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The Senior Child Care Officer,
Residential Care.

Discussion with Captain Hall of Alkira Boys Home regarding the probability of the third residential unit at Alkira opening has led to the following statement as to the Salvation Army's requirements.

The Salvation Army is prepared to employ houseparents and open the third unit provided there is an assurance from the Department that a population of at least twelve (12) boys would be maintained in this unit with the preferred total population of Alkira at forty-five (45) that is (15) in each unit.

Captain Hall says that the Brigadier would like a meeting with the Director to come to a "gentleman's agreement" as to this maintenance of numbers after the opening of the third unit.

Captain Hall would want six(6) boys to open the unit. He would plan to take a few boys from the existing units to help integrate the new boys. He would require the remaining six boys after a few weeks of operation of the new unit.

Captain Hall feels that the Salvation Army will not provide another Officer and his wife as houseparents and, that, therefore they would have to advertise outside the Army for the new houseparents.

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for further
advice please

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M. A. Quayle

M.A. Quayle,
Child Care Officer,
7th April, 1976.

