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HQ ANGAU
RABAU
10 Oct 45

11 Div
HQ ANGAU
Distrec NEW GUINEA
1 Adv Aust 2 Echelon

PASSENGERS IN MONTEVIDEO MARU

Ref 11 Div AG2712 and Distrec NEW GUINEA 15047 of 5 Oct.

Herewith a list of persons believed to have left
NEW BRITAIN on the MONTEVIDEO MARU.

This list was compiled by Messes A CRESWICK and G THOMAS,
recovered POW at present believed to be at HQ ANGAU LAE.

(Sgd) G.B. DYER WOII for Maj
DO ANGAU RABAU

LEFT RABAU

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| 1. PAGE H H | 2. CARR Allan |
| 3. HOGAN G | 4. HOSKING Dr C |
| 5. MURRY G | 6. COOPER Dr |
| 7. MAWLE F | 8. GEE R |
| 9. FIELD R | 10. PICKERING M |
| 11. TOWNSEND O | 12. HASLEM F |
| 13. GREGORY | 14. NOSS |
| 15. WAYMOND | 16. SCHMIDT A |
| 17. ALLEN E | 18. MITCHELL (pat) |
| 19. STRATHEARN A | 20. SHOBRIDGE I |
| 21. WAYNE R | 22. ASH |
| 23. YOLDEN R | 24. NAULTY |
| 25. REYNOLDS J | 26. COOMBER A |
| 27. ROBINSON Hec | 28. PARRY |
| 29. FILAN S | 30. BECK H |
| 31. BRINSTON | 32. MULVEY J |
| 33. SMITH J M | 34. ATHERTON J |
| 35. WHITEMAN | 36. PINES C |
| 37. LOCKHART | 38. PLUNKET |
| 39. SQUIRES R | 40. ANOTHER P M G |
| 41. BURKE R (Litles) | 42. WALSH T |
| 43. STEVENS Bob | 44. PLUMMER H |
| 45. GREEN Clive | 46. COOKE |
| 47. TICHNER J | 48. ROSS |
| 49. THOMPSON Len | 50. PHILPOTTS |
| 51. BIRD R | 52. McNIVEN |
| 53. SAUNDERS Lionel | 54. RYAN Pat |
| 55. EGGLESTON | 56. CLUNE |
| 57. VENNING | 58. ROBINSON T |
| 59. RANKIN | 60. EDWARDS J H |
| 61. MATER C | 62. McLEAN C H |
| 63/ BROWN Adolf | 64. GOODWIN |
| 65. CRUISE | 66. SEDGERS Joe |
| 67. HAWNT | 70. HAMILTON |
| 71. SMITH J O | 72. STEPHENS R |
| 73. EVANS Tom | 74. ALLSOP |
| 75. KING Audit | 76. COOK |
| 77. SOLOMONS | 78. BATH |
| 79. PERRETT A | 80. SPENSLEY |
| 81. WALKER Tom | 82. EVANS J |
| 83. FORSYTH R | 84. BRYAN |
| 85. BECKETT H | 86. DOYLE H |
| 87. STEWART Jm | 88. McLEAN Jan |
| 89. HOOGERWAGT J | 90. BARNES C |
| 91. RENTON | 92. GASCOYNE C |
| 93. GASCOYNE J | 94. HOLLAND H |
| 95. FLORENCE V | 96. CLARKE R L |
| 97. BUNKS E | 98. MOORE Dick |
| 99. DODD H | 100. HERKETT Tom |
| 101. HOPKINS E | 102. SHEHLER |
| 103. REID S | 104. BISHOFF Jnr |
| 105. TAIT Jnr | 106. BRAIN |
| 107. HERON C B H | 108. TRITTON |
| 109. RA E | 110. HOUGHTON (Natava) |
| 111. ENSEIDEL | 112. FULTON H |
| 113. DRANE C | 114. MULLIGAN |
| 115. McLAREN | 116. BIGNELL E |
| 117. McCHENE | 118. CAMPBELL H J (timber) |
| 119. EARLE Bert | 120. REYNOLDS Jnr |
| 121. McADAM Eric | 122. NOONAM Clive |
| 123. McCATHY (Mission) | 124. LIMGOOD (Mission) |
| 125. ABBOTT S D A " | 126. OAKES " |
| 127. ALLEY " | 128. PEARCE " |
| 129. HENNESSEY " | 130. COLLETT SDA " |

131. PEARSON Howard
133. BEASLEY
135. ADAMS Harry
137. WILLMOTT
139. SETCHELL
141. SAUNDERS
143. GREEN Allen
145. BOX
147. ATKINSON
149. GREENWOOD
151. RAND Dixon
153. GOAD
157. BYE
159. CARLISLE
161. McROY
163. BEKMAN Loleban
165. JARRIS
167. McCULLOCH —
169. BRISTO Dr

132. TREVITT
134. WASHINGTON Gee
136. O'DWYER Neel
138. PINCHING
140. ALLEN Cuy
142. BUNNY John
144. McKELLEN Col
146. MUGGLETON
148. WALLACE TV
150. COBB
152. HAMILTON F
154. MORELL
156. GANNON
158. HOLDEN
160. CARSON Leon
162. BELL Don
164. OKMOND Jim
166. BREMAN —
168. HAY Dr

36 crew of "HOERSTEIN"

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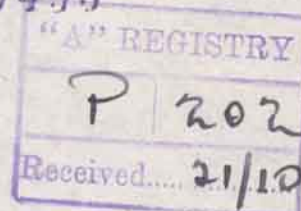
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HQ 11 Div ✓

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1. Subtended are paras 1 and 2 (a) (c) and (d) of HQ AMF (02E) memo 082588 of 10 Oct 45: -

"1. It is clear from various reports reaching LHQ (02E) that more information has been obtained by interrogation in Rabaul than has been indicated in 1 Aust Adv 2 Ech Signals.

2. (a) Attached to a letter recently received from Department of External Territories was a copy of a memorandum dated 21 Sep 1945 from AIB regarding 158 former residents of Rabaul stated to have embarked for Japan from Rabaul in "Montevideo Maru" on 26 Jun 1942.

(c) It was stated in AIB memo that the report about the personnel and of their shipment per "Montevideo Maru" was substantially confirmed by a written Japanese report to CO 4 Aust Brigade."

(d) The Dept of External Territories has therefore asked the AMF for confirmation, but so far no list of names of personnel believed to be on board the "Montevideo Maru" has yet reached LHQ (02E) from any AMF source in New Guinea. The only lists of names so far received of personnel believed to have been on "Montevideo Maru" have been from personnel released from Japan and are only sectional lists.

2. It is requested that a report be obtained to show the reasons why this information was not passed in accordance with GRO 112/45.

3. The first direct information of persons who were embarked on "Montevideo Maru" received at this HQ and 1 Aust Adv 2 Ech was contained in a report by DADWGS First Army - Major MELVILLE on his return from RABAU. This matter should have been reported in RABAU by Major MELVILLE before he left.

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