Nine officers and two hundred and fifty nine other ranks marched into Camp, these included attached personnel from Adelaide, Melbourne and Queensland University Regiments, who had left their home state for study and returned for the long vacation. The strength of the unit and the degree of co-ordinated training was not yet at a pitch to attempt a battalion exercise so two 2-day exercises were conducted, each company augmenting the numbers of the other. The first exercise was carried out by 'B' Company which pursued its enemy from Clackline to Northam with periodic skirmishes finalising in a dawn attack. During the preceding night, walkie-talkie wireless sets not only brought in reports from patrols and posts, but musical interludes from Radio Indonesia.

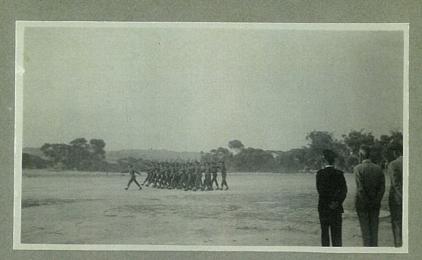
The Exercise conducted by 'A' Company was similar in aim with the exception that the culmination was a night withdrawal over ground liberally covered by rabbit warrens, barbed-wire fences and slumbering cattle.

It was a successful camp, but was hampered a little in the latter stages by the gradual march out of the 1952 intake of National Servicemen. This was brought about by the reduction from one hundred and seventy six days to one hundred and forty days training to be done by National Service Trainees with their Citizen Military Force Units. It had not been possible to adjust the Home Training syllabus and so avoid this disruption. Altogether, 58 men who had completed their NS obligation chose to be placed on the inactive list. By 1 July 1954 the Regiment had:

	Officers	Other Ranks
National Servicemen	2	168
Citizen Military Force	7	12
	9	180

Under the eye of the Commanding Officer and visitions from W.A. University

and led by the striding legs of 2th John Collins, the Guard marches off.



Week-end outing, early 50s style. A squad of Leighton Camp, (Buckland Hill).



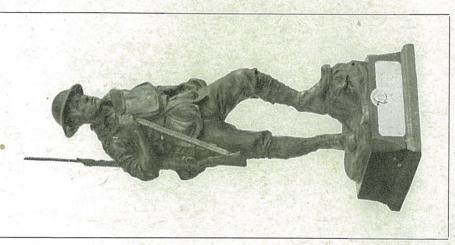
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## C.M.F. TROPHY BACK AFTER 15 YEARS

For the first time in 15 years, a West Australian Citizen Military Force unit has been awarded the Army trophy for the most efficient C.M.F. Unit in the Commonwealth.

The trophy was presented to the University of W.A. Regiment yesterday by the president of the Returned Servicemen's League in W.A. (Mr. F. C. Chaney).

Mr. Chaney who made the presentation at the regiment's annual camp at Northam, also gave the unit a framed certificate commemorating the win.

The trophy has been won only once before by a W.A. unit—the 11th Battalion in 1937-38. The trophy is awarded annually to the unit gaining the most points for home and camp training, weapon training, and general efficiency.

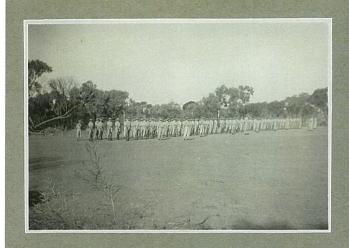
The trophy is a bronze statuette of a World War I digger on a rock pedestal. It is mounted on a piece of wood from the original H.M.A.S. Sydney.

Donated by the R.S.L. in 1935, the trophy was reported to have been sculptured by a commandant of the military district of W.A. in pre-World War I years, Brig.-Gen. Carl Jess.

It has been held by the University of Adelaide Regiment since 1948.

The General Officer Commanding Western Command (Major-Gen. L. G. H. Dyke) inspected the regiment and later took the salute.

Press cutting reporting the event depicted on the previous page.



Regiment drawn up on the inspection line.



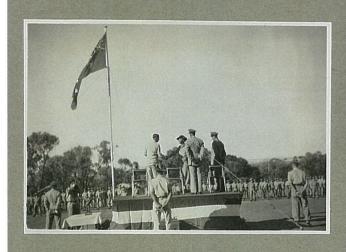
The GOC Western Command and the Commander 13 Infantry Brigade arrive.



The Regiment is inspected.

PRESENTATION OF RESALLA TROPHY.

FEBRUARY 1955



Col Bray receives the Trophy Certificate from Mr. F. Chaney of the R.S.L.



The Regiment marches past Commanding Officer Lt Col W.R. Bray Capt CP Yacopetti, MC Adjutant R.S.M. WO1 H.C. Vasey



Informal group after the ceremony Mr. F. Chaney
Maj Gen L.G.H. Dyke, CBE, DSO
Brig A.W. Buttrose, DSO, ED
Lt Col W.R. Bray.

# CEREMONIAL AND PROCEDURE FOR THE PRESENTATION OF COLOURS TO THE WESTERN AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITY REGIMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA ON 25TH MAY. 1958

#### General

- 1. The ceremonial and procedure for the whole ceremony is covered in the following paragraphs.
- 2. Briefs as appropriate are included as Annexes.
- 3. Instructions for the administrative aspects of the ceremony will be issued as an Annex.

#### Annexes

4. The following annexes are to be issued:-

Annex	<u>Designation</u>	
A	Site plan,	
В	Positions in Dais Area and during the inspection.	
C	Positions for the Consecration, Blessing and Dedication Ceremony.	
D	The Form of Service.	
E	Order of Departure of Principal Guests,	
F	Administrative Instructions.	
G	Brief for His Excellency	
H	Brief for the General Officer Commanding.	
J	Brief for the Brigade Commander.	
K	Brief for the Chancellor of the University of Western Australia.	
L	Brief for the Honourary Colonel.	
M	Brief for the Chaplains-General.	
N	Brief for the Commanding Officer for the reception of His Excellency for afternoon tea.	
0	Wet Weather Programme	

#### Invitations

5. Invitations to the Ceremony will include: -

#### (a) Principal Guests

His Excellency the Governor of Western Australia. The Minister for the Army. The Chief of the General Staff. The Citizen Military Force member. The General Officer Commanding Western The Commander 13 Infantry Brigade.
The Director of Infantry.
The Chancellor of the University. The Honourary Colonel.

(The above to be received by the parade) The Honourable Lady Gairdner. The Premier of Western Australia.
The Leader of Her Majesty's Opposition. The Chief Justice and Mrs Drummond.
The Naval Officer in Charge.
The Air Officer Commanding.
The Lord Mayor of Perth. The Anglican Archbishop of Perth. The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Perth. Heads of other Protestant Churches in Western Australia. The Commander Headquarters Group Western Command.

#### (b) Other Guests

Honourary Colonels of Infantry Regiments.
Headmasters of Associated Public Schools.
Principals, Perth Technical College
and Teachers College.
Commanding Officers of major units.
Commanding Officers of other University
Regiments in Australia.
The Senate of the University of Western
Australia.
The Deans of each faculty of the University
of Western Australia.
Senior Executive Officers of the University
of Western Australia.
The State President of the RSSAILA.
The President and General Secretary
of the Y.M.C.A.
Guests of members of the Regiment.
Wives of Officers on parade.
Wives of the Officiating Clergy

## (c) Public

Three public stands will be available to accommodate approximately 600 persons.

#### Troops on Parade

- 6. The Regiment grouped in four companies will form up in three ranks on the inspection line.
- 7. The bands for the ceremony will be the Western Australian University Regiment Band and the Western Command Band. A drum corps will be formed from members of The Western Australian University Regiment Band and will be attached to the Western Command Band for the Consecration Ceremony.

#### Parade Ground

- 8. WHITFIELD COURT, the University Campus.
- 9. The parade ground, position of the dais, and steps and entrance to WHITFIELD COURT are shown in Annex A. (SITE PLAN).

#### Dress

- 10. Troops on Parade
  - (a) All ranks

    Battle Dress
    Boots
    Gaiters
    Hats turned up
    Troops will wear belts web,
    side arms, and carry rifles.
    Orders, decorations and medals
    will be worn.
  - (b) Officers

    Gloves brown leather.
    Sam Browne belt
    Swords will be worn.
  - (c) The two Majors No 1 Dress with swords
  - (d) Warrant Officers, No 1 Dress with medals. and non commissioned Officers taking part in the setting for the Consecration Ceremony.
- 11. Officers in Charge of Reception Arrangements
  - No 1 Dress with swords.
- 12. Officers and Warrant Officers and other Ranks On Duty Off the Parade Ground

No 1 Dress with medals.

13. Other Officers of Her Majesty's Service

Army Officers of Her Majesty's Service attending as guests should wear No 1 Dress without swords; Officers from the other services should wear the dress appropriate to the occasion as required by Service Regulations.

14. The Warrant Officer in Charge of His Excellency's Flag No 1 Dress.

15. Officers in Immediate Attendance on His Excellency

No 1 Dress with swords and appropriate ceremonial equipment.

#### Saluting

- Officers in immediate attendance on His Excellency will salute only on the following occasions.
  - (a) On the arrival of His Excellency or when being presented, as appropriate.
  - (b) When the Colours pass to the immediate front of the dais when they are being paraded and during the march past.
  - (c) When His Excellency departs.
- 17. Officers on duty and service officers attending as guests will salute on the following occasions:
  - (a) During Royal Salutes
  - (b) During the National Anthem
  - (c) When the Colours pass to the immediate front whilst they are being paraded in front of the Regiment, during the march past and when the Colours are marched off.

## Sequence of Events

- 18. Guests are to be seated by 1420 hrs. Music is to be provided by the Western Command Band during the arrival of guests.
- 19. The Regiment marches on at 1430 hrs.
- 20. Officers are posted and the Commanding Officers is received by the Regiment at 1440 hrs.
- 21. The Regiment will be brought to attention and the Commanding Officer only will salute as the following persona are received by the parade at the times shown:-
  - 1442 The Honorary Colonel
  - 1443 The Chancellor of the University of Western Australia.
  - 1444 The Commander 13 Infantry Brigade.
  - 1445 The General Officer Commanding Western Command.
  - 1446 The Minister for the Army.

## Reception of His Excellency

22. The General Officer Commanding and Mrs HARRISON receive His Excellency the Governor of Western Australia and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER at the entrance to WHITFIELD COURT at 1450 hours.

- 23. His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER are escorted to the dais area.
- 24. The General Officer Commanding presents to His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER, the Chancellor of the University of Western Australia and Mrs REID, the Minister for the Army and Mrs CRAMER, the Commander 13 Infantry Brigade and Mrs NEWBERY, the Honorary Colonel and the wife of the Commanding Officer, Mrs COWARD. See Annex B.
- 25. His Excellency, with in immediate attendance, the General Officer Commanding, the Commander 13 Infantry Brigade and the Honorary Colonel ascend the dais. See Annex B.
- 26. The Commanding Officer orders a Royal Salute.
- 27. The Honourable Lady GAIRDNER, the Minister for the Army and Mrs CRAMER, Mrs HARRISON, Mrs NEWBERY, Mrs COWARD and the Chancellor for the University of Western Australia and Mrs REID will be escorted to seats on the terrace.
- 28. The Commanding Officer will move to the base of the terrace and report to His Excellency.
- 29. His Excellency, with in immediate attendance, the General Officer Commanding, the Commander 13 Infantry Brigade, the Honorary Colonel and the Aide de Camp descend the steps from the terrace and inspect the Regiment and the Western Command Band. See Annex B.
- 30. During the inspection of the centre and rear ranks the following action will be completed:-
  - (a) The two majors and the Chaplains will move to the foot of the terrace. See Annex B.
  - (b) Drums will be piled, and, microphones, and kneelers will be positioned. See Annex C.
- 31. When the inspecting party commence to inspect the Band the two majors and the subalterns will march forward to their positions. The Chaplains then turn right, left wheel and move to their positions. See Annex C. Colours will be uncased and placed on the drums.
- 32. Immediately following the inspection of the Band the Commanding Officer will salute His Excellency and move to his position for the consecration ceremony. See Annex C.
- 33. His Excellency and the Officers in immediate attendance move to their positions for the consecration ceremony. See Annex C.
- 34. When all are in position the Commanding Officer will commence the service. See Annex D.
- 35. The Commanding Officer orders the Regiment to attention and asks the Chaplains to bid God's blessing on the Colours.

- 36. The Chaplains, in turn, consecrate, bless and dediacate the Colours.
- 37. The Commanding Officer stands the parade at ease and continues the service, (See Annex D) concluding with the Lord's Prayer.
- 38. The Commanding Officer will order the parade to attention, and the subalterns will move forward and kneel.
- 39. The two majors will take up the Colours and carry them to a position on the outside front of the two subalterns and face inwards.
- 40. As His Excellency approaches the matter will hand the Colour to him. When the Queens Colour and then the Regimental Colour has been handed over by His Excellency the subalterns rise and remain at attention, Colours at the carry. The two majors step back one pace and salute.
- 41. His Excellency salutes the Colours.
- 42. The Commanding Officer orders the parade to stand easy.
- 43. His Excellency now addresses the parade. See Appendix 1 to Annex G.
- 44. The Commanding Officer replies to His Excellency's address.
- 45. On conclusion the Commanding Officer will step back one pace and salute His Excellency.
- 46. The Chaplains move to their original posttions at the foot of the terrace. See Annex C.
- 47. His Excellency is escorted to the foot of the steps, and the General Officer Commanding presents the Chaplains to His Excellency.
- 48. The drums microphone and kneelers are now removed.
- 49. His Excellency and Officers in immediate attendance now ascend the dais. (Positions are shown in Annex B). At the same time the Chaplains leave the Parade Ground and resume their seats on the terrace.
- 50. When His Excellency ascends the dais the subalterns turn about and face the Regiment.
- 51. The Commanding Officer orders a General Salute.
- 52. On the third movement of the present the Band plays a General Salute. On completion of the General Salute the Band will play two three beat rolls followed immediately by the National Anthem. The subalterns will step off in slow time with the Colours flying, on the first beat of the National Anthem.
- 53. When the Colour Party arrives in position in the centre of the Regiment it halts and turns about.
- 54. The Commanding Officer orders the parade to stand at ease.

#### Parading the Colours

- 55. The Band marches and counter marches, in slow time and quick time, in front of the Regiment.
- 56. The Colours are then paraded in front of the Regiment in slow time. The Colour Party Commander orders Colour Party slow march. The Regiment presents arms.
- 57. After parading, the Colours resume their position in the centre of the parade.

#### March Past and Avance in Review Order

- 58. The Regiment march past His Excellency in quick time.
- 59. The Regiment reforms on the inspection line.
- 60. The Regiment advances in review order and the Commanding Officer orders a Royal Salute. The Western Command Band plays the first six bars of the National Anthem.

#### Departure of His Excellency form the Parade.

- 61. His Excellency then descends the dais and is joined by the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER.
- 62. His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER are escorted to the exit of WHITFIELD COURT by the General Officer Commanding Western Command and Mrs HARRISON.
- 63. As His Excellency arrives at the exit the Commanding Officer orders in farewell, a Royal Salute.
- 64. His Excellency and the Honoutable Lady GAIRDNER then move to the Sunken Garden for afternoon tea, by the following roads:-

EAST along Stirling Highway to Hackett Drive, Princess Road, thence by Fairway to the WEST entrance of the University.

- 65. Principal guests leave the enclosure and move to the Sunken Garden by car, to await the arrival of His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER. See Annex E for order of departure.
- 66. Remaining guests stay seated until the Regiment marches off parade.

#### Reception at the Garden

- 67. His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER are received by the Commanding Officer and Mrs COWARD at the entrance to the Garden.
- 68. Principal Guests will be presented by the Commanding Officer.
- 69. His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER are served with light refreshments.
- 70. After tea, the Officers of the University Regiment and their wives are presented to His Excelleny and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER.

- 71. His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER move to the exit of the Sunken Garden.
- 72. The Western Command Band play the National Anthem.
- 73. His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER depart.
- 74. Principal Guests depart.
- 75. The General Officer Commanding and Mrs HARRISON depart.

#### WESTERN AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITY REGIMENT

#### PRESENTATION OF COLOURS

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR
on SUNDAY, 25th MAY, 1958, at 2.30 p.m.

#### OFFICIAL ENCLOSURE A1

ROW.

PLEASE USE ROUTE TO OFFICIAL ENCLOSURE MARKED IN RED ON THE SITE PLAN.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITY REGIMENT

#### PRESENTATION OF COLOURS

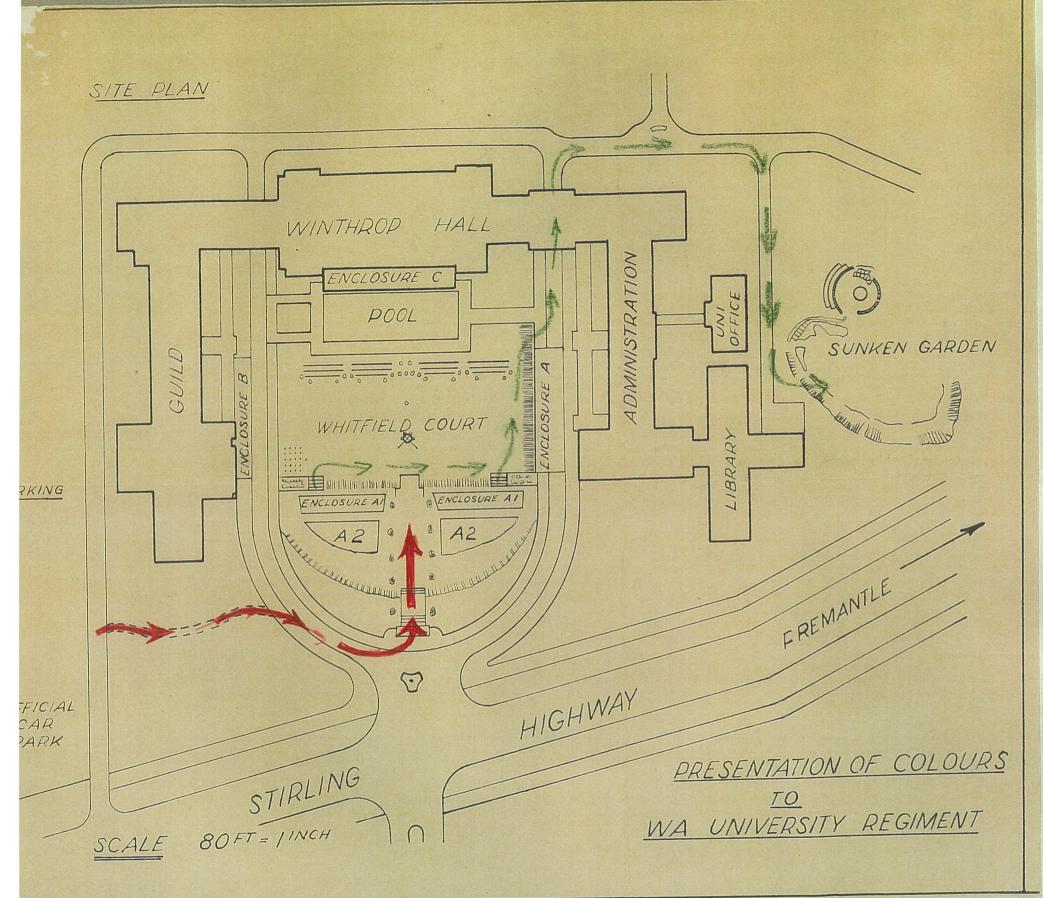
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HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR

on SUNDAY, 25th MAY, 1958, at 2.30 p.m.

#### OFFICIAL ENCLOSURE C

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## POSITIONS IN DAIS AREA

Positions of the Official Party on being presented to His Excellency and the Honourable Lady GAIRDNER.

ENTRANCE

#### Mrs HARRISON

The Honourable HE GOC Lady GAIRDNER + +

X Dr REID

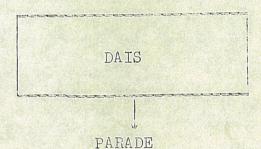
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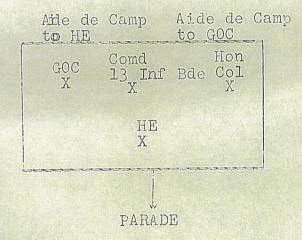
X Mrs NEWBERY

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X Mrs COWARD



Positions on the Dais for the Royal Salute.

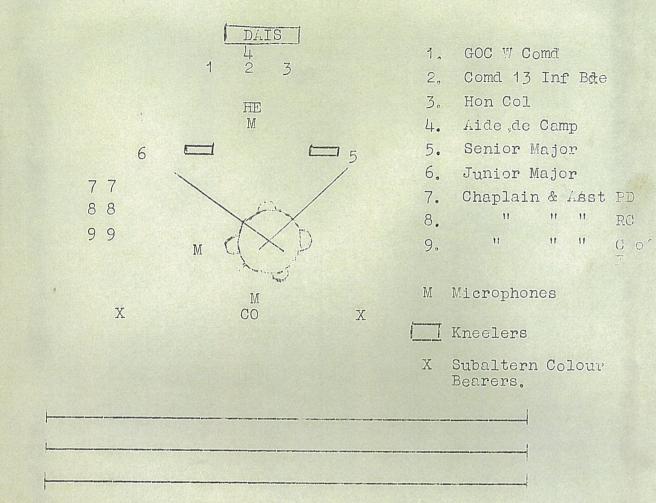


POSITIONS DURING THE INSPECTION

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- 1. Commanding Officer WAUR
- 2. General Officer Commanding Western Command
- 3. Commander 13 Infantry Brigade
- 4. Honourary Colonel WAUR
- 5. Aide de Camp to HE.

#### POSITIONS FOR THE CONSECRATION, BLESSING AND DEDICATION CEREMONY



#### NOTES:

- The subaltern Colour Bearers will move forward and kneel, on the conclusion of the Lord's Prayer and after the Commanding Officer has ordered the parade to attention.
- (b) The two Majors will take up the Colours immediately after the Subalterns kneel.

#### POSITIONS FOR THE TWO MAJORS AND CHAPLAINS PRIOR TO THE CEREMONY

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The Commanding Officer shall say :-

Forasmuch as men at all times have made for themselves signs and emblems of their allegiance to their rulers, and of their duty to uphold those laws and institutions which God's providence has called them to obey; we, following this ancient and pious custom, and remembering that God Himself led His people Israel by a pillar of fire by night and a pillar of cloud by day, are met together before God to ask His blessing on these Colours, which are to represent to us our duty towards our Sovereign and our Country. May they never be unfurled, save in the cause of justice and righteousness; and may God make them to be to those who follow them a sign of His presence in all dangers and distresses, and so increase their faith and hope in Him, who is King of kings and Lord of lords.

The Commanding Officer and the troops shall then say :-

- To the service of God and the hallowing of his Holy Name; CO:
- All: We dedicate ourselves afresh.
- CO: To the love of our Queen and Country, and to the welfare of mankind;
- All: We dedicate ourselves afresh.
- To the maintenance of honour and the sanctity of man's CO: plighted word;
- All: We dedicate ourselves afresh.
- CO: To the protection of all those who pass to and fro on their lawful occasions;
- All: We dedicate ourselves afresh.
- CO: To the preservation of order and good government;
- All: We dedicate ourselves afresh.
- To the hallowed memory of our comrades, whose courage CO: and endurance add undying lustre to our emblems;
- All: We dedicate our Colours.
- In continual rememberance of our solemn oath and in CO: token of our resolve faithfully and truly to keep it to the end;
- We dedicate our Colours. All:

The troops will be called to attention and the Commanding Officer shall say :-

Reverend Sirs, on behalf of the Regiment we ask you to bid God's blessing on these Colours,

Each Chaplain General on the parade (or his representative) will then in turn move forward to consecrate, bless or dedicate the Colours.

The Chaplain General, Church of England, laying his hand on the Colours, shall say :-

In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, we do consecrate and set apart these Colours, that they may be a sign of our duty towards our Queen and our Country in the sight of God. Amen. 12000

The Chaplain General, Roman Catholic, blessing the Colours, shall say :-

Bless, O Lord, these Colours which we bless in Thy Name, that those who follow them, may be ever mindful of Thy Presence, guided by Thy Will, and guarded by Thy Providence:

Making the Sign of the Cross over the Colours he continues

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The Colours are now sprinkled with Loly Water.

The Chaplain General, Protestant Denominations, laying his hand on the Colours, shall say :-

In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, we do dedicate and set apart these Colours, that they may be a sigh of our duty towards our Queen and our Country in the sight of God. Amen.

The troops will be stood at ease.

Then all on parade shall say together :-

O Lord our God:

He beholdest all the kingdoms of the earth; have regard unto our land; that it may continue a place and a people; who serve Thee to the end of time.

Grant that all who live beneath our flag; may be so mindful of its crosses; that they may work for the good of others; according to the example of Him; who died upon a cross in the service of men,

Let-Thy gracious favour rest on all; who shall follow the Colours; now about to be committed to our trust; May our courage ever rest; on our sure confidence in Thee; May we show self control; in the hour of success; and patience; in the time of adversity.

May our honour lie; in seeking the honour and glory of Thy great Name; through Jesus Christ; Our Lord; Amen.

And also :-

The Lord's Prayer.

The Commanding Officer, Officers and Members of the

Western Australian University Regiment request the honour of the company of

Presentation of Queen's and Regimental Colours

His Excellency the Governor of Western Australia

Lieutenant-General Sir Charles Gairdner K. C.M. G., K. C. V.O., C.B., C.B. E.

at the University of Western Australia, on Sunday, 25th May, 1958 at 2.30 p.m.

A reply is requested to Western Australian University Regiment, by 11th May, 1958.

On Receipt of Acceptance Entree Cards will be forwarded