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Half-Century Routine Orders

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Aircraftman Fo-class MA{?} Plonk, Binding,

O 292 (T.Y.F.O.) Squadron, R.A.F.

DUTIES - DUTY OFFICER - ORDERLY OFFICER. - ORDERLY SERGEANT.

31.9.44 -- F/L Ayre, - P/O See, - F/S. Rescue, 32.9.44 - F/L Warwick, - P/O Mark, - F/S. One. 33.9.44 - to be selected at a later date.

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31.9.44 - F/O. Cunningham, - W/C. Starling. - F/L. Rorman. 32.9.44 -) not yet decided! 73.9.44 -)

- Guard. - Duty Char-Wallahs

31.9.44 - S/L. Pollock (i/c); - Cpl. Appelbee,

 $\label{eq:FO.Gunn} \text{F/O. Gunn,} \qquad \quad \text{-} \qquad \quad \text{LAC. Simpson.}$

F/O. Berething,) These men must F/O Senkow) patrol together.

1. Message of the Day – From the C.O.

"Speaking as I do from the security of my deep air conditioned slit trench, I say to you "We can take it!"

2. Decorations and awards.

The Commanding Officer has graciously approved the immediate award of THE MOST HIGHLY DEROGATORY ORDER OF THE IRREMOVABLE FINGER (Patron Pilot Officer Prune) to the 292 Signals Section; the official citation reads:-

"Whilst all 292 Squadron personnel yearned to hear the strains of the B.B.C's glamourous girl announcers, our Signals Section worked long hours, in their endeavour to get a sound out of the Welfare Wireless; when finally they decided it was beyond them, they displayed fortitude and the highest devotion to duty when they packed the aforementioned wireless into a case and despatched it to an M.U., for repair. Thus upholding the highest tradition of Pilot Officer Prune's Order."

3. Bounds

The current rumour that Blighty is out of bounds to all British troops is amended as follows:- India IS in bounds. It is further notified that English is still spoken there.

4. Medical

All Group Ops personnel suffering from bed-sores are to report to the M.I. Room immediately, for Anti-Charpoy Treatment.

5. Camp Dhurzi

All personnel who handed in Bush Shirts to the Camp Dhurzi for alteration, before last Christmas, are notified that it is hoped to have them ready before they are tour-expired.

6. Flying Discipline.

The Wing Commander would be grateful if pilots when flying at a height of 15,000 to 24,000 feet, would refrain from spitting. This habit is considered unhygienic and is vulgarly called "Spitting from a great height".

7. Extracts from P.O.Rs – Serial MO. 1/55 (RAF/P1.)

The undermentioned officer has been awarded Driving ??pus for the period of 1.4.44 to 31.9.44 (inclusive), in accordance with K.R. para. 3455:-

70643, W/C. Starling, E?A?

(ii) The undermentioned airman has been awarded a bar to his 1939-43 Star, w.e.f. the day he was heard to remark he had had quite sufficient to eat, when coming out of the Airmans' Mess, one Tiffin time recently:-

1234567, AC3. Liar.

8. Discipline – Sub-???????? Ranks.

ALL personnel warned for repatriation to the U.K., are hereby notified that the boat left two days ago.

Applications for passage to the U.K. made direct to the Prime Minister, must cease forthwith.

These can only be considered through the usual channels, I.E. The Char-Wallah.

The practice of addressing the Commanding Officer as "CHUM" is forbidden and with immediate effect he is to be given his proper title, "CHIEFIE".

Again it is brought to the notice of all personnel the ?ynger Well Inn, Jessore, is OUT OF BOUNDS to all ranks.

9. Messing Meeting.

The monthly meeting of the Airmans' Messing Committee will take place on Saturday next; the following members are to attend:-

S/L. I. Carenot, P.A.M.C.

LAC F. A. Connor,

AC2. Ivor Mean.

In an Advisory Capacity:- F/S. Digitin, Messing Chief.

The Jessore Branch of the Royal Society of Kite-Hawks have been invited to nominate a member to sit on the above committee.

10. Sanitation.

No water is to be drunk on this Station unless it has been passed by the Squadron Medical Officer.

11. Special Qualifications.

Any officer or airman with experience of working with W.A.C.(I) under him, is to report to the Adjutant immediately.

12. Spreading of Rumours.

All ranks are warned against the evil of spreading rumours; PLEAS don't spread any more, WAIT UNTIL THE M/T SECTION RELEASES THE OFFICIAL GEN.

13. Censoring of Mail.

Officers are again reminded that mail for censoring shall be handed into Billet Z (Domestic Site) before 04.30 hours daily.

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NOTICES

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