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I. GENERAL COURTS MARTIAL.—By direction of the President, the commanding officer, Camp Gordon, Georgia, is empowered, pursuant to the eighth article of war, to appoint general courts martial, effective as of 5 January 1949.

[AG 250.4 (81 Dec 48)]

II. AERONAUTICAL BOARD.—Section I, General Orders 101, War Department, 1945, pertaining to the reorganization, membership, functions, and procedure of the Aeronautical Board, is rescinded.

[AG 334 (7 Jan 40)]

III. BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE.—1. Composition.—a. The following-named officers are hereby designated as members of the Budget Advisory Committee for fiscal year 1951:

Major General *William H. Arnold*, Chief, Budget Division, Office, Army Comptroller, chairman, ex officio.

Major General *William O. Reeder*, Logistics Division, General Staff, United States Army.

Major General *J. B. Dahlquist*, Personnel and Administration Division, General Staff, United States Army.

Major General *A. E. Bolling*, Intelligence Division, General Staff, United States Army.

Major General *C. W. Ryder*, Office, Chief of Staff, special member for Reserve components.

Brigadier General *J. W. Cunningham*, Organization and Training Division, General Staff, United States Army.

~~Brigadier General *C. V. R. Schuyler*, Plans and Operations Division, General Staff, United States Army.~~

(Note.—The chairman of the committee will designate a recorder without vote.)

b. The special member for Reserve components will sit as a member whenever matters pertaining to Reserve components are under consideration.

c. Each member of the committee, as listed in a above, will have a senior alternate, designated by the head of the staff division concerned, whose duty it will be to act for and in the absence of the original member. Attendance at committee meetings by the officers named herein will be mandatory, except in cases of emergency.

d. The committee will meet on the call of the chairman.

2. Mission.—a. To formulate a directive to govern the preparation and submission by all Army estimating agencies of budget estimates of the Army for fiscal year 1951.

b. To review for the Chief of Staff all fiscal year 1951 budget estimates as submitted to the Army Comptroller by the estimating agencies of the Army and to report to the Chief of Staff concerning their—

- (1) Conformity with approved Department of the Army policies and programs as set forth in the fiscal year 1951 budget directive.
- (2) Adequacy for the performance of assigned missions.
- (3) Regard for every possible economy of operation consistent with efficiency and the provision of a sound and balanced Army.

3. Procedure.—*a.* In formulating budget directives and in examining estimates, the committee will obtain and consider the views and recommendations of the General Staff, United States Army, and of such other agencies as may be appropriate, including other staff agencies in Headquarters, Department of the Army, the Chief, Army Field Forces, the commanding generals of the armies (ZI) and of the Military District of Washington, heads of administrative and technical services, commanders of oversea commands, and other affected agencies.

b. Appropriate reports of action taken will be furnished the Army Comptroller.

[AG 334 (8 Jan 40)]

IV..WILLIAM BEAUMONT GENERAL HOSPITAL, TEXAS.—*Effective as of 1 January 1949*, William Beaumont General Hospital, Texas, was designated a class II activity under the control of the Surgeon General at Fort Bliss, Texas. [AG 680.1 (8 Jun 48)]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

OFFICIAL:

EDWARD F. WITSELL
Major General
The Adjutant General

OMAR N. BRADLEY

Chief of Staff, United States Army