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APO 90, U.S. Army.

GENERAL ORDERS)

6 September 1945

NUMBER 115)

I. GENERAL ORDER NUMBER 93, this Headquarters, 1 June 1945, and Supplemental Guard Orders 1, 16 Aug 45 and 2, 23 Aug 45 are rescinded.

II. OFFICER OF THE DAY.

(a) Officer of the Day will remain in the Guard House at all times except when carrying out his official duty as OD. Either the Officer of the Day or Sergeant of the Guard will be in the Guardhouse at all times.

(b) Officer of the Day will take a bed-check of one company each night after curfew hour. This check will be made between the hours of 2330-0030. Companies will not be notified in advance. Officer of the Day may check any company he desires.

(c) Officer of the Day will check the Guard once (1) before midnight and twice (2) after midnight. Each relief will be checked at least once during its tour of duty. During this check he will insure that doors of the PX are locked.

(d) Officer of the Day will turn in to the Regimental Adjutant each morning the name, rank, ASN, and Organization of each enlisted man who enters the Post after curfew hour.

(e) Officer of the Day will make an inspection of the area each day between the hours of 1000-1200. DAILY INSPECTION REPORT will be turned in to the Regimental Adjutant each day at 1300.

(f) Officer of the Day will check motor pool at 2000 daily and submit list of all vehicles out at that time to S-1. List will be submitted the following morning.

(g) Officer of the Day will prepare the guard report.

III. COMMANDER OF THE GUARD.

(a) Commander of the Guard is responsible for the instruction, discipline, and performance of duty of the guard.

(b) He will see that all members of the guard are correctly instructed in their orders and duties and that they understand and properly perform them.

(c) He will check the guard at least twice (2) before midnight and once (1) after midnight. Each relief will be checked at least once during its tour of duty. During this check he will insure that doors of the PX are locked.

(d) He will inspect the guardhouse and cells each morning before the prisoners are let out to work and insure that they are properly policed.

(e) He will form the guard as soon as practicable when an alarm is raised.

(f) He will cause the detail for raising and lowering the flag at reveille and retreat to be made in time for the proper performance of this duty. He will see that the flags are never handled except in the performance of duty.

(g) He will see that all sentinels are relieved at the proper time.

(h) The Commander of the Guard will detain at the guardhouse all suspicious looking persons or parties moving about without authority. He will report the circumstances to the Officer of the Day who will decide what action is to be taken.

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(i) He is responsible for the security of the prisoners under charge of the guard. When any person is sent to the guardhouse for confinement, the Commander of the Guard will cause him to be searched for any unauthorized articles in his possession. He will report the fact of confinement to the Officer of the Day. Confinement will be made only on authority of S-1 or Trial Judge Advocate or proper court martial orders.

IV. REGULAR GUARD POSTS. (See Annex #1)

(a)	Post No. 1	Daily from 1800 to 1800
	Post No. 2	Daily from 1800 to 0600
	Post No. 3	Daily from 1800 to 0600
	Post No. 4	Daily from 1800 to 0600
	Post No. 5	Daily from 1800 to 1800

(b) All Posts will consist of two (2) men with the exception of Post No. 5 which will consist of two (2) men from 1800 to 0600 and one (1) man from 0600 to 1800.

V. SPECIAL ORDERS.(1) Post No. 1.

(a) To allow no garrison prisoners or PsW to leave the area except under appropriate authority and under adequate guard.

(b) To allow no vehicles from the 359th Infantry except the Regimental Commander's to leave the Post without a properly authenticated trip ticket. The "Official Regimental Stamp" is required for Pond Barracks vehicles.

(c) To challenge and halt all persons and vehicles during the hours of darkness.

(d) To allow no civilian to enter the Post unless he has a properly authenticated pass bearing the name of the Military person to whom he is to report and the signature or stamp of the Military Government Officer.

(e) To allow no German civilians to loiter at the Guard Post.

(f) To allow no civilian to take any government property out of the Post unless he has written permission from the Regimental Adjutant.

(g) To allow no one to leave the Post unless he is in the proper uniform.

Posts No. 2, 3, 4, and 5.

(a) Sentry will halt all persons, military or otherwise, trying to enter or leave the Post by getting across the fence surrounding the Post. If apprehended, such persons will be turned over to OD for proper disposition.

(b) Sentry, upon discovering outbreak of a fire will shout "fire", notify the Officer of the Day or Commander of the Guard, awaken occupants of building in which fire has broken out and attack the fire with hand appliances.

(c) In addition, sentry on Post No. 5 will prevent disorders in PsW quarters and will prevent escape of any German PsW. No visitors will be permitted in German PsW quarters.

(2) Any sentry, upon discovering outbreak of a fire on his post will shout "fire", notify the Officer of the Day or Commander of the Guard, awaken occupants of building in which fire has broken out and attack the fire with hand appliances.

(3) During daylight, guards not on post will be utilized as guards for German PsW, garrison and general prisoners working on Post other than as KPs. Prisoner guard details will be coordinated by Guard OD and the Regimental Police and Prison Officer.

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VI. DISPLACED PERSONS.

(1) The following regulations will govern passes for Displaced Persons in Amberg.

(a) Not more than 25% of the strength of an UNRRA facility may be on pass at any time.

(b) DPs will not have permanent possession of passes. They will be issued when DP goes on pass and collected upon his return.

(c) Issuance of passes will be done as a reward for good behavior. Before a DP may receive his pass he will be required to have his billet and personal equipment in a clean and orderly condition. If a DP violates rules of good conduct while on pass he will lose his pass privilege.

(d) DPs on pass may not leave the limits of the City of Amberg, and they will observe local curfew restrictions.

(e) UNRRA will be responsible that these conditions are observed, for publishing same in necessary languages and for posting them.

(f) American guards will be instructed as to these rules and will be required to enforce them.

(g) American security troops will arrest all DPs without pass cards, and will take passes away from any person who violates these instructions and either return him to his billet or place him under arrest; depending upon the seriousness of the offense.

VII. Guard will be mounted at 1800 daily. (See Annex)

VIII. UNIFORM.

Uniform B, with helmet liners, unless otherwise specified.

IX. Guard will be responsible for raising and lowering the Post Flag daily, as provided in FM 26-5, AR 260-10 and AR 600-25.

X. The New Officer of the Day and the Old Officer of the Day will report together to the Regimental Adjutant at 1830 each day.

By Order of Lt Col SPIVEY:

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Adjutant.

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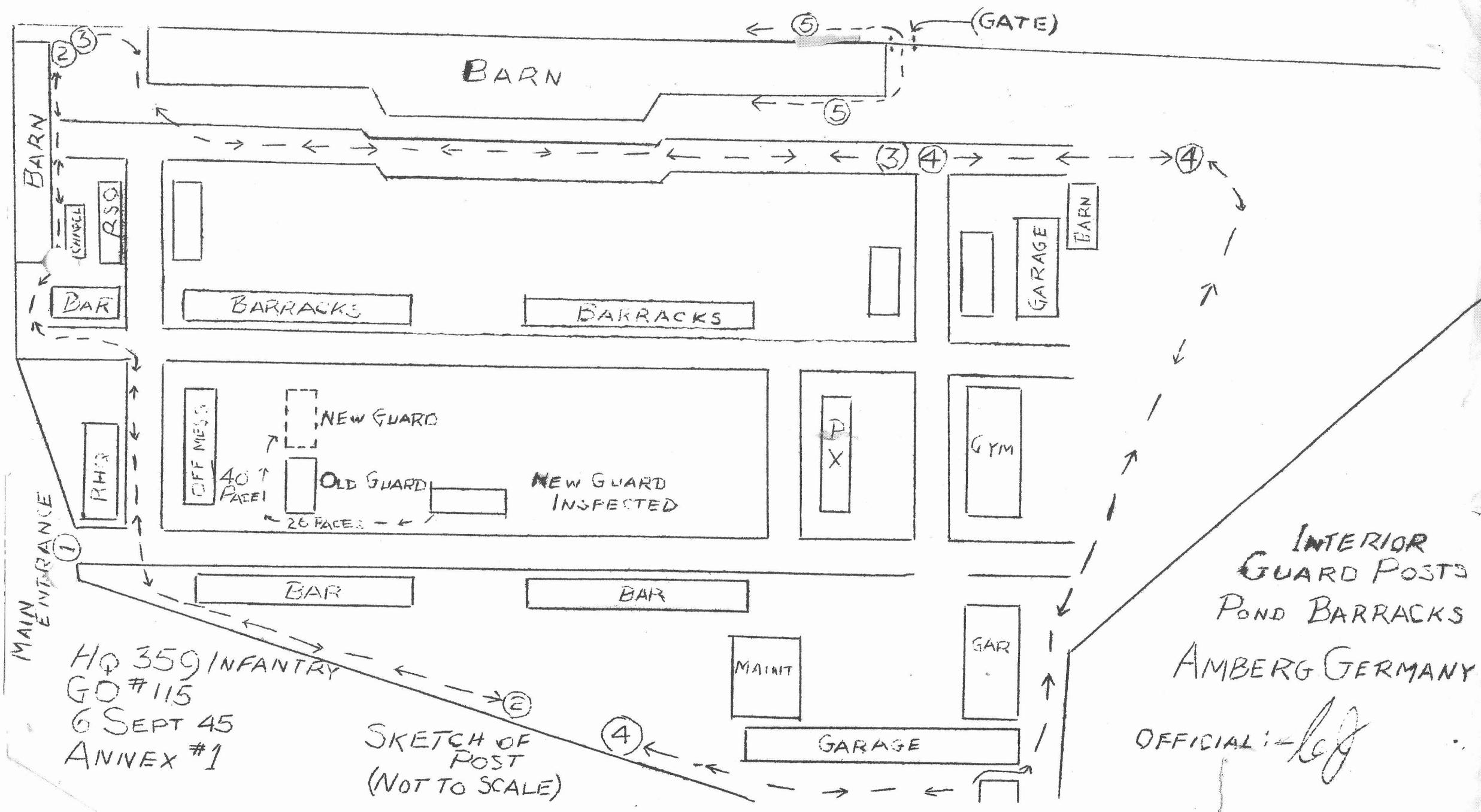
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SKETCH OF POST
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POND BARRACKS
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