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RECONNAISSANCE

BATTALION, SPECIAL

1944-45

HEADQUARTERS
FIRST RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, SPECIAL
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST

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201 - KARAPAO, Simeon P. (Enl)

A. P. O. 565
14 February 45

SUBJECT: Status of EN

TO : Commander-in-Chief, GHR, SWPA, APO 500 (Attn: Major
Telesco, G-3)

1. Request information or copy of appropriate orders pertaining to the status of Pfc Simeon P. Karapao, 33737261, Hq & Serv Company, this Bn, now on dy with your Hqs.

2. Records this Hq show that subject EN is on DS with Base 1, APO 921, per LO FIXE 220 Hq USAFFE APO 501 dtd 29 Feb 44, and on temp dy with Base "G" APO 565 per LO FIXE 1589 Hq USAFFE APO 501 dtd 7 Sep 44, as amended by LO FIXE 2742 Hq USAFFE APO 501 dtd 18 Nov 44. The fact that communications coming from your Hqs involving this soldier indicate he is atchd to the 978th Sig Serv Co is not in harmony with our records.

For the Battalion COMMANDER:

EDUARDO J. MARFORI
1st Lt, Inf (Frcht)
Adjutant (Actg)

1st Ind

G-3 PHILIPPINE SUBDIVISION, GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, 23 February 1945.

TO : Commanding Officer, 1st Reconnaissance Battalion (S),
APO 565.

Copy of attached order is forwarded for your information



LEE A. TELESKO
Major, A.C.
Executive Officer.

TABLE OF DISTRIBUTION

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APO 501
30 August 1944

RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, SPECIAL

Designation: _____ Reconnaissance Battalion, Special

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
UNIT	Hq&Hq& Service Company	Atachd Medical	Scout Com-pany	Col-umn	Total Bn	Remarks
2	1			1	2	
3	1			4	5	
4	3	1	1	22	27	
5	3	2	4	40	49	
6	8 ^v	3 ^v	5 ^v	67	83 ^v	
7	1			1	2	
8	1			24	25	
9	1		1		2	
10	4		9	47	60	
11	4	1	2	70	77	
12	4			92	92	
13	4	1	1	92	98	
14	1				1	
15	4	1	2		7	
16	31	3	5		39	
17	18	1	3		22	
18	18	1	3		22	
19	86	8	26	325	445	
20	95	11	31	393	530	



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TABLE OF ALLOWANCES

HQ, USAFFE
APO 501
30 August 1944



HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE COMPANY
RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, SPECIAL

SECTION I
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

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Chemical Warfare Service

Army Service Forces Catalogs, CW 1, 5, 7, and 9.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog CW 4-1.

Corps of Engineers

Army Service Forces Catalogs, Engr 1-1, 2, 3-1, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Series A.

Medical Department

Medical Department Supply Catalog.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog Med 4.

Ordnance Department

Standard Nomenclature Lists (SNL) and Army Service Forces Catalog,
Ordnance Supply Catalog, index to which is the Army Service Forces
Catalog Ord 2 OPSI.
Circular No. 78, WD, 1944, Allowances of Cleaning and Preserving
Materials.
T/A 23, Targets and Target Equipment.

Quartermaster Corps

T/E 21, Clothing and Individual Equipment.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog QM 4.
Components, Spare Parts, Accessories and Contents of Chests, Kits, and
Sets, and Other Items of Quartermaster Property, Circular No. 4, OQMG.
Army Service Forces Catalogs QM 3-1, 3-2, and 6.
AR 30-3010, Items and Price List of Regular Supplies Controlled by
Budget Credits and Price List of Other Miscellaneous Supplies.

Signal Corps

Army Service Forces Catalogs, Sig 3, 5, 7, and 8.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog Sig 4-1.
Authorized Signal Corps Parts Lists.

AR 310-200, Military Publications, Allowance and Distribution.

AR 775-10, Qualification in Arms and Ammunition Training Allowances.

CHEMICAL WARFARE EQUIPMENT

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Alarm, gas, M1	1	
Apparatus, decontaminating, 1½-qt, M2	15	1 per trk
Curtains, gasproof	2	
Kit, chemical agent detector, M9	1	
Mask, gas, service, lightweight, M3-10A1-6	95	1 per indiv
Respirator, dust, M2	30	2 per mtr veh

ENGINEER EQUIPMENT

Carpenter equipment, set #2, Engrs	1	
Drafting equipment, set (Bn)	1	
Electrician equipment, set #1	1	
Pipe fitting equipment, set #1	1	
Rake, garden, steel	4	
Sign painting equipment, set #1	1	
Stool, draftsman, with adj 26 to 30	1	
Tape, metallic, 50 ft	1	
Wheelbarrow	2	



MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Kit, first aid: Gas casualty	4	1 per 25 indiv
Mtr vehicle, 12 unit	8	1 per 2 fuel consuming mtr veh

ORDNANCE
Weapons and Miscellaneous

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Carbine, cal..30, M1	86	1 per indiv. Rifle 1903, M1, or 1917 may be substituted.
Pistol, automatic, cal..45, M1911A1	8	1 per O and WO, except chaplain

Vehicles

Trailer, 1/4-Ton, 2-wheel, cargo	2	
Truck: 1/4-Ton, 4 x 4	3	
3/4-Ton, 4 x 4, weapons carrier	3	
1-1/2-Ton, 4 x 4, cargo	9	

Motor Transport Equipment

Axe, handled, chopping, SB, 4-lb	15	1 per trk (SNL M-3)
Cabinet, spare parts, Type I, 1940	1	
Chain, MW, tow, 16' x 7/16" diameter	12	1 per trk except 1/4-Ton
Mattock, handled, pick, type II, Class F, 5 lb.	12	1 per trk except 1/4-T (SNL M3)
Rope, tow, 20 ft x 1 in diameter	3	1 per trk, 1/4-Ton
Shovel, GP, D-handled, strapback, RP #2	15	1 per MW (SNL M3)
Tool set: General mechanics	3	1 per mech (O14) (SNL N19)
Unit equip, 2d Ech, Set #1	1	SNL N-19

QUARTERMASTER
Individual Equipment

Bag, canvas, fld, OD, M1936	95	1 per indiv
Belt, pistol or revolver, M1936	95	1 per indiv
Cover, canteen, dsmtd, M1910	95	1 per indiv
Pocket, Magazine: Double, Web, EM, M1923 For carbine, cal..30	8 172	1 per indiv armed w/pistol 2 per indiv armed w/carbine
Strap, carrying, GP	95	1 per bag, canvas, fld
Suspenders, belt, M1936	95	1 per indiv



QUARTERMASTER, (Cont'd)
Organizational Equipment

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Axe:		
Handled, chopping, SB, standard grade, 4-lb	2	
Intrenching, M1910, w/hdl	10	1 per 10 indiv
Bag, canvas, water, sterilizing, complete w/cover and hanger	2	
Bucket, GP, galv, hvy wgt, 14-qt, w/o lip	22	
Can: Corrugated, nesting, galv, w/cover:		
10 gal	1	
16 gal	1	
24 gal	1	
32 gal	1	
Water, 5-gal	19	1 per 5 indiv
Carrier:		
Axe, intrenching, M1910	10	1 per axe, intrenching, M1910
Pickmattock, intrenching, M1910	28	1 per pickmattock, intrenching, M1910
Shovel, intrenching, M1943	57	1 per shovel, intrenching, M1943
Cases, canvas, dispatch	9	1 per O, WO
Chair, folding	34	1 per O, WO, NCO, and clerk
Chest: Commissary, comp w/equipment	1	
Record, fiber	1	
Desk, field, empty, fiber: Co	1	
Hq	1	
Desk: Office, or substitute table	23	1 per O, NCO
Typewriter, or substitute table	23	1 per desk
Digger, posthole	1	
Drum, inflammable-liquid (gasoline) w/carrying hdl, 5-gal	28	1 per trk, 1/4-Ton; range, fld; 2 per trk, 3/4-Ton; trk, 1 1/2-T
Flag: Guidon	1	
National Ensign	1	
Fly, tent, wall, large, comp w/pins & poles	2	



QUARTERMASTER, (Cont'd)
Organizational Equipment

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Axe:		
Handled, chopping, SB, standard grade, 4-lb	2	
Intrenching, M1910, w/hdl	10	1 per 10 indiv
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Flag: Guidon	1	
National Ensign	1	
Fly, tent, wall, large, comp w/pins & poles	2	



QUARTERMASTER. (Cont'd)
Organizational Equipment (Cont'd)

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Goggles, M1943, w/clear lens	15	1 per vehicle
Hammer, carpenters, curved claw, bell faced, 1-lb	2	
Kit: Barber, w/case	1	
Sewing	8	1 per 12 indiv
Lantern: Gasoline, 2-mantle, commercial	8	
Kerosene, Army	5	
Machine, duplicating, stencil process	1	
Machine, paper fastening	6	4 per Hq; 1 per Co Hq; 1 per Supply Section
Marking outfit, stamping, metal	1	
Outfit: Chaplains (Catholic)	1	
Officers Mess	2	1 per 6 Off
Perforator	4	2 per Hq; 2 per Sup Sec
Pick, handled	4	
Pickmattock, intrenching, M1910, w/hdl	28	3 per 10 indiv
Rake, garden, 14-tooth	6	
Range, field, M1937: 3 unit	1	
Safe, field, key-lock	2	
Saw, cross-cut, type L, 2-man	2	
Scales, weighing, platform, folding A & N type, 30-lb	1	
Screen, latrine, comp w/pins & poles	2	
Shears, office, straight, trimmer	3	
Shovel: General purpose, D-handled, strapback, RP, No.2	6	
Intrenching, M-1943	57	6 per 10 indiv
Long-handled, RP, No. 2	6	



QUARTERMASTER, (Cont'd)
Organizational Equipment (Cont'd)

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Sledge, B8s double face, 6 or 8-lb	1	
Stamp, rubber, official	2	
Stencil outfit, complete w/figures & letters 1/2" and 1"	1	
Table, camp, folding	6	
Tent, storage, comp w/pins & poles	4	
Tent, wall, large, comp w/pins & poles	2	
Tool set (comp w/tools): Blacksmiths Carpenters & Wheelwrights	1 1 1	
Tube, flexible nozzle	15	1 per vehicle
Trumpet, G with slide to F	1	
Typewriter: Non-portable	1	
Portable	1	
Whistle, Thunderer	10	1 per C; 1st Sgt; M/Sgt
<u>SIGNAL EQUIPMENT</u>		
Axle, RL-27-A	1	
Belt, LC-23-A	1	
Chest, BC-5	1	
Climbers, LC-5	1	
Flashlight, TI-122-A-comp	30	
Lantern, electric, portable, hand	10	
Switchboard, ED-72	1	
Telephone, EE-8-A	12	
Terminal strip, M-184	1	
Wire, W-11C, on reel DR-4 miles	5	
Wire Pike, Mc-123	1	



TABLE OF DISTRIBUTION

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE COMPANY
RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, SPECIAL

Hq, USAFFE
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30 August 1944

Designation: Headquarters, _____ Reconnaissance Battalion, Special
Headquarters & Service Company, _____ Reconnaissance
Battalion, Special

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
UNIT	Specification Serial Number	Technical Grade	Administration Bn Hq	Intelligence and Planning Bn Hq	Company Hq	Utilities and Maintenance Hq & Serv Co	Supply Hq & Serv Co	Transportation Hq & Serv Co	Total Company	Total Hq & Hq & Serv Company	Atchd Chaplain	AGGREGATE	REMARKS
2	Lieutenant Colonel, incl Battalion Commander	1542	1	1	1				1	1		1	
3	Major, incl	1542	(1)						(1)	(1)		(1)	
4	Executive	1542	1						(1)	(1)		(1)	
5	Captain, incl	2162	(1)	1 ^a	1				1	(1)	1	(1)	
6	S2 and S3	9301			(1)				(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	
7	Company Commander	2900							(1)	(1)		(1)	
8	Chaplain	5310							2	3	(1)	(1)	
9	Lieutenant, incl	2110	1 ^b						2	3	(1)	(1)	
10	Adjutant and S1	5000	(1)						2	3	(1)	(1)	
11	Utilities & Maintenance	0600							(1)	(1)		(1)	
12	Supply	4010							(1)	(1)		(1)	
13	Total Commissioned								3	7	1	8	
14	Warrant Officer, incl		3						3	7	1	8	
15	Personnel	2200	1 ^d						1	1		1	
16	Master Sergeant, incl		(1)						1	(1)		(1)	
17	Sergeant Major	584	1						1	(1)		(1)	
18	First Sergeant	585	(1)						1	(1)		(1)	

a. S2 and S3.
b. Adjutant and
Special Service
Officer
c. Also Trans-
portation
Officer
d. Personnel



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	UNIT	Specification Serial Number	Technical Grade	Administration Hq	Intelligence and Planning Hq	Company Hq	Utilities and Maintenance Hq & Serv Co	Supply	Transportation	Total Company	Total Hq & Hq & Serv Company	Atchd Chaplain	AGGREGATE	REMARKS
20	Technical Sergeant, incl									1	4		4	
21	Operations	814		1	2	2	1	1	1	(1)	(1)		(1)	
22	Intelligence MCO	631			(1)	(1)			(1)	(1)	(1)		(1)	
23	Personnel	290		(1)	(1)					(1)	(1)		(1)	
24	Warehouse Foreman	252											(1)	
25	Staff Sergeant, incl												(1)	
26	Mess	824				2	1		1	(1)	(1)		4	
27	Motor	813				(1)			(1)	(1)	(1)		(1)	
28	Supply	821											(1)	
29	Utilities MCO	822				(1)			(1)	(1)	(1)		(1)	
30	Corporals, incl				2	1			1	(1)	(1)		4	
31	Clerk, company	405			(1)	(1)				(1)	(2)		(2)	
32	Dispatcher	410								(1)	(1)		(1)	
33	Supply	821			(1)					(1)	(1)		(1)	
34	Technician 3												1	
35	Technician 4												4	
36	Technician 5			5	2	9	15	20	20	64	71	1	31	
37	Private 1cl												18	
38	Private												18	
39	Armorer	511	5			(1)				(1)	(1)		(1)	
40	Bugler	803	5			(1)				(1)	(1)		(1)	
41	Carpenter, gen	050	5			(1)				(1)	(1)		(1)	
42	Carpenter, gen	050				(1)				(1)	(1)		(1)	
43	Chaplain's Asst	534				(2)				(2)	(2)		(2)	
44	Clerk, gen	055				(1)				(1)	(2)		(2)	
45	Clerk, mail	056	5			(1)				(1)	(2)		(2)	
46	Clerk, supply	835	5			(1)				(1)	(2)		(2)	
47	Clerk, typist	405	5			(1)				(1)	(2)		(2)	
48	Clerk, typist	405				(1)				(1)	(3)		(3)	



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	UNIT	Specification Serial Number	Technical Grade	Administration Bd. Hq.	Intelligence and Planning Bd. Hq.	Company Hq	Utilities and Maintenance Hq. & Serv. Co.	Supply Hq. & Serv. Co.	Transportation Hq. & Serv. Co.	Total Company	Total Hq & Hq & Serv Company	Atchd Chaplain	AGGREGATE	REMARKS
49	Cook	060	4			(2)	(1)			(2)	(2)		(2)	
50	Cook	060	5			(1)				(1)	(1)		(1)	
51	Cook's helper	521	5		(1)	(2)				(2)	(2)		(2)	
52	Driftsman, water	076	5							(1)	(1)		(1)	
53	Electrician	018	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
54	Electrician	018	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
55	Electrician	018	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
56	Mechanic, auto	014	4				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
57	Mechanic, auto	014	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
58	Mechanic, gen	121	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
59	Messenger	875	5	(1)						(1)	(1)		(1)	
60	Operator, generator	081	5				(2)			(2)	(2)		(2)	
61	Operator, pump	081	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
62	Painter	145	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
63	Packing case maker	203	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
64	Packing case maker	203	5				(2)			(2)	(2)		(2)	
65	Printer	203	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
66	Projectionist	164	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
67	Projectionist	137	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
68	Shipping clerk	195	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
69	Shipping clerk	195	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
70	Storekeeper	769	3				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
71	Storekeeper	769	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
72	Truck driver, light	345	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
73	Truck driver, light	345	5				(1)			(1)	(1)		(1)	
74	Basic													
75	Total enlisted			7	6	13	16	21	22	72	85	1	86	
	AGGREGATE			11	7	14	17	22	22	75	93	2	95	



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MEDICAL DETACHMENT, RECONNAISSANCE BATTALION, SPECIAL

Designation: Medical Detachment,
Reconnaissance Battalion, Special

1	2	3	4	5
UNIT	Specifica- tion Serial Number	Techni- cian Gr	Detachment	Remarks
2 Captain, incl			1	
3 Detachment Commander	3500		(1)	
4 First Lieutenant, incl			2	
5 Dental	3170		(1)	
6 Medical, gen duty	3100		(1)	
7 Total Commission			3	
8 Staff Sergeant, incl			1	
9 Medical Technician	673		(1)	
10 Corporal, incl			1	
11 Medical Technician	673		(1)	
12 Technician, grade 4 (1	
13 Technician, grade 5) Incl			2	
14 Private First Class (1	
15 Private (1	
16 Clerk, general	055		(1)	
17 Pharmacist	149	4	(1)	
18 Technician, dental	855	5	(1)	
19 Technician, medical	409	5	(1)	
20 Technician, surgical	861	5	(1)	
21 Basic	521		(1)	
22 Total Enlisted			8	
23 AGGREGATE			11	



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Medical Department

Supply Catalog.

Army Service Forces Catalog, Medical 4.

Ordnance Department

Standard Nomenclature Lists (SNL), index to which is the index to Ordnance Publications, Volume 1, OFSB 1-1.

T/A for Cleaning, Preserving and Lubricating Materials, Recoil Fluids, Special Oils and Similar Items of Issue.

Quartermaster Corps

Table of Clothing and Individual Equipment, T/E 21.

Quartermaster Series, Army Service Forces Catalogs.

AR 30-3010, Items and Price List of Regular Supplies Controlled by Budget Credits and Price List of Other Miscellaneous Supplies.



Signal Corps
Catalog (T/D. Items).
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Mask, gas, service, lightweight, M3-10A1-6	11	1 per indiv
Respirator, dust, M2	2	

ENGINEER EQUIPMENT

Compass, wrist, liquid filled	4	1 per Off; S/Sgt
Lamp, electric, portable, command post	1	1 per tent, CP

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT
Individual Equipment

Brassard, Geneva Convention	11	
Kit: Dental: Officers'	1	
Privates'	1	
Medical: NCO's	2	
Officers'	2	
Privates'	3	

Organizational Equipment

Chest, M2: No. 1	1	
No. 2	1	
No. 4	1	
Kit, suction snake bite	1	
Litter (straight), steel pole	2	
Machine, imprinting	1	
Pad, heat, complete	1	
Set, blanket, small	2	
Splint, set	1	
Surgical dressings, box	1	



ORDNANCE
Motor Vehicles

Item	Allowance	Basis of Distribution & Remarks
Truck: 3/4-ton, 4 x 4, amb K D	1	

Motor Transport Equipment

Axe, handled, chopping, SB, 4 lb.	1	Per trk
Mattock, handled, pick, type II, Class F, 5 lb.	1	Per trk
Rope, tow, 20' long, 1" dia	1	Per trk
Shovel, GP, D-handled, strapback, RP	1	Per trk

QUARTERMASTER
Individual Equipment

Bag, canvas, field, OD, M1936	3	1 per Off
Belt, pistol or revolver, M1936	11	1 per indiv
Carrier, pack, M1928	8	1 per EM
Cover, canteen, dsmtd, M1910	11	1 per indiv
Haversack, M1928	8	1 per EM
Strap, carrying, GP	3	1 per bag, canvas, field, M1936
Suspenders, belt	3	1 per Off

Organizational Equipment

Bag, canvas, water sterilizing, complete w/cover and hanger	1	
Bucket, GP, galv, hvy wgt, 14-qt, w/o lip	2	
Can, water, 5-gal	2	1 per 5 indiv
Chair, folding	10	1 per indiv, except driver
Chest, record, fiber	1	



QUARTERMASTER
Organizational Equipment (Cont'd)

Item	Allowance	Basis of Distribution and Remarks
Desk:		
Field, empty, fiber, co	1	
Office	3	
Typewriter, or substitute table	4	
Drum, inflammable-liquid (gasoline) w/carrying hdl, 5 gal	2	Per trk
Flag, Geneva Convention, Red Cross, w/staff	1	
Goggles, M1943 w/clear lens	1	Per Mtr vehicle opr
w/green lens	11	Per indiv
Kit, sewing	1	1 per 12 EM
Lantern: Gasoline, 2-mantle, commercial	2	
Kerosene, Army	1	
Perforator	1	
Safe, field, key lock	1	
Shears, office, straight edge, trimmer	1	
Tent, wall, large (comp w/fly, pins & poles)	1	
Tube, flexible nozzle	1	Per trk
Typewriter, non-portable, 11-in carriage	1	
<u>SIGNAL</u>		
Flashlight, TL-122-()	5	1 per O, S/Sgt, ambulance
Lantern, electric, portable, hand	1	



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SCOUT COMPANY

Designation: Scout Company,
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
UNIT	SSN	Tech Grade	Company Hq	Four Platoons Each (a)	Total Company	Remarks
2	1192		1		1	(a) Each platoon consists of four squads of 12 trainees each.
3	1542		(1)		(1)	
4	1192			1	4	
5	1542			(1)	(4)	
6			1	1	5	
7	585		1		1	
8			5	1	9	
9	878		(1)		(1)	
10	938		(1)		(1)	
11	631		(1)		(1)	
12	651			(1)	(4)	
13	027		(1)		(1)	
14	671		(1)		(1)	
15			2		2	
16	824		(1)		(1)	
17	821		(1)		(1)	
18			1		1	
19	405		(1)		(1)	
20					2	
21					5	
22			13		3	
23					3	
24	060	4	(2)		(2)	
25	060	5	(2)		(2)	
26	521		(3)		(3)	
27	345	5	(3)		(3)	
28	345		(3)		(3)	
29			22	1	26	
30			23	2	31	



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SCOUT COMPANY
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SECTION I
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. This table is in accordance with AR 310-60, and prescribes the equipment authorized for the Scout Company, Reconnaissance Battalion, Special. It will be the authority for requisition in accordance with AR 35-6540, and for the issue of all items of equipment listed herein unless otherwise indicated. This table rescinds all Tables of Basic Allowances, Tables of Equipment, and Tables of Organization and Equipment heretofore published, except T/E 21, Clothing and Individual Equipment, so far as they pertain to the allowances of equipment for the organization and individuals covered by this table.

2. When there appears a discrepancy between the allowances shown in Column 2, "Allowances" and Column 3, "Basis of Distribution and Remarks," the amount shown in Column 2 will govern.

3. Items of clothing and individual equipment, components of sets and kits, spare parts, accessories, special equipment, special tools, and allowances of expendable items, are contained in the following publications:

Chemical Warfare Service

Army Service Forces Catalogs, CW 1, 5, 7, and 9.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog CW 4-1.

Corps of Engineers

Army Service Forces Catalogs, Engr 1-1, 2, 3-1, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Series A.

Medical Department

Medical Department Supply Catalog.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog Med 4.

Ordnance Department

Standard Nomenclature Lists (SNL) and Army Service Forces Catalog, Ordnance Supply Catalog, index to which is the Army Service Forces Catalog Ord 2 OPSI.
Circular No. 78, WD, 1944, Allowances of Cleaning and Preserving Materials.
T/A 23, Targets and Target Equipment.

Quartermaster Corps

T/E 21, Clothing and Individual Equipment.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog QM 4.
Components, Spare Parts, Accessories and Contents of Chests, Kits, and Sets, and Other Items of Quartermaster Property, Circular No. 4, OQMG.
Army Service Forces Catalogs QM 3-1, 3-2, and 6.
AR 30-3010, Items and Price List of Regular Supplies Controlled by Budget Credits and Price List of Other Miscellaneous Supplies.

Signal Corps

Army Service Forces Catalogs, Sig 3, 5, 7, and 8.
Allowances of Expendable Supplies, Army Service Forces Catalog Sig 4-1.
Authorized Signal Corps Parts Lists.

AR 310-200, Military Publications, Allowance and Distribution.

AR 775-10, Qualification in Arms and Ammunition Training Allowances.

SECTION II
CHEMICAL WARFARE EQUIPMENT

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Alarm, gas, M1	1	
Apparatus, decontaminating: 1½-Qt, M2	6	1 per fuel consuming mtr veh
Curtains, gasproof	2	
Mask, gas, service, lightweight, M3-10A1-	223	1 per indiv (incl'd 1 per trainee)
Respirator, dust, M2	12	2 per fuel consuming mtr veh

ENGINEER EQUIPMENT

Boat, rubber, 10-man	10	1 boat per 20 indiv in training
Compass, lensatic, luminous dial, w/case	26	1 per O; Plat Sgt; Scout Instr; per Sqd
Rake, garden, steel	2	
Wheelbarrow	2	
Demolition Kit, squad, Set No. 1	1	

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

Kit, first aid, mtr vehicle, 12-unit	3	Per 2 fuel consuming mtr veh
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ORDNANCE EQUIPMENT

Weapons & Miscellaneous

Binoculars, M13	10	1 per O; Plat Sgt; Scout Instr
Carbine, cal..30, M1	26	1 per EM
Gun: Machine, Browning, cal..30, M1917A1	2	
Machine, Browning, cal..50, M2, flexible, HB	2	
Submachine, cal..45, M3	64	4 per squad



ORDNANCE EQUIPMENT (Cont'd)

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Mount: Tripod, MG, cal..30, M1917A1	2	1 per MG, cal..30
Tripod, Cal..50, MG, M3	2	
Pistol, M1911A1, automatic, cal..45,	5	1 per O

Vehicles

Trailer, 1/4-Ton, 2-wheel Cargo	2	
Truck: 1/4-Ton, 4 x 4	2	
3/4-Ton, 4 x 4, pick-up	1	
1 1/2-Ton, 4 x 4, Cargo	3	

Motor Transport Equipment

Axe, handled, chopping, SB, standard grade, 4-lb	6	1 per trk
Chain, motor vehicle, tow, 16'x7/16-in	4	1 per trk, except 1/4-Ton
Mattock, handled, pick, type II, Class F, 5-lb	4	1 per trk, except 1/4-Ton
Rope, tow, 20-ft long x 1-in diameter	2	1 per trk, 1/4-Ton
Shovel, general purpose, D-handled, strapback, RP, No. 2	6	1 per trk

QUARTERMASTER EQUIPMENT

Individual Equipment

Bag, canvas, fld, od, M1936	31	1 per indiv
Belt, pistol, M1936	31	1 per indiv
Cover, canteen, dsmtd, M1910	31	1 per indiv
Pocket, Magazine:		
Double, web, EM, M1910	5	1 per indiv armed w/pistol
For carbine, cal..30, M1	52	2 per indiv armed w/carbine
Strap, carrying, GP	31	1 per bag, canvas
suspenders, belt, M1936	31	1 per indiv

Organizational Equipment

Axe, handled, chopping, SB, standard grade, 4-lb	2	
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QUARTERMASTER EQUIPMENT (Cont'd)

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Axe, intrenching, M1910, w/hdl	19	1 per 10 trainees
Bag, canvas, water, sterilizing	3	1 per 100 men or frac thereof
Bucket, GP, galv, hvy wgt, 14-qt, w/o lip	2	
Can: Corrugated, nesting, galv, w/cover:		
10 gal	1	
16 gal	1	
24 gal	1	
32 gal	1	
Water, 5-gal	44	per 5 indiv
Desk, field, empty, fiber: Co	1	
Office, or substitute table	18	1 per O; NCO
Drum, inflammable-liquid, (gasoline) w/carrying hdl, 5-gal	11	1 per trk, 1/4-Ton; per fld range; 2 per trk, 3/4-Ton; trk, 1 1/2-Ton
Flag, guidon	1	
Fly, tent, wall, large, comp w/pins & poles	1	
Kit: Barber	1	
Sewing	19	1 per 12 indiv incl trainees
Hammer, carpenters, curved claw, bell faced, 1-lb	2	
Machine, duplicating, stencil process	1	
Machine, paper fastening	1	
Marking outfit, stamping, metal	1	
Perforator	1	
Pick, handled	2	
Rake, garden, 14-tooth	4	
Range, field, M1937, 4-unit	1	
Safe, field, key-lock	1	



QUARTERMASTER (Cont'd)
Organization Equipment (Cont'd)

Item	Allow- ance	Basis of Issue and Remarks
Scales, weighing platform, folding A & N, 30-lb	1	
Screen, latrine, comp w/pins & poles	4	
Shears, office, straight, trimmer	1	
Shovel: General purpose, D-handled, RP, No. 2, strapback	3	
Long-handled, RP, No. 2	3	
Sledge, B8s double face, 6 or 8-lb	1	
Stencil outfit, comp w/figures & letters 1/2" and 1"	1	
Table, camp, folding	3	
Tent, wall, large, comp w/pins & poles	1	
Tool set (comp w/tools): Blacksmiths	1	
Carpenters & Wheelwrights	1	
Tube, flexible nozzle	6	1 per trk
Typewriter, portable, w/carrying case	1	

SIGNAL EQUIPMENT

Flag, kit, M-113	4	1 per Plat
Radio Set, SCR 284 or 288	4	1 per Plat
Signal lamp, EE-84	4	1 per Plat
Telephone, EE-8-4	4	



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