

Port Moresby, New Guinea. 1943. Group portrait of all the members of a RAAF Bomb Disposal Unit standing with unexploded bombs (UXBs), in front of a shed with a sign stating "Bomb Disposal Sqn. Keep Out. Danger". Left to right: back row: Neville John Young, Larry Appleby of Burnie, Tas, Smith of Chippendale, NSW, Jim Dixon, Earl Kitchned MacDonald of Adelaide, 'Lofty' of Yeo, Vic, Flight Lieutenant George Upward and Don Kennedy, both from Victoria, Lazarini of Sydney, NSW and two unidentified members. (Donor M. Young)





**PORT MORESBY. FOUR
BEAUFIGHTER PILOTS
TAKE A SHOWER
AFTER RETURNING
FROM A STRAFING
ATTACK ON JAPANESE
IN LAE AND
SALAMAUA. THEY ARE
FROM LEFT TO RIGHT:-
F/LT. R. UREN (N.S.W.)
F/O. J. MAGUIRE; F/LT.
R.A. LITTLE (W.A.)
(NEGATIVE BY G. SILK).**



HOTEL MORESBY



**THE CARE AND
APPEARANCE OF THEIR
FOOTWEAR IS A RITUAL
WITH THE A.I.F. ON
ACTIVE SERVICE.
PRIVATES J.H.
REYNOLDS, N.S.
LOCKHART, N.G.
HAWKINS AND P.J. FILAN
CLEANING THEIR BOOTS
OUTSIDE THE HOTEL
MORESBY. (ELIMINATE COLOUR
PATCHES.) (NEGATIVE BY PARER).**





**PORT MORSEBY,
PAPUA. INTERIOR OF A
NEWLY CONSTRUCTED
RAAF BARRACKS AT
KONEDOBU CAMP.
(PHOTOGRAPHER N. J.
TRACEY)**

PORT MORESBY, NEW GUINEA. 1944-05-31. A MESS PARADE AT THE NEW GUINEA DETAILS DEPOT. THE CAMP, WHICH HAS TOTAL ACCOMMODATION FOR 3,000 TROOPS, CONTAINS ONLY ABOUT 1,000 MEN AT THE PRESENT TIME. A MAJORITY OF THE MEN ARE FROM NEW GUINEA HOSPITALS AND CONVALESCENT CAMPS AND ARE AWAITING RETURN TO THEIR FORMER UNITS.



The interior of the Recreation Hut built by the 2/101st General Transport Company in their camp area at Port Moresby. The hut was equipped by the Australian Comfords Fund. Known personnel, seated nearest and facing the camera from the right, are: QX19400 Private (Pte) Walter Alfred Wilson; VX76666 Pte Gordon Hughan; NX54601 Pte Herbert Edgar Jackson; NX25356 Corporal Leslie Robert Howard; VX90208 Pte Laurence Alfred Eaton; NX25029 Pte Hugh Brown. Standing at right of picture are Major Scott, Deputy Commissioner Australian Comfords Fund, on left and NX489 Major Cecil Robert Roddam, Commanding Officer of the Company.





BARBER SHOP (LEFT) RECREATION HUT (RIGHT)



The Barber's Shop constructed by the 2/101st Australian Transport Company in their camp area in Port Moresby. The building was equipped by the Australian Comforts Fund.





The interior of the Barber's Shop, built by the 2/101st General Transport Company, in operation in their camp area at Port Moresby. The shop was equipped by the Australian Comforts Fund. Identified personnel from left to right are: VX19796 Staff Sergeant Myer Gollant; NX130863 Lance Corporal (L Cpl) William Lewis Rymer; NX147691 Pte Robert Arthur Royston; VX15877 Warrant Officer Class 2 Albert Frank Whitehill; NX117947 Private Percival Claude Rash.



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**BOMANA, NEW GUINEA. 1943-
11-08. ONE OF THE
CAMOUFLAGED RESERVOIRS OF
THE BOMANA PUMPING
STATION. AFTER FILTRATION THE
WATER IS STORED HERE BEFORE
BEING PUMPED TO PORT
MORESBY.**



**PAPUA, NEW GUINEA. 1942-08.
SAPPERS OF THE 2/14TH
AUSTRALIAN FIELD COMPANY
ROYAL AUSTRALIAN ENGINEERS,
WHO BUILT ROADS THROUGH
THE SNOWCLAD MOUNTAINS OF
SYRIA, ARE NOW ENGAGED IN
PUSHING A ROAD THROUGH THE
DENSE JUNGLE BETWEEN PORT
MORESBY AND KOKODA.**



Port Moresby, New Guinea. 1944-05-30. Members of the Moresby Fortress Workshop overhauling searchlight equipment. Left to right: Back: Sergeant A. Callaghan, and Lance Sergeant T. A. Brazil. Front row: Lieutenant Colonel L. C. Fisher, CEME Moresby Base Sub Area; Corporal F. P. O'Rourke, and Captain M. Stenberg.



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**PHYSICAL DRILL ON
THE WHARF AT PORT
MORESBY. THE
TROOPS WERE KEPT
FIT BY PLENTY OF THIS
SORT OF THING
DURING THE COOLER
HOURS OF THE DAY.
(DONOR LIEUTENANT
COMMANDER G.A.
HILL, RNR.)**



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PORT MORESBY. A GROUP OF CHINESE WHOSE AGES RANGE FROM 10 MONTHS TO 70 YEARS WALKED 500 MILES FROM WEWAK TOWARDS MORESBY. THEY LEFT WEWAK AN HOUR AFTER A JAPANESE CONVOY WAS SIGHTED. (NEGATIVE BY N. BROWN).

**NATIVES FLEE
FROM JAP
INVASION**



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