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WD 370.5 (29 Mar 44) OB-S-E-SPMOT-M

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1 April 1944

SUBJECT: Amendment No. 2 to Movement Orders,
Shipment 8224

TO: The Commanding Generals,
Second Army
Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation
The Chiefs of Technical Services,
Army Service Forces

1. Letter, WD 370.5 (16 Mar 44) OB-S-E-M, 17 March 1944, subject: Movement Orders, Shipment 8224, as amended, is further amended to change the basis of organizational equipment for the 232d Engr Combat Co (Shipment 8224-D). Specific amendment is as follows:

a. All reference in the tabulation of units in paragraph 1 to the 232d Engineer Combat Company (Shipment 8224-D) and to Note c is deleted and the following substituted therefor:

Unit	Code Designation (Shipment No)	Station	Agency to Issue Move- ment Orders	Strength			T/O or T/O&E
				Off	WO	EM	
232d Engr Combat Co	8224-D	Camp Shelby, Mississippi	CG, Second Army	6	188	5-17	(15 Jul 43) <u>Note a</u>

b. The tabulation in paragraph 8b is amended to delete all reference to the Engr Combat Co and to substitute the following therefor:

Unit	T/O&E	Date	Changes
Engr Combat Co	<u>5-17</u>	<u>15 Jul 43</u>	0

2. This amendment will not affect the shipment of supplies for the force as a whole.

By order of the Secretary of War:

OFFICIAL:

THOS. T. HANDY
Assistant Chief of Staff
Operations Division, W.D.G.S.

Robert H. Dunlop
ROBERT H. DUNLOP
Brigadier General

Acting The Adjutant General

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232d Engr
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By Spw. NARA Date 5/12/04

C O N F I D E N T I A L

MEMORANDUM :

TO : Company Commanders Only (less 1st Bn)

1. For your confidential information the number assigned for the movement of this unit overseas is:

8224-A

2. Under no conditions will your clothes, equipment, property or packing cases be marked so as to associate this movement number with the number of this Regiment.

By order of Lieutenant Colonel MILLER:

Harry B Farr

HARRY B. FARR
Captain, Infantry
Adjutant.

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~~George~~

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Bert N. Trichum Hq. 1st Reg.

Edmund R. Shroy Capt Inf. - Cannon Co.
all at the summit Capt & Inf. Co F

Lowie G. Freni 1st Lt. Inf

Albert Altman Det Lt Inf - Co G

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
HAMPTON ROADS PORT OF EMBARKATION3JLP/rg
Newport News, Va.
21 March 1944.

SPTAK 370.5 TMD

SUBJECT: Advance Notice, Shipment 8224

TO : The Commanding Officers, Units 8224-A,B,C,D

1. GENERAL: The unit under your command has recently been designated by the War Department for movement through this port to an overseas destination. The staging area for this shipment will be Camp Patrick Henry, Virginia.

2. REGULATIONS: Inclosed is a copy of the Embarkation Regulations, HRPE, which must be carefully studied and strictly complied with. These regulations together with the War Department Movement Orders and PCM will govern this movement, subject to variation only by proper authority.

3. MOVEMENT OF PERSONNEL:

a. This is not the call to the port as defined in paragraph 4h, PCM.

b. As soon as practicable, this headquarters will request that the necessary orders be issued by the CG, Second Army to move your unit so as to arrive at a prescribed date and hour at the staging area for final preparation for overseas service.

4. EQUIPMENT INFORMATION AND ADVANCE PARTIES:

a. A supply officer from each unit will be ordered to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation in the near future. He will have with him the following:

(1) Consolidated packing lists as required by IOI (Identification of Organizational Impediments)

(2) Copies of all lists of shortages previously submitted.

(3) Certification to each port supply service as to the completeness and serviceability of all equipment of each service shipped by the unit.

b. Supply officers should not leave home stations until equipment has been packed and loaded for shipment and columns 1 through 8, consolidated packing lists are completed.

c. Unit commanders will comply with Section III, WD Cir. 11. 7 Jan 44, "Oversea Shipment".

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d. Nine (9) days prior to readiness date, each unit will send the port working copy of WD AGO Forms 412 and 412-1 (revision 29 Sept 43), to the Commanding General, Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation, Newport News, Virginia. Attention: Organizational Equipment Branch, Troop Movement Division.

Copy filed with 28th March

e. On the readiness date each unit will send one copy of Sections I, II, and III, where applicable, of IOI packing lists completed through Column 6.

f. If the supply officer precedes his unit, he will bring with him all personal clothing and equipment. Upon completion of duties at the port, he will rejoin his unit.

g. Unit commanders and supply officers should study carefully the WD Movement Orders, PCM, IOI and instructions contained in WD AGO Form 412-1.

5. PREPARATION: Immediate steps should be taken by unit commanders to have their units completely equipped and processed, and at full strength in qualified personnel by the readiness date set in the War Department Movement Orders. Leaves and furloughs should be scheduled to insure that all are terminated prior to the readiness date.

6. LAUNDRY: Preparations must be made now at home stations to provide for 48-hour laundry service, if necessary, upon receipt of the Port Call. It is imperative that all clothing and equipment be clean when units entrain for the staging area.

For the Commanding General:

Maynard Nicholl

MAYNARD C. NICHOLL
Major, GSC
Director,
Troop Movement Division

1 Incl: Embarkation Regulations, HRPE (For unit and station commanders)

DIST:

- 1 CG, Second Army
- 1 CO, Cp Shelby
- 1 CO, Units 8224-A,B,C,D
- 1 Port Postal Officer
- 1 CO, CPH

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

24TH HQ & HQ DET
SPECIAL TROOPS, SECOND ARMY

370.5 - GNMB24A

Camp Shelby, Miss.,
23 March 1944.

SUBJECT: Movement Orders, Shipment 8224.

TO : Commanding Officers,
442d Inf,
206th Army Band,
522d FA Bn,
232d Engr Combat Co,
Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

1. The following units will proceed by rail from Camp Shelby, Mississippi (Permanent Station) to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation for further movement by water transportation so as to arrive at a time to be determined by the Port Commander: (See Par. 2 below).

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Shipment No.</u>
442d Inf (less 1st Bn w/Bn Sec, Med Det & Bn Sec, Trans Plat, Serv Co atchd) w/atcd Med & Ch	8224-A
206th Army Band	8224-B
522d FA Bn (105mm How Trk-Dr) w/atcd Med	8224-C
232d Engr Combat Co	8224-D

2. Initiation of these movements will be made only after receipt of instructions from this Headquarters.

3. Movement will be made in accordance with the provisions of WD publication "Preparation for Overseas Movement" (POM)(Second Edition), 1 August 1943 as modified by War Department letter, file WD 370.5(16-Mar 44)OB-S-E-M, dated 17 March 1944, subject: "Movement Orders, Shipment 8224", with 1st indorsement thereto, Headquarters Second Army, file AG 370.5 (8224)(GNMBG), dated 21 March 1944, same subject, with additional instructions pertaining to the movement contained therein.

4. This is a PERMANENT change of station.

5. Direct communication is authorized.

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Ltr, 24th Hq & Hq Det Sp Trs 2d A, 370.5 - GNMB24A, 23 Mar 44, contd.
Sub: Movement Orders, Shipment 8224.

6. Report to the Troop Movement Officer, this Headquarters, prior to departure giving expected time and date of departure of units from home station. Use code designation (Shipment Number and Letter) NOT unit designation.

7. Rations for the journey will be provided in accordance with pertinent Army Regulations as modified by current War Department Circulars.

8. The Transportation Corps will furnish the necessary rail transportation.

9. TDN. 1-5000 P 433-01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 07, 08 A 0425-24. (Auth: Ltr CG AGF 13 Oct 42, ltr WD Washington 25, D.C. file WD 370.5(16 Mar 44) OB-S-E-M, subject: "Movement Orders, Shipment 8224", dated 17 March 1944 with 1st Indorsement thereto, Hq 2d A, file AG 370.5 (8224)(GNMBG)(17 Mar 44), same sub, dated 21 March 1944).

By order of Lieutenant Colonel FOREMAN:

Joseph M. Ebbitt
JOSEPH M. EBBITT, *m.g.g.*
1st Lt, AGD,
Adj.

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
Fourth Service Command
HQ. CAMP SHELBY, MISSISSIPPI LRB/clh

16 March, 1944.

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:Auth: Hq. Camp Shelby :
:Initials: *LRB* :
:Date: 16 March, 1944 :
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Memorandum.

To: (See Distribution Below)

This headquarters is in receipt of a copy of Confidential letter, Hq. ASF, Washington, file SEX 400, dated 10 March, 1944, which places the following units in A-2-a priority:

<u>Unit</u>	<u>T/O</u>
982nd Engr. Maint Co.	5-157 (1 April 42)
733rd FA Bn.	6-335 (31 Jul 43)
7th FA Obsn Bn.	6-75 (1 Apr 42)
582nd Sig. Dep. Co.	11-107 (1 Apr 42)
631st TD Bn.	18-35 (7 May 43)
Hq & Hq Btry, 32nd F.A. Brig.	6-20-1 (Tent) (10 Jan 44)

According to telephone information received from 24th Hq., II Army, the readiness date for Shipment 8224-A, B, C. & D has been moved up from April 15th to April 5th.

Departure date for Shipment 8641-D (735th San. Co.) is 23 March. Organizational equipment and impedimenta will leave to arrive at Fort same date as the personnel.

For the Commanding General:

Loren R. Brooks

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SUBJECT: Movement Orders, Shipment 8224.

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(17 Mar 44)

2d Ind.

24TH HQ & HQ DET, SP TRS, SECOND ARMY, Camp Shelby, Miss., 23 March 1944.

TO: Commanding Officer, 442d Infantry, Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

1. For information and compliance insofar as Shipment No. 8224-A is concerned.

2. Initiation of these movements will be made only after receipt of instructions from this Headquarters.

By order of Lieutenant Colonel FOREMAN:

JOSEPH M. EBBITT,
1st Lt, AGD,
Adj.

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SUBJECT: Movement Orders, Shipment 8224.

AG 370.5 (8224)(GNMEG) 1st Ind.

(17 Mar 44)

HEADQUARTERS SECOND ARMY, Memphis 15, Tennessee, 21 Mar 1944

TO: Commanding Officer, 24th Detachment Special Troops, Second Army,
Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

1. For compliance insofar as Shipment No. 8224-B is concerned and for compliance insofar as personnel, administration and supply insofar as Shipment Nos. 8224-A, C and D are concerned. This will include issuance of movement orders when call from Port is received.

2. You will take the necessary action pertaining to personnel as outlined in paragraph 4, Section I, Second Army Circular No. 76, 18 September 1943 as amended by Section I, Second Army Circular No. 14, c.s.

3. The provisions of Sections II and III, Circular No. 6, this Headquarters, c.s., will be complied with where applicable.

4. The provisions of Section II, War Department Circular No. 92, dated 2 March 1944, will be strictly complied with.

5. You will submit the reports to the Commanding General, Army Ground Forces, as directed in paragraph 7, basic communication. Similar reports will be made to this Headquarters, by telegraph, and will include a statement to the effect that all other reports required by this order have been made.

6. In reference to these movements, the code designations (shipment numbers) will be used in lieu of unit designations, except mail address as explained in paragraph 18 of POM.

7. Movements to the Port will be by rail. Initiation of these movements will be made only after receipt of instructions from this Headquarters.

By command of Lieutenant General FREDENDALL:

2 Incls. n/c

/s/ Ward W. Conquest
WARD W. CONQUEST,
Lt. Col., A.G.D.
Asst. Adjutant General

A TRUE COPY:

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 Washington 25, D.C.

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17 March 1944

SUBJECT: Movement Orders, Shipment 8224

 TO: The Commanding Generals
 Second Army
 Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation
 The Chiefs of Technical Services
 Army Service Forces

1. It is desired that you take without delay the action for which you are responsible to prepare for foreign service and to move the units listed below to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation for further movement by water transportation so as to arrive at a time to be determined by the Port Commander:

Unit	Code Designation (Shipment No.)	Permanent Station	Agency to Issue Move- ment Orders	Strength Off WO EM	T/O or T/O & E
442d Inf (less 1st Bn w/Bn Sec, Med Det & Bn Sec, Trans Plat, Serv Co atchd) w/atchd Med & Ch	8224-A	Cp Shelby, Miss.	CG. Second Army	125 6 2445	7-11 (15 Jul 43) W/C1 & 2 Note a
206th Army Band	8224-B	"	"	1 28	5-21 (1 Apr 42)
522d FA Bn (105mm How Trk-Dr) w/atchd Med	8224-C	"	"	34 2 537	6-25 (15 Jul 43) w/C1 & 2 Notes a & b
232d Engr Combat Co	8224-D	"	"	6 201	5-17-S (undated) Notes a & c

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Note a: Unit is authorized 10% overstrength for the movement only. Authorization for overstrength is terminated upon arrival in theater, and surplus personnel will be considered as an advance draft of replacements. Destination Commander will inform the War Department when he has complied with those instructions.

Note b: Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 522 Field Artillery Bn, authorized three (3) liaison sections by letter, Hq AGF, 321/95 (FA) (R) (8 Aug 43)GNGCT, 8 August 1943; Subject: "Reorganization of Field Artillery Units," as amended by letter, Hq AGF, 10 November 1943, same file and subject:

Note c: See letter, Hq AGF, 321/315 (Engr) (R) (2 Mar 44)GNGCT, 2 March 1944, Subject: "Reorganization of 232d Engr Combat Company."

2. Detailed instructions concerning the preparation of the units in these movement orders, as well as for the movement itself, are to be found in WD publication "Preparation for Overseas Movement" (POM) (Second Edition), 1 August 1943. It is highly essential that the provisions of this publication be thoroughly understood and implicitly followed by all concerned. Modifications of the aforementioned publication applicable to this particular movement, and additional instructions pertaining to the movement are as follows:

a. Reference Section III (POM): See also WD publication "Identification of Organizational Impediments" (IOI), 10 August 1943.

b. Reference paragraph 4k(4): The last item under the heading Personnel Officer is changed to read: Class A Set of Army Regulations, War Department Circulars, and any current pertinent directives.

c. Reference paragraph 9b (4): Vaccination against typhus fever will be effected at the staging area, port of embarkation, or aboard transport.

d. Reference paragraph 12d: So much of the provisions of this paragraph as pertains to the marking of duffel bags or barrack bags will not apply. For marking of duffel bags, see Inclosure No. 1

e. Reference paragraph 18b: The third sentence is amended to read as follows: The cards will be mailed three (3) days prior to departure of units from home station, except that those cards (WD AGO Form 204) addressed to points where delivery to addressees would be made prior to date of departure of units from home station will be released on a later date to be determined by the postal officer. However, in no instance will the release of the excepted cards be after departure of units from the home station.

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f. Reference paragraph 27a(1), the following modifications of the stipulated baggage allowance will be observed for this movement:

(1) Baggage for each officer and warrant officer will be limited to the following not to exceed 175 lbs:

Co Com-Us informed of this at a conference 25 Mar.

- One (1) bedding roll (not over 50 lbs) (a duffle bag may also be taken if desired; trunk lockers will not be taken)
- One (1) piece of hand luggage (not over 40 lbs)
- One (1) field or musette bag

g. Reference paragraph 28e: The following modified instructions will apply: Kits containing sufficient T/EA or T/O&E mechanics' tools for immediate and efficient operation at destination for each mechanic and repairman of service troops and for each enlisted mechanic of combat troops will accompany units to overseas destination and will be packed and marked as TAT equipment.

P.O.s notified

h. Reference paragraph 31: The provisions of this paragraph will apply to this movement except insofar as recreational equipment is concerned. Recreational equipment will be taken overseas or disposed of prior to departure from home station as provided in WD Circular 41, 13 January 1944.

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i. Reference paragraph 35c (3): The following modified instructions will apply: Each unit will secure two (2) sets of current locator cards from the machine records unit servicing the unit. One (1) set will remain with the organization; the other will be delivered to the theater postal officer upon arrival in an oversea theater or command.

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j. Reference paragraphs 9c(2), 41e and 44mm: The provisions of these paragraphs will not apply for units under this movement order insofar as clearance of potential subversives is concerned. Clearance of personnel from units will be accomplished under the provisions of letter AG 014.311 (30 Jan 44) OB-S-B-M, 5 February 1944, subject: Disposition of Subversive and Disaffected Military Personnel.

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3. This is a PERMANENT change of station.

4. Movement to the Port will be made by motor and/or rail. Maximum use will be made of rail transportation.

5. Instructions concerning mail and mail address: See paragraph 18, POM (SECOND EDITION). The station commander concerned; the Director, Army Postal Service; the port commanders concerned; the Chiefs of Technical Services; the destination commander; and the Commanding General, Air Service Command, will be informed of the Army Postal Number and postmaster address by confidential communication issued separately.

Does not pertain to us.

6. Direct Communication is authorized.

7. The agency to issue the movement orders will report to the Commanding General, Army Ground Forces by telephone, TWX or telegraph (NOT radio) the time and date of departure of units from home station. Use code designation (Shipment Number and Letter) - NOT unit designation. (Example: "8224-A departed rail/motor 15 April 1400Z" signed Jack),

✓ 8. Authorized Clothing and Equipment.

a. Clothing (summer and winter) and individual equipment as prescribed in T/E 21, 10 March 1943, with three changes thereto, except as indicated below:

- ← Hats and caps, HBT, and socks, cotton, tan, are not authorized for this movement
- ✓ Blankets, wool, OD (2 only per individual)
- ✓ Socks, light wool (3 extra pair per individual; a total of 6 pair)
- ✓ Bags, duffel (1 per individual)(In case of EM, will replace barrack bags "A" and "B")
- ✓ *Bags, barrack (1 per EM) for use as laundry bags

*Note: Barrack bag will be carried inside the duffel bag during all movements, whether unit or individual.

b. Organizational equipment is authorized as prescribed in the Table of Basic Allowances or Table of Organization and Equipment listed below:

Unit	T/BA	*T/O & E	Date	Changes
Inf Regt				
Med Det.		7-11	15 Jul 43	2
Hq & Hq Co		7-12	"	0
Serv Co		7-13	"	2
Cannon Co		7-14	"	0
Anti-tank Co		7-19	"	0
Inf Bn				
Hq & Hq Co		7-16	"	0
Rifle Co		7-17	"	0
Hv Wpns Co		7-18	"	0
Army Band	5		1 Dec 42	2

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Unit	T/BA	*T/O&E	Date	Changes
Fld Arty Bn				
Mtz (Trk Dr)				
Med Det		6-25	15 Jul 43	2
Hq & Hq Btry		6-26	"	2
FA Btry		6-27	"	3
Serv Btry		6-29	"	2
Engr Comb Co		5-17-S	Undated	0

*T/E Section of T/O&E.

The following modifications and stipulations will be observed where applicable:

(1) Masks, gas, service, light weight, will be substituted for masks, gas, service, of earlier models except optical gas masks, and gas masks, equipped with face piece M2A2 or M3, fitted for an individual with eyeglass, gas mask, M1 (spectacle)

Note: Gas masks, light weight, will be issued at the port of embarkation. Gas masks of earlier models, except as indicated above, will be turned in to the appropriate supply officer at present station.

(2) Notwithstanding any contrary provisions of standard nomenclature lists, all units equipped with crew-served weapons are authorized dummy drill cartridges, or projectiles and powder bags as appropriate, for each weapon in the quantities prescribed in the standard nomenclature lists:

(3) Field Artillery Liaison pilots in the Hq & Hq Btry, 522d FA Bn (Shipment 8224-C) are authorized both summer and winter flying clothing as prescribed in the appropriate T/E listed above and will take these items (less glasses, flying, sun, comfort cable, 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ ") from present station.

Note: Glasses, flying, sun, comfort cable, 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ " have been shipped separately as an accessory to the equipment indicated in paragraph 10a(4).

(4) Those individuals included in this movement order and not provided for in the proper T/O&E are authorized those items of individual equipment and organizational equipment normally issued to the individual to include the following:

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Carbines, Cal. .30, M1, w/accessories therefor
(1 per individual)
Masks, gas, (1 per individual)

c. The following additional items are also authorized for the force as a whole:

(1) Obtained by Units at Present Station.

ok → Bedsacks or mattress covers (1 per individual)

(2) *Obtained at the Port.

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Bars, insect, field (1 per individual)
Insecticide, powder, body, 2-oz cans (1 per individual)
Repellent, insect, 2-oz bottles (1 per individual)
Respirators, dust (1 per individual, unless otherwise authorized)
Individual equipment, protective, ACCESSORIES ONLY,
(see paragraph 11a (2) below).

(3) *Shipped for the Overseas Movement of the Force.

Outfits, barber (1 per Co or similar unit, unless otherwise authorized)
Individual equipment, protective, CLOTHING ONLY,
(see paragraph 10a(2)(c) below)

*Note: These items will not be included in original shortages where not already accomplished.

d. The following items are not authorized for any unit:

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T/A tentage (except as indicated in paragraph 4k of POM)
Canvas gots
Tent stoves
Rubber knee boots
ok Scabbards, carbine, Cal. .30, M1, except those now in the hands of troops

9. To Accompany the Units from Present Station.

a. Minimum Essential Equipment only, as set forth in paragraph 4k of POM, plus items listed in Inclosure No. 2A, if authorized for the units, and items listed in paragraph 8c (1) above.

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b. Two pounds per individual of emergency expendable supplies, including cleaning and preserving materials, will accompany troops from home stations in accordance with the provisions of Section V, Circular 55, WD, 1944.

10. Instructions Reference Shipments to the Port.a. To be Shipped to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation.

(1) The commanding officer of each unit will ship the following to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation:

(a) Marked: 8224-(letter)

All remaining authorized equipment of the unit except the following items which will not be shipped:

Items listed in paragraphs 8c(2) and 8c(3) above

Items indicated as shipments by the Chiefs of Technical Services and the Commanding General, Army Air Forces, in paragraphs 10a(2), (3) and (4) below

Items of equipment pertaining to vehicles listed in paragraph 30e (1) of POM, as follows: Axe, handled, single bit; pick mattock, handled; shovel, D-handled; chain, tow or rope, tow

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in*

(2) The Quartermaster General will ship the following to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation:

(a) Marked: 8224-QM-TAT

Outfits, barber (1 per Co or similar unit, unless otherwise authorized)

(b) Marked: 8224-(letter)-QM

T/BA or T/O&E heavy tentage (less tentage prescribed as minimum essential equipment in paragraph 4k (3) of POM and less any tentage prescribed solely for housing personnel).

(c) Marked: 8224-QMCONFIDENTIAL

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Individual Equipment, Protective, CLOTHING ONLY, as prescribed in paragraph 4a(1) of letter AG 420 (17 May 43) OB-S-SPOFI-M, 20 May 1943, subject: Chemical Warfare Protective Clothing as amended.

(3) The Chief of Ordnance will ship the following to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation:

(a) Marked: 8224-(letter)-ORD

Ordnance technical and general purpose motor vehicles (BOXED) for the units as prescribed in the proper T/BA and T/O&E

(4) The Commanding General, Army Air Forces, will ship the following to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation:

(a) Marked: 8224-C-AIR

Army Air Forces procured equipment (less clothing, flyers') as prescribed in the proper T/O&E; the airplanes to be Model L-4H.

b. Dates for Shipments.

(1) Readiness date for personnel and accompany equipment of all units: 15 April 1944 (for movement to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation on call of the port commander only).

(2) Readiness date for organizational impedimenta (except accompanying equipment: 5 April 1944 (for movement to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation on call of the port commander only).

(3) Initial arrival date for shipments to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation: 15 April 1944.

c. Marking of Shipments.

(1) Shipments by or for a specific unit to the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation will be marked as follows:

TO: PORT TRANS O
HE P of E
NEWPORT NEWS, VA.

FOR: 8224-(enter shipment letter as assigned in paragraph 1, above)

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with packing
officer*

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(2) Shipments of other equipment and supplies will be addressed as above with specific marking as prescribed in paragraph 10a above.

11. Instructions for the Port Commander.

a. The Commanding General, Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation,
will:

(1) Make the necessary arrangements to transfer Shipment 8224 to overseas destination.

(2) Furnish from port stocks and issue to each individual prior to embarkation:

Individual Equipment, Protective, ACCESSORIES ONLY,
(less masks, gas, service) as prescribed in
paragraph 4a (2) of letter, AG 420 (17 May 43)
OB-S-SPOPI-M, 20 May 1943, subject: Chemical
Warfare Protective Clothing, as amended.

Masks, gas, service, light weight (1 per individual)
not equipped with optical gas masks, or gas masks
fitted with eyeglass, gas mask, M1 (spectacle).
New style hose tube, canister and carrier will be
furnish and fitted to any gas mask fitted with
eyeglass, gas mask, M1 (spectacle) which is not
already equipped with such new style accessories.

Respirators, dust (1 per individual, unless otherwise
authorized)

Repellent, insect, 2-oz bottles (1 per individual)

Insecticide, 2-oz cans (1 per individual)

Bars, insect, field (1 per individual)

(3) Furnish from port stocks and load aboard transports
ammunition (on the basis indicated below) for all individual weapons
carried by troops where it will be readily available to troops during
the voyage.

<u>Weapons</u>	<u>Basis of Supply</u>
Rifle, Cal. .30, M1903	5 rounds per weapon
Rifle, Cal. .30, M1	8 rounds per weapon
Pistol, Automatic, Cal. .45	7 rounds per weapon
Carbine, Cal. .30, M1	15 rounds per weapon
Guns, submachine, Cal. .45	20 rounds per weapon

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(4) Furnish from port stocks and load aboard transports two (2) days' rations, Type G, and one (1) day's rations, Type K, for each individual in this shipment where it will be readily available to troops during the voyage.

(5) Load aboard the same vessel tool kits for mechanics (see paragraph 2g above) and personnel for whom the tool kits are intended so that issue can be effected promptly at destination.

(6) Report to the Commanding General, Army Service Forces (Adjutant General), the time of arrival of the units at the port of embarkation.

12. Other Instructions.

a. The Chief of Transportation, Army Service Forces, will make the necessary transportation available for this movement and will coordinate with all concerned.

b. Individual equipment, protective, CLOTHING ONLY, will be issued to each of these units, as authorized, at destination.

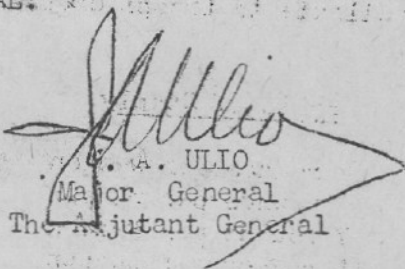
c. Summer and winter clothing will be needed during the journey.

13. The expense involved under this movement order is chargeable to Allotment Serial Number 1-5000 and appropriate project and appropriation numbers published in Section VI, Circular 129, WD, 1943.

By order of the Secretary of War:

THOS. T. HANDY
Assistant Chief of Staff
Operations Division, WDGS

OFFICIAL:


G. A. ULLO
Major General
The Adjutant General

See page 11 for Inclosures and Copies Furnished:

2 Inclosures:

- Incl: # 1 - Marking of Duffel Bags
- Incl: #2A - 2A- Items of Equipment to Accompany Troops in this Movement Order TAT List.

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR MARKING OF DUFFEL BAGS (See illustration on reverse side)

Will be as follows:

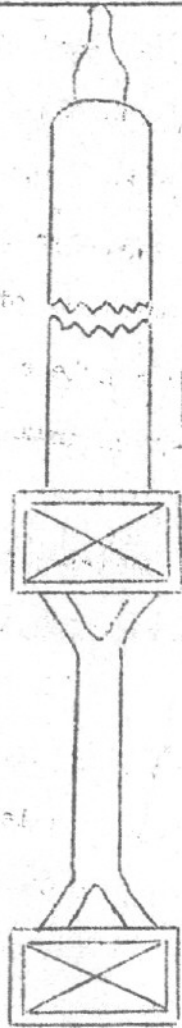
(1) With the bag in a flattened position, with the bottom at the left and with the handle at the top, the full name (first name, middle initial and last name) will be stencilled in black letters not less than one (1) inch, nor more than two (2) inches, to be placed parallel to the handle so that the tops of the letters are on a line two (2) inches below the rectangle stitched web patches securing the handle. The first letter of the name will start even with the letters U.S.

(2) Leaving a one (1) inch space below the name, the full army serial number will be similarly stencilled parallel to and below the individual's name.

(3) The overseas shipment number and letter will be similarly stencilled parallel to and below the letters U.S. with a one (1) inch space between the top of the shipment number and the bottom of the letters U.S.

(4) The identifying letter of the organization as referred to in paragraph 12 d of POM will be similarly stencilled one (1) inch below the shipment number and letter. The three (3) inch letter "A" prescribed for duffel bags in the same paragraph of POM will not be included in the marking.

INCLOSURE #1



Web Strap

2"
1" to 2"
1"
1" to 2"

ROBERT A GREEN
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US
1234-A
D

1"
1" to 2"
1"
1" to 2"

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HEADQUARTERS SECOND ARMY
Office of the Commanding General
Memphis 15, Tennessee

In reply refer to:
AG 353 (Gen) (GNMBF)

29 FEB 1944

SUBJECT: Alert for Overseas Movement for the 442d Infantry (less 1st Bn; 1st Bn Med Sec; 1st Bn Sec, Trans Plat, Serv Co), the 522d Field Artillery Battalion and the 232d Engineer Combat Company.

TO : Commanding General, IX Corps,
Fort McPherson, Georgia.

1. Reference is made to the following:
 - a. War Department letter AG 370.5 (12 Jul 43)OB-S-E-GN-AF-SPMOT-M, 1 August 1943, Subject: Preparation for Overseas Movement (Short Title: POM).
 - b. Letter, Hq AGF, 370.5/233 (R)(28 Aug 43)GNGCT, 28 August 1943, Subject: Preparation and Movement of Units for Overseas Service.
 - c. Letter this headquarters, file AG 353-154 (GNMBF), 19 November 1943, Subject: Preparation and Processing of Units for Overseas Movement.
2. Subject units are alerted for overseas movement with readiness date of 15 April 1944.
3. You will take necessary action to institute a program of preparation and intensive training for the above units. This program will follow current training directives insofar as possible and will be directed toward furnishing subject units on 15 April 1944 fully qualified to perform their primary mission in an active theater of operations as outlined in par. 6 of reference cited in par. 1 b above. Required marksmanship firing will be completed as soon as possible after receipt of this letter.
4. Instructions on Clothing, Equipment and Supplies.
 - a. Subject units have been placed in A-2 priority for equipment and will immediately comply with the applicable provisions of paragraphs 1 a and 1 b above. This will include an Ordnance inspection of all equipment to determine its serviceability for combat.
 - b. If not previously accomplished, a showdown inspection will be held immediately and showdown shortage lists will be submitted to station commander (Attention: Director of Supply) in accordance with paragraphs 10 and 44 of POM. Information copy of the showdown shortage lists will be forwarded to this headquarters without delay. Negative reports will be submitted.

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