



# Dozerdust

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We hear that "Skip" knows his way round the U.S. Canteens. What about the "seegars?"

Lieut Mann and Party say camp conditions good ..a candle per man

Some of the Party have been seen in the town with girls of rather doubtful social standing!

Come clean boys!

NCO's and O/R's at HQ Works appreciate what "Snowy" Lord and Bill Craill did to M&V and other delicious dishes from time to time. All the best lads and thanks.

DoHo...we've been hearing things about you. We did not know you stood for compulsory S.W.M.

An officer at a function recently was reminded he was incorrectly dressed for the occasion ...no one had told him he had been promoted. !!

There has been some NCO's going to bed with headaches at HQ Works this week. Poor boys are going "across the river". only one more to cross.

## FROM THE C.O. TO YOU

I regret that it has not been possible for me to speak to all members of the Works Service Units before my departure. It is to those men out on the various jobs that I wish to express my appreciation of our association over the past two-three months.

The Works Service Units were formed and brought here to carry out a fairly extensive programme of work. This has now been considerably curtailed. It is unnecessary for me to stress the fact that in war the best laid plans are never more than provisional, and, therefore, such changes as have occurred in our plans have to be accepted, not as something unusual, but as part of the way things go.

One of the greatest traits of N.Z'ers. character is the ability to readily re-adapt themselves to meet changed circumstances, and undoubtedly the possession of this trait has a lot to do with the N.Z'ers. success as soldiers.

You are confident in your skill, a quiet confidence bred of "knowing your job", you have done a good job so far - you will do no less in the future and I am confident that you all possess resources of skill, will and determination upon which you can draw to meet any demands placed upon you.

I, as your C.O., appreciate the spirit with which you have faced and overcome past diffic-

ulties, and I have every confidence in your future.

I am proud to have been associated with you, and I greatly regret leaving you - we came over together, it was my hope that we carry on together, but as that is not possible at the moment I have to be content with wishing you all the best

Lt-Col, NZE  
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During the recent wet weather Services were very warmly commended for the excellent job they made of the new road, in fact the praise was so warm that all the "scones" were well done.

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To Bill Bragg, our song writer -

All the best in your new camp.

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## FRENCH CLASSES!!!!

Commencing this week.

Watch Notice Board for further details.

Intending pupils hand names to Sec Orderly Rooms.