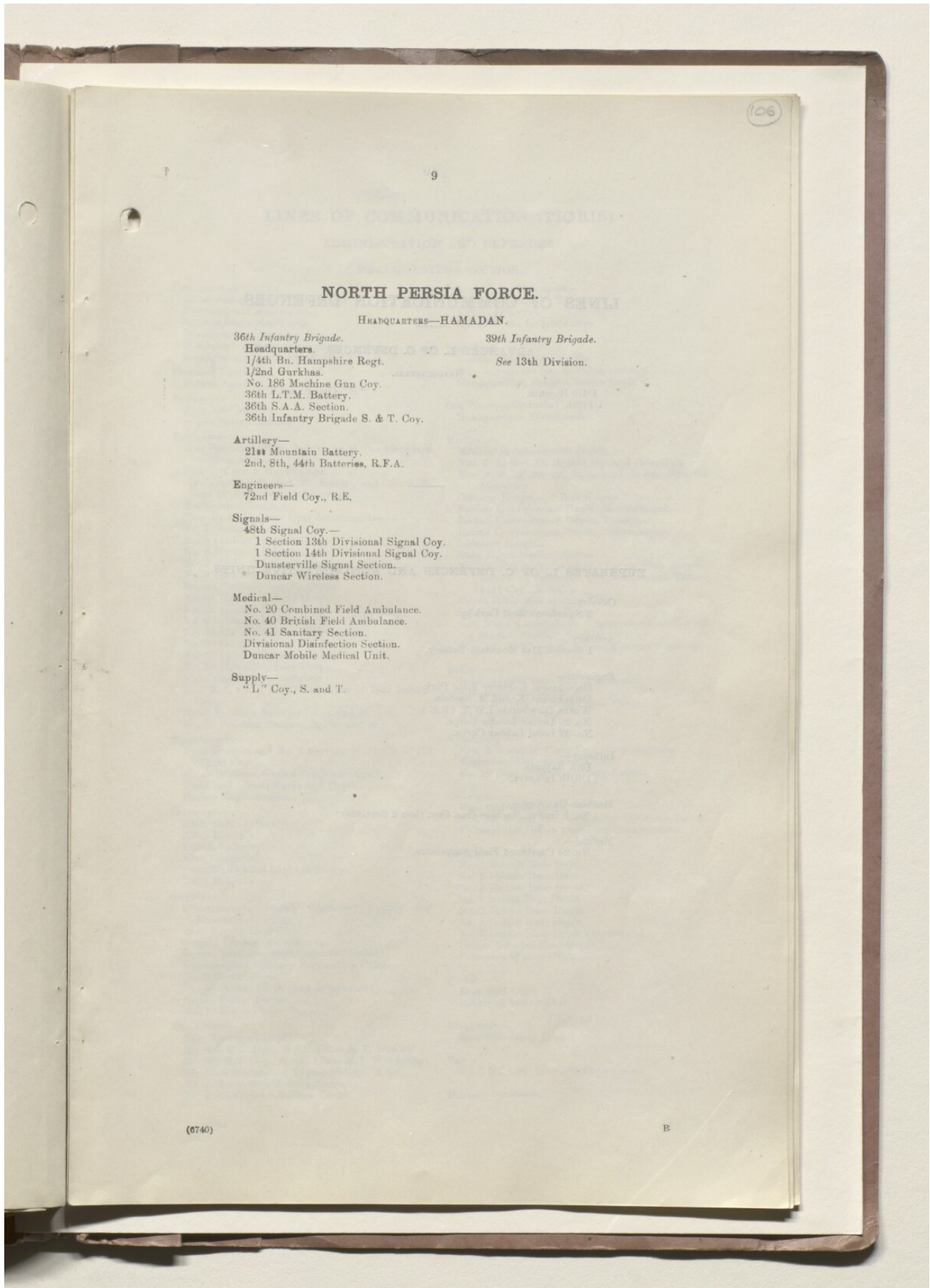


KARUN FRONT.

HEADQUARTERS—AHWAZ.

Troops.

5th Cavalry and Machine Gun Section.
31st Indian Mountain Battery (less 1 section) (4—2·75-inch guns).
Nos. 24 and 25 Pack Stations, 2nd (L. of C.) Wireless Signal Squadron.
Karun Front Signal Section (under orders of Mesopotamia).
No. 4 Section, No. 1 (L. of C.) Signal Coy.
108th Infantry.
1 Section, No. 1 Indian Machine Gun Coy.
Detachment, No. 695 M.T. Coy., A.S.C.
"O" Coy., S. and T.
No. 29 Combined Field Ambulance (modified).
1 Section, 3rd Sappers and Miners.





LINES OF COMMUNICATION DEFENCES.

ADVANCED L. OF C. DEFENCES.

HEADQUARTERS.

1/4th Rajputs.
1/119th Infantry.

"P" Coy. S. and T.

EUPHRATES L. OF C. DEFENCES AND ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS.

Cavalry—
2 Squadrons 22nd Cavalry.

Artillery—
1 Section 31st Mountain Battery.

Engineers—
Detachment Engineer Field Park.
Detachment E. and M. Section.
Works Directorate I.W.T. (R.E.).
No. 20 Indian Labour Corps.
No. 32 Local Labour Corps.

Infantry—
13th Rajputs.
1/9th Infantry.

Machine-Gun Coy.—
No. 1 Indian Machine-Gun Coy. (less 2 Sections).

Medical—
No. 24 Combined Field Ambulance.



LINES OF COMMUNICATION (TIGRIS).

ADMINISTRATION AND DEFENCES.

HEADQUARTERS SECTION.

- Headquarters Units—
Headquarters Base Commandant.
Headquarters Makina area.
Headquarters Magil area.
Headquarters Tanooma area.
Headquarters Nahr Umar area.
Headquarters River Front area.
- Mounted Units—
Patiala Lancers.
- Artillery—
Volunteer Battery.
Anglo-Indian Battery.
- Engineers—
15th Field Coy., R.E., 2nd S. and M. (under orders ex Mesopotamia).
Nos. 1, 4 and 5 Works Coys.
Headquarters E. and M. Section, and No. 2 E. and M. Coy. (less detachments)
Reclamation Section.
Base Park Company (less detachments).
No. 1 (Indian) Labour Corps.
No. 5 (Indian) Labour Corps.
No. 6 (Indian) Labour Corps.
No. 7 (Indian) Labour Corps.
No. 9 (Indian) Labour Corps.
No. 20 (Indian) Labour Corps.
No. 21 (Local) Labour Corps.
No. 22 (Local) Labour Corps.
No. 23 (Local) Labour Corps.
No. 24 (Local) Labour Corps.
No. 30 (Local) Labour Corps.
No. 37 (Local) Labour Corps.
No. 39 (Local) Labour Corps.
Mauritius Labour Battalion.
Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.
No. 8 Printing Section, 1st S. and M.
No. 10 Printing Section, 3rd S. and M.
- Signal Service—
Headquarters and No. 1 Section, No. 1 (L. of C.) Signal Coy.
River Wireless Section (on river ships).
Combined Signal Parks and Depôt.
Basrah Radio Station.
- Infantry—
2/9th Delhi Infantry.
3/9th Bhopals.
1/36th Infantry.
49th Bengalis.
83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.
1/8th Rajputs
- Supply—
Headquarters, Deputy Director, Supply and Transport.
Base Supply Depôt.
Supply Depôts, Basrah area.
Supply personnel Reinforcement Depôt.
Headquarters Military Forwarding Officer.
No. 2 Porter Corps.
No. 10 Porter Corps (less detachment).
No. 11 Porter Corps.
No. 12 (Jail) Porter Corps.
- Transport—
Base Transport Depôt.
No. 695 M.T. Coy., A.S.C. (Base M.T. Depôt).
No. 962 M.T. Coy., A.S.C. (Base M.T. Workshop).
No. 1056 Mechanical Transport Coy., A.S.C.
No. 1 (Lucknow) Bullock Corps.
No. 2 (Cawnpore) Bullock Corps.
- Inland Water Transport—
Headquarters, I.W.T.
I.W.T. followers.
Sierra Leone Labour Corps.
- Port Traffic—
Headquarters, Port Traffic.
Port Administration and Conservancy.
Headquarters, Control Native Craft.
- Sea Transport—
Headquarters, Directorate.
- Medical—
Medical Reinforcement Depôt.
Nos. 3, 33 and 40, British General Hospitals.
Nos. 8, 9, 10, 20, 22, 25 and 27 Indian General Hospitals.
Officers' Hospital, "Beit Nuama."
British Convalescent Depôt, Mohammarah.
British Convalescent Depôt, Tanooma.
Indian Convalescent Depôt, Mohammarah.
Isolation Hospital.
Base Depôt Medical Stores.
No. 23 Motor Ambulance Convoy (less detachment). (Volunteer 656 Mechanical Transport Coy., A.S.C.).
Depôt River Sick Convoy Units.
"Aden" Ambulance Train.
Nos. 1 and 2 Ambulance Trains on which No. 99 British Sanitary Section.
Nos. 10, 19, 27 and 29 Indian Sanitary Sections.
- Remounts—
Headquarters Base Remount Depôt.
2 Remount Squadrons.
No. 1 Military Prisoners Syce Corps.
Remounts Syce Coy.
- Veterinary—
Nos. 2, 6 and 18 Field Veterinary Sections.
Veterinary Convalescent Depôt.
No. 10 Base Depôt Veterinary Stores.
- Ordnance—
Base Ordnance Depôt.
Nos. 30, 55 and 111 Coys. Army Ordnance Corps.
2 Companies Indian Ordnance Detachments.
- Depôts—
No. 1 British Base Depôt.
No. 2 British Base Depôt.
No. 3 British Base Depôt.
No. 1 Indian Base Depôt.
No. 2 Indian Base Depôt.
No. 4 Indian Base Depôt.
No. 5 Indian Base Depôt (Followers)
Indian General Base Depôt.
Prisoners of War Camp.
- Postal—
Base Post Office.
Returned Letter Unit.
- Stationery—
Base Stationery Depôt.
- Pay—
No. 1 Military Accounts Department.
- Military Governor.



Lines of Communication (Tigris)—continued.
Administration and Defences—continued.

QURNAH SECTION.

Headquarters Units—
Headquarters Administrative Post.

Engineers—
A.D. Works.
Detachment Base Park Company.
Detachment, Works directorate and E. and M.
Section.
Detachment No 1 Works Coy.
No 27 (local) Labour Corps.

Infantry—
2 Coys., Nabha Imperial Service Infantry.

Supply—
Intermediate Supply Depôt.
M.F.O. Sub-Depôt.

Medical—
D.A.D.M.S.
No. 57 Combined Stationary Hospital.

Postal—
Field Post Office.

Telegraph—
Telegraph Service.

Inland Water Transport—
Detachment I.W.T.

Depôts—
Rest Camp.

AMARAH SECTION.

Headquarters Units—
Headquarters Administrative Post.

Mounted Units—
12th Cavalry.
21st Cavalry.
15th Machine-Gun Squadron.

Royal Air Force—
Advanced Depôt, R.A.F.

Engineers—
A.D. Works.
No. 1 Works Coy. (less detachments).
Detachment No. 2 E. and M. Coy.
Detachment Base Park Coy.
No. 25 (local) Labour Corps.
No. 36 (local) Labour Corps.

Signal Service—
Detachment 2nd (L. of C.) Wireless Signal
Squadron.

Infantry—
1/6th Bn. Devonshire Regiment.
2/6th Bn. Devonshire Regiment.

Depôts—
Officers' Rest Camp.
British Advance Depôt.
Indian Advance Depôt.

Supply—
Intermediate Supply Depôt (3 Depôt Units of
Supply and R. and P. Supply Unit).
No. 6 Porter Corps (detachment).

Transport—
"1" Coy., S. and T. (Intermediate Transport
Depôt).

Medical—
A.D.M.S.
E.M.O.
No. 32 British General Hospital.
No. 21 Indian General Hospital.
Isolation Hospital.
Combined Convalescent Depôt.
No. 23 Motor Ambulance Convoy Detachment.
No. 46 British Sanitary Section.
No. 17 Indian Sanitary Section.
No. 3 Advanced Depôt, Medical Stores.
Depôt R.S.C.U.

Remounts—
Headquarters, Remount Depôt.
2 Remount Squadrons.
"B" and "F" Syce Coys.

Veterinary—
No. 1 Field Veterinary Section.
No. 9 Field Veterinary Section.

Ordnance—
Detachment A.O.C. and I.O.D.

KUT-EL-AMARAH SECTION.

Headquarters Units—
Headquarters Administrative Post

Artillery—
15th Mountain Battery.
1 Armoured Car.

Engineers—
Detachment No. 2 E. and M. Coy.
Detachment E.F. Park.
No. 31 (Local) Labour Corps.
No. 1 Prisoners of War Labour Corps.

Infantry—
2/7th Hampshire Regiment.
44th Merwaras.
79th Carnatics.
1 Section, No. 1 Indian M.G. Coy.

Supply—
Intermediate Supply Depôt.
M.F.O. Sub-Depôt.
Nos. 5, 6, and 7 (Jail) Porter Corps.
2 E.F. Canteens.
Madras Gardeners.
"M" Coy., S. and T. Pack Pony Corps.

Transport—
Detachment "H" Company, S. and T.
Detachment Mysore Transport Corps.

Medical—
No. 133 British General Hospital
No. 24 Indian General Hospital.
Nos. 3 and 4 Hospital Trains.
Depôt R.S.C.U.
No. 101 British Sanitary Section.

Ordnance—
Detachment A.O.C. and I.O.D.

Postal—
2 Post Offices.

Telegraph—
Telegraph Service.



Lines of Communication (Tigris)—*continued.*

Administration and Defences—*continued.*

ADVANCED BASE.

Headquarters Units—
Headquarters Advanced Base.

Royal Air Force—
Aircraft Park.

Artillery—
Army Ammunition Park.

Engineers—
Headquarters Works Directorate.
Engineer Field Park.
300th E. and M. Section.
Nos. 3 and 6 Works Coys.
Nos. 2, 3, 4, 8, 10, 11, 12, 17, 18 (Indian) (less detachments) and 26, 28, 32, 33, 35, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 51, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58 and 59 (Local) Labour Corps.
Advanced Signal Park.
Railway Directorate.

Instructional—
Infantry School.
M.G. Corps Depôt.
Musketry School.
Physical and Bayonet Training School.
School of Cookery.
Signal School.
Bombing and Light Mortar School.

Infantry—
73rd Carnatic Infantry.
122nd Rajputana Infantry (less 3 Coys.)

Supply—
Advanced Supply Depôt.
Nos. 1, 3, 4 and 8 (Jail) Porter Corps (less detachment).
E.F. Canteen.
312 and 313 Depôt Units of Supply, A.S.C.
War Gifts Depot (British and Indian).
A.M.F.O. (Advance Base).
A.M.F.O., Hinaidi.

Transport—
Advanced Transport Depôt "F" and "H" (less detachment) Coys., S. and T.
Mysore I.S. Transport Corps (less detachment).

Medical—
Assistant Director of Medical Services.
No. 12 Combined Casualty Clearing Station.
No. 16 British Casualty Clearing Station.
No. 11 Mobile X-ray Unit.
No. 20 Combined Casualty Clearing Station.
No. 30 Combined Casualty Clearing Station.
No. 30 Combined Field Ambulance.
No. 23 British Stationary Hospital.
No. 31 British Stationary Hospital.
No. 65 British General Hospital.
No. 23 Indian General Hospital.
No. 61 Indian Stationary Hospital.

Medical—*continued.*
No. 70 Indian Stationary Hospital.
Isolation Hospital.
Officers' Hospital.
Officers' Convalescent Depôt.
Combined Convalescent Depôt.
Nos. 5, 6 and 7 Advanced Depôts, Medical Stores.
No. 100 British Sanitary Section.
No. 14 Indian Sanitary Section.
Ceylon Sanitary Section.
12 cars, No. 23 Motor Ambulance Convoy.
45th Motor Ambulance Convoy.
Depôt R.S.C.U.
"G" Section, No. 20 B.F.A.

Remounts—
Advanced Remount Depôt.
3 Remount Squadrons.
"C," "D" and "E" Syce Coys.

Veterinary—
Veterinary Hospital.
Nos. 7, 10, 12 and 16 Field Veterinary Sections.
Veterinary Convalescent Depôt.
Advanced Depôt Veterinary Stores.

Ordnance—
Advanced Ordnance Depôt.

Depôts—
Cavalry Depôt.
Royal Artillery Depôt.
Prisoners of War Camp.
Rest Camp Advanced Base.
Rest Camp at Hinaidi.
Rest Camp at Samarra.
Rest Camp at Baqubah.

Controller of Native Labour—
Headquarters.

Irrigation—
Headquarters, Irrigation Directorate.

Local Resources—
Headquarters, Local Resources Directorate.

Postal—
Advanced Base Post Office.

Railway—
Railway Directorate.

Stationery—
Advanced Stationery Depôt.

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NASIRIYAH SECTION.

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Headquarters Administrative Post.

Engineers—
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Detachment E. and M. Company.
I.W.T., R.E.

Supply—
Advance Supply Depôt.
M.F.O. Sub-Depôt.

Signals—
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Labour—
Detachment 10th Porter Corps.
No. 20 Indian Labour Corps.

Medical—
No. 83 C.S. Hospital.
Detachment No. 31 Sanitary Section.
Detachment No. 8 Advance Depôt Medical Stores.

E.F. Canteen.

LINES OF COMMUNICATION (PERSIA).

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Headquarters Administrative Area.

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Engineers—
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No. 52 Field Coy., R.E., 1st S. and M.
No. 61 Field Coy., R.E., 2nd S. and M.
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Infantry—
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62nd Punjabis.

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No. 42 Indian General Hospital.
Nos. 31 and 32 C.F.A.
Nos. 46 and 47 C.F.A.
No. 27 C.C.C.S.
No. 12 Mobile X-Ray Unit.

Supply—
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	4.5-inch.	6-inch.	8-inch.	13-pr. Q.F.	13-pr. (9 cwt.) A.A.	18-pr.	15-pr. B.L.	15-pr. B.L.C.	2.75-inch.	60-pr. B.L.	4-inch.	12-pr. (Naval).
<i>Divisional Artillery.</i>												
13th Division	55th Brigade	6				18						
	66th "	6				18						
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	30th "	4				18						
15th Division	222nd "	4				18						
	215th "	4				18						
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	221st "	6				12						
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	337th "	6				18						
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	157th "									(a)4		
<i>Siege Artillery.</i>												
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	246th "	4										
	257th "	4										
3rd Corps	269th "	4										
	384th "	4										
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15th "									6			
21st Indian Battery									6			
25th "									6			
34th "									6			
26th "									6			
31st "									6			
<i>Horse Artillery.</i>												
"S" Battery						6						
"V" "						6						
"W" "						6						
Euphrates Section				2								
<i>Anti-Aircraft Artillery.</i>												
No. 59 Section					2							
No. 80 "					2							
No. 92 "					2							
No. 93 "					2							
No. 118 "					(b)2							
<i>Frontier Garrison Artillery</i> 2												
Post guns on Lines of Communications and												
Miscellaneous 1 (c)3 7 10 3												
Total		52	24	1	2	10	189	7	10	42	8	2 3

(a) Tractor drawn.

(b) 13-pr. 9 cwt.

(c) One unserviceable.



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