



Source 8

Photographs showing Mussolini and Haile Selassie with their troops, c.1941
(Catalogue ref: CAB 44/81 for Haile Selassie, INF 2/1 Part 3 for Mussolini)



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8d



8e



8f

Questions

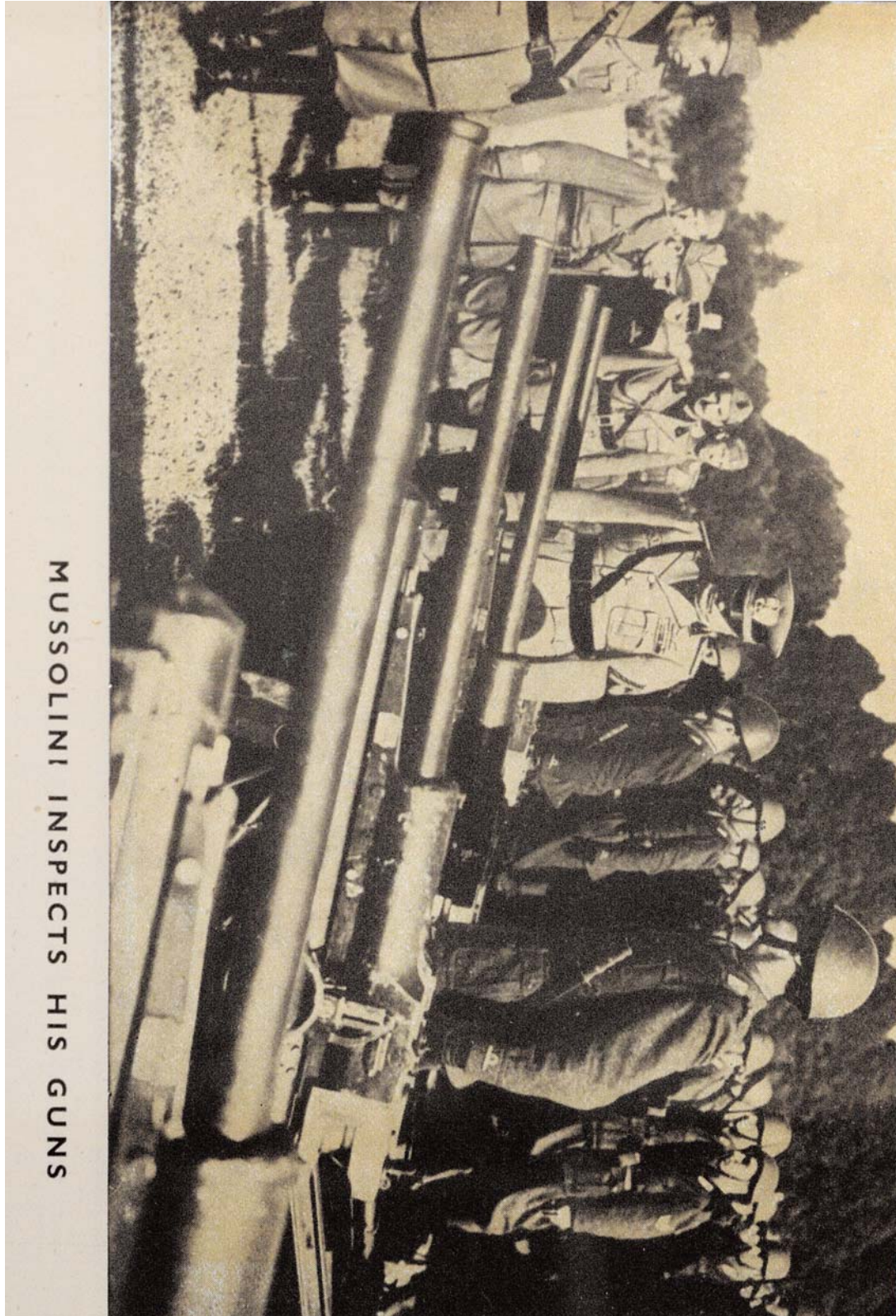
1. Sources 8a-b show Mussolini inspecting Italian troops. Sources 8c-f show Haile Selassie with troops. What do these photos suggest about the difference between the Italian and Abyssinian forces?
2. The photos of Selassie were taken during World War 2, when he returned to fight the Italians again. What does this suggest about the long-term success of the Italian campaign in Abyssinia?
3. Source 8d is a photo of Selassie with Orde Wingate, a British officer who led a guerrilla force against Italian troops. Why were the British keen to fight the Italians in 1941 when they hadn't been in 1935?



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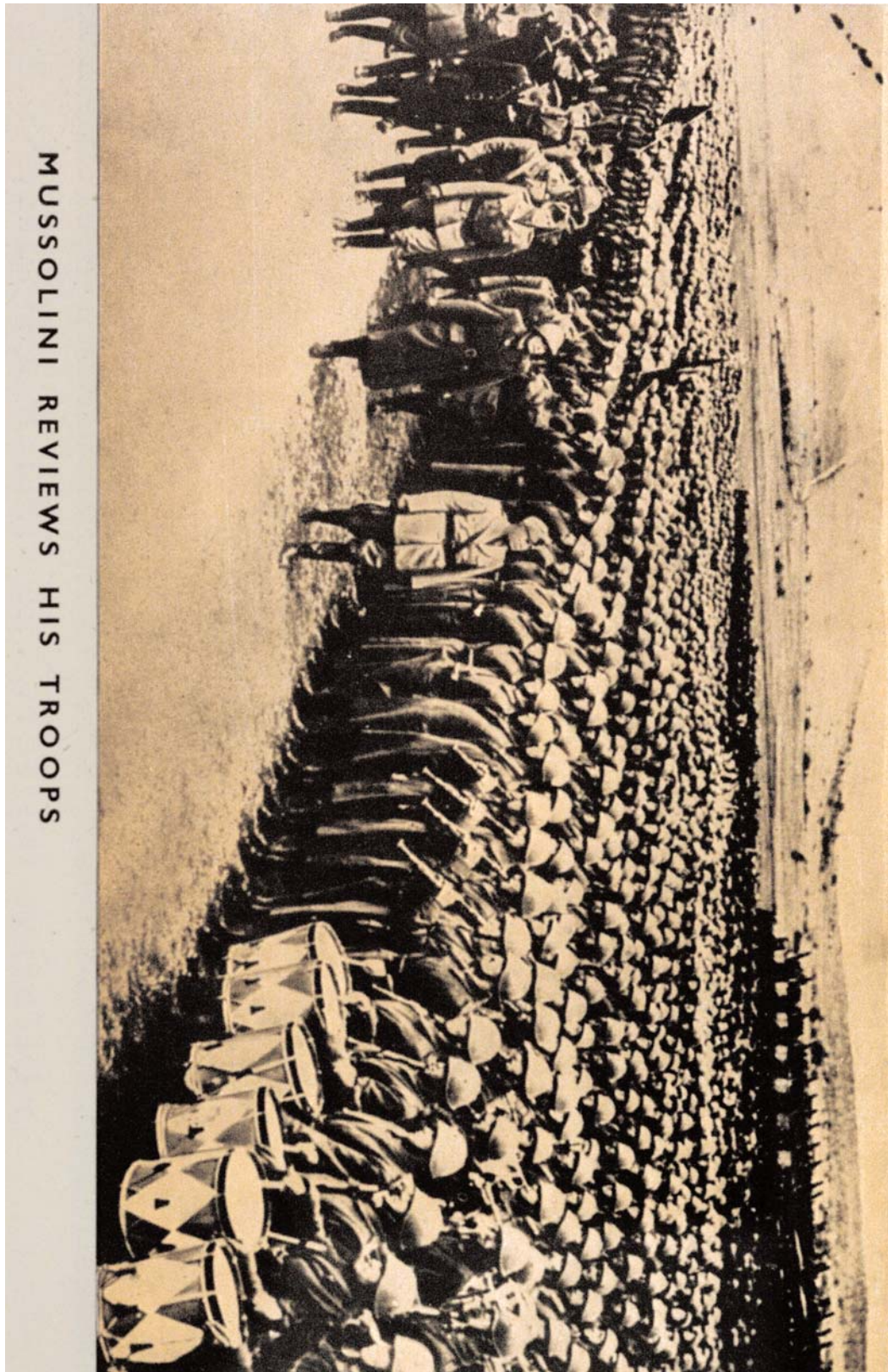




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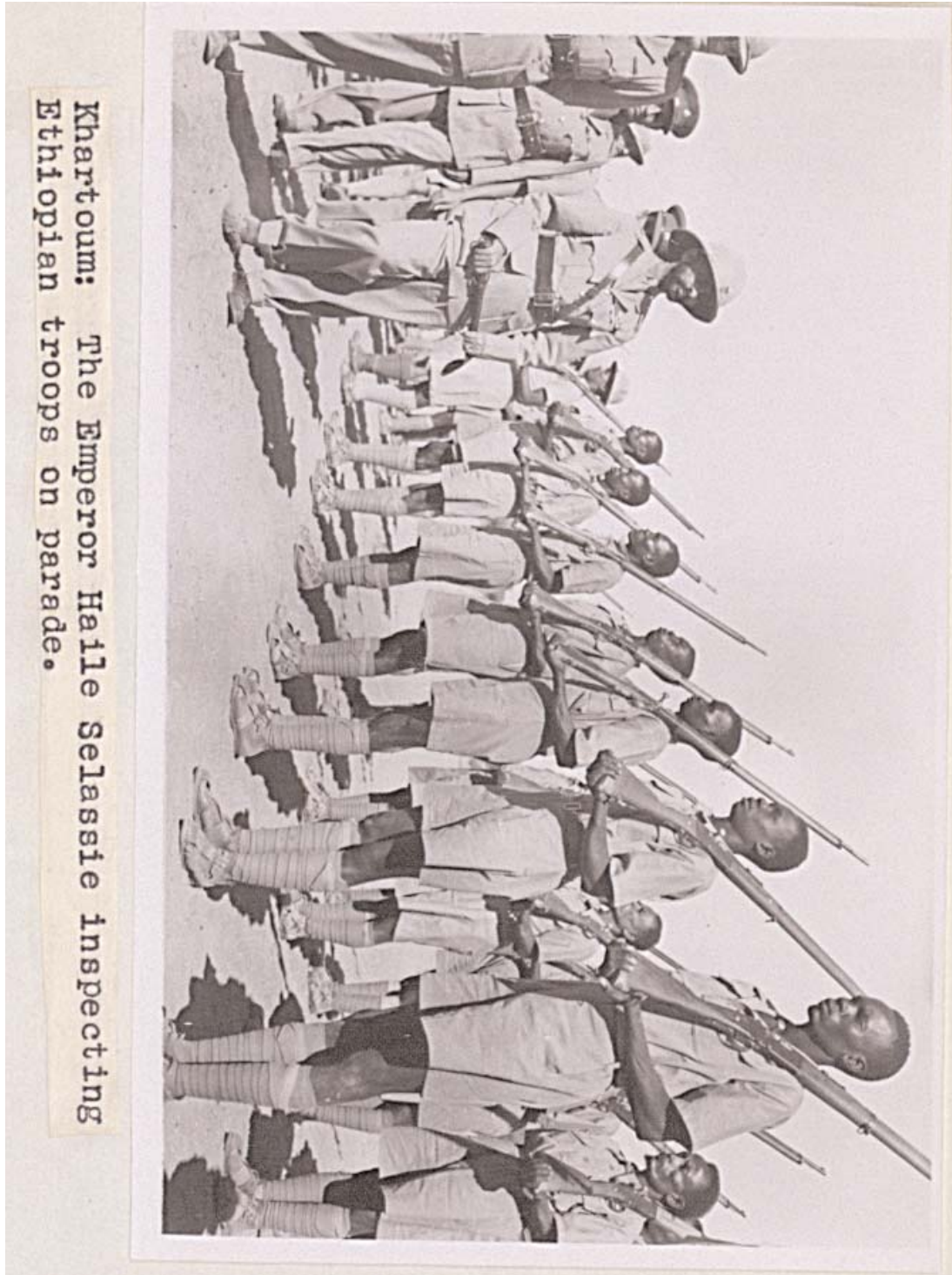




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Source 8c



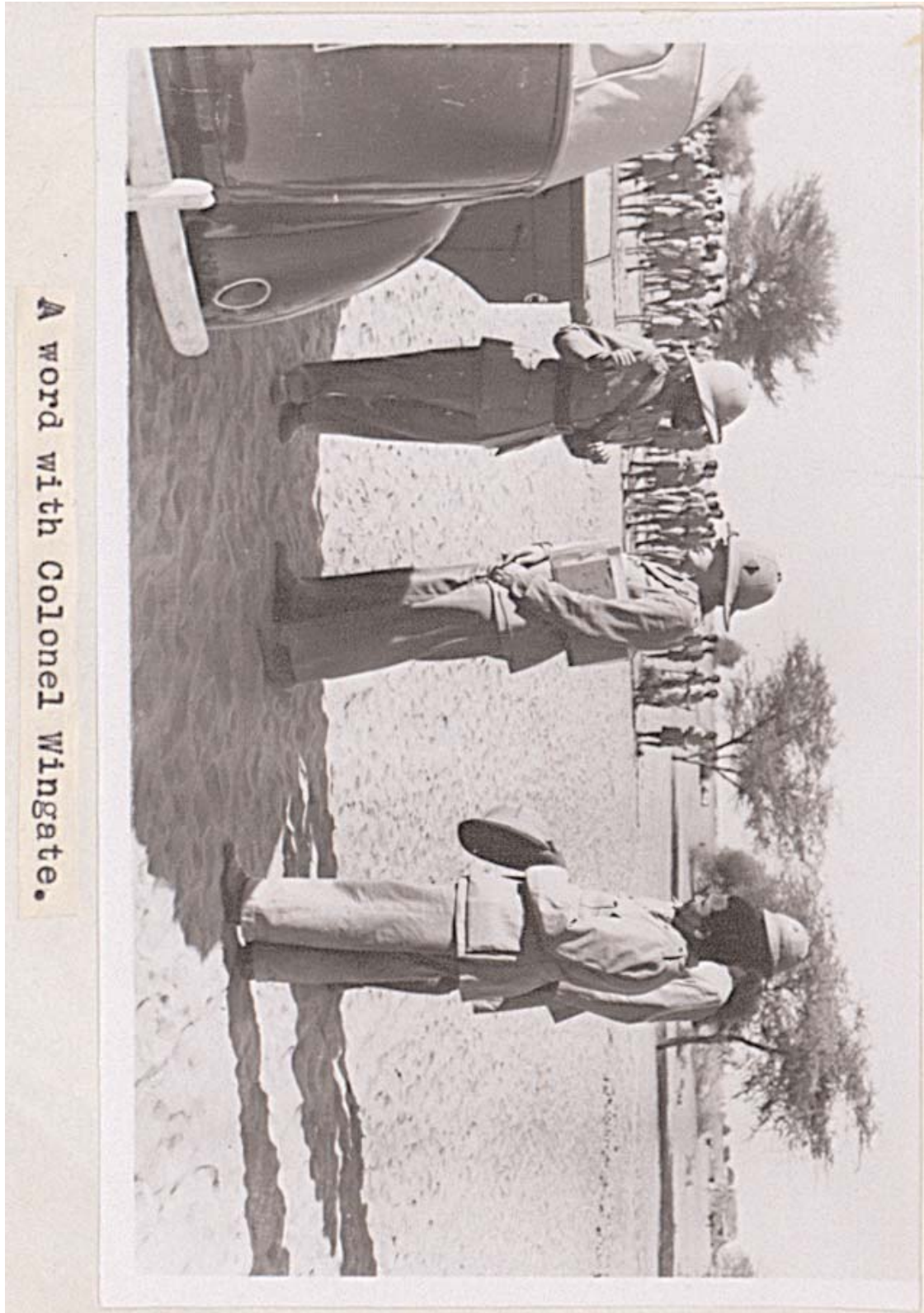
Khartoum: The Emperor Haile Selassie inspecting Ethiopian troops on parade.



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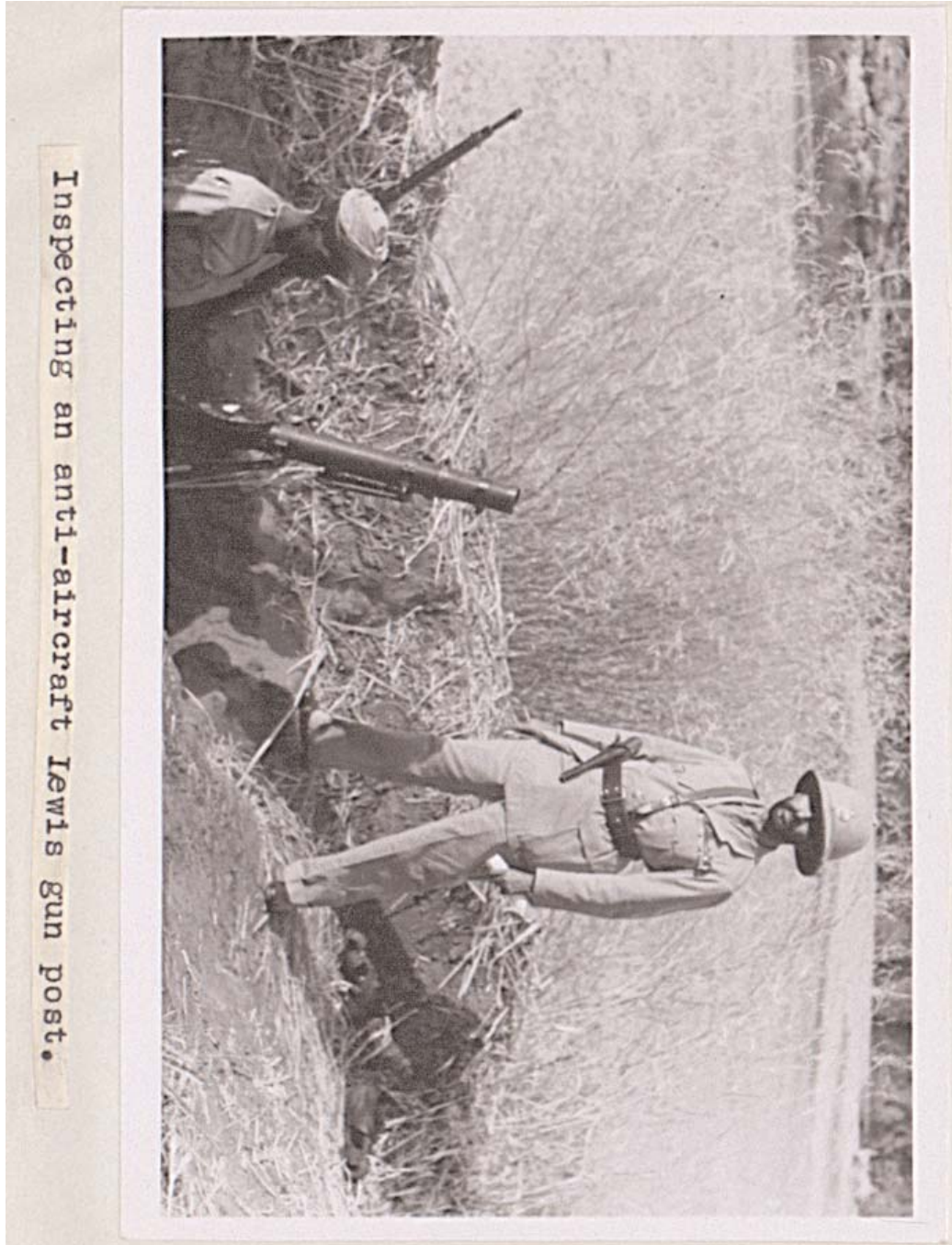




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Inspecting an anti-aircraft Lewis gun post.



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