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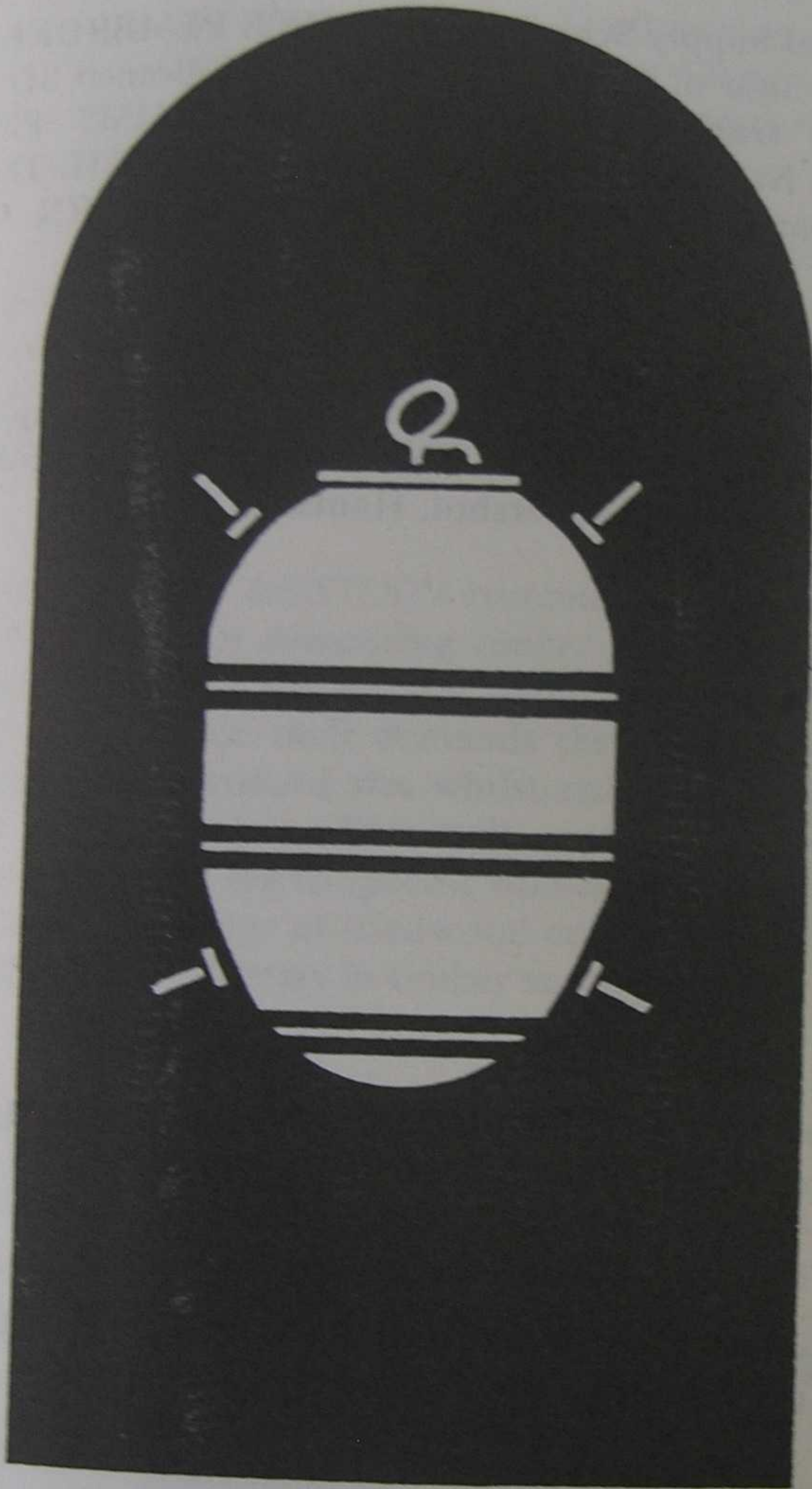
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314/83. UNIFORM—BADGES—RN RATINGS—CHANGE IN DESIGN OF
BADGES FOR THE MINE-WARFARE SUB-BRANCH OF THE
OPERATIONS BRANCH (U)

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1. Approval had been given to change the basic device of Mine-Warfare sub-branch badges. Accordingly new purchases of these badges incorporate a device of a 'British Horned Contact Mine' in place of a 'mine' with integral letters 'MW'. An illustration of the new basic device is shown in the ANNEX. No change in the regulations for issue or wear is involved.
2. The new badges will be brought into use as stocks of the earlier pattern are used up. Storekeeping details have been included in the Catalogue of Victualling Stores.
3. Demands should continue to be placed with PSTO(N) Devonport quoting the vocab numbers of the present badges. PSTO(N) will then supply the new pattern badges when stocks of the old are exhausted.
4. BR81 (*RN and RM Uniform Regulations*) will be amended.

ANNEX



New Mine-Warfare Badge—Basic Device