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AMENDMENTS (No. 2)

MANUSCRIPT AMENDMENTS

1. Page 13. Para 23. *After* "corrections" *insert* "for elevation".
2. Page 21. Para 9. Last line. *Delete* "re-level the bubble and report "On" and *substitute* "and remain still".

CUT-OUT AMENDMENTS

3. Page 13. Below para 23 *insert* new paras 23A and 23B :—

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23A. Explain that during firing a controlled correction for direction may be given, *eg* :—

"Stop—all LEFT one tap—go on."

"Stop—No. 1 gun RIGHT two taps—go on."

"Stop—all LEFT one degree—go on."

Say that on receipt of the order the Nos. 1 will apply the correction either by tapping or, in the case of degrees, by measurement of hand angles and tapping. They will note their new points of aim and continue firing. If the correction is not followed by the order "Go on", the Nos. 1 will report "On" and await the order to fire.

23B. Practise the squad in controlled corrections for direction.

4. Page 21. Para 11. Last line. *Delete* "and carry on as already taught" and *substitute* :—

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He will then tap the gun until the lensatic sight is laid on the aiming post, re-level the bubble, and report "On".

By Command of the Army Council,

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