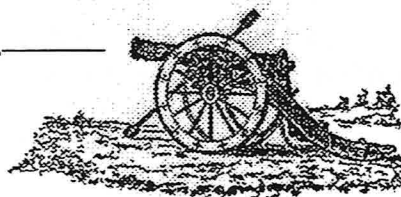


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President's note: The notification did say BYO everything picnic and I submit this picture to show how well Ian followed his instructions. For further photos and an entertaining report on the event see page 9.

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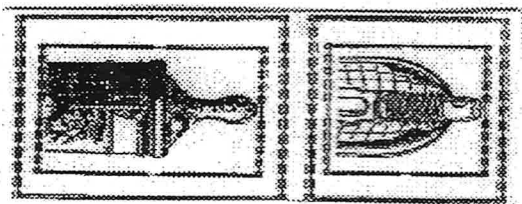
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EDITOR'S EXOTERICS

Happy New Year Everybody ! I am pleased to be able to continue as your editor again for another year.

Sorry I was not able to be with those of you who attended the Church Parade, however, my reason was that I had to attend the Induction of our new priest at my own church, St Luke's Anglican, Currum Downs at the same time.

Also I missed the visit to School of Arty on Sun 7 Mar, but was not well enough to travel that sort of distance that day. I hope to see you all at some other functions during the year, as I am improving in health quite fast lately. Have now lost 22.5 kg.

Thanks to all those who wrote letters to us. Please note for the future, however, that it would be helpful to address your letters to the right address depending on the subject matter. Those people who included comments on the INTERNET Survey in their Letters to the Editor for instance will notice that those paragraphs have not been printed as they have been passed on to the Secretary, Robin Smith.

As it seems I have added to the confusion about the missing Issues Nos 51 & 52, may I belatedly apologise for having used No 54 on the Dec 97 Issue and then forgot to change the Issue No for the Mar 98 which also was incorrectly numbered No 54 when it should have been No 55. This has absolutely nothing whatever to do with the missing Nos 51 & 52 unfortunately mislaid by my predecessor.

Please note! My new Email address is rgcurtis@bigpond.com.au

Ron G. Curtis
Editor.

INTERNET SURVEY

Would you like to have access to the latest information on RAA Association (Vic) Inc activities through our own home-page?

We could:

- * publicise Gunner items such as the 2/10 Mdm Regt Band CD, ties, port, cufflinks etc
- * reach potential members who don't know about our Association, especially the younger Gunners
- * promulgate functions, with the contact officer for bookings

If you would like to record interest, and/or have any suggestions to add,

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The President Writes

Church Parade was well attended which was very pleasing. The day was marvellous and the band played up to their usual great standard to compliment the music of Doug Savage on the organ and the congregation. Major Jason Cooke read the second lesson in lieu of the Commanding Officer and I thank him for taking on that duty at fairly short notice.

I was taken to task by one member over my last message because it was said that I implied that there had been a change in the status of the CO without actually saying what that change was. Well at the time of writing I assumed it was common knowledge that Carl Wood would conclude his tour as CO at the end of 1998. I also knew that his successor was an ARA officer who was still overseas on his previous posting. Since then other changes have occurred and so I shall list those that I know about.

The new Commanding Officer is Lieutenant Colonel Richard Maurice. He is an ARA officer who has just returned from a peace keeping task in Sinai and has taken up his posting in early March. The CO will be supported by a new Operations Officer Major Nick Floyd, the new Adjutant Captain Simon Grace and the new Quarter Master Captain Mick Purcell. I am sure you will all make these new members of the Regiment welcome and wish them success in their new postings. RSM Ron Jones remains in his important posting.

It would be appropriate at this time to wish on your behalf congratulations to Lieutenant Colonel Carl Wood on completion of what must have been a very satisfying tour of duty as Commanding Officer and to wish him best wishes and success in his future posting.

The annual Beating the Retreat ceremony at Queenscliff fort was presented on Saturday 27 February. Mina and I went along to see it as we often do. Several members attended, Edmund Williams and Alice, Reg Morrell and family and Brian Cleeman and Barbara. The troops on parade were from 8/7 Battalion Royal Victoria Regiment and the Company Commander was Geoff Cole who many will remember as a former battery commander at Geelong. The band was the Army Band Melbourne (not as good as ours). A concert followed the ceremony and guns from 38 Medium Battery joined in for the 1812 Overture.

On Sunday 7 March I went along with a group of 19 members to visit the School of Artillery at Puckapunyal as advertised in the previous copy of Cascabel. Sergeant Ian Wingate has penned a few notes about that pleasant day.

Next on the program is Anzac Day. There will be a dawn service at the Chapel Street Depot followed by a Gun Fire Breakfast before the March. After the march there will be the usual gatherings at the Depot and I look forward to seeing many of you there.

For the officers the Gunner Dinner is scheduled for 25 June. There was some discussion about that date but it is now confirmed. Application forms will be distributed in due course. If you have not attended for some years and wish to this year write in to the magazine.

Best wishes

Merv Taggart

Membership Report

March 1999

The deaths of Maj C. V. Barnden, Sgt T Biggs, and WO1 R Hayes were noted with sadness recently. On behalf of all members, I would express our sympathy to their families.

I am pleased to report that we have added two more new members recently. They are LTCOL W Myers and BDR C Armstead. Welcome to you both and I trust your association with us is long and happy.

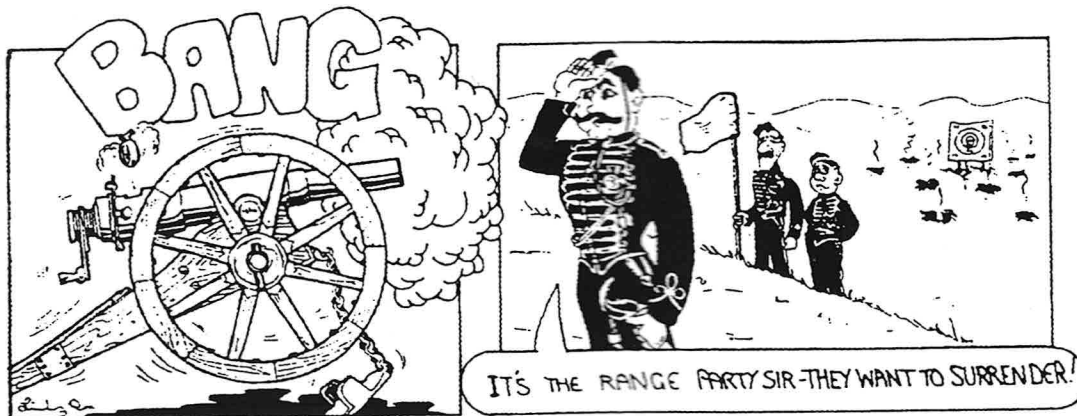
Do you know a gunner who might like to join us. If so, then please request a nomination form from me to pass on to them.

At the AGM in August the subscription for 1998/99 was set at \$12. Unfortunately a few annual members did not respond to three notices to pay their fees for this year and were consequently deleted from the membership register at the February meeting. To all those who did respond quickly, thank you as it makes my job so much easier.

The membership register currently stands at 395.

If you are about to move then please ensure you advise us. Please cut out and post the change of address notice on the cover of this issue, or telephone me at work on (03) 9781-2633 or at home on (03) 9787-7852.

DAVID OSBORNE
MAJOR
VICE PRESIDENT AND
MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY.





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The following items may be purchased by mail, or at selected Association activities.

PRICE LIST

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RAA Assoc (Vic), members (limit two per member)	\$5.00
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2nd/10th Medium Regiment Band

<i>Voice of the Gunners</i> recording cassette	\$15.00
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Cap, RAA badged	\$7.00
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Wallet, cam	\$5.00

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Blue with red flash	\$30.00
Blue with single red gun	\$30.00
Blue with small gold gun	\$30.00
Maroon with small gold gun	\$30.00

Books

<i>The Gunners</i>	\$30.00
<i>Kookaburra's Cutthroats</i>	\$39.00
<i>Aust Military Equip Profiles</i>	\$13.50
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Card, RAA badge, with envelope	
Christmas message	\$0.40
blank inside	\$0.40
Stickers	
Bumper: <i>Gunners do it with a bigger bang</i>	\$2.00
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ORDERS:

Most orders will require an additional FIVE DOLLARS packing and postage, which will cover one to several small items. If in any doubt concerning this, or availability, please contact one of the enquiries numbers above.

Cheques should be made payable to RAA Association (Victoria) Inc, and be crossed *Not Negotiable*.

Orders to: Mr B. Cleeman
28 Samada Street
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VISIT TO SCHOOL OF ARTILLERY

7 MARCH 1999

At 09.30 on Sunday, 7 March nineteen mixed adults plus our four year old junior mascot Teague Morgan assembled in the car park at the School of Artillery as advised in the last edition of Cascabel.

At 09.50 the President and Brian Cleeman arrived. They apparently don't read Cascabel as they thought it was an 10.00 RV.

Major Peter Bruce, OC Support Wing then conducted the party of open mouthed RAA Assn visitors through the \$37 million upgrade of the former 1 Armd Regt's Robertson Barracks, now renamed Bridges Barracks and the new home of the School of Artillery. The School was previously located at North Head NSW.

The most interesting tour of inspection lasted for about one and a quarter hours. The state of the art training building was mind boggling. Merv Taggart thanked Peter for his time after which we repaired to the shores of Monash Lake for a pleasant picnic lunch.



Some of the party preparing lunch.



What does a young boy do at Monash Lake at School of Artillery, Puckapunyal ? Throw stones into the water of course, what else? These photos were taken during the visit to the School by Association members on Sunday 7 Mar 99.



The smiling committee; Brian Cleeman, Robin Smith, Merv Taggart, Teague Morgan Master Gunner) thank you Major Peter J. Bruce, OC Support Wing, School of Artillery, our host for this tour.

Later in the day most of us visited the Puckapunyal Open Day activities where most units had their equipment on display.

LUNCHTIME:

Terry Diggins has a hot dog and a fat gut!
Dave Green is as LAID back as ever!
Don Roderick's wondering where his next tinny is coming from!



Ian Wingate is just stressed and needs a smoke!
Is Linda dressing or undressing?

Note: Rocket Scientist HQ in background, gun bays and workshops attached about 1/2 a click further on.

SGT Ian Wingate, and

SGT Don Roderick

What's Happening at North Fort?

by Colonel Don Tait (Retired)

Over the last couple of months we have devoted much energy and time to the planning and preparation for the future. One aspect of this process has involved a top down business plan and bottom up budgets from the business units for FY 98/99. The overall budget for the North Fort Museum is nearing completion. Being the first time that we have used this business strategy it is pleasing to see how well it has been done by those involved.

Another pleasing aspect of the last couple of months has been the outcomes of the efforts of Colonel John Kirkwood who has the responsibility for the Human Resources Business Unit. He has arranged for Reserve and Regular RAA Units to provide manpower to do specific projects at North Fort. The response from all units has been outstanding and, with what is planned for the future, it is evident that it will continue. Colonel Kirkwood will provide a report on this support at the AGM.

We are putting a lot of effort into the development of the main Museum building which is now called 'Artillery Hall'. Laurie Hindmarsh is completing his planning of the Colonial Exhibition in the main hall of the building and Alan Smith has started the planning for the Artillery Science Exhibit in the present Education Room. Other changes are being planned for other rooms in Artillery Hall and a complete overview of this building will be presented at the AGM.

The restoration in the tunnels has progressed extremely well and the contractor is congratulated for the work he has done. Most of the seep holes are now operating and, as a result, the water pressure on the tunnels has been reduced. Additionally, a large amount of die deterioration in the cement lining of the tunnels has been repaired. It has helped reduce the seepage and will increase the tunnels' lifetime.

The Memorial Walk project continues with a submission to the Department of Veteran Affairs being submitted for a large grant to help fund the project. The Federal Member for Manly is sponsoring the submission, which has been endorsed by the local RSL Sub-Branches and the Manly Council. In anticipation that it will be approved, personnel from 1st Field Regiment have cleared the sites for the five monuments - Colonial Wars, First World War, Second World War, Post 1945 Wars and Conflicts, and Peacekeeping and Home Front. There will be a presentation on this project at the AGM.

A growing group of sponsors are supporting the North Fort Museum. One such supporter is the RAA Association NSW (Inc) who have undertaken to fund 9.2 inch dummy ammunition and has made a donation of \$1300. 40 rounds have been purchased and are currently being painted with the appropriate markings. They will be on display shortly.

Recently, we were given the second married quarter at the entrance to the Fort for use as a North Fort Shop Complex. The Coffee and Fort shops will be relocated from their present location by 1 October 1998. The outcome of this new addition is that we have one married quarter for the shops and the other one for administration. The Administration Building will include a Fort Mess. Again there will be more information given on these married quarters at the AGM.

Now that we have a home for the shops, their operation will assume greater importance. This importance is reflected in the securing of the services of a smaller advisor - Mr Marious Hemarides, a small business owner in Manly. We thank him for making himself available.

Colonel Don Tait (Retired)

MEMBERSHIP SURVEY

Let's face it, for a common bonded association of 402 Members, the RAA Assn (Vic) Inc to only get an attendance of 21 mixed adults and one 4 year old boy to an Open Day and Inspection of the Bridges Barracks (Vic), which replaces the School of Artillery North Head (NSW), on a long weekend in March, is pretty slack eh!

You're probably like me -- - too busy! However I've now been to several functions since Batman Ave closed and found them all to be convivial and worthwhile.

After spending \$37 million on the old tank joint - it's drop dead, drop your jaw, mouth watering, gob stopping, un bloody believable mate and Jeff hasn't claimed credit for it ... yet!

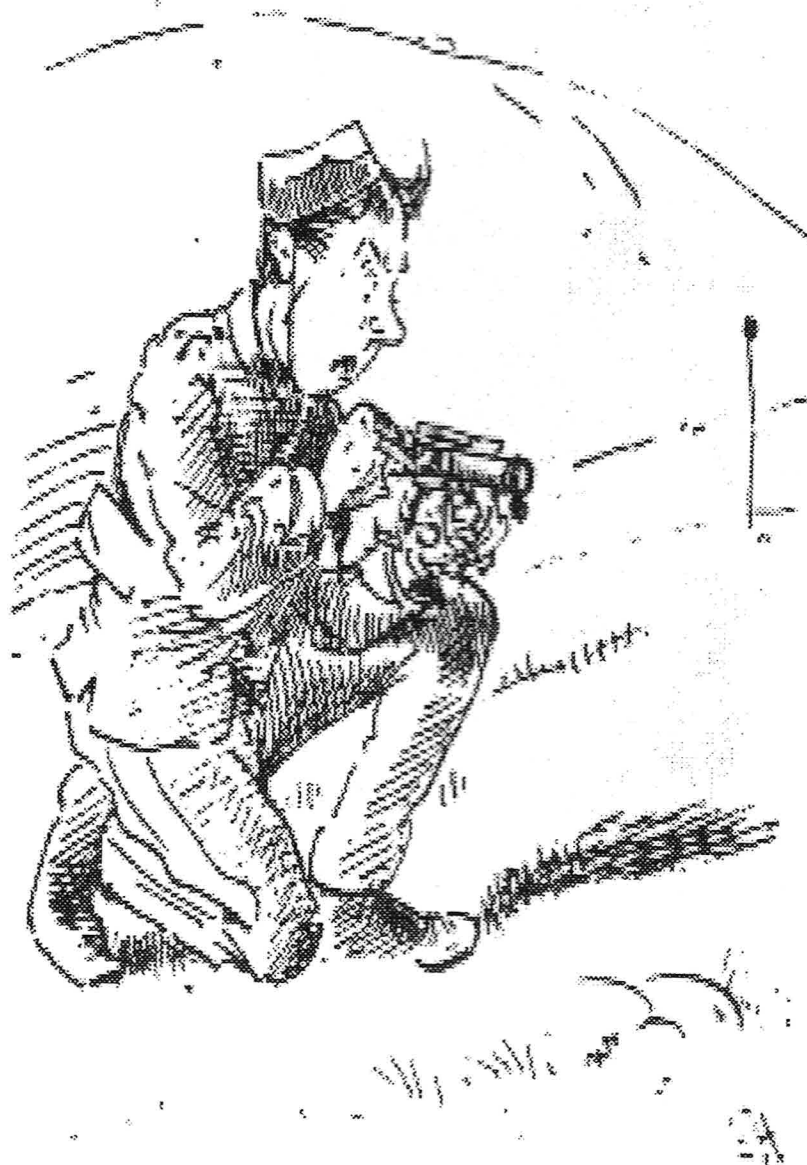
So how about taking 5 minutes of your valuable time and a 45 cent stamp and return this survey please.

Thank you in anticipation, see you somewhere Anzac Day, April 25th,

Yours in Gunnery,

SGT Ian "Windy" Wingate

A is the Artilleryman,
not over bright,
a little "mixed up" with
the Angle of Sight.



British Gunner Unwell

As some of you will have read, in the Sun-Herald on Monday 1 Feb 99, that famous Goon, Singer, Sir Harry Secombe, was in hospital after suffering a stroke. What a lot of people don't know is that Sir Harry was once LBDR H. Secombe, Royal Artillery.

Yes! Sir Harry is one of us. Having met Sir Harry on a couple of occasions, I rang the hospital in Surrey where he was taken, but was told he had been transferred to a Private Hospital, and was given the phone number. I then rang the private hospital, and upon identifying myself, my call was put through to Sir Harry's room.

The phone was answered by his daughter Jennifer and I then told her who I was and where I was calling from. Jennifer told me that Sir Harry had suffered a mild stroke, and was making good progress, although his speech was a bit slurred.

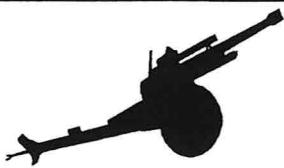
I conveyed the best wishes of the Association and all Australian Gunners for his speedy recovery, and this was passed on to Sir Harry by Jennifer, who said he would appreciate this very much. I am sure we all wish a quick recovery for a fellow Gunner.

SSgt E. J. Paddon
RAA Assoc Committee.

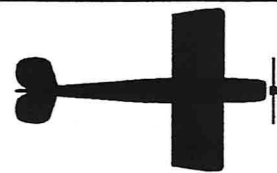
Anzac Day Sun 25 Apr 99



RAA Assn (Vic) Inc members will again be hosted by the 2/10 Mdm Regt at Chapel Street Depot for breakfast after the Dawn Service at 0545 hrs and the usual Reunion of Gunners after the March.



HISTORICAL and HERITAGE COMMITTEE (RAE & RAA)



SUNDAY, 28th MARCH, 1999.

Tour:

Visit to RAAF Museum
and Homestead at
Point Cook.



Timetable:

1000 Hours:

Rendezvous at Point Cook
Homestead.
Melways Map 208 H12.



1200 Hours:

Lunch at base.



1400 Hours

Tour of RAAF Museum.



1600 Hours:

Departure.



Cost:

Approximately \$17:00 which includes tour cost.



RSVP:

21st March, 1999.
Reg MORRELL (Treasurer)
Home: 9562 9552



Letters to the Editor

I was interested to read Chris Armstrong's article on the "Coward Who Won a VC" as I received the Book by Colleen McCulloch on Sir Roden's life at Xmas and it was a very good read. I can recommend it to anyone who can get a copy.

Another comment about the Portland Battery review by MAJGEN Whitelaw. I also have this booklet and found it a good read, but at the same time I purchased an A4 booklet on Portland's Volunteer Rifle Corps 1859 - 1863 by the same Gwen Bennett, [cost \$5]. This unit preceded the Artillery unit but I think most of the men just accepted the change from Infantry to Artillery, but of course with more pride. The same thing happened here in Victoria with the original Brighton Rifles before changing to Artillery around 1860's.

I also wish to pass on a sick list report for any old timers both AIF and CMF C1948 to let gunners who remember WO2 Wally Culpitt from Dandenong depot of the 15 Fd and possibly was in 10 Fd Regt.

Wally was a gun Sgt in Alamein [I think] and I have forgotten what unit but he also served with Jim Barry at the Dandenong depot.

Wally is a member of the Box Hill RSL but has unfortunately been unable to get there on Friday happy hours as he is now permanently in Medley Sutton nursing home, at 2 Gasgoyne St, Canterbury.

I am sure if any one is passing it would be good for Wal to see an old face. Wally told me once that his grandfather was born in the old SM cottage at the Chapel St Depot when his grandfather was posted as the depot Sergeant Major.

Craig Cook
WO2 (ret'd)

Thanks Craig for your comments and news. See further comments in Editor's Exoterics on page 5. Ed.

I want to inform all those members who have not purchased the RAA band music to do so. I was truly impressed by the professionalism of these young musicians, the vocals were superb. To WO1 Farrell, pass on my congratulations to the members of the band, keep it up. I look forward to the next Edition.

Alistair (Jock) MacDonald
Member in the Sunshine State

Good on ya ! Jock, I couldn't agree more. Ed.

Please accept my thanks for a great read over the years. It's good to be able to keep in touch even though I have not been active with the regiment for some years. Regards,

Lorenzo A Marasco

Thanks for the encouragement Lorenzo. See further comments in Editor's Exoterics on page 5. Ed.

This letter is inspired by the article "The Letter Batteries" and the "Gunner" career of R.E. Neal as reported in the last issue of Cascabel.

Like him I was a Militia man in the 6th Heavy Brigade and was mobilised on the 2nd September 1939 and posted to Port Phillip Heads.

Great store is always placed on the fact that the first British shots were fired from the same gun from Point Nepean, Victoria in both wars. The 1914 incident is an historic fact, when the German steamer Phalz was apprehended endeavouring to clear Port Phillip before the declaration of war took effect.. In my view however, the 1939 incident is a bit dodgy as the vessel concerned was a small coastal trader registered in Melbourne that was not aware that hostilities against Germany had commenced.

However, newspaper reports and tourist spiel these days when relating these incidents usually conclude with the statement that these two rounds were the only ones fired in anger in the century or more that these fortifications have been in existence.

However, sometime in 1940 I was an ammunition number on this historic gun and we fired a plug round at an unidentified war ship which turned out to be H.M.A.S Yarra when bonafides were established.

International law at this time required a challenge round to be fired with a 6° deflection. As the auto sight could only achieve a 2° deflection, it was necessary to trail the gun 4° to gain the required 6°. The order was for a 2° right deflection and trail right 4°, this as any gunner would realise in fact effectively put a 2° left deflection on the gun when fired, a somewhat smaller margin of safety than was intended.

All is well that ends well, the round missed "Yarra" and the examination vessel Aruna took off for Cape Schank at a speed I am sure was well in excess of that for which she was designed. Some 58 years on I am sure that the foregoing incident deserves a mention whether or not it should be deemed to be in anger or not. Yours sincerely,

Neil MacGlashan

I believe all of the above deserves a mention Neil, thanks for sharing it with us. Ed

The following article appeared originally in the 1st Action Front, Jan 1940. COL Ramsey was later MAJGEN and commanded 3rd and 4th Divs.

Phil Wortham

Jan 1940 ! Now that's really getting back into history, thanks a million for digging the following article out for us Phil, it is indeed of interest and of course I think I can speak for the whole membership in saying we all agree with the thought expressed in the title. It is always good to see the guns again eh ? Fellas ? Ed

"It's Good to See the Guns Again"

"It's good to see the guns again."

The senior infantry officer who made this remark went on to tell us how, after a day or two "out in the blue" without artillery support, there grew a feeling of confidence and security when the guns behind them began to speak again.

His little anecdote seems to crystallise the task before all of us in this 2/2nd Field Regiment. Some of us have trained for years and have a certain amount of knowledge of the gunner's art. Others have started at the very beginning. But there can be no doubt that everyone is resolved to learn his own particular part thoroughly. When we have done this we have to work into a team. There must be teamwork among the gunners in a detachment, teamwork among the drivers, teamwork between the troops and between the batteries.

Even our 2/2nd Field Regiment is only a part of the Greater Regiment - the Regiment of Artillery. The traditions of "the Regiment" are there to inspire every young gunner - we must give our comrades of the infantry all the support and protection they want, when they want it and where they want it. And that support we must give, often regardless of the cost.

Now in less serious vein! There are many lighter moments in this soldiering business - in fact, when you look back on it all in after years, the lighter moments are the ones that stick in the memory. Because this paper will produce some of these lighter moments we welcome it and look forward to further numbers.

COL RAMSEY,
CO 2/2nd Field Regiment.

Keep those letters rolling in.

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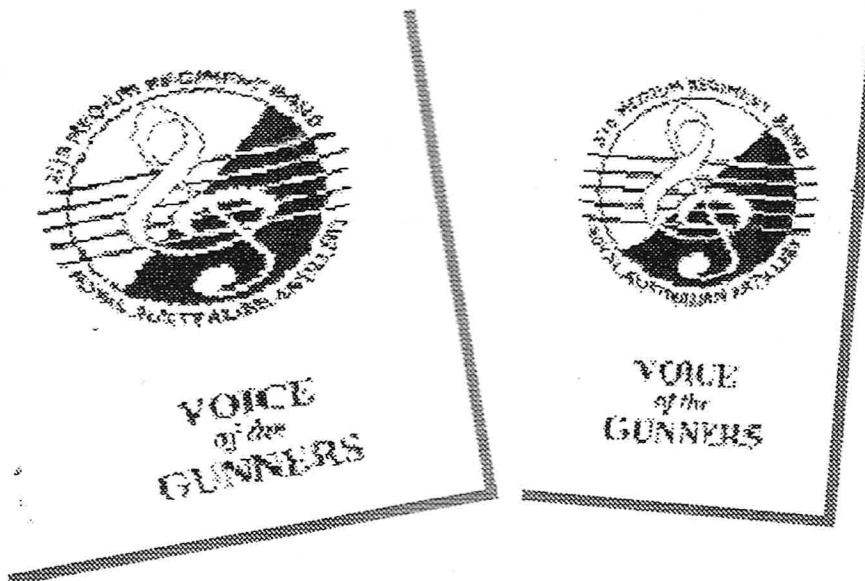
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PARADE CARD 1999

March

28 Visit to Point Cook

April

15 Committee Meeting

25 Anzac Day

May

20 Committee Meeting

June

18 Committee Meeting

25 Gunner Dinner

July

20 Committee Meeting

31 Arty Ball

August

20 Committee Meeting

26 AGM

September

11 Visit Unit in the Field

20 Committee Meeting

October

20 Committee Meeting

November

20 Committee Meeting

December

4 St Barbara's Day

20 Committee Meeting

CHANGING YOUR ADDRESS?

Please forward to:
RAA Association (Vic) Inc.
PO Box 309

Name.....

Old Address:

New Address:

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FRANKSTON VIC 3199

ENSURE ADDRESS DETAILS ARE UPDATED BEFORE NEXT ISSUE

Survey

Tick applicable.

1. Why am I in the RAA Association, 10 words maximum.

2. Do you / have you / do you intend to attend arranged functions.

	No	Yes
3. Do you attend ANZAC Day March	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Shrine Service	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chapel Street Depot	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other Depots	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. Would you and your family attend the following functions when advised through CASCABEL

	No	Yes
a) Tours and Inspections	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b) Mess Happy Hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c) Mess Reunion dining in nights	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
d) Balls, Dances	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e) Theme nights	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f) Gunner dinners, Remember June 25th 1999	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g) Theatre, Live shows, Music, Concert nights	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
h) 2/10 Medium Rgt Band Recitals and Concerts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
i) Live Firing Days and Weekends	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

5. Have you ever visited the Chapel Street Depot ☐ No ☐ Yes

(Optional) Signature

Rank

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Frankston 3199**

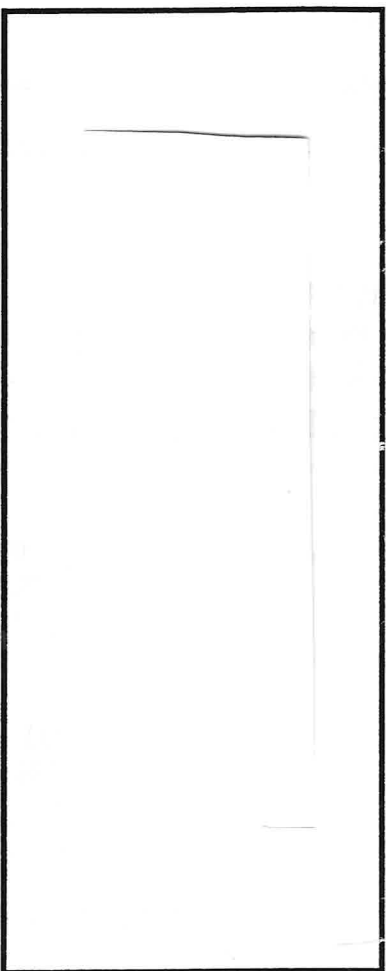
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