

“J” Special Company RE
Appendix No 19

ARRAS 16/6/17

SCHEME FOR INSTALLING 1000 LIVENS GAS PROJECTORS ON 50 DIVN FRONT.

1ST NIGHT 16TH JUNE

- (a) 200 light projectors at O.25.d.4.2. used in operation on May 25th to be dug out and relaid by ‘J’ Spec Coy R.E.
- (b) 200 heavy projectors at O.31.c.4.2. used in operation on June 14th to be dug out and relaid on target by ‘J’ Spec Coy R.E.

2ND NIGHT 17TH JUNE

Remaining 200 heavy projectors at O.31.c.4.2. to be dug out and relaid by ‘J’ Spec Coy R.E.

3RD NIGHT 18TH JUNE

2 G.S. wagons to report at cross roads N.21.b.95.90 at 8 pm. one containing 16 lengths of gloss green camouflage 20 feet x 20 feet. The other G.S. wagon will be loaded with 200 charge blocks and will proceed guided by ‘J’ Coy guides to N.30.d.90.60. where they will be off loaded. The charge blocks will then be carried by ‘J’ Spec Coy R.E. and placed in the guns at O.25.d.4.2.

4TH NIGHT 19TH JUNE

6 3 ton lorries to report to ‘J’ Spec Coy R.E. at 2 (Bis) Place Victor Hugo ARRAS at 4.30 pm. These will be loaded with 200 light projectors and proceed to cross roads at N.21.b.95.90.

9 G.S. wagons to report at cross roads N.21.b.95.90. at 8.30 pm. where they will be loaded with 200 light projectors and proceed with ‘J’ Coy guides at suitable intervals to N.30.d.90.60.

200 infantry in 8 parties of 25 with 2 spare men per party in addition, to report at intervals of 10 minutes at N.30.d.90.60. (1st party arriving at 10.15 pm.) to carry light projectors, 1 per man to O.25.d.4.2. Carrying parties will be guided by ‘J’ Coy guides and return independently by another route.

5TH NIGHT 20TH JUNE

Lorries, wagons and infantry exactly as 4th night.

6TH NIGHT

Any deficiencies in numbers of projectors installed made good by ‘J’ Special Company R.E.

DRUM NIGHT

G.S. 50th Divn will be advised as soon as weather conditions are likely to be favourable for carrying in drums.

A separate scheme for carrying in the drums will be submitted.